

## Radio crew visits Santa to help Alcona Humane Society

By Mary Weber  
Staff Writer

The crew from radio station 87.9 FM joined Santa for a photo opportunity to help raise funds for Alcona Humane Society.

Positioned against a starry night backdrop they crowded around Santa at last Saturday's Family and Pet Pictures at the Harrisville Township Hall.

Beezer Magoo, Captain Slappy, Mississippi Jack, Big Daddy Ryan and a cast of others including their mascot 879 Alien and photo faces of a few on-air personalities who couldn't make it for the

actual picture brought their smiles for photographer Jessica Keyser, of Photography by Jessy, to snap the right shot to reflect the group's zany personality.

For the second year in a row, Alcona Middle School students, Kalley Yates and Emily Lockenour, came dressed as elves to play their flutes. The sound of Christmas carols serenaded volunteers, guests and their animals waiting for their photos to be taken with Santa. The girls also brought boxes of donated toys and goodies for animals at the shelter as well as wrapped homemade dog

biscuits which included the recipe on the label to sell with all proceeds going to help the shelter.

New this year at the Family and Pet Pictures with Santa was the availability of soup and sandwich lunch for a small donation to the shelter. Homemade chicken noodle soup and a five bean and sausage soup were available along with custom made sandwiches. "The food was really very good," Mary Peterson, board member and volunteer, said.

Shelter director Jennifer Forbes said, "Family and Pet Pictures with Santa went very

well this past Saturday with over \$400 earned for the shelter. It was very exciting to see all the smiling faces. Even families who chose not to bring their pets, gathered around Santa for wonderful photographs. Families had the option to have their pictures with or without Santa in the photo, but most took advantage of having Santa there.

"It was especially thrilling to see the radio station group come in and get their picture

taken. It was a steady flow of people and pets throughout the afternoon and no one had to wait very long. We also had a lot of new volunteers come and help out which is always great."

Family photos with (or without) Santa will be available again Saturday, Dec. 1 from noon to 4 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall on Poor Farm Road just south of M-72. Lunch for a nominal donation of \$5 will again be provided.



The 87.9 FM radio station crew (front row, from left) Beezer Magoo, Captain Slappy, 879 Alien, Eddie Ducatti (middle row) Tom E Boy and Santa, (back row) Pinky, Mississippi Jack, C.J., Big Daddy Ryan, Walker, Chubby McCarlson and Lizzie Borden. Photograph courtesy of Photography by Jessy.

## Couple enjoys life in Alcona County

By Mary Weber  
Staff Writer

Hard work, strong family values and a little laughter go hand in hand in the Campbell family.

Louis and Ginger Campbell have been fixtures in Alcona County for the 30 years they have been married.

The oldest of three sons of Bruce and Betty Campbell, Louis is a third generation farmer in Haynes Township and vividly recalls what it was like working on the farm with his younger brothers, Terry and Dwayne. "We didn't belong to 4-H or study agriculture, we worked it," Louis said. "I look back on things we did on the farm that everybody thinks was a part of history, like it was stuff people did a 100 years ago, but I was 15 years old when we quit using the thrasher machine. It was a lot of work, a lot of dust, but it was fun. I don't think it hurt us any to learn how to work hard."

When Louis was a teenager he couldn't wait to get

off the farm and hit city life. At the age of 18 he moved to Indianapolis, Ind. "My first job out of high school was repairing coin operated laundry equipment. In just a few months I knew that wasn't the place for me so I came home. I told my dad I was going to either milk cows or drive a truck over the road. My dad did all he could to talk me out of the cow issue, but my brother and I built a barn and started milking dairy cows. We did that for 23 years. Dad was right, it was a lot of work for not much money. We sold the dairy cows but kept the farm," Louis said.

Louis likes living in northern Michigan and enjoys the changing of the seasons. "I still enjoy being out on the farm and remembering things that my grandpa and I did together. It's a good area to grow up," Louis said.

Ginger agreed. "I grew up in the same type of town on the other side of the bridge."

She had a similar back-

ground living on a farm in the Upper Peninsula when she was young and then moved to Newberry, Mich., which Ginger said, is very much like Harrisville. "The joke was that the Campbells were related to almost everyone in the (Alcona) area so Louis had to find a wife from across

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## Students raise money for hurricane victims

By Mary Weber  
Staff Writer

For just one week, from November 7-14, students from Alcona Community Schools raised funds for victims of Hurricane Sandy that besieged many eastern states.

The fundraiser was an initiative suggested to students by teacher Ashlie O'Connor.

High school students and teachers collected funds district wide in a game where pennies and dollars were "positive," but anything silver in their buckets was counted as a "negative."

Class teams were formed during their "pride time" period -- an extra class session that typically gives students time for academic support, tutoring and extracurricular activities such as yearbook and wood shop.

The elementary classes made a group donation to the project.

O'Connor also spearheaded a similar project three years ago to help the earthquake victims in Haiti.

"The kids were excited

and this was a total team effort. I'm always thrilled when the students gather to support such a great cause. One student brought in a five gallon paint bucket with \$70 in pennies in it," O'Connor said. "They had a lot of fun decorating their buckets and boxes and then figuring out who had the most funds. Points were given for pennies and dollars, points were taken away for anything silver."

"The Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union helped us with their counting machine so we didn't have to sort and count each penny. Three years ago we counted it by hand, it was fun, but it took some time," O'Connor said, adding the community, teachers and students should all be thanked for their support in the fund drive.

Rachel Somers's pride class won for overall total points and will get a pizza party for their effort. Overall, the school collected \$654 dollars which will be donated to the Red Cross for Sandy victims.



Alcona teachers Rachel Somers and Ashlie O'Connor stand in front of the boxes and buckets that were used to collect funds for Hurricane Sandy victims. An overall team effort by Alcona Community Schools collected \$654 to be donated to the Red Cross to help offset the effects of Hurricane Sandy. Photo by Mary Weber.



# Obituaries

## Delbert A. Travis

Delbert Allen Travis, 73, of Tawas City died on Thursday, Nov. 22, 2012 at home.

He was born September 2, 1939 in Harrisville to Glen and Carrie (Procurier) Travis. He grew up in Mikado and graduated from Oscoda High School in 1957.

Mr. Travis worked as a foreman at Starboard Industries, retiring in 1994. He worked in construction for a couple of years and worked in the maintenance department at Tawas St. Joseph Hospital until retiring.

He married Carol (Schmidt) Indreica on October 11, 1985 and they resided in Tawas City.

He was happiest when he was spending time with his family. He enjoyed many years hunting with his sons and grandsons and especially loved going to deer camp. He was an avid gardener who loved his John Deere and en-

joyed keeping an immaculate lawn. His other hobbies included fishing, canning and being in the outdoors.

He attended New Hope Church, where he volunteered maintaining the lawn.

Mr. Travis is survived by his wife, Carol; two sons, Richard (Kim) Travis and Doug Travis, both of Mikado; one daughter, Denise (Mike) Lee of Mikado; one stepdaughter, Teresa (Paul) Blust of East Tawas and Jim (Theresa) Indreica of East Tawas; 12 grandchildren, Joanna Griffin, Johnnie Smith, Brooke, Melody, Harmony and Brilee Travis, Sara and Andrew Blust, Ashley, Jimmy, Katie and Kyle Indreica; one great-grandchild, Addison Griffin; two brothers, Clifford (Cathy) Travis of Mikado and Leo (Mary) Travis of Mikado; and several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his

## Ann M. Priebe

Ann Marie Priebe, 72, of Greenbush died at her home on Wednesday, Nov. 21, 2012.

She was born August 3, 1940 in Detroit, Mich. the daughter of Vincent and Virginia (McKenna) Koehler.

She was married to Richard Priebe for 19 years. They moved to Greenbush with their family in 1970.

She worked at Lakewood Shores Golf Course, retiring in 2003. She was a member of the American Legion Post in Oscoda for over 40 years and the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Oscoda.

She enjoyed bowling, billiards, bingo, working puzzles and spending time with her family.

Mrs. Priebe is survived by three sons, Anthony (Martha) Priebe of Oscoda, Patrick Priebe of Greenbush and Alex

Koehler of Livonia, Mich.; one daughter, Patricia (Brian) Lightcap of Washington, Mich.; two stepsons, Richard (Diane) Priebe of Belleville, Mich. and Joseph (Ruth) Priebe of Chesaning, Mich.; 17 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; five sisters, Irene Dodson of Westchester, Pa., Joan (Jerry) Alderson of Centennial, Colo., Barbara (Ken) Dietz of Livonia, Mich., Virginia (Brian) Riederer of South Bend, Ind. and Diane Koehler of Colombia, N.C.; 10 brothers, Vincent Koehler of Vermont, Donald (Bert) Koehler of Canton, Mich., Michael Koehler of Detroit, Mich., Phil (Nancy) Koehler of Chelsea, Mich., Richard (Janeen) Koehler of Manhattan, Kan., William (Kathy) Koehler of Royal Oak, Mich., Keith Koehler of Farmington



parents; several aunts and uncles; and several cousins, including one special cousin, Katherine McNeill.

The funeral was held November 27 at the Buresh Funeral Home in Tawas City. Memorials may be made to the family.



Hills, Mich., Paul (Ellen) Koehler of Milford, Mich., Brian (Julie) Koehler of Novi, Mich. and David (Theresa) Koehler of Clarkston, Mich.; one brother-in-law, Gary Harmon of Niles, Mich.; and 55 nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Richard Priebe in 1985; one sister, Janice Harmon; one brother-in-law, Jim Dodson; and two stepdaughters, Shirley Cichon and Mary Wojciecho-ski.

A memorial service will be held at noon on Friday, Nov. 30 at the Oscoda American Legion. It will conclude at 3 p.m. Memorials may be given to the American Cancer Society.

## Mary L. Skiver

Mary L. Skiver, 83, of Lincoln, died on Wednesday, Nov. 21, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

She was born December 2, 1928, to John and Mabel (Swain) Skiver in Lincoln, where she was a life-long resident.

Mrs. Skiver was preceded in death by two sisters, Helen Walton and Jorgie Hinderline, and four brothers, Henry, Clarence, William and Walter Skiver.

A graveside service will be held on Friday, Nov. 30 at 11 a.m. at the Twin Lakes Cemetery in Lincoln. Arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

## Patricia L. Lindsey

Patricia L. Lindsey, 80, of Lincoln, died on Thursday, Nov. 22, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center.

She was born October 25, 1932 to Glen and Agnes (Leonard) Sine, in Flint, Mich., where she was a long-time resident.

On September 23, 1985 she married Gerald Lindsey in Flint, Mich., where they resided until moving to Lincoln in 1991.

She enjoyed painting and interior decorating. She enjoyed living in Lincoln and was a member of the Brownlee Lake Association.

Mrs. Lindsey is survived by three daughters, Jerri (Gary) Williams of Paris, Ky.; Jean (Edsel) Wright of Melbourne, Fla. and Joan (Bryan) Wussow of Waxhaw, N.C.; eight grandchildren, Edsel, Jessica and Jennifer Wright, Steven and Rachel Wussow and Matthew, Jeffrey and Greg Williams; and two great-granddaughters.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gerald, on August 29, 2012; and one son, Tom White, in February 1995.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

## Sally N. MacDermaid

Sally N. MacDermaid, 78, of Davison, Mich. died on Saturday, Nov. 10, 2012 at home.

