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Primary election has Republican contest for two county seats and many township millage requests

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

The state primary election will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 2 and there are just a few local positions that have more than one candidate of the same party vying for the seat.

All county commission positions are up for election for two-year terms. Two county districts have more than one candidate running. In the second district (City of Harrisville and Harrisville and Haynes townships) Republicans Craig Johnston and Rob-

ert J. Turek are on the ballot. In the fifth district (Curtis, Mikado, Millen, and Mitchell townships) Republicans John Terry Small and Gary G. Wnuk are asking to be elected.

The Alcona County Road Commission has one six-year term with one candidate on the primary ballot.

The City of Harrisville is also on the ballot with no contested seats for mayor, clerk, treasurer – two-year terms and three candidates for aldermen (four-year

terms) in ward one, two and three.

Alcona Township has a 0.5 mill fire millage renewal and a 0.5 mill road millage renewal.

Millen Township is asking for a 1.0 mill road millage renewal and a general operating fund increase millage of 0.5 mills.

Harrisville Township is asking for a 1.5 mill road millage.

Caledonia Township (1.0 mill), Curtis Township (2.0 mill), Hawes Township (1.0

mill) and Mikado Township (2.0 mills) each have road millage renewal requests on the ballot.

There are no contested races for the congressional (1st District) seat or the 36th District senator seat. However, the 106th state representative position has three Republicans – Geyer W. Balog of Hillman, Mich., Cam Cavitt of Cheboygan, Mich. and Larry Hull of Indian River, Mich. squaring off for the general election.

Republicans also have the

choice of 10 candidates for the governor seat – Donna Brandenburg of Byron Center, Mich., Michael Brown of Stevensville, Mich., James Craig of Detroit, Mich., Tudor M. Dixon of Lansing, Mich., Perry Johnson of Bloomfield Hills, Mich., Ryan D. Kelley of Allendale, Mich., Michael Jay Markey Jr. of Grand Haven, Mich., Ralph Rebandt of Farmington Hills, Mich., Keven Rinke of Bloomfield Hills, Mich. and Garrett Soldano of Mattawan, Mich.

Harbor improvements increase services for boaters

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

To some, the Harrisville Harbor of Refuge appears to be nothing but a sleepy little port doing business as usual. But to many boaters, it has become a breath of fresh air with renewed vitality offering a variety of services.

“It may look the same from the parking lot,” explained harbormaster Steve Alexander. “But inside and out, several improvements have been made catering to the needs of boaters.”

In all, the harbor commission has invested over \$50,000 to upgrade the building and has accepted some very gracious donations including a van, covered picnic tables and bicycles.

“There have been many changes. We had a slow start this year because of the weather and fuel prices, the number of vessels visiting the harbor has been down, but we’ve made a lot of upgrades to the facility,” Alexander said.

The upgrades include the shower area for boaters, dock upgrades, upgrades to a kiosk and general operations.

Alexander explained that because the facility is multi-funded by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR), Michigan Waterways, City of Harrisville, County of Alcona, and The Red Cross, there is a lot of redundancy built into it to accommodate each interest. For example, The Red Cross required floor heat and ca-



Harrisville Harbor crew (from left) Jessy Sheldon, Emily Zuchowski, Harbormaster Steve Alexander, Kaylee Wambold and Kim Gedeon with some of the bikes and trikes available to boaters at no charge. Photo by Mary Weber.

pable showers for people should there be a disaster.

He described how the two boilers in the building should take turns operating unless there is a high demand when they would both run.

“They haven’t flip-flopped back and forth for a while making one boiler do all the work. There was also a boiler mate which provides the hot water for the showers which was leaking. That was a \$5,000 piece of equipment that had to be replaced. The water softener hadn’t had salt put into it since 2012 which created a problem. We had to bring in a jackhammer to get the salt out that was still in

it.

“The equipment within the facility is very high-grade quality, but no piece of equipment will last forever especially if it is not maintained. There has been a lack of long-term maintenance at the facility and the (harbor) commission has recognized that. We had to bring things up to snuff both for compliance issues for equipment regulated by the state and stuff that we just needed to fix to make it a safe and healthy environment for boaters and visitors.

“We’ve also installed a new operating system and software to assist with accountability and a new (safety) cam-

era system which posts constant live-feed photos of the harbor and gets hundreds of hits each day on our new web page,” Alexander said.

The harbor commission also recognized it needed to form a stronger partnership with the people of Harrisville and Alcona County and has opened the building as a meeting room for local organizations to use.

They have also opened the docks for walk-on pier fishing -- providing the rules are followed such as not fishing where there is a vessel and yielding to incoming vessels.

Alexander explained by opening the docks for fishing

the DNR planted 10,000 nine-inch steelhead this summer and will be planting a good amount of Coho salmon in the fall.

“We didn’t publicize the steelhead planting because when the fish are first planted, they stay close to the harbor. Because of their size, they are legal catches when they are first put in, we wanted to make sure they would get a chance to grow more,” Alexander said.

According to Alexander some of the bigger sponsors and donators to the harbor have been from outside Alcona County. P & L Develop-

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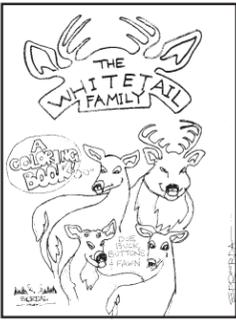
Gardens are bursting with color for the annual garden walk. See page 7.



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Obituaries

Bonnie L. DeNardo

Bonnie Lynne DeNardo, 80, of Grand Haven, Mich. died on Saturday, June 25, 2022, at Grand Pines Assisted Living.

She was born on May 27, 1942, in Saginaw, Mich. to Morley and Marilyn (Gagnier) Wallace. She graduated from Alcona High School.

On December 28, 1960, she married Ronald DeNardo.

After raising two boys in Chesterton, Ind., Bonnie and her husband, Ron, were hired to start a college prep school near La Porte, Ind. They worked there for six years.

