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State restrictions play havoc on local events, programs

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Annual Alcona County events like the Sunrise Side Wine and Food Festival, Harrisville Lions Club duck race, the Alcona County Fair, and the weekly ARA Farmers Market were standards in which people have grown accustomed.

This year, however, COVID-19 has played havoc with events. Social distance guidelines have many organizations canceling events completely. There will not be a Sunrise Side Wine and Food Festival, duck race or farmer's market this year and the Michigan State University Extension (MSUE) has can-

celed all face-to-face 4-H club meetings and events for the summer.

Even recycling, which was normally held each month on the second Saturday, was canceled during March and April. While the monthly recycling event has been reinstated and will take place this coming Saturday, many other

events such as the Alcona County Fair are still in limbo as to if, or how, it will take place.

Alcona County Fair Board President Doug Travis said the board is playing a waiting game right now. "We hope there will be a fair. What could save us is we are not a 4-H fair," Travis said.

He explained there is a Zoom meeting scheduled with the Michigan Association of Fairs and Exhibitions and a fair board meeting scheduled later this month before the board will make its final decision.

Travis explained because all fair board members do not have Internet service, they will be conducting their meeting under the pavilion where there is plenty of room to move away from each other to keep socially distanced.

Bill Thompson, spokesperson for Alcona County Recycle said he was glad Governor Whitmore felt recycling was an essential business with little risk and cleared the path for them to reopen recycling.

Recycling will take place between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 9 at the ARA site. However, according to Thompson the procedure will be just a little different with cars driven single file on the site and only one or two allowed onto the recycle pad at a time. People will be instructed not to leave their vehicles unless to briefly open the trunk.

"We sort of had a trial run with that today during the county Conservation Tree Sale which also took place at the ARA site. It worked out nicely," Thompson said last Saturday.

Other event committees have similar thoughts and issues on how to plan the event without breaking social distance guidelines and whether it will be safe for all to attend.

According to Alcona Community Schools Superintendent Dan O'Connor, the district is planning graduation events for the Class of 202. So far it has been determined there will be a virtual Senior Awards Night on Friday, May 29. More details will be released regarding time and digital platform for viewing.

Graduation is scheduled for Friday, July 24 at 7 p.m. An in-person ceremony is planned, contingent on safety recommendations. More information regarding the set-up and schedule will be released.

(Writer's Note: The Alcona County Review welcomes all event announcements either by email to editor@alcona-review.com or by phone (989) 724-6384.)

Face coverings prevent spread of COVID-19

When wearing a face covering, it is important to know how to use it and clean it properly. According to Health Department No. 2, it is important to keep in mind that face coverings are only effective when used in combination with frequent hand washing.

The recent executive order states that "any individual able to medically tolerate a face covering must wear a covering over his or her nose and mouth—such as a homemade mask, scarf, bandana, or handkerchief—when in any enclosed public space."

The face coverings recommended are not surgical masks or N-95 respirators but cloth face covering that can be made inexpensively. There are important steps to remember when using a face covering:

- Step 1: Before putting on a face covering, wash hands or use a sanitizer if soap and water are not available.

- Step 2: Cover mouth and nose with the face covering and make sure there are not any gaps between your face and the covering.

- Step 3: Avoid touching the face covering while using it. If it is touched, wash or sanitize hands.

- Step 4: To remove the face covering, grab the tie strings or elastics straps. Do not touch your face or the part of the mask that covers your face.

- Step 5: When removing the face covering, contain it in a bag while waiting for it to be washed.

- Step 6: Immediately after removing the face covering wash or sanitize your hands.

Face coverings should not be placed on young children under the age of two, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the cloth face covering without assistance.

There are community agen-

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These masks were made and donated to the Alcona Senior Center by Alcona County residents. Many people have also made masks for their family, neighbors and friends. Over 360 masks have been given away by the Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) in the food boxes distributed at the weekly Pop Up Food Pantry. All residents are asked to wear a face covering whenever they have to be out in public per the governor's orders. If anyone is making masks, they would like distributed by the ACCOA, contact Patty Thomas at (989) 607-0187.

New director guides ACCOA through COVID-19 and beyond

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Discussion during a recent Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) board meeting explained numerous marked improvements the commission has made to help the community it serves.

ACCOA Executive Director Lenny Avery advised the board during the Zoom meeting on Friday, May 1 of what the organization has been able to achieve since he was hired last January.

Avery explained one of his first goals was to have the organization accepted as a Medicaid provider. "It was a huge uphill fight to get this, but we are now on the other side of that mountain," Avery said. He reported the approval to provide Medicaid home

health services through the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) came April 17.

"We now have the capability of providing many more services to our community. This opens the bridge to many things we want to do in this county. I'm so excited," Avery said.

Employees will be taking this month to be trained on providing the best care possible along with accurate accounting of services so they can keep their approved status.

Being a Medicaid provider will also help with funding. Avery explained currently about 62 percent of their annual operating budget comes from the county millage, 24 percent come from Northeast

Michigan Community Service Agency (NMCSA) and the remaining funds come from donations.

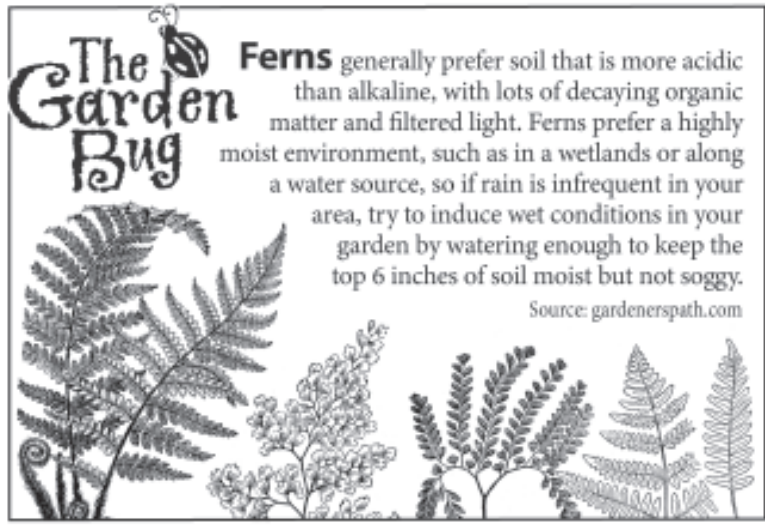
"This funding will open another revenue stream. These funds will not be frozen to just one purpose and can be liquidated for other programs which may not have revenue to support them," Avery said.

Changing for the better has been Avery's plan. In a few months, the look of the senior center has changed with new paint, additional desks, rearranging and moving offices, opening a food bank and updating the old analog phone system with a new digital one.

The new phone number

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 Source: gardenerspath.com

MEETING NOTICE

The Barton City Volunteer Fire Department Inc. will hold a Corporation Membership meeting at the Barton City Fire Department 1868 W. Trask Lake Road Barton City on May 7, 2020 at 7 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the proposal of the addition to the Fire Station, discuss the proposal of borrowing money to finance the addition and updates, and any other business that comes before the Board of Directors.

