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## Stimulus funds helps pay for Black River Road project

A section of Black River Road will be under construction starting next week and will be paid for by the federal government and Alcona County residents.

According to the Alcona County Road Commission, funding from the American Recovery and Rehabilitation Act of 2009 (ARRA) will be used to reconstruct Black River Road in Alcona Township.

The segment of Black River Road to be reconstructed is from US-23 east to Lake Shore Drive, and Lake Shore Drive south from Black River Road to the bridge crossing Black River. Construction is slated to begin June 1 and calls for limited tree removal; drainage improvements; guardrail work; minor hill cuts, just east of US- 23 and just west of Sand Hill Trail; grinding the existing surface; and laying a new asphalt surface. The plan also includes replacement of the culvert crossing at Black River east of Fontaine Road.

The amount of ARRA, or stimulus funding, allocated to Alcona County for road improvement projects is \$331,618 and will be supplemented by \$100,000 from Alcona County's allocation of

Surface Transportation Program funding helping to pay for the project's estimated \$790,000 price tag. Alcona Township will be contributing 50 percent of the project cost from its voter-approved road improvement millage. Work on the project is expected to complete by July 31.

During the construction period, the road will be closed to through traffic for a period of up to three weeks to allow for the stream crossing replacement and the hill cuts. There is not an alternate route nearby, so traffic bound for the community of Black

River will routed to Alcona Road about four miles south of Black River Road on US-23. Alcona Road connects with Lake Shore Drive along Lake Huron and will convey travelers to points on the other side of the construction zone.

Upon hearing of the allocation of funding under the ARRA program last spring, the Black River Road project was chosen because it was considered the best fit for the amount of money expected. Only those roads formally designated as federal-aid routes, generally designated as such by their importance to the road network, are eligible for federal funding.

Originally, the next segment of road up for funding under Alcona County's Surface Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP), or the longrange plan for Alcona County, was F-30 between US-23 and Wice Road in the southeastern part of the county; however, that project is estimated to cost more than the stimulus package funding would provide. It was decided to leave the F-30 project on the list where it had been scheduled for full funding in 2011 and move another project up.

The next project on the list was Hubert Road between Mt. Maria Road and the Thunder Bay River on the north boundary of Alcona County. The cost of this project was estimated to be below the anticipated income from the stimulus package and would have, therefore, not taken full advantage of the funds earmarked for Alcona County. Including the portion east of the river to connect with the recently reconstructed portion east of Bear Springs Road would

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Construction of the City of Harrisville's new water tower is moving along. Photo by Art Kniep.

## Alcona joins new athletic league

By Dan O'Connor

Sports Writer

Alcona Community Schools has been a member of many athletic leagues through its history, but now it seems to have taken a solid step to create one that could be permanent for years to come.

Alcona Community High School Principal/Athletic Director Jim Watts and Athletic Secretary Patti Byce have played a pivotal role in starting a new league – the Huron Shores Conference. Starting next season the Alcona Tigers will join Tawas, Whittemore-Prescott, and Oscoda in the new conference.

Watts said that conversations about a new league began untraditionally. "Last year in the early spring Patti and I were at a meeting in Au Gres, Mich. with several schools (Standish, Pinconning, Tawas, Oscoda, Whittemore-Prescott, and another school or two). At the conclusion of the meeting in the parking lot I mentioned to WP, Oscoda and Tawas that we should stop talking and form our own league calling it

Huron Shores League. They agreed. Serious discussions followed shortly after that."

The league was recently certified by the Michigan High School Athletic Association and a constitution has been developed.

Rich Sedgwick, teacher and former coach for Alcona schools, was encouraged by the new conference, "The logistics make sense. It provides good opportunities for strong rivalries. It surely is an improvement over some of the other experiments."

Alcona has always been in an awkward position when attempting to join athletic conferences. The Tigers have been in many conferences -- Northeast Michigan Conference and **Great Northern Conference to** name two -- and recently applied to be a member of the Northstar League, but were denied several times. The schools surrounding Alcona are either too big, too small, or too far away geographically to make a new conference logical.

Alcona schools was a mem-

ber of the Straits Area Conference (SAC) a little over five years ago. The conference included teams from northern Michigan and in the Upper Peninsula.

Watts and Alcona had to intervene when the SAC decided to expand. It was decided it no longer would be a good fit for Alcona, "When Sault Ste. Marie (class A) and Cheboygan (class B) joined the Straits Area Conference we decided the size difference would be unfair to our student-athletes. It was a great league that we were proud to be a member of, but ultimately it came down to giving our student-athletes a competitive opportunity each time they set foot on the court/field,' Watts said.

The new league seems to be a much better fit, but the Tigers are still the smallest school. The estimated enrollment for each high school is as follows: Tawas 568 students, Oscoda 485, Whittemore-Prescott 314, and Alcona 313. Tawas and Whitte-

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## **Veterans' Memorial Services**

The William F. Moore VFW Post No. 6754 Ladies Auxiliary will conduct services at the following locations on **Saturday**, **May 29**: 1:30 p.m. at Angeline Couture's gravesite; 2 p.m. at Hazel LaBonte's gravesite; 2:30 p.m. at Alma Tacia's gravesite in Pleasant View Cemetery.

Barton City VFW Post No. 8135 cemetery schedule on **Monday, May 31** is: 9:15 a.m. at Maple Ridge Cemetery; 10 a.m. at Curran; 10:45 a.m. Lincoln; noon Lutheran Church Cemetery in Barton City.

The William F. Moore VFW Post No. 6754 in Spruce will be at the following locations on **Monday, May 31**: 9 a.m. Bob Kosloski's grave site in Hubbard Lake Cemetery; 9:45 a.m. Dale Hart's grave site in Pleasant View Cemetery in Spruce; 10:15 a.m. Frank Hansen's grave site in Pleasant View Cemetery in Spruce; noon community wide service in Barton City.

Alcona County VFW Post No. 6466 will conduct services at the following locations on **Monday, May 31**: 8 a.m. at Mt. Joy Cemetery; 8:45 a.m. at Springport Cemetery; 9:15 a.m. at St. Anne Cemetery; 9:45 a.m. at Westlawn Cemetery; and 10:15 a.m. at the Harrisville Harbor.

The American Legion Post No. 254 in Mikado will conduct services at the following locations on **Monday, May 31**: 9 a.m. Indian Cemetery; 9:30 a.m. Mikado Civic Center; 10 a.m. Mikado Cemetery; 10:30 a.m. American Legion Post; 11: 30 a.m. Barton City VFW Post.

The Barton City VFW Post No. 8135 is hosting the county wide Memorial Day service and ceremony in Barton City on **Monday, May 31**. The ceremony, with the participation of veterans' groups, will begin at noon. A luncheon will follow at 12:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

There will be ceremony in Lincoln at the park at 2 p.m. on **Monday, May 31**. There will be a color guard and riffle squad as part of the ceremony. Several local veterans' groups will participate. The public is invited to attend.

#### **Obituaries**

#### Kenneth H. Adair

Kenneth H. Adair, 83, of Greenbush died on Thursday, May 20, 2010 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

He was born November 7, 1926 in Mt. Morris, Mich. to Harvey and Frances (Briggs) Adair.

Upon graduating from Mt. Morris High School he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He graduated from General Motors Institute of Flint, Mich. and was employed at the Buick Foundry there where he retired as plant manager after 30 years.

He spent his retirement on the shores of Lake Huron in Greenbush with his wife, Bertha (Wartenberg) of 62 years. He was very active in many community services and organizations

Mr. Adair is survived by his wife, Bertha; two daughters, Karen Richards (Gene Allardyce) of New Lothrop, Mich. and Mary (Joel) Erickson of Oklahoma City, Okla.; two sons, Thomas (Leslie) Adair of Jackson, Miss. and Kenneth H.(Sandy) Adair Jr. of Alpena; and 11 grandchildren.

The funeral was held May 22 at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. The Rev. James Erickson officiated.

Burial was in Springport Cemetery, Harrisville.

Memorials may be given to the development council at the Alpena Regional Medical Center designated to the Hospice Room.

#### Bernard P. Bellor

Bernard P. Bellor, 80, of Barton City, died on Saturday, May 22, 2010 at home.

He was born May 7, 2010 in Fraser Township, Mich. to Clem and Gertrude (Trombley) Bellor.

He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War.

He was a long time resident of the Pinconning-Linwood, Mich. area moving to Barton City in 1974.

He was a self employed carpenter and had worked building ships. He was a member of the Burger Wiedbrauk Post No. 8135 Veterans of Foreign Wars, where he was a past commander. He was also a member of the Barton City Eagles Aerie No. 4141.

Mr. Bellor is survived by one daughter, Pamela (Steven) Kirkpatrick of Kalamazoo, Mich.; one son, Gary (Betty) Bellor of Standish, Mich.; four grandchildren, Jeremy (Lisa) Bellor, Stacy (Chris) Bell, Cory (Misty) Shook and Kevin (Jessica) Shook; seven great-grandchildren; two sisters, Florence Rifenbark of Linwood, Mich. and Mildred Pagnier of Leesburg, Fla.; one brother, Elmer Bellor of Linwood, Mich.; and his dear companion, Isabella Kerlin.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Debra Carrier, on February 10, 2010.

The funeral was held May 24 at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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#### Jean S. Schram

Jean S. Schram, 84, of Traverse City, Mich. formerly of Lincoln, died on Wednesday, May 19, 2010 at Munson Medical Center, Traverse City, Mich.

She was born August 25, 1925 in Detroit, Mich. to Charles and Pearl (Day) Basset. She was raised in Pinconning, Mich.

On April 25, 1942 she married Harold Schram. They were longtime Lincoln residents, moving to Harrisville in 1988.

An Alcona County resident most of her life, Mrs. Schram recently moved to Traverse City, Mich.

She was long time employee of Harrisville Tool and Die and attended Haynes Community Church.

Mrs. Schram is survived by one son, Kenneth (Viki) of Gaylord, Mich.; 11 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harold, on December 26 1989; and her daughter, Bonnie Jean Gauthier, on November 18, 1999.

The funeral was held at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln, on May 24. The Rev. Clair Duncan officiated. Burial was in Twin Lakes Cemetery, Lincoln.

#### Russell M. Wallenmaier

Russell M. Wallenmaier, 98, of Mikado, died on Friday, May 21, 2010 at the Alpena Medical Center.

He was born February 28, 1912 to Eugene and Myra (Slack) Wallenmaier, in South Lyon, Mich.

He purchased his farm in Mikado in 1934, where he resided until recently.

In 1941, he married Hazel Apsey of Lincoln.

He enjoyed hunting and fishing. An avid baseball player, he played on the Mikado Baseball Team for many years.

The Wallenmaiers made 16 trips to their favorite fishing spots in Alaska. They also wintered in Florida for 18 years.

Mr. Wallenmaier is survived by his wife, Hazel; one daughter, Mary (Al) Poirier; two sons, Eugene (Sierra) Wallenmaier, and Ronald (Gail) Wallenmaier; seven grandchildren, Jarod, Jason (Dawn) and Barry (Kim) Wallenmaier, Lisa (David) Lacorazza, Tracey (Sean) Erbe, Nichole (Nathan) Cline and Carrie (Johnnie) Hemming; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Helen Bosman and Margaret Carnagie; one brother, Don Wallenmaier; and one grandson, Adam Tait.

The funeral was held May 25 at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. Dr. Arie Van Brenk officiated. Burial was in Mikado Cemetery.

# Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,

Once again, I would like to thank Kathryn Fritz Kniep for an outstanding article in the April 28 edition of the Alcona County Review. Her observations in "There Is No Arizona" hit to the heart of the issue of how we deal with illegal immigrants.

I realize that many people see quick fixes to the problems attending illegal immigrants. Kniep's wise message should give all of us pause to consider who we are as a democratic people. The prayer that she offers "for the diversity of races and cultures" should become part of the meditation of all who consider themselves to be Christian.

"Write on," Fritz! Each week when the paper arrives, your column is the first thing I read.

Mary Lynn Kraft Naples, Fla. and Greenbush

#### $\operatorname{League}$ Continued from page 1 :

more-Prescott are leaving the Northeast Michigan Conference while Oscoda left the conference two years ago and was operating as an independent.

Varsity boy's basketball / baseball coach Seth Coffing is glad to have a new league to call home and knows it will add to the intensity of Alcona athletics. "The rivalries with these teams and Alcona are already pretty high, it will be interesting to see how much a league setting will enhance that," Coffing said.

Byce is excited by the new possibilities along with helping alleviate some of the biggest headaches that independent schools face arranging contests. "Scheduling games will be much easier because we will have built in contests and in some sports we are experimenting with league tournaments," Byce said.

The Huron Shores Conference will sponsor a sport that three out of the four schools provide. Football, volleyball, boys/girls basketball, softball, baseball, soccer, and golf are some of the sports that the league will feature. Alcona will also have more than just a

district title to play for, but now conference championships as well. The league will also award all-conference teams at the end of each season.

"It will be a great thing for our athletes to have a chance to earn some individual honors," Coffing said.

The league is hoping to eventually attract a few more schools that are close to the same enrollment and thus make the Hurons Shores Conference one of the premier leagues in northeast Michigan.

#### Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2000/2010

		Weekly	<u>Report</u>	Miles Pe	r Hour		
	Temperature (F°)		. , ,		High	Dominant	
<u>Date</u>	<u>High</u>	Low	<u>Inches</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Direction</u>	
May 16	56	39	0.00	4.7	16	NE	
May 17	59	41	0.00	5.3	16	NNE	
May 18	64	44	0.00	3.5	15	NE	
May 19	69	46	0.00	2.8	14	S	
May 20	74	53	0.00	3.8	16	SSW	
May 21	64	49	0.01	2.5	19	S	
May 22	63	53	0.06	2.6	11	SSW	

Precipitation Summary (Inches)						
<u>2010</u>	2009	<u>Normal</u>				
0.07	0.18	0.63				
2.60	1.10	1.86				
5.25	9.36	9.41				
	2010 0.07 2.60	0.07 0.18 2.60 1.10				

Climatological Observations taken by Stanley L. Darmofal at the Harrisville National Weather Service Coop Station located 1.8 miles NNE of Harrisville Post Office. Observations for each day are from midnight through 11:59 p.m. T=Trace (less than 0.005" Water Content.)