After their time in La Porte, Ind., the couple was hired by VanKampen & Merritt, an investment banking firm in Chicago, Ill. They helped build a company that grew from 25 employees to 500 before their retirement after 20 some

years.

After retirement to Grand Haven, Mich., Mrs. DeNardo attended and was very involved in United Methodist Church of the Dunes, where she loved singing in the church choir.

She was a gourmet cook who loved being a housewife in later years. She enjoyed traveling with her friends to Europe and other countries and used her love of photography to capture her travels.

Mrs. DeNardo is survived by her husband, Ron; two sons, Warren (Jaelyn) DeNardo and Kevin (Iris) DeNardo, both of Yorkville, Ill.; two grandchildren, Nico DeNardo and Juliana DeNardo; and one brother, Warren (Randal Stewart) Wallace.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and one



brother-in-law, Barry DeNardo.

A memorial service was held Saturday, July 9.

Memorial contributions may be made to Love in Action, 326 N. Ferry Street, Grand Haven, Mich. 49417.

Marguerite A. Rhyne

Marguerite A. Rhyne, 94, of Grand Blanc, Mich., died on Saturday, July 9, 2022, at Wellbridge of Grand Blanc due to complications of COVID-19.

She was born in Flint, Mich. on July 25, 1927, to Joseph and Pauline (Ciminski) Ginter. She graduated from St. Matthew's High School in Flint, Mich.

She married William J. Rhyne Sr. in 1946 in Flint, Mich. She was a homemaker who raised four children. Later, she worked at the Flint Area Chamber of Commerce for 20 years and retired in 1989.

She resided at Hubbard Lake for 47 years and lived at Wellbridge of Grand Blanc for the last three years.

Mrs. Rhyne was actively involved in her church and community. She served as a member of the St. Pius X Altar Society. She was a volunteer at the Alpena Regional Medical Center, the Hubbard Lake Community Association, Hubbard Lake Sportsmans Association, and was a mem-

ber of the Hubbard Lake Red Hat Club for several years.

She enjoyed gardening, was an avid reader and frequently visited the Hubbard Lake Library. She loved being with her family at any family gathering, and was excited every time a grandchild came to visit.

Mrs. Rhyne is survived by two sons, Joseph Rhyne of Hubbard Lake and Timothy (Sandra) Rhyne of Swartz Creek, Mich.; six grandchildren, William J. Rhyne III of Swartz Creek, Mich., Monica (Edward) Klimek of Goodrich, Mich., David (Kristina) Kostka of Brighton, Mich., Harrison (Ashley) Kostka of Holly, Mich., Kathleen (Trevor) Rodgers of Burton, Mich., and Timothy Rhyne Jr. of Grand Rapids, Mich.; nine great-grandchildren; one sister-in-law, Virginia Rhyne of Brighton, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William J. Rhyne Sr.; one son, William J. Rhyne Jr.; one daughter, Patricia (Rhyne) Kostka; and



one brother, Henry Ginter.

A funeral Mass was celebrated Monday, July 18 at St. Pius X Catholic Church, in Flint, Mich. The Rev. Fr. Anthony Strouse was celebrant.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Hubbard Lake Library Building Fund (make checks payable to Community Foundation of Northeast Michigan) and mail to the Hubbard Lake Community Association, P.O. Box 55, Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747.

Let us know what is happening

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**Please, include a contact name & telephone number
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Calendar of Events



WEDNESDAY, JULY 20

Visitors to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will enjoy a free hands-on animal experience by A.R.K. Animal Encounters at 1 p.m. A second free event will be at 3 p.m. at the Lincoln branch. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

A Pop-Up Pantry food give away will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. (or until supplies are gone) at the Food Bank of Lincoln (Senior Center), 51 N. Barlow Road, Lincoln.

The Harrisville Summer Concert Series features The Oxymorons Band — friends that have played music together for years. They emphasize fun interaction with the crowd while performing a wide variety of Classic and Folk Rock songs from the 1960s and 1970s rounded out with songs from all eras. Band members include Mark Geovjian, lead guitar, vocals and bass; Jim Frontier, 12-string, vocals and bass; Keith Nelson, drums; and Jeff Schroeder, guitar, vocals and bass. The concert begins at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor. Seating is on the lawn. Donations welcome. Sponsored by the City of Harrisville.

THURSDAY, JULY 21

Veterans are invited to join fellow comrades for coffee and fellowship from 9 to 11 a.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Harrisville. For additional details, call (989) 724-9581.

The Community Walking Club for Everyone will meet in the parking lot of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 9 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

TOPS 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado with weigh-in at 9 a.m. and meeting at 9:15 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Site is handicap accessible. For details, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

Youth ages six to 12 can become a junior forest ranger

with the U.S. Forest Service following a 1 p.m. program at Lumberman's Monument. They can earn their badge and help Smokey Bear prevent wildfires. This is a free program, but registration is required as space is limited. Donations are accepted. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Programs are subject to change. For registration and more details, call the Lumberman's Monument Visitors Center at (989) 362-8961. Lumberman's Monument is located in Iosco County at the junction of Monument and River roads.

A collage workshop for teenagers and adults will be held from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 to register for this free activity and for more details.

FRIDAY, JULY 22

Storytime and a craft activity for children will be held at 10:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Woodcarving with Friends will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 4 p.m. Woodcarvers ages 16 and up are welcome. Participants should bring their own knives and wood project. For more information, call Mary Denning at (810) 263-7571.

CrossRoads Recovery, a faith-based addiction program, will meet at 7 p.m. at Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 S. State Street, Greenbush. For more information, contact Pastor Caincross at (989) 569-1298.

