



Three individuals sustain injuries in two-car accident in Greenbush last week. According to the Alcona County Sheriff's Department, a vehicle (above) driven by Patricia Lehman, 78, of Greenbush was northbound on US-23 near the Red Rooster Restaurant when it pulled off onto the shoulder prior to making an U-turn. After several cars passed by Lehman's vehicle, she allegedly pulled out into the path of a northbound vehicle driven by Melissa Ashford, 23, of Harrisville. Lehman and a passenger in her car, Karen Peca, 62, of Greenbush, were taken by Iosco EMS to St. Joseph Hospital in Tawas City. Peca was transported by Alcona EMS to Alpena Regional Medical Center in Alpena. Two children in the backseat of Ashford's vehicle were uninjured. *Photo courtesy of Phil DiMaria.*

Free electronic waste collection set for Saturday

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

As newer, better and bigger items come out on the market, more and more old electronic waste is added to landfills.

In an effort to reduce electronic waste, Recycle Alcona County and 5R Processors, Ltd. will be teaming up to help Alcona, Iosco and Oscoda counties to properly dispose of household electronics during a free, one day event on Saturday, Aug. 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Alcona County Recreational Area Fairgrounds (ARA site), 854 N. Barlow Road, Lincoln.

Alcona County Commissioner Bill Thompson explained this is the third electronic recycling event for Alcona County and past response has been good. "We collected one and a half semi trucks at the first event and another semi truck load at the second event. One of the stipulations we have with the company that does the recycling (5R Processors, Ltd.) is that we have at least 10 volunteers to help on recycling day and we fill at least one semi truck," Thompson said.

The recycling company will accept most all electronics with a plug including household items (large or small), office equipment, computers, monitors, laptops, printers, cell phones, stereo equipment, microwaves and more.

Household appliances such as dishwashers, washers and dryers and televisions including projection and wood console sets will be

accepted. Refrigerators or freezers with Freon still in them and air-conditioners will be accepted.

Thompson said there will be help available to get items off a trailer or truck and that it's best if the cord/plug is left on the item.

The processors will not accept broken glass on moni-

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Dos and don'ts of what to bring

The following are acceptable items:

- AC adapters
- Adding machines
- Air conditions
- All in one computers
- Answering machines
- Audio tapes
- Batteries, cell or computer type, not alkaline
- Blenders/mixers
- Blue tooth peripherals
- Boom boxes
- Bread makers
- Cable/wire
- Calculators
- Camcorders
- Cameras
- Car batteries
- Carpet cleaners
- Cases/computer
- Cassette players
- CBs/two way radios
- CD-ROMs
- CD players
- Cell phones
- Circuit boards
- Coffee makers
- Computers (PCs or CPUs)
- Controllers
- Copiers
- Credit card machines
- Crushed or destroyed electronics
- De-humidifiers
- Desktops
- Dishwashers
- Docking stations
- Dryers for clothes
- DVDs
- DVD players
- DVRs
- Electronic toys/game boys
- Equipment over 1,000 pounds
- Fans
- Fax machines
- Floppy drives
- Fridges
- Freezers
- Games electronic
- Hard drives
- Hair dryers
- Hubs
- Humidifiers
- iPods
- Joysticks
- Keyboards
- LCD monitors
- Mainframes
- Memory
- Mice
- Microwaves
- Moderns
- Monitors CRTs 14 inch - 17 inch
- Monitors CRTs 19 inch - 21inch

- Monitors (no broken or broken lead based glass)
- Motherboards
- MP3 players
- Multifunction machines (fax, scanner and printer)
- Networking devices
- Notebooks or laptops
- Ovens
- Palm pilots
- Pagers
- Paper shredders
- PCs
- PDA
- Peripherals
- Phone consoles
- Phone systems
- Plotters
- Postage machines
- Power supplies
- Power tools
- Printers (laser and inkjet)
- Printer cartridges
- Projectors
- Radios
- Refrigerators
- Routers
- Satelite dishes
- Scales
- Scanners
- Servers
- Sewing machines
- Sound cards
- Speakers
- Stereos
- Stoves
- Switches
- Tape backups
- Tapes (digital and audio)
- Telecommunication equipment
- Telephones
- Televisions (no broken glass)
- Terminals
- Toaster ovens
- Toner cartridges
- Typewriters
- Video cards
- Uninterruptable power supplies (UPSs)
- VCRs
- Vacuums
- Video cassettes
- Video boards
- Washing machines
- Word processors
- X-ray machines
- Zip drives

- NOT Accepted:**
- Fluorescent light of any type
 - PCBs
 - Radioactive materials
 - Hazardous materials
 - Flammable materials
 - Explosives
 - Compressed gas
 - Corrosives

Maser is new Miss Iosco

Two young ladies were crowned as county royalty on July 26 at the Miss Iosco/ Outstanding Teen Scholarship 2013 Pageant.

The Miss Iosco portion of the pageant is open to any young women who attend school or live in Iosco, Arenac or Ogemaw counties. The five women were judged in pre-pageant interview, on-stage question and answer, evening wear, swim suit and talent categories.

Ashli Maser was crowned the new Miss Iosco 2013. She is the daughter of Rod and Jennifer Maser and a graduate of AuGres High School. She attends Saginaw Valley State University with the am-

bitition to be a dentist in the U.S. Navy. Maser played "Bad, Bad Leroy Brown" on the piano as her talent and answered an on-stage question regarding her platform on "Smiles Change Lives."

As Miss Iosco 2013, Maser was awarded a \$700 scholar-

ship and \$100 for winning the talent competition.

Ashley Flowers of Oscoda was awarded a \$250 scholarship as First Runner-up. She is the daughter of Susan and Rick Flowers. She danced to

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Miss Iosco Ashli Maser (left) and Miss Outstanding Teen Diana Davis were crowned last Friday. *Courtesy photo.*

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Memorial

Christopher Hinojosa

There will be a memorial service for Christopher Hinojosa on Saturday, Aug. 3, 2013 at the Lincoln United Methodist Church. Visitation will be from noon until the service at 1 p.m. Rev. Linda Jo Powers will officiate. Mr. Hinojosa died on Friday, July 5, 2013 in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,
Regarding the article in the Alcona County Review, dated July 24, 2013 entitled, "Storm wreaks havoc in Barton City," I am shocked that within the article was written the following (a.) "nothing out of the ordinary" and (b.) "it was a small incident."
First, being a Lakes In The Green resident, I realize since we are a private area that the road commission would not come in here to work; however, this storm was far from

ordinary and was not a small incident. There are many parts of Lakes In The Green that are heavily damaged and it will take years to correct, if ever.

Second, until now I felt happy to be an Alcona County resident, but I didn't realize our part of Alcona County would be treated like the ugly stepchild.

The description of this storm is insulting.

Marie Schneider
Barton City

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tors or televisions, florescent lights or hazardous waste including wood speakers. "It turns out that the glue used on the wood speakers is hazardous, they will accept the guts from the speakers, but not the wood," Thompson said.

The recycling event is free to the public and there is no charge to the county. "There are other companies out there that do this sort of e-waste recycling, but this company was the first to contact us about it and they do a good job. The company does all the packing into the semi trucks," Thompson said.

Additionally, Thompson explained, no one will be checking participants' residency. "This is a good thing

for our county and other counties too. It's environmental friendly, all this stuff would normally go to landfills. This way some of the materials are recycled and re-used in some manner. It also helps to keep cost down for residents who may normally have to pay to have this type of waste removed."

Alcona Recycle is still looking for a few volunteers for the event. Anyone interested in volunteering can just show up at the ARA site around 9:30 a.m. For more information about the event and what is and is not accepted, contact Bill Thompson at (989) 724-5077 or e-mail wthompson0321@juno.com. To learn more about 5R Processors, visit www.5rprocessors.com.

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Obituaries

Harold C. "Huck" Pheister

Harold "Huck" Pheister, 87, of Lincoln died on Saturday, July 27, 2013 at home.

He was born December 15, 1925 in Columbus, Ohio to Glenn and Sadie (Klamforth) Pheister. He was raised in Killmaster and graduated from Oscoda High School.

He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He married Jenny Mecoli on September 24, 1949 in Berkley, Mich. They were longtime Berkley, Mich. resi-

dents and moved to Lincoln in 1971.

He was a longtime ironworker before retiring.

Mr. Pheister was a member of the Alcona Lodge No. 292 Free and Accepted Masons and the Alpena Shrine.

He was an avid golfer and enjoyed hunting, fishing and bowling. He supported Alcona High School athletics.

Mr. Pheister is survived by his wife, Jenny; one daughter, Lori (Joe) Achtabowski of

Lincoln; one son, Tom (Vickie) Pheister of Milwaukee, Wisc.; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and one daughter-in-law, Lani Gilbert of California.

He was preceded in death by one son, Gary; two sisters; and four brothers.

Visitation will be held Saturday, Aug. 3 at 10 a.m. until the Masonic memorial service at 11 a.m. at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Gerald E. Davis

to Oscoda in 1980 and to Mikado in 1983.

Mr. Davis was a member of the American Legion, Mikado Post No. 254, the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Barton City Aerie No. 4141, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Oscoda Post No. 3735, the Loyal Order of the Moose, and the Forty & Eight No. 669.

He was an avid bingo player and enjoyed hunting.

Mr. Davis is survived by his wife, Mary; four sons, Jeffrey (Pat) Davis of Rochester, N.Y., Gerald E. (Pam) Davis of Bay City, Mich., Craig Kostus of Saginaw, Mich. and Blane (Kim) Kostus of Bay City, Mich.; four daughters, Debra Maxson of Howell, Mich., Joy (Todd) Needham of Palmyra, Va., Trista Davis of Midland, Mich. and Lonnae

Kostus of Bay City, Mich.; numerous grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; one daughter-in-law, Becky Davis; one sister, Marlene (Judd) Gawne of Burton, Mich.; and two brothers, Bob Davis of Comins, Mich. and Guy (Bev) Davis of Rapid River, Mich.; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Patty Ann Davis; and one son, Darrell Davis.

There will be a memorial service Saturday, Aug. 3 at 1 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Mikado. A graveside service will be Monday, Aug. 5 at the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Bay City, Mich. at 1 p.m. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln.

Service Dog Memorial

Sage

There will be a memorial service for Sage, the service dog and loyal companion of Kevin Bradley of Harrisville. He died on Sunday, July 28, 2013.

Sage was born June 11, 2005 and was given to Bradley at nine weeks old. He came from northwestern New York.

Sage was Bradley's service dog and faithful companion. They shared many adventures together.

Anyone who knew Sage and Bradley and his family is welcome to attend the service at Gillies Funeral Home, Harrisville on Thursday, Aug. 1 from 3 p.m. until the service at 4 p.m.