#### Calendar of Events

(Editor's Note: Entries for Calendar are always welcome. They will be published in chronological order as space allows. Entries should be turned in at least two weeks prior to the date of the event. Events sponsored by businesses or individuals to make a profit or governmental units for meeting notification are not eligible for this free public service. Sorry, "bingo," "garage sales" or "raffle ticket sales" information is also not eligible.)

#### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 26**

Alcona MSU Extension master gardener volunteers are available to answer horticultural and gardening questions from 1 to 4:30 p.m. at the office in Harrisville or over the phone at (989) 724-6478.

Join the Circle of Parents at 11 a.m. at the Michigan-Works! Center, 202 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Lincoln to discuss parenting issues. There is no charge and this program in open to all parents, grandparents, foster parents and kinship caregivers. For more information, call Ruth at (989) 356-2880 or (800) 354-2880.

The East Shore Art Guild Gallery is open Monday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. located in the Harbortown Marketplace, Harrisville.

The GM Sunrise Side Salaried Retirees will meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Alpena Holiday Inn. Guest speaker will be travel agent Linda Adkin. Reservations and payment in advance. Call Chuck at (989) 727-3350 or Frank at (989) 595-2789 for reservations or more information.

A laptop personalization and customization class will be offered at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

The Alcona County Library Board will meet at the Lincoln branch at 2 p.m.

#### THURSDAY, MAY 27

Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

Judy MacNeill will present nutrition and health tips as part of the Alcona County Library's Happy Healthy Summer program at the Harrisville branch at 9:45 a.m. A fresh fruit frenzy will follow. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

The Alcona County Amateur Radio Group will meet at the EMS/EOC building on M-72 at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Free refreshments. Contact Stan at (989) visit 724-5550 or www.alconaradio.org for more information.

the Huron poker room of Vista Lanes in Oscoda beginning today from 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. through Sunday, May 30. Proceeds will benefit the Alcona County Commission on

The Community Walking Club begins at 9 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome, walk at your own pace.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 28

A story a craft project will be offered for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library.

#### SATURDAY, MAY 29

Winners of the ESAG gift certificates will be drawn at 2 p.m. at the ESAG Gallery, Harbortown Marketplace, Harrisville.

There will be a story hour at the Curtis Township Library in Glennie from noon to 1 p.m. featuring book reading, a craft activity and snack.

Drop off old technology to benefit the Alcona High School girls' basketball program in the high school lobby from 8 a.m. to noon. Items accepted include old cell phones, video games, calculators, laptops, etcetera. Visit http://LadyTigers.gazelle.com for more details.

Celebrate Barton City fire fighters and first responders "Recognition and Appreciation Day" at the Barton City V.F.W. Post no. 8135 beginning at 1 p.m. Fire trucks and rescue equipment will be on display, the fire department will have a staffed table with information and fire safety awareness and a food and drinks vendor will be on site. For more information, call Nancy at (989) 736-3263.

New Life Lutheran Church, corner of Hubbard Lake and Kirche in the Woods roads, will hold their annual spring garden bazaar from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The Sunrise Gardening Club will have a plant sale and exchange from 9 a.m. to noon next to the Craftmakers' Cabin in Harrisville.

#### **SUNDAY, MAY 30**

An all you can eat pancake breakfast will be served at Maria Hall in Harrisville from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$4.50 for adults and \$3.50 for chil-

#### MONDAY, MAY 31

The Weight Loss Support Group will meet at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln United Methodist Church. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

The Lincoln Depot group will host a perennial plant sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the depot.

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 1

The monthly meeting of the A four day Texas Hold'em Lincoln Depot group will be tournament will be held in held at 1 p.m. at the depot.

Anyone interested in the depot is welcome.

A meeting of the Mikado 125th birthday in 2011 planning committee will be at 7 p.m. at the Mikado Civic Center. Any organization wanting to participate in the celebration should have a member attend. Volunteers are welcome also.

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Friends of the Alcona County Library will meet at the Harrisville branch at 1

The Northeast Michigan **UAW Retired Workers Alpena** Council will hold their membership meeting at 11 a.m. at

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#### ATTENTION **ALL MILITARY** Past & Present

The Flour Garden in Harrisville is designating a wall to honor Servicemen & Servicewomen, Past and Present.

If you have a Son, Daughter, Husband, Wife, etc. that was or is in the Military, please bring a picture to the Flour Garden that can be put up on the wall. Include any pertinent information, so we can honor our Local Troops. Sponsored by the Harrisville Lions

New Life Lutheran Church-Alcona County Annual Spring Garden Bazaar Saturday, May 29th 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Featuring: Bakery Shop • Wood and Needle Crafts RADA Cutlery • Beautiful Garden Plants Pantry Items & Sauerkraut Kids Games and Crafts Corner And a 2<sup>nd</sup> Hand Shop

New Life Lutheran Church is located on the NE corner of Hubbard Lake Road and Kirche in the Woods, ½ Mile South of the White Pine National Golf Course

## Texas Hold'Em **Tournament**

**Memorial Day Weekend** 

Huron Poker Room-Vista Lanes, Oscoda 4 Days

**Cash Table** 6 p.m.'til 2 a.m.

Thursday May 27-\$10 Rebuy, No Limit Hold'Em Friday May 28-\$20 Freeze-Out (No Rebuys, No Add-Ons) Saturday May 29-\$20 No-Limit Hold'Em Shoot-Out Sunday May 30 - \$5 No Limit Hold'Em

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Each photo is numbered and named.

Below the photos is the voting box, each choice is numbered and named the same as the photo. Just checkmark what photo you want to vote for and click on the **VOTE** button at the bottom of the voting box.

Each person may vote only one time. Voting ends June 6.



#### Local Notes

#### **Library Extends Hours**

The Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will extend its hours on a trial basis during the summer months. Monday through Friday the opening time will be 9:30 a.m. rather than 10 a.m. The Saturday hours will remain the same 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The earlier opening will allow people who have early appointments with county departments to also

take care of their library errands. Depending upon the response from library patrons, the hours change may be permanent.

#### **Youth Golf Leagues**

Greenbush Golf Course will offer for the sixth year a four-week junior golf program for girls and boys ranging in age from eight to 12 years beginning Monday,

June 21 at 8:30 a.m. The Teen League will begin its second year on Thursday, June 10 at 11:30 am. For more details, call (989) 724 6356.

#### **Free Table Space**

Westminster Presbyterian Church is offering free space to anyone interested in participating in the Community Garage Sale event in Harris-

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#### **Lake Huron**

- $\bullet$  Sugar sand beach-walk for miles! This cute 2 bedroom cottage has 168' of frontage and sits on 1.44 acres. heated sunroom and fireplace plus panoramic views of the lake can be yours. **\$249,900** 10-0071
- What a deal!-200' of lake frontage plus a 1,700 sq. ft. log home and a 24x38 pole barn for all the toys. Ceramic tile, bright knotty pine interior, 10 skylights, hardwood floors, and much more! **\$219,000** 10-0066
- What a location!-View the harbor from your 40' deck overlooking the lake. Five bedroom, 2 baths in a secluded area within walking distance to town. Home is immaculate and features 2 wood stoves and ceiling fans in each room. \$329,000 10-0059
- Seclusion and Privacy!-101' of sugar sand beach sits on 2.6 acres on a private road. Beautiful chalet features bright knotty pine interior, free standing fireplace, screened porch, and miles of sandy beach! **\$348,900** 10-0058
- Custom home on the Lake-Gorgeous year-round maintenance free home, with gorgeous beach frontage features 16x34 great room, MB suite, 34' deck plus an additional lot across the street. **\$395.000** 10-0056
- Custom Condo! 200' of sugar sand beach, 2,700 sq. ft. of living space, garage, 2 bedroom,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  baths, with hardwood floors through out! Great sound proofing between units because of no common walls. Energy efficient-super buy! **\$299,900** 10-0055
- •Refinished Log Home!-includes jacuzzi tub, skylights, corian counters, hardwood floors in kitchen/dining, fireplace 2/guest cottage above the garage! All on 1.15 acres with 100' of pristine Lake frontage. **\$374,900** 10-0054
- •Spectacular View-from this 5 bedroom,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  bath home on the bluffs. Over 3,200 sq. ft. of living space with 2-48' decks, lower and upper, 11 sets of sliding glass doors leading to decks, 2 stone fireplaces, plus a beach hut! 100' of sandy beach! **\$449,000** 10-0052
- •Up North at It's Best! Great knotty pine cottage, features 3 bedroom, 3 baths, updated kitchen, sun room, screened gazebo with hot tub, det. garage, all in a secluded 4.3 acres that features 150 on the Lake! \$375,000 10-0046
- •Affordable!-This 4 bedroom home is located just south of town and at only \$139,900 won't last long. Beautiful sandy beach. 10-0043
- •Updated Ranch sits on 1 acre of woods and has 80' of beach front across the street! Plus a beach house to store all the toys. **\$159,900** 10-0033
- •Sugar Sand Beach-This 2 story home on the lake has been updated and includes a heated
- sunroom and a workshop in the 2 car garage! 100' of lake frontage **\$259,900** 10-0032
- •Custom Condo-Beautiful end unit, you'll notice the elegance the minute you step in! 200' of gorgeous beach frontage, and spectacular views from the condo. Maintenance Free! **\$349,900** 10-0025
- Pristine Beach-Cute Chalet sits on 50' of lake frontage and features a third floor custom built loft with bunk beds. Master bed is on the first floor. Great year round or up north get-a-way.
  \$289,900 10-0024
  Canal frontage-e bed ranch features a beautiful view of Lake Huron! Many updates including
- power awnings, fireplace insert, insulation, & More! **\$174,900** 10-0017
- •Close to the Lighthouse!! Cute 2 bed cottage sits on 66' of lake frontage. Great location, Great beach, move in today! **\$224,900** 9-0153
- •Elegance at its Best-Breathtaking 4 bed 3½ bath multi-level home offers a spectacular view of Lake Huron in the front and the Greenbush Golf Course in the back! **\$324,900** 09-0144
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- •Close to the Lighthouse!-This 2 bed cottage sits on 75' of lake frontage, and with a little TLC this could be your up north dream! **\$169,900** 08-0071
- •Year-Round Living-Move into this 3 bed ½ bath ranch and enjoy the spectacular view of Lake Huron! This home sits on 175' of beach frontage and has a 24x36 pole barn for all the toys. Extra lot available. **\$295,000** 09-0057

#### CEDAR LAKE

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- Lot Home-1,620 sq ft log home built in 2002 would be the perfect up north retirement home or year round getaway. Includes 3 bed, 2 bath and is  $1\frac{1}{2}$  story. Includes fireplace, central air and much, much more. **\$259,900** 08-0084
- $\bullet$  Ready-To-Move-Into! Three bedroom, 1 bath cottage, includes dock and seawall. \$124,90008-0100
- Lots of Elbow Room-Well maintained 3 bed,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  bath home on nicely wooded lot. Includes 2 car garage and 10x20 storage bldg. **\$259,90** 09-0149
- Two For The Price Of One The main cottage has been completely remodeled. There is an additional cute on bed guest cottage that sleeps four. **\$129,900** 10-0007
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  100 ft. of Sandy Swimming-This four bedroom, 1¾ bath chalet has it all. 2 car garage, 2<sup>nd</sup> story
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#### **Senior Menu**

The following meals will be served at various times during the week at senior centers in Glennie, Greenbush and Lincoln. Anyone planning to attend a meal is asked to reserve a place by calling (989) 736-8879 by 10 a.m. Monday through Thursday and by 9:30 on Friday.

- Monday, May 31—All centers closed.
- Tuesday, June 1— Smothered chicken, rice pilaf, broccoli, coleslaw and fruit.
- Wednesday, June 2— Roast beef, scalloped potatoes, corn, fruited Jell-O and fruit crisp.
- Thursday, June 3—Bourbon pork chop, stuffing, green beans, tossed salad and peaches.
- Friday, June 4—Chicken cacciatore, rice, peas, coleslaw and fruit. (Glennie center only)

#### **Golf Scramble**

The Alcona County 4-H Advisory Council will be hosting a Charity Golf Scramble at the Greenbush Golf Course on Sunday, June 20. Registration is open for teams of four at \$50 per person, which includes: 18 holes with a cart, light lunch at the turn, door prize ticket and a catered dinner buffet with awards ceremony. Prizes for top finishing teams as well as door prizes, cash games and a raffle highlighted by an autographed pin flag from the 2004 Masters signed by three time winner Phil Mickelson. For a complete set of rules or to register a team, call Les Thomas at the MSU Extension Office at (989) 7246478. All proceeds will benefit 4-H Youth programming in Alcona County.

#### In the Service

Air Force Airman Cory M. Swindle graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. The airman completed an intensive, eightweek program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills. He is the son of Kathleen Schultz of Spruce and Michael Swindle of Cordova, Ala. Swindle is a 2009 graduate of Alpena High School.

#### **Wood Carvings on Display**

Thunder Bay Wood Carvers artwork will be exhibited at Thunder Bay Arts Council beginning Thursday, June 3 with a "Meet the Artists" reception from 5 to 7 p.m. This reception is open to the public. This exhibit will run from June 3 - July 29. George Thompson, Terry Matzke, and Howard Lahti will have their wood carvings on display in this exhibit. Thunder Bay Wood Carvers was formed prior to 1996. They have a membership of 17. Carving sessions are held at the Besser Museum of Northeast Michigan on Tuesday and Thursdays from 1 to 4 p.m. and at the Alpena County Library on Tuesdays from 1 to 4 p.m. New members are always welcome. Members also carve at the Log Cabin Days, Fall Harvest Days, Downtown Friday Nights, Marine Sanctuary (Fourth of July) and Sprinkler Lake Family Days. TBAC is located in downtown Alpena, 309 ½ N. Second Ave., (in the Waterfront building). Regular gallery hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information call the TBAC office at (989) 356-6678.



