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Alcona principal takes position at Oscoda High School

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

Alcona Community Schools is in the process of saying farewell to a long time educator and administrator and adjusting to the advancement of another administrator who will take over as high school principal.

Terry Allison, Alcona High School principal, is wrapping up his last few weeks with the district before he moves on to a new position with Oscoda Area Schools. Allison's resignation was accepted last Monday by the Alcona Community Schools Board of Education and on the same evening he was hired on approval from the Oscoda Area Schools Board of Education.

"I've had a great experience here at Alcona Community Schools," Allison said. "It is a great school district. The board, administration and staff are all excellent people. The students are wonderful. I've learned a lot and feel like I've contributed a lot to the district and they've

helped me with my career. It's been a good experience... I have a lot of good memories here.

"It was not an easy decision. My wife and I talked about it a lot. (This move) is just a career opportunity. As principal at Oscoda High School I will have more opportunity to be in the classroom watching teachers teach and students learning," Allison said.

Allison was born in France and settled with his family at Wurtsmith Air Force Base as a child. He graduated from Oscoda High School in 1978. He received an associate degree in arts from Alpena Community College in December 1988. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in secondary education from Central Michigan University (CMU) in May 1992 and received a Master of Arts degree in secondary education from CMU in December 2004. He also received Michigan Leadership Improvement Framework Endorsement from the Michigan Institute for Educational



Terry Allison

Management in March 2012.

He began his career at Alcona Community Schools in August of 1992 as a high school math and science teacher. After nine years as a teacher for seventh through 12th grade students, he was hired as the Alcona Middle

School principal, a position he held until August 2010 when he was hired as the high school principal. He was also the boys varsity track coach from 1997 to 2001 and the junior varsity football coach from 1992 to 2000. Allison was the president of the Alcona Education Association from 1997 to 2001.

"Mr. Terry Allison has served as a principal in Alcona for 13 years and brings a wide breadth of knowledge, success and experience to our community of learners," said Oscoda Area Schools Superintendent Scott Moore. "He comes highly recommended and navigated one of the most challenging processes in recent memory to earn this position including interviewing with a panel of administrators, teachers, parents, central office staff, community members and students."

Allison said the interview process was very thorough

and he enjoyed the challenge. And he is looking forward to the challenge the new position at Oscoda High School will bring with 31 teachers, an assistant principal, counselor and more students.

"We have a staff that is very dedicated," Allison said. "(At Alcona) we have a lot of teachers that go above and beyond for students - they give up their lunch hour and (stay) after school - they spend a lot of time with students to ensure their success."

Allison, who lives in Oscoda with his wife, Rebecca who is also a graduate of Oscoda High School, will officially begin his position with Oscoda Area Schools August 1. In the meantime he is working with Alcona Elementary Principal Dan O'Connor who will be taking over as high school principal July 1. "Dan

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Local 4-H coordinator receives distinguished service award

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Head, heart, hands and health comprises the values of a successful 4-H youth program. It is a program with strong leadership and core values that is respected throughout the state of Michigan and Alcona County, much like the program coordinator who recently received a once in a lifetime award.

Les Thomas, 4-H program coordinator for Michigan State University (MSU) Extension in Alcona County received the Michigan Distinguished Service award by the Michigan Association Extension of 4-H Youth Staff (MAE4-HYS) during a conference in Tustin, Mich. MAE4-HYS is the organization in charge of professional development, recognition and support services for 4-H staff members in Michigan.

Combining a passion for natural resources with a career in 4-H was the perfect match for Thomas who was surprised and honored to receive the award. The award is given annually to just one or two recipients who have shown outstanding achievements, exceptional depth and/or fortitude in their career as a Michigan 4-H staffer.

"It's based on what a person does during the breadth of their career. Some folks have created wonderful new

programs, some have created awesome partnerships, others have promoted the 4-H program around the state and counties in such a manner it merits recognition. In my case I think it was awarded because I've done a little of all those things," Thomas said.

Although he has worked for MSU Extension 4-H program for 14 years, it seems Thomas has always had his heart and hand in 4-H projects or leadership roles as long as he can remember. A career in 4-H came as natural to him as the woods, trails,

streams and lakes of Alcona County he loved as a boy. Both his parents were strong supporters of Alcona 4-H and are still active in club work and its advisory council.

Thomas said the exposure as a child gave him a good grounding for a strong basis in life. "My love of natural resources has driven my programs. It has anchored me in this area and drives programs continually," Thomas said adding some of the same volunteers who led Alcona 4-H

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Memorial Day Service Schedule Monday, May 26

The following local veterans organizations will conduct services to honor deceased veterans at the following locations on Memorial Day. The public is welcome to attend any or all of the services. All of the groups will participate in the county ceremony at noon on the courthouse lawn in Harrisville. There will also be another service at 2 p.m. in Lincoln at the village/fire hall.

Barton City VFW Cemetery Schedule

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| Barton City Lutheran Church | 9 a.m. |
| Maple Ridge Cemetery | 9:30 a.m. |
| Curran | 10:15 a.m. |
| Lincoln | 11 a.m. |

Mikado American Legion Post No. 254

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| Indian Cemetery, Kings Corner Rd. | 9 a.m. |
| Mikado Civic Center, Mikado | 9:45 a.m. |
| Mikado Township Cemetery | 10:15 a.m. |
| American Legion Post, Mikado | 11 a.m. |
| Village of Lincoln, Fire Hall | 2 p.m. |

Harrisville VFW Post 6466

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|---------------------|------------|
| Mt. Joy Cemetery | 9 a.m. |
| Springport Cemetery | 9:45 a.m. |
| St. Anne's Cemetery | 10:15 a.m. |
| West Lawn Cemetery | 10:45 a.m. |
| Harrisville Harbor | 11:15 a.m. |
| Courthouse Lawn | Noon |



A Baltimore oriole samples grape jelly from Al Broadwood's home in Lincoln. Yellow warblers, indigo buntings and scarlet tanagers have also been sighted in the county in the last week. Photo by Al Broadwood.



Obituaries



Hilda Szlavik

Hilda Szlavik, 93, of Greenbush died on Saturday, May 17, 2014 at home.

She was born on May 17, 1921 in Slezko, Moravia (Czech Republic) to Frank and Katherina (Ondratchek) Sporanek.

After World War II she made her way to America and settled in the Detroit, Mich. area. She began in design in 1952 and by 1953 she worked for Ford Motor Company. In 1959 she worked with special engineering where she was a designer/mechanical engineer in the automotive industry for 30 years. Mrs. Szlavik retired at age 62 only to come out of retirement to work for Brooks & Perkins Aeronautical at age 69.

Mrs. Szlavik retired to Greenbush with her husband, Andrew, in the 1980s and it was there amongst her flowers and forest animals that she took great pleasure. She had a passion for history and languages, loved to tell stories of the past and reminisce. She enjoyed keeping up with Facebook, playing games and was still eager to learn right up to the very end.

Mrs. Szlavik is survived by two daughters, Ruth (Ron) MacKinnon of Statesboro, Ga. and Dorothea (Glendale) Housworth of Nelson, British Columbia, Canada; two sons, John Szlavik and Daniel Montague both of Black River; 10 grandchildren, Stephen (Danna) MacKinnon of Chilliwack, British Columbia, Canada, Allison (Kevin) Pohl of Farmington Hills, Mich., Allan MacKinnon of Taiwan, Sa-



rah (Geordie MacDonald) MacKinnon of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, Michael (Crystal) Hines of Kelowna, British Columbia, Canada, Nicholas (Tanya Osadchuk) Hines of Slave Lake, Alberta, Canada, Katie (Graham) McCargar of Maple Ridge, British Columbia, Canada, Richard (Kristy) Housworth of Colville, Wash. and Tiffany (Jim) Carriere of Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada; 24 great-grandchildren; one sister, Sonja Lenochova of Slovakia; and many special nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Hans Merte in 1944; her second husband, Andrew Szlavik in 1999; and one brother, Jaromir (Miro) Sporanek.

A memorial service will take place in early summer. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alcona County Commission on Aging, Lincoln or St. Anne's Altar Society, Harrisville. Cremation arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Gail F. Gatny

Gail Frances Gatny, 68, of Mikado died on Tuesday, May 13, 2014 at her home.

She was born in Detroit, Mich. to Curtis and Evelyn (Christopherson) Wood on November 24, 1945.

She married John Gatny on November 24, 1972 in Southgate, Mich., where they lived until moving to Alcona County in 1976.

Mrs. Gatny is survived by two daughters, Karen (Darin) Johns of Colorado City, Texas and Gypsy Gatny of Tawas City; one granddaughter, Kathryn Armstrong; one sister, Janet Wood of Harrisville; two brothers, Chuck (Carol) Wood of Kalkaska, Mich. and Jimmy (Amanda) Wood of Alamogordo, New Mexico; several nieces and nephews; and dear friend, Melvin Sands.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John on March 27, 2002; and one sister, Gloria Larson.

The family will have a private graveside memorial. Arrangements for cremation were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Rose R. Vukovich

Rose R. Vukovich, 102, of Barton City, died on Tuesday, May 20, 2014 at Jamieson Nursing Home, Harrisville.

She was born March 13, 1912 in Kansas City, Mo. to Joseph and Matilda (Cop) Vukovich. She was raised in Barton City, where she lived most of her life.

She was a farmer and was employed by the United States Department of Agriculture office in Lincoln for several years. She was a member of St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville.

Mrs. Vukovich is survived by two sisters, Anna Vukovich of Alpena and Julia Kaun of Elgin, Ill.; one niece, Gail Kaun of Chicago, Ill.; and two nephews, Albert Broadwood of Harrisville and Glen Kaun of Elgin, Ill.

She was preceded in death by one sister, Mary Broadwood; and five brothers, Nicholas Vukovich, Joe Vukovich, John Vukovich, Frank Vukovich and Joe Vukovich.

Visitation will be Tuesday, May 27 from noon until the funeral at 2 p.m. The Rev. Fr. Robert Bissot will officiate.

Memorials may be made to the Alcona Humane Society.

Tanna J. Ellinger

Tanna Jean Ellinger, 65, of Big Lake, Minn. died on Thursday, May 1, 2014 after a series of illnesses.

She was born to C. William and Lola Friend in Flint, Mich. She graduated from Lansing Waverly High School. She attended Central Michigan University where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in education.

She enjoyed spending time with her family at the lake.

Mrs. Ellinger is survived by her husband, Paul; one son, Barry (Erin) Ellinger; two granddaughters, Katelyn and Makayla Ellinger of Chaska, Minn.; one brother, William (Bonnie) Friend of Mason, Mich.; four brothers-in-law, Douglas (Peggy) Ellinger of Lincoln, Joseph Ellinger of Harrisville, Mich., Dennis (Nita) Ellinger of Applegate, Mich., and Carl (Gail) Ellinger of Midland, Mich.; numerous nieces, nephews, uncles and aunts; and special friend, Bella (Katelyn and Makayla's dog).

She was preceded in death by her parents, C. William and Lola Friend and grandparents, Jasper and Lydia Cleveland.

Cremation has taken place and no public service will be held.

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2014

Weekly Report

Miles Per Hour

| Date | Temperature (F°) | | Precipitation Inches | Av. Wind Speed | High Speed | Dominant Direction |
|--------|------------------|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| | High | Low | | | | |
| May 11 | 59 | 38 | 0.00 | 3.0 | 17 | SSW |
| May 12 | 49 | 43 | 0.20 | 4.7 | 17 | NNE |
| May 13 | 81 | 44 | 0.62 | 5.3 | 20 | SSW |
| May 14 | 54 | 45 | 0.03 | 3.3 | 15 | ENE |
| May 15 | 48 | 40 | 0.95 | 6.7 | 29 | NNE |
| May 16 | 48 | 34 | 0.00 | 3.9 | 17 | SSE |
| May 17 | 50 | 30 | 0.21 | 3.4 | 17 | SSW |

Precipitation Summary (Inches) 2013-2014

| | Water Content | Snow Fall | Normal Water Content |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| Weekly Total | 2.01 | 0.0 | 0.61 |
| May to Date | 2.98 | 0.0 | 1.41 |
| Year/Season to Date | 10.61 | 61.5 | 8.96 |

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, raffle ticket sales, or political campaigning information is not eligible.)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

Food pantry open 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.

Support group for grandparents and caregivers raising children will meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Alcona Elementary School media center, 181 North Barlow Road. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Kristin at (989) 736-8716.

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

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Bring necessary supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

THURSDAY, MAY 22

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, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Anyone interested in amateur radio emergency and public service communications is invited to attend the Alcona County Amateur Radio Group meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the EMS building, 2600 East M-72. Free refreshments will be served. For more information, contact Stan Darmofal at (989) 724-5550 or visit www.alconaradio.org.

FRIDAY, MAY 23

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more info., call (989) 736-8879.

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

A free luncheon will be held at noon at the Holistic Center, 200 North State Street, Harrisville. Guest speaker will be Len Johnson, chairman of the Michigan Democratic Party. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call (989) 884-3434. This event is sponsored by the Alcona Democratic Party.

SATURDAY, MAY 24

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

The Curtis Township Library will hold its annual plant sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 4884 Bamfield Road, Glennie. All perennials are \$2 each.

The Lincoln Depot will host its annual perennial plant and bake sale from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the depot on Lake Street, Lincoln. For more information, call (989) 727-4080.

A blessing of the boats will be held at 10 a.m. at the Harrisville Harbor by the priests from St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. For more information, call (989) 335-4054.

A benefit spaghetti dinner for Mike Anderson will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. at Lost Lake Woods Club north of Lincoln (in the clubhouse). Cost is \$10 per person. For more info., call (989) 736-8197.

A garden festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at New Life Lutheran Church located three-quarters of a mile south of the golf course off Hubbard Lake Road. Perennials, annuals, hand-crafted items and baked goods will be available. A luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 27

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

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Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more info., call (989) 736-8879.

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

Play euchre from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

The Alcona County Democratic Party will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. at the Alcona EMS building, 2600 M-72. Everyone is welcome.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, Campbell Rd.

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The University of Dubuque Concert Choir will perform at 7 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church, 124 East Washington Avenue, Alpena. Open to the public, no charge for admission. For more information, call Margaret Fox at (989) 736-3025.

A free online genealogy program entitled "Family Tree" at 1 p.m. at the Family History Center, 411 Long Rapids Plaza, Alpena. Admission is free, bring your laptop.

The Alcona County Republican Party will meet at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall, 114 South Poor Farm Road, Harrisville.

THURSDAY, MAY 29

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15

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THE ALCONA COUNTY FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION

Would like to thank the Mikado Area Development for the donation of money.

Donation will go towards the purchase of gps units for Alcona Search & Rescue.

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Local Notes



Elementary School Play

Alcona Elementary's students and faculty will be hosting a rendition of L. Frank Baum's "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" on Friday, May 23 at 7p.m. Organized by Jeanette Klein and Sarah Glomski, the play has been in preparation since October of last year and features students between second and sixth grade. "The children are very dedicated and have been working hard," Klein said. The lead roles will be shared between students during the performance. All sets and props were designed, built and painted by the elementary students. There is no charge for admission, but the school is asking for donations to fund next year's spring production. The performance is open to the community.

Scholarship Recipient

Zackery Faszczewski, a freshman at Alcona High School, is the recipient of this year's Harvey Scholarship award. The award, which is given annually, was based on an essay he wrote on his educational goals, career goals and how he intends to achieve them. In the essay Faszczewski wrote he would like to design an Apple product one day. The essay outlined goals in high school he will need to



achieve including maintaining a 4.0 grade point average and finishing a year of college prior to high school graduation. He would then like to attend the University of Michigan and get a degree in design engineering. After attaining his degree he intends to move to California to work at Apple headquarters. Faszczewski said he will be spending the \$250 cash scholarship on books.

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be open Saturday, May 24 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on the Alcona County Fairgrounds (ARA Site) in Lincoln. Bridge cards are accepted. Available this week: Asparagus, kale, sorrel, rhubarb, chives, green onions, radishes, salad turnips, lettuce, spinach, arugula, goose and chicken eggs, all cuts of grass-fed and grain-fed beef, assorted baked goods and snacks, vegan and gluten-free flat bread, various types of jams and jellies, soup, salsa and baking mixes, salt-free dip and dressing mixes and seasonings, dried fruit, lavender sugar, herbal tea, dried herbs, vegetable and herb plants, hanging baskets, cut flowers, handmade soaps, handmade flower pins and headbands, potholder rugs, lavender sachets, catnip toys, dishtowels, and handmade wooden items, including adirondack chairs, benches, peg boards, antler boards, stools and picture frames. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

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, May 26—All centers closed.
- Tuesday, May 27—Wet burrito, Spanish rice, corn, tossed salad and fruit.
- Wednesday, May 28—Pork tips and gravy over noodles, broccoli, coleslaw, fruit and pudding.
- Thursday, May 29—Meat and cheese pizza, tossed salad, carrot sticks and dip and fruit.
- Friday, May 30—Herb chicken, spudsters, mixed vegetables and fruit.