She was born January 15, 1934 in Flint, Mich. to Walter and Geraldine (Whitehead) Pett.

On October 9, 1954 she married Robert MacDermaid at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Flint, Mich.

Mrs. MacDermaid owned Sally's Seams Sew Good and worked for Genova and Buick Automotive. She enjoyed spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church of Davison, Mich. and the Business Women's Association. She was a Sunday school teacher for 30 years.

Mrs. MacDermaid is survived by her husband, Robert; two sons, Gary (Teresa) MacDermaid of Grand Blanc, Mich. and John MacDermaid of Roseville, Mich.; one daughter, Wanda (Mike) Kitchen of Davison, Mich.; seven grandchildren, Christine and Joshua MacDermaid of Grand Blanc, Mich., Michael and Tyler Kitchen of Davison, Mich., Robert MacDermaid III of Ann Arbor, Mich. and Jason and Joshua MacDermaid of Roseville, Mich.; one sister, Carolyn (Larry) Topham of New Smyrna, Fla.; two sisters-in-law, Lucielle MacDermaid of Harrisville and Ida (Ardel) Fox of Millington, Mich.; one brother-in-law, Gordon (Linda) MacDermaid of Durand, Mich.; one stepbrother-in-law, Donald Rutledge of Davison, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one son, Robert A. MacDermaid II; two sisters and four brothers-in-law.

A funeral was held November 14 at Trinity Lutheran Church. The Rev. Todd Frusti and the Rev. Randy Schultz officiated. Interment was in St. John Catholic Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Genesys Hurley Cancer Institute, Flint, Mich.

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### Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2011-2012

#### Weekly Report

Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		Dominant Direction
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	
Nov. 18	43	33	0.00	3.3	15	SSW
Nov. 19	44	33	0.00	3.3	14	SSW
Nov. 20	45	36	0.00	1.6	12	SSW
Nov. 21	49	33	0.00	4.0	17	SSW
Nov. 22	57	42	0.00	9.1	37	SW
Nov. 23	55	31	0.00	6.7	31	SSW
Nov. 24	33	28	0.00	2.6	23	N

#### Precipitation Summary (Inches)

	2012	2011	Normal
Weekly Total	0.00	0.04	0.49
November to Date	0.27	1.56	1.68
Year/Season to Date	24.20	32.36	26.22

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, NOVEMBER 28

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

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

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

The Alcona woodcarvers will meet in the upstairs hall of the Lincoln Senior Center at 2:30 p.m. Beginners, intermediate and master carvers welcome, class taught by Bill Hastings. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

The Alcona County Library board will meet at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch, 312 W. Main St.

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29

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

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 736-6045.

Community Walking Club for everyone will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 Main St. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Make and take a fresh balsam wreath at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. There will be three sessions at 10 a.m., 12 p.m. and 2 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to register for this class. All supplies included for a non-refundable fee of \$5.

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

Popcorn and a movie at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., 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, 312 W. Main St., from 10:15 to 11 a.m. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

My Brother's Hope Potluck Café-Take 2 will serve a free meal and offer free haircuts from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Raphael's Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado. For more information, call Susan Armstrong (989) 724-6365.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

Harrisville's annual holiday celebration "Christmas in the Village" a holiday bazaar at Maria Hall adjacent to St. Anne Catholic Church from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. with vendors offering hand-crafted items, baked goods and more. Enjoy a hayride through Harrisville, pick-up and drop-off at the Arts Councils building on Third St.: Westminster Presbyterian Church on Second St. will have their annual cookie walk from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.; and the United Methodist Church on the corner of US-23 and Church St. will offer crafts, baked goods and lunch. For more information, call (989) 724-5107.

Christmas in the Village activities at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 2 p.m. Visit with Santa, listen to the storyteller, create a holiday craft and decorate (and eat!) a cookie. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

New Life Lutheran Church will hold their annual Christmas Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 25 Kirche in the Woods, located just south of White Pine Golf Course. A luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-7816.

Lincoln United Methodist Church, 101 Main St., will

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## Please Support the Harrisville Goodfellows' No Child Without a Christmas

The 70 plus year tradition of the Harrisville Goodfellows has been to ensure that every child (under eleven years old) will receive a visit from Santa Claus. We also visit our senior community with an "appreciation" fruit basket honoring all they have done throughout the years. The geographic area that we cover is the City of Harrisville, Harrisville Township and the southern half of Haynes Township.

The Harrisville Goodfellows have no affiliation with any other organization. Someone in the distant past simply decided that a few good fellows should do some good. So on Wednesday nights, near Christmas time, we meet as we always have to plan the following events: Santa's trip, Senior recognition, Tree lighting, Nativity scene and Charitable help.

Once again-we need your help. We need the addresses of children and seniors in the area described above. Please call (989)724-5077 or (989)724-5420 or (989)724-5258 with suggestions. On Christmas Eve, porch lights should be lit for awaiting children (6:00 -8:00 p.m.). On the Sunday before Christmas, we would like to thank seniors personally (noon - 2 p.m.). Please have your dogs secured. If you are not going to be home, but in the area, let us know of an alternative address.

As it is with Santa bringing a gift to a child, so also is a Goodfellow bringing a gift to a senior citizen - not an act of charity - but a gift of affection. Please accept the gift as a hearty "thank you" from all of us for all you have done for others.

Your generosity has been very much appreciated for three generations! Kiann Kruttlin remembers her grandfather, Ki Ki Cuyler approaching everyone and saying "Give me a buck." We still carry on that tradition by posting 'Buck Cards' at local businesses where you can contribute that buck or you may, if you wish, fill out the included form. Every dollar is returned to the community in one way or another.

Thank you for your continuing help and support. Have a very Merry Christmas from the Harrisville Goodfellows.



## Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,

In October of this year Mary Weber wrote an article on the needle crafters in Alcona County.

When Marie Phillips was in Florida last winter we both enjoyed making these hats of many colors. At that time she said when she gets home she would like to start this project to help the people of Alcona County.

She did. She has and is fulfilling her dream and I'm so proud of what she has accomplished. A big thank you goes to her and her ladies for lending a hand to serve Alcona County. So, needle crafters -- a job well done.

Donna J. Lawson  
Bradenton, Fla.

To the Editor,

Once again I begin reading the Review to find another letter to the editor from Mr. Peterson, who is still talking about the HUNT millage.

Yes, Mr. Peterson you and your group of citizens for Alcona County have defeated the millage once again. Now that the election is done, I would like to hear from you and your group the plans to start implementing the programs you would like to see put in place. I feel, at this point, it would be more beneficial than still trying to justify why the HUNT team should not exist in Alcona County.

Perhaps it's time to stop attacking our sheriff and prosecutor (whom both have

served this county honestly and faithfully) and start explaining your plans for the programs that you feel should exist instead of HUNT.

I feel the citizens of Alcona have heard enough of your rhetorical commentary about the war on drugs and why it is failing. I would like to hear your plans for the programs that will educate and not incarcerate. Where is the funding coming from, when do you plan on starting such programs and what exactly are the contents of such programs that you propose?

Mr. Peterson it is time to stop gloating over your victory and explain your plans to educate not incarcerate.

Gregory Hart  
Lincoln

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## Local Notes

### Items Needed

My Brother's Hope is in need of baby clothes, especially size 24 months. The pantry is also in urgent need of personal care items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, deodorant, and shampoo). Donations may be taken anytime to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. All donations are greatly needed and appreciated.

### ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be open Saturday, Dec. 1 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Campbell Building at the ARA site. Available this week: Acorn squash, eggs, bread, cinnamon rolls, muffins, all cuts of hormone- and antibiotic-free fresh pork, grass-fed and grain-fed beef, jams and jellies, dried herbs, fragrant handmade soaps, homemade laundry detergent, rag rugs, wreaths and grave blankets and more. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

### New 4-H Club

A registration meeting will be held for a new 4-H Club on Sunday, Dec. 2 at 2 p.m. at the leader's home in Lincoln. The club, led by Sue Schmitz, will focus primarily on the horse project but could also include camping, sewing, rabbits, quilting, painting and cooking. Youth do not need a horse to participate. Enrollment is limited to 15 youth between the ages of 13 and 19 and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Call the Alcona MSU Extension Office for more information at (989) 724-6478.

### New Arrival

Macy Amelia Somers is the new daughter of Colleen and Paul Somers of Lincoln. She was born on Friday, Nov. 23, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center. She weighed six pounds and 15 ounces. She joins sisters Sawyer and Jordyn. She is the granddaughter of Robert Clink of Lincoln, Tom and Doreen Somers and David and Amy Somers, all of Harrisville.

### Christmas Concert

The Sunrise Ringers Hand Bell Group will be playing in concert on Sunday, Dec. 2 at 3 p.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church. The music is mainly Christmas. There will be other musicians involved in the concert as well — Susan Armstrong, Lora Shillair, Elaine Swales and George Redlawsk. The bell ringers are from Alpena to Oscoda. They are Sue Littrell, Glenna Spencer, Erin Freel, Judy Blair, Sue Meranda, Robin Job, Rev. Linda Jo Powers, Kathy Baird, Ruth Fleck, Lucille Gillard, Arlene Good, Mia Welscott, Sue Malski, Alicia Bennett and Margaret Fox. There will be an "after-glow." All are welcome to attend.

### Senior Menu

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

- Monday, Dec. 3—Herbed chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, tropical fruit salad and fruit.
- Tuesday, Dec. 4—Goulash, carrots, coleslaw, fruit and garlic bread.
- Wednesday, Dec. 5—Fish almondine, Spudsters, broccoli, flavored apple sauce and fruit.
- Thursday, Dec. 6—Smoked sausage, macaroni and cheese, tossed salad, pudding and fruit.
- Friday, Dec. 7—Chicken pot pie with biscuit and stewed vegetables, cauliflower, three bean salad and fruit. *(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)*

### Holiday Drop in Craft

Kids in the age range of toddler to 17 are invited to drop in at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library on Wednesday, Dec. 12 from 2 to 4 p.m. to create a variety of holiday crafts/gifts. This is a free program; all materials are provided. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

### Foster Homes Needed

Prospective foster parents do not have to be rich, married, own a home, or be of a certain age. Patience, a good sense of humor, a love of children and the commitment to be a good parent are the most important characteristics. Lutheran Child and Family Service of Michigan (LCFS) works together with families from all over northern Michigan to provide loving, stable homes for children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse and neglect. LCFS offers a no obligation orientation once a month. The next orientation will be held December 11 from 6-9 p.m. at the LCFS office which is located at 1260 S. Otsego Ave., Gaylord, Mich. Anyone interested in becoming a foster parent or would like more information, call Lutheran Child and Family Service at (989) 732-1040.

### Scam Alert

The Michigan State Police, Alpena post is warning the public of a new scam targeting the citizens of Alpena and surrounding areas. Troopers have been made aware by citizen reports that a number of people in the community have been receiving telephone calls and text messages on their cellular phones regarding their debit cards. The caller is informing the intended victim that their debit card has been compromised and is instructing them to call a second number and verify their account number. Once the victim calls the second number they are then asked to provide their pin and or security number code.

The Michigan State Police want to remind the public to be cautious and use diligence when encountering requests for information and advises citizens not to provide any personal information to anyone over the telephone. "The individuals who attempt to run these types of scams are counting on citizens to believe what they are saying and give them their account information, which gives the caller full access to the victims account," said Sgt. Stuart Sharp. To report this kind of activity, call the post at (989) 354-4101.

