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## Harrisville Fire Department going through rebuilding phase

By Cheryl Peterson  
Editor

New leadership, focused goals and a drive to make improvements are at the center of the Harrisville Fire Department as it rebuilds and grows.

According to Harrisville Fire Chief Dan Klukowski, the department has a long way to go, but is steadily moving forward. An aspect of this phase also includes adding an event to the community's calendar.

When Klukowski was appointed as fire chief on July 1 last year there were six or seven fire fighters on the department. In the last year the roster has grown to 18 fire fighters, with roughly three more applicants under consideration.

In order for new members of the department to fight fires, they must become certified as a fire fighter and that takes time. As a result, Klukowski said he is now looking for certified applicants. "At this point we are looking for already trained fire fighters and Medical First Responders. We are always ac-



Harrisville Fire Chief Dan Klukowski (left) and Medical Chief Ryan Mendyka. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.

cepting those folks who are trained," he said.

There were two Medical First Responders on the department, now there are seven who are certified and four more who need to take the final test, which is the goal for this summer, according to Chief Medical Officer Ryan Mendyka.

Klukowski, who was raised in Alcona County by Sherry and Roger Klukowski, knew

he wanted to be a fire fighter when he was five years old, when his family home burned to the ground. His interest, and eventual training as a fire fighter, was a bit different from his father's (and other male family members) career path; his father retired as a police detective.

He has been locally employed in a variety of jobs over the years and considers his position as Harrisville fire

chief an important responsibility. In addition to work and his volunteer position on the fire department, Klukowski is taking law enforcement classes at Alpena Community College.

Klukowski became a fire fighter in 2006 – a year before he graduated from Alcona High School. He was on the Greenbush Fire Department until he got involved with the Harrisville Fire Department in 2017. He is certified in a variety of aspects related to firefighting including – Fire I and Fire II, wild land firefighting, ice rescue, hazmat, pipeline emergency and drug lab preparedness. He is in the process of becoming certified as a Medical First Responder.

"He was welcomed with open arms into our unit," Mendyka said. "He has done a very good job in trying to get things done so far and we all respect and appreciate that."

The goals of the department, according to Klukowski, are to develop a well-trained fire department, update the fire truck and fire fighting equipment, build a

more active membership within the community, and gain community trust and support.

"A fire department needs the community to back it," Klukowski said. "Community members need to see you there when they need you. They need to have trust in the fire department when they call for help whether it is fire or a medical issue. We also need the community for support and to secure funding if there is a millage..."

Part of building that trust, according to Klukowski, is changing the image of the department. "We are a professional entity and (members) need to act that way whether they are on duty or off... People know who we are whether in our gear or uniform or not," he said. "I also think fire fighters should be involved in the community."

Even though numbers on the department are growing, Klukowski said first responders are needed more than fire fighters. "Ninety-eight percent

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## Fourth of July Events

### THURSDAY, JULY 4

- Barton City's Biggest Little 4<sup>th</sup> in the North kicks off with a parade at 11 a.m. followed by kids games, music, food vendor area and a beer tent at the township park. Fireworks at dusk. Contact Bill Lossing at (989) 335-3895 for details.

- Glennie's celebration will begin with the annual Furth of July parade starting at 2 p.m. Fireworks will be held at the Warren Mervyn Baseball Field behind the Curtis Township Community Center at dusk.

### SATURDAY, JULY 6

- At the Harrisville State Park, Smokey Bear will visit the campground host site for photos and high fives from 11 a.m. to noon. Afterwards, follow Smokey into Harrisville to watch or participate in the annual kid's parade. This event is open to all visitors. A current Recreation Passport is required to enter the park. Contact Eric Ostrander at (989) 724-5126 for details.

- The 43<sup>rd</sup> annual Children's Parade will be held at 1 p.m. in Harrisville. Youth are encouraged to decorate their bikes, strollers, wagons, scooters, furry friends or just themselves and participate in the parade. Gather at Richard's Pharmacy at 12:30 p.m. and parade down Main Street. Contact the chamber office at (989) 724-5107 for more information.

- Following the parade, everyone is welcome to stop at the Harrisville Harbor pavilion for a magic show performed by Jeff and Melody Claus. Sponsored by the Harrisville Arts Council.

- Harrisville Lions Duck Race fundraiser at the Mill Pond and Harrisville Harbor at 4 p.m. Contact Art Laatz (989) 724-7590 for details.

- Fireworks will be held at the Harrisville Harbor at dusk. Come early and enjoy music by Rex Manning. For more information, call the Alcona County Chamber of Commerce at (989) 724-5107.

## Michigan's early state parks development

Michigan is celebrating the 100th anniversary of its Department of Natural Resources-managed state parks system this year.

The celebration is centered around the formation of the Michigan State Park Commission by the state Legislature on May 12, 1919. The commission was given responsibility for overseeing, acquiring and maintaining public lands and establishing Michigan's state parks system.

One of the state's earliest park purchases was acreage in Grand Traverse County

that would become the site of Interlochen State Park in 1917.

Although the land was purchased prior to the 1919 formation of the Michigan State Park Commission, Interlochen was the first public park to be transferred under its auspices in 1920, and is the first state park in that system.

However, 25 years before legislation established the state park commission, the federal government gifted the Mackinac Island property it owned to the state in 1895. The island was designated as

Michigan's first state park under the Mackinac State Park Commission.

"In 1907, the community of Mackinaw City donated to the state a village park, the site of Fort Michilimackinac," said Steve Brisson, deputy director of the Mackinac State Park Commission. "Two years later, it was declared 'Michilimackinac State Park,' and placed under the Mackinac Island State Park Commission's care."

Mackinac Island State Park and Michilimackinac State Park are both official state parks, per their authorizing legislation, but they remain separate from the park system managed by the DNR.

Mackinac Island – historically a gathering place for Native people and then French fur traders and missionaries and later the home of soldiers stationed at Fort Mackinac – had become a popular tourist destination by the late 19th century.

"By the time of the Civil War, lake boats were bringing visitors to Mackinac to enjoy the 'healthy air' or explore the island's natural

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A horse-drawn carriage is shown on Mackinac Island in 1887. Photo courtesy of Archives of Michigan.





# Horseshoe League

June 6

B.C. 1	40
Mikado 1	34
Glennie 2	28
Mikado 2	25
Swamp 1	19
Glennie 1	18
B.C. 2	15
Eagles 1	13

June 13

B.C. 1	51
Mikado 1	45
Glennie 2	35
Glennie 1	30
Mikado 2	30
Swamp 1	20
B.C. 2	15
Eagles 1	14

June 22

B.C. 1	58
Mikado 1	54
Glennie 1	39
Glennie 2	38
Mikado 2	35
Swamp 1	27
B.C. 2	20
Eagles 1	17

### Super Crossword

Answers

MACHO	NOTEPADS	BEBOPS
AVOID	ACADEMIA	ONELAP
COPPER	CHLORIDE	LIEDTO
EWES	ERSE	TICU
REACHTO	OLE	SILTI
PERCHAIR	SCAMPT	LIPS
OHOTIES	PAPERCHASE	JAMESON
ARENA	ESPN	EMMA
CESAR	SHOTS	DIAPER
CHANGE	COCA	SUIT
ORTEGA	ORR	PIPER
CHEROKEE	OFYORE	URTI
ECRU	ADES	PEPPER
CERES	TOTIE	LOSS
ALUM	MARES	ENLISTS
SUPER	CHEVEY	ACE
BEVY	HEIFER	UPPER
CHAMBER	TOOLATE	ALE
PAID	ABBE	EUREKA
PROPER	CHANNELS	USENET
ALOE	VERA	ATEAT
RESIDE	TOP	RATED
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# Memorial Service

Judy Reames

A memorial service for Judy Reames will be held on Saturday, June 29 at 2 p.m. at the Mikado Civic Center pavilion. Mrs. Reames died on April 29, 2019.

# Obituaries

Betty L. Weichel

Betty Louise Weichel, 80, of Hubbard Lake, died on Thursday, June 20, 2019.

She was born December 14, 1938 in Cookville, Tenn. to James Ashford and Mattie (Clinton) Hamilton. She was raised in Hubbard Lake.

On July 25, 1958 she married Richard Edward Weichel in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Weichel lived a full life as a mother and homemaker. She was devoted to her family and instilled in her children strong values that have served them well. She loved spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was kind, compassionate and never judged.

Mrs. Weichel is survived by her husband, Richard, of Hubbard Lake; four sons, Steve (Sue) Weichel of Harrisville, Thomas Weichel of Spruce, John (Lani) Weichel of Black River and Scott Weichel of Grand Rapids, Mich.; one daughter, Amber Weichel-Redlinger of Brighton, Mich.; nine grandchildren, Eric Weichel, Kelly (Wodja) Weichel, Jordan Weichel, Lucas Weichel, Jennifer Weichel, John Weichel, Josh Redlinger, Mike Redlinger, and Savannah Redlinger; eight great-grandchildren; one brother, Jim (Vicky) Hamilton; and many nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life will be held Saturday, June 29 at 242 Community Church, 7526 Grand River Avenue in Brighton, Mich., in the student chapel. Personal farewell from 10 to 10:30 a.m., followed by the service at 10:30. Coffee and a sharing of memories from 11 a.m. to noon.

Interment will be in Spruce Cemetery.

Harles L. Parish

Harles L. Parish, 89, of Glennie died on Sunday, June 16, 2019 at the Lincoln Haven Nursing & Rehabilitation Community in Lincoln.

He was born on September 22, 1929 in Bee Branch, Arkansas to Buster and Lizzie (Ward) Parish.

He was loving, patient, gentle, and kind. He always put others first; never refusing help of any kind. He not only led a life of example, he showed his love with purpose, never judging, always listening.

Mr. Parish is survived by one son, Danny (Inez) Parish of Lexington, Ky.; two daughters, Kimberly (Mike) Donovan of Glennie and Janet Diane Sideri of Whitmore Lake, Mich.; five grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; one brother, Billy Wade Parish of Wichita, Kan.; and one sister, Loutricia Parish, Quitman, Ark.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife,



Reba. Visitation will take place on Wednesday, June 19 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Buresh Funeral Home in Hale. A grave side service will be held at the Glennie Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

## Elizabeth (Betty) Davis

Davis, Elizabeth (Betty), 94, passed into the loving arms of her Lord and Savior on June 5, 2019 in Clearwater, Florida. She was born on January 31, 1925. One brother (Edwin) and one sister (Carol). She graduated from Adelphi University nursing program with a BSRN, one of the first in the country. She worked at Andre's in local hospitals and as the camp nurse at Camp Dewolfe on Long Island. She married John W. Davis, an episcopal priest. Father Davis was the priest at several parishes on Long Island. He served as the Director of Youth work for the Diocese of Long Island which included directing Camp Dewolfe a camp for youth. They had one son, John E. Davis, two grandchildren, Kory and Nicole Davis, and three great grandchildren Sawyer, Cameron and Dannika. John and Betty retired in 1986 and moved to Greenbush, Michigan to be closer to their grandchildren. Fr. John W. Davis passed away on June 5, 2005. Betty moved to Saint Petersburg, FL in December of 2017 to be closer to her son and Granddaughter. There will be a memorial service for Betty at St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 745 North US-23, Harrisville, MI 48740 (1 mile north of the traffic light in Harrisville) at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 29, 2019. Memorial donations can be made to St. Andrews Episcopal Church.