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Obituary

Clayton "Claytie" Bugg

Clayton "Claytie" Bugg, 83, of Curran died on Wednesday, April 29, 2020 at home.

He was born in Curran on July 15, 1936, the son of Leroy and Wanda (Hensey) Bugg.

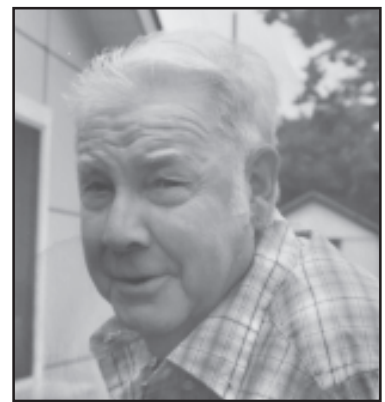
He served as a private in the U.S. Army until 1956.

Mr. Bugg returned home and was a life-long, active member of his community. He participated with the Mitchell Citizens Watch, Mio Dummy Club, and volunteered with meals on wheels and volunteered driver for those in need. He was a volunteer of the Curran Black Bear Festival and served as the grand marshal of the parade one year.

He will be remembered as McKinley's friendly bartender and karaoke star. He enjoyed

taking long rides with his wife, never knowing where their adventures would take them but almost always stopping to collect a treasure or two along the way.

Mr. Bugg is survived by his companion of 40 years, Barbara Fowler; one son, Randy Bugg; two daughters, Dawn Olson and Becky Brink; one step son, Larry (Monica) Fowler; three step daughters, Vicky (Darla) Fowler, Kathy (Mike) Bujalski and Lisa (Ray) Schanck; nine grandchildren, Troy (Rebecca) Fowler, Todd Fowler, Dean (Yvonne) Spitzer, Tonya (Terre) Rowden, Brad Nichols, Paul Rowden Jr, Cody Fowler, Chelsea (Nick) Kalbfleisch, and Dustin Schanck; many great-grandchildren; and two brothers, David (Cheryl) Bugg



and Robert (Margaret) Bugg.

He was preceded in death by his parents, an infant brother, three sisters, and one grandchild.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be celebrated at a later date. Arrangements by Lashley Funeral Home, Mio.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,
 I thank you for the very informative article written by Mary Weber in the April 22 issue.

I happen to agree with Mr. Wnuk; veterans' issues should be left to the state and federal government to deal

with. Whomever is in charge of veterans affairs should be held accountable. But you get what you get, not always what you would like to have.

I do not agree and am very disappointed that the vets would resort to bullying and or intimidating tactics to push

their agenda. (Although, not surprised.)

The resident voters of Alcona County need to listen up. It seems there's no shortage of agendas to relieve them of their money... with property taxes being an easy mark.

Betty S. DeBare
Black River

To the Editor,
 In a recent statement our 106th Representative Sue Allor attempted to blame Governor Gretchen Whitmer for the economic woes of our state. She said, "many businesses will not survive Gov. Whitmer's orders, as many families have already been dealing with crippling financial stress caused by the restrictions she has imposed."

This is reflective of the narrow-minded thinking of the Republican caucus in the State House of Representatives and it serves no productive purpose.

Indeed, it is the COVID-19 virus that has caused our financial woes not the assertiveness of our Governor. The public health crisis and the economic crisis are mutually exclusive. We must solve one before we can solve the other. People are not going to participate in an economic system if it requires them to jeopardize their lives. This is especially true of our senior population here in northern Michigan.

And speaking of the seniors, it might be wise for Mrs. Allor and all of Lansing to focus on getting testing

and tracing for our nursing home and assisted living center employees. They are currently being screened each day using temperature checks but that does not red flag those who are asymptomatic. That is the least we can do to protect our most vulnerable folks.

Issues such as these are the important ones on which Representative Allor and all of our Lansing leaders must focus instead of making feeble attempts to place blame for our current economic recession.

Robert Kennedy
Harrisville

To the Editor,
 Incredible! Outrageous! First time out of the house in nine weeks for an overdue, arranged curbside blood check at Alcona Health Center, making it a three-fer' trip to pharmacy and store.

Call me naive and gullible for my angst over what I witnessed as abject ignorance and total disregard for observing protocols during the COVID-19 pandemic that's far from being over.

We both wore our masks in public spaces as mandated by the State of Michigan. Wife went into store armed with 3M mask, latex gloves, wipes

from vehicle stash that includes hand sanitizer. Of 17 (people) I witnessed entering the store while she was inside; four wore masks, one with gloves.

There aren't enough appropriate adjectives to describe my disdain for those other 13; ranging from teenyboppers to adults and elderly individuals. Selfish leaps to mind. If you don't have any regard for your own welfare; don't jeopardize mine. With our age and underlying health conditions, I get the bug and I'm a goner. Maybe that's selfish of me...

We're morphing into a society of typhoid Marys and germaphobes, like we need any more divisiveness. There's no need for mask police if everyone used the good sense God gave geese. Shakes my faith in our fellow man and woman. It's exposed the best and worst of what used to make America great as our brother's keepers. It's a disease for which there is no serum short of a conscience transplant.

Should this offend anyone, good! If the shoe fits -- wear a mask.

Al LaBrecque
Spruce

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Calendar of Events

**** Call ahead before any scheduled event to make sure it is still being held. ****

THURSDAY, MAY 7

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

A Pop-Up Pantry will be held at Alcona Community Schools (outside Alcona Elementary), 1 No. Barlow Road, at 4 p.m. until food is gone. This is a "drive through" distribution. Do not exit the vehicle. Distribution is first come - first served as supplies are limited. Sponsored by the Alcona County Commission on Aging and Food Bank of Eastern Michigan.

FRIDAY, MAY 8

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions recovery program, will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 South State Street. For more information, call Pastor Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

SATURDAY, MAY 9

The Alcona Food Pantry will be open from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street (US-23).

Recycle Alcona County will hold drop off day from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Enter and exit through the north gate. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

Sunrise Community Food Pantry will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church, 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Clients are asked to come only one time per month and must be present to receive food. Clients must remain in vehicle for curbside pick-up and follow volunteer traffic control. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county of residence. Identification is required. Bring a box or bag. For more information, call (989) 727-3606.

FRIDAY, MAY 15

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions recovery program, will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 South State Street. For more information, call Pastor Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

District Court

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

- Christopher William Hayes, 26, of Oscoda was sentenced to one day in jail and \$700 in fines and costs for disorderly person - drunk.
- Nicholas Carl Edington, 37, of Glennie was sentenced to one day in jail, six months of probation and \$1,660 in fines and costs for operating while visibly impaired.
- Justin William Carpenter, 39, of Lincoln was sentenced to fines and costs of \$650 for drive while unlicensed and transport/possession of open intoxicant in motor vehicle.
- Chandler Jack London, 25, of Mikado was sentenced to seven days in jail, one year of probation, \$108.54 in restitution, and \$1,840 in fines and costs for operate while visibly impaired.
- Joshua James Kalbfleisch, 24, of Fairview, Mich. Was sentenced to fines and costs of \$200 for no valid license in possession.
- Dawn Ann Timm, 58, of Hubbard Lake was sentenced to fines and costs of \$195 for dog - stray.

