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# Fire destroys Greenbush home

**By Mary Weber** Staff Writer

An electrical fire swept through the attic of a Greenbush home early on Thursday, July 5.

According to Alcona County Fire Investigator Greg Oke, Greenbush and Mikado volunteer fire departments were able to contain the fire to the attic of the home on US-23.

"The fire department(s) made an incredible stop on that fire...they did a heck of a job," Oke said.

Oke's investigation of the fire scene came at the request of Greenbush Fire Chief Steve Franks, which is a common practice, Oke said.

Home owner Scott Smith said he woke at 2:30 a.m. July 5 to what he thought was a power failure at his residence located next to his restaurant, the Red Rooster.

Smith explained he suffers from sleep apnea and uses a Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP) machine to help his breathing which runs on electricity. "I woke up because the machine stopped running. I walked to the restaurant to get a flashlight and noticed smoke billowing from the roof of the house. There was no smoke inside the house and the smoke alarms never sounded during the fire," Smith said.

Dave Gastambide, Smith's roommate, and Smith's dog, Lacey, made it out of the house safely. Smith credits the Greenbush and Mikado fire departments for their very prompt and efficient service to control the fire as fast as they could.

"The residence is totaled." Smith said, "but we all made it out safely and the fire didn't spread to the restaurant." The Red Rooster was closed on Thursday, but re-opened for business as usual on Friday. Noticeably shaken from the devastation, but trying to remain optimistic, Smith said, "I have insurance. We pretty much lost everything in the house; but luckily no one was hurt. I'll just have to start over again, another chapter to open." The house was the original Red Rooster Restaurant which operated for many years until 1976 when the current restaurant was built. The interior of the home sustained smoke and water damage Oke said initial investigation into the incident shows the fire originated in the attic and the cause is possibly electrical -- but, final determination is not complete.



# Retired teacher lives her dream teaching golf

#### **By Mary Weber** Staff Writer

With a master's degree in physical education and health, an education specialist degree in education administration -- along with many years of experience as a health educator, athletic director and coach, it isn't that unusual Sue Treciak retired to become a golf instructor.

What is unusual are the obstacles she overcame to live her dream. "Not many people realize the amount of science and education involved in order to teach physical education and health," Treciak said as she gazed out her Greenbush condo watching the crystal blue waters of Lake Huron lap softly at the shore.

Treciak had no problem passing most courses with As, but gym, although she loved it, wasn't easy for her. Treciak suffers from a lack of kinesthetic awareness. Kinesthetic awareness encompasses the body's ability to coordinate motions and the body's awareness of where it is in time or space. It's kinesthetic awareness that allows ballet dancers to move together in harmony instead of bumping into each other.

"No matter how hard I tried to do tumbling, and gymnastics in high school, I only managed a D. I can't swim or dance... I just don't know where my body parts are," Treciak said.

Her saving grace was that she excelled in anything with a ball and an implement.

"I loved sports, anything with a ball, and I loved teaching. I think having some disability helped make me a better teacher because I had empathy for students, those kids who no matter how hard



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Sue Treciak is the golf pro at Springport Hills Golf Course in Harrisville. *Photo by Mary Weber*.

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(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, JULY 11

Campfire Program-Leave No Trace: Do you know how to select the best location to pitch a tent? What to do with your trash or how to build a campfire that is safe? Meet with Ranger Pine at 6 p.m. at Round Lake Campground, 2180 Latham Rd., National City, to learn to leave no trace. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

The Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will hold a membership meeting at the VFW hall, 2900 Connon, Alpena at 11 a.m. Bring a can of food for the needy. Lunch will be served. For reservations, call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-3553.

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Music and sing-a-long at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at 4 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Sewing with Jennie Anderson at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. from 2 to 4 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Alcona County needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 2 to 4 p.m. All items will be donated to local organizations. Bring your knitting needles, looms, yarn and patterns. Beginning crafters are welcome. Call (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Digital download instruction for laptop or desktop from 9:15 to 10 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a place.

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

Drop in craft and Wii for

# \_\_\_\_ Memorial \_\_\_\_\_

# **Beatrice Terry**

A memorial service for Beatrice Terry will be held Sunday, July 15 at Haynes Community Church (the Old Stone Church), 405 Shaw Road, Harrisville at 1 p.m.

Mrs. Terry died April 16, 2012. A luncheon will be served after the memorial service.



children from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

#### THURSDAY, JULY 12

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m., meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. Call, (989) 739-4483 or (989) 736-8022 for more information.

The Alpena City Band will perform at the Fine Arts Bandshell at Bay View Park in Alpena at 7:30 p.m. The concert will last approximately one hour. For more information, call (765) 631-1167.

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A free Zumba dance class will be held in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at noon. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

There will be a guest speaker on investment fraud from the Michigan Attorney General's office at 4:15 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Community Walking Club for everyone meets at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 8:30 a.m.

Storytime and craft for children from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Lincoln branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 736-3388.

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# Obituaries

# Ronald D. Jilbert

Ronald D. Jilbert, 62, of Harrisville, died on Monday, July 2, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

He was born August 3, 1949 to Douglas and Josephine (Barich) Jilbert in Detroit, Mich., where he was raised.

On September 12, 1970, he married Patricia McKenzie in Detroit, Mich. They moved to Harrisville in 1974.

Mr. Jilbert founded Byron Tool in 1978 which incorporated into Huron Tool of Lincoln in 1980.

He was a lifelong member of the Lincoln Lions and was an avid outdoorsman.

Mr. Jilbert is survived by his wife, Patricia; two sons, Brian (Michelle) Jilbert of Garden City, Mich. and Kevin (Amalia Welch) Jilbert of Tampa, Fla.; one granddaughter, Olivia Welch; his mother, Josephine Jilbert of Melvindale, Mich.; one sis-



ter, Diana (Larry) Devereaux of Detroit, Mich.; his motherin-law, Eleanor McKenzie of Harrisville; and his dog, Miekah.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home of Lincoln. Services will be private.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Advantage, Hospice of Michigan and Alpena Regional Cancer Center.

# Gerald J. Ludwiczak

Gerald J. "Jerry" Ludwiczak, 72, of Black River, died on Wednesday, July 4, 2012 at home.

He was born March 7, 1940 to Valentine and Elizabeth (Wolosyzk) Ludwiczak in Alpena, where he was raised.

He served in the U.S. Navy.

On October 21, 1961 he married Norma LaLonde in Black River. They have been residents of Black River since 1965.

Mr. Ludwiczak was a machinist with Alcona Tool, retiring in 2002. He was a member of the St. Gabriel Catholic Church of Black River and its men's club. He was a former member of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

He was lead guitarist with "The Electras," a local rock and roll band for many years. He enjoyed fishing and the Detroit Red Wings.

Mr. Ludwiczak is survived by his wife, Norma; two daughters, Debra Ludwiczak of Alpena and Jennifer (Agusto) Hill of Boerne, Texas; two sons, Gerald Ludwiczak Jr. of Livonia, Mich. and Brian (Carrie) Ludwiczak of Wellford, S.C.; six grandchildren, Marc Hornkohl, Austin Ludwiczak, Trevor Ludwiczak, Ashley Bridgewater, Garrett Ludwiczak and Derek Ludwiczak; two sisters, Maxine (Bud) McGraw of Montrose, Mich. and Darlene Smith of Fort Walton Beach, Fla. and two brothers, Jack (Debbie) Ludwiczak and Tom (Cheryl) Ludwiczak, both of Alpena.

Funeral services were held July 7 at St. Gabriel Catholic Church. The Rev Robert Bissot officiated.

Arrangements were handled through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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#### To the Editor,

A special thank you to all the volunteers who made Doctor Constantine's dream a success. May his dream continue to move our community in the direction of his wishes.

> **Terry Boucher** Harrisville

To the Editor,

Glad to see we're not the only ones aware of the absence of free-lance columnist, Jim Gagnier. We, too, have been missing his stimulating, enlightening and witty writings.

Hopefully Jim has read the editor's response to Bea Jay Paxton's inquiry and will soon begin submitting articles again.

Erich and Bonnie Schutz Roseville, Mich.

#### To the Editor,

In response to Don Franklin's Letter to the Editor in the July 4 Alcona County Review -- he states he is confused because the government passed an affordable care act (ObamaCare) that was passed by the (Legislative branch), signed by the president (Executive branch) and upheld by the Supreme Court (Judicial branch).

The legislature passed ObamaCare on a purely partisan vote. The Supreme Court did not confirm ObamaCare but rather said that the mandate was legal as a tax. More taxes are so unpopular that our president is now referring to the mandate as a penalty.

What Mr. Franklin failed to mention is the fact that a majority of citizens (which the three branches of government are here to represent), did not want this health care act and spoke loudly at the time against it, yet it was shoved down our throats.

We all agree that health care reform needs to be implanted soon but ObamaCare is surely not the answer. If it is that great why is the government exempting themselves from it?

> Pat Kramer Lincoln

To the Editor,

A recent letter suggested that you offer more articles by Jim Gagnier instead of our "resident opinionated weekly contributor."

Opinion journalism is still journalism even if it doesn't happen to reflect your own personal ideology.

Maybe I'm a little prejudiced since the opinionator happens to be my kid sister's

childhood friend but, frankly I've been all over the world and between you and me be it ever so humble... If the complainant missed Condi Rice's commencement lecture at Southern Methodist University, she opined that if your life consists of spending 100 percent of your time with the Amen Chorus then you might not be as worldly as you think. Gilbert C. Potter Hillman, Mich.

To date, the Executive branch

has drafted an additional

13,000 pages of regulation to

implement the act. It is cer-

tain that there will be more

challenges as we learn what

is in the act and the regula-

regularly amends or even re-

peals laws that it has passed.

The Judicial branch regularly

reverses itself. The Executive branch can veto legislation.

That is the way democracy works. We, the people, vote

in, or out, occupants of Con-

gress and the White House.

Chief Justice Roberts said

that no ruling was made on

the wisdom to the act. That is

making less than \$250,000

per year just slipped in a fast

one. As a matter of fact, the

new health care tax will most

likely hit those people mak-

ing much less than the \$250K

and will end up costing any-

one without insurance sev-

eral thousand dollars per

of the people in our country

are now getting some sort of

government support, if we can

only get that number up to

51 percent things will cer-

tainly change dramatically for

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What the heck, 49 percent

Kathleen Stone

Harrisville

left to we, the people.

The Legislative branch

tions.

To the Editor,

A July 4 Letter to the Editor claimed confusion about Republicans' desire to replace ObamaCare. We can all be grateful that we still have a limited federal government with separation of powers. Only two sections of thousands in the act were challenged by many states (including Michigan) as being unconstitutional. The Supreme Court (Judicial branch) struck down one provision (the federal government cannot withhold funding in order to force compliance) and upheld one provision (the individual mandate is a tax).

The mandate comprises about two and a half pages of over 2,700 pages of the act.

To the Editor,

In the July 4 paper, Don Franklin wrote to the editor about the "new" fourth branch of government, "Republican." I believe he is confused as to how a bill is passed into law. Yes, the new health care bill is now law. Passed by both houses and signed by the president. It faced a legal challenge and won. Maybe Don was absent from his government class but any law can be repealed. Remember prohibition? Government also has a process to get rid of "bad" laws.

Congress has the right to levy "taxes" as was stated in the majority opinion of the Supreme Court. So, our president who said he would never increase taxes on those

economics class and understands what happens to nations who's debts and obligations can no longer be met?

> Jim Maceri Harrisville

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#### Every Thursday now until August 30, 1 p.m. Storytime and Craft at our Lincoln branch (call 989-736-3388 for more info) Thursdays, July 12, 19 & 26 – 2 p.m. Family Movie Matinees on the only Big Screen in Alcona County

(call or check our webpage for movie titles) Fridays at 10:15 a.m. Storytime and Craft at our Harrisville branch

Tuesday, July 17, 5:30 p.m. Back to Basics with Frugal Anne Bloss Make household cleaners for just pennies a use!

Wednesday, July 18, 1 - 3 p.m. Art Collage for Teens with Ellen LaCross\*\* Create a collage suitable for framing – call to register Friday, July 20, 10:30 a.m. Joel Tacey Pajama Jam Comedy Show\*\*

Magic, juggling, comedy & more (Followed by end of Summer Reading party for Kids)

Wednesday, July 25, 2 p.m.. Ming Louie's Chinese Cooking & Etiquette\*\* Teens & adults make an egg roll! Call to register \*\*Activity supported by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Kirtland Community College Foundation.

Letters to the Editor

bill could limit procedures

for the elderly based on qual-

ity of life, that it takes away

'rights of conscience' for

To the Editor,

Again we see the truth distorted by the liberals and the hype taking over.

The only thing the Supreme Court determined was that the healthcare bill was a tax not a mandate.

It did not judge that it was a poorly written, ill-conceived document that was pushed through the Congress and Senate (the Democrat controlled Congress passed it in less than a week of introduction, the Democrat controlled Senate rushed it through on Christmas Eve) without time to fully evaluate its impact to the citizens of this nation either morally or financially.

It did not judge that the

healthcare providers for procedures like abortions, and that it violates the First Amendment of the Constitution. Or that the bill greatly expands Medicaid putting the majority of costs for it on the states, and takes money from Medicare to pay for it. And it will increase taxes for all working people and retirees, not just the rich. The bill is unpopular with

a majority of Americans who want it repealed. The Republicans are responding to the wishes of this majority. They have the same rights to fix it

as those that irresponsibly pushed this healthcare bill through.

I think the word to watch is Socialism. I learned that in government class too. Do we want the government controlling more and more of our lives? We are accelerating towards socialism at an alarming rate. Higher taxes, government regulations and mandates, social entitlements, gun control, you name it. Do we want to be another European socialist government? Or do we want to maintain the democracy we have enjoyed for over 200 years? **Richard Kacel** 

Lincoln

To the Editor, I have been coming to Harrisville for over 20 years, usu-

ally spending time with my family at the Harrisville State Campground. I love the ambience and laid-back atmosphere that goes along with my favorite "Up North" community.

But alas, I have seen changes in recent years that concern me about the survivability of the quaint village. What is there to keep young people in town and encourage more families to remain a vibrant part of Harrisville? There is no more movie theater, no coffee shop, not many places for young people to hang out. Harrisville is a vir-

tual ghost town on Sundays which is especially bad during the tourist season.

One of a couple of new bright spots: I saw a new miniature golf course last week when I visited. One small step?

Sadly, there are several empty commercial buildings that can be used by industries synergistic with the community. How about a surf shop? Scuba instruction? Fishing charters? Harrisville is a waterfront gem that does a good job hiding its prize jewel: Water. The marina is nice but how about a fish market and boat-in restaurant?

Okay, all of this means a

major financial investment for many people. I get that. Maybe the chamber of commerce should come up with a campaign to invite investors and focus on keeping youthful themes and showcasing the allure of the big lake.

I was happy to visit one of the newest businesses in town last week - the Modern **Craft Winery & Tasting Room** on US-23. What a great addition. I wrote a blog for my Detroit-area Examiner.com website. I hope it encourages visitors.

I don't want Harrisville to lose it's "quaintness" but I do want Harrisville to survive for many years

> John R. Hall Livonia, Mich.

# Middle School Honor Roll

The following students were named to the Alcona Middle School Principal's List and Honor Roll for the fourth marking period.

Seventh Grade Principal's Honor Roll

Hannah Canute, 3.90; Keilene Elmer, 3.83; Zackery Faszczewski, 4.00; Brock Franklin, 3.71; Jake Gallagher, 3.95; Erik Harmon-Davey, 3.95; Kendra LaFave, 3.88; Madison Lane, 3.71; Molly McKay, 3.78; Brendan Nelson, 3.83; Dresden Parkinson, 3.95; Brooke Shultz, 3.71; Rachel Warner, 3.88. Honor Roll

Raymond Betz III, 3.21; Devanie Brilinski, 3.26; Michael Bustamante, 3.16; Brittany Decker, 3.33; Douglas Gibson, 3.01; Cory

3.35; Jordan Joyce, 3.56; Katelyn Kline, 3.01; Luke Krentz, 3.11; Mckenzie LaFave, 3.55; David Lindsay, 3.51; Mindy Mendyka, 3.26; Taylor Murray, 3.56; Raymond Richardson, 3.48; Jared Sager, 3.50; Taylor Sobeck, 3.28; Riley Somers, 3.45.

#### Eighth Grade Principal's Honor Roll

Sara Blohm, 3.88; Coda Gallagher, 3.85; Jessica Grove, 3.88; Alexandra Lask, 3.71; Sydney Pierce, 3.78; Kaitlin Schellie, 4.00; Nathaniel Swinson, 3.73; Alissa Terpstra, 3.73; Elaina Thomas, 3.71.

**Honor Roll** 

Amy Brandt, 3.10; William Collins, 3.28; Claire Feldhiser, 3.45; Kasandra GrifAshley Pyle, 3.55; Austin Rayburn, 3.05; Kyle Thum, 3.33; Isaak VonFintel, 3.33; Brett Wambold, 3.33; Lauren Yokom, 3.50.



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# **GREENBUSH REGISTERED** VOTERS

**CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY SHERIFF** TOWNSHIP CLERK AND **R**EPRESENTATIVES OF MILLAGE **P**ROPOSALS WILL MEET AND GREET VOTERS AT A GATHERING SATURDAY, JULY 21 FROM 9:00 то 11:00 а.м. 4661 US-23 S., GREENBUSH

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A person's brain senses this inability to breathe and briefly rouses them from sleep so they can reopen their airway. They may wake up making a snorting, choking or gasping sound. The period they are awake may be so brief that they don't remember it.

People with obstructive sleep apnea may wake up with shortness of breath that corrects itself quickly with one or two deep breaths. This pattern could repeat itself five to 30 times or more each hour, all night long. Disruptions like this may impair one's ability to reach the desired deep, restful phases of sleep. As a result they may feel sleepy during waking hours. Many people with obstructive sleep apnea may not be aware that their sleep was interrupted and may even think they sleep well at night.

Central sleep apnea occurs when an individual's brain doesn't send proper signals to the muscles that control breathing. They may awaken with shortness of breath or have a difficult time getting or staying asleep. Like obstructive sleep apnea, snoring and daytime sleepiness can occur. The most common cause of central sleep apnea is heart disease and, less commonly, a stroke. People with central sleep apnea may be more likely to remember waking up than are people with obstructive sleep apnea.

There are some people who suffer from both types of sleep apnea which is diagnosed as complex sleep apnea. They have upper airway obstruction like those with obstructive sleep apnea and also have a problem with the rhythm of breathing along with occasional lapses of breathing effort.

Becky Bean of Harrisville was diagnosed with sleep apnea eight years ago. "I suffer from fibromyalgia as well, but in addition to my aches and pains with that I was just more tired than normal. I was falling asleep just reading the paper. I got so I could hardly function I was so tired; I had even found myself almost dozing off while waiting for a red light to change. That's when I knew I had to go see a doctor. The doctor ordered a sleep study," Bean said.

Bean noted she was anx-

ious about the sleep study and didn't think she would be able to fall asleep while hooked to monitors in a hospital setting. "They really make it quite comfortable for you during the sleep study, I was surprised I did fall asleep and they were able to do the study and found I stopped breathing 100 times during the night," said Bean.

Continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) machine is the most common therapy used for moderate to severe sleep apnea. The machine delivers air pressure through a mask placed over an individual's nose while they sleep. With a CPAP machine the air pressure is somewhat greater than the surrounding air, and is just enough to keep their upper airway passages open, preventing apnea and snoring.

Some people may find the machine cumbersome or uncomfortable but with practice, most people learn to adjust to it. There is more than one type of mask and a patient with sleep apnea may have to try different kinds to find one that's comfortable.

Bean uses a smaller mask with nose pillows that softly fit her nostrils. "It took a few tries to find what worked best for me, the hospital supply company was very helpful in working with me to find the best fit," Bean said. "I adjusted quickly and found that once I got used to it my quality of life improved immensely."

"I still have a few mornings when I'm a little foggy, but I'm not tired like I was. When you aren't getting the proper amount of deep sleep it affects everything, you feel more pain and being tired all the time can be depressing. It's amazing how much better I feel now and how much more I'm able to get done," Bean said.

Sue Treciak, golf pro at Springport's Logger's Trace golf club was also recently diagnosed with sleep apnea. "I've been tired for 40 years," Treciak said, "My friend noticed how much caffeinated pop I was drinking just to stay awake during the day and urged me to get a study done. The study showed I was waking up 29 times an hour. The CPAP has really helped and it's such a bless-

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ing to find out that there is an easy cure for the problem."

Anyone who may suffer from sleep apnea is encouraged to make an appointment with a doctor to discuss their condition. It may just save a life.

To find more information about sleep apnea and sleep disorders visit www.mayoclinic.com and search sleep apnea or visit sleepdisorders.about.-com.



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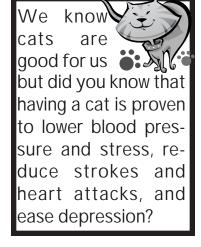
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# **Local Notes**

### **Church Raffle Winners**

The winners of raffle at Trinity Lutheran Church were: First place, gas grill — Paula Martz of Flint, Mich.; second place, hand-stitched quilt - Connie Hill of Lincoln; third place, handpainted picture - Marvin Dean of Ossineke; and fourth place, hand-painted picture - Esther Godfrey of Benton Harbor, Mich.

#### **Back to Basics**

Anne Bloss demonstrates how to make household cleaners for just pennies per use at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library on Tuesday, July 17 at 5:30 p.m. These cleaners are simple to make, environmentally friendly and easy on the budget. There will be free samples to take home. Everyone is invited to join in this "Back to Basics" program presented by the Library to help "celebrate Earth Day every day." For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Teens and tweens are invited to create an artistic collage suitable for framing with instruction from Alpena artist Ellen LaCross on Wednesday, July 18 at 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. All supplies are included. Call (989) 724-6796 to register. This activity is supported by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Region 19 — Kirtland Community Foundation.

**Teen Collage** 

## Pajama Jam Comedy Show

All ages are invited to Joel Tacey's Pajama Jam Comedy Show on Friday, July 20 at 10:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. This new show, featuring dazzling magic tricks, juggling, comedy and story telling, brings eight classic books to life. Optional: Wear pajamas or bring pillows and stuffed animals to the show. Kids who participated in the library's summer reading program are invited to the "End

of Summer Reading" party and prize drawing after the show. Call (989) 724-6796 for more info. This activity is supported by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Region 19 — Kirtland Community Foundation.

#### Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at various times during the week at senior centers in Glennie, Greenbush and Lincoln. Anyone planning to attend a meal is asked to reserve a place by calling (989) 736-8879 or (989) 735-5191 by 10 a.m. Monday through Friday.

• Monday, July 16-Pork roast with sauerkraut, party potatoes, green beans, flavored applesauce and fruit.

• Tuesday, July 17—Beef chop suey over rice, winter blend, tropical fruit salad and fruit.

• Wednesday, July 18-Fish almondine, spudsters, stewed tomatoes, red fluff salad and mixed fruit.

• Thursday, July 19-

Baked chicken, scalloped potatoes, peas and carrots, tossed salad, ice cream and fruit.

• Friday, July 20-Breaded pork chop, stuffing and gravy, corn, coleslaw and fruit.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

#### **Senior Nutrition Seminar**

Among older adults, the need to increase the quality as well as the quantity of healthy life is a critical public health goal. Good nutrition, exercise and an active lifestyle contribute to the enjoyment of life for everyone but are most important among people age 60 and older. Recognizing the need to inform seniors about many aspects of a healthy lifestyle, Michigan State University (MSU) Extension has developed a program for seniors: Nutrition for the Young at Heart with instructor Beth Noffze, SNAP-ED program associate.

This series is available to seniors in Glennie at the Curtis Township Library,

4884 Bamfield Road:

• Tuesday, July 17 — from 3 to 4 p.m., Enhancing Food's Flavors and How Friendly is Your Kitchen?;

• Tuesday, July 24 — from 3 to 4 p.m., Fiber, Grandma Called it Roughage and Looking for Sodium;

• Tuesday, July 31 - from 3 to 4 p.m., Cooking for One or Two and Treat Yourself like Company;

• Tuesday, Aug. 7 — from 3 to 4 p.m., Drink to Your Health and What Makes a Meal.

#### **ARA Farm Market**

The ARA Farm Market, where everything is locally grown, locally created, and locally will be open Saturday, July 14 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Campbell Building at the ARA site across from Kris Mart in Lincoln. Available this week: Potatoes, beets, broccoli, garlic, onions, cucumbers, zucchini, tomatoes and green tomatoes, kale, spinach, Swiss chard,

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# How to pick an assisted living residence

Dear Savvy Senior,

Can you give me some tips on picking a good assisted living facility for my mother? Her health has declined to the point that she can't live alone anymore but isn't ready for a nursing home either.

Need Assistance

Dear Need,

If your mother needs some assistance with daily living activities like bathing or getting dressed, managing her medications, preparing meals, housekeeping, laundry or just getting around, an assisted living facility is definitely a good option to consider.

Assisted living facilities are residential communities that offer different levels of health or personal care services for seniors who want or need help with daily living

While there's no standard blueprint for how they're constructed, an assisted living facility may be part of a nursing home, or they may stand alone. Most communities have between 25 and 125 suites, varying in size from a single room to a full apartment. And some even offer special memory care units for residents with dementia.

Here are some simple steps you can take to help you find a good facility.

• Make a list: Start by calling your Area Agency on Aging (call (800) 677-1116 or visit www.eldercare.gov for contact information) for a list of assisted living facilities in the area. You can also do a search online at senior housing locater sites like snapforseniors.com, or check your local yellow pages under "senior housing" or "assisted living."

• Call your ombudsman: This is a government official who investigates long-term care facility complaints and advocates for residents and their families. This person can help you find the latest

retirement community or health inspection reports on specific assisted living facilities, and can tell you which ones have had complaints or other problems. To find your local ombudsman, call your area aging agency or see ltcombudsman.org.

• Call the facilities: Once you've narrowed your search, call the facilities you're interested in to find out if they have any vacancies, what they charge and if they provide the types of services your mother needs.

Tour your top choices: During your visit, notice the cleanness and smell of the facility. Is it homey and inviting? Does the staff seem responsive and kind to its residents? Also be sure to taste the food, and talk to the residents and their family members, if available. It's also a good idea to visit several times at different times of the day and different days of the week to get a broader perspective.

Also, find out about staff screening (do they do background checks) and training procedures, and what percentage of their staff leaves each year. Less than 30 percent annually is considered good. More than 50 percent is a red flag. To help you rate your visit, the Assisted Living Federation of America offers a handy checklist at alfa.org/checklist.

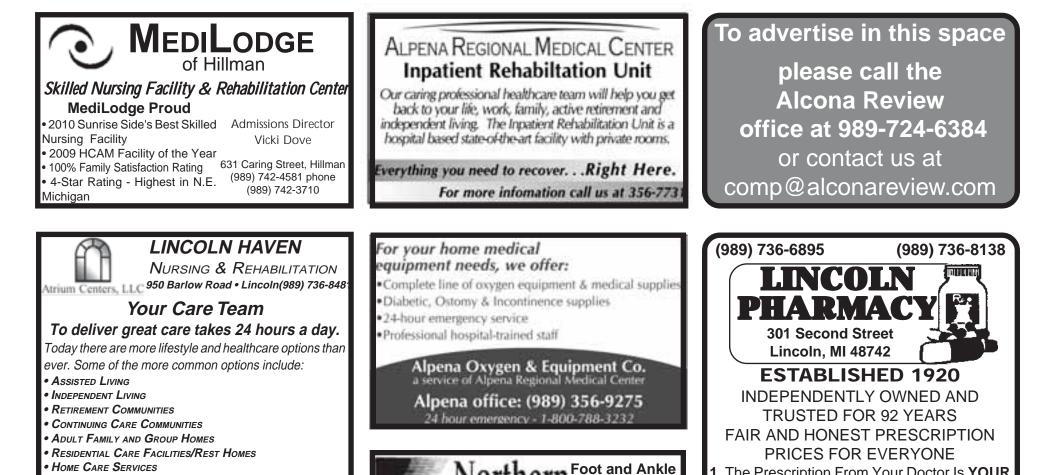
Since Medicare does not cover assisted living, paying for this type of housing is another area you may have questions about or need assistance with. Monthly costs for assisted living ranges anywhere from \$2,000 to \$5,000 or more, depending on where you live, the facility you choose and the services provided. Most residents pay out-ofpocket from their own personal funds, and some have long-term care insurance policies.



lower-income and can't afford this, there are some states that have Medicaid waver programs that help pay for assisted living. Or, if she's a veteran, spouse or surviving spouse of a vet, she may be able to get funds through the VA's Aid and Attendance benefit. To find out about these programs, ask the assisted living facility director, or contact her local Medicaid office (call (800) 633-4227 for contact information) or regional VA office (800) 827-1000).

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

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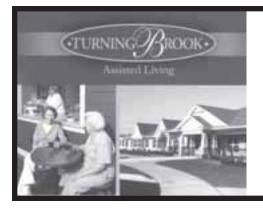
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Burglary	3	Operating While Intoxicated	1
Marine	2	Domestic	4
Animal/Dog	8	Fireworks	1
PPO Violation	1	Civil Assist	2
Littering	1	Fire	4
VIN Inspection	1	Miscellaneous	12
Threats/Harassment	3	Larceny	3
Missing Person	1	Patrol Check	1
Entry without Permissior		Personal Injury	4
Warrants	2	Found Property	1
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**Local Notes** 

# **CMU Basketball Camp**

The Central Michigan University men's basketball program is offering a basketball camp from August 1-3. This camp is open to any boy entering the sixth through twelfth grade. The cost for the camp is \$249 for an overnight camper and \$199 for a commuter.

An emphasis will be placed on developing the individual skills and knowledge that will help players to reach their full potential. A daily camp schedule will include workout stations, competitions, games and video analysis. To register, go online to www.cumchippewas.com/camps or call (989) 774-1838 for more information.

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# On the road to antique

#### **By Kathryn Fritz Kniep** Columnist

With the Antiques and Collectibles Show coming up this weekend in the big tent at Harrisville Harbor, I found myself thinking of a recent conversation between the Princess and a friend home to see his family. Describing his visit, he said, "We spent a lot of time playing 'Antiques Roadshow.'"

He offered an imitation of his parents – "Now this – this is old. It was your greatgreat-grandfather's. He got it along the Susquahana during the French and Indian War." And then, the killer question: "Is this something you'd like for your new apartment?"

The young man spread his arms and parodied acute discomfort as we all envisioned his cutting-edge modern condo. "Um...gee, thanks, but...no?"

Having played a few rounds of "Antiques Roadshow" with the Princess, I smiled at his story. There will come a day when he will say to his kidsas I do now – "I wish I'd listened closer to the story. But it was your great-greatgreat-grandfather's." For some of us, to love antiques we first must be one.

For a very long time, I simply didn't get the concept of antiquing. Most especially, I didn't understand why people would go to great lengths to acquire things like old pie safes, complete with cracking paint and chicken wire screens. A lot of my friend's family's had those when I was growing up. For the most part, they were saving up to go to Art Van and replace them with a Scandinavian hutch in shiny golden oak.

But somewhere along the line, the antiques caught up with me. This happened, principally, for two reasons. First of all, if you were indoctrinated early into the "make it do, use it up" mentality as I was, over a handful of decades the things you own become antiques all on their own.

And secondly, you find that out of nowhere you've developed a fondness for the stuff of your youth and your family's youth.

At least, I have. I still don't harbor an urge for a pie safe. But walking through the Antique Show last year, I found myself smiling mistily at a red and white 1950s plastic canister set just like the one that graced my mother's kitchen. I remember when she bought it at Pizer's Department Store, probably for less than five dollars. And look, there was a tin doll house with a rug painted on the living room floor and a tiny plastic refrigerator and stove, just like the one that showed up under my Christmas tree 50 years ago or so. And over there, the cat clock I coveted in a friend's house its eyes clicking back and forth as its pendulum tail swung in rhythm.

Cigarette boxes and swizzle sticks, sheet music and piano stools, fancy hats and white gloves - each item transporting you back to a day when they were essentials of the good life and the round piano stool was polished to a point where a careless young musician sometimes slid right off. For a moment or two, as you stand grinning at a canister set, it takes you home. Or to grandma's or aunt's or best friend's long ago houses.

Of course, in addition to the category of "antique" these days, the word "vintage" has crept into our collective vocabulary. Scrolling through a blog on the Internet recently, I was surprised to note that the young woman who wrote it had acquired what she described as a "wonderful vintage suitcase" at a flea market. I wasn't surprised she'd found a suitcase at a flea market. But the vintage item in question was the exact same olive green suitcase I received as a high school graduation gift. Part of a set of three. Just recently the Princess claimed the "vintage" overnight case with the same enthusiasm.

Vintage? Does that make me vintage? All I know is it doesn't seem all that long ago I headed off to college with that set stuffed to the gunnels.

Somewhere over the years, the items that surround you take on patina and history and some distinguishing scars. Busy living your life, you don't always see the transformation occur. It's kind of like stop-motion photography come to life. One

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day you just wake up and discover that you possess a collection of things that started out new and worked their way to vintage and are heading down the road toward antiques -- much like the people around you.

The scratch on the walnut table that was a tragedy at the time lends character now and the chip in the china tea cup ("I remember it so well, it was my first real tea party...") isn't just a chip – it's a story and a memory and a tiny fragment of your own personal history.

For those whose families had smaller attics or followed the rule that for every item you bring in, two go out or just weren't much into keeping, they can stroll the aisles this weekend and pick up someone else's history – somebody's chips and scratches, preserved and polished piano stools and carefully kept quilts.

Some folks will find themselves turning over price tags and muttering that they remember when you could pick up an egg beater like that for two bucks at the five-anddime while others will part with large amounts of money for something that started out life as a free advertising sign. Some will dig through a basket of lady's hankies, buffed to softness tucked into one handbag or another while others will lovingly turn the pages of a treasured childhood book or pick up a candle holder to display next to great-great-great grandfather's trunk from the French and Indian war or a piece of vintage luggage, just like Mama took to college.

For a couple of days, it will be a magic time-traveling tent, filled with your memories – or other people's - all available to make a new home with you. And here and there, you'll hear people turn to their visiting children and say "I have one of those at home. Is

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# NOTICE

The Greenbush Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 17, 2012 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall. Patrica McNeely Soechtig is requesting a variance on renting property zoned R-1. Pamela Milwrick Greenbush Township ZBA

Deputies of the Alcona County Sheriff's Office would like to ask for your support on August 7<sup>th</sup> in the re-election of Sheriff Douglas Atchison. Sheriff Atchison provides leadership, integrity and over 31 years of knowledge and experience in law enforcement to the Alcona County Sheriff's Office. Sheriff Atchison's willingness to support his deputies is why we the deputies of the Alcona County Sheriff's Office respect and support him. Please support Douglas Atchison August 7<sup>th</sup>. Paid for by friends of the candidate



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The Lions Club would also like to thank Mr. Ed's IGA and The Flour Garden for allowing us to sell tickets outside their establishments.

Below is a listing of the winning tickets for the 2012 Duck Race. Again, Thank You for your support. (See You again next year.)

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## 2012 DUCK RACE WINNING NUMBERS

# – High School Honor Roll

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Last week's winner was Bruce Dunn of Harrisville



The following students were named to the Alcona High School Principal's List and Honor Roll for the fourth marking period.

# Ninth Grade

Principal's Honor Roll Victoria Burns, 3.95; Kendra Cole, 3.76; Kayla Hampton, 3.71; Alexis Higgins, 4.00; George Hirschfelt IV, 4.00; Trenton LaVergne, 3.83; Maire MacMaster, 3.85; Sage McDermott, 3.78; Katelyn Nelson, 3.95; Shannon Oliver, 3.95; Hannah Riggs, 4.00; Samantha Schopfer, 3.80; Jesse Sch-

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that something you'd like? I can bring it up from the basement." And here and there, uncomfortable looking children will stretch out their arms and say, softly, "No."

Give it time, though. It won't be long before they will. Oh yes, they will. It's just that for some of us, to love an antique, you first must be one.

(Kathryn Kniep has contributed to the Alcona County Review for more than 30 years. 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.) ram, 3.76; Morgan Stewart, 3.88; Nicole Walen, 4.00; Kalie Zerbst, 3.83.

#### Honor Roll Bloomfield

Alexis Bloomfield, 3.66; Leigh Gibson, 3.16; Martha Johnson, 3.23; Skyla Krcmarik, 3.06; Nicholas Lamantia, 3.10; Taylor O'Dell, 3.11; Kailey Pagels, 3.16; Cheyenne Parkinson, 3.16; Alan Pawloski, 3.35; Jacob Radermacher, 3.10: Brandon Ritchie, 3.56; Steven Rizzotto, 3.11; Callie Scott, 3.06; Ryan Shultz, 3.51; Brandon Smigelski, 3.45; Keegan Smith, 3.10; Jason Steiner, 3.55; Brandon Sweet, 3.45; Seth Tulgetske, 3.45.

# Tenth Grade

Principal's Honor Roll Karina Cole, 4.00; Benjamin Dubuque, 3.85; Madeline Feldhiser, 3.95; Walker Kelly, 4.00; Ryley Mancine, 3.81; Alec Neumann, 3.95; Hannah Terpstra, 4.00.

### Honor Roll

Roy Apsey, 3.00; Cassandra Carpenter, 3.01; Dawson Forsythe, 3.15; Sylvia Gauthier, 3.15; Kyle Harmon, 3.33; Nicholas Harris, 3.21; Joshua Mead, 3.05; Garrette Norling, 3.50; Errin O'Leary, 3.21; Megan Quick, 3.40; Rachel Schellie, 3.56; Turner Somers, 3.16; Jacob Stelmachowske, 3.11; Dustin Yokom, 3.60.

#### Eleventh Grade Principal's Honor Roll

Nicholas Bouchard, 3.85; Vanessa Bowman, 3.71; Eric Hampton, 3.94; Marisa Hirschfelt, 4.00; Victoria Keerl, 3.95; Taylor Orefice, 3.92.

## Honor Roll

Miranda Ankner, 3.00; Victoria Ankner, 3.21; Bethany Dunn, 3.00; Natalie Goldstrom, 3.60; Haley Gombos, 3.16; Chad Haneckow, 3.52; Joseph Hudgins, 3.12; Sydney Jerome, 3.01; Brittany Joyce, 3.21; Joshua Lickey, 3.05; Nicole Pawloski, 3.38; Rose Powierski, 3.56; Aaron Ritchie, 3.33; Allen Vandenboom, 3.35.

## **Twelfth Grade**

# Principal's Honor Roll

Andrew Chamberlain, 3.82; Cassandra Gansen, 3.85; Nathan Geiersbach, 3.70; Alexandria Keerl, 3.90; Alexandra Kramer, 3.90; Kathleen Kramer, 4.00; Kaylee LaFave, 4.00; Amy Nowak, 3.88; Emily Nowak, 3.83; Nicole Quick, 3.76; Stephen Turpen, 4.00; Audrey Warner, 3.92; Tiffany Younk, 4.00.

## Honor Roll

Ryan Bumgardner, 3.33; Courtney Ferchak, 3.11; Nicholas Garner, 3.00; Austin Gerard, 3.38; Brandon Gibson, 3.66; Megan Griffith, 3.00; Denelle Havercroft, 3.33; Rachel Hefferon, 3.15; Jared Hiles, 3.00; Ashley Kenworthy, 3.33; Brock LaVergne, 3.40; Gregory LaVigne, 3.43; Bryan Layton, 3.16; Lindsay Morang, 3.43; Kevin Pagels, 3.14; Kayal Rasmussen, 3.28; Amber Schrader, 3.00: Austin Scott. 3.30; Sydney Sefernick, 3.33; Ashley Smith, 3.14; Betsy Smith, 3.50; Amanda Swinson, 3.60; Nicole Wilt, 3.28.



#### Summer Storms If you live in an area where rough weather can occur, do a quick survey of your backyard. Can Shepherd hooks, birdbaths and hanging feeders be brought in quickly? What about other items that could cause a lot of damage if uprooted during high winds? Have a safe summer.

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# —Organization Notes—

# Order of the Eastern Star, Lincoln Chapter No. 184

On June 18, five members of Lincoln Chapter No. 184, Order of the Eastern Star, traveled to Grand Blanc, Mich. to give a life membership to Grace Dawson. The sisters that went on the trip were Kathi Olah, worthy matron; Mary Hilderbrand, secretary; Rita Sands, treasurer; Joyce Forgo, conductress; and Linda Dellar.

Grace is in the Genesys Convalescent Center on Holly Road in Grand Blanc, Mich. We were honored to have her son, Mike, and daughter-inlaw, Louise, there for the presentation. Also, we were very pleased to have Michelle Kuerbitz from Grand Blanc

Chapter No. 507 there also. Michelle works at Genesys Convalescent Center and has adopted Grace. Thanks Michelle.

Grace was a former member of Pine Tree Chapter in Oscoda and later became a member of Lincoln Chapter No. 184. She was a very devoted member who worked hard for our chapter, held several stations and was our sunshine gal for many years. Her beautiful smile would light up the whole room. It was a pleasure to present Grace with her life membership and also to meet her son



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certain things," Treciak said.

Treciak graduated summa cum laude from the University of Detroit, despite her lack of kinesthetic awareness. She was hired as one of the first women athletic directors in the state in 1974.

"I remember interviewing for my job with Utica Schools. The system wide athletic director would ask me questions and I would respond with good answers but after every response I gave him, he would always say 'but you're a woman.' I finally told him 'yes, I'm a woman, but if I do a good job then there shouldn't be any problem.' Thanks to a very fair principal of the school I worked for, I was hired for the job," Treciak said.

Treciak recalled going to a seminar of the Michigan High School Athletic Association and in a room of 500 men, Treciak was the only woman there. Treciak said, "Women athletic directors just didn't exist.

She was also the first

She said one student wrote, "Miss Treciak makes you feel like you are good at something and because you feel like you are good at something you become even better at it."

'I'm still very good friends with that student, she even comes up to visit during the Harrisville Harmony Festival," Treciak said.

About 10 years ago, Treciak reached a cross roads in her life -- should she continue with her education and write her dissertation in order to obtain her Ph.D. in education administration or was 30 years of teaching enough? She thought about what she really wanted to do and decided she really didn't want to be in administration, what she really wanted to do was play golf.

"I'm living a dream, doing what I love to do," Treciak said. "I've loved sports all my life and now I get to be outside in this beautiful area and teach golf."

Treciak had been coming

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to the area for quite a while to woman hired during the summer months as a supervisor play golf and just about the for the parks and recreation time she retired from teachdepartment in Warren, Mich. ing junior high, Steve Treciak spent 30 years Ashford, owner of Springport teaching junior high stu-Hills Golf Course and Log-

dents, seventh through gers Trace invited her to beninth-grade athletics and come a pro at the course. health in Utica, Mich. "Teach-Having 25 years experience ing those kids was wonderplaying in amateur tournaful. When I was young I used ments with over a hundred to think being a gym teacher victories including a team would be fun because I would national championship, not to mention all those years be able to wear shorts to work and play games I loved. I never spent coaching varsity golf did wear shorts to work like I and teaching the basics of thought I would. I never golf to seventh through ninthgraders, Treciak was more wanted to look like a slovenly than qualified for the job. She dressed gym teacher. It was important to look profesbecame certified through the sional. My warm-ups would National Registry of Profesmatch my whistle lanyard sional Golf Instructors and and my whistle matched my began her pro career.

Treciak likes teaching golf shoes. I had 165 pairs of tennis shoes when I retired," with a sense of humor. "It should be fun," Treciak said. She has taught golf to people Teaching was a passion for that have years of experience Treciak and she strived to be at the game as well as people compassionate while making with no athletic experience the classes interesting, fun and above all, educational. at all, she has also taught "I taught rules and they people with special needs and ook written tests, my classes back injuries. "People who never thought they could play golf find out they can. As long as they are having a good time, they usually end up loving the game and some of them become quite proficient at it," Treciak said. She served four years as president for the Michigan Women's Publinx Golf Association, an organization of about 400 women amateur golfers. When she's not on the golf course, Treciak spends her spare time volunteering for the Sunrise Side Wine and Food Festival in Harrisville (July 21) and for Bailey School, a one-room log cabin school on the grounds of Sturgeon Point Lighthouse. She is hoping to get actively involved with Special Olympics as a golf coach this year. Treciak also enjoys spend-

ing time with her cherished dog, a Brussels griffon, named Sprout. "He's a Brussels Sprout," Treciak said with a good natured laugh.

'Sprout hates the water, but he enjoys walking along the beach. I also enjoy that retirement has given me time now to read leisurely, something I never had time to do while I was teaching and coaching," Treciak said.

Treciak's plan is to continue doing what she is doing for as long as she is having fun. "When I'm here, I really enjoy it. I even moved my dad up here to spend his final years. The care they gave my dad here was far superior to the care he received downstate. He passed away just a month ago, but I think he really liked living here and the convalescent homes were really outstanding.

"It really is beautiful living here in the summer; I love the nature, the woods, the animals and birds. It's like heaven. I sit a lot in my neighbor's garden and watch the birds. I saw an Indigo bunting, it's just the most beautiful little bird dipped in rich blue. I love how when you go anywhere up here it's like you're on vacation, just going to the grocery store feels like vacation.'

Treciak doesn't much like the cold weather though and said she is very lucky that she gets to spend her winters in Key Largo, Fla. Treciak added, "But I always come back when the leagues start up in May.'







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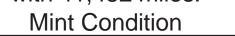
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were not easy As. I had some kids that never held a football and others who were gifted athletes. I didn't want any of my students to hate physical exercise, so I would go through the mechanics of how to hold the ball the proper way. Even if they couldn't throw very well, if they held the ball properly that was taken into consideration when I graded them," Treciak said.

Treciak said with a laugh.

In 2000 Treciak received the highest accolade of her teaching career when she was given the Newsweek/WDIV Macomb County Teacher of the Year award. The award committee asked some of Treciak's students to write why she was a good teacher. The real award was hearing some of the wonderful things the kids wrote about her.



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# July 11

# Spinnaker

The band Spinnaker is comprised of childhood friends that grew up playing music together from elementary and junior high school times. Like many, inspired by the Beatles to be part of the music scene. The band consists of Rich Olin, Ken "Fingers" Morgan, Jim Frontier and Mark Geovjian.

The music performed is an eclectic collection of nostalgic rock, folk and blues music, including the Beatles, Lovin' Spoonful, Guess Who, Rolling Stones, Eric Clapton, Jimi Hendrix, Allman Brothers, Jimmy Buffett, CSN&Y, Van Morrison, Tom Petty, Steppenwolf, Temptations, Animals, James Brown, etc.

# July 18

# **The Pool Boys**

After chasing various projects through the past couple of years, the original Pool Boys line up is back! Sal Agnello and Bob Hughes once again fire up one of the most exciting and entertaining Rockn-Roll/Retro Top 40 shows in all of the Midwest.

Sal Agnello, a talented guitarist and keyboard player, has worked throughout the United States opening for such acts as The Contours, Kelly Rowland of Destiny's Child and Steppenwolf, just to name a few. "Putting the Pool Boys together with Bob is still my favorite project; the music is magical when we're on the stage. The variety of music that we are capable of playing blows my mind", boasts Agnello.

Bob Hughes has been in and out of music for over 25 years. In 2004, he made the decision to make it a career. Primarily a solo acoustic musician, Bob has enjoyed sharing the stage with numerous acts in his short, full-time endeavor, at times playing in multiple acts. Bob also splits his time with WIDL as an on air talent and is owner and operator of Bob Hughes Studios, a growing recording studio in the thumb area of Michigan. Ready to travel again, Hughes saw the opportunity and called Agnello, the rest will be history. The Pool Boys ride again.

# July 25

# Easy

Easy Street consists of three cont Douglas and Dean Johnston and to play drums.

They have been playing multipl little over two years but have together at different times for multiple genres in their perform grass, country and folk spannin Joe Brisson plays acoustic guitar Joe is a lifelong musician who Easy Street and other area musi Dean Johnston plays electric ar vocals. He has played locally Family Band.

Lloyd Douglas plays acoustic gu banjo and back up vocals. He Douglas Family Band and the D in Alpena for over 25 years as Grand Ole Opry.

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# Da Bourbon Boyz

Da Bourbon Boyz, Jeff "Zulu" Robbins and Bill "Millertime" Miller have been performing at local pubs and private parties for over four years now. Their style of music is best described as "variety" as they jump around from Roger Miller to Jethro Tull to Johnny Cash as well as a few comedic songs to boot. I don't think they even know where they're going at times, but in the end, it's just plain fun! Jeff has been singing professionally pretty much his whole life. He started when he was very young and he is very, very old now! Jeff has sung with many artists and has sung and still sings occasionally with Donny Hartman from the legendary band "Frost." Bill has been playing professionally for five years, is much younger than Jeff, and enjoys every minute of entertaining on stage. Bill has also judged for singing contests including "Iosco Idol."

# AUGUST 8

# **Hey Mavis**

Timeless stories, traditional instruments, soulful vocals...an edgy and energetic tapestry of love, life and laughter, a colorful weaving of Americana-style music and song. Formed while serving as artistsin-residence in the Cuyahoga Valley National Park in Peninsula, Ohio, Hey Mavis is the husband-and-wife team of Laurie Michelle Caner (banjo/vocals/songwriting) and Eddie Caner (fiddle/viola) accompanied by some of the best musicians in the region.



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# NASCAR REPORT

# **Stenhouse ready for starring role**

### NASCAR This Week **By Monte Dutton**

Ricky Stenhouse Jr. will begin the 2012 season exactly where he wants to be.

This year Roush Fenway Racing couldn't come up with enough sponsorship to put Stenhouse, the reigning Nationwide Series champion, in Sprint Cup. Owner Jack Roush cut his Cup operation from four to three, leaving Stenhouse to defend his title in NASCAR's leading support series.

Things change.

Matt Kenseth recently announced he would be leaving Roush Fenway Racing at year's end. Kenseth gave Roush its first Cup championship in 2003 and is a veteran of 13 years at the sport's premier level.

The move, which won't be effective until season's end, opens a spot for Stenhouse. a 24-year-old from Olive Branch, Miss.

"I was kind of shocked when I heard the news," Stenhouse said. "I thought for sure that we would have a fourth car (again) and definitely didn't see Matt (Kenseth) going anywhere, but you have to take advantage of each situation you're in, and we have to go into next year ready to go and learn as much as we can, and try to finish this year off on a strong note."

Stenhouse, who once competed for Tony Stewart's USAC sprint and midget teams, doesn't think the impending move will do anything but help his bid for a second consecutive Nationwide Series title.

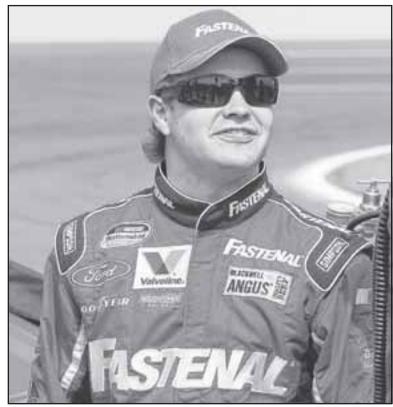
"I think I can go into it with more confidence and more pep in my step," he said. "I think the team is pumped about it and excited for me."

Roush expressed disappointment at Kenseth's decision to leave, but confidence that Stenhouse is ready to fill the void.

"His (Kenseth) leaving the team creates a window, a hole if you like, for which we have very capable, able, ready, enthusiastic, motivated and ambitious drivers," Roush said. "We actually have two of them ready to fill voids. One of them is Ricky Stenhouse, and of course, the other is Trevor (Bayne). The plan is for Trevor to be in some kind of a full-time ride next year, and of course, Ricky is the heir apparent to the (No.) 17 program."

Monte Dutton covers motorsports for The Gaston (N.C.) Gazette. E-mail Monte nascarthisweek@vahoo.com.

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With Matt Kenseth leaving Roush Fenway Racing at the end of the year, 24-year-old Ricky Stenhouse Jr. will step into Kenseth's ride. (John Clark/NASCAR This Week photo)



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Spruce Presbyterian Church recently presented \$3,500 in scholarships to several Alcona High School students during Senior Awards Night and to a student at Alpena Community College (ACC). (From left) Alcona High School students Nicole Quick, Kathleen Kramer, presenter Kevin Friddle of Spruce Presbyterian, Alexandra Kramer and Ashley Smith. A scholarship was also given to ACC student Nicholas Payne (not pictured). Spruce Presbyterian has made it a practice of honoring students each year with the presentation of scholarships. Courtesy photo.

# Flagship Niagara sails into Alpena for public tours

offer public tours of the vessel during a visit to Alpena on Friday, July 20 and Saturday, July 21.

Nearly 200 feet long, this wooden-hulled brig is a reconstruction of the warship aboard which Commander Oliver Hazard Perry won the Battle of Lake Erie during the War of 1812.

The Niagara will be docked behind the Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center at 500 W. Fletcher Street. Public dockside tours are tentatively scheduled for 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., but may be expanded. Admission is \$6 for adults and \$4 for children 12 years old and under.

According to Jeff Gary, superintendent of the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary, the opportunity to tour the ship is especially significant because of the Niagara's ties to the War of 1812 and Great Lakes maritime history. "As we celebrate the bicentennial of the War of 1812, we must remember the importance of the American victory in the Battle of Lake Erie in determining who we are today," Gray said.

"Perry's triumph gave the U.S. control of the Great Lakes, and ultimately, opened up a rush of commerce and settlement that would fuel the Industrial Revolution. Two hundred years after the cannons fell silent, the cities and industries of the Great Lakes are a result of the victory. The Niagara is usually docked behind the Erie Maritime Museum in Erie, Pa., but travels the Great Lakes during the summer as the official flagship of Pennsylvania. The Niagara operates as a sailing school vessel, often conducting onboard history or science courses for students. Alpena is a frequent stop for the onboard student programming, but this visit marks the first opportunity for the general public to tour the ship.

The flagship Niagara will ing an opportunity for private events as part of the visit to Alpena. In addition to daytime tours, the ship is also available in the evening for private events, such as weddings, corporate func-

tions or other celebrations. For more information on dockside events, contact Claudia Bankert at the Flagship Niagara League at claudia-bankert@aol.com.



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The purpose of this meeting is to correct clerical errors or mutual mistakes of fact relating to the assessing of taxes as described in General Property Tax Act Section 211.53b, as amended, and to hear exemption appeals only. For Principal Residence Exemption appeals the owner of property that is a "Principal Residence" on May 1, 2012 may appeal to the July Board of Review for the current year and the three immediately preceding tax years pursuant to section 7cc as amended. For Qualified Agricultural Exemption appeals the owner of property that is "Qualified Agricultural" but not classified agricultural on May 1, 2012 may appeal to the July Board of Review for the current year and the immediately succeeding tax year pursuant to section 7ee. The Board of Review will address all other exemption appeals over which they have jurisdiction. A person in poverty may appeal to the July Board of Review for a Hardship Exemption from Taxation for the current year for property that is their "Principal Residence" on May 1, 2012 pursuant to section 7u as amended. A Hardship Exemption Application and the required documentation must be submitted to the Township Supervisor by 4:00pm Monday July 16, 2012.

# **PUBLIC NOTICE TOWNSHIP OF CALEDONIA** JULY BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING 6:00 PM TUESDAY JULY 17, 2012 **CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP HALL GILLARD RD** SPRUCE, MICHIGAN

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The Niagara is also offer-

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Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

Learn about a variety of birds and their nest building with Emily Kemnitz at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd., Glennie at 1:30 p.m. Children ages four and up can paint and decorate a bird house and take it home. Supplies are limited. For more information, call (989) 735-2601.

**FRIDAY, JULY 13** There will be a fish fry from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children and free for age five and under. Everyone is welcome.

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Popcorn and a movie at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at 2 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information. Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

A roast pork and turkey dinner will be held at Hope Lutheran Church, 5462 Nicholson Hill Rd., Hubbard Lake from 4 to 7 p.m. Dinner includes roast pork, turkey with stuffing, mashed potatoes and gravy, garden vegetables, homemade bread, delicious homemade desserts and beverages. Cost is \$10 per person, \$5 for children age five to 12 and under age five eat for free.

**SATURDAY, JULY 14** Recycle Alcona County will hold drop off day from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Lincoln ARA site. Enter and exit through the north gate. For more information, call (989) 724-6546.

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the fairgrounds in Lincoln (across from Kris Mart). For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

The 17<sup>th</sup> annual Antique and Collectibles Show has something for serious collectors or those who just want to take a stroll through the past. This show features more than 40 booths of quality antiques and collectibles-everything from kitchenware to furniture to china and vintage clothing. The show is located under "the big tent" in the upper parking lot of the Harrisville Harbor and will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, contact Barbara Aldred (989) 724-5513.

Vendor's Day starting at 11 a.m. at Lumberman's Monument. Come join our first annual local artist day. All vendors' are from within our surrounding area; made within Michigan. All merchandise is made in Michigan to help support our state's economy. Vendors will be available throughout the day. Lumberman's Monument is located in the Huron-Man-

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istee National Forest, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Rd., at the junction with Monument Rd. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

Mikado Days kicks-off with a five mile walk or run at the Mikado Civic Center at 7 a.m. There will be a parade at 11 a.m., a craft sale, spacewalk bouncie and games, dunk tank, horseshoe tournament at 2 p.m. and an 1860 era baseball game between the Mikado Clubbers and the Midland River Hogs. For more information or to volunteer, call (989) 736-7721.

My Brothers' Hope will be open from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 N. State St. (US-23). Lunch will be served. For more information, call Susan Armstrong (989) 724-6365.

The Mikado American Legion, 2205 N. Alger, will be having a chicken and pork barbecue from 2 to 7 p.m. Adults \$8, children ages six to 12 \$4, five and under free. Everyone is welcome.

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**MONDAY, JULY 16** All ladies are invited to play The 17<sup>th</sup> annual Antique Bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall, 3029

Campbell Road at 2:30 p.m. Bunco is an easy game to learn, first-timers are always welcome.

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**TUESDAY, JULY 17** Weight Loss Support group will meet at the Lincoln United Methodist Church, 101 E. Main St. at 4 p.m. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

Kids' day at Lumberman's Monument starting at 1 p.m. Owls, Birds of Prey: Owl pellets are formed when owls swallow their prey whole, then regurgitate a pellet containing what they are. Come and spend the afternoon finding out what the owls ate as you dissect their pellet. Reg-

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istration required. Lumberman's Monument is located in the Huron-Manistee National Forest, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Rd., at the junction with Monument Rd. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

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Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Music and sing-a-long at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at 4 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-8879. The Alcona Book Club will meet from noon to 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. The selection for July is "Lost in Shangri-La" by Mitchell Zuckoff. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

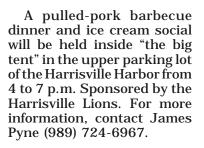
Anne Bloss will demonstrate how to make environmentally friendly household cleaners at 5:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. No registration required for this free program. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Free beginning computer class for mature adults over 60 years of age at 3 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. If you have a laptop or iPad feel free to bring to class with you, several laptops will be available for use. For more information or to register, call (989) 736-8879.

Good nutrition, exercise and an active lifestyle contribute to the enjoyment of life for everyone but are most important among people age 60 and older. Recognizing the need, MSU Extension has developed a program "Nutrition for the Young at Heart." This series is available to seniors in Glennie at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd. from 3 to 4 p.m. "Enhancing food's flavors" and "How friendly is your kitchen?" will be the topics of discussion. For more information, call (989) 735-2601.

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

Spruce Lutheran Emergency Food Pantry, 1246 E. Spruce Rd., will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. Clients must be present to receive food and bring identification. For more information, call (989) 471-5013.



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Music and sing-a-long at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at 4 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Sewing with Jennie Anderson at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. from 2 to 4 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Alcona County needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 2 to 4 p.m. All items will be donated to local organizations. Bring your knitting needles, looms, yarn and patterns. Beginning crafters are welcome. Call (989) 736-8879 for more in-

# INVITATION TO BID ALCONA COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION FOR SUCKER CREEK ROAD BRIDGE OVER BLACK RIVER

Timber Pile and Timber Cap Installation

Sealed bids will be received by the Alcona County Road Commission at 301 N. Lake Street, P.O. Box 40, Lincoln MI, 48742 until 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 25, 2012, at which time they will be opened and read aloud for the installation of the Timber Piles and Timber Cap for Sucker Creek Road Bridge over the Black River.

A copy of specifications may be obtained at the office of Alcona County Road Commission or can be requested by calling (989)736-8168 or e-mail at <u>roads@alconacrc.com</u>

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> Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A. 201 N. Second at Jefferson, Harrisville Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids 9:45 a.m. Adult Class • Worship & Sunday School ~ 11 a.m. Tuesday office hours 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Thomas J. Welscott, Pastor ~ 724-6734

# Spruce Lutheran Church (ELCA) Sunday Worship Service 9 a.m.

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**1246 E. Spruce Road, Spruce • 471-5013** (3 miles west of F-41 & US-23) • Handicap Assessible Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors The people of the United Methodist Church serving Alcona County

With worship at these locations: Glennie at 8:30 am (5094 Bamfield Rd.) Lincoln at 9:45 am (101 E. Main St.) Harrisville at 11:30 am (217 N. State St.)

All sanctuaries are wheelchair accessible and all sites offer Sunday School for children during the worship hour.

Rev. Linda Jo Powers (989) 724-3033 (h) Come as you are – everyone is welcome! formation.

Foot clinic with Connie Cosbett R.N. from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. Cost is \$25. Call for an appointment, (989) 736-8879.

Drop in craft and Wii for children from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Mikado branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 736-8389.

There will be an art collage workshop for youth ages 11 to 18 with Ellen LaCross from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information and to register.

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The Michigan State Police will have a K-9 demonstration at 2 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library in Glennie. For more information, call (989) 735-2601.

#### **THURSDAY, JULY 19**

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m., meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. Call, (989) 739-4483 or (989) 736-8022 for more information.

The Alpena City Band will perform at the Fine Arts Bandshell at Bay View Park in Alpena at 7:30 p.m. The concert will last approximately one hour. For more information, call (765) 631 1167.

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

A free Zumba dance class will be held in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at noon. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Alcona retirees meet for a potluck lunch at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. at noon. For more information, call (989) 736-8879

**Community Walking Club** for everyone meets at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 8:30 a.m.

Storytime for children with Mary Beth McCormack from 12 to 12:30 p.m. at the Caledonia branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 727 3105.

Storytime and craft for children from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Lincoln branch of the Alcona County Library. For more information, call (989) 736 3388.

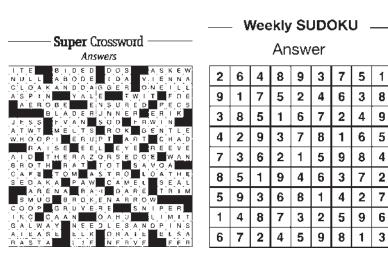
Using the concertina, button accordion, bones and fiddle, Jim will involve you in a memorable lumber camp experience. (Any you'll learn a lot too!) Lumberman's Monument is located in the Huron-Manistee National Forest, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Rd., at the junction with Monument Rd. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

There will be a Swiss steak dinner at the Alcona Masonic Lodge No. 292, 316 Traverse Bay State Rd., Lincoln from 4:30 to 7 p.m. or until the steak is sold out. Take-out is available. For more information, call (989) 736-8781.

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Popcorn and a movie at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., at 2 p.m. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.



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n :- a i-	TUESDAY Mostly Sunny High: 83 Low: 61	First       Saturday       6:01 a.m.       9:17 p.m.       2:17 a.m.       5:40 p.m.         Y/26       Monday       6:02 a.m.       9:16 p.m.       2:58 a.m.       6:32 p.m.         Wonday       6:03 a.m.       9:15 p.m.       3:47 a.m.       7:20 p.m.         Wonday       6:04 a.m.       9:14 p.m.       4:41 a.m.       8:02 p.m.
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l- ie ia i-	0-234567891011+	The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today and Thursday, isolated showers Friday, with the highest temperature of 89° in Carbondale, III. The Southeast will see widespread thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 94° in Sanford, Fla. The Northwest will see isolated thunderstorms today, mostly clear skies

Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call. (989) 724-6796 for details.

#### **FRIDAY, JULY 20**

Enjoy comedy and juggling with Joel Tacey at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact Carol Luck (989) 724-6796.

Journey into Michigan's lumbering and immigrant past and join Shanty Boy Jim Murphy at 7 p.m., at Lumber-man's Monument, as he recreates the great lumber boom of the 19<sup>th</sup> century.

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Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 100° in Rome, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 118° in Bullhead City, Ariz.

<b>Tonight's Planets</b>	Weather History	Weather Trivia					
Rise         Set           Mercury         8:04 a.m. 10:12 p.m.           Venus         3:38 a.m. 6:09 p.m.           Mars         12:33 p.m.12:28 a.m.	<b>July 11, 1987</b> - Early morning thunderstorms produced wind gusts to 90 mph at Parkston, S.D. and wind gusts to 87 mph at Buffalo, Minn. Later in the day, strong thunderstorm winds at Howard,	What is the least humid city in the United ? States? Answer: Las Vegas, NV with an average afternoon					
Jupiter         3:02 a.m.         6:03 p.m.           Saturn         2:05 p.m.         1:21 a.m.           Uranus         12:34 a.m.         1:00 p.m.	Wis. collapsed a circus tent, injuring 44 people.	humidity of 21 percent. www.WhatsOurWeather.com					

## StarWatch By Gary Becker - Rise and Shine: Venus, Jupiter Await

When I contemplate rising before dawn, I think of the Simpson's episode entitled, "Bart's Comet." Bart Simpson discovers a doomsday interloper after pulling a prank on his science teacher, "Big Butt" Skinner. Bart's punishment is to assist Skinner's astronomy project, but Bart's discovery steals the day. When the radio alarm wakes Bart at 4:00 a.m., the announcer is saying, "Top of the hour... Time for the morning news, but, of course, there is no news yet because everyone's still asleep in their comfy, comfy beds. Good night everybody..." A confused and very groggy Bart bikes over to his school. I feel Bart's pain when the alarm, or my mental alarm, awakens me from a deep sleep for an early morning star watch. Right now, that means rising at 4 a.m. and being quick about an exit into the cool, morning air, no more than 15 minutes later. Upon going outside you may still think that you are in the "twilight zone" because low in the ENE will be the same two brilliant objects, Venus and Jupiter, which graced the evening sky during the first half of this year. Now, however, the pair is on the morning side of the sun, with Jupiter higher in the sky than Venus. The entire week will produce superb views, but if there was one specific morning to highlight, I'd pick Sunday, July 15, because as the heavens brighten, a 13 percent lit, waning crescent moon will be straddling the pair. Jupiter and Venus will be less than seven degrees apart with the moon nearly in between. Because it will be a very thin horned moon, the portion of Luna not in direct sunlight should be resplendent with earthshine, light from a nearly full Earth reflected back to us by the moon. Wide-field binoculars will enhance the earthshine to help fuel the beauty of this conjunction which is also near the bright, orangey star Aldebaran in Taurus the Bull and below the Pleiades. I know I'll be awake for this one. www.astronomy.org

# **TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez**

**1. GEOGRAPHY:** What state is home to the most of the Yellowstone National Park?

- 2. TELEVISION: What was Norm's wife's name in the sitcom "Cheers"?
- 3. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of toads called?

PERSONALITIES: What 1950s television newsman signed off his broadcasts with the words, "Good night and good luck"?

- 5. LANGUAGE: What does recalcitrant mean?
- 6. MUSIC: What famous duo performed "Foggy Mountain Breakdown"?
- 7. MEDICAL: What common condition is known as cephalalgia?
- 8. INVENTIONS: Where were cross-bladed scissors invented?

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9. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Dracula"?

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10. MOVIES: What famous actress played an uncredited bit part as a Halloween ghoul in the movie "E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial"?

Answer: 1. Wyoming; 2. Vera; 3. A knot; 4. Edward R. Murrow; 5. Resistant to authority; 6. Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs; 7. Headache; 8. Early Rome, about 100 A.D.; 9. Bram Stoker; 10. Debra Winger (Nurse Zombie carrying a Poodle) (c) 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

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# **STRANGE BUT TRUE** by Samantha Weaver

 It was double Nobel Prizewinning chemist and peace activist Linus Pauling who made the following sage observation: "The best way to have a good idea is to have lots of ideas."

 The acre as a unit of measurement has been with us for quite some time. Originally, an acre was considered to be the amount of land that could be tilled in a single day by one man behind one OX.

• If you've seen the movie "The Wizard of Oz," you might remember that in the Emerald City, the horses were a variety of bright colors. No special effects there — the set designers simply rubbed the animals with Jell-O powder to achieve the bright hues. Those scenes had to be shot very quickly, though, since the horses had a tendency to lick off their colors.

 If you spent some part of the 1980s trying to puzzle out a solution to a Rubik's Cube, you may be surprised to learn that the world record, held by Frenchman Edouard Chambon, is just 9.18 seconds. And it was set in 2008.

 You may not have learned about it in school, but during the summer and early autumn of 1859, the United States and the British became involved in a conflict known as The Pig War. In June of that year, a pig on American soil was shot by a British infantryman in Canada. In response to the provocation, the American militia camped out on the border for four months, until the British finally apologized. No lives were lost (other than the pig's).

 Those who study such things say that the lightning on Jupiter is 1,000 times more powerful than the lightning here on Earth. \*\*\*

Thought for the Day: "A person who trusts no one can't be trusted." — Jerome Blattner

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# **MOMENTS IN TIME** The History Channel

• On July 28, 1868, following its ratification by the necessary three-quarters of U.S. states, the 14th Amendment, guaranteeing black Americans citizenship and all its privileges, is officially adopted into the U.S. Constitution

• On July 24, 1911, American archeologist Hiram Bingham gets his first look at Machu Picchu, an ancient Inca settlement in Peru. Machu Picchu is believed to have been a summer retreat for Inca leaders, whose civilization was wiped out by Spanish invaders in the 16th century. The site itself stretches an impressive 5 miles.

 On July 26, 1931, a swarm of grasshoppers descends on crops throughout Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota, devastating millions of acres. The swarm was said to be so thick that it blocked out the sun and that grasshoppers could be could shoveled with a scoop. Cornstalks were eaten to the ground and fields left completely denuded.

• On July 27, 1943, Joseph Stalin, premier and dictator of the Soviet Union, issues Order No. 227, which came to be known as the "Not one step backward" order, in light of German advances into Russian territory. The order declared, "Panic makers and cowards must be liquidated on the spot. Not one step backward without orders from higher headquarters!'

• On July 29, 1967, a fire on the USS Forrestal stationed off the coast of Vietnam kills 134 service members, injures hundreds and destroys 20 planes. The deadly fire on the U.S. Navy carrier began with the accidental launch of a F-4 Phantom jet rocket, which hit a parked A-4 Skyhawk jet.

• On July 23, 1976, members of the American Legion arrive in Philadelphia to celebrate the bicentennial of U.S. independence. Soon after returning home, many began suffering from a mysterious form of pneumonia, which would become known as Legionnaires' disease. The final tally was 221 cases, including 34 deaths.

• On July 25, 1985, Rock Hudson, Hollywood leading man, announces through a press release that he is suffering from acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS). Hudson was the first major celebrity to go public with such a diagnosis.

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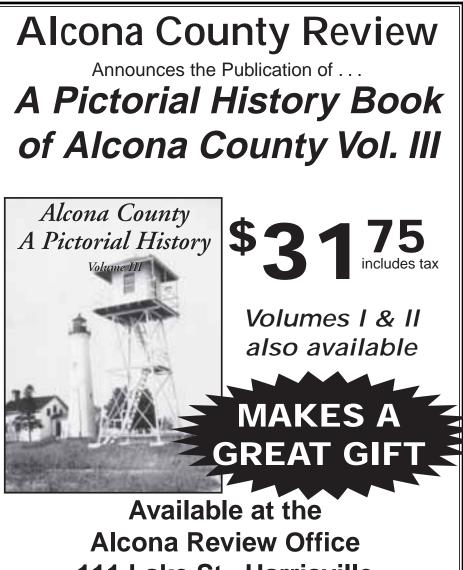
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# LEGAL NOTICES

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#### Notice Of Mortgage **Foreclosure Sale**

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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 Joseph A.

utes 01 seconds west along the east line of said section and the centerline of Barlow Road. 1.322.14 feet: thence north 89 degrees 41 minutes 08 seconds west along the south 1/8 line of said section, 1,336.01 feet; thence north 01 degrees 08 minutes 40 seconds east along the east 1/8 line of said section and the centerline of Clark Road, 1,328.42 feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel being the northeast 1/4 of the southeast

1/4 of said Section 13. 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. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. Dated: July 11, 2012 For more information, please call: (248) 593-1309 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway. Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File No. 405998F01 7-11, 7-18, 7-25, 8-01

State of Michigan Probate Court **County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate** File No. 12-005079 DE

Estate of Mary V. Spensley Date of birth: August 28, 1924 To all creditors:

Notice to creditors: The decedent, Mary V. Spensley, who lived at 1980 Hiawatha Trail, Hubbard Lake, Mich. died April 7, 2012. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Joseph S. Spencer, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at P.O. Box 328, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the named/proposed personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice. Date: July 2, 2012 David H. Cook P40560 5466 M-72, P.O. Box 585 Harrisville, MI 48740 (989) 724-5155 Joseph S. Spencer 33819 Janet Fraser, MI 48026

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Downtown Harrisville on the lake one bedroom, den, sitting room with efficiency kitchen including new stove and refrigerator. Unfurnished \$300 per month plus utilities. Must have first and last month's rent plus security. One year lease, credit check. For appointment to view, call (313) 882-8145 and (989) 724-6970.

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1974 Champion 12 x 60 mobile home with addition, 24 x 24 garage on 1.2 acres, immediate possession, \$15,000 cash, (813) 245-4651.

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Knights of Columbus No. 6851, Spruce-Sunday 6:30 p.m. Papers and hard cards, two progressive jackpots and one jackpot that could be worth \$300-\$500 each week and much more.

Mikado Goodfellows Bingo every Monday 6:30 p.m. at Mikado Civic Center. Winner take all game and cookie jar. All proceeds to charity.

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

A.C.C.O.A. Bingo - Tuesday 6:30 p.m., Lincoln Senior Center. All paper games, Michigan Progressive, two jackpots, cookie jar. Non-smoking area provided. New players are always welcome. Proceeds to ACCOA senior programs. A239401C.

Bingo-Every Saturday at the Barton City Eagles from 5:30 to 11 p.m.

# **SALES**

Large four family garage sale Friday-Sunday, July 13-15 at 205 5th St., Harrisville; tools, furniture and lots of miscellaneous.

Lost Lake Woods Club annual rummage sale on F-41, Lincoln; Thursday and Friday, July 12 and 13, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturday, July 14, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

# **SUPPER FUNDRAISER**

Roast pork and turkey dinner, Friday, July 13 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, 5462 Nicholson Hill Rd Hubbard Lake. Roast pork, turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, garden vegetables, homemade bread and delicious homemade desserts. Cost is \$10 per person, \$5 for children age 5-12, under five are free! Dine in airconditioned comfort!





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Higgison, a single person, original mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., mortgagee, dated June 24, 2009, and recorded on July 14, 2009 in Liber 463 on page 1,162, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ninety thousand two hundred seven and 56/100 dollars (\$90.207.56).

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 August 8, 2012.

Said premises are situated in township of Gustin, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at the east 1/4 corner of Section 13, Township 26 North Range 8 East;

# **HELP WANTED**

Mikado Home Health Care needs reliable CENAs for 12 hour shifts 5:30 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.; (989) 736-3202.

Hiring all positions: bartenders, waitresses, dishwashers, cooks and kitchen help. Apply in person at Shotmakers, Harrisville. (Corner of US-23 and M-72)

## **TIMBER FOR SALE**

Sealed bids will be received up until 6 p.m. on July 20, 2012 for the A. Kelsev Half Moon 2012 Timber Sale. located in parts of Sections 8 and 17 lying west of US Highway 23 in T28N R9E, Alcona Co. Estimated volumes include: 368 MBF aspen sawlogs, 20.2 MBF mixed hardwood sawlogs, 20.1 MBF white birch sawlogs, 987 cords aspen pulpwood, 113 cords mixed hardwood pulpwood, and 97 cords white birch pulpwood. The access for this timber sale is from an existing gated driveway from US Highway 23. Interested bidders should contact Don Krejcarek, Sunrise Forestry Consultants, at (989) 724-6165.

REPAIRED **Pickup & Delivery Don Scarborough** (989) 471-9117

# WANTED **BODY SHOP MANAGER Buick and Chevrolet Dealership** Seeking someone with Body Shop experience; writing estimates and computer skills related to the body shop. Competitive wages and Benefit Package Please send resume to: Alcona Motors **Buick-Chevrolet** P.O. Box 130

Lincoln, MI 48742-0130

Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default has been made in the conditions

of a certain mortgage made by Michael

Stanbury and Colette M. Stanbury f/k/a

Collette M. Inda, husband and wife, to

Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union, whose

address is 1100 South Bagley Street,

The mortgage is dated September 23,

2005 and recorded on September 30,

2005, at Liber 423, pages 1,023-1,025,

Alcona County records. The mortgage is

subject to a Mortgage Modification Agree-

ment dated October 6, 2010 and re-

corded on October 18, 2010 at Liber

473, pages 1,404-1,406, Alcona County

records. There is claimed to be due on

the mortgage at the date of this notice,

for principal, interest, and other items

paid as allowed by the mortgage, the

sum of \$66,962.65 and no proceedings

have been instituted to recover the debt

secured thereby. The power of sale con-

tained in the mortgage has now become

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of

the power of sale contained in the mort-

gage and pursuant to the applicable

foreclosure statute, the mortgage will be

foreclosed by a sale of the property de-

scribed below at public auction to the

highest bidder at the Alcona County

Courthouse at 214 West Main Street,

Harrisville, Mich. 48740 on Wednesday,

Aug. 1, 2012 at 10 a.m. The property will

be sold to pay the amount due on the

mortgage with 4.250 percent interest,

legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes

and insurance that the mortgagee pays

Alpena, Mich. 49707.

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# **LEGAL NOTICE**

#### Notice of Judicial **Foreclosure Sale**

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Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the circuit court at the request of the plaintiff. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest, as determined by the court. Alcona County Circuit Court Case No. 11-1692-CH Notice of Judicial Sale: Judicial sale in pursuance and by virtue of a Stipulated Judgment of Foreclosure in the Circuit Court for the county of Alcona, state of Michigan, made and entered on the 2nd day of February, 2012, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein HSBC Bank USA, National Association, As Trustee for WFHM 2007-M09 was the plaintiff and Kenneth R. Boisvert and Veronica J. Boisvert were the defendants

The aforementioned court established a debt owing to plaintiff in the amount of \$242,038.17, plus post-judgment interest at an annual rate of 5.125 percent and other amounts recoverable pursu-

#### **Foreclosure Notice**

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Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Katrina Pirkola, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Fremont Investment & Loan, mortgagee, dated February 4, 2005, and recorded on February 9, 2005, in Liber 412, page 1,368, Alcona County records, said mortgage was assigned to HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee for Fremont Home Loan Trust 2005-B, Mortgage-Backed Certificates, Series 2005-B by an assignment of mortgage which has been submitted to the Alcona County Register of Deeds, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of two hundred thousand three hundred sixty-three and 96/100 (\$200,363.96) including interest at the rate of 7.75000 percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said

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 nortaaae made aura Ch

ant to said judgment or order. 87 degrees 12 minutes 53 seconds east 883.91 feet; thence south 02 degrees 19 Notice is hereby given that in order to satisfy said judgment or order, in whole minutes 14 seconds west along the east or in part, the property described below shall be sold at public auction, by an authorized sheriff or deputy sheriff, to the highest bidder, at the circuit court for the county of Alcona, located at 106 5th Street, Harrisville, Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for that county is held) on August 1, 2012 at 10 a.m., local time.

On said day at said time, the following property shall be sold: property located in the township of Hawes, county of Alcona, state of Michigan and particularly described as part of the southwest 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 of Section 24, Town 27 North, Range 8 East, described as: Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section 24; thence north 87 degrees 11 minutes 35 seconds west along the south line of said section 1,317.20 feet to the point of beginning; thence north 87 degrees 11 minutes 35 seconds west 218.26 feet: thence north 03 degrees 32 minutes 43 seconds east 223.28 feet; thence south 71 degrees 47 minutes 26 seconds east 416.11 feet; thence north 20 degrees 04 minutes 02 seconds west 708.18 feet; thence south

1/8 line of said section 986.62 feet to the point of beginning. Together with and subject to an easement for ingress, egress and utility purposes over the real property described as follows: The north 30 feet of the southeast 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 of Section 24, Town 27 North, Range 8 East, and further granting an easement to use an existing roadway running southerly on or near the east line of the southwest 1/4 of the southeast 1/ 4 of Section 24, Town 27 North, Range 8 East, with the express purpose of granting ingress, egress and utility purposes to the property described above. Tax Parcel ID: 071-024-400-020-03. More commonly known as: 2021 Bobick Trail. Redemption period is six months. For more information, please call (248) 642-2515. Trott & Trott, P.C.

By: Bree Stocker Attorneys for Plaintiff 31440 Northwestern Hwy., Ste. 200 Farmington Hills, Mich. 48334 T# 316384L02 Douglas Atchison, Alcona County Sheriff 6-13, 6-20, 6-27, 7-4, 7-11, 7-18

the date of the foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is one year.

Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: June 20, 2012

Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for HSBC Bank USA, National Association, as Trustee for Fremont Home Loan Trust 2005-B, Mortgage-Backed Certificates, Series 2005-B 43252

Woodward Avenue, Suite 180, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 (248) 335-9200 Case No. 12OMI00614-1 6-20, 6-27, 7-4, 7-11

of beginning, thence north on line parallel with the west line of said parcel, a distance of 660.0 feet, thence west on a line parallel with the south line of said parcel a distance of 132.0 feet, thence south 660.0 feet, thence east along the south side of said parcel a distance of point of 132.0 feet to the Commonly known as: 645 E. F-30. Tax Parcel No.: 091-005-200-060-00. 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: June 27, 2012 By: Foreclosing Attorneys Attorney for Plaintiff Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A. 2155 Butterfield Drive, Suite 200-S Troy, MI 48084 WWR No. 10096279

6-27, 7-4, 7-11, 7-18

#### on or before the date of sale. State of Michigan In the Circuit Court for the County of losco Independent Bank, a Michigan banking corporation,

Plaintiff, Case No. 04-1229- CK

Norwood Products Co., a Michigan corporation, a/k/a Norwood Products, Inc. and a/k/a Norwood Products Company; Melford L. Wassmann; and Rorbert L. Wassmann, jointly and severally, Defendants, Smith, Martin, Powers & Knier, P.C.

By: Henry L. Knier, Jr. (P46393) Attorney for Plaintiff 900 Washington Ave., P.O. Box 219 Bay City, Mich. 48707 (989) 892-4574

James A. Bacarella (P46198) Attorney for Melford Wassmann 1228 E. US-23 East Tawas, Mich. 48730

and subject to sale is as follows: Situated in Alcona Township, Alcona County, state of Michigan. Part of Government Lot 2 of Section 24, Town 28 North, Range 7 East, described as: Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot 221 of "Scott Park Subdivision," thence south 83° 58' east 330.00 feet; thence north 3° 30' east 47.90 feet; thence south 84° 15' east 148.96 feet to the point of beginning; thence north 5° 17' east 100.00 feet; thence south 84° 15' east 160.00 feet; thence south 5° 17' west 100.00 feet; thence north 84° 15' west 160.00 feet to the point of beginning. Subject to any part thereof that may be used for

The property subject to the mortgage

road right-of-way purposes. The period of redemption will be six months from the date of sale, unless abandoned as defined by MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of sale. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: June 12, 2012 Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union, Mortgagee Daniel W. White Attorney for Mortgagee 313 North Second Avenue Alpena, MI 49707 (989) 354-4104 6-20, 6-27, 7-4, 7-11, 7-18

#### Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under **Order to Seize Property**

The losco County Circuit Court has issued an Order to Seize Property in favor of Independent Bank and against the property of Melford Wassmann, a/k/a Melford Wassman. Accordingly, on March 3, 2009, I levied

the Order to Seize Property and took all rights, title, and interests of Melford Wassmann, a/k/a Melford Wassman, in the following described real property: The N half of the SW 1/4 of Section 22, T25N, R6E, Mikado Township, Alcona County, Michigan.

The Notice of Levy of Real Estate is recorded March 5, 2009, at Liber 459. page 513 of the records of the Alcona County Register of Deeds. This levy of execution is made pursuant to MCL 600.6051 et seq. Possessory rights and redemption rights are as set forth by Michigan statutes, including MCL 600.6062 and MCL 600.6063.

I will auction this property as the law directs on August 24, 2012, at 10 a.m., at 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan, this being the location of the circuit court for the county in which the property is

mortgage and the statute in such case

court in said Alcona County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 12 p.m. on July 18, 2012. Said premises are situated in the township of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 31 of Hardwood Point Subdivision, being a part of Government Lots 1, 2 and 3 of Section 21, Township 28 North, Range 7 East, township of Alcona, county of Alcona, Michigan. Commonly known as: 5352 Mt. Maria Road.

If the property is eventually sold at foreclosure sale, the redemption period will be six months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned or used for agricultural purposes. If the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for agricultural purposes prior to

part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on, the 25th day of July, 2012, at 10 a.m. said foreclosed by a public auction, to the highest bidder, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Michigan, 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 Mikado, in the county of Alcona and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Situated in the township of Mikado, county of Alcona and state of Michigan: A part of the west 1/2 of the southeast 1/ 4 of the northwest 1/4 of Section 5. Township 25 North, Range 8 East, described as: Commencing at the southeast corner thereof, thence west along 1/ 4 line a distance of 462.0 feet to the point

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

#### (989) 362-1364

Gary S. Price (P29414) Attorney for the Estate of Robert Wassmann P.O. Box 525, 335 S. State Street, Ste. A Oscoda, Mich. 48750 (989) 739-9680

# **ROAD COMMISSION SYNOPSIS**

A regular meeting of the Alcona County Road Commission was held on June 27, in Lincoln. Motions were passed to approve the June 13 meeting minutes; pay \$82,399.56 on accounts; to approve road improvement agreements with Curtis Township for seal coating on Curtisville Road and Kimberlin Road, and for pulverizing, adding gravel and seal coating on Algonquin Street; with Hawes Township for seal coating and fog seal on Hubbard Lake Road pending township approval; with Haynes Township for gravel and seal coat on Shaw Road and gravel on Beaton Road. This synopsis of the minutes published prior to board review and approval.

#### located.

More information regarding this sale may be obtained by contacting Edward Van't Hof, Jr., at (989) 329-4443, or contacting the attorney for Independent Bank, Henry L. Knier, Jr., at (989) 892-4574. Dated: June 27, 2012 Edward Van't Hof. Jr., losco County Deputy Sheriff 7-4, 7-11, 7-18, 7-25, 8-1, 8-8, 8-15

#### Notice to Creditors **Decedent's Estate**

Ellen I. Pyles, deceased. Date of birth: February 22, 1928 Notice to creditors: The decedent, Ellen I. Pyles, died March

24, 2012.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate or trust will be forever barred unless presented to Tom Pyles, successor trustee, within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 3, 2012 Tom Pyles 5337 Seymour Road Swartz Creek, MI 48473 (810) 423-5317

aka Laura J. Charpie, unmarried individual of Alcona County, Michigan, mortgagor to PNC Bank, NA, successor by merger to National City Bank dated the 5th day of July, 2006, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on the 24th day of July, 2006, in Liber 433, page 208 of Alcona records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal of \$25,648.56 (twenty-five thousand six hundred forty-eight and 56/100) plus accrued interest at 7.59 percent (seven point five four) 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

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# VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, July 2 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting was called to order with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those present included: President Jordan, treasurer Kossa, clerk Somers, deputy clerk/treasurer Stutzman and council members Healy, Lask, Somers and Stutzman. Absent were council members Bonny Gauthier and Phil Naylor. Also present were Attorney Cook and several guests. The minutes of the June meeting were approved on a motion from Healy, with support from Stutzman. The treasurer's report was approved, subject to audit, on a motion from Lask, with support from Stutzman.

Jay Jacobs, representative of Consumer's Energy, addressed the board regarding an agreement/ordinance for 30 years. He stated that it is a very generic resolution that is offered up for municipalities to adopt. The current agreement is up for renewal soon. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Lask, to pass the Consumers Energy Electric Franchise Agreement. A roll call vote was taken: Healy, Lask, Somers, and Stutzman -- all aye. Absent: Gauthier and Naylor. Ordinance passed: Four ayes, zero nays, two absent. Following is the ordinance:

Ordinance No. 2012-03 Consumers Energy Company Electric

Franchise Oridinance An ordinance, granting to Consumers Energy Company, its successors and assigns, the right, power and authority to construct, maintain and commercially use electric lines consisting of towers, masts, poles, crossarms, guys, braces, feeders, transmission and distribution wires, transformers and other electrical appliances on, under, along and across the highways, streets, alleys, bridges, waterways, and other public places, and to do a local electric business in the Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, for

a period of 30 years. The Village of Lincoln ordains:

Section 1. Grant, term. The Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, hereby grants the right, power and authority to the Consumers Energy Company, a Michigan corporation, its successors, and assigns, hereinafter called the "grantee" to construct, maintain and commercially use electric lines consisting of towers, masts, poles, crossarms, guys, braces, feeders, transmission and distribution wires, transformers and other electrical appliances for the purpose of transmitting, transforming and distributing electricity on, under, along and across the highways, streets, alleys, bridges, waterways, and other public places, and to do a local electric business in the Village

of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, for a period of 30 years.

Section 2. Consideration. In consideration of the rights, power and authority hereby granted, said grantee shall faithfully perform all things required by the terms thereof.

Section 3. Conditions. No highway, street, alley, bridge, waterway or other public place used by said grantee shall be obstructed longer than necessary during the work of construction or repair, and shall be restored to the same order and condition as when said work was commenced. All of grantee's structures and equipment shall be so placed on either side of the highways as not to unnecessarily interfere with the use thereof for highway purposes. All of grantee's wires carrying electricity shall be securely fastened so as not to endanger or injure persons or property in said highways. The grantee shall have the right to trim trees if necessary in conducting of such business, subject, however, to the supervision of the highway authorities.

Section 4. Hold harmless. Said grantee shall at all times keep and save the village free and harmless from all loss, costs and expense to which it may be subject by reason of the negligent construction and maintenance of the structures and equipment hereby authorized. In case any action is commenced against the village on account of the permission herein given, said grantee shall, upon notice, defend the village and save it free and harmless from all loss, cost and damage arising out of such negligent construction and maintenance.

Section 5. Extensions. Said grantee shall construct and extend its electric distribution system within said village, and shall furnish electric service to applicants residing therein in accordance with applicable laws, rules and regulations. Section 6. Franchise not exclusive. The rights, power and authority herein

granted, are not exclusive. Section 7. Rates. Said grantee shall be entitled to charge the inhabitants of said village for electric furnished therein, the rates as approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission, to which commission or its successors authority and jurisdiction to fix and regulate electric rates and rules regulating such service in said village, are hereby granted for the term of this franchise. Such rates and rules shall be subject to review and change at any time upon petition therefor being made by either said village, acting by its village council, or by said grantee.

Section 8. Revocation. The franchise granted by this ordinance is subject to

revocation upon sixty (60) days written notice by the party desiring such revocation.

Section 9. Michigan Public Service Commission, jurisdiction. Said grantee shall, as to all other conditions and elements of service not herein fixed, be, and remain subject to the reasonable rules and regulations of the Michigan Public Service Commission or its successors, applicable to electric service in said Village.

Section 10. Repealer. This ordinance when accepted and published as herein provided, shall repeal and supersede the provisions of an electric ordinance adopted by the village on August 2, 1982 entitled; An Ordinance, granting to Consumers Power Company, its successors and assigns, the right, power and authority to construct, maintain and commercially use electric lines consisting of towers, masts, poles, cross-arms, guys, braces, feeders, transmission and distribution wires, transformers and other electrical appliances on, under, along and across from the highways, streets, alleys, bridges and other public places, and to do a local electric business in the Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan for a period of 30 years.

And amendments, if any, to such ordinance whereby an electric franchise was granted to Consumers Energy Company.

Section 11. Effective date. This ordinance shall take effect upon the day after the date of publication thereof; provided, however, it shall cease and be of no effect after 30 days from its adoption unless within said period the grantee shall accept the same in writing filed with the village clerk. Upon acceptance and publication hereof, this ordinance shall constitute a contract between said village and said grantee. We certify that the foregoing franchise ordinance was duly enacted by the village council of the Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan on the 2nd day of July, 2012.

Phillip S. Jordan,

Village President Attest: Linda K. Somers,

Village Clerk

Assistant fire chief Scott DuBay stated that the old brush rig was turned back over to the DNR and a little more work needs to be done on the new rig. He stated there is paperwork that needs to be finished. A new code will be set on the door to the fire department following some issues recently. Jordan stated that we need to consider installing a water spigot outside the fire hall. Somers asked about having water put on the new ball field every other day. DuBay will work with them to try to resolve the problem.

In public comment Eric Bates asked about a vacant lot that is on Second Street where the old hardware building was located. Jordan advised that the DDA holds title to the property and the village officials will work with the DDA and any person who is interested in it. Eric also asked about the status of the dock for Brownlee Lake swimming area. Jordan said he hopes to have it put in very soon. He is also concerned about standing water behind his business. He said that although he has had some water behind his store in the past, he now has considerably more water to deal with. He asked about having the project engineer for the streetscape project look at possibly addressing the issue. Jordan will talk with the engineers and get back with Eric. New business owner Connie Coburn introduced herself to the council members. She opened Connie's Paw Spa on Second Street and is open for business. She was warmly welcomed by everyone.

Planning chairperson Connie Stutzman stated that the next meeting is set for August 16 at 6 p.m. at the village hall. The village is working with Gustin Township to update all the ordinances.

Street Administrator/Sewer Commissioner Dick Somers stated that things are going well on both fronts.

In old business, Stutzman has been checking things over at the playground and is watering trees and flowers. Jordan stated that things need to be looked at closely and any broken items need to be fixed as soon as possible. Sara Healy is working with Teresa Hart to try to set a group in motion that will work to maintain the Flights of Imagination playground. She will be putting together a list of paint colors, mulch requirements, etc. Jordan stated the Lincoln Lions will be happy to help in any cleanup effort. Sara was urged to also look into selling slats again to help finance. Anyone interested in helping in the venture may contact Sara Healy at (989) 736-8195. Somers stated that he has been keeping busy repairing equipment. Jordan said the DDA is looking at possibly purchasing a skidster to remove snow on the sidewalks. In that case the old John Deere tractor would be sold.

In new business, Stutzman stated that a chain had been cut and a picnic table was moved at the playground. Somers will work with him to put the table back and fix the chain. Stutzman asked about installing some decorative blocks around the quilt square sign at the play area. Jordan will work with him to see what needs to be done. Thank you notes were read from Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce for

the donation towards fireworks for the July 7 celebration. The other note was read from the Cook family for the fruit basket following Lexi Cook's accident. President Jordan gave his report. He said we have been contacted again regarding application for a facade grant. The grant totals \$567,720 of which business owners would be responsible for \$289,935, grant funds would be \$289,935 and the DDA would contribute \$20,000. Cost to the village would be zero. The businesses affected would be The Cozy Cabin, the Old Bank building, Coles Appliance and Sleep Shop and Alcona Motors. Jordan stated that he believes this could be attained if we act on it immediately. He asked if the council would support the venture. All agreed we should move forward. Jordan thanked Dave James and Don Read for putting all the banners arms and banners up along the streetscape area. He thanked Lincoln Lions members for their help in turning what he deems a lump of coal into a diamond. Members worked for approximately five hours and got things leveled off, grass seed planted, et cetera

Thanks to all the great people who donate their time and efforts to help things get taken care of in the village. President Jordan said that the work on Second Street is nearly finished, new asphalt has been laid and striping will then need to be done. Somers will get a quote and work with Jordan. Jerry and Mary Linton donated a flag pole in memory of their father who passed away recently. Jordan stated that today the flagpole arrived and it is beautiful. He stated that the beautification committee will help make a decision as to where it should be placed. He will report back to the council at next month's meeting. A letter was received from District Health Department No. 2 informing us of its intention to test water there for the next several weeks. Brownlee Lake Association will be holding its annual Boat Parade on August 4 at 8 p.m. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend.

A schedule was received from Nathan Walker for the new baseball team that has been playing here. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Lask, to authorize president Jordan to sign for work performed by Enterprises for the facade grant. An audit will begin soon with Johnson & Schulze CPAs. Jordan stated that he will get a price for flag brackets along Second Street.

A motion was made by Lask, with support from Somers, to pay the bills as presented. Carried. A motion to adjourn was made by Lask, with support from Healy. Motion carried.

> Linda K. Somers Village Clerk

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A wagon train (above), bunnies (top right) and goats were just a few of the things kids used to express their Fourth of July pride Saturday during the Children's Parade in Harrisville. The Harrisville Lions released 3,300 plastic ducks in Mill Creek (bottom right) for the annual duck race fund raising event. Names of the winners were not available by press time.



Flying Aces Professional Frisbee Dog Show founder Brian Hayes and his wife, Theresa, from Manchester, Mich. travel with their four dogs Ulysses, Bad Lad, Maggie and Little Joe throughout several states demonstrating the dogs' talents at retrieving Frisbees. Hayes explains the history of Frisbee and tricks you can do with them. All four dogs are rescue dogs, Hayes explained. "Two of the Dogs are now certified therapy dogs and the other two dogs need therapy," he said laughing. After the dogs performed Brian had the kids in the audience try their hand at a Frisbee contest. *Photos by Mary Weber.* 