Fresh Fruit Frenzy

The Community Walking Club will celebrate the beginning of summer with a one or two mile walk followed by a

Fresh Fruit Frenzy on Thursday, May 29. Meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 8:30 a.m. for a walk around town, followed by a snack of various types of fresh fruit about 9:15 a.m. Everyone is invited to walk with the group (check with your health care professional to be sure you can walk 20 to 40 minutes on pavement). Fitness with friends is fun. No one walks alone; there are groups of slow, medium and speedy walkers. The Community Walking Club meets every Thursday the library is open, all year around. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Fourth of July Parade

Registration forms for the Lafarge Fourth of July parade are now being accepted. Event host, the Alpena Area Chamber of Commerce, has selected the theme, "Celebrating the American Dream." The theme should be the dominating factor in preparing a parade entry. Entries will be judged on theme, creativity and appearance. Appropriate music is encouraged. The parade begins at 11 a.m. on Friday, July 4 at the Alpena County Fairgrounds and travels down 11th Avenue to right on Chisholm Street to left on Second Avenue to left on Fletcher Street, ending in large parking lot on the right before the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary. Entry fee for the parade is \$30 for commercial entries, with a \$10 discount for any Alpena Chamber members; the registration fee will be waived for non-profit organizations and approved individual/family entries. Registration forms are available at the chamber office at 235 W. Chisholm Street, Alpena or at www.alpenachamber.com. Forms must be turned in by 5 p.m. on Friday, June 27. Late registrations will not be accepted. Prizes will be given for first and second place in commercial and non-commercial categories. For questions contact the chamber at (989) 354-4181.

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Letters should be no longer than 300 words. Inappropriate content will be deleted and letters will run on a space available basis.

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Drop off letters to the Alcona County Review office at 111 Lake Street, Harrisville; mail to P.O. Box 548, Harrisville, Mich. 48740; or e-mail using plain text format to editor@alconareview.com.

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is great. He is full of energy and great ideas," Allison said. "He's a go-getter. He is familiar with the school district, the system and all of the personnel here."

O'Connor began teaching English and history at Alcona High School in 2006. He also coached girls basketball (junior varsity and varsity) over the course of six years and coached JV baseball for three years and helped with the football program for two years. In 2012 he was hired as the assistant principal to the district and the athletic director. After a re-organization in administrative duties for the principals in the district he became the elementary principal for the 2013-14 school year.

O'Connor is pleased at the opportunity to be the Alcona High School principal. "It's

where I started and eventually intended and hoped to get back to," O'Connor said. "It's good to come back to what I'm familiar with. I've learned so much at the elementary school and I hope that experience makes me a better administrator no matter where I am because I learned so much in the entire process."

"It was a tough decision to leave the elementary, but I felt it was best for the district for someone to have a strong early childhood developmental background (in this position). I'm already working with Terry in the transition. I'm really sad to see him go. He has been a strong mentor for me in a variety of ways. It's very bittersweet to be taking this over from him. We've had great teamwork between the two of us and we worked very well together. I under-

stand he is looking for a new challenge and he will do very well in Oscoda. I wish him well."

"Mr. Allison has been a wonderful high school principal," said Alcona Community Schools Superintendent Shawn Thornton. "During his tenure he has taken extra measures to reach out to stu-

dents to promote academic success and positive relations with students and between students. He's done a terrific job. We are saddened to the loss in our district and excited for his new career opportunity in Oscoda and wish him the best in his new position."

Thornton said she is also

excited to see O'Connor in the position of high school principal. "He has outstanding leadership skills. He is familiar with the needs of high school students due to his prior experience there. He has outstanding educational leadership skills. We are confident that he will take our high school in a positive direction."

Sale helps mothers and humane society

By Carlee Campbell
Staff Writer

Looking for baby clothes or toys for toddlers and children at an affordable price? Look no further than Harrisville's first Mom-to-Mom Sale on Saturday, May 24 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Ten to 20 tables will be set up with just about everything a mother could need for a new baby, children's toys of all kinds and books. Admission to the event is free. Anyone interested in renting a table to sell items, it will cost \$15.

Organizer Monica Spears said she came up with the idea after participating in many mom-to-mom sales in the southern part of the state.

"It's a resale of gently used maternity wear, baby clothes, and children's toys," Spears said. "They never had them up here so I thought I'd organize one."

All participation fees will be given as a donation to the Alcona Humane Society. Spears, a local groomer, does frequent charity work for the humane society, including grooming pets at the shelter. The decision was a no brainer for her, she said.

"(The humane society) needs all the help they can get, and I'm happy to take part," Spears said.

A bake sale will also be

held during the event, from which profits will also go to the humane society. Community members are encouraged to bring goods to sell. The sale will continue throughout the duration of the event.

Because it's the first time something like this has been held in Harrisville, Spears said she isn't expecting a huge turnout. She hopes that it will go over well enough so that it can continue next year and she can help out other organizations.


"No matter what, it's just a way to get our foot in the door for next time," Spears said.

Tables are still available to rent. If interested, contact Monica Spears at (989) 916-6500.



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**By Cheryl Peterson
Editor**

Just about every week for the last 18 years or so I have received a special gift delivered via e-mail. Each week I'd usually wait until I had a few minutes where I'd be undisturbed so I could open it and languish in the experience ... which was a beautifully written glimpse of a person, a moment, an experience or a thought about an event or issue... each one delicately crafted to paint a picture.

I usually laughed, sometimes I cried, sometimes I disagreed — but most of the time, after reading it I wondered if I'd ever be able to tell a story as poignantly as Kathryn ("Katie" or "Kay") Kniep. Many times I could see, in my mind's eye, the kids on bicycles rambling along Main Street just before dark on a summer's day. I could feel the hot, humid night air beginning to lift as expectations swelled in anticipation of the Fourth of July fireworks at the harbor. I saw the fury face with dark eyes staring intently and expectantly while conveying his inner most thoughts.

As I read her words images appeared and a story unfolded. For a few moments I would be transported to a place or time. Sometimes I met interesting people or mystical creatures like a pickle-eating dragon who liked to run beside a train and roar in the night. Of



Over the Dune By Cheryl Peterson

course, I am not the only one who enjoyed her weekly column. I was just the first one who had the privilege of reading it before anyone else.

No one can remember exactly when Kay first began writing her weekly column "Puttin' on the Fritz." It was most likely when she was writing for and running the All Alcona Almanac that was published between 1981 and 1983. But over the course of the last 30 plus years, the stories Kay has told have become a mainstay with her readers well beyond the community in which she lived. And, she has become a friend to so many. She opened the door to her life and told the story of a small town girl — a Main Street kid — who loved her family and her furry kids and loved her community and all of the unique people who lived there. She told the stories of today and yesterday and hoped for a better tomorrow. She created a world, opened a door and pulled you in.

Of course, Kay was so much more than a writer/storyteller. However, that was what she was best known for and, something in which she was very proud. I can guarantee though, that she had no idea how beloved she was and would be more than a little embarrassed by the volumes of sentiment expressed in her passing.

One of the things I truly enjoyed about Kay, (and there were so many things) was that she never took herself very seriously. She marveled in the little things — the soft floppy ear of dog, the smell of the earth as she was planting her garden, the laughter of a child — any child, footprints in the sand and the moon and the stars on a clear night.

Kay was a friend to just about everyone she met. As her friend, Jan, said at the memorial service for Kay, "She didn't just open her mouth to say 'hello' she opened her heart too." She was an ambassador for Harrisville and Alcona County and never got tired of praising the world that comes from living in a small community. It didn't stop at praise or her stories — when she was passionate about something or someone she rolled up her sleeves and jumped in. She was the quintessential "doer" in all things that are important in life — family, friends, church, community and work — "What didn't she do? She did everything," Jan said. Sometimes the project was the right thing to do, other times it was a labor of love. Regardless, anyone who worked with her on any endeavor — personal or professional — knew that she had fun doing just about everything. She had a wonderful

sense of humor and loved to laugh, even if the situation was difficult. "It's not about weathering the storm, it's about dancing in the rain," she was fond of saying.

I could go on for a very long time about this woman who touched so many with her words and kind heart. In her I found a dear friend and a kindred spirit. She was an old soul who doled out wisdom without making it sound like a lecture and, yet, still remained young at heart.

Kay's daughter, Katrina spoke at Saturday's memorial service and shared with those in attendance what she learned from her mother and, a portion of a letter Kay wrote to her sometime after facing death for the first time several years ago. Katrina wanted me to share it with Kay's readers.

"My mom taught me so many lessons that I have to keep forever... To pray every night, put your napkin in your lap like a lady, to enjoy naps, to always question authority, if everyone colors their duck yellow it is fine to color yours purple. She taught me how to write and to love reading, how to make Christmas cookies, to sing at the top of my lungs and dance like you mean it, to laugh at the sad things to get through them. She taught me how to handle a crisis and how to bravely face what you are afraid of.

"I think the most important lesson that my mom taught me was that, no matter what, she would never leave me and for that I am eternally grateful. I wanted to share a small portion of the letter that my mom left for me because I would like you to see the way that my mom envisioned heaven.

"This is what she wrote: 'I want you to know that I'm not afraid of dying. While it breaks my heart to leave you and Daddy, nothing else about it has scared me for a long time. As I see it, it comes down to two things. If there is a heaven, mine would be a sturdy little beach house right on the shore with lots of windows and beach glass and seashells lined up along the window ledges. It's usually sunny, although from time to time there's a great old thunderstorm.

"There are dogs and cats (who never pee on the floor). There's a library room, with lots and lots of books, a room to write and a great kitchen with good pots and pans and a big, old, oak table. There's a porch on the lakeside, with rocking chairs. There are people to talk with, and room for you and Dad to stay if that's your heaven, or at least to visit if your heaven's something different. In the middle

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Seeking Answers

Dear Seeking,

There are actually a number of resources and online tools available today that can help you find out the value of almost any item. Here are some tips to help you proceed.

While many people use local antique shops or collectible dealers to find out the value of old and/or unique items, it's usually best to use a certified appraiser who's accredited and meets professional and ethical standards. Certified appraisers are more likely to give you a fair judgment because there's no conflict of interest. It's actually a violation of professional eth-

ics for an appraiser to offer to buy an item he or she has appraised.

A professional appraiser will provide you with a written report that includes a full description of your item and the procedure used to estimate its current value. For their service, you can expect to pay either a flat fee or an hourly rate from \$200 to \$400 depending on their expertise and location. Avoid an appraiser who asks for a fee based on a percentage of the item's value.

If an appraiser thinks an object isn't worth a written appraisal, he or she might recommend other resources to arrive at a value.

To locate an appraiser either by location or specialty, search online at one of the three professional appraising organizations: The American Society of Appraisers (appraisers.org, (800) 272-8258) which has around 5,000 members worldwide; Appraisers Association of

America (appraisersassoc.org) that has around 700 members; and the International Society of Appraisers (isa-appraisers.org) that has about 900 members.

You can also get estimates by professional appraisers and other experts through a number of websites. How it works is you upload photos of your items and provide descriptions, and the sites send back valuations usually within a week.

Sites that provide this type of service include Value My Stuff (valuemystuff.com/us), which charges \$10 for one appraisal, \$25 for three or \$75 for 10. And WorthPoint (worthpoint.com), which charges \$30 for one item or \$75 for three, or you can pay \$20 for a monthly membership that provides unlimited access to their antique and collectibles valuations.

Another resource for finding out what antiques and collectibles are worth is Kovels (kovels.com, (800)



Savvy Senior

829-9158), which offers a free basic membership that gives you access to its online price guide, or you can purchase one of their premium services that run \$39 or \$60 a year. They also sell the "Kovels' Antiques & Collectibles Price Guide 2014" for \$28 that reports on recent prices paid for 35,000 items in more than 700 categories at auctions, shops, shows, flea markets, and online.

You may also be able to get an idea of what others are willing to pay for your stuff by searching similar items on the massive online auction site ebay.com, or the classified ads site craigslist.org.

Both of these sites are free to search.

If you are interested in donating any of your items, you can find out the tax-deductible value at free valuation sites available year-round by tax-prep companies like Turbo Tax at turbotax.intuit.com/personal-taxes/itsdeductible. The Salvation Army also offers a valuation guide at satruck.org/donation-value-guide.

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groups when he was a child were still volunteering in the same capacity today.

An educational five county summer camp, based on science, technology, engineering and math is an example of Thomas' continuing service and innovative programming.

This year's campers will be focusing heavily in engineering using Tech Excite kits provided by an MSU pilot program to encourage kids to explore engineering as an educational path. Campers will also have a curriculum called junk drawer robotics. Thomas said there really is no right answer to junk drawer robotics; it's just a matter of how creative the kids can get to the end goal.

Excited about other camp programs, Thomas talked about Hammond Bay Biological Station, which specializes in sea lamprey control, bringing an invasive species program this year. "When we're not talking about building a solar powered automobile at camp we're talking about the natural resources we are in," Thomas said.

Another innovative program 4-H offers is the ability



Les Thomas, Michigan State University Extension 4-H program coordinator for Alcona County, holds his Michigan distinguished service award. *Photo by Mary Weber.*

for every child in the county to have a book of their very own to keep. Librarians for Learning is an initiative started by the Alcona 4-H advisory council. Thomas explained Alcona County qualifies for free books because of the high amount of students receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Family (TANF) lunch funding.

Through a company called First Books, 4-H is able to receive new books, many worth \$10 or more for just 45 cents per book to cover the cost of shipping. First Books receives new books from publishers who are either making a change in the cover or are releasing a new edition of the book and need to dispose of new books they no longer want to sell. Thomas explained the books are an effort to build personal libraries with a focus to end illiteracy.

"Research shows if kids have access to books at home they are more likely to be readers, it's as simple as that," Thomas said. The books, range in topic from everything to activity crayon and pencil books to hard cover young adult novels, at community events such as family night at the school, spring and summer expo, trick or trunk in Lincoln, the Alcona County Library system and the Curtis Library. This summer 4-H will be handing books out at the county fair in August.

In addition to summer camp and the Libraries for Learning, Thomas coordinates around 19 separate clubs of various interests. Each club has one to four volunteers putting youth activities in motion. He also has 12 to 15 group programs and events throughout the year such as exploration days scheduled just before summer camp and several laser tag events, including one to be held at this year's county fair.

Thomas credits his wife, Christie, a middle school teacher at Alcona Community Schools with his success in promoting the programs. Christie, along with their children, Ellie and Ben, are heavily involved in 4-H programs and Thomas is looking forward to seeing his own kids give back to the community like many 4-Hrs do. "(Many) 4-H kids become leaders and volunteers in their communities, that's one of the cool things about this program, it's very cyclical," Thomas said.

Thomas thanked the community and said everyone -- individuals, businesses and organizations have been super supportive. He said the community has seen what 4-H can do over the years and he appreciates they see the value of it.

Receiving awards is nothing new to Thomas who has won the communicator award and the camping award from MAE4-HYS, but he never expected to receive the distinguished service award. Thomas said, "I was overwhelmed and just tickled to find out my peers think of me in the same venue as other folks who have won this award in the past. I'm extremely honored by that."

For more information about 4-H activities and how to be involved in the program, contact Thomas by calling the Michigan State University Extension office at (989) 724-6478, Facebook Alcona MSU Extension or visit their website at <http://msue.anr.msu.edu/county/info/alcona>.

COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

PARTICIPANTS WANTED

Participants for the Annual Community Garage to be held on **Saturday, June 14**, beginning at 8 a.m. in Harrisville and surrounding area.

Registration will include a map listing or detailed directions, plus newspaper advertising the date of the sale.

Cost is only \$3!

Please complete and return the attached form with your \$3 registration fee **no later than June 9!**

Mail or drop off registration information and \$3 to **Alcona County Review, 111 Lake St. • P.O. Box 548, Harrisville, Mich. 48740.**

Registration Form

Annual Community Wide Garage

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

DIRECTIONS (If necessary) _____

PHONE _____



Harrisville and surrounding area residents -- mark your home on the map with a star. Due to limited space, we are unable to show township residents living outside the city/village -- please give brief directions to your sale.

You must be registered by June 9! Thank you!

