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# Chicks make science fun for elementary students

By Mary Weber

Staff Writer

Despite a slight delay which nearly scrapped the project, almost a dozen new chicks pecked their way into the world just in time to make end of year studies a little more interesting for Alcona Elementary students.

The chicks are a part of a second and third grade project of Jennifer Inglis' STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) classes. Inglis had hoped to end the project in April, but things didn't go exactly as planned.

"Students began the school year looking at the life cycle of plants, butterflies and then salmon. They were excited to observe the 20 eggs we received in April, but they never hatched. That, in itself, was an education for the students," Inglis said.

She explained students had already observed a two-headed salmon which hatched during their salmon project this year but didn't live long. Inglis explained to students that death was part of every living life cycle.

Inglis, who had no prior experience with chickens, got some advice and help from Monica Spears, a parent at the school who raises chickens. Spears candled the eggs which were all found to be unfertilized.

Spears didn't want the students to be disappointed with the results, so she gathered 20 eggs from her farm to donate to the project.

Students were observing the eggs when the first chick began pecking through his shell about a week ago. "It was really cool when they hatched. We had chicks born on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and one on Saturday," said Jacob Smith, a second grader.

Abby Wurtley, also a second grader, said they learned a lot about chickens and baby chicks in the classroom and that chickens roost. "We also learned about an embryo, which is a baby on the inside. It's like a seed that grows," she said.

Ben Myers, a third grader, explained it normally takes about 21 days for fertile eggs to hatch, but the school's chicks were a little early at just 19 days, probably because they didn't want to miss the end of school. "They are wet when they first come out of their shell and can't see, but they eat right away. Now they are very fluffy and soft," Myers said.

Inglis explained the project was a great success. "Stu-



(From left) Jacob Smith, Ben Myers and Abby Wortley, students of Jennifer Inglis, a STEM teacher at Alcona Elementary, hold newly hatched chicks which was part of the second and third grade classroom study on life cycles. *Photo by Mary Weber*.

dents were able to interact hands-on and were very interested in what they were learning. A student can't really interact much with fish or butterflies. Today I put a chick on each table and let them hop around as students worked. They have all gotten to touch and hold the chicks and keep a close eye on their safety and growth.

"They learned not all chicks are yellow when they are born,

so I was able to discuss heredity a bit with the third graders. It's been a fun project and they are nice calm chicks because of all the handling. I definitely would do this again," she said.

Some of the chicks even got scientific names such as Chemistry, Biology, Astronomy, Ecology, Geology and Zoology. There is also one named Hugs and Kisses which Inglis said got that moniker because it was the egg marked with an "X" on one side and an "O" on the other to distinguish when the eggs were turned.

As students complete the last few days of school this week, the chicks will be making their way to new homes. Some will be going home with school success coordinator, Mael Fritz-Wilson and the others will be taken back to Spears farm.



Members of the Alcona County Road Commission (circa 1965) pose for a photograph before they traveled to a Detroit Tigers Baseball game in Detroit, Mich. In a time when the road commission built the roads, this was an annual trip. (Front row, from left) Howard Fowlery, Howard Specht, Leonard Morang, Bucky Knight, Roy Boucher, Stan Regier, Ernie Burgoyne, Fred Walker, (back row) Art Silverthorn, Harold Somers, Larry Ritchie, Bill Williams, Ray Somers, Roddy Forsythe, Wilbur Forsythe, Joe Ellinger, Ted Somers, Little Henry Sanecki, John Fowler and Everett Schram. *Photo courtesy of Marjorie Forsythe*.

# Sentencing concludes school threat incident

By Cheryl Peterson

Editor

The former Alcona High School student charged with a threat at the school in March was sentenced in 23<sup>rd</sup> Circuit Court on June 6.

Alyssia R. Hancock, 18, of Spruce was charged with false report or threat of terrorism, a felony, and malicious destruction of a building, a misdemeanor. According to the Alcona County Sheriff's Department, a handwritten threat "to shoot the school up" was written on a restroom stall in the girls bathroom and found at approximately 2:50 p.m. March 26.

Hancock, who was represented by attorney William Pfifer, apologized for her actions during the sentencing hearing. "I would like to apologize, not just to the school, but the entire community for my actions. I understand the seriousness of what I did..." she said.

Prosecuting Attorney Thomas Weichel said that while a representative from the school was not in attendance, "the people has discussed in depth with the school district representative, Mr. (Dan) O'Connor, superintendent in reference to this issue."

The Honorable Laura A. Frawley presided over the hearing and told Hancock that her actions wreaked havoc and fear in the schools and in the community. "You have a lot of work to do to make up for your actions," Frawley said. "It's really important that you spend the effort to work out the issues that you are dealing with. Life is hard enough at your age... you need to put in the effort with counseling

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The City of Harrisville would like to remind all residents that City Ordinance #2017-01 requires cutting of lawns by June 1, August 1, September 1 and October 1 and as many other times as may be necessary to prevent properties from becoming unsightly, noxious or detrimental to public health and welfare.

Residential properties require cutting when lawn is in excess of eight (8) inches in length, commercial and industrial in excess of twelve (12) inches in length. The city will attempt to work with city residents in resolving lawn cutting issues by knocking on the door or leaving a door hanger. If grass is not cut within seven (7) days, the city will arrange to have the grass cut and subsequent expenses will be billed to the owner/occupant. Expensed not to exceed \$500 for residential, or \$1,000 for commercial and industrial properties.

If residents have any questions, they can contact; City of Harrisville Office at 989-724-6666.

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#### Safe stolen

The Michigan State Police is asking for the public's help in a residential burglary incident that happened in Mikado on June 4 where a floor safe was stolen. The safe is described as black with a gray door and is approximately 40 inches tall. It contained a large sum of money and other contents including assorted women's jewelry.

Anyone who has information regarding the burglary or who may know someone who has suspiciously acquired a large sum of money or women's jewelry later is asked to contact the Michigan State Police post in Alpena at (989) 354-4101 or Crime Stoppers at (800) 422-JAIL. Crime Stoppers will pay up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the apprehension of subjects involved in criminal activity or who are wanted fugitives.

#### **HAYNES TOWNSHIP** NOTICE

Haynes Township July board meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

# CryptoQuip answer

When a fortunate chicken wins the lottery, I would say it is due to the cluck of the draw.

Super Crossword



#### **Obituaries**



#### Marilea "Pat" Gratz

Marilea "Pat" Gratz, 87, of Mikado, Mich., died on Monday, May 28, 2018 in Otisville, Mich.

She was born on May 19, 1931 to Jack and Dorothy Sellen in Dearborn, Mich.

She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Barton City, Mich. She enjoyed hunting, knitting, gardening, and reading.

Ms. Gratz is survived by two daughters, Susan (David) Stamy and April (Gary) Thornthwaite; 10 grandchildren; many great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren; three sisters, Jonna Sohn, Jean Chiado, and Nannette Bouchard; one brother, Robert Sellen; and her long-time companion, Dean Coombs.

She was preceded in death by one son, Robert Gratz. Cremation has taken place. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Heartland Hospice, 700 South Main Street, Suite 209, Lapeer, Mich. 48446.

Arrangements were handled by Mumford-Hudson Funeral Home, Inc., Otisville, Mich.

#### Thomas P. Keena

Thomas P. Keena, 78, of Lincoln, died on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Lincoln Haven Nursing and Rehabilitation Community.

He was born February 2, 1940 to Francis and Irene (Sauve) Keena in Detroit, Mich. He was raised in St. Clair Shores,

He worked as a tool and die maker with Active Tool in Detroit, Mich.

On December 4, 1971, he married Joyce Ritchie in Lincoln. They were residents of Roseville, Mich. and Clinton Township, Mich. until moving to Lincoln in 2005.

He enjoyed watching wildlife and hunting deer.

Mr. Keena is survived by his wife, Joyce; one son, Michael (Kathy) Keena of Clinton Township, Mich.; one daughter, Lori (Jerome) Ohnui of Sterling Heights, Mich.; five grandchildren, Tommy Keena, Nick Keena, Chris Keena, Henry Ohnui, and Evelyn Ohnui; and one sister, Dorothy (Tom) Kracht of Niceville, Fla.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Lila Walleman and Elizabeth Fickert; and two brothers, Ron Keena and John Keena.

The funeral service was held on Monday, June 11, at Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. The Rev. Leslie Nye officiated. Burial will be in Twin Lakes Cemetery.





The Pollinator Partnership is proud to announce that June 18-24, 2018 has been designated National Pollinator Week, which has grown into an international celebration of the valuable ecosystem services provided by bees, birds, butterflies, bats and beetles. Pollinators travel from plant to plant carrying pollen on their bodies, which allows the transfer of genetic material critical to the reproductive system of most flowering plants. - Brenda Weaver Source: pollinator.org

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#### Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2018

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		Weekly Report			r Hour		
	Temperat	ure (F°)	Water	Av. Wind	High	Dominant	
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June 3	57	49	0.04	2.0	14	ENE	
June 4	67	47	0.00	3.0	20	NW	
June 5	58	46	0.00	5.5	19	NNE	
June 6	59	43	0.00	4.5	13	NNE	
June 7	63	51	0.00	2.7	17	NE	
June 8	59	43	0.00	3.8	15	NE	
June 9	60	51	0.00	2.9	13	NE	

#### **Precipitation Summary (Inches)**

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>Normal</u>
Weekly Total	0.09	1.04	0.62
June to Date	0.04	0.30	0.72
Year/Season to Date	10.41	13.11	10.88

Climatological Observations taken by Stanley L. Darmofal at the Harrisville National Weather Service Coop Station located 1.8 miles NNE of Harrisville Post Office. Observations for each day are from midnight through 11:59 p.m. T=Trace (less than 0.005" Water Content.)



### Calendar of Events



#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

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. Call (989) 727-3606 for details.

Art in the Park. Take a nature hike and collect natural materials to create works of art. Participants will be working with various art mediums including paint, markers, crayons and colored pencil so dress accordingly. This event will be held at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den at 10 a.m. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for de-

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 14

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.

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.

Learn about the whitetail deer at 10 a.m. and animal scat at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

Tinker Thursday for children ages five to 12 at the Curtis Township Library located at 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie from 3 to 5 p.m. Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. This event is free to the public.

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 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.

Animals move in different ways. Learn more about the locomotive leisure's various critters use during a walk and talk at 10 a.m. Then at 2 p.m. get information on the fish in the Great Lakes while enjoying crafts and games. These events will be held at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required

for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 16**

A free concert featuring Carol Cadarette, will be held at 3 p.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Harrisville. Music will include classic and traditional oldies. Refreshments will be served following the concert. Call (989) 310-0816 or (989) 569-3818 for details.

Power Surge, a classic hard rock band, will perform live music at 8 p.m. at the American Legion Post, 2205 Alger Street in Mikado. Rock out to your favorite music from the 70's and 80's with tunes from Rush, Van Halen, Led Zeppelin, Motley Crue and many more. Call (989) 736-9526 for details.

Learn about trees at 10 a.m. and Monarch butterfly and 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

Storytime at 1 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie

A euchre tournament will be held at the Greenbush Township Hall on Campbell Road. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., play starts at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome. Sponsored by the Greenbush Historical Society.

#### MONDAY, JUNE 18

White Pine Quilt Guild will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville. Join them for quilting ideas, fellowship and inspiration. Quilters both new and experienced are invited to join or visit. For more information, call Joanne at (989) 255-7880

All ladies are invited to play bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall at 2:30 p.m. First-timers are always welcome. Call Barb Taylor at (989) 739-7029 for details.

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 19

Knitting Klub & 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. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

The Alcona Book Club will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street from noon to 1 p.m. The selection for June is "And After the Fire" by Lauren Belfer. Adult Summer Reading 2018 begins this day, sign up at any branch. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

There will be an author event featuring five local authors at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 1 p.m. Refreshments provided by Friends of the Library. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

An animal safari program will be held at 11:30 a.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie. This event is free to the public.

#### **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20**

Children and teens may stop in at any branch of the Alcona County Library beginning today to sign up for Summer Reading 2018. Call (989) 724-6796.

Learn about birds at 10 a.m. and the sun at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

Do you like to dig in the dirt? Do you consider other people's trash a potential treasure. A forest archaeologist and volunteers from the National Forest Heritage Program will demonstrate archaeological methods through excavation of the Old Monument Store located on the grounds of Lumbermans Monument, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. This event will be held from 10 a.m. to noon. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

My Brother's Hope Free Store will be accepting donations from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). Call (989) 335-3541 for details.

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 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.

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The ARA Farm Market will be open Saturday, June 16 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Alcona County Fairgrounds in Lincoln. Available this week: Mushrooms, asparagus, rainbow carrots, cucumbers, lettuce, garlic scapes, spinach, sugar snap peas; all cuts of hormone and antibiotic-free beef, snack sticks, brats, baked goods including bread, cookies, cakes and quick breads; jams, jellies, honey, maple syrup, hanging baskets, perennials, bedding plants, veggie plants, herb plants, popcorn, homemade laundry detergent and dryer balls, paper crafts and soy candles, Alcona T-shirts, and market

#### Senior Menu

bags.

The following meals will be served during the week at 4 p.m. in Glennie at Lott Baptist Church; at 4:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center; and at 4:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall. No reservations are required at the Lincoln Senior Center, however call (989) 736-8879 by 7 a.m. for meals served in Glennie or Greenbush. No membership is required. Suggested donation of \$3 per meal is welcome.

- Monday, June 18—Fish almandine, wild rice, Brussels sprouts, flavored applesauce, cheesy garlic biscuit.
- Tuesday, June 19—Harvest chicken salad, macaroni salad, baby carrots and dip, and pineapple.
- Wednesday, June 20— Barbecued pork on a bun, potato lyonnaise, peas, and tropical fruit.
- Thursday, June 21— Chicken Parmesan over spaghetti, mixed vegetables, peaches, and garlic bread.
- Friday, June 22—Pepper steak, brown rice, wax beans, tossed salad, and mandarin

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

#### Local Authors Event

Meet five talented local authors at a presentation on Tuesday, June 19 at 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Authors Carole Plunkey, Joe Jenney, Tom Thomas, Robert Merkel, and Ben Murphy

will each give a brief presentation about his or her book followed by a question and answer session. Books will be available for purchasing and signing. Friends of the Library will host a reception in their honor. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

#### **Summer Reading Programs**

Pick up summer reading packets, "Libraries Rock," at any branch of the Alcona County Library. Adult Summer Reading begins on Tuesday, June 19 through August 21, with special programs and prizes. Summer Reading for Children and Teens begins on Wednesday, June 20 and ends on August 10

- The Alcona Book Club will explore this musical theme at noon on Tuesday, June 19 by discussing "And after the Fire," by Lauren Belfer, a fictional story about the discovery of a long manuscript by Johann Sebastian Bach. All are welcome to the discussion.
- The first big program of the summer, a visit from Exotic Zoo, is on Wednesday, June 27 at 1:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch. For more information, call (989) 724-6796 or visit the web for the updated calendar, www.library.alcona.lib.mi.us.

#### Ukuleles at the Library

Fifteen soprano ukuleles have joined the collection of the Alcona County Library, Harrisville branch, made possible in part by a grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services and the Library of Michigan. Children and adults are invited to attend free beginning ukulele lessons taught by volunteer Carol Martin and others. Ukulele and handouts are provided (attendees may bring their own ukulele). June lesson dates are: Wednesday, June 20 at 2 p.m. for children ages 8-12; 3 p.m. for adults and teenagers ages 13 and up. Tuesday, June 26, 10:30 a.m. for children ages 8-12; 11:30 a.m. for adults and teenagers ages 13 and up. There is limited enrollment, call to register at (989) 724-6796.

#### Free Afternoon Concert

A free concert will be held Sunday, June 24 at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 Second Street in Harrisville at 3 p.m. Performers included Carol Cadarette, a musician from Alpena, who plays various instruments including the accordion, bass guitar and piano. She will sing and play

keyboard for the concert. She is a fun and energetic person who loves music, which shows in her performances.

Another part of the concert will be performed by Buck Knight, Rob Shepherd, Michelle Marcouiller and Linda Knight who will sing a medley of familiar songs. Buck Knight is a well-known musician in the community who has a long career of traveling and performing at many locations over the years. Local musicians, Rob Shepherd, will play guitar and sing and Michelle Marcouiller will play flute and sing. Linda Knight will accompany the group on piano.

#### Away at School

- Shannon Oliver, of Spruce, was named to the dean's list for the 2018 winter semester at Northern Michigan University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- Britny Faught, of Greenbush, was named to the dean's list for the 2018 winter semester at Northern Michigan University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- Stephen Turpen, of Lincoln, was named to the dean's list for the 2018 winter semester at Northern Michigan University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- Ravyn Rooney, of Spruce, recently graduated from Northern Michigan University with an associate's degree in applied science.

#### Senior Breakfast Sponsor

Stacey Hall, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union Tiger Branch Supervisor, congratulated the Class of 2018 on their hard work over the years and spoke to students about the importance of preparing themselves financially before heading off to school,



Kameesha Faqua and Melayne Odell, Class of 2018.

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The Alcona County Sheriff's Office will be conducting a Boater's Safety Course on Saturday, June 23, 2018 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. It will be held at the Greenbush Township Hall which is located at 5037 E. Campbell Rd., Greenbush, MI To register please call the Sheriff's Office at 724-6271 Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. You must be at least 12 years old. Lunch will be provided.

#### Sentencing Continued from page 1

to help you figure out the things you are dealing with."

Hancock was sentenced to three years of probation under the Holmes Youthful Trainee Act (HYTA), where if she meets the terms of her probation, the charges will be dismissed. She was given

credit for 17 days in jail. Some of the terms of her probation include: Not to be within 500 feet of Alcona Community Schools, including after school events; pay \$1,808 in fines and costs; not to use alcohol or drugs; not to go into places that serve alcohol



The following individuals were sentenced in 81st District Court in May.

Kevin John Jackson, 40, of Lapeer, Mich. was sentenced to 15 days in jail and fines and costs of \$908.58 for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied - second offense.

Brian Wade Somers, 47, of Lincoln was sentenced to 30 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and costs of \$2,145 for reckless driving, attempted assault/resist/obstruct police and attempted flee and elude.

Christopher Adam Link, 40, of Clinton Township, Mich. was sentenced to one year of probation and fines and costs of \$1,30 for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied and unlawful use of license plate.

Thomas Michael Woodruff, 48, of Hubbard Lake was sentenced to three days in jail and \$925 in fines and costs for controlled substance – use of marijuana.

William Andrew Adkins, 59, of Harrisville was sentenced to three days in jail, six months of probation and \$1,115 in fines and costs for domestic violence.

Ilona Teresa Ellich, 51, of Oscoda was sentenced to one day in jail and \$635 in fines and costs for operating with the presence of drugs.

Dane Michael Dafoe, 22, of Glennie was sentenced to one day in jail and \$1,480 for operating while visibly impaired.

Susan Lynn Valent, 69, of Barton City was sentenced to one day in jail and \$1,340 in fines and costs for operating while visibly impaired.

Brian Patrick Joyce, 41, of Lincoln was sentenced to one day in jail and \$1,480 in fines and costs for operating while

David Lee Vliet Jr., 26, of Barton City was sentenced to 15 days in jail, two years of probation and \$2,200 in fines and costs for operating while visibly impaired.

Gary Lee Mader Jr., 49 of South Branch was sentenced to 15 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and costs of \$950 for operator's license suspended, revoked, denied.

# Lady Tigers wrap season, look toward next year

By Ben Murphy

Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity softball team had its season come to an end when it dropped its Division IV district semifinal contest against Hale, 11-0 on Friday June, 1.

Raegen Eller took the loss, pitching four innings and giving up 11 runs and 14 hits. Taylor Livingston pitched a scoreless inning of relief.

Ashlyn Gordy, Lori Hayes and Livingston had one hit

"We got behind early in the first inning and couldn't come back," said head coach Chelsea Neuenfeldt. "We had a tough time defensively containing Hale, giving up 11 runs."

The loss ends the Lady Tiger season with a 3-20 overall record and 1-7 in the North Star League.

"The weather definitely didn't help, making us face teams without even being able to practice on a field, Neuen-feldt said. "This year we had a very young team, consisting of seven new players out of our 13, six being freshmen. This year was a growing year for our team."

The coach is hoping that the wins total can increase in

future seasons.

"We will be losing three and returning 10 next year, which will, hopefully, let the girls build on what they have started this year," Neuenfeldt said. "A downfall that we see is the lack of a junior varsity team. Girls are being put on a varsity team not having any experience with softball and playing teams that have been together since little

"In the three years I have coached, a goal of mine was to start a JV program and I am confident that next year we will get it back. We have a large group of upcoming freshmen that will be able to get the JV team going again. We are also looking at getting some of the younger girls pitching over the summer to increase our pitchers for next

Hailee Gordy was also named to the NSL All-Conference team shortly after the season ended.

"We had a rough year with injuries this year, losing two starters early on and illnesses that took a starter from us in districts," Neuenfeldt said. "Girls were learning new positions on the field and doing the best they could."

or be around people who use alcohol or drugs; adhere to alcohol and drug testing; not to be around people who are felons; not to possess any weapons. "If you violate any of the terms of your probation, you could go back to jail," Frawley told Hancock.

According to the Michigan Legislature (compiled laws website) the Holmes Youthful Trainee Act (HYTA): If an individual pleads guilty to a criminal offense, committed on or after the individual's 17th birthday but before his or her 24th birthday, the court of record having jurisdiction of the criminal offense may, without entering a judgment of conviction and with the consent of that individual, consider and assign that individual to the status of youthful trainee. If the offense was committed on or after the individual's 21st birthday but before his or her 24<sup>th</sup> birthday, the individual shall not be assigned to youthful trainee status without the consent of the prosecuting attorney.

The law does not allow this for any of the following: A felony for which the maximum penalty is imprisonment for life; a major controlled substance offense; a traffic offense.

For more information about HYTA, see http:// www.legislature.mi.gov/-(S(5itbijhl1p3d301dhwtoosvp))/ mileg.aspx?page = -GetObject&objectname=mcl-762-11.

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# Winding down to retirement

#### By Marlena MacNeill

Guest Columnist

There's been a long standing, albeit unofficial, and mostly self-imposed quota set for me to complete 1,000 payrolls before retiring from the Alcona County Road Com-

I have loosely calculated it would take about nine more years to meet that goal.

Now, I'm not a quitter, but I suddenly realized I hadn't missed one payroll over the last 29 years. I'm relatively certain that can be counted as a decent accomplishment in itself, so I'm allowing myself the luxury of stopping at about 75 percent of the arbitrary goal.

While payroll was only one aspect of my job, my internal calendar has been set on a two-week schedule since I began working as the administrative assistant at the Alcona County Road Commission in 1989. In addition to payroll, I also served as the secretary to the Board of Road Commissioners. The board typically meets the second and fourth week of each month—further shaping my view of the calendar into twoweek segments.

I'm not really sure how long it will be before I stop looking at months as two, two-week periods!

It will also likely be a while before I quit watching the weather and fretting over how road conditions will be for commuters. And I'll have to get out of the habit of looking at everything that happens at the road commission to see if there's a newsworthy story to tell.

I will miss writing those news stories.

I will also miss the crew. I hope I have served them well, greeted them with a smile, and acknowledged them for their individual and collective talents and skills. They are a good-hearted bunch of public servants.

I will miss contact with the public, as well. I always tried to be engaged and as helpful possible, both in answering

the bazillion calls I've fielded over the years and face to face with people who have visited the road commission

The answer to the usual question about what I plan to do? Well, in conjunction with working full time, I have been active with Leadership Alcona and a big project to expand broadband Internet service in Alcona County, I serve on the planning committee that brings the Alcona County George Byelich Memorial Fall Color Bus to you each year, and I've served on the Alcona Township Board since 1999 and we are currently working on enhancing the park area in Black River. There's no doubt I'll be able to devote more time to those passions.

It has been a good ride;



Marlena MacNeill

however, on June 28, 2018, I will process my final payroll, write the minutes for my final board meeting, chalk this up as my final news story, and bid my final farewell to my road commission family.

# Griffore/LaVergne plan August wedding

Alyssa Rose Griffore and Brock Edward LaVergne announce their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Cindy and Jim Straley of Alpena and Mark Griffore of Alpena. She is a graduate of Alpena High School. She is employed at Allegro Coaching in Grand Rapids, Mich. as the director of marketing and specialty programs and a certified personal trainer.

The future groom is the son of Edward and Renee LaVergne of Lincoln. He is a graduate of Alcona High School and Alpena Community College. He is employed at Consumers Power in Grand Rapids, Mich. as an apprentice lineman.

They will exchange their vows on August 25, 2018 in Alpena.



Alvssa Griffore and Brock LaVergn

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We want to thank the participants, our volunteers, and our recipients for making the golf outing a huge success. We would also like to thank the following businesses for their support.

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A special thank you to Eagle Ridge Golf Club of Glennie for hosting our outing and to Dean Arbour Ford of Tawas for sponsoring the hole-in-one contest. We really appreciate your support each year

# THANK YOU

The family of **Elmer Schemanski** would like to thank the staff of MidMichigan Medical Center in Alpena and Hospice of Michigan for their support and compassionate care of our father. Gillies Funeral Home, St. Raphael Catholic Church and the Knights of *Columbus for helping us with the difficult process of* \(\) saying goodbye to our dad. The Mikado Goodfellows for the wonderful meal we all shared after the service. Our family and friends for their kind words, thoughts, prayers, heartfelt kindness and meals. You have made this difficult time easier for us.

> We are thankful for all of you. Brian, Anne, Lucy, Ray, Chris, Mike, Jim, Phil, Paul and Tim











# SENIOR LIFESTYLES

# Cheap cell phone plans for seldom calling seniors

What are the cheapest cell phone plans available to seniors today? I'm 78-yearsold and want it primarily for emergency purposes.

Infrequent Caller

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While unlimited highspeed data, video streaming and mobile hot spot are now standard for most cell phone plans today, there are still a number of low-cost wireless plans designed with seniors in mind.

These plans offer limited talk time and text, which is ideal for seniors who want to stay connected without spending much money each month. Here are some super cheap plans to consider.

Prepaid plans are the best deal for seniors who only want a cell phone for emergency purposes or occasional calls. The very cheapest prepaid plan available today is T-Mobile's Pay As You Go plan, which includes any combitext messages for only \$3 per month. After that, additional minutes and texts cost 10 cents each.

Phone prices start at \$75, but if you have a compatible device, you can use it rather than buying a new one. You will, however, need to pay for a \$10 SIM Starter Kit fee, whether you bring your own phone or buy a new one. Visit T-Mobile.com or call (844) 361-2792 for more informa-

Two other companies that offer low-cost prepaid deals are TracFone and AT&T.

TracFone (TracFone.com, (800) 867-7183) has a 30 minute talk/text plan for \$10 per month, or an even cheaper a 60 minute talk/ text plan for \$20 for three months, which averages out to only \$6.66 per month.

And AT&T (ATT.com, (800) 331-0500) has two low-cost prepaid plans including the 25 cent per minute call plan, and a \$2 daily plan that

charges only when you place or receive a call or send a text that day. The fees are deducted from the prepaid balance on your account. But to use AT&T Prepaid, you must prepay into your account either \$10 per month, \$25 for three months or \$100 per

If you're interested in a senior-friendly cell phone that provides top-notched emergency assistance, consider the Jitterbug Flip (GreatCall.com, (800) 918-

This is a nifty flip phone that has big buttons, enhanced sound, a simplified menu, and a 5Star urgent response button that connects you to a trained agent that will know your locations, and will be able to assist you whether you need emergency services, directions, roadside assistance or a locksmith, or to contact family. GreatCall's service runs on Verizon's net-

The Flip phone costs \$100,



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with monthly service plans that start at \$15 for 200 minutes. Or, you can get the 5Star service with 50 minutes of monthly talk time for \$25.

If your income is low enough, another option you should check into is the federal Lifeline program, which provides free or low-cost cell phones and plans through numerous wireless providers.

To qualify, your annual household income must at or below 135 percent of the Federal Poverty Guidelines which is \$16,389 for one person, or \$22,221 for two. Or, you must be receiving Medicaid, food stamps/SNAP, SSI,

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To find out if you're eligible, or to locate wireless companies in your area that participates in the program, visit LifelineSupport.org or call (800) 234-9473.

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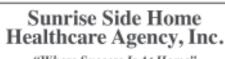
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joining the military, or starting off in the workforce. She shared with students the products and services that would be beneficial while away from home.

Seniors that attended were served breakfast, received their high school yearbook and had the chance of winning gift cards or a basket full of goodies for heading off to school.

#### Youth Drama Camp

The Shoreline Players announce the return engagement of the original and re-

vamped musical, "Curtain Call the Musical...the story begins before the curtain rises." The show's writer and lyricist Maggie Gautier will be this summer's guest director. The enhanced version of the show includes three new songs, some plot changes and some new dance num-

The Shoreline Players Youth Drama Association (SPYDA) summer program will be a five week day camp that begins on Monday, June 18 with registration at 9 a.m. SPYDA directors Sue Miller, Renee Diener and Chelsea Miller will be producing the camp and show.

There is a \$20 registration fee per child with additional siblings joining for \$10 per child to secure their spot and assist with camp expenses. To make sure everyone can participate there are scholarship funds available for registration.

The first two days of the program will be theatrical workshops on stagecraft from 10 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. which will be facilitated by Maggie Gautier and her colleague, Theresa Gibson. Students should bring a sack lunch. No advance preparation is necessary for the workshops. Students should be ready to have a good time. The workshops will help participants become familiar with the material and prepared for the auditions which will be held on Wednesday, June 20 and Thursday, June 21.

The first official rehearsal begins Friday, June 22 after the two days of audition conclude. Rehearsals will be conducted Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. at the theater.

Although not all cast members will be needed at every session, those auditioning should have a clear schedule for the majority of the days from June 18 to July 22 if selected.

The students in the cast and crew will be scheduled for dress rehearsal Monday, July 16, Tuesday, July 17 and Wednesday, July 18.

All cast and crew must be available for all scheduled performances which will be held on July 19, 20, 21 at 7 p.m. and a July 22 matinee a 2 p.m. and will be presented at the theater.

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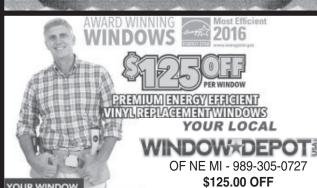


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# 2017 Water Quality Report for The City of Harrisville

This report covers the drinking water quality for the City of Harrisville for the calendar year 2017. This 2017 information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2017. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and state standards.

Your water comes from two (2) groundwater wells located at 417 Mill Creek Rd. The state performed an assessment of our source water in 2017. Copies of the reports are available from the Harrisville City Clerk's Office. Our wells were determined to have moderately low susceptibility to contamination.

- Contaminants and their presence in water: Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).
- Vulnerability of sub-populations: Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).
- Sources of drinking water: The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. Our water comes from wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.
  - Contaminants that may be present in source water include:
- \* **Microbial contaminants**, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- \* Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- \* **Pesticides and herbicides**, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses.
- \* Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.
- \* **Organic chemical contaminants**, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which provide the same protection for public health.

#### **Water Quality Data**

The table below lists all the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the 2015 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this tableare from testing done January 1 – December 31, 2015. The state allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. All of the data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old.

#### Terms and abbreviations used below:

• <u>Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG)</u>: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

- <u>Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)</u>: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- <u>Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):</u> The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG): The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- <u>N/A</u>: not applicable <u>ND</u>: not detectable at testing limit <u>ppb</u>: parts per billion or micrograms per liter <u>ppm</u>: parts per million or milligrams per liter.
- <u>Action Level (AL)</u>: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

#### Samples collected at the Wellhouse:

Regulated Chemical Contaminants	MCL	MCLG	Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants
Fluoride (ppm)	4	4	0.17 MG/L	8/17/16	No	Erosion of natural deposits

Unregulated Chemical Contaminants <sup>2</sup>	Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Sodium (ppm)	7 MG/L	8/17/2016	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits
Sulfate (ppm)	13 mg/L	8/17/2016	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits

<sup>2</sup> Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. Monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether it needs to regulate those contaminants.

#### Samples Collected in the Distribution System:

Contaminants Subject to an Action Level	Action Level, MCL, or MRDL	Our Water	Sample Date	Number of Samples Above AL	Typical Source of Contaminants
Lead (ppb) <sup>3</sup>	AL = 15	(90 <sup>th</sup> percentile) 2.0ppb	9/16/2015	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm) <sup>3</sup>	AL = 1.3	(90 <sup>th</sup> percentile) 240 ppb	9/16/2015	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives

<sup>3</sup> 90 percent of the samples collected were at or below the level reported for our water. Lead and copper monitering sample results were provided to all people whose site was tested in 2015. No lead & copper samples were collected in 2017.

Microbial Contaminants	MCL			Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants
Total Coliform Bacteria	1 positive monthly sample (5% of monthly samples positive)	0	0	no	Naturally present in the environment
Fecal Coliform and <i>E. coli</i>	Routine and repeat samples are total coliform positive, and one is also fecal or <i>E. coli</i> positive	0	0	no	Human and animal fecal waste

We will update this report annually and will keep you informed of any problems that may occur throughout the year, as they happen. Copies are available at the Harrisville City Clerk's Office, 200 N. Fifth St., Harrisville, MI 48740. This report will not be sent to you.

We invite public participation in decisions that affect drinking water quality. The Harrisville City Council meets regularly at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of the month at the Harrisville City Clerk's Office at 200 Fifth St., Harrisville MI 48740. For more information about your water, or the contents of this report, contact The City of Harrisville (989)724-6666. For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at www.epa.gov/safewater/.

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Harrisville is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to two minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791 or at http://water.epa.gov/drink/info/lead.



# Calendar of Events



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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.

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.

Alcona retirees will meet for a potluck lunch and bingo at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center. Bring a dish to pass. Call (989) 736-8879 for de-

Learn about skunks at 10 a.m. and chipmunks at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

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

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 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.

Learn about hummingbirds at 10 a.m. and butterflies at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 23

Learn about bats at 10 a.m. and bees at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

Lincoln Lions 11th annual Golf Scramble. Twenty fourperson teams compete in a scramble format. Golf at noon at Logger's Trace at Springport Hills Golf Course in Harrisville. Dinner follows with raffles and entertainment. Contact Don Larkin at (734) 231-5103 or dlarkin0129-@yahoo.com.

My Brother's Hope Free Store will be open from 9 a.m.

to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). Call (989) 335-3541.

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 24

Join the Harrisville Ukulele Meetup at the Bobcat Bar & Grill, Greenbush Golf Course from 6 to 8 p.m. All levels of ukulele players are welcome. They meet to create a supportive ukulele community to strum, sing and have fun. There will be a \$1 collection to defray costs. Call Elaine at (305) 395-0237 for details.

Kids in the Logging Camp! Kids hands-on activities that explore living in a 1907 logging camp and forestry today. This event will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse Museum's Bailey Log School.

Contact Jim Berry at (989) 724-6297 for details. Presented by the Alcona Historical Society and Alcona Conservation District.

The Rally for the Cure golf outing will be held at Eagle Ridge Golf Club in Glennie. Contact Barb Orefice at barb@golfglennie.org or call (989) 735-3500 for details.

#### **TUESDAY, JUNE 26**

Kids' Day! The amazing atlatl, an ancient hunting tool, will be the subject of a presentation at 1 p.m. This simple tool was used for throwing spears and competitions are still popular today. Participants will have an opportunity to test their skills. This event will be held at Lumbermans Monument,

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# AREA CHURCH DIRECTO

#### St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd. **Harrisville** • 724-5160 www.standrewschurchharrisville.org

#### Family Heritage Baptist Church

10 A.M. SUNDAY SERVICE

4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light) Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • www.church72.org.

Sunday worship services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. Wednesday 7 p.m. children's ministry. Wednesday 7 p.m. midweek service (preaching and prayer service).



Luberan Church 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course Alcona County Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816



#### **Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)**

**Church Street at Traverse Bay Road** Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227

Pastor David Putz~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

#### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6891 Nicholson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School & Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. Pastor Joseph Llewellyn • (989) 727-2496

#### **Our Savior Lutheran Church**

3639 South M-65, Glennie, Michigan Sunday Morning 9 a.m. Worship Service Everyone Welcome

#### Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA)

🔏 🖍 2096 Trask Lake Rd., Barton City 48705

Services 4 p.m. every Saturday Supply Pastor Christina Bright ~ (989) 736-8460 Everyone Welcome

# Spruce Lutheran Church (ELCA)🔏 🌊

1246 E. Spruce Rd. • 989-471-5013

P.O. Box 68, Spruce, MI 48762

Sunday Worship 8:45 a.m. Pastor Leslie Nye



#### **Faith Lutheran Church**

3395 E. M-72 (41/4 miles west of US-23) Harrisville, MI Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. ~ Barrier Free Bible Class 9:15 a.m.

#### ALCONA COUNTY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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



#### Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A. **₹201 N. Second at Jefferson, Harrisville**

Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids Worship & Sunday School ~ 11 a.m. Monday & Wednesday office hours 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Rev. Ken Krause ~ 724-6734

#### Havnes Community Church

4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. 989-724-6665

Pastor Claire Duncan • haynescommunitychurch.org



#### First Baptist Church of Lincoln

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m. Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m.

Pastor Dr. Arie VanBrenk • 202 Main Street • 736-8796



#### **CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

2902 E. F-30, Mikado, MI 48745 • (989) 736-8345 Pastor Tim Steiner

Sunday School: 10 a.m. • Sunday Worship Services: 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study Sundays 5:30-6:30 p.m. (K-6th) Monday: 6:30 p.m. \*Teen Program (Grades 7-12)

■ Facebook. Calvarybaptistchurchmikadomichigan



Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids 6230 Gillard Road (P.O. Box 37) Spruce, MI 48762 • 471-5464 Worship 9 a.m.

Rev. Ken Krause - Office Hours: Tues. & Thurs. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

#### SOLID ROCK CHURCH OF GOD

158 N. Barlow Road., Harrisville • (989) 736-6350 Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

#### **GRACE EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN**

Don VanDyke, Pastor Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. 739-3424 • graceonthebase@gmail.com www.graceoscoda.org 6012 N. Skeel, Oscoda, Next to Parks Library

#### COMMUNITY OF CHRIST

Church School 10 a.m. ~ Worship 11 a.m. 3155 E. F-30, Mikado MI • Church 736-8727 Pastor Char McGuire • 736-3486

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Harrisville at 10:30 a.m. (217 N. State St.) All sanctuaries are wheelchair accessible and all sites

offer Sunday School for children during the worship Rev. Charles Sheldon - Pastor

Phone - 989-739-5497 - Cell 989-254-4112

Come as you are - everyone is welcome!

#### GREENBUSH COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross

- Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
- Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m.
- Wednesday Prayer
- Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

Meeting 6 p.m.





# Calendar of Events



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15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. Call (989) 362-8971 for details.

The Harrisville Lady Lions will meet at 5:30 p.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street.. All ladies are invited to join this group. Call Kathy at (989) 739-7707 for details or email Mary at alconareviewmary@yahoo.com.

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

Learn about the masked bandits at 10 a.m. and seagulls at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

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. Call (989) 727-3606 for details.

Learn about animals and their natural habits and diets with the Exotic Zoo at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street at 1:30 p.m. This hands on learning experience is supported by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 28

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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.

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

Tinker Thursday for children ages five to 12 at the Curtis Township Library located at 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie from 3 to 5 p.m. Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. This event is free.

Learn about woodpeckers at 10 a.m., then test your survival skills at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for details.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

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

Friday Future Lab, a

makerspace event will be held

at the Harrisville branch of

the Alcona County Library

from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Kids ages

eight to 18 are invited to this

free program. Call (989) 724-

A retirement open house

for Marlena MacNeill will be

held at the Alcona County

Road Commission, 301 North

Lake Street, Lincoln from 3

Learn about beavers at 10

a.m. and how animals sur-

vive by adapting to their en-

vironment at 2 p.m. at the

Harrisville State Park, 248

State Park Road south of

Harrisville. Meet in the Ex-

plorer Program Den. A Rec-

reation Passport is required

for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accom-

panied by an adult. Call (989)

**SATURDAY, JUNE 30** 

Hike the Discovery Trail

with a ranger and learn about

wildlife and plant life at 11

a.m. The hike finishes at the

sand dune overlook. This event will be held at Lum-

bermans Monument, 15

miles west of Oscoda on River

Road. For more info., call

Storytime at 1 p.m. at the

Curtis Township Library,

(989) 362-8961.

724-5126 for details.

forest management,

6796 for details.

to 6 p.m.

(989) 724-6796 for details.

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# June 13, 2018

#### Alcona Review Weather Report Today's Regional Map In-Depth Local Forecast

#### Seven Day Forecast



#### WEDNESDAY Few Showers High: 75 Low: 53



#### THURSDAY Mostly Sunny High: 74 Low: 55



#### FRIDAY Sunny High: 72 Low: 54



SATURDAY Partly Cloudy High: 76 Low: 58



SUNDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 78 Low: 60



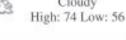
MONDAY Partly Cloudy High: 79 Low: 61



# TUESDAY



# Cloudy



#### Vanderbilt 74/51 Harrisville 75/53 75/51 Kinde Harrison 71454 77/58

#### \*Last Week's Almanac Precip Date Hi Lo Normals Tuesday 63 47 71/47 0.00"Wednesday 69 40 72/47 Trace 75 48 0.00" Thursday 72/47 73 47 0.00" 72/48 Friday 47 Saturday 72 73/48 Trace 73 45 73/48 0.00" Sunday 73 42 73/49 Monday 0.00" \*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

9:13 p.m.

Next Day

12:07 a.m.

12:48 a.m.

1:22 a.m.

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a 30%

chance of showers, high of 75°, humidity of 48%.

West northwest wind 7 to 14 mph. The record

high for today is 97° set in 1956. Expect clear

skies tonight, overnight low of 53°. West wind 7

to 12 mph. The record low for tonight is 31° set

#### Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

in 1922.

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	5:46 a.m.	9:23 p.m.	7:48 a.m.
ay	5:46 a.m.	9:23 p.m.	8:57 a.m.
y	5:46 a.m.	9:23 p.m.	10:11 a.m.
ly	5:46 a.m.	9:24 p.m.	11:24 a.m.
ay	5:46 a.m.	9:24 p.m.	12:36 p.m.







#### 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	Set
Mercury	6:17 a.m.	10:09 p.m.
Venus	8:35 a.m.	11:53 p.m.
Mars	12:22 a.m.	9:22 a.m.
Jupiter	5:51 p.m.	n/a
Saturn	10:05 p.m.	n/a
Uranus	3:15 a.m.	4:51 p.m.

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The Northeast will see partly to mostly cloudy skies Wednesday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy skies Thursday and Friday with isolated rain, highest temperature of 88 in Indianapolis, Ind. The Southeast will experience partly to mostly cloudy skies through Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, highest

temperature of 92 in Columbia, S.C. In the Northwest there will be mostly clear skies Wednesday with isolated rain, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies Thursday and Friday with isolated rain, highest temperature of 92 in Casper, Wyo. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies Wednesday, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies Thursday and Friday, highest temperature of 112 in Fort Mohave, Ariz.

National Weather Summary This Week

#### Weather History

June 13, 1984 - Severe thunderstorms struck Denver, deluging the city with five inches of rain and leaving up to six feet of water in some places. Softball size hail smashed windshields and ripped through metal cars. Snowplows had to be called out.

#### Weather Trivia

What scale is used to rate hurricanes?



Answer: The Saffir-Simpson scale.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Crescent Moon Woos Venus



Friday and Saturday, June 15-16 offers the best opportunities for seeing the second brightest sky object, the moon, next to the third brightest object, Venus. It will be an inspiring sight to behold in the western sky. The moon will be below and to Venus' right on Friday and above and to the left of the Goddess of Love on Saturday. Look for earthshine on the unlit portion of the seven percent waxing crescent moon on Friday and also on Saturday when Luna has grown to nearly 15 percent illumination. Bring binoculars along to enhance the earthshine, light reflected from a nearly full (fat gibbous) Earth rebounded back to us from the unlit portions of the moon. Also, on the 16th with binoculars, you can scan between the moon and Venus and spot a faint grouping of luminaries. That's the Beehive star cluster, also

known as the Praesepe (Latin for manger), and designated as M44, the 44th object cataloged by Charles Messier (1730-1817), a French astronomer who was more interested in discovering comets than viewing celestial showpieces. When Messier came across fuzzy, stationary objects during his sky sweeps that his small telescopes could not properly resolve, he noted them to avoid the emburrassment of announcing the false discovery of a comet. Many of his findings, such as the Bechive, were either known in antiquity or first discerned by other sky watchers but then chronicled by Messier, perhaps to boost his catalog numbers. The current listing contains 110 objects, 103 which were published in his last catalog in 1781. The Beehive is one of the easier Messier objects to view. Under a dark, moonless early spring sky, when it is much higher in the heavens, it can be observed with the unaided eye as a faint, nebulous looking object, but it is really composed of just over 1000 stars. To the left of the moon on Saturday will be Regulus, the "king" of the stars of Leo the Lion. Look for the sickle, the head appearing as a backwards question mark, diving towards the western horizon as the spring stars set earlier and earlier each evening, and the summer stars begin to take center stage in the east, www.astronomy.org

4884 Bamfield Road in Glen-Learn about squirrels at

10 a.m. and fireflies at 10 p.m. at the Harrisville State Park, 248 State Park Road south of Harrisville. Meet in the Explorer Program Den. A Recreation Passport is required for entry. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult. Call (989) 724-5126 for de-



# Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



Famous Leadville

Letter From T. J. Daggett, Formally of Harrisville; He Isn't in Love With That Country.

June 11, 1880 ~ Geo. W. Colwell hands us the following letter recently received from T. J. Daggett, now of Leadville, which we think contains information that will be of interest to the readers of the Review:

Leadville, Colorado May 30,1880.

Friend George: When I left Harrisville you wrote your address on an envelope and requested me to write you when I got to Leadville. I did not get to Leadville as soon as I expected to, and after I left you I had my valise stolen and your address went with it. I arrived at Leadville about two weeks ago; have not done much since I came here.

There is not much to do just now; the mine's are all on a strike. There has not been any work done for a week. No one can tell when they will settle the affair and go to work again. I don't think the strike will last very long, for the reason that there are so many whisky shops and gambling halls here. I never heard of a game that is not played here, and they don't play for fun but for money.

There are gambling halls here as large as your store, and they are crowded full and the doors are never closed, nights or Sundays; gambling is kept up constantly. They say there are 85,000 people in Leadville, but I don't think there are that many; there may be 25,000. It is a terrible crowd for a city of its size, and there are men and women from all parts of the world and of all sorts of characters.

They have churches here, but I don't think they are bothered much. They have water works and gas works here also. There are some nice hotels here, but a man wants lots of wealth to stop at one. Over night it snowed four inches on the night of the 26th. The mountains have not found out that summer has come; they are all white with snow.

call poor scrubs of jack pines. They saw some of the butts, and the lumber sells for \$27.00 per thousand. If G. L. was here with his lumber yard he could dispose of it to good advantage, but I would advise him to stay where he is, for the coal burners, wood choppers and lumbermen have the scrubs about all cut. It takes from (16 to 21) of these logs to make a thousand, and there are knots from the ground up.

I have not seen any game yet but a small kind of pigeon, but they say there has been buffalo, deer and antelope here, I have seen some buffalo skulls and horns lying around on the ground where they had been killed and deer were killed here last summer. I saw some antelope on the plains in Kansas when I was coming here. I saw one jack rabbit here; he looked as large as a small fawn when running I did not very close to it.

The Arkansas River runs through between the mountains here. It is a small stream supplied by the snow from the mountains. There are not any fish in it that I can hear of. The air is very light and cool. Leadville is 11,780 feet above the level of the sea. It makes a fellow puff and blow to clime up a hill.

When I arrived here I met an old friend of mine from Saginaw. Times were a little dull here at the time, and we went to cutting cordwood at \$1.50 per cord. Mighty poor chance for wood, but we grind out four cords per day by hurrying a little. Shall stick to that until we get something better. I think times will be better after a little while.

There are a great many going away from here to the Gunison country to prospect this summer. There are some good reports coming back from there. Don't know whether I shall prospect for mineral or not. I intend to do that which pays best until I get money enough to buy and pay for 160 acres of land that I know of in Alcona County. Then I shall start for Harrisville, unless I see some place that I like better than any that I have seen since I left there.

A man cannot earn money very fast there, to work by the month, but he can make a good farm and not be blown away by a wind that is raking over a prairie a thousand miles wide. I don't like so much wind. The morning that I arrived at Denver the train was four hours behind time on account of the head wind. I don't like that a all. I am here and not discouraged nor dissatisfied with anything. I am not sorry that I came, for now I know something of the country, and if I had not come I should still have had the The timber here is what I idea that this was the "Garden of the Earth." This is a rough place, but I have seen rough times in my life and can stand it all right.

You must excuse the half sheets and poor writing, for I am writing out in the wind under a bush, and my writing material is torn up worse than I thought it was. I'll try and do better next time. It is snowing on the mountain tops now and does nearly every day. There is not any snow down in the bottom lands, and it is quite warm if the wind don't blow. Not much grass yet; I don't think a horse could get a living now.

Give my regards to all of the Rifle Range Boys. If nothing happens to prevent, I will be with them again. Don't write until you hear from me again. I think I shall go to Twin Lakes, about 30 miles from here, if business don't start up pretty soon. Yours Truly, T. J. Dagget.

#### Accident

June 11, 1880 ~ W. S. Howell, circular sawyer in G. L. Colwell's mill, met with quite a severe accident last Friday afternoon. A piece of board about 10 inches in length was hurled toward him with great velocity by one of the saws, striking him above the left temple, and knocking him down as quick as could be expected under the circumstances. He was engaged putting a "fresh" cant upon the carriage, and knew nothing of the danger until the board struck him.

In falling to the floor, he still clung to the lever operating the steam carriage feed and said carriage went back to its destination and off the track with lightning speed, making things lively for a moment. It was thought at first that the blow had killed Mr. Howell, but as he soon arose to his feet again, it was concluded that though seriously wounded he still lived.

Though the wound is very painful and the eye a very sick looking member, yet we think Mr. H. will be around all right again within a few days, He refuses to take to the bed even now, however.

#### Mineral spring

June 11, 1880 ~ Harrisville and vicinity is soon to become famous for important discoveries in the mineral line. We propose to make the eyes of the people assume a staring attitude, in our next issue; but while we are getting ready for that, we will state in this issue that one of the best mineral springs in the state, of sulphur and iron properties, has been discovered on the beach, about one half mile north of town.

It is a boiling spring and its taste and appearance bear unmistakable evidence that it is a medicinal spring of first order. We ask all to go and

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#### NOTICE

The Village of Lincoln is seeking bids for crack sealing of Village Streets. All cracks between 1/8" and 1/2" should be sealed. The streets to be sealed include:

- (1) NW Jordan Street between Second and Lake Streets (2) Second Street between Main and Traverse Bay Streets
- (3) Traverse Bay between Lake and Church Streets. Bids will be accepted until Friday June 29, 2018 and will be opened at the July 2, 2018 Village Council Meeting. Bids

Village of Lincoln Attn. Crack Sealing Bid P.O. Box 337 Lincoln MI 48742

The Village of Lincoln Reserves the right to reject any or all bids. More information may be obtained by contacting Phillip Jordan, Street Administrator at 989-736-7583.





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- FREE Art lessons for students ages 8 14 sponsored by Inspiration Alcona Tuesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to noon.
- Ladies Craft Class July 31 and August 28 6-8:30 p.m. Fee involved. Contact Mary (989) 464-4766 or Tammy (989) 335-3308 for more info and to sign up.
- Beginners sewing PJ pants Four week program starting June 11. You will need three yards of the fabric of your choice. Limited space call Jinny at (989) 736-1456 for more info and to sign up.
- Movie Night for all ages June 22, July 13 and 27, August 10 and 24 Popcorn and Drinks provided.

For more information please see our website chosenranch.org or call (989) 335-HOPE (4673)

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# Trivia Test By Fifi Rodriguez



- 1. GEOGRAPHY: The island of Saipan is a commonwealth of which nation?
- **2. LANGUAGE:** How many lines are in a limerick?
- 3. U.S. STATES: What is the only U.S. state name that ends in three consecutive vowels?
- 4. ASTRONOMY: Where is the Lowell Observatory located?
- **5. MATH:** What is the longest side of a right triangle called?
- 6. HISTORY: Which European conflict was ended with the Dayton Agreement in 1995?
- 7. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Mansfield Park"?
- 8. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president gave the famous Gettysburg Address?
- 9. COMICS: What was the real name of the Green Arrow?

48 So-o-o slow 101 Vitality

51 Piano pieces 104 Singer Davis

52 Easter meat 105 "Livin' Thing'

10. TELEVISION: What was Kramer's first name on "Seinfeld"?

Answers: 1. United States; 2. Five; 3. Hawaii; 4. Flagstaff, Arizona; 5. Hypotenuse; 6. Bosnian War; 7. Jane Austen; 8. Abraham Lincoln; 9. Oliver Queen; 10. Cosmo (c) 2018 King Features Synd., Inc.

# **Super** Crossword

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#### INTERNAL BONES

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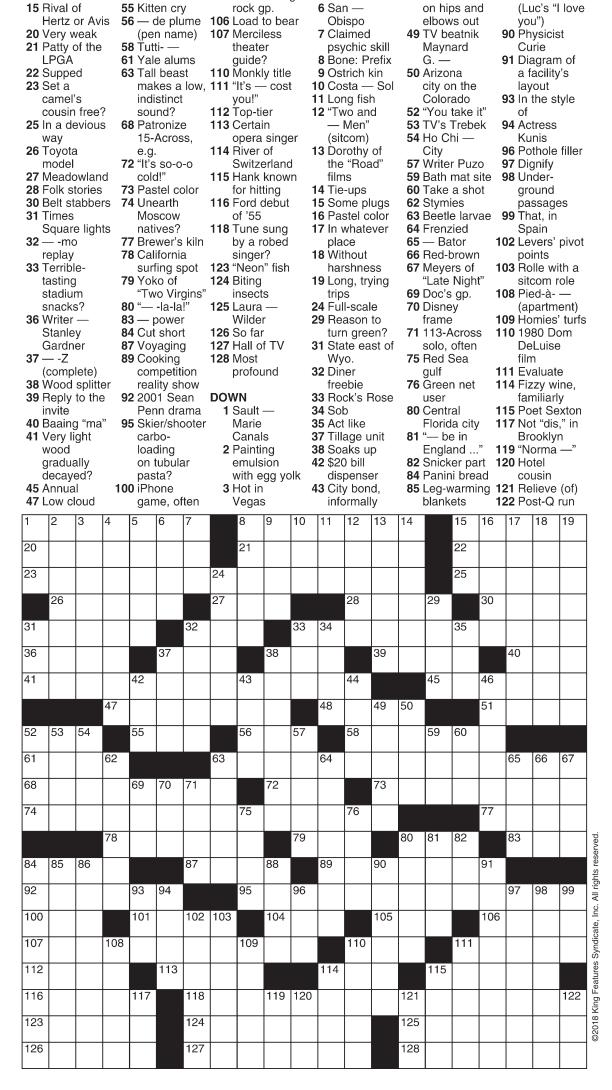
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#### Moments In Time By The History Channel



On June 22, 1611, the starving crew of the Discovery mutinies against its captain, English navigator Henry Hudson, and sets him, his teenage son and seven supporters adrift in a small, open boat in Hudson Bay. The castaways were never seen again.

• On June 20, 1782, Congress adopts the Great Seal of the United States after six years of discussion. The front of the seal depicts a bald eagle clutching an olive branch in its right talon and arrows in its left, with a shield marked with 13 vertical red and white stripes on its breast.

• On June 23, 1902, German automaker Daimler-Motoren-Gesellschaft registers "Mercedes" as a brand name. A threepoint star was registered as a trademark in 1909 and used on all Mercedes vehicles after 1910.

• On June 24, 1948, the Soviet Union blocks all road and rail traffic to and from West Berlin. Panic set in as its population worried about food, water and medical aid. Just two days later, the United States began a massive airlift of supplies into West Berlin.

• On June 19, 1953, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, convicted of conspiring to pass U.S. atomic secrets to the Soviets, are executed at Sing Sing Prison in New York. Both proclaimed their innocence right up to the time of their deaths.

 On June 21, 1965, the Byrds' debut album, "Mr. Tambourine Man," is released and marks the beginning of the folk-rock revolution. In just a few months, the Byrds had become a household name.

• On June 18, 1983, the space shuttle Challenger is launched on its second mission. Aboard the shuttle was Dr. Sally Ride, who as a mission specialist became the first American woman to travel into space. Ride, an astrophysicist from Stanford University, operated the shuttle's robot arm, which she had helped design.

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### Strange But True By Samantha Weaver

• It was the multitalented Brit G.K. Chesterton -- he was a poet, philosopher, dramatist, journalist, orator, lay theologian, biographer, and art critic -- who made the following sage observation: "The men who really believe in themselves are all in lunatic asylums."

 Those who study such things say that the word "daisy" started out as "day's eye" and was shortened over the years. Similarly, "God be with you" became "goodbye" and "whole be thou" became "hello."

· Becoming a sports star is the dream of many young people, so you might think that someone who is signed to a professional baseball contract has it made. You'd be wrong, though: Only 1 out of every 10 athletes who sign such a contract ever becomes a major-league ballplayer.

 The shortest song in the world is "You Suffer," recorded in 1986 by the British band Napalm Death. It lasts precisely 1.316 seconds.

