

City wants agreement to move forward with housing project

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

More than 30 individuals attended the Harrisville City Council meeting Monday evening where a presentation was given by the owners of a development company who asked the city to vacate a portion of three streets in order to move forward with a proposed housing development.

After hearing the presentation by Rick and Carolyn Pender, owners of Harbor Town Development, LLC, and comments and questions from several individuals in attendance, council members asked questions of the Penders and their proposal and discussed areas of concern with each other.

The Penders, who own four

complete parcels and 13 lots in the southwest portion of the city where they hope to put in a 40-42 unit housing development with homes ranging in size from 1,100 to 1,800 square feet, explained they were in partnership with each other and Harbor Town Development was formed for the sole purpose of the proposed project.

The request to the city, which was presented several weeks before the September meeting included:

- Eliminating Fourth Street from Jackson south to Spring Street
- Eliminating Grant Street east of Third Street to Second Street
- Eliminating Spring Street east of Third Street to Second Street

If the council approved the elimination of these streets, the roads would become the private property of owners who had property along the affected streets.

The Penders explained they were hoping to develop lots with the dimensions of approximately 132 feet deep and between 82 to 90 feet wide - which is larger than the platted city lots of 132 by 66 feet. They plan to put in manufactured homes from a company called All American Homes out of Indiana and plan to put together a team of local subcontractors for all related project planning and development, site preparation and installation.

The Penders said they have been coming to the area separately since the 1960s and

after having met in the 1970s, continued to visit the community and are part time residents of Harrisville. "I appreciate all of the consideration people have given us so far," Rick Pender said. "We want to be a good partner... we aren't looking to come in and blow this thing out... all homes will meet or exceed code requirements... We will be spending some of our retirement time here as well."

They explained they have been hoping to put in a development for some time and have spent considerable time determining what would be appropriate and marketable in Harrisville. They are looking at several possible marketing avenues including first time home owners, seasonal residents and people looking

to downsize for various reasons. "We do know there are a lot of things that will attract people to come here - more than we initially realized," Rick Pender said.

City council member Mike Baird told the Penders their presentation was informative. "I am excited about this - the potential to bring in new neighbors and possibly new business owners to our down town is very encouraging... This is our first time as a community to be involved with a residential development..." Baird said.

He encouraged the council to consider waiting to make a determination on the road vacation request until various concerns voiced at the meeting were addressed. Baird said a development agreement between the developer and city was a common avenue to decide, legally, how the project would proceed. It would outline which entity would be responsible for each aspect of the project. "We need to be diligent in this," Baird said. "There are a lot of things that need to be worked out."

"Naturally, we want to make this a win-win," Rick Pender said. "What drives Harbor Towns Development is what the civil engineer will tell us we can do... in order for us to make it worth our while we have to get some consideration for what our plan is... we have considered all of the risks involved... we have to follow a lot of conditions from all areas - in the end it will all shake out."

After quite a bit of discussion the city council unanimously decided to withhold vacation of the requested roads until a development agreement is made between the developer and the city to guide the development of property and infrastructure related to the proposed project.

Mayor John Dobis, who has been working with the Penders by providing information and answering questions over the last several weeks, said he would be "happy to continue working with Harbor Town Development to move this forward."



The Alcona varsity football team keep the AuGres Wolverines from scoring during the home game last Friday. For the story, see page 8. Photo by Pat Brussel.

Residents express concern about proposed dredging

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Over a dozen residents, many who have property along Lake Huron south of the Harrisville Harbor of Refuge, attended the Harrisville Harbor Commission meeting last Thursday to express their concerns about the proposed harbor dredging.

The Harrisville Harbor Commission is working on two dredging projects. The smaller of the two projects, which was requested in 2012, was to take place last spring with Alcona Dredge, LLC. The project did not happen because the necessary permits were not in place.

The larger project is being funded by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) with a 2013 State Emergency Dredging Program grant up to \$280,000.

Currently, the harbor commission has a one-time emergency permit to remove 5,000 cubic yards of material from the harbor. Once removed from the harbor, the material

is to be disbursed along the shoreline south of the harbor. The harbor commission has also applied for an additional permit to remove 8,000 to 10,000 cubic yards from the harbor with up to 20,000 cubic yards over a five year period.

Harrisville Harbor Commission Chairman Neil Gehring explained to residents that in order to obtain the permits, the state paid for a contractor to conduct sediment sampling and testing -- which was done on the shoal near the entrance of the harbor and under the docks.

"At that time they (the state) said if your harbor sediments test to 90 percent more of sand we could dredge immediately (with a one-time emergency permit). The testing was done and of the seven tests that were taken within the harbor only one of them tested having more than 90 percent sand," Gehring said. "I was personally shocked at that because the sample that tested 90 percent sand was

right off the north dock and not at the harbor entrance. I still can't figure that out and I've asked the state and the state's contractor to verify if that data was correct because it doesn't make any sense to me."

After the testing the state found no hazardous or toxic materials within the proposed

dredged area and was willing to issue the one time permit, Gehring explained. At that time he applied for the permit. Gehring had three areas of disposal to pick from which existed in the Army Corps of Engineers permit. Two were

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Property owners south of the harbor, Craig Georgeff and Dennis Swanson, explain their concern on how dredge material from the Harrisville Harbor will be handled. Photo by Mary Weber.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,
 Medicaid expansion, HB 4714, was recently passed in the Michigan House and Senate. However, our representative in the Michigan Senate, John Moolenaar, voted against it.

This bill will allow 400,000 residents who are in families close to the federal poverty level to get insurance coverage to provide for their basic health care needs. This Medicaid expansion will be funded 100 percent with federal funds through 2017 and then by 2020 Michigan would be responsible for 10 percent of the cost.

The Michigan Chamber of Commerce said that the expansion was critical for the success of Michigan businesses. Most folks realize that those without health insurance use hospital emergency

rooms as primary care facilities after illnesses or injuries have progressed far beyond the routine stage. This adds millions of dollars of expense to our health care system while making treatment and recovery more burdensome for the patient.

Senator Moolenaar's no vote is even more upsetting when one considers that two years ago he voted to have the state of Michigan pay for his health insurance for the rest of his life. At that time he had just over six years of service in the state legislature and he might deserve that benefit but so do hundreds of thousands of our residents who currently can not afford any health care coverage.