Three Alcona High School Seniors were chosen to be Harrisville Lions Club Scholarship recipients (from left) Mackenzie R. Sims, Kathryn D. Bates and Kimberly D'Augustino. *Courtesy photo.* 

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## Lady Tigers fall to Oscoda Owls

By Dan O'Connor

Sports Writer

Late rallies have been a trademark for the Lady Tigers all season, but against Oscoda they fell short.

Alcona traveled to Oscoda on May 19 for a doubleheader and was swept 5-4 and 10-0.

Game one saw Oscoda score five runs and lead 5-1 after two innings. The Lady Tigers mounted a comeback and cut the lead to one run but was unable to come up with the tying run.

Katie Buresh suffered the loss going six innings striking out four while giving up five hits. Amelia Oliver had a triple, a run batted in (RBI), and a run scored while Megan Miller continued her late season surge with two hits and a run scored.

It was all Owls in game two as they led from start to finish en route to the five inning mercy. Miller again had two hits in the loss.

Alcona (10-15) travels to Rogers City on May 27 and to Posen on June 2.

Alcona's softball complex will be hosting a pre-district game on June 2 between Oscoda and Whittemore-Prescott at 4 p.m. The district semi-finals and finals are at Alcona on June 5 starting at 10 a m

## ALCONA IOSCO CEDAR LAKE ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP MEETING

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP HALL

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## Tigers take four losses

By Dan O'Connor

Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity baseball team continues to fight for a winning season, but has not been able to get over the hump as it nears the end of the season.

On Wenesday, May 19 the Tigers traveled to Oscoda and were swept. Game one saw Alcona fall behind early and rally for a late comeback that would fall short with a 9-8 loss. Cody Martin took the loss for the Tigers while Wade Oliver, Martin and Bryan Layton led Alcona with two hits each.

Game two was another narrow 3-0 loss for Alcona. Alex Cole suffered the loss for the Tigers while striking out five and giving up two earned

runs in four and a third innings. Jeremy Stoner led the Tigers with two hits.

Last Friday night the Tigers traveled to West Branch, Mich. to play Whittemore-Prescott under the lights at the Ogemaw Hills Recreation Complex. Alcona was defeated 11-1 in game one and trailed 2-1 in the bottom of the fifth before rain cancelled game two.

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North Swamp II	20
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# Regional meet equals success for track teams

By Dan Mullen

Track Correspondent

Alcona High School track teams competed in the Michigan High School Athletic Association's regional track meet last Saturday in Breckenridge, Mich. The weather cooperated this year and provided excellent conditions for a track meet.

Alcona's girls and boys teams both took advantage of this as the girls team placed fourth and the boys placed sixth out of 15 teams. In addition to performing well as a team, they are also sending nine athletes to the upcoming state finals in Jenison, Mich. on June 5.

Coach Larry Spare said this is the first time that all four boys relay teams and all four of the girls relay teams placed in the regional competition since the early 1990s.

When competing at the regional meet the top two finishers move on to the state meet.

The meet started with field events and Jackie Mullen took advantage of the prime weather conditions to match her personal best in the high jump at 4 feet 11 inches to finish in second place. She matched the winning height but had more misses and therefore placed second overall

Chris Stewart was also on

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PROJECT #A459.08 SH Shaw Road consists of HMA surfacing. Approximate quantities of principal items of work are:

Work Item and Description	Quantity	<u>Units</u>
HMA 13A wedging	100	Ton
HMA 13A	1,440	Ton
Minor Traffic Devices, Modified	1	LS
Flag Control	1	LS
Pavt Mrkg, Type NR, Tape, 4 inch, Yellow, Temp	428	LFt

The proposal forms and instructions may be obtained at the office of the Alcona County Road Commission at the above address or will be mailed upon request. Bids will be considered in default unless all forms provided by the Alcona County Road Commission are properly completed and returned to the Alcona County Road Commission prior to closing time for receiving proposals. Each proposal must be sealed and plainly marked with the name of the project, bid opening date, and bid opening time on the outside of the envelope.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any irregularities in any proposal, or to make the award as appears to be in the best interest of the Alcona County Road Commission.

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Christine Beardsley Superintendent of Schools Oscoda Area Schools 3550 East River Road Oscoda, Michigan 48750 (989) 739-2033 (989) 739-2325 fax

Application deadline is Monday, June 7, 2010 at 12:00

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#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED 2010-2011 BUDGET OF THE OSCODA AREA SCHOOLS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Monday, June 14, 2010 at 7 o'clock p.m. at the Board of Education Meeting Room located at Oscoda Area High School, 3550 E. River Road, Oscoda, Michigan, the Board of Education of the Oscoda Area Schools will hold a public hearing to consider the District's proposed 2010-2011 budget.

The Board may not adopt its proposed 2010-2011 budget until after a public hearing. A copy of the proposed 2010-2011 budget, including the proposed property tax millage rate, will be available for public inspection during normal business hours beginning Monday, June 7, 2010, at the Board of Education Office, located at 3550 E. River Road, Oscoda, Michigan 48750.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

s/s Anne Holley, Secretary Board of Education Oscoda Area Schools

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target in the long jump as he qualified for the state meet finishing second with a long jump of 19 feet, 2.75 inches.

Alcona's 3200 meter girls relay team punched their ticket to the state meet capturing a second place finish and cutting 20 seconds off their best time of the season at 10:38.40. Running on the 3200m team was Nikki Quick, Julia Rice, Nikki Smith and Ashley Smith.

A. Smith was also the only individual event winner for the day as she took first place in the 300 m low hurdles with a time of 49.80.

A. Smith was joined by Rice, Quick and Mullen winning the 1600 meter relay with a season best time of 4:22.80.

Not to be outdone, the Alcona boys 1600 meter team also qualified for the state meet by taking a second place finish with a time of 3:40.00. The 1600 meter team consisted of Matt Mullen, Andrew Chamberlain, Scott MacNeill and Stewart.

Other Alcona top finishers included a third place finish by Stewart in the 400 meter dash. The boys relay teams scored a third place finish in the 800 meter relay, a sixth place finish in the 3200 meter relay, and a fifth place finish in the 400 meter relay.

The girls relay teams also did well as they also placed fifth in the 800 meter relay and sixth in the 400 meter relay. MacNeill finished fourth in the 300 meter hurdles and seventh in the 200 meter dash. Brandon Gibson also placed fifth in the 800 meter run and Mullen placed fifth in the 800 meter run on girl's side.



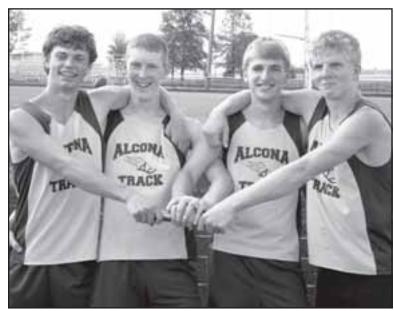
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have cost more than was allotted through the ARRA funding.

Questions or concerns about the Black River Road project, the stimulus package, the STIP, or other road issues, should be directed to the Alcona County Road Commission at 301 N. Lake Street, P.O. Box 40, Lincoln, Mich. 48742, by phone at (989) 736-8168 or by e-mail at alcona00@chartermi.net.



The girls 3200 meter relay team of Julia Rice, Nikki Quick, Nikki Smith and Ashley Smith are state bound after placing second at the regional meet.



The boys 1600 meter relay team of Christ Stewart, Scott MacNeill, Matt Mullen and Andrew Chamberlain qualified for the state meet.



The girls1600 meter relay team of Jackie Mullen, Nikki Quick, Julia Rice and Ashley Smith posted their best time of the season at the regional meet. *Photos by Dan Mullen*.

#### LIMITED TAX PLEDGE NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that there will be a meeting of the Board of Education of Oscoda Area Schools, losco and Alcona Counties, Michigan.

At said meeting, the Board of Education will consider for approval its proposed State Aid Note (Limited Tax – General Obligation). The proposed State Aid Note (Limited Tax – General Obligation), if issued, will contain the limited tax full faith and credit pledge of Oscoda Area Schools, losco and Alcona Counties, Michigan.

DATE OF MEETING: June 14, 2010

PLACE OF MEETING: Board of Education Meeting Room
Oscoda Area High School

Oscoda Area High School 3550 East River Road Oscoda, Michigan 48750

HOUR OF MEETING: 7 o'clock, p.m. TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL

OFFICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION: (989) 739-2033

BOARD MINUTES ARE LOCATED AT

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#### **District Court**

The following individuals were sentenced in 81<sup>st</sup> District Court by the Honorable Allen C. Yenior and the Honorable Laura A. Frawley in April.

• Edward James Koreis, 29, of Glennie was sentenced to 30 days in jail and fines and court costs of \$100 for violation of probation.

• Paul Philip Panzica, 32, of Greenbush was sentenced to 20 days in jail for violation of probation.

• David Ross Johnson, 44, of West Bloomfield, Mich. was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$750 for feeding/baiting in a prohibited area.

• Deeana Lynn Jeromesmith, 34, of Madison Heights, Mich. was sentenced to 44 days in jail and fines and court costs of \$1,355 for operating while visibly impaired.

• Joeann Cheryl Mahalak, 22, of Harrisville was sentenced to one year probation, 80 hours of community service and fines and court costs of \$950 for sell, furnish alcohol to a minor.

• Thomas Bernard Bulger, 53, of Hubbard Lake was sentenced to one day in jail, six months probation and \$705 in court costs and fines for assault/assault and battery.

• David Michael Kerentoff, 41, of Oscoda was sentenced to 50 days in jail, two years probation and fines and court costs of \$1,860 for possession of marijuana.

• Carol Leona Rathka, 64, of National City, Mich. was

sentenced to one day in jail, six months probation, 20 hours of community service and fines and court costs of \$1,220 for operating while visibly impaired.

• Dennis Jay Ayers, 48, of Harrisville was sentenced to eight days in jail, three months probation and \$805 in court costs and fines for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied.

• Victoria Marie Wagner, 21, of Ypsilanti, Mich. was sentenced to five days in jail, one year probation and \$1,825 in court costs and fines for operating while visibly impaired.

• Timothy George Kirkpatrick, 37, of Curran was sentenced to six months probation and fines and court costs of \$645 for Off Road Vehicle (ORV) operating while suspenced.

• Albert George Kredell, 29, was sentenced to 20 days in jail, one year probation and \$1,095 court costs and fines for malicious destruction of property under \$200.

• Thomas Dwayne Marsh, 42, of Harrisville was sentenced to 36 days in jail, one year probation and fines and court costs of \$1,360 for use of a controlled substance.

• Gary Joseph Bosel, 29, of Warren, Mich. was sentenced to court costs and fines of \$200 for operating an ORV without helmet/goggles.

• John Ray Cox, 34, of Hubbard Lake was sentenced

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• William Russell Parker, 35 of Monroe, Mich. was sentenced to three days in jail and fines and court costs of \$495 for no valid license in possession.

• Dale Andrew Banks Jr., 45, of Harrisville was sentenced to 10 days in jail, 40 hours of community service and fines and court costs of \$2,370 for four counts of selling, furnishing alcohol to a minor.

• Roxanne Marie Martin, 18, of Harrisville was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$165 for minor purchase/consume/possess alcohol.

• Michael John Fraser, 20, of Mikado was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$165 for minor purchase/consume/possess alcohol.

• Bailey A. Conway, 17, of Lincoln was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$165 for minor purchase/consume/possess alcohol.

• Robert John Kuhn, 69, of Barton City was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$200 for taxidermist violation/no permit.



Wishes to thank all the people who donated items, attended, or volunteered for this year's Spaghetti Dinner & Silent Auction.

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# High School Class of 2010

## Alcona High School Top Ten

 Jacqueline Mullen, 3.955 GPA, is the daughter of Daniel and Marylynn Mullen of Harrisville. She plans to attend Michigan State University.

• Michael J. Briseno, 3.932 GPA, is the son of Pamela Loyer of Harrisville and Paul Briseno of Dallas, Ga. He plans to attend Michigan Technological University.

• Jordan Weichel, 3.93 GPA, is the son of Tom and Vicky Weichel of Spruce. He versity of Michigan School of plans to attend the University of Michigan School of Engineering.

• Dennis Neveu, 3.93 GPA, is the son of Dennis and Cindy Neveu of Black River. He plans to attend the University of Michigan.

• Ryan Hampton, 3.92 GPA, is the son of Grant and K.C. Hampton of Harrisville. He plans to attend the UniEngineering.

• Benjamin Bouchard, 3.79 GPA, is the son of Patrick Bouchard and Sally Bouchard both of Spruce. He plans to attend Michigan State University.

• Katie Morgan, 3.75 GPA, is the daughter of Peter and Brenda Morgan of Mikado. She plans to attend Alma College.

• Matt Mullen, 3.73 GPA, is the son of Daniel and Marylynn Mullen of Harrisville. He plans to attend Grand Valley State University.

 MacKenzie Sims, 3.725 GPA, is the son of Gary and Connie Sims of Lincoln. He plans to attend Michigan State University.

• Connor D. Hubbard, 3.71

Candidates for Graduation

GPA, is the son of Sherman Hubbard of Lincoln and Tamala Hubbard of Lost Lake Woods Club. He plans to attend Michigan State Univer-

• Katie Bates, 3.71 GPA is the daughter of Dale and Diane Bates of Hubbard Lake. She plans to attend Central Michigan University.



