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City of Harrisville working to improve business climate

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By Mary Weber Staff Writer

To become a more vibrant and competitive community that will attract new business and investors, the City of Harrisville is working on becoming certified through a relatively new program offered through the Michigan Economic Development Corporation.

The Redevelopment Ready Communities (RRC) program is available to communities across the state and is a voluntary, no-cost certification program designed to promote effective redevelopment strategies through a set of best practices.

The goal of being certified is to make it easier for anyone interested in starting, developing, or buying and upgrading a business to be able to quickly access a variety of information they will need as they work through the process. It also helps the city to streamline and organize all assets and regulations.

The process isn't easy and takes a lot of manpower, volunteer hours and community commitment, according to Harrisville Mayor John Dobis. It may take two to three years to become certified.

The program measures and then certifies communities that integrate transparency, predictability and efficiency into their daily development practices. "It's relatively a good program to get into without having to form a downtown development authority which is very costly and usually doesn't work out for small communities because you have to have some money to operate a downtown development authority," Dobis said.

At the May meeting the city council approved a memorandum of understanding with the Michigan Economic Development Corporation (MEDC), however there is still a long way to go to complete the requirements to become certified. The MEDC has agreed to work with Northeast Michigan Council of Government (NEMCOG) Deputy Director and Chief Planner Denise Cline, who the City of Harrisville has chosen as its consultant.

Dobis explained the process, which is based on best practices, consists of city officials, businesses and residents working within the community as a nucleus. He also explained that communities going through the RRC process and receiving certification are eligible for more grants for their community. "There is no priority, but it makes the community eligible for the process of applying for grants," Dobis said.

Six best practice categories required for certification include community plans and public outreach, zoning policy and regulations, development review process, recruitment and education, redevelopment ready sites and community prosperity.

Some of the categories are quite detailed and need to be developed to a large scale, but the MEDC has assured Dobis that Harrisville will not have to have the same detail per category as larger cities, such as Detroit. "Detroit has manpower dollars and everything else to develop a unique and high process of RRC community. The MEDC is going to work on this with us," Dobis said. He explained that a lot of negotiation has gone on between him and the MEDC to make sure the program fits Harrisville. A four-person ad hoc committee is working with the city planning commission and the city council to help the certification process along. The ad hoc committee consists of planning commission members Cecile Pizer and Judy MacNeill, KiAnn Kruttlin and Cheryl Peterson, who are members of the Harrisville Business Association. 'It's a long-term process. Our hopes are to be able to shine a spotlight on Harrisville to let other business owners, developers from across the state or nation --



Dairy products were the only fatality in this semi-truck accident on M-65 near Grosse Pointe Road in Mitchell Township last Thursday. According to the Alcona County Sheriff's Office, the driver, whose name was unavailable by press time, drove off of the highway and overturned in the ditch at 2:20 p.m. The driver sustained minor injuries and no one else was involved in the incident. The truck is owned by Smith Food Trucking, Inc. of Ohio. The sheriff's office is being assisted in the investigation by the Michigan State Police motor carrier division. The scene was cleared by 6:30 p.m. *Photo by Mary Weber*.



Memorial Day Services Monday, May 29

VFW Post 8135

- Trinity Lutheran Church Cemetery, Barton City, 9 a.m.
- Maple Ridge Cemetery, 9:30 a.m.
- Curran Cemetery, 10:15 a.m.
- Twin Lakes Cemetery, Lincoln, 11 a.m.

Mikado American Legion Post 254

- Indian Cemetery, Kings Corner Road, 9 a.m.
- Mikado Civic Center, Mikado, 9:45 a.m.
- Mikado Township Cemetery, 10:15 a.m.
- Village of Lincoln Fire Hall, 11 a.m.
- Harrisville Courthouse Lawn, Noon
- American Legion Post, Mikado, 1 p.m.
- Luncheon at American Legion Post 254, 1:15 p.m. The public is invited to attend these services.

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HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY



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Fire fighters work on the hilly, wooded area off of Lakeshore Drive near Tanbark Trail in Haynes Township to extinguish a forest fire last Thursday afternoon. A tree fell onto the electrical wire which sparked the fire around 1:40 p.m. Fire fighters from Harrisville, Alcona Township and the Michigan De-

partment of Natural Resources responded to the fire and were on the scene until 7:20 p.m. The Alcona Sheriff's Office handled traffic control. *Photo by Cheryl Peterson.*





Obituaries



Roger W. Bouchard

Roger W. Bouchard, 73, of Black River, died on Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at home.

He was born October 30, 1943, to Lawrence and Maxine (Somers) Bouchard in Bay City, Mich. and he was raised in Black River.

On September 10, 1966, he married Rosemary Gauthier in Black River. They were residents of Otisville, Mich.

Mr. Bouchard worked for General Motors, and retired in 1988. In 1994 they returned to Black River.

He was a member of the Ossineke Eagles Aerie No. 3762. He loved to garden, and spend time in his woods. He enjoyed playing horseshoes and darts, as well as hunting and fishing.

Mr. Bouchard is survived by his wife, Rosemary; three sons, Gary Richard Bouchard of Davison, Mich., Brian David (Holly) Bouchard of Flint, Mich., and Jamie Lee (Michelle) Bouchard of Black River; one daughter, Alissa Suzanne (Steve Vette) Bouchard of Greenbush; eight grandchildren, Jessica Sawdon, Liberty Bouchard, Brian James Reddish, Karley Bouchard, Kennedy Bouchard, Jordan Riley, Troy Vette, and Lauren Vette; two great grandchildren, Quinten Sawdon and Remington Bouchard; one sister, Beverly (Vaughn) Pearson; three brothers, Richard (Phyllis) Bouchard, James (Janine) Bouchard, and Patrick Bouchard; and 12 nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Sunrise Shore.



Tractor rollover fatality

A rollover tractor incident claimed the life of a Mikado man on Sunday afternoon.

According to the Michigan State Police, Jerad T. Hart, 45, of Mikado was driving his tractor "east on Wissmiller Road when it left the roadway for unknown reasons. After leaving the roadway the tractor rolled over and pinned him underneath." Hart died as a result of this crash.

The incident remains under investigation. According to the state police, alcohol does not appear to be a factor. Troopers were assisted by the Alcona County Sheriff's Office, first responders from Greenbush and Mikado townships, and Alcona EMS.



Jacqueline Ann Char- of Lincoln; three great-grand-

trand, 89, died on Tuesday, May 16, 2017 in Placitas, N.M.

She was born July 15, 1927 to Floyd and Margaret (Greenfield) Slater in Harrisville.

Mrs. Chartrand is survived by two sons, Anthony (Gail) Chartrand of Harrisville and Michael (Christopher Leicht) Chartrand of Placitas, N.M.; two grandchildren, Troy (Julie) Lecuyer of Harrisville and Heidi (Leonard) Morang

Joan Nelda Kehoe, 84, of Greenbush, formerly of Dearborn Heights, Mich., died on Thursday, May 18, 2017 at home.

She was born November 24, 1932, to Joseph and Elsie (Olsen) Savitski in Mass, Mich. She graduated from Mass High School.

She moved to Detroit, Mich. in 1952 to work at the gas company.

On July 10, 1954, she married Jeremiah L. Kehoe in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Kehoe loved her flower garden and liked to feed the birds. She was famous within her family for her desserts.

For many years, she enjoyed playing golf and living at her summer home in Lakes of the North in Gaylord, Mich.

Mary Jane Peters, 94, of Hubbard Lake (south end)

and Ft. Myers Beach, Fla.

died on Saturday, May 13,

Ferndale, Mich. on May 12,

1923 to Raymond and E.

on April 4, 1953 in Indiana.

degree in primary education

at Eastern Michigan Univer-

sity and a master's degree in

education at Wayne State

Mrs. Peters was a long-

time resident of Alcona

County. She and her hus-

Gladys (Milford) Golden.

She was born at home in

She married Robert Peters

She earned a bachelor's

2017.

University.

of Lincoln; three great-grandchildren, Kyle Morang of Clarkston, Mich., Lindsay Morang of Lincoln, and Charles Lecuyer of Harrisville; one sister, Patricia Sysak of Harrisville.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Chartrand in 2001; and one daughter, Ann Marie Lecuyer in 1976.

Cremation has taken place and interment will be in West Lawn Cemetery in Harrisville. A memorial service will be

Joan N. Kehoe

She especially liked to visit casinos and play video poker.

Mrs. Kehoe is survived by two daughters, Theresa Kehoe (Carl Kutzli) of Greenbush and Colleen Burrum of Memphis, Mich; three sons, Timothy M. Kehoe of Saline, Mich., Kevin J. Kehoe of Longwood, Fla., and Christopher A. Kehoe of Allen Park, Mich.; five grandchildren, Clae Kehoe, Eric Kehoe, Benjamin Kehoe, Jacob Burrum and Katelynn Burrum; one sister, Jean Haynes of Twin Lakes, Mich.; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jeremiah; one son, Bruce J. Kehoe; and one sister, Diane LaMountain.

A celebration of life will be

Mary Jane Peters

band, Robert, were teachers in Alcona Community Schools. Before retiring from teaching, Mrs. Peters was working toward an education specialist degree, taking courses from Michigan State University and University of Michigan.

They raised their family on the south end of Hubbard Lake, where, for many years, they owned and operated Peters Cove Resort.

She enjoyed spending time on Hubbard Lake, travelling, walking in Fort Myers Beach, and reading.

Mrs. Peters is survived by two daughters, Susan (Dave)



held July 18, 2017 at the cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the family in order to support Legacy Hospice and Visiting Angels Home Care.



held on a future date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen or Alcona Humane Society.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.



Lindsay and Sally (Joel) Nowak; one son, Conway "Buster" (Cari) Peters;10 grandchildren, Travis (Tracie) Lindsay, Sana (Mike Mullally) Lindsay, Aaron (Christine)

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Obituaries



Jerad T. Hart, 45, of Mikado, died on Sunday, May 21, 2017.

He was born July 25, 1971 to Robert and Janice (Brooks) Hart Sr. in Dryden, Mich. He was raised in Alcona County. On August 1, 2015, he married Rhonda Barton in Green-

bush, where they resided before moving to Mikado. Mr. Hart was an avid outdoorsman, who loved to hunt, fish

and camp. He enjoyed tubing, swimming, cookouts, and bon- fires.

His kids and grandkids were his pride and joy.

Mr. Hart is survived by his wife, Rhonda; one daughter, Cheyenne Sutherland; eight sons, Brendan Hart, Bret Sutherland, Derrick Andress, Kyler McPhall, Jacob Hart, Jerad Hart, Richard Hart, and Josh Hart; two grandchildren, Bryce Andress and Hunter Andress; three sisters; and four brothers.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and one brother, Robert Hart Jr.

Visitation will be held at Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln, from 11 a.m. until the funeral at 1 p.m. on Thursday, May 25. The Rev. Jimmie Bean will officiate. Burial will be in the Mikado Cemetery.

Elizabeth G. Kerr

Elizabeth G. Kerr, 91, of Round Lake Beach, Ill., formerly of Greenbush, died on Monday, May 15, 2017.

She was born November 30, 1925, in Beaver Falls, Pa. to Glenn and Esther (Smith) Weigle. They moved to Bay City, Mich. in September 1938.

On September 4, 1948 she married John Thomas Kerr. They moved to Greenbush in September, 1961.

Mrs. Kerr was a member of the Harrisville United Methodist Church, where she sang in the choir. She was a past president of the United Methodist Women, a former secretary of the church council board, and a Sunday school teacher.

She was life member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was a past matron, a past grand committee member and a past delegate of Michigan to Delaware. She was also a member of the Greenbush Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Kerr is survived by two sons, Michael Kerr of Alpena and Patrick (Brian Boston) Kerr of Gurnee, Ill.; one daughter, Lora (Alan) Shillair of Lincoln; four grandchildren, Andrew (Amber Scholtz) Kerr, Darrin (Megan Wickman) Shillair, and Kelly (David Johnson) Shillair; two step grandchildren, Mark (Patricia) Divney and Chris Divney; two step great-grand-



children; three sisters, Florence Koehler, Jean Behrmann, and Ruth Ann Rafferty; two brothers, Frank (Jan) Weigle and Robert (Patricia) Weigle; one brotherin-law, Robert Hogan; one sister-in-law, Annie (Glynn) Silverthorn; and many niece and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John, on March 25, 2015; one sister, Mary Louise Hogan; two brothers, William Weigle and Richard Weigle; one daughter-in-law, Glenna Kerr; four brothers-in-law, William Kerr, Gerald Rafferty, Edwin Behrmann and William Novess; and one sister-in-law, Mary Catherine Novess.

Visitation will be held at the Harrisville United Methodist church on Friday, June 2 from 10 a.m. until the memorial service at 11 a.m. Memorials may be made to Harrisville United Methodist Church or Alcona Masonic Lodge No. 292 Scholarship

Peters

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Loomer, Kathy Loomer, Sara (Brett) Holsworth, Russell (Jessica) Peters, Lauren (Scott) Kowalewsky, Monica Peters, Amy Nowak, and Emily Nowak; nine greatgrandchildren, Xander Nichols, Lilly Lindsay, Catie Lindsay, John Loomer, Jared Loomer, Charles Loomer, Madison Peters, Bryson Peters, and Jaiden Peters; and one daughter-in-law, Dori Loomer.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert; and one son, John Loomer.

There will be a memorial service Saturday, May 27 at 11 a.m. at Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln. Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. Bishop Mark Fernandez will officiate. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Alcona County Baby Pantry, P.O. Box 36, Mikado, Mich. 48745.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Township of Greenbush seeks to fill the position of Township Trustee. The Township Trustee's position is defined by Michigan State Law as found in Michigan General township laws, the Revised Statutes of 1846, R.S. of 1846 (Chapter 41 of the Michigan Compiled Laws). Requirements. Any interested person must be a registered and qualified elector of the Township of Greenbush, Alcona County, MI.

Term. Term of appointment will be for the remainder of the current term ending at 12 noon on November 20, 2020.

Duties. Township Trustee's Statutory Duties include: Township legislators, required to vote on all issues; Responsible for township's fiduciary health; and Other duties as assigned by board.

Meeting Dates. The Township of Greenbush Board meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM at the Township Hall.

Compensation. Township Trustee salary is \$1,650 annually.

Letters of Interest/Intent due date. Letters of Interest/ Intent must be received no later than May 31, 2017.

Submit Letters of Interest/Intent to: C. Lee Major, Supervisor, Township of Greenbush, 2600 W Cedar Lake Rd,



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 24

Sunrise Community Food Pantry will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church, 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Clients are asked to come only one time per month and must be present to receive food. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county of residence. Identification is required. For more information, call (989) 727-3606.

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.

The Alcona County Library Board will meet at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch.

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, MAY 25

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. First meeting is free, handicap accessible. For more information, call (989) 736-8022, (989) 335-1107, or (989) 739-4483.

Zumba class at 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center,

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

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

FRIDAY, MAY 26

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions program, will meet at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2480 South State Street. For more information, contact Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

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.

SATURDAY, MAY 27

Sunrise Gardening Club's annual spring plant sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Annuals, perennials and other plant material from local gardeners. Call Becky Bean at (989) 724-6569 for details.

The Greenbush Historical Society will host an open house from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the the Greenbush one room schoolhouse located next to the township hall at 5039 Campbell Road. Artifacts and historical information will be on display.

The Alpena Garden Club will hold a perennial sale from 8 a.m. to noon at the First Baptist Church, 1261 West Washington in Alpena. Master Gardener Catherine Stedman will be available to answer your gardening questions.

New Life Lutheran Church's annual Garden Festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 25 Kirche In The Woods, Spruce (six miles north of M-72 off Hubbard Lake Road). A luncheon of assorted salad, pie and a beverage from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, call (989) 736-7816.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1

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

Join your 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.

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Retirees will meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass.

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Greenbush, MI 48738.



(989) 335-3541 for details.

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site (fairgrounds) on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Everything is grown or made locally. Double-up Food Bucks, Snap and Bridge cards are accepted. For more info., call (989) 724-5077.

SUNDAY, MAY 28

Singspiration will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the Community of Christ Church, 3155 East Mikado Road (F-30). All are welcome to sing, listen or both.

TUESDAY, MAY 30

Griefshare Recovery Support Group will meet at 1:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 12365 US-23 South in Ossineke. Call (989)

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

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Coloring for Adults from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Coloring pages from books designed especially for adults as well as colored pencils will be provided. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.



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Local Notes

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be held at the Campbell Building on the Alcona County Fairgrounds in Lincoln Saturday, May 27 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Available this week: Pea shoots, rhubarb, asparagus, green onions, mushrooms, turnips, beets, arugula, sorrel, spinach, lettuce, micro greens, all cuts of grass-fed and grainfed beef, snack sticks, brats, eggs, maple syrup, honey, jams and jellies, bread, cupcakes, muffins, rolls, cakes, cookies, pies, herbed popcorn, dried herbs, seasonings, homemade candy, bedding plants, hanging baskets, herb and vegetable plants, homemade laundry detergent, hand-crafted paper gift boxes and ornaments, handmade jewelry, wooden items, honey dippers, and more.

The Sunrise Gardening Club will hold its annual spring plant sale during the market. The sale features locally grown plants. Proceeds go to community grants. The ARA Farm Market distributes and accepts Double-Up Food Bucks, and accepts SNAP/Bridge cards. For more information, call (989) 724-5077. Anyone who would like to receive a weekly email about The ARA Farm Market, send an email to: thearafarmmarket@gmail.com.

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 29 – All centers closed for Memorial Day.

• Tuesday, May 30— Chicken and dumplings, winter blend, tossed salad, and tropical fruit.

• Wednesday, May 31— Brat on a bun, red bliss potatoes, green beans, and mixed fruit.

(Editor's Note: The menu was unavailable for the rest of the week.)

Away at School

Julia Rice, of Harrisville, recently graduated from Michigan Technological University with a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering. She is the daughter of Kim Rice and Jill Rice, both of Harrisville.

June Office Hours

106th District State Representative Sue Allor of Wolverine will sponsor June office hours for Alpena and Alcona counties. "Office hours are an important part of my job," Rep. Allor said. "I believe this is one of the best ways I can have face-to-face communication with the people I represent. While I may have one of the largest areas to represent in the state, I always remain accessible through these office hours."

The schedule for office hours on Friday, June 2 is:

• From12:45 to 1:45 p.m. at Cabin Creek Coffee House, located at 201 N. Second Ave. in Alpena.

• From 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. at Iron Skillet Restaurant, located at 101 N. Lake St. in Lincoln.

Residents also may contact Allor at her Lansing office at (517) 373-0833 or SueAllor@house.mi.gov.

Morrises celebrate 56th anniversary

Michael and Diana Morris of Spruce celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary on May 13, 2017.

On May 13, 1961, Diana Adams married Michael Morris in Pontiac, Mich. They moved to Alcona County in 1964 to Anderson Road (which was only a trail back then) near the east shore of Hubbard Lake. They still reside in that home. They were blessed with five children, 14 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The Morrises have enjoyed coaching, playing and watching local baseball for the past 56 years. They still share their love of baseball by watching the Detroit Tigers, Little League, and college baseball and softball games on television. They also keep a tally of their nightly Jeopardy games and always enjoy family visits and reunions.











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New pots with colorful plants or hanging baskets of flowers will complete your outdoor make-over. - Brenda Weaver

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Should all baby boomers get tested for hepatitis C?

Dear Savvy Senior, I've recently read that all baby boomers should get tested for hepatitis C. Is this really necessary, and if so, what are the testing and treatment procedures?

Healthy Boomer

Dear Healthy,

It's true. Both the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommend that all baby boomers – people born from 1945 through 1965 - get a hepatitis C test.

The reason is because baby boomers account for 75 percent of the 3 million or so hepatitis C cases in the U.S. Those that are infected are at very high risk of eventually developing liver cancer, cirrhosis or other fatal liver diseases.

Most hepatitis C infections occurred in the 1970s and 1980s, before there were tests to detect them and before the nation's blood supply was

rus.

Hepatitis C is transmitted only through blood, so anyone who received either a blood transfusion or an organ transplant prior to 1992 is at increased risk too. So are health-care workers exposed to blood, and people who injected drugs through shared needles. The virus can also be spread through microscopic amounts of infected blood that could occur during sex, from sharing a razor or toothbrush, or getting a tattoo or body piercing at an unsterile shop.

Most people that have hepatitis C don't know they're infected because there are no symptoms until their liver becomes severely damaged. It can actually take 30 years for people to show any signs of the virus, but by then, it may be too late to treat. But if it's detected in time, new treatments are now available that can cure it.

If you're between ages 52

routinely screened for the vi- to 72, or fall into one of the previously listed high risk categories, you should see your primary care doctor for a basic blood test to determine whether you have ever been infected with hepatitis C. This is a relatively inexpensive test and typically covered by health insurance under routine medical care.

If the test is negative, no further tests are needed. But, if the test is positive, you'll need another test called HCV RNA, which will show whether the virus is still active.

If you test positive, you have chronic hepatitis C and will need to talk to your doctor about treatment options. If you're infected, but have no liver damage, your doctor should monitor your liver at your annual physical.

The main treatments for chronic hepatitis C today are several new FDA approved antiviral medications that have a 95 percent cure rate. Compared to older treatments, these new medica-



tions have minimal side effects. Unfortunately, all the new drugs are very expensive -a 12-week treatment course can cost anywhere from \$50,000 to \$90,000.

Not all health insurance plans, including Medicare Part D plans, cover all prescribed medications for hepatitis C. And due to the expensive nature of these medications, most insurance plans require that you meet several requirements in order to get coverage.

If your insurance provider doesn't cover the antiviral therapy your doctor recommends, there are financial

assistance options available. To look for help, visit HEPC.liverfoundation.org and put your cursor on "Resources" and click on "What if I need Financial Assistance to Pay for Treatment?"

And for more hepatitis C information, along with a quick online quiz you can take to determine your risks, see CDC.gov/knowmorehepatitis. You can also get information over the phone by calling the national tollfree HELP-4-HEP helpline at (877) 435-7443.

(Send senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.Ô. Box 5443, Norman. OK 73070. or visit SavvySenior.org.)

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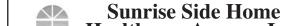
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Business association tackles big issues

By Mary Weber Staff Writer

A group of business owners and residents are striving to encourage and promote business within the Harrisville area and it isn't backing down from its original goals.

The Harrisville Business Association (HBA) was formed in 2015 to encourage and promote business within the Harrisville community and to revitalize economic, cultural and community development.

It was originally organized without much internal structure. However, since January, the HBA adopted bylaws and elected officers: Chairperson, Cheryl Peterson; vice chairperson, Tony Haight; secretary, Judie Labadie; and treasurer, Ed Foster.

The group has also taken on several ongoing initiatives and events to serve and improve the overall quality for both businesses and the residents of greater Harrisville. Theser initiatives include: improved cell service and Internet connectivity, involvement with the City of Harrisville's plans to become a certified Redevelopment Ready Community (see article on page 1) and promoting the "shop local" benefits for the community.

Events include a successful customer appreciation day, which was held last August, and sponsoring live music, food, arts and crafts and face painting as a portion of the City of Harrisville's participation in the 2016 Lake Huron Discovery Tour.

Throughout the year, the group is involved in decorating Main Street in downtown Harrisville for various holidays and helping the Harrisville Beautification Committee with spring and summer flowers.

This year the HBA is planning and facilitating a scavenger hunt, which will be

geared towards getting campers at the Harrisville State Park into Harrisville businesses, another customer appreciation day in August, and helping with Harrisville's plans for the 2017 Lake Huron Discovery tour.

Peterson explained the focus of the HBA was to bring more business to Harrisville. "From day one, we realized as business owners, we needed to do economic development within our city. Obviously, we were losing businesses and there were vacant buildings in town. Rather than reinventing the wheel, especially with limited resources and funding, we turned to the state to see what programs were available that would benefit our community. We ended up choosing the Michigan Economic Development Corporation (MEDC) and the Redevelopment Ready Communities (RRC) Program," she said.

She explained the state only works with other governmental agencies, so for it to go forward the city council needed to be involved.

Peterson and HBA member, KiAnn Kruttlin, sit on ad hoc committee with Harrisville Planning Commission members Cecile Pizer and Judy MacNeill. Peterson explained the four members of the committee have spent a lot of time attending training required in order to be involved in the RRC certification process. None of the sessions were held in northern Michigan.

One recent session with MEDC sent Pizer and Peterson to Lansing. "What was interesting about that meeting was the state wanted our input. They wanted to know how we were doing and how they could help us. I found that very refreshing. They want to work with our community and do what we feel is best for our community,"

Peterson said.

According to Peterson, the group recognizes that the issue with cell service and connectivity in Harrisville is a huge hurdle for both businesses and residents of the community and can make the difference on whether people choose to reside and operate business here.

"The HBA considers good cell reception and internet connectivity as infrastructure in today's world. It would be like trying to run a business without a telephone or any way of communicating. We are encouraging and trying to find solutions to those problems. It's extremely difficult to attract businesses and residents to our commu-

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to let them there are opportunities to bring businesses to our town. The spotlight will not only help vacant buildings, but should help people with businesses for sale," Peterson said.

According to MEDC representatives, Harrisville is the smallest community that has gone (or is going) through the RRC certification process. A community somewhat comparable in size that has completed certification and is thriving as a result, is Boyne City, Mich.

'When we talk about developers, we are not talking about big box stores or anything that will not fit within our zoning or city master plan," Peterson said. "We are not looking to change Harrisville beyond making it a more vibrant community. I love it here. I don't want this to become a community I don't recognize, but we need more businesses.'

Peterson acknowledged Steve Arens and what he has done to develop his own businesses in Harrisville including the remodeled Harrisville Harbor Grocery and the new Harrisville Laundromat. She said the RRC program will only add to the economic development Arens has already started and, although it will take some time, it will keep

risville will benefit from the program because it will be



Three Alcona athletes qualify for state meet

Brooke Shultz will be going for her second time in the pole vault. She won the event with an 8' 6" vault.

Rose Schopfer will be joining Shultz in pole vault for her first time (as a freshman). She tied for second place with a 7' 6" vault.

John Sharboneau qualified in discus with a second place finish and a throw of 129' 2" -- just five inches short of first place.

Girls Regional Results

• 200 Meter Relay: third place – Kameesha Fuqua, 28.7.

• 100 Meter Hurdles: third place – Rose Schopfer, 19.3; ninth place – Courtney Winter, 19.93.

• 300 Meter Hurdles: sixth place – Courtney Winter, 58.1.

• 4 x 200 Relay: sixth place – Katy Edwards, Kameesha Fuqua, Brooke Shultz, and Rachel Warner, 1:57.

• 4 x 400 Relay: sixth place – Katherine Edwards, Rachel Warner, Alyssa Dellar, Faith Wallenmaier, 4:53.

• 4 x 800 Relay: seventh place – Sara Sweet, Faith Wallenmaier, Taylor Murray, Jordan Joyce, 13:0.

• Pole Vault: first place – Brooke Shultz, 8' 6"; second place – Rose Schopfer, 7' 7".

• Long Jump: fifth place –

• 100 Meter Hurdles: third Brooke Shultz, 14' 8.75".

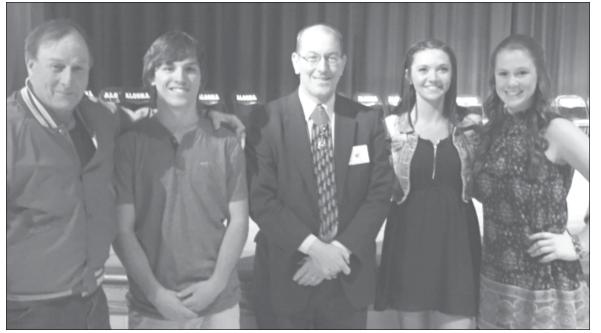
Boys Regional Results • 4 x 100 Relay: sixth place - Dakota Oke, Cody Leeseberg, John Sharboneau, Cory Hoffman, 48.0.

• 4 x 200 Relay: seventh place – Dakota Oke, Cody Leeseberg, Elliot Dubuque, Cory Hoffman, 1:40.

• 4 x 400 Relay: eighth place – Elliot Dubuque, Alex Harmon, Keody Berryhill, Brett Nelson, 4:00.

• 4 x 800 Relay: eighth place – Brett Nelson, Elliot Dubuque, Yuki Nishibashi, Brendan Nelson, 9:44.

Discus: second place – John Sharboneau, 129' 02."
Pole Vault: fifth place – Brett Nelson, 9'.



Three Alcona High School students receive local scholarships (from left) Jim Siebert, representative of the Wayne Siebert Memorial Trade School Scholarship; Bendan Nelson, recipient of the Wayne Siebert Memorial Trade School Scholarship; Mike Maturen, district deputy, Knights of Columbus Michigan Jurisdiction; Kendra LaFave, recipient of the Knights of Columbus Council 4235 Scholarship; Keilene Elmer, recipient of the Knights of Columbus Council 4235 Scholarship. *Courtesy photo.*

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nity without these services," Peterson said.

Members are a big part of helping the HBA to have a strong voice to tackle such hurdles. HBA membership is \$25 per year.

Haight explained the HBA is not only for businesses in the Harrisville area, but residents and organizations should also consider joining. "I don't have a business. I'm just an interested citizen. Anyone can come to the meetings, but to vote on anything, you have to be a member. area residents to join them.

"The HBA has many advantages for local business, organizations or individuals within the greater Harrisville area and is working continuously to improve the success of the business community. Our organization is Harrisville-focused and its members benefit from group support. The HBA has a proven track record of focusing on issues and events that have a direct, positive and lasting effect on our local community," Labadie said.

HBA membership applications can be obtained by contacting Labadie at (989) 724-3400 or by email at pjlenter@yahoo.com or Peterson at (989) 724-6384 or editor-@alconareview.com.

CryptoQuip answer When army bigwigs need to buy supplies, I imagine they would shop at the general store.



School District ^{5/24 & 5/31} Notice of a Public Hearing On Proposed 2017-18 Budget

Please Take Notice that on June 12, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. at Alcona Community Schools Board Conference Room, Lincoln, Michigan, the Board of Education of Alcona Community Schools will hold a public hearing to consider the District's Proposed 2017-2018 budget.

The Board may not adopt its proposed 2017-2018 budget until after a public hearing. A copy of the proposed 2017-2018 budget, including the proposed property tax millage rate, is available for public inspection during normal business hours at Alcona Community Schools, District Office, Michigan.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

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This town has been here a long time and I'd like to see it survive. I like it here. I want it to stay here. I don't want to be the last one to turn out the light," Haight said.

He felt it was important to belong to the HBA because of the issues which need to be resolved in town. "For example, the cell problem we have in town. The HBA has been one of the primary drivers for getting that issue resolved. As a group, we started pursuing this with the city. We take on issues like that and the more members we have in our group the stronger our voice will be," Haight said.

Labadie said in order for the Harrisville area to survive it needs the support of businesses and the HBA wants both businesses and





Ladies group brings beautification and fun day to Spruce

By Mary Weber Staff Writer

An old-fashioned fun time for all is planned in Spruce this Saturday to celebrate the town, its past, present and future.

The event, which will begin at 10 a.m. and is expected to continue throughout the evening and night, was planned by a determined group of eight ladies who call themselves the Loyal Ladies.

Members of the group --Cyndi Apsey, Laura Frawley, Bessie Schlehr, Nichola Cornelius, Jeanne Goldenberg, Amber O'Toole, Shelly Hoffmeyer and junior member, Liberty Kimball -- first got together at the beginning of the year to come up with a way to promote local artisans while encouraging growth and prosperity to rural, blighted communities such as Spruce.

"Our goal was to do a community-by-community beautification project while promoting local talent at the same time. Each community will have a different type of art to promote and tell the story of that community," said Cyndi Apsey, spokesperson for the group.

Putting nose to the grind-

stone, meeting once and sometimes even twice a week, the ladies came up with ways to inform passersby of what the Spruce community is all about, its determination, strength, joy and compassion.

They tossed around several ideas, finally agreeing to dress up the windows of standing buildings with colorful photographs of agriculture in Spruce reproduced on window clings. A reveal of the window dressings will be included in the Spruce Day events at 11 a.m. this Saturday.

A kick-off pancake breakfast starts the festivities at the Caledonia Township Hall followed by old-fashioned games such as three-legged race, burlap bag race, egg in a spoon race, stack the straw, musical chairs and more for kids and adults.

Throughout the day there will be a hay wagon hoedown with open microphone singing, arts and craft booths, a Chinese raffle of several gift baskets, demonstrations, magic shows, musicians and the Alcona Antique Tractor Club.

An evening pig roast dinner is planned at the hall



The Loyal Ladies get to work cleaning up Spruce to celebrate and highlight their window project. (From left) Jeanne Goldenberg, Amber O'Toole, Laura Frawley, Bessie Schlehr, Nichola Cornelius, and Cyndi Apsey (front). Not photographed: Shelly Hoffmeyer and Liberty Kimball. *Courtesy photo.*

followed with live entertainment by Donny Hartman and dancing. "It all starts at 10 a.m. and we plan to go until we can't laugh and dance anymore," Apsey said.

"While this event is to raise funds towards the (Loyal Ladies') next project, I see it as a celebration that is long overdue and needed. I honestly believe many towns like Spruce are ready to be communities again, in a good way. In a simple way -- the way it once was kind of way.

"The project is focused on communities (that) are strong and proud, giving and compassionate. I have found the support of this project to be amazing," Apsey said.

Inspiration Alcona, a nonprofit group that promotes the arts in Alcona County, was not only a big help in giving the Loyal Ladies a donation and moral support to accomplish the Spruce project, but it also let them use its nonprofit status for donations given to the Loyal Ladies.

In January, the goal of the Loyal Ladies was to raise \$7,800 to get the Spruce project completed. In less than six months they have raised about \$7,000 which includes in-kind donations and labor donations toward the project.

The owners of the buildings, most of which are vacant, were extremely helpful and cooperative in allowing the window dressings, Apsey explained. "We wanted to make a big statement and show the world that Spruce is the place where great ideas start. This project hasn't been a walk in the park, but this is a group of highly determined ladies," Apsey said.

Apsey explained the work the Loyal Ladies are doing has attracted growing interest from around the world, as they have been contacted by people in Minnesota and Australia who want to be sister and brother cities of the Spruce project.

The Ĉaledonia Township Hall is located at 6421 Gillard Road, Spruce. For information, call Cyndi Apsey at (989) 335-3018 or Bessie Schlehr at (989) 335-0850.





Anna Loyer, an eighth grade student at Alcona Middle School, poses with her self portrait in watercolor at the Industrial Technology Showcase last week. She plans on giving the portrait to her grandmother.



Ethan Meador, a junior at Alcona High School, shows off his cannon cabinet during the school's annual showcase held last week. Meador said he chose the cannon cabinet because he wanted something creative to work on and took home a fifth place ribbon at the MITES regional competition. *Photos by Mary Weber*.



Brendan Nelson, a senior at Alcona High School, stands next to his entertainment center/gun cabinet at the annual Industrial Technology Showcase. The cabinet, complete with lazy Susan end pieces to hold several guns, won Nelson a first place ribbon at the Michigan Industrial Technology Education Society (MITES) regional competition and a second place ribbon at the state competition. Nelson said he had around \$1,700 worth of material invested in the project and plans to keep it.

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Volunteers are the heart of Hope Shores Alliance (formerly Shelter, Inc.) and recently several of the Oscoda area volunteers gathered to celebrate at the Oscoda Outreach and Services Center. (Front row, from left) Judy Merluzzi, Carole Plunkey, Shirley Diemond; (back row) Janice Wilber, Craig Bissell, Linda Hock, Barb Melin, Kelcey Lillie, Kacey Beattie, Stephanie Peltier, and Ashley Kimball. Hope Shores Alliance provides free confidential services to survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking. The organization services Alcona, Alpena, Iosco, Montmorency, and Presque Isle counties. Anyone wishing to be a part of the volunteer group is invited to contact Shirley Diemond, volunteer coordinator, at (989) 356-6265. *Courtesy photo.*

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Loyalty Day Essay Contest Winner

The America I believe in

By Timothy Jamieson

Bullets flew overhead. Firing was in the air. Smoke and gunpowder was everywhere. It was April 19, 1775 at the Battle of Lexington and Concord. Britain and the thirteen colonies were at war with each other. The thirteen colonies were not happy because Britain was taxing them too much. Also, they wanted to be free and make their own rules, not to be governed and told exactly what they had to do by a king that was thousands of miles away.

There were men such as Theodore Parker who wanted to have freedom and a government that was not controlling everything they did. He said, "This is what I call the American idea of freedom, a government of all the people, by all the people, for all the people; of course, a government of principles of eternal justice -- the unchanging law of God."

The America I believe is fair and kind. They aren't afraid to do things. Look at the Declaration of Independence. It says, "All men are created equal." What does equal mean? Equal means not having highest and lowest people. Not saying that one person is better than another. That all men and women have rights to do the things they want to.

I think that freedom is a great gift. Not a lot of countries in the world have total freedom because they have rulers that aren't kind or fair or just. Our country is a great country, but it could become a country that is like all the rest if we do not defend our freedoms and our Constitution. Think about all the veterans and soldiers who went out and fought enemies to keep our freedom safe. They are the ones that care about freedom and want our country to be great. My Grandpa is a township clerk; he helps to keep the township going right and he helps to run all the elections that take place. My Grandpa is also a veteran who went to Germany to secure it after World War II.

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That is my personal thinking on our country and the America I believe in.

(Timothy Jamieson won first place for middle school students in the Voice of Democracy Patriot Pen Contest sponsored by the Alpena VFW. He was awarded \$200 for the first place prize at the Alpena VFW Hall dinner held on April 26. He is a 12-year-old home school student and the son of Rachel and Andy Jamieson of Harrisville. He is the grandson of Roger and Joyce Jamieson of Harrisville and Russ and Loraine Wahl of Milk River, Alberta, Canada.)



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NOTICE

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The second request will be heard from Ronald Frayer for a variance to build closer to the lot line on parcel 060-007-300-055-00 (3091 E M-72). This parcel is zoned General Commercial.

Any comments can be sent to the Harrisville Township Zoning Administrator or can be expressed at the public meeting

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VFW Post No. 6754

The May 2 meeting was held with 11 members present. Secretary Kathy Carriveau read the minutes from the previous meeting and treasurer Sandy Light read the financial statement. Membership remains at 66. Installation of officers was held with Frances Ziesman serving as the installing officer and the audit report was read by Mary Ann Seymour.

Frances Ziesman advised that she and Donna Bushey made 32 corsages which were given to the teachers and staff at Sanborn School for Loyalty Day.

The charter was draped for departed sister, Sally Liske, who went to her heavenly home on April 22, 2017. President Vichunas advised that she will be attending the District 11 meeting on Sunday, May 7, at the Midland VFW Post. For the good of the order, Norma Alstrom advised that flags should be on the left when going into a building. The next meeting will be held on June 6 at 7 p.m.

Spring

By Danica Jamieson The forest will ring With the birds that sing. Their song will echo through the trees, And will be in harmony with the bees.

And all the grass will turn green. Oh, it is a lovely sight to be seen, All the flowers with the daffodils Will say goodbye to the frost that kills.

The spider webs will shine with morning dew And reflect the sky that is so blue. And down in the grass is nestled a fawn Waiting for its mother at dawn.

The woodpeckers will pitter patter on the trees And look for tasty grubs, if you please, And the tree will echo with a song sung, Spring has sprung!

(Danica Jamieson is a 10-year-old home school student and the daughter of Rachel and Andy Jamieson of Harrisville.)

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Recently, upon returning to Glennie from spending the winter in Florida, Leora Karpp got to meet her great-great-grandson, Westin LaPointe, who makes five generations. (From left) great-grandfather Kelly Karpp, great-great-grandmother Leora Karpp, grandmother Michelle LaPointe, all of Glennie; Westin LaPointe and father Zackary LaPointe of Harrisville. *Courtesy photo.*

Save-the-date for summer free fishing weekend

Don't miss the chance to fish for free in June as part of the 2017 Summer Free Fishing Weekend. On Saturday, June 10 and Sunday, June 11 both residents and visitors can fish without a license. All other fishing rules and regulations still apply.

Events are being planed across the state for this summer's #MiFreeFishing-Weekend to provide fun opportunities for those new to the sport to try their hand at landing a big one. For free fishing weekend events throughout Michigan, visit Michigan.gov/freefishing. The list of events is updated each week.

Northeast Lower Peninsula May 18

 Cheboygan River: Bass anglers have done well with crank baits and soft plastics near the Coast Guard station. The walleye harvest was slow. Anglers were jigging worms and minnows near the lock and dam, behind the paper mill and near the city boat launch. Small perch averaging five inches were caught at the city launch. Small pike were hitting on crank baits near the marina. Suckers were caught on crawlers.

• Rogers City: Surface water temperatures are still cold at 42 to 44 degrees. Lake trout are starting to be caught over areas with a rocky bottom as they are feeding on gobies and gobies love the rocks. The fish were scattered. Try smaller walleye spoons or regular spoons in bright colors like orange and yellow with silver. There may be a stray Chinook but very few Atlantics are showing up. Those casting spoons and body baits from the wall caught a couple Atlantic salmon and pike. • Rockport: Lake trout fishing is improving especially around Middle Island or straight out of the harbor in 35 to 60 feet. Run lines throughout the water column and near the bottom with spoons, dodgers or cowbells and spin-glos in bright colors • Alpena: Those trolling between South Nine Mile Point and North Point reported good catches of lake trout in 40 to 70 feet. Walleye were caught



when trolling crank baits or jigging leeches and soft plastics near the mouth of the Thunder Bay River. Those casting spoons and crank baits in the harbor and from the rocks at Bay View Park caught a couple walleye and pike.

• Thunder Bay River: Steelhead were caught near the Ninth Street Dam when casting spoons, rapalas, and flatfish. Those swinging flashy streamer flies during high stained water or drifting wax worms under a float during low water and cooler temperatures have caught steelhead. Brown trout, smallmouth bass and white suckers were caught.

• Oscoda: Boat and pier anglers drifting crawlers or jigging minnows and soft plastics caught a few walleye. Lake trout were caught in 20 to 40 feet when trolling spoons.

• AuSable River: Walleye were caught in the lower river when drifting crawlers or trolling crawler harnesses. Steelhead fishing was slow but anglers were still finding a few on the gravel or in the deeper holes. Most of the fish are slowly heading back towards the lake. Smallmouth bass and white suckers have been caught. Houghton Lake: Walleye have been caught in eight to 12 feet near the weed beds when drifting leeches. Those floating minnows under a bobber caught crappie near the weed beds. The bluegill

bite continues to get better.

• Tawas: Those trolling down near Alabaster caught a few when trolling a crawler harness or body bait in 15 to 25 feet.

• Tawas River: Night anglers caught a few walleye on body baits or live bait. Large and smallmouth bass were caught and released.

• AuGres: Walleye anglers trolling a crawler harness or body bait caught a few in 20 to 30 feet. Anglers were catching and releasing smallmouth bass out near Charity Island.





South Shore Fire Department Community Wide Garage Sale Saturday, May 27 - 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

At South Shore Hubbard Lake Fire Department Community Center (Corner of Mt. Maria and Hill Street directly behind fire station)

Stop in for a Large Selection of all types of Second Hand Treasures

Rent a table for \$10 Donations of gently used items will be accepted Friday, May 26 from 3 to 5 p.m. For more information or to reserve your tables e-mail schilledept@gmail.com



ARA Farm Market on the fairgrounds in Lincoln Selling locally grown perennials at reasonable prices.

We would like to thank all the volunteers that helped at the County Wide Cleanup this Saturday to make it a success. We also would like to thank Smith Sunrise Sanitation, Waste Management, Stan Darmofal and his radio group and some County Commissioners. We had a huge turn out and unfortunate we ran out of room near the end. We apologize for the long lines, but we did remove a lot of stuff from our county.

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Thanks Recycle Alcona

NOTICE

The Village of Lincoln is seeking bids for the sealing of two parking lots. One located next to the Post Office on Second Street. The other located across from the Senior Center on Church Street. Entire parking lot should be sealed. All new lines of parking areas should be painted including two handicapped designations in the Post Office parking lot and five in the Senior Center parking lot. Bids will be accepted until June 2nd, 2017 and must be sent to Village of Lincoln, Attn: Parking Lot Sealing Bid P.O. Box 337. Lincoln, MI 48742. Bids will be opened at the Village Council Meeting on June 5th, 2017 at the Village Hall, 117 W. Fiske Street, Lincoln MI. The Village of Lincoln reserves the right to reject any and all bids. More information may be obtained by contacting Phillip Jordan, Street Administrator at 989-736-7583. 5/24 & 5/31

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Harrisville Eye Care, under the direction of owner and optometrist, Dr. Ben Dietrich, celebrated its fourth annual Customer Appreciation Day last week with a free buffet dinner, games and door prizes. About 100 customers and friends took part in the festivities. (From left) Alex Hewes, receptionist, Dietrich; Becky Tumminello, assistant manager, and Paul Masterson, manager.

Spring Lake Huron lake trout survey begins

Earlier this spring the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) began its annual spring lake trout survey on Lake Huron. This survey provides the DNR and its partner agencies with key information as they look to manage lake trout populations in the lake.

Since the Chinook salmon population in Lake Huron crashed in the mid-2000s, lake trout consistently have provided one of the best fishing opportunities there. Data from this annual survey show that for the first time in 40 years, Lake Huron's lake trout population is nearly 50 percent wild. Gathering this type of information each year helps fisheries managers determine future stocking numbers and set fishing regulations

"What we learn from this study directly affects management decisions such as numbers of fish stocked,



The R/V Tanner, the DNR's newest research vessel, is busy on Lake Huron right now as part of the annual spring lake trout survey. Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.

minimum size limits and daily possession limits," said Ji He, DNR fisheries research biologist out of Alpena. "It's important for us to monitor trends over time so we can better adjust our future management.

This survey consists of setting gill nets at 14 different sampling locations from Drummond Island in the north to Port Sanilac in the south. Nets are set overnight and lifted the next day. Lake trout that are captured are measured and weighed, have an upper jaw bone removed for age analysis and have their stomach contents examined.

This year's effort is the first full survey to be conducted aboard the DNR's newest research vessel Tanner.

"Having a safe and reliable vessel like the R/V Tanner is essential to support our assessment," said He.

Creel clerks to collect angler information

As this year's open-water fishing season gets under way, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) reminds anglers that **Fisheries Division personnel** are at lakes, rivers and Great Lakes ports collecting fishing data from anglers.

DNR creel clerks will be stationed at boat launches and piers around the state asking anglers questions as they return from fishing trips. Information will be requested on trip length, target species and number and type of fish caught. In some cases, creel clerks may ask to measure or weigh fish and to take scale or other body parts for aging. These data are key information in the DNR's management of the state's fisheries



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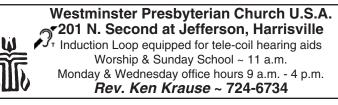
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- Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. Wednesday Prayer
- Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

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resource.

"The DNR appreciates anglers' cooperation with these interviews, and it will only take a couple of minutes to answer the questions," said DNR fisheries biologist Tracy Kolb. "This program helps us gather information that is critical in managing the state's fisheries and is used in every aspect of our management efforts.'

These efforts are part of the DNR's Statewide Angler Survey Program, a long-term monitoring program that tracks recreational fisheries and harvest across Michigan's waters. 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.



Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review

Aged indian woman dies at Hubbard Lake Mrs. David Cloud Was Well Past Century Mark.

May 24, 1917 ~ Hubbard Lake, May 22.—Wednesday morning. May, 16th, Mrs. David Cloud, aged Hubbard Lake resident, passed away; pneumonia being the sickness which caused her demise. Her age is variously estimated, but there are some old settlers here who claim she had well passed the century mark.

Nevertheless she was

strong and active, and thousands of baskets and moccasins testify as to her skill.

Mrs. Cloud was first the wife of Chief Henry, now dead, and several children were the result of this union. Of these three are now alive: Chief Simon Henry of AuSable, Miss Naney Henry of Mackinaw, and Mrs. John Joseph of Hubbard Lake.

Mrs. Cloud was the daugh-

ter of Broken Jaw, well known around Hubbard Lake in the earlier days. She was buried Saturday at Ossineke cemetery beside her children and former husband. Rev. Symons of Ossineke officiated in the services, and a choir sang the last sweet words over the remains of this woman, who had lived a life full of romance and full of useful deeds.

Forest fires are now extingushed A Home and Church Burned—Rains Bring Relief

May 24, 1917 ~ The rains Monday and Tuesday though cold and sleety, did an untold amount of good both to crops and in suppressing forest fires which were becoming serious in several parts of the county.

The most serious losses from forest fires, that have been reported, was the destruction Friday of the home of Philip Hyke in Western Mikado township and the burning of the Alvin Baptist church Saturday. The Hyke family are quartered in the house formerly occupied by John R. Rickert.

Some fences have been destroyed and only desperate fighting prevented much more serious losses. The rain came just in time to relieve the situation.

MAY 23, SNOW

May 24, 1917 ~ "Merry Christmas!" It was thus the facetious ones greeted their neighbors Wednesday morning. The ground was covered with snow and overcoats and gloves were found very comfortable clothing—and reference was had to the almanac to satisfy one that it was the 23rd of May and not December. Snow in considerable quantities was reported at various parts of the state, both far and near.

Thieves force enterance to the roller mill

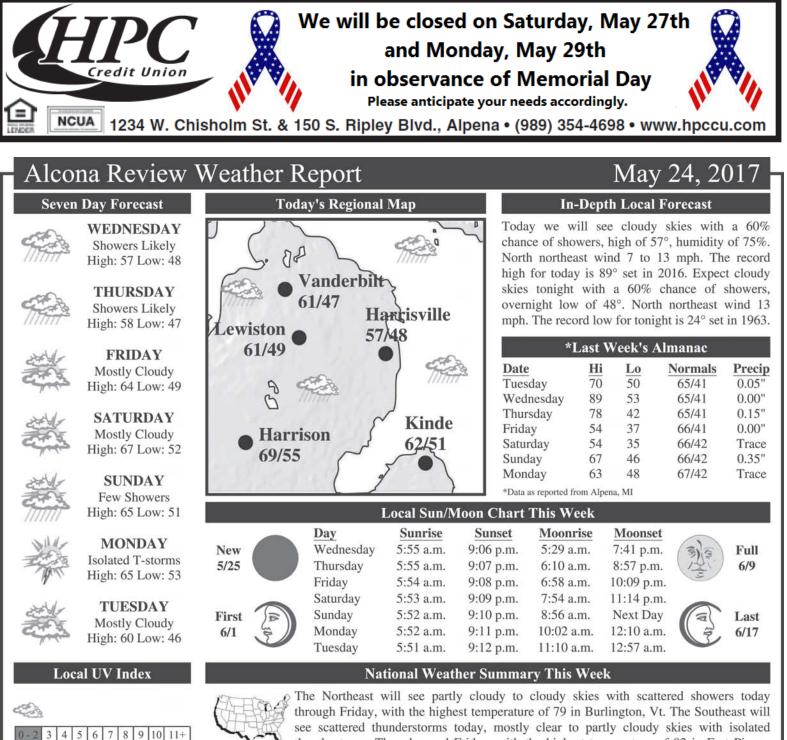
May 24, 1917 ~ Thieves forced an entrance to the Harrisville roller mill Saturday night and made away with a sizable haul.

Just what was taken Mr. Gillespie was unable to state. One sack of flour was found later in a vacant field in the south part of town; it was broken open and the thieves evidently were unable to get it away without leaving too plain a trail.

Entrance to the mill was gained by breaking a glass in the engine room door and with a screwdriver removing portion of the lock.

There is strong suspicion as to who the guilty parties are, but as yet no arrests have been made.

Guy Leonard



UV Index

0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure Fla. The Northwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 87 in South Big Horn, Wyo. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 108 in Blythe, Calif.

thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 92 in Fort Pierce,

Tonight's Planets

Rise Set 5:04 a.m. 6:45 p.m. Mercury 4:08 a.m. 4:58 p.m. Venus 7:02 a.m. 10:39 p.m. Mars Jupiter 4:27 p.m. n/a Saturn 10:34 p.m. n/a 4:21 a.m. 5:44 p.m. Uranus

Weather History May 24, 1894 - Six inches of snow blanketed

Kentucky. Just four days earlier as much as 10 inches

of snow had fallen across Kentucky, Tennessee and

Virginia. Six days earlier, a violent storm wrecked nine

ships on Lake Michigan.

Weather Trivia

Which U.S. city has the most sunshine?

?

Answer: Yuma, Ariz. is sunny 90 percent of the year.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Dark Matter

I have had two great loves in my life. Susan and I will have been married 35 years this coming June 25. The other woman? Well, obviously, it wasnt successful, but I longed for his unit I met my Sue. But what if that first relationship had been successful? How would my life have evolved if I had taken the other road? There are a group of physicists who believe that we live in a multiverse, a kaleidoscope of universes all existing at the same time. Each decision that we make creates another universe that splits off with the consequences of that choice going forward in time. This is essentially the premise of Blake Crouchs, Dark Matter, Crown, New York, 2016, which has Jason ad Jason 2 as its incharacter. I say character because they are both the same person living at the same time in two parallel universes. Jason made the decision to marry Daniela, and together they have a son named Charlie. Jason is a successful physics professor living in Chicago in an extraordinarily happy relationship with his family. However, he wonders if he could have made more of his professional life. Jason2 is a world-renowned physicist who sacrificed family for fame and invented a machine, a box, which can transport a person to another timeline of himself. The catch is that Jason2 is probably the only person who knows exactly how to find that transcendent moment in another persons life to make the proper connection. Jason2 may be the Einstein of his 21st century timeline, but he lacks the completeness of a family relationship and wants desperately to be the love of Danielas and Charlies lives. So Jason2 are the same person, it doesnt take long for Jason to understand how to move the box to different timelines of himself. The trick that needs to be learned is getting the box close enough to the timeline that will allow Daniela and for Jason 2 and him to be reconnected. As he gets closer, Jason leaves multiple timelines of himself in Chicago which can reconnect with each other, so by the moment Jason finds his correct timeline, there are

Perkins

May 24, 1917 ~ Guy Leonard Perkins, aged 15 years and 10 months, died May 15th at Flint, Michigan, following a long illness from typhoid fever.