Robert Kennedy
 Harrisville

To the Editor:

Michigan's governor, Rick Snyder, refused to sign an anti-fracking petition because he is a sane and sensible man. The state of Michigan has official websites (Department of Environmental Quality) which say the state government does not favor a ban on fracking because drilling for oil and natural gas, as presently practiced, is both safe and needful.

If Governor Snyder had signed an anti-fracking petition he would have been as illogical and as misguided as the extreme environmentalists who are circulating the petitions.

The EPA, certainly no lover of oil companies, has not sought to ban fracking for the same reasons that the state of Michigan's environment protectors have not done so. It is safe and needful. Natural gas is the best answer for cleaner air, and the world will need more and more oil for at least the next 100 years. The production and use of oil is safer than any of the viable alternative sources of energy.

Local governments that ban fracking will have to defend that position in expensive court proceedings because it is wrong to prohibit a safe and legal business. It is wrong to prevent people from earning a livelihood or from using their land for legal and safe purposes. Fracking bans have been overturned in courts in many places in the United States.

We all care about the environment. The farmers, pulp cutters, truck drivers and outdoor sports people care more about the environment than the professional fear mongers who are trying to work up hysteria about fracking. The people of Alcona County should ignore the extremists and should follow Governor Snyder's example by refusing to sign anti-fracking petitions.

Lloyd L. Streeter
 Lake City, Fla.

Obituaries

Edwin E. Goddard

Edwin Eugene Goddard, 93, of Mikado died on Thursday, Sept. 5, 2013 at Tendercare in Alpena.

He was born June 18, 1920, to Charles and Viola D'Frances (Sanborn) Goddard in Mikado, where he was raised.

Mr. Goddard was a farmer in Mikado and then moved to Flint, Mich. in 1953.

On May 29, 1941 he married Marjorie Barlow.

He worked for General Motors AC Spark Plug, retiring in 1982.

Mr. Goddard moved to Black River following the death of his wife in 2003.

He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado. He was an avid hunter, an active bowler until age 90 and loved to be with his family.

Mr. Goddard is survived by two sons, Gary (Helen) Goddard of Black River and David (Terry) Goddard of Davison, Mich.; one daughter, Judy (Alan) Fraser of Black River; 10 grandchildren, Jeff (Shelly) Goddard, Steven Goddard, Jenny (Dave) Myers, Chris (Debbie) Fraser, Wendy (Ken) Cooper, Amy (Paul) Gossett, Heidi (Wade) Yocum, Matthew (Andrea) Goddard, Emily (Matt) Lemieux and Noah Goddard; and 25 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marjorie, on January 16, 2003; an infant son; one grandson, Scott Fraser; one great-grandson; three brothers; and three sisters.

The funeral was held September 7 at Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado. Interment was in Mt. Joy Cemetery in Haynes Township. Memorial contributions may be made to Calvary Baptist Church, Mikado. Arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
Sept. 1	72	59	0.00	2.3	11	ENE
Sept. 2	68	57	0.00	2.4	22	N
Sept. 3	78	55	0.00	1.9	17	N
Sept. 4	72	52	0.00	4.0	22	NNE
Sept. 5	61	45	0.00	4.9	18	NE
Sept. 6	75	45	0.00	4.0	24	SW
Sept. 7	71	62	0.35	2.1	15	WSW

Precipitation Summary (Inches)		2012-2013	
	2013	2012	Normal Water Content
Weekly Total	0.35	0.93	0.71
September to Date	0.35	0.93	0.71
Year to Date	22.76	18.52	20.07

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.)

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

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

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) 739-4483.

Free Zumba class with Paula at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Blood pressure clinic at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 3029 Campbell Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Friends of Negwegon State Park will hold a general membership meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Alcona township Hall on US-23 just north of Black River Road. The agenda will be to elect officers and discuss current and future activities.

The Alcona Women's Pool League will hold an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. at the Mikado American Legion, 2205 Alger Street. New members and teams are welcome to attend. For more information, call Rita at (989) 736-8869 or Kathy at (989) 724-5860.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
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. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

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.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

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.

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

My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). The Potluck Café will be serving a meal from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street (US-23). For more information, call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

All ladies are invited to play bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall, 3029 Campbell Road at 2:30 p.m. Bunco is an easy game to learn, first-timers are always welcome.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

The Alcona Book Club will meet from noon to 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. The selection for September is "South

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

The Alcona County Chamber of Commerce will meet at 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 East Main Street.

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 with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush site, 3029 Campbell Road.

Barton City Improvement Association will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Trask Lake Road. All citizens are encouraged to attend for the election of officers. Any questions, call Arlene at (989) 736-3294.

Strawberry Fields Grocery Co-op will hold their first farmers' market from 4 to 7 p.m. at 200 North State Street (US-23), Harrisville. Local produce will be sold by farmers and the gardeners who are growing in the Harrisville Community Garden. For more information, call (989)

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The Board of Education of the Oscoda Area Schools, Iosco and Alcona counties, Michigan, will receive sealed bids for auditorium curtains for Oscoda High School. Donations made to Friends of the Auditorium will be used to purchase the curtains. Sealed bids will be received until **1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 25, 2013**. All bids will be opened and read publicly at that time at:

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Bids received after 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 25, 2013 will not be accepted. Faxed proposals will not be accepted. Any questions should be directed to Susan Barnhart at (989) 739-2033.

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Away at School

Kristina Ann (Stewart) Zuchowski graduated from the Alpena Community College nursing program on May 8. She is the daughter of Richard and Ann Karsen. She resides in Spruce with her husband, Terry, and one son.



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- Monday, Sept. 16—Pork chop bake with sweet potatoes and apples; mixed vegetables, three bean salad and fruit.
- Tuesday, Sept. 17—Meatloaf, scalloped potatoes, green beans, tossed salad and fruit.
- Wednesday, Sept. 18—Sweet and sour chicken over rice, winter blend, red fluff salad, brownies and fruit.
- Thursday, Sept. 19—Homemade bean soup, turkey sandwich, carrot sticks and dip, tropical fruit salad and fruit.
- Friday, Sept. 20—Oven fried fish, Tator tots, Brussels sprouts, coleslaw and fruit.