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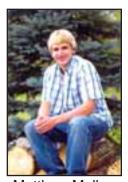
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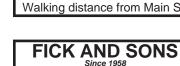






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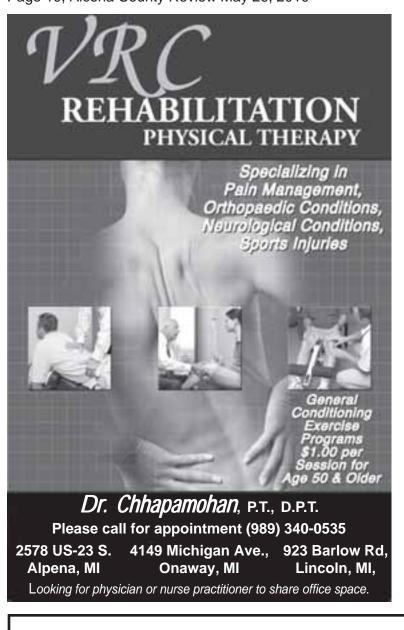
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## Calendar of Events

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the VFW hall in Alpena. Lunch will be served, call for reservations at (989) 356-4959. Bring a can of food for the needy.

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 3

The Community Walking Club begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome, walk at your own pace.

Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

Join Anne Bloss from MSU Extension for hands on gardening with the creation of a nutritious snack from the garden from 3:30 to 5 p.m. at the Mikado branch of the Alcona County Library.

The Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will host a management work-

shop and book signing with Joe Jenney at 6:30 p.m.

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 4

A story a craft project will be offered for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library.

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 5**

There will be a story hour at the Curtis Township Library in Glennie from noon to 1 p.m. featuring book reading, a craft activity and snack.

Vital Care Hospice of the Sunrise Shore will hold a golf tournament at River's Edge Golf Course, 6373 Werth Road, Alpena beginning with check-in at 9 a.m. and golf at 10 a.m. Register by June 1. Cost is \$75 per person (\$60 for club members). Dinner and awards to follow in the clubhouse at 3 p.m. To register or learn more about sponsorship opportunities, call (989) 358-1156 or (800) 664-8587. Proceeds benefit Hospice.

#### **MONDAY, JUNE 7**

Get Crafty for adults will meet at the Harrisville branch

of the Alcona County Library from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Project is a fabric covered bulletin board. Cost is \$3 for supplies. Call (989) 724-6796 to register.

The Weight Loss Support Group will meet at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln United Methodist Church. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

Vacation Bible School will begin today and run through June 11. There will be classes for students from kindergarten through grade eight. The sessions will run from 9 a.m. to noon each day except on Friday when the time will be extended for a closing picnic.

#### **TUESDAY, JUNE 8**

Kids are invited to the Mikado branch of the Alcona County Library from 3:30 to 5 p.m. to play games on the library's Wii system.

#### **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9**

A beginning word processing class will be offered at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

A medically based program on being a safe child sitter for teens 11-13 years old will be offered at the Alcona Health Center in Lincoln from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$25, scholarships available. Lunch will not be served so bring a bag lunch. To register, call (9890 736-8157.

Join the Circle of Parents at 11 a.m. at the Michigan-Works! Center, 202 N. 2nd St., Lincoln to discuss parenting issues. There is no charge and this program in open to all parents, grandparents, foster parents and kinship caregivers. For more information, call Ruth at (989) 356-2880 or (800) 354-2880.

VitalCare Hospice of the Sunrise Shore will have a grief support group meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at 109 N. Second Ave., Suite 201 in Alpena. This is an educational, confidential, non-denominational, free of charge, peer-support group where you will learn about the grief process and healthy coping skills. Everyone welcome.

The Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce general monthly meeting will be held at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 6 p.m. featuring a guest speaker.

Alcona MSU Extension master gardener volunteers are available to answer horticultural and gardening questions from 1 to 4:30 p.m. at the office in Harrisville or over the phone at (989) 724-6478.

#### **THURSDAY, JUNE 10**

The Community Walking Club begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome, walk at your own pace.

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## St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd., Harrisville • 724-5160 9:30 a.m. Sunday service

#### Greenbush Community Baptist Church

2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross Sunday School 9:45 a.m. • Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m

#### Family Heritage Baptist Church

4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light) Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • www.church72.org Sunday Worship Services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

• Sunday School 10 a.m.

Wed. 6:30 p.m. Patch the Pirate Club

Wed. 7 p.m. Midweek Service (Bible Study & Prayer Service)



#### **New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)**

Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Hubbard Lake Rd.,

3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course Alama County Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816

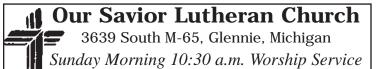


#### **Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)**

**Church Street at Traverse Bay Road** Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227 Pastor Michael Sheppard ~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

#### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6891 Nicholson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. Pastor Robert L. Mikkelson • (989) 727-2496



Rev. Carlo Sgambelluri, Pastor

#### St. Anne Catholic Church

Harrisville, MI ~ Rectory Phone: 724-6713 Rev. William Livinus, Pastor **Sunday Masses:** 11 a.m. (Saturday Eve 4:30 p.m.)

Confessions: Saturday, 4 - 4:25 p.m., Sunday 10:30 - 10:50 a.m.

#### Haynes Community Church

4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. 989-724-6665 • 989-724-6578

Pastor Claire Duncan • haynescommunitychurch.org



#### **BREAK THE CHAINS OF ADDICTION**

Reformers Unanimous International A Christ centered addictions program. Meeting at Family Heritage Baptist Church Every Friday Night at 7 p.m. Including Nursery and Children's Programs For more information call 724-6019 or visit www.reformu.com

#### Harrisville United Methodist Church

217 North State Street (1 block N. of light on US-23) Pastor Tracy Brooks

Worship 10:45 a.m. ~ Church ~ 724-5450



#### Lincoln United Methodist Church 101 E. Main Street

Church School 9 a.m. ~ Worship 9 a.m. Pastor Tracy Brooks

Parsonage 724-6266 ~ Church 736-6910

#### First Baptist Church of Lincoln

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m. Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m. AWANA Program Monday at 3:30 p.m.

Pastor Dr. Rev. Arie VanBrenk • 202 Main Street • 736-8796

#### **CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH** 2902 E. F-30, Mikado, MI 48745 • (989) 736-8345 Pastor Tim Steiner, Pastor Emeritus Larry Richmond

Sunday School: 10 a.m. • Sunday Worship Services: 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Monday: 6:30 p.m. \*Teen Program (Grades 7-12) Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study & Youth Programs (Grades K-6th) \*Fall-Spring programs • Website: www.cbcmikado.com

## Spruce Presbyterian Church

Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids 6230 Gillard Road (P.O. Box 37), Spruce, MI 48762 • 471-5464 Worship 9 a.m.

Thomas J. Welscott, Pastor Wednesday office hours 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### SOLID ROCK CHURCH OF GOD

158 N. Barlow Road., Harrisville • (989) 736-6350 Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

## Elementary students win posters awards

Two students at Alcona Elementary and two students at Sanborn Elementary were winners in the Expanding Environmental Awareness poster contest.

The Alcona Elementary winners were: Hannah Wassmann, fourth-grade student in Doreen Schick's class and Tim Hutchinson II, fourth-grade student in Kelli Samp's class. The Sanborn Elementary winners were: Emma Cosbitt, third-grade student in Amy Blumenthal's Elizabeth and Checklowski, third-grade student in Karen Cordes's

Sprinkler Lake Education Center (SLEC) received a grant through the Northeast Michigan Great Lakes Stewardship Initiative. The grant is for two school years and expands the environmental awareness of approximately 100 students in four classes each year.

This year the schools involved were Alcona Elementary and Sanborn Elementary schools. Students' understanding was assessed through a poster contest with each student receiving a certificate of participation and



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- 2. Anglerfish
- 3. Moray Eel
- 4. Tigerfish
- 5. Snakehead Fish
- 6. Viperfish
- 7. Fangtooth Fish
- 8. Dragonfish
- 9. Gulper Eel
- 10. Conger Eel

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#### Weekly SUDOKU

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one student from each classroom receiving a Camp Wilderness Scholarship.

Posters will be displayed throughout the community, helping expand environmental awareness.

The program took place at Sprinkler Lake Education Center. Students in this year's program learned about invasive species with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, water conservation from the SLEC staff, recycling, reducing and reusing from Waste Management and Recycle Alcona personnel and the impact of forest fires on the environment by the USDA Forest Service fire fighters.

Friends of SLEC partnered with SLEC and developed the criteria for the posters, talked with students about the poster contest, and collected and judged the posters and presented the awards.

**Seven Day Forecast** 

WEDNESDAY

Sunny

High: 67 Low: 63

**THURSDAY** 

Mostly Sunny

High: 76 Low: 53

**FRIDAY** 

Sunny High: 78 Low: 55

**SATURDAY** 

Mostly Sunny

High: 71 Low: 51

**SUNDAY** 

Sunny

High: 72 Low: 54

**MONDAY** 

Mostly Sunny

High: 73 Low: 55

**TUESDAY** 

Partly Cloudy

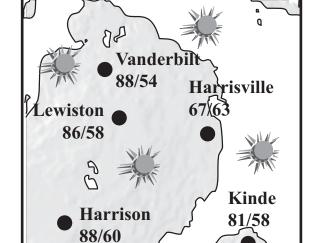
High: 72 Low: 50



Three Alcona day cares recently held a month long donation drive to benefit the Alcona Baby Pantry in support of April's "Month of the Young Child." Providers included Teresa Hart of Lincoln, Denel Fisher of Harrisville and Lani Weichel of Black River. The providers are pictured here with Baby Pantry volunteers/workers (from left) Brenda Forsythe, Chelsea Travis, Jamie Dexon, Valerie Joslin, Lani Weichel, Teresa Hart and Madison Freeman. Courtesy photo.

#### Alcona Review Weather Report

#### Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

May 26, 2010

Today we will see sunny skies with a high temperature of 67°, humidity of 65% and an overnight low of 63°. The record high temperature for today is 85° set in 1965. The record low is 25° set in 1969. Thursday, skies will be mostly sunny with a high temperature of 76°, humidity of 50% and an overnight low of 53°. Expect sunny skies Friday with a high temperature of 78°.

*Last Week's Almanac							
<u>Date</u>	<u>Hi</u>	Lo	<b>Normals</b>	<b>Precip</b>			
Monday	70	36	65/40	0.00"			
Tuesday	76	34	65/41	0.00"			
Wednesday	80	41	66/41	0.00"			
Thursday	84	47	66/41	0.00"			
Friday	72	47	66/42	0.00"			
Saturday	69	54	67/42	0.19"			
Sunday	79	57	67/42	0.00"			
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#### Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week **Sunset** <u>Day</u>

Full 5/27
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Tuesday

**Sunrise** 5:55 a.m. 9:06 p.m. 5:54 a.m. 9:07 p.m. 5:53 a.m. 5:52 a.m. 5:52 a.m. 5:51 a.m. 9:11 p.m.

**National Weather Summary This Week** 

partly cloudy to cloudy skies with scattered showers today through Friday, with the highest

temperature of 77° in Billings, Mont. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies

The Northeast will see mostly clear skies today and Thursday, isolated thunderstorms Friday, with the highest temperature of 91° in Pontiac, Ill. The Southeast

will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few thunderstorms today through

Friday, with the highest temperature of 93° in Albany, Ga. The Northwest will see

**Moonrise** Moonset 8:14 p.m. 4:36 a.m. 9:21 p.m. 5:16 a.m. 9:08 p.m. 10:19 p.m. 6:03 a.m. 9:09 p.m. 11:07 p.m. 6:58 a.m. 9:10 p.m. 11:47 p.m. 7:59 a.m. No Rise 9:03 a.m. 5:51 a.m. 9:12 p.m. 12:19 a.m. 10:07 a.m.

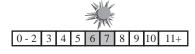


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#### **Local UV Index**



0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High 11+: Extreme Exposure

#### **Tonight's Planets**

	Rise	<u>Set</u>
Mercury	5:03 a.m.	6:44 p.m
Venus	7:58 a.m.	11:46 p.m
Mars	12:00 p.m.	2:10 a.m
Jupiter	3:17 a.m.	3:09 p.m
Saturn	2:57 p.m.	3:30 a.m
Uranus	3:19 a.m.	3:18 p.m

## Weather History

May 26, 1917 - A tornado touched down near Louisiana, Mo. about noon and remained on the ground for a distance of 293 miles, finally lifting seven hours and 20 minutes later in eastern Jennings County, Ind. The twister cut a path of destruction two and a half miles wide.

## today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 97° in Tucson, Ariz.

Weather Trivia

Which U.S. city has the most sunshine?



Answer: Yuma, Ariz. is sunny 90 percent of the year.

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#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Colder Winters Ahead?

🎎 I am a proponent of global warming, and I believe that the one degree F. increase in the Earth's temperature during the past century has been largely a problem of humanity's love affair with fossil fuels. The analogy of our attitude toward global warming is similar to someone who smokes cigarettes. Cigarettes simply don't kill the smoker fast enough to be of any immediate concern. So why worry? But I am an optimist, and I believe that we will combat this crisis before Earth is diagnosed with terminal "lung cancer." The problem, however, is an extremely complex one because the Earth has gone through many natural cycles of warming and cooling without human input. In fact, about half of the last 600,000 years have been spent in long eras of glaciation with the last ice having

retreated just 12,000 years ago. Glaciation may result from cyclic changes in the Earth's orbital eccentricity (ovalness), slight variations in its axial tilt, and the direction that the long axis (major axis) of its orbit points in space. Another factor which intrigues me is the sunspot count. It would seem natural to surmise that when the sun is speckled, less energy should be emitted. Just the opposite is true, for the sun overcompensates when larger numbers of sunspots are visible and is less luminous when there are fewer spots. Between 1645 and 1715, astronomers were observing the sun regularly, but noting few spots—an interval now known as the Maunder Minimum. During this period global temperatures went down. Between 1790 and 1830 another lull in sunspot activity occurred, known as the Dalton Minimum, dropping temperatures 3.6 degrees F. in a 20-year period at one German weather station. Remember how cold and snowy it was in Dickens's Christmas Carol (1843)? Our current solar minimum began in 2004 and continues. Despite global warming, the next few winters could be interesting. www.astronomy.org

#### TRIVIA TEST ~ By Chris Richcreek

- 1. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which U.S. president served the shortest term?
- **2. FAMOUS QUOTATIONS:** Who said, "Get your facts first, then you can distort them as you please"?
- 3. SCIENCE: What is the science of classifying things called?
- 4. MATH: How many zeroes are in 1 billion?