Mike Ward, Beverly Meyer and Sigrid Christiansen take the stage for the Harbor Nights Concert Series. Ward produces lyric-driven, simple folk songs. Meyer draws from a 30-year career in music. Her songs are insightful reflections of everyday experiences. She well known in children's music circles as the Music Lady to Michigan's children. Christiansen sings about tornadoes and tigers, family and

foxes, heart and home with a smile that lights a room. Sponsored by Inspiration Alcona, the free concert runs from 7 to 9 p.m. on the lawn at Harbor Park above Harrisville harbor. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket. If the weather is bad, Harbor Nights will move to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main Street, Harrisville.

SUNDAY, JULY 24

Meet new friends and enjoy coffee and fellowship at the former Old Place Inn, 309 E. Main Street, Harrisville at 10:30 a.m. "Believers in Christ" defines the purpose of organizers who believe the Bible is true and Jesus is our savior.

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Sandy Lavigne

There will be a memorial service for Sandy Lavigne on Saturday, Aug. 13 at 11 a.m. at First Congregational Church 201 S. Second Street, Alpena. A luncheon will follow.

Mrs. Lavigne died on June 21, 2022.

NOTICE:

The Harrisville Township Planning Commission will hold a meeting on August 3, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall to conduct a final site plan review submitted by Springport Development LLC. The site plan in question is to construct a recreational vehicle park/campground on parcel 060-023-200-020-00 at 5184 Springport Road. This 59.22 Acre parcel is zoned C-1 (Recreational/Resort Commercial). The public is welcome to attend. Written comments can be sent to the Harrisville Township Zoning Administrator, Tony Atkinson, 4120 E Dellar Road, Harrisville, MI 48740

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All entries must be pre-registered.
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M-72 Road Resurfacing

A road resurfacing project has begun on M-72 by the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT). The project will include crack sealing and chip seal on seven miles of M-72 from east of Crooked Lake Road to M-65, and from M-65 to O'Donnell Road in Alcona County. The project started on Monday and is estimated to end on Friday, Sept. 9. Drivers should expect daytime lane closures and traffic regulators.

Class of 1963 Reunion

The Class of 1963 will gather at The Mountain Bar and Grill in Black River on Saturday, Aug. 6 at 4 p.m. for a social time and dinner. Classmates and others interested are welcome to attend.

For more information and to RSVP, contact Carolyn at (810) 348-0653 or Harold at (810) 624-0752.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at noon Monday through Thursday at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, Lincoln.

- Monday, July 25: Kielbasa with sauerkraut, potato salad, broccoli and dip, pineapple.
- Tuesday, July 26: Mac and cheese with ham, winter blend vegetables, fresh melon.
- Wednesday, July 27: Chicken bacon ranch pizza, tossed salad, pears.
- Thursday, July 28: Baked spaghetti, peas and carrots, peaches.

Reservations are required by 10 a.m. each day by calling (989) 334-3470. Takeout meals can be reserved at the same number by calling no later than 10 a.m. No membership is required. A donation of \$6 for folks under 60 and \$3 for those over 60 is welcome.

Art Collage

Adults and youth ages 13 and up are invited to a collage workshop with Alpena artist Ellen LaCross on Thursday, July 21, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Attendees will create a collage suitable for framing with paper, fabric, yarn, paint, and more. All materials are provided at no charge. This program is supported by a grant from the Michigan Arts and Cultural Council (MACC) and Art in the Loft. To register or for more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Painting Pottery Project

The Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will welcome Painterly Pottery from Bay City, Mich. to host a pottery workshop on Thursday, July 27 at 1:30 p.m. Youth ages 10-18 will paint a preselected art project all supplies are included. Registration is required for this free event and is limited to 25 participants: call (989) 724-6796. The Michigan Arts and Cultural Council and Art in the Loft supports this activity.

Frog Day Activities

The Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library will be jumping on Friday, July 29, at 10:30 a.m. during the annual Frog Day storytime and craft project. Children of all ages are invited to hear a froggy story, make a froggy craft, and eat froggy treats. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Giving Back

Through the hard work and dedication of its employees and the generosity of its membership, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union (AAACU), Lincoln branch raised \$515.74 in monetary donations for Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA). In addition to member donations, team members held raffles and donated \$2 per employee dress down on Fridays to help raise money.

The ACCOA, founded in 1973, works to promote independence, well-being, and dignity of the aging population in Alcona County. Funds from the credit union's donation will be used for ACCOA's home delivery meal program. This program helps ensure seniors are receiving nutritional meals and helps seniors live independently longer.

Free Online Seminars

- Thursday, July 28: 9 to 10:30 a.m. Mindfully Feeding Infants and Toddlers. During this workshop, participants will explore research on parenting styles, mindfulness and temperament and learn how those factors can lead to responsive feeding of infants and toddlers. This is a live Zoom class and will not be recorded. Registration deadline is Wednesday, July 27 by noon. To register, contact Georgina Guzman at perrygeo@msu.edu.
- Monday, Aug. 1: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Laughter is the Best Medicine. Laughter is the Best Medicine explores the social, emotional, mental, and physical benefits of laughter. Less stress with mindfulness teaches and encourages the use of mindful-

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NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION
Tuesday, August 2, 2022

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF ALCONA COUNTY, STATE OF MICHIGAN:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on Tuesday, **AUGUST 2, 2022**. the polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the following polling locations.