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the bridge he wasn't related to," Ginger said, snickering.

Ginger began working at Old Mill Lumber in 1996 and Louis helped there on the weekends. Louis was also a volunteer fireman. Unfortunately, one of his first calls as a fire fighter was when the Old Mill Lumber burned down.

Ginger purchased the lumber yard about 10 years ago and named it Harrisville Lumber. "Most days are good, I enjoy the lumber yard," she said. The Campbells recently remodeled the store adding a country porch. "We hope it's more inviting to customers."

Louis may have not belonged to 4-H but he was a Cub Scout and a Boy Scout, and the lumber yard sponsors the same troop number 93 that Louis was in as a boy. The lumberyard also sponsors a bowling team that a few of their employees are on.

Louis applied for a maintenance job with the City of Harrisville in 2000. "I didn't get the job," Louis said, "but it became available again in 2001 and I was hired. It's a good job for year 'round work, there's not much money in the winter here."

In addition to working for the city, and helping out at the lumber yard, Louis is a trustee on the Haynes Township Board and has held that position for 10 or more years, and was recently re-elected to the position. "I do enjoy that work. Sometimes there are differences of opinions between residents and the board, but overall it's good. Four of the five township board members have lived in Haynes Township all their lives," he said.

In addition to all of the other hats Louis wears, he is also a grave digger at Mt. Joy Cemetery. "I want my headstone to read: Here lies Old Digger," Louis said chuckling.

The Campbells have three children. Education was high on their list when it came to raising their crew and all three graduated from Alcona High School in the top 11 of their class. "They all would have been in the top 10 of their class, but a new student moved into the area during our son's last semester and bumped him from 10th place to 11th place, so now we have to say they all graduated in the top 11," Ginger said.

The Campbells have no grandchildren, "But we've got a lot of degrees," Ginger said. Their daughter Jaimie (married to Jim Baker) attained a master's degree from West-



Ginger and Louis Campbell

ern Michigan University and does social work for the state's protective services in Kalamazoo, Mich. Becky (married to Andrew Sikes) received a master's degree in business and lives in Knoxville, Tenn. Their son, Christopher, is attending Charlotte School of Law in North Carolina. Ginger noted, "When our kids wanted to leave the farm they didn't kid around."

"It's sad that our children have to live so far away. It's a nice pace to grow up but there's no place for them to work. I still think when they get older they will understand there were advantages to growing up in a small town and learning about life on the farm," she said.

"Sometimes I can't believe how things have changed in the county just since the early '90s. The economy has changed... some of it (good) and (some of it) hasn't changed for the good. Small business is going by the way-side," Louis said.

He hopes things get better. "It always seemed the economy trickled up and down (in Michigan). It seemed like the east side of the state geared more to the manufacturers. The west side was more diverse. The big three (automotive corps) built this side of the state. Chicago built the west side and the Traverse City area. Property values have declined more on the east side than the west side of the state," Louis said.

Ginger said she'd like to see more people come into the area but feels things are moving in a positive way. "It seems more sold signs are going up on properties. We have people from all over the place moving here. It's quiet and peaceful here. I don't know how people can live in big cities; I'd have a hard

time dealing with the traffic."

Ginger would love to travel and see her children more. "We talk on the phone almost every day, sometimes two or three times a day, but it's not the same as seeing them."

Ginger enjoys walking, reading, baseball and NASCAR. Louis likes gardening and spending time with his dogs, a teacup Chihuahua named Nessie that one of his daughters left behind when she went to college and a stray named Scruffy. They believe Scruffy is half rat terrier and half Yorkshire terrier.

"He's a ratshier that just started hanging around the store and became attached to us. For years we'd bring him to work with us at the lumber yard, but he's grown a bit too old and is now enjoying semi-retirement at home with Nessie," Louis said.

As for Louis and his plans for the future, "I might change jobs, but I doubt I'll ever re-




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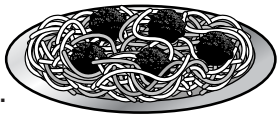
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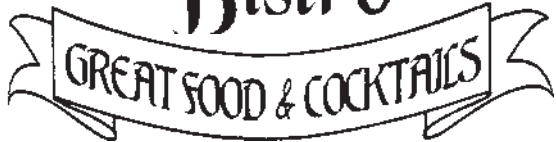
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Alcona Abstr.	73	47
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Stoney Acres	63.5	56.5
Back Alley	61.5	58.5
Cole's Appl.	60	60
JB's Auto	54	66
Lincoln Prec.	50.5	69.5
Ark Plumb.	50	70
High game:	Sue Weichel,	232.
High series:	Mary Jackson,	541.
High handicap game:	Becky Kwilinski,	269.
High handicap series:	Ellen Oke,	669.

### Huron

November 20

Shotmakers	18	75
Gary Oil	11	70
B & D Sales	12	67.5
Harrisville Lmr.	21	60.5
Robert's Floor	19	55.5
Back Alley	10	54.5
Mancino's	20	52
Rob's Repair	9	45
High game:	Jeremy Glomski,	289.
High series:	Roger Klukowski Jr.,	704
High handicap game:	Jeremy Glomski,	338.
High handicap series:	Will Drzinski,	785.

### Early Bloomers

November 20

Violets	196.5	91.5
Mums	169.5	118.5
Buttercups	159	129
Daffodils	144	144
Marigolds	130.5	157.5
Tigerlilys	128.5	159.5
Bluebells	126.5	161.5
Rosebuds	97.5	190.5
High game and series:	Tammy Mendyka,	185 and 528.
High team game:	Buttercups,	477.
High team series:	Tigerlilys,	1,301.

### Majors

November 24

Team 6	72	48
Pin Wizards	71.5	48.5
Woodchucks	65.5	54.5
Destroyers	61	56
Kingpins	49.5	70.5
300 and one	40.5	79.5
Boys' high game:	Keegan Kruttlin,	180.
Boys' high series:	Trevor Morgan,	482.
Boys' high handicap game:	Brad Johnson,	249.
Boys' high handicap series:	Conner Morgan,	657.
Girls' high game and series:	Raegan Eller,	172 and 422.
Girls' high handicap game and series:	Raegan Eller,	249 and

653.

### Minors

November 24

Team 1	17.5	2.5
Little Devils	10	10
Pin Busters	7.5	12.5
Bumper Kids	5	15
Boys' high game and series:	Dalton Torch,	73 and 141.

Boys' high handicap game: Brody Potts, 216. Boys' high handicap series: Matthew Turpen, 413.

Girls' high game: Sammy Nordstrom, 90. Girls' high series: Chloe Bunton, 139.

Girls' high handicap game and series: Sammy Nordstrom, 250 and 452.

## District Court

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

- Ryan Allen Colorite, 20, of Lincoln was sentenced to 60 days in jail, one and a half years of probation, fines and court costs of \$1,346.20 and restitution of \$583 for domestic violence, receiving and concealing stolen goods and contempt of court.

- Branden James Kinney, 20, of Mikado was sentenced to 30 days in jail, six months of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,935 for possession of marijuana/spice/salvia.

- Jacqueline Sue Hutchings, 45, of Hale was sentenced to 20 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,530 for possession of marijuana/spice/salvia.

- Brenton Herbert Garrett, 51, of Glennie was sentenced to 20 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,700 for possession of a firearm while under the influence and assault or assault and battery.

- Fahed Bader Al-Duwaisan, 19, of Harrisville was sentenced to 48 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,470 for retail fraud, third degree under \$200 and breaking and entering without permission.

- Zachrey Mark Smith, 22, of Oscoda was sentenced to five days in jail and \$1,090 in court costs and fines for operating while intoxicated.

- David Anton Vance, 34, of Hale was sentenced to 60 days in jail, two years of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,575 for domestic violence.

- Terry Gilbert Penland, 28, of Oscoda was sentenced to seven days of community service (in lieu of seven days in jail) and \$515 in fines and court costs for no valid license in possession.

- Ralph Elmer Harmon, 59, of Alpena was sentenced to eight days in jail and fines and court costs of \$200 for trespass.

- Adam Jeffrey Schuelke, 21, of Auburn Hills, Mich. was sentenced to four days of community service (in lieu of four days in jail) and fines and court costs of \$1,140 for operating while visibly impaired.

- Desiree Debra Stern, 25, of Mikado was sentenced to five days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,230 for use of a controlled substance.

- Kiley James Selden, 31, of Alpena was sentenced to five days in jail and fines and court costs of \$1,140 for operating while visibly impaired.

- Rebecca Sue Harmon, 22, of Barton City was sentenced to one year of probation, \$725 in fines and court costs and \$600 in restitution for embezzlement more than \$200 and less than \$1,000.

- Leah Marie Petitti, 35, of Mikado was sentenced to 25 hours of community service (in lieu of jail) and fines and court costs of \$325 for open intoxicants.

- Daniel Dennis Gauthier, 34, of Ossineke was sentenced to \$815 in fines and court costs for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied.

- Bradley Joseph Monto Foster, 20, of Grosse Pointe, Mich. was sentenced to one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,265 for minor purchasing/ consuming/ possessing alcohol.

- Manny Ray Brannon, 50, of Flint, Mich. was sentenced to 10 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,465 for operating while visibly impaired.

- Jennifer Nichole Durance, 25, of Harrisville was sentenced to one day in jail and fines and court costs of \$615 for attempted flee and evade an officer, fourth degree.

- Michael Guy Bradley, 63, of Flint, Mich. was sentenced to \$425 in fines and court costs for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied.

- Amador Albert Angulo-Carrion, 39, of Oscoda was sentenced to seven days in jail, six months of probation and \$1,440 in fines and court costs for operating while intoxicated.

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Homebodies

Dear Homebodies,  
Most seniors, like you and your husband, want to stay living in their own home. But being able to do so often depends on how easy it will be to get around the house if you develop physical limitations.

Here are some helpful resources you can turn to in order to get an idea of what types of improvements you should make that will make your home safer and more convenient as you grow older.

A good first step in making your house senior-friendly is to do a home assessment. Go through your house, room

by room as if you've never set foot in it before, looking for problem areas like potential tripping or slipping hazards, and areas that are hard to access. To help you with this, there are various organizations that offer published lists of questions to ask and things to look for to identify problems.

The Fall Prevention Center of Excellence (see [homedmods.org](http://homedmods.org)), for example, offers a number of online checklists including one called "How Well Does Your Home Meet Your Needs?" that you can access directly at [home-needschecklist.org](http://home-needschecklist.org). Or, download and print off the National Caregivers Library "Home Modification Checklist" at [caregiverslibrary.org](http://caregiverslibrary.org) - click on "Checklists & Forms," then on "Housing" to get there.

AARP also has an excellent resource called "The AARP Home Fit Guide" that provides a checklist and tips

to keep your home safe and livable as you age. You can access it at [homefitguide.org](http://homefitguide.org), or if you're an AARP member, call (888) 687-2277 and ask them to mail you a free copy.

If you want more personalized help, consider getting a professional in-home assessment with an occupational therapist.

An occupational therapist, or OT can evaluate the challenges and shortcomings of your home, make modification recommendations and refer you to products and services to help you make improvements. Ask your doctor for a referral to an OT in your area. Your local Area Agency on Aging (call the Eldercare Locator at (800) 677-1116 for contact information) can also help you find nearby therapists.