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- 5. HISTORY: When was Andrew Young appointed as Ambassador to the United Nations?
- 6. LANGUAGE: What does it mean when someone "bloviates"?
- 7. COMPETITIONS: How long is the Tour de France bicycle race?

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- 8. HISTORY: Who was the first female justice to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court?
- 9. MOVIES: Who was the oldest performer to receive an Oscar for Best Actor?
- **10. TELEVISION:** Which Muppet character lives in the garbage can on "Sesame Street"?

**Answers:** 1. William Harrison (He served only one month in office.); 2. Mark Twain; 3. Taxonomy; 4. Nine; 5. 1977; 6. Speaks pompously or verbosely; 7. 23 days covering about 2,200 miles; 8. Sandra Day O'Connor; 9. Henry Fonda (He was 76 when he won for his performance in "On Golden Pond."); 10. Oscar the Grouch. (c) 2010 King Features Synd., Inc.

## **Super** Crossword

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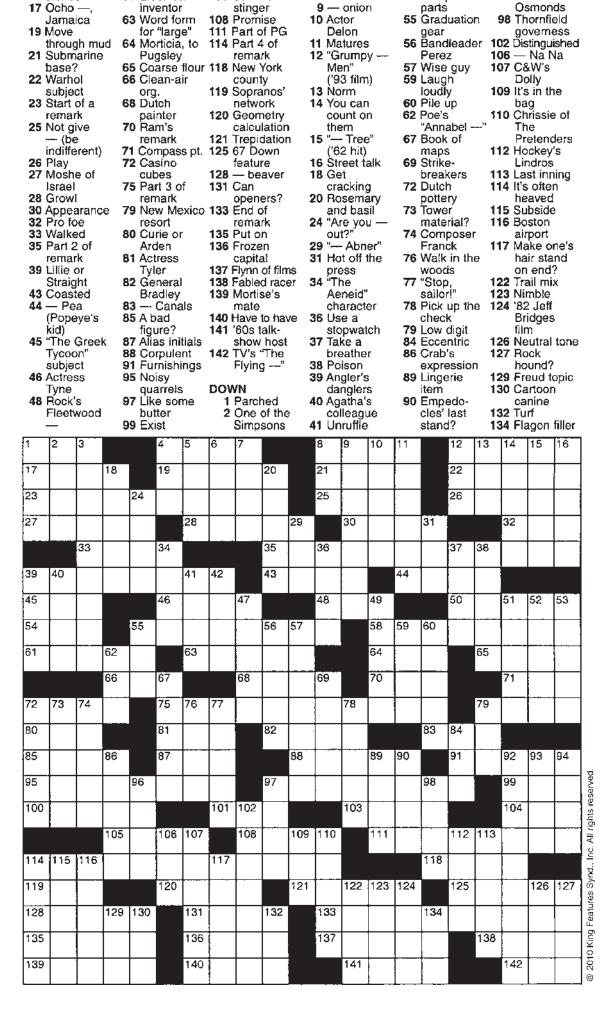
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## STRANGE BUT TRUE By Samantha Weaver

#### • It was French emperor Napoleon Bonaparte who made the following sage observation: "In politics, absurdity is not a handicap."

- You may consider the bikini to be a modern phenomenon, but in the ruins of Pompeii, which was buried by ash from an eruption of Mt. Vesuvius in 79 A.D., there are murals depicting people in two-piece bathing suits.
- Are you a librocubicularist? If, like me, you like to read in bed, then you are.
- Academy Award-winning actress Bette Davis was evidently so concerned about the possibility of gaining weight between roles that in the 1940s she took out an insurance policy on her waist, in the amount of \$28,000.
- According to statistics from the Social Security Administration, about one-third of people who claim to be more than 100 years old aren't telling the truth. It seems that people age 75 and older tend to add years when asked how old they are, while those under age 75 tend to say they're younger than they are.
- Beer steins have covers to keep flies out.
- · Last year, much was made of the Obama family's plan to adopt a dog. Many first families have had pets, though, and some presidents have not been content with a run-of-the-mill dog or cat. For instance, Thomas Jefferson kept two bear cubs in a cage on the front lawn of the White House, and Theodore Roosevelt had a zebra. An alligator was the pet of choice for John Quincy Adams, and James Buchanan kept an elephant.
- Jujiro Matsuda was a blacksmith before he founded the Mazda auto manufacturing company.

Thought for the Day: "The kiss originated when the first male reptile licked the first female reptile, implying in a subtle way that she was as succulent as the small reptile he had for dinner the night before." — F. Scott Fitzgerald

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## MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

• On June 9, 1772, the British vessel Gaspee runs aground off the coast of Rhode Island while pursuing the Hanna, an American smuggling ship. That evening, John Brown, an American merchant angered by high British taxes on his goods, rowed out to the Gaspee with a number of other colonists and set the ship afire. When British officials attempted to prosecute the colonists involved in the "Gaspee Affair," they found no Americans willing to testify against their countrymen.

• On June 13, 1905, pitcher Christy Matthewson of the New York Giants throws the second no-hitter of his career to lead his Giants to a 1-0 win over the powerful Chicago Cubs. That year Matthewson won 31 games to just nine lost.

• On June 12, 1920, Man O' War wins the 52nd Belmont Stakes. His only career loss came in 1919 when his back was to the starting line at the beginning of one race. At that time, before the advent of starting gates, a rope was all that held horses back from starting their run.

• On June 10, 1935, in New York City, two recovering alco-

York City, two recovering alcoholics found Alcoholics Anonymous (A.A.), a 12-step rehabilitation program that eventually helps countless people cope with alcoholism.

• On June 11, 1949, Hank Williams, Sr., makes his Grand Ole Opry debut at the Ryman Auditorium. The audience called Williams out for six encores and had to be implored not to call him out for more in order to allow the rest of the

show to go on.

• On June 8, 1968, James Earl Ray, an escaped American convict, is arrested in London, England, and charged with the assassination of civil-rights leader Martin Luther King, Jr. Ray claimed he was innocent of King's assassination and had been set up as a patsy by a mysterious man named "Raoul."

• On June 7, 1976, an article called "The Tribal Rites of the New Saturday Night," by journalist Nik Cohn, is published in New York magazine. The article detailed the struggles and dreams of an Italian-American disco dancer in Brooklyn. The blockbuster movie "Saturday Night Fever" was based on the article.

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## Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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#### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

\* Moderate \* \* Challenging \* \* \* HOO BOY!

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Bake sale and perennial plant sale, Lincoln Depot, Monday, May 31, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

#### HOUSE **CLEANING**

Housecleaning by Judy, call (989) 395-4482.

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Garage sale, May 28 and 29, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 2200 North US-23; collectible dolls, sock monkeys, lots of miscellaneous items and junk, antique saws, garden tools, ice

Moving sale, lots of household items, May 27 through May 31, 8 a.m. till 5 p.m.; 1615 M-72 West, Barton City.

Garage sale, two Coldspot freezers, commercial chest \$125, upright \$50 both need cosmetic touchup. 216 North State, Harrisville, May 28, 29 and 30.

Garage sale, three family; lots of clothes and many miscellaneous items, 5482 Mt. Maria Road, Hubbard Lake, west shore; Saturday, May 29 and Sunday, May 30, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Big garage sale, 1287 North Richardson Road, Barton City, May 28 and 29, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Toys, kitchen items, tools and more!

Westminster Presbyterian Church rummage sale, baked goods, hot dogs and drinks to purchase, June 12, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Reserve your free table, call Sue (989) 739-4289.

Yard sale, May 28, 29 30, 9 a.m. to dusk; doors, cabinets, closet doors, stoves, kids and large women's clothes, linens, bike trailer, log tongs, more! 6224 North Hubbard lake Road, Spruce one mile north of Smokey's.

Pair of fireside upholstered chairs, small burgundy flower print \$100; pair cherry end tables \$50: lamps with shades, silver plate serving pieces, coffee service; 529 West Lake Street, south shore Hubbard Lake, Saturday and Sunday.

Mega garage sale Hubbard Lake Park, Saturday, May 29, 9 a.m. -1 p.m. Sponsored by Hubbard Lake Sportsman's and Improvement Association: household items, furnishings, outdoor equipment, tools, sports equipment and

Yard sale, May 28, 29, 30, 31, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; 1715 South Poor Farm Road, Mikado. Five family, new things everyday! Furniture, tools, trimmer, baby items, kids and adult clothes, toys, Ty, buttons-pins, port-a-crib, lots of miscellaneous.

Huge garage sale, tools, furniture, household, 6531 Hickey Hill, Hubbard Lake, follow orange signs. Wednesday-Sunday 8 a.m.

Garage sale just west of corner of M-72 and Sanborn Road, Barton City; Thursday and Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., miscellaneous items.

Multi-family garage sale, 340 North Mill Creek Road, Harrisville, Thursday 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., Friday and Saturday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Many items, something for every-

Garage sale, May 29 and 30, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.; 1260 Fawn, off Ritchie Road, Lincoln.

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Barton City Eagles 4141 and Auxiliary Bingo - Saturday night. All paper, Michigan Progressive, quickies 6:30 p.m. Doors open at 5 p.m. No smoking room avail-

Bingo - Every Wednesday in Mikado Civic Center. Early bird at 6:30 p.m., air conditioned. Mikado Area Development.

Mikado Goodfellows Bingo every Monday 6:30 p.m. at Mikado Civic Center. New members needed and always welcomed. All proceeds to charity.

A.C.C.O.A. Bingo - Tuesday 6:30 p.m., Lincoln Senior Center. All paper games, Michigan Progressive, two jackpots, cookie jar. Nonsmoking area provided. Proceeds to ACCOA senior programs.

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#### Mortgage Sale

This is an attempt to collect a debt, and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Default has occurred in the conditions of a mortgage made by Pren Prekaj and Ndue Duhani, both married men, mortgagors, to Independent Mortgage Co. Central MI., having its principal office at 4200 East Beltline, Grand Rapids, MI 49525, mortgagee, dated April 30, 2004 and recorded May 4, 2004 in Liber 400 of mortgages, page 304. By reason of such default the undersigned elects to declare the entire unpaid amount of said mortgage due and payable forthwith.

At the date of this notice there is claimed to be due for principal and interest on said mortgage the sum of one hundred twenty four thousand eight hundred eighty seven and 28/100 (\$124,887.28) dollars, including interest at the rate of 4.75 percent per annum. No suit or proceeding at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided and to pay said amount with interest as provided in said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law, said mortgage will be

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Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert S. Clayton II and Jennifer L. Clayton, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, mortgagee, dated October 6, 2005 and recorded October 10, 2005 in Liber 424, page 56, Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by US Bank National Association as trustee by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of seventy-four thousand nine hundred eighty-four and 59/100 dollars (\$74,984.59) including interest at 6 percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville in Alcona County, Michigan at

Federal law requires us to advise you that communication with our office could be interpreted as an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. If you are in active military service please contact our office as you are entitled to special protections. This is an opportunity to save your home.

To: Bonnie J. White, 359 West Mount Maria Road, Spruce, MI 48762. County:

State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041, (248) 502-

You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) Web site or by calling MSHDA. The Web site address and telephone number of www.mshda.info/ MSHDA is: counseling\_search/, telephone (866) 946-7432, TTY No. 800-382-4568. If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's designate reach an agreeforeclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the west entrance of the courthouse, 106 5th Street, the place of holding the circuit court within the county of Alcona, City of Harrisville, Michigan, on June 9, 2010, at 10 a.m., local time.

Pursuant to Public Act No. 104, Public Acts of 1971 [MCLA 600.3240(12), MSA 27A.3240(12)] the redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of the foreclosure sale, unless the property is determined to be abandoned under MCLA 600.3241a; MSA 27A.3241(1), in which case the property may be redeemed during the 30 days immediately following the sale or expiration of statu-

The premises covered by said mortgage are situated in the city of Hubbard Lake. county of Alcona, state of Michigan, described as follows, to wit: The east ½ of the north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 2, Town 27 North, Range 6 East, Mitchell Township, Alcona County, Michigan. Independent Mortgage Co. Central MI, Mortgagee

Schenk, Boncher & Rypma Gary P. Schenk P19970 601 Three Mile Road, N.W. Grand Rapids, MI 49544-1601 (616) 647-8277 5-5, 5-12, 5-19, 5-26

10 a.m. on June 2, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: East 17 feet of Lot 20, Lots 21, 22 and 23, lying west of the D&M Railroad right of way of Block 7, in the City of Harrisville, County of Alcona and state of Michigan.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 5, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 (248) 502-1400 File No. 306.3434 ASAP No. 3550921 5-5, 5-12, 5-19, 5-26

ment to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral

Service is 800-968-0738. Dated: May

Orlans Associates P.C Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 310.7475 ASAP No. 3574686

Take notice, that the undersigned shall expose for sale, in accordance with R.S. 39:10A-1, at public auction on: May 26, 2010 at 9 a.m. at 1784 Rt. 9, Toms River, NJ 08753 the below described motor vehicles which came into possession of the Robert H. Hoover & Sons, Inc. through abandonment or failure of owners to claim same. The motor vehicles may be examined at 1784 Rt. 9, Toms River, NJ

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LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Vincent Timothy Luczak, a single man, to Washington Mutual Bank, FA, a federal association, mortgagee, dated March 31, 2004 and recorded April 7, 2004 in Liber 399, Page 30, Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, NA by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred seventeen thousand fifty-nine and 3/100 dollars (\$117,059.03) including interest at 5.125 percent per annum.