**Return by Mail with \$3 fee to:
Alcona County Review
P.O. Box 548, Harrisville,
Michigan 48740**

*Please Make checks payable to the
Alcona County Review
Or drop off at the Review Office at
111 Lake St., Harrisville*





Representatives from the U.S. Forest Service (from left) Matt Malesic, Smokey Bear, and Persephone Whelan talk to the students of Alcona Elementary School during their Safety Awareness Day. Smokey shared his message of don't play with matches or lighters and to make sure parents put campfires completely out before leaving the site. *Photo by Mary Weber.*



Alcona County Deputy Nathanael Leeseberg talks with students of Alcona Elementary School during their safety awareness day about the importance of bicycle safety and wearing bike helmets. *Photo by Mary Weber.*



Local fire fighters (from left) Ryan Mendyka, Jimmy Nolan and Mike Serafin talk to students of Alcona Elementary School about fire safety; stop, drop and roll; and to never be afraid to go to a fire fighter in an emergency last week during the school's safety awareness day. Later in the day two student's names were drawn for bicycles and helmets donated by Wal-Mart. *Photo by Mary Weber.*

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| Summer Session I - May 19 - June 26 | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| BUS 128 | Small Business Management | Mon/Tue/Wed | 6-8:05 PM |
| SOC 227 | Soc. of Marriage & Family | Tue/Wed/Thu | 3:30-5:35PM |
| SPE 121 | Speech Communications | Mon/Tue/Wed | 11-12:30 PM |
| Summer Session II - June 30 - August 7 | | | |
| BUS 235 | Personnel Management | Mon/Tue/Wed | 6-8:05 PM |
| PSY 101 | General Psychology | Mon/Tue/Wed | 6-8:05 PM |
| Summer Session I & II - May 19 - August 7 | | | |
| BIO 129 | Intro. to Field Biology | Mon | 1-3:10 PM |
| BIO 129L | Intro. to Field Biology Lab | Wed | 1-3:10 PM |
| ENG 102 | Basic English | Mon/Tue/Wed | 10-11:45 AM |

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Women's
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Conference Theme:
Love In Any Language

Conference Dates: June 6 and 7
At the Oscoda Assembly of God Church
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Friday Night: 7 p.m. until you want to leave or
end of Mini Concert

Saturday Night: All day starting at 8 a.m. for
breakfast through the Leon Patillo Concert

www.newbeginningswomenconference.com

Calendar of Events



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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, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Exercise indoors, walk up-

stairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more info., call (989) 736-8879.

Ascension Day service will be held at 3 p.m. at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 745 North US-23 Harrisville. Refreshments will be served following the service. For more information, call (989) 335-4054.

FRIDAY, MAY 30

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln

Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more info., call (989) 736-8879.

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

My Brother's Hope Potluck Café 2 will serve a free meal

and offer free haircuts from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Raphael's Catholic Church, 2531 East F-30, Mikado. For more information, call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365.

SATURDAY, MAY 31

Food pantry open 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.

The ARA Farm Market will

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

An indoor classic and new car auto show will be held at Northern Lights Arena, 751 Woodward Avenue, Alpena from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. No charge for admission. For more information, visit www.northernlightsarena.com or call (989) 358-0652.

MONDAY, JUNE 2

The planning committee for Mikado Days will be held at 7 p.m. at the Mikado Civic Center, 2291 South F-41. Mikado Days will be held July 12. Anyone interested in joining the committee, volunteering or would like to offer new ideas is welcome to attend. The meetings are open to the public. For more information, call (989) 736-7721.

TUESDAY, JUNE 3

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

Friends of the Lincoln Depot will meet at 1 p.m. at the depot on Lake Street, Lincoln. The community is invited and encouraged to attend. For more information, call (989) 727-4080.

A free estate planning workshop will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Tawas Bay Beach Resort, 200 East Bay Street, East Tawas. Guests will receive a workbook and information on wills and trusts, how to avoid probate, long-term health care concerns, and tax reduction planning. For more information and to register, call (866) 252-8721. This event is sponsored by CLA Estate Services.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4

A free horsemanship and speed clinic will be held from 6 to 8:30 p.m. at the Alcona ARA site horse arena located on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Clinicians will include members of the Alpena Quarter Horse Breeders Association and Skylar Cruse. This clinic is open to all youth ages 8 to 19 years old. You do not need to own a horse, however a current Coggins Certificate is required before unloading your horse at the fairgrounds. For more information, contact Sue Schmitz (989) 736-8447 or Les Thomas (989) 724-6478. Sponsored by the Alcona County All Around 4 H Club.

Food pantry open 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.

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Alcona Review Weather Report May 21, 2014

Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY
Few Showers
High: 63 Low: 45

THURSDAY
Mostly Cloudy
High: 57 Low: 47

FRIDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 61 Low: 47

SATURDAY
Sunny
High: 64 Low: 48

SUNDAY
Sunny
High: 66 Low: 45

MONDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 63 Low: 41

TUESDAY
Sunny
High: 68 Low: 42

Today's Regional Map

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see cloudy skies with a 50% chance of showers, high temperature of 63°, humidity of 55%. Southwest wind 5 to 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 90° set in 1970. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 30% chance of showers, overnight low of 45°. West wind 5 to 10 mph. The record low for tonight is 27° set in 1949.

***Last Week's Almanac**

| Date | Hi | Lo | Normals | Precip |
|-----------|----|----|---------|--------|
| Monday | 58 | 44 | 63/39 | 0.07" |
| Tuesday | 78 | 44 | 63/39 | 0.07" |
| Wednesday | 60 | 47 | 64/39 | 0.00" |
| Thursday | 52 | 37 | 64/40 | 0.81" |
| Friday | 50 | 34 | 65/40 | 0.00" |
| Saturday | 49 | 32 | 65/40 | 0.00" |
| Sunday | 69 | 32 | 65/41 | 0.00" |

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

| Day | Sunrise | Sunset | Moonrise | Moonset |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Wednesday | 5:58 a.m. | 9:01 p.m. | 2:00 a.m. | 1:24 p.m. |
| Thursday | 5:57 a.m. | 9:02 p.m. | 2:33 a.m. | 2:34 p.m. |
| Friday | 5:56 a.m. | 9:03 p.m. | 3:05 a.m. | 3:43 p.m. |
| Saturday | 5:55 a.m. | 9:04 p.m. | 3:36 a.m. | 4:51 p.m. |
| Sunday | 5:54 a.m. | 9:05 p.m. | 4:08 a.m. | 5:58 p.m. |
| Monday | 5:54 a.m. | 9:06 p.m. | 4:42 a.m. | 7:03 p.m. |
| Tuesday | 5:53 a.m. | 9:07 p.m. | 5:20 a.m. | 8:05 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 showers and thunderstorms today and Thursday, partly cloudy to cloudy skies and a few showers Friday, with the highest temperature of 83° in Spring Valley, Ohio. The Southeast will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 91° in Reidsville, S.C. The Northwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 84° in Burbank, Wash. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 92° in Holtville, Calif.

Tonight's Planets

| | Rise | Set |
|---------|-----------|------------|
| Mercury | 7:07 a.m. | 11:01 p.m. |
| Venus | 4:29 a.m. | 5:28 p.m. |
| Mars | 4:18 p.m. | 4:04 a.m. |
| Jupiter | 9:16 a.m. | 12:38 a.m. |
| Saturn | 7:43 p.m. | 5:49 a.m. |
| Uranus | 4:10 a.m. | 4:56 p.m. |

Weather History

May 21, 1860 - A swarm of tornadoes occurred in the Ohio Valley. Tornadoes struck the cities of Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati, Chillicothe, Ohio and Marietta, Ohio causing a million dollars in damage.

Weather Trivia

What is hail?

?

Answer: Frozen raindrops that accumulate many layers of ice before falling.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Meteor Watch, May 24

A high school demonstration that I performed to explain the effects of gas pressure on comets involved putting a dry ice pellet into a plastic film canister. Students were then told to attach the lids, and I continued to present until unexpectedly, there was a loud pop and a lid jetted six feet into the air. Within seconds a dozen or so canisters fired and there was "chaos in the classroom." There was no bringing them back from that one except the passing bell to the next class. The point is that this is exactly what happens as a comet, which is like a dirty snowball, approaches the sun. Comets which have had repeated passages around Sol have picked up their share of dark surface grit which is a good absorber of sunlight. The sun bakes the comet's surface causing the ices beneath it to change directly from a solid into a gas (sublimation), putting outward pressures on the crust which eventually cracks and ejects these gases and the dust into space. The ultraviolet light of the sun causes the gases to fluoresce (glow), while the dust tags along the comet's orbital path creating its two distinctive (ion and dust) tails. If the dross crosses the Earth's orbital plane at the Earth-sun distance as our planet moves through it, we get a meteor shower. That's exactly what will be happening on the morning of May 24. Minor Comet 209P/LINEAR which recently had a small orbital change induced by Jupiter's gravity has already passed the Earth, and we are scheduled to encounter its debris on the 24th between 1:40 and 5:50 a.m. EDT. Peak hourly rates are predicted between 20-140 events from a rural locale. The meteors are expected to be distinctively slow moving, bright, and radiating from near the North Star. So get your sleeping bag, air mattress, ground tarp, and "5 hour ENERGY" drinks ready. Face north, position your eyes a little above mid-sky, and prepare yourself for a "popping" good night. www.astronomy.org

Dollars And Sense

By David Uffington

Avoid last-minute college expenses

If you have a just-graduated high-school senior going off to college, what might give you additional sticker shock when you unload your student at the dorm is discovering all the extras you still need to buy.

Start now and space out your purchases over the summer. The local stores near the college will be all ready for you to do your last-minute buying, but their prices won't necessarily be what you want to pay.

The first step is to contact the school and get a list of what is provided and what is allowed in dorm rooms. Some questions to ask: If the space is a suite or triple/quad dorm, is there a stocked kitchen? How much closet space is allotted for each person? Is cooking allowed? What size are the mattresses? What is the approved method for hanging pictures or bulletin boards/dry erase boards on the wall? How high off the floor are the beds?

Here's a partial list of things to buy or bring:

Super Crossword

Answers

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| NEATFN | HINDICARRACING | | |
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| URDU | IN THE COURT | ENTOMB | |
| STEER'S | URL | REAP | DONEE |
| | HAM | DUTCH | TYPING |
| SCORE | OBSE | DIG | |
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| AMANDA | OUI | AIM | ARIOSO |
| TENT | MANDARIN | CONCERTO | |
| EDGE | EDIE | CACAO | INTER |
| DYED | SACS | ADISH | ASSES |

- Under-bed clear storage bins
- Bed risers to elevate beds a few inches
- Desktop storage -- stackable trays
- Clothes hangers
- Fan
- Alarm clock
- Basic tool kit
- Flashlights and batteries (also good for walking across campus at night)
- Trash can
- Desk lamp
- Sheets (2 sets)
- Extra pillows
- Laundry bag/basket
- HDMI, computer cables, WiFi adapters
- Power-surge protectors, extension cords
- Space Bags for bulky seasonal items (think puffy coats in November)

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Answer
Weekly SUDOKU

mini stereo, area rug and tap lights.

For personal items, start with your student's room at home and what he or she uses on a daily basis:

- Pillow
- Bathroom supplies, shower caddy, towels, flip-flops
- Headphones
- Study supplies
- Laptop and bag
- Cellphone and charger
- Camera with extra memory cards
- Bicycle, helmet and lock
- Backpack
- Workout gear
- Vitamins
- Multiple types of footwear

Don't leave these until the last minute:

Shipping of items you can't transport. Get the exact address on campus and send boxes in advance.

Know where you'll be able to lay your hands on a hand truck or moving dolly on move-in day. Don't expect to be able to rent one at the last minute to take boxes up to the fourth floor of the dorm.

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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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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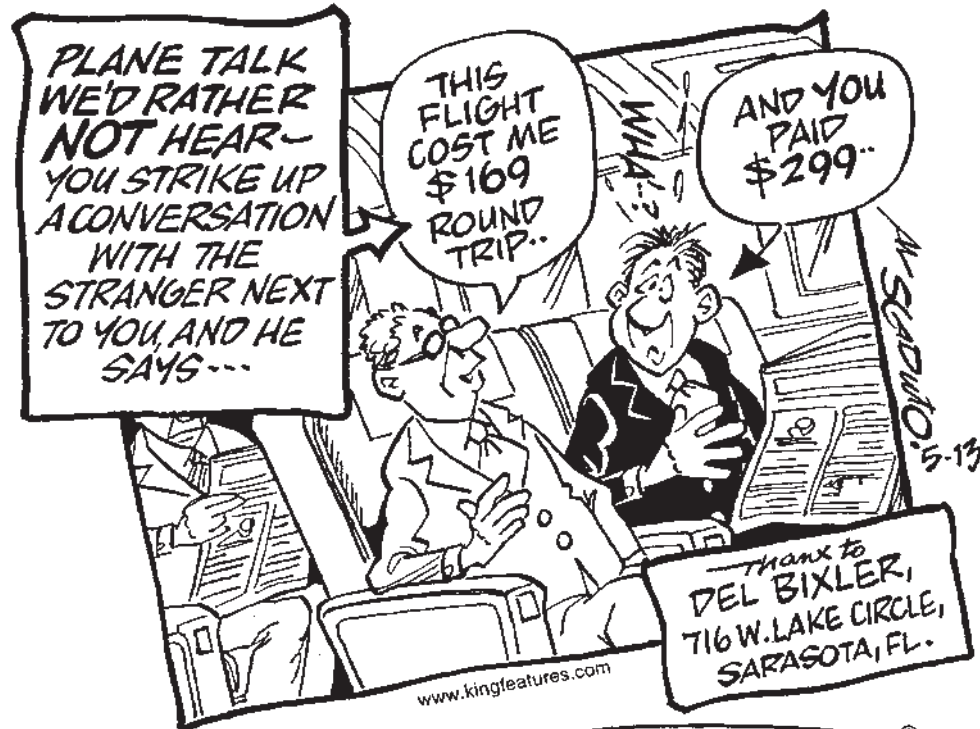
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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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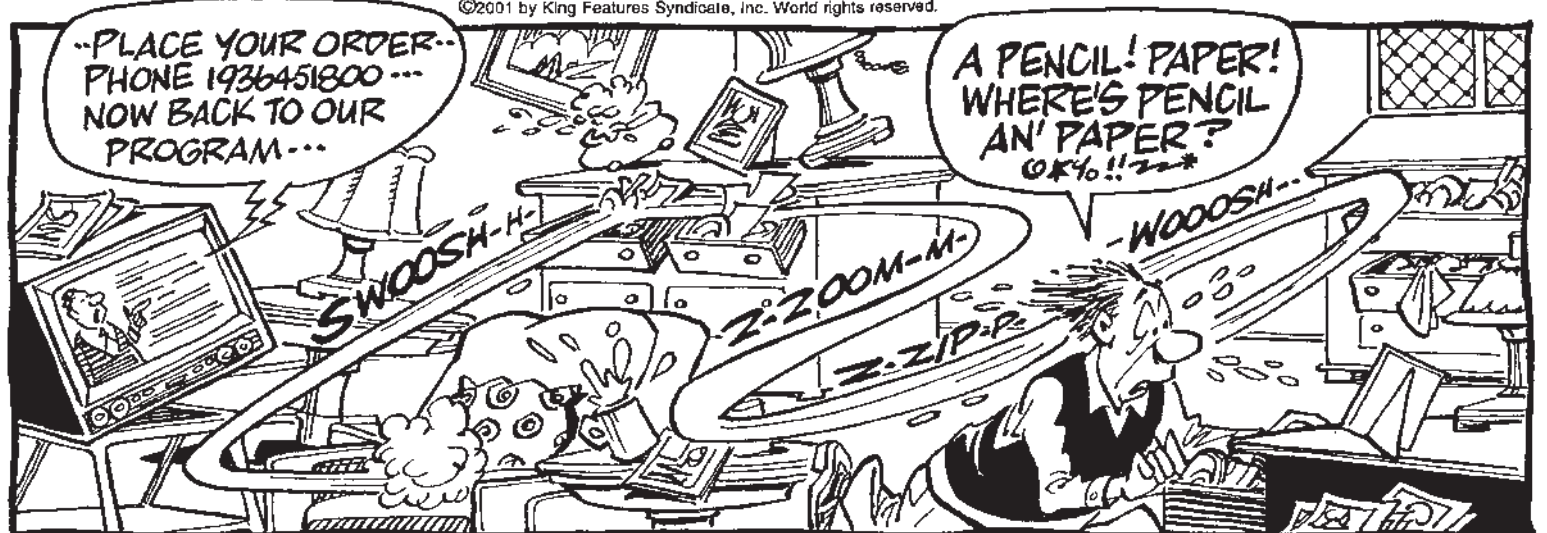


BY AL SCADUTO



J'EVER NOTICE? THOSE TV ADS THAT FLASH THEIR PHONE NUMBERS GIVE YOU ABOUT TEN SECONDS TO RUMMAGE FOR A PENCIL AND PAPER... GOOD LUCK!