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## Calendar of Events



### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26

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. Bring a box or bag. For more information, call (989) 727-3606.

Join Spencer Scharf for an out of this world art project at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street at 1:30 p.m. Registration required. For information and to register, call Denise Bearre at (989) 724-6796.

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 4:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Incredible castles are built, destroyed and built again as participants play with professional sculpting sand provided by Spencer Scharf Studio Arts at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 1:30 p.m. Supplies are limited. To register, call (989) 724-6796.

Underwater Robotics 101 Drop In – Learn how to construct an underwater ROV. Pilot your creation in the Makerspace test tank to complete underwater missions and learn about how these vehicles are used for science and study. This program is free, and all ages are welcome to attend at the Great Lake Maritime Heritage Center, 500 West Fletcher Street in Alpena. Call Stephanie Gandulla at (989) 884-6200 for details.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 27

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado will meet at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30 in Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:10 a.m. and the meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. First meeting is free. Handicap accessible. Call (989) 736-8022, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-8600 for details.

The Harrisville Lady Lions will meet at the First United Methodist Church in Lincoln at 5:30 p.m. All ladies welcome. Cost for dinner varies. Call Mary Weber at (989) 335-0293 or Kathie Nelson at (989) 739-7707 for details.

Community Walking Club for everyone will meet at 9 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street at 2 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 28

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.

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions recovery program, will meet at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 South State Street in Greenbush at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Pastor Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 29

Rosemary Myrick Memorial 5k Run/Walk through Harrisville. Kids start at 9:30 a.m., 5k run and walk starts at 10 a.m. contact Maria Malanyn-Minch at (989) 335-1515 for details.

The Sturgeon Point Lighthouse tower will be open to climb from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Children must be 48 inches tall to climb, the fee is \$3. From US-23 take Lakeshore Drive to Point Road, all the way to the end.

Hike the Discovery Trail with a Ranger at Lumbermans Monument located 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. Learn about forest management, local wildlife and plant life. The hike begins at 11 a.m. and will finish at the sand dune overlook. For more information, call (989) 362-8961. This event is free and open to the public.

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### SUNDAY, JUNE 30

Alcona Township kayak, canoe and fishing deck grand opening will be held at 3 p.m. at Alcona Township Park in Black River. For more information, contact Marlana MacNeill at (989) 727-3788.

A free concert featuring local musician, Carol Cadarette, will be held at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville at 3 p.m. Ice cream sundaes will be available after the entertainment. Free will donations will be taken after the program.

### MONDAY, JULY 1

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Makerspace test tank to complete underwater missions and learn about how these vehicles are used for science and study. This program is free and all ages are welcome to attend at the Great Lake Maritime Heritage Center, 500 West Fletcher Street in Alpena. Call Stephanie Gandulla at (989) 884-6200 for details.

Ukulele jam session for all ages and levels from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

### TUESDAY, JULY 2

Veterans coffee hour from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Kid's Day! Have you ever used a Pulaski, been inside a fire shelter or handled the hose of a fire truck? Learn how firefighters do their jobs and about the equipment they use. Then watch for a visit from Smokey! This event will be held at 1 p.m. at Lumbermans Monument located 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. For more information, call (989) 362-8961. Free and open to the public.

Individuals whose lives are affected by depression or another mental health conditions are welcome to attend Fresh Hope, a Christian-based support group for those with mental health challenges. Loved ones are also welcome. Meetings are from 1 to 2:15 p.m. at the Old Stone Church on the corner of Shaw and Poor Farm roads, Harrisville. For more information, contact Claire at (989) 724-6665.

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### Public Hearing Notice

#### Alcona Township – Zoning Ordinance Amendment

The Alcona Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on July 11, 2019 at 7 p.m. to recommend adoption of Ordinances 1 and 2 of 2019 to the Township Board – amendments to the Alcona Township Zoning Ordinance. The public hearing will be held at the Alcona Township Hall at 5576 US-23, Black River, Michigan. The full text of the amendments is available at the Alcona Township Hall, online at [www.alconatownship.com](http://www.alconatownship.com) or by contacting Ron Ott at 4081 Hazel, Lincoln, MI 48742. Written comments may be sent to Alcona Township Hall at 5576 US-23, Black River, Michigan. The public may appear at the public hearing in person or by counsel. The proposed amendments modify the following:

1. Section 2.1 (Definitions) to add definitions for solar energy facilities and structures.
2. Section 3.5 (Accessory Structures) to require a special use permit for accessory structures on a lot without a main building in the FR District and to not permit accessory structures on a lot without a main building in all other districts.
3. Section 5.10 (Schedule of Regulation) to set a maximum lot coverage percentage of 35% and a minimum building width of 20 ft. in R-1.
4. Section 5.11 (Table of Permitted and Special Uses) to allow solar energy facilities (utility-scale) as a Special Use in FF and AG Districts and solar energy accessory structures as a permitted use in all districts.
5. Section 9.27A (Solar Energy Facilities – Utility Scale) – to provide regulations for solar energy facilities.
6. Section 9.27B (Solar Energy Panels – Accessory) – to provide regulations for solar energy panels as accessory structures.



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## Local Notes



### Labor Day Parade

The Labor Day Parade will be held again this year on Sunday, Sept. 1 at 1 p.m. A new aspect for the event is the award of "Best Decorated Float" which will be chosen by judges dispersed throughout the crowd during the parade. "Anything goes," according to parade organizers Ryan and Sandy Mendyka. For more details, call (989) 724-5577.

### Senior Menu

The following meals will be served during the week at 4 p.m. in Glennie at the United Methodist Church; at 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center; and at 4 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, July 1—Baked chicken, red parsley potato, squash, tossed salad, and pears.

- Tuesday, July 2—Pork roast over mashed potatoes, baby carrots, and flavored applesauce.

- Wednesday, July 3—Bourbon chicken, sweet potatoes, peas, tossed salad, and mixed fruit.

- Thursday, July 4—All centers closed.

- Friday, July 5—Pollock almandine, baked potato, green beans, and mandarin oranges.

*(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)*

### Away at School

- Jonathan Lewis, of Mikado, graduated with a degree in history and philosophy from Albion College. He is a graduate of Tawas Area High School. He is the son of Dan and Debbie Lewis of Mikado.

- Keilene Elmer, of Lincoln, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Jorge Freer, of Harrisville, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Cheyenne Parkinson, of Harrisville, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Jeffrey Schram, of Lincoln, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Brooke Shultz, of Harrisville, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Shelby Thurston, of Mikado, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Saginaw Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.4 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Jamie C. MacFarlane, of Black River, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Kalie A. Zerst, of Glennie, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Jordan A. Joyce, of Harrisville, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Robert C. Collins, of Oscoda, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Amanda N. Pszczol-

kowski, of Oscoda, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

- Preston W. Diamond, of Ossineke, was named to the dean's list for the winter 2019 semester at Grand Valley State University. To achieve dean's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

### Sunday in the Country

Join Kevin Allen of WKJC as he takes the audience on a musical adventure with "Sunday in the Country" on Sunday, June 30 featuring Jimmy Duncan & Saddle Tramp. The show will be an afternoon of good-ole, down home, traditional country music and will also include the George Schwedler Trio, Gibson Seal, the Heart and Soul Band and Jagwire Country Band. Jimmy Duncan and Danny Hullahen of Jagwire were both inducted into the Michigan Country Music Hall of Fame in 2018.

Tickets are \$10 and are on sale at Gilbert Drugs in Oscoda and will be available at the Shoreline Players Theater box office starting at 1 p.m. the day of the show. The show begins at 2 p.m. and concessions will be available. For more information on this show, or any upcoming Shoreline events, go to [www.shorelineplayers.org](http://www.shorelineplayers.org) or call (989) 739-3586.



Jimmy Duncan

### National HIV Testing Day

National HIV Testing Day is Thursday, June 27, an annual observance that encourages people of all ages to get tested for HIV and to know their status. For the event, District Health Department No. 2 will be offering free, confidential, rapid HIV testing from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Iosco (Tawas City), Ogemaw (West Branch) and Oscoda (Mio) County offices. No appointment is necessary.

Denise Bryan, Health Officer for District Health Department No. 2 states, "Getting tested for HIV is the only 100 percent sure way to know your status. Early detection leads to early treatment and better health outcomes."

Anyone who is interested in getting tested for HIV and is unable to make the event, free and confidential testing is offered by appointment at

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of the calls we receive are medical calls," he said. "We have two or three structure fires a year. The medical side taxes our department... we have an aging population and an influx of people in the summer between visitors and summer residents. It is challenging as well because it is summer and (our) people are away."

As chief medical officer, Mendyka takes care of everything associated with the medical service side of the fire department which in-

An aspect of the rebuilding phase includes raising money within the community to help pay for equipment. Which is an area where Sandy Mendyka wanted to get involved as an event coordinator. "Sandy approached me wanting to help the fire department, so we formed the fire department auxiliary.

"I want to help, and this is my way of helping without getting dirty," Sandy Mendyka said. She got involved two months ago and is in the process of forming a

event will go to replacing equipment. "There are items that we desperately need for the safety of our community and fire fighters," Klukowski said.

"Our self-contained breathing apparatus (SCUBA) are grossly out of date. They don't work well, or they sometimes freeze up. Radios are also needed for communication... there are so many things that need to be replaced or that we need and don't have," Ryan Mendyka said. "We just don't have the money for any of it."

While there is a lot of rebuilding to do, both Klukowski and Mendyka are looking forward to seeing improvements being made for and within the fire department. "With a new mayor and new township supervisor the fire department is looking forward to developing a good relationship with them and the community," Klukowski said.

For more information about the fire department, Medical First Responders or the firemen's ball, call the city office at (989) 724-6666 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon.

"A fire department needs the community to back it," Klukowski said. "Community members need to see you there when they need you. They need to have trust in the fire department when they call for help whether it is fire or a medical issue. We also need the community for support and to secure funding if there is a millage..."

Dan Klukowski,  
Harrisville Fire Chief

cludes "a lot of paperwork regarding certification, making sure medical supplies and equipment are stocked and in good working order and that everything meets the state guidelines," he said.

Mendyka was born and raised in Alcona County, spent 12 years in Pontiac, Mich. and returned to Alcona County 16 years ago. He joined the Harrisville Fire Department in February 2009 -- two weeks after the video store he owned briefly in Harrisville caught on fire. Six months later, he was certified as a Medical First Responder and six months after that he became certified as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). In 2011 he received Fire I and Fire II certification and has many other certifications as well.

He works for Alcona County Central Dispatch as a 911 dispatcher. "It's a lot different than responding to an emergency," Mendyka said of his position. "Now I am sending out first responders. I am giving it as much effort as possible to get responders where they need to go... It's a great transition, not hard at all, I do love it."

new auxiliary and planning what is expected to be an annual event -- a firemen's ball.

"We are hoping folks will join the auxiliary and help plan the first ball which will be held this fall. It will be a formal event held at Maria Hall with dinner, a cash bar, Rodger McElveen as DJ and lots of prizes. We are also looking for donations for a Chinese raffle," Sandy Mendyka said. "We are looking for really good items."

"I am already looking forward to it and normally I don't dress up for anything -- but I want to go to this," Klukowski said.

"We are going to make this an annual event so we aren't going to businesses more than one time a year," Ryan Mendyka said.

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all DHD2 offices. Call (800) 504-2650 to schedule an appointment today. For more information on National HIV Testing Day, visit <https://npin.cdc.gov>.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), an estimated 1.1 million people in the United States have HIV, including approximately 162,000 (14 percent or 1 in 7) people who do not know they have it. The CDC recommends that anyone between the ages of 13 and 64 years old get tested at least once in their lifetime as part of routine health care. People with specific risk factors, including injection drug use, men who have sex with men, or been diagnosed or treated for another sexually transmitted disease, should get tested at least once a year.

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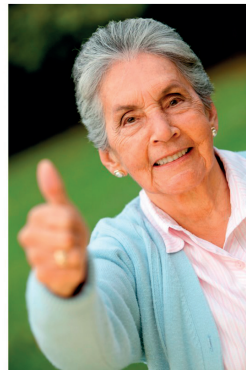
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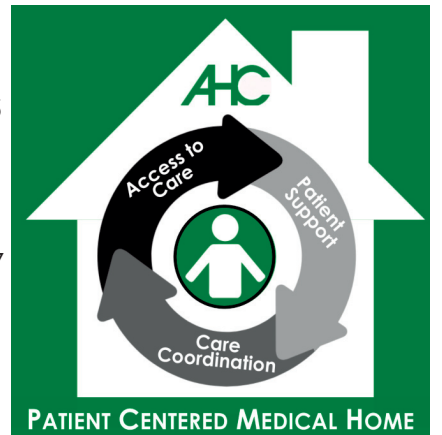
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# Alcona youth to attend World Jamboree

**By Mary Weber**  
Staff Writer

*"On my honor, I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight."*  
Boy Scouts of America  
Scout Oath

Two young women will be honoring that oath and representing Alcona County this year at the 24th Boy Scouts of America (BSA) World Jamboree and they cannot wait for the experience.

Erykha LaLonde, 16 and Violet Roiter, 17, both of Greenbush, stand tall and straight in their dark green shirts adorned with badges. They are proud of their accomplishments and take their stance seriously as they raise three fingers and recite the scout oath.

They may be scouts true to their core, but they are also teenage girls from a rural area about to embark on a potentially life-changing opportunity. As scouts, they poise themselves steady and ready to answer any question, but as teenage girls, their enthusiasm and giddiness, can barely be restrained, no matter how hard they try to subdue it.

"We are just super, super excited," LaLonde said as the girls swept each other up in a twirling hug before trying to compose themselves for a photograph.

The World Scout Jamboree is the largest outdoor educational event organized by the Scout Movement, gathering as many as 50,000 scouts and leaders from 169 National Scout Organizations. The



Jamboree, which meets every four years, will be held at the 10,000-acre Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia in July. In addition to attending the Jamboree, they will also be attending many other camps and classes this summer as part of Crew 7 Venturers and Boy Scout Troop 7. Photo by Mary Weber.

Jamboree, which meets every four years, will be held at the 10,000-acre Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia in July.

According to Pete Mapes, scout advisor and volunteer, this Jamboree is unusual in that it is only the second World Scout Jamboree to be held in the United States. "Unlike the 12th World Jamboree, held in Idaho in 1967, this jamboree will be hosted by all three North American Scouting Associations: Scouts Canada; The Asociación de Scouts de México and the Boy Scouts of America. In other words, it is being hosted by the whole continent," Mapes said.

Both girls are part of BSA Troop 7 which includes eight members from ages 11 to 17 who reside from Alpena to National City and a co-ed branch of the BSA called Venturers for youth 14 to 20 years old. Both units are chartered to post No. 274 of the American Legion in Oscoda.

Their Venturer Crew 7 includes four 15-year-olds from Oscoda: Savannah Webster, Lewis Axline, Jamie Fletcher and Andrew Benton; Aaron Carter, 14 of Oscoda, Eddie Klenow, 17 of Tawas, Dillon Mochty, 18 of Tawas, Jenya Torsch, 17 of Alpena, Nickoli D'Agrella, 14 of Alpena, Rhea Gereau, 14 of Alpena, Hunter Roiter, 14 of Greenbush, Hazel Gray, 14 of Andrews AFB,

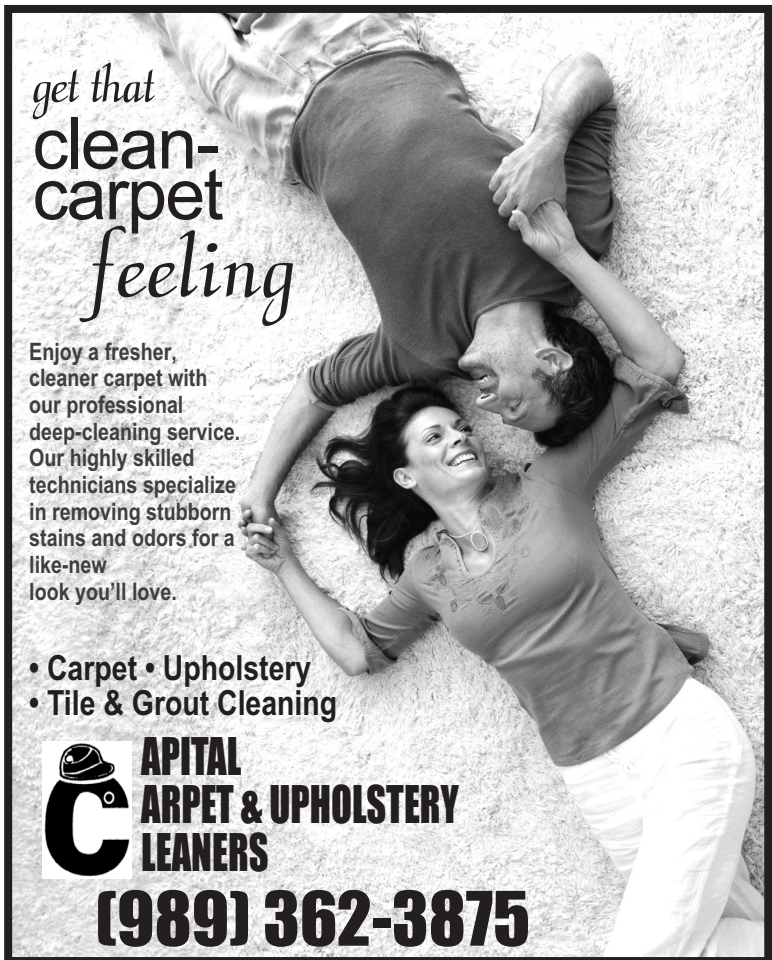
Maryland, and Morgan Smith, 14 of Glenview, W. Va.

Mapes explained several of the Crew 7 Venturers will be attending the Jamboree, but not all can due to their age or time constraints. Funds to finance the trip for the ones who are attending have either been donated by organizations or personal donations by parents, friends, and others as well as the scouts themselves earning funds through work projects in and around their community.

"I can't wait," LaLonde said, "It's like a giant peace rally. We will get to meet people from other countries and cultures. I'm very interested in that. I want to know what food they eat, what they wear, their behavior and beliefs. It scares me a little. Some hand gestures we make every day could be offensive to people of other cultures. I don't want to mess up and do something wrong. I need to learn to be subtle."

Roiter, who just joined the Venturers about six months ago, said she was particularly interested in meeting scouts from Greece, "I don't know why I just want to meet them. I want to go to Greece someday. I also want to know about other people's beliefs. I'm a Christian, so I believe in God the Father Almighty. I

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Finding a good in-home caregiver for an elderly parent can be challenging. How can you find one that's reliable and trustworthy, as well as someone your parent likes and is comfortable with? Here are some tips that can help.

### Know Your Needs

Before you start the task of looking for an in-home caregiver, your first step is to determine the level of care your mom needs. This can pinpoint the type of help she'll need. For example, if she only needs help with daily living tasks like shopping, cooking, doing laundry, bathing or dressing, a "homemaker" or "personal care aide" will do.

But, if she needs health care services, there are "home health aides" that may do all the things a homemaker does, plus they also have training in administering medications, changing wound dressings and other medically related duties. Home health aides often work under a nurse's supervision.

Once you settle on a level of care, you then need to decide how many hours of assistance she'll need. For example, does your mom need someone to come in just a few

mornings a week to help her cook, clean, run errands or perhaps bathe? Or does she need more continuous care that requires daily visits or a full-time aide?

After you determine her needs, there are two ways in which you can go about hiring someone. Either through an agency, or you can hire someone directly on your own.

### Hiring Through an Agency

Hiring a personal care or home health aide through an agency is the safest and easiest option, but it's more expensive. Costs typically run anywhere between \$14 and \$25 an hour depending on where you live and the qualification of the aide.

How it works is you pay the agency, and they handle everything including an assessment of your mom's needs, assigning appropriately trained and pre-screened staff to care for her, and finding a fill-in on days her aide cannot come.

Some of the drawbacks, however, are that you may not have much input into the selection of the caregiver, and the caregivers may change or alternate, which can cause a disruption.

To find a home-care agency in your mom's area ask for referrals through friends, family or doctor's offices, or use the home-care locator service tool at [PayingForSeniorCare.com](http://PayingForSeniorCare.com) - click on "Find Quality, Affordable

Care." In addition, Medicare offers a home health compare tool at [Medicare.gov/HomeHealthCompare](http://Medicare.gov/HomeHealthCompare) to help you find and compare home health care agencies.

You also need to be aware that original Medicare does not cover in-home caregiving services unless your mom is receiving doctor's ordered skilled nursing or therapy services at home too. But, if your mom is in a certain Medicare Advantage plan, or is low-income and qualifies for Medicaid, she may be eligible for some coverage.

### Hiring Directly

Hiring an independent caregiver on your own is the other option, and it's less expensive. Costs typically range between \$12 and \$20 per hour. Hiring directly also gives you more control over who you hire so you can choose someone who you feel is right for your mom.

But, be aware that if you do hire someone on your own, you become the employer so there's no agency support to fall back on if a problem occurs or if the aide doesn't show up. You're also responsible for paying payroll taxes and any worker-related injuries that may happen. If you choose this option make sure you check the aide's references thoroughly, and do a criminal background check, which you can do sites like [eNannySource.com](http://eNannySource.com).

To find someone, ask for



referrals or try eldercare-matching services like [Care.com](http://Care.com) or [CareLinx.com](http://CareLinx.com). Or, for a fee, an aging life care expert (see [AgingLifeCare.org](http://AgingLifeCare.org)) can help you find someone. (Send your senior questions to: [Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070](mailto:SavvySenior@norman.ok.us), or visit [SavvySenior.org](http://SavvySenior.org).)

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wonders,” David A. Armour, who served as deputy director of the Mackinac Island State Park Commission for many years, wrote in his book “100 Years at Mackinac: 1895-1995.”

“Such was the growing reputation of Mackinac Is-

land that Thomas W. Ferry, a Mackinac boy who had grown up to become a U.S. Senator, spearheaded a move to have Congress designate the government land on Mackinac Island as a national park. He succeeded, and in 1875, three years after Yellowstone had become the United States’ first national park, Mackinac became the second. Set aside for the benefit and enjoyment of the people, the 911 acres outside the 104-acre military reservation were to be maintained by the soldiers

who garrisoned Fort Mackinac.”  
 Almost 20 years later, the U.S. Army decided to close Fort Mackinac. At the time, the National Park Service didn’t exist, and all national parks were under the umbrella of the War Department.

State Park includes the 14 original buildings of Fort Mackinac, which were built by the British military starting in 1780, as well as several other historic structures and about 1,800 acres of land.

More than 80 percent of Mackinac Island is state park



A couple enjoys the view of Lake Huron from Mackinac Island in 1887. Photo courtesy of Archives of Michigan.

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“While Mackinac was a beautiful and pleasant post enjoyed by the soldiers stationed there, it had no remaining military importance, and its troops were needed in Sault Ste. Marie to guard the canal there,” Armour wrote. “Without the troops, who would care for the national park?”

In February 1895, Senator James McMillian – urged on by a group of Mackinac citizens who wanted the island’s government lands kept in public ownership rather than sold – introduced an appropriation bill amendment that would turn the military reservation and the buildings and lands of the national park over to the state of Michigan for use as a state park.

“Congress passed the bill on March 2, with the added stipulation that the land would revert to the United States if it ever ceased to be used for park purposes,” Armour wrote. “Michigan had no state park system, but the state Legislature acted quickly, and by joint resolution on May 31, 1895, created the Mackinac Island State Park Commission to manage Michigan’s first state park.”

The lands of the military reservation, Fort Mackinac and the national park were formally transferred to the state on September 16, 1895.

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A family enjoys a picnic at Interlochen State Park in this historic image. Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.



# Going it alone

By **Gregg Schefferly**  
Outdoor Writer

Going fishing, at times, is spontaneous — you have the day off and conditions are right, but you can't find a fishing buddy who's free.

Some anglers may elect not to go, while others will not let this deter them and they choose to go it alone.

Trolling is a great tactic for the solitary angler to cover more water. Inline planer boards are the perfect tool to capitalize on fishing time.

Having a partner allows for running a spread of six boards from both sides of the boat. Because some the best fishing, at times, is found along contour lines or structure, when fishing with a partner and pulling boards on both sides of the boat, half of the lines aren't in the zone.

Fishing alone with planer boards allows an angler to put the maximum effort on a small area while keeping their distance to avoid spooking the fish. Stacking the boards off one side of the boat tight to the structure is a deadly method which allows an angler to concentrate his baits in the strike zone. Using this tactic will keep him on fish; with all the boards on one side of the boat, he can turn quickly once he has located feeding walleye. Many times, it's the outer board closest to the drop that picks up fish.

Catching fish alone can be challenging, especially when pulling inline planer boards. While it's a little tougher, having the proper gear makes it very manageable.

When I fish, I use both my rear kicker motor and front electrical trolling motor. Using the kicker saves on the demand on my trolling motor batteries, extending its running — my fishing time. With my trolling motor, I simply push a button on my remote and the motor will take me in the direction the boat is pointed when I activate it.

Having this set up allows me to concentrate on fishing and not worrying about steering the boat when fighting a fish.

The next challenge is dealing with the two other rods when there is a fish on. While an angler can run rods on both sides of the boat when fishing alone; keeping all the rods on one side allows you to turn quicker to stay on feeding fish. When pulling three boards on one side of the boat and a fish grabs the lure behind the inner board, life is good. The problem can be the outer board and suddenly there is a fish on that needs attention and two rods that need to be dealt with between the fish and the boat.

Up until recently, both rods would have to be brought in before fighting the fish.

Again, having the right equipment eliminates this. On my Off Shore inline boards I've started using two different releases. Previously, I used the same release on both the front and back of the boards. The OR-16 has a pin in the center which the line is placed behind; this prevents the board from coming off the line.

When fighting a fish using OR-16 releases, an angler



## Exploring the Outdoors

By **Gregg Schefferly**

fighting both the fish and the board. Additionally, if it's the outer board, it can't be brought in without coming across the other lines and tangling everything up.

Recently, I removed front OR-16 (red) release and replaced it with an orange OR-19. The reason I did this was because the OR-19 doesn't have the pin in it. Anglers with this set up can use the mono loop method; this application is a game changer, especially when fishing alone.

The mono loop trick is simply twisting the line and making a small loop then placing the twisted line in the OR19, then place the line behind the pin on the OR16 on the backside of the board. Once a fish is on, if the fish doesn't release the line from the OR19, a quick snap of the rod will.

Once released, the board falls back behind both the other boards and the boat. Using this method allows an angler to reel in the fish without it getting tangled in the other lines.

Normally, walleye anglers are equipped with four to six planer boards, two or three for each side of the boat. When fishing alone, having these boards will maximize the time the tackle is in the water. The beauty of having enough planer boards for both sides of the boat is it allows an angler to switch lures out quickly by pulling and resetting one rod at a time, opposed to bringing in every rod first. It's as simple as pulling the inner board, changing the lure, clipping on a board from the other side, and letting it back out.

Using this tactic will allow to continually pull and set lines ensuring that an angler always has one or two lines in the water. This technique can also be used to check tackle for weeds without having to pull all the boards before resetting them.

Nothing is more frustrating than pulling harnesses or cranks and finding a weed. Often, it's important to have tackle running just above the weeds, however doing so makes it more likely to pick them up. The last time I looked, fish aren't into eating salad, so it's important to continually be checking tackle to be sure it's vegetation free.

This is where Tattle Flags shine — with them anglers can quickly see if something's wrong. Tattle Flags not only allow for the detection of a light biting fish, but they also allow anglers to see if a lure has picked up a weed or other debris.

Nothing is more frustrating than pulling lines at the end of the day and finding weeds on the tackle. Tattle Flags have different settings which allow an angler to quickly adjust for different applications. Deep diving

hard pulling cranks might need a higher tension, while crawler harnesses would require a lighter setting. After an angler tries the Tattle Flag system the only regret he will have is waiting too long to do so.

While it may be argued running four to six lines is certainly better than two or three, being on the water alone is definitely more productive than not being on the water.

Good luck!

*(After spending several years in Afghanistan, Alaska, North Dakota, and Wisconsin, Gregg Schefferly has recently returned to writing and Lincoln where he grew up hunting, fishing, and trapping. Feel free to contact him or send him pictures at northwriter@hotmail.com.)*

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well-known fishing and swimming lakes, Green Lake and Duck Lake – Interlochen means “between the lakes” – is one of the park’s defining features.

Another is its virgin pine forest. “The timber is practically all old growth white and Norway pine in which it is said that no cutting has ever been done except to remove windfalls and trees that have died,” according to the Biennial Report. “Many specimens of the white pine two and a half and three feet in diameter, towering 175 feet or more in height, can be seen here and the Norway, tall and dense, is as fine as can be found anywhere.”

Originally known as Pine Park, Interlochen State Park was created to preserve the land’s virgin pine stand for the people of Michigan.

According to the Biennial

report, “The object of the state in acquiring this tract was first of all to preserve to posterity at least one remnant of the virgin pine forest with which Michigan was so lavishly endowed by nature, where future generations may go and view the glories of the pine forest in all its pristine grandeur. Being always open to the public it will also provide a delightful summer recreation ground for those wishing to avail themselves of its advantages in this respect.”

The Public Domain Commission transferred the land to the Michigan State Park Commission in 1920. Today, the state park system that the commission started 100 years ago has grown to 103 parks that attract 28 million visitors each year.

For more about state parks and recreation, visit [Michigan.gov/StateParks](http://Michigan.gov/StateParks).



A historic photo shows campers at Interlochen State Park in Grand Traverse County. Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.

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The Tawas Area Elks Lodge No. 2525 and the Michigan Elks Association awarded \$8,500 to eight area students as part of the 2019 Most Valuable Student and Community College scholarship competitions. The scholarship awards were presented to the students during the Elks Flag Day Ceremony on June 14. (Front row, from left) Trent Reilly, Hale High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks; Olivia Rasch, Hale High School, \$750 – Tawas Elks; Sam Bacarella, Tawas Area High School, \$750 – Tawas Elks; Rudy Frank, Tawas Area High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks; (back row) Brad Saegesser, Tawas Area Elks Lodge scholarship chairperson; Alex Boensch, AuGres-Sims High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks; Hailee Gordy, Alcona High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks and \$1,000 – Michigan Elks Association; Nathan Moeller, Oscoda High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks; and Dillon Mochty, Tawas Area High School, \$1,000 – Tawas Elks. *Courtesy photo.*

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# 2018 Water Quality Report for The City of Harrisville

2018 Water Quality Report for The City of Harrisville **This report covers the drinking water quality for the City of Harrisville for the calendar year 2018. This information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2018. 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 417 Mill Creek Rd. The State performed an assessment of our source water in 2014. 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 live stock 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, 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 2018 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 table is from testing done January 1 – December 31, 2018. 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:

- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG):** 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.
- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):** 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.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):** 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.
- N/A:** not applicable **ND:** not detectable at testing limit **ppb:** parts per billion or micrograms per liter **ppm:** parts per million or milligrams per liter
- Action Level (AL):** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

## Samples collected at the Well house:

Regulated Chemical Contaminants	MCL	MCLG	Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants
Fluoride (ppm)	4	4	0.19 ppm	7/26/2018	No	Erosion of natural deposits

Unregulated Chemical Contaminants <sup>2</sup>	Our Water	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminants
Sodium (ppm)	5 ppm	7/26/2018	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits
Sulfate (ppm)	13 ppm	7/26/2018	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) 0 ppb	9/10 -12/2018	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm) <sup>3</sup>	AL = 1.3	(90 <sup>th</sup> percentile) 0.24 ppm	9/10 -12/2018	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.

Microbial Contaminants	MCL	MCLG	Positive Samples	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

## Hardness of City of Harrisville Water as CaCO<sub>3</sub>: 225 ppm

## The City of Harrisville's Water was tested for Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)

Date Collected	Sampling Location	PFOS + PFOA (ppt)	LHA (ppt) PFOS + PFOA	Total Tested PFAS (ppt)
11/14/2018	TP100	ND	70	ND

Currently, there is no regulatory drinking water standard for any of the PFAS chemicals. However, in May 2016 the USEPA established a non-regulatory Lifetime Health Advisory (LHA) for two of these chemicals, PFOS and PFOA. The LHA for PFOS and PFOA is 70 ppt combined, or individually if only one of them is present. The USEPA recommends that this LHA applies to both short-term (i.e., weeks to months) scenarios during pregnancy and lactation, as well as to lifetime-exposure scenarios. The LHA is the level, or amount, below which no harm is expected from these chemicals. The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), as well as the MDEQ, have used this LHA of 70 ppt to inform decisions on actions that should be taken or are recommended to reduce exposure and prevent increased risk to public health from these PFAS contaminants. The USEPA has not set health advisory levels for the other PFAS compounds because not enough is known about them. More information may be found at [www.michigan.gov/pfasresponse](http://www.michigan.gov/pfasresponse)

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 or [www.harrisvillemi.org/water-sewer-department-of-public-wo](http://www.harrisvillemi.org/water-sewer-department-of-public-wo) 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 7:00 PM 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/](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/).



# Fly season is quickly approaching

Although much of what a trout feeds on throughout the year is under the water's surface, June is prime time for dry-fly fishing for stream trout.

Many aquatic insects, like mayflies, stoneflies, and caddisflies found in trout streams emerge during June making it an exciting time to fish with "dry" flies (those that float on the surface of the water). Check with a local tackle shop or fly shop to see what might be hatching in the area.

Many of the mayfly hatches occur after sunset, so be sure to be familiar with the river you are fishing, make sure your headlamp/flashlight is working, and have fun!

## Northeast Lower Peninsula June 20

• Overall: Bass and bluegills were moving to the beds on many smaller lakes. Elevated river levels have made trout fishing difficult the last several weeks.

• Rogers City: Lake trout fishing was very good with limit catches taken in waters out to 70 feet deep. Fish were hitting on spoons but those targeting them were using dodgers or flashers with spin-glo's. Once anglers find them, they are circling the area and taking their limits quickly. The salmon action was a bit slower. Anglers were targeting Atlantics in the top 20 feet or Chinook in the top half of 70 feet. Good colors were orange and silver, green and silver, blue, chartreuse or glow early and late.

• Presque Isle: Limits of lake trout were taken in 20 to 80 feet with dodgers or flashers with spin-glo's. Anglers caught a mix of Chinook and Atlantic salmon in the top 40 feet with spoons, lead core and copper.

• Alpena: Lake trout were caught in 50 to 80 feet off Thunder Bay Island when trolling spoons or spin-glo's with attractors. Fish were on the bottom as well as suspended. Those trolling body baits inside 20 feet caught walleye and the odd brown trout in front of the harbor and off Sulphur Island morning or evening.

• Thunder Bay River: Those still-fishing, drifting crawlers and leeches or casting body baits and jigs in the morning or evening caught a couple walleye. Smallmouth bass and pike were taken on jigs and body baits while the carp, channel cats and rock bass were taken on the crawlers and leeches.

• Fletcher's Pond: Anglers were catching bluegills on the

## Northeast Michigan Fishing Report



pond, and near the dam.

• Hubbard Lake: A couple walleye and some very nice smallmouth bass were caught on crank baits.

• Oscoda: Those trolling spoons, spin-glo's, dodgers and cowbells caught lake trout in 50 to 80 feet. Most fish were taken near the bottom, but a few were suspended and taken on lead core or dipsey divers. The odd Atlantic salmon was caught on spoons. Pier anglers still-fishing, drifting crawlers and leeches or casting body baits caught walleye early or late. Channel cats, white suckers, rock bass and freshwater drum were taken on crawlers or leeches.

• AuSable River: Fly hatches are later than usual this year. Anglers were doing well with Light Hennies, Blackstone, March Browns, and Sul-phurs. Flow rates continue to be high and water temperatures were in the mid 60s. Walleye were caught by those still-fishing, drifting or floating crawlers down near the mouth. Smallmouth bass, rock bass and carp were also caught. Good size perch were found in six feet.

• Higgins Lake: Lake trout were still being caught just off the bottom in 80 to 100 feet when trolling spoons and rapalas or jigging sand kickers in the early morning. Perch were still being caught but most were small. Smallmouth bass were active along the drop-offs. For the kids, lots of rock bass have been caught.

• Houghton Lake: The walleye and pike fishing slowed a bit with the mayfly hatch. A couple walleye were taken by those floating a leech. The pike action was fair for those trolling. Bluegills and sunfish were caught when drifting crawlers along the weed edges.

• Tawas: Very few boats had been out. A couple walleye were caught south of the port down near the Singing Bridge. Pier anglers casting body baits caught smallmouth bass, pike and the odd walleye.

• Tawas River: Those casting body baits, tube baits and a jig head or those still-fishing with crawlers caught smallmouth bass, rock bass

and channel cats.

• AuGres: Those trolling took some limits of walleye in 35 to 45 feet straight out from the river, north of the Charity Islands and well south of Point AuGres with crawlers, body baits and flicker shad. Good walleye catches from north of the Rifle River down to the Pinconning Bar in eight to 15 feet. Some good size perch were also caught.

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6-19 & 6-26



# Culinary guide is buzz-worthy for bees

**By Eric Freedman**  
*Capital News Service*

The top culinary choice for any Michigan honeybee is hairy mountain mint and common milkweed. A Michigan bumblebee, however, prefers chowing down on bee balm and shrubby St. John's wort.

And, roundleaf ragwort and gray goldenrod may whet the appetite of the state's 465-plus species of wild bees.

Discovering what bees like to eat has important ramifications for growers and farmers whose apples, cherries, blueberries, squash, cucumbers, pumpkins, pears and other flowering fruits and vegetables depend on bees for pollination, according to Logan Rowe, a co-author of a recently published study examining Michigan bees' feeding preferences.

The research can help farmers and growers decide

what native plants to grow near their orchards and fields, said Rowe, a zoologist with Michigan State University Extension and the Michigan Natural Features Inventory.

The study said, "Since bees obtain nearly all their nutritional requirements from pollen and nectar provided by flowering plants, the availability of these resources within bees' flight range is crucial to their survival. Flower plantings have been shown to increase the yield of adjacent pollinator-dependent crops."

"We already encourage growers to incorporate native plants," Rowe said. And the findings will help them more accurately select the best seed mixtures to attract bees.

The research comes at a time of growing concern about the nation's bees. The U.S. Geological Survey estimated that insect pollinators, mainly

honey bees, increase the value of crops in the country by more than \$15 billion a year.

However, "critical honey bee and wild bee populations in the United States have been declining in recent years, creating concern about the future security of pollination services for agricultural crops," Rowe said.

Reasons for the decline include pests, pesticides, colony collapse disorder and diseases, as well as "shifting landscapes" in the Midwest where cropland is expanding at the expense of "crucial native grasslands and conservation lands that have historically provided abundant flowers for honey bees and native pollinators," according to the Geological Survey.

Scientists conducted the Michigan study in the Northwest Michigan Horticultural

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## Alcona County Sheriff's Report For the Week of June 17-23, 2019

**122 complaints were handled resulting in the following: 5 Arrests; 4 Warrant Arrests; 1 Domestic; 12 Citations.**

### Complaint Statistics

Car/Deer Accidents	12	Traffic/Traffic Stop	47
Medical	25	Warrant Arrest	4
Property Damage Accident	4	Personal Injury Accident	1
Animal/Dog	2	Miscellaneous	6
Patrol Check	1	Well Being Check	1
Suspicious Event	1	Civil	2
Burglary	1	Child Abuse	1
Larceny	3	Fire	2
Suicidal Person	1	Trespass	1
Gun Shots	1	Alarm	2
Domestic	1	Threats	1
Found Property	1	Juvenile	1

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Alcona	7	Caledonia	8	Curtis	9
Greenbush	9	Gustin	15	Harrisville	27
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think it would be cool to find out how other people practice their religion."

The two-week Jamboree will be just a tip in the bucket of everything else the girls have planned for this summer. Roiter, especially, will be having a very active summer attending camps, classes, earning merit badges and more.

"I'll be gone from home for over seven weeks straight this summer. Most decisions have always been made for me by my mother and stepfather, I don't make my own decisions all that often. It will be hard to adjust to making my own," Roiter said.

She was selected by the American Legion Auxiliary to attend Michigan Girl's State at Michigan State University, a week-long business training program in June. From there she will be joining LaLonde and five other Crew 7 Venturers for two weeks at Goshen Scout Reservations Camp Bowman near Lexington, Va.

LaLonde has been a Venturer for about three years. She is the Crew 7 president and holds the Discovery Award and Outdoor Bronze Rank in Venturing.

LaLonde experienced the Goshen Camp last summer and said it's very much like scout school, but lots of fun. She is looking forward to attending again this year to learn new things.

"There are activities all day. It's real wilderness survival lessons. Violet will be spending a full day with one or two other Venturers building a shelter fit enough to sleep in for two nights taking nothing with them but what they are wearing. I completed this requirement last year, we doubled up on clothing to wear to stay warm and they did let us have a flashlight.

"The area is full of bears. Last year, a bear knocked the edge of my shelter down, but he continued through the camp without waking me. That's a highly honorable thing to have a bear walk through your camp and keep on walking. That means you've done everything right and picked up all your food, so the bear has no interest in staying there and just keeps on going," LaLonde said.

From Goshen, LaLonde, Roiter, and Webster will meet up with two younger BSA Troop 7 scouts, Jennifer

Heilig, 12 of Greenbush/Oscoda and Miranda Roiter, 11 of Greenbush at the D Bar A Scout Camp in Metamora, Mich., for two weeks of equestrian training. They will be working on their tenderfoot second class and first-class ranking requirements and work on earning horsemanship merit badges and possibly five other badges.

The girls then pack up to make the trek to West Virginia for two weeks to attend the World Jamboree, but after that, Roiter and four other members of Crew 7 will have two more busy weekends attending the National Youth Leadership Training at Cole Canoe Base in Alger, Mich., in mid-August.

Mapes and his wife, Nona, who also volunteers and is the chartered organizational representative for Crew 7 and Troop 7 said the logistics of getting everyone where they are supposed to be when they are supposed to be there is a little overwhelming and it will be a busy summer. The scouts typically travel by car or bus, but occasionally, Mapes flies one or two in his small plane to accommodate everyone's schedule.

Roiter said she was looking forward to the entire summer as it will be an amazing opportunity for her. She is hoping to make a lot of new friends and wants to work on some personal goals she has set for herself too such as being less competitive and tempering some anger issues she feels she has.

LaLonde is looking to rekindle friendships she has made in the past with other Venturers from Maryland.

Both young women agreed if any youth is interested in joining an exciting group that is very active in learning new things through experiences to give BSA scouting or Ven-

turing a try. "Any youth can sit in on a few meetings and see if it is something that interests them. If they put in a good effort and be as active as they can, they will get a lot out of it," LaLonde said.

BSA Troop 7 and Venturer Crew 7, which has many exploration opportunities including a summer 11-week

scout aviation experience held in Oscoda, meet every other Sunday at Hope St. John's Parish in Oscoda from August to June.

For more information about either unit, contact Pete and Nona Mapes (937) 212-8435 or email Mapes at mapesni@aol.com.

## Local government meeting times and places

Alcona Township  
Township Hall  
5576 N. US-23, Black River  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday

Caledonia Township  
Township Hall  
Gillard Rd., Spruce  
2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Curtis Township  
Township Hall  
4875 F-30, Glennie  
2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday

Greenbush Township  
Township Hall  
5037 Campbell Rd.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday

Gustin Township  
Township Hall  
113 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Lincoln  
3<sup>rd</sup> Monday

Harrisville Township  
Township Hall  
114 S. Poor Farm Rd.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Hawes Township  
VFW Hall  
2120 W. Trask Lake Rd.,  
Barton City  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Haynes Township  
Haynes Township Hall  
3930 E. McNeill Rd., Lincoln  
1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday

Mikado Township  
Mikado Township Hall  
2291 S. F-41, Mikado  
2<sup>nd</sup> Monday

Millen Township  
Fraternal Order of Eagles  
671 Sanborn Rd., Barton City  
1<sup>st</sup> Monday

Mitchell Township  
Mitchell Township Hall  
6849 W. Tower Rd., Curran  
2<sup>nd</sup> Monday

City of Harrisville  
200 N. Fifth St., Harrisville  
2<sup>nd</sup> Monday

Village of Lincoln  
117 W. Fiske St., Lincoln  
1<sup>st</sup> Monday

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Research Center in Leelanau County, the Clarksville Research Center in Ionia County and the Southwest Michigan Research and Extension Center in Berrien County. They planted 51 species of drought-tolerant native prairie plants and two non-native species, then observed more than 3,500 honey bees, wild bees and bumblebees as they visited the flowers.

"We were seeing which were most supportive of pollinators," Rowe said. There's been little prior research about what types of flowering plants in Michigan's prairie-type habitat appeal best to different types of bees.

One surprise finding is that bees in different regions of the state have different dietary preferences, he said.

Bees aren't the only beneficiaries of targeted plantings, according to the study. They also provide habitat for threatened wildlife.

The study by researchers at MSU and the University of Manitoba appeared in the journal "Environmental Entomology."

### Buzz feeding table

Michigan bees have different dietary preferences. These native plants top their preferred menu:

- Honey bees -- hairy mountain mint, common milkweed, butterflyweed and showy goldenrod
- Bumblebees -- wild bergamont (bee balm), shrubby St. John's wort, prairie rosinweed and showy goldenrod
- Wild bees -- roundleaf ragwort, gray goldenrod and tall tickseed

(Source: "A Comparison of Drought-Tolerant Prairie Plants to Support Managed and Wild Bees in Conservation Programs.")



The **rose** plant itself is said to be around 35 million years old; it has a very long history as a symbol for love and beauty *and* for politics and war. Cultivation of roses began some 5,000 years ago, probably in China. During the Roman period, they were used as confetti at celebrations, for medicinal purposes, and as a source of perfume. Roman nobility established large public rose gardens in their cities.

— B. Weaver

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and learn about how these vehicles are used for science and study. This program is free and all ages are welcome to attend at the Great Lake Maritime Heritage Center, 500 West Fletcher Street in Alpena. Call Stephanie Gandulla at (989) 884-6200 for details.

will meet from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. All levels welcome. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Play pinochle at 2:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Euchre players will meet at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street at 1 p.m. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 3**

Hawk Hill Raptors presents live birds of prey at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street at 1:30 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Underwater Robotics 101 Drop In – Learn how to construct an underwater ROV. Pilot a creation in the Makerspace test tank to complete underwater missions and learn about how these vehicles are used for science and study. This program is free and all ages are welcome to attend at the Great Lake Maritime Heritage Center, 500 West Fletcher Street in

Alpena. Call Stephanie Gandulla at (989) 884-6200 for details.

Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will meet at 11 a.m. at the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole Restaurant on US-23 north of Alpena. A representative from Blue Cross Blue Shield will be on hand to answer questions. Lunch will be served at noon. Bring a can of food for the needy. Call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-4080 for details.

Friends of the Alcona County Library will meet at 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch.

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 4:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

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

**THURSDAY, JULY 4**

Barton City's Biggest Little 4<sup>th</sup> in the North kicks off with a parade at 11 a.m. followed by kids games, music, food vendor area and a beer tent at the township park. Fireworks at dusk. Contact Bill Lossing at (989) 335-3895 for details.

There will be a book adoption from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie. Sponsored by Glennie Friends of the Library. For more information, call the library at (989) 735-2601.

Glennie's celebration will begin with the annual Furth of July parade starting at 2 p.m. Fireworks will be held at the Warren Mervyn Baseball Field behind the Curtis Township Community Center at dusk.

**FRIDAY, JULY 5**

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

Join local musicians in a casual jam session at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, (fellowship hall), 217 North State Street at 7 p.m. Light refreshments will be served during this free event. This friendly get-together is co-sponsored by the church and Inspiration Alcona.

A fish fry will be held at the American Legion located at 2205 Alger Street in Mikado from 5 to 6 p.m. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children ages six to 12. Call (989) 736-9526.

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# Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



## Alpena man found after two days lost in woods

**June 29, 1944** ~ Gus Drevanz, aged 74, of Alpena, became lost last Thursday evening in the woods along the Black River, where he had been fishing. Mr. Drevanz accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Mary Dion, arrived at the stream around 5 o'clock on Thursday evening, and became separated from the group. When he failed to return to the road US-23 at 7 o'clock the party became worried and notified State Police at Alpena, who started the search.

The State Police, with Sheriff Adair of Harrisville, and several Conservation officers continued searching late Thursday night, all day Friday and Friday night. Saturday morning Trooper Forberg and Sgt. Aldrich from the Traverse City post went out in a civil patrol plane over the area. They located the lost man on the D. & M. Railroad track at 9:45. They radioed the Alpena post, which in turn radioed the police car located on the bridge south of Mountain Inn.

Drevanz was found by Sheriff Adair of Harrisville, and Steven Jeziolkowski of Alpena. Mr. Drevanz was footsore and weary. During the heavy rain on Friday afternoon and night the water had soaked his shoes, which he removed to dry and later had lost them. He had no shoes or

stockings when found. He claimed that he tried once to flag the train but was unable to attract the train crew's attention. Mr. Drevanz, although 74 years of age, was none the worse for his two days and two nights in the woods.

## Curran tavern changes ownership

The Curran Tavern, owned and operated for the past eighteen years by Joseph Napieralski, changed hands Friday, June 20, and the new owners are Arthur and Betty Cresson.

The Cressons have been residents of Curran for the past twelve years. Mrs. Cresson will operate the business assisted by Mrs. Floyd Wiedbrauk, while Mr. Cresson is employed in southern Michigan.

Mr. Napieralski was a member of the Michigan Beverage Association and served as president and twice as vice president of the area group of the association. He plans to now have time visit his family and friends and to enjoy Canada fishing trips with his four grandchildren.

**June 26, 1969** ~ Announcement has been made by William LaForge, owner of the new Harrisville Golf Course, that the course will be opened to public play on Saturday, June 28.

The new Golf Course, located just off Highway US-23 on Springport Road, was started the last of July in 1968. Construction work on the project ran into late fall of 1968 and was reopened this spring.

The new course, constructed on a 71-acre site which was formerly a part of the famous old Springport Farm, features nine holes covering 3053 yards with a par of 36. The lay-out of the course was so designed to fit the natural rolling terrain utilizing existing hill tops when possible as sites for tees and greens. Fairways are cut in and varying by the construction of some in valleys, others on the flat, others over rolling hills, and still others around hills. The lay-out is designed to add to the interest of the golfer by presenting a different golfing problem with each hole.

Statistics of the course are as follows: Hole 1 - hill top tee to hill top green, 329 yards, par 4; Hole 2 - hill top tee over short rolling hills to valley green, 317 yards, par 4; Hole 3 - tee to green on the flat, 323 yards, par 4; Hole 4 - ground level tee to hill top

green, 500 yards, par 5; Hole 5 - hill top tee to valley green, 155 yards, par 3; Hole 6 hill top tee to ground level green, 486 yards, par 5; Hole 7 - tee to green on the flat, 218 yards, par 3; Hole 8 - 45 degree dog leg left around hill, 400 yards, par 4; Hole 9 - 90 degree dog leg left around hill, 325 yards, par 4.

Although the course will be open to play construction

work will continue for a considerable time. It will possibly be another 3 to 4 years before greens and fairways will be in top shape, and the collars and aprons considered finished and traps, and hazards completed.

Still to be constructed are the practice green, driving range, parking lot and pro-shop. Present operations will be from the Caddy House now located on Hill one.

## Announces sale of local business

**June 26, 1969** ~ Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gauthier of Larry's Electric announce this week the sale of their plumbing, heating and laundromat business and property in Harrisville to two men from downstate. They retained the Electric business and will operate from a new location.

The new owners are Andrew Kralik, a master plumber from Warren, Michigan and Richard Perreault, a journeyman plumber from Rochester, Michigan. They took possession on Saturday.

June 21 and will operate under the name Harrisville Plumbing and Heating.

Mr. Perreault will conduct the business at the present time. He, with his wife and three children Mark 12, Rochelle, 11 and Stephen, 7, have moved to the Spencer house on West Main St.

Mr. Kralik will move here in the near future with his wife and three - year - old son, Tommy.

Larry Gauthier established Larry's Electric and Plumbing in Harrisville in June of 1954, and later built the modern laundromat.

He will announce his new location for electrical service, at a later date.

## Local darter qualifies

**June 29, 1994** ~ Yogi Yruegas of Mikado placed second in a regional tournament on June 11 to qualify for the allstar tournament in Las Vegas, Nevada. Yruegas was selected as one of the top four men in the Michigan Dart Organization to compete for the state during the regional competition. There were 57 men shooters and 29 women from Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Michigan. In the first round-robin, Yogi won 17 games and lost 4. Advancing to the second round, he won 14 and lost 7. Eight players advanced to the finals, where seven would qualify to travel to Las Vegas and one would be the alternate. In the finals, Yruegas won 16 games and lost 5, qualifying for the Las Vegas trip.