Many health insurance providers, including Medicare, will pay for a home assessment by an OT if prescribed by your doctor. How-

ever, they will not cover the physical upgrades to the home.

Another good option is to contact a builder who's a Certified Aging in Place Specialist. He or she can suggest ways to modify your home that will fit your needs and budget. To find one, go to the National Association of Home Builders website at [nahb.org/hireacaps](http://nahb.org/hireacaps) where you can search by state and zip code.

There are dozens of small, simple things you can do to make your home more user-friendly as you age, such as securing throw rugs with double-sided tape to avoid tripping, installing brighter full-spectrum bulbs in existing light fixtures to improve visibility, and adding grab bars to the bathroom for support.

There are also a number of bigger more extensive projects like installing a stairlift or elevator for multi-floor access, and replacing the tub

### Savvy Senior

with a walk-in shower for easier entry and exit.

To get a list of more senior-friendly home improvement ideas and illustrations, see the National Aging in Place Council website at [ageinplace.org](http://ageinplace.org) - click on "Practical Advice" then on "Making Your Home Senior Friendly."

Another good resource that's loaded with tips and universal design ideas is the "AARP Guide to Revitalizing Your Home." It's available in book stores nationwide as well as online at sites like [amazon.com](http://amazon.com) for around \$16.

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



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Hubbard Lake Citizens Watch held its annual awards dinner at the south end fire hall on October 22. Attendees include (back row, from left) Bill Manczak, Reno Nave, Les Miller, Bill Desilets, Ed Wisnewski, John Welty, Doug Kuffert, Al Vichunas, (middle row) Rich Sierakowski, Anne Nave, Mary Kline, Judy Wisnewski, Mary Ann Roland, John Roland, Craig Klemens, Myrna Welty, Mary Jackson, Linda Kuffert, (front row) Jim Kline, Tam Felosak, Lee Sierakowski, Julie Miller, Dale Manczak, Linda Klemens and Art Jackson. *Courtesy photo.*



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Al Vichunas (center), president Hubbard Citizens Watch, recognizes Doug and Linda Kuffert with the Outstanding Member 2012 award at the group's annual award dinner in October. *Courtesy photo.*



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## Middle School Honor Roll

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

Due to concerns about confidentiality the school is not releasing grade point averages (GPAs) to the public.

### Seventh Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Alicia Bishop, Courtney Church, Timothy Hutchinson II, Jack Hutchinson and Alexander Stephenson.

#### Honor Roll

Jacob Aube, Layla Carriveau, Hayley Conner, Austin Gutzman, Kyle Haeger, Jonathan Hudgins, Noah Hutchison, Taylor Livingston, Luke Loyer, Conner McCoy, Devon Mills, Elizabeth Rowe, Lily Sager, Cody Schram, Caitlin Sorensen and Alexander Viau.

### Eighth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Hannah Canute, Keilene Elmer, Zackery Faszczewski, Brock Franklin, Jake Gallagher, Erik Harmon-Davey, Jordan Joyce, Kendra LaFave, McKenzie LaFave, Madison Lane, Molly McKay, Mindy Mendyka, Brendan Nelson, Dresden Parkinson, Raymond Richardson, Jared Sager, Riley Somers and Rachel Warner.

#### Honor Roll

Michael Bustamante, Brittany Decker, Douglas Gibson, Cory Hoffiman, Krysta Indish, Bradley Johnson, Katelyn Kline, Luke Krentz, David Lindsay, Taylor Murray, Dakota Oke, Brooke Shultz, Taylor Sobek and Lucas Wise.



# Organization Notes



Volunteers from the Hubbard Lake Sportsman and Improvement Association (HLSIA) replace the Hubbard Lake sign at the corner of Hubbard Lake and E. Spruce Roads on October 25. Volunteers in photo (from left) Jim Kline, Bill Hastings from Alcona Sign Shoppe, Bob Fisher and Steve Nohren. Not pictured: John Roland, Andy Durkee and Dan Betlej. *Courtesy photo.*



Brian Wetherbee (bottom photo) shot a seven-point in the evening of November 15 in Haynes Township. Jon Wetherbee, his father, shot an eight-point on November 17 (above). *Courtesy photos.*



**Cat Nips from the Alcona Humane Society**  
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## Calendar of Events

**Continued from page 3**  
hold a Christmas Bazaar and Tea from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Items available include baked goods, jewelry, food gifts, birdhouses and fresh arrangements. For more information, call (989) 736-6910.

Family portraits or pet pictures with Santa from noon to 4 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall, Poor Farm Road south of M-72. Soup and sub luncheon will be available. All proceeds to benefit the Alcona Humane Society. For more information, call (989) 736-7387.

A benefit spaghetti dinner for Linton Fowler Sr. will be held at 4 p.m. at the Mikado Civic Center, 2291 F-41, cost

is \$5 per person, children age five and under free. For donations or questions, call Kathy (989) 736-6752 or Ann (989) 736-3287.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2**  
The Sunrise Ringers Handbell Group will be playing in concert at 3 p.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 State St. (US-23). Everyone is welcome to attend.

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 3**  
Senior commodities will be distributed from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Get Crafty for Adults at the Harrisville branch of the Al-

cona County Library, 312 W. Main St., from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The project for December is Christmas Charlie with Bea Jay Paxton. For is a \$3 charge for supplies. Call, (989) 724-6796 to register.

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

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

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4**  
Alcona Ladies Home Extension Club will meet at Lost Lake Woods Club from 11

a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost to attend is \$12.50 per person and includes lunch. Seating is limited, registration is required. For more information or to register, call Robin Linde (989) 736-8742.

The Harrisville Lady Lions will have their holiday dinner at Rosa's, 6808 US-23, Spruce at 5:30 p.m. For reservations, call Fran Barber at (989) 739-8735 or e-mail fbarber@charter.net.

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

Walk in the upstairs hall

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

MEA-Retired 14A will meet at 11 a.m. at the Alpena County Library, 211 N. First Ave. Bring a dish to pass for a potluck lunch and a quality item for the scholarship fundraiser. For more information, call Chuck Herring (989) 354-8540.

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5**  
Spruce Lutheran Emergency Food Pantry, 1246 E. Spruce Rd., will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. Clients must be present to receive food and bring identification. For more information, call (989) 471-5013.

Friends of the Alcona County Library will meet at the Harrisville branch, 312 W. Main St., at 1 p.m.

Two computers and WiFi are available for seniors over 60 to use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

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

Foot clinic from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. Cost is \$25. Call, (989) 736-8879 for an appointment.

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

The Alcona woodcarvers will meet in the upstairs hall of the Lincoln Senior Center at 2:30 p.m. Beginners, intermediate and master carvers welcome, class taught by Bill Hastings. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

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. Bring a can of food for the needy. For more information, call the office at (989) 356-4959, Nick Williams (989) 727-4080 or Bill Welk (989) 356-9252.

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6**  
Community Walking Club for everyone will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 Main St. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

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

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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1**

**Holiday Bazaar at Maria Hall**  
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9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
40 booths offering a wide selection of handcrafted items, wreaths and baked goods.  
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**Hayrides**  
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**Harrisville Arts Council**  
(on Third Street) 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
In-House Drawing  
Christmas Cookies  
Hot Cider & Coffee  
Children's Crafts

**Alcona County Library**  
(On M-72 west of the traffic light)  
Children's Activities Noon to 2 p.m.  
Visit with Santa from noon to 1:30 p.m.  
Children's Craft Activities  
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Story Time  
Children's Book Give-Away

**Westminster Presbyterian Church**  
(on Second Street) 9 to 11:30 a.m.  
Annual Cookie Walk

**United Methodist Church**  
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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1**

**Lincoln United Methodist Church**  
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Christmas Bazaar and Tea  
9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
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Luncheon served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
Coffee & cinnamon rolls available prior to luncheon.  
New Life Lutheran Church is located at 25 Kirche-In-The-Woods, south of White Pines National Golf Course off Hubbard Lake Rd.

**Sunday, December 2**

**Sunrise Ringers Christmas Concert**  
Harrisville United Methodist Church  
(US-23 north of the light) at 3 p.m.  
Susan Armstrong will also be participating  
Refreshments after the concert  
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**Friday, December 14**

**Toys for Tots**  
Pizza Benefit at Barton City Eagles  
4 to 8 p.m.



# High School Honor Roll

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

Due to concerns about confidentiality the school is not releasing grade point averages (GPAs) to the public.

### Ninth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Sara Blohm, Isaac Dubuque, Coda Gallagher, Jessica Grove, Brooke Harmon, Alexandra Lask, Sydney Pierce, Ashley Pyle, Alissa Terpstra and Elaina Thomas.

#### Honor Roll

Jewel Beveridge, Piet Botha, Amy Brandt, Thomas Budnick, William Collins, Claire Feldhiser, Kasandra Griffin, Torie Harmon, Mitchel Havercroft, Noah Kenworthy, Harlie Lafond, Jeremy Lickey, Dustin Olson, Taylor Panzica, Austin Rayburn, Jeffery Schram, Nathaniel Swinson, Kyle Thum, Isaak VonFintel, Brett Wambold and Lauren Yokom.

### Tenth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Alexis Bloomfield, Victoria Burns, Alexis Higgins, Trenton LaVergne, Maire MacMaster, Shannon Oliver, Kailey Pagels, Hannah Riggs, Samantha Schopfer, Morgan Stewart, Nicole Walen.

#### Honor Roll

Mykala Basner, Aaron Carrasco, Kendra Cole, Cassidy Cooper, Leigh Gibson, Kayla Hampton, George Hirschfelt IV, Martha Johnson, Nicholas Lamantia, Sage McDermott, Katelyn Nelson, Kayla Norgan, Taylor O'Dell, Brandon Ritchie, Jesse Schram, Jason Steiner, Brandon Sweet and Kalie Zerbst.

### Eleventh Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Karina Cole, Benjamin Dubuque, Madeline Feldhiser, Walker Kelly and Hannah Terpstra.

#### Honor Roll

Chad Cole, Kristen Curley, Nathan Fettes, Dawson Forsythe, Cody Franklin, Kyle Good, Nicholas Harris, Ryley

Mancine, Joshua Mead, Alec Neumann, Garrette Norling, Cassie Pinder, Megan Quick, Rachel Schellie, Basil Schuman, Turner Somers and Dustin Yokom.

### Twelfth Grade


#### Principal's Honor Roll

Miranda Ankner, Natalie Goldstrom, Haley Gombos, Eric Hampton, Marisa Hirschfelt, Brittany Joyce, Victoria Keerl, Keegan Kruttlin, Taylor Orefice, Caycee Ouillet, Cassidy Skurda and Kelsey Sullivan.

#### Honor Roll

Victoria Ankner, Keturah Ashford, Vanessa Bowman, Chad Haneckow, Deven Higgins, Joseph Hudgins, Sydney Jerome, Lauren Karsen, Kaitlynn Keesler, Joshua Lickey, Catherine McNeill, Hannah Mikazes, Nicole Pawloski, Megann Ridgewell, Aaron Ritchie, Ashley Shutes, Jared Steiner, Zachary Stoner, Jennifer Tait, Allen Vandenboom and Elizabeth Wheaton.