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be held Saturday, Sept. 14 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site in Lincoln. Available this week: Mini pumpkins, raspberries, carrots, cabbage, potatoes, eggplant, tomatoes, tomatillos, garlic, turnips, cucumbers, zucchini, spaghetti squash, winter squash, peppers, onions, Swiss chard, spinach, kale, arugula, lettuce, herbs, farm fresh eggs, a variety of baked goods, all cuts of hormone and antibiotic free grass and grain fed beef, brats and beef sticks, dried herbs, assorted varieties of jams and jellies, soup mixes, salsa mixes, baked goods mixes, salt-free dip and dressing mixes and seasonings, dried fruit, perennials, cut flowers and a wide variety of handmade items. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

Chronic Disease Workshop

Alcona Health Centers and Region 9 Area Agency on Aging will hold a chronic disease workshop. Participants can experience a better quality of life by personal management of their health condition. The program is free and will meet for six weeks beginning Tuesday, Sept. 24 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at the

Alcona Health Center in Lincoln. Class size is limited. For more information, contact Carolyn Deller at (989) 736-8157, ext. 9819.

Dining with the Docs

Interested adults are invited to attend the next session of "Dining with the Doctors," held on Friday, Sept. 27 at noon at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Dr. Raj Rao, internist, will speak on "Metabolic Syndrome—cholesterol, high blood pressure and diabetes." A free heart-healthy lunch is included. The program is limited to 25 participants, call (989) 724-6796 to register or for more information. This program is a cooperative effort through the Alcona Health Center and Alcona County Library to bring health information to Alcona citizens.

Preschooler Moms Welcome

The Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) group, based in Oscoda, is getting ready to start its 2013-2014 program. MOPS exists to encourage, equip and help women become the best moms that they can be. Women who are pregnant or have young children (birth through kindergarten) are invited to join MOPS.

MOPS provides an opportunity to meet other moms and make the journey of motherhood together. Members share their experiences, learn from one another and support each other. MOPS meetings are a place to build friendships and have fun with other moms.

MOPS meets two Thursdays per month between September and May from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the multi-purpose room at Oscoda Baptist Church, located at 5589 North US-23. The first meeting this is September 12.

Baby-sitting is provided free of charge through the MOPPETS program which provides care for children ages birth through kindergarten. While mothers attend the meeting, children enjoy a program designed to meet their needs. A three dollar donation is requested for each meeting to cover the cost of the crafts, but is not mandatory. For more information, call (989) 739-5441 or e-mail mops.oscoda@gmail.com.

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immediately over the harbor breakwall. The third was along the shoreline south of the harbor.

According to Gehring, he proposed to dispose of the material over the first knuckle of the breakwall. However, the state told him it was in the process of developing a new requirement stipulating that any open lake dredging materials would have to be placed in 90 feet of water or more.

Gehring said he had to revise the permit application and resubmit it. The emergency one-time permit was received on August 14 and expires at the end of the year.

Gehring said the Army Corps/DEQ permit which would allow the harbor to dredge up to 20,000 yards over a five year period had the same requirement. "The only disposal I could use was the one down here (along the shoreline). That application went in and it will be working its way through the public review process and I would suspect most of you would be contacted," Gehring told the group.

"That process takes quite a bit longer because they have to allow time for people to make their thoughts known and then they (the state and the Army Corps) have to decide whether they will give us a permit or not. I don't know where that process is at this point of time. I don't know how that's going to turn out," Gehring said.

Harrisville Harbormaster Steve Baksis said the area of most concern is at the mouth of the harbor where a hard-packed sand shoal has reduced the entry way 60 to 70 percent of its use. It was discussed that two boats, coming and going, cannot traverse the opening without running aground. Baksis said he pulled out at least 15 boats which went aground in the mouth this summer alone and it was a safety risk.

The residents voiced concern about the large amount of material that will be removed and what exactly would be placed on their beach. Kathy Buck, a property owner south of the harbor said, "I was here for the last dredge that was in 2001. That was 1,100 cubic yards. You're talking five times that or almost 20 times that with the 20,000 cubic yards. I can tell you first hand it took three years in order for that (dredge material) to dissipate.

Craig Georgeff, who owns property south of the harbor, said the material was placed up to the house and then over the wall. "The permit was then altered by the Army Corps of Engineers. They de-

posited material along the beach, from the beach line out into the water until the Army Corps of Engineers got so many complaints they ordered the contractor to cease and desist from dropping on the beach and deposit it over the east breakwall of the harbor as told to me by the Army Corps of Engineer project manager. The great majority of that material went over the east breakwall but the damage to the beach was almost irrevocable for a five year period of time," Georgeff said.

Georgeff gave a detailed alternative plan for the dredged material which would not impact the beach. He offered to work on securing necessary revisions with whatever governmental entities he could and pleaded with the board to try and work together. Georgeff told the harbor commission that he has talked to the residents along the beach and with the exception of one, who said he didn't want to get involved because he was only seasonal, everyone else was against the dredging and putting the dredged material on their beach based on past experience. (One resident still has a number of coffee cans with pop tops from cans, broken shards of glass, hooks, lures and fishing line he collected off the beach after the last dredging.)

"The dredged material is not close to being 90 percent sand and to put it on our beach is destroying the assets south of the harbor that is now being used by beach walkers from the state park and traversed daily in the summer time."

Michael Baird, who sits on the harbor commission as a liaison between the commission and the Harrisville City Council, said he lived on the lake south of the harbor and he would take the dredge material. "We appreciate everything you are saying and you know what? If I was in your position I would probably be sitting in one of your seats also, without a doubt. However, this is not a harbor versus resident issue, this is what the state has decided and we need to resolve our problems here," Baird said.

Buck said she was still very concerned of the magnitude of what is being proposed. "It's just so much different and so much greater than what was proposed in 2000. In 2000 it was bad enough; at least at our end of things. You're talking five times the original 1,100 cubic yards up to near 25 times that amount. Does Alcona Dredge have experience for the volume of that amount of material and filtering so we don't have the

lures and all the stuff that was left behind last time?" Buck said.

"We're going to have a couple football fields of beach. Do you think that will be equally graded? What prevents non-indigenous little wet lands from forming that we won't have any control over? We're going to get all kinds of bugs and mosquitos growing and we won't have any right to improve those beaches. We have very little rights as it is now," she said.

Georgeff said he was one of the harbor's biggest supporters and wants the harbor to be a good neighbor. He also wants the property owners of the south beach area to understand the problems of the harbor, but he doesn't want the south beach to be a dumping ground.

Gehring said the information brought forth was interesting. He proposed a plan to dredge the entrance channel instead of around the docks with the one-time 5,000 cubic yard permit. "Our plan was to have Alcona Dredge dredge around the docks where he is most efficient. But, in order to get past where all of you are at, if we get him in here at all this year, we're going to have him dredge the mouth (entrance to the harbor) in order to appease you. We're trying to appease you and also be productive on our part.