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Flower-Inspired
Girl Names

1. Aster
2. Ayana
3. Daisy
4. Hyacinth
5. Iris
6. Lily
7. Poppy
8. Susan
9. Violet
10. Zinnia

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2012-2013

Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
	July 21	70		53	0.00	5.2
July 22	75	64	0.01	6.5	17	S
July 23	75	59	0.03	2.9	18	N
July 24	68	52	0.00	4.1	23	NNE
July 25	71	49	0.00	6.3	19	S
July 26	73	61	0.23	6.0	25	SSW
July 27	71	60	0.10	1.7	13	SW

Precipitation Summary (Inches)		2012-2013	
	2013	2012	Normal Water Content
Weekly Total	0.37	0.47	0.77
July to Date	4.37	1.09	2.73
Year to Date	20.69	13.24	15.42

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, JULY 31

The GM Sunrise Side Salaried Retirees of Northeast Michigan will hold their monthly luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m. at Sanctuary Inn, 1000 US-23 North, Alpena. Guest speaker will be Alpena City Fire Chief Bill Forbush. For reservations or information, call Chuck Griffin at (989) 727-3350, Frank Baranski (989) 595-2789 or Don Cantleberry at (989) 354-5504.

Drop in Craft and Wii for children from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Harrisville City Summer Concert at the 7 pm. at the harbor. Whispers of the North: Gordon Lightfoot Tribute band. Contact City Hall (989) 724-6666.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 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.

Alcona woodcarvers meet from 2 to 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Sing-a-long at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5307 Campbell Road, Greenbush. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

Community Walking Club for everyone, meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Veterans join your fellow comrades for coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 Second Street, Harrisville.

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.

Free Zumba class with Paula at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church

Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Lincoln branch of the Alcona County Library, 330 Traverse Bay Road. For more information, call (989) 736-3388.

A blood pressure clinic will be held at 3:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

Retirees will meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary is partnering with the Black Sheep Pub, 113 South Second Avenue, Alpena for a fun evening out on the town. Purchase a sanctuary logo glass and the Black Sheep will give you a discount on the refills. All proceeds benefit the Friends of Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary. Visit www.thunderbayfriends.org for more information.

Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

Frog Day storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Enjoy froggy crafts, stories and treats. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

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

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

Join Michael Serour at 1 p.m. at Lumbermans Monument and learn how to build a bird houses. Registration required, call (989) 362-8961. Lumbermans Monument is located in the Huron Manistee National Forest, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road, at the junction with Monument Road. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

Alcona Historical Society's Historical Day at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Family events, special entertainment, food and beverages available. Contact Linda Klemens (989) 727-4703, Lklemens@ymail.com.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center, 500 West Fletcher, Alpena is hosting movie matinees from 3 to 6 p.m. Popcorn will be available for sale and admission is free. For more information,

call (989) 356-8805, extension 21.

MONDAY, AUGUST 5

Senior commodities will be distributed from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

Get Crafty for Adults from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. The project for August is swirled bookmarks with Judy St. John. There is a \$2 charge. To register, call (989) 724-6796.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

Preschool eye screening will be provided free by the Lincoln Lions Club from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during Alcona County Project Connect at Alcona High School, 51 Barlow Road, Lincoln.

Kid's day at Lumbermans Monument. Learn how to identify trees by their leaves and make a leaf print t-shirt to take home at 1 p.m. Bring a clean white t-shirt to the program. Some shirts will be available to purchase. Lumbermans Monument is located in the Huron Manistee National Forest, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road, at the junction with Monument Road. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

Weight loss support group will meet at the Lincoln United Methodist Church, 101 East Main Street, at 4 p.m. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) will distribute commodities from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

Ellen LaCross will teach basic watercolors from 10

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- #1. New tank truck cost \$189,000
- #2. The millage is .66 mills for 5 years
- #3. 66 cents on \$1,000 of taxable value
- #4. \$33 a year for a \$50,000 taxable valued property
- #5. \$66 a year for a \$100,000 taxable valued property
- #6. Huron Community Bank has secured a loan for Curtis Township at a rate of .89% for 5 years!

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2004 Pontiac Vibe AWD Stk. #14247	\$ 6,995*	2010 Chevrolet Silverado Ext. Cab 4x4 Stk. #14257	\$23,995*
2012 Chrysler Town & Country Leather, 7 Pass., Stk. #14191	\$22,995*	2012 Chevrolet Equinox LTZ AWD, Leather Stk. #14196	\$26,995*
2012 Chevrolet Equinox LTZ AWD, Leather, Stk. #14196	\$26,995*	2010 Chevrolet Traverse LT AWD, Leather, Rear Entertainment Stk. #13913	\$23,995
2012 Chevrolet Cruze Like New! Stk. #14201	\$14,995*	2010 Chevrolet Impala 13k Miles, Stk. #14178	\$15,995*
2011 Chevrolet Cruze Great Gas Mileage Stk. #2546	\$14,995*	2005 Pontiac Montana SV6 7 Passenger Stk. #14253	\$ 6,495*
2005 Chevrolet Trailblazer 4x4 Stk. #14264	\$ 7,995*	2009 Chevrolet Impala Low miles, One Owner, Stk. #13986	\$12,995*
2008 Pontiac G6 4 cyl., Auto, Low Miles Stk. #13284	\$12,995*	2007 Chevrolet Silverado Ext. Cab, Z71, 4x4, Stk. #14107	\$17,995*
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Local Notes

Equipment Needed

My Brother's Hope is in need of the following items for its new location: Good, used, energy-efficient refrigerator, four basement floor jacks, room air conditioner, outdoor porch light, two approximately 17 inch by 11 inch bathroom mirrors and tools. All donations will be greatly appreciated. For more information, call Susan Armstrong (989) 724-6365 or Meg Nisbet (989) 724-6210.

Frog Day

The Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will be jumping on Friday, Aug. 2 at 10:15 a.m. during our annual Frog Day storytime and craft. Children of all ages are invited to hear a froggy story, make a froggy craft and eat froggy treats. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Vacation Bible School

Calvary Baptist Church, 2902 East F-30, Mikado will be hosting The Kingdom Chronicles Vacation Bible School Monday, Aug. 5 through Friday, Aug. 9 from 6:30 to 8:45 p.m. Children going into kindergarten this year through eighth grade are invited to attend. For more information, call (989) 736-8345.

Acrylic Bookmarks

Adults are invited to create swirled acrylic bookmarks with local artist Judy St. John on Monday, Aug. 5 at 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. This special technique can also be used to make greeting card covers or small paintings. This program, suitable for all artist levels, is sponsored in part by a grant from the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Region 19 — Kirtland Community College Foundation. All other supplies and light lunch included for \$3 per person; call to register at (989) 724-6796.

Watercolors Class

Teenagers and adults are invited to participate in a watercolor class with Alpena Artist Ellen LaCross on Tuesday, Aug. 6 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. All levels, including beginners, are invited to explore creativity with watercolors. This program is sponsored in part by a grant from the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Region 19 — Kirtland Community College Foundation. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Children's Author

All ages are invited to meet 11-year-old author Sam Gross on Wednesday, Aug. 7 at 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. He will present his book, "112 Ways for Kids to have Fun without Money." Activities from his book will be set up for all to experience, and books will be available for signing. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

New Arrival

• Jacklyn Therese Evans is the new daughter of Josh and Tempest Evans of Sahuarita, Ariz. She was born on Thursday, July 11, 2013. She weighed five pounds eight ounces and was 11 inches long. She joins a brother, Kade. She is the granddaughter of Brian Somers of California, Teresa and Tom Nelson of Oscoda and Phil and Dawn Evans of Oscoda. She is the great-granddaughter of Ann McCoy of Lincoln, Dennis and Myrtle Somers of Lincoln and Ross and Erika Arseneau of Harrisville.

• Madison Lynn Morgan is the new daughter of Jessica Truman and Al Morgan. She was born on Saturday, July 20, 2013 at Alpena Regional Medical Center. She weighed six pounds, 14 ounces and was 19.5 inches long. She is the granddaughter of Larry and Sherri Truman of Harrisville and Robert and Kenna Morgan of Alpena. She is the great-granddaughter of Lloyd and Sharon Schrade of Mikado and Harold and Ruth Truman of Harrisville. She is

the great-great-granddaughter of Florence LaForge of Harrisville.

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, Aug. 5—Beef stew over a biscuit with stew vegetables, cauliflower, flavored applesauce and fruit.
- Tuesday, Aug. 6—Chef salad with ham, turkey, boiled eggs, lettuce, tomato, onion, cheese and shredded carrots; and fruit.
- Wednesday, Aug. 7—Chicken and gravy over stuffing, peas, pickled beets and strawberry shortcake.
- Thursday, Aug. 8—Goulash, corn, orange pineapple fluff salad and fruit.
- Friday, Aug. 9—Baked fish, spudsters, Brussels sprouts, coleslaw and fruit. *(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)*

Away at School

- Heather Rudnik of Barton City recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree.
- Justin Blohm of Lincoln recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree.
- Carolyn Wilson of Lincoln recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Master of Arts degree.
- Holly Liske of Spruce recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Doctorate degree in physical therapy.
- Adam Wilson of Spruce recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration.
- Heather N. Rudnik of Barton City was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- David A. Frasher of Glennie was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- Eryn V. Harvey of Lincoln was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- Eric B. Stymiest of Lincoln was named to the honor's

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On or about **08/08/2013**, Grantee will request the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) to release the following program funds:

CDBG under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974

Program funds will be used to undertake a project known as **Alcona County Housing Rehabilitation Program**, for the purpose of **rehabilitating approximately 6 single-family, owner occupied housing units within the County of Alcona. 50% of grant funds will be used within the county's target area of the Township and City of Harrisville the remaining 50% will be utilized county-wide. Grant amount being \$150,000. All projects will meet or exceed HUD Housing Quality Standards.**

An Environmental Review Record for this project is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Alcona County is certifying to the State of Michigan that **Alcona County** and **Kevin Boyat** in his capacity as **Alcona County Board of Commissioners Chairman** and Certifying Officer, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. MSHDA's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities, and allows **Alcona County** to use Program funds.

MSHDA will accept objections to the release of funds and certification only if they are based on one of the following: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer; (b) the environmental review record indicates an omission of a required step, decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58; (c) the grant recipient has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by MSHDA; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with required procedures (24 CFR Part 58) and shall be addressed to Office of Community Development, MSHDA, 735 E. Michigan Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933, 517-335-4661.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by MSHDA. No objection received after **08/23/2013** will be considered by MSHDA.

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list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

• Shelby J. Kubbe of Spruce was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

• Adam G. Wilson of Spruce was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

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• Amberly B. Dzieszinski of Ossineke was named to the honor's list for the Spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

• Daniel M. Finley of Ossineke was named to the honor's list for the spring 2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

• Amanda Jackson of Ossineke was named to the honor's list for the spring

2013 semester at Central Michigan University. To achieve honor's list recognition students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be held on Saturday, Aug. 3 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA Site in Lincoln. Available this week: Cucumbers, potatoes, peas, zucchini, summer squash, radishes, tomatoes, bell peppers, cucumbers, garlic, green, purple and wax beans, Swiss chard, lettuce, kale, arugula, cilantro, honey, farm-fresh eggs, A variety of assorted baked goods, all cuts of hormone and antibiotic free grass and grain fed beef, brats and beef sticks, dried herbs, assorted regular, sugar-free, and all-fruit jams and jellies, soup mixes, salsa mixes, baked goods mixes, salt-free dip and dressing mixes and seasonings, dried fruit, herb plants, perennials, dish gardens, potted annuals, cut flowers, painted vases, trinket boxes and wooden items, including Adirondack chairs, garden toolboxes, rod racks, gun racks, walking sticks, pet dish holders, saw horses, benches, decor and more. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.



Florence Abraham, of Harrisville (seated) celebrates her 96th birthday with her family. Her birthday was July 19 and all of her children were on hand to enjoy the celebration. (Front row, from left) Barbara Meyer of East Tawas, Marlene Wochoski of Royal Oak, Mich., Ann Marie Pawloski of East Tawas, Charlene Stojcik of Greenbush and Paula Booms of New Berlin, Wisc. (back row) Rosemary Devito of East Pointe, Mich., Christopher Abraham of Varnville, S.C. and Gary Abraham of Mikado Courteys photo.

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3	Unlimited
4	Unlimited
5	Unlimited
6	Unlimited
7	Unlimited
8	Unlimited
9	Unlimited
10	Two seats
11	Closed
12	One seat

Applications for limited seats available for the 2013-2014 school year will be accepted from August 5, 2013 to August 23, 2013. Applications received after August 23rd cannot be accepted. Successful applicants will be notified by mail between August 24th and September 6, 2013. For further information or an application, contact Alcona Community Schools, 51, N. Barlow Rd., PO Box 249, Lincoln, MI 48742 or call (989) 736-6212 or visit www.alconaschools.net.

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"Footloose" for her talent portion. Her platform is "Breast Cancer Awareness."

Miss contestant Amber Penman of East Tawas was awarded the Shelby Fransee Community Service Award of \$50. She is the daughter of Scott and Ann Penman and a graduate of Tawas High School. Penman attends Central Michigan University. Her platform is "Diabetics Awareness." For her talent Penman sang "Orange Colored Sky" for her talent. Amber also received the Spirit of Iosco Award from fellow contestants.

Five young women competed in the Outstanding Teen category. They were scored on their abilities in a pre-performance interview, an on-stage question about their platform, evening wear, active wear and talent. The Outstanding Teen Pageant is open to any girl in the state of Michigan between the ages of 13-17.

Miss Iosco's Outstanding Teen 2013 is Diana Davis, the daughter of Donalea and Gregory Davis of Clawson, Mich. Davis attends the International Academy in Bloomfield Hills, Mich. She won the title and a \$300 state entry fee for Miss Michigan's Outstanding Teen. She played the Irish "Washer-Woman-Swallow Tail Jig" on her fiddle for the talent portion. Her platform is "Supporting Siblings of Special Needs Children." Davis also won the Talent Award.

Holly Fort of Oscoda, the daughter of Carla Campbell and Guy Fort, was the First Runner-up. As a result she is now qualified to participate in Miss Lighthouse Coast Outstanding Teen Pageant. She attends Oscoda High School and sang "You're Gonna Miss Me When I'm Gone" as her talent. Her platform is "Teen Suicide." The Spirit of Iosco Award was

given to Fort by fellow contestants.

The young ladies will represent Iosco County in 2013/2014 until new royalty are crowned in the summer of 2014. Their first official duty was to welcome the canoers at the end of the AuSable River Canoe Marathon in Oscoda on Sunday.

Maser will compete in the Miss Michigan Scholarship Pageant in June 2014. Davis will also compete at the state level for Miss Michigan's Outstanding Teen.

The Miss Iosco Scholarship will also be hosting a Princess Pageant in the fall. The reigning Princess 2012 Kaylee Kaems, will give up her crown during the Princess Pageant. The Princess Pageant is for girls ages 8-12 years old. Kaylee, 10, is the daughter of Todd and Kim Kaems of Tawas City. She attends Clara Bolen Elementary School.

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Birdling BITS BY Cindy Brook

Treasured Tray
 Two new birds that have visited my tray feeder are the great crested flycatcher and a brown thrasher. The thrasher is here quite often. The coolest sighting so far was a family of grackles that gathered around the tray to feed their babies. It was heart-warming.

E-mail: birdlingbits@cfl.rr.com
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Megan Quick, a junior at Alcona High School, was named to the Bay City Times Track & Field Dream Team for the second year in a row. Quick medaled in two events at the Division 4 Track & Field State Finals on June 1. She finished second in the 400 meter run and fourth in the 800 meter run. She was ranked number one in the area in the 400 meter run (59.00) and third in the 800 meter run (2:22.33). She holds two school records and broke her own record in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:22. Quick was a regional champion in two events and Huron Shores Conference champion in four events. *Courtesy photo.*

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SENIOR LIFESTYLES

How to help seniors extend their driving years

Dear Savvy Senior,
What tips or resources can you recommend to help seniors with their driving skills? My 84-year-old mother is still a capable driver, but she has declined a little in recent years and could definitely use some help.

Concerned Daughter

Dear Concerned,

With more and more Americans driving well into their 70s, 80s and beyond, there are lots of tips, tools and programs available today to help elderly seniors drive safer and longer.

Here are several that may help.

- Schedule an eye exam: Because about 90 percent of the information necessary to drive is received through our eyes, this is a good first step in ensuring your mom's driving safety. So get your mom's eyes checked every year to be sure her vision is up to par.

- Check her meds: Does your mom take any medicine

or combination of medicines that could impair her driving? A new resource that can help with this is Roadwise Rx, an online assessment tool at roadwiserx.com that provides personalized feedback on how the medications your mom is taking can impact her safety behind the wheel.

- Evaluate her driving: A do-it-yourself driving assessment is a simple way to help your mom get a handle on her driving abilities and vulnerabilities. The AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety has some great resources on their website to help with this.

Just go to seniordriving-aaa.com, click on "Evaluate Your Driving Ability" then on "Self-Rating Tool" and have her take the Drivers 65-Plus self-rating exercise. Then, click on "Interactive Driving Evaluation" and download the AAA Roadwise Review.

This is a free confidential online screening tool that will test her vision and reaction time, which are very important for safe driving.

- Take a refresher course: AARP and AAA both have older driver refresher courses that can help your mom brush up her driving skills, and learn how to manage and accommodate common age-related changes in vision, hearing and reaction time. Taking a class may also earn her a discount on her auto insurance. To locate a class contact your local AAA (aaa.com) or AARP (aarp.org/drive, (888) 227-7669). Most courses cost under \$20 and can be taken in the classroom or online.

Another good resource to look into is CarFit. This is a free assessment program that will help your mom adjust her vehicle for a better fit, making it easier and safer to drive. CarFit events are held around the country in select locations. See carfit.org to look for one near you.

- Get a professional assessment: If your mom needs some extra help, consider getting a professional assess-

ment done by a driver rehabilitation specialist. They will evaluate her driving ability and test for things like reaction time, decision-making skills, as well as how well she and her car fit together, pinpointing trouble areas and offering solutions.

This type of assessment can cost several hundred dollars. To locate a professional, contact the Association of Driver Rehabilitation Specialists (driver-ed.org, (866) 672-9466) or the American Occupational Therapy Association (www.aota.org).

- Make some adjustments: Recognizing vulnerabilities and adapting her driving habits to compensate for them can go a long way in helping keep your mom safe and driving longer. Some simple adjustments include not driving after dark or during rush hour traffic, avoiding major highways or other busy roads, and not driving in poor weather conditions.

It's also good to know if there are any older driver's

Savvy Senior

license renewal provisions in your mom's state, which you can get by calling her nearby driver's license office or at ihs.org/laws/older-drivers.aspx.

- When to quit: If it gets to the point that your mom's driving isn't safe anymore and she needs to quit, The Hartford Financial Services Group and MIT AgeLab provides online resources and free publications like "We Need to Talk: Family Conversations with Older Drivers" that you can access at safedriving-foralifetime.com.

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Organization Notes

Alcona County Republican Party

The July 22 meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m. with 25 people present. The "Pledge of Allegiance" was said. A meet and greet was held. Everyone in attendance introduced themselves and they were asked why they were in attendance.

Lawrence Brozowski was introduced as the new chairperson for the group. Bill Sanders was thanked for his past service to the GOP group. Topics discussed during the

meeting were: Open group office positions; contact politicians at all levels; small government not large government; delegates to the state conventions; Oscoda and Alpena Tea Party participation; membership dues and applications; calendar year dues going from January to January voted on and passed; the Reagan dinner.

Willis Lovelace was voted in as secretary. Grass Roots Precinct Delegate Presenta-

tion was presented and the need for more precinct delegate participation defined.

A Republican convention tent at the upcoming Alcona County Fair in Lincoln in August; no planned participation this year. Information Websites were discussed. Conservative Republican polling issues were discussed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:48 p.m. The next meeting will be held 26 August 26 at 7 p.m.

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Complaint Statistics

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Agency Assist	3	Dog/Animal	4
Traffic	12	Malicious Destruction of Property	1
Trespassing	2	Alarm	3
Drugs	1	911 Hang Up	1
Harassment/Threats/Stalking	1	Operate While Intoxicated	1
Marine	1	Warrant Arrest	3
Civil	1	Neighbor Trouble	1
Littering	1	Breaking and Entering	7
Arrest/Other	1	Medical	1
Personal Injury Accident	4	Drive While License Suspended	2
Larceny	5	Fraud	1
Suicidal Subject	1	Lost/Found Property	1
Juvenile	1	Suspicious Events	4
Be On The Lookout	1	Gunshots Heard	4
Auto Repossession	1	Domestic	2

Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

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Greenbush	12	Gustin	7	Harrisville	15
Hawes	8	Haynes	2	Mikado	9
Millen	4	Mitchell	4		
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Magician Mike Maturen (left) performs with audience member Alicia Barry. He will perform in the Shoreline Players' Summer Magic Variety Show on Friday, Aug. 2 and Saturday, Aug. 3 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m. The show will be hosted by Tony Lopez and will feature the Shoreline Players Youth Drama Association (SPYDA) production entitled, "Back to Summer." Cast in the show are Diamond Alt, Joshua Bowles, Nevaeh Bowles, Austen Curtis, Delaney Ellis, Lexie Ellis, Taylor Host, Sarah London, Zoe London, Sydney Lopez, Ashlynn Martinez, Alex Nelson, Abby Thompson, Baily VanVleet, Tori VanVleet and Katie Wimmer. The show will feature several local vocalists including Linda Ramsdell, Tim Curtis, Jordan Morris, David Moyer and Jay Valley. Mike Maturen will perform "The Magic and Mayhem of Mike Maturen." God's Most Valuable Puppets aka God's MVPs from the Grace Community Presbyterian Church will also be on stage. The finale will be a light show designed by Eric Joseph. Tickets for this show are \$5 and are available in advance at Gilbert Drug Store and at the box office before each performance. For more information go to www.shorelineplayers.org or call (989) 739-3586. *Courtesy photo.*

Anglers beware: Invasive crayfish being used as bait

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has recently discovered that anglers are purchasing red swamp crayfish from food markets and using them as live bait.

It is illegal to import any live species of crayfish into Michigan for commercial bait purposes. Red swamp crayfish (*Procambarus clarkii*) are native to the southeastern United States and are considered an invasive species in Michigan.

"This crayfish was found in two Wisconsin ponds in 2009, proving its ability to live in northern states such as Michigan," said Nick Popoff, the DNR's Aquatic Species and Regulatory Affairs Program supervisor. "The DNR is in the process of reviewing potential actions to prevent any intro-

duction of this species of crayfish into our waters."

The DNR reminds anglers to be cautious when considering bait options and to not purchase red swamp crayfish for bait.

Red swamp crayfish are dark red in color with raised, bright red spots covering the body and claws. They also have a black, wedge-shaped stripe on the top of the abdomen. They may vary in length between two to five inches. This species of crayfish is highly invasive, eats a range of food items and adapts to many habitat types. Red swamp crayfish can survive drought conditions and are known to migrate up to three kilometers in search of habitat. They

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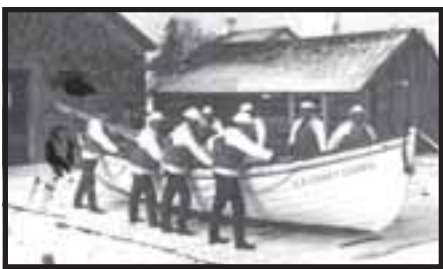
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are very fertile, with females laying up to 600 eggs at a time and reproducing up two times in a year.

"Since there is a strong commercial market to import these crayfish for human consumption, the DNR is asking anglers and residents to be on the lookout for this species in bait stores," said DNR Fisheries Division Chief Jim Dexter. "We need your assistance to help prevent this species from becoming established in Michigan."

The State of Michigan recently updated its Aquatic Invasive Species Management Plan, which seeks to develop new actions to maintain and enhance existing efforts to prevent the introduction and spread of aquatic invasive species. The use and trade of live organisms, such as the selling of red swamp crayfish for bait, must be monitored as specified in this plan.

"We all have a role in preventing the introduction of harmful plants and animals to our waters," said Sarah LeSage, Michigan's Aquatic Invasive Species Program coordinator. "This prevention is critical, since management of invasive species after they've become established may not be feasible or is often very costly."

If anglers see a live red swamp crayfish in a bait store, they should contact the DNR via the RAP hotline at (800) 292-7800 or by e-mail at DNR-Fisheries@michigan.gov.



The DNR reminds anglers not to use the red swamp crayfish (*Procambarus clarkii*) as bait; it is considered an invasive species in Michigan. Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.



World War II veteran and train enthusiast Dave Peterson (left) of Boca Rotton, Fla., formerly of Harrisville, celebrates his 90th birthday at Grand Central Station in New York City, N.Y. on July 22. While there he met with New York Senator Chuck Schumer (right). As part of the celebration he traveled to Washington D.C. and toured the capitol building where he met Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives John Boehner. Courtesy photo.

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A Lion's roar

By Mary Weber
Columnist

The roar of a lion has been heard loud and clear at the Weber Mosquito Farm this summer. No, I'm not talking about the infamous cougar which has been said to roam our beloved north woods of Alcona County. The Michigan Department of Natural Resources has never received valid proof the big cat exists in our neck of the woods, despite numerous sightings over the years.

I'm talking about a different kind of lion, one of a friendlier and more charitable nature. There is no disputing this lion's existence as it has 1.35 million members in its pride, all very visible and some will even smile for a camera. These cats are united by a great spirit of giving and

members, yet they seem to do more than many clubs with three times the amount.

High spirited and community minded, these men take on a lot of work, and they always seem to have a great time in the process. The Lions provide annual scholarship funds, but their commitment to community goes well above and beyond scholarship funds.

When the road commission was experiencing too many missing mail box calls as a result of snow plows knocking them over, the double Ls rolled up their sleeves and went to work to put in mail box guards throughout the county at a reasonable cost-of-supplies price. They volunteer to stain the Flights of Imagination Playground in Lincoln every



Several members of the Lincoln Lions gather together to weatherproof the Flights of Imagination Playground in Lincoln. Photo by Mary Weber.

dedication to help others in their community and the world.

Yes, I'm talking about Lions Club International, one of the largest charitable organizations in the world performing community service in 207 countries.

My husband, Willy, and I have been members of this wonderful organization for about eight years. It was an organization I became familiar with while raising Leader Dogs for the Blind. The Lions are one of the chief contributors for Leader Dogs and I had decided long ago I would join the minute my daughters were on their own and I had a bit of free time.

The day Willy and I moved to our retirement mosquito farm we joined up. We are a mixed household when it comes to Lions. I'm a member of the Harrisville Lady Lions, Willy is a member of the Lincoln Lions.

Not only is Willy a member, but one of the reasons the lion has been roaring more this summer than any other is because Willy has been officially inducted as King Lion this year. I'm suspect he attained the highly exalted position simply because he finally said okay when he was asked and it had nothing to do with how much beer he could drink in one meeting.

Those Lincoln boys can be a thirsty group... but the good work they do in the community really does deserve a little libation celebration now and then. The double Ls as I like to call them have just 42

three years and annually volunteer their time to clean the rearing ponds in Harrisville, place nets and care for the fingerling trout until it is time for their release. The group has also helped numerous in-dire-need individuals in the community to acquire glasses, and have even helped a few folks who needed assistance building handicap ramps.

Like most Lion groups, preserving sight is high on their agenda. Since 1990, the Lions SightFirst program has been making quality eye care accessible to those who need it. SightFirst has made it possible for more than 30 million people to have improved and restored vision.

The double Ls have taken this a bit further in their own community by taking training and setting up Project Kidsight programs. Kidsight is a free event for preschool (one to six year olds) to receive a free 'No Touch' vision screening using a PediaVision camera. The child sits comfortably on their parent's lap while the special camera takes a picture of their eyes from about a three foot distance. The picture is evaluated by a computer program for a number of early childhood eye problems and the parents receive a printed report with recommendations on what action is needed, if any.

The Lincoln Lions will be holding this event again on August 6 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Alcona High School on Barlow Road in Lincoln.

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the community doesn't end there, the double Ls rally annually to clean the highway on M-72 between Barlow Road and Poor Farm Road, hold the annual Lincoln Lion Car Show and Soap Box Derby, a fishing tournament, a golf scramble, and help at a buck pole. They also hold a poker tournament and a gun raffle.

This dedicated group meets twice a month and do a darn good job at making each meeting as interesting and even fun as possible, with an occasional hay ride meeting through town, a hunter's cook-out meeting and even a few golf-type events.

Of course, the Lincoln Lions aren't the only Lions club in town. As I mentioned, Harrisville has its own group of like minded individuals, Glennie too. All are dedicated to humanitarian causes, preserving sight, supporting youth, providing disaster relief, meeting the needs of not only their communities, but the world.

So if you happen to see a human Lion, give him or her a roar of cheer and support, whether they be Lincoln, Harrisville, Glennie, or anywhere in the world. They all work very hard to bring smiles to their communities.

As for the four legged variety of lion that has been glimpsed, but not officially verified. Willy saw a cougar while driving last year. The cat crossed F-30 near Sprinkler Lake, unfortunately, he had no camera and no one else with him to document it was a cougar, but he said it was very large, yellow/tan in color and had an unmistakable cougar tail. I believe him, after all, would a king lie to his people?

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

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When Om Nom hears the can opener, she races to the kitchen, opens her little mouth and yowls a yowl that would put the average opera singer to shame. She can hold a note for a remarkably long time, and then, after sucking in another lungful of air, she takes an encore. This makes the dogs a tad egotistical.

Once the dog's dinner is delivered, Chapters, the orange marmalade cat and Brave Heart, the sleek black cat stand back and surreptitiously wait for their chance. A triangular, bewhiskered face appears beneath the skirt of a chair, then retreats. A pair of eyes glitter in a shadowy corner. Clearly, the moment the dogs step away, they plan to pounce.

Om Nom, on the other hand, is possessed of no such subtleties. She simply marches between the dogs and helps herself to a mouthful. This has, on more than one occasion resulted in Lady or Bastie dipping a muzzle toward their bowl and coming up spitting cat fur.

Henri, however, is having none of it. He, it seems to feel, at least has the decency to sneak. A pacifist at heart, he "buffs" softly at Om Nom, sometimes even feinting a move in her direction. At that point, Chapters intervenes, pointing out that nobody "buffs" at his sister and sending poor Henri running for the safety of the couch and Mom's lap. He's experienced Chapter's claws on a couple of occasions.

Personally, it seems to me that the simple solution would be to allow them all to eat one another's food, but everybody tells me that cat food is bad for dogs and vice versa. So I guess for the interim, we'll be running our little border patrol with someone pretty much stationed on the stairs at every dinner time.

Six animals in one household, it occurs to me, probably qualifies as a roadside zoo. Trust me, it is. And if you don't believe me, stop by some time and see for yourself. And if you do, feel free to feed the animals.

(Kathryn Kniep has contributed to the Alcona County Review for more than 30 years. She and her husband, Art, live in Harrisville. The couple has one daughter, Katrina - "the Princess," two dogs, Lady and Henry, and granddog, Bastian, all of whom are frequent victims of her column.)

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep
Columnist

Between the recent nuptials, the honeymoon and a new job/move, we've now had the kid's three visiting kitty cats in our home for slightly more than a month. That's fine from my point of view, and even from Art's. But our attitude should not be interpreted as reflecting that of the entire household.

Actually, they're rather well-behaved animals for the most part, good about using a litter box the size of Rhode Island in the basement and with the occasional exception (which we'll get to later) quiet enough. To date, there've been no major dust-ups between the three kitties and our three resident dogs.

What minor skirmishes have occurred (and this won't surprise other animal owners) have largely been food-related. You see, for a long time in an effort to be a good parent to my furry kids, I cooked chicken parts for doggy dinners each day, supplemented in the morning with some dry kibble. And while they may have been a bit bored with the menu from time to time, Lady and Henri pretty much held their status as members of the clean plate club.

When Bastie joined our little band a year and a half ago, I decided I was spending an awful lot of time in the kitchen and we thought we'd try canned dog food. The pups were less than thrilled. But

everyone told us to hang in there and when they got hungry and realized that was the only option, they'd eat it.

As I said, that was about a year-and-a-half ago. In that time, we've discovered that everyone was right. Eventually, they will eat it. Not, mind you, without great sighs and looks of disappointment every single night when I lay down the food dishes. But eventually, once they've given up on guilting us out of our people dinner, they eat it.

Coincidentally, about six months ago, Katrina and AJ, having acquired a third cat, decided they would stop feeding canned kitty food and give the crew additional dry food instead. Surprisingly, the cats adapted to that with a lot less moaning and wringing of paws than our dogs did. At least, until they began sharing a household.

It goes like this: The dogs normally get their dinner on a mat in a corner of the living room, large enough to accommodate three small dogs and their supper bowls. Bastie and Lady normally scarf theirs up right away, while Henri sometimes chooses to save his for later in the evening, watching carefully that his buds don't eat it in the meantime.

In the interest of prudence, the cats are fed in the upstairs hallway, each of them with their own little bowl of kitty crunchies and a shared water bowl, both filled twice a day. Once in a while, they munch it right down but most of the time, being cats, they prefer a nibble here and there.

The problem is that when it comes to food, the grass apparently appears much greener on the other side of the fence. Lady and Henri think kitty crunchies are the finest form of kibble ever to enter the house. Lady, the cocker spaniel, has absolutely no guile about it. Passing a bowl in the hallway, she'll stop and loudly crunch up its contents as quickly as possible. She doesn't seem to get the connection between her crunching and the appearance of the Princess, quite protective of her little darlings, to yell at her. She just hangs her head a little in clearly fake remorse and goes on her way.