The seven winners will represent the region in the East/West All-Star Championships being held at the Sahara in Las Vegas.

### CryptoQuote answer

To awaken quite alone in a strange town is one of the pleasantest sensations in the world.  
— Freya Stark

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## Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2019

### Weekly Report

Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Miles Per Hour		Dominant Direction
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	
June 16	55	40	0.00	3.7	17	NNE
June 17	59	44	1.00	1.2	6	S
June 18	59	44	0.00	1.7	7	SW
June 19	57	51	0.00	3.6	12	NE
June 20	67	52	0.00	4.4	21	NNE
June 21	76	50	0.00	5.9	19	NNE
June 22	63	48	0.00	2.8	13	NE

### Precipitation Summary (Inches)

	2019	2018	Normal Water Content
Weekly Total	0.00	0.22	0.61
June to Date	2.61	0.36	1.81
Year to Date	12.70	10.73	11.97

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.)



# Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What is the traditional stone associated with July birthdays?
2. **MUSIC:** In what state was singer-songwriter Tom Petty born and raised?
3. **LITERATURE:** Who wrote the short story called "The Sentinel," which provided a starting point for the film "2001: A Space Odyssey"?
4. **HISTORY:** What was the only state that George McGovern won in the 1972 presidential race?
5. **GEOGRAPHY:** What is the largest country in South America?
6. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is a group of pelicans known as?
7. **GOVERNMENT:** Who was the longest-serving U.S. House Speaker?
8. **MOVIES:** Who was nominated for Best Supporting Actress in the movie "Silkwood"?
9. **FOOD & DRINK:** What kind of food is thrown at the annual food fight festival held in Bunol, Spain?
10. **BIBLE:** Who were King Solomon's parents?

**Answers:** 1. Ruby; 2. Florida; 3. Arthur C. Clarke; 4. Massachusetts; 5. Brazil; 6. A pod; 7. Sam Rayburn (17 years); 8. Cher; 9. Tomatoes; 10. David and Bathsheba (c) 2019 King Features Synd., Inc.

# Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On July 14, 1099, during the First Crusade, Christian knights from Europe capture Jerusalem after seven weeks of siege and begin massacring the city's Muslim and Jewish population.
- On July 11, 1656, Ann Austin and Mary Fisher, two Englishwomen, become the first Quakers to immigrate to the Massachusetts Bay Colony. Their liberal teachings enraged the Puritan colonial government and they were arrested and jailed. After five years in prison, they were deported.
- On July 12, 1862, President Abraham Lincoln signs into law a measure calling for the awarding of a U.S. Army Medal of Honor. The previous December, Lincoln had approved a provision creating a U.S. Navy Medal of Valor. To date more than 3,400 men and one woman have received the Medal of Honor.
- On July 8, 1951, Paris, the capital city of France, celebrates turning 2,000 years old. However, the City of Lights was most likely founded around 250 B.C., when a Gallic tribe known as the Parisii settled an island (Ile de la Cite) in the Seine River, which runs through present-day Paris.
- On July 9, 1962, Bob Dylan records "Blowin' in the Wind," although it wouldn't be released for another year. The most well-known version was done by Peter, Paul and Mary, which became a hit.
- On July 10, 1985, in Auckland harbor in New Zealand, Greenpeace's Rainbow Warrior sinks after French agents in diving gear plant a bomb on the ship's hull. Although French authorities denied responsibility, a British newspaper later uncovered evidence of French President Francois Mitterrand's authorization of the bombing plan.
- On July 13, 1990, the romantic-thriller "Ghost" opens in theaters. The film, about a woman who communicates with her murdered husband through a sassy psychic, was a box-office hit and received multiple Academy Award nominations. (c) 2019 Hearst Communications, Inc. All Rights Reserved

## Super Crossword

### CATCHING FISH

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| <p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1 Like Rambo</p> <p>6 Reporters' tablets</p> <p>14 Gets into some 1940s jazz</p> <p>20 Sidestep</p> <p>21 Professors' milieu</p> <p>22 Quarter-mile, for many tracks</p> <p>23 Compound of elements #29 and #17</p> <p>25 Deceived with a fib</p> <p>26 Lamb raisers</p> <p>27 Irish Gaelic language</p> <p>28 Hosp. ward</p> <p>29 Extend as far as</p> <p>30 Flamenco dance shout</p> <p>31 Bedroom furniture with a low seat and a high back</p> <p>33 Large shrimp</p> <p>37 Kissing pair</p> <p>39 "I see what you're up to!"</p> <p>40 Some NFL blockers</p> <p>41 Effort toward a law degree, informally</p> | <p>43 Irish whiskey brand</p> <p>47 Coliseum channel</p> <p>48 "First Take"</p> <p>49 Watson of "Colonia"</p> <p>50 French version of an Oscar</p> <p>54 Photos</p> <p>56 Freshening up of a baby</p> <p>59 — -Cola</p> <p>62 Go well with</p> <p>64 AL-to-OH dir.</p> <p>65 Big name in taco kits</p> <p>66 Bobby of the NHL</p> <p>67 Cessna Skyhawk competitor</p> <p>71 Give relief to</p> <p>72 Long past</p> <p>74 Conjurer Geller</p> <p>75 Pale tan hue</p> <p>76 Fruit-flavored drinks</p> <p>77 Spicy dairy product</p> <p>81 Large asteroid</p> <p>83 Funny-woman Fields</p> <p>84 Red-ink entry</p> <p>85 Grad</p> <p>87 Colt bearers</p> <p>91 Joins up</p> | <p>93 Mag for some auto enthusiasts</p> <p>95 Donkey</p> <p>98 Crackerjack</p> <p>99 Quail group</p> <p>100 Juvenile cow</p> <p>101 Smaller house in a legislature</p> <p>106 Pesci of film</p> <p>107 "Sorry, you missed it"</p> <p>108 Bar brew</p> <p>109 Ponied up</p> <p>111 Lane of song</p> <p>115 "I found it!"</p> <p>116 What to go through when following protocol</p> <p>119 Online newsgroup system</p> <p>120 Burn balm</p> <p>121 Gnawed on persistently</p> <p>122 Dwell</p> <p>123 Five-star</p> <p>124 Fish "caught" nine times in this puzzle</p> | <p>6 Abalone shell lining</p> <p>7 Protest singer Phil</p> <p>8 Bit of lore</p> <p>9 Tokyo, formerly</p> <p>10 Dangers</p> <p>11 Friends, in Italian</p> <p>12 Prepared fancily</p> <p>13 RSVP encl.</p> <p>14 Triple-time Spanish dances</p> <p>15 Pioneering '40s computer</p> <p>16 Tree with prickly burs</p> <p>17 Out of date</p> <p>18 Peppermint — (York product)</p> <p>19 Wild animal tracks</p> <p>24 Old object</p> <p>29 Try again, as a case</p> <p>30 Celebrity with a book club</p> <p>31 Use up Taylor's kid</p> <p>32 — de terre (potato, in Paris)</p> <p>33 Scrub offerer</p> <p>34 Road vehicle</p> <p>35 Simian beast</p> <p>36 High-IQ crew</p> <p>37 TV collic</p> <p>38 AOL or MSN</p> | <p>42 All excited</p> <p>43 Dixon of astrology</p> <p>44 Unit of current</p> <p>45 Earthy colour</p> <p>46 In tidy order</p> <p>51 Golfer Sam</p> <p>52 Texas A&amp;M athlete</p> <p>53 Interprets</p> <p>55 Willow used in basketry</p> <p>57 "He's Got the Whole World — Hands"</p> <p>58 — d'Alene, Idaho</p> <p>59 Use as one's own</p> <p>60 "— ed Euridice" (1762 opera)</p> <p>61 Burial place</p> <p>63 Least false</p> <p>67 Fuss over feathers</p> <p>68 Pungent green</p> <p>69 Dwell in</p> <p>70 Krispy —</p> <p>73 Andy</p> <p>76 Japanese brand of 112-Down</p> <p>78 Tired saying</p> <p>79 Biblical book after Daniel</p> <p>80 Mitigator</p> <p>82 Intro offerer</p> | <p>86 Adore, on candy hearts</p> <p>88 NHL official</p> <p>89 Just-prior time</p> <p>90 Med. nation</p> <p>92 Secrete milk</p> <p>94 1974-78 sitcom</p> <p>95 Distinctive filmmaker</p> <p>96 Wife, e.g.</p> <p>97 Pollen bits</p> <p>99 Paging device</p> <p>102 1985 title film role for Kate Nelligan</p> <p>103 Did a leaf-gathering job</p> <p>104 "That Girl" star Thomas</p> <p>105 Short, arcing baseball hit</p> <p>106 Fierce crusade</p> <p>109 — -à-porter</p> <p>110 Lot measure</p> <p>111 Cost to play</p> <p>112 Bar brew</p> <p>113 — Chyna (model with the makeup line Lashed)</p> <p>114 Bible bk. after Nehemiah</p> <p>116 Bit of butter</p> <p>117 Actress Green</p> <p>118 Forty winks</p> |
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## Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was American pastor, politician and activist Andrew Young who made the following sage observation: "Nothing is illegal if a hundred businessmen decide to do it."
- Tony Curtis, who co-starred with Marilyn Monroe in the famous film "Some Like It Hot," once said that kissing Ms. Monroe was "like kissing Hitler." Makes you wonder how he knew what kissing Hitler was like.
- If you're like the average bearded man, your facial hair grows at a rate of about 6 inches every year.
- You might be surprised to learn that the highest reward ever offered for the capture of Henry McCarty -- the infamous outlaw better known as Billy the Kid -- was \$500.
- In a recent survey of people who admitted to drinking beer, wine and spirits, more than 40 percent of respondents said that drinking spirits made them feel sexy, and more than half said that it made them feel confident and energetic. About one-third, though, said that spirits increased their aggression.
- The first telephone book ever issued was published by the New Haven District Telephone Company and was distributed in New Haven, Connecticut, in February 1878. It contained a grand total of 50 names.
- You may know that on Oct. 4, 1957, the Soviet Union earned the distinction of putting the first human-made object into space with the launch of the satellite Sputnik 1. You may not know, though, that in Russian, the word "sputnik" means "fellow traveler."
- The outermost layer of the skin on your face is made up almost entirely of dead skin cells.
- In the Scandinavian country of Norway you can find 1,800 lakes that contain no fish whatsoever.

Thought for the Day: "Instead of giving a politician the keys to the city, it might be better to change the locks." -- Doug Larson

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### CryptoQuote

**AXYDLBAAXR**  
is **LONGFELLOW**

One letter stands for another. In this sample, **A** is used for the three L's, **X** for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

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Garage sale, 955 Vernor Drive, Barton City, July 3, 5, 6 and 7. Furniture and home items, drill press, bench grinder and much more.

Huge garage sale, June 28, 29 and 30 rain or shine. Books, glassware, canning jars, baskets, blankets, fishing lures and more. One mile west of F-41 to McConnell Road, south on McConnell to Mill Street, then one half mile west to fourth Street, then north to end.