Alcona Township	Township Hall, 5576 N. US-23, Black River
Caledonia Township	Township Hall, 6461 Gillard Road, Spruce
Curtis Township	Fire Hall, 5019 Bamfield Road, Glennie
Greenbush Township	Township Hall, 5039 E. Campbell Street, Greenbush
Gustin Township	Township Hall, 113 S. 2 nd Street, Lincoln
Harrisville Township	Township Hall 114 S. Poor Farm Road, Harrisville
Hawes Township	VFW Hall, 2120 W. Trask Lake Road, Barton City
Haynes Township	Township Hall, 3930 E. McNeil Road, Lincoln
Mikado Township	Township Hall, 2291 S. F-41, Mikado
Millen Township	Township Office, 671 Sanborn Road, Barton City
Mitchell Township	Township Hall, 6849 W. Tower Road, Curran
City of Harrisville	City Office, 200 N. 5 th Street, Harrisville

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Alcona County residents will be nominating or electing candidates for the following offices and to vote on the following proposals:

- State:** Governor
Congressional: Representative in Congress-1st District
Legislative: State Senator-36th District and State Representative-106th District
County: Commissioner Districts 1-5 and Road Commissioner
Township: Clerk, Trustee and Precinct Delegates
City: Mayor, Clerk, Treasurer, Alderman—Wards 1, 2 and 3 and Precinct Delegates
School Proposals: Fairview Area Schools Sinking Fund Millage

- Township Proposals:**
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| Alcona Township: | Road Millage Renewal and Fire Millage Renewal |
| Caledonia Township: | Road Millage Renewal |
| Curtis Township: | Road Millage Renewal |
| Harrisville Township: | Road Millage |
| Hawes Township: | Road Millage Renewal |
| Mikado Township: | Road Millage Renewal |
| Millen Township: | Road Millage Renewal and General Operating Fund Increase Millage |

Full text of the ballot proposals and sample ballots may be obtained from the County, City or Township Clerk. Sample ballots may also be found at www.mi.gov/vote.

Registered electors may apply for an absentee ballot with the City or Township Clerk where they are registered to vote.

All polling locations are accessible for voters with disabilities and voting instructions are available in alternative formats of audio and Braille. Arrangements for obtaining instructions for these alternative formats can be made by contacting the City or Township Clerk in advance of the election.

Stephany Eller, Alcona County Clerk



(From left) Charlene Miller, Shelby Fohl and Cheryl Kelly with the donation to ACCOA. Courtesy photo.

Is skin cancer hereditary?

Dear Savvy Senior,
Is skin cancer hereditary? My 63-year-old brother died of melanoma last year, and I'm wondering if I'm at higher risk.

Younger Sister



Savvy Senior

Dear Younger,
While long-term sun exposure and sunburns are the biggest risk factors for melanoma – the deadliest form of skin cancer – having a sibling or parent with melanoma does indeed increase your risk, according to the Skin Cancer Foundation.

Each year, around 100,000 Americans are diagnosed with melanoma, and about 7,500 people will die from it. While anyone can get it, those most often diagnosed are Caucasians, age 50 and older. And those with the highest risk are people with red or blond hair, blue or green eyes, fair skin, freckles, moles, a family history of skin cancer and those who had blistering sunburns in their youth.

Skin Exams

The best way you can guard against melanoma and other skin cancers (basal and squamous cell carcinomas) is to protect yourself from the sun, and if you're over age 50, get a full-body skin exam done by a dermatologist every year, especially if you're high risk.

Self-examinations done every month or so is also a smart way to detect early problems. Using mirrors, check the front and backside of your entire body, including the tops and undersides of

your arms and hands, between your toes and the soles of your feet, your neck, scalp and buttocks.

Be on the lookout for new growths, moles that have changed, or sores that don't heal, and follow the ABCDE rule when examining suspicious moles.

- **Asymmetry:** One half of a mole doesn't match the other.
- **Border:** The border is blurred or ragged.
- **Color:** The mole has uneven colors, often shades of brown, tan or black, with patches of pink, red, white or blue.
- **Diameter:** The lesion is new or at least a quarter inch in diameter.
- **Evolving:** The mole is changing in size, shape or color.

For more self-examination tips and actual pictures of what to look for, see Spot-SkinCancer.org or use a skin cancer detection app like Miiskin.com, MoleMapper.org or SkinVision.com.

In the spring and summer, there are also a variety of places that offer free skin cancer screenings, like the American Academy of Dermatology (spotskincancer.org) and the American Society for Dermatologic Surgery (asds.net/skincancerscreening.aspx), which offer screenings done by volunteer dermatologists across the U.S.

Sun Protection

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Re-elect

John (Terry) Small

District 5 County Commissioner

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ment in Oscoda was instrumental in creating the license plate advertisements on all the new sponsored bicycles and trikes with baskets that boaters can use free of charge to bike to nearby businesses.

The courtesy van was donated by Randy's Towing of Tawas. "That was a \$20,000 donation from a partner that isn't even in our county. The van gets used a lot, we take boaters free of charge as far north as the lighthouse or as far south as the Bobcat Golf Course in Greenbush," Alexander said.

He also mentioned four boating families who donated \$1,500 each for memorial high-end picnic tables with umbrellas for the dock deck and a gentleman from Oscoda who used to own a bike repair shop who donated his time to fix up seven or eight older bikes to make them safe.

The harbor offers as much as it can to boaters while they are in the harbor, including fresh herbs grown in old shrouds that can no longer be used that are placed around the harbor building.

The harbor also offers boaters a shipping destination for purchases they may need to retrieve while boating.

Alexander explained the \$2,000 worth of upgrades to the kiosk were greatly needed and boat visitors, as well as state park and local pedestrian traffic, are taking the time now to look at the materials posted there including advertisements for local businesses and community events.

"We don't have favorites here; we give our boaters choices on what is available. We would like more support from local businesses. It costs \$75 to advertise in our kiosk which can advertise their QR codes, menus or any other information they want to share.

"We are excited about the direction the harbor is going. As the harbor goes, there will go the city, as the city goes, there will go the harbor. If the city doesn't rebound, it will affect the boaters, if the boaters don't come it will affect the businesses.

"It will probably take another year of upgrades, but we have been getting very good reviews from the boaters who come through here. Every day I get six or seven calls from boaters saying they appreciated their time spent here, how clean the facility is, how they were treated kindly and the great services we offered them.

"Of course, the kindness they receive is mostly from the great staff we have working the docks which are mostly teenagers. They are the ambassadors for the whole area and are doing a fantastic job at it. How we treat people is a direct reflection of the whole community," Alexander said.

He said fishing around the Alcona County area will never resume to what it used to be, but other ventures are being explored including an entrepreneur who is hoping to bring in a large sailing vessel and offer evening wine cruises.