Local Notes

Save the Shelter Offer

Precious Paws Resale Shoppe is temporarily closed due to COVID-19. This has resulted in the Alcona Humane Society's animal shelter in Lincoln to be short of funds. Because of the shortage in funds, paying for the care of these homeless animals is in jeopardy. In order to raise funding, a special "Save the Shelter Offer" has been developed.

For any Save the Shelter donation made to the Alcona Humane Society, the donor can request to receive a Precious Paws Gift Certificate for 50 percent of the donation - example: donate \$200 get a \$100 gift certificate.

The goal is \$10,000 in donations and \$5,000 in Precious Paws Gift certificates given back to donors. The entire \$10,000 will go to fund the shelter.

This offer is valid until May 31 or until the \$10,000 goal is reached. Anyone with questions on this offer, may contact

Marlene Pear at (989) 657-2017 or Connie Sysak at (989) 724-8171. Send a donation, along with where the gift certificate should be mailed to Alcona Humane Society, Attn:

Save the Shelter, P.O. Box 310, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.

Online Gardening Course

For anyone who would like to learn how to grow vegetables during "Stay at Home" requirements, Michigan State University Extension has an online, comprehensive, self-paced, introductory course on Smart Gardening with Vegetables that is timed for the beginning of the growing season.

The course will cover gardening from start to finish: What is needed to get started, types of gardening, planning and preparation, soil preparation, plants to select, starting and maintaining healthy plants, garden maintenance, harvest and storage, pollinators and various gardening activities. Many resources will be available to download onto an individual's own computer. Participants work at their own pace and have 90 days to complete the course.

After successful completion and 80 percent proficiency, participants will receive a certificate of completion. For MSU Extension Master Gardeners, this series qualifies for seven hours of Extension

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The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: **City of Harrisville, 200 North 5th Street, Harrisville, Michigan 48740**. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **9:00 AM and 12:00 PM**, or at the Engineers Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **9:00 AM and 12:00 PM** and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents as described below.

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Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained by contacting OHM Advisors, 34000 Plymouth Road, Livonia, Michigan 48640 during the hours indicated above, upon payment of a **non-refundable fee of \$40.00** for pints sets that need to be mailed UPS. The City of Harrisville has received funding for this project through a Recreational Passport Grant. State or federal funds are being used to assist in construction and relevant State or federal requirements will apply.

Owner: **City of Harrisville**
By: **Jeff Gehring**
Title: **Mayor**
Date: **April 21, 2020**

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(989) 334-3466, which Avery announced to the board also has 20 lines associated with it where the analog system had only four.

"People calling in were getting busy signals. The digital platform is also much cheaper to add lines if we need them. A line on the analog phone would have cost \$50 per line. With digital, it is only 35 cents per line. That's a cost savings of hundreds and hundreds of dollars," Avery said.

He explained the old phone number will still work and those calls will automatically transfer to the new number for the next several months.

He announced the Food Bank of Lincoln, a pantry located inside the senior center has opened and it also has a dedicated phone line - (989) 334-FOOD (3663).

Avery explained anyone who is a resident of Alcona County and needs food should

call that number, if no one is available, because they are on reduced staff during the COVID crisis, callers should leave their name and contact information and ACCOA will call them back to do a short assessment.

Once assessed, they will be given an appointment time on when they can pick up a box shelf-stable food which will be brought out to their vehicle during the crisis. Valid identification such as a driver's license will be necessary to pick up food.

Also, during the COVID-19 crisis, if anyone is physically unable to come and get food, a food box will be delivered to them.

Avery would like the Food Bank of Lincoln to be an ongoing service of ACCOA. The community supported it by raising nearly \$10,000 in grants and donations. He asked the board members if

they would also support the cause and allow ACCOA to match what the community gave by donating interest earned on a CD that recently matured.

The board voted unanimously to give \$9,722.32, the entire interest earned, to match the community funding for the food bank.

Avery also presented the new website recently unveiled to the community at www.alconaseniors.org. The interactive, user-friendly site contains an abundance of useful information about ACCOA, its history and services, events being offered and how ACCOA is meeting community needs.

There are tabs which show not only what services it offers, but a little about the employees who assist with those services and provides easy links to attend Zoom board meetings, contribute

donations, ask questions or volunteer.

"The website has an information and assistance tab. This will be a central hub for information in the county. If someone needs assistance with things like plowing their driveway or where to get discounted dental work, this will give them some ideas on who to call. This tab is not 100 percent live yet, but it will be," Avery said.

He wanted the board and public to know ACCOA is taking the COVID-19 crisis very seriously and because of it, it is currently not up to full staff. "We are being hyper-vigilant about protection from this virus because of the age of community we serve. The building is still not open to the public and all employees must wear a mask while working. If just one employee gets sick, they will shut us down completely and we will all have

to self-quarantine for 14 days. This would shut down our whole operation to help people who need us," Avery said.

Avery is currently seeking grants for a Kinship Program which would help with additional funding for seniors age 55 and over who are raising youth under the age of 18. "Alcona County has a large community of seniors who are raising their grandchildren. This funding could provide additional clothing or supplies for the children a few times a year," Avery said.

He is also looking for additional grants for more fitness and wellness activities for seniors.

He has one event planned: A Census 2020 picnic party, also funded through a grant, scheduled for May 30 at the Flights of Imagination Park in Lincoln. If restrictions have not been lifted by then or it is not safe, the picnic will be held June 30 or when it is safe to do so.

Avery is hiring direct care workers and food bank employees. He is aware under the old administration a lot of employees were fired and he welcomes them to reapply. "There is no bias for any past employees to reapply for a position. We will only choose the best candidate for any position," Avery said.

In the last eight weeks during the COVID-19 crisis, the ACCOA has been involved with a weekly Pop-up Food Pantry which has served the Alcona County community with 225,000 pounds of free food packed into boxes and brought to cars by about 40 volunteers.

"Many of them have been with us since week one. I cannot tell you how blessed we are to have volunteers who saw this vision and put themselves literally in harm's way to make sure people are fed. That is a staggering amount of food and a staggering amount of need in our community," Avery said.

The next Pop-Up food pantry will be held at the Alcona Elementary School on Barlow Road, Thursday, May 7, at 4 p.m. until food is gone.

Despite a lot of grants and funding coming into the center during the COVID-19 crisis for Payroll Protection Program (PPP) and the food bank, Avery told the board regular donations for general services and meal delivery are way down because the crisis does not allow for the public to come inside the building or meal delivery drivers to go inside of people's homes. Deliveries are now made to coolers left on porches.

Avery said anyone can send a donation either through the website www.alconaseniors.org or by check to ACCOA, 207 Church Street, Lincoln, Mich., 48742.

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SENIOR LIFESTYLES

Do pneumonia vaccines protect seniors from coronavirus?

Dear Savvy Senior,
Do currently offered vaccines against pneumonia provide seniors any protection against the coronavirus disease? I've always been bad about getting vaccinated, but this coronavirus pandemic is causing me to change my thinking.

Pro-Vax Patty

Dear Patty,
This is a great question. Because the coronavirus (COVID-19) attacks the lungs and respiratory system, many readers have asked whether the pneumonia vaccines, which are administered to millions of patients each year, might protect someone if they contract the coronavirus.

But unfortunately, the answer is no. Vaccines against pneumonia, such as pneumococcal vaccine and Haemophilus influenza type B vaccine, do not provide protection against the new coronavirus.

This virus is so new and different that it needs its own vaccine. Researchers are in

the process of rapidly developing a vaccine against COVID-19, but it is expected to take at least a year before it's ready.

Having said that, you should also know that there are several other important vaccines the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends that all seniors should get up to date on after the coronavirus pandemic dies down.

Here's a rundown of what they are, when you should get them, and how they're covered by Medicare.

- **Flu vaccine:** While annual flu shots are recommended each fall to everyone, they are very important for older adults to get because seniors have a much greater risk of developing dangerous flu complications.

According to the CDC, last year up to 647,000 people were hospitalized and 61,200 died because of the flu – most of whom were age 65 and older.

To improve your chances of escaping the seasonal flu,

this September or October consider a vaccine specifically designed for people 65 and older. The Fluzone High Dose or FLUAD are the two options that provide extra protection beyond what a standard flu shot offers. And all flu shots are covered under Medicare Part B.

- **Pneumococcal vaccine:** As previously stated, this vaccine protects against pneumonia, which hospitalizes around 250,000 Americans and kills about 50,000 each year. It's recommended that all seniors, 65 or older, get two separate vaccines – PCV13 (Pneumovax 13) and PPSV23 (Pneumovax 23).

Both vaccines, which are administered one year apart, protect against different strains of the bacteria to provide maximum protection. Medicare Part B covers both shots if they are taken at least a year apart.

- **Shingles vaccine:** Caused by the same virus that causes chicken pox, shingles is a painful, blistering skin rash that affects more than one



Savvy Senior

million Americans every year. All people over age 50 should get the new Shingrix vaccine, which is given in two doses, two to six months apart. Even if you've already had shingles, you should still get this vaccination because reoccurring cases are possible.

The CDC also recommends that anyone previously vaccinated with Zostavax be re-vaccinated with Shingrix because it's significantly more effective.

All Medicare Part D prescription drug plans cover shingles vaccinations, but coverage amounts, and reimbursement rules vary depending on where the shot is given. Check your plan.

- **Tdap vaccine:** A one-time dose of the Tdap vaccine, which covers tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis (whooping cough) is recommended to all adults. If you've already had a Tdap shot, you should get a tetanus-diphtheria (Td) booster shot every 10 years. All Medicare Part D prescription drug plans cover these vaccinations.

Other Vaccinations

Depending on your health conditions, preferences, age and future travel schedule, the CDC offers a "What Vaccines Do You Need?" quiz at www2.cdc.gov/nip/

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Barton City couple's grandson luges way to national team

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Olympic sports can be dangerous, but not many compare to the Luge, lying on a small sled and traveling at high speeds, some topping 60 miles per hour (mph) on an ice-covered track with very little protection except for a racing suit, gloves, boots and a helmet.

"It's a little crazy," said 12-year-old Chase Somers who is on the National Junior USA Luge Development team.

Although Chase is from Freeland, Mich., near Saginaw, Mich., he is known locally as the only grandson of Gary and Mo (Maureen Gauthier) Somers, who both grew up in Alcona County and own the Barton City General Store.

Chase's parents, Neil and Molly, also have a summer home in Black River, so Chase spends a lot of free time out and about in northeast Michigan.

This year, however, Chase was able to spend five weeks in Lake Placid, N.Y. to realize a dream introduced to him just three years ago, to be an Olympian Luge slider. The young athlete would have spent more time there this year, but, like everything else in the country, the sport is shut down for COVID-19.

"Three years ago, I didn't even know what luge was. It's not something I recommend to all kids. A lot of my friends think I'm crazy. For kids who love speed though, this is a lot of fun. I like the feeling going down the ice track at 50 to 60 miles per hour," Chase said.

He explained he has always craved the need for speed and when spending time on his grandparent's quads, there is no such thing as going too fast for him. Sports of any kind appeal to him, especially ball sports such as football, baseball, basketball and tennis.

Molly, a fifth-grade teacher for Freeland Community



Chase Somers, the grandson of Mo and Gary Gauthier of Barton City has been training on his own lately due to the restrictions in place for COVID-19. *Courtesy photos.*

Schools, explained her son was introduced to the sport after she won a grant from Dow Chemical to conduct science training.

"A requirement of the grant was to take a tour through the Dow facility. At the end of the tour, the director mentioned Dow had sponsored a (Luge) slider search and they would be at the Bridgeport Soap Box Derby Hill in a few days. Dow Chemical has a small division working to improve luge sleds. We didn't have anything going on that Sunday so we went," Molly said.

Chase's dad, Neil, a Michigan State Police trooper, was on patrol that day and, as part of public relations, offered to test speeds of the kids there to luge on a wheeled sled.

Chase was nine years old at the time, but lugging brought him a thrill he had never experienced before. His speed and agility also brought him invitations to try out for the national team.

Grandparents, Gary and Mo, are proud of Chase's accomplishments in the sport.

Last year he was invited to try out with about 1,000 other youth for a spot on the D developmental team, which is the youngest of the slider teams. "Of that 1,000, 500, including Chase, were brought to Lake Placid for further assessment. Only three made the team, Chase being one. He has a jacket just like every Olympic winter athlete," Gary said.

Since both of Chase's parents work, getting Chase to New York to the Olympic Training Center in Lake Placid took a family effort. Chase's schedule from January through February was two weeks in New York and one week back, then another two weeks away.

Gary and Mo were able to take him for the Empire State competition where he finished second place of a group of nine in his age bracket and sent him to the National competition where he placed eighth out of 16 youth on the D team.

Since the beginning of COVID-19, Neil has been on

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the front lines working, never knowing if or when he will be exposed to the virus. Because it is so highly contagious, Molly and Chase were sent to ride out the executive order shutdown in Barton City, far away from any virus his dad may inadvertently bring home.

Not being able to continue training at Lake Placid, one of just 11 luge tracks existing in the world, hasn't halted Chase's desire to continue to place well when tryouts begin again for next year's team.

he was away, and all youth in training had study hall time two hours a day during the week.

Another challenge was funding the nearly \$8,000 it cost to travel, for his lodging, food and training. One of his training coaches is Aidan Kelly an American slider who raced for the United States in the men's luge singles event at the 2014 Winter Olympics in Sochi, Russia.

Molly said Chase fundraised himself by making a presentation to the Freeland

bumps and bruises. He said when he is lugging there isn't time for fear of being hurt. He's too busy concentrating on going in and coming out of turns.

His mom is fully aware that accidents can happen. "It's a scary sport. Wipe-outs can be very serious. Sliders have gotten broken bones, neck injuries and concussions. It is scary, but how can you say no to your child when they have a dream and it is within your power to let them experience it?"



Chase Somers training at Lake Placid, N.Y. The 12-year-old is part of the USA Junior National Luge Development team.

"I do my core workouts every day, keeping fit. My grandparents have about 80 acres for me to run on. I also do curl-ups, sit-ups, push-ups and pull-ups. Basically, anything that will keep my core strong. When you are going down on a sled you have to keep your core steady. If you are too stiff, you can't control the sled (which weighs more than 20 pounds). I pull about three to four G's (force) when going down the track," Chase said.

Keeping up with schoolwork was one of the more difficult challenges for Chase, according to his mom. The Somers hired a tutor for while

Lions Club who gave him a \$500 donation. Additional funds came from Freeland business owners, friends and family. Gary and Mo also put out a donation jar at their store. In total, he raised about \$2,000.

She explained this year, the sleds, which are sized according to height and weight of the slider is paid for through the developmental team. When he advances to the C developmental team, he will need to purchase his own sled which will cost around \$1,000.

Although the sport is dangerous, Chase has been lucky so far with what he calls, just



Somers at the training facility at Lake Placid, N.Y.

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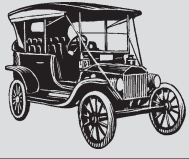
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Buggy Rides

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Mother-daughter banquet held

May 7, 1970 ~ The dining room of the United Methodist Church in Harrisville was the scene of the annual Mother and Daughter banquet Monday night, sponsored each year by the Women's Society of Christian Service. An advance reservation ticket sale is essential each year for this popular event and the ladies of the church regret that again latecomers had to be denied due to lack of seating space.

The tables, set for 150 persons, were prettily decorated with bouquets of yellow daffodils. Candy and nut cup favors and attractive sunbonnet lady programs in pasted colors were at each setting.

Mrs. Helen Swenson, W.S.C.S. president, welcomed the assembled group and a blessing in song was quietly sung by all.

A short after-dinner program followed the delicious meal, and included a song "Faith To Our Mothers", a Toast to Mothers by Karen Grimm and response - to daughters - by her mother, Mrs. Ruth Grimm, a song by girls of the 1st and 2nd grade Sunday School class, a Toast to Grandmothers by Beth Perkins, a vocal duet by Mrs. Helene Edwards and daughter Carla, with Miss Beth Schroeder as accompanist, and a poem, "Little Giant", by Joan Wittenberg. Mrs. W. S. Foster was in charge of the program, and of the awards which were presented as follows:

To the oldest (in years only!), a plant was presented to Mrs. A. R. Miller who was given a standing ovation for her many years of service to the church and who had helped greatly in preparing the meal that was served. Her vitality and ambition, resulting in many tasks completed each day, can put many younger women to shame. The youngest mother present was Mrs. Edwin Teeple, and the youngest grandmother, Mrs. Wesley Keyser, who each received a potted plant, and the youngest daughter, 13-month old Lynette Knight, daughter of Harold and Dianne Knight of Tawas City, was given a doll as an award. Mrs. Anne Howe of Lawrenceville, Pennsylvania, a guest of Mrs. Frank Swanson, received a plant for coming the greatest distance.

Men of the church, who took care of the serving of the meal, were given a round of applause for the fast and efficient service rendered.

Annual bowling banquet held

May 7, 1970 ~ The annual banquet of the Alcona Woman's Bowling League was held on Wednesday night at Mr. D's Steak House in Alpena with about one hundred bowlers, sponsors and guests seated at the tables. A bouquet of flowers for each of the sixteen teams, and place cards for each individual, were made and arranged by the committee in charge, the Gillard-Gillies team.

Seated at the head table, centered with a larger bouquet, were the officers: president, Mrs. LeRoy Sands; secretary, Marian Sloan, and treasurer, Doris Gauthier, and Mrs. John Lukes. Mrs. Sands introduced Mrs. Art Somers, who presented sleeve plaques to two bowlers who each bowled a game over 100 pins over their average, Mrs. M. Wakeman and Mrs. V. Myers, and to the Champion team, Riebow's Hardware, who defeated the first place winners of the first half, Sani Seal.

The treasurer gave out the team and individual prize money, and tournament secretary, Mrs. N. Oliver, gave plaques to tournament winners. Trophy committee, Mrs. Wm. Stone and Mrs. R. Holmes, distributed the trophies.

The Added Events Committee, Mrs. K. Holmes, Mrs. A. Gauthier and Mrs. M. Senical, had many humorous presentations and awards,

which represented much time and effort on their part.

In behalf of the management, Mrs. John Lukes gave each officer a potted plant in appreciation of her work in making the past bowling season a success, and to conclude the evening Mrs. Sands thanked all her committees, and turned over her folder of papers, rule books, etc., to the new president, Mrs. Jos. Ankner.

Fire destroys house on McMaster farm

May 6, 1920 ~ Fire Tuesday noon destroyed the dwelling house on the John McMaster farm in Harrisville township, and with it about half the contents, including several hundred dollars worth of provisions.

It is thought the fire was caused by a defective chimney.

The building was occupied by Mrs. John McMaster and her son Hugh and family. Mrs. McMaster, who is just recovering from a spell of sickness has gone to live with her sister, Mrs. C. A. Johnson of Mikado. Hugh and family expect to occupy a small house on the Jos Good farm until arrangements can be made to rebuild on the old site.

The burned building was insured in the Grange.

Killed in action in June '44

May 10, 1945 ~ Mr. and Mrs. Stanley LaBaza of Haynes received the sad news Sunday that their son, John LaBaza, had been killed in action in France, on June 18, 1944. A previous message, received July 18, 1944, stated that he was missing in action on June 18, and for ten long months the family have been anxiously awaiting further news in the hopes that he may be reported as safe.

John Anthony LaBaza was

born June 24, 1916, in Hamtramck, Michigan.

He was inducted into the Army on August 25, 1942 and after five months training was sent to England. He was ill and hospitalized for six months while in England, later was sent into France for active service. He had not received a furlough since induction.

Surviving him are his parents and several brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Anderson have narrow escape

Mikado Couple Victims of Runaway at Harrisville Wednesday

May 6, 1920 ~ As Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Anderson of Mikado were driving into town Wednesday morning their horse became frightened at an automobile and ran away.

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The buggy top caught on a guide wire from a telephone

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2020

Weekly Report

Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Miles Per Hour		Dominant Direction
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	
April 26	53	35	0.00	6.4	24	NNE
April 27	44	32	0.02	3.8	23	NNE
April 28	46	40	0.00	4.9	19	S
April 29	45	40	1.54	8.8	27	E
April 30	46	40	0.61	3.4	22	NNE
May 1	50	37	0.00	5.3	21	NNE
May 2	67	40	0.03	3.4	23	SSW

Precipitation Summary (Inches)

	2019-2020 Season		
	2020	2019	Normal
Weekly Total	2.20	1.26	0.56
Month of April	2.89	2.36	2.31
May to Date	0.03	1.21	0.16
Year to Date	6.08	7.30	7.71

Final 2019-2020 Season Snow Report 55.4 inches

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. **GEOGRAPHY:** What percentage of the world's population lives in the Northern Hemisphere?
2. **MATH:** In geometry, what shape is a torus?
3. **TELEVISION:** What was the name of the character played by Tina Fey on "30 Rock"?
4. **SCIENCE:** How many earthquakes are detected in the world each year?
5. **U.S. PRESIDENTS:** What was Barack Obama's Secret Service code name?
6. **LANGUAGE:** What is the opposite of a synonym, words with similar meanings?
7. **MOVIES:** Who played the role of Tess McGill in the 1988 film "Working Girl"?
8. **BIBLE:** How many plagues were unleashed on Egypt, according to the Book of Exodus?
9. **LITERATURE:** Who was the author of the novella "The Time Machine"?
10. **HISTORY:** Who served as the first postmaster general of the Continental Congress?

Answers: 1. About 90%; 2. Doughnut; 3. Liz Lemon; 4. About half a million; 5. Renegade; 6. Antonym, words with opposite meanings; 7. Melanie Griffith; 8. Ten; 9. H.G. Wells; 10. Ben Franklin (c) 2020 King Features Synd., Inc.

Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On May 17, 1792, a group of 24 traders gather in lower Manhattan to work out the regulations of the speculative market. The result was the Buttonwood Agreement, a two-sentence contract that gave birth to the New York Stock Exchange.
 - On May 14, 1904, the first Olympic Games to be held in the United States open in St. Louis. The 1904 Games were initially awarded to Chicago, but were given to St. Louis to be staged in connection with the St. Louis World Exposition. However, the Games were overshadowed by the world fair.
 - On May 12, 1925, a Philadelphia radio station broadcasts the first all-star radio program featuring film actors and actresses. Sound films had not yet debuted, and it marked the first time that most listeners had heard the voices of film stars like Lillian Gish and Marion Davies.
 - On May 15, 1942, a bill creates the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps (WAACs) in the U.S. Army, granting women official military status in a wide variety of roles around the world. The 16,000 women who joined the early WAACs would not receive veterans' benefits until 1980.
 - On May 13, 1956, Gene Autry's musical variety show, "Gene Autry's Melody Ranch," airs its final broadcast after 16 years. The show featured short skits about cowboys and rustlers, along with musical numbers by Autry, "America's singing cowboy."
 - On May 16, 1975, Japanese mountaineer Junko Tabei becomes the first woman to reach the summit of Mt. Everest. In 1988, Stacy Allison became the first American woman to successfully climb Everest.
 - On May 11, 1987, Klaus Barbie, the former Nazi Gestapo chief of German-occupied Lyon, France, during World War II, goes on trial, charged with 177 crimes against humanity. Barbie sent 7,500 French Jews and French Resistance partisans to concentration camps and executed some 4,000 others.
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Super Crossword

JOB SCREENING

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Perceive</p> <p>8 Wavering</p> <p>16 Dies down</p> <p>20 One of the Great Lakes</p> <p>21 CD from Eminem or Jay-Z, say</p> <p>22 Marshland</p> <p>23 Start of a riddle</p> <p>25 Teal, e.g.</p> <p>26 Mineo of films</p> <p>27 First-century emperor</p> <p>28 Sufficient, in dialect</p> <p>29 After-bath sprinkle</p> <p>30 Zest</p> <p>32 Riddle, part 2</p> <p>38 Majestic</p> <p>40 Inane</p> <p>41 High-pH compound</p> <p>42 Sticky, viscous stuff</p> <p>45 Previously called</p> <p>46 "— have to wait"</p> <p>49 ESPN's Hershiser</p> <p>50 Riddle, part 3</p> <p>55 They often elicit groans</p> <p>56 "Suffice it — ..."</p> | <p>57 Chinese zoo mammals</p> <p>58 "Thou — lady": King Lear</p> <p>59 Hotel's kin</p> <p>60 Young dog</p> <p>61 Sews an edge around</p> <p>65 Riddle, part 4</p> <p>73 Tara of "American Pie"</p> <p>74 Granola bit</p> <p>75 "— Man Answers" (1962 film)</p> <p>76 Jazzy Anita</p> <p>77 Irritated reply to "Are you awake?"</p> <p>81 Devours, with "down"</p> <p>83 Accept</p> <p>84 Riddle, part 5</p> <p>90 Gulf nation</p> <p>91 Good diving score</p> <p>92 Genetic letters</p> <p>93 Flanders river</p> <p>94 Ovum, e.g.</p> <p>96 "There it is!"</p> <p>98 Souases</p> <p>102 End of the riddle</p> <p>108 Al who drew Li'l Abner</p> | <p>109 Old Italian coins</p> <p>110 Tie down, as a ship</p> <p>111 Sheik, e.g.</p> <p>113 Actress Carrere</p> <p>114 Mark Twain's Huck</p> <p>115 Riddle's answer</p> <p>120 Poker cost</p> <p>121 Ethereal quality</p> <p>122 Relate (to)</p> <p>123 Prayer opener</p> <p>124 Northern parts of New York and New Jersey</p> <p>125 Numbers used in sums</p> <p>DOWN</p> <p>1 Divining rod</p> <p>2 Get some air</p> <p>3 German military camp</p> <p>4 Jaguar, e.g.</p> <p>5 "— Brockovich"</p> <p>6 Gone up</p> <p>7 — Dame</p> <p>8 Suffix with script</p> <p>9 Round bread of India</p> <p>10 Hot tub</p> <p>11 In a docile way</p> <p>12 1985 Kate Nelligan film</p> <p>13 In re</p> <p>14 "Dallas" actor</p> <p>15 Singer Sumac</p> <p>16 Begin, as a journey</p> <p>17 — ball (pool hall item)</p> <p>18 "Fists of Fury" star</p> <p>19 Get sight of</p> <p>24 "— the weather?"</p> <p>29 Phone no.</p> <p>31 Port of Japan</p> <p>33 Actress Lisa</p> <p>34 Poem of lamentation</p> <p>35 "Hick" actor Baldwin</p> <p>36 Hayek of Hollywood</p> <p>37 Window ledge</p> <p>39 Parking —</p> <p>43 — left field</p> <p>44 Tine</p> <p>46 Repeated statement in Windows ads</p> <p>47 Plating metal</p> <p>48 Kind of PC monitor</p> <p>50 Rage</p> <p>51 — nous</p> <p>52 "There — 'I' in team"</p> <p>53 Musical piece</p> <p>54 Racket-raising Arthur</p> <p>55 Rover's foot</p> <p>60 Fruit discard</p> <p>62 Arcane</p> <p>63 Annoyed with</p> <p>64 Boa, for one</p> <p>66 "Right, bro"</p> <p>67 0% of the people</p> <p>68 Biker's bike, colloquially</p> <p>69 Largest city on Hawaii</p> <p>70 "Get — back!"</p> <p>71 Abrades</p> <p>72 Coloring substance</p> <p>78 Dance great de Mille</p> <p>79 Ovid's 1,051</p> <p>80 Diarist Anaïs</p> <p>81 Took the prize</p> <p>82 Florida city</p> <p>84 Breathe loudly</p> <p>85 Bringing up the rear</p> <p>86 Collides with</p> <p>87 Not deserved</p> <p>88 Tramped (on)</p> <p>89 "Holiday" actor Ayres</p> <p>95 Mao — tung</p> <p>96 Romeo and Juliet's town</p> <p>97 "It's — state of affairs"</p> <p>99 Lane of Broadway</p> <p>100 Narcotic</p> <p>101 Generates</p> <p>103 Beatnik's "Got it!"</p> <p>104 People on the move</p> <p>105 Like a well-pitched inning</p> <p>106 "Sing, Sing, Sing" drummer</p> <p>Gene</p> <p>107 Totally filled</p> <p>112 Longtime West Virginia senator</p> <p>Robert</p> <p>114 — Schwarz</p> <p>115 Sorority letter</p> <p>116 Humid</p> <p>117 Suffix with colour</p> <p>118 Ar-tee link</p> <p>119 Honored Fr. woman</p> |
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Strange But True

By Lucie Winborne

- Sigurd the Mighty, a ninth-century Norse earl of Orkney, was killed by an enemy he had beheaded several hours earlier. He'd tied the man's head to his horse's saddle, but while riding home one of its protruding teeth grazed his leg, causing an infection from which the unlucky Sigurd died.
 - Irish author and politician Edmund Burke was not a skilled public speaker. In fact, his speeches at the House of Commons were so boring, many MPs left the building once he stood up.
 - In 1907, an ad campaign for Kellogg's Corn Flakes offered a free box of cereal to any woman who would wink at her grocer.
 - While Jackie Robinson was laid up for two weeks in 1948 with a hamstring injury, the Dodgers secretly replaced him with Herschel Morowitz, a white man in black face.
 - The average human body contains enough iron to make a 3-inch-long nail. It also contains enough fat to produce seven bars of soap.
 - The first washing machine was invented in 1782 by H. Sidgier of Great Britain. His design was later honed by other inventors, including William Blackstone, who invented the first at-home washer as a birthday gift for his wife.
 - Drinking seawater will cause rapid dehydration and, if enough is consumed, eventually death. Frozen seawater is a much safer alternative, since it contains only a tenth as much salt as the liquid form, due to the fact that the salt is separated from the water when freezing as it does not fit into the crystalline structure of ice.
 - The first lipstick appeared in ancient Mesopotamia approximately 4,000 years ago, when women decorated their lips with dust made from precious gems.
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Thought for the Day: "The world is a dangerous place to live; not because of the people who are evil, but because of the people who don't do anything about it." -- Albert Einstein
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CryptoQuip

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

Clue: H equals D

R CKILF COULI AJWI BWIU R QKE

EKI ARL IUXH IU XJRPJ.

IOJF HBHW'I LJZPJ LQBZBIL IOJZJ.

Kovels: Antiques & Collecting

By Terry and Kim Kovel

Heart & crown chair

Several rare "Heart and Crown" side chairs were sold at a Skinner auction in Massachusetts. The high-back chair featuring molded bannisters, turned legs and a rush seat is part of an old tradition. Furniture makers in Connecticut created this style and used it from about 1740 to 1770. It was an interpretation of the expensive Philadelphia and Boston chairs made at the time. Instead of the curved crest of the formal city chairs, the top of the back was made with a cut-out heart and a crown-shaped crest. Almost all of the Heart and Crown chairs were painted black or dark brown, and all had the rush seat. An auctioned chair, 44 3/4 inches high and attributed to Andrew Durand of Milford, Connecticut, is painted black and has the characteristic bannisters and turnings. It auctioned several years ago for \$9,000, which was three times the estimate.



This \$9,000 Heart and Crown chair has a carved crest with the correct heart-shaped hole and a curved, crown-like top. The style, popular for only about 30 years, is prized by collectors of 18th-century American furniture

A: Solingen, Germany, is known as the "City of Blades." It has been the center of knife-making in Germany since the Middle Ages and home to several manufacturers of knives, swords and cutlery. Arnex was in business in Solingen from about 1920 to 1940. Some pocket knives made by Arnex have handles decorated with animals, sports, trains, zeppelins and other themes. The value of your pocket knife is under \$25.

Q: I have a two-bladed pocket knife I think is quite old. It's marked "Solingen, Germany" on one side of the blade and "Arnex, stainless" on the other side. Both side panels are embossed with three heads of racehorses, horse shoes and riding crops. My late wife worked for a horse farm owner who gave it to her for me. Is it worth keeping?

Q: I have a tall, white pitcher with daisies painted on it and gold trim. It's marked "Bel-Terr China, U.S.A., 22 Kt. Gold." I'd like to sell it. What is it worth?

A: Bel-Terr China was founded in 1961 by Belden and Terry Ham in East Palestine, Ohio. The company is no longer in business. Bel-Terr pitchers, about 8 inches tall, sell for under \$20.

CURRENT PRICES

Egg beater, tin and steel, wood handle, side gear drive, teeth and crimp, Holt's, 1899, 10 3/4 x 3 inches, \$75.

Lunchbox and thermos, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, metal, top handle and latch, flying car and characters image, 1960s, \$125.

Bronze dog statue, whipper, ready to run, oval black & orange marble base, after P.J. Mene, 4 x 5 x 3 inches, \$365.

Dress, beaded sequin, black, flapper, art deco-style pattern, sleeveless, scoopneck, 1920s, size medium, 35-inch waist, \$535.

TIP: Civil War re-enactors have been warned that some old medical instruments could still carry germs or viruses that are infectious. Be very careful when handling any old medical items. They should be carefully disinfected.

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Veterans Host

By Freddy Groves

Coronavirus doesn't quarantine scammers

It doesn't take much for scammers to find new ways of conning us. Now, with the country on edge fighting this invisible virus enemy, the thieves have gotten even more creative and the scams are more targeted.

What they want most from us is what they always want: personal information and money.

With relief checks going out to millions of Americans, the crooks are cashing in by sending email or calling to say you qualify for a coronavirus grant, and that they can help you get it. What they want is your personal information. Variations include offers of fake vaccines, fake cures and treatments, air filters, masks and hand sanitizers at inflated prices.

You might get an alarming coronavirus email that prompts you

to click links for more information on the virus. Don't do it -- scam email can download malware onto your computer.

Another scam offers at-home virus test kits, but you'll need to provide your personal information, including credit card numbers. The email is made to look like it came from the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Even without the virus, the scammers are always active.

If you need to order your military records or any kind of government form, it's free; just call the VA. The swindlers, calling themselves advocates for veterans, say they can "help" you get those by charging a fee. There are no secret programs or special entitlements that can get you more money either. The thieves want your per-

sonal information.

The VA isn't going to call to collect personal information from you or to update your file. They want it in writing. If somebody calls claiming to be from the VA, asking for your banking info so more money can be deposited into your account, it's a scam.

If you get a monthly benefit, be careful who you trust for financial advice. Thieves would love to get hold of that money with a "pension advance" scam.

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CryptoQuip

answer

A gutsy ghost went into a pub but was told to leave. They didn't serve spirits there.

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In the matter of:

Angel Marie Hensey, date of birth August 12, 2018,
Take notice: On March 26, 2020, an order terminating your parental rights to the child named above:

You have the right to

a: Request a rehearing in the circuit court on the termination of your parental rights. If you choose to request a rehearing you must do so by contacting this court within 21 days from the date of this publication notifying you of the order terminating your parental rights.

b. Appeal to the Court of Appeals the termination of your parental rights or the denial of your request to revoke release/consent of parental rights. If you wish to appeal this termination or denial, you must do so by filing a claim of appeal with the Court of Appeals of the State of Michigan within 21 days from the date of this notice of the order terminating your parental rights or the order denying revocation of release/consent.

c. Your obligation to support the child continues until a court of competent jurisdiction modifies or terminates the obligation, an order of adoption is entered, or the child is emancipated by operation of law.

In addition to the above rights, you have the right to control the release of identifying informa-

tion about yourself as follows:

a: You may file with the Central Adoption Registry of the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, at any time a form called "Parent's Consent/Denial to Release Information to Adult Adoptee." With this form (Copies available at all circuit courts or Michigan Department of Health and Human Services offices) you can consent to or deny the release of the following identifying information:

- Your name at the time of termination of your parental rights.
- Your most recent name and address, which is on file with the Central Adoption Registry.

You can use this form anytime you change your mind about consenting to or denying the release of identifying information.

b. You may keep your name and address current with the Central Adoption Registry by sending this information to the Registry in writing.
Note: If you do not file a "Parent's Consent/Denial to Release Information to Adult Adoptee" or if you revoke a previously filed denial, then the identifying information stated in item 4 will be released upon the request of each child after reaching the age of 18. If the other former parent has filed a denial of release of identifying information that has not been revoked, the identifying information about that parent will not be released.

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For registration instructions and link, go to: <https://bit.ly/SGveggies> or contact Cindy Anderson, MSU Extension Secretary at ande1172@msu.edu.

good for 90 days after they're issued; all permits expire December 31 regardless of issue date.

Check fuelwood maps to make sure the planned cutting area is open for fuelwood. Permits are for use on designated state forest land in the Upper Peninsula and the northern Lower Peninsula. Permits allow for collection of up to five standard cords of wood per household. Wood is for personal use only and cannot be resold or traded. Wood must be dead and down within 200 feet of a road. No off-road use of vehicles is permitted to gather wood.

Permits normally cost \$20 each; 2020 permits are free due to the effect of the COVID-19 virus on DNR staff availability. The DNR will assess the situation for 2021 after this fuelwood season has ended. Local DNR customer service centers and management unit offices are currently closed due to statewide measures against COVID-19. Staff is available by telephone.

For additional questions specifically regarding fuelwood permits, contact Doug Heym at (517) 284-5867.

Coverings

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cies that have been collecting and distributing homemade face coverings. Call the following organizations to donate face coverings or arrange a pick up time: Iosco Commission on Aging in Hale (989) 728-6484; and LOVE Inc. in Fairview (989) 848-2020.

For more information on face coverings, including when to wear and how to make, visit the "How to Protect Yourself" section of the CDC's COVID-19 website at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus.

Savvy Senior

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adultimmsched to help you determine what additional vaccines may be appropriate for you. You should also talk to your doctor during your next visit about which vaccinations you should get.

To locate a site that offers any of these vaccines, visit VaccineFinder.org and type in your location.

(Send your senior questions to: *Savvy Senior*, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, Okla. 73070, or visit SavvySenior.org.)

Brooklynn Pagels

Alcona High School
3.94 GPA ~ 4th in Class

Extra-curricular Activities:

- Volleyball - 9, 10, 11, 12
- National Honor Society- 10,11,12
- Northeast Michigan Youth Advisory Council - 11,12
- FFA- 9th grade
- Washington D.C. Close Up - 11



Her parents are Tonya and Josh Pagels of Spruce

Awards:

- Principal Honor Roll - 9,10,11,12
- Volleyball Team Academic All States - 2019
- Junior Varsity Team Captain - 10
- Varsity Team Captain - 12
- Volleyball North Star League Second Team All Conference Award- 2019
- Most improved player award - Varsity Volleyball 2018
- Most defensive player award - Varsity Volleyball 2019
- Tiger of the Year award - Varsity Volleyball 2019

Additional Accomplishments:

- Dual Enrollment with ACC -10,11,12
- Sprinkler Lake Teen Leader - 9
- 4-H Teen Leader for Alcona Elementary Volleyball Coaching - 10,11
- Alcona Middle School Volleyball Coach - 9,10,11,12
- Alpena Northern Storm Travel Volleyball Team - 11
- Fall Homecoming Queen - 12

Brooke plans to attend Alpena Community College to study pre-pharmacy while maintaining her job at Snyder's Lincoln Pharmacy. She plans to continue her education with goals of one day becoming a pharmacist.

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The Garden Bug Growing black pepper

These plants do best in fertile soil that retains a little moisture. Good drainage is always essential whether growing black pepper in a pot or in the ground. Look for a location with filtered sunlight; too much direct sunlight can damage this plant. Keep the soil slightly moist, and mist the plant often. - B. Weaver

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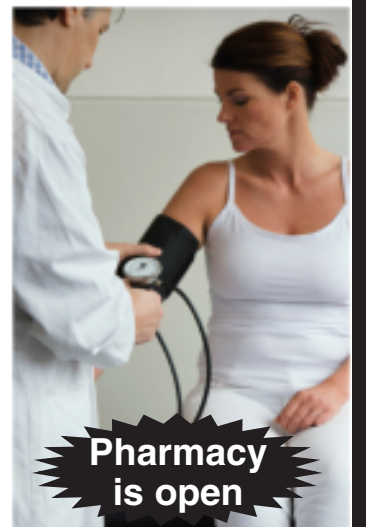
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