#### **Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale**

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Mortgage sale: Default having been made in the conditions of certain mortgage made by Edward Groves and Carrie M. Groves, husband and wife, of 326 S. Sleepy, Lincoln, Michigan 48742, to the United States of America, acting through Rural Development, United States Department of Agriculture, with its office being located at 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., Building 105, FC-215, St. Louis, MO, 63120, the mortgagee, the mortgage being dated December 10, 2007, and recorded December 10, 2007, in Liber 448, Pages 811-817 in Alcona County records, such mortgage being given to secure promissory note payable to the government, and by reason of such default the mortgagee elects to declare the entire unpaid amount of such mortgage due and payable forthwith, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of February 10, 2010, for principal and interest, the sum of eighty five thousand, one hundred ninety five and 54/100 (\$85,195,54) dollars, and no proceedings having been instituted at law or equity to recover the debt now remaining

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Mortgage sale - Default has been made

in the conditions of a mortgage made by

John G. Barry Jr., an unmarried man, to

MAC-Clair Mortgage Corporation, mort-

gagee, dated February 4, 2005 and re-

corded February 7, 2005 in Liber 412,

page 1,272, Alcona County records,

Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by

Chase Home Finance LLC by assign-

ment. There is claimed to be due at the

date hereof the sum of fifty-six thousand

thirty-nine and 32/100 dollars

(\$56,039.32) including interest at 6.125

Under the power of sale contained in

said mortgage and the statute in such

percent per annum.

you are in active military duty.

secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative:

Under the power of sale contained in

said mortgage and the statute in such

case made and provided, notice is hereby

given that said mortgage will be fore-

closed by a sale of the mortgaged pre-

mises, or some part of them, at public

vendue at the west entrance to the Al-

cona County Building in Harrisville in

Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on

June 9, 2010. Said premises are located

in the township of Mitchell, Alcona

County, Michigan, and are described as:

The west 1/2 of the southwest 1/4 of

Section 7, Town 28 North, Range 5 East,

land in the township of Mitchell, Alcona

The redemption period shall be 12

months from the date of such sale,

unless determined abandoned in accor-

County, state of Michigan.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described. or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the County Courthouse at 106 5th Street, in the City of Harrisville, County of Alcona, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said county, on Wednesday, June 16, 2010 at 10 a.m., local time, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount due as aforesaid on the mortgage together with 6.00 percent interest, legal costs, attorneys' fees and also any taxes and insurance that said mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale: which said premises described in said mortgage are situated in the state of Michigan, Hawes Township, Village of Lincoln, Alcona County and are described as: The W-1/2 of Lot 57. Entire Lot 58 and beginning at the southwest corner of Lot 58 of Brownlee Lake Park Subdividance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: May 12, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 (248) 502-1400 File No. 326.3357 ASAP No. 3564908 5-12, 5-19, 5-26, 6-2

sion, thence northerly along the common lot line of Lots 58 and 59 to the northwest corner of Lot 58, thence westerly on the north boundary of Lot 59, 10.0 feet. thence southeasterly in a straight line to the point of beginning, all in Brownlee Lake Park Subdivision, a recorded plat as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 57, Alcona County records.

During the six (6) months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed unless the property is abandoned, in which case the redemption shall be thirty (30) days from the date of

For further information with regard to this foreclosure, contact USDA - Rural Development, Centralized Servicing Center, Foreclosure Centralization Initiative, 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., Building 105, FC-215, St. Louis, MO, 63120, telephone (800) 349-5097 ext. 4500. Dated: May 10, 2010

United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration (now Rural Development), United States Department of Agriculture, Mortgagee Michael I. Conlon (P43954) Running, Wise, Ford, P.L.C. 326 E. State Street, P.O. Box 686

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given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville in Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on June 9, 2010. Said premises are located in the township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 10,

case made and provided, notice is hereby

feet of Lot 59 of Block 5 of North Lake Woods Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of plats, pages 150 through 151, Alcona The redemption period shall be six

11 60 and 61 of Block 5 and the north 5

months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30

days from the date of such sale. To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: May 12, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer

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> State of Michigan 23rd Judicial Circuit **Alcona County Publication and Notice** of Friend of the Court **Annual Statutory Review 2010 Public Notice**

Annual review of performance record of the friend of the court

pursuant to Michigan law, the chief circuit judge annually reviews the performance record of the friend of the court. The review will be conducted on or about July 1, 2010. This review is limited by law to the following criteria: Whether the friend of the court is guilty of misconduct, neglect of statutory duty, or failure to carry out the written orders of the court relative to a statutory duty; whether the purposes of the Friend of the Court Act are being met; and whether the duties of the friend of the court are being carried out in a manner that reflects the needs of the community.

Members of the public may submit written comments to the chief judge relating to these criteria. Send your written comments, with your name and address, to: Hon. Ronald M. Bergeron P.O. Box 609, Standish, MI 48658.

5-19, 5-26

#### **Notice Pursuant to** MCL 600.3205a(4)

Notice is hereby provided to Scott A. Dubay and Mieko Dubay, the borrowers and/or mortgagors (hereinafter borrower) regarding the property located at: 105 W. Alger Street, Lincoln, MI 48742-9448. The borrower has the right to request a meeting with the mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The agent designated by the mortgage servicer and/or mortgage holder to contact and that has authority to make agreements under MCL sections 600.3205b and 600.3205c is: Trott & Trott, P.C., 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200, Farmington Hills, MI 48334-2525 at (248) 593-1304.

The borrower may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority's Web site or by calling the Michigan State Housing Development Authority at http:// /www.michigan.gov/mshda or at (866)

If the borrower requests a meeting with the agent designated above by contact-

ing an approved housing counselor within 14 days from May 20, 2010, foreclosure proceedings will not be commenced until 90 days after May 20, 2010.

If the borrower and the agent designated above reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if the borrower abides by the terms of the agreement.

The borrower has the right to contact an attorney. The telephone number of the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service is (800) 968-0738.

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Date: May 26, 2010 For more information, please call: (248) 593-1304

Attorneys For Servicer and/or Mortgage Holder 31440 Northwestern Highway,

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#### GREENBUSH TWP. ORDINANCE

#### **Township of Greenbush** County of Alcona, Michigan

At a regular meeting of the township board of the township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michigan, held in the township hall located at 5039 Campbell Street within the township, on the 20th day of May, 2010 at 7 p.m. it was moved by township board member Olin and supported by township board member Abraham that the following ordinance be

Ordinance No. 97.03

An ordinance to regulate uses and activities which occur at road ends ending or terminating at lakes within the township and related maters and to provide penalties for the violation of such regula-

The township of Greenbush (the "Township") ordains:

Article 1. Intent, Purpose and Short Title. Section 1.1 Intent and Purpose: The Greenbush Township Board recognizes and concludes that the proper and safe use of land and water resources at and near public and private roads which end at lakes in Greenbush Township ("Township") is desirable in order to retain and maintain the physical, ecological, cultural and aesthetic characteristics of the lakes in such areas within the township, to preserve and protect the quality and safety of the lakes and shorelines and the rights of adjoining riparian owners and users in the vicinity of such road ends at lakes, to promote safe use of such road ends, to minimize conflict, and to promote the public health, safety and welfare of all persons making us of the lakes and lands with the township at or near the road ends involved. Accordingly, it is the intent and purpose of the township board to adopt reasonable regulations for the use of road ends at lakes within the township.

Section 1.2 Short Title: This ordinance shall be known and may be cited and referred to as the "Greenbush Township Lake Road End Ordinance," and shall hereinafter be referred to as the "Ordinance.'

Article 2. Scope and Application.

Section 2.1 Minimum Standards: The terms and provisions of the ordinance shall be interpreted and applied as minimum standards and requirements for the promotion and protection of the public health, safety and welfare, and for the public peace and preservation of natural resources and public and private property within the township.

Section 2.2 Interpretation: This Ordinance is intended to supplement other laws and ordinances. If this Ordinance imposes more stringent requirements then other ordinances, the provisions of this Ordinance shall govern, except as otherwise herein provided.

Article 3. Applicability; Coverage. Section 3.1 For purpose of this Ordinance, the phrase "road end" shall mean and road, street, highway or similar way which ends or terminates at a lake or is more or less perpendicular to the shore of a lake, regardless of whether it is public or private, improved or unimproved, an easement or a right- of-way. This definition shall also include any private access easement (or the equivalent) which ends or terminates at a lake, and which benefits six or more lots, parcels or properties. This definition shall also include any and all shorelines, beaches, and bottomlands attributable to any such road end.

Article 4. General Regulations.

Section 4.1 The following uses and activities shall not occur at, on or from any road end:

(a) Littering.

(b) Engaging in any loud or boisterous conduct. Nor shall any person play music at a volume which is audible beyond the boundaries of the road end.

(c) Trespassing on adjoining or nearby private land.

(d) Refueling, repairing, or working on or regarding any boat, vessel, vehicle or boat trailer. (e) Engaging in any conduct which shall impair, impede or diminish the free use of travel across the road end by others who are utilizing the road end in conformance with the law. (f) Camping.

(g) Disturbing the peace.

Section 4.2 No automobile, truck, recreational vehicle, trailer, motorcycle or other vehicle shall be parked, stored or kept at or on any road end except as follows:

(a) For public road ends, automobile and trucks may be parked for short periods of times only in spots specifically designated for parking by the township signage. No such parking allowed by government signage shall occur during the times when a public road end is closed to the public. If no signs are posted at a public road end indicating the times when parking is permitted within the parking spots designated by proper signage, the no parking shall occur within those designated parking spots between the hours of 9 p.m. and 7 a.m.

Section 4.3 No dock, wharf, pier, shore station, boat cradle, boat launch, boat tether, buoy or similar item shall be installed, stored, kept or utilized at any road end (or the shoreline or the bottomlands thereof) except a dock for public use at a public road end specifically authorized by the Township and installed by the Township.

Section 4.4 No boat, watercraft, vessel, personal watercraft, jet ski, sail boat or similar vessel or item shall be moored, stored, anchored or kept at any road end (or the shoreline or bottomlands thereof), except as follows:

(a) For all road ends, a boat may pull up to the shore to pick up or drop off passengers where lawful, but such use shall occur in a reasonably fast fashion. No boat, watercraft, personal watercraft, jet

ski, or other water vessel shall be beached, stored, anchored or kept at any road end (or the shoreline or bottom lands thereof) while the operator is not physically present on the watercraft or for any time period longer than simply picking up or dropping off passengers. Section 4.5 No lounge chair, towel, or other personal item shall be kept, stored, or left at or on any road end overnight. Section 4.6 Hours of Usage: Unless different hours are posted by the township on signage at and for a particular public road end, public road ends covered by this Ordinance shall not be utilized between the hours of 9 p.m. and 7

Article 5. Enforcement

Section 5.1 Enforcement and Administration: Any violation of this Ordinance is hereby declared to be a nuisance per se. This Ordnance shall be enforced and administered by the township zoning administrator, or such other Township official as may be designated from time to time by resolution of the township board.

Article 6. Exemptions.

Section 6.1 This Ordinance shall not apply to any structure or improvement installed by a governmental unit or to any uses, activities or vehicle regarding any employee, agent or contractor of a governmental unit (including, but not limited to, Greenbush Township, the Alcona County Road Commission and the state of Michigan) when engaging in a governmental function regarding maintenance or repair to a public road end or any item thereon, or any emergency fire or rescue uses or activities engaged in by any fire fighting, police or ambulatory officials or services

Article 7. Severability.

Section 7.1 Severability: In the event that any one or more sections, provisions, phrases or words of this Ordinance shall be found to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the validity or the enforceability of the remaining sections, provisions, phrases or words of this Ordinance.

Article 8. Effective Date.

Section 8.1 Effective Date: The provisions of this Ordinance shall take effect thirty days from the date of publication of the Ordinance or a summary of its provisions in accordance with law.

Yeas: Members -- Roddy, Olin, Abraham,

Winter Nays: Members -- None Excused: Beattie Certification

tory procedures.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Ordinance adopted by the township board for Greenbush Township at a special meeting held on May 20, 2010, pursuant to the required statu-

> Arthur G. Winter Greenbush Township Clerk

#### **LEGAL NOTICES**

#### Notice Pursuant to MCL 600.3205a(4)

Notice is hereby provided to Theodore G. Sarna and Joan P. Sarna, the borrowers and/or mortgagors (hereinafter borrower) regarding the property located at: 2446 N. Barlow Road, Lincoln, MI 48742-9443.

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The borrower may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority's Web site or by calling the Michigan State Housing Development Authority at http:/ /www.michigan.gov/mshda or at (866) 946-7432.

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#### the agent designated above by contacting an approved housing counselor within 14 days from May 25, 2010, foreclosure proceedings will not be commenced until 90 days after May 25, 2010.

If the borrower and the agent designated above reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if the borrower abides by the terms of the agreement. The borrower has the right to contact an attorney. The telephone number of the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service is (800) 968-0738.

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Date: May 26, 2010

For more information, please call: (248) 593-1301

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Said premises are situated in township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 67 and 68 of Hunters Lake Heights No. 3, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 183, Alcona County

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Dated: May 26, 2010

For more information, please call: (248) 593-1311 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File No. 321158F01

#### 5-26, 6-2, 6-9, 6-16 Legal Notice Pursuant to

Notice is hereby provided to Anthony W. Bolanowski and Kimberly J. Bolanowski, the borrowers and mortgagors (borrowers) regarding the property located at: 5002 Hubbard Lake Road, Spruce, Michi-

The borrowers have the right to request a meeting with the mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The agent designated by the mortgage servicer and/or mortgage holder to contact and that has autnority to make arrangements under MCL Sections 600.3205b and 600.3205c is: Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union, Mortgage Workout Committee, 1100 S. Bagley Street, Alpena, Michigan 49707. The borrowers may contact a housing

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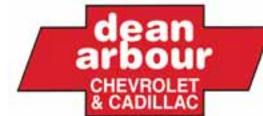


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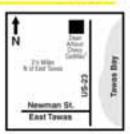
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## After 43 years in the classroom, Slayden retires

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep Special to the Review

It's true that some people have to spend a little more time in elementary school than others. Still, when teacher Bev Slayden of Lincoln leaves Sanborn Elementary for the last time this month, she'll be coming to the end of 43 years in the little school building on US-23 in Ossineke.

Slayden came to the Lincoln area in tenth grade with her parents Barry and Mae Weeks and younger siblings Deb and Wayne. Up until that time, the family had followed Mr. Weeks in his construction work, moving almost yearly. "I went to 14 different elementary schools in nine years," Slayden said. In 10th grade, we moved to Lincoln. I was just amazed when 10th grade started and we were still here. Maybe that's why I stayed at Sanborn so long.'

After high school, Slayden attended Alpena Community College (ACC) participating in an intern program with Michigan State University. In her senior year of college, she interned at Sanborn Elementary in Ossineke, one of eight elementary schools in the Alpena district, housing 250 students in kindergarten through sixth grade.

After graduating with a Bachelor of Arts degree in education and marrying her husband, Dan, Slayden remained at Sanborn, teaching in third and fourth and fourth and fifth blended classrooms. Over the years, she obtained a master's degree in reading from Central Michigan University (CMU) and 30 credit hours toward a reading specialist degree.

She's served as building representative for the executive board of the Alpena Education Association, was on the Sandborn Parent Forum, belongs to the Alcona Historical Society and was a charter member of the Alcona County Friends of the

Asked what's changed in her almost half a century of teaching, Slayden said, "I feel that things go around in education. You do something and it changes and pretty soon it comes back under a new name. There's a more datadriven emphasis, more emphasis on testing now.

"It almost takes the fun out of teaching," she said, "Before if the kids came in with a cocoon, you could stop and do something on butterflies. Now, you have so much structure, it's hard to do the extra things. We used to say you never knew what the day would bring. Now, everything is so scheduled, you don't have much time for that (sort of thing).

"I taught fourth grade because they get your jokes," Slayden laughed. "Their sense of humor is wonderful and they still want to please.

There's just something there. They want the teacher to be happy with them."

Slayden obviously was happy with them. Students from many years ago continue to send her e-mails and thank-yous for their time in her classroom. In part, that's undoubtedly because she was a fun teacher. As when she recounts her recent ride in a hot air balloon. The school had the opportunity to bring a ReMax Education Program balloon for students to see, she explained, and one teacher could ride in the tethered balloon. The principal chose Slayden to take the short trip before the entire student body.

"I climbed in the basket," she said, "and up we went. But someone forgot to tie the rope to the truck. As we went higher, one teacher caught a rope and tried to hold it, but the rope burned his hands and he had to let go. I just turned to the operator and said, 'Field trip!"

Slayden said math and social studies were her favorite subjects to teach. She helped to co-author the school's shipwreck curriculum and served on the School Improvement Committee assisting in writing its mission statement. She's also remained an active member of Delta Kappa Gamma, a sorority for women in education.

As a teacher who arrived at her classroom about an hour before school started each day and stayed late each afternoon, Slayden joked that in her retirement she plans to "ignore the alarm clock."

In reality, she's far too active for that. She and her husband, who have traveled several portions of the United States and as far as Novia Scotia on their motorcycle, plan to tour the western states. "It was always too hot to do it in the summer," she explained.

Slayden also plans to continue the stained glass projects she works on along with her collections of lady's hat pins and flower frogs.

Although she feels the time is right for her retirement, Slayden said she will miss interacting with her students. "It's exciting to see the spark in their eyes when they finally get something," she said. "You'll be working and working on a subject and they'll say "Oh! Now I see.' It's so much fun to watch."

Her affection and understanding of her students is evident in her various philosophies of education. "I don't believe in homework," she added. "Kids need to be kids. They need that time to relax, they work so hard in the classroom."

She feels a real affection for the school she's gone to for so many years, as well. "Our parents and the com

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Bev Slayden is looking forward to retirement. Photo by Art Kniep.

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## Alcona Quilt Trail exceeds goal

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By Kathryn Fritz Kniep able at Hollyhock Quilt blocks and in the Cadillac,

Special to the Review

When you finish a project called "Stitching Together A Community" any quilter would tell you, you tie the final knots and tidy up the

The Alcona County Quilt Trail Project group has done just that, entering their third season of existence.

The group's original goal was to have two of the eight foot by eight foot wooden quilt blocks mounted on locations in each township in order to include the entire county along the trail. They've exceeded the original goal, placing at least two in each township for a total of 28 quilt blocks.

A map of the trail showing the location of each block has been printed and is avail-

Shoppe and other area businesses.

To bind the edges of Michigan's first and longest quilt trail, the group is in the process of creating replicas of the Alcona County Quilt Block, "Fish, Forests and Fun" to be placed at the county line in each of three directions, making individuals entering the county aware of the trail.

The trail project got its start in 2008, when an economic development class from Michigan State University researched and presented information on quilt trails throughout the country to a group of interested Alcona County residents. Since that time, groups have begun projects in Osceola County, currently with 10

Mich. area, where three blocks went up last fall.

The Alcona group was fortunate, president Cindi Van-Hurk said, to receive two grants for the project. Those included a \$1,500 grant from the National Quilting Association for materials and a grant of more than 96 colors of paint from Behr Process Corporation of California.

She noted that the group also received yearly donations from the East Shore Art Guild currently operating a gallery in the Harbortown Marketplace on Main Street. "That collaboration has helped so much," she said, adding that one artist from the guild is in the process of producing greeting cards featuring paintings of each of the quilt blocks.

VanHurk is at work on the last of six miniature fabric reproductions of the 28 existing blocks to complete the display at Hollyhock Quilt Shoppe. Kits to recreate each of the blocks are also available, with all proceeds going to the Quilt Trail Project and donations are still being accepted.

Officers of the Quilt Trail Committee include VanHurk, vice president Bill Thompson, secretary Bonnie Wichtner-Zoia and treasurer Denise Hartz.

## Classroom

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munity of Ossineke are so supportive of the school," she said. "It's a wonderful place

During her time in education, Slayden has seen things change from early mimeographed hand-outs to shared on-line visits with students in classrooms across the United States. Still, the most important thing remains bringing that sparkle to the students' eyes in Room 205. "I always tell the kids at the beginning of each year that I unofficially adopt them," she said. "When I tell them the classroom rules, I say 'When they criticize you (for misbehaving) they're looking at me, because you are my kids...' If you can just touch one kid," she said, "It's such a great feeling.'

Based on that philosophy, Slayden should walk through the doors of Sanborn School into retirement feeling her time was worthwhile, indeed.



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Alcona JV Softball Team (front row, from left) Lindsey Kennedy, Erica Kennedy, Hannah Mikazes, Megann Ridgewell, Sydney Sefernick, Marisa Hirschfelt, (back row) Assistant Coach Deb Younk, Caycee Ouillet, Melissa Lindsay, Nicole Pawlowski, Rachel Hefferon, Tiffany Younk, Amber Schrader and Head Coach Roxanne Hanner.

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While long term sun exposure and sunburns are the biggest risk factors for melanoma, your genes can definitely play a role too.

Each year, about 65,000 Americans develop melanoma - the deadliest form of skin cancer. While anyone can get it, those most often diagnosed are Caucasians, age 50 and older. And those most vulnerable are people with red or blond hair, blue or green eyes, fair skin, freckles, moles, a family history of skin cancer and those who had blistering sunburns in their youth.

The best way you can guard against melanoma and other skin cancers (basal and squamous cell carcinomas), is to protect yourself from the sun, and if you're over age 50, get a full-body skin exam done by a dermatologist each year. Self-examinations done every month or so is also a smart way to detect early problems. Check your entire body, and be on the lookout for new growths, moles that have changed, or sores that don't heal. For self-examination tips and actual pictures of what to look for see skincheck.org.

change your skin or family history, you can control your sun exposure. Here are some tips and products to help, and remember, it's never too late to start protecting your

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- Use sunscreen: Be sure to choose a "broad-spectrum" product that provides UVA and UVB protection and has a SPF (sun-protection factor) of at least 30. If you don't like the rub-on lotions, try the continuous spray-on sunscreens which are easier to apply and reapply and less
- Sun pills: There's a nonprescription sun-pill on the market called Heliocare that provides additional UV protection. The pills are intended

Even though you can't to supplement sunscreen, you can check sites like and are sold at drugstore chains for about \$60 for a bottle of 60 pills.

- · Cover up: Thick or tightly woven cloths can help prevent the sun's rays from reaching your skin or you can purchase a variety of lightweight clothing and hats that offer maximum UV protection in their fabric. Coolibar.com and sunprecautions.com are good places to find such products.
- Wash-in protection: SunGuard laundry additive (sunguardsunprotection.com) is another option that allows you to wash an invisible shield of sun protection right into your clothes.
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epa.gov/sunwise which provides UV Index ratings where you are.

· Wear sun shades: Sunglasses with UVA and UVB protection can help prevent cataracts and macular degeneration along with melanoma of the eye and skin cancer around the eyelids.

If melanoma is caught and treated early, it's nearly 100 percent curable. But if it's not, the cancer can advance and spread to other parts of the body, where it becomes hard to treat and can be fatal. Standard treatment for melanoma is surgical removal. In advanced cases however, chemotherapy or radiation may also be used.

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## Savvy Senior

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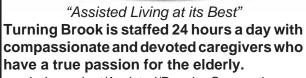
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## Ze bear facts

#### By Kathryn Fritz Kniep Columnist

I was still sleeping when the phone rang early in the morning one day last week. By the time I picked up the receiver, I was surprised to find myself listening in on a conversation between Henri, our petite bassett griffon vendeen (PBGV) doggie and my granddog, Bastie, the Wonder Poodle.

"...And so, Oncle Enri," Bastie was saying, "My muzzer, she said zat you ave a bear in your backyard zer in Mechigan, and I wanted to be certain zat you were all

"Ho, yes," Henri assured him, "We are fine, Bastieboy. But it is true zat a bear az been reported in the h'area." Here, my usually mild-mannered Henri seemed to take on that persona that all uncles love to use with their nephews and nieces.

"E is a big, black bear," Henri added. "Almost 20 times as big as you, Bastie, and very ferocious.'

"Sacre bleu!" Bastie exclaimed, "Ave you seen 'im?"

"But, of course," Henri assured him smoothly. It 'appened just ze uzzer night. I told Maman zat I wished to go outside, to take care of some business and commune wiz ze nature, jus shortly after midnight. Given ze rumors of ze wildlife in ze area, Maman, of course, did not wish me to go. But after considerable coaxing on my part, she finally agreed to open ze

"Since ze bear has been reported," Henri went on, "Maman az taken to blowing a leetle wheesle before she allows us outside. She believes zis will frighten ze bear away. Fazzer, on ze uzzer hand, sinks zis is very funny. E tells 'er it only serves to let ze bear know ze 'dog d'oeuvres' are ready. At any rate, on zis visit, given ze late hour, she dispensed wiz ze wheesle and instead stood on ze deck to watch me.

"Was Lady wiz you?" Bastie asked, inquiring about our sturdy cocker spaniel.

"No," Henri told him. "She was sleeping very soundly, snoring to ze 'igh 'eavens, and we did not disturb her. It was jus me and Maman, outside in ze darkness. At any much like to be watched

ing, I went to ze farzest corner of ze pen to take care of zings.

"Is zat when you saw ze bear, Oncle Henri?" Bastian asked, breathlessly.

"Well first," Henri said, "We 'erd ze snort and ze snuffle. We bos turned toward ze woods where it had come from. Sumzing was moving about in zoes woods, and I planted my feet and began to hoo as long and as loudly as I could."

And zen," Henri paused dramatically, "ze fence, she rattled. I do not know why ze fence, she rattled, but it sent Maman aroun ze bend. She went fruits."

"Nuts." Bastie commented. "Grandmuzzer says it is 'she went nuts' in ze H'English, Oncle Enri."

"Hokay," Henri conceded, "Whatever she went, she sprang into action. First, she tol me "Enri, come!" As zo I was going to give up my post in ze midst of ze bear attack. Zen she ran to ze door and shouted for Fazzer, who was sleeping as ard as Lady and did not 'ear anysing. And zen, in her night dress and er bearest feet (no pun hintended), she ran down ze stairs from ze deck into ze pen and insisted I accompany 'er back into ze ouse."

"Ånd you were safe?" Bastie inquired in a small voice.

"And we were safe," Henri told him.

"If you ran back into ze 'ouse," Bastie inquired, "Ow did you see ze bear?'

On his end, Henri thought for a moment. "Well, it followed us, of course! It ran from ze woods and jumped ze fence and it stood up on its great hind feet and bared it's long, sharp teeth and scratched on ze door. I was barking as loudly as I could," he went on in fine dramatic style, "You get out of 'ere you great, 'orrible creachure,' I shouted. "Don' you dare come wizin anuzzer hinch of my Maman...'

"Oh!" Bastie gasped. At this point, I was about to interrupt Henri's story, but as it turned out, I didn't have to. Because at this point, our sweet Lady with her honeytoned southern accent, wrestled the phone from Henri's paws.

"Bastie Boy," she told him sweetly, "This is your aunt Lady and I jus want to tell you rate, as you know, I do not so that your Uncle Henri is makin up every word ne s when I am on a mission. So, tellin' you. Don't you let his after mush sniffing and pacture teasin' scare you one little

## Puttin' On The Fritz

bit. (Henri, let go of the phone!)

Now, here is what really happened. Our neighbor, Trouble the beagle, he spotted the bay-ah the other mo'nin? And his owner, Mr. Ernie, he saw it too, just ashakin his bird feeder to get the seeds out. But as much as Henri and Ah have sniffed and sniffed and watched those ole' woods, we haven't found hide nor scent of that alleged bay-ah. And it's not dark in the pen at night atall. Daddy put us up a real nace laht.

"Henri should be ashamed of himself, makin' up tales lahk that. (Lady was getting herself worked up now). Wha, do you honestly think that if Mama was in any danger whatsoevah, I would be upstairs asleep when Ah am always right there bah her side? Ah should think not. Henri," she put on the fiercest voice Lady is capable of, "You get on this phone and tell that boy you were just foolin' with him."

"Well," Henri's sheepish voice came back on the phone, "I may ave embroidered a leetle, Bastian. But zat fence, she rattled, I tell

In the background, I could hear Lady making herself heard. "And your Uncle Henri, he ran up those steps and in the doah lak his tail was on far," she told him.

Bastie's fine, French laugh echoed down the line. "You guys," he told them, "You are jus too mush! I should have known, Oncle Enri, zat you were pulling my tail."

"That's your leg," Henri said, "Pulling your leg, Bastie."

"Hokay," Bastie told him.
"And now I mus get going before my Muzzer, she caches me on ze phone. I will e-mail to you later tonight. Will you tell Grandmuzzer and Grandfazzer I am glad zev are safe and have sush good, brave dogs to guard zem from ze bear? And tell zem I love zem, too. And you and Lady be good."

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zat. We're going to wake zem soon, anyway. It is almost biscuit time and ze box, she is up on ze refrigerator. And son, you do know zat I was just aving a leetle fun wiz you, yes?

"Yes," Bastie laughed. "You were putting ze tease on me. But you are my favorite Oncle, and so, I suppose, I will have to 'bear' wiz you.'

On that note, they hung

It's amazing, sometimes, what you can hear, just eaves-

"And we will tell zem all of dropping, early in the morn-

(Kathryn Kniep has contributed to the Alcona County Review for more than 27 years. A Voices of Michigan 2002 author, she has published fiction, nonfiction and poetry in several venues. She and her husband, Art, live in Harrisville. The couple has one daughter, Katrina - "the Princess," two dogs, Lady and Henry, and grand-dog, Bastian, all of whom are frequent victims of her column.)

> Harrisville Lions Club members (from left) Roy Peterson, Jay Wesenick, Bill Olson, Ernie Andree (in front of wheel) and Dave Baker work to put the Mill Pond water wheel into service in Harrisville. Photo by Jim Pyne.

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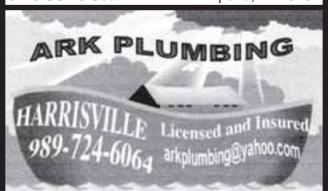
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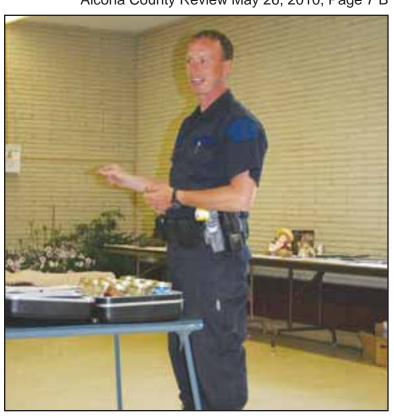
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Michigan State Police Trooper Jamie Bullis and his canine partner, Bain, were the guest speakers at the Alcona Humane Society's annual dinner last Thursday. Trooper Bullis explained the training process and focus of the program they went through over two years ago (right). Then he and Bain gave a demonstration outside as attendees watched. At the conclusion, Bain was happy to be rewarded with his tennis ball (left). Photos by Cheryl Peter-



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## The mysterious bill

By Jim Gagnier Guest Columnist

Arizona Bill 1070 -- what is it and why has it split this great nation of ours into two warring camps?

Speaking of war, some people are ready to declare it on the state of Arizona and send their legislature and governor away "in irons." They say the law is racist and discriminates against a Mexican minority. Others are saying that it's the last gasp of a state that is in utter chaos from an unending stream of illegal aliens coming across the desert, who are costing the state millions of tax dollars and in some cases resulting in illegal drugs and the kidnappings and even murder of its citizens.

This bill is thought to be abject discrimination by a great many Americans. Yet, 70 percent of the people of Arizona are all for it -- that is if you believe in the polls. And, if you've ever been to that state you have to believe that a great many of those approving folks are the very minority that this bill supposedly discriminates against.

The strange thing about this whole matter is that this piece of legislation seems to be a big mystery because hardly anyone has actually read it. And when I say "hardly anyone" I'm talking about some of our big time shooters like the attorney general of the United States.

When I saw Mr. Holder interviewed the other day he admitted that while he was completely against the law, he had not gotten around to reading it. That did it for me. My interest was aroused and I just had to find out for myself what made this rather short piece of legislation so unsavory and distasteful that so many people -- and I mean smart people -- were loath to even try to read it?

I went to my always trustful Google and there it was -- all 20 pages of it. I'm proud to say that I read it and you know what? It wasn't that hard, even for me.

Now don't get me wrong. I admit I feel a little cocky that I was able to get through a written document that some of our brightest and best have apparently been unwilling or afraid to tackle. And I surely lay no claim to being some

kind of an intellectual. But the truth is that even though I've always had somewhat of a problem understanding "legalize' and "lawyer talk" the whole reading took no more then 60 minutes even though I confess I did have to reread some of the technical stuff before it sunk into my rather thick skull.

So what is there in this mysterious document that has set our country aflame? I really wish I had an answer for that question. To me it was pretty straight forward. But of course I'm not a politician or a lawyer. But if there is some hidden bigoted message in that bill, I missed it completely. Indeed, the wording seems to go out of its way to warn the authorities about racial pro-

Basically it gives the police a right to ask for proof of citizenship if there is "reasonable suspicion" that the person is not a citizen of this country.

Of course it does call for identification and proof if a person is being apprehended for breaking the law or in the commission of a crime. The only thing it says about the "appearance of a person," which is the thing that seems to be driving the biggest critics crazy, is the very clear statement that no one shall be asked for this proof if the suspicion is based on race or color. And that warning appears twice -- as if there was a real effort to emphasis this point.

It has been suggested that the police will bend those two words "reasonable suspicion" to fit their needs and circumstances. But does that seem likely in a society where litigation about hot coffee has made millionaires out of poor people? Let's face it, three people walking down the street in Tucson, Ariz. does not constitute "reasonable suspicion" and I don't think a cop is going to jeopardize his career by approaching them.

But if he is stupid enough to do it anyway, those three guys will become instant millionaires no matter what nationality they are. If, on the other hand, those same three guys are observed climbing up the banks of the Rio Grande in soaking wet clothes, I think they are in trouble even if their

skin is purple.

One thing of note is that most of the bill pertains not to

## Guest Columnist

the illegal aliens themselves but to the procedures and punishments for people, who harbor, employ or transport them and of course these people could very well be legal citizens of the state. But even in prosecuting those people, there was a warning about race and color profiling.

So all in all I guess I don't see what all of the "hullabaloo" is about. Arizona has a horrendous problem that's resulting in their citizens being murdered, kidnapped and harassed by a segment of their population that is in their state illegally and therefore are criminals. And it's costing them an outrageous amount of their money. Nothing has been done to help them at the federal level either by the Republicans and Bush or by the Democrats and Obama.

It seems to me that the people of Arizona simply felt that something had to be done and they took the bull by the horns and did it.

Of course, Arizona's detractors and critics have accused them of race profiling and discrimination. They want to know, for instance, why brown skinned Mexican people are being singled out as suspects and not blue eyed, blond Swedish people.

A question like this makes me think about Willie Sutton who was once asked why he only robbed banks and not other places of business. His answer was simple." That's where the money is." Well maybe Arizona could give the same kind of answer. "We don't bother blond, blue eyed Swedes because they are not coming into Arizona illegally."

It's a real shame that this issue is dividing our country and resulting in supreme insults to America around the world. China says we are weak on human rights. Can you believe that? China. Frankly, I don't think China and the words "human rights" should even be in the same sentence.

The president of Mexico derides us as lawless while his own country is almost completely in the hands of the drug dealers. We are being called a racist society by the United Nations -- the same UN that sat on its hands while all the racial killing went on in Darfur.

Yes, we all know there are two sides to every story. But doggone it, it seems to me that before we throw Arizona out of the union, it wouldn't hurt us if we all took a few minutes to at least read the document that's at the center of this controversy. Just go to Google and bring it up.

That includes our president and all our other brilliant leaders in Washington. Are your ears burning, Mr. Holder?

(Jim Gagnier is retired and has been living in Harrisville for over 20 years. He was a manufacturing engineer for General Motors and has always enjoyed writing as a hobby.)



## Ashfords celebrate 25 years at golf course

In October 1984, Steve Ashford purchased Springport Hills Golf Course from Bob and Violet LaForge. He opened his first season 25 years ago on the original nine holes. At that time, there was a small clubhouse on the hill, four electric golf carts and no irrigation system.

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To enlarge the course, Ashford purchased 157 acres across the street in 1990. With much help from his brother, John Ashford, they designed and developed Loggers Trace, opening the course in 1995.

Local contractors doing the work included Doug and Kim LaFave, William Buchner and his daughter, Jenny. Assisting John Ashford with the irrigation system was Dr. Merle Childers, whose time and effort was invaluable, according to Steve Ashford.

"The support of Alcona County residents and surrounding communities has been greatly appreciated," Steve Ashford said.

To celebrate the 25 years, a day of golfing fun with events and prizes will be held June 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



The former club house on the property that is now Springport Hills Golf Course. *Couretsy photos.* 



An aerial view of Springport Golf Course located just south of Harrisville.

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The Tiger branch has been operating out of Alcona High School for 14 years. Two Alcona High School students are employed each year by Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union to work at the branch which helps students to manage their finances in a way that best fits their needs. Students are encouraged to save money through promotional contests and giveaways throughout the school year.

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ber of Alcona Community School can open a membership with Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union. Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union assists student who open their a membership through the Tiger Branch by paying the \$5 minimum deposit to become a member of the credit union as long as the student keeps their account open for one year.

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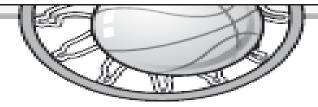
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#### **Complaint Statistics**

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7	Car/Deer	5
1	General Assistance	7
2	Animal	8
2	Mental	1
1	Operate While Intoxicated	4
2	Warrant Arrest	1
2	Suspicious Situation	1
4	Civil	3
2	Illegal Burn	1
1	Disorderly Person	1
1	Vehicle Fire	1
1	Unwanted Person	1
2	Personal Injury Accident	1
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Greenbush	2	Gustin	3		Harrisville	10	
Hawes	11	Haynes	7		Mikado	8	
Millen	3	Mitchell	0				
Harrisville City	5	Village of Lincoln		4			



Employees from Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union helping with Youth Week (from left) select employee group coordinator Lauren Clarke, Tiger branch supervisor Missy Stoner and high school student and Tiger branch employee Benjamin Bouchard. Courtesy photo.

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# Fire danger is very high across northern Michigan Michigan Department — 18 residences and 68 out- and never leave them unat-

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DNRE) warns Michigan citizens and visitors that wildfire danger is expected to be very high across northern Michigan this Memorial Day weekend. The holiday weather forecast is predicted to be warm and

dry.
"Southern Michigan has lower fire danger helped by recent rains; however, needle moisture readings that are used to monitor fire danger remain critically low creating concerns for the pine forests of the north," said Lynne Boyd, chief of the DNRE's Forest Management Division. "Low fuel moisture allows crown fires to develop, which is what spread flames rapidly through tree tops on both the 8,500-acre Meridian Boundary fire in Crawford County and 1,039-acre Range 9 fire in Kalkaska County last week.'

The result of these two fires was more than just burned trees and a scarred landscape; they destroyed people's homes, cottages, garages and personal property. In the Meridian Boundary Fire, 14 residences were destroyed and 48 outbuildings were either damaged or destroyed.

So far this fire season, the DNRE has responded to 264 wildfires consuming 11,051 acres, where 86 structures

#### AAA Credit Union awards scholarship

The William S. Moors Scholarship was created in memory of the past president and board member of Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union.

The \$500 scholarship is awarded each year to a credit union team member who is trying to better themselves personally and professionally in a college degree program that could eventually lead into an area of credit union management at Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union or in the credit union movement.

The 2010 recipient of the William S. Moors Scholarship is Nick Montie who is working full-time at Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union as a membership services officer while working towards a bachelor's degree in business management at Northwood University. He earned an associate degree in business management at Alpena Community College.

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Paul Kollmeyer, DNRE wildfire prevention specialist, confirmed most wildfires can be traced back to people's carelessness when using fire.

Most wildfires are started by careless leaf burning and abandoned campfires. Other negligent reasons include discarding barbeque ashes, torching insect nests and setting off fire works in wooded

Whenever the weather is dry during holiday weekends we respond to a lot of human caused fires; increased outdoor activity coupled with forest fuels igniting easily is a mixture that elevates the chances a wildfire will get started," Kollmeyer said.

Kollmeyer urges everyone to be extremely careful with any fire.

Keep campfires small,

tended at any time. It is not enough to wait for a campfire flame to die down and assume it is then okay to leave or go to bed.

• Use plenty of water, stir, and add more water until everything is wet and no steam is produced. Turn over charred logs and wet the underside.

 Be sure barbecues are completely extinguished. Soak unburned pieces of charcoal in a bucket of water before disposing of them.

'Remember that if you don't take adequate precautions and the fire escapes to become a wildfire, it can cost you suppression expenses and any damages resulting from the fire can be billed back to you," Kollmeyer said. For more information on preventing wildfires in Michigan, go to www.michigan.gov/preventwildfires.



On May 20 the "Dynamic Duel" perform various hula dances for the attendees at the Lincoln Senior Center evening meal which featured a Hawaiian Luau theme. Violet Klee (left) and Dana Howay entertained before a meal of Hawaiian pork was served. The Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) has centers in Lincoln, Greenbush and Glennie where evening meals are served. All ages are served to all incomes. For any senior citizen under 60, the cost is \$5 per meal, and a \$2.50 donation is asked for anyone over 60. The centers are available for games, crafts, Internet use and cards or just socializing whenever the centers are open. The Lincoln and Glennie centers have Wii available. Courtesy photo.



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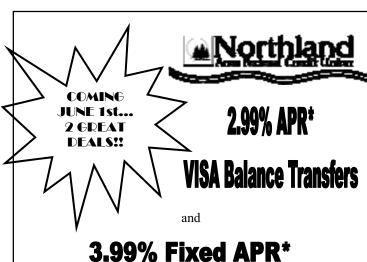


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