Other donors who wish to remain anonymous, are working with Alcona Community Schools' marketing classes to come up with an operational plan for a student-run food truck business to be stationed near the harbor during music and other summer community events.

For more information on the harbor visit the website at harrisvilleharbor.com or call the harbor master office at (989) 724-5712.

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history, there are some proven strategies that can help you protect yourself.

For starters, when you go outside put-on broad-spectrum SPF 30, water-resistant sunscreen on both sunny and cloudy days. If you don't like the rub-on lotions, try the continuous spray-on sunscreens which are easier to apply and reapply and less messy. Also, seek the shade when rays are most intense - between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

You can also protect your skin by wearing a wide-brimmed hat, and long sleeves and pants when possible. The best clothing options are tightly woven fabrics that help prevent the sun's rays from reaching your skin, or you can wash in an invisible shield sun protection into your clothes with SunGuard laundry additive (see sunguard-uv.com). You

can even buy a variety of lightweight clothing and hats that offer maximum UV protection in their fabric. Coolibar.com and SunPrecautions.com are two good sites that offer these products.

Treatments

If caught early, melanoma is nearly 100 percent curable. But if it's not, the cancer can advance and spread to other parts of the body where it becomes hard to treat and can be fatal. Standard early treatment for melanoma is surgical removal. In advanced cases, however, immunotherapies and targeted therapies have shown positive results, or chemotherapy and radiation may be used.

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

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A spaghetti dinner fundraiser will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Mikado American Legion, 2205 Alger Street, Mikado. All proceeds will go toward breast cancer awareness. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 10. Call Meg Younk at (989) 335-5247 or the legion at (989) 736-9526, for details.

MONDAY, JULY 25

Youth ages 13 and up are invited to watch an "ocean" themed movie with munchies at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. This event is free. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

TUESDAY, JULY 26

Euchre is played at the Lincoln Senior Center, lower level, 207 Church Street, Lincoln from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. All seniors are welcome.

Learn about the vampires swimming in the Great Lakes in the "Sea Lampreys Great Lakes Invader" program at Lumberman's Monument. Live sea lampreys are part of the 1 p.m. This is a free program. Donations are accepted. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Programs are subject to change. For additional information, call the Lumberman's Monument Visitors Center at (989) 362-8961. Lumberman's Monument is located in Iosco County at the junction of Monument and River roads.

Believers in Christ Fellowship invite residents and visitors to join in the study of "The Holy Spirit and His Gifts," by Kenneth E. Hagin. Workbooks will be furnished. Attendees are asked to bring a Bible to the 6 p.m. gathering at the former Old Place Inn, 309 E. Main Street, Harrisville. For more information, call Ruth Merrick at (989) 736-1004.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

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

A pottery workshop for youth ages 10 to 18 will be held at 1:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Call (989) 724-6796 to register for this free activity and for more details.

The Alcona County Library Board will meet at the Harrisville branch at 4 p.m.

The Harrisville Summer Concert Series features the

Jon Archambault Band which plays music to make souls sing and bodies move. Blues is the main influence of the group; however, this is not a traditional Blues band. The group combines the passion of blues with the energy of Rock, the storytelling of Country, and the improvisation of Jazz. Band members are Matt Marsh, vocals and bass guitar; Matt Prorok, keyboards and vocals; Larry Hammond, drums and vocals; and Jon Archambault on guitar and vocals. The concert begins at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor. Seating is on the lawn. Bring chairs or blankets. Donations welcome. Sponsored by the City of Harrisville.

THURSDAY, JULY 28

The Community Walking Club for Everyone will meet in the parking lot of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 9 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for more info.

TOPS 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado with weigh-in at 9 a.m. and meeting at 9:15 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Site is handicap accessible. For details, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

A free family movie matinee will be shown at 2 p.m. A newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn is on tap. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

FRIDAY, JULY 29

A "Frog Day" storytime and craft activity for children will be held at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 10:30 a.m. Youngsters will enjoy free froggy crafts, froggy stories and froggy treats. For details, call (989) 724-6796.

Woodcarving with Friends will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 4 p.m. Woodcarvers ages 16 and up are welcome. Participants should bring their own knives and wood project. For more information, call Mary Denning at (810) 263-7571.

Michael McNevin takes the stage for the Harbor Nights Concert Series. McNevin's

songs read like short stories — full of heart, humor, and a keen eye for detail. Sponsored by Inspiration Alcona, the free concert runs from 7 to 9 p.m. on the lawn at Harbor Park above Harrisville harbor. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket. If the weather is bad, Harbor Nights will move to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main Street, Harrisville.

CrossRoads Recovery, a faith-based addiction program, will meet at 7 p.m. at Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 S. State Street, Greenbush. For more information, contact Pastor Caincross at (989) 569-1298.



Buggy Rides



Bolton, Baird sentenced eighteen months each

July 20, 1922 ~ Stanley Bolton and Thomas Baird, the two young men of Hawes township who were convicted at the June term of court of conspiracy to violate the prohibition law, were sentenced Thursday to not less than 18 months no more than two years each in the Ionia Reformatory.

Sheriff Freer, accompanied by Judge Burt, took

the prisoners to Ionia by automobile.

In pronouncing sentence on Bolton Judge Widdis used strong language.

He said: Well respondent, I wish to say to you that in the opinion of the Court you are guilty of this charge, and that in the matter of your defense you made a bad matter much worse by your wholesale perjury.

Antique shop comes to Harrisville

July 16, 1997 ~ By Cheryl Peterson

An older, dilapidated building south of Harrisville on US-23 has been renovated and turned into an antique shop.

Kenneth Roy Antiques, owned by Ken Bertschinger, opened its doors about one month ago. The shop is located one and a half miles south of the light in Harrisville between Northeastern Radio Engineers and the Country Cone Shoppe.

Bertschinger is a 1978 graduate of Alcona High School. He moved to the Detroit area in 1982 and owned a landscaping business for eight years. About five years ago he started slowly getting into the antique business. On weekends he traveled all over the state to participate in antique shows similar to the one held in Harrisville last weekend.