• In France in the 1700s, capital punishment was not uncommon, and criminals thus condemned were decapitated by the country's Chief Executioner. This position was hereditary, which posed a problem when, in 1726, the holder of that title, Charles-Jean-Baptiste Sanson, suffered an early death, leaving his 7-year-old son, Charles, to take up the grisly duties. It was obvious to all that a child could never wield the heavy ax required for the decapitations, so it was deemed acceptable for a helper to actually perform the executions. Only the official office-holder could put the official seal on the act, however, so the poor boy had to witness every one. It wasn't until the ripe old age of 12 that he began to take over the full duties of the office.

Thought for the Day: "It's best to give while your hand is still warm." -- Philip Roth

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# **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

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#### VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, June 4 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting was opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." These in attendance included: President Jordan, treasurer Hussain,  $clerk\,Somers\,and\,council\,members\,Gauthier, Healy, Mahalak, Somers$ and Zielinski. Member Putsky was absent.

The minutes of the May meeting were approved on a motion from Mahalak with support from Zielinski. The treasurer's report was approved, subject to audit, on a motion from Zielinski with support from Mahalak. Treasurer Hussain presented a list of delinquent sewer customers that need to be placed on the tax rolls. A motion was approved that was made by Zielinski, with support from Mahalak, that said: Be it resolved on a request from the village treasurer received and filed that these accounts including penalties are unpaid:

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Kohler's 052-000-024-010-00 \$276.57 Mary Ross 052-000-024-002-00 \$276.57 Steve Golbeck 052-000-024-010-00 \$276.57

John McLellan 052-000-024-009-00 \$347.76 Yesterday's Restaurant 052-000-024-001-02 \$995.65

Mike Serafin gave the fire and medical first responder report. There

have been 13 medical runs and four fires within the past month.

The Street report was given. Several repairs have been made to various equipment. Two Major Street projects are in the engineering process and will be taken care of next year. Jesse Campbell of the Alcona County Road Commission is putting together a proposal to put our projects and one for the road commission as one large job. That would save the money for both groups. A bid will be placed in the paper for crack sealing.

The Sewer report was given. The SAW grant is continuing to be worked on. Alpena Septic will be putting the camera into the pipes and the flow meters will be put in as soon as we are able to put in a larger manhole to house the meters.

In old business, Healy stated that on May 24 Rich Gillies, Holly Hussain, Phil Jordan and herself went to Boyne City, Mich. to complete the last chapters of Redevelopment Ready Committees. The public forum on May 16 at the Chosen Ranch went very well. There was a lot of input and a great meal served by the hosts.

Gauthier said she is happy to see the new lights at the Flights of Imagination. In new business, Zielinski said that she had an email from the host of our website. Accunet, President Jordan stated that he feels

we need to do something to improve our website. With the new RRC designation we will need to have improvements made.

President Jordan gave his report. A survey was received regarding low to moderate grants that have available funds for streetscape projects in the future. The playground has new lights that are LED. The port-ajohns are in place at the boat launch, beach and Flights of Imagination. Hopefully, the docks, slide and buoys will be placed at the beach this week. The boat launch will be started by the 15th of this month. We are still about \$2,500 short of meeting the final cost. Anyone wanting to donate may send a check to the village treasurer and note that it is for the boat launch. There's been a water main break on Traverse Bay that needs to be fixed immediately.

Currently, the trees are being watered with heavy water buckets. The sidewalk project will be started within the next week or two.

A motion to pay the bills as presented was made by Zielinski with support from Gauthier. Motion to adjourn was made by Zielinski with support from Gauthier.

> Linda K. Somers Village Clerk

# REAL ESTATE GUIDE

# Transform bathrooms with technology

Technology is infiltrating every room of the house. Many new home buyers are millennials, and this tech-savvy demographic covets technological innovations.

A recent survey by Better Homes & Gardens Real Estate indicates 77 percent of Generation X and Y home buyers want their homes equipped with the tech capabilities they have grown accustomed to. Many of these involve smart innovations, including those that can transform one of the most private rooms in the house is the bathroom.

Automated home theater rooms and Wi-Fienabled home security systems have become the norm, but what tech improvements are available to make the powder room more in touch with today's digital lifestyle? According to the home improvement resource The Spruce, bathrooms have the most potential of any rooms to be improved with technology. The following are just some of the bathroom gadgets and gizmos no one should resist before giving a try.

• Automatic faucets: Infrared sensors have been helping keep public restrooms more hygienic for years. The same technology can be used in home bathrooms to curtail water waste and keep faucets and sinks from becoming infested with germs. In addition, faucets with built-in timers can be programmed to set tasks for brushing teeth or washing your face.

• Musical shower: Instead of having to blast the volume on the portable speaker you use in the bathroom, a wireless speaker is built into some showerheads. This enables those who like to sing in the shower or listen to podcasts while washing up to enjoy this luxury effortlessly.

• Smarter weight management: Bathroom scales

have gone high-tech as well, with various options enabling users to measure weight, BMI and body fat percentage before sending the data wirelessly to a phone, tablet or computer. This can put you in greater control of fitness goals.

• High-tech toilets: Borrowing ideas from bidets and trends around the world, modern toilets do not require hands or paper. These toilets have temperature-controlled water, spritzing wands and air dryers to clean and sanitize. Self-cleaning toilets help busy professionals save time and are ideal for those who always want their bowls as clean as possible. And if you desire extra comfort, toilet seat warmers are available, while LED lights can make nighttime restroom visits easier.

• Soaking tubs: As fast as stand-alone showers were introduced to the modern bathroom, tubless designs have been replaced with streamlined soaking tubs. Tubs come with different features, including chromatherapy, which employs colored lights to enhance mood. Air baths are controlled electronically and provide different levels of sensation for those who are skipping the hot tub.

Round out these innovations with automated lights, chilled medicine cabinets and aromatherapy, and your bathroom will indeed become a technological spa. SH182693





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www.bycerealestate.com Very attractive home recently remodeled with a newer kitchen including stainless steel appliances and laminate floors. The 1.07 acres of land borders federal forest for unlimited recreation and hunting opportunities. #2943 \$54,900

Country location just 3-4 minutes South of Harrisville. Great wildlife area and very private with no visible neighbors. Newer 26x36 garage with extra clearance to allow for numerous uses. This sale includes 2 adjoining parcels that provide a



total of 12.5 spacious acres of land. #2958 \$92,900



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**Larry Beck** 

Two full baths. City water. Natural gas available at road. Living room and kitchen area have a great view of the lake. Very nice and well maintained homes on both sides. \$229,000

Abundant wildlife and 2 streams (Roy Creek and Grey Creek) cross the property. Home has many updates including roof, vinyl siding windows composite deck and 21/2 garage. New furnace and central air added in 2010. Large bathrooms all remodeled. Just a 15 minute drive to Oscoda. **\$199,900** 



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Very clean with most all the equipment stainless steel. There is also a rental home on the property. All real estate and equipment included. 2 lots measure 200x200 **\$365,000** 

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Moving sale, June 16 and 17, 315 North Lake Street, Harrisville. Furniture, pottery, tools, electronics, woodworking equip-

Garage sale, 2717 South US-23, Greenbush, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday, June 16. Antiques, wall art, CDs and DVDs, household, tackle, collectibles, wicker rockers, Longaberger, vintage dishware. lots more.

Eight family garage and estate sale, Saturday, June 16, first house north of the BP.

Garage sale starting June 15, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Furniture, glassware, clothing, miscellaneous, 660 North Poor Farm Road.

**Lakewood Shores POA** 

**Association-Wide Garage Sale** 

Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9a.m. – 5 p.m.

Saturday, June 23rd, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 Second Street, Harrisville, June 16, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Will have furniture, jewelry, garden tools, kitchen accessories and more. Lets make a deal.

We have too much to sell for a one day sale. So we are starting two day earlier, June 14 and 15, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 101 Huron, Harrisville. Sporting goods, toys, books, household goods, crafts and lots of miscellaneous. Stop by and check it out.

Estate sale, 329 South Sleeper Drive, Lincoln. Saturday only.

Barton City garage sale, every Friday and Saturday in June, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at 2060 Trask Lake Road. Household items, clothing, fishing, camping, 24 inch Rockwell scroll saw, 1800's oak secretary desk and miscellaneous

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Notice to creditors: The decedent, Carol Ann Parr, died November 3, 2016.

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