

Senior signs with Olivet College to play basketball

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

The Alcona Tiger who averaged 15 points and seven rebounds a game during the most recent varsity basketball season is stepping up the level of competition when he goes to college this fall.

Alcona High School senior and soon-to-be graduate Bryan Layton Jr. has signed a letter of intent to play basketball with Olivet College, which is located approximately 30 minutes southwest of Lansing, Mich.

Layton, the son of Bryan and Cheryl Layton of Mikado, has been playing basketball since he could walk. He's participated in Alcona Basketball Association teams through elementary school, played on middle school teams, spent a year on the junior varsity team and was moved to the varsity team his sophomore year.

The six foot three Layton

spent much of the last season playing in the post position, but likes shooting guard best. In the last three years he helped the Tigers win 55 games, two conference championships, two district championships and scored a career total 687 points.

He gives middle school coaches Larry Spare and Ed Laverne credit for their time and praised junior varsity coach Brad Cole for "breaking me out of my shell and making me into the player I am today. He experimented with what I could do and what my limitations were," Layton said at a press conference last Thursday.

Basketball isn't the only sport in which Layton has enjoyed. He has played soccer, also since he could walk, cumulating with four years on the varsity team. Considering his involvement with basketball and soccer, Layton came to baseball late in his

Alcona Varsity Coach Seth Coffing enjoyed having Layton on the team. "The best part was watching him grow as an athlete. As a basketball player our goal is to make him the best as he can possibly be and he's grown into a man physically and emotionally," Coffing said. "At college he will improve even more when he has a basketball in his hand all of the time instead of focusing on other sports.

"This is an exciting time for him and Alcona's basketball program," Coffing said. "It's good for younger kids to (see this) and know it is possible - the next level is in reach."

Layton will be coached by Chris Coles - formerly of Saginaw Valley State University, where Layton met Coles on a tour of that campus. He made a connection with Coles and decided to follow him to Olivet after Layton took a tour of that campus. Its wooded setting felt like home.



Bryan Layton Jr. (seated) and the Alcona Community Schools basketball coaching staff that helped him develop (from left) Varsity Coach Seth Coffing, Junior Varsity Coach Brad Cole, Tim Somers, Perry Budreau and Darwin Ginder. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.



Robert Murphy and Bill Miller raise the flag to start the Memorial Day observances in Lincoln on Monday. Additional Memorial Day photos can be found on page 10.

Alcona Review photo by Wil Weber.

Michigan DNR offers guidance to public on outdoor burning ban

On Friday, May 25 Governor Rick Snyder ordered a ban on outdoor burning in 49 Michigan counties because of the extremely high wildfire danger that continues to threaten those portions of the state.

The emergency ban will remain in effect until conditions change significantly to reduce the risk of fire, or until June 21. The counties where the ban is in effect are:

Alcona, Alger, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Baraga, Bay, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Clare, Crawford, Delta, Dickinson, Emmet, Gladwin, Gogebic, Grand Traverse, Houghton, Iosco, Iron, Isabella, Kalkaska, Keweenaw, Lake, Leelanau, Luce, Mackinac, Manistee, Marquette, Mason, Mecosta, Menominee, Midland, Missaukee, Montmorency, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, Ogemaw, Ontonagon, Osceola, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, Roscommon, Schoolcraft and Wexford.

The ban prohibits the following acts on or adjacent to forest lands:

- The burning of any flammable material, including refuse, brush, stumps, rub-

bish, grass, stubble, leaves, or crop residue.

- The burning of debris in a burn barrel.

- The burning of campfires, except those within permanently established metal or masonry containers or fire rings at authorized campgrounds. The ban does not prohibit campfires at places of habitation. Authorized campgrounds are those campgrounds with permanently established roads and campsites, which have designated locations for campfires. This includes state parks, as well as most private, county and township-operated campgrounds.

- The smoking of a pipe, cigar and/or cigarette outdoors adjacent to forest lands, with the exception of places of habitation, authorized and improved campgrounds or in any automobile or truck.

The ban does not prohibit the use of charcoal grills or propane or liquid-fueled camping stoves. A violation of the burning ban is a misdemeanor. Anyone responsible for starting a wildfire is liable for the cost of suppressing the fire.

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tenure at Alcona High School. He played on the junior varsity and varsity teams. This season he pitched and played third base.

Besides team sports, Layton is an avid outdoorsman who enjoys fishing and hunting. Something he will miss a great deal while in college downstate.

"I'd like to thank all of my coaches for the time and effort they put into me over the years," Layton said. "I'd also like to thank my parents for hauling me around everywhere and being there to support me through the good and bad games."

Layton, who plans on entering the pre-med program, will be a member of a young team, as Coles is working on rebuilding the program. "There will be a lot of freshmen coming in on the team," Layton said. "And we will be able to play together for four years."

While he hasn't been given a position on the team, Layton said he will work hard in order to earn a starting position. "I'm one of the most competitive people that you will ever meet...I'm not used to losing and I don't like losing. I just want to be successful and will work hard to be successful," he said.

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Obituaries

Irwin J. Bennett

Irwin J. Bennett, age 88 of Hubbard Lake, died Thursday, May 24, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center. He was born November 12, 1923 to Laurence and Pearl (Wheaton) Bennett in Flint, Mich., resided there most of his life. Mr. Bennett joined the U.S. Navy during WWII and served in the Pacific Theater. On November 5, 1946 he married Harriet Robbins. Mr. Bennett was employed by the City of Flint, Department of Public Works as a heavy equipment operator, retiring in 1976 after 32 years. In 1983 he moved to Hub-

bard lake. He was a member of the William Moore VFW Post No. 6754 of Spruce, the Ossineke Eagles Aerie No. 3762 and enjoyed boating and golfing.

Mr. Bennett is survived by his wife, Harriet; one daughter, SueAnne Morris of Harrisville; one son, Larry Bennett of Flint; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his sister, Katherine Kasper and a brother, Verlon Bennett.

Private services will be held. Cremation arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Jerry E. Hale

Jerry E. Hale, age 42 of Lincoln died Tuesday, May 22, 2012 at the University of Michigan hospital in Ann Arbor. He was born July 1, 1969 to Jerry and Janet (Crainger) Hale in Maine. Mr. Hale was in the U.S. Army where he served in Desert Storm. He married Helen Rodriguez in 1992 and she preceded him in death in 2006. Mr. Hale was a longtime resident of Mikado, moving to Lincoln in 2007. In 2007 he married Vicki Dever. Mr. Hale was employed at Cooper Standard of Oscoda in industrial maintenance. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and cooking.

Mr. Hale is survived by his wife Vicki; one daughter, Alyssa Hale, his parents, Jerry and Janet Hale of Mikado; two stepsons, John Stymiest of Harrisville and Eric Stymiest of Lincoln; one brother, Mark Hale of Columbus, Ohio; and one sister, Karen (Shane) Moulton of Lincoln.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2012 at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. The family will receive friends at noon until time of service at 2 p.m. Cremation arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Police Report

A downstate man was killed Friday at 5 p.m. in an off road vehicle (ORV) accident in Lost Lake Woods Club. According to a preliminary investigation by the Alcona County Sheriff's Department, Adam Schwab, 47, of Fraser, Mich. was driving a four-wheeler when he left the trail, lost control and was ejected from the vehicle. Another ORV driven by Scott Schwab, 23, of Fraser, Mich. was following behind and collided with his father after he was ejected.

Adam Schwab was pronounced dead at the scene. Scott Schwab was transported by Alcona County EMS to Alpena Regional Medical Center for minor injuries. The incident is under investigation by the sheriff's department, Michigan State Police and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.



The following Alcona varsity track members will compete at the state finals at Jenison High School on Saturday, June 2. Boys 800 and 400 meter relay team (back row, from left) Aaron Ritchie, Garrett Norling (alternate); (middle row) Brandon Gibson, Andrew Chamberlin, Eric Hampton, Coach Larry Spare, (front row) Assistant Coach Hope Smith; girls 3200 meter relay team, Ashley Smith, Megan Quick, Nicole Smith, Karina Cole and Nicole Quick (alternate). Megan Quick also qualified in two individual events placing first in both the 400 (1:00.3) and 800 (2:26.7) and Karina Cole placed third in the 800 (2:31.9). *Courtesy photo.*

Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2011-2012

Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
May 20	72	54	0.00	4.3	16	SSW
May 21	69	55	0.00	3.6	18	N
May 22	66	49	0.00	6.9	24	NNE
May 23	64	45	0.00	1.9	9	NE
May 24	70	48	0.00	5.4	21	SSW
May 25	82	55	0.00	5.1	24	SSW
May 26	67	52	0.00	1.7	9	N

Precipitation Summary (Inches)		
	2012	2011
Weekly Total	0.00	0.51
May to Date	1.72	3.13
Year/Season to Date	7.91	13.15

Normal: 0.62 (High Speed), 2.21 (May to Date), 9.81 (Year/Season to Date)

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

Calendar of Events

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

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

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. No charge. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

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

Digitally download to your Nook instruction at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call, (989) 724-6797 to reserve a space.

A new guild of knitters and crocheters will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center. All homemade items will be given to local groups in Alcona County. Bring with you any yarn, needles, looms and patterns. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

GM Sunrise Side Salaried Retirees will hold their regular monthly luncheon meeting at the Holiday Inn, 1000 US-23 North, Alpena at 11:30 a.m. Reservations and payment in advance. Contact, Chuck Griffin (989) 727-3350, Frank Baranski (989) 595-2789 or Don Canteberry (989) 354-5504 for more information.

THURSDAY, MAY 31

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.

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

Walk in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. No charge. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

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

Mollie Oblinger, Alpena Wildlife Sanctuary's 2012 artist in residence will speak at the Alpena County George

N. Fletcher Public Library at 7 p.m. The event is free and open to the public.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center 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 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Popcorn and a movie at the Lincoln Senior Center at 2 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 10:15 to 11 a.m.