His interest grew until he decided to open a seasonal antique shop. Alcona County seemed the most logical place since he has a home in the

area. Bertschinger decided on Harrisville because of the amount of traffic and because the price was right.

Bertschinger purchased what was formerly John's Collision and spent several months working on the building. "I did more than half of the work myself," Bertschinger said. Dan Gross, a carpenter, helped me with the heavy stuff. There's still a lot to do, but I've made some strides."

Kenneth Roy Antiques has a little bit of everything including fishing and hunting equipment, toys, sterling, leaded glass windows and Victorian furniture. Bertschinger said he is also always looking to purchase good, quality antique items. "Either single items or from an entire estate," he said.

Kenneth Roy Antiques is open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays by appointment or by chance; Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday noon to 4 p.m. The telephone number is 736-3211.

You have lied from start to finish. Never in all my experience did I hear as much perjury as I heard during the presentation of your defense in this case. Furthermore, I think your defense was most cowardly because to assist you, in the opinion of the Court, you have enlisted the services of relatives and friends who, in the opinion of the Court, perjured themselves almost without limit. I think you are a rascal and a doubled-eyed villain, and I think your place is in a penal institution. Had you come into court and admitted the truth you would have acted more wisely than you have. Out of a comparatively simple matter you have made a very serious matter. You have caused the county to spend four or five hundred dollars, and as before stated, committed perjury yourself and evidently induced relatives and friends to commit perjury in an effort to save you.

No one is to blame in this matter, as far as the Court can see, except you, insofar as your defense is concerned.

The prosecuting officers of this county are bound by oath to prosecute those who violate the law. They are expected to do it; are required to do it; and are subject to removal if they do not do it.

The language of the court in passing sentence on Baird was equally severe. The respondent was given an opportunity to admit his guilt but maintained his innocence until the last.

By the Court: "I have in my hand a letter from the Department of Justice dated Boston, Mass., July 10, 1922,

relative to that money order sent by Bolton for the distilling outfit and attached to it a memorandum showing that Bolton purchased the order for \$30.50 and that he sent it to the Standard Metal Works of Boston just as charged by the prosecution. Now I want to ask you again, respondent, are you guilty as charged or not? Did you conspire to violate the prohibition law as charged by the people, or not?

Defendant: I did not.

By the Court: Well, Respondent feel sorry for you. I have given you two opportunities to tell the truth. I was satisfied during the trial that you are a consummate liar and a coward, and I think that your sojourn in jail has not helped you any. I was in hopes that you would tell the truth this morning for your own good, but it seems that you lack the moral courage to tell the truth and good sense also."

After pronouncing the sentence, the judge then said: "You still insist that you did not conspire and confederate to make intoxicating liquor?"

Defendant: Yes sir.

The Court: Now respondent for your own good I want you to tell the truth. Now remember this is for your own good and I want you to tell the truth. Now Bolton isn't here. Now make this the time for you to tell the truth.

Defendant: Yes sir.

The Court: Now, do you insist that you did not conspire to violate the liquor law?

Defendant: Yes sir, I do.

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Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is a female fox called?
2. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** How many stars were in the first American flag?
3. **HISTORY:** About how many slaves in the United States were free by the end of the Civil War?
4. **TELEVISION:** What was the name of the planet that Mork called home on "Mork & Mindy"?
5. **U.S. PRESIDENTS:** Which president was born on July 4?
6. **U.S. STATES:** How many major islands make up the state of Hawaii?
7. **MOVIES:** Which is the first non-English movie to win Best Picture at the Oscars?
8. **GEOGRAPHY:** Which is the largest continent in size?
9. **LITERATURE:** Which 19th-century novel's subtitle is "The Modern Prometheus"?
10. **FOOD & DRINK:** What is nori?

Answers: 1. Vixen; 2. 13, one for each colony; 3. 4 million; 4. Ork; 5. Calvin Coolidge; 6. Eight major islands and many small islets; 7. "Parasite," 2020; 8. Asia; 9. "Frankenstein"; 10. Dried, edible seaweed