Henri, on the other hand, could moonlight as (pun intended) a cat burglar. I discovered this late one night on my way back from the bathroom when I heard a soft "munch, munch" in the hallway. There stood Henri in the dark, munching a small mouthful then pausing to look around - most specifically at the Princess' bedroom door -- before taking another.

The kitties, surprisingly, are much more overt about the whole thing. Hearing the can opener, they bound to the kitchen and line up behind me, making little cat noises to one another about "canned delight!" All, that is, except for Om Nom, the most recent addition to the clowder.


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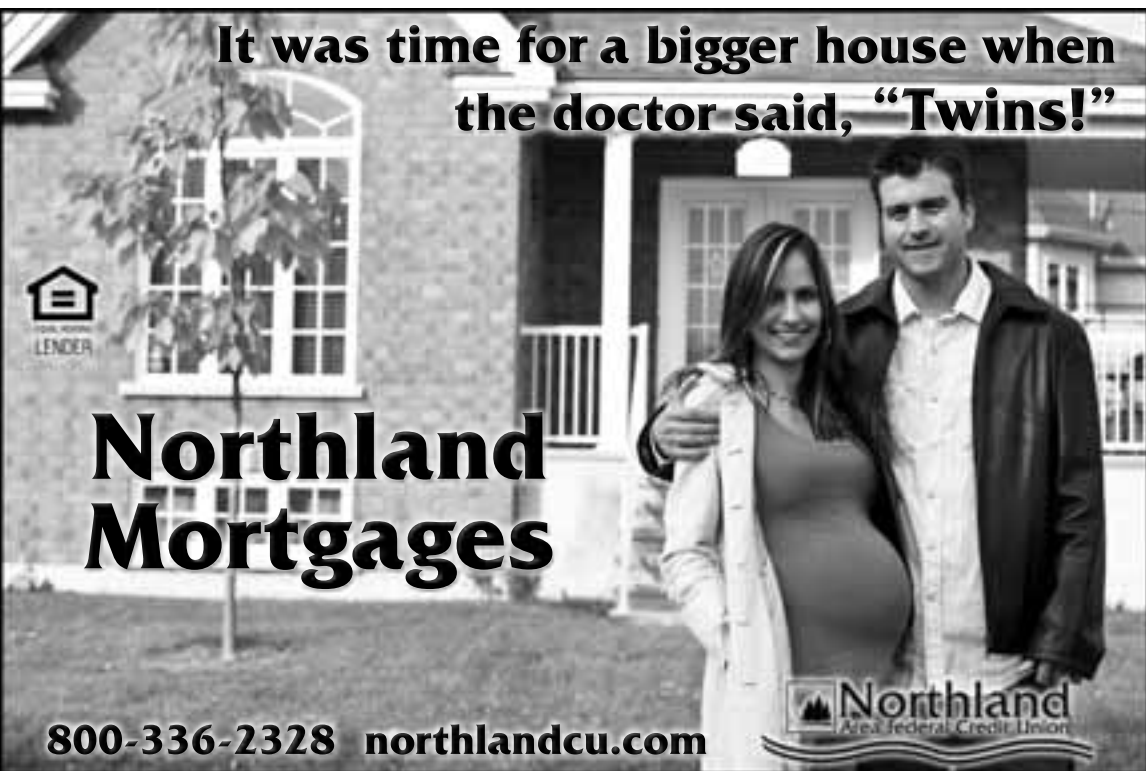
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Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7
Sam Gross, kid author, will present his book "112 Ways for Kids to Have Fun Without Money" at 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. There will be activities set up for all to experience, as well as books available for signing. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

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

Drop in Craft and Wii for children from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Mikado branch of the Alcona County Library, 2291 South F-41.

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. Bring a can of food for the needy. For more information, call (989) 356-4959.

Alcona County Baby Pantry will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 East F-30, Mikado. Free items for new-

borns through age five to residents of Alcona County.

Food pantry from 1 to 3 p.m. at Spruce Lutheran Church, 1246 East Spruce Road, Spruce. Clients must be present to receive food and identification is required. For more info., call (989) 471-5013.

Harrisville City Summer Concert at 7 p.m. at the harbor. The Donny Hartman Band will perform music from the roots of rock-n-roll, blues and soul in a style all their own. Contact City Hall (989) 724-6666.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 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.

Alcona woodcarvers meet from 2 to 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers are welcome.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Road at 4 p.m.

Join Melissa Tolan-Halleck, registered dietitian, from 12 to 12:45 p.m. at the Alpena Regional Medical Center as she provides tips and tools for enjoying whole foods while gaining an understanding of the food and health management connection. A healthy lunch will be available for \$5. To pre-register, call (989) 356-8124.

Region 14A-MEA Retired will meet beginning at 10 a.m. at Lost Lake Woods Club, 4243 Lost Lake Trail, Lincoln. Guest speaker will be Len Graham, MEA financial. For more information, call (989) 356-4551 or (800) 587-5545.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8
Community Walking Club for everyone, meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Storytime and craft for children from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Lincoln branch of the Alcona County Library, 330 Traverse Bay Road. For more information, call (989) 736-3388.

Come along, bring your flag and welcome the riders supporting the Wounded Warriors. They will arrive in Harrisville at 12:30 p.m. A short memorial service in honor of the fallen and wounded soldiers will be held on the Harrisville Courthouse lawn.

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.

Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

A blood pressure clinic will be held at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Road.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9
Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

There will be a fish fry from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville. Cost is \$9 for adults, \$4 for children and free for age five and under. Everyone is welcome.

Popcorn and a movie at 2 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 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10
My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at its new location, in the blue house across from Alcona High School on Barlow Road. The Potluck Café will remain at the Harrisville United Methodist Church 217 North State Street (US-23), serving from 10 a.m. to noon. For more information, call Susan Armstrong (989) 724-6365.

Area Church Directory


St. Andrew's Episcopal Church


 Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd.,
 Harrisville • 724-5160
www.standrewschurhharrisville.org
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

Family Heritage Baptist Church
 4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light)
 Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • www.church72.org
 Sunday worship services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
 Sunday school 10 a.m. Wednesday 6 p.m. Patch the Pirate Club, children's ministry. Wednesday 6 p.m. midweek service (preaching and prayer service).


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New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)

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 Hubbard Lake Rd.,
 ¾ mile south of White Pine National Golf Course
 Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816


First Baptist Church of Lincoln

 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m.
 Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m.
Pastor Dr. 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*)
 *Fall-Spring programs • Website: www.cbcmikado.com

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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


Spruce Presbyterian Church

 Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids
 6230 Gillard Road (P.O. Box 37), Spruce, MI 48762 • 471-5464
 Worship 9 a.m.
 Thomas J. Welscott, Pastor Wednesday office hours 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.


Our Savior Lutheran Church

 3639 South M-65, Glennie, Michigan
 Sunday Morning 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
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SOLID ROCK CHURCH OF GOD
 158 N. Barlow Road., Harrisville • (989) 736-6350
 Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
 Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

ALCONA COUNTY CATHOLIC CHURCHES
 ST. RAPHAEL, Mikado, Saturday 4:30 p.m.
 ST. GABRIEL, Black River Saturday 6:30 p.m.
 ST. CATHERINE (Ossineke) Sunday 9 a.m.
 ST. ANNE, Harrisville Sunday 11 a.m.
 Pastor: Fr. Robert Bissot • (989) 724-6713

GRACE COMMUNITY EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 6012 Skeel Ave. (next to the library on the old air base)
 "Grace on the Base"
www.grace-epc.org, email: pastordalerobertson@yahoo.com
 Pastor Dale Robertson: 739-3424
 Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m. • Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A.

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

United Methodist Church

 Glennie at 8:30 am (3170 M-65)
 Lincoln at 9:45 am (101 E. Main St.)
 Harrisville at 11:15 am (217 N. State St.)
 Handicap accessible • Everyone is welcome
 Rev. Linda Jo Powers • (989) 724-3033 (h) • E-mail: pastorlindajo@charter.net

Spruce Lutheran Church (ELCA)
 Sunday Worship Service 9 a.m.
1246 E. Spruce Road, Spruce • 471-5013
 (3 miles west of F-41 & US-23) • Handicap Assessible

LOTT BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. **4257 State Rd. Glennie**
 Sunday morning service 11 a.m. **(989)735-3771.**
 Sunday evening service 6 p.m. **Pastor Elmer Ash.**
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Public input needed on forest plans for parts of Pigeon River Country

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) reminds residents that it will host an open house in Vanderbilt, Mich. to provide information and receive public comment on proposed forest management treatments for 2015 in the Pigeon River Country management unit, which includes parts of Cheboygan, Montmorency and Otsego counties.

The open house is set for: Thursday, Aug. 1 from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Pigeon River Country Office, 9966 Twin Lakes Road, Vanderbilt, Mich. (It will cover proposed forest treatments in Cheboygan and Otsego counties.)

Each year, DNR personnel evaluate one-tenth of the state forest. The inventory provides key decision-making information for foresters and wildlife, fisheries and other resource managers. The age, health, quality and quantity of trees and other vegetation are assessed to enable DNR staff to make informed decisions. Timber management, wildlife and fisheries habitat, minerals, archeological sites, recreational use, wildfire potential and social concerns are just some of the topics taken into consideration during this review.

Because the forest is inventoried approximately two years in advance, a year of entry is assigned to indicate when treatments will be prepared. Information currently under review has a 2015 year of entry. This means that treatment activities on lands being reviewed this year will actually begin in 2015.

Proposed treatments, which may include timber harvesting, replanting and other management activities, are designed to ensure the sustainability of all forest resources.

Bill O'Neill, chief of the DNR's Forest Resources Division, said these open houses are a good way for interested residents, neighbors and stakeholders to learn - well in advance - about the DNR's proposed treatment plans and to share input toward final decisions on those treatments.

"This is an excellent opportunity for the public to weigh in on what the DNR is doing to sustainably manage Michigan's state forest land," O'Neill said. He also serves as state forester. "Interested folks can take a look at proposed management plans and talk face-to-face with foresters and biologists about their questions and concerns. Having active partners in the management of our state forests is crucial to meeting the recreation, economic and conservation needs of current and future generations."

To more easily and efficiently oversee the forest resources, the DNR divides each management unit into smaller units or "compartments." This year, the compartments under review are

in Nunda and Forest townships (Cheboygan County); and Corwith Township (Otsego County).

Maps and information regarding proposed treatments will be available at the open house. The information can also be found at www.michigan.gov/forestplan. Compartment review packets for the 2015 year of entry can be found by selecting the shown map and clicking on the "Pigeon River Country" button. Records of decisions, recorded timber harvests and other treatments for past

years are available on this page.

On Wednesday, Aug 21, the DNR will complete its formal compartment review to decide on final treatment plans for these areas. That review will take place: Wednesday, Aug. 21 at 9 a.m. at the Pigeon River Country Office, 9966 Twin Lakes Road, Vanderbilt, Mich.

Persons with disabilities who need accommodations for either meeting should contact Scott Whitcomb, (989) 983-4101, a minimum of five business days before each meeting.

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Alcona Review Weather Report July 31, 2013

Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY
Scat'd T-storms
High: 75 Low: 64

THURSDAY
Few Showers
High: 74 Low: 61

FRIDAY
Partly Cloudy
High: 73 Low: 59

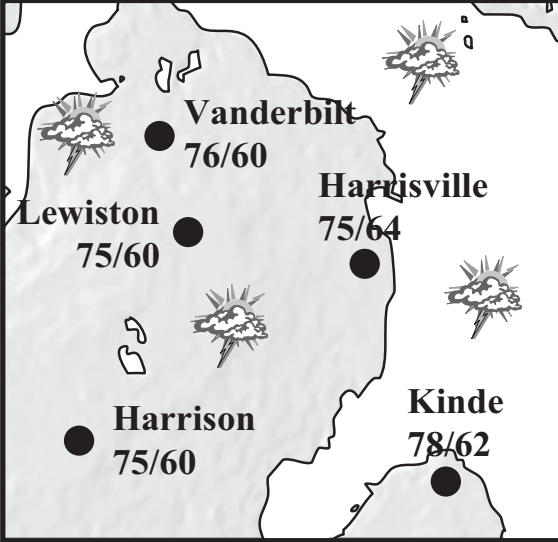
SATURDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 72 Low: 58

SUNDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 70 Low: 57

MONDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 71 Low: 55

TUESDAY
Partly Cloudy
High: 72 Low: 58

Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a 50% chance of showers and thunderstorms, high temperature of 75°, humidity of 83%. South wind 5 to 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 97° set in 1975. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 60% chance of showers and thunderstorms, overnight low of 64°. Southwest wind 5 mph.

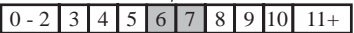
*Last Week's Almanac				
Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	84	60	80/55	0.08"
Tuesday	79	53	80/55	0.02"
Wednesday	73	45	79/55	0.00"
Thursday	76	44	79/55	0.00"
Friday	79	60	79/55	0.52"
Saturday	73	58	79/55	1.61"
Sunday	67	54	79/55	0.05"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week


Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
New 8/6	Wednesday 6:19 a.m.	8:59 p.m.	1:14 a.m.	4:16 p.m.
	Thursday 6:20 a.m.	8:58 p.m.	1:54 a.m.	5:09 p.m.
	Friday 6:21 a.m.	8:56 p.m.	2:39 a.m.	5:56 p.m.
	Saturday 6:23 a.m.	8:55 p.m.	3:29 a.m.	6:39 p.m.
First 8/14	Sunday 6:24 a.m.	8:54 p.m.	4:23 a.m.	7:18 p.m.
	Monday 6:25 a.m.	8:52 p.m.	5:19 a.m.	7:52 p.m.
	Tuesday 6:26 a.m.	8:51 p.m.	6:18 a.m.	8:23 p.m.

Local UV Index



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

National Weather Summary This Week



The Northeast will see scattered thunderstorms today and Thursday, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies Friday, with the highest temperature of 90° in Baltimore, Md. The Southeast will see widespread thunderstorms today and Thursday, partly cloudy skies with isolated thunderstorms Friday, with the highest temperature of 95° in Greenville, Miss. The Northwest will see mostly clear skies today, isolated thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 96° in Lewiston, Idaho. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 110° in Gila Bend, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	4:47 a.m.	7:48 p.m.
Venus	9:09 a.m.	10:25 p.m.
Mars	4:03 a.m.	7:34 p.m.
Jupiter	3:48 a.m.	7:12 p.m.
Saturn	1:51 p.m.	12:31 a.m.
Uranus	11:20 p.m.	12:02 p.m.

Weather History

July 31, 1976 - A stationary thunderstorm produced more than 10 inches of rain that funneled into the narrow Thompson River Canyon of northeastern Colorado. A wall of water six to eight feet high wreaked a 25-mile path of destruction from Estes Park to Loveland.

Weather Trivia

How many cloud droplets does it take to make a raindrop?

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Answer: It takes about one million droplets to provide enough water for one raindrop.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - "Such Is a Day on Mars"

I have been having a lot of fun during the past few days working at the Mars Desert Research Station (MDRS) near Hanksville, Utah. Although the temperatures are very "unMars like," 106 degrees F. yesterday, the scenery around the Habitat looks very Martian. Let's see, what went wrong in the first few hours after our arrival? Hanksville had no electricity. The main generator which supplies electricity to the Habitat was broken, and the backup generator was cranky. The toilet in the shower area had not been cleaned, and the water in the main reservoir was going south and needed treatment. And get this, the backup generator just shutdown right as I was writing this, and now I've got about 30 minutes of battery life left in my computer before it too "dies." As the commander of the MDRS Musk Observatory Refit Crew, Peter K. Detterline said, "Such is a day on Mars." We are at MDRS for 12 nights, and so far we have been able to handle all of the distractions; but maybe the lack of electricity will be our nemesis and force us to retreat to the air conditioned comforts of a Hanksville motel. What a wimp I have become! Here I am complaining after just three days of Habitat living. The first crew that goes to Mars will spend some nine months just getting there, perhaps 18 months in exploration, and then another six months squeezed into a very small ship returning to Earth. Going outside to check on anything will require spacesuits, and a whole list of preparatory activities that Earthlings never consider in normal activity. How about a 20 minute wait in your spacesuit just for the airlock to depressurize? "Oh, I forgot my screwdriver" becomes 40 minutes of wasted mission time, pressurizing, retrieving the tool, and depressurizing again. Yes, all in a day on Mars. PS... We did find a fix for the generator and day three ended happily and productively. www.astronomy.org

Money for housing

Spending up, savings down

Dollars And Sense
By David Uffington

Consumers are feeling more confident about spending. So says the most recent report on consumer credit by the Federal Reserve. Jobs rates are up more than expected. Pay rates are rising. Home prices are going up.

In May, the average household mortgage debt was 8.67 percent, a small increase over December 2012. Consumer debt, however, which includes credit cards, was 5.07 percent, higher than it's been since the end of 2010.

A Gallup poll in June of the average daily money habits of consumers across the country showed that the daily spending amount of \$90 is higher than it's been since 2008. These figures don't include mortgage, vehicle or regular household bills -- only purchases at a store, restaurant or online.

Mint.com, an online money site that collects information from consumers, says that since 2009, monthly household expenses have gone up from \$3,870 to \$4,200. Included in that is a rise in gas expenses from \$110 to \$198 per month. In spite of extra expenses, restaurant spending has risen from \$192 per month to \$212.

Given the differing information (the more you look, the more varied the information you'll find) one item from the Federal Reserve report stands out: Consumer spending is up ... but rate of saving is down.

The bottom line is that

the experts can't agree on the state of the economy, and therefore don't know what will happen in the future.

In spite of the appearance of more jobs and income, the old rules from the past few years still apply:

- Save, save, save. Put money away.

- Pay extra on credit cards and get them paid off. Once paid off, don't use the cards unless you find a sale for something you need and can pay off the balance in three months. Be sure the interest you pay doesn't come to more than you'd save by not buying on sale.

- If you're approved for a home mortgage, don't spend up to the limit you can borrow. Save the extra money for repairs or maintenance.

- If you'd like to buy a new vehicle, consider whether yours will last one more year. Keep the maintenance up on it. Shop for sales on tires, and clip coupons for oil changes.

- Don't own too many gadgets, and if you buy, don't get the best. One step down is often good enough, including refurbished. Get a few dollars on buy-back programs when you do upgrade.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Send email to columnreply2@gmail.com.

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Veterans Post
By Freddy Groves

In June, the Department of Veterans Affairs announced that 9,000 veterans would receive vouchers for housing when the VA teamed up with Housing and Urban Development to spend \$60 million for Section 8 housing.

Now the help will be even bigger: \$300 million will put 120,000 at-risk veterans and their families into permanent housing in all 50 states, plus the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. These dollars will be in the form of grants to 319 non-profit organizations that will assist veterans and their families through the Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) program. This

number is up from last year, when the same grant program helped 50,000 veterans and their families.

Services available through SSVF include health care, daily living, personal financial planning, transportation, fiduciary and payee, legal, child care and housing counseling. Monies will even be available in certain cases for payments to moving companies, utilities and landlords if it helps the families gain or keep some stability.

If you're a veteran who needs help providing housing for your family, call 1-877-424-3838. You might qualify for help if you're about to become homeless, or if you've just gotten into housing and need some support services to make sure you

and your family can remain stable where you are. Don't wait until the last minute.

Or go online to www.va.gov/homeless/ssvf.asp and click on FY 13 SSVF Providers for a complete list of the grant-recipient organizations that will run the programs. The list includes the name of each organization, as well as contact information and the geographical area each one covers.

You've earned the benefits and the help.

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World War II uniforms are collectable

Collecting
By Larry Cox
Glass Reamer

Q: My mom has a pink glass reamer in perfect condition. She has used it since the 1950s. It was made by the Hazel Atlas Company. Do you have any idea of how much it is worth? My sister and I both want it. - Barbara, St. Louis, Mo.

A: There are several sizes of this particular reamer, or juicer, but most seem to be selling in the \$45 to \$65 range. The rarer red glass reamer made by Fenton often sells for more than \$1,000.

Q: My aunt was in the U.S. Army Nurse Corps during World War II, and I have her complete uniform. She was a lieutenant, and the uniform I have was probably her dress one. Although you have men-

tioned military uniforms in your column before, I have never read a question from anyone with a female uniform from this war and period. I assume it also is worth keeping or selling. -- Ken, Bentonville, Ark.

A: Your uniform is worth about \$150, if in good condition and intact. Other uniform values include an Army Nurse Corps captain's uniform, \$300; a Navy WAVE's uniform, \$150; and a WAC officer's "pinks and greens," \$150. Recently, I saw an Army Nurse Corps theater-made bush jacket in a military memorabilia shop priced at \$300.

Q: I was a great fan of Hopalong Cassidy when I was a kid, and while helping my mom clean out a storage area I found a Hoppy flashlight. What makes it unusual is that it also

has a Morse Code chart on it. Does it have much value? -- Sam, Clarksville, Ark.

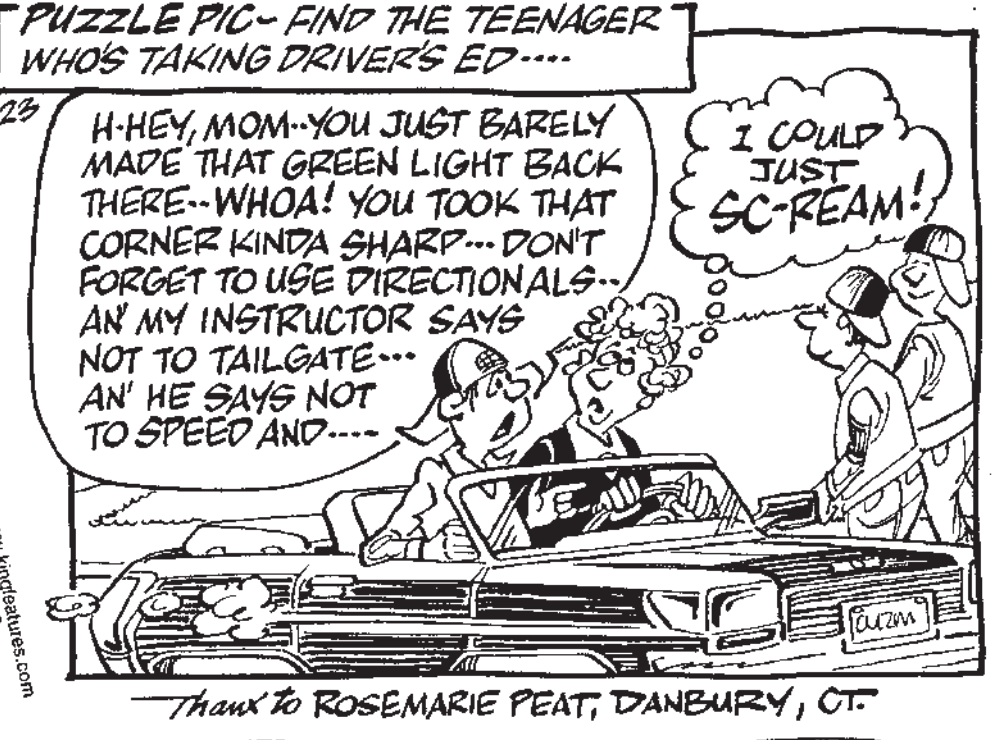
A: According to Joe Caro's "Hopalong Cassidy Collectibles," your flashlight is worth about \$550 if in its original box. About half that if without.

Q: I have about 20 years of Reader's Digest magazines and wonder if they have any value. They are in excellent condition and intact. -- Susan, Rio Rancho, N.M.

A: Unfortunately, magazine collectors are not interested in back issues of Reader's Digest, and most issues I've seen are priced at about a dollar a copy. My advice is to donate them to a charity.

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THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME J'EVER NOTICE?



TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. ASTRONOMY:** What are the Van Allen belts?
- 2. ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What kind of animal is described as ursine?
- 3. U.S. STATES:** What is the only state that has a one-syllable name?
- 4. FAMOUS QUOTES:** What comedian once said, "Human beings are the only creatures on earth that allow their children to come back home"?
- 5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What percentage of people are left-handed?
- 6. FOOD & DRINK:** What is the spice that gives curry powder its yellow color?
- 7. ADVERTISING:** What peanut butter brand advertises with the slogan, "the No. 1 choice of choosy moms and dads"?
- 8. U.S. PRESIDENTS:** What was the only state that presidential candidate George McGovern carried in the 1972 election?
- 9. GEOGRAPHY:** What is the largest man-made lake in the U.S.?
- 10. PSYCHOLOGY:** What kind of fear is represented by phasmophobia?

Answers: 1. Regions of trapped radiation surrounding Earth; 2. Bears; 3. Maine; 4. Bill Cosby; 5. About 10 percent; 6. Turmeric; 7. Jif; 8. Massachusetts; 9. Lake Mead, created by Hoover Dam; 10. A fear of ghosts. (c) 2013 King Features Synd., Inc.

Super Crossword IN AT THE FINISH

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| ACROSS | 56 Strip of vertical shiny fabric? | 88 Blood fluids | 4 Tit-for- — | 39 British novelist | 86 Stir-fry legumes |
| 1 Hire new employees for | 58 City south of Moscow | 89 24-hr. "banker" | 5 Take — view of | 40 Fri.-Sun. link | 87 River stopper |
| 8 Judge the value of | 59 Whale group | 92 Go downhill transaction | 6 "—'s Rainbow" (old musical) | 42 Gather leaves again | 88 Whine tearfully |
| 14 Percentage on an S&L sign | 60 Longitude's opp. | 95 Virgo-Scorpio link | 7 Precede | 43 Sailor suits, e.g. | 89 Lean against |
| 20 Broadcast medium for much news and talk | 61 — -CIO | 97 Small cafés | 8 EarthLink competitor | 44 Similar to a wooden pin | 90 Brad Pitt film |
| 21 Ontario metropolis | 62 Almost like | 99 Film critic | 9 Fr. nun, maybe | 45 — -di-dah | 91 German socialist Karl |
| 22 One in a violent mob | 65 Punk rocker | Leonard's booze? | 10 Don't leave | 46 N.Y. hours | 94 Suffix with Gotham |
| 23 Singer Timberlake on parole? | 67 Year Bush Jr. took office | 102 With 100-Down, "Now hold on just a second!" | 11 Soften | 49 "— Girls" (CW series) | 96 Mensa data |
| 25 1844-59 king of Scandinavia | 68 Sending to the canvas, in boxing | 105 Dike | 12 Get bloated | 50 Fill with love | 98 Mu — beef |
| 26 Appearance | 71 Actor Hoffman cleans the floor? | 106 Hades river | 13 "Alas ..." | 54 Arctic flier | 100 See |
| 27 Lemon-hued log house? | 73 Snazzy sleeveless jacket? | 107 Off-white seabird? | 14 Pop top with a crimped edge | 55 Shaded walk | 102-Across |
| 29 Anthropoids | 75 Actor Buddy | 114 Lohengrin's bride | 15 Frisbee or checker | 57 Employ | 101 Landlady, e.g. |
| 33 Another time | 76 U. URL ender | 116 Bob Marley's music | 16 — -Fella Records | 58 Most frequently | 103 Bearer — news |
| 36 Swann of the NFL | 77 Morgan of country music | 117 Sluggers' cholesterol medication? | 17 Run — (defer payment) | 59 In demand | 104 — worse than death |
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STRANGE BUT TRUE by Samantha Weaver

• It was George Bernard Shaw who made the following observation: "The longer I live the more I see that I am never wrong about anything, and that all the pains that I have so humbly taken to verify my notions have only wasted my time."

• Modern dietary trends notwithstanding, raw vegetables have not always enjoyed the healthsome reputation they now have. In medieval times, in fact, veggies would always be cooked; raw ones were considered to be bad for the humors.

• Those who keep track of such things say that the Rolling Stones' song "Satisfaction" is played on the radio in the U.S. more than 300 times every day.

• One of the most notorious magic tricks performed by professionals is catching a bullet in the mouth. It's said to be cursed, due to the fact that, over the past 400 or so years, at least 15 magicians have died in the attempt. Some of them mistakenly used live rounds instead of blanks, and one jealous wife swapped out the blanks for live rounds. One of the earliest attempters of the trick was beaten to death by a mob who believed he was in league with the devil. Cursed, though? If someone is trying to catch a bullet in the mouth, it hardly requires a curse to result in a violent end.

• Portland, Ore., could just as easily have been named Boston, Oregon. The two men who named the town couldn't decide which city back east should be the namesake, so they flipped a coin. Portland came up the winner.

• Originally, the best man was supposed to serve as a sort of armed guard, in case the bride needed to be kidnapped from her disapproving parents.

Thought for the Day: "Every American carries in his bloodstream the heritage of the malcontent and the dreamer." -- Dorothy Fuldheim

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MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

• On Aug. 13, 1878, Kate Bionda, a restaurant owner, dies of yellow fever in Memphis, Tenn., after a man who had escaped a quarantined steamboat visited her restaurant. The disease spread rapidly, and by October, 20,000 people in the Southeast had died.

• On Aug. 15, 1930, President Herbert Hoover gives a press conference in which he offers plans for relief of individuals and businesses affected by a series of devastating droughts. Though criticized later for not doing enough overall, he asked the War Department to provide artillery-range land to Montana cattle and sheep farmers for grazing.

• On Aug. 18, 1941, Adolf Hitler orders that the systematic murder of the mentally ill and handicapped be brought to an end because of protests within Germany. But 50,000 people had already fallen victim to it. It would be revived in occupied Poland.

• On Aug. 16, 1958, Madonna Louise Ciccone, the entertainment icon later known around the world by her first name only, is born near Detroit. The provocative performer, who often tackled sexual and religious themes in her work, also became famous for her ever-changing hairstyles and fashion sense, as well as her personal life.

• On Aug. 12, 1964, Charlie Wilson, part of the gang who pulled off the 1963 Great Train Robbery, one of the biggest heists of its kind, escapes from Winson Green Prison in Birmingham, England. Several men broke into the maximum-security facility to free Wilson, who was finally recaptured in Canada in 1968.

• On Aug. 14, 1971, St. Louis Cardinals ace Bob Gibson throws the first no-hitter of his storied career. Gibson's heroics helped his team sail to an 11-0 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates. In 1964 Gibson won his first World Series Most Valuable Player Award. He retired after the 1975 season.

• On Aug. 17, 1993, Random House agrees to pay Gen. Colin Powell an advance of about \$6 million for the rights to his autobiography, "My American Journey." It became the fastest-selling book in Random House history.

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by Linda Thistle

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Needed organist-choir director Tawas Area Presbyterian Church, call (989) 362-2371, e-mail tapcsecretary@tawaspresby.org.

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GREENBUSH TWP. MINUTES

Greenbush Township Supervisor Ed Roddy called the meeting to order on Tuesday, July 9 at 7:05 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall. Two guests were present and joined in the "Pledge of Allegiance." Roll call was taken. Present: Supervisor Roddy, clerk David Dailey, treasurer Pat Dailey, trustee Sally Olin and trustee Gary Abraham.
 Agenda: Add Mike Zollweg to pending business to be sworn in. Motion Olin/Dailey: To approve the agenda as amended. All ayes, motion carried.
 Minutes: Correct and remove 98 after general fund balance. Motion Dailey/Olin: To approve the minutes a amended. All ayes, motion carried. Financial report: General fund \$35,877.82; road fund \$164,103.65; fire fund \$102,970.48; Prince Road, \$22,926.39; GRAC \$480.84. Motion Olin/Abraham: To approve the financial report and place on file for audit. All ayes, motion carried.
 Presentation of bills: Move 14919 to May bills per treasurer Dailey; payable 14919 to 15018 \$45,922.23; 14974-15001 \$7,751.24 payroll. Motion Olin/Dailey: To approve the bills as presented. All ayes, motion carried.
 Miscellaneous reports: Constable Parent, Lakewood Shores open and inspected, Red Rooster still closed and license in escrow. County commissioner Brummund, invite to township officials for July 18 meeting. Food program from the schools to carry through summer. Project Connect is Tuesday, Aug. 6 at Alcona High School 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. free day of services. Contact Lea Krause (989) 736-9838 or (989) 590-3820. Electronic recycling is August 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at ARA site in Lincoln. Michigan Forgotten Eagles bikers will be through August 8 this year. Thank you to all of the neighbor-

ing counties for covering during a funeral service. Alcona County Fair coming up week of August 20. Please contact 211 for any further information. Fire chief Franks: Zero fire calls, seven first responder calls. John from Sage called for inspection rules for containing burning diesel fuel. August 4 is chicken barbecue. Generator installation calls low but will decide what to do shortly. Zoning administrator Major: Permits, complaints and violation numbers will be given next month. Banks property has been satisfied. Blaisedale property will go to court. Davenport property pending. Derocher property is bad. Giles property was granted default and 30 days to clean up, property owner responded after court date stating that correspondences have been going to wrong address -- will be cleaned up -- he is checking with them. Higgins property -- drove by and inspected for business out of a residential. Holmes property needs to be checked on. Olsen default hearing -- attorney Cook asked for extension because it is owned by Alcona County now, will keep an eye on this property. Shaw property needs to be kept an eye on.
 Hall rental: Supervisor Roddy said no inquiries. Assessor Schwickert -- July 17 at 9 a.m. board of review; Prince Drive was a special assessment for 2012; 2013 new petition is going around now to get on the taxes for this year. GRAC: Waiting until September to put up the seawall because the park has been full and do not want to close for a week. Planning commission: Clerk Dailey, NEMCOG contacted about the Master Plan. Road commission: Campbell, clerk Dailey stated that he had to resend the signed paperwork because they did not receive it. Birch Acres declined the bid for fixing the road.

Correspondence: Supervisor Roddy received a letter from Huron Pines about treating for phragmites. Clerk Dailey reminded that we can treat as a township and save each homeowner permit fees. If anyone has any interest in this please call supervisor Roddy or clerk Dailey. EMS building meeting this Thursday. Alcona County MTA Chapter meeting July 30 at 6 p.m. at Mitchell Township Hall. PAR PLAN newsletter available from supervisor Roddy. Mark Kaiser submitted a report from the Cedar Lake Association. Clerk Dailey: Alcona Humane Society sent tickets to try to sell each board member bought one. Bank of America made an error sending in an envelope that was the wrong size and it was returned that made the payment late but has taken care of it. Miscellaneous: Floors need to be stripped of what has been used on them because they are way too slippery. Pending business: Seawall done. Update on IRS copies of W2s have been received and have been trying to contact Debbie Minco to finish this. They will not return phone calls so clerk Dailey will, hopefully, be heading to the Cincinnati, Ohio office this Thursday to be there Friday a.m. Mike Zollweg was sworn in to the zoning board of appeals by clerk David Dailey.
 New business: Watch out for people getting into open vehicles, many reports of this lately. From the floor: Anyone interested in being on the zoning board of appeals please contact someone on the township board or the zoning board of appeals.
 Motion Abraham/Olin: To adjourn at 8:05 p.m. All ayes, motion carried.
 David W. Dailey
 Greenbush Township Clerk
 Published prior to board approval.
 Next regular scheduled meeting Tuesday, Aug. 13 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall.

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Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at the number below if you are in active military duty. Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by David J. Talbot and Theresa L. Talbot, husband and wife as tenants by the entirety, original mortgagor(s), to Centex Home Equity Company, LLC, mortgagee, dated August 11, 2004, and recorded on August 19, 2004 in Liber 405 on page 733, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is

claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of eighty-nine thousand sixty-nine and 10/100 dollars (\$89,069.10).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m. on August 14, 2013.

Said premises are situated in township of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 14 of Klein's Green Hills Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, pages 161-162, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accor-

dance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: July 17, 2013
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1300
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31440 Northwestern Hwy., Ste. 200
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-5422
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State of Michigan
23rd Judicial District
Judicial Circuit
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Order Regarding Alternate Service
Case No. 13-2064-CK

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phone no(s).
Investors Title Insurance Company
Plaintiff's attorney, bar no., address and telephone no.
Lisa A. Hall (P70200)/Plunkett Cooney
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v
Defendant's name(s), address(es) and telephone no(s).
Monty L. Mansfield, a/k/a Monty and Tammy Mansfield
5598 F-41

Oscoda, Michigan 48750

The court finds:
1. Service of process upon defendant, Monty L. Mansfield and Tammy Mansfield cannot reasonably be made as provided in MCR 2.105 and service of process may be made in a manner which is reasonably calculated to give defendant actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard.

It is ordered:
2. Service of the summons and complaint and a copy of this order may be made by the following method(s).
a. First-class mail to 5598 F-41, Oscoda, Mich. 48750
b. Tacking or firmly affixing to the door at 5598 F-41, Oscoda, Mich. 48750.
d. Other: Publish three (3) consecutive weeks in Alcona County newspaper.
Date: July 15, 2013
Judge Ronald M. Bergeron P24383
7-24, 7-31, 8-7

Mortgage Sale Notice

Default has been made in the terms and conditions of the open-end mortgage dated September 24, 2007 (mortgage), made by DAACA, LLC, a Michigan limited liability company, as mortgagor (mortgagor) to Fifth Third Bank, an Ohio banking corporation, successor by merger with Fifth Third Bank, a Michigan banking corporation with its main office in Cincinnati, Ohio (mortgagee), which mortgage was recorded on October 2, 2007, in Alcona County Register of Deeds, Liber 446, page 820, which mortgage was amended by first amendment to open-end mortgage dated June 28, 2012, made by mortgagor in favor of mortgagee and recorded on July 10, 2012 in Alcona County Register of Deeds, Liber 489, page 204.

As of the date of this Mortgage Sale Notice, there is due a total of four hundred thirty-five thousand, seven hundred sixty-nine dollars and 77/100 (\$435,769.77) dollars, with interest continuing to accrue at the regular and additional default rates of interest as set forth

in the notes secured by the mortgage (indebtedness). No suit or proceedings at law have been instituted to recover the indebtedness secured by the mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and pursuant to the applicable statutes of the state of Michigan, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, August 21, 2013 at 10 a.m., local time, the distinct parcel described in the mortgage as: Parcel 3: Lots 15 and 16 of the Third Addition to Backus Beach Subdivision, according to the recorded plat as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 120, Alcona County records. Commonly known as 710 W. Lake Street, Spruce, Mich. 48762, Tax I.D. Numbers 072-203-000-015-00 will be foreclosed by sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, Michigan, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the indebtedness together with interest and default interest, fees, all charges and expenses, including attorneys' fees allowed by law,

and also any sum or sums that may be paid by mortgagee necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Please be advised that this is a sale of distinct parcels under the mortgage pursuant to MCL § 600.3224. The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of the foreclosure sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL § 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale. Pursuant to MCL § 600.3278, if the premises is sold at foreclosure, mortgagor will be held responsible to the person who buys the premises at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to mortgagee for damaging the premises during the redemption period.

Dated: July 9, 2013.
Fifth Third Bank, Mortgagee
By: Wolfson Bolton PLLC
Anthony J. Kochis, Esq. (P72020)
Attorneys for Mortgagee
3150 Livernois, Ste. 275
Troy, MI 48083
(248) 247-7105
7-17, 7-23, 7-31, 8-7, 8-14

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

Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by George H. French Jr., unmarried, original mortgagor(s), to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, successor by merger to Chase Home Finance LLC successor by merger to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, mortgagee, dated July 25, 2003, and recorded on July 31, 2003 in Liber 387 on page 45, in

Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-four thousand four hundred ninety and 02/100 dollars (\$54,490.02).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m. on August 14, 2013.

Said premises are situated in township of Hawes, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 73 of Stuve Ranch Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 191, Alcona County records. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, un-

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

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: July 17, 2013
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Foreclosure Notice

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Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Lincoln Limited Dividend Housing Association to the United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, dated October 30, 1985, and recorded on November 14, 1985, in Liber 065, page 985, Alcona County records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of six hundred ninety nine, 336.29 and 29/100 (\$699,336.29) including interest at the rate of 11.875 percent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-

closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court in said Alcona County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10 a.m. on August 28, 2013.

Said premises are situated in the city of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 1, T26N, R8E, described as follows: Commencing at the ¼ corner of said Section 1, thence N00° 51'09" west 1318.26 feet along the east section line to the north east-west 1/8 line, thence S88° 58'20" west 529.79 feet along said north east-west 1/8 line to the east boundary of Memorial Subdivision, thence 500° 51'09" east 0.57 feet along said east boundary to the point of beginning. (Also being the southeast corner of said Memorial Subdivision), thence continuing 500° 51'09" east 399.43 feet and parallel to the east section line, thence S88° 50'41" west 285.00 feet and parallel to the south boundary of Memorial Sub-

division, thence north 46°16'28" west 105.48 feet, thence S88° 50' 41" west 352.49 feet and parallel to the south boundary of said subdivision, thence N39° 43'57" west 127.91 feet to the east north-south 1/8 line, thence N01° 01'31" west 225.00 feet along said east north-south 1/8 line to the south boundary of Memorial Subdivision, thence N88° 50'41" east 793.59 feet along said south boundary to the point of beginning. Commonly known as: 406 S. Church Street, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.

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.

To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.
Dated: July 22, 2013
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7-31, 8-7, 8-14, 8-21

Section 34, T27N, R6E, described as follows: Commencing at the south ¼ corner of Section 34; thence north 02 degrees 17 minutes 26 seconds east along the north and south ¼ line of said section 915.54 feet; thence south 83 degrees 54 minutes 51 seconds west 276.23 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing south 83 degrees 54 minutes 51 seconds west 345.27 feet; thence north 20 degrees 35 minutes 00 seconds west 656.54 feet; thence along the centerline of Lakeside Trail in the following two (2) courses: North 76 degrees 16 minutes 00 seconds east 185.70 feet and south 67 degrees 11 minutes 30 seconds east 242.91 feet; thence south 17 degrees 50 minutes 00 seconds east 554.59 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated July 9, 2013.
For more information, please call.
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Attorney for Mortgagee
5466 M-72, P.O. Box 585
Harrisville, Michigan 48740
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7-17, 7-23, 7-31, 8-7

State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 13-5210 DE

Estate of Lawrence C. Buchler, deceased.

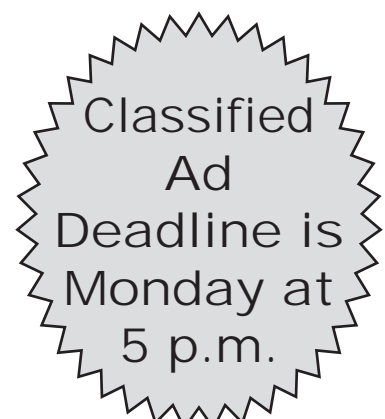
Date of birth: May 28, 1951.

To all creditors:

Notice to creditors: The decedent, Lawrence C. Buchler, died May 31, 2013. Creditors of the estate are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Daniel A. Buchler, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48741 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 26, 2013

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LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Alcona Conservation District
To all residents of the Alcona Conservation District, notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of October, 2013, between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., in the conference room of the Alcona ANR Building, 320 S. State St., Harrisville, MI an annual meeting and director's election will be held. There are three positions for four-year terms of office. There are three candidates running for these positions of conservation district director; Randy Thompson of Harrisville, MI (4-year term); Judith Jones of Harrisville, MI (4-year term) and Trish Miller of Barton City, MI (4-year term). At the annual meeting, district residents of legal age may vote as long as they show proof of residency in the county by one piece of identification. Voters must fill out a voters registration card, which will be exchanged for a ballot. Due to the absentee ballot provisions, nominations from the floor will not be allowed. Write-in voting is not allowed.

Notice is also hereby given to all residents who desire to run for conservation district director in this election: petitions signed by at least five (5) residents of the conservation district must be filed at the conservation district office before close of business on the 8th day of August, 2013, being sixty (60) days prior to the annual meeting. There are three positions to be elected for four-year terms of office.

On August 26, 2013, being forty-five days prior to the date of the annual meeting, absentee ballots are available for voting in this election by writing to the Alcona Conservation District Office located at 320 S. State St., P.O. Box 291, Harrisville, MI 48740 or calling 989-724-5272. Regular business hours are 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday.

Agenda items for the annual meeting will include: Approval of minutes, financial report, and payment of bills, election of directors, correspondence, public acts, and other business that may require prompt attention.

Randy Thompson, Chairman
Alcona Conservation District

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