Moving sale, 1910 North US-23, Harrisville, **July 4, 5 and 6.** Furniture, appliances, kitchenware, antique cameras, books and records, garage items, tools, treasures for everyone.

Barton City garage sale, Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at 2060 Trask Lake Road. Household items, clothing, bedding, craft items, fishing gear, 24 inch scroll saw, nuts and bolts and many miscellaneous items.

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 Online bidding will be available via [www.tax-sale.info](http://www.tax-sale.info).  
 For more information or for a list of the properties being sold, visit our website at [www.tax-sale.info](http://www.tax-sale.info) or call 1-800-259-7470. Sale listings are also available at your local County Treasurer's Office.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

**State of Michigan  
 Probate Court  
 County of Alcona  
 Notice to Creditors  
 Decedent's Estate/Trust**

Estate of Robert D. Askins, deceased, date of birth March 3, 1951, and the Robert D. Askins Revocable Living Trust dated August 30, 2016.

To all creditors:  
 Notice to creditors: The decedent, Robert D. Askins, who lived at 3080 Kings Corner Road, Glennie, Mich. 48737, died May 5, 2019. No probate file has been opened with respect to the estate of the decedent.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate and/or the Robert D. Askins Revocable Living Trust will be forever barred unless presented to Kenneth Askins as Successor Trustee of the Robert D. Askins Revocable Living Trust, or to both the probate court at Alcona County Trial Court, Attn: Probate Division, County Building, P.O. Box 385, 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Mich. 48740, and the trustee within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: June 19, 2019  
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 Robert K. Myles P36055  
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 (989) 739-1471  
 Kenneth Askins, Trustee  
 3080 Kings Corner Road  
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**State of Michigan  
 23rd Judicial Circuit  
 Alcona County  
 Publication and Notice  
 of Friend of the Court  
 Annual Statutory Review  
 Public Notice**

Annual Review of Performance Record of the Friend of the Court Pursuant to Michigan law, the chief circuit judge annually reviews the performance record of the friend of the court. The review will be conducted on or about July 1, 2019.

This review is limited by law to the following criteria: whether the friend of the court is guilty of misconduct, neglect of statutory duty, or failure to carry out the written orders of the court relative to a statutory duty; whether the purposes of the Friend of the Court Act are being met; and whether the duties of the friend of the court are being carried out in a manner that reflects the needs of the community.

Members of the public may submit written comments to the chief judge relating to these criteria. Send your written comments, with your name and address, to Hon. Richard E. Vollbach, Jr., P46137  
 P.O. Box 666, Standish, Mich. 48658-0666

### CURTIS TOWNSHIP MINUTES

Curtis Township June board meeting was called to order with a pledge to the flag. Roll call was taken. Present: Griffith, Perkins, Bonner, Grabstanowicz and Fischer. Motion to approve the agenda; May 9 minutes; approve bills and place treasurer's report on file. Committees gave their reports. Motion to change meeting time from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Until further notice the monthly meetings will be held at Curtisville Civic Center. This synopsis published prior to board approval. Motion to adjourn the Curtis Township meeting at 6:02 p.m.

Teresa J. Perkins,  
 Curtis Township Clerk

### HARRISVILLE TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The Harrisville Township Board held a special meeting on June 17 at 5 p.m. at the township hall. The pre-posted special meeting called by the supervisor and was opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Four board members and Ron Haglund "Haglund's All Outdoors" were present. Absent treasurer Harvey. A lengthy discussion on the cemeteries problems and contract ended with satisfactory results and compromise by both parties. Healy/Johnston: Pay the bills. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Roger Jamieson,  
 Township Clerk

### GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS

Greenbush Township Supervisor Major called meeting to order at 7 p.m. on May 14 at the Greenbush Township Hall. One guest was present, all joined in the "Pledge of Allegiance." Roll call was taken. Present: Supervisor C. Lee Major, treasurer Pat Dailey, trustee Mark Parent and trustee Sheila Scott. Absent: Clerk Dave Dailey.

Parent/P. Dailey: Motion to approve the agenda as written. All ayes, motion carried. Minutes – new business 12. a. (after 6) replace "is not" with "may not be" – 9. change "Alcona" to "Erin Mahalak," – 12. 1. remove "done" – 12.c. change "E1" to "E", 14) Trustee Scott should read Treas. P. Dailey, no motion needed to close meeting. P. Dailey/Major: Motion to approve minutes as amended. All ayes, motion carried.

Public comments, none. Financial report given by treasurer P. Dailey; \$133,664.60 general fund; \$191,405.51 road fund; \$105,482.14 fire fund; \$43,296.09 Prince Drive; \$482.45 Kowalski Memorial Fund; CD balances were reported, revenues discussed and reported. Major/Scott: Motion to approve the financial report and place on file for audit. All ayes, motion carried.

Presentation of bills by deputy clerk Story; payroll checks numbers 17918-17928 -- \$4,237.56; bills checks numbers 17929-17939 -- \$3,961.30 plus E234-E245 checks \$2,472.40 totaling \$6,433.70. (Clerk D. Dailey arrived at 7:23 p.m. after presentation of bills/budget.) Major/Parent: Motion to approve the bills as presented. All ayes, motion carried.

Miscellaneous reports: Planning Commission, no report. Oscoda Wurtsmith Airport Authority – master plan reviewed, budget reviewed, prioritized projects. Michigan launch initiative is wait-

ing to hear from the governor. County commissioner – provided the board members with her report. Constable – all compliant, Lakeside Superette is seasonal. Fire chief – six first responder calls and zero fire calls. Treasurer P. Dailey supplied the chief with a copy of the fire ordinance, some discussion, cleanup went well; treasurer P. Dailey reported revenues.

Zoning and ordinance administrator – four permits, four complaints reported and discussed. Hall rental – April through July rental schedules were dispersed and reviewed. Assessor – short term rental information discussed, next Board of Review July 17, 1 p.m. at township hall. GRAC – July 27 rental scheduled, logging almost done, spring cleanup has started, no meeting.

Cedar Lake Improvement Board meeting, trespassing and cutting of trees discussed, Sherman Creek slowing of water flow approved by DNR, presentation by the Spicer Group about the dam project and cleanup of 1,200 feet to help the north end of Timberlakes Estates drainage, weed control discussed, three new water level gauges being added.

Correspondence – Supervisor read seven items received including: Letter from Intensified Technologies for upgrade to fix the website. Major/D. Dailey: Motion to spend up to \$50 to upgrade PHP to appropriate version for the Greenbush Township website. All ayes, motion carried.

Michigan Township participating plan disbursement \$413.80 received, a letter from the Alcona County treasurer regarding soon to be foreclosed Greenbush properties. D. Dailey/Major: Motion to inform Alcona County treasurer the township is not interested in foreclosed parcels and returning to the Alcona County treasurer.

All ayes, motion carried. Huron Pines letter about storm water management; Consumers Energy; Alcona Building Department about permits; U.S. Department of Commerce Census Bureau; Prince Drive special assessment district turned in signatures to assign the representatives to make decisions for the road, Supervisor Major turned in to our attorney for advice.

Clerk – Two items read. Greenbush Historical Society inviting the public to annual meeting May 16 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, August 4 open house and bake sale at the school house, meetings third Saturday each month at 6 p.m., board meetings second Monday each month at 9 a.m.; AT&T Metro Act right of way renewal contract is to be distributed to the board of review before June meeting. Trustee Scott questioned "Blind Person Area" road signs, yes they are in place.

Pending business – fence at 3928 East Cedar Lake Drive, sent to attorney; zoning and ordinance administrator, nothing new to report.

New business – ACCOA not paying for unused reserved days, some discussion, should pay for the days reserved but not used, will send a letter to the attorney to have them look at it.

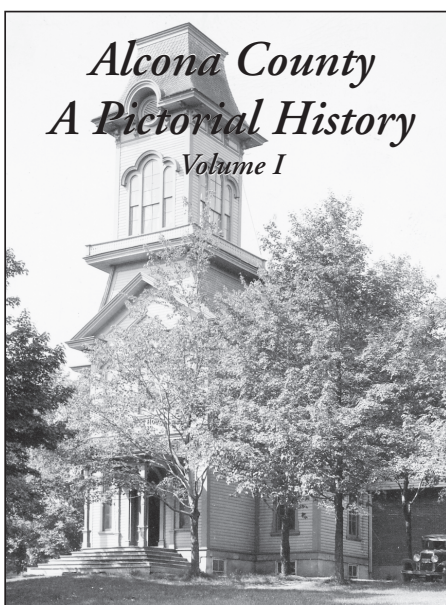
Public comments – residents asked if minutes could be more specific in the newspaper; will the township look at allowing marijuana to be grown in the township or a provisioning center; board directed the resident to approach the planning commission; resident asked for clarification on DNR water cleanup. Meeting adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

David W. Dailey,  
 Greenbush Township Clerk  
 Note: Published prior to board approval. Next regular scheduled meeting Tuesday, June 11 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall.

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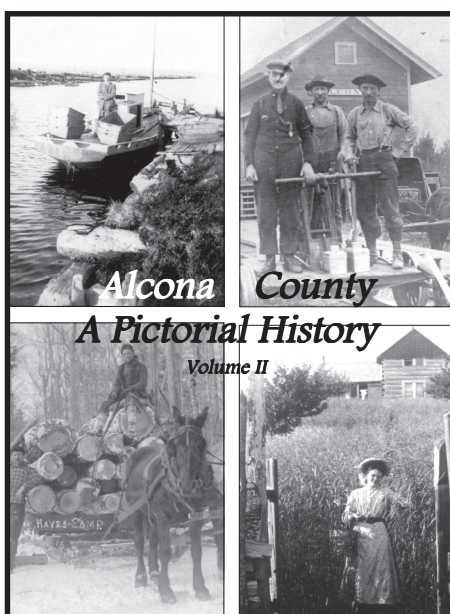
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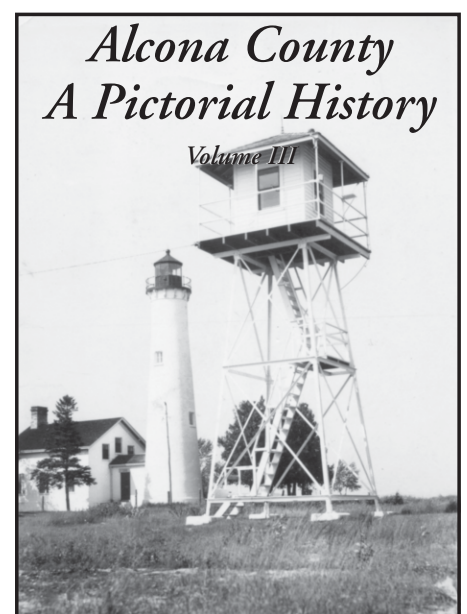
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