The remains were brought to the home of W. C. Shepard in Mikado, and on Friday funeral services were held in the M. E. church, being in charge of Rev. Listen (L. D. S.) of Flint. The burial took place in the family lot at South Harrisville.

Guy was born in Mikado and lived there until a year ago when the family moved to Flint. Six of his former schoolmates acted as pallbearers: Wellington and Daniel Dolson, Allen Kahn, Norman Edwards, Grant Cowie and Austin Emerson.



Trivia Test By Fifi Rodriguez

1. HISTORY: What charge did Spiro Agnew plead no contest to after he resigned as U.S. vice president in 1973?

2. BUSINESS: What company manufactured the Walkman portable audio cassette/ tape players?

- 3. U.S. POLITICS: Who was Gerald Ford's running mate in 1976?
- 4. MEASUREMENTS: How many seconds are in a year?
- 5. LANGUAGE: What is a tonsure?
- 6. GEOGRAPHY: What group of islands does Tahiti belong to?

7. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does the Hornbostel-Sachs system do?

8. ENTERTAINERS: What actress/TV host was born with the name Caryn Johnson?

9. EXPLORERS: Who was the first person to fly solo between Hawaii and the continental United States?

10. ANATOMY: What is a common name for the patella?

Answers: 1. Income-tax evasion; 2. Sony; 3. Bob Dole; 4. 31 million; 5. A shaved head; 6. Society Islands; 7. It classifies musical instruments.; 8. Whoopi Goldberg; 9. Amelia Earhart; 10. Kneecap (c) 2017 King Features Synd., Inc.

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Atoments In Time By The History Channel

• On June 8, 632, in Saudi Arabia, Muhammad, founder of Islam, dies. In 610, in a cave north of Mecca, he had a vision in which he heard God command him to become the Arab prophet of the "true religion." Muhammad began having religious revelations, which he collected as the Quran.

• On June 9, 1856, nearly 500 Mormons leave Iowa City and head west for Salt Lake City, carrying all their goods and supplies in two-wheeled handcarts with wooden axles. Over the next four years, some 3,000 Mormon converts made the overland journey with similar handcarts.

• On June 7, 1913, Hudson Stuck, an Alaskan missionary, leads the first successful ascent of Mt. McKinley's south peak, the highest point on the North American continent, at 20,320 feet, overcoming difficult weather and a fire that destroyed food and supplies.

• On June 10, 1928, Maurice Sendak, author and illustrator of "Where the Wild Things Are," is born in New York. The book was pioneering in its realistic depiction of childhood anxieties and rebellious behavior.

• On June 6, 1933, in New Jersey, Richard Hollingshead opens the first drive-in movie theater. Hollingshead had experimented in the driveway of his home in Camden, mounting a 1928 Kodak projector on the hood of his car, pinning a screen to some trees, and placing a radio behind the screen for sound.

• On June 11, 1955, a Mercedes-Benz race car in Le Mans, France, goes out of control at 150 mph and crashes into stands filled with spectators, killing 82 people. Several nations banned racing after the tragedy.

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On June 5, 1968, Senator Robert Kennedy is shot at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles after winning the California presidential primary. Kennedy was shot several times by the 22-year-old Palestinian Sirhan Sirhan. He died a day later.

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Strange But True By Samantha Weaver

• It was beloved American author of Western stories Louis L'Amour who made the following sage observation: "A wise man fights to win, but he is twice a fool who has no plan for possible defeat."

• You might be aware of the fact that penguins mate for life, but did you know that before they mate, there's a proposal? It's true -- a penguin will spend a significant amount of time searching for the perfect pebble to offer to its prospective mate.

• Swedish chemist, inventor and businessman Alfred Nobel is best known for inventing dynamite -- and for using his fortune to institute the Nobel Prizes after he was condemned as a "merchant of death" for profiting from the sale of arms. You might be surprised to learn, though, that he also had a literary bent, writing poetry, novels and plays.

• If you're like the average American, you spend about 17 minutes a day exercising -- and 10 hours a day looking at a screen.

• On Christmas Day in 1075, while he was in the middle of celebrating mass at the Basilica di Santa Maria Maggiore, Pope Gregory VII was kidnapped by a Roman nobleman.

• Those who study such things say that the light produced by a single bolt of lightning is equivalent to that produced by 100 million flashbulbs. And the fact that flashbulbs are being used as a comparison may indicate some unrelated data about the age of the researchers.

Thought for the Day: "The tragedy in the lives of most of us is that we go through life walking down a high-walled lane with people of our own kind, the same economic situation, the same national background and education and religious outlook. And beyond those walls, all humanity lies, unknown and unseen, and untouched by our restricted and impoverished lives." -- Florence Luscomb (c) 2017 King Features Synd., Inc.



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: N equals G

TZWS YIJH MCNTCNR SWWO XQ

MKH RKLLECWR, C CJYNCSW

XZWH TQKEO RZQL YX XZW

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Default has been made in the terms and conditions of a mortgage made by Elroy Comiska and Rita Comiska, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Extra Credit Union f/k/a Warren Schools Credit Union, mortgagee, dated August 22, 1997, and recorded on August 27, 1997, in Liber 309 on page 120, Alcona County records, Michigan, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fourteen thousand one hundred twenty-seven and 75/100 dollars (\$14,127,75) including interest at 7.25000 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

Notice to Creditors

The William B Brooks Bevocable Trust Agreement, dated March 5, 2009. Date of birth: January 1, 1937

To all creditors: Notice to creditors: The dece-

dent, William R. Brooks, died April 12, 2017. Creditors of the decedent are

notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Penny A.

within Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 21. Said premises are situated in the township of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 30, assessor plat of Village of Black River, as recorded in Liber 3, pages 1 through 4, of Plats, Alcona County records. Commonly: 5382 Main, Black River, Mich. 48721. Tax Id. No. 013-120-000-030-00. The redemption period shall be 12 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: May 17, 2017 Extra Credit Union, Mortgagee Holzman Corkery, PLLC By: Charles J. Holzman Attorney for Mortgagee 28366 Franklin Road Southfield, Mich. 48034 5-17, 5-24, 5-31, 6-5, 6-14

Holmes, Trustee, 1747 North Huron (US-23), Harrisville, Mich. 48740 within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice. Date: May 12, 2017 David H. Cook P40560 5466 M-72 Harrisville, Mich. 48740 (989) 724-5155 Penny A. Holmes, Trustee 1747 North Huron (US-23) Harrisville, Mich. 48740

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Senior Erik Davey stands next to his drafting table which was awarded a first place best of show ribbon at MITES regional competition and a sixth place ribbon at the state competition. Davey said he wanted to make something he could use his wood burning talents in with and also wanted to use a sand technique and incorporate the great lakes. *Photo by Mary Weber*



Luke Loyer, a junior at Alcona High School, stands with his paddle board which won a second place ribbon at MITES regional competition and a third place ribbon at the state competition. He chose the paddleboard for his project because his family had been looking to purchase one and thought it would be fun. *Photos by Mary Weber*.

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