Super Crossword

SIX-T EIGHT

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Big name in small planes</p> <p>7 Passage leading to an aural drum</p> <p>15 Sign into law</p> <p>20 Despicable</p> <p>21 Cessation</p> <p>22 Six-Day War leader Dayan</p> <p>23 Starting something over, figuratively</p> <p>26 Bottom line</p> <p>27 "You — My Sunshine"</p> <p>28 U.S. intel org.</p> <p>29 See 106-Across</p> <p>30 Question the Devil asks in a Kipling poem</p> <p>39 Patrick of "A Clockwork Orange"</p> <p>41 Leave high and dry</p> <p>42 — pot (sinus-cleaning device)</p> <p>43 Wolfs down</p> <p>46 — wheel (fair ride)</p> <p>48 Final resting places</p> <p>52 Cause heads to turn</p> <p>56 Yule tune</p> | <p>57 Wheel center</p> <p>58 Turn rancid</p> <p>60 Norma — (film heroine)</p> <p>61 Nickname for Connecticut</p> <p>71 River to the Rhone</p> <p>72 Senseless</p> <p>73 Drop by</p> <p>74 Recent times</p> <p>81 Wheaton of "Stand by Me"</p> <p>82 Singer Bareilles</p> <p>83 G.P. or vet</p> <p>84 War god</p> <p>86 Giving a rigorous tryout</p> <p>97 Play a ukulele, e.g.</p> <p>99 Boastful talk in a Kipling poem</p> <p>101 Huge, informally</p> <p>104 Chucked</p> <p>106 With 29-Across, neo-soul singer with four Grammys</p> <p>107 What's accurate about a situation</p> <p>113 City NNE of Lake Tahoe</p> <p>114 — -Z</p> | <p>115 Courtroom promise</p> <p>116 On top of, to poets</p> <p>119 It closed all 130+ of its U.S. campuses in 2016</p> <p>128 Wall work</p> <p>129 1973-99 Lima-based carrier</p> <p>130 "The Wizard of Menlo Park"</p> <p>131 Conjuring aid</p> <p>132 Encroach on another's land</p> <p>133 Novelist du Maurier</p> <p>DOWN</p> <p>1 Red Scare attorney Roy</p> <p>2 Falco of TV</p> <p>3 Wait patiently</p> <p>4 Mayberry's Otis, for one</p> <p>5 "Rapa —" (1994 film)</p> <p>6 Something really easy</p> <p>7 Prize greatly</p> <p>8 Part of NCAA: Abbr.</p> <p>9 — v. Wade</p> <p>10 Revival skill, for short</p> <p>11 Big simian</p> | <p>12 "Stillmatic" rapper</p> <p>13 Narc, e.g.</p> <p>14 Gives access</p> <p>15 Outback bird</p> <p>16 Symbol for written music</p> <p>17 "Ad — per aspera" (Kansas' motto)</p> <p>18 Mass singers</p> <p>19 Principle</p> <p>24 Mutt's sound</p> <p>25 Despicable</p> <p>31 Bit of crying</p> <p>32 Ward of TV</p> <p>33 Wilson's predecessor</p> <p>34 Weight allowance, once</p> <p>35 Yesteryear</p> <p>36 Brought into the world</p> <p>37 Troop group</p> <p>38 "The Addams Family" cousin</p> <p>39 Actress Kirshner</p> <p>40 Home pest</p> <p>44 Cavern effect</p> <p>45 Daze</p> <p>47 Spanish ayes</p> <p>49 Swamp</p> <p>50 "Get lost!"</p> <p>51 Precip-ice?</p> <p>53 "Six-pack"</p> <p>54 Texter's hugs</p> <p>55 Cloister sister</p> | <p>59 "Please reply," in brief</p> <p>61 Jeans go-with, often</p> <p>62 Dog following its owner closely</p> <p>63 Suffix with south</p> <p>64 Co. VIPs</p> <p>65 Uncle, in Argentina</p> <p>66 Pol. middle-of-the-roader</p> <p>67 — chi</p> <p>68 Little — (kids)</p> <p>69 Vietnamese New Year</p> <p>70 Actress Carrere</p> <p>71 "— a Very Good Year"</p> <p>75 Spy's device</p> <p>76 Capote, to his friends</p> <p>77 Courtroom promise</p> <p>78 Big whoop</p> <p>79 Chris of "Sex and the City"</p> <p>80 "Ac-Cent- — -Ate the Positive"</p> <p>85 Bottom line</p> <p>87 Dog with Dorothy</p> <p>88 "What business is — yours?"</p> <p>89 Magazine mogul Condé</p> | <p>90 Lillian of film</p> <p>91 Grove growth</p> <p>92 Give forth</p> <p>93 Pitchfork part</p> <p>94 Cincinnati Reds player in the Baseball Hall of Fame</p> <p>95 "... or — gather"</p> <p>96 Song syllable</p> <p>98 Sea, to Yves</p> <p>102 Avocado dip, informally</p> <p>103 To boot</p> <p>105 Barely passing grade</p> <p>107 Prunes</p> <p>108 In a snit</p> <p>109 — nous</p> <p>110 Sharpener of skills</p> <p>111 Many mag pages</p> <p>112 Schleppe</p> <p>117 School on the Thames</p> <p>118 Thinker Descartes</p> <p>120 Kay-em link</p> <p>121 Wrath</p> <p>122 Bus. firms</p> <p>123 Extra for an iDevice</p> <p>124 Grassy area</p> <p>125 Taxing org.</p> <p>126 Ore- —</p> <p>127 Advice tidbit</p> |
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Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On July 24, 1567, during her imprisonment at Lochleven Castle in Scotland, Mary Queen of Scots is forced to abdicate in favor of her 1-year-old son, later crowned King James VI of Scotland. In 1542, while just 6 days old, Mary had ascended to the Scottish throne upon the death of her father, King James V.
 - On July 21, 1899, Ernest Miller Hemingway, author of such novels as "For Whom the Bell Tolls" and "The Old Man and the Sea," is born in Oak Park, Illinois. The influential American literary icon became known for his straightforward prose and use of understatement.
 - On July 23, 1918, Della Sorenson kills the first of her seven victims in Nebraska. Over the next seven years, friends, relatives and acquaintances of Sorenson died under mysterious circumstances. In 1925, Sorenson was arrested when she made an unsuccessful attempt at killing two children with poisoned cookies.
 - On July 18, 1925, Volume One of Adolf Hitler's philosophical autobiography "Mein Kampf" is published. It was a blueprint of his agenda for a Third Reich and a clear exposition of the nightmare that would envelope Europe from 1939 to 1945.
 - On July 19, 1956, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles announces that the United States is withdrawing its offer of financial aid to Egypt to help with the construction of the Aswan Dam on the Nile River. The Soviets rushed to Egypt's aid, and the Aswan Dam was officially opened in 1964.
 - On July 20, 1969, American astronaut Neil Armstrong, 240,000 miles from Earth, speaks these words to more than a billion people listening at home: "That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." Stepping off the lunar landing module Eagle, Armstrong became the first human to walk on the surface of the moon.
 - On July 22, 2005, "March of the Penguins," a French-made documentary about emperor penguins in Antarctica, opens in theaters across the U.S. The film went on to win numerous awards, including an Oscar, and became one of the highest-grossing documentaries in movie history.
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Strange But True