"Now, if that isn't pure sand out there, I don't know what is. I know darn well that's sand. If we put that sand out on your beach you're going to be happier than a clam. If we put the material from inside the harbor you aren't going to be as happy... I think the most important thing (is) getting boats in this harbor past that plug out there. I'm concerned about boater safety and so is Steve. If a guy hits something out there and he's coming in under a storm he's in a hell of a fix."

Dorothy Carr who has owned property on the lake south of the harbor since 1963 told the board that no one in the group was so small that they were only looking at their own private interests. They would all like to see the big picture. She thanked the harbor commission members for listening and Georgeff for the amount of hours he spent researching.

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Lady Tigers face tough competition in tourney

By Hope Smith
Volleyball Writer

The Alcona varsity volleyball team traveled to Rogers City on Saturday, Sept. 7 to compete in tournament play.

Alcona took the floor against teams from Onaway, Gaylord, Johannesburg and Cheboygan. The competition proved too much for Alcona as the Lady Tigers struggled to find an offensive rhythm throughout the day.

Alcona lost in back to back sets against Onaway 25-6, 25-13; Gaylord 25-20, 25-16 while splitting with Johannesburg 25-14, 25-23. The final match against Cheboygan ended with Alcona coming up short at the net 25-14, 25-18 to finish the day.

"We definitely had our ups and downs today. I am glad we had the opportunity to face these tough teams. It was a great learning experience. We are very motivated to improve our game and come back stronger," said coach Kristi Arnold.


Alcona's Kalie Zerbst tipped up 15 assists while Katelyn Nelson had 17 assists. Karina Cole served up five aces and eight kills. Cassie Carpenter added seven kills and four blocks. Sam Zerbst hit the floor with 16 digs for the Lady Tigers.

Lady Vikings from Posen High School on Tuesday, Sept. 10 for their first North Star League competition.

On Monday, Sept. 16 the Lady Tigers will host the Tawas Braves. The junior varsity game starts at 6 p.m. followed by the varsity squad at 7:30 p.m.



Alcona Tiger Ryley Mancine gets ready to kick the ball out of Alcona's backfield while Schuyler Bates (5) looks on. The Alcona varsity soccer team was defeated last week by Alpena 6-0. They bounced back last Saturday where they played in a tournament losing a close game 4-2 to Gaylord by penalty kicks. Alcona later defeated Harbor Light 2-1 and then lost the final game to Marquette. They will play Fairview at home Monday and travel to Whittemore-Prescott on Wednesday. Photo by Kathy Steiner.

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Dear Exhausted,

To get paid as a family caregiver, there are various government programs, tax breaks and family payment options that may be able to help you, depending on your mom's financial situation. Here's where to look for help.

If your mom is low-income and eligible for Medicaid, you may be able to get paid a small amount by the state. In 15 states, Medicaid offers a Cash & Counseling program (see cashandcounseling.org) that provides an allowance that can be used for various services, including paying family members for care.

Many other states have

similar programs for low-income seniors, even if the person receiving care doesn't quite qualify for Medicaid. To find out about these options contact your local Medicaid office.

In some communities across the United States, veterans who are at risk of nursing home placement can enroll in the Veteran-Directed Home and Community Based Services program, that allows veterans to manage their own care, including hiring and paying their own caregivers.

Also available to wartime veterans and their spouses, is a benefit called Aid and Attendance that helps pay for in-home care, as well as assisted living and nursing home care. This benefit can also be used to pay family caregivers.

To be eligible your mom must need assistance with daily living activities like bathing, dressing or going to the bathroom. And, her income must be under \$13,362

as a surviving spouse - minus medical and long-term care expenses. If your mom is a single veteran, her income must be below \$20,795 to be eligible. Her assets must also be less than \$80,000 excluding her home and car.

To learn more see va.gov/geriatrics, or contact your regional VA office, or your local veterans service organization. For contact information, call (800) 827-1000.

Uncle Sam may also be able to help if you pay at least half of your mom's yearly expenses, and her annual income was below \$3,900 in 2013 (not counting Social Security). If so, you can claim her as a dependent on your taxes, and reduce your taxable income by \$3,900. See IRS Publication 501 (www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p501.pdf) or call the IRS helpline at (800) 829-1040 for information.

If you can't claim your mom as a dependent, you may still be able to get a tax

break if you're paying at least half her living expenses including her medical and long-term care costs, and they exceed 10 percent (or 7.5 percent if you're 65 or over) of your adjusted gross income. You can include your own medical expenses in calculating the total. See the IRS publication 502 (www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p502.pdf) for details.

If your mom doesn't financially qualify for the government aid or the tax breaks, can she afford to pay you herself or do you have any siblings that would be willing to chip in? After all, if your mom had to pay for home care services, the costs would be anywhere between \$12 and \$25 per hour.

If she agrees to pay you, it's best that you or an attorney draft a short written contract detailing your work and payment arrangements so every one involved knows what to expect. A contract will also help avoid potential



problems should your mom ever need to apply for Medicaid for nursing home care.

Another payment option to consider is for your mom to adjust her will, so you receive a larger portion of her estate for providing her care. But to avoid conflict, be sure all family members are aware and in agreement.

Also, check to see if your mom has any long-term care insurance that covers in-home care. If she does, in some cases those benefits may be used to pay you.

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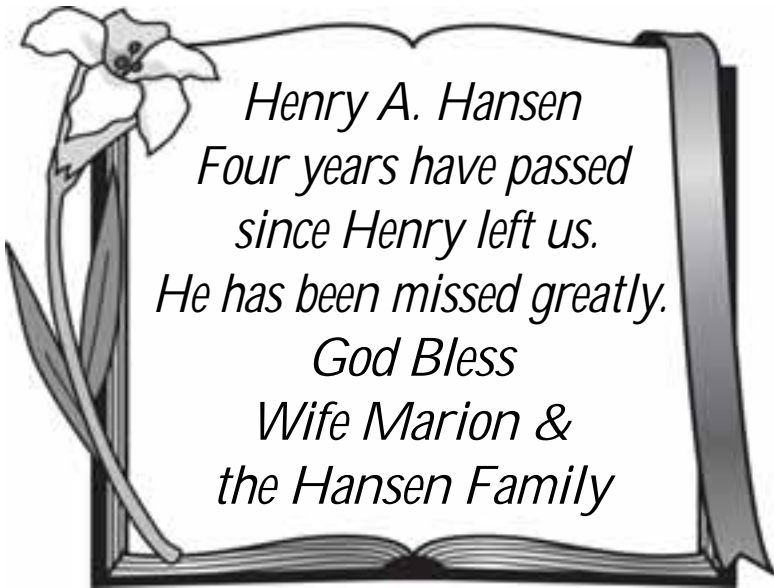
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Tigers completely dominate Wolverines

By Kendra Cole
Football Writer

On Friday, Sept. 6, in the second football game of the season for the Alcona varsity football team, the Tigers proved that they had come to win.

With a score of 54-0, the Tigers defeated the AuGres Wolverines.

With the bleachers packed full and parent's night concluded, the game took an early turn with Bryce Franklin recovering a fumble. Using a good carry by Josh Mead, Cody Franklin scored the first touchdown of many for the Tigers.

Garrette Norling scored two more points with a successful two-point conversion.

Norling scored a touchdown early in the second quarter. After the Tigers stopped the Wolverine offence once again, Nathan Fettes took advantage of the Wolverine defence and carried the ball 67 yards to the end zone. Carson Jamieson made good on the extra point.

AuGres moved down the field where Dawson Forsythe and Jamieson welcomed them with two hard hits and the Wolverines were forced to punt. The Wolverines recovered the ball off of a fumble from a hard hit by Fettes.

At halftime the score was 21-0.

"The plan was to start off fast," said Alcona head coach Dave Schneider. "We are getting better and better each week. We tried out a new

offense that we have been working on."

After halftime, the offense got off to another fast start with Fettes scoring a touchdown and Jamieson kicked the extra point. After another stop against the AuGres offense, Fettes had a 58-yard run which set up Norling to score another touchdown for the Tigers. Franklin also scored two more touchdowns; one from a 77-yard run and the other from stripping the ball from AuGres and returning it.

The fourth quarter provided playing time for the Tiger sophomores and freshmen. Brock Franklin and Hunter Sullivan each had two good carries. Those carries led to a touchdown by freshman Dresden Parkinson.

"The guys played as we had wanted them to and they are working hard. We keep

learning on each play," Schneider said.

When it was all said and done, Fettes had seven carries for 163 yards, two touchdowns, eight tackles and one sack. Cody Franklin had four carries for 142 yards and two touchdowns. Mead had seven carries for 97 yards, six tackles and one sack. Norling had eight carries for 92 yards, two touchdowns, 14 tackles and one sack; Chad Cole had 16 tackles and seven tackles for loss. Jamieson went four for six extra point attempts.

The Tigers play their next game on September 13 at Rogers City at 7 p.m.

(Editor's Note: Kendra Cole is a junior at Alcona High School. While she has been an athlete for several years, this is her first attempt at sports writing. We appreciate her interest in writing football stories.)

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Gerald grew up in Comins, Mich. and Ruth grew up in Atlanta, Mich. They made their home in East Tawas from 1967 to 1999, then moved to Lincoln after Gerald retired from Consumers Energy in 1997.

They are avid vegetable gardeners and participate as vendors in the ARA Farm Market held in Lincoln on Saturdays.

They celebrated with their three daughters, Kim Merrick, Rachel Merrick and Amy Merrick, their granddaughter Asia Milburn and extended family at their home on August 24.



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Adieux

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep
Columnist

Bastian Bear Kniep, wonder-poodle, frequent subject of this column and the bane of proofreaders everywhere, crossed the Rainbow Bridge and went home Saturday morning. He was 17 which, according to the chart in the vet's office, was the equivalent of a human 90.

First and foremost, Bastie was the Princess' dog. She found him in a shelter in Florida just 24 hours after he'd been left there by a lady no longer able to care for him. He never got over that rescue, not requiring a leash because he simply never let her out of his sight. Early on, he suffered some separation anxiety, sitting in the window for hours when she went out, awaiting her return. After a while, though, he became comfortable staying with Grandmuzzer and Grandfizzer, confident that his muzzer would always return.

Bastie and I bonded just a week or so after Kate adopted him when, during a visit to Florida, I snuck him into our no-dogs-allowed condo in a big, black purse. The air conditioning had gone out in Kate's apartment and it was far too warm for him to remain there. I've told the story before of how halfway through our elevator ride, Bastie began to sneeze and I began to fake a cough, trying to camouflage the noise from my fellow passengers.

Bastie and I were pretty much known for doing things we shouldn't - from Bastie swiping his mother's cell phone to make unauthorized calls to me to my breaking his strict dietary plan to share the occasional brie and cracker or a bit of morning croissant with him. He especially loved the "lovely, lovely cream that is whipped" and the turkey that came on what he called "Sanksgiving."

If I had to describe Bastie in one word, it would be "merry." Apricot and just a tiny four pounds, as a young dog he ran so fast that he was a virtual blur, loving nothing better than to fetch his stuffed flamingo. His eyes danced over a tiny lick of contraband "chocolate" or as he snuck under the covers of my bed.

A few years ago, as Bastie aged and his muzzer moved to a home with steep stairs, he decided to stay with us. By then he had gone from a dog who did not like other dogs and was violently protective of his dinner to a member of the family "pack" who happily shared a supper bowl with our Lady and Henri. On his final night, Lady - often the Wendy to our two Lost Boy pups - slept beside him.

While Bastie may not have spoken to me in exactly the way portrayed in this column, if he had had the capacity for human speech, I'm certain he would have. He communicated with me on a level far above any other dog I've ever known. He firmly believed that poodles were superior to any other breed, and that Bo, the White House

dog, was not really a Portuguese water dog, but a "Puerto Rican water poodle" because only a poodle could properly protect the first family.

In the past year, his vision and hearing had dimmed and he suffered a damaged disc in his neck. This past week, his legs - not much thicker than a stick of chalk - failed him. He found it hard to stand and when he collapsed he lay wheeling his paws, unable to regain his footing.

And so Bastie and I set out on Saturday in a thunderstorm for our final ride. Once the arrangements had been made, I carried him out onto the covered porch of the vet's office and we sat, listening to the rain. As I held him,



Bastian

snuggled in his special blue blanket, he cuddled his downy head against me as he always did, rubbing his velvet nose against my neck.

"Bastie," I told him, "You are the stuff of legends - you will always, always be a part of our family's story. And you know I don't want to do this. But I don't want you to hurt anymore."

"It is h'okay, Grandmuzzer," he answered me. "It is time. I am ready. Sank you for loving me enough to let me go." After a moment, he went on. "You will be certain," he told me, "zat my muzzer knows zat I loved her best of all, and zat I am so grateful for ze wonderful life she gave to me?"

"I will, Bastie," I assured him.

Puttin' On The Fritz

"And you and Grandfizzer..." he began. "We know, Bastie, I told him, stroking his ears, "We know."

"Do not grieve," he instructed. "First 'sing, I will find your friend Chere - I remember she was very good at ze ear massage - and I will sit wiz her until you come. To you, it may seem long, but time, it is different zere."

It was time to go inside. I held him close as the kind veterinarian inserted the catheter "J' taime," Bastie, I whispered in his ear. "J' taime. You are the best puppy in the entire world."

Just before the vet began the injection, Bastie told me one last thing. "You know, Grandmuzzer," he said, "I sink heaven, h'it must be a lot like Paris." Seconds later, the vet removed her stethoscope from her ears. "He's running on young legs again," she told me.

As I walked back out into the rain, I could see him, running full tilt - so fast he was almost a blur, ears flying back -- a free man in Paris. Running down the Champs Elyse, through the City of Light, going cabaret to café, thinking that when he finds that very good friend of mine, he will perhaps treat her to a small glass of ze nicest Bordeaux.

Bon voyage, Bastie. J'taime. You were truly a wonder poodle. And you will live on - in our stories, and in our hearts - forever.

(Author's note: Heartfelt thanks to the staff of Alcona Animal Clinic for their caring and kindness and to my friend and editor, Cheryl Peterson, who understands.)

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Class of 1963 Reunion

The Alcona High School Class of 1963 held its 50th reunion August 15 and 16 at the Lost Lake Woods Club. Reunion activities began with a picnic and camp fire on Friday evening at the pavilion on Badger Lake. On Saturday evening classmates and guests gathered in the club house for a social hour followed by a buffet dinner.

A special guest was Don Gorsuch, a former teacher and coach. He was reunited with several players from the varsity basketball and baseball teams that he coached during his time at Alcona High School from 1960-1963.

In addition to reminiscing and renewing friendships, a highlight of the program was viewing a DVD of the journey of the class from early years to 2013. It was created by Darlene Ackerman Kell.

The class was the first seventh grade class at the new junior-senior high school when it opened in the fall of 1957.

Reunion committee members were: Mark and Carolyn Malaski, Sandy Ross, Dick Champagne, Joyce Howard, Joann Fournier, Shirley Gerard, Art Good and Leo and Sharon Somers.



Class members attending the reunion: (front row, from left) Diane (Caton) Burgoyne, Ruth (Somers) Travis, Janet (Phillips) Rodriguez, Sandy (Buchanan) Ross, Shirley (Ritchie) Gerard, Joe Bushey (middle row) Joyce (Leonard) Allred, Joann (Ranger) Fournier, Robert Slater, Dick Champagne, Joyce (George) Howard, Neva (Apsey) Babcock, Darlene (Ackerman) Kell, Eva (LeClair) Allyn, Leo Somers, Carolyn (Brooks) Malaski, Wayne Dault, Harold Carriveau, Art Good, John Unkovich, Mark Malaski, Richard Jack, Paul Forsythe, Richard Bouchard and Lanny Caverly.



(From left) Dick Champagne, Mark Malaski, John Unkovich, Coach Don Gorsuch, Lanny Caverly and Leo Somers. *Courtesy photos.*

Organization Notes

River Aux Sables

The River Aux Sables Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution announce the fall schedule of programs which begins September 14 in Lincoln with the program -- Unknown Schools and Indians -- to be presented by Warren Petoskey, author of "Dancing My Dreams."

Constitution Week is September 17-23. This is a yearly national dedication to the founding of the United States and the document that gives the citizens their rights.

The October 12 program is in West Branch, Mich. where the topic is "Look Good/Feel

Good," a special educational program that has taken root in the area to help women to look and feel their best after cancer surgery.

On November 9 the program is in Hale, Mich. where Amy Alberts, grand council chief of the Chippewa Nation of the Great Lakes, is scheduled to speak.


The December 14 program is in West Branch, Mich. where Jane Chandler is scheduled to speak about women lighthouse keepers.

Ladies 18 and over who are interested in these programs and think they may

have a lineage to a revolutionary patriot can contact registrar, Ricki LaBounty at the chapter website at www.riverauxsables.mich-dar.net for more information.



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 of Superior" by Ellen Airgood.
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 will meet at the Lincoln United
 Methodist Church, 101 East
 Main Street, at 4 p.m. Visi-
 tors are welcome and there is
 no membership fee. For more
 information, call (989) 736-
 8645 or (989) 736-8338.

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

**WEDNESDAY,
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 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 information, call (989)
 471-5013.

Needle crafters are mak-
 ing 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 organiza-
 tions. Bring your knitting
 needles, looms, yarn and pat-
 terns. Beginning crafters are
 welcome. For more informa-
 tion, 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 woodcar-
 vers including beginners are
 welcome.

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

**THURSDAY,
 SEPTEMBER 19**

Community Walking Club
 for everyone will 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 Westmin-
 ster Presbyterian Church,
 201 Second Street, Harris-
 ville.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado
 meets at St. Raphael Catho-
 lic Church, 2531 F-30, Mi-
 kado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15
 a.m. and meeting begins at
 9:30 a.m. All are welcome.
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 meeting is free. For more in-
 formation, call (989) 736-
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Free Zumba class with
 Paula at noon at the Lincoln
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Retirees will meet for a
 potluck lunch at noon at the
 Lincoln Senior Center, 207
 Church Street. Bring a dish to
 pass.

Blood pressure clinic at
 3:30 p.m. at the Glennie Sen-
 ior Center, 4932 F-30. For
 more information, call (989)
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20
 The Alcona Historical So-
 ciety will hold a work bee at
 Sturgeon Point Lighthouse at
 9:30 a.m. Help would be most
 welcome. Bring gloves, rakes
 or any tools you think would
 be helpful. Lunch will be pro-
 vided.

Storytime and craft for chil-
 dren from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at
 the Harrisville branch of the
 Alcona County Library, 312
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Popcorn and a movie at 2
 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior
 Center, 207 Church Street.
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State Senator John Moo-
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Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY
 T-storms Likely
 High: 76 Low: 60

THURSDAY
 Few Showers
 High: 68 Low: 49

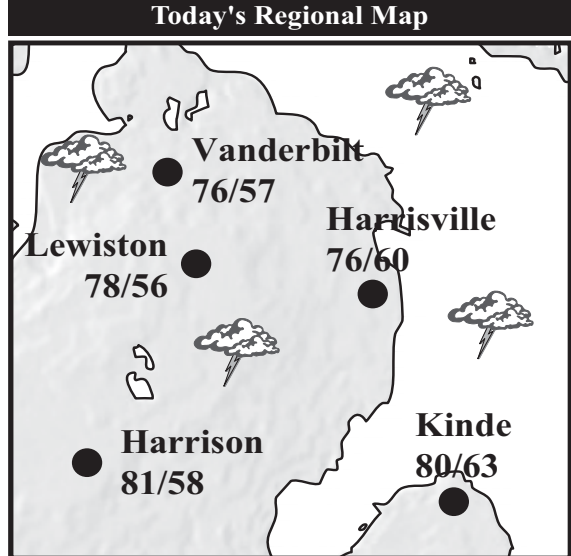
FRIDAY
 Mostly Sunny
 High: 58 Low: 43

SATURDAY
 Sunny
 High: 64 Low: 51

SUNDAY
 Partly Cloudy
 High: 65 Low: 52

MONDAY
 Mostly Sunny
 High: 63 Low: 48

TUESDAY
 Partly Cloudy
 High: 61 Low: 45



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 60% chance of showers and thunderstorms, high temperature of 76°, humidity of 73%. South wind 5 mph. The record high temperature for today is 90° set in 1952. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with a 30% chance of showers, overnight low of 60°. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph.

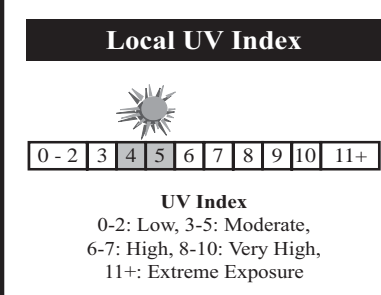
***Last Week's Almanac**

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	67	54	72/49	0.02"
Tuesday	75	54	72/49	0.00"
Wednesday	70	51	71/49	0.00"
Thursday	65	43	71/48	0.00"
Friday	77	38	71/48	0.00"
Saturday	76	63	70/48	0.30"
Sunday	68	46	70/48	0.00"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
First 9/12	7:08 a.m.	7:50 p.m.	1:50 p.m.	11:30 p.m.
Thursday	7:09 a.m.	7:48 p.m.	2:51 p.m.	Next Day
Friday	7:10 a.m.	7:46 p.m.	3:46 p.m.	12:27 a.m.
Saturday	7:12 a.m.	7:44 p.m.	4:34 p.m.	1:32 a.m.
Sunday	7:13 a.m.	7:42 p.m.	5:17 p.m.	2:41 a.m.
Monday	7:14 a.m.	7:40 p.m.	5:54 p.m.	3:53 a.m.
Tuesday	7:15 a.m.	7:38 p.m.	6:28 p.m.	5:06 a.m.
Full 9/19				
Last 9/26				
New 10/4				



National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with scattered showers and thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 95° in Decatur, Ill. The Southeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few thunderstorms today and Thursday, scattered thunderstorms Friday, with the highest temperature of 98° in Smyrna, Tenn. The Northwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 98° in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with scattered thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 103° in Palm Springs, Calif.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	8:26 a.m.	8:23 p.m.
Venus	10:49 a.m.	9:15 p.m.
Mars	3:35 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Jupiter	1:40 a.m.	4:57 p.m.
Saturn	11:21 a.m.	9:48 p.m.
Uranus	8:33 p.m.	9:12 a.m.

Weather History

Sept. 11, 1976 - Up to five inches of rain brought walls of water and millions of tons of debris into Bullhead City, Ariz. via washes from elevations above 3,000 feet. Flooding caused more than three million dollars damage. Chasms up to 40 feet deep were cut across roads.

Weather Trivia

What is chionophobia?
 Answer: Chionophobia is the fear of snow.
 www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Moon and Venus Embrace

I got involved with astronomy through aesthetics, although at the time I had no idea what that meant. As a kid, the night sky was a very scary place, but the beauty and mystery of those stars flung against the heavenly vault compelled me to look up. On one blustery autumn evening, while walking to a cub pack meeting, I did just that and witnessed a bright meteor scorch the blackness. That meteor got me to reading, particularly our home encyclopedia, The Book of Knowledge, which provided me with answers; and here I am, some 55 years later still intrigued with the mystery and wonder of it all. I have always called astronomy, "the beautiful science," and I invite you to partake in that beauty by viewing the heavens about 45 minutes after sundown on Sunday, September 8, when the second and third brightest sky objects, the moon and Venus, will be in close conjunction, under two degrees apart from each other. Check out the moon the day before, about 30 minutes after sundown. It will be very low in the WSW. Sweep the horizon with binoculars to enhance the contrast of the razor thin crescent moon against the bright sky background. Even if you don't locate the moon, look for Venus above and to the moon's left because that is where the moon will be located on Sunday. Venus will be found about one binocular field above the horizon, 45 minutes after sunset, and easily seen to the unaided eye. On Monday evening, Luna will be next to dazzling Venus. As dusk deepens, you'll notice even the unlit portion of the moon glowing from the reflected light of a nearly full Earth as seen from the moon. That's called earthshine, and it will appear spectacular through binoculars. You'll also notice Saturn above and to the left of Venus. A thicker, brighter crescent moon will be situated about five degrees to Saturn's right on Monday. Pictures are online at www.astronomy.org

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TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **LANGUAGE:** What does the phrase "entre nous" mean?
2. **TELEVISION:** What was the name of "The Flintstones" family pet?
3. **AD SLOGANS:** What product uses the advertising slogan, "How do you spell relief?"
4. **MYTHOLOGY:** Who was the Greek goddess of the hearth and home?
5. **GEOGRAPHY:** In which city would you find the famous Trevi Fountain?
6. **MUSIC:** Which recording artist had a 1970s hit with the song "Crocodile Rock"?
7. **LITERATURE:** What was Dorothy Parker's pseudonym?
8. **MOVIES:** Which blockbuster movie featured the character Jack Dawson?
9. **CHEMISTRY:** What is the Periodic Table symbol for silver?
10. **COMICS:** What is the name of the military base where Beetle Bailey and his friends reside?

Answers: 1. Privately, between us; 2. Dino; 3. Roloids; 4. Hestia; 5. Rome; 6. Elton John; 7. Constant Reader; 8. "Titanic" (Leonardo DiCaprio); 9. Ag (argentum); 10. Camp Swampy. (c) 2013 King Features Synd., Inc.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE by Samantha Weaver

• It was noted wit Ambrose Bierce who made the following sage observation: "All are lunatics, but he who can analyze his delusion is called a philosopher."

• When the famous "Hollywood" sign was constructed in 1923, it read "Hollywoodland." It was an advertisement for a new housing development and was expected to be in place only about a year and a half. The sign became such a recognizable symbol of the new film industry in Los Angeles that it has been refurbished and rebuilt as necessary for 90 years.

• In January of 2004, the Food and Drug Administration approved the use of maggots as a medical device for cleaning wounds.

• If you're planning a trip to Laramie, Wyo., you might want to make a pilgrimage to the Ames Pyramid. At the end of a 2-mile dirt road, in the middle of featureless pastureland, you'll find this 60-foot-tall monument seemingly plunked down at random. The pyramid was built in 1882 near a line of the Union Pacific railroad and in honor of the railroad's financiers. It was thought that the monument would be a welcome distraction to railroad passengers traveling through the plains of Wyoming. The decline of railroad travel, however, caused many tracks to be removed, including the line that ran by the pyramid. Now only cows are left to admire this relic of the industrial age.

• The 1979 horror movie "Alien" has become a cult classic, but not many people realize that it was originally titled "Star Beast."

Thought for the Day: "Hollywood is a place where they'll pay you a thousand dollars for a kiss and 50 cents for your soul. I know, because I turned down the first offer often enough and held out for the 50 cents." -- Marilyn Monroe

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MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

• On Sept. 27, 1540, in Rome, the Society of Jesus -- a Roman Catholic missionary organization -- receives its charter from Pope Paul III. The first Jesuits took vows of poverty and chastity, and made plans for the conversion of millions to Catholicism.

• On Sept. 23, 1875, Billy the Kid, born William Henry McCarty, is arrested for the first time after stealing a basket of laundry. He broke out of jail and roamed the American West, eventually earning a reputation as an outlaw and murderer, with a rap sheet that allegedly included 21 murders.

• On Sept. 29, 1907, Gene Autry, perhaps the greatest "singing cowboy" of all time, is born in Tioga, Texas. While Autry was no cowboy, he was a genuine Westerner who had lived on a ranch. His lasting fame came from films and his first movie, "In Old Santa Fe," eventually was followed by nearly 100 other films.

• On Sept. 28, 1918, a Liberty Loan parade in Philadelphia prompts a huge outbreak of the flu epidemic in the city. By the time the epidemic ended, an estimated 30 million people were dead worldwide. The most likely origin of the 1918 flu pandemic was a bird or farm animal in the American Midwest.

• On Sept. 26, 1928, work begins at Chicago's new Galvin Manufacturing Corp. In 1930, Galvin would introduce the Motorola radio, the first mass-produced commercial car radio. (The name had two parts: "motor" evoked cars and motion, while "ola" derived from "Victrola" record players.)

• On Sept. 25, 1965, the Kansas City Athletics ageless wonder Satchel Paige started a game against the Boston Red Sox. The 59-year-old Paige, a Negro League legend, proved his greatness by giving up only one hit in his three innings of play. He was the oldest pitcher ever to play a game in the major leagues.

• On Sept. 24, 1988, Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson runs the 100-meter dash in 9.79 seconds to win gold at the Summer Olympics in Seoul, South Korea. Johnson's triumph, however, was short-lived: He tested positive for steroids three days later and was stripped of the medal.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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, the 18th day of September, 2013 at 10 a.m., local time, the distinct parcel described in the mortgage as: That property located in Town 27 North, Range 7 East, Section 2 and more fully described as entire Lots 6, 7, 8 and 9 of First Addition to Backus Beach Tax I.D. Numbers 072-201-000-006-00 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 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: August 12, 2013.
 Fifth Third Bank, Mortgagee
 By: Wolfson Bolton PLLC
 Anthony J. Kochis, Esq. (P72020)
 Attorneys for Mortgagee
 3150 Livernois,
 Ste. 275
 Troy, Mich. 48083
 (248) 247-7105
 8-14, 8-21, 8-28, 9-4, 9-11

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Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Norma Frindt, a single woman, to Amera Mortgage Corporation, mortgagee, dated March 4, 2008, and recorded on March 19, 2008, in Document No. 20080000753, Liber 450, on Page 1, 207, and assigned by said mortgagee to Michigan State Housing Development Authority, as assigned, Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-three thousand sixty-three dollars and fifty-one cents (\$53,063.51), including interest at 5.375 percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Michigan at 10

a.m. o'clock, on September 25, 2013.

Said premises are located in Alcona County, Michigan and are described as: Lot(s) 1 and 2, "the first addition to Willert's Pine Grove Subdivision," according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 116, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the above referenced property is sold at a foreclosure sale under Chapter 600 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, under MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Michigan State Housing Development Authority
 Mortgagee/Assignee
 Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C.
 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300
 Farmington Hills, MI 48335
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State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 13-005214 DE

Estate of Carol Ann Reyes, deceased.
 Date of birth: April 29, 1949
 To all creditors:
 Notice to creditors: The decedent, Carol Ann Reyes, died January 29, 2013.
 Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Joann Green, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 Fifth Street, P.O. Box 328, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.
 Date: July 23, 2013
 Gary S. Price P29414
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 Oscoda, Michigan 48750
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 Joann Green
 P.O. Box 525
 Litchfield, Michigan 49252
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Garage sale, 1570 Bean Hill Road, Mikado, Friday and Saturday, September 13 and 14, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Collectibles and much more.

Donations being accepted for Alcona Humane Society garage sale at the ARA Site, Lincoln September 21, 23, 24 and 25 10 a.m. till 2 p.m. Questions, call Diane (989) 727-1115.

Moving sale, 425 North Swamp Road, September 13, 14, 15; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Linens, tools, pictures, guitars, old accordion and odds and ends.

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SALES

Garage sale, 1570 Bean Hill Road, Mikado, Friday and Saturday, September 13 and 14, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Collectibles and much more.

Donations being accepted for Alcona Humane Society garage sale at the ARA Site, Lincoln September 21, 23, 24 and 25 10 a.m. till 2 p.m. Questions, call Diane (989) 727-1115.

Moving sale, 425 North Swamp Road, September 13, 14, 15; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Linens, tools, pictures, guitars, old accordion and odds and ends.

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