Thank to HANK PEARSON, LACEY, WA.



Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What is a sheet of printed stamps called?
2. **GEOGRAPHY:** What is the capital of Canada's Northwest Territories?
3. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is a baby bat called?
4. **MUSIC:** How many holes does the musical instrument called a recorder have?
5. **LANGUAGE:** What is a lazaretto?
6. **ARCHITECTURE:** What is adobe made of?
7. **MYTHOLOGY:** Who was the Greek god of medicine?
8. **DISCOVERIES:** Who is credited with discovering the air brake?
9. **BIRTHSTONES:** What is February's traditional birthstone?
10. **MATH:** What is the Arabic equivalent of the Roman numeral CMXC?

Answers: 1. A pane; 2. Yellowknife; 3. A pup; 4. Seven in the front and a thumbhole in the back; 5. A place to quarantine people with infectious disease, such as leprosy; 6. The building material is made of dried earth and straw.; 7. Asclepius; 8. George Westinghouse; 9. Amethyst; 10. 990 (c) 2014 King Features Synd., Inc.

Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On June 7, 1692, a massive earthquake devastates the infamous town of Port Royal in Jamaica, killing thousands. A large tsunami hit soon after, putting half of Port Royal under 40 feet of water. In the 17th century, Port Royal was known throughout the New World as a headquarters for piracy and smuggling.
 - On June 4, 1754, 22-year-old Lt. Colonel George Washington begins construction of a makeshift Fort Necessity, near present-day Pittsburgh. The fort was built to defend his forces from French soldiers enraged by the murder of Ensign Joseph Coulon de Jumonville while in Washington's custody.
 - On June 3, 1800, President John Adams becomes the first acting president to take up residence in Washington, D.C. Unfortunately, the White House was not yet finished, so Adams moved into temporary digs at Tunnicliffe's City Hotel near the also half-finished Capitol building.
 - On June 5, 1922, George Carmack, the first person to discover gold along the Klondike River, dies in Vancouver, British Columbia. In 1896, near the confluence of the Yukon and Klondike River, Carmack stumbled across a deposit of gold so rich that he needed no pan to see it: Thumb-sized pieces of gold lay scattered about the creek bed.
 - On June 2, 1935, Babe Ruth, one of the greatest players in the history of baseball, ends his Major League playing career after 22 seasons, 10 World Series and 714 home runs. The following year, Ruth was one of the first five players inducted into the sport's hall of fame.
 - On June 8, 1945, President Harry Truman issues Executive Order 9568, permitting the release of scientific information from previously top-secret World War II documents. Executive Order 9568 was a stepping stone to future transparency-oriented legislation, including the Freedom of Information Act, passed in 1966.
 - On June 6, 1971, after more than two decades of weekly productions, "The Ed Sullivan Show" airs for the final time. The show is now remembered most for providing so many iconic moments in the history of televised rock and roll.
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Super Crossword

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Occasions to use tubs</p> <p>6 Really dislike</p> <p>11 Animal's nail</p> <p>15 Composer Khachaturian</p> <p>19 Igloo builder</p> <p>20 Believer in God, of a sort</p> <p>21 Mortgage adjustment, for short</p> <p>22 "Vincent & —" (1990 film)</p> <p>23 Firm bigwig, in a first language?</p> <p>26 Not "for here"</p> <p>27 Misprint list</p> <p>28 With 100-Down, did an axel or a lutz</p> <p>29 Hold the title to</p> <p>30 Coiled about</p> <p>32 Gave temporarily</p> <p>33 2002 Bond film, in a first language?</p> <p>36 Illuminated</p> <p>38 Pollster's prediction</p> <p>39 Heinz canful</p> <p>40 Gust, in a first language?</p> <p>47 "— see" ("Evidently")</p> | <p>49 Actor Sean</p> <p>50 Tostada kin</p> <p>51 Z, to Brits</p> <p>54 Painter — del Sarto</p> <p>59 Straighten up</p> <p>61 Oval circuit specialty, in a first language?</p> <p>64 Pop or rock — lump sum</p> <p>67 Severeness</p> <p>68 Right, to left: Abbr.</p> <p>70 Without uncertainty, in a first language?</p> <p>75 Thick — brick</p> <p>76 "I — vacation"</p> <p>79 Plague</p> <p>80 Meat dish</p> <p>83 Bailiff's cry, in a first language?</p> <p>88 Lay to rest</p> <p>91 Directs</p> <p>92 Dot-com address</p> <p>93 Collect, as benefits</p> <p>95 Charity recipient</p> <p>96 Pig product</p> <p>98 Keying-in skill, in a first language?</p> <p>100 Win a point</p> | <p>104 Past chunky</p> <p>108 Form a hole</p> <p>109 Very jealous, in a first language?</p> <p>114 Packed down firmly</p> <p>119 "What a Girl Wants" star</p> <p>120 Yes, to Luc</p> <p>121 Archer's need</p> <p>122 Melodic</p> <p>123 Teepee</p> <p>124 1725 Vivaldi work, in a first language?</p> <p>128 Fringe</p> <p>129 Falco or McClurg</p> <p>130 Tree that's a source of chocolate</p> <p>131 Prefix with 30-Across</p> <p>132 Like many Easter eggs</p> <p>133 Animal pouches</p> <p>134 "Revenge is — best served cold"</p> <p>135 Obstinate equines</p> | <p>FIRST LANGUAGES</p> <p>4 Earthling</p> <p>5 Places for "Welcome to ..." signs</p> <p>6 Big flap</p> <p>7 Suit adequately</p> <p>8 Snag</p> <p>9 Milo of stage and screen</p> <p>10 I-85, e.g.</p> <p>11 "Larry —" (2011 Tom Hanks film)</p> <p>12 Rest against</p> <p>13 One of the seven conts.</p> <p>14 Side-to-side extent</p> <p>15 Raiment</p> <p>16 Beach Boys title girl</p> <p>17 Naxos' sea</p> <p>18 Big name in bond credit ratings</p> <p>24 Comaneci of gymnastics</p> <p>25 Wild tusker</p> <p>31 Live online lecture</p> <p>34 "— be nice if ..."</p> <p>35 NFL stats</p> <p>37 Blasting inits.</p> <p>40 Did a dash</p> <p>41 Practice</p> <p>42 Pasture peril</p> <p>43 In — (as first placed)</p> <p>44 Infant's cry</p> <p>45 Here, to Luc</p> | <p>46 Prefix with interference</p> <p>48 Crew tool</p> <p>51 Element in brass</p> <p>52 Sci. of the environment</p> <p>53 Fyn citizen</p> <p>55 Roman 601</p> <p>56 Ribbed pasta</p> <p>57 Cain's nephew</p> <p>58 Home of the Taj Mahal</p> <p>60 Zilch</p> <p>62 Inflicted on</p> <p>63 Back</p> <p>65 Lacks what it takes</p> <p>68 Burden</p> <p>69 Impudent</p> <p>71 Waikiki's island</p> <p>72 New — (artist like Enya)</p> <p>73 Table salt, symbolically</p> <p>74 Mass of eggs</p> <p>77 Yet to be paid</p> <p>78 Ditz</p> <p>81 "The Lost City" director and co-star</p> <p>82 Arrest</p> <p>84 Top-secret gp.</p> <p>85 S. Amer. country</p> | <p>86 On Soc. Sec.</p> <p>87 Tic- — -toe</p> <p>89 Grown boys</p> <p>90 Solicit aims</p> <p>94 Prof's deg.</p> <p>97 Manicure, as a lawn</p> <p>98 Subpar mark</p> <p>99 Cronus, e.g.</p> <p>100 See 28-Across</p> <p>101 Humor</p> <p>102 Like carrots</p> <p>103 Chartered</p> <p>105 Like the "Six Million Dollar Man"</p> <p>106 Pianists' dexterity improvers</p> <p>107 Actor LaBeouf</p> <p>110 Specifies</p> <p>111 Greek water nymph</p> <p>112 "The Da — Code"</p> <p>113 Some urban rec facilities</p> <p>115 Bearings</p> <p>116 PC jacks</p> <p>117 Socialite</p> <p>118 They may be slammed</p> <p>125 Tooth doctor's org.</p> <p>126 JVC rival</p> <p>127 "Lo-o-ovely!"</p> |
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Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was beloved "Peanuts" cartoonist Charles Schulz who made the following sage observation: "Life is like a 10-speed bike. Most of us have gears we never use."
- If you're like the average American, you will consume 22 pounds of lettuce this year.
- You might be surprised to learn that some fish can hibernate. During the long, dark winters, the Antarctic cod will burrow under the seabed and stay there for days at a time, cutting its metabolism by two-thirds.
- The name of the state of Wyoming comes from the Algonquian word chwewamink, which translates as "at the big river flat."
- If you pay attention to politics at all, you've almost certainly heard the term "gerrymander" used to describe the practice of carving up electoral districts in such a way that one party has an advantage. You probably don't know, though, how that term entered the lexicon. In 1812, a new district in Essex County, Massachusetts, was created, and a journalist thought the twisting boundaries caused the district to resemble a salamander. A cartoon highlighting the resemblance was created, and because the party that did the redistricting was led by Gov. Elbridge Gerry, the practice was dubbed "gerrymandering."
- Even the world's best high jumper is unable to stay in the air for more than a single second.
- Before he became a comedian and actor, Bob Newhart worked as an accountant at the Illinois State Unemployment Office.
- Those who keep track of such things say that Elvis Presley had 18 TVs at Graceland. One of them was installed in the ceiling over his bed.

Thought for the Day: "It is far better to grasp the universe as it really is than to persist in delusion, however satisfying and reassuring." -- Carl Sagan
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Top Ten Movies

1. Neighbors (R) Seth Rogen, Rose Byrne
 2. The Amazing Spider-Man 2 (PG-13) Andrew Garfield, Emma Stone
 3. The Other Woman (PG-13) Cameron Diaz, Leslie Mann
 4. Heaven Is for Real (PG) Greg Kinnear, Kelly Reilly
 5. Captain America: The Winter Soldier (PG-13) Chris Evans, Samuel L. Jackson
 6. Rio 2 (G) animated
 7. Mom's Night Out (PG) Sarah Drew, Sean Astin
 8. Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return (PG) animated
 9. Divergent (PG-13) Shailene Woodley, Theo James
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Public Hearing Notice Gustin Township Zoning Ordinance Adoption: The Gustin Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on June 3, 2014 at 7 p.m. to recommend adoption of a new zoning ordinance to the township board. The public hear-

ing will be held at the Gustin Township Hall, 113 South 2nd Street, Lincoln, Michigan. The full text of the new zoning ordinance is available at Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street, or request by e-mail to gustinzoning@gmail.com. Written comments may be sent to (Gustin Township Zoning Administrator, 155 Sunday Drive, Lincoln, Michigan 48742) prior to the meeting. The public may appear at the public hearing in person or by counsel. The new zoning ordinance includes the rezoning of adjacent blocks of parcels in sections 1, 12, 13 and 14 from R-1 to Forest Recreation and one parcel in section 11 from Economic Development to Industrial.

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Mortgage sale—Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by That Place, Inc., as to parcels 8 and 9, and Douglas D. Henry and Cheryl L. Henry, husband and wife, mortgagor, and Citizens First Savings Bank, mortgagee, dated July 22, 2005, and recorded August 26, 2005, in Liber 422, page 394, Alcona County records, which mortgage has been assigned and is now held by Talmer Bank And Trust, a Michigan banking corporation, whose address is 2301 W. Big Beaver Road, Ste. 525, Troy, Mich. 48084, pursuant to assignment of mortgage dated January 11, 2013, and recorded on January 18, 2013, in Liber 494, page 1,164, Alcona County records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of May 6, 2014 the sum of one million five hundred twenty six thousand eight hundred six dollars and 53/100 (\$1,526,806.53), including interest at 6% per annum.
The Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems (MERS) is not a foreclosing party. 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 west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Mich., at 10 O'clock a.m., local time, on Wednesday, June 18, 2014. Said premises are situated in the township of Mitchell, county of Alcona (as well as partially in the township of Clinton, County of Oscoda, state of Michigan), and described as: As to Parcel 8, also known as Parcel E-1: All that part of Section 31, Town 28 North, Range 5 East, Mitchell Township, Alcona County, described as follows: Commencing at the south one-quarter corner of said Section 31; thence north 00 degrees 21 minutes 15 seconds east 2,656.40 feet along the north-south one-quarter line of said section to the point of beginning;

thence north 89 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east 100 feet; thence north 00 degrees 21 minutes 15 seconds east 220 feet parallel to the north-south one-quarter line of said section; thence south 89 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds west 100 feet; thence south 49 degrees 42 minutes 31 seconds west 2,409.65 feet to a meander line of the shore of McCollum Lake; thence continuing south 49 degrees 42 minutes 31 seconds west 2,253.33 feet to the point of beginning, excluding any title to or rights in land within the mean ordinary high water mark of McCollum Lake, also excluding all minerals, mining and development rights thereto.
As to Parcel 9, also known as Parcel E-2: All that part of Section 31, Town 28 North, Range 5 East, Mitchell Township, Alcona County and Government Lot 1, Fractional Section 36, Town 28 North, Range 4 East, Clinton, Oscoda County, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at the south one-quarter corner of said Section 31, Town 28 North, Range 5 East; thence north 00 degrees 21 minutes 15 seconds east 2,656.40 feet along the north-south one-quarter line of said Section 31; thence north 89 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east 100.00 feet; thence north 00 degrees 21 minutes 15 seconds east 220.00 feet parallel to the north-south one-quarter line of said Section 31 to the point of beginning; thence continuing north 00 degrees 21 minutes 15 seconds east 205.98 feet; thence south 88 degrees 52 minutes 04 seconds West 100.00 feet; thence South 49 degrees 03 minutes 46 seconds west 2,546.57 feet to a meander line of the shore of McCollum Lake; thence continuing south 49 degrees 03 minutes 46 seconds west 665.74 feet beneath McCollum Lake; thence south 67 degrees 57 minutes 57 seconds east 135.00 feet beneath McCollum Lake; thence north 49 degrees 42 minutes 31 seconds east

606.01 feet beneath McCollum Lake to a meander line of the shore of McCollum Lake; thence continuing north 49 degrees 42 minutes 31 seconds east 2,409.65 feet; thence north 89 degrees 14 minutes 54 seconds east 100.00 feet to the point of beginning, excluding any title to or rights in land within the mean ordinary high water mark of McCollum Lake, also excluding 3/8 (62.5 percent) of all minerals, mining and development rights thereto. Together with and subject to rights of ingress and egress over and across a 66 foot wide private roadway easement approximately 400 feet northeasterly and parallel to the shoreline of McCollum Lake, roadway easement is to be parallel to existing power line easement and roadway centerline is 30 feet north and east of centerline of power line and extending to McCollum Lake Road. A 33 foot wide easement adjacent to the extreme north boundary of said Parcel E, serving as access from Parcel F to the northwest of the southeast one-quarter of Section 31, as shown on survey, and for the use of any and all public utilities.
Commonly known as: 4260 Dollar Drive, Curran, Mich. 48728 Tax ID Nos.: As to parcel 8/E-1: 112-031-200-040-01. As to Parcel 9/E-2 (Alcona portion) 112-031-200-040-02. As to Parcel 9/E-2 (Oscoda portion) 68-002-136-001-17. The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale. If the premises are sold at the above described mortgage foreclosure sale, under the provisions of M.C.L.A. 600.3278 the mortgagor will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the premises during the redemption period.
Talmer Bank And Trust
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Attorney for Mortgagee
2851 High Meadow Circle, Ste. 120
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5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

Foreclosure Notice

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Mortgage sale—Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Steven M. Espinoza, husband to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Strategic Home Loans, LLC, its successors and assigns, mortgagee, dated July 9, 2003 and recorded July 18, 2003 in Liber 386, page 228 and mortgage assumed by assumption agreement with release of liability dated March 7, 2012 and recorded March 26, 2012 in Liber 486, page 620 Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC, by assignment dated October 15, 2013 and recorded November 1, 2013 in Liber 502, page 1,332, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred forty-six thousand one hundred eighty-four dollars and nineteen cents (\$146,184.19) including interest at five 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, circuit court of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on May 28, 2014. Said premises are situated in township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 1: The west one-half of the west one-half of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 25 North, Range 5 East, less and excepting parcels described as beginning 20 feet east of northwest corner of said northeast one-quarter of northeast one-quarter; thence east 209 feet; thence

south 209 feet; thence west 209 feet; thence north 209 feet to place of beginning; and excepting beginning 418 feet north and 20 feet east of the southwest corner of said northwest one-quarter of northeast one-quarter; thence north 209 feet; thence east 209 feet; thence south 209 feet; thence west 209 feet to place of beginning; and also excepting beginning at the southwest corner of said northwest one-quarter of northeast one-quarter; thence north 627 feet, east 20 feet to place of beginning, thence east 209 feet; thence north 209 feet; thence west 209 feet; thence south 209 feet to place of beginning.
Parcel 2: The east one-half of the west one-half of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 25 North, Range 5 East. Commonly known as 6160 Bamfield Road, Glennie, Mich. 48737.
The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later; or unless MCL 600.3240(17) applies. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, 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.
Dated: April 30, 2014
Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC, Assignee of Mortgagee
Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C.
811 South Blvd., Suite 100
Rochester Hills, Mich. 48307
(248) 844-5123
File No: 14-95486
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Mortgage Foreclosure Notice

Mortgage Sale-- Default has been made in the terms and conditions of a mortgage made by Donald Fisher and Linda Fisher, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Cornerstone Community Financial Credit Union/k/a United Christian Community Credit Union, mortgagee, dated May 2, 2003, and recorded on May 5, 2003, in Liber 381 on page 1,171, Alcona County records, Michigan, and which mortgage was modified by agreement recorded in Liber 452 on Page 345, Alcona County records, Michigan, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of thirty-four thousand six hundred seventy-three and 79/100 dollars (\$34,673.79) including interest at 0.000 percent per annum.
Mortgage Electronic Registration System (MERS) is not the foreclosing party. 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 the place of holding in the circuit court within Alcona County, Michigan, at 10 a.m. on June 4, 2014.
Said premises are situated in the township of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the east 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said Section 14, according to the survey dated April 14, 1994, recorded June 16, 1994 in Liber 275, pages 923 and 924, Alcona County records, prepared by Northeast Land Surveys, and described as: Commencing at the northeast corner of Section

14, Town 26 North, Range 9 East; thence south 00 degrees, 32 minutes, 47 seconds east along the east line of said section 1,315.89 feet; thence south 89 degrees, 21 minutes, 47 seconds west along the north 1/8 line of said section 282.18 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing south 89 degrees, 21 minutes 47 seconds west along said north 1/8 line 380.43 feet; thence north 00 degrees, 33 minutes, 39 seconds west along the west line of the east 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section 212.56 feet; thence south 83 degrees, 15 minutes, 04 seconds east 117.11 feet; thence north 77 degrees, 37 minutes, 36 seconds east 269.98 feet; thence south 00 degrees, 33 minutes, 39 seconds east 252.42 feet to the point of beginning. Commonly known as: 5460 Marys Lane, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 (assessed as Vacant E. Dunn Trail) Property Id No.: 060-014-100-006-00.
The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, under Section 600.3278 of the Michigan Compiled Laws the mortgagor will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.
Dated: April 23, 2014
Cornerstone Community Financial Credit Union, Mortgagee
Holzman Corkery, PLLC
By: Charles J. Holzman
Attorney for Mortgagee
28366 Franklin Road
Southfield, Mich. 48034
4-23, 4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Kevin J. Baldwin and Patricia M. Baldwin, husband and wife, to Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union, whose address is 1100 South Bagley Street, Alpena, Mich. 49707.
The mortgage is dated March 15, 2005 and recorded on March 23, 2005 at Liber 414, page 570-571, Alcona County records which mortgage was modified by mortgage modification agreement dated April 1, 2010 and recorded April 7, 2010 in Liber 469, pages 819-820, Alcona County records. There is claimed to be due on the mortgage at the date of this notice, for principal, interest, and other items paid as allowed by the mortgage, the sum of \$81,221.51 and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby. The

power of sale contained in the mortgage has now become operative.
Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage and pursuant to the applicable foreclosure statute, the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the property described below at public auction to the highest bidder at the Alcona County Courthouse at 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 on Wednesday, June 25, 2014 at 10 a.m. The property will be sold to pay the amount due on the mortgage with 4.625 percent interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes and insurance that the mortgagee pays on or before the date of sale. The property subject to the mortgage and subject to sale is as follows: Lot 47 of Four Seasons No. 2, a subdivision recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, page 46, Alcona County Records, being in the township of Mikado, county of Alcona, state of Michigan.

The period of redemption will be six months from the date of sale, unless abandoned as defined by MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of sale. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.
Dated: May 12, 2014
Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union
Mortgagee
Daniel W. White
Attorney for Mortgagee
313 North Second Avenue
Alpena, MI 49707
(989) 354-4104
5-21, 5-28, 6-4, 6-11

Notice of Mortgage Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Frances A. Bugg, a single woman, to Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union, whose address is 1100 South Bagley Street, Alpena, Mich. 49707.
The mortgage is dated August 1, 2008 and recorded on August 8, 2008 at Liber 454, pages 994-1,008, Alcona County records which mortgage was modified by mortgage modification agreement dated September 19, 2013 and recorded on September 26, 2013 in Liber 501, pages 1,362-1,363, Alcona County records. There is claimed to be due on the mortgage at the date of this notice, for principal, interest, and other items paid as allowed by the mortgage, the sum of \$47,150.91 and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby. The power of sale contained in the mortgage has now

become operative.
Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage and pursuant to the applicable foreclosure statute, the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the property described below at public auction to the highest bidder at the Alcona County Courthouse at 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 on Wednesday, June 25, 2014 at 10 a.m. The property will be sold to pay the amount due on the mortgage with 4.375 percent interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes and insurance that the mortgagee pays on or before the date of sale. The property subject to the mortgage and subject to sale is as follows: Lots 6, 7 and north 1/2 of Lot 8, Block B of Hubbard Lake Highway Sites, a subdivision recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 86, Alcona County records, being in the township of Hawes, county of Alcona, state of Michigan.
The period of redemption will be six months

from the date of sale, unless abandoned as defined by MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of sale. 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.
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Farewell

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of the kitchen, there's a door in the floor, where I can look down and watch you guys and hopefully send messages (more about that later). I've never been much of a fan of the harp and halo heaven, but I love the idea of a beach house.

The other alternative is nothing, and if it's nothing, that's okay, because I won't know it. You asked me once that if I died, and I was able I send you a message to let you know. I joked about it at the time, but please know that if I can, I certainly will -- every day. But there's something else I want you to know. If I can't send you a message, I will still be with you. We've been together since conception, and that isn't going to stop now. I will be there, as Beth Nielsen Chapman says, in the sound of the waves. When the sun shines on your back, or a leaf falls from a tree and catches in your hair or a raindrop falls down your neck. When a poem, or a phrase you hear delights you. When, for no reason anyone else can understand, something strikes you funny and you'll find yourself bubbling up with laughter at inappropriate times, that's me..."

We both hope that Kay's dear readers will find some comfort in her vision.

The following is a portion of one of her favorite lyrics — "Sand and Water" by Beth Nielsen Chapman.

"All alone I came into this world

*All alone I will someday die
Solid stone is just sand and water, baby*

Sand and water, and a million years gone by

I will see you in the light of a thousand suns

I will hear you in the sound of the waves

I will know you when I come, as we all will come

Through the doors beyond the grave

All alone I came into this world

*All alone I will someday die
Solid stone is just sand and water, baby*

Sand and water and a million years gone by."

(Cheryl Peterson is a native of Oscoda and a graduate of Northern Michigan University. She was the editor of two daily newspapers before moving to Harrisville in 1995 when she and her husband, John Boufford, purchased the Review.)

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ALCONA ROAD COMMISSION SYNOPSIS

A regular meeting of the Alcona County Road Commission was held May 14 in Lincoln. Motions were passed to: Approve the minutes of the April 23 meeting; authorize payment of open accounts in the amount of \$193,396.72; accept bids for one or more tandem-axle trucks; accept bids for truck equipment; approve road improvement agreements; approve purchase of a Bobcat all-wheel steer loader; approve a request for reimbursement of engineering costs; accept a building design plan; authorize managing director to set work schedules. This synopsis was published prior to board approval. Complete minutes are available upon request via e-mail at roads@alconacrc.com or by calling (989) 736-8168. The next regularly-scheduled meeting is May 28 at 4 p.m. Meetings are open to the public.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Michigan
Probate Court
County of Alcona
Notice to Creditors
Decedent's Estate
File No. 14-005217 DE

Estate of Donald Harold Wilson
Date of birth: June 27, 1956
To all creditors:
Notice to creditors: The decedent, Donald H. Wilson, died April 24, 2014. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Lorraine Wilson, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 6950 Janet Street, Taylor, Mich. 48180 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.
Date: May 15, 2014
Lorraine Wilson
6950 Janet Street
Taylor, Mich. 48180

State of Michigan
Probate Court
County of Alcona
Notice to Creditors
Decedent's Estate
File No. 14-005215 DE

Estate of Violet D. Pletscher
Date of birth: March 5, 1914
To all creditors:
Notice to creditors: The decedent, Violet D. Pletscher, died December 29, 2013. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Keith Nedo, personal representative, or to both the probate court at P.O. Box 328, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.
Date: May 15, 2014
David H. Cook P40560
5466 M-72, P.O. Box 585
Harrisville, Michigan 48740
(989) 724-5155
Keith Nedo
1451 East Proconier Road
Harrisville, Mich. 48740

CITY OF HARRISVILLE MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on May 12 at the city office. The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by mayor Dobis and the "Pledge of Allegiance" was said. Present: Mayor Dobis, clerk Pierce, council members Kaiser, Crick, Luenberger, Baird, and Sanderson and city attorney Cook Absent: Treasurer Keerl and council member Tartaglia. Motion by Baird, support by Crick, to approve the minutes of April 14. Motion carried 5-0. Motion by Baird, support by Kaiser, to pay the bills in the amount of \$41,510.15. Motion carried 5-0. Mayor Dobis clarified to council the terms of the short term harbor loan. It will be a 90 day, short term loan, with no interest. Mayor Dobis clarified to council the terms of the harbor engineering grant loan. This loan will roll into the present loan to the harbor plus the set amount added toward the original loan at four percent interest. Mayor Dobis and council discussed the request for proposal (RFP) for the Preliminary Engineering Study and the professional services agreement "Waterways Preliminary Engineering Study (PES) Project." Motion by Luenberger, support by Kaiser, to approve the request for a proposal for a preliminary engineering study and the professional services agreement for the Harrisville Harbor north and south dock replacement and related repairs/upgrades. Motion carried 5-0.

Because of the absence of treasurer Keerl, discussion of the final adjustments to the last fiscal year's (2013-2014) General Operating, Major and Minor Streets, Equipment Pool, Fire Department and Liquor Law Enforcement Funds will be deferred to next month's council meeting. Mayor Dobis informed council that summer water restrictions will be deferred unless needed. Motion by Sanderson, support by Crick, to defer summer water restrictions unless needed. Motion carried 5-0. Harrisville Beautification Committee 2014 request for funding was discussed. The Beautification Committee will receive \$350 from the city for flowers and materials. Chairperson Jackie Trimmer asked for volunteers to help with the watering and upkeep. Donations will also be gladly accepted. Contact Jackie Trimmer at (989) 724-5702. Reports - Mayor Dobis: The contracts for the street repairs have been signed by the mayor and will be forwarded to the county road commission. Harbor commissioner Baird reported budget adjustments have been undertaken by the harbor commission. Dredging bids by the state will be going out within two weeks. The dredging may begin at the end of the boating season or the beginning of fall. The dredging is slated to be a one to one and a half year project.

Planning commissioner Baird: Planning commission is moving forward looking at existing ordinances which back up the new zoning ordinances. The Master Plan update is due in 2015. The Pender development is in the process of gathering preliminary statistics for utilities, county road specifications, et cetera. County commissioner Thompson: The county road commission will be asking for a millage for new construction of a maintenance building. The first annual Spring Expo was very successful with 69 vendors and over 500 visitors attending. The name for the annual expo will be "Spring Into Summer" 2015. There will be a Quilt Trail presentation at the Monroe County Welcome Center in July, which sees over 1 million visitors a year. Tree Board member Crick informed council that the committee will be walking the streets to assess work that needs to be done to the streetscape. Comment cards: Visitor Robert Kennedy, candidate for 106th district representative, introduced himself and talked about his campaign priorities for this upcoming state election. Council last comments: Sanderson thanked the beautification committee for all its efforts and reported that she is still in the process of gathering information about an emergency notification system in the city. Luenberger moved meeting to be adjourned. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m. Next City Council meeting is June 9 at 7 p.m. at city hall.

CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The regular Caledonia Township Board meeting May 14 was called to order by Supervisor Ott with pledge to the flag at 7 p.m. Present on the board: Ott, Thornton, Timm, Scott and Hubbard, also in attendance Nancy Beck, zoning administrator (ZA); Tammy Fall, assessor; and two citizens. Motions to approve agenda, minutes of April 16, to pay the bills, and to place treasurer's report on file were made. Correspondence: NEMCOG with resolution to accept Alcona County Hazard Mitigation Plan, Stephenson Gracik, auditor's contract letter, MTA "On the Road" seminar, Alpena, May 29. Planning commission: At tri-township meeting Marlena MacNeil did a power point presentation covering several topics planning commissions handle. At the regular PC meeting they worked on new zoning application and citizens complaint form, and discussed blight elimination. Zoning administrator: Reported that

Mike Graham did have all permits for building pole barn back in 2007 and they had been approved. She did a land division for Orlo Lemont. Citizen comments: Kerry Scott passed along 4-H news from MSU Extension. Unfinished business: Assessor discussion going over updated job description. We asked her to give an e-mail address to Jack to go on our Web page and to report to the board in person May and October each year. She will be sending required documentation for audit to the department of the treasury. She asked her salary be increased to compensate for the increase in reviewing 20 percent of the tax roles. It was explained all salaries for this year were already established at our annual meeting in April and we would review again next February at the budget workshop. Ken and Ron will represent our township at the Hubbard Lake Awareness Day June 7. Ron will purchase the door prize. Helen asked if they could pass out book

marks promoting the Caledonia branch library. Northend Park report: The DEQ permit is being issued soon and when it arrives work will begin on Phase II. Phase I is not finalized as they are still dealing with MacArthur Construction for an agreed settlement on the amount of work he did. New business: Motion that we charge \$20 for ordinance DVDs. Motion for all board to attend MTA "On the Road" seminar in Alpena, May 29, paying pre-registration fee of \$99, and per diem and mileage to those attending. Motion to contract with Stephenson, Gracik for 2014 audit. Motion by resolution that the Hazard Mitigation Plan of Alcona County is hereby adopted as an official plan of Caledonia Township. Five ayes, zero nays. Motion to adjourn at 8:40 p.m. All motions at the meeting were passed. This synopsis published prior to board approval. Next meeting is June 11. Planning commission meets June 2. Helen Timm, Clerk

HARRISVILLE TOWNSHIP MINUTES

Harrisville Township Board held a special meeting on Tuesday, May 13 at 2 p.m. at the township hall. The full board and one guest were present at the pre-posted meeting called by the supervisor to discuss the new fire agreement with the city. What to do about the township hall and what we can help with dust control this year. After a long discussion on all three items, meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m.
Roger Jamieson,
Township Clerk
Published prior to board approval.

The Harrisville Township Board held its monthly meeting on May 13 at 7 p.m. at the township hall. The full board and five guests opened the meeting with the "Pledge of Allegiance." No comments from the floor. Clerk's minutes approved as read. Treasurer's report accepted. Committees gave their reports. Pyne/Johnston: To appoint Tracy D'Augustino to fill the vacancy on the planning commission. Motion carried unanimously. Jamieson/Young: To assist residents with dust control up to \$100 for the season (see ad). Motion carried.

Three board members to attend the MTA Regional Workshop in Alpena on May 29. Discussed the ball diamonds at the HTRA site and the circus that will be coming there July 3. Assessor updated the upcoming state audit and board of review. Jamieson/Johnston: To sponsor the Alcona County Fair in the amount of \$100. Motion carried. Young/Pyne: Pay the bills. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.
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Section B

Wednesday, May 21, 2014

Prescribed burns ignite wildlife habitat growth

Spring is fire season in Michigan. The retreating snow and ice of winter leave behind a landscape of dead vegetation that serves as prime fuel for wildfires. At the same time, the vegetation also provides fuel for fires that state land managers want to see – fires that thin out overgrown vegetation or prepare the landscape for planting.

Employees within the Department of Natural Resources' Forest Resources Division (FRD) are responsible for both, putting out wildfires and igniting prescribed burns on land that can be managed using fire.

On a recent mid-April morning, Dan Laux, a fire management specialist with FRD, assembled his crew of 12 to burn about an eighth of Verona State Game Area in Huron County. The project, which would take nearly three long days to complete, is part of an ongoing effort to improve pheasant habitat as part of the Michigan Pheasant Restoration Initiative.

According to Laux, the burns were conducted with a three-step process. First, a firebreak was created with a plow around the perimeter of the area to be burned. Then, DNR fire officers – as well as DNR personnel from other divisions who have been trained to work a fire line – created a “black line” by setting fire to the area immediately inside the firebreak.

“You’re widening your safety buffer so when the hotter fire gets to that part of the field, there’s less chance of a problem,” Laux said.

Once the black lines have been established the crew begins burning the field, using drip torches – containers with a mixture of three parts diesel fuel to one part gasoline – to ignite the vegetation. Burns are started on the downwind side of the field to prevent the fire from getting out of control.

The prescribed burns at Verona were of two varieties, explained DNR wildlife biologist Don Bonnette, who oversees the area. Some are simply “maintenance burns” to thin out the undesirable vegetation that has grown on the area. Other areas were burned to prepare the ground for seeding with what Bonnette calls “the Big Four” – a mixture of big bluestem, little bluestem, Indian and switch grasses – for pheasant habitat.

“You want to burn as much as you can when you’re going to replant,” Bonnette said. “No-till seeders can get plugged up by the grass.”

While Laux and his crew were working at Verona, another crew assembled at Fish



DNR fire officers monitor a prescribed burn (for habitat improvement) at Fish Point State Game Area, Bay County, from the deck of a “Marsh Master” – a tracked vehicle that floats and allows transportation into wetland areas. *Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.*

Future of Alcona golf team is unclear

By Carlee Campbell
Staff Writer

Even though the Alcona High School golf team is finishing with a respectable record this year, the program is in danger for next season.

Team members Lucas Weichel and Walker Kelly were strong players this season. Weichel broke the school record for 18 holes last Saturday with a 75 at Forest

Akers East in East Lansing, Mich. Kelly was the medalist at The Pines for the Chip Hills tournament with a 76 which, at the time, tied the low 18 record. Both achievements followed the previous year’s successful season.

“Last year was the first year that the entire team qualified for state (competition),” Coach Jim Bouchard said. “Last year was also the first

time that Alcona ever won districts in golf.”

Though the team has gone on to win many victories, five of the six members are set to graduate this semester leaving a single junior member behind. Interest for the program is waning, as well as finding participants in such a small community.

Bouchard has been coaching for 10 years, but only

recently took on the golf team. Spending a majority of the 10 years coaching soccer, Bouchard decided to learn more about golf and soon found a passion for it and the team.

“It’s a different type of sport where you spend five to six hours playing,” Bouchard said. “You really have to learn to communicate with other people, mostly ones you don’t know well or at all.”

Bouchard said what he likes most is that the team dynamic isn’t lost with the students because it is a smaller group.

The problem at hand is a recurring one for the school where there aren’t a lot of athletes to choose from or enough opportunities for students to take classes or learn the skills for the sport in middle school leading into high school.

The current members of the golf team all have a background in golf, whether working for courses or having family members that are or used to be avid players. Though many eighth-graders are interested in the sport, they have very little experience because there is no junior program offered.

“The kids are concerned about the future of the program,” Bouchard said. “We



A stroll around pieces of wood craftsmanship and unique artwork was enjoyed by all who attended the annual Student Showcase featuring woodworking and art at Alcona High School last week. Many of the woodworking pieces the students created won regional and state awards. See more photos on page 7B and 10B. *Photo by Mary Weber.*

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River Aux Sable Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) held its May meeting in Lincoln to hear State Regent Zandra Baker (right) share how she came to be in DAR and the problems and joys she has had in researching her family line to her Revolutionary ancestor. Installed as the second Junior DAR member of River Aux Sables Chapter was Alexandra Kramer (center), granddaughter of Chapter Regent Pat Kramer (left). Junior members are young ladies not yet 18 with a proven lineage to an ancestor who served or assisted in the Revolutionary War. For more information on becoming a Junior DAR member, contact the website at www.riverauxsables.michdar.net. *Courtesy photo.*

Alcona Historical Society

The Alcona Historical Society recently held its annual dinner/program at Lost Lake Woods Club followed by a slide presentation of "Railroading in Alcona County."

Lynn Vanderlinde and Dave Tacia told the story of the depots, stations, hauling out the long timber, the thriving communities now ghost towns and the many train wrecks that occurred on the narrow gauge lines and commercial tracks.

Some of the pictures showed the extremely hard work needed to build the tracks and how only simple hand tools were used for the jobs. Vanderlinde related humorous stories of the crew members and portrayed the lives of the railroad workers. Newspaper accounts gave the gruesomely realistic background of some of the train wrecks.

Historical society president Linda Klemens introduced the board of directors and thanked recent retiree, Bev Niedermiller for her conscientious support and dedication. Bookmarks were presented to each guest and Klemens told the story of "Chessie" the kitten mascot of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad. Ken Hubbard was chairman of the event and special dinner music was provided by Laura Frawley.

Bailey School, the Lincoln Depot and Sturgeon Point Lighthouse will all be opening the end of May. For more information or anyone who would consider volunteering at any of the three museums, is encouraged to give Klemens a call at (989) 727-4703.

Li-Smith pledge vows

Katherine Joy Li and Jeremy Ryan Smith of Yorba Linda, Calif. were married on March 22, 2014 at the Los Angeles Hilton.

The bride is the daughter of Martha Korienek and Eric and Jaye Li, all of Anaheim, Calif.

The groom is the son of Rodman and Nikkie Smith of Los Vegas, Nev., formerly of Harrisville.

The bride was attended by her maid of honor, Kristen De Guzman of Calif.; other attendants were Alexis Apiado, Anna Yoo, Tiffany Smith, and Natalie Cooley, all of California.

The groom was attended by his best man, Brandon Smith of Ann Arbor, Mich.; other attendants were Rob Piroozshad, Aaron Mason, Rob Abrew, Andrew Kim, and Michael Li, all of California.

The couple honeymooned in Japan and Hong Kong. The bride is employed by the Girl Scout Council and the groom is employed by Volt Staffing Solutions. They reside in Yorba Linda, Calif.



Katherine Li and Jeremy Smith

Golf

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really have tried to generate interest."

Issues pertaining to the season placement have also played against the sport. Previously a fall sport, it was moved to spring last fall, which coincides with baseball. Bouchard said there is interest by students, but they are students who have a conflict because they are members of the baseball team.

Bouchard has maintained open practices for interested parties and has let the community know the plight of the program, but said there won't be a "big campaign with fundraisers."

Athletic director Dan O'Conner has been working with Oscoda High School officials as well as Alcona school officials to coordinate a co-op golf program between the two sometime in the future. If successful, Oscoda High School students would be playing under the Alcona High School name.

For more information and details about the program, contact Jim Bouchard at bouchardj@alconaschools.net.

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Many Possibilities! Two bedroom, 1 bath, 1½ story needs some TLC but the location makes it well worth the price. Located close to Lake Huron and Negwegon State Park. **\$79,900** ACR-13-0107



Three bedroom, 2 bath home is move-in condition. Has split floor plan, large master suite with jet tub and separate shower. Located minutes from AuSable River and Lake Huron. **\$56,900** ACR-14-0002



Motivated Seller – Three bedroom, 1 bath, mfg. home move-in ready. Minutes from town amenities, Harrisville Harbor, Lake Huron, state park, inland lakes, federal land, and golf courses. **\$42,900** ACR-14-0004



Black River - A great cottage at a great price. Close to federal land on Lake Huron, has beach access, and short distance to DNR boat launch. Two bedroom, 1 bath with lots of updates. **\$39,900** ACR-14-0005



Tired of yard work?? This 3 bedroom, 1½ story townhouse located in the Villages of Oscoda is ready to move into. Includes full semi-finished basement and 1 car detached garage. **\$31,000** ACR-14-0007



Great opportunity for the sportsman! Two bedroom, 1 bath located in National City/Sand Lake area. Needs some TLC but well worth the time. **\$24,900** ACR-14-0008



Secluded and private best describes this home sitting on 10 wooded acres. Three bedroom, 2 bath home features remodeled kitchen, 26 x 17 great room, lower level w/ 27 x 45 family room, wet bar, bed, and bath, 2 car. att. garage. **Broker Owned. \$239,900** ACR-14-0011



Lake Huron Frontage – Two bedroom, 1 bath cottage. Just walk in the door! **\$129,900** ACR-14-0013



Lake Huron Waterfront – 106 feet of pristine sandy beach. Quality custom home has 4,200 sq. ft. of living space with master suite, guest suite, 3 guest bedrooms and 2 more bathrooms. The first floor has an open floor plan with views of the lake along the hole lakeside of the home. **\$475,000** ACR-14-0015



Great location! Three bedroom, 1 bath home in the city has lots of updates including roof, windows, ceramic tile, hard wood floors, generator for backup, wood stove and more. **\$79,900** ACR-14-0016



Beautiful sq. 40 acre parcel with electricity to the middle of it. Deer, turkeys and bear abound in this popular hunting area. Mature hardwoods. **\$69,900** ACR-12-0076



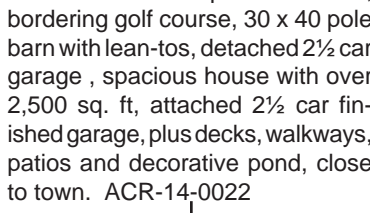
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In Town – Well maintained 4 bedroom, 1½ bath, 1½ story home within walking distance to all town amenities and has a fantastic view of the Harbor and Lake Huron just across the street. Includes 2 car detached garage and full semi finished basement. **\$85,000** ACR-14-0021



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Immunizations save lives

By Dr. Tom Marshall
Guest Columnist

Immunizations represent perhaps the greatest medical breakthrough of the twentieth century. By simply giving the human body a small exposure to a substance that represents "a taste of infection" the body learns to fight off a disease that could kill or severely maim it for the rest of life.

Vaccinations have saved more lives and stopped more infectious disease than any other medical breakthrough in our lives. Despite the good factual science behind vaccinations, there continues to exist a misguided group of individuals who choose to ignore the facts and encourage behavior that endangers individuals and society in general. The ammunition used to defend their positions are usually untrue "facts" and hearsay with occasional isolated cases that gain notoriety but ignore the larger truths behind modern medicine recommendations to vaccinate.

I would like to address one of the biggest disservices ever done to patients in modern medicine. A number of years ago a doctor in Great Britain by the name of Dr. Andrew Wakefield knowingly falsified the results of a study that purported to demonstrate a causal link between the measles/mumps/rubella vaccine and the development of autism in children.

The deception was uncovered later, but not before the news was carried around the world, scaring parents from

getting the vaccine for their children for fear of inducing autism. And, even though he was later stripped of his medical license for his horrible deception, and a number of much larger and well designed studies later showed no connection, the idea is still out there circulating. I cringe to think of how much damage has been done by that one act.

There is not a lot of money to be made in producing vaccines and so, if anything, we have had to struggle in our office with periods of vaccine shortages because the manufacturers aren't excited about producing such a poor profit product.

Do bad things ever happen to people who choose to vaccinate? Yes, but it is very rare and if it moves you to consider skipping your vaccines you need to take a long look at the results of your decision not to vaccinate. Life is full of decisions that we make on the risk and benefits of any course of action that is likely to improve our safety.

People argued for years that you might get trapped in your car wearing a seatbelt but it turned out it was far more likely that you would

get ejected through the front window so we all now wear seatbelts and fatality data support our risk/benefit decision.

As we see more people make the wrong risk/benefit decisions regarding immunizations we are beginning to see the risk increase. Now we are beginning to see outbreaks around the country of diseases that were nearly eradicated with careful immunizations in the past. Measles, whooping cough, chicken pox and meningitis outbreaks are popping up in the news with increased frequency as a result of making the wrong decision.

If you would like to see how nonmedical people, who have lost children and family members to meningitis, feel about immunizations I would direct you to www.meningitis-angels.org and read the heartache of those who have lost loved ones to disease preventable with immunizations.

I have sat at the bedside of children who died of whooping cough because they were not immunized, but never a person who was immunized. It is a horrible experience to watch a child die for lack of

It is our responsibility as parents to make the right decision for our children who can't make that decision for themselves. When you hear of a family who has had healthy children without having them vaccinated, that has happened, in part, because a majority of their neighbors have done the right thing by vaccinating their children, thus preventing the active disease from circulating in their neighborhood and school. I worry for those children as they get older and are exposed to a less protected world that includes constant influx of disease from other parts of the world as a product of modern transportation.

I don't like seeing a child get poked when they get their vaccines, but I had all of my children vaccinated and I would do it again because it represents the best kind of medicine we've got at a relatively low cost and risk. Once they are protected from some of the new resistant infectious diseases parents won't need to worry about getting caught with a disease in which antibiotics can't touch.

I challenge our community to get the facts on immunizations and question the hyperbole you may get from any individual who may tell you they have the facts when, in fact, they don't.

(Dr. Marshall lives in Lincoln and is the medical director and a family practitioner at Alcona Health Centers.)

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The Huron Shores Ranger Station is requesting your comments on proposed bank stabilization projects along the Pine River.

The Forest Service is proposing to complete up to ten bank stabilization structures to reduce sedimentation and to improve fish habitat along the Pine River system. This work is proposed in Alcona County, T 25N, R 8E Section 8, approximately four miles west of the village of Mikado, MI. Work would be accomplished utilizing hand tools and mechanical equipment.

This project is categorically excluded from documentation in an Environmental Assessment or Environmental Impact Statement under the category described in 36 CFR Part 220(6)(e)(7).

For more information, please contact Paul Thompson at (989) 739-0728 x 3028. Written comments can be mailed to: USDA Forest Service, ATTN: Paul Thompson, 5761 North Skeel Ave, Oscoda, MI 48750; or fax (989) 739-0347, TTY (989) 739-0806. The office hours for comments delivered by hand are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday. Oral comments (in person or by telephone) will also be accepted during those hours. E-mail comments can be sent to pdthompson@fs.fed.us. Comments received in response to this solicitation will become a matter of public record.

This project is not subject to objection before the decision is made, or appeal afterward, due to per 36 CFR 218 (pre-decisional objections) processes.

Organizations Organization Notes



On May 15 and 16 the Michigan FFA Region VI held its 2014 Leadership Camp at Lost Lake Woods Club in Lincoln. The final event of camp was the election and installation of new officers. From the eight delegates that were slated, six were elected and installed. The new regional officers are: President - Morgan Stewart of Alcona FFA; vice president - Andrea Urbach of Ogemaw FFA; secretary - Madison Richards of Wexford-Missaukee FFA; treasurer - Jordan Macheliski of Standish Sterling FFA; Reporter - Erin Fritz of Ogemaw FFA; and Jeremy Lickey of Alcona FFA. The new officers are (from left) Jeremy Lickey, Madison Richards, Morgan Stewart, Andrea Urbach, Jordan Macheliski, and Erin Fritz. *Courtesy photo.*

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The Alcona varsity softball team participated in an "alternative team practice" last Tuesday, when it descended on Sandy Downs' home to rake leaves and spruce up her yard. The "practice" was a way to give back to the community and is an annual event for the softball program. In years past, team members have raked at Jamieson's Nursing Home and shoveled and leveled dirt for Don Franklin. Team members and coaches are pictured with Downs (upper right) after enjoying hot dogs and pop courtesy of Downs in appreciation for their hard work. The team is also promoting "HITS FOR HOPE," by collecting donations for every hit they get this season to support the fight against breast cancer through the Susan G. Komen Foundation. *Courtesy photo.*

For the Week of May 12-18, 2014 Alcona County Sheriff's Report

57 complaints were handled resulting in the following: 2 Arrests; 1 Warrant; 1 Minor in Possession of Alcohol.

Complaint Statistics

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| Car/Deer Accidents | 3 | Property Damage Accident | 4 |
| Miscellaneous | 6 | Dog/Animal | 10 |
| Traffic | 4 | Malicious Destr. of Property | 2 |
| Trespassing | 2 | Alarm | 2 |
| Auto Repossession | 1 | 911 Hang Up | 1 |
| Vehicle ID Inspection | 1 | Patrol Check | 4 |
| Warrant Arrest | 1 | Neighbor Trouble | 1 |
| Minor in Possession | 1 | Salvage Vehicle | 1 |
| Open Door | 1 | Larceny | 2 |
| Fraud | 1 | Medical | 1 |
| Marine | 1 | Lost/Found Property | 1 |
| Fire | 2 | Juvenile | 1 |
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| Greenbush | 3 | Gustin | 0 | Harrisville | 10 |
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Alcona track team hits mark during Regional competition

By Hope Smith
Sportswriter

The Alcona track team departed early Saturday, May 17 for Marion High School to compete in District 4 Regional competition. Athletes from Ewart, Marion, Indian River-Inland Lakes, Fairview, Johannesburg-Lewiston, McBain, Onaway, Pellston, Mio, Rogers City, Gaylord St. Mary, Hillman, Posen and Hale high schools competed.

Like most track meets this season, rain, sleet and snow fell throughout the day making competition tedious and, at times difficult. However, the Tigers kept their focus on the goal of setting personal records for themselves and to qualify for state competition in Hudsonville, Mich. on May 31. Teams and athletes need to finish first or second in their events to qualify for state. Athletes or relay teams finishing third place could qualify for state if they meet the additional qualifying time.

This year Alcona athletes qualified for state in the men's 4x200 relay, pole vault and the open 400 meter dash. On the girls side Alcona will compete in the 4x800 and 4x400 relays, the 800 meter run and two athletes will compete in 400 meter dash.

Overall, the boy's team finished fourth with 45 points and Alcona girls finished sixth with 55 points.

Top finishers for Alcona boys at Marion include:

High Jump: Eighth place - Mitch Havercroft, 5 feet, 4 inches.

Pole Vault: Second place - Garrette Norling, 10 feet, 4 inches.

4x800 Relay: Seventh place - 9:43.41, Schuyler Bates, Ryan Shultz, Brandon Smigelski and Jeffery Schram.

4x200 Relay: First place - 1:37.43, Nick Lamantia, Hunter Sullivan, Norling and Brandon Ritchie.

1600 Meter Run: 10th place - Kyle Thum, 5:12.30.

4x100 Relay: Third place - 46.81, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Havercroft.

400 Meter Dash: Second place - Havercroft, 54.12; eighth place - Smigelski, 59.66.

300 Hurdles: 10th place - Kyle Good, 51.45.

800 Meter Run: 10th place - Schram, 2:24.67; 14th place - Bates, 2:32.61.

200 Meter Dash: Seventh

place - Norling, 25.66.

3200 Meter Run: Ninth place - Thum, 11:36.51.

4x400 Relay: Third place - 3:43.96, Lamantia, Schram, Smigelski and Havercroft.

Top finishers for Alcona girls at Marion include:

4x800 Meter Relay: First place - 10:31.13, Megan Quick, Tori Harmon, Katelyn Nelson and Karina Cole.

4x200 Meter Relay: Fourth place - 1:57.81, Miranda Schalk, Katie Edwards, Harmon and Sydney Pierce.

1600 Meter Run: Third place - Cole, 5:53.09.

4x100 Meter Relay: Fourth place - 56:31, Schalk, Edwards, Harmon and Pierce.

400 Meter Dash: Second place - Quick, 1:02.50; third place - Harmon, 1:02.84.

800 Meter Run: Second place: Quick, 2:32.75.

4x400 Meter Relay: Third place - 4:25.24, Quick, Harmon, Nelson and Cole.

On May 13 the team traveled to Whittemore-Prescott for the Alcona Invitational. The Tigers competed against teams from Pinconning, Hale, Mio and Whittemore-Prescott high schools. Both Alcona teams finished second overall. The boys team scored 90 points and girls team finished with 97 points.

Top finishers for Alcona girls include:

Discus: Sixth place: Harley Lafond - 55 feet, 10.50 inches; seventh place - Sam Schott, 55 feet.

High Jump: Second place - Pierce, 4 feet, 6.10 inches.

Long Jump: Third place - Brooke Shultz, 12 feet, 10.50 inches.

Pole Vault: Second place - Shultz 7 feet.

Shot Put: 10th place - Schott, 20 feet, 3 inches.

4x800 Relay: First place - 10:56.10, Cole, Harmon, Nelson and Quick.

100 Meter Dash: Fourth place - Schalk, 14.74; sixth place - Edwards, 15.40.

200 Meter Dash: Third place - Schalk 30.313; fifth place - Edwards, 31.498.

4x200 Relay: Second place - 1:56.709, Schalk, Edwards, Harmon and Pierce.

1600 Meter Run: First place - Cole, 5:58.64; second place - Nelson, 6:14.57.

4x100 Relay: Third place - 56.172, Schalk, Edwards, Harmon and Pierce.

400 Meter Dash: First place - Quick, 1:03.405; sec-

ond place - Harmon, 1:03.439.

800 Meter Run: First place - Quick, 2:38.571; fourth place - Shultz, 2:55.889.

300 Hurdles: First place - Pierce, 52.305.

3200 Meter Run: Fourth place - Lafond, 15:27.707.

4x400 Relay: First place - 4:29.723, Quick, Harmon, Nelson and Cole.

Top Finishers for Alcona boys:

Discus: Ninth place - Schram, 90 feet, 3 inches.

Shot Put: Third place - Avery Perez, 35 feet, 9.50 inches; 12th place - Isaac Dubuque, 30 feet, 8.75 inches.

High Jump: First place (tie) - Havercroft, 5 feet, 3 inches.

Pole Vault: Second place - Norling, 10 feet.

Long Jump: Fifth place - Bates, 16 feet, 11.50 inches.

4x800 Relay: Fourth place - 9:52.34, Bates, Shultz, Smigelski and Schram.

100 Meter Dash: Fourth place - Lamantia, 12.471; seventh place - Perez, 12.74.

4x200 Relay: First place - 1:39.429, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Norling.

1600 Meter Run: Second place - Thum 5:09.879; fourth place - Bates, 5:31.451; eighth place - Shultz, 6:08.822.

4x100 Relay: First place - 46.767, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Havercroft.

400 Meter Dash: First place - Havercroft, 54.756; fifth place - Smigelski, 59.964; 10th place - Sullivan, 1:04.586.

800 Meter Run: Third place - Schram, 2:23.419; fourth place - Bates 2:29.242; fifth place - Smigelski, 2:31.478; Jacob Stelmochoske, 2:38.802.

200 Meter Dash: First place - Norling, 24.831; second place - Ritchie, 25.281; ninth place - Perez, 26.499.

3200 Meter Run: First place - Thum, 11:25.782; eighth place - Dubuque, 13:35.795.

4x400 Relay: Third place - 3:45.843, Norling, Schram, Smigelski and Havercroft.

Alcona athletes competed in Tawas on May 9 against athletes from Houghton Lake, Tawas and AuGres Sims area schools. The Lady Tigers finished in second place with 121 points and the boys finished third with 83.5 points.

Top finishers for Alcona girls:

Discus: Sixth place - Harley Lafond, 60 feet; ninth place - Schott, 51 feet, 4 inches.

High Jump: Second place - Pierce, 4 feet, 8 inches.

Long Jump: Fourth place - Shultz, 12 feet, 9 inches.

Pole Vault: First place - Shultz, 6 feet, 6 inches.

Shot Put: Eighth place - LaFond, 21 feet, 7.50 inches; Samantha Bosley, 15 feet, 10 inches.

4x800 Relay: First place - 11:04.81, Cole, Harmon, Nelson and Quick.

100 Meter Dash: Fourth place - Schalk, 15.11; sev-



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Source: The National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine

Alcona High School Student Showcase

Alcona High School students entered in the State Industrial Arts competition which was held at Saginaw Valley State University on April 30 through May 3. They were given the following recognition:

- Tristan Gordy - First place.
- Kyle Harmon - First place.
- Cody Franklin - First place.
- Brock Franklin - First place.
- Josh Mead - First place.
- Alec Neumann - First place.
- L.L. Johnson - Best of Show.
- Jeff Schram - First place and Grand Award. (This is for the best woodworking project in the state of Michigan.)
- Dalton VanDenBoom - First place and Divisional Award (runner-up to the Grand Award.)
- Mitchell Havercroft - Second place.
- George Hirschfelt - Second place.
- Jesse Schram - Second place.
- Eric Harmon-Davey - Third place.
- Dakota Oke - Eighth place.
- Schuyler Bates - Honorable Mention.
- Madison Lane - Honorable Mention.
- Brendan Nelson - Honorable Mention.
- Dresden Parkinson - Honorable Mention.
- Alan Pawloski - Honorable Mention.
- Jordan Peterson - Honorable Mention.
- Brandon Ritchie - Honorable Mention.



Christine Schram (left) stands next to her son, Jesse Schram, who built her this queen size platform bed complete with under the bed storage drawers and lighted headboard for Mother's Day. She said Jesse made an accompanying piece of furniture for her last year which matches the bed perfectly.



Dalton VanDenBoom sits at the walnut table with a burl wood pedestal, matching bench and end chairs that he created. The split wood piece he chose for the table top created an interesting dimensional format for inlaid stones and sand. VanDenBoom displayed his table, which won first place in its division at the state competition, along with a story book of photographs explaining how he created the table during the annual Student Showcase of woodworking and art at Alcona High School. *Photos by Mary Weber.*



Jeff Schram (left) stands next to Alcona High School wood shop instructor Chuck Boyer as they show off Schram's ping pong table at the annual Student Showcase at Alcona High School. He won first place for the table in his division as well as an overall first place Grand Excellence Award at the state competition. Schram has already played ping pong on the table and said it not only looks nice, but it's the best table he's ever played on.

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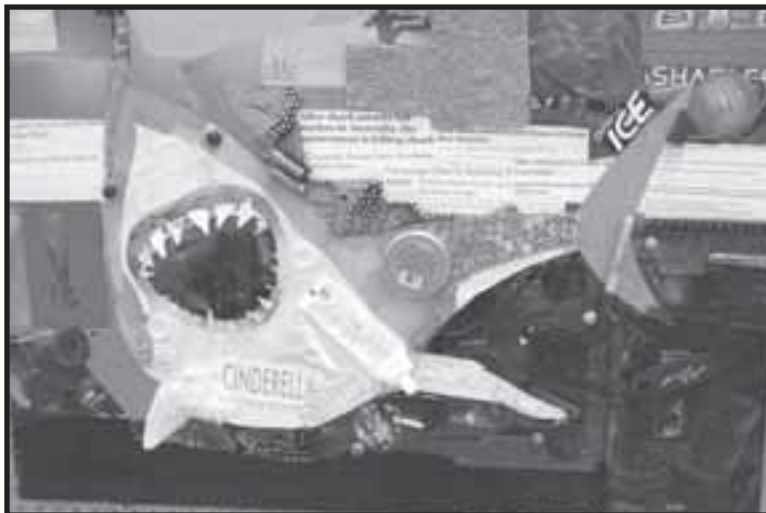
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Katie Zerst, a junior at Alcona High School, displays her junk art shark compiled with scraps of waste a person could find at the beach along with news articles of shark attacks.

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Jessica Grove, a sophomore at Alcona High School, displays her junk art horse compiled of everyday things found in a junk drawer. Visitors at the annual Student Showcase of woodworking and art held at the school last week noted they saw another unique piece of junk whenever they looked at the horse.



Unique pieces of paper mache sculptures were on display like this owl by ninth-grade student Rachel Warner.

Taking great catch-and-release photos

Are you an avid catch-and-release angler? Do you like to take photos of the fish you catch, prior to returning them to the water? Do you know the safest way to take these photos so you ensure the fish can live to be caught another day?

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2. Remember a fish can not breathe out of water, so they will become uncomfortable rather quickly. Keep the fish in the water until your camera is ready to take the shot.

3. Take the photo with the fish fairly close to the water, that way if it squirms out of your hands it will land in the water - not on a hard surface.

4. While holding a fish do not pinch or squeeze it and do not stick your fingers in its gills.

5. Be mindful of the different kinds of fish that have teeth and/or spines that could stick you.

(This tip was adopted from the Take Me Fishing online blog.)

Northeast Lower Peninsula May 15

• **Rogers City:** The few boats starting to head out have caught a couple trout or salmon. The water is still pretty cold. Most are heading south towards Swan Bay, Adams Point and Calcite Harbor but staying inside 30 feet of water. Look for the mud line because that is where the warmer water is. For Atlantic salmon and brown trout, use planer boards with spoons and body baits. For lake trout, try dodgers and spin glows near the bottom out deep or high-lining in shallow waters.

• **Alpena:** Fishing in the bay has picked up with anglers taking a mixed bag of walleye, Chinook, lake trout or the occasional Atlantic salmon. Most are trolling spoons or body baits in less than 30 feet in the early morning or evening. Use bright colors as the water is stained. Hot spots were near the mouth of the Thunder Bay River or in front of the marina. The fish cleaning station is open but the restrooms were not.

• **Thunder Bay River:** Fishing has slowed but anglers may still find a stray walleye or steelhead. Anglers at the dam are catching lots of suckers and the occasional steelhead. It seems the run is just about done.

• **Harrisville:** Fishing is good inside and outside the harbor for walleye and steelhead. Morning and evening were best but don't rule out midday. Spoons and body baits were best but flies and spawn are worth trying.

• **Oscoda:** Pier anglers are catching good numbers of walleye and the occasional Atlantic salmon. Crawlers or body baits worked best.

• **AuSable River:** Steelhead are on the beds and most of the fish seem to be fresh.

High Banks, the Boy Scout Camp and below the dam are holding the most fish. Try spawn, flies or wax worms.

• **Tawas:** Pier anglers are taking Atlantic, Chinook, brown trout and pike outside the wall during the day while night anglers are taking walleye and channel catfish. Minnows and body baits work best. Boat anglers caught good numbers of walleye in 15 to 24 feet between Tawas

Point and Alabaster. Chinook salmon were caught in 30 feet. Walleye have been caught off the mouth of the Tawas River when casting body baits at night.

• **AuGres:** Had excellent walleye fishing between Point Lookout and Point AuGres. Limit catches were taken in 15 to 25 feet.

• **AuGres River:** Night anglers are catching channel cats. A few walleye were

Northeast Michigan

Fishing Report



caught at night near the mouth of Whitney Drain.

(This report has been provided by the DNR Fisheries Division.)

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The Medicare Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) needs volunteers to assist beneficiaries in understanding their Medicare options, enrolling in plans, and completing applications for extra help through the Social Security Administration or Medicare Savings Program

through the Michigan Department of Human Services. In the northeast part of the state there is an immediate need for people interested in helping others make sense of what can be a complicated system. Volunteers are able to have flexible schedules, but are required to volunteer

at least 60 hours a year.

"This is an essential service to beneficiaries who are trying to understand the complexities of the Medicare system," said Susan Eagling Bowen, program coordinator with the Region 9 Area Agency on Aging. "It can be very daunting."

MMAP volunteers are trained to help beneficiaries in a variety of ways, she said. It could be selecting a prescription drug plan, applying for assistance in paying for the Part B premium, or filing an appeal for a denied claim. Another role volunteers assist with is educating the

public about Medicare fraud and abuse and helping beneficiaries file reports of suspected fraud.

"Without new volunteers, the access to this free assistance may be available only on a limited basis to residents in our area," she said.

By recruiting more volunteers the number of beneficiaries receiving the free MMAP service will increase. MMAP volunteers must attend an initial six days of training, complete an open book review and log 18 hours of counseling time before they are certified.

Anyone who likes solving

puzzles, is proficient with Internet research and wants to help people -- this may be the opportunity they've been waiting for. The next free six-day training session will be held in late June-early July in Alpena. For more information about the application process, call Ann Weir, MMAP assistant, at (800) 219-2273 ext. 231, or Susan Bowen, MMAP regional coordinator, at (800) 219-2273, ext. 212. The deadline to apply is May 26.

MMAP is a program of the Region 9 Area Agency on Aging.

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 The Township of Harrisville is accepting applications to fill 2 vacancies for Planning Commission members. The position involves maintaining the Township Ordinances and future planning of the township. For additional information or questions call Chad Spitznagel at (989) 335-1960.
5/14 & 5/21

NOTICE
 The Harrisville Township Planning Commission will hear a request for a variance from Douglas Carpenter, property address 366 N. Huron Terrace Drive, parcel 060-012-100-045-00. This parcel is Zoned R2, General Residential. The request is to build a garage closer to the lot line than the required 10 foot setback. The public meeting will be held at the Harrisville Township Hall June 4, 2014 at 7 p.m. Comments can also be sent to the Township Zoning Administrator.
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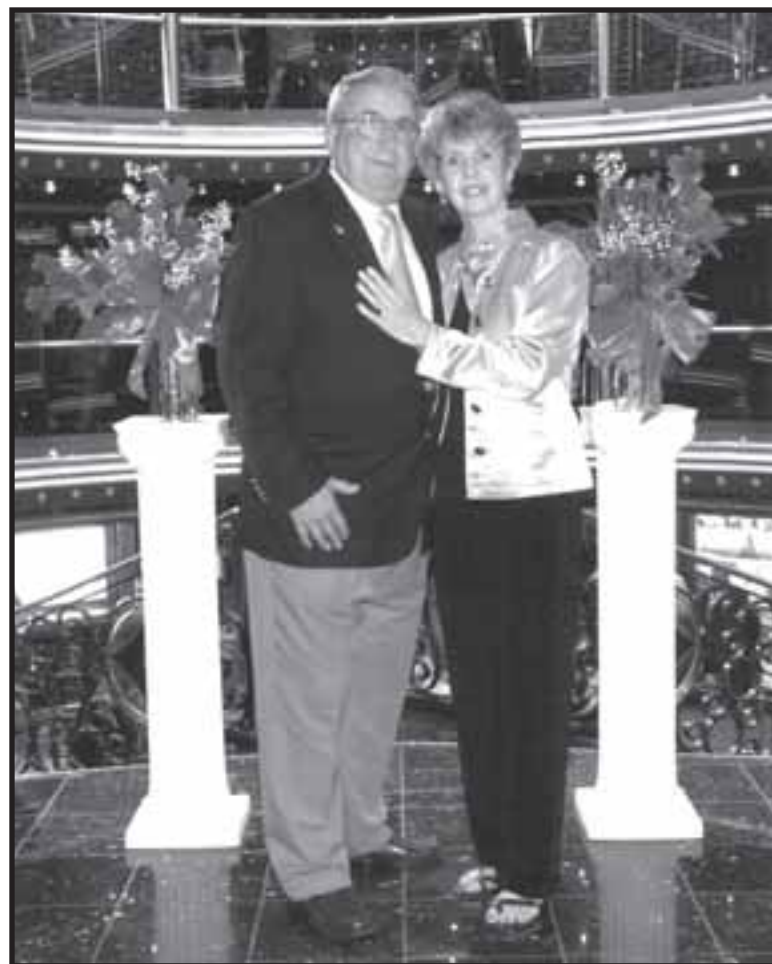
Bennetts celebrate 50th anniversary

Gordon F. and JoAnn (Jones) Bennett III of Black River celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Friday, May 16. They met on November 19, 1963 after Gordon returned home from being stationed in Spain for three years with the U.S. Air Force.

They were married on May 16, 1964 in Belleville, Mich. and lived in the Farming Hills, Mich. area for many years. Gordon worked for General Motors for 33 years. He retired as manager of operations planning in administration and data management of international programs for Chevrolet in July 1993, when they moved to Black River.

He is a member and past president of the Alcona Historical Society and is a co-founding member of the Northeast Michigan Chapter of Safari Club International. He enjoys playing golf and hunting. Joanne enjoys walking, bike riding and spending time with their grandchildren.

They celebrated with their daughter, Jodi (Thomas) Conti of Carlsbad, Calif. and their son, Gordon (Lisa) F. Bennett IV of Dewitt, Mich. They have four grandchildren, Gordon F. Bennett V, Taylor and Madison Bennett and Teagan Conti.



Gordon F. and JoAnn Bennett III

They kicked off their celebration earlier this year in Florida with a dinner party at Silver Spring Country Club. The party will continue with their Michigan family and

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DNR creel clerks to collect angler information in coming months

As this year's open-water fishing season gets started, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) reminds anglers that over the next few months Fisheries Division personnel will be visiting lakes, rivers and Great Lakes ports to collect data about anglers' fishing excursions.

DNR creel clerks will be stationed at boat launches and piers, asking returning anglers questions about their fishing trips. The clerks will collect information on trip length, target species and number of fish caught. In some cases, they may ask to measure or weigh fish and to take scale samples. It usually takes only a couple of minutes to answer the ques-

tions and the DNR appreciated anglers' cooperation. These efforts are part of the DNR's Statewide Angler Survey Program, a long-term monitoring program designed to track recreational fisheries across Michigan's waters of the Great Lakes. This is one of the most comprehensive angler survey programs

in the country, with DNR creel clerks interviewing upwards of 50,000 anglers in most years. "This program helps us gather information that is critical in managing the state's fisheries," said DNR fisheries biologist Tracy Kolb. Anglers may visit the DNR website to see surveys of the

Great Lakes ports from previous years. Data on inland waters also is available on the site.

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Pediatricians explain ear infections in children

The number one reason children visit physicians is due to ear infections, but all pediatric ear, nose, and throat problems rank number one for children's visits to the doctor, according to national health statistics.

Children seem to fall prey to more ear infections than adults because the Eustachian tube, a narrow channel connecting the inside of the ear to the back of the throat which allows fluid to drain from the middle ear, preventing buildup and bursting of

the ear drum. Healthy ears allow the fluid to drain down the tube before swallowing it. An infection occurs when the Eustachian tube fails to do its job by becoming partially blocked, which causes fluid to accumulate in the middle ear, trapping the bacteria.

The problem is that children have shorter, more horizontal, and straighter Eustachian tubes than adults, which allows bacteria to gather quicker and easier, and makes it harder for the ears to clear the fluid. Ear infections can

also be caused by allergies, though not usually in those under the age of two.

The most common type of ear infection, called middle ear infection or otitis media (OM), affects the majority of children. The infection may be caused by bacteria or sometimes by viruses, such as a cold.

"Symptoms may include ear pain, fever, fussiness, and fluid draining from the ear," said Dr. Jonathon Nicholson, board certified pediatrician with Alpena Regional Medical

Center Medical Group Pediatric Associates. "Usually an upper respiratory infection with a runny nose, cough or congestion is present or has recently occurred. In younger children they may tug on the ears."

About 62 percent of children will have their first episode of OM by the age of one, more than 80 percent by their third birthday, and nearly 100 percent will have at least one episode by age five. In the U.S., ear infections account for 25 million annual office visits.

The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) recommends that not all children need antibiotics for their ear infections. In children over age two, who meet certain criteria on exam, the AAP recommends "watchful waiting" where the child is seen again 48 hours after the start of the infection, and only prescribed antibiotics if the infection has not cleared in that time. Up to 50 percent of ear infections will clear on their own in 48 hours, preventing the need to expose the child to antibiotics and their side effects.

"Ear infections that are bacterial are usually treated with antibiotics," Nicholson said. "But too many antibiotics can lead to bacterial resistance, making infections more difficult to treat. If this is the case, then surgery to insert pressure equalizing tubes in the ears is often the next step."

Factors that may cause middle ear infection include:

- Colds, most middle ear infections occur with or soon after a cold;
- Genetic factors - middle ear disease may "run in fami-

lies"; risk may be higher for boys;

• Exposure to tobacco smoke; or using a pacifier may increase the risk.

If ear infections and/or fluid in the middle ear become a chronic problem, it can lead to other issues, like hearing loss or behavior and speech problems. This is when insertion of ear tubes should be considered.

Ear tubes are tiny cylinders placed through the ear drum to allow air into the middle ear, which can reduce the risk of future ear infections, restore hearing loss caused by middle ear fluid, and improve speech problems and balance problems.

There are two basic types of ear tubes, short-term and long-term. Short term tubes are smaller and usually stay in place for six to twelve months before falling out on their own, while long-term tubes are larger and have flanges that secure them in place for a longer period of time.

Every year there are more than half a million ear tube surgeries performed on children, making it the most common childhood surgery performed with anesthesia. Most children are between ages one and three years old when they have the surgery.

After surgery, bed rest is not necessary and your child may resume normal activities 24 hours after surgery. This will ensure that your child has fully recovered from anesthesia. There is usually little or no postoperative pain, but grogginess, irritability, and/or nausea from the anesthesia can occur temporarily.



The Rev. Tom Revoir from Yeshua Loves You ministries of Swartz Creek, Mich., visits downtown Harrisville to bless businesses with his Yemenite shofar made from an African kudu horn. Revoir said the word shofar appears over 70 times in the Bible. "Every time you see the word trumpet or coronet in the Bible it usually means the shofar," Revoir said. He explained something good always seems to happen when the shofar is sounded. Revoir will return to the area on July 16 to speak about the shofar and its link to the Bible at the Solid Rock Church of God on Barlow Road just north of M-72. Photo by Mary Weber.



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Point Wildlife Management Area about 25 miles away in neighboring Tuscola County. The burn boss – Lee Osterland, another FRD fire management specialist – had a crew of 13 on hand to burn about 280 acres of marsh in the area’s refuge. The marsh, long overgrown with cattails and phragmites (an invasive grass), has been scheduled for burns since 2008, but conditions were never right.

The area hadn’t been burned in 25 years and the vegetation was choking out the wetlands. The burn had originally been planned for winter and the DNR Wildlife

the marsh – before setting the larger fire.

The prescribed burn was accomplished in a matter of hours and achieved its objectives, Osterland said.

Fire is a common tool for wetlands management, said Joe Robison, the wildlife biologist who oversees the DNR managed waterfowl areas of southern Michigan.

“Burning is part of our management to eradicate phragmites,” he explained. “We typically spray it, then burn it to get rid of it, then put water on top of it to deter it from growing back. Then we try to keep the water level

but prescribed burns are time, equipment and labor intensive.

“This is a direct result of us being able to direct \$500,000 toward habitat improvement this year,” said Wildlife Division Chief Russ Mason. “And that’s a direct result of the change in the license fee structure.”

Though spring will soon shift into summer, FRD is by no means finished burning for the season.

“We’ve got a lot of burns to do yet,” Osterland said. “We do a lot of burns in the spring – a lot of them call for the burn prior to growing sea-



A Michigan DNR fire officer lays down a “black line” – a fuel-less border of already burned material that will act as a buffer to keep the prescribed burn from spreading. This burn took place at Verona State Game Area, Huron County. *Photos courtesy of Michigan DNR.*

Division crew at Fish Point had sprayed the phragmites and begun pumping water from the wetland in December in preparation for it. Excessive snow and ice made that impossible. The fire wouldn’t burn down to the root stock of the vegetation with the snow cover and the vegetation would just come back in the spring.

Because of residences to the north and adjacent highways, the crew needed a north-to-northwest wind to burn safely without sending too much smoke in the wrong directions, Osterland said.

“We don’t want to impact the local residents or the highways,” he said. “Years ago, the only way we could do this was in the winter because we didn’t have the amphibious equipment we have now.”

Site preparation was similar to those at Verona, but the crew did not need to cut a firebreak as ditches, dikes, roads and open water ringed the perimeter. The crew created black lines along the perimeter – paying special attention to areas around the utility poles that run through

high enough to keep it from coming back and allow the native plant species back in.

“With cattail marshes, sometimes they become a single monoculture,” Robison continued. “It becomes solid cattails. We try to manage them as hemi-marshes – half open water and half vegetation. That’s a great mix for waterfowl for their whole cycles – staging, food availability, nesting and brood-raising.”

Every prescribed burn is different, Robison said.

“There’s no cookbook recipe,” he said. “The habitat manager has to look at it and make a decision on what he’s trying to accomplish.”

It’s been a busy season for FRD fire crews as the division has completed some 54 burns through late April, more than were conducted all of last year. Wildlife Division has more on its wish list,

son. But you have different mixtures of vegetation with cool-season grasses and warm-season grasses responding differently. Sometimes we’ll burn in the summer so we’ll get a little bit different kind of vegetation coming up.

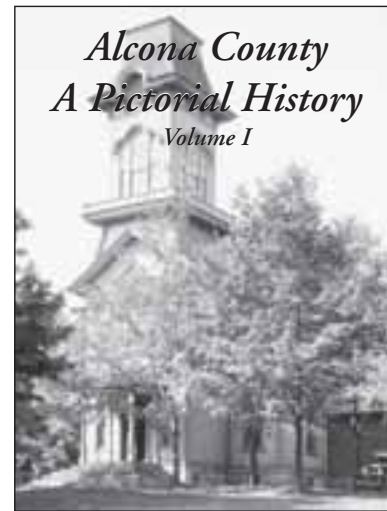
“We conducted late burns in June last year in elk habitat to set back brush.”

Similarly, FRD will be conducting prescribed burns for its own purposes.

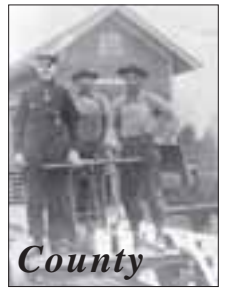
“We often conduct slash fires (from timber sales) during the summer as the debris has dried out and the surrounding greenery makes it easier to control the fire,” Osterland said. “That makes it easier to get the equipment in for planting an area.”

For more information on prescribed burning and the DNR’s Fire Program, visit www.michigan.gov/firemanagement.

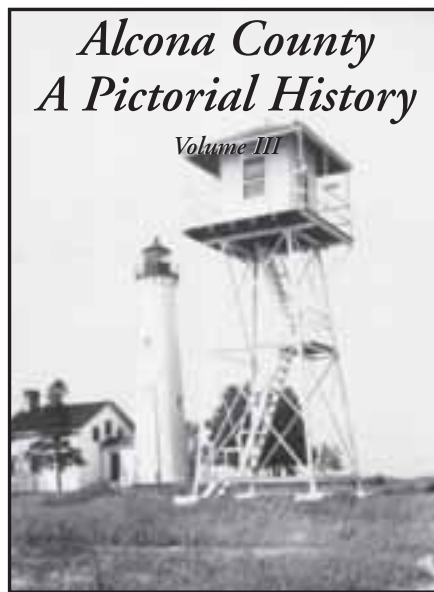
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enth place - Edwards, 15.63.
 200 Meter Dash: Second place - Schalk, 29.53.
 4x200 Relay: Second place - 1:58.83, Schalk, Edwards, Rachel Warner and Pierce.
 1600 Meter Run: Second place - Cole, 6:03.82; third place - Nelson, 6:18.77.
 4x100 Relay: Second place - 57.06, Schalk, Edwards, Warner and Pierce.
 400 Meter Dash: First place - Quick, 1:03.25; second place, Harmon, 1:03.34.
 800 Meter Run: First place - Quick 2:36.31; fourth place - Shultz, 3:08.65.
 300 Hurdles - Second place - Pierce, 53.44.
 3200 Meter Run: Third place - Lafond, 15:38.68.
 4x400 Relay: First place - 4:36.07, Quick, Harmon, Nelson and Cole.
 Top finishers for Alcona boys:
 Discus: Fourth place - Schram, 97 feet, 7 inches.
 Shot Put: Fourth place - Perez, 35 feet, 6 inches; seventh place - Dubuque, 30 feet, 2 inches.
 High Jump: Second place (tie) - Havercroft, 5 feet, 6 inches.
 Pole Vault: First place - Norling, 10 feet.
 Long Jump: Second place - Bates, 17 feet, 4.50 inches.
 Shot Put: Second place - Perez, 35 feet, 5.50 inches; fifth place - Dubuque, 28 feet, 9.50 inches.
 4x800 Relay: Second place - 9:55.17, Bates, Shultz, Smigelski and Schram.
 100 Meter Dash: Fourth place - Ritchie, 12.51; 11th place - Perez, 12.95.
 4x200 Relay: Second place - 1:38.00, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Norling.
 1600 Meter Run: Fourth place - Thum, 5:18.19; seventh place - Bates, 5:38.94; Shultz 6:09.24.
 4x100 Relay: Third place - 47.18, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Havercroft.
 400 Meter Dash: Second place - Havercroft, 55:39; fifth place - Lamantia, 59.21; eighth place - Sullivan, 1:03.43.
 800 Meter Run: Fourth place - Schram, 2:25.30; fifth place - Bates, 2:25.65; eighth place - Smigelski, 2:35.68.
 200 Meter Dash: Fifth place - Norling, 24:68; sixth place - Ritchie, 24.89; 10th place - Perez, 26.98.
 3200 Meter Run: First place - Thum, 11:29.78; eighth place - Dubuque, 12:46.37.
 4x400 Relay: Second place - 3:58.06, Norling, Schram, Smigelski and Havercroft.
 On Tuesday Alcona track teams competed in the North Star League conference meet held at Fairview High School. On Tuesday, May 27 Alcona will take qualifying athletes to compete in the Alpena News Meet of Champions which takes place at Alpena High School.



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