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Tim Hutchinson (10) gets fouled as he goes up for a basket during last week's home loss to Tawas. For the story, see page 8. Photo by Ben Murphy.

# State police to hold presentations on human trafficking across region

Human trafficking is an issue people often associate with other countries; however, within the United States, including Michigan, men, women, and children are forced into prostitution, domestic servitude, and other labor for little or no pay.

Human trafficking is a modern-day form of slavery, and it is the second-largest and fastest-growing criminal industry in the world.

According the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, numan trafficking involves the use of force, fraud, or coercion to obtain some type of labor or commercial sex act. Children are especially at risk, as 40 percent of human trafficking cases involve the sexual exploitation of a

In an effort to raise awareness and combat this emerging crime, the Michigan State Police is stepping up its enforcement and awareness efforts. Presentations will be made throughout northern Michigan during the month of January.

These presentations are open to the public and will be held at the following dates and locations:

- Alcona County: Thursday, Jan. 28 at the Lincoln Senior Center at 6:30 p.m.
  - Alpena County: Monday,

Jan. 25 at the Alpena County Library at noon.

 Montmorency County: Wednesday, Jan. 27 at the Hillman branch of the Montmorency County Library at 1

- Presque Isle County: Tuesday, Jan. 26 at the Rogers City Library at noon.
- · Oscoda County: Thursday, Jan. 21 at the Oscoda

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# Charges pending in mulitple property damage complaints

**By Cheryl Peterson Editor** 

December was not a good month for mailboxes in several areas of the county or school bus tires; the rest of the winter may not be good for three teenagers who may be charged.

According to Sgt. Scott Stephenson, during December 2015, 27 complaints were made to the Alcona County Sheriff's Department regarding the malicious destruction of property to 30 mailboxes and 10 tires on school buses parked at the bus garage during the school's holiday break.

He explained the damaged mailboxes - which appeared to be damaged with a baseball bat — were located in the Lincoln, Black River and north Harrisville areas and spread over the course of several weeks.

Damage to four tires on two buses was reported on December 28. However, damage to six tires on two other buses was found once employees returned to work after the break.

The total amount of damage for all of the mailboxes has yet to be determined, according to Stephenson, but

the damage to the school bus tires came to approximately \$3,600. Additionally, a break in to a garage on Coville Road in Harrisville Township where two snowmobiles were taken, has been added to the list of "charges" three teenage males will face in Alcona County Juvenile Court.

Stephenson said the investigation into the property damage complaints was conducted by Deputy Nate Leeseberg, and the investigation showed that one of the teenagers was allegedly present during all of the incidents and two were allegedly involved in some of the incidents.

The investigation has been concluded and, as of press time, is in the hands of the county prosecutor who will determine applicable charges for two 16-year-olds and one 15-year-old.

Štephenson explained individuals aged 16 and under, who are charged with a crime, appear in juvenile court where a petition is issued (instead of a warrant which is issued for adults) authorizing charges. The process will then proceed through juvenile court similar to when adults go through the court system.

# Hepatitis C; a silent killer

**By Mary Weber** Staff Writer

spite fighting a serious disease that bewildered doctors and remained undiagnosed for decades.

Greg Indish started having symptoms of Hepatitis C nearly 30 years ago. Despite almost dying and having to go through a full liver transplant and a drug trial, Indish is considered clear and cured of the disease and living on what he calls "bonus time."

Hepatitis C, known as HCV or Hep C, is a viral disease transmitted when the blood of an infected person passes into the blood of an uninfected person. It is a slow progressing, silent disease with symptoms that do not appear for years -- if at all. It is serious; Hep C is the number one cause of liver cancer and liver transplants.

bard Lake area in the 1970s energy dropping. The former softball player and coach said he looked healthy and strong, but his energy levels would plummet.

He went to doctors and they found nothing wrong with him, but Indish got sicker and sicker. The disease was taking a toll on his liver; he developed ascites which also went undetected by doctors.

Ascites is the excess build up of fluid, typically in the abdomen, causing the stomach and abdominal area to take on a swollen, balloonlike appearance. It is normally a complication of advanced cirrhosis of the liver.

In Indish's case, the swelling was under his diaphragm below his lungs. He was literally drowning in fluids

Indish moved to the Hub- which doctors couldn't see. I'd sleep more and more. I

A Hubbard Lake man is to run a grinding shop with when the normal pinkish My house was a mess. Things celebrating 60 years of life his dad. It was during this color of the nail plates turns were piling up and I didn't and feeling pretty good, detime when he noticed his mostly opaque white is also a know why. People thought I symptom of liver failure, but again, Indish's symptoms were different. His fingertips became larger. He developed clubbed fingers and his nail beds became distorted. Clubbed fingers is often a symptom of heart and lungs disease caused by low blood levels of oxygen. This was most likely due to the ascites below his lungs. This was also overlooked by doctors.

As he got sicker his work took a toll, "Most people's lungs can tolerate working in a metal shop, but mine couldn't. I'd work for one day and be sick for two," Indish

"I got depressed. My wife left and took the kids. I couldn't work anymore and had to sell the business. The depression just set in worse.

Indish's nails, a condition had diarrhea and no energy. was lazy," Indish said.

Doctors were baffled. His blood work, according to doctors, did not indicate Hep C. Eventually, Indish got so sick and depressed he didn't care if he lived or died. That was when a family member and friend intervened.

He was going in and out of consciousness when his sister and a friend took him to Traverse City, Mich. because the doctors in Alpena didn't seem to have answers for his illness. "I was almost in comatose state, I recall very little, but I did hear a doctor say he wasn't sure if he would be able to keep me alive through the night. That was when I started fighting back," Indish said.

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## **Obituaries**



## Dorothy C. Robere

Dorothy C. Robere, 70, died December 28, 2015 in Bryan,

She was born on January 16, 1945 to John and Helen (Pinder) Sharboneau in Alpena.

She was employed by Armiture Sales in Bryan, Texas for

Mrs. Robere is survived by two daughters, Debbie Macks and Julie (Harry) Summers, both of Bryan, Texas; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; one brother, Keith (Darlene) Sharboneau of Lachine, Mich.; two sisters, Delores Schlicker of Lincoln and Bertha Marshal of Bryan, Texas; one sister-in-law, Karen Sharboneau of Lincoln; Billy Sharp, her companion for 28 years; and his family; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Marjorie Armstrong; and one brother, Dale Sharboneau.

Her body was donated to cancer research science at Texas A & M Cancer Research Foundation. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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## Donald C. Wysong

Donald C. Wysong, 78, of Mikado, formerly of Detroit, Mich. and Taylor, Mich. died on Sunday, Jan. 10, 2016.

He was born January 18, 1937 to Claude Russell and Mary Lucille (Johnston) Wysong in Hamlin, W.Va.

After graduating from high school, he served in the U.S. Air Force. Upon discharge from the Air Force, he went to work for Cadillac Motors in Detroit, Mich. He retired in 1993.

He was a quiet, peaceful man who was dedicated to his family. He loved to walk and watch sports on TV.

Donna Lucille Odell, 78, of Mikado, died on Sunday, Jan. 10, 2016 at home.

She was born July 31, 1937 to Austin and Olive (Procunier) Emerson in Mikado. She was a lifelong resident of the area.

On November 26, 1955 she married Marlin Odell in Lin-

She was a devoted wife and homemaker, and a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado.

Mrs. Odell is survived by her husband, Marlin; two sons, Wayne (Deborah) Odell of Mikado, and Randy (Jackie) Odell of Gaylord, Mich.; four

Alva May Pobanz, 99, of Saginaw, Mich. died on Sunday, Jan. 3, 2016 at Hoyt Nursing and Rehab Center.

She was born on October 1, 1916 to Frederick and Ethel (Wylie) Brandon in Bad Axe, Mich.

She married Thomas Charles Pobanz on June 18, 1938. he predeceased her on November 11, 1996.

Mrs. Pobanz was a member at First United Methodist Church in Saginaw, Mich. She was involved in activities at Mt. Hope Methodist of Detroit, Mich., and three square dancing clubs, and volunteered at the Detroit Re-

Mr. Wyson is survived by two sisters, Mary Jo Clifton of Brooksville, Fla., and Deborah (Michael) London of Mikado; one brother, Richard (Patricia) Wysong of Newport, Mich.; two sisters-inlaw, Mavis Wysong and Patricia Wysong, both of Macomb, Mich.; his dear friend, Jan Bode of Monroe, Mich.; and many nieces and neph-

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Russell "Tom" Wysong and Fred Wysong; and one brother-inlaw, Clayton Clifton.

Cremation arrangements

were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. A memorial service will be held in the spring at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, Mich.

### Donna L. Odell

grandchildren, Shawn Odell, William Odell, Ashely Leask, and Tiffany Schaefer; six great-grandchildren, Taylor Odell, Melayne Odell, Carson Leask, Lilyona Moore, Conner Schaefer, and Ava Schaefer: two sisters. Vivian Thum of Mikado, and Geraldine Lowery of Fredericksburg, Va.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Marsha Odell, on January 11, 2010.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 13 from 2 to 8 p.m. at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. Visitation will continue on Thursday, Jan.

14, at Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado from 11 a.m. until the funeral at noon. The Rev. Tim Steiner and the Rev. Larry Richmond will officiate. Burial will be in Mikado Cemetery in the spring.

#### Alva M. Pobanz

ceiving Hospital. She was active at senior citizens centers in Lincoln, Novi, Mich. and Saginaw, Mich.

She enjoyed camping, traveling, playing card games, reading, University of Michigan football and Detroit Tiger baseball. During the summer months she liked to spend time at the family cottages in Traverse City, Mich. and Lincoln.

Mrs. Pobanz is survived by one son, Ross (Ronnie) Pobanz of Indian River, Mich.; daughter, Bonnie (Patrick) Dole of Saginaw, Mich.; two foster children, Kathy Wat-kins and Margie

Watkins; four grandchildren, Marnie (Mike) Tarhanick, Megan (Nick) Demeester, Laura (Dave) Watenpool, Dennis Dole; five great-grandchildren; and one daughterin-law, Marilyn Pobanz of Ann Arbor, Mich.

She was preceded in death by one son, Thomas Fredrick Pobanz; three brothers and two sisters.

A funeral service was held on January 6 at the W. L. Case and Company Funeral Chapel in Saginaw, Mich. The Rev. Kathryn S. Snedeker officiated. Burial will take place later at Colfax Cemetery, Bad Axe, Mich.

## <u>Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2015-2016</u>

	Weekly Report			Miles Pe	r Hour	
	Temperature (F°)		Water	Av. Wind	High	Dominant
<u>Date</u>	<u>High</u>	Low	<u>Content</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Direction</u>
Jan. 3	33	19	0.00	2.8	26	NNE
Jan. 4	21	4	0.01	7.5	33	NNE
Jan. 5	27	4	0.00	4.1	22	SW
Jan. 6	35	20	0.00	4.0	17	SW
Jan. 7	36	23	0.00	1.0	11	SW
Jan. 8	37	32	0.08	2.6	11	SSW
Jan. 9	39	32	0.24	1.0	13	SSW

Precipitation Summary (Inches)					
Water Content	<u>Snow</u> Fall	Normal Water Content			
0.33	2.0	0.42			
0.33	2.0	0.54			
0.33	20.0	0.54			
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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.)



## **Obituaries**



## Jerry D. Hughes

Jerry D. Hughes, 77, of Spruce, died Monday, Jan. 4, 2016, at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City, Mich.

He was born January 8, 1938 to Johnnie and Ina (Baker) Hughes in Providence, Ky.

He served in the U.S. Army. He married Elizabeth Zonca on April 10, 1964 in Dearborn, Mich.

He was a longtime resident of Spruce, after he re-

tired as a sergeant from the Detroit Police Department in

Mr. Hughes is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; two sons, Ronald (Amy) Hughes of Redford, Mich. and Gregory (Jennifer) Hughes of Royal Oak, Mich.; 10 grandchildren, Ian Hammill, Beccy Hughes, Andrew Hughes, Lauren Hughes, Jack Hughes, Cassidy Hughes, Matthew Hughes, Kaylee

Hughes, Jessilyn Hughes, and Benjamin Hughes; and two brothers, Ronnie (Grace) Hughes of Spruce and Jimmie (Kathy) Hughes of Dallas, Texas.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln. A memorial service will be held this spring at Great Lakes National Cemetery, in Holly, Mich

Bugg of Marysville, Mich.; and

one sister-in-law, Alma

Phinney of Pinconning, Mich.

2, 2005; one daughter, Bonnie Marie Phinney in

1975; and one brother,

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Funeral Home, Lincoln. Pri-

vate services have been held.

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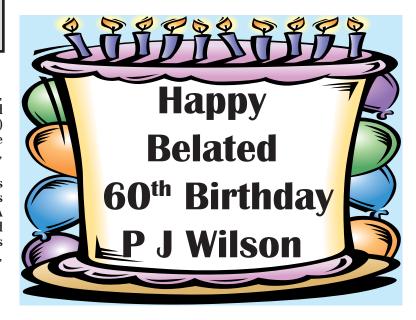
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Cremation arrangements

George Phinney.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marjorie, on June



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### Howard O. Phinney

Howard O. Phinney, 85, of Harrisville, died on Monday, Jan. 4, 2016 at home.

He was born April 8, 1930 to Nelson and Louetta (Rifenbark) Phinney in Barton City. He was a lifelong resident of the area.

He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

On December 23, 1950 he married Marjorie Bugg.

Mr. Phinney worked as an operating engineer and was a member of the Local No. 324 for 65 years.

He was a member of the

Leona E. Summers, 83, of Grand Blanc, Mich., formerly of Oscoda died on Monday, Jan. 4, 2016 at American House in Grand Blanc, Mich.

She was born in Lambertville, Mich. on June 25, 1932, to Henry and Leota (Henning) Hobart.

She married John Summers on August 29, 1953.

Mrs. Summers worked as a waitress and head cook at GMI.

She enjoyed genealogy, hunting, gardening, bird-watching, and stamp and coin collecting. She was a member of three bowling leagues and made cakes all over the world for many years after retirement.

Burger Wiedbrauk VFW Post

No. 8135 in Barton City. He was a talented welder. He enjoyed fabrication and mechanics, especially working on old tractors, and hunting.

Mr. Phinney is survived by three sons, David (Ruth) Phinney of Lincoln, Lester (Wendy) Phinney of Ortonville, Mich., and Melvin (Casie) Phinney of Lincoln; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mick (Howard) Cantrell of Texas, June (Lee) Fisher of Texas, and Audrey

Leona E. Summers

Mrs. Summers is survived by her husban, John; three daughters, Diana (David) Vought, Linda (Rick) Layman and Joanna (John) Kotlarski; two sons, William (Debbie) Summers and Andy (Penny) Summers; 14 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Donald Hobart and Wesley Hobart; and one sister, Helen Hobart.

A funeral was held January 9 at Allen Funeral Home, Davison, Mich., Pastor David Joey Graves officiated. Cremation followed the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.





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## Dennis E. Michaud

Dennis E. Michaud, 71, of Clinton Township, Mich. died on Saturday, Jan. 9, 2016 at Henry Ford Macomb Hospital. He was born March 8, 1944 to John and Myrtle (Polock) Michaud in Detroit, Mich.

He graduated from East Detroit High School in 1962. After graduation he enlised in the U.S. Army.

Following his service, Mr. Michaud became a journeyman tool and die maker.

He married Susan Huggler on June 23, 1975.

While working at Chrysler, he obtained a bachelor's and master's degree from Baker College.

He loved hunting and fishing in northern Michigan (Harrisville), especially with his family. He was a member of the Lincoln Lions, Moose Lodge and Masonic Lodge for many years.

Mr. Michaud is survived by three brothers, Stanley (Gloria) Michaud, Roger Michaud, and Fred (Maryanne) Michaud; four sisters, Bertha (Maynard) McLaughlin, Pat (Tom) Polk, Noreen (Monty) Kruttlin, and Norma (Mark) Charron; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Susan on December 7, 2009.

Visitation is Thursday, Jan. 14 from 3 to 8 p.m. at Kaul Funeral Home, 35201 Garfield, Clinton Township, Mich. Visitation will also be held Saturday, Jan. 16 from 10 a.m. until the time of service at 1 p.m. at Gilles Funeral Home, Lincoln. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery in Alpena.

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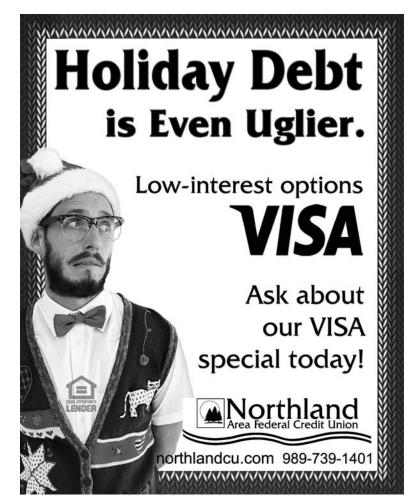
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Adam Hagen, 97 of Hubbard Lake, died on Friday, Jan. 8, 2016 peacefully at home.

He was born in Detroit, Mich. on September 10, 1918 to John and Sophie (Gryciewski) Hagen. He was raised in Hamtramck,

He married Stella Poplawski married on March 16, 1941.

During World War II, he spent four years in the United States Coast Guard, much of that time on the eastern seaboard.

In 1947 Mr. Hagen joined the Detroit Fire Department and served for 31 years retiring in 1978. For almost all of those years, he worked a variety of second jobs to provide a little extra for his family.

After retirement, the Hagens moved to Hubbard Lake where the family had vacationed for 20 years. They enjoyed both summer and winter activities and always looked forward to family visits, especially with their

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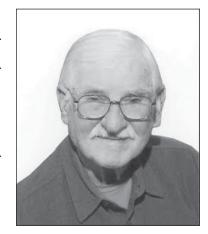
answer

At my famous poetry slam, make each participant eventually take a turn for the verse. Adam Hagen grandchildren.

Mr. Hagen is survived by one son, Donald Hagen of Hubbard Lake; one daughter, Diane (William) Bell of Bonita Springs, Fla.; two granddaughters, Stephanie Hagen of LaJolla, Calif. and Natalie (Stuart) Norris of Boca Raton, Fla.; one grandson, Derek (Lindsay) Bell of Danbury, Conn.; four great grandchildren Bodhi Hagen, Will Noris, Ben Norris and Emmy Bell; and one daughter-in-law, Karen (Norman) Birr of Sterling Heights, Mich.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Stella, on April 8, 2013; one son, David Hagen; two brothers, William Hagen and Walter Hagen; and one sister, Jenny Podgurski.

A private family memorial



service celebrating Mr. Hagen's life will be held this summer, with inurnment in Hubbard Lake Cemetery. Cremation arrangements have been handled by the Bannan Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Michigan

# Letters Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,

In reviewing the past year, and looking toward the future, I am compelled to write and thank everyone in Alcona County for their generous support of My Brother's Hope. We have had challenges in the last year or so, but the community continues to bring the resources needed to continue the work we do. From churches to service organizations and businesses to individual community members, the support that is bestowed is truly amazing.

Support has also come from volunteers that serve on the board, sort and display donations, operate the Free Store and both Pot Luck Cafes, plus the individuals and organizations that provide meals to the Pot Luck Cafes. Organizations have provided volunteers who have done work on the Free Store building, given donations to stock the Free Store, plus financial donations to support the operations of My Brother's Hope and the Toys for Tots program, mowing the lawn, plowing the drive and clearing the sidewalks.

There are so many anonymous donors, like our good samaritan in Hubbard Lake and, the person who plowed my own driveway. Not to mention all the prayers and thank yous we have received.

There are so many thank yous to go around. We are so blessed to network with other organizations as well as the schools in order to help those in the community who need

For those who have read Jan Karon's Mitford series of books, you will recognize the phrase "Mitford takes care of its own." Well, I must say that Alcona County takes care of its own, and I am so honored to be a resident of Alcona County, and have a front row view of the generosity and caring that this county shows every day of the year.

Meg Nisbet Chairman My Brother's Hope



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## 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, JANUARY 13

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Senior Center, 5039 Campbell Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

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

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 14

Computers and Wi-Fi available for seniors from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

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

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:10 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.

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 15

Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

Enjoy popcorn and a movie at 12:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

My Brother's Hope Potluck Cafe-Take 2 will serve a free meal and offer free haircuts from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Raphael's Catholic Church, 2531 East F-30, Mikado. For more information, call (989) 335-3541.

#### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 16**

The Greenbush Historical Society will host a euchre tournament at 6 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall on Campbell Road. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Everyone is wel-

come.

The Selling Saturday January Event will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Harbortown Marketplace, 410 Main Street in Harrisville.

#### **MONDAY, JANUARY 18**

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Treadmill and exercise bike also available.

All ladies are invited to play bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road at 2:30 p.m. Bunco is an easy game to learn, first-timers are always welcome.

#### **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19**

The Alcona Book Club will meet from noon to 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. The selection for January is "Leaving Time" by Jodi Picoult. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Knitting Klub and Crochet will meet from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. All levels welcome. For more information, call (989) 7724-6796

The Sunrise Side Carving Club will meet at 7 p.m. at the AuSable-Oscoda Senior Center, 653 State Street, Oscoda. Anyone interested in wood carving is invited to attend.

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

Euchre players will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Senior Center, 5039 Campbell Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details

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

My Brother's Hope will be accepting donations from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). For more information, call (989) 335-3541.

#### THURSDAY, JANUARY 21

Join fellow comrades at the veteran's coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville. All veterans are welcome.

Alcona retirees will meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass. Everyone is welcome.

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

Free Range Crafts, something new for crafters, will meet from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Bring in your crafts in progress, ideas, and questions to share with others. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:10 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.

Anyone interested in amateur radio emergency and public service communication is invited to attend the meeting of Alcona County Amateur Radio group at 6:30 p.m. at the EMS building located at 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, JANUARY 22

Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

Enjoy popcorn and a movie at 12:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

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• Friday, Jan. 22—Baked fish, red bliss potatoes, winter blend, and tropical fruit. (Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

#### Classic Movie Night

Everyone is invited to a Classic Movie Series using the new big screen and projector provided with a grant from Community Foundation of Northeast Michigan. This month's movie is a Hitchcock classic, based on a book by Daphne DuMaurier. The movie will be shown at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library on Friday, Jan. 22 at 5:45 p.m. Free popcorn and beverages will be provided. For more information and the movie title call (989) 724-6796.

Notes

#### Genealogical Research

On Saturday, Jan. 23 at 1 p.m. a presentation entitled Getting Ready for the One Day Bus Trip to Lansing" will take place at the Alpena County George N. Fletcher Library. This presentation will help to prepare researchers to make the best use of time while at the state archive and library in May. Attendance is free and open to the public. The "One Day Bus Trip" to the state archives and library is planned for May 14; cost is \$39. Both events are sponsored by the Northeast Michigan Genealogical Society. For more information, call (989)



Tamara Quick (left), CANPAC Coordinator receives a donation from Eileen Budnick First Federal Community Foundation board member. The First Federal Community Foundation awarded a \$250 grant this month to the Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention for Alcona County Council (CANPAC) to support the Alcona Family Fun and Safety Day. The grant will go toward expenses designed to educate children and parents on several safety topics, provide free bike helmets to children, free car seat safety checks, and items to support parents and increase protective factors surrounding the prevention of child abuse and neglect. For more information on Alcona Family Fun and Safety Day or to make a dona-tion to CANPAC, contact Quick at (989) 356-2880. The First Federal Community Foundation is dedicated to community activities and the promotion of charitable causes. For more information, visit www.firstfederal.com. Courtesy photo.



## 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.

**Betty Young** 

• Monday, Jan. 18—Baked chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, Brussel sprouts, and peaches.

• Tuesday, Jan. 19-Stuffed green peppers, buttered noodles, wax beans, pea salad, and pears.

• Wednesday, Jan. 20—

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Senior Center at 11:30 a.m.

According to Trooper Ashley Simpson, another way individuals can do their part is by learning the warning signs of possible human trafficking. As noted by the National Human Trafficking Resource Center, some indicators of a potential human trafficking victim include:

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# SENIOR LIFESTYLES

# How to keep tabs on an elderly parent with video monitoring

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Worried Daughters

Dear Worried,

There are lot's of great video monitoring cameras that can help families keep a watchful eye on an elderly parent from afar, but make sure it's okay with your mom first. Many seniors find this type of "I'm watching you" technology to be an invasion of privacy, while others don't mind and even welcome the

With that said, here are some top monitoring devices for keeping tabs on your

As the technology has improved and the costs have

come down, video monitoring/surveillance cameras have become very popular for keeping an eye on your home, business, child or pet (via smartphone, tablet or computer), but they also work well for monitoring an elder loved one who lives alone.

Most home video monitoring cameras today are sleek, small and easy to set up, but do require home Wi-Fi.

Although camera capabilities will vary, the best devices all provide wide-view angles, HD quality video, night vision, built-in motion and sound detection that can notify you when something is happening, and two-way audio that let's you talk and listen.

And, they also offer a video recording option (for an extra fee) that saves past video to a cloud, so you can rewind and review what you missed.

One of the best products available today that does all this and more is the Nest Cam (nest.com), which costs \$199, but if you want their video recording option, it's an extra \$100 per year for a 10-day video history, or \$300/year for 30 days.

Also check out the Piper NV (getpiper.com), which at \$279 - is more expensive than the Nest Cam but allows free Internet cloud storage. And the Simplicam (simplicam.-com), which is the cheapest of the three but the video quality isn't quite as good. They charge \$150 for the camera, or \$200 for the camera plus 24-hour video storage for one year.

If your mom is uncomfortable with video monitoring, and doesn't want you to be able to peek in on her whenever you want, another less invasive option to consider is a "sensor" monitoring sys-

These systems use small wireless sensors (not cameras) placed in key areas of your mom's home that can



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detect changes in her activity patterns, and will notify you via text message, e-mail or phone call if something out of the ordinary is happening.

A great company that offers this technology is Silver (sen.se/silver-Mother mother), which provides small sensors that attach to commonly used household objects like her pillbox, refrigerator door, TV remote, front door, etc.

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## Alcona boys top Rogers City, Fairview

**By Ben Murphy** Sportswriter

The new year started the same way the old one ended for the Alcona boys varsity basketball team -- with a loss to Tawas.

This time the Tigers hosted the Braves, suffering a 54-29 non-conference setback on Tuesday, Jan. 5.

'I just thought we didn't give our best effort and we didn't rebound from our first game against them very well at all," head coach Toby Suttle said. "It was a tough night for everybody, but definitely a learning experience."

The two teams opened with a low-scoring first quarter. Tawas scored the first basket of the game to take a 2-0 lead. Tim Hutchinson hit a three-pointer to give the Tigers a 3-2 lead, though that was Alcona's only points in the first quarter; Tawas led 4-3 at the buzzer.

Hutchinson hit two more threes in the second quarter to take the Tigers to a 12-8 edge. The Braves scored seven straight points to pull ahead 15-12, though a Hunter Sullivan three-ball tied things up at 15-all moments later.

Tawas got the final basket of the half to take a slim 17-15 lead into the break.

"I don't like to use that (long holiday layoff) as an excuse, we just didn't know how to focus on our process I think. What we did in practice didn't translate into the game. After this game we really have to look in the mirror," Suttle said.

Tawas guard Cougar Wallace erupted for five threes in the third quarter, while the Tigers could only get field goals from Nate Swinson and Devon Mills. Three more points on free throws, and the Braves took a daunting 38-22 lead into the fourth.

Wallace hit another three in the fourth quarter but cooled down after that. The Tigers never quite got back into the game. Highlights in the fourth quarter for Alcona included a three by Swinson and two point buckets from Sullivan and Mills.

"We did some things to try and slow him (Wallace) down but the kid just got hot and that was the difference in the game," Suttle said. "Despite the adjustments we made, he continued to knock them down."

Hutchinson hit three shots from behind the long line and finished with a team high 11 points. Swinson had nine points and two three-balls; Sullivan had five points; and Mills netted four.

On Thursday the Tigers played at Rogers City in a North Star League contest, picking up a narrow 49-47 victory.

'We looked in the mirror on Wednesday and said what was going on and why things were working in practice but weren't transferring in games," Suttle said. "It's a tough place to play but we fought the whole night and focused on executing and managed to pull a close one out," Suttle said.

The Hurons actually led 11-8 after the first quarter and clung to a 25-23 lead at the half. By the end of the third the Tigers tied things up at 39-39, and got a late Isaaac Dubuque bucket to

help get the dramatic victory. "Dubuque made a huge

post move for two points that was huge," Suttle said. "Also, throughout the game I thought Jeff Schram really stepped up. He really showed that he understood some concepts and made some key defensive plays. It was just really great to see him succeed.

Alec Link led the Tigers with 13 points. Swinson netted 12 points; Sullivan had 10; and Hutchinson had seven.

The Tigers wrapped up their busy week on Friday with another NSL win, topping host Fairview, 67-45.

Alcona led 16-13 after the first quarter and 32-23 at the half. The Eagles trimmed that lead to 45-39 entering the fourth quarter. The Tigers had their best frame in the fourth, scoring 22 points to pull away for the win.

"We made some real progress in the last few days," Suttle said. "We still have a long way to go, but we definitely took a jump."

**Hutchinson led the Tigers** with 18 points; Swinson had 14; Alex Stephenson scored 12 points; Jordan Steiner had 11; and Devon Mills scored

Alcona (4-3 overall, 4-1 NSL) hosts Whittemore-Prescott on Thursday, Jan. 14 in another NSL contest and hosts Standish-Sterling on Wednesday, Jan. 20 in a nonconference contest.

'Whittemore is a good team and they'll do what they do well, we just need to focus on what we do," Suttle said. "Honestly, I am just focused on our process and I think the kids are too. For every second we think about somebody else, that's the second we are not going to get bet-

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## Lady Tigers dominate Rogers City at home

By Hope Smith

**Sportswriter** 

The Alcona girls varsity basketball team had the home court advantage on Friday, Jan. 8 when they played the Rogers City Hurons for a North Star League contest.

The Lady Tigers wasted little time working both ends of the court to secure a 19-12 lead by the end of the first quarter.

Alcona's early lead was fueled by Lady Tiger Kendra LaFave, but Rogers City rallied back to tie the game twice at 10-10 and again at 12-12 with 1:55 left on the clock.

In the second quarter, the Lady Tigers continued to pressure the Hurons which forced them to either lose control of the ball or turn it over entirely. Alcona's offensive line up pounced at the opportunity to snatch the ball away and extend their lead to 32-20 by the halfway mark.

In the second half, both teams battled to keep possession but Alcona remained focused on offense to increase the 44-31 lead by the sound of the third buzzer. The Lady Tigers remained focused in the fourth quarter and outscored the Hurons 22-13, to take home the 62-44 victory.

"It was an awesome team effort for us tonight. The early outside shooting attack by Kendra opened up the floor and gave us a lot of inside looks," said coach Brad Cole.

"Our defense is continuing to improve."

Torie Harmon was unstoppable; she scored 10 points, made seven assists, snatched five steals and made three blocks. Kendra LaFave was high scorer with 21 points and grabbed six steals. Brittany Decker made 10 points, pulled down eight rebounds, and provided three assists. Taylor Livingston added eight points. Madison Lane and Brooke Shultz each had four points.

On January 4 Alcona traveled to Tawas for the second game this season against the Braves. The Lady Tigers were hoping to avenge their earlier loss against the Braves back in December.

Unfortunately, the last few minutes of the game made all the difference in this contest. Alcona pulled together in the first quarter to keep a narrow 14-12 lead but Tawas battled back on offense in the second quarter to tie game 26-26 going into halftime. After the break Alcona stayed within striking distance, but the Braves proved they weren't going away easily -- they tied the game at 38-38 heading into the final

The Lady Tigers came up short offensively as they were outscored 25-14 in the final period and Tawas came away with a 63-52 win.

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ball for the whole game except for one minute and 32 seconds. We were tied and had just a little lapse in our defense that allowed them a 10 point lead. My team played very hard tonight," Cole said.

LaFave led Alcona with 13 points. Decker had a double-

double with 11 points and 10 rebounds. Harmon stepped up with 11 points, 12 assists, six rebounds and three blocks. Sydney Pierce added six points, Livingston had four points and five rebounds. Alissa Terpstra made three points and grabbed five rebounds.

The junior varsity team had a 25-20 win over Tawas.

Alcona traveled to Hillman Tuesday, Jan. 12 to take on the Tigers and will head to Whittemore-Prescott on Friday, Jan. 15 to go up against the Cardinals. The Lady Tigers will play at home against Oscoda on January 21.

## Alcona County Sheriff's Report For the Week of January 4 - 10, 2016

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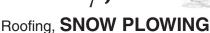
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#### Hep C Continued from page 1

He said three doctors conferred and finally figured out what was going on and diagnosed him with Hep C. Indish said they pulled two and a half liters of substance from under his lungs, which, with the aid of oxygen, helped him to breath and saved his life.

After he started to recover, Indish began the process to qualify for a liver transplant.

After two months, Indish qualified to be put on the list. Diagnosed with type 1A Hep C, the most dangerous and hardest to treat type of Hep C, Indish began therapy treatment with Interferon and Ribavirin. "The treatment causes most people to get incredibly sick, but my liver was so far gone it could have been just water they gave me and it had about the same affect," Indish said.

For the next year Indish went through a hell he said no one should have to go through. He suffered severe diarrhea and had to wear an adult diaper. "Your liver doesn't hurt, but everything else does. The liver doesn't feel pain but as it gets cerotic it hardens and expands squeezing all the rest of the organs. I had flu like symptoms of extreme achenes all over all the time. I was a 50 year old man wearing Depends," Indish said. He also became diabetic because of the affects his liver had on his pancreas.

Toward the end of the year doctors informed him he had only about another month left before he would be too weak to survive a transplant. The demand for transplantable livers is very high as there are very few donors. Five weeks later they found a liver for Indish and, luckily, he was still in acceptable condition to get the transplant.

"I'm a very fortunate man. Someone died and their family grieved so I could live and my family could rejoice. It was a blind transplant, but I'd like to know who my donor was, I'd like to thank that family," Indish said. Doctors found three spots of cancer on his diseased liver when they did the transplant.

Indish takes 23 pills a day so his body doesn't reject his new liver. The best was yet to come, however. Through Henry Ford Hospital, where Indish received his transplant, he was able to get on a drug trial for a possible cure for Hep C.

They put him on a regimen of Harvoni, a pill Indish took once a day for 24 weeks, to clear his Hep C. Although the hospital said Indish is cured of Hep C he is still not sure if the disease will come back or not.

To this day, Indish is not sure how he got Hep C. He explained anyone can get it through a variety of ways as the virus stays alive for seven days outside the body. He is still very careful to put away things like razors, nail clippers, his toothbrush and even his hair brush so no one else could possibly be infected with the disease.

"I lost my wife, my kids, my business. Now I'm disabled. I can't work. The depression was strong, people don't understand depression. It is utterly impossible to pick yourself up by the bootstraps, you don't have any bootstraps," Indish said. He is getting better but there is no way he could work for a full week not knowing how he'll feel one day to the next and being prone for infection.

"People thought I was lazy, they didn't understand. Take a look around. We have to get off our high horse and show compassion to all. This disease shouldn't happen to anyone. People have no concept of what Hep C patients go through. I don't want anyone feeling sorry for me; I'm not talking about it because I want a pat on the back. I'm talking because I want others to know about the disease and that help is available," Indish said.

Indish declined having his picture taken because he feels the disease is faceless and can affect anyone.

Hep C affects about 3.5 million people in the United States, many of which, like Indish, are baby boomers, born between 1945 and 1965.

For more information on Hepatitis C visit www.-hepchope.com.

# **Organization** Notes

River Aux Sables Chapter, DAR

Daughters of the American Revolution, and husbands who served in the Vietnam era, met at the Willow Tree Restaurant in December 2015 to honor family members who served in the Vietnam era with certificates of thanks for their service to our country from the DAR Chapter in this 50th Anniversary year.

Speaker for the afternoon was Bruce Guy, director of the Gladwin County Libraries, and military historian. He shared some of his experiences during the Gulf War

River Aux Sables Chapter and what he went through at the age of 31 in basic training, when the majority of the soldiers he trained with were 18 to 21 years old.

He also shared pictures of some of the soldiers who are listed on the Vietnam wall from the various counties where chapter members live. The Michigan Vietnam wall is scheduled to be in Oscoda at the Memorial Park in July 2016. This helped put faces to some of the names on those honored memorial walls.

The next meeting will be in March to honor good citizens.

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## Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



## D. & M. ticket office unlocked and till forced during supper hour

day evening during the hour when Station Agent Green and Freight Agent Colwell were at supper, someone unlocked the door of the ticket office at the D. & M. station, pried open the till and secured about \$35 cash. A revolver belonging to Mr. Green was taken from a drawer.

The crime was committed,

evidently, by someone who was thoroughly familiar with the office and knew just the right time to do the job. The office was left alone less than an hour.

Mr. Colwell returned to the office at 6:45. He found the door locked securely, but on entering discovered the till twisted off and the money gone.

It later developed that the robber had gone into the baggage room which opens off from the ticket office, and took some tools that were there. With these he pried open the till and made good his escape. As yet there is no clue to the perpetrator of the deed. Detective Wyman has the matter in hand and will give the criminal a lively chase.

## Natural toboggan slide found in Alcona County

January 16, 1936 - At the River road, about one mile or last meeting of the Alcona County Chamber of Commerce, a committee consisting of KiKi Cuyler and Dr. Ivan Downing, was appointed to locate in the county, a possible hill for the use as a toboggan slide.

Wednesday, they found that on the new shore road pavement, north of the Black one mile south of the present pavement on US-23 south of Alpena, was a natural hill for that purpose and the county road commission has promised to plow it out for us Sunday of this week, so every interested winter sports fan be on hand with your toboggan, and sleds, for the time of your life.

Seek work on

Alcona shore

road link south

Ask 5 miles

south of

Harrisville on

priority list

**January 16, 1936** - State

Rep. Henry Douville was in

Harrisville today in confer-

ence with the Alcona County

Road Commission on a plan

for presentation to the State

**Highway Department asking** 

that the construction of the

pavement from Harrisville

south to be placed on the

priority list for completion

early In the summer. The

project is approximately five

completion of this stretch of

pavement, will mean that

there will be only 12 miles of

gravel highway between Al-

pena and Detroit. People go-

ing to Detroit will travel on

pavement from Alpena to a

five miles south of Harris-

ville, where they will take the

present highway M-72 to US-

pleted by July 1 it will mean

that all of the highway north

of Harrisvile to Roe's Comer

can be utilized during the early summer when tourist

If the project is delayed

until late summer it will mean

that the pavement from Harrisville north, will be used

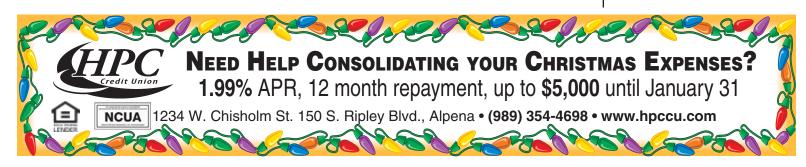
only by local residents and the bulk of the tourists will

traffic is at its height.

23 just north of Oscoda. Should the project be com-

Under the plan of Mr. Douville, which calls for early

miles in length.



## Alcona Review Weather Report

#### **Seven Day Forecast**



WEDNESDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 18 Low: 11



**THURSDAY** Mostly Cloudy High: 26 Low: 22



**FRIDAY** Cloudy High: 33 Low: 26



**SATURDAY** Cloudy High: 31 Low: 19



**SUNDAY** Cloudy High: 24 Low: 15



**MONDAY** Mostly Cloudy High: 18 Low: 10



**TUESDAY** Partly Cloudy High: 25 Low: 11

## Vanderbilt 14/10 Harrisville Lewiston 18/11 Kinde Harrison 17413 15/10

<u>Day</u>

Wednesday

Thursday

Saturday

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Friday

Today's Regional Map

## Jan. 13, 2016 In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 18°, humidity of 79%. West wind 10 to 15 mph. The record high temperature for today is 51° set in 1961. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 11°. The record low for tonight is -17° set in 1977. Thursday, skies will be mostly cloudy with

a high temperature of 26°.

\*Last Week's Almanac **Date** <u>Hi</u> <u>Lo</u> **Normals Precip** Monday 19 -7 27/11 0.01" 28 -10 27/11 0.00" Tuesday 38 16 27/11 0.00" Wednesday 39 25 Thursday 26/11 0.00" 40 33 26/11 0.07" Friday 40 31 0.27" 26/10 Saturday 30 14 26/10 0.26" Sunday

	*Data	as reported from Alper	na, MI			
Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week						
<u>Sunrise</u>	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset			
8:07 a.m.	5:16 p.m.	10:12 a.m.	9:48 p.m.			
8:06 a.m.	5:17 p.m.	10:46 a.m.	10:59 p.m.			
8:06 a.m.	5:19 p.m.	11:19 a.m.	Next Day			
8:05 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	11:52 a.m.	12:10 a.m.			
8:05 a.m.	5:21 p.m.	12:28 p.m.	1:20 a.m.			



Last

New

## **Local UV Index**



#### **UV** Index

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

### Tonight's Planets

	Rise	<u>Set</u>
Mercury	8:03 a.m.	5:33 p.m.
Venus	5:36 a.m.	n/a
Mars	2:03 a.m.	12:33 p.m.
Jupiter	10:19 p.m.	10:59 a.m.
Saturn	5:12 a.m.	2:23 p.m.
Uranus	11:38 a.m.	12:34 a.m.

Full

1/23

The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with isolated snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 80° in Potomac, Md. The Southeast will see mostly clear skies today, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few showers Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 74° in North Perry, Fla.

1:07 p.m.

1:50 p.m.

The Northwest will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies with scattered rain and snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 49° in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 63° in Phoenix, Ariz.

5:22 p.m.

5:24 p.m.

**National Weather Summary This Week** 

8:04 a.m.

8:03 a.m.

#### **Weather History**

Jan. 13, 1888 - The mercury plunged to 65 degrees below zero at Fort Keough, located near Miles City, Mont. The reading stood as a record for the entire continental United States for 66 years.

#### **Weather Trivia**

2:30 a.m.

3:38 a.m.

What is brontophobia?

Answer: It is the fear of thunder.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Sisters All Aglow in the Frosty Night

🙏 · We had several clear, chilly nights last week, and on the coldest evening, January 4, I had a telescope in the front yard to view the early winter scenery. One

of the hallmarks of late fall and winter is the Pleiades or Seven Sisters, a wispy, gossamer cluster of stars that looks like a small exhalation of breath against the frosty night. If you trace the three belt stars of Orion up and to the right, you'll pass orangey Aldebaran (last week's StarWatch), and continue in the same direction to intersect the Seven Sisters. Looking at them with averted vision, the glow will seem to pop, and you'll probably be able to observe half a dozen stars or so. That's because you're looking at the cluster with the rods of your eyes which are more sensitive to light, but less to color and visual acuity. The Pleiades are similar to the Orion Nebula, only 100 million years into the future, a grouping still in its infancy compared to the sun. There are over 1000 members, but it's the 14 young, hot blue stars that cause the Sisters to be visible against the velvety night. Because the cluster is close to us, it appears huge, about three lunar diameters across. That makes it difficult to view in its entirety through most telescopes, but the Sisters become one of the most cherished targets to observe through binoculars. If you view them, know that the photons of light entering your eyes departed from the Pleiades about the same time that Hans Lippershey (1608) invented the telescope, and Galileo Galilei first observed and sketched them (1609-10). To the left of the Pleiades is Auriga the Charioteer, with white Capella about 42 light years in distance, the sixth brightest luminary of the night. Stars, like Capella and our own sun, were born in clusters like the Orion Nebula and the Pleiades eons ago. Most clusters dissipate with the Pleiades being no exception. In about 250 million years they will have evaporated, their members orbiting solo around the Milky Way just like our sun. www.astronomy.org

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# Trivia Test By Fifi Rodriguez

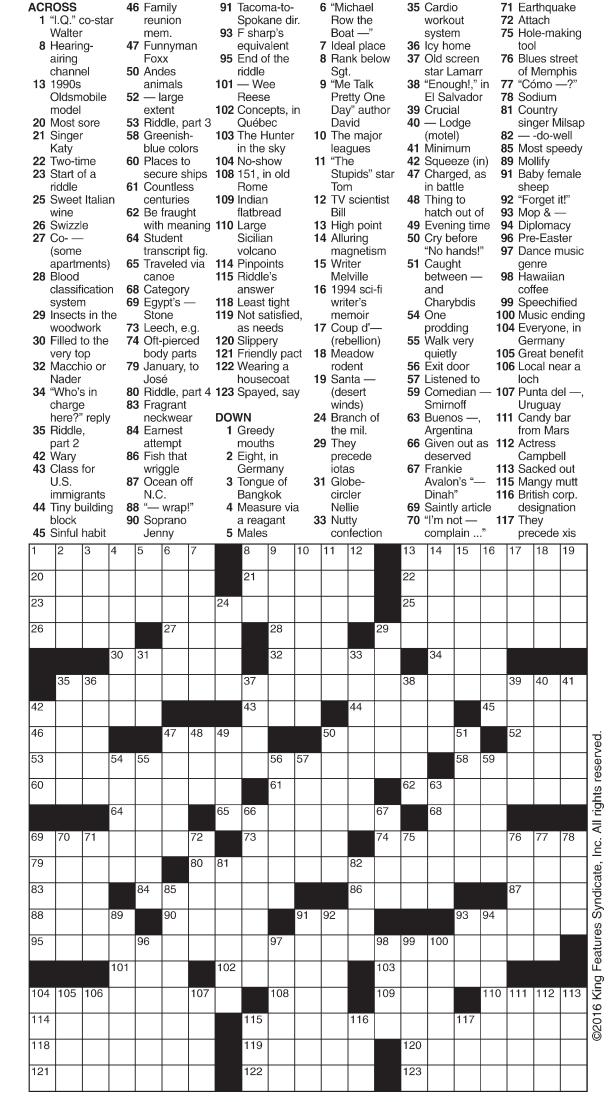


- 1. GEOGRAPHY: Which U.S. state lies east of Indiana?
- **2. MYTHOLOGY:** In Roman mythology, Neptune is the equivalent of which Greek god?
- **3. COMICS:** In what year did detective Dick Tracy make his debut in a comic strip?
- 4. HISTORY: How many presidents have served more than two terms of office?
- **5. MOVIES:** What was the first Pixar film to receive a PG rating?
- **6. LITERATURE:** Who wrote the children's book "Black Beauty"?
- **7. CHEMISTRY:** What is the Periodic Table symbol for the element iron?
- **8. AD SLOGANS:** What 1960s and '70s aftershave warned consumers to "be careful how you use it"?
- 9. LANGUAGE: What is a ewer?
- 10. MEDICAL: What part of the body does Bell's palsy affect?

**Answers:** 1. Ohio; 2. Poseidon; 3. 1931; 4. One -- Franklin D. Roosevelt; 5. "The Incredibles"; 6. Anna Sewell; 7. Fe; 8. Hai Karate; 9. A vase-shaped pitcher or jug; 10. The face (c) 2016 King Features Synd., Inc.

## **Super** Crossword

### KID-LIT QUACK



# **Homents In Time** *The History Channel*

• On Jan. 26, 1500, Spanish explorer Vicente Yanez Pinzon, who had commanded the Nina during Christopher Columbus' first expedition to the New World, sights the coast of Brazil during a voyage under his command, the first European explorer to do so.

• On Jan. 25, 1759, Scottish poet Robert Burns is born. The day is still celebrated by Burns fans with high-spirited "Robert Burns Night" feasts, featuring haggis and other Scottish delicacies, as well as enthusiastic drinking, toasting

and speechmaking.

• On Jan. 29, 1936, in Cooperstown, New York, the Baseball Hall of Fame elects its first members: Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, Honus Wagner, Christy Matthewson and Walter Johnson. Today it has elected 278 individuals, including 225 players, 17 managers, eight umpires and 28 executives and pioneers.

• On Jan. 30, 1948, Mohandas Gandhi, the world's chief advocate of non-violence, is assassinated in New Delhi, India. Assassin Nathuram Godse was hanged in 1949 against the wishes of Gandhi's sons, who argued that the execution stood against everything Gandhi believed in.

• On Jan. 31, 1950, President Harry Truman publicly announces his decision to support development of the hydrogen bomb. The discovery of a Soviet spy in the U.S. nuclear program forced Truman to approve massive funding to build the world's first "superbomb."

• On Jan. 27, 1965, the Shelby Mustang GT 350 is launched. The Shelby, a Mustang modified for racing, featured a 306 horsepower V-8 engine and today is a valuable collector car.

• On Jan. 28, 1973, a cease-fire goes into effect in Saigon, Vietnam, but military operations quickly resumed after each side claimed the other had violated the truce. What resulted was an almost endless chain of retaliations, averaging 2,980 combat incidents per month.

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# Strange But True By Samantha Weaver

• It was 20th-century British journalist, travel writer and literary critic Dame Rebecca West who made the following sage observation: "I myself have never been able to find out precisely what feminism is: I only know that people call me a feminist whenever I express sentiments that differentiate me from a doormat."

• The infamous Ouija board may be surrounded by controversy, but the origin of its name is not mysterious; the creators simply combined the French word for "yes" -- "oui" -- with the German affirmative -- "ja."

• Everybody is afraid of something, right? And whatever the fear, there's doubtless a name for it. For example, erythrophones are afraid of blushing, peccatophobes are afraid of sinning, and aichmophobes are afraid of needles. If you're afraid of going insane, you're lyssophobic; if it's disease that frightens you, you're nosophobic; cremnophobia is a fear or precipices. There's even a word to describe the fear of peanut butter sticking to the roof of your mouth: arachibutyrophobia. And finally, you may at this point be suffering from sesquipedalophobia -- the fear of long words.

• Located in the Sierras at 8,000 feet above sea level, the town of Bodie was once the second-biggest city in California. These days, it's deserted for most of the year, but every summer more than 200,000 people travel to the upper altitudes just to see the slowly decaying town, hoping to catch a glimpse of one of the ghosts that reputedly inhabit every crumbling building that remains.

• Alcoholic beverages are pretty widespread across cultures. There's even a recipe for Eskimo wine: "Put a seagull in a bottle. Fill with water. Let it ferment in the sun."

Thought for the Day: "We're in the same tent as the clowns and the freaks -- that's show business." -- Edward R. Murrow (c) 2016 King Features Synd., Inc.

## **CryptoQuip**

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: **S** equals **T** 

ES RT HERQNY KQMSWT YOER, F
REDM MEZU KEWSFZFKECS
MJMCSNEOOT SEDM E SNWC
HQW SUM JMWYM.

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2004 and recorded on August 06,

2004 at Liber 404, pages 912-

914, Alcona County records,

modified on September 04, 2009

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2009 at Liber 465, pages 497-

499, Alcona County records,

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and recorded on November 28,

2011 at Liber 483, pages 873-

876, Alcona County records,

modified on February 27, 2015

and recorded on March 02, 2015

at Liber 513, pages 582-584, Al-

There is claimed to be due on the

mortgage at the date of this no-

tice, for principal, interest, and

other items paid as allowed by

the mortgage, the sum of

\$103,520.60 and no proceedings

cona County records.

Mich. 49707.

Liber 467, page 764, Alcona County records, and further modified in home affordable modification agreement dated June 24, 2015, and recorded July 7, 2015 in Liber 516, page 381, Alcona County records of Alcona Records, which said mortgage was assigned to Independent Bank, thru mesne assignments, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal of \$110,486.62 (one hundred ten thousand four hundred eighty-six and 62/100) plus accrued interest at 4.125 percent (four point one two five) percent per annum. And no suit proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said

mortgage, and pursuant to the

80/100 (\$56,585.80) including

interest at the rate of 4.87500

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

venue, at the place of holding the

circuit court in said Alcona County,

where the premises to be sold or

some part of them are situated, at

Said premises are situated in the

township of Mikado, Alcona

County, Michigan, and are de-

scribed as: Part of the northeast

quarter of southeast quarter of

Section 23, Town 25 North, Range

8 East, Mikado Township, de-

scribed as commencing 165 feet

west of the northeast corner of

the northeast quarter of the south-

east quarter thereof; thence south

the debt secured thereby. The

power of sale contained in the

mortgage has now become op-

Notice is hereby given that, by

virtue of the power of sale con-

tained in the mortgage and pur-

suant to the applicable foreclo-

sure statute, the mortgage will be

foreclosed by a sale of the prop-

erty described below at public

auction to the highest bidder at

the Alcona County Courthouse

at 214 West Main Street, Harris-

ville, Mich. 48740 on Wednes-

day, January 20, 2015 at 10 a.m.

The property will be sold to pay

the amount due on the mortgage

with 8.875 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

Situated in Caledonia Township,

Alcona County, state of Michi-

gan: Being the south 50 feet of

lots 62 and 65 and a part of the

south 50 feet of lot 61 of Tollson

Subdivision, according to the plat

thereof, as recorded in Liber 1 of

erative.

10 a.m. on January 20, 2016.

percent per annum.

statue of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on, the 20th day of January, 2016, at 10 a.m. said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Curtis, in the county of Alcona and state of Michigan and described as follows to wit: Situated in the township of Curtis, county of Alcona and state of Michigan: Lot 18, Block 1 of North Lake Woods Subdivision, Curtis Township, Alcona County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof as recorded

in Liber 1 of Plats, page 150,

132 feet; thence west 165 feet;

thence north 132 feet; thence

east 165 feet to the point of be-

ginning. Commonly known as:

3754 S F-41, Mikado, Mich.

If the property is eventually sold

at foreclosure sale, the redemp-

tion period will be six months

from the date of sale unless the

property is abandoned or used

for agricultural purposes. If the

property is determined aban-

doned in accordance with MCL

600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the

redemption period will be 30 days

from the date of sale, or 15 days

after statutory notice, whichever

is later. If the property is pre-

sumed to be used for agricultural

purposes prior to the date of the

foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL

600.3240, the redemption period

Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the

property is sold at a foreclosure

Plats, page 197, Alcona County

records, and a part of the south 1/2

of Section 13, T28N, R7E, de-

scribed as: Commencing at the

east 1/4 corner of Section 13,

T28N, R7E; thence S02°50'49"W

866.37 feet along the east line of

Section 13 and Hubbard Lake

Road; thence N88°52'40"W 33.02

feet to the southeast corner of

Tollson Subdivision, the point of

beginning; thence S02°50'49"W

100.00 feet along the west 66

foot right of way line of Hubbard

Lake Road; thence N88°52'40"W

290.00 feet; thence N02°50'49"E

150.00 feet to the north line of the

south 50 feet of Tollson Subdivi-

sion; thence S88°52'40"E 290.00

feet along the north line of the

south 50 feet of Tollson Subdivi-

sion to the west 66 foot right of

way line of Hubbard Lake Road;

S02°50'49"W 50.00 feet along

the west 66 foot right of way line

of Hubbard Lake Road to the

point of beginning. Subject to any

part thereof that may be used for

Bearing a certain 2004 Hart

manufactured home bearing se-

road right of way purposes.

thence

is one year.