By Lucie Winborne

- In 1992, the president of Sri Lanka changed the spelling of the first English syllable of his country's name from iSrii to iShrii in the belief that it would improve the nation's fortunes. Unfortunately, he failed to reap any possible benefit, as he was assassinated the following year (and the spelling was reverted).
 - Possums don't actually play dead. They merely pass out from fear of their predators.
 - The name icoconuti comes from 16th-century Portuguese sailors. It is believed that the three holes on the fruit resembled a face, so it was honored with the word icoco, meaning igrini or igrinning face. The inuti part was added later.
 - Ketchup leaves the bottle at a rate of 25 miles per year.
 - When a U.K. autoshop mechanic saw the Google Street View car heading in his direction, he thought it would be fun to stage a murder scene. Police paid his shop a visit a year later after the image finally appeared on Street View.
 - The Argentine Football Association published a cultural manual ahead of the 2018 World Cup that included a section on how to seduce Russian women.
 - As a child, Mark Twain nearly drowned nine times before he learned to swim.
 - Looking to speed up your decision-making capacity? Try an action video game! Players tend to develop a heightened sensitivity to their surroundings, which in turn aids them with multitasking and activities such as driving, navigating around town and even keeping track of friends in a crowd.
 - In Tokyo, you can buy a toupee for your dog.
 - Charmin once hosted a contest for toilet paper wedding dresses. The winner received a cash prize of \$2,000.
- ***
- Thought for the day: "Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn." -- Benjamin Franklin
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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: X equals T

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CITY OF HARRISVILLE MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on July 11 at the city office. The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by mayor Gehring and the "Pledge of Allegiance" was said. Present: Mayor Gehring; treasurer Luenberger; clerk Pierce; council members, Schwanz, Bauermeister, Kaiser, Mason, Bean, and Peterson; attorney Cook and guests. Motion by Mason, support by Kaiser, to approve the minutes of June 13. Motion carried: 6-0.

Motion by Schwanz, support by Bauermeister, to pay the bills in the amount of \$43,486.79. Motion carried: 6-0. In correspondence, mayor Gehring received a thank you from Liz McNichols, owner of the Hollyhock building, expressing gratitude for the removal of the trees next to the building. A letter from Lenny Avery of the Alcona County Commission on Aging regarding the "Lincoln Community Hub Project, and a letter from Kathleen Asheton requesting permission to be coordinator of the Kid's Parade for 2023. K. Ashton asked for council approval to coordinate the Kid's Parade for 2023.

Motion by Schwanz, support by Mason, to approve K. Ashton as Kid's Parade coordinator for 2023. Motion carried: 6-0. Mayor Gehring also asked council to consider donating funds to the fireworks fund for next year. Discussion. Motion by Bauermeister, support by Mason, for city to contract with the fireworks fund for 2023, and to donate \$1,000 to the fireworks fund for 2023, contingent upon auditor's approval. Motion carried: 6-0.

Comments received about Fourth of July weekend were all positive and everyone appreciates all the hard work the volunteers put forth to make a very successful celebration. The fireworks were spectacular! Clerk Pierce reported that Absent Voter applications are available at the city office. To request an application for an Absent Voter Ballot, please call the office at (989) 724-6666 for information for receiving an Absent Voter Ballot for the August 2, 2022 state and local primary election. In person voting will begin on Tuesday, August 2 at 7 a.m. through 8 p.m. of that date at the city office. The Summer Concert Series at the harbor has begun on Wednesday evenings through August 3 beginning at 7 p.m.

Treasurer Luenberger presented the general and water sewer quarterly budgets for review. The playground reimbursement is still outstanding from the state. Motion by Mason, support by Kaiser, to accept general and water sewer quarterly budget adjustments as presented. Motion carried: 6-0.

The harbor commission has received much positive feedback from visitors to the marina. Kudos from the city to the harbormaster and

crew for a job well done.

Planning commission ex-officio J. Schwanz reported the commission will meet on Wednesday, July 13 at 6:30 p.m. to continue work on a blight ordinance and other issues before the commission.

Fire department reported fire volunteers will help erect the safety fencing around the tent erected for the wine and food festival this week.

County commissioner Thompson reported the Alcona County Commission on Aging has requested to raise milage rates for the construction of a senior residence building planned for in Lincoln. The county commission also adopted a color-coded warning sign for potential flooding issues. Gustin Township has adopted an ordinance to allow wind turbines within its boundaries.

Comment cards: N. McKenzie's concern about the pile of railroad ties by the tracks off Washington Street was addressed by Mayor Gehring who has been in contact with Lake State Railroad and the issue is being taken care of. Also questioned the area at end of Dock Street for public access and swimming.

R. Bean shared her interest in naming the new children's playground in honor of Becky Stoddard who helped launch the fund raising from the Lady Lions for the playground project. W. Vanderheuel discussed placing pedestrian walking signs within the city.

L. Turek asked the city for permission to increase the number of pickle ball courts from two to four. Motion by Schwanz, support by Bean, for pickle ball committee to increase number of courts from two to four on existing tennis courts. Motion carried: 6-0. B. Turek asked about possibility to tack down the existing fencing at the pickle ball courts and the possibility of covering the ceiling of the fire pavilion to keep out the bird population.

S. Goetz commented about the possibility of a no parking sign at the end of Dock Street.

Council comments: D. Bauermeister shared that volunteer efforts are underway and inquired about continued upkeep of Cuyler field after celebration this summer. Thank you for enforcement of nuisance ordinance concerning a residence on Lake Street. Discussed options of filling pot holes on Lake Street. M. Bean discussed a possible ordinance for no parking signs on Dock Street. Expressed concern about wildlife being disturbed with cutting around Cuyler Field. Mason moved to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Next city council meeting is August 8 at 7 p.m. at city hall.

Published prior to council approval.

A special meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on Wednesday, June 29. Present: Mayor Pro Tem J. Schwanz, clerk Pierce, aldermen Kaiser, Mason, Bean, and Peterson. Absent: Mayor Gehring, treasurer Luenberger, alderman Bauermeister and attorney Cook. Tom Reiff, representative for Blooming Buds, LLC. Provisioning Center, presented to council the request for council approval for permits for state licenses for medical and recreational marijuana use by Blooming Buds, LLC.

Discussion by council as to planning commission recommendation for approval of permits for use by Blooming Buds, LLC. Comment by guest N. McKenzