

Eagle Scout recognizes importance of family

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep
Special to the Review

According to the old quotation, the two lasting things we can give our children are roots and wings. So it seems especially appropriate that Cuyler Michael Dewar chose to receive his wings in a place where his roots run deep.

Cuyler, the son of Tom and Tina (Kruttlin) Dewar, officially became an Eagle Scout in November of this year, receiving the rank from Boy Scout Troop 110, Pikes Peak Council, in Colorado Springs, Colo.. Nonetheless, it was important to him to hold a second ceremony in Harrisville in order to present the mentor pin that accompanies the award to his grandfather, Ted Kruttlin of Harrisville.

Cuyler and his family live in Colorado Springs, Colo. but since moving there when Cuyler was six years old, they have owned a summer home "across the street from grandma and grandpa," in Harrisville.

At 15, Cuyler comes early to the Eagle rank. Only four in one hundred scouts accomplish the highest rank in scouting and their average age at attainment is 17. Cuyler, who joined Cub Scouts in first grade, has earned 25 merit badges during his scouting career and held many leadership positions including patrol leader and troop guide. He was elected by his peers to the Arrow of Light Society. A sophomore and honor student at Cheyenne Mountain High School, Cuyler also plays on the junior varsity basketball team.

A major part of the Eagle Scout requirements is the creation, planning and accomplishment of a commu-

nity project. Cuyler chose to lead a team of Scouts in refurbishing a Junior Achievement materials storage facility, building more than 100 feet of shelving, adding a wall and setting up a new storage system. In order to complete the project, he and his team logged 171.25 hours and raised more than \$600 for supplies. Cuyler chose the Junior Achievement building because his father retired from the organization.

As part of his initial ceremony, Cuyler received a flag flown over the United States Capital from Colorado Senator Michael Bennet. Perhaps more important on a personal level, his aunt KiAnne Kruttlin flew to Colorado to present him with the championship ring which was awarded to his great-grandfather, Hazen "KiKi" Cuyler when he coached AAA baseball with the Chattanooga Lookouts.

Asked why he chose to hold the second ceremony, Cuyler said "A lot of my family wanted to come to my ceremony. My grandparents can't handle the high altitude (Colorado Springs is 7,000 feet above sea level) and I wanted to honor my grandfather." Family friends Bob Petrovich and Ron Skiba served as masters of ceremony for the evening.

Cuyler's brother Michael, 17, sang the National Anthem acapella during the ceremony. Also an honor student, Michael will graduate from high school this year and plans to major in music and theater. In order to do so, he must not only be accepted academically but must be one of five men and five women chosen by audition at a college offering the program.

Asked how they have man-

aged to raise two such remarkable sons, both parents respond with humor at first. "Dumb luck," said Tom, while Tina replied "What makes you think they're remarkable?" But then, Tom added "I think we both had great families growing up ourselves and tried to transfer some of that to them. It's been great to spend our summers in Harrisville, near family."

Tina agreed. "Colorado Springs is a big city," she said. "They get that life and they also get the small town life because of our summers here. I think that - and being close to their grandparents and the family - has made them very well rounded."



Cuyler Dewar (right) presents a mentor pin to his grandfather, Ted Kruttlin, during his Eagle Scout ceremony.



Tom, Cuyler, Michael and Tina Dewar in their home in Colorado with the American flag presented to Cuyler. Courtesy photos.

DNRE director signs order to make feral swine invasive species

Michigan Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DNRE) Director Rebecca Humphries has signed an order to make feral swine and wild boar an inva-

sive species in Michigan.

Humphries gave the order an effective date of July 8, 2011, giving the state legislature time to enact laws to provide regulations for facilities that currently provide wild boar breeding and hunting. If legislation is not passed to regulate the facilities, the invasive species order will go in to effect, making it illegal to possess wild boar in Michigan.

"Feral swine pose a significant risk to Michigan's wildlife, ecosystems and agricultural resources, and they are a serious disease threat to humans, wildlife and domesticated pigs," Humphries said. "I urge the legislature to address this issue in 2011. Michigan is in a unique position to address this threat to our natural and agricultural resources by having our legal options aligned, but regulation is greatly needed for us to be effective."

Wild boar breeding and hunting in shooting facilities is unregulated in Michigan, and boars are not listed as a game species in the state. Wild boar are not native to the state of Michigan.

The order lists wild or feral boar/swine/hog, old world swine, razorback, Eurasian wild boar and Russian wild boar as invasive species. The DNRE estimates that there are at least 65 swine hunting or breeding facilities in the state, and that a vast majority of the feral swine running at large in Michigan are animals that have escaped from hunting or breeding facilities.

A feral swine work group comprised of stakeholders including pork producers and wildlife and conservation organizations and hunting and breeding facility representatives met over the last few months to make recommendations for regulations for wild boar breeding and shoot-

ing facilities, including fencing standards, biosecurity measures, methods of inventory, liability for escaped animals, indemnity, fees to support regulation and penalties for violation.

Humphries has urged incoming legislative leaders to take up the recommendations in the form of legislation to regulate wild swine breeding and shooting facilities, and to place a moratorium on the establishment of any new swine breeding or shooting facilities.

Damage caused by invasive swine to important species and ecosystems has been documented in virtually every segment of their range in the United States. Feral swine are particularly disruptive of native wildlife, including many desirable game species in Michigan, such as white-tailed deer, pheasant, wild turkey and ruffed grouse. Feral swine compete with

native wildlife for food, including hard and soft mast (acorns and berries), which are often vital for some wildlife species in the winter months.

The disease threat posed by invasive swine to human and animal health through the transmission of disease is significant, Humphries said. A few invasive swine borne diseases to which humans are susceptible include brucellosis, leptospirosis, salmonellosis, toxoplasmosis, sarcoptic mange, E. coli and trichinosis. Feral swine also carry several diseases that threaten livestock, including pseudorabies, swine brucellosis, tuberculosis, vesicular stomatitis and classic swine fever.

Feral swine's rooting behavior degrades water quality by contributing to significant soil erosion, and through

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Obituaries

Collette F. Schott

Collette F. Schott, 70, of Mikado, died on Saturday, Jan. 1, 2011 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

She was born June 22, 1940 to Efren and Alice (Deer) Lopez in Detroit, Mich., where she was raised.

On June 11, 1960, she married Richard Schott.

She worked as an Indian outreach worker for the Urban Indian Affairs Office in Wayne County, Mich. for many years before retiring in 2000 to Greenbush.

She was a longtime member of the North American Indian Association of Detroit, Mich. where she was a former board member. She enjoyed bead work, garage sales and giving Native American presentations at area schools.

Mrs. Schott is survived by four daughters, Rene Madelynn Simanovich of Fair Haven, Mich., Leah Kathleen Mathis of Lincoln, Delia Therese Schott of Harrisville and Lorraine Alma Schott of Harrisville; three sons, Richard Lee Schott II of Grosse Pointe Park, Mich., Mark Daniel Schott of Brethren, Mich. and Robert Luke Schott of Rio Rancho, N.M.; 21 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one sister, Rene Esther Sherman of Troy, Mich. and two brothers, William Glen Lopez of Grosse Isle, Mich. and Arthur Fredirico Lopez of Addy, Wash.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard, on February 4, 2007; one sister; and four brothers.

Visitation will be held at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln, on Thursday, Jan. 6 from 2 to 8 p.m. Visitation will continue on Friday from 11 a.m. until the funeral service at 1 p.m.

Doris Kennedy

Doris Kennedy, 81, of Greenbush, died on Thursday, Dec. 30, 2010 at her home.

She was born December 21, 1929, to Loren and Amy (Thiede) Coons in Pontiac, Mich. She was raised in Detroit, Mich.

On September 30, 1950, she married John Kennedy. They were residents of Detroit, Mich. and Livonia, Mich. before moving to Greenbush in 1955.

Mrs. Kennedy is survived by her husband, John; two daughters, Debra Joy Shear of Waterford, Mich. and Jacquelyn Diane Reaume of Romulus, Mich.; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and one sister, Helen Latimer of Madison Heights, Mich.

She was preceded in death by one grandson.

The funeral was held January 1 at Gillies Funeral Home in Harrisville. The Rev. Tracy Brooks officiated.

Gladys E. Hill

Gladys Eleanor Hill, 86, of Harrisville, died on Tuesday, Dec. 28, 2010.

She was born October 12, 1924 to James and Beatrice (Craven) Byce in Detroit, Mich., where she was raised.

On June 23, 1945, she married Richard Holmes Hill in Bethesda, Md. They were residents of Livonia, Mich. After their retirement they made their home in Las Vegas, Nev., and later in Harrisville.

Mrs. Hill was a secretary at Ford Motor Company for 25 years. She enjoyed homemaking, reading, hunting, camping and collecting and restoring antiques. She loved to travel and made many trips throughout the United States.

Mrs. Hill is survived by one daughter, Janet Unalp; and one granddaughter, Jennifer Castania.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard, on March 5, 2001.

The funeral was held in Boulder City, Nev. at the Southern Nevada Veterans Memorial Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Paralyzed Veterans of America.

Nancy Lear

Nancy Jane Lear, 71, of Glennie, died on Friday, Dec. 31, 2010 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

She was born August 3, 1939 to Clare and Elfreda (Luck) Baldwin, in Detroit, Mich., where she was raised.

On January 25, 1957, she married Robert E. Lear. They were residents of Whitmore Lake, Mich. and moved to Glennie in the early 1990s.

Mrs. Lear is survived by one daughter, Connie (Paul) Camarata of Glennie; one son, Greg (Michelle) Lear of Ypsilanti, Mich.; two grandchildren, Anthony and Ashlee Camarata; one sister, Alice Whitt of Gladwin, Mich.; and three brothers, Don Baldwin of South Branch, James Baldwin of Barton City and Clair Baldwin of Brighton, Mich.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert on December 24, 2009.

Cremation arrangements have been handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. A memorial service will be held in the spring.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,
The Lincoln branch of Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to our members for their generosity and support with our fundraising effort in 2010. We were able to raise a total of \$3,205.32 this year.

Each quarter we raise funds for a different nonprofit organization. This year we donated to Shelter Inc., Alcona Baby Pantry, Lou Gehrig's disease, My Brother's Hope and five needy families of Alcona County. Without the support of our members this would not have been possible.

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To the Editor,
Happy New Year.

To the individual who's creative, mature, removal of the wallpaper decoration trim in the ladies' stalls in bathrooms of the Sunrise Moose Lodge on US-23 in Greenbush: Your acts of far superior, extremely mature, super intelligent, stability and humanity did not go unnoticed.

The universal powers are very, very proud of your Christ like behavior, showing such a great example to others, that you will be welcome with open arms into the hereafter. Bless you for your destructive, scrutinizing acts that will entice others to join such a happy, caring lodge. You know who you are. The world is a far better place with you in it, bless you. Peace and happiness to you and yours.

Abigail Jesiek
Greenbush

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2000/2010

Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
	Dec. 26	27		20	0.00	9.5
Dec. 27	30	18	0.00	1.3	20	N
Dec. 28	29	18	0.00	0.8	18	W
Dec. 29	35	16	0.00	4.4	22	SW
Dec. 30	36	26	0.00	6.5	23	SW
Dec. 31	43	34	0.10	4.6	17	SW
Jan. 1	45	21	0.00	5.9	30	SW

Precipitation Summary (Inches)

	2010		Normal
	Water Content	Snow Fall	Water Content
Weekly Total	0.10	0.0	0.42
Month of December	0.55	10.7	1.83
January to Date	0.0	0.0	0.06
Year/Season to Date	26.56	10.7	28.40

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, JANUARY 5

Spruce Lutheran Church, 1265 E. Spruce Rd., will have a food pantry from 1 to 3 p.m. There is no qualification requirements but you must show I.D., be present to receive food and can only pick up food once a month.

A basic computer 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 Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will meet at 11 a.m. at the VFW hall, 2900 Connon, Alpena. Lunch will be served, call (989) 356-4959 for reservations. Bring a can of food for the less fortunate.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6

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.

Alcona High School girls home basketball games will be played at 6 p.m., junior varsity, and at 7:30 p.m., varsity, against Whittemore-Prescott High School.

Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado will meet 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.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church will celebrate Twelfth Night beginning at 6 p.m. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Bunko will be played and then there will be a Feast of Lights service. Event should end about 8 p.m. All are welcome.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7

Alcona High School boys home basketball games will be played at 6 p.m., junior varsity, and at 7:30 p.m., varsity, against Whittemore-Prescott High School.

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

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

Alcona County residents are invited to celebrate a green Christmas by recycling their fresh trees at the ARA

site in Lincoln from 10 to 1 p.m. The trees will be collected and chipped to provide mulch for Harrisville State Park's hiking paths. Free refreshments will be served - a donation of \$3 per tree is requested to help defray costs.

The Daughter's of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the Huron Shores Genealogical Society will present "Do You Have a Civil War Ancestor?" in the Curtis Township Library, 488 Bamfield Rd., Glennie at 1 p.m. Questions, call Judy at (989) 984-9305 or e-mail Marcia at cwalcona@gmail.com.

My Brother's Hope will be open from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville United Methodist Church. Volunteers are needed on Friday, Jan. 7 at 1 p.m. and today. Lunch will be served. Clean clothing and personal care items may be dropped off at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at any time.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

The Barton City Eagles Aerie 4141 will serve an all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children six-12 and under six free.

MONDAY, JANUARY 10

A foot clinic will be held at the senior center in Lincoln from 1 to 5 p.m. Call for an appointment, (989) 736-8879.

Get Crafty for Adults will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. The project is basic pastels with Kathryn Cubalo. There is a \$3 charge 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.

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the introduction of bacteria, including coliform bacteria, into rivers and streams. Rooting behavior also destroys native plant communities.

Some estimates suggest that invasive swine damage to agricultural crops and the environment conservatively total \$1.5 billion in the United States. As opportunistic feeders, feral swine consume a wide variety of crops, including corn, hay, small grains, vegetables, soybeans, tree fruits and berries. In some states, studies have shown that feral swine's rooting and wallowing behavior in agricultural fields can create holes that damage farming equipment and endanger operators.

Wildlife experts from Texas - considered the state with the largest feral swine population in the United States - presented information last year to the Michigan Natural Resources Commission (NRC) about management problems with feral swine. Experts told the NRC that there are no practical or economical management techniques that can adequately control the spread and negative impact of feral swine. Through aggressive breeding and high adaptability, feral swine are quickly able to establish populations in a variety of climates and ecosystems, they said.

"The state lacks the financial and human resources needed to control this species," Humphries said. "Other states have spent millions of dollars on trapping, shooting and other measures to control feral swine, and have admitted it is a losing battle."

Feral swine have been sighted in nearly every county in Michigan. For information about the feral swine issue, go to www.michigan.gov/feralswine.

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Margaret Boelter of Hubbard Lake, formerly of Zilwaukee, Mich., celebrated her 95th birthday with a family gathering at her son's home. Margaret and her late husband, George, have four children, Robert (Barbara) Boelter of Spruce, Lynn (Bob) Bohnsack of Saginaw, Mich., Sue (Dale) Ludwig of Clarkston, Mich. and Thomas (Alicia) Boelter of Swartz Creek, Mich. She also has 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. She is still very active in her community.



Margaret Boelter

Pastel Class

Explore your inner artist with a pastel class at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library on Monday, Jan. 10 at 11 a.m. Instructor Kathryn Cubalo will

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help all levels learn pastel crayon techniques, with a special focus on trees. All materials are provided for \$3. Participants must call (989) 724-6796 to register. The February 7 Get Crafty at the Library will be torn paper Valentines with Kay Kniep.

Winter Hours at the Library

The winter hours of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library are effective immediately. They are: Monday and Friday from 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.; Saturday hours are from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at various times during the week at senior centers in Glennie, Greenbush and Lincoln. Anyone plan-

ning 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 a.m. on Friday.

- Monday, Jan. 10—Stuffed green peppers, scalloped potatoes, Prince Charles blend vegetable, tossed salad and fruit.
 - Tuesday, Jan. 11—Chicken salad on croissant, vegetable beef soup, coleslaw, fruit and oatmeal cookies.
 - Wednesday, Jan. 12—Barbecued pork roast, baked potato, Brussels sprouts, raspberry applesauce salad and fruit.
 - Thursday, Jan. 13—Meatloaf, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, orange fruited Jell-O and fruit.
 - Friday, Jan. 14—Smothered chicken over rotini, sugar snap peas, marinated carrots and fruit.
- (Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Police Report

Michigan State Police, Alpena Post troopers want the public to be aware of a local scam that has recently surfaced in the Alpena area. Recently, a local citizen was contacted by a subject claiming that she had won \$3.5 million and a new 2010 Mercedes automobile.

The caller requested that the victim take immediate possession of the property and asked if the prizes could be delivered right away. When asked why she had been chosen to win, she was told she was entered into a drawing because she had been on time paying her bills. She was given a call back number of (876) 850-4829.

Investigation shows that the area code 876 is a Jamaican exchange. Anyone receiving a similar call in nature or with an area code of 876 is advised to hang up. Many of these frauds committed on people originate in Jamaica where prosecution will not take place. Other frauds involve winning a Canadian lottery where victims are asked to wire funds to cover taxes on the winnings. The bottom line is, if it sounds too good to be true it usually is, says Trooper Al Burke of the Alpena Post.

Anyone with questions or any suspicions is encouraged to contact the Michigan State Police or their local police department.

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Carpet One	19.5	102
Lincoln Prec.	10.5	133
Gary Oil	10	104.5
B & D Sales	9	153
Hagulund's	3.5	129

High game and series: Jim Armstrong, 266 and 714.
High handicap game: Dennis Barton Jr., 286. High handicap series: Jim Armstrong, 741.

Wednesday Nite Women's

December 29

Stoney Acres	28	2
Alcona Abstract	26	4
Other Team	25	5
Animal Clinic	20.5	9.5
Alcona Tool	19	11
Cole's Appl.	11	19
Back Alley Bar	9.5	20.5
Ark Plumbing	5	25
JB's Auto	4	26

High game: Linda Blumer, 211.
High series: Janet Lamrock, 508.
High handicap game: Linda Blumer, 264. High handicap series: Lydia Lucas, 656.

Early Bloomers

December 21

Tigerlilys	236	148
Buttercups	204.5	179.5
Rosebuds	200	184
Violets	189	195
Daffodils	188.5	195.5
Mums	187	197
Marigolds	169.5	214.5
Bluebells	161.5	222.5

High game and series: Velma Myers, 185 and 495.
High team game and series: Mums, 520 and 1,361.

Sportsmans

December 30

Phil's Barber	20	119.5
Baymoor	19	129.5
Top O Mich.	11	133
L.L.W. Club	10	105
Balls On Ya	19.5	135.5
Morgan Elec.	10.5	138
Cole's Appl.	25	120.5
Ghost Busters	5	79

High game and series: Mike Baird, 253 and 703.
High handicap game and series: Mike Baird, 279 and 781.

Girls Varsity Standings in Huron Shores Conference

	Conference	Overall
Tawas	0-0	3-0
Alcona	0-0	5-1
Whittemore-Prescott	0-0	3-1
Oscoda	0-0	2-4

Boys Varsity Standings in Huron Shores Conference

	Conference	Overall
Alcona	0-0	2-1
Tawas	0-0	1-1
Oscoda	0-0	1-1
Whittemore Prescott	0-0	2-3

DNRE returning walleye fry production to historic levels

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources and Environment (DNRE) has begun gearing up to return hatchery production of walleyes to historic levels.

The DNRE plans to take some 50 million eggs this spring to produce fry for pond-rearing and direct stocking, an eight-fold increase over the last two years.

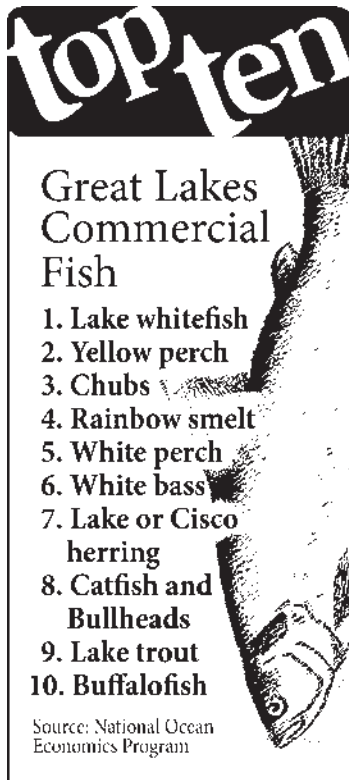
Since 2006, the DNRE has cut back on most of its walleye rearing activities because of the presence of Viral Hemorrhagic Septicemia (VHS) in the brood-stock waters. Now, after several years of testing, a technique has been found to disinfect walleye eggs and prevent spreading VHS. As a result, the DNRE will resume large-scale rearing and stocking of walleyes.

"In a perfect world, we wouldn't have cut our walleye fry production," DNRE Director Rebecca Humphries said. "But the specter of bringing VHS into our hatchery system or transferring VHS to new waters was just too risky. The ecosystem is constantly changing and our management practices must change with it. We are pleased that an effective treatment for walleye eggs against VHS has been found and we're ramping up our production accordingly."

The DNRE expects it to take two years to return to full production of walleye fry. A number of the rearing ponds, which have been idled for the last several years, are in need of maintenance before they can be brought back on line for production.

Nonetheless, the DNRE expects to produce at least 80 percent of the total capacity

for walleye fry in 2011 and be back to full production in 2012. For more information, visit www.michigan.gov/dnrfishing.



top ten

Great Lakes Commercial Fish

1. Lake whitefish
2. Yellow perch
3. Chubs
4. Rainbow smelt
5. White perch
6. White bass
7. Lake or Cisco herring
8. Catfish and Bullheads
9. Lake trout
10. Buffalo fish

Source: National Ocean Economics Program

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ALCONA COUNTY LIBRARY, HARRISVILLE

A meeting was held November 10, 2010 to discuss the future of the Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce, serving Alcona County. While attendance and participation was good, the majority of the Chamber businesses were not represented. We would like to thank all who attended, showed interest and offered suggestions.

Unfortunately, we may not have emphasized enough the future leadership concern that faces our chamber. At the end of 2011 all officers, President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary will have completed their term and the board currently does not have any members interested in pursuing any of these positions. While short term volunteers are welcomed and appreciated, continual on-going direction and leadership is necessary on a day-by-day basis. To be an officer, you must be a member of the chamber.

If members do not step forward with leadership interest, the chamber cannot continue to function as we know it today. Some seem to think this is an idle threat; unfortunately, this is very real as to what may need to happen at the end of 2011. Some have expressed; "So what if the chamber folds?", some have asked. Others say that another group(s) will take over the events. This would be highly unlikely as most service groups have their own projects and are also having "manpower" difficulties. For those of you who don't know what the chamber sponsors, i.e. organizes, staffs, sets up, cleans up, etc., etc.

- Antique and Fine Collectibles
- Wine & Food Festival
- Christmas in the Village
- Provides funds for maintenance of the website
- Harrisville Fireworks
- Texas Holdem
- Maintains Office

Chamber members need to step up now, your board only has one year to work with and train new leadership. You must decide for yourself: Do you want the chamber to continue? We have a lot at stake and hope a solution can be found in time. We encourage further discussion regarding leadership and hope you will attend an open meeting January 12, 6:30 p.m., Alcona County Library, Harrisville.

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Meetings of the Alcona County Road Commission will be the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 4 p.m. beginning January 12, 2011. Meetings are open to the public and unless otherwise noted, are held at the Road Commission office at 301 N. Lake Street, Lincoln, MI 48742

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Organization Notes



The Alcona Masonic Lodge No. 292 new officers for 2011 are (front row, from left) Gary Malone, P.M., chaplain; Dick Bailey, senior deacon; Kevin Friddle, steward; David Bastion, steward; Norman Buckler, junior warden; Joseph Olah, steward; Jerome Brown, steward; (back row) Mark Lewis, P.M., treasurer; Charles Snyder, worshipful master; Bennett Planck, tiler; William Hastings, P.M., marshal; and Daniel Lechel, junior deacon. Not pictured: David Shores, senior warden; Michael Kerr, P.M., secretary; and Robert Merkel, P.M., organist. The new officers were installed on December 11, 2010. *Courtesy photo.*

The 2011 installing officers are (from left) Richard Trzcinski, grand installing secretary; Leonard Briggs, P.M., grand installing marshal; Arthur Laatz, P.M., grand installing officer; and Robert Rousseau, P.M., grand installing chaplain. *Courtesy photo.*



Weekly SUDOKU

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3	2	6	9	5	4	1	7	8
9	4	7	2	1	8	6	3	5
8	5	1	6	3	7	9	2	4

Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



Taking Advantage of LIVE Fitness Classes in Lincoln

These Alcona County residents are feeling awesome after a 6 week fitness program. You can do it too by joining Bay Athletic Club's Four Week Boot Camp starting on January 11th. Classes meet in Lincoln at 6:30pm on Tuesday and Thursday. Cost \$65 for alums, \$75 for first timers.

Call 989-356-5600 to sign up!



Front row, left to right: Lucy Cole, Nikki Smith, Lorna Dellar, Mary Linton, Lynn Vanderlinde. Back row, left to right: Joanne Fowler, Sherri Truman, Jo Allen, Jerry Linton, Dave Vanderlinde, Josh Sokolak

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Forest Management Division

Sixteen year olds can now give the gift of life

On Wednesday, Dec. 29, 2010 Governor Jennifer Granholm signed a bill into law that will enable 16 year olds in Michigan to donate blood with parental consent. The bill is effective immediately.

"Much like voting and driving a car, the ability to donate blood and save a life has become a rite of passage for thousands of high school students," said Sharon Jaksa, CEO for the Great Lakes Region of the American Red Cross. "Until now, high school students under the

age of 17 have been denied the opportunity to donate. Thank you to Gov. Granholm and other leaders for giving them this opportunity."

Every two seconds, someone in the United States needs blood. Last year in the state of Michigan, approximately 400,000 units of blood were collected and used to positively impact up to 1.6 million patients. This new eligible donor population will enable the Red Cross to better support Michigan patients.

"This action by Michigan

leaders makes the precious gift of life more available to Michigan patients, and improves the quality of health care in our state," said Jaksa. "We owe a debt of gratitude to the state officials who acted decisively to make this bill become law."

The Red Cross hosts thousands of blood drives throughout Michigan each year. Any 16-year-old who is interested in donating blood should visit RedCrossBlood.org or call (866) 236-3276 for further information. In order to donate blood, 16-

year-olds must read donation material and obtain a signed consent form from their parent or guardian. This written consent must be presented at the blood drive prior to blood donation.

"We consider the parental consent requirement for 16-year-old donors as an opportunity to educate parents on the importance of blood donation," Jaksa said. "We are excited to have the ability to recruit 16 year-olds and educate their parents at the same time."

The Great Lakes Region serves 65 counties, and needs to collect about 700 units of blood a day to meet patient needs in hospitals across the state.

In addition to providing blood to the community, the American Red Cross also provides relief to victims of disaster, trains millions in lifesaving skills, serves as a communication link between U.S. military members and their families, and assists victims of international disasters or conflicts.

SENIOR LIFESTYLES

How to save on long-term care insurance

Dear Savvy Senior,
My wife and I have been thinking about purchasing a long-term care insurance policy, but have found the monthly premiums to be very expensive. How can we find affordable coverage?

Planning Ahead

Dear Planning,

The biggest factor that keeps millions of Americans from purchasing long-term care (LTC) insurance is the high price tag. Depending on your age, you and your wife could be looking at \$7,000 a year (if not more) to purchase a comprehensive policy that covers nursing home care, assisted living and in-home care. Fortunately, there are ways to save and still get

adequate coverage.

One of the most basic ways a person can lower their LTC insurance premiums is by purchasing a policy at a younger age. For example, a policy that costs a 55-year-old \$2,000 a year in premiums could cost a 65-year-old more than \$3,000. Health is another fact that can affect costs. While good health can lower your monthly payments, having a preexisting medical condition can increase your costs, or you may not be able to get insurance at all.

Some employers offer LTC insurance as an employee benefit that is often five to 10 percent less expensive than buying a policy on your own. Or, if you or your wife is a

current or retired Federal employee, you can get affordable coverage through the Federal LTC Insurance Program (www.ltcfeds.com).

The cost of LTC insurance depends greatly on the policy's provisions. Here are some simple ways to trim your premiums:

- Reduce the benefit period: A policy that covers you for two or three years, versus an unlimited benefit, meets the needs for most people and can cut your premiums in half.
- Lower the daily benefit: You can get a policy that pays \$100, \$150, \$200 per day or more, but the higher the benefit, the higher your premium. To figure out how much coverage to get, check out the nursing home prices in the area you plan to be. Then figure out how much of the bill you could shoulder yourself, and choose a benefit that makes up the difference.
- Extend the waiting period: Most policies have waiting periods (30, 60, 90 days, or more) that require you to pay out-of-pocket before the policy kicks in. The longer you wait the lower your premium.
- Get cheaper inflation protection: Choosing a policy that offers inflation protection linked to the consumer price index is about 20 to 40 percent cheaper than standard policies that use a five percent compound inflation factor.

Many states today have a LTC partnership program that can help you save. Under these programs, if you buy a LTC policy approved by your state Medicaid agency, you can protect an amount of assets from Medicaid equal to the benefits that your policy pays out.

How does it work? Let's say you buy a policy that provides \$200,000 in benefits (multiply your daily benefit by your benefit period). If you use up all the benefits but still need care, you can shield \$200,000 of your assets and still have Medicaid pay your remaining nursing home bills. With this program, you can choose a shorter benefit period which will lower your premiums. Contact your state insurance department to see if your state offers a program or see www.dehpg.net/ltpartnership.

Another option to consider is Uncle Sam's soon-to-be-established LTC program known as the Community Liv-



ing Assistance Services and Supports (CLASS) Act - see healthcare.gov. Starting in 2013, this program will allow workers to set aside money from their paychecks for five years, in order to receive a cash benefit of at least \$50 a day to help pay for LTC services when needed. While CLASS won't cover all your LTC costs, it can work as a nice supplement to a LTC policy allowing you to lower your daily benefit and reduce your premiums.

Savvy Tips: For more information, visit www.longtermcare.gov. And for assistance in finding and choosing a policy, get a LTC insurance specialist who works with a variety of companies to help. See www.aaltci.org to locate one.

(Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit www.savvysenior.org.)

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District Court

The following individuals were sentenced in November 2010 in 81st District Court by the Honorable Allen C. Yenior and the Honorable Laura A. Frawley.

- Raymond Dean Sundberg, 21, of South Branch was sentenced to 10 days in jail, six months probation, fines and court costs of \$705 and restitution of \$2,755 for assault/aggravated.

- Jeffrey Michael Slomba, 47, of Garden City, Mich. was sentenced to one year in jail, two years probation and fines and court costs of \$3,535 for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied, second offence and operating while intoxicated.

- Jessica Hope Hill, 21, of

Herron, Mich. was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$295 for no valid license in possession.

- Tammy Lynn Lemanski, 48, of Roseville, Mich. was sentenced to 10 days in jail, two years probation and fines and court costs of \$2,020 for operating while intoxicated.

- Bradley Dale Counts, 56, of Frankenmuth, Mich. was sentenced to 45 days in jail, one year probation and fines and court costs of \$2,365 for operating while intoxicated and operator's license suspended, revoked, denied.

- Shain Jonathan Karsen, 23, of Lincoln was sentenced to two days in jail, six months probation and fines and court costs of \$1,070 for operating while visibly impaired.

- Michael Robert Smith, 40, of Spruce was sentenced to two days in jail, six months probation and fines and court costs of \$1,220 operating while visibly impaired.

- Anthony Michael Barwick, 22, of Glennie was sentenced to two days in jail, six months probation and fines and court costs of \$1,220 for operating while visibly impaired.

- Deanna Lee Grubaugh, 53, of Glennie was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$125 for allowing livestock to run at large.

- Justin Michael-Adam Lince, 22, of Mikado was sentenced to one day in jail, six months probation and fines and court costs of \$455 for disorderly person-drunk.

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Incontinence Enablers

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4. Chocolate
5. Sugar
6. Fizzy drinks
7. Spicy foods
8. Citrus fruits
9. Cranberry juice
10. Medication

Source:  www.health.com

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This coyote was recently called in while Darien Panich was predator hunting in Alcona County. This was her first successful coyote hunt with her father, Steve Panich. *Courtesy photo.*

Orthopedics



St. Joseph Health System welcomes back Diana Ennes, M.D.

Diana Ennes, M.D. has rejoined the multidisciplinary team of orthopedic professionals at St. Joseph Bone & Joint Center including, John Blocksom, D.O., Kevin Kaliszewski, PA-C and Molly Minard, PA-C. Our team of providers specialize in the finest orthopedic care in Northeast Michigan including, adult orthopedics, sports medicine, foot and ankle, hip and knee replacements, arthroscopy and physician and occupational therapy. We strive for a rapid return to full function by offering a range of treatment options. Please call 989.362.1015 to determine the best treatment plan for you, or to learn more visit www.sjhsys.org.

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The family of Ruth Gillies would like to express deep appreciation for all of the cards, prayers, and well wishes during her illness, and after her passing. It is during a time like this we realize how much our family and friends really mean to us. Dick, Rich, Mary, Sara, Aaron, Jeff, Mari and Henrik.

Half empty or half full?

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep
Columnist

Truth be told, the first week of January is one of my favorite weeks of the year.

The tree is down and the corresponding area swept and tidy. The house, freed from its frosting of decorations, seems so much bigger and more open. There's a fine, sharp edge to everything.

In addition, the new calendar is delightfully blank. In part, that's because we've just located one for the new year and in part it's because not much is scheduled for the first weeks of the new year. Ah... after weeks of events and celebrations it is so nice to have nothing to do.

The fridge is finally empty of the last of the leftovers. Even the dogs have reached near-capacity on turkey and Art has come close to his on cookies. We are, as a group, tired of holiday food and ready for something austere for dinner. Dry dog food for them, plain meat and salad for us.

Best of all, I finally have time to appreciate the gifts I received. I start the new year with new undies, new socks, new pajamas, a new clean, blank journal, new pens and markers. These, especially the last two, as my family knows, constitute riches to me.

So it's a lovely, quiet time this first week of the new year. I plan to enjoy it to the fullest. But first, a note to the Whitman Chocolate Company. To wit: I am so disappointed in you.

From the time I was a small girl, the Whitman Sampler has been a part of my Christmas. My Aunt Kay always presented me with one by mail, along with a new book.

As gifts were opened, these things probably didn't receive the oohs and ahhs that dolls and toys did. Nevertheless, they were special. In that first week of the new year, as we returned to school and regular schedules, they were such a luxury. I tucked into bed each night, chose one chocolate (making a point of NOT consulting the little chart the company thoughtfully printed inside the lid of the box) ate it slowly to make it last and then licked my fingertips and read a chapter of my book before turning the light out. The two layer, one pound box got me through the end of February, when everyone knew it was almost spring.

It was a ritual I continue to this day. Aunt Kay has gone to her reward, bless her, but someone in the family always gifts me with a Whitman Sampler. This year, I noted that it was a lovely Christmas red instead of the standard yellow, but the box was the same size and heft and the words "Whitman Sampler" were stamped in gold on the cover. Christmas night I tucked it onto my bedside table, along with a new book to await the new year.

A few nights later, Art - who always gets chocolates, but doesn't share my rituals - turned to me a few minutes after tuck-in time and asked "Does your candy have a second layer?"

"Well, of course it does," I told him. "Whitman Samplers always have two layers."

"Because," he went on somewhat acerbically, "mine doesn't."

What? I sat up and picked up my Whitman's. It was early to open it, but in the interest of research, I tore the cellophane away. Chocolate chart in lid, check. Chocolate covered raisins, check. Peanuts check. Chocolate cherries (light and dark) check. Creams, toffees, caramels. Yup, your standard sampler. Carefully removing each little fluted cup and placing it on the bedspread (which pained me no end, I like my candy and my books untouched by human hands when I begin them) I moved to lift the cardboard that covers the second layer.

Except... Art was right. There was no second layer. Instead, the cardboard formed a sort of faux platform, suspending what would normally be the first layer over space comprised of...chocolate-scented air.

Obviously, this was a means to maintain the traditional size and shape of the box while filling it with half the candy. I flipped the cover over and scanned it. After a moment or two, I found a line of very small type at the lower right-hand side which read "8 ounces." This wasn't the one-pound sampler of my childhood! They'd cut it in half.

Now, anyone who's ever seen me knows that in my case, half as much chocolate would be a good thing. Especially after the most overfed season of the year. It's the principle of the thing. (Well, that and that second dark chocolate caramel, which I hold quite dear in midwinter).

The whole point of a Whitman Sampler, as my Aunt Kay clearly knew, is the concept of abundance. For a child, in particular, whose access to chocolate is usually limited by the grown-ups in his or her life, to have an entire pound of chocolate to be eaten at one's own discretion when and where you choose is an incredible gift. My brothers and I still talk about those boxes of chocolates every Christmas, along with the fact that Aunt Kay insisted that if we wanted to eat them before breakfast, we could.

Part of my bedtime chocolate ritual was maintaining the self discipline not to just eat it all in one night but to stretch it out and make it last through the long cold months. It was one of my first experiences with the joys of both power and self control. I think Aunt Kay probably knew that, too.

So, dear Whitman people, I know it's been a rough year. Good chocolate costs money. I realize you probably needed to save on your production. And as I said, Lord knows I don't need the extra half pound of chocolate.

What I mind is your being sneaky about it, especially with an item I consider special and pristine and...true.

Puttin' On The Fritz

You - and your little cardboard platform - are lucky Sanders is no longer available. I might have considered changing brands.

Next year, just put the second layer back in and charge us more, okay? My family will pay it, I'm sure. They know how important my little after-Christmas ritual is to me. This year, despite the sweetness of your candy, when I run out at the end of January thanks to your sneaky little platform, for the first time ever it's going to leave a bitter taste in my mouth.

(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.)



First Annual Alcona County Christmas Tree Recycling Program



Alcona Conservation District and Recycle Alcona County invite you to make a difference on Saturday, January 8, 2011 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Alcona ARA site (fairgrounds) in Lincoln.

Trees will be collected and chipped to provide mulch for a two mile stretch of Harrisville State Park's hiking paths.

A donation of \$3 per tree is requested. Please make sure trees are free of all decorative materials.

Free coffee, hot chocolate and donuts will be waiting for you!

If you are disabled or otherwise unable to drop off your tree, call (989) 724-5077 to have it picked up.

Your tree can be far more than a holiday decoration! Keep it working for the good of the park and the planet!

This program is made possible by a grant from the Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Alcona County Road Commission

The Alcona County Road Commission will hold a public hearing Wednesday, January 12, 2011, at 4:30 p.m. at the Road Commission office at 301 N. Lake Street, Lincoln, Michigan. The purpose of the hearing is to consider, confirm, or modify, road improvement and transit projects eligible for federal funds anticipated to be available to the County of Alcona for the years 2012 through 2015 from the Surface Transportation Program of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, and Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) and from Category "D" of the Transportation Economic Development Fund (TEDF-D). Members of the public are encouraged to attend this meeting to participate and comment on road project selections. Written comments will also be considered and should be submitted to the Alcona County Road Commission at P.O. Box 40, Lincoln, MI 48742 or by e-mail at roads@alconacrc.com

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Alcona County Sheriff's Report

For the Week of December 26, 2010 - January 1, 2011

52 complaints were handled resulting in the following arrests: 1 Operate While Intoxicated; 1 Warrant.

Complaint Statistics

Traffic	4	Car/Deer	16
Property Damage Accident	3	General Assistance	2
False Alarm	1	Domestic	1
Animal	7	Patrol Check	2
Animal Neglect	1	Vio. of Public Health Code	1
Malicious Destr. of Property	2	Operate While Intoxicated	1
Drive While Lic. Restricted	1	Well Being Check	2
Child Custody Dispute	1	Minor in Poss. of Alcohol	1
Child Neglect	1	Warrent Arrest	1
Message	1	Miscellaneous	2
Careless Use of Firearm	1	Indecent Exposure	1
Trespass	1		

Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	2	Caledonia	4	Curtis	3
Greenbush	5	Gustin	4	Harrisville	5
Hawes	3	Haynes	6	Mikado	5
Millen	1	Mitchell	4		
City of Harrisville 8		Village of Lincoln 4			



Annie Anderson (front, right) of Lincoln was recently visited by family members and they took a five generation photograph. (Back row, from left) great-great-granddaughter Amya Sodder, great-granddaughter Santana Sodder of Cheyenne, Wy., granddaughter Juanita Orr of Ohio, daughter, Charlotte Beaver of Livonia, Mich. and (front, left) great-great-grandson Trey Sodder. *Courtesy photo.*

Grants Awarded

In December, the board of trustees of the Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) approved the following grants from the Kellogg Youth Fund as recommended by the Northeast Michigan Youth Advisory Council (NEMYAC).

Alcona County

- Alcona Community Schools/Alcona Elementary—awarded \$111 from the Kellogg Youth Fund toward listening centers for the classroom.

- Alcona Community Schools—awarded \$320 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the baseball field maintenance/outfield project.

- Alcona Community Schools/High School Science—awarded \$500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the Elmo document camera.

- Alcona Community Schools/Girls Softball Program—awarded \$500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the equipment upgrade.

- Alcona Community Schools/Alcona Volleyball—awarded \$250 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the volleyball equipment project.

Alpena County

- Alpena Public Schools/TBJHS—awarded \$2,500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the bullying prevention initiative.

- Alpena County Plaza Pool—awarded \$2,000 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the Ready, Set, Swim! Project.

- Alpena County Parks Commission/Beaver Lake Park Improvement Association—awarded \$1,800 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the teen/activity center.

- Alcona Alpena Montmorency Educational Service District (AMAESD)/Sprinkler Lake Education Center—awarded \$485 from the Kellogg Youth Fund toward GPS Units for the day visit program.

- Alpena Public Schools/Wilson Community School—awarded \$490 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the

We Can See Clearly visual presenter. Sanborn Elementary—awarded \$500 from the presenter. • Alpena Public Schools/Continued on page 16

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Area Church Directory

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

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

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

GREENBUSH COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH
 2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross
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 • Sunday School 10 a.m.
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 Wed. 7 p.m. Midweek Service (Bible Study & Prayer Service)

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

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
 Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816

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

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)

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

First Baptist Church of Lincoln

 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m.
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 Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study *Youth Programs (Grades K-6th)
 *Fall-Spring programs • Website: www.cbcmikado.com

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Calendar of Events

Continued from page 3
Come play dice games at the senior center in Lincoln beginning at 2:30 p.m. Bring a friend, neighbor or spouse.

The Alcona GOP will meet at 7 p.m. in the Alcona County Building. Guest speaker will be Jeff Lamb. The public is welcome to attend.

CSFP commodities may be picked up at the senior center in Lincoln from 9 to 10 a.m. Eligible persons include low income seniors over 60 years old, pregnant or postpartum (up to one year) women and children to age

five not on the WIC program. See if you qualify.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 11
Kids are invited to the Mikado branch of the Alcona County Library from 4 to 5:30 p.m. to play games on the library's Wii system and cook up a snack. Call (989) 736-8389 for more information.

AuSable Valley Audubon will present "Native Plants in Landscaping" at 7 p.m. in the Tawas High School library. Membership is open to all person interested in wildlife and environment. Annual dues are \$10 per per-

son or \$15 per family payable by mail or at meetings. For more information, visit AuSableValleyAudubon.com.

Alcona High School girls home basketball games will be played at 6 p.m., junior varsity, and at 7:30 p.m., varsity, against Rogers City High School.

Meet with the Alcona Great Start Parent Group from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. There will be a free meal for the whole family and free onsite child care. RSVP required, call Angela at (989)

884-4276 or e-mail to forsythia@cfsnemi.org.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12
An American Red Cross blood drive will be held at the First Presbyterian Church, 1600 W. Chisholm, Alpena, from noon to 5:45 p.m. Visit www.RedCrossBlood.org for donation requirements. Call 1-800-733-2767 to schedule an appointment.

The Glennie Book Club will meet at the Chat 'n' Chew at 7 p.m. Call Emily at (989) 735-2981 or the Curtis Township Library at (989) 735-

2601 to sign up. Come with title suggestions.

The Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce will hold a public general meeting at 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library.

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.

The Barton City Improvement Association will meet at 7 p.m. at the VFW Post 8135 on Trask Lake Road. All community members are invited to attend. Volunteers for community events are needed. Call (989) 736-3160 for more information.

Today is the last chance to join the Alcona Junior Livestock Club. Meet at 7 p.m. in the media center of the Alcona High School. You must be a resident of Alcona County and a member of either a 4-H livestock club or the Alcona FFA. For more information, call Kevin at (989) 335-0307.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13
Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado will meet 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.

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.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14
A story and craft project will be offered to children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 10:15 to 11 a.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15
East Shore Art Guild & Gallery Inc. of Harrisville will host a reception for artist of the month Art Kniep from 1 to 3 p.m. The reception will be held in the gallery located in the Harbortown Marketplace. Winter gallery hours are November through April Wednesday through Saturday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Alcona Athletic Association will hold a nine pin no tap bowling fundraiser at the Village Lanes in Harrisville from 5 to 7:30 p.m. for those under 21, cost \$10, and from 8 p.m. until ?? for those over 21, cost \$15. E-mail questions to jammin4245@yahoo.com.

The second annual Blessing of the Sleds will be held at the Hillman Fire/EMS station, 131 W. 3rd Street, in the back parking lot at 11 a.m. The blessing is free. At noon there will be a fun ride to follow - a \$10 donation is requested for each participant.

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Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY
Snow Possible
High: 26 Low: 23

THURSDAY
Snow Possible
High: 26 Low: 20

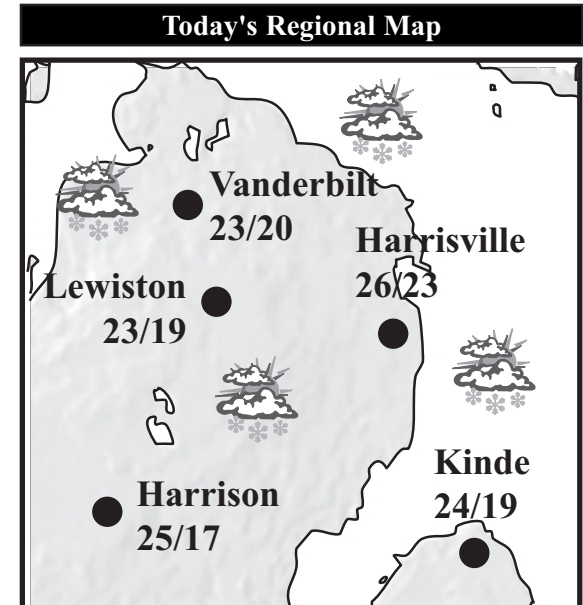
FRIDAY
Cloudy
High: 25 Low: 19

SATURDAY
Mostly Cloudy
High: 26 Low: 20

SUNDAY
Partly Cloudy
High: 27 Low: 19

MONDAY
Partly Cloudy
High: 25 Low: 14

TUESDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 26 Low: 12



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 50% chance of snow, high temperature of 26°, humidity of 80%. West wind 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 42° set in 1949. Expect cloudy skies tonight with a 50% chance of snow, overnight low of 23°. The record low for tonight is -16° set in 1959.

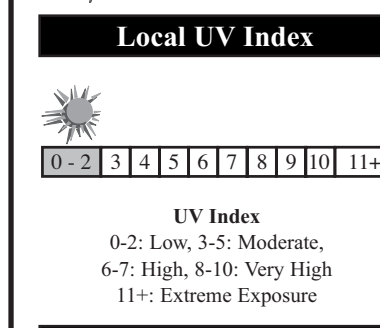
***Last Week's Almanac**

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	30	14	28/14	0.00"
Tuesday	29	21	28/13	0.00"
Wednesday	44	15	28/13	0.00"
Thursday	51	24	28/13	0.05"
Friday	62	38	28/12	0.04"
Saturday	48	20	27/12	0.21"
Sunday	24	16	27/12	0.00"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	8:10 a.m.	5:08 p.m.	8:51 a.m.	6:46 p.m.
Thursday	8:10 a.m.	5:09 p.m.	9:20 a.m.	7:51 p.m.
Friday	8:09 a.m.	5:10 p.m.	9:44 a.m.	8:54 p.m.
Saturday	8:09 a.m.	5:11 p.m.	10:06 a.m.	9:56 p.m.
Sunday	8:09 a.m.	5:12 p.m.	10:27 a.m.	10:57 p.m.
Monday	8:09 a.m.	5:13 p.m.	10:47 a.m.	11:58 p.m.
Tuesday	8:08 a.m.	5:14 p.m.	11:09 a.m.	Next Day



National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with isolated snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 42° in Metropolis, Ill. The Southeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few showers today and Thursday, mostly clear skies Friday, with the highest temperature of 77° in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The Northwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with scattered rain and snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 53° in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 66° in Yuma, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:26 a.m.	3:35 p.m.
Venus	4:24 a.m.	2:16 p.m.
Mars	8:43 a.m.	5:36 p.m.
Jupiter	11:31 a.m.	11:18 p.m.
Saturn	12:55 a.m.	12:25 p.m.
Uranus	11:28 a.m.	11:18 p.m.

Weather History

Jan. 5, 1982 - A three-day rainstorm in the San Francisco area finally came to an end. Marin County and Cruz County were drenched with up to 25 inches of rain and the Sierra Nevada Range was buried under four to eight feet of snow.

Weather Trivia

How many hurricanes develop in the Atlantic per year?

Answer: On average, six.

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Cold Hands, Warm Heart

It's January, and my body feels more like it wants to move to Florida or southern California. No matter how cold it gets, my fingers must always be lightly wrapped because when I observe, I'm lifting a telescope into place or adjusting the tension on a screw or the focus of my camera. Mittens or thick gloves don't allow for the dexterity of completing these types of actions efficiently, although I'm very aware that astronauts are handicapped by even less flexible gloves, yet manage with years of training to manipulate tiny screws into place to repair satellites like the Hubble. Have you ever felt a seven thousand dollar telescope slip from your mitten clad hands to hit the frozen pavement? Me neither. That is why I will continue always to have reasonably cold hands whenever I am observing in winter. No mittens for me. Speaking about the cold, the winter solstice total lunar eclipse will have to go down in my record book as being one of the nastiest mornings on record. Part of that situation was my fault for not having overdressed for the event. The other part was simply the wind which became very gusty for the last half of the eclipse. To tell you how cold I was, when I finally came in around 5:20 a.m. I was starting to shake. I took a steamy shower, then slept under warm covers for the next six hours, and still I was cold. It wasn't until the next day that I began to feel cozier. The eclipse, however, was beautiful to behold and worth the pain—a red-dish grey disk for the most part blending into a dark rust colored crescent towards the boundary of Earth's shadow, with a brighter white-pink edge. This translated into photos with yellows and red-orangey hues that were breathtaking, one of the best astrophotography experiences of my life. My lunar eclipse picture gallery can be found at www.astronomy.org. Please feel free to download my images as your souvenirs of this fantastic event.

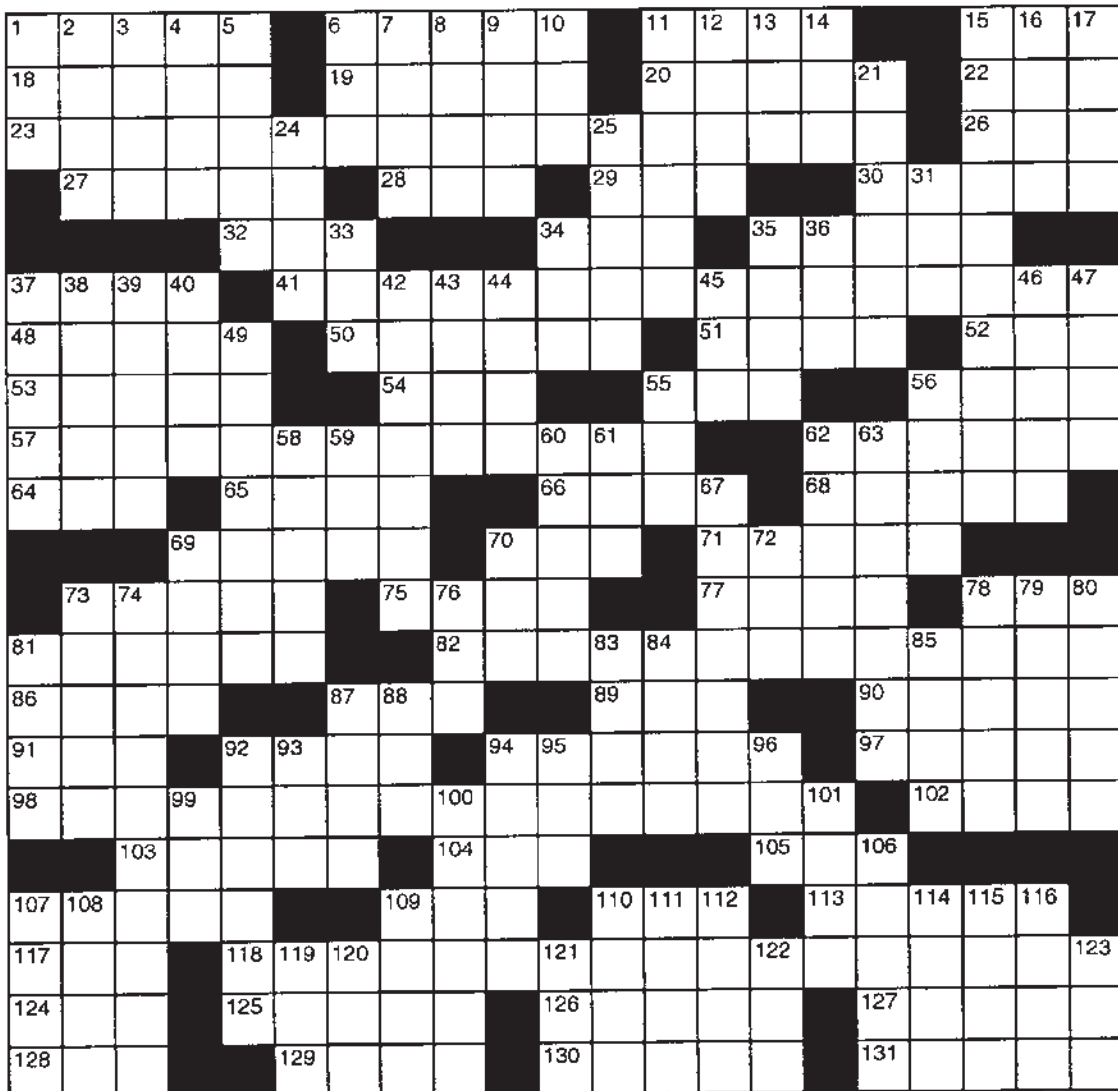
TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **ANATOMY:** Where in the human body is the mandible?
2. **MYTHOLOGY:** According to Greek mythology, who ferries the souls of the dead across the rivers Styx and Acheron?
3. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** By what common name is the pirate's flag of skull and crossbones known?
4. **ENTERTAINERS:** Which actress was born with the name Betty Joan Perske?
5. **MEASUREMENTS:** What does a tachometer measure?
6. **HISTORY:** What was the first year of the winter Olympic Games?
7. **GEOGRAPHY:** Where is Valley Forge, site of George Washington's encampment during the Revolutionary War?
8. **ASTRONOMY:** Europa is a moon of which planet?
9. **LITERATURE:** Who wrote "The Tropic of Cancer"?
10. **LANGUAGE:** In poetic terms, what is a "tarn"?

Answers: 1. Lower jaw; 2. Charon; 3. Jolly Roger; 4. Lauren Bacall; 5. Speed in rotations per minute; 6. 1924; 7. Pennsylvania; 8. Jupiter; 9. Henry Miller; 10. Mountain lake. (c) 2011 King Features Synd., Inc.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE
By Samantha Weaver

• It was American radio and TV writer and commentator Andy Rooney who made the following sage observation: "Computers make it easier to do a lot of things, but most of the things they make it easier to do don't need to be done."

• The iconic 1980s video games Pac-Man and Ms. Pac-Man had 256 levels, though it's been reported that on both of them, the 256th level has bugs that make it unplayable.

• The earliest known examples of drinking straws were created out of gold and lapis lazuli by the ancient Sumerians. It seems they were used by royalty to drink beer, thereby avoiding the yeast residue left over from the fermentation process.

• It takes 450 skilled workers to create a Steinway grand piano — and the piano is made up of about 12,000 individual parts.

• If you are like 83 percent of adult Americans, you received a gift you didn't want during the recent holiday season.

• If you're a heavy coffee drinker, you might want to consider the following: A study conducted in the United Kingdom found that those who reported the highest consumption of caffeine also were more likely to report hallucinations and other extrasensory experiences.

• The Campbell's Soup portraits created by Andy Warhol have become icons of the Pop Art movement, and today they sell at auction for upward of \$10 million. They weren't always so well-regarded, however; in 1962, actor Dennis Hopper (a visionary art collector, it seems) purchased one of the first examples for a mere \$75.

Thought for the Day: "I have known a vast quantity of nonsense talked about bad men not looking you in the face. Don't trust that conventional idea. Dishonesty will stare honesty out of countenance, any day in the week, if there is anything to be got by it." — Charles Dickens
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MOMENTS IN TIME
The History Channel

• On Jan. 23, 1775, London merchants petition Parliament for relief from the financial hardship put upon them by the curtailment of trade with the North American colonies. Most critical to the merchants' concerns were the 2 million pounds sterling in outstanding debts owed to them by their North American counterparts.

• On Jan. 18, 1882, A.A. Milne, creator of "Winnie-the-Pooh," is born. Milne wrote his volumes of verse for his son, Christopher Robin: "When We Were Very Young" (1924), "Winnie-the-Pooh" (1926), "Now We Are Six" (1927) and "The House at Pooh Corner" (1928).

• On Jan. 19, 1915, during World War I, Britain suffers its first casualties from an air attack when two German zeppelins drop bombs on Great Yarmouth and King's Lynn on the eastern coast of England. The zeppelin, a motor-driven rigid airship, was developed by German inventor Ferdinand Graf von Zeppelin in 1900.

• On Jan. 17, 1953, a prototype Chevrolet Corvette sports car makes its debut at General Motors' Motorama auto show in New York City. The car featured an all-fiberglass body, a white exterior and red interior, a 150-horsepower engine and a starting price tag of around \$3,500. An AM radio and heater were extra.

• On Jan. 20, 1961, 87-year-old Robert Frost recited his poem "The Gift Outright" at the inauguration of President John F. Kennedy. Although Frost had written a new poem for the occasion, titled "Dedication," faint ink in his typewriter made the words difficult to read, so he recited "The Gift Outright" from memory.

• On Jan. 21, 1977, President Jimmy Carter grants an unconditional pardon to hundreds of thousands of men who evaded the draft during the Vietnam War. In total, some 100,000 young Americans went abroad in the late 1960s and early '70s to avoid serving in the war.

• On Jan. 22, 1981, Rolling Stone magazine's John Lennon tribute issue hits newsstands, featuring a cover photograph of a naked John Lennon curled up in a fetal embrace of a fully clothed Yoko Ono. The photograph had been taken just 12 hours before Lennon's death.
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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CITY OF HARRISVILLE MINUTES

The meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on December 13, 2010 at the city offices. The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. and the "Pledge of Allegiance" was said. Present: Mayor John Dobis, treasurer Tom Keerl, council members Lemere, Crick, Pierce, Dwyer, Tartaglia, Kaiser and city attorney Cook. Absent: Clerk Karsen. Motion by Lemere, supported by Kaiser, to accept minutes of November 8, 2010 and November 12, 2010. Motion carried 6-0. Motion by Lemere, supported by Dwyer, to pay bills in the amount of \$148,251.91. Motion carried 6-0.

Scott Griffith, fire chief, reported that the SOGs are complete. Copies were e-mailed to the fire board and a copy will be given to Dave Cook for review. At the moment, any proposal for a new fire truck is on hold. A truck could be purchased used or leased. According to Griffith, a rescue rig (EMT) is needed. The fire department needs an approved amount or some way to know how much could be spent on a rescue rig so the search for one can begin. Griffith felt the truck would cost between \$10,000 and \$15,000 with additional costs to outfit it. Griffith will talk to the fire board and bring a figure to the next council meeting. The township needs to meet with Tom Keerl to discuss available funds verses needs.

Mayor Dobis gave an update on the Main Street Beautification Project. All the lights are up and Consumers Energy is working to get them operating. The railing posts did not meet the specifications for MDOT and ADA and are on order. Motion by Dwyer, supported by Pierce, to ratify as accepting easements for concrete pads, benches and receptacles as well as permits for replacement of trees cut on private property due to the roots interfering with sidewalks.

Motion carried 6-0. Snow removal was discussed. Mayor Dobis will ask businesses to refrain from using salt on the sidewalks due to curing cement. Snow removal will also be discussed with businesses. Motion by Pierce, supported by Dwyer, to approve change order No. 2 for MacArthur Construction in the amount of \$9,007.50. Motion carried 6-0. Motion by Pierce, supported by Crick, to approve the final payment to MacArthur Construction in the amount of \$108,180.93. Motion carried 6-0.

Mayor Dobis declared the budget hearing for water/sewer/water debt/water bond and interest open at 7:32 p.m. The budget hearing was declared open. Treasurer Keerl discussed the water/sewer budgets. Sewer revenues are \$68,875 and expenses matching at same amount. The water fund will operate with revenues of \$68,800 and expenses the same amount. Motion by Lemere supported by Pierce to accept the proposed budget for the water/sewer/water debt/sewer bond and interest. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Tartaglia, supported by Lemere, to approve paying the end of the year water and sewer bills. Motion carried 6-0. At this time Mayor Dobis turned the meeting over to alderman Dwyer. Dwyer had met with Dobis and attorney Cook is discussed his memorandum sent to council members which addressed ways to better inform the community of council actions. A website would be favorable. Having a council member assist the clerk is taking minutes so as to include more of the discussions would be helpful. Publishing agendas or placing them in public buildings five days before meetings was discussed. The final draft of

rules of procedure will be submitted by Dwyer, approved at the next council meeting. Dwyer also developed a form to be used for proposed contract or document highlights and another to request placing an item on the agenda. Dwyer also stated Mayor Dobis was willing to give a future state of the city address to further inform the community of city business possible using tax billing mailings to include the Mayors statement.

Motion by Tartaglia, supported by Crick, to adopt new rules of procedure in an attempt to provide agendas and meeting packets to city council members five days prior to council meetings. In addition, agendas will be posted in public places five days prior to council meetings. Such rules of procedure will take effect March 1, 2010. Motion carried 6-0.

City council questioned how much could be accomplished by the city clerk as there is no additional help in the office. Mayor Dobis stated the work load in the city has increased and there is no back up system if the clerk is not available. A secretary is needed. Attorney Cook stated the budget would have to be reworked to find funds for an additional employee.

Attorney Cook said Warren MacNeill should be contacted to find out if a permit is needed to fix cement at the Mill Pond. Ron Gauthier has looked at the project and given an estimate. Pierce stated the planning commission has reviewed the City Recreational Master Plan for 2010 and will vote on the final draft at its next meeting. If approved, a public hearing will be scheduled. Mayor Dobis said a synopsis of duties for clerk, treasurer, and mayor was being developed. Motion by Lemere to adjourn at 9:47 p.m.

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District Health Department No. 2 is looking for a part time public health nurse. Must have RN with BSN and one year experience in community health, pediatric or maternal infant care or RN with associate and two years experience. Submit application-resume to Personnel Department, Public Health Nurse, 630 Progress Street, West Branch, Michigan 48661. Applicants may also e-mail their resume to vsherosky@dhd2.org by close of business January 17, 2011.

Alcona Community Schools, Lincoln, Michigan invite applications for the following teaching position: Elementary self-contained resource room special education teacher. Candidate should be K-12SE (Resource Room-Program in emotional impairment) certified and highly qualified. Preferred applicant will have experience working with emotionally impaired students and have an interest in extracurricular activities and coaching. All interested applicants should submit a letter of interest, resume, and credentials by Friday, January 7, 2011 to: Shawn S. Thornton, Superintendent, Alcona Community Schools, 51 n. Barlow Road, P.O. Box 249, Lincoln, Mich. 48742. (989) 736-6212, email: thorntos@amaesd.k12.mi.us. Alcona Community Schools is an equal opportunity employer.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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Mortgage sale – Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gerald L. Stone, an unmarried man, to the Northern Ohio Investment Company, mortgagee, dated July 15, 2003, and recorded on July 16, 2003, in Liber 386, on page 61, Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-one thousand seven hundred ninety-seven dollars and sixty-three cents (\$51,797.63), including interest at 5.250 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 pre-

mises, or some part of them, at public vendue, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Michigan at 10 a.m. o'clock, on January 26, 2011. Said premises are located in Alcona County, Michigan and are described as: Lots 4 and 5 of Block 5 of North Lake Woods, according to the plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of plats, pages 150-151, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: December 17, 2010
The Northern Ohio Investment Company Mortgagee/Assignee
Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C.
23938 Research Drive,
Suite 300
Farmington Hills, MI 48335
12-29, 1-5, 1-12, 1-19

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose.

Notice of Borrowers' Rights Under MCL § 600.3205A. This Notice of Borrowers' Rights Under MCL § 600.3205A is given to Dean L. Morris and Nadia Morris, borrowers and mortgagors, pursuant to a mortgage dated June 27, 2007, regarding property commonly known as 2715 East Dewar Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740.

A separate notice is also being sent to each of you by mail, as required by MCL 600.3205A. You are hereby notified that you have the right to request a meeting with Northland Area Federal Credit Union, the holder of the above mortgage to attempt to work out a modification of this mortgage. The person to contact at Northland Area Federal Credit Union that has the authority to make agreements for loan modifications with you pursuant to MCL 600.3205B and MCL 600.3205C is Steve Corts at (800) 336-2328.

You may contact a Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) approved housing counselor by visiting the

MSHDA website at www.michigan.gov/mshda or by calling (517) 373-8370. If you request a meeting with Steve Corts during the fourteen (14) day period that begins on the date the notice is mailed to you, foreclosure proceedings on the property will not begin until 90 days after the date on which the notice is mailed to you. If you and Steve Corts reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the modification agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. The telephone number of the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service is (800) 968-0738. Northland Area Federal Credit Union
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Post Office Box 519
Oscoda, Michigan 48750
(800) 336-2328
The law offices of Wenzloff & Wenzloff, P.L.C.
Paul E. Wenzloff (P27662)
Attorney for Mortgage Holder
903 North Jackson Street
Bay City, Michigan 48708-5953
(989) 893-9511
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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 place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on February 2, 2011.

Said premises are situated in township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 9 of the Plat of South part of Lots 201 and 147 of Huron Cedar Lake Subdivision No. 1, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 143, Alcona County records

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.

Dated: January 5, 2011
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1302
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys For Servicer
31440 Northwestern Highway,
Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan
48334-2525
File No. 358178F01
1-5, 1-12, 1-19, 1-26

Foreclosure Notice (All Counties)

As a debt collector we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Notify (248) 362-6100 if you are in active military duty.

Mortgage sale – Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Richard J. Porkarski Jr., a single man of Alcona County, Michigan, mortgagor to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. dated the 27th day of October, A.D. 2008, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on the 7th day of November, A.D. 2008, as book 456, page 1,357 of Alcona records, which said mortgage was assigned to GMAC Mortgage, LLC, thru mesne assignments, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal of \$95,107.74 (ninety-five thousand

one hundred seven and 74/100) plus accrued interest at 6.500 percent (six point five zero zero) percent per annum. And no suit proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on, the 12th day of January, A.D., 2011, at 10 a.m. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, MI, Alcona County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Curtis, in the county of Alcona and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Situated in the state of Michigan, county

of Alcona, township of Curtis and described as: Lots 64 and 65, Bryant Acres Subdivision, as per plat thereof recorded in Liber 2 of plats pages 62-63 of Alcona County records.

Commonly known as: 4894 Quick Road. Parcel Number 032-125-000-064-00. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.
Dated: December 15, 2010
Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A.
By: Michael I. Rich (P-41938)
Attorney for Plaintiff
Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A.
2155 Butterfield Drive
Suite 200-S
Troy, MI 48084
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12-15, 12-22, 12-29, 1-5, 2011

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at the number below if you are in active military duty.

Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Henry Stickney and Sharon Stickney, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, mortgagee, dated May 17, 2005, and recorded on May 18, 2005 in Liber 416 on page 1,082, in Alcona County records,

Michigan, and assigned by said mortgagee to U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee for structured asset investment loan trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-7 as assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of forty-three thousand eight hundred seventy-four and 92/100 dollars (\$43,874.92), including interest at 7.7 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 place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on January 12, 2011.

Said premises are situated in township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michi-

gan, and are described as: Lots 1 and 2 of Block 2 of Burton's Addition to Village of Greenbush, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 9, Alcona County records.

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.

Dated: December 15, 2010
For more information, please call:
(248) 593-1304
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys For Servicer
31440 Northwestern Highway,
Suite 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan
48334-2525
File No. 351989F01
12-15, 12-22, 12-29, 1-5,

Foreclosure Notice

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Kelly M. Wantin, an unmarried woman and Kevin A. Raymond a/k/a Kevin Raymond to CitiMortgage, Inc., mortgagee, dated September 26, 2003 and recorded October 2, 2003 in Liber 391 page 19 Alcona County records, Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty thousand four dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$50,004.28) including inter-

est at six 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, circuit court of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on February 2, 2011.

Said premises are situated in township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 40, Rainbow Crest Sub. No. 2, as per plat thereof recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, pages 168 through 168A of Alcona County records. Commonly known as 5141 Elm Street, Glennie MI 48737.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later.

Dated: January 5, 2011
CitiMortgage, Inc. Mortgagee
Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C.
811 South Blvd. Suite 100
Rochester Hills, MI 48307
(248) 844-5123
File No. 10-33214
ASAP No. FNMA3863504
1-5, 1-12, 1-19, 1-26

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Elizabeth A. DeRosia, a single woman and Brian O. Baker, a single man, original mortgagor(s), to Plus 4 Mortgage, mortgagee, dated September 19, 1997, and recorded on September 25, 1997 in Liber 310 on page 158, and assigned by said mortgagee to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of thirty-four thousand two hundred fifty-six and 52/100 dollars (\$34,256.52), including interest at eight 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 place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on January 12, 2011.

Said premises are situated in township of Mikado, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: The east 338 feet of the west 1/2 of the southwest 1/4 of Section 16, Township 25 North, Range 8 East, excepting therefrom the north 1,340.0 feet. And, that part of the southwest 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of Section 16, Township 25 North, Range 8 East, described and commencing at the southwest corner of said Section 16, thence east along the south section line 360.0 feet to the point of beginning, thence continuing east 619.60 feet, thence north 0 degrees 07 minutes 36 seconds west 1,301.63 feet, thence north 89 degrees 44 minutes 22 seconds west 243.29 feet, thence south 0 degrees 05 minutes east 900.00 feet, thence north 89 degrees 44 minutes 22 seconds west 370.0 feet, thence south 0 degrees 05 minutes east 403.94 feet to the point of beginning, less and excepting that part of the southwest 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of Section 16, Township 25 North, Range 8

East, described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 16, Township 25 North, Range 8 East, thence due east along the south line of said section and the centerline of Vandercook Road, 360.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence north 00 degrees 05 minutes 00 seconds west 213.00 feet; thence due east 204.51 feet; thence south 00 degrees 05 minutes 00 seconds east 213.00 feet; thence due west 204.51 feet to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be 12 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.

Dated: December 15, 2010
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1304
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Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Thomas L. Jenks, a married man and Jill C. Jenks, a married woman, as husband and wife to Franklin Mortgage Funding, Inc., mortgagee, dated December 18, 2000, and recorded on December 20, 2000, in Liber 345, page 1,110, Alcona County records, said mortgage was assigned to BBJD Ventures, LLC by an assignment of mortgage dated March 04, 2009 and recorded April 20, 2009 in Liber 460, page 1,296, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of forty-eight thousand nine hundred thirteen and 19/100 (\$48,913.19) including interest at the rate of 12.99000 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 place of holding the circuit court in said Alcona County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 12 p.m. on January 19, 2011.

Said premises are situated in the township of Mikado, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 28, Township 25 North, Range 8 East, thence south 00 degrees 12 minutes 51 seconds west, along east line of said section and centerline of Cruzen Road, 435.60 feet; thence south 89 degrees 52 minutes 57 seconds west, 500.00 feet; thence north 00 degrees 12 minutes 51 seconds east, 435.60 feet; thence north 89 degrees 52 minutes 57 seconds east, along north line of said section and

centerline of Goddard Road, 500.00 feet to the point of beginning. The above described parcel being a part of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section. Commonly known as: 1470 Goddard.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later.

Dated: December 22, 2010
Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C.
Attorneys for BBJD Ventures, LLC
43252 Woodward Avenue,
Suite 180
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302
(248) 335-9200
Case No. 10MI02821-1
12-22, 12-29, 1-5, 1-12

Notice of Judicial Sale

Judicial Sale pursuant to, and by virtue of, stipulated order of judgment and foreclosure of real and personal property entered by the Alcona County Circuit Court, Harrisville, Michigan on September 2, 2010, and recorded on September 9, 2010 at Liber 473, page 111-118, Alcona County records, in a certain action pending in that court in which Rose Acceptance, Inc. is the plaintiff and Family Circle, Inc., Carl Boyd and Patricia Boyd are the defendants.

Take notice that a deputy sheriff of the county of Alcona shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder inside the main entrance to the courthouse building in Harrisville, Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for Alcona County is held) on Wednesday, Febru-

ary 9, 2011 at 10 a.m., local time, the following described property: Real estate located in the township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan described more particularly as: That part of the northwest ¼ of the northwest ¼ of Section 8, T25N, R6E, lying westerly of the west right of way of highway M-65, except the westerly 250 feet thereof.

Also except: Commencing at the southwest corner of the northwest ¼ of the northwest ¼; thence south 89 degrees east 250 feet to the point of beginning; thence south 89 degrees east 1,070.3 feet; thence north 457.7 feet to the southwest right of way of M-65; thence north 50 degrees west 187.24 feet along said right of way; thence north 89 degrees west 925.76 feet; thence south 575 feet to the point of beginning. Com-

monly known as: 2520 State Road, Glennie, MI 48737. Permanent Parcel Number: 031-008-200-033-00.

The sale is for the purpose of foreclosing a mortgage contract. The redemption period is six (6) months from the date of sale.

Rose Acceptance, Inc.
Dated: December 15, 2010
Matthew Perkins
Undersheriff
Plunket Clooney
Peter D. Cronk (P60172)
Attorneys for Plaintiff
325 E. Grand River Avenue,
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12-22, 12-29, 1-5, 1-12, 1-19, 1-26, 2-2

Grants Awarded

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Kellogg Youth Fund for the Thunder Bay River Watershed project.

Montmorency County

- Hillman Community Schools / Elementary School—awarded \$2,113 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the stage appearance upgrade.

- Hillman Community Schools / Jr. Sr. High School—awarded \$226 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the Pizza Club (After school homework assistance and group work.)

Presque Isle County

- Onaway Area Schools / High School Social Studies Department—awarded \$500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund toward a world history field trip to the Holocaust Museum.

- Cheboygan, Otsego, Presque Isle ESD / Great Start Parent Coalition of Presque Isle County—awarded \$500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund toward foster children care bags.

- Posen Consolidated Schools—awarded \$500 from the Kellogg Youth Fund for the economics personal finance unit.

In December, the Board of Trustees of the Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) approved the following grants:

- Case Township—awarded \$2,810 from the Huron Shores Health Fund for the Emergency Medical Responder's Training project.

- Presque Isle Conservation District—awarded \$2,000 (\$1,500 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$500 from the Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Eustis Memorial Fund).

- Presque Isle County Historical Museum—awarded \$650 from the Community Endowment Fund for the military uniform exhibit project.

- Presque Isle District Library—awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund toward the e-SMART Center Project.

- Onaway Area Schools / Family Resource Center—awarded \$1,350 from the Ann M. Kuntz Fund for the theater trip to Wharton Center.

- Hillman Free Methodist Church—awarded \$500 (\$250 from the Wayne Wire Cloth Fund and \$250 from the Community Endowment Fund) for the energy saving windows project.

- Montmorency County Conservation Club—awarded \$770 (\$470 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$300 from the Montmorency County General Fund) for the conservation outreach program.

- Alcona Conservation District—awarded \$988 (\$700 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$288 from the Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Eustis Memorial Fund) for the Christmas tree recycling project.

- Curtis Area Emergency Relief Fund—awarded \$1,900 from the Community Endowment Fund to purchase games for the July Fourth children's carnival.

- Alpena Conservation District—awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the natural resources conservation outreach project.

- Northeast Michigan Community Partnership—awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the developing community collaborative safety net project.

- Northeast Michigan Council of Governments (NEMCOG)—awarded \$1,800 from the Community Endowment Fund for the regional asset mapping project.

- Sunrise Mission—awarded \$1,559 from the

Community Endowment Fund for the carpet/dishwasher project.

- Target Alpena Economic Development Organization—awarded \$2,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the R.E.N.E.W: An Expo for Women project.

- Habitat for Humanity / Alpena Area—awarded \$1,530 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Equipping for Community Awareness and Success project.

- Northeast Michigan Community Partnership, Inc.—awarded \$1,262 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Family Fun Night Project.

- Alpena County George N. Fletcher Public Library—awarded \$2,925 from the Community Endowment Fund for the GED Connection project.

- District Health Dept. No. 4 / The Caring Place Adult Day Center—awarded \$2,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for equipment and supplies.

- Alpena County Plaza Pool—awarded \$2,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Ready, Set, Swim! program.

- Special Olympics Michigan, Area 3—awarded \$1,500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the winter games project.

The Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM), established in 1974, awards nearly \$100,000 each year through its Common Grant Application. For granting purposes, the Community Endowment Fund consists of the General Endowment Fund, Genite Family Fund, Chuck and Kathy Ingle Fund, Lappan Fund, Neva Nelson Memorial Fund, Panel Processing Endowment Fund, Stevens Fund, Weinkauff Fund and the Wilson Family Fund.

Additional funding through the Common Grant Application is available from the following restricted funds: Huron Shores Health Fund, Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Eustis Memorial Fund, Wayne Wire Cloth Fund, Alcona County General Fund, Montmorency County General Fund, Presque Isle County General Fund, Ann M. Kuntz Fund, and the Eugene J. & Helen T. McLean Fund.

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