Alcona County records. Commonly known as: 2969 Lakeshore Dr. Tax Parcel No.: 032-185-001-018-00

If the property is sold at a foreclosure sale the borrower, pursuant to MCLA 600.3278 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.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a.

Dated: December 23, 2015 By: Foreclosing Attorneys Attorney for Plaintiff Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A. 2155 Butterfield Drive, Suite 200-S Troy, MI 48084

WWR# 10138659

12-23, 12-30, 1-6, 1-13

sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

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

Dated: December 23, 2015 Randall S. Miller & Associates,

Attorneys for United States of America acting through the Rural Housing Service or successor agency, United States Department of Agriculture 43252 Woodward Ave., Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 (248) 335-9200 Case No. 15MI01455-1

12-23, 12-30, 1-6, 1-13

rial number HH11896, model number 419. Together with all tenements, her-

editaments and appurtenances

now or hereafter hereunto. 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: December 23, 2015

Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union. Mortgagee Daniel W. White

Attorney for Mortgagee 313 North Second Avenue Alpena, MI 49707 989-354-4104 12-23, 12-30, 1-6, 1-13

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Decedent's Estate/Trust Estate of Howard O. Phinney, deceased.

Date of birth April 8, 1930, and the Howard O. Phinney and Marjorie H. Phinney Trust dated December 2, 2000, as amended. To all creditors:

Notice to creditors: The decedent, Howard O. Phinney, who lived at 146 S. Mikado Road, Harrisville, Mich. 48740, died January 4, 2016. No probate file was opened with respect to the estate of the decedent as there were no assets requiring admin-

as follows:

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate and/or the Howard O. Phinney and Marjorie H. Phinney Trust will be forever barred unless presented to Alan J. Stephenson as Successor Trustee of the Howard O. Phinney and Marjorie H. Phinney Trust, or to both, the probate court at County Building, P.O. Box 328, 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the Trustee within four (4) months after the date of pub-

lication of this notice. Date: January 7, 2016 Robert K. Myles, P.C. P36055 109 South State Street Oscoda, Mich. 48750

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#### VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, Jan. 4 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those in attendance included: President Phillip Jordan, clerk Linda Somers, assistant clerk/treasurer Holly Hussain and council members, Bonny Gauthier, Sara Healy, Richard Somers and John Stutzman. Absent were treasurer Mary Kossa and council member Patricia Somers. Also present were attorney David Cook and guests.

The minutes of the December 2015 meeting were approved on a motion from Gauthier with support from Stutzman. A letter of resignation was read from treasurer Mary Kossa effective January 4, 2016. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Gauthier, to accept the resignation with regret. Motion carried. A motion was made by Gauthier, with support from Healy, to appoint Holly Hussain in as treasurer for the Village of Lincoln. Carried.

Attorney Cook swore Amanda Zielinski in as a new council member and Holly Hussain as village treasurer. President Jordan welcomed both ladies. No treasurer's report was given due to the situation that has occurred. Holly and Linda will be working to get everything up to speed as soon as possible. A motion was made by Gauthier to have all the signature cards changed at the bank and credit union to remove Mary's name and add Holly's name. Additionally, anything else that needs to have signature or name changes including the safety deposit box, credit card, website et cetera will be taken care of. Support came from Healy. Carried.

Mike Serafin gave the fire department/first responder report. He gave an overview of all the month's activities. He presented Kristen Hoffman for consideration as a new fire fighter/first responder. A motion was made by Healy, with support from Gauthier, to accept Kristen Hoffman. Serafin gave a report on some repairs that are needed for equipment in the department.

President Jordan gave the street report. He stated that the recent snowstorm was the worst one he has witnessed. It was a terribly wet, heavy snow that was extremely hard to move. Gauthier asked if we,

perhaps, need to have someone called in to help get it moved faster. President Jordan stated that if we have a similar situation again he will have to consider calling someone for back up. President Jordan apologized for the trouble caused by the snow removal problems for residents.

The sewer report was given. Our flow meter has been repaired. It gave a false report due to being faulty. A report is sent monthly to DEQ for the state of Michigan. Dave Walters of the DEQ spoke with Phil and stated that he had noticed the high numbers so he was pleased that it has been repaired.

In public comment time, Ed Beulow wished the village council best wishes in the coming year and great success in their future endeavors. There was no old business. In new business President Jordan asking Amanda to be the liaison for the village web site and work with Karen Godi and Eileen Oposnow. She gladly accepted. A motion to support the Alcona County GIS was made by Gauthier, with support from Stutzman, in the amount of \$50 per year. Carried.

President Jordan gave his report. Both sets of bleachers have been totally revamped. Gauthier asked about removing them for the winter months, perhaps next year it would be possible. Morgan Electric will fix the electrical issues near the post office and village hall as soon as possible. An updated contract was presented for consideration for village maintenance man Steve Slater. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Gauthier, to offer Steve Slater a six year contract that will include a flexibility clause for up to five more hours per week if necessary. Additionally, he will be given a pager to be kept on him at all times. Carried.

A suggestion was discussed about having a map and/or addresses of Celebration of Lights winners. This would enable people to find the winning entrants A motion to pay the bills was made by Healy, with support from Gauthier, carried. A motion to adjourn was made by Gauthier with support from Stutzman, carried.

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**DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.** 

3 BR, 1BA, 1 story This description is believed to be correct to our best understanding.

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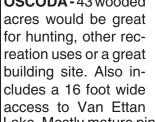
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U45835	2009 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$18,495	U46084	2010 Chevy Malibu	\$11,995
U45886	2008 Chevy Impala	\$7,995	U46083	2006 Chevy Monte Carlo	\$6,195
U45889	2005 Chevy Equinox	\$7,495	U46086	2012 Chevy Impala	\$10,995
U45982	2013 Chevy Sonic	\$11,495	U46101	2010 Chevy Malibu	\$11,495
U45993	2012 Chevy Impala	\$14,999	U46102	2011 Chevy Impala	\$12,495
U45996	2010 Chevy Malibu	\$10,995	U46105	2013 Chevy Impala	\$13,995
U46028	2013 Chrysler 200	\$13,495	PO46115	2009 Chevy Impala	\$13,995
U46029	2009 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$21,995	PO46119	2002 Dodge Ram 2500	\$12,495
U46069	2008 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$17,495	U46122	2013 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$26,999
PO46073	2009 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$21,995	U46126	2012 Chevy Impala	\$12,999
U46127	2011 Chevy Silverado 1500	\$20,999			alter of

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Stock #	Year, Make & Model	Sale Price	Stock #	Year, Make & Model	Sale Price
U46129	2009 Chevy Malibu	\$8,495	U46252	2007 Chevy Impala	\$6,495
U46132	2006 Chevy HHR	\$5,495	U46278	2010 Chevy Impala	\$10,995
U46208	2006 Chevy Avalanche 1500	\$13,495	U46270	2011 Buick Lucerne	\$14,495
U46214	2003 Chevy Avalanche 1500	\$11,495	U46129	2009 Chevy Malibu	\$8,495
U46157	2009 Chevy Aveo	\$5,995	U46156	2011 Chevy Malibu	\$12,995
U46179	2005 Chevy Aveo	\$4,875	U46224	2013 Chevy Malibu	\$17,595
U46241	2005 Chevy Cobalt	\$2,995	U46280	2010 Chevy Malibu	\$9,495
U46205	2011 Chevy Cruze	\$10,990	U46180	2008 Mercury Mariner	\$10,995
U46251	2014 Chevy Cruze	\$14,995	U46225	2003 Chevy Monte Carlo	\$7,995
U46279	2003 Cadillac CTS	\$9,995	U46170	2008 Saturn Outlook	\$13,998
U46216	2012 Chevy Equinox	\$15,495	U46263	2010 Jeep Patriot	\$10,995
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U46272	2011 Ford Escape	\$12,995	U46277	2003 GMC Sierra 2500	\$10,995
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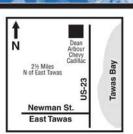
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