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**55 complaints were handled resulting in the following arrests: 6 Arrests; 2 Warrants; 1 Operating While Intoxicated; 1 Drug Crime; 2 Driving While License Suspended.**

### Complaint Statistic

Car-Deer Accident	6	Property Damage Accident	4
Message/Well Being Check	3	Miscellaneous	4
Dog/Animal	1	Traffic	7
Mal. Destruction of Property	1	Alarm	1
Agency Assist	4	Drug Crime	1
Littering	1	Harassment/Threats/Stalking	2
Patrol Check	1	Operate While Intoxicated	1
Warrant Arrest	2	Open Door	1
Personal Injury Accident	2	Assault & Battery	1
Drive While License Suspended	2	Larceny	4
Fire	1	Juvenile	1
Suspicious Events	2	Building Code Violation	1
Gun Shots	1		

### Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	4	Caledonia	4	Curtis	5
Greenbush	6	Gustin	6	Harrisville	5
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Millen	2	Mitchell	1		
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Last week three athletes from Alcona's varsity volleyball team (left) Katelyn Nelson, Ashley Shutes and Nikki Smith received letters inviting them to compete in the USA Junior Nationals Volleyball Sports Festival. The girls will travel to Columbus, Ohio during the week of July 16-21, 2013 for a volleyball competition. The invitations came after the USA Junior National State tryouts where they competed against 47 other athletes from around Michigan. All were competing with one goal in mind -- to secure a spot on the USA team. There will be a cookie dough fundraising effort for the girls to help raise money for some of the registration costs and uniforms. *Photo by Hope Smith.*

## Alcona girls basketball starts with scrimmage

**By Hope Smith**  
Basketball Writer

The Alcona girls varsity basketball team traveled to Standish on November 20 to scrimmage against teams from Meridian-Stanford, Standish-Sterling and Beaverton high schools. Each team played three games with two 15 minute halves, a running clock and one point giving for shooting fouls.

In the first game Alcona went up against Meridian outscoring them 8-5 in the first half. In the second half, the Tigers got stronger and went on to win the game 28-11.

The second game was against Standish-Sterling. Alcona got out to an early lead in the first half 16-6 but they weren't able to hold on as Standish continued to match Alcona basket for basket eventually pulling out a last minute win 28-25 over the Tigers.

The final game of the night was against Beaverton and it

proved to be the toughest of them all. Beaverton jumped out to an early lead in the first half outshooting the Tigers 23-11. Alcona fought back in the second half but just didn't have enough time to get the job done. They came up short losing the game 46-40.

"I saw some good things but I also saw things we need to work on. We are young and fast but other than a couple of returning players we showed lots of inexperience. That's okay though this is a very coachable team," said coach Brad Cole.

The Tigers will be on the road this week in Posen on November 26 and Rogers City on November 30.

*(Correction: Last year the girls' varsity basketball team won 18 straight games with two losses for the season. They captured the Huron Shores Conference title but lost in the first round of districts.)*

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## Huron Shores Conference awards fall honors

The Huron Shores Conference started its third year as a conference and has announced its fall season award winners.

### Football

Whittemore-Prescott was the league champion in football with a 3-0 record, followed by Alcona with a 2-1 record, Oscoda with a 1-2 record, and Tawas with a 0-3 record.

Taking first team honors on offense were: Ryan Prescott, Josh Lanning, Jens Gillings and Zach Baker from

Whittemore-Prescott; Tony Dubay, Cody Franklin and Nathan Fettes from Alcona; Brandon Franks from Oscoda; and Hunter Walker, Dan Howell and Cameron Osborn from Tawas.

First team defense honors went to Ryan Prescott, Alberto Rodriguez, Jose Rodriguez, Dalton Arndt, Jordan Runyon and Clay Loomis from Whittemore-Prescott; Austin Richardson, Austin Cole and Garrette Norling from Alcona; Tyler Harlan from Oscoda; and Hunter Walker, Patrick Ryan and Paul Jones from Tawas.

First team special awards went to punter Garrette Norling from Alcona and Kicker Clay Loomis from Whittemore-Prescott.

Second Team honors for offense went to Joe Carrasco and Chad Haneckow from Alcona, Aaron Barcinal from Tawas, Jordan Runyon and Travis MacDonald from Whittemore-Prescott and Donovan Fouchey from Oscoda.

Second team defense honors went to Alex Brinley and Donovan Fouchey from Oscoda, Cameron Osborn, Jake Morgan and Dan Howell from Tawas and Josh Meal and Nathan Fettes from Alcona.

Honorable mention awards were given to offensive players Dustin Long from Oscoda, Erik Thatcher from Tawas, Tyler Janish from Whittemore-Prescott and Dawson Forsythe from Alcona.

Defensive honorable mention awards went to Jacob Wood from Oscoda, Jacob Leslie from Tawas, Ivan Lauria from Whittemore-Prescott and Eric Hampton from Alcona.

### Soccer

Final standings in soccer had the Tawas Braves taking the league championship with a 5-1 record, followed by the Oscoda Owls with a 4-2 record, the Alcona Tigers with a 3-3 record and in last place

was the Whittemore-Prescott Cardinals with a 0-6 record.

Taking All Conference First Team honors were goal keeper Zach Boensch from Tawas; offensive players Kyle Griffin and Kyle Wheatley from Oscoda; Matt McArdle, Sam Loga and Corey Chamberlain from Tawas; and Jared Steiner from Alcona.

Defensive First Team players were Jacob Salwey from Tawas; Kevin Leveille and Patrick Maher from Oscoda; and Jordan McCoy from Alcona.

Taking second team honors were goalie Aaron Richie from Alcona; offensive players Jacob Carroll from Tawas, Erick Dennis from Oscoda, Trenton LaVergne from Alcona, and Tucker Lange from Whittemore-Prescott.

Second team defense honors went to Don Freeman from Whittemore and Nolan Keim from Tawas.

Honorable mention honors went to Brad Curley from Oscoda, Dylan Decker from Tawas, Carson Jamieson from Alcona and Lane Matthews from Whittemore-Prescott.

### Volleyball

Tawas took top honors in the league followed by Oscoda in second place. Alcona took third place and Whittemore-Prescott finished in fourth place.

First team all conference Award winners were Amber Yates and Lauren Diroff from Tawas, Kaylee Charters and Mary Ruby from Oscoda and Carly Mitchell and Karina Cole from Alcona.

Second team winners were Olivia Janis and Hannah Koroly from Tawas, Nikki Smith from Alcona and Megan Warner from Whittemore-Prescott.

Honorable mention awards were given to Alicia Hennagir from Whittemore-Prescott, Tori Keerl from Alcona, Carly Brown from Oscoda and Emily Kaschner from Tawas.

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# Suggestion for leftover Thanksgiving turkey

The holiday is over, but anyone with leftover turkey can use the following recipe to make another meal.

## Turkey Soup

1 leftover turkey breast carcass (from an 8-pound turkey breast)

- 1 cup chopped onion
- 3 quarts water
- 1 cup sliced celery
- 4 teaspoons chicken bouillon granules
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ cup uncooked instant rice

- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- ½ cup uncooked quick-cooking barley

- 1 cup cooked turkey
- 1 ½ cups sliced carrots
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh parsley or 2 teaspoons dried parsley flakes

Place carcass, water, bouillon and bay leaves in a Dutch oven or soup kettle; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 1 ½ hours. Remove carcass; cool.

Remove meat from bones and cut into bite-size pieces; set meat aside. Discard bones. Strain broth and skim fat; discard bay leaves. Add rice and barley to broth; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 30 minutes.

Stir in the carrots, onion, celery, garlic, salt and pepper; cover and simmer 20-25 minutes longer or until the vegetables are tender. Add cubed turkey, parsley and reserved turkey; heat through. Yield: 12 servings

Source: Taste of Home's Dinner on a Dime Cookbook.

## Flavorful Taco Soup

- ½ pound lean ground beef (90 percent lean)
- 1 ½ cups water
- 1 can (15 ounces) pinto beans, rinsed and drained
- 2 tablespoons taco seasoning

- 1 can (10 ounces) diced tomatoes with mild green chilies, undrained

- 1 can (8 ¾ ounces) whole kernel corn, drained

- 4 ½ teaspoons ranch salad dressing mix

- Toppings:  
½ medium ripe avocado,

peeled and cubed

- 2 teaspoons minced fresh cilantro

- 2 tablespoons shredded cheddar cheese

Tortilla chips

• In a large saucepan, cook beef over medium heat until no longer pink; drain. Stir in the beans, tomatoes, corn, water, taco seasoning and salad dressing mix. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 30 minutes to allow flavors to blend.

• Spoon into bowl; top with avocado, cheese and cilantro. Serve with chips. Yield: 4 cups.

Nutritional facts: 1 cup (prepared with reduced-fat cheese; calculated without chips) equals 328 calories, 9g fat (3g saturated fat), 37mg cholesterol, 1,751mg sodium, 40g carbohydrate, 8g fiber, 19g protein.

Source: www.tasteofhome.com

## Soft Bread Twists

- 1 package (1/4 ounce) active dry yeast

- 5 ½ to 6 cups all-purpose flour

- 2 teaspoons sugar
- ¼ cup cornmeal

- 1 cup warm water (110 to 115 degrees)

- ½ teaspoon dried oregano

- 1 cup warm milk (110 to 115 degrees)

- ½ teaspoon garlic powder

- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- ¼ cup butter, melted
- ½ cup vegetable oil

- Pizza sauce or salsa, optional

- 1 1/4 teaspoons salt, divided

• In a large mixing bowl, dissolve yeast and sugar in warm water; let stand for five minutes. Add the milk, egg, oil, 1 teaspoon salt and 4 cups flour; beat on low speed until smooth. Beat five minutes longer. Stir in enough remaining flour to form a soft dough.

• Turn onto a lightly floured surface; knead until smooth and elastic, about 8-10 minutes (dough will be sticky). Place in a greased bowl, turning once to grease top. Cover and let rise in a warm place until doubled, about one hour.

• Do not punch down. Di-

vide dough into eight pieces. Combine cornmeal and oregano; sprinkle over work surface. Roll each piece of dough in cornmeal mixture and shape into a 15-inch-long rope. Cut each rope into three pieces. Twist each piece and place on greased baking sheets.

• Bake at 400 degrees for 8-12 minutes. Combine garlic powder and remaining salt. Immediately brush twists with melted butter, then sprinkle with garlic powder mixture. Serve with pizza sauce if desired. Yield: 2 dozen.

Source: www.tasteofhome.com.

(Recipes provided by Beth Noffze, an educator with Michigan State University Extension's Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program in Alcona and Alpena counties. For more information about this free program, call her in Harrisville at (989) 724-6478 or in Alpena at (989) 354-9879 or e-mail at: noffzeb@anr.msu.edu.)

## Super Crossword

Answers

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## Top Ten

### Favorite Burger Chains

1. Five Guys
2. In-N-Out
3. Fuddruckers
4. A&W Restaurant
5. Smashburger
6. Culver's
7. Steak'n Shake
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That leave the maples bare  
I can hear it in the wind the way  
It whispers to the pine  
I can touch it in the morning frost  
That's clinging to the vine  
I can watch the chipmunks in the yard,  
Go scurrying all about  
As they stock their stores up just enough  
To last the season out  
I can feel it in the sunset chill  
That makes me seek inside  
A place to curl up with a book  
Next to a fireside  
I can see it in the northern lights  
Above that sweep in bars  
And in the night that's sprinkled with  
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# EHD epidemic: DNR works to balance hunting opportunities and herd health

Most Michigan deer hunters are well aware that epizootic hemorrhagic disease (EHD) has reared its ugly head at historic levels in Michigan this year.