Fish fry at the Mikado American Legion Post No. 254, 2205 Alger St., from 5 to 7 p.m. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for kids six to 12, five and under eat for free. The public is welcome.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

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 Harrisville Nature Club field trip to observe nesting birds at the Harrisville State Park. Meet at the pavilion at 1 p.m. Call Frank Apsey (989) 724-3056 for more information.

Plane Fun! Kids ages 11 to 15 are invited to build their own balsa plane at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 2 p.m. Registration and a \$2 materials fee required. Youth must have an adult accompany them due to sharp knives and glue. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

MONDAY, JUNE 4

Senior commodities will be distributed at the Lincoln Senior Center from 9 to 10 a.m. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Two computers and WIFI will be available for seniors over 60 for use at the Lincoln Senior Center 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 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Get Crafty for Adults at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The project for June is Altered Book Creations with the library staff. There is a \$2 charge for supplies. Call (989) 724-6796 to register.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

The planning committee for Mikado Days 2012 will meet at 7 p.m. at the Mikado Civic Center, 2291 S. F-41. For information or to volunteer, call (989) 736-7721.

Walk in the upstairs hall

at the Lincoln Senior Center from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

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

Laurie Aimes from Catholic Human Services will be the guest speaker at the Greenbush Senior Center, 3029 Campbell Rd., at 4:15 p.m. The topic is prescription drug abuse. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

An artist reception for the students of Alcona Elementary I.C.E. program will be held at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 5 to 7 p.m. Refreshments provided by Friends of the Library. Art will be on display until June 27.

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Alcona student earns state award

By Dan O'Connor
Special to the Review

An Alcona High School student walked away with the highest award given at the state level in industrial and technology engineering recently.

Allen Vandenboom, a junior, brought home the Grand Award from the Michigan Industrial and Technology Engineering Society (MITES) state competition at Saginaw Valley State University on May 4.

Vandenboom's combination of a gun cabinet and desk was a hefty project, but industrial arts teacher Chuck Boyer knew he could do it. "Allen has an exceptional work ethic and challenges himself each year. He came in with a game plan going into each class period (with) what he was going to accomplish and did it."

"This is the highest award that a program can receive in our organization. I think this accomplishment, along with the overall accomplishments of the students over the last few years is cementing us as a strong program," Boyer said.

The project took a tremendous amount of dedication and time in order to complete it. "I started at the beginning of the school year and worked until May 3. I was pretty focused during my one hour class time and also put in extra time after school and on weekends during open shop," Vandenboom said.

Boyer explained an award of this stature is very difficult to achieve with thousands of projects going through the regional competition and is the closest thing to a state championship that MITES awards. "As a teacher you never really know if you have

a student (who will) attain this award," Boyer said.

"I was very happy and excited but didn't really know what to say (about the award) at first. It definitely took a while to set in," Vandenboom said.

Coming up with a project of this caliber takes a lot of creativity and vision. "I wanted to build something cool and unique and also go far in the competition so I designed something crazy," he said.

Alcona High School will host the regional competition next year. "Between 20 and 30 schools will be competing here in all different areas of industrial technology (woods, metals, drafting, graphic arts, plastics and more)," Boyer said.

The following Alcona High School students received honors in the regional and state competitions:

Keturah Ashford - regional honorable mention.

Schuyler Bates - regional second place; state third place.

William Bates - regional fifth place.

Boone Bouchard - regional honorable mention.

Jacob Campbell - regional fifth place.

Aaron Carrasco - regional fifth place.

Andy Chamberlain - regional fifth place.

Courtney Ferchak - regional second place; state seventh place.

Jordan Fowler - regional first place; state first place.

Cody Franklin - regional first place; state first place.

Brandon Gibson - regional second place; state honorable mention.

Austin Gerard - regional third place; state honorable mention.

Kyle Good - regional first place; state seventh place.

Tyler Good - regional honorable mention.

Kyle Harmon - regional second place; state first place.

George Hirschfelt - regional honorable mention.

Jaymes Hollangle - regional second place; state honorable mention.

Carson Jamieson - regional sixth place.

Trent Johnson - regional fourth place; state honorable mention.

Devin LaFond - regional first place; state second place.

Trenton LaVergne - regional honorable mention.

Josh Mead - regional third place; state seventh place.

Alec Neamann - regional honorable mention.

Tyler Peterson - regional first place; state honorable mention.

Jacob Radermacker - regional third place; state fourth place.

Brandon Ritchie - regional fourth place; state honorable mention.

Steve Rizzotto - regional honorable mention.

Jesse Schram - regional honorable mention.

Ryan Schultz - regional honorable mention.

Brett Sexton - regional fifth place.

Keegan Smith - regional honorable mention.

Derek Stoinski - regional sixth place.

Zach Stoner - regional sixth place.

Hannah Terspstra - regional honorable mention.

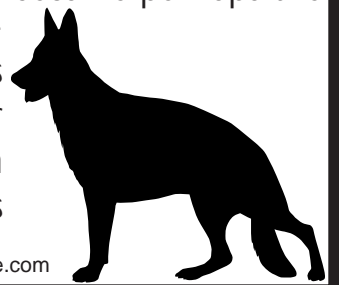
Dalton Vandenboom - regional first place; state fifth place.

Michael Wilke - regional honorable mention.



Alcona High School student Allen Vandenboom with his award winning combination gun cabinet and desk.
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Local Notes

Meet the Artists

Community members are invited to meet the student artists from the Imagine, Create, Excel (ICE) art exhibit at a reception in their honor on Tuesday, June 5 from 5 - 7 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. The art created during this year's afterschool art program, sponsored by the East Shore Art Guild, will be on display from June 1 through June 27, including "Cave Paintings," "Hieroglyphs," and "Fossil Drawings." Refreshments provided by Friends of the Library. For more information, call (989)724-6796.

New Arrival

Hartley Noreen Jones and Hailey Kay Jones are the new twin daughters of Frederic and Anna (Wanzer) Jones Jr. They were born Monday, April 23, 2012 at Oakwood Southshore Hospital in Trenton, Mich. Hartley weighed five pounds, 12 ounces and was 17.5 inches long, Hailey weighed five pounds, six ounces and was 17.5 inches long. They are the granddaughters of Eldon Wanzer of Andrews, Texas, Tammy Gonyea of Harrisville and Frederic and Shelley Jones of Brownstown, Mich. They are the great-granddaughters of Rena Wanzer of Harrisville, Monty and Noreen Kruttlin of Harrisville and Kathleen Bender of Flat Rock, Mich.

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, June 4—Pepper steak over rice, Brussels sprouts, coleslaw and fruit.
- Tuesday, June 5—Chef's salad with ham, turkey, boiled egg, lettuce, tomato, cheese and shredded carrots and strawberry shortcake.
- Wednesday, June 6—Pork roast, stuffing with gravy, carrots, pineapple cheddar salad and fruit.
- Thursday, June 7—Chicken parmesan over spaghetti, peas, tropical fruit salad and fruit.
- Friday, June 8—Pollock almandine, red parsley potatoes, cauliflower, pickled beets and fruit.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Garden Program

The Sunrise Side Master Gardener Association is hosting an educational gardening program on Tuesday, June 12 at the Plainfield Township Hall on M-65 in Hale. There is no cost to attend. The featured speaker is Janet Macunovich, who will present "50 Great Before and After Garden Ideas." Her program will feature a color slide show of gardens before and

after their transformations.

Macunovich is a professional gardener, designer, author and educator. She began designing for others in 1980, teaching a college garden design course in 1987, and published her first book in 1990. In 1985 Macunovich established Perennial Favorites, a garden and landscape design firm.

Doors will open at 5 p.m. Vendors include Hale Hardware, The Stone Cottage Garden, Blooming Scents, The Cottage Gardener, and Treasures by Tacy. Refreshments will be served. The speaker will begin at 6:30 p.m. The program is a community service event of the Sunrise Side Master Gardener Association.

Fresh Fruit Frenzy

Everyone is invited to join the Thursday morning Community Walking Group at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 14 for a walk around downtown Harrisville, followed by a Fresh Fruit Frenzy at about 9:30 a.m., with a variety of fresh fruit for all. Meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library to begin a one or two mile walk at each participant's own pace, and finish up back at the library with a fresh fruit snack. Participants are asked to check with their health care practitioner to see if they are healthy enough to walk for 20 to 40 minutes on pavement. New this summer - mystery walks. Community Walking Club walks every Thursday morning at 8:30 a.m., rain or shine. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Dining with the Doctors

Interested adults are invited to meet Judy Burns, director and founder of "Friends Together," at the next "Dining with the Doctors" on Thursday, June 14 at noon at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Burns will speak on cancer survivorship. Friends Together is a cancer survivor support organization to help persons and their families dealing with a cancer diagnosis; input from this presentation may help start a support group in Alcona County. Free lunch included. The program is limited to 25 participants; call (989) 724-6796 to register or for more information. This program is a cooperative effort through the Alcona Health Center and Alcona County Library to bring health information to Alcona citizens.

Giving Circle Grant

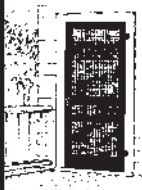
The Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) is accepting grant applications for the Fifth Annual Women's Giving Circle (WGC) grant cycle. Programs or projects should address issues important to women. Over \$100,500 has been given to the WGC Fund from donors who want to make an impact on women's issues in our area, all of which helps make these grants possible.

The deadline for applications is July 2, 2012. All 501(c)(3) non-profit agencies and organizations in the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency and Presque Isle are invited to apply. Applicants may review the grant requirements and submit an application online at www.cfnem.org or may print an application form to send by regular mail. For more information, call the CFNEM office at (989) 354-6881, (toll free) (877) 354-6881, or stop by the CFNEM office at 111 Water Street in downtown Alpena.

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Homeruns and walk-off win highlight Alcona's week of baseball

By Jared Steiner
Baseball Writer

A walk-off win can bolster a team's confidence and get everyone fired up for playoff time.

The Alcona boys varsity baseball team had a victory in that style this week just in time to prepare for Districts.

Monday, May 21st Alcona faced Roscommon at home and left with a split. In the first game Alcona lost 4-2 with Joe Hudgins pitching for the Tigers.

He went five innings giving up four runs (two earned) on five hits with four strikeouts and zero walks.

Bryan Layton had two hits and Dillon Dahn had an RBI single to lead the Tigers.

In the nightcap Alcona got the bats fired up and came away with a 19-5 victory.

Layton was the winning pitcher as he went four innings giving up four runs (one earned) on two hits with three strikeouts and six walks. Dahn came on to pitch one inning and gave up one hit.

Alcona's hitting was lead by Cody Franklin with two hits and two RBI, Carson Jamieson's two hits and four RBI. Dahn and Layton both had two hits and two RBI as well for the Tigers.

On Thursday, May 24th Alcona traveled to Rogers City and came away with another split winning the first game 5-3 and losing the second

17-7.

In the first game Cody Franklin was the winning pitcher for the Tigers going all six innings allowing three unearned runs on four hits with 3 walks while fanning 12 Huron batters.

Franklin also had a solo home run to start the game as the Tigers scored four runs in the first inning.

Nathan Fettes blasted a two run homer and Bryan Layton and Carson Jamieson both had two hits for the Tigers.

In the nightcap Alcona's pitcher was Jamieson as he went one inning giving up seven runs on five hits with zero strikeouts and three walks. Dillon Dahn came on to pitch an inning giving up five runs on one hit with one strikeout and four walks. Fettes threw the last two and a third innings and gave up four runs one unearned on three hits with one strikeout and one walk.

Kevin Pagels had three hits and two RBI to lead the Tiger's batting with Franklin also getting one hit.

On Friday, May 25th the Tigers hosted Mount Morris in a one game seven inning outing and lost 7-2.

Trenton LaVergne was called up from the JV team to pitch and he went five and a third innings giving up five runs, only one earned, on seven hits with five strikeouts and four walks.

Bryan Layton had two hits and an RBI to lead Alcona.

Then on Saturday, May 26th the Tigers faced Mount Morris again in a double-header and split winning the first game 10-9 and losing the second 11-7. In the first game Layton threw six innings giving up five runs three of which were earned, on seven hits with five strikeouts and two walks.

Nathan Fettes got the winning decision as the game went into a seventh inning and he gave up 4 unearned runs on two hits with zero strikeouts and one walk.

Cody Franklin had a walk-off hit scoring Joe Hudgins to win the exciting game for Alcona.

The Tigers bats were lead by Layton's three hits and five RBI and Carson Jamieson's two hits. Greg LaVigne also had two hits and two RBI in a strong batting game for the Tigers.

In the second game Alcona's pitcher was Joe Hudgins as he went six innings giving up eleven runs including nine earned, on thirteen hits with five strikeouts and three walks.

Jamieson pitched a perfect inning in relief with two strikeouts.

Layton, Fettes, LaVigne and Clayton O'Neil all had two hits for Alcona.

The Tigers record stands at 14-21 as they prepare for Districts which start Friday at Mio.

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The following Great Lakes ports are within MH-1: DeTour, Cedarville, St. Ignace, Mackinaw City, Cheboygan, Hammond Bay, and Rogers City. The following Great Lakes ports are within MH-2: Presque Isle, Rockport, Alpena, and Black River.

- The daily possession limit shall be three (3) lake trout or splake.
- The minimum size limit for lake trout and splake shall be 15 inches.
- The possession season shall be May 1 through September 30.

This Order shall take effect on June 14, 2012. This Order shall remain in effect until March 31, 2017 or until this Order is amended or rescinded, whichever comes first. Although this Order may be reviewed and amended on an annual basis, a review of this Order shall occur no later than August 1, 2016.

Rodney A. Stokes
Director

*MH-1 is bounded on the west by the Mackinac Bridge, on the north by an east west line from the village of Detour in Chippewa County at Latitude 46°00'N to the west shore of Drummond Island and an east-west line from the east shore of Drummond Island at Latitude 46°00'N to the international boundary, and on the east and south by a line beginning where Longitude 083°30'W intersects the international boundary near Drummond Island in Chippewa County and extending southward along said longitude to Latitude 45°30'N, then extending westward along said latitude to Longitude 083°40'W, then extending southward along said longitude to shore about 3.5 miles southeast of Adams Point in Presque Isle County.

*MH-2 is bounded on the north by MH-1, on the east by the international boundary, and on the south by an east-west line extending from the shore about one mile north of Black River in Alcona County at Latitude 44°50'N and extending eastward along said latitude to the International boundary.

5/16 thru 5/30

Organization's Notes

VFW Post No. 6754

Ladies Auxiliary

The May 2012 meeting was held with 11 members and one guest, Marcia Simmons, present. The minutes and the treasurer's report were read.

Norma Alstrom reported that she and Sandy Light pinned corsages on 34 teachers, assistants, secretary, janitors, et cetera, at Sanborn School for Loyalty Day. Marie Rhines advised that June is Men's Cancer Awareness Month; Sandy Light is working with department to resolve the membership discrepancy which is 81 and the

audit report was read.

The installation of officers was held with Mary Ann Seymour serving as the installing officer.

The officers are: Kathleen Vichunas, president; Francis Ziesman, senior vice president; Marie Rhines, junior vice president; Emma Liske, secretary; Sandra Light, treasurer; Donna Bushey, chaplain; Sharon Jack, Conductress; Mary Ann Seymour, Guard; Marie Rhines, 1-year trustee; Mary Ann Seymour, 2-year trustee and Erma Wyers, 3-year trustee.

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When it comes to raising grandkids, you definitely have plenty of company. Across the country about 5.8 million children are living with their grandparents, as the parents struggle with a variety of problems such as financial hardship, drug and alcohol addiction, prison time, domestic violence, divorce and more.

To help with the day-to-day expenses of raising grandkids, there are a variety of government programs and tax benefits that can make a big difference in stretching your budget.

For starters, find out whether your family qualifies for your state's Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program, which may include cash assistance, food stamps and free or low-cost daycare. Or, if your household income is too high to qualify as a family, ask about the "child-only grant" for just the grandchild's support alone.

Also, find out if your state offers any additional programs like guardianship subsidies, non-parent grants or kinship care. Contact your state TANF program (see www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ofa for contact information), or call your county social services office for more information.

You also need to find out if your grandkids are eligible for Social Security, including benefits for children, survivor benefits or SSI. You can find this out at your local Social Security office, or call (800)772-1213 or see www.ssa.gov.

And finally, use benefitscheckup.org, a comprehensive web resource that helps you search for additional financial assistance programs that you may be eligible for,

such as lower energy bills, discounts on prescription medications and more.

In addition to the financial assistance resources, Uncle Sam offers some tax benefits that may help you too like the Dependency Exemption which allows you to deduct \$3,800 in 2102 on each qualifying grandchild.

There's also the Earned Income Tax Credit or EITC which is available to those with moderate to low incomes, or the Child Tax Credit if you make too much money to qualify for the EITC.

If you're working, and are incurring child care expenses in order to work, there's a Child and Dependent Care Credit that can help. And, if you choose to legally adopt your grandkids, there's an Adoption Credit that provides a federal tax credit of up to \$12,650 per child.

There are even education-related tax credits through the American Opportunity Tax Credit or the Lifetime Learning Credit to help if your grandkids go to college.

To learn more about these

tax benefits call (800) 829-1040, or visit www.irs.gov. You can also call the IRS publication line at (800) 829-3676 and ask them to mail you the following publications: 501, 503, 596, 970, 972, and Form 8839.

If your grandkids need health insurance, depending on your income level, you may be able to get free or low-cost health insurance through your state's Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program. See insurekidsnow.gov or call (877) 543-7669 for more information.

You also need to talk to a family law attorney to discuss the pros and cons of obtaining legal guardianship, custody or adoption. Without some sort of legal custody, you may not be eligible for many of the previously listed financial assistance programs, and there can be problems with basic things like enrolling your grandkids in school, or giving a doctor permission to treat them.

If you need help locating affordable or free legal assistance use findlegalhelp.org, or call the Eldercare Locator at (800) 677-1116 for referrals.

• Savvy tip: To find support with other grandparents who are raising their grandchildren, visit the AARP GrandCare Support Locator at giclocalsupport.org where you can search for support groups in your area.

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Husband and wife team help community

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Bill and Cindy Hartman enjoy volunteering in the community as much as they enjoy spending time in their Greenbush home.

They have a positive, relaxed approach which lightens every task, even when the volunteer work isn't always clean or sweat free.

And, they don't shy away from hard work. Both are on the boards of the county recycling program and the Alcona Humane Society. Bill is a hospice volunteer for Hospice of Michigan and the hospice program for St. Joseph Heath System in Tawas. Cindy also volunteers for Great Lakes Family Medicine in Oscoda.

"We knew when we retired we'd be moving to Alcona County, but we had no idea that we'd spend so much time volunteering," Bill said.

Before moving to Alcona County the Hartmans both worked for Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor, Mich. They even retired from the same department on the same day in March 2002.

Bill started working for Veterans Hospital when he got out of the Army in 1972 and continued his employment there for 33 years. "Now you have to obtain college degrees to perform the job I had. I was very fortunate to work for doctors and a nurse anesthetist willing to train me," Bill said.

His career at the hospital

began with the duties of washing instruments and advanced to scrub nurse working for cardiac surgery and assisting the anesthesiologist.

In addition to working for Veterans Hospital, he was an EMT volunteer fireman which involved many medical runs for automobile accidents. "There are a lot of car accidents on I-94. We'd have to get the Jaws of Life and literally cut people out of cars," Bill said, "I was also a safety specialist at Mylan Dragway and worked for an emergency animal hospital on the weekends."

Cindy worked at the Veterans Hospital as a secretary in the anesthesia department. Coincidentally, they didn't meet at work, but by chance when Bill was hitchhiking after work one day. "I know I shouldn't have picked up a hitchhiker," Cindy said, "but I didn't think about what could have happened."

"I stopped when I saw just him and then he pulled his buddy from the bushes and said 'Oh here's my friend, he needs a ride too,' Cindy said. She added that it wasn't a safe thing to do, even then.

Bill had always lived in Ann Arbor, while Cindy grew up in Brighton, Mich. which was mostly country then. Her grandfather was a farmer and her parents lived next door to him. "My dad loved the country and coming up north. Dad and I bought little pieces of land up here in Greenbush before I even had a car. It's just beautiful up here," Cindy said.

Prior to their retirement, the Hartman's came to Greenbush for long weekends in the spring, summer and fall. "We had a small trailer on an acre of land, but we never came up in the winter," Bill said. "The trailer had no heat. I told Cindy we should retire up here but with a house that had heat. We also wanted more land and ended up finding a house with 40 acres."

Once they retired and settled in, Bill saw an ad in the paper asking for hospice volunteers. "I thought it



would be a good way to meet some of the community up here, so I took the courses. I never thought I'd be doing hospice work, but I've been doing it for about nine years," Bill said. His duties included respite so family members can get out and run errands. "It's got to be very stressful on the spouse of someone so ill. They (family members) feel they can't ever leave. They need to get out, even if it's just to go to lunch with friends," Bill said.

Cindy began meeting the community by volunteering for the recycle program. "My dad was a big recycler and reuser before it was even the thing to do. He was from the old days where you didn't throw things out, you did something with it. He saved everything."


Needing more volunteers at recycling, Cindy recruited Bill and now they both spend one Saturday a month at the recycling site sifting through plastic, glass, papers and cans. "It's busy, dirty work, but it's such a nice group," Bill said. "Only one percent of our county recycles," Cindy said. "We'd love to see that increase. It's so important for our future generations."

The Hartman's devotion to animals is present throughout their home. They have five adopted cats and one very special adopted dog, Sugar, from the Alcona Humane Society. "Sugar gets along so well with all our cats; she is the most perfect dog you can get," Bill said.

Many county residents may remember Sugar as the

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Who's turning 60 on June 5th?



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Volunteers

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friendly Alcona Humane Society mascot several years ago. After many years of devoted service, Bill and Cindy realized she needed to retire to a home of her very own. "I'm glad we got her and I think we've given Sugar a great home here. She has total run of the house and yard," said Bill. "The first day we brought Sugar home she jumped on every chair, sofa and bed we had," Cindy said.

The Hartmans do a lot more for the shelter than adopt animals and sit on the board (he's the president, she's the secretary), in fact, much of their free time is spent doing something for the shelter. "They are devoted friends of the shelter," said Alcona Humane Society Shelter Administrator Jennifer Forbes.

"The Hartmans are truly indispensable. They participate at every single fundraiser the shelter has. It is because of Bill and Cindy's devotion to the shelter and knowing Dr. Maves the Alcona Humane Society is able to have spay and neuter clinics, a vital community service. Bill even assists with the surgeries. They are instrumental in providing the shelter with food, kitty litter, toys for the animals and other necessities. They go down state on their own to pick up huge van loads of donated items.

"They have helped transport animals to the University of Michigan to be neutered. Bill makes the swings, continuing the tradition of our annual swing raffle. He also helps with maintenance in the building and is always there for support. Cindy will do anything from yard work to walking dogs in parades. They help animals by taking them to vets and they also sell the most raffle tickets for our fundraisers."

Cindy explained, "Dr. Maves is our veterinarian and dear friend down in Dexter, Mich. We've know him for years. He's the best. When he comes to perform spay and neuter clinics at Alcona Humane Society, he will bring his whole crew up with him and all of their work is done free of charge to the shelter. Through Dr. Maves' clinic in Dexter we've been able to receive donations from the Village of Dexter, Chelsea and the Greater Hillsdale Humane Society as well as obtaining donated goods through a Walmart distribution center down state."

Bill learned to make the swings from former Alcona Humane Society board member Keith Meranda of Greenbush, who, up to just a few years ago, made the swings for the raffle. "Keith taught me well," Bill said, "I helped him build a swing at his house and then he came and helped me build a swing at mine. Then I had to build one on my own. He critiqued it and made sure it was done right before putting his stamp of approval on it. Now I build benches and picnic tables too."

Besides being busy, the Hartmans enjoy time in their cozy home.

"I feel if I stayed in Ann Arbor, I would not be doing



Cindy and Bill Hartman with their dog Sugar. *Alcona Review photo by Mary Weber*

anything like the amount of volunteer work we do now. I probably wouldn't be doing much of anything," Bill said.

"We've met wonderful people up here and have gotten used to life here. We like the quiet and no traffic. When we lived down in Ann Arbor and opened the windows all you could hear was I-94 traffic all night long. And sirens," Cindy said, "lots and lots of sirens."

"I love the dark up here. I don't like lights shining in my windows if they are not mine," Bill said. "Here when you wake up in the morning all you hear are birds singing, the wind blowing or rain. I love listening to the rain. We enjoy the wildlife. Just this morning we watched an eagle hovering above our porch. In Ann Arbor all you would ever see is an occasional skunk or raccoon."

Gazing out into the Hartman's yard, it is understandable why visitors enjoy sitting on their deck. The Hartmans admit to being a slave to their gardens and it shows. Twice the Hartman's yard has been featured in the Sunrise Gardening Club's annual garden walk. It's a true work of love where diverse flowers and giant grasses provide an oasis. Bird feeders are filled to capacity and a blue bird house is filled with a blue bird family.

The only thing Bill misses about living in the Ann Arbor area is the amount of culturally different restaurants they had easy access to. "I love home delivered meals, I really miss home delivered pizza, they won't deliver it way out where we live," Bill said.

Still the Hartmans feel not having meals delivered is a small price to pay to live in a place where there's very little traffic, deer, fox, eagles and an occasional bear roam through their yard and the only lights shining in their house at night are from the moon and stars.

"We're as busy as we want to be, we don't have a lot of money, but we do what we can to help the community and we enjoy it," Bill said. He added that sometimes he feels he should be doing more but that it's also important to take time out to listen to the rain fall or the birds sing. "We've got it all right here," Cindy said. "And we don't ever want to leave. It's very peaceful."

For information on volun-

teering or donating to the Alcona Humane Society or additional information about the Alcona County recycling program or to volunteer with recycling, call Bill Hartman at (989) 736-7650.

(Editor's Note: The Review would like to recognize other community volunteers like Bill and Cindy Hartman who are leaving a legacy in our community. Suggestions, complete with a short list of volunteer involvement, can be submitted to P.O. Box 548, Harrisville, Mich.)

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Mikado American Legion honor guard and rifle squadron at the Mikado Cemetery. They also held services at the Indian Mission Cemetery and Mikado Goodfellows and Mikado American Legion Post 254. From left to right they are: Jerry Blevins, Robert Murphy, William Miller, Robert Bliss, Carl Pierce, Norman Thomas, Charlotte Blevins, Dale Cole and Richard Tracy.
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Rev. Douglas McCormick was the keynote speaker for the Memorial Day ceremonies in Harrisville and Lincoln. He spoke of the hardships veterans faced and their heroic action.
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U.S. Postal Service to begin consolidation plan

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

In an effort to reorganize and gain financial stability the U. S. Postal Service (USPS) plans to consolidate its network of 461 mail processing locations in two phases over 18 months to ensure customers and employees have time to adapt.

A press release from the USPS on May 17, explained the first phase will result in up to 140 consolidations through February 2013. Unless circumstances change, a second and final phase of 89 consolidations will begin in February 2014.

Consolidation will begin this summer, involving transferring mail-processing operations from smaller to larger facilities in July and August. No consolidations will be conducted from September through December due to the volume of high-priority mail predicted for the election and holiday mailing season.

Megan Brennan, chief operating officer of the Postal Service said, "We will be conducting consolidation activities this summer at only 48 locations. Nearly all consolidating activities in 2012 will occur in August and then will resume again in the early part of next year."

Phase one of the consolidate includes six Michigan facilities in Gaylord, Saginaw, Jackson, Lansing and Romulus.

"The postal service will be communicating with our customers and employees about these changes in great detail," Brennan said. "We will work closely with our customers to ensure there are no surprises as we move forward."

The press release also said USPS is working with its unions for an employee retirement incentive, although no final decision has been made.

A new regulation to modify existing service standard for overnight delivery was also announced. The postal service said a final rule would soon be registered that would initially shrink the geographic reach of overnight service to local areas and enable con-

solidation activity in 2013.

"We are essentially preserving overnight delivery for first-class mail through the end of 2013, although we are collapsing the distance that we can provide overnight service to the distribution area served by a particular mail processing facility," Brennan said.

Information regarding the proposed reduction of rural post office hours was not included in the May 17 press release, however, Sabrina Todd, postal service spokesperson for the Greater Michigan District said last Friday, the post office plan is to preserve services in rural areas by modifying hours depending on work load and need. Todd explained hours of operation have not been changed yet and that meetings would be scheduled with the public before changes were made.

"The needs of customers have changed. The post office will make changes to meet these needs. Zip code and community identity would be retained but (postal) hours may be adjusted or a village post office may open as an option," Todd said.

According to the USPS website, village post offices are operated by community businesses to provide selected postal products and services, including Forever Stamps and Priority Mail Flat Rate packages and envelopes. These retail units may also provide post office boxes either inside or outside the business.

The usps.com/news website included a preliminary list of proposed retail hour reductions which could affect residents in Alcona County. The list includes post office hour reductions in Barton City and Curran to two retail hours; Glennie, Greenbush and Mikado to four retail hours; Hubbard Lake, Lincoln and Spruce to six retail hours. Notation on the list stated it was a preliminary list and required additional review, analysis, verification and may be subject to change.

U.S. Postmaster General and Chief Patrick Donahoe

stated in the May 17 press release, "We simply do not have the mail volumes to justify the size and capacity of our current mail processing network. To return to long-term profitability and financial stability while keeping mail affordable, we must match our network to the anticipated workload."

"Our current plan meets our cost reduction goals, ensures seamless and excellent service performance throughout the implementation period, and provides adequate time for our customers to adapt to our network changes."

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Operating While Intoxicated	1	Domestic	3
Animal/Dog	10	Driving Licensed Sus./Rev.	1
Abandoned Vehicle	2	Miscellaneous	7
Threats/Harrasment	2	Larceny	5
Assault & Battery	1	Found Property	1
Personal Injury	1	Warrants	4
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Noise Complaint	3	Littering	1
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Millen	5	Mitchell	1		
Harrisville City	9	Village of Lincoln	0		

American Life in Poetry

**By Ted Kooser
U.S. Poet Laureate 2004-2006**

We've published a number of engaging poems about parenthood in this column, and we keep finding more. Here's Wendy Videlock, who lives in Colorado, taking a look into a child's room.

Disarmed

I should be diligent and firm,
I know I should, and frowning, too;
again you've failed to clean your room.
Not only that, the evidence
of midnight theft is in your bed—
cracked peanut shells and m&m's
are crumbled where you rest your head,
and just above, the windowsill
is crowded with a green giraffe
(who's peering through your telescope),
some dominoes, and half a glass
of orange juice. You hungry child,
how could I be uncharmed by this,
your secret world, your happy mess?

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Nesting with motherly love

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

While visiting my husband's mother downstate on her 66th Mother's Day, another mom was busy in our Alcona backyard looking for the perfect nesting site.

She found Willy's tractor unoccupied and perhaps with her bird-sized brain thought Willy had abandoned the green machine.

"Silly bird," Wil muttered as he spotted the dried grass protruding from between the seat which had been pulled over the steering wheel to keep it dry while he was away.

Mrs. Robin built a sturdy nest right on top of his steer-

ing wheel thinking it was the perfect place to raise her next brood.

Willy's not the kind to share his precious tractor with anyone, let alone a family of birds. Since Mother's Day was just the day before, and it was a very special mother's day for me, he thought about what he would do if he lifted the seat and eggs were in the nest. He was relieved to find the nest empty.

I thought about the time and effort it took Mrs. Robin to gather just the right material, scope out all options and then, carefully go about the task of balancing sticks and

mud on top of a steering wheel.

Most birds are natural architects. They painstakingly build their nests so it's just the right size and shape and that it will offer as much protection as possible against predators to protect the future of their species. The types and sizes of nests vary with birds species, but all have the same goal in mind: To build a safe haven. Thus, providing their young with an environment to grow so someday their fledglings can fly off, take care of themselves and, eventually, build nests to raise broods of their own.

There are burrow nests

used by birds like the kingfisher who builds a cavity at the end of the burrow, which is often up to six feet long. The burrow is dug by both mom and dad with their bills and claws.

Other birds such as many ducks, shorebirds, some falcons, pheasants, quail, partridges and ostrich merely scrape the ground for their nest construction. These birds make a shallow depression in soil or vegetation, but their architectural brilliance is their instinctive technique to camouflage the nest offering enough protection for the species to continue.

Birds such as woodpeck-



ers create their cavities in living or dead trees using their beaks to break through the bark. They line the cavity with soft materials such as grass, moss, lichen, feathers or fur. Once the home has been used and the fledglings are off on their own, the vacated cavity offers other animals and birds a home.

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Other species of birds use natural cavities, and some, such as bluebirds, some owls, wood ducks, mergansers and flycatchers will use man made bird houses when natural cavities are lacking.

Many birds build their nests in colonies, sometimes called rookeries or heronries. They build nests close together in large groups which are believed to help with survival against predators. The presence of many birds offers more means of defense. More pairs of eyes and ears are available to raise the alarm if needed.

It's also been theorized that colonial birds may stay together for food foraging as well, allowing birds who have found better food sources to teach the others in the flock where to dine.

The chimney swifts are often colonial and will build a nest made of mud, saliva and short dead twigs. They at-

tach their nest to the wall deep inside a chimney, tree cavity or the attic of an abandoned building.

Nests generally range in size to fit the bird. Hummingbirds build their tiny nests on a horizontal tree limb. Measuring just .79 to 1.2 inches high, their cup nest of plant down and fibers is held together with spider silk.

In contrast to the tiny hummers a bald eagle will build huge platform stick nests up to 15 feet across, often reusing and adding on to the same nest for many years. In some cases these nests grow so large that they cause structural damage to the tree, particularly during storms where the weight of the nest can cause stress on wind tossed branches.

So where am I going with all this information about nest building and Mother's Day? Well, it turns out that not just birds nest; we humans also have habits of 'nesting.'

As our children mature and graduate from high school, they often leave the "nest" to seek higher education or in search of a career that will help provide them with the means to raise families of their own.

I've been a member of the "empty nester" club for a number of years as our children have long since graduated and have been working and making their way through adult life.

This past eight months, however, has been this empty nester's dream come true. I became a grandma on April 20 to Hope Marie Stevens, a beautiful seven pound, nine ounce baby born to my daughter, Christine, and her husband, Doug Stevens.

Even though I live four hours away, my darling daughter and son-in-law included me in many steps of their nesting journey. I was able to attend ultrasound appointments, where at just 15 weeks gestation, I watched a

live video of my granddaughter (who was about the size of an orange) lift her tiny little arm in sort of a wave to grandma from inside my daughter's uterus. My nurturing heart melted with that one little wave and I immediately felt bonded to this child for life.

We continued the journey of nesting by planning a baby shower. A time honored tradition where usually just women gather together to help prepare the nest of a new arrival. We broke a bit with tradition and invited brothers, uncles, dads and grandpas to the shower. I was a bit amazed at how many of the guys thanked us over and over again for their first baby shower experience.

I went along on shopping trips with my daughter to pick out just the right crib and baby furniture for the nursery, making the nest not only appealing but safe and secure.

I took a week off work to help the new parents to be as ready for the birth as I possibly could. I busied myself by washing the many gowns and blankets received at the shower, stocking shelves and drawers in the nursery and sorting through what items would be needed immediately and what baby items could be stored away.

Returning home, my anxiousness grew along with Christine's and even though my granddaughter was not due for another two or three weeks, I found myself preoccupied with what I can only describe as "pink fluff brain."

I found myself cleaning my own house; drawers that hadn't been touched in years were now being neatly organized. My suitcase, ready to leave at a moment's notice, was packed and re-packed at least three times. I not only vacuumed, but washed all the carpeting and even got on my hands and knees to scrub the floor, something I haven't done for years.

I don't have a dirty house, in fact, my children quite often tease me about my OCD (obsessive cleaning disorder), but for some reason I couldn't get things clean enough. I had no idea why, the baby was not coming to my house and probably would not even be able to visit for at least a month or two. But my clean house had to be re-cleaned every day thoroughly, even our dogs had to be cleaned thoroughly. I had to stop and ask myself, "Goodness, do grandmas nest too?"

I was exhausted and started feeling that there was no way I could continue the pace of constantly cleaning for another three weeks when I got the call at work that our little Hope was not going to wait until May as planned.

I cradled the Review's phone in my hand as I heard myself say to my daughter, "Okay, I'll see you sometime this evening. Everything will be fine." I headed for my editor's door. "I heard the call," she said before I even reached her door, "you're about to be a grandma, you better get going." I dropped my unfinished work on her desk and left.

That was when it really dawned on me that I was about to become a grandmother -- my fledgling was about to have her own.

After 33 years of motherhood, it's kind of reassuring to know my nesting instincts continue, even when the nest isn't for my own. As for watching my daughter meet her daughter, nothing in my entire life, not even the birth of my own children, could compare to that much motherly love.

(Mary Weber, born and raised in the suburbs of Detroit, Mich., moved to Alcona County in 2005 with her husband, Willy, when he retired. Life in the north woods, away from city life, presents new experiences with nature on a daily basis...and they love every minute of it.)

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NASCAR REPORT

Time will come for Earnhardt Jr.

NASCAR THIS WEEK
By Monte Dutton

CONCORD, N.C. — By almost every measure, Dale Earnhardt Jr. is having an impressive year.

There's this little matter of victories, though.

Earnhardt's most recent win occurred at Michigan International Speedway in June 2008. It was the 18th of his career. The streak just reached 140 races without winning.

Yet Earnhardt, 37, is third in the Sprint Cup point standings, just 14 points behind Greg Biffle. This is a man who is overdue. The next race is at Charlotte Motor Speedway, which is both the home track for the Kannapolis, N.C., native and one where he has never won a Cup points race. He did, however, win what is now the Sprint All-Star Race (then The Winston) in 2000. For that matter, he also won the Sprint Showdown over

the weekend and finished fifth in the All-Star Race.

Already this season, the son and namesake of seven-time champion Dale Earnhardt has finished second twice and third twice.

At Hendrick Motorsports, Earnhardt's teammates are five-time champion Jimmie Johnson, four-time champion Jeff Gordon and Kasey Kahne. Johnson's victory at Darlington was Rick Hendrick's 200th as an owner.

"It was disappointing because I wasn't the one to get it," Earnhardt said, "but I was happy for Jimmie (Johnson), and especially happy for Rick (Hendrick) because he's worked really hard and put a lot into this sport. It's great to see him reach milestones and be a small part of that program when that happened. It was a great experience just to be there and see their excitement.

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"It just drives me and motivates me to win some races for him. To put my name up on that list as they go to 250 and 300 (wins). I want to have a few more wins on that list there. That's how it makes me feel."

This could be the week. Then again, fans have been saying that for an awfully long while.

"There's no doubt that the core fans and the Junior fans have been waiting for that moment to happen," Gordon said. "There's still a lot of racing left to go, but the way those guys are performing, they've got a great shot at championship."

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Dale Earnhardt Jr. is having an impressive season. The Hendrick driver is third in the standings, with two runner-up finishes and two third-place finishes. (John Clark/NASCAR This Week photo)

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agency 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.

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

Laurie Aimes from Catholic Human Services will be the guest speaker at the Lincoln Senior Center at 4:15 p.m. The topic is prescription drug abuse. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Basic computer class at

the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

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

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

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

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

The Yarn Guild will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center. All homemade items will be given to local groups in Alcona

County. Bring with you any yarn, needles, looms and patterns. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

The Barton City Improvement Association will hold a special 4th of July planning meeting at 7 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Trask Lake Rd. Residents are encouraged to attend.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

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.

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The Alcona Retirees meet for a potluck lunch at the Lincoln Senior Center 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.

Friends of the Library will hold a book sale at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

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.

The 2nd Annual Michigan Military Vehicle Preservation Association Military Vehicle Show and Swap Meet will be held in Oscoda on the former Wurtsmith Air Force Base at and on the grounds of the historic Wurtsmith Air Museum, 3961 E Airport Drive, Oscoda. The show hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. This is a free educational fun event for the entire family. For more information, contact Chuck (989) 739-8403 or Bob (989) 728-6690.

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

Storytime and craft for children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 10:15 to 11 a.m.

Friends of the Library will hold a book sale at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

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.

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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.

Westminster Presbyterian bake sale, brats, hot dogs and drinks on Second St., Harrisville from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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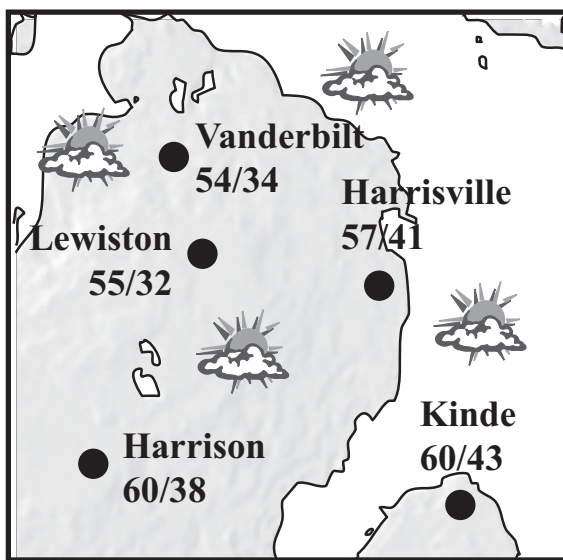
Alcona Review Weather Report

May 30, 2012

Seven Day Forecast

- WEDNESDAY**
Partly Cloudy
High: 57 Low: 41
- THURSDAY**
Sunny
High: 60 Low: 47
- FRIDAY**
Showers Likely
High: 58 Low: 49
- SATURDAY**
Mostly Cloudy
High: 62 Low: 52
- SUNDAY**
Partly Cloudy
High: 67 Low: 51
- MONDAY**
Partly Cloudy
High: 70 Low: 48
- TUESDAY**
Partly Cloudy
High: 71 Low: 52

Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 57°, humidity of 55%. Northwest wind 10 to 15 mph. The record high temperature for today is 92° set in 1988. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 41°. North wind 10 to 15 mph. The record low for tonight is 29° set in 1961.

***Last Week's Almanac**

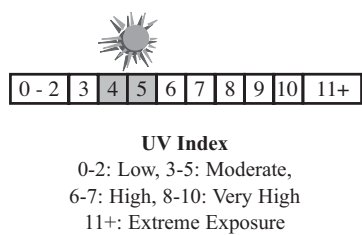
Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	83	50	66/42	0.00"
Tuesday	70	44	67/42	0.00"
Wednesday	72	40	67/42	0.00"
Thursday	87	46	68/42	0.00"
Friday	80	56	68/43	0.00"
Saturday	74	47	68/43	0.00"
Sunday	71	49	69/43	0.37"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

	Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	
Full 6/4	Wednesday	5:52 a.m.	9:11 p.m.	3:36 p.m.	2:29 a.m.	New 6/19
	Thursday	5:51 a.m.	9:11 p.m.	4:50 p.m.	2:59 a.m.	
	Friday	5:50 a.m.	9:12 p.m.	6:07 p.m.	3:32 a.m.	
	Saturday	5:50 a.m.	9:13 p.m.	7:24 p.m.	4:12 a.m.	
	Sunday	5:49 a.m.	9:14 p.m.	8:37 p.m.	4:59 a.m.	
Last 6/11	Monday	5:49 a.m.	9:15 p.m.	9:42 p.m.	5:56 a.m.	First 6/26
	Tuesday	5:49 a.m.	9:15 p.m.	10:36 p.m.	7:01 a.m.	

Local UV Index



National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see scattered showers today, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 86° in Hartford, Conn. The Southeast will see scattered thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 94° in Crestview, Fla. The Northwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few showers today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 83° in Pasco, Wash. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 105° in Bullhead City, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:01 a.m.	9:36 p.m.
Venus	6:22 a.m.	10:02 p.m.
Mars	1:30 p.m.	2:36 a.m.
Jupiter	5:18 a.m.	8:01 p.m.
Saturn	4:51 p.m.	4:08 a.m.
Uranus	3:17 a.m.	3:41 p.m.

Weather History

May 30, 1879 - A major outbreak of severe weather occurred in Kansas and western Missouri. In Kansas, tornadoes killed 18 people at Delpho and 30 people at Irving. Two tornadoes struck the town of Irving within a few minutes time, virtually wiping it off the map.

Weather Trivia

How many times is the Empire State Building struck by lightning?

Answer: On average, more than 20 times per year.

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StarWatch By Gary Becker - Milky Way Awaits

The sun sets in a rural location. The sky darkens, and the stars begin to be revealed, first in a denim lapis sky followed by more points of light as the heavens fuse into a deep cobalt blue, and finally to black. It is a wonderful night to view the Milky Way. Stare as hard as you can, but there will be no faint, gossamer band of light straddling the cosmos, no fuzzy cotton candy path representative of 400 billion stars arching across the boundless sky. It's May, and you've just picked the worst time of the year to view our galaxy because it is surrounding you all the way around the horizon. There is hope, however, because what is down must eventually come up, and what is now on the eastern horizon and nearly invisible is the best that the Milky Way has to offer for the Northern Hemisphere. In the NE after sundown lurk the star clouds of Cygnus, the Swan, which are not quite overhead by dawn. In the east and SE rises the dark rift of obscuring dust from countless supernovae that seems to split our galaxy in two. A little farther south, the swirls and knots of stars and glowing gases mark the broadening bulge of our galaxy which meets the horizon just beyond its widest expanse. If this sounds like a fairy tale, plan a summer sojourn away from the light domes of our cities to a rural locale where stars and horizon meet. Two-thirds of Americans have lost touch with our island universe. Civilization has its perks, but communing with the heavens fills a primordial need as old as humanity. I vividly remember as a teenager one star filled night when through the bare branches of skeletal trees, I spied a white mist encroaching upon my clear sky. I mentally prepared myself for when the haze would obscure everything, but it was moving so slowly. I realized finally that the clouds which would ruin my night were actually the best clouds of the heavens, the star clouds of our Milky Way. www.astronomy.org

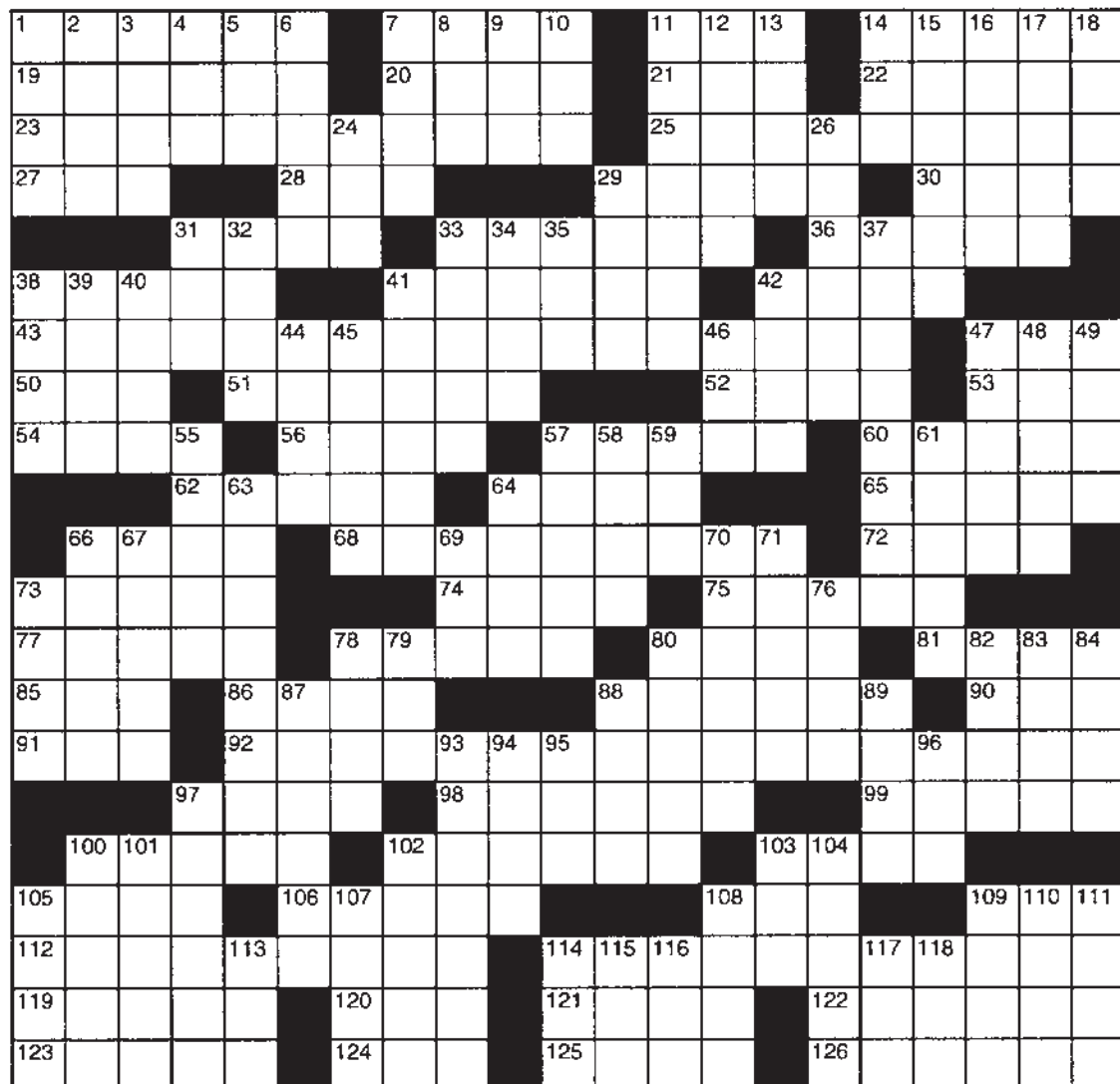
TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. INVENTIONS:** Who developed the process of pasteurization?
- 2. FOOD & DRINK:** What is the liquor cassis made from?
- 3. POP CULTURE:** When was the Pillsbury Doughboy introduced in TV ads?
- 4. ASTRONOMY:** What is a "maria"?
- 5. GEOGRAPHY:** What is the capital of South Dakota?
- 6. LITERATURE:** The 2004 movie "Christmas with the Kranks" was based on which novel?
- 7. MOVIES:** Who was the first black man to win an Oscar?
- 8. ROYALTY:** What is Prince Andrew's official title?
- 9. SPORTS PERSONALITIES:** What was the boxing champion Muhammad Ali's original name?
- 10. U.S. PRESIDENTS:** What kind of dog did President Bill Clinton and his family have?

Answers: 1. Louis Pasteur; 2. Black currants; 3. 1965; 4. Also known as a sea, a maria is a dark region on the moon.; 5. Pierre; 6. "Skipping Christmas," by John Grisham; 7. Sidney Poitier won for his role in "Lilies of the Field."; 8. Duke of York; 9. Cassius Clay; 10. Buddy, a Labrador retriever. (c) 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

Super Crossword TIMBER LINE

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| ACROSS | 52 "— look at me!" | 99 Like Hawaiian shirts | 8 "The — and I" ('47 film) | 44 The Furies, e.g. | 87 Pieciful pursuit? |
| 1 '84 Daryl Hannah film | 53 Distinctive period | 100 Wails | 9 Word with folk or fine | 45 Toyota competitor | 88 Gravy vessel |
| 7 Belfry sound | 54 Irving character | 102 Vicar's assistant | 10 Tenor | 46 Banned pesticide | 89 Finish the lawn |
| 11 Poetic monogram | 56 Hotels | 103 Bend | 11 Durham denizen | 47 Defy a dictator | 93 "The Avengers" actress |
| 14 Little rascal | 57 Prepare the Parmesan | 105 Saucy | 12 Bobbin | 48 Faced the day | 94 Knitter's need |
| 19 Bunch of ballplayers | 60 Toil | 106 It gets squirreled away | 13 Cupid, in Corinth | 49 Stallion's sweetheart | 95 Monk's title |
| 20 Fairy-tale fiend | 62 Dwelling | 108 Beastly place? | 14 Sault — Marie, MI | 55 Lose control | 96 Wicked stuff? |
| 21 Spring mo. | 64 Trim a photo | 109 Jacket info | 15 Collapse | 57 Pulverize | 97 Pay up |
| 22 Forbidden | 65 Rotund | 112 Gardener's friend | 16 Ring — (seem familiar) | 58 Learning method | 100 Reeves of "The Matrix" |
| 23 Start of a remark by | 66 Vittle statistics? | 114 Speaker of remark | 17 Aquarium fish | 59 Mimic | 101 Mistake |
| 25 Teddy-bear president | 68 He's got plans for you | 119 "— Gay" | 18 Saucepans | 61 Activist Hoffman | 102 It's walked at Windsor |
| 27 Tut's relative | 72 Skilled | 120 Khan opener? | 24 Charged atom | 63 15th president | 103 Watch pocket |
| 28 Ganesh or Hanuman | 73 Pick-me-up | 121 Kind of roast | 26 Witty Wright | 64 Burn a bit | 104 Crochet units |
| 29 That's the spirit | 74 Sheet of stamps | 122 He's left holding the bag | 29 Spiritual guide | 66 Animal that roared? | 105 Rind |
| 30 Building wings | 75 Big name in kids' music | 123 Enticed | 31 Lilly of pharmaceuticals | 67 Log | 107 Winter wear |
| 31 Level | 77 TV's "Starsky and —" | 124 Pewter base | 32 Do or die? | 69 Pocket protector? | 108 Off-the-wall |
| 33 Actress | 78 Get on | 125 Cunning | 33 Takes a break | 70 Altar vessels | 109 — carotene |
| 36 With 51 Across, "Wuthering Heights" author | 80 Cougar | 126 Layers | 34 Exercise aftermath | 71 He keeps lions in line | 110 "Players" actor |
| 38 Face lift? | 81 Viscount's superior | DOWN | 35 Status — | 73 Heavy blow | 111 Gumbo veggie |
| 41 Anchored | 85 Put into service | 1 Blind part | 37 Diner fare | 76 Disconcert | 113 Possessed |
| 42 Hot spot? | 86 Partially open | 2 Body-builder's pride | 38 Self-important | 78 Bete noire | 114 North Pole worker |
| 43 Part 2 of remark | 88 "Summer —" ('72 hit) | 3 Need | 39 Blabby bird | 79 Nev. neighbor | 115 Milne creature |
| 47 Aries animal | 90 Mauna — | 4 Give it — (try) | 40 Borodin's "Prince —" | 80 Novel language? | 116 Cowboy Tom |
| 50 Important numero | 91 Augsburg article | 5 Big —, CA | 41 Sermon subject | 82 Baseball family name | 117 Bon — (witticism) |
| 51 See 36 Across | 92 End of remark | 6 Reduce a risk | 42 Woodwind instrument | 83 Crucifix | 118 "I'm freezing!" |
| | 97 Wise guy? | 7 Little lake | | 84 Tramp's tootsie | |
| | 98 Bother | | | | |



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STRANGE BUT TRUE by Samantha Weaver

• It was celebrated physicist Albert Einstein who made the following sage observation: "Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new."

• It was in 1917 when one Dr. Walter G. Walford wrote an article warning readers of the perils of tight collars and ties, claiming that such constricting neckwear caused illness by retarding the flow of blood to the brain.

• It's fairly well known that seahorses are monogamous, staying with the same mate until death. Many people don't realize, however, that these fish are so devoted that every day they reaffirm their union with a morning greeting dance.

• When Ronald Reagan's daughter, Patti, got married, there were more security personnel than guests in attendance.

• America got its first paved street back in 1647. It was, unsurprisingly, in New York City.

• The fastest known star is traveling through space at a rate of 3.5 million miles per hour.

• The figure on the Heisman trophy was sculpted from a real person. Warren Mulrey played football for Fordham University when John Heisman chose him to be the model for the new award.

• If you're like the average American, you use 2 gallons of water every time you brush your teeth. So turn off that faucet while you brush!

• If you like squash, corn, beans, pecans, chili peppers, pumpkins, maple syrup or cranberries, you have Native Americans to thank — they're the ones who taught Europeans to gather and use these foods. In fact, by the end of the past century, fully one-third of all crops grown in the United States were of Native American origin.

• It's not easy to contemplate, but before there was toilet paper, American colonists used corncobs.

Thought for the Day: "Nothing pains some people more than having to think." — Martin Luther King Jr.

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MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

• On June 11, 1509, King Henry VIII of England marries Catherine of Aragon, the first of six wives he will have in his lifetime. When Catherine failed to produce a male heir, Henry divorced her against the will of the Roman Catholic Church.

• On June 15, 1877, Henry Ossian Flipper, born a slave in Thomasville, Ga., in 1856, becomes the first black cadet to graduate from the United States Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. Flipper was never spoken to by a white cadet during his four years at West Point.

• On June 16, 1884, the first roller coaster in America opens at Coney Island, in Brooklyn, N.Y. Known as a switchback railway, it traveled approximately 6 mph and cost a nickel to ride.

• On June 12, 1942, Anne Frank, a young Jewish girl living in Amsterdam, receives a diary for her 13th birthday. A month later, she and her family went into hiding from the Nazis in rooms behind her father's office. Anne's diary, detailing their two years in hiding, was published in 1947.

• On June 14, 1951, the U.S. Census Bureau dedicates UNIVAC, the world's first commercially produced electronic digital computer. UNIVAC, which stood for Universal Automatic Computer, used thousands of vacuum tubes for computation and was the forerunner of today's digital computer.

• On June 13, 1966, the Supreme Court hands down its decision in Miranda v. Arizona, establishing the principle that all criminal suspects must be advised of their rights before interrogation. The roots of the Miranda decision go back to 1963 when Ernesto Miranda confessed to a crime and later recanted, unaware that he didn't have to say anything at all.

• On June 17, 1972, five of President Richard Nixon's reelection employees are arrested for burglary in the Democratic National Committee headquarters at the Watergate Complex in Washington, D.C. An investigation unveiled a scheme of political sabotage and espionage designed to discredit Democratic candidates. Equipment used during the burglary had been borrowed from the CIA.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★ ★ ★

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The mortgage is dated August 8, 2007 and recorded on August 13, 2007 at Liber 444, page 989, 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 two hundred six thousand and one hundred sixty and 35/100 dollars (\$206,160.35) and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby. The power of sale contained in the mortgage has now become operative.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage and pursuant to the applicable foreclosure statute, the mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale (having been adjourned from a previous sale date of Wednesday, May 2, 2012) of the property described below at public auction to the highest bidder at the Alcona County Courthouse located at 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740

on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at 10 a.m. The property will be sold to pay the amount due on the mortgage with 5.75 percent interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes and insurance that the mortgagee pays on or before the date of sale.

The property described in the mortgage and subject to sale is as follows: Parcel 23-A of Certificate of Survey of D.R. MacNeill & Associates, W.O. No. 17-286-4500-486306, dated March 13, 2005 and recorded March 20, 2005 in Liber 428, pages 1,343-1,345, described as: Part of the mortgage 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 and all that part of the northwest 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 of Section 17, Town 28 North, Range 6 East, described as: Commencing at the east 1/4 corner of said Section 17; thence North 89° 51' 10" West 675.31 feet along the east-west 1/4 line to the point of beginning; thence continuing north 89° 51' 10" west 796.94 feet along said east-west 1/4 line; thence south 00° 53' 16" west 250.00 feet parallel to the east north-south 1/8 line; thence south 89° 51' 10" east 150.00 feet parallel to the east-west 1/4 line to the east north-south 1/8 line; thence south 00° 53' 16": west 1,062.79 feet along said east north-south 1/8 line to the south

east-west 1/4 line; thence north 89° 47' 52" east 642.40 feet along said south east-west 1/8 line; thence north 01° 05' 20" east 1,308.94 feet parallel to the east section line to the point of beginning. Located in the township of Caledonia, county of Alcona, state of Michigan.

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. Should the mortgagor provide proof that the property is agricultural, the redemption period shall be one year from the date of sale unless abandoned. 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: May 2, 2012
 H.P.C. Credit Union, Mortgagee
 Daniel W. White
 Attorney for Mortgagee
 313 North Second Avenue
 Alpena, MI 49707
 (989) 354-4104
 5-9, 5-16, 5-23, 5-30, 6-6

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at the number below if you are in active military duty.
 Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William J. Rumminger, a married man, Dorothy M. Rumminger, his wife, original mortgagor(s), to Independent Mortgage Company, mortgagee, dated August 13, 2008, and recorded on August 14, 2008 in Liber 454 on page 1,297, and assigned by said mortgagee to Independent Bank as assignee as documented by an assignment,

in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of seventy-nine thousand five hundred forty-two and 11/100 dollars (\$79,542.11). 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 June 6, 2012.

Said premises are situated in township of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 22 and 23 of Block 48 of Lost Lake Woods Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, pages 59, 61 and 63, Alcona County records. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such

sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. 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: May 9, 2012
 For more information, please call: (248) 593-1313
 Trott & Trott, P.C.
 Attorneys For Servicer
 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200
 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525
 File No. 403437F01
 5-9, 5-16, 5-23, 5-30

Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C. is attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at (248) 539-7400 if you are in active military duty.

Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gary L. Parmenter, a single man, to Citizens Bank, mortgagee, dated March 14, 2003, and recorded on March 17, 2003, in Liber 378, on page 1,354, and assigned by said mortgagee to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. SBM to Chase Home Finance LLC. FKA Chase Mortgage Company, as assigned, Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of eighty-five thousand eight hundred three dollars and nine cents (\$85,803.09), including interest at six percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Michigan at 10 o'clock a.m.,

on June 6, 2012. Said premises are located in Alcona County, Michigan and are described as: Lots 43, 44 and 45 of Mt. Maria Hills, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 2 of Plats, pages 89-92, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the above referenced property is sold at a foreclosure sale under Chapter 600 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, under 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.
 JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.
 SBM to Chase Home Finance LLC. FKA Chase Mortgage Company
 Mortgagee/Assignee
 Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C.
 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300
 Farmington Hills, MI 48335
 JPMC.000470
 5-9, 5-16, 5-23, 5-30

State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 12-5058-DE

Estate of Daniel Russel Hurley, deceased
 Date of birth: February 23, 1947
 To all creditors:
 Notice to creditors: The decedent, Daniel Russel Hurley, died on February 3, 2012. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Todd R. Hurley, 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 months after the date of publication of this notice.
 Date: May 22, 2012
 Andrew K. Shotwell, P63159
 603 Bay Street
 P.O. Box 705
 Traverse City, Mich. 49685
 (231) 946-0700
 Todd R. Hurley
 3720 US-23
 P.O. Box 2
 Greenbush, Mich. 48738
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Hiring all positions: bartenders, waitresses, dishwashers, cooks and kitchen help. Apply in person at Shotmakers, Harrisville. (Corner of US-23 and M-72).

District Health Department No. 2 has an employment opportunity for a full time administrative health officer. Must have a MPH or MSPH degree and three years of full time public health administrative experience or a related graduate degree and five years of full time public health administrative experience or a bachelor's degree and eight years of full time public health experience, five of these years shall have been with administrative health experience or in the administration of a broad range of public health programs. Salary will commensurate with experience. Send resume to District Health Department No. 2, Attn: Administrative Assistant, 630 Progress Street, West Branch, Mich. 48661 or resumes can be e-mailed to vsherosky@dhd2.org by the end of business on June 14, 2012. EOE.

SALES

Yard sale June 1 and 2; 165 Sunday Drive, Lincoln, M-72, one and three tenths of a mile west of F-41 blinker.

14th annual Village of Oscoda yard sales, June 1, 2 and 3; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, over 100 homes participating. For more information, call (989) 739-4915.

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 May 31-June 2; 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.**
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 Mikado Goodfellows Bingo every Monday 6:30 p.m. at Mikado Civic Center. Winner take all game and cookie jar. All proceeds to charity.

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GREENBUSH TWP. MINUTES

Supervisor Roddy called meeting to order on Tuesday May 1, 2012 at 7:00 p.m., at the township hall. Six(6) guests were present who joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.
 Roll call: Present were Supervisor Ed Roddy, Clerk Art Winter, Treasurer Pat Dailey, Trustee Sally Olin, Trustee, Gary Abraham
 Motion Dailey/Abraham to approve the agenda as written. All Ayes motion carried.
 Motion Olin/Dailey to accept the April minutes as written. Motion carried.
 Resident of Prince Road, Frank Mikolajczak, questioned the speed limit on Prince Road. Mr. Roddy stated that there is no speed limit on side streets other than 55 m.p.h. which should be 25 m.p.h. He also questioned a variance that will be coming before the zoning board of appeals and Mr. Roddy explained the process to him. Some discussion.
 Motion Olin/Winter to approve the finan-

cial report and place on file for audit. Motion carried.
 Motion Olin/Roddy to pay April bills as presented. Checks # 14439-14464, grand total \$13,173.90. Fire \$1,597.93 –remainder -\$11,575.97 being general fund. Roll call vote all Ayes, Abraham absent. Carried.
 Miscellaneous reports:
 1. Carolyn Brummund, county commissioner, 911 is trying to get a grant for equipment for the county. Mrs. Brummund gave a report on H.U.N.T. and further items of interest at county level.
 2. Chief Franks who stated seven (7) first responder calls for the month of April and one fire call. The chief stated that he has six fire fighters attending training at the Mikado fire department and that it is going very well. Clerk stated he would be raising the chief's credit card limit to

\$5,000.00 (five thousand dollars). The chicken barbeque will be August 5th, 2012 – and the fire fighters will assist, as usual, with the Greenbush Clean-up on the second Saturday in May, May 12th, 2012. Clerk is going to order and buy 15 oxygen bottles for the fire department, in the near future. Some discussion.
 3. Zoning Administrator Major stated three(3) permits and three(3) complaints for the month of April. Lee gave a synopsis of the work he is following up on. Some discussion.
 4. Hall rentals –Supervisor Roddy stated four rentals this month.
 5. Assessor Schwickert, not present at this meeting.
 6. G.R.A.C. is up and running, if anyone is interested in helping out with the parks, please contact Trustee Sally Olin.
 7. Planning commission will have its first meeting Thursday May 3, 2012 at 7:00

p.m.
 8. Supervisor Roddy had correspondence that he shared with the board. The MTA Meeting in Tawas will be Friday May 11th, 2012. Supervisor will send the registration in. Mr. Roddy had information from F.E.M.A. that he shared with the board. Some discussion.
 9. Clerk Winter has the copy of the insurance for the clean up day. Some discussion.
 Pending business:
 8. Roads - D.P.W. committee will definitely be going through the township shortly to assess the roads. At this point the committee will be Art Winter, Abraham and Drew Milwrick. Jess Campbell, new manager at the road commission, would like to go along with us for the assessment. Some discussion.
 Old Business:
 New Business:
 Public comments:

Greenbush Township Residents with a desire to keep the township running smooth. We (Greenbush Township) are in need of people to serve on the *zoning board of appeals, planning commission, GRAC*
 If interested, please contact Art Winter, clerk, at (989) 724-6771 or a letter of intent to: Greenbush Township C/O Art Winter 2779 S.US-Hwy 23, Greenbush, MI 48738. Or any member of the Greenbush Township Board.
 Motion Abraham/Olin to adjourn at 7:50 p.m.
 Art Winter
 Greenbush Township Clerk
 Note: Published prior to board approval. Next regular scheduled meeting Tuesday, June 5, 2012. Next regular scheduled Planning Commission meeting, Thursday, June 7, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at the township hall.

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 Sunday school 10 a.m. Wednesday 6 p.m. Patch the Pirate Club, children's ministry. Wednesday 6 p.m. midweek service (preaching and prayer service).

New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)
 Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Hubbard Lake Rd.,
 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course
 Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)
 Church Street at Traverse Bay Road
 Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227
 Pastor Michael Sheppard ~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

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

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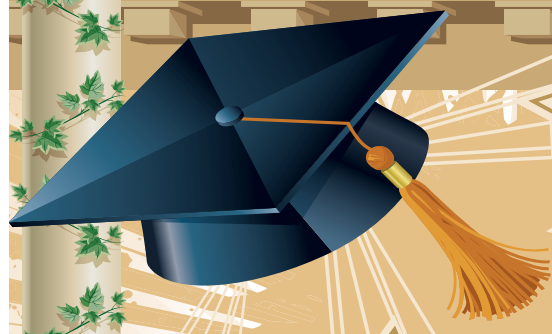
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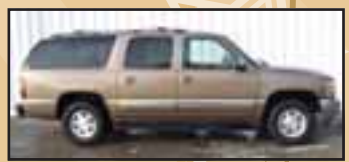
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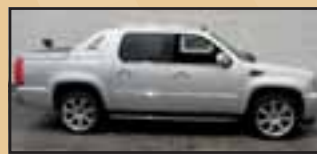
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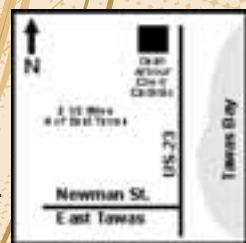
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