A viral disease that is transmitted by the bite of a fly called a midge, EHD causes deer to die from internal bleeding. It has been found in 30 counties in Michigan this year, mostly in the southern third of the state, though it has been documented in Clare and Osceola counties and is suspected as far north as Presque Isle and Benzie counties. This is the largest, most widespread outbreak of the disease in Michigan history.

First described in Michigan in 1955, EHD wasn't seen again until 1974 and then not again until after the turn of the century. Since 2006, however, it has occurred at some level every year except 2007.

EHD is widespread across the Midwest this year, something that is thought to have been caused by last winter's unusually mild weather as well as this year's drought.

The tiny flies (about one-tenth of an inch in length) that carry EHD typically breed in mud flats, and this summer's drought has expanded areas where midges of the genus *Culicoides* can reproduce. In most years, those mud flats would be underwater.



Deer with epizootic hemorrhagic disease (EHD), now reported in 30 counties throughout Michigan, develop weakness, excessive salivation, rapid pulse and respiration rate, fever and eventual unconsciousness. Most deer seek out a body of water to try to cool themselves. *DNR Photo.*

"Other states around us - Indiana, Illinois and Ohio - have seen this more frequently, and some of them have it from one end of the state to the other," explained Brent Rudolph, the deer and elk program leader for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. "In Michigan, it's been mostly restricted to the southern third of the state, though we've had a couple of cases that bounced up above the line."

Rudolph said that states from South Dakota to Kansas have reported more widespread mortality this year than ever before. Deer with EHD suffer from high fevers and head toward water to seek relief. Their bodies are often found in or near ponds, rivers or creeks.

EHD tends to be highly localized; in some cases the disease causes large die-offs in part of a township while areas just a few miles away show no sign of the disease.

Often referred to by hunters as "blue tongue" - a similar, though different disease - EHD shows up in the herd in the summer months, after regulations have been developed for the upcoming hunting season.

The DNR has no estimate of total EHD mortality, though it has had more than 13,000 dead deer reported.

Rudolph said that EHD has never caused widespread or long-term impacts to deer populations, though local effects can be significant and can last for a few years.

"Until this year, we've never seen enough EHD in Michigan to cause population declines at a broad scale, but the southwestern corner of the state - Cass and St.

Joseph counties - has had EHD a couple of years in a row, in 2010 and 2011, and now again this year," he said.

Because of this trend, DNR Director Keith Creagh signed an emergency order that decreases antlerless license purchase limits for deer management units (DMUs) where the most EHD-related die-offs have occurred. The purchase limit for DMU 486 is five private land antlerless deer hunting licenses per hunter. The public antlerless license purchase limit per hunter is two for each of the following DMUs: 012 (Branch), 034 (Ionia), 039 (Kalamazoo), 041 (Kent), 044 (Lapeer), 076 (Sanilac), 078 (Shiawassee), 079 (Tuscola) and 080 (Van Buren).

Individuals who purchased antlerless licenses prior to this emergency order are not required to return licenses. This order only applies to antlerless licenses purchased on or after November 8.

"We're encouraging hunters to use their best judgment," Rudolph said. "If a hunter is in an area of an outbreak, backing off - or not taking an antlerless deer at all - is an appropriate thing to do."

From the information that was received from numerous volunteers, a weekly EHD map has been compiled, which may help aid hunters with their harvest decisions. The map and other EHD information including how hunters can report sighting of deer can be found at [www.michigan.gov/wildlifedisease](http://www.michigan.gov/wildlifedisease) (under Current Issues).

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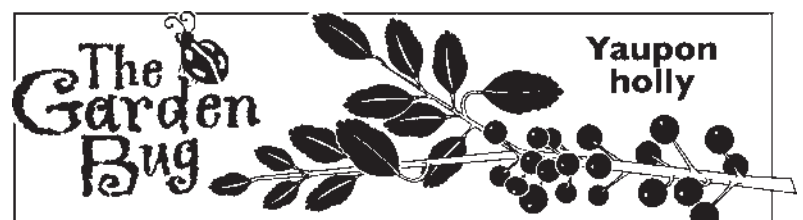
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# Debunking myths about diabetes

Diabetes affects nearly 26 million Americans and an estimated 79 million people are at risk for developing the disease. In Michigan diabetes affects more than nine percent (701,000) of the population. In addition, 364,000 individuals are estimated to have diabetes but are not currently diagnosed.

There are many myths about diabetes that make it difficult for people to believe some of the hard facts – such as diabetes is a serious and potentially deadly disease.

**What is diabetes?**

Diabetes mellitus is a dis-

ease in which the body is either no longer making a hormone called insulin or the insulin that is made is not working as it should.

Either way, high amounts of glucose (a form of sugar) builds in the bloodstream and causes problems such as damage to the eyes, kidneys, blood vessels and nerves. For this reason, diabetes is the primary cause of new cases of adult blindness, kidney failure and non-traumatic lower-limb amputation.

Recent studies indicate that early detection of diabetes symptoms, education, and treatment decrease the complications related to diabetes.

Signs and symptoms of diabetes include:

- Frequent urination
- Unusual thirst
- Extreme hunger
- Unusual weight loss
- Extreme fatigue and Irritability
- Frequent infections
- Blurred vision
- Cuts/bruises that are slow to heal
- Tingling/numbness in the hands/feet
- Recurring skin, gum, or bladder infections

People experiencing one or more of these diabetes symptoms, should see their doctor right away. Diabetes often goes undiagnosed because many of its symptoms seem so harmless

**What is diabetes education?**

Diabetes education or diabetes self-management education (DSME) is the ongoing process of facilitating the knowledge, skill and ability necessary for diabetes self-care. This process is individualized to the needs, goals, and life experiences of the person with diabetes.

Diabetes education provided by recognized and certified diabetes programs and educators is guided by evidence-based standards. The overall objectives of DSME are to support informed decision-making, self-care behaviors, problem-solving and active collaboration with the person with diabetes and the health care team to improve clinical outcomes, health status and quality of life.

It is a critical component of care for individuals with diabetes. The National Standards for DSME are established to define quality dia-

betes self-management training.

**Who should have diabetes education?**

Everyone who has diabetes. Education is treatment. This is why most types of insurances cover diabetes education.

Education is more than providing information, it is to support informed decision-making, self-care behaviors, problem-solving and an active partnership with the health care team.

**Who provides diabetes education?**

Education can come from several different resources. Educators can work in a variety of settings such as pharmacies, doctor offices, clinics or in the hospital. Many educators have also earned the certified diabetes educator (CDE) credential, which requires considerable experience and passage of a national exam.

Registered dietitians, are also an important part of the education team. Many programs that provide diabetes education are recognized by the American Diabetes Association or certified by the Michigan Department of Community Health. These certifications are usually required to bill insurances for providing diabetes education.

**Who covers the cost of diabetes education?**

Most insurance plans are now covering diabetes education services. The one requirement is to either be ADA recognized or certified by the Michigan Department of Community Health.

Diabetes education is an ongoing process. Many insurances pay up to 10 hours of initial diabetes education and two hours yearly thereafter. This means that education should be maintained ongoing just as a person sees their doctor for an annual visit.

To obtain more information about diabetes or the education program that is offered by calling the ARMC Diabetes Center at (989) 356-7548. The ARMC Diabetes Center is recognized by the American Diabetes Association and Certified by the Michigan Department of Community Health, for providing a comprehensive program based on standards of care for diabetes.

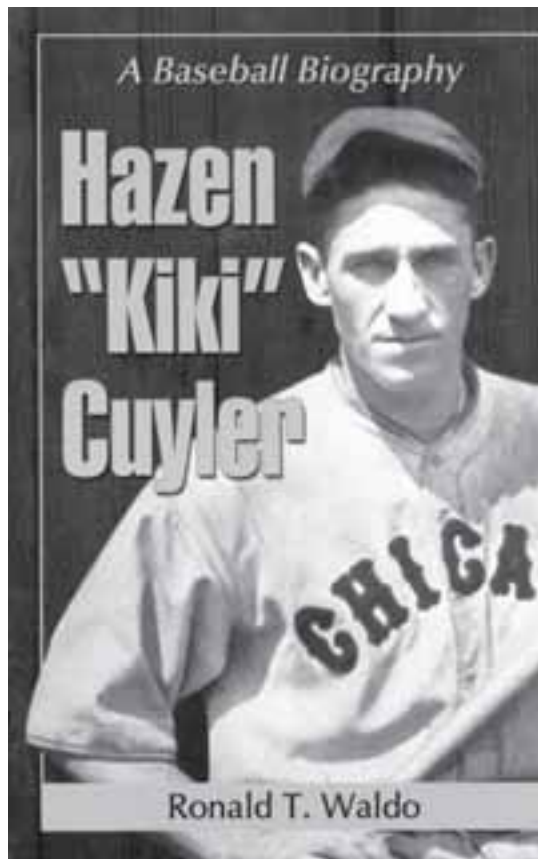
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## CFNEM Grants Awarded

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

- Thunder Bay Trails Association was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for Black Mountain Trail grooming equipment.
- Hillman Fire Department was awarded \$3,000 (\$1,500 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$1,500 from the Wayne Wire Cloth Fund) for fireman turnout gear equipment.
- Hillman Area Senior Citizens was awarded \$852 (\$426 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$426 from the Wayne Wire Cloth Fund) for the inside ceiling light repair project.
- HeadWaters Land Conservancy was awarded \$120 (\$60 from the Community Endowment Fund and \$60 from the Wayne Wire Cloth Fund) for the Lake Avalon Preserve project.
- Atlanta Church of Christ was awarded \$1,500 from the Community Endowment Fund for The Caring Place food purchases. A donation was provided to the Community Endowment Fund from the Community Financial Members Federal Credit Union toward projects in Montmorency County.
- Montmorency County Public Library was awarded \$1,354 (\$854 from the Montmorency County General Fund and \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund) for the collaborative literacy project.
- HeadWaters land Conservancy was awarded \$755 from the Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Eustis Memorial Fund for the AuSable River Project.
- Posen Consolidated Schools was awarded \$400 from the Ann M. Kuntz Fund for the novel and research text project.
- St. Ignatius School was awarded \$953 from the Ann M. Kuntz Fund for the Iggies Outdoor Science Camp project.
- Cheboygan, Otsego, Presque Isle ESD/Great Start Collaborative was awarded \$3,000 from the Ann M. Kuntz Fund for the Great Start Preschool scholarship program.
- Cheboygan, Otsego, Presque Isle ESD/Great Start Collaborative was awarded \$1,000 from the Ann M. Kuntz Fund for the Presque Isle Parent Coalition Baby Safe program.
- Northeast Michigan Community Partnership was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention for Alcona County.
- Mikado Township was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the swing set project.
- Spruce Presbyterian Church was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund toward installation of a new water well.
- Village of Lincoln was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for a new Little League sanctioned baseball field.

- 26<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court/Family Division was awarded \$247 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Art of Recovery project.
- Trinity Episcopal Church was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the "Flute and Friends IV" project.
- United Way of Northeast Michigan was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for Alpena County Project Connect.
- Depression Bipolar Support Alliance/dba Bay Outreach Center was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for information display racks.
- Friends of Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Thunder Run project.
- Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency (NEMCSA) was awarded

- \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Elder Abuse Prevention and Awareness Conference.
- Art in the Loft (Northeast Michigan Center for Fine Arts) was awarded \$1,250 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Make A Splash for Art: Community Mural project.
- Northeast Michigan Genealogical Society was awarded \$939 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Civil War Veterans' flag holders and rod project.
- Shelter, Inc. was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund to purchase TVs for the privacy in communal living project.
- Alpena Youth Center/Alpena Childcare and Development Center was awarded \$800 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Learning Healthy Habits Together project.
- Northeast Michigan Com-

- munity Partnership was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Power of Parenting Community Workshop and community forum.
- Alpena County Library was awarded \$500 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Author Jonathan Rand visit.
- Thunder Bay Theatre Inc., was awarded \$2,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the sound system project.
- Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church was awarded \$1,000 from the Community Endowment Fund for the Grief Share workbooks and supplies.
- Alpena Fire Department was awarded \$3,000 from the Community Endowment Fund toward the Jaws of Life Project.
- City of Alpena was awarded \$2,000 (\$1,000 from the Community Endow-

ment Fund and \$1,000 from the Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Eustis Memorial Fund) toward the Alpena Regional Trailhead project.

The Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM), established in 1974, awards nearly \$100,000 each year through its common grant application.








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To learn more about CFNEM or submitting a grant application, contact the office in Alpena at (989) 354-6881 or (989) 354-6881 (toll free), or online at [www.cfnem.org](http://www.cfnem.org).

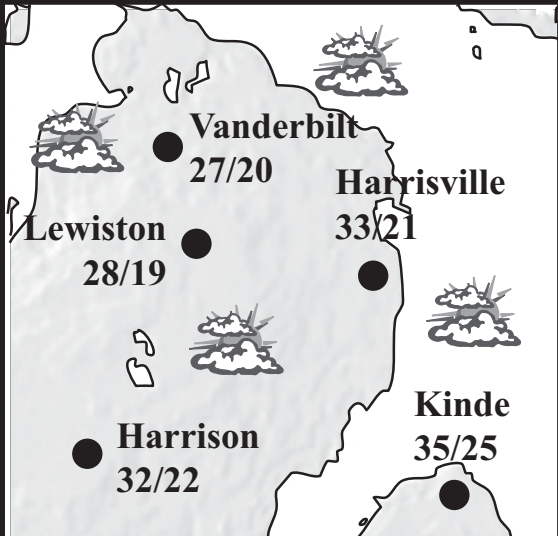
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	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 33 Low: 21
	<b>THURSDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 35 Low: 28
	<b>FRIDAY</b> Cloudy High: 36 Low: 33
	<b>SATURDAY</b> Cloudy High: 44 Low: 40
	<b>SUNDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 47 Low: 39
	<b>MONDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 46 Low: 34
	<b>TUESDAY</b> Scat'd Rain High: 44 Low: 35

#### Today's Regional Map



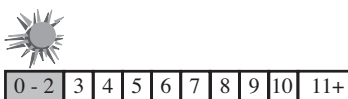
#### In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 33°, humidity of 74%. West wind 15 to 20 mph. The record high temperature for today is 60° set in 1990. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 21°. Southwest wind 5 to 15 mph. The record low for tonight is -2° set in 1959.

*Last Week's Almanac				
Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	49	24	41/26	0.00"
Tuesday	51	32	40/26	0.00"
Wednesday	51	34	40/25	0.00"
Thursday	62	43	39/25	0.00"
Friday	55	29	39/25	0.06"
Saturday	29	26	39/24	0.05"
Sunday	32	26	38/24	0.08"



\*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

#### Local UV Index




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

#### Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

	Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	
Full 11/28	Wednesday	7:47 a.m.	4:56 p.m.	5:09 p.m.	7:44 a.m.	
	Thursday	7:48 a.m.	4:55 p.m.	5:56 p.m.	8:35 a.m.	
	Friday	7:49 a.m.	4:55 p.m.	6:49 p.m.	9:21 a.m.	
	Saturday	7:50 a.m.	4:55 p.m.	7:45 p.m.	10:02 a.m.	
	Sunday	7:51 a.m.	4:54 p.m.	8:45 p.m.	10:38 a.m.	
Last 12/6	Monday	7:52 a.m.	4:54 p.m.	9:46 p.m.	11:10 a.m.	
	Tuesday	7:53 a.m.	4:54 p.m.	10:49 p.m.	11:39 a.m.	

#### National Weather Summary This Week



The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with isolated snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 57° in Germantown, Md. The Southeast will see mostly clear skies with isolated showers today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 81° in Ft. Myers, Fla. The Northwest will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies with scattered rain today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 62° in Colville, Wash. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 82° in Gila Bend, Ariz.

#### Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:06 a.m.	4:10 p.m.
Venus	5:14 a.m.	3:39 p.m.
Mars	10:22 a.m.	6:58 p.m.
Jupiter	5:07 p.m.	8:19 a.m.
Saturn	5:04 a.m.	3:37 p.m.
Uranus	2:11 p.m.	2:29 a.m.

#### Weather History

**Nov. 28, 1989** - Strong Santa Ana winds prevailed across Southern California. Winds gusted to 70 mph at the Rialto Airport and several tractor-trailer trucks were overturned east of Los Angeles.


#### Weather Trivia

What characteristic do thunderstorms possess to form a tornado?

?

**Answer:** Rotation.

#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Small Moon Rising



The week starts with the moon heading towards its full phase on Wednesday, November 28. Then, coincidentally, five hours later, Luna will be at its farthest distance from Earth. The moon's phase period is about 29.5 days. During this interval we see our nearest neighbor slowly emerge from the sun's glare in the west as a fragile, thin waxing (growing) crescent. Then the moon blossoms from first quarter, when it is half on and half off, into a waxing gibbous moon, where Luna's limb and its terminator, both appear bulbous. The moon reaches its full phase just under 15 days after it was new and invisible. Luna's phase cycle then repeats itself in reverse, first diminishing into a waning gibbous moon, then a last quarter moon, and finally a waning crescent before once again becoming invisible at its new phase. While the phases are occurring, there are many other cycles happening right before our very eyes that are more difficult to detect. Take, for instance, the distance of the moon from the Earth. Luna orbits the Earth in the shape of an ellipse (oval). This means that its distance from the Earth is continuously changing. When it is closest to our planet and moving with its fastest orbital speed, the moon is said to be at perigee. When farthest and traveling the slowest, Luna is at apogee. Just like any object which is seen as its distance varies, its size or angular diameter will decrease when it is farther away and increase when it is closer. For the moon this difference in size is 1/15 degree, nearly impossible to observe with the human eye, but easily recorded with a camera. I already have my perigee full moon image, and now I only have to hope that the early evening of November 28 cooperates with clear skies, so that I can snap my apogee picture and contrast the two. The comparison will be posted if successful. Clear skies to you and to me! [www.astronomy.org](http://www.astronomy.org)

[www.WhatsOurWeather.com](http://www.WhatsOurWeather.com)



**TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez**

1. **TELEVISION:** What famous politician did Alex P. Keaton idolize on the show "Family Ties"?
2. **MUSIC:** Which 1970s song featured the line, "Jeremiah was a bullfrog"?
3. **LITERATURE:** What literary figure had a loyal companion named Sancho Panza?
4. **GEOGRAPHY:** What is the capital of Iowa?
5. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What are omnivores?
6. **LANGUAGE:** How many letters are in the Greek alphabet?
7. **ANATOMY:** How many pairs of ribs does a human body normally have?
8. **HISTORY:** In which year did the U.S. space shuttle first fly into orbit?
9. **FOOD:** What kind of food is mortadella?
11. **GAMES:** What is the movable device used in the game Ouija to spell out messages?

Answers: 1. Richard Nixon; 2. "Joy to the World," by Three Dog Night; 3. Don Quixote; 4. Des Moines; 5. Animals that eat meat and vegetables; 6. 24; 7. 12; 8. 1981; 9. Italian sausage; 10. A planchette. (c) 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

**Super Crossword**

**LONG IN THE PAST**

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| <p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1 Not quite direct, as a flight</p> <p>8 Stallions, e.g.</p> <p>14 Trees of Lebanon</p> <p>20 Inhale and exhale</p> <p>21 It's aimed at</p> <p>22 Mountain ridge east of Jerusalem</p> <p>23 Retail VIP conked on the head?</p> <p>25 Words after "Frankly"</p> <p>26 Like lemons</p> <p>27 Furry friend</p> <p>28 Hurts badly</p> <p>30 Nutrition std.</p> <p>31 Good for something</p> <p>34 Group of five people drunk on sherry?</p> <p>38 Not connected to the Internet</p> <p>41 Covered the feet of</p> <p>42 Rebuff rudely</p> <p>43 Steinway with a wood finish?</p> <p>45 1965 hit for the Yardbirds</p> <p>49 Former Disney chief</p> <p>Michael</p> <p>50 Klee's output</p> | <p>51 Wall St. debuts</p> <p>54 Done in the manner of</p> <p>55 "Cómo — usted?" (Sp. greeting)</p> <p>56 Rte. with tolls</p> <p>58 Shop that only sells filleted meat?</p> <p>62 With 63-Across, what a sailor breathes in</p> <p>63 See 62-Across</p> <p>64 Vital blood lines</p> <p>65 "Hasta —!" (Sp. sign-off)</p> <p>66 Barnes &amp; Noble that's too small for its flow of customers?</p> <p>71 Owl's claw</p> <p>73 Cleans with elbow grease</p> <p>74 Stockholm's land: Abbr.</p> <p>75 Orange tuber</p> <p>78 Cash shown in film shots?</p> <p>80 "Dies —" (Lat. hymn)</p> <p>82 Utah lily</p> <p>83 "Chances — ..."</p> | <p>84 Old U.S. gas name</p> <p>85 Major-league</p> <p>86 Sups at home</p> <p>88 Gives back</p> <p>91 Sentry covered with smudges?</p> <p>94 "Veni, vidi, —"</p> <p>96 Uncovers</p> <p>97 Somewhat</p> <p>98 Critters using highway divisions?</p> <p>102 English river</p> <p>103 Siouan people</p> <p>104 Pulitzer category</p> <p>105 Years on end</p> <p>106 "Baby Spice" Buntun</p> <p>110 Opening play</p> <p>112 Recalled events shared during a call?</p> <p>118 Bully's final words</p> <p>119 Alleviating</p> <p>120 Yields</p> <p>121 Jazz chords</p> <p>122 Tristan's lady</p> <p>123 Least happy</p> | <p>3 Jacob's brother</p> <p>4 Blue-green algae variety</p> <p>5 With 6-Down, source of element #50</p> <p>6 See 5-Down</p> <p>7 Hawked</p> <p>8 All-male</p> <p>9 Copper-hued</p> <p>10 Special time</p> <p>11 It has a yolk</p> <p>12 Considered</p> <p>13 Fine fiddle</p> <p>14 Stalin's doctrine</p> <p>15 Blissful place</p> <p>16 Carried out</p> <p>17 Turn away</p> <p>18 Aptly named novelist</p> <p>19 Fender guitar, familiarly</p> <p>24 Curly slapper</p> <p>29 Mensa figs.</p> <p>32 Spork prong</p> <p>33 Lethargy</p> <p>34 "Say again?"</p> <p>35 Na+, for one</p> <p>36 Prefix with noir</p> <p>37 Nuggets' org.</p> <p>38 S-curves</p> <p>39 Bichon — (dog breed)</p> <p>40 In dreamland</p> <p>41 Royal title</p> <p>44 Islamabad's land: Abbr.</p> | <p>46 Ogle</p> <p>47 "Shake —!"</p> <p>48 Large mil. alliance</p> <p>51 Taken with</p> <p>52 Apex</p> <p>53 West Texas city</p> <p>57 Spectrum producers</p> <p>58 Hockey's Orr</p> <p>59 Top Olympic medals, in Madrid</p> <p>60 Hand lotion additive</p> <p>61 Classic Karel Capek play</p> <p>63 Secretary of education</p> <p>64 Together, in music</p> <p>67 Cargo unit</p> <p>68 M.Sgt. and T.Sgt.</p> <p>69 Cubic</p> <p>70 Sing shrilly</p> <p>71 Pre-World War I ruler</p> <p>72 Back 40 unit</p> <p>76 "It's —!" (delivery room cry)</p> <p>77 Haut — (high society)</p> <p>79 "I think, therefore I am" thinker</p> <p>80 The lens is behind it</p> | <p>81 Pitcher Darling</p> <p>82 Talked like Porky Pig</p> <p>85 Skillets and woks</p> <p>87 Opposed to, in the sticks</p> <p>89 One of 17 in Monopoly: Abbr.</p> <p>90 Like "oy vey"</p> <p>91 Place to get a massage</p> <p>92 Contact no.</p> <p>93 Bread makers</p> <p>95 Put — good word for</p> <p>96 Siouan people</p> <p>98 Access the Internet</p> <p>99 Old arcade game maker</p> <p>100 Baby shower rule, perhaps</p> <p>101 JFK Library architect</p> <p>102 Singer Jones</p> <p>105 Periphery</p> <p>107 Coal pit, e.g.</p> <p>108 "Miracle" ball team</p> <p>109 Secy., e.g.</p> <p>111 Classic diner sandwich</p> <p>113 Bear, in Peru</p> <p>114 Nothing at all</p> <p>115 Call a halt to</p> <p>116 "— culpa"</p> <p>117 Gray-headed</p> |
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**STRANGE BUT TRUE**  
by Samantha Weaver

- It was British biologist and author Richard Dawkins who made the following sage observation: "When two opposite points of view are expressed with equal intensity, the truth does not necessarily lie exactly halfway between them. It is possible for one side to be simply wrong."
- If you're like 20 percent of American women, you think your feet are too big.
- Did you ever wonder why we say, "I smell a rat" when we sense that something is amiss? The phrase dates back to a time before effective means of pest control, when it was not uncommon for a home to be infested by rodents. If a rat died inside a wall, the residents wouldn't be aware of it until the smell of the decaying body became noticeable.

- If you'd like to have a festive New Year's Eve but don't want to deal with the crowds in New York City for the iconic ball drop, consider heading to Mount Olive, N.C. Every year the town hosts a celebration in which a 3-foot lighted pickle is dropped into a barrel at midnight.

- Ancient Romans believed that a sneeze was the body's way of expelling evil spirits that caused disease. Thus, if one tried to suppress a sneeze, it was regarded as an invitation to illness and death.

- The 14-foot model of the Starship Enterprise that was used during shooting of the original "Star Trek" series is now displayed in the Smithsonian.

- If you are over the age of 40, you've lived longer than the average gorilla.

- The first woman to appear on the cover of Business Week magazine, in 1954, was Brownie Wise, the originator of the Tupperware Party.

Thought for the Day: "If you don't know where you are going, any road will get you there." — Lewis Carroll  
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**MOMENTS IN TIME**  
The History Channel

- On Dec. 13, 1621, under the care of Robert Cushman, the first American furs to be exported from the continent leave for England aboard the Fortune. During the crossing, the Fortune was captured by the French, and its valuable cargo of furs was taken. Cushman was detained on the Ile d'Dieu before being returned to England.

- On Dec. 14, 1799, George Washington, the first U.S. president, dies at age 67. Two days earlier, he rode out into a freezing sleet to survey business affairs on his estate. He returned home late for a dinner engagement and refused to take the time to change out of his wet clothes. The next day, Washington developed a severe respiratory infection and died the following day. His last words were "Tis well."

- On Dec. 16, 1811, the greatest series of earthquakes in U.S. history begins in the Mississippi River Valley near New Madrid, Mo., when a quake of an estimated 8.6 magnitude slams the region. The earthquake raised and lowered parts of the Mississippi Valley by as much as 15 feet and changed the course of the Mississippi River.

- On Dec. 10, 1915, the one-millionth Ford car rolls off the assembly line at the River Rouge plant in Detroit. Between 1908 and 1927, Ford sold more than 15 million Model Ts in all; they initially cost \$850 (about \$20,000 in today's dollars).

- On Dec. 11, 1946, the United Nations votes to establish the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) to provide relief and support to children. Only two countries have failed to ratify the treaty — Somalia and the United States.

- On Dec. 15, 1973, Sandy Hawley becomes the first jockey to win 500 races in a single year. Hawley achieved his historic win aboard Charlie Jr., in the third race at Maryland's Laurel Park race track.

- On Dec. 12, 1989, hotel magnate Leona Helmsley receives a four-year prison sentence, 750 hours of community service and a \$7.1 million tax fraud fine in New York. Helmsley became the object of loathing and disgust when she quipped that "only the little people pay taxes."

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**Weekly SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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Said premises are situated in the township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing 763 feet east of the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 18, Town 25 North, Range 6 East, thence south 229 feet; thence east 132 feet; thence north 229 feet; thence west 132 feet to the point of beginning. Commonly known as: 5675 Bamfield Road. If the property is eventually sold at foreclosure sale, the redemption period will be six months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned or used for agricultural purposes. If the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for agricultural purposes prior to the date of the foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is one year. Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

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 Dated: November 14, 2012  
 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C.

Attorneys for United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture  
 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180,  
 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302  
 (248) 335-9200  
 Case No. 12MI03624-1  
 11-14, 11-21, 11-28, 12-5

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Bid request-garbage removal Alpena and Ossineke services: Alcona Health Center (AHC) is now accepting bids for garbage removal for the following locations. Alpena Services, 1185 US-23 North, Alpena, Mich. 49707-The bid is for an eight (8) yard dumpster to be picked up twice per week. The contract will be for three years, January 1, 2013-December 31, 2015, and the price must be guaranteed for the length of the contract. Vendor must have general liability, vehicle and workers compensation insurance. Copies of current insurance certificates must accompany bid. Vendor must certify that they are not on any state or federal exclusion lists. Ossineke Services, 11745 US-23 South, Ossineke, Mich. 49766-The bid is for a six (6) yard dumpster to be picked up twice per week. The contract will be for three years, January 1, 2013-December 31, 2015 and the price must be guaranteed for the length of the contract. Vendor must have general liability, vehicle and workers compensation insurance. Copies of current insurance certificates must accompany bid. Vendor must certify that they are not on any state or federal exclusion lists. This bid is for routine garbage and does not contain materials that meet bio-hazard standards. Contract to be effective January 1, 2013-December 31, 2015. Bids are to be sent to, Attn: Garbage Bids, P.O. Box 279, Lincoln, Mich. 48742, no later than end of business on December 7, 2012. Bids dropped off or sent to any other AHC location will not be considered. Bidder understands that the owner reserves the right to waive any informality in the bidding, and to reject any or all bids in whole or in part.

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### Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

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nee for IndyMac Bank, F.S.B., a federally chartered savings bank, its successors and assigns, mortgagee, dated February 28, 2007, and recorded on March 8, 2007 in Liber 439 on page 1,260, and assigned by said mortgagee to OneWest Bank, FSB 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 eighty-seven thousand three hundred forty-three and 14/100 dollars (\$87,343.14). 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 pub-

lic vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m. on January 9, 2013. Said premises are situated in township of Millen, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Town 26 North, Range 6 East, Section 25. East 554.66 feet of northeast 1/4 of northeast 1/4 except north 264 feet of east 276.66 feet except north 264 feet of west 84.9 feet S228/594 includes Parcels C and D. 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: November 28, 2012 For more information, please call: (248) 593-1300 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File No. 414741F01 11-28, 12-5, 12-12, 12-19

### Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Meghan M. Himick, a single woman, to Alcona County Habitat for Humanity, formerly of 2395 E. Trask Lake Road, P.O. Box 429, Lincoln, Mich. 48742 (which is now known as Habitat for Humanity Northeast Michigan) with an address at 1600 W. Chisholm Street, Alpena, Mich. 49707. The mortgage is dated November 13, 2009 and recorded on November 13, 2009 at Liber 466, page 1061, 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 \$61,857.32 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 of the property described below at public auction to the highest bidder at the Alcona County courthouse at 106 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 on Friday, Dec. 28, 2012 at 11 a.m. The property will be sold to pay the amount due on the mortgage, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes and insurance that the mortgagee pays on or before the date of sale.

The property subject to the mortgage and subject to sale is as follows: Lot 14 and 15 of Block 6, village of Greenbush, a recorded plat as found in Alcona County records, Section 2, T25N, R9E.

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

Dated: November 7, 2012 Habitat For Humanity Northeast Michigan, Mortgagee Matthew J. Wojda Attorney for Mortgagee 313 North Second Avenue Alpena, Mich. 49707 (989) 354-4104 11-14, 11-21, 11-28, 12-5, 12-12

# Area Church Directory


**St. Andrew's Episcopal Church**  
  
**Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd., Harrisville • 724-5160**  
**9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SERVICE**

**Haynes Community Church**  
 4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740  
 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m.  
 989-724-6665 • 989-724-6578  
 Pastor Claire Duncan • [haynescommunitychurch.org](http://haynescommunitychurch.org)

**Family Heritage Baptist Church**  
 4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light)  
 Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • [www.church72.org](http://www.church72.org).  
 Sunday worship services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
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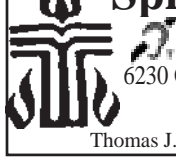
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**Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.**  
 Hubbard Lake Rd.,  
 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course  
 Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816


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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m.  
 Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m.  
 AWANA Program Monday at 3:30 p.m.  
**Pastor Dr. Rev. Arie VanBrenk • 202 Main Street • 736-8796**

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

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 2902 E. F-30, Mikado, MI 48745 • (989) 736-8345  
 Pastor Tim Steiner, Pastor Emeritus Larry Richmond  
 Sunday School: 10 a.m. • Sunday Worship Services: 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
 Monday: 6:30 p.m. \*Teen Program (Grades 7-12)  
 Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study & Youth Programs (Grades K-6<sup>th</sup>)  
 \*Fall-Spring programs • Website: [www.cbcmikado.com](http://www.cbcmikado.com)

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 Pastor Robert L. Mikkelson • (989) 727-2496


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[www.grace-epc.org](http://www.grace-epc.org), email: [pastordalerobertson@yahoo.com](mailto:pastordalerobertson@yahoo.com)  
 Pastor Dale Robertson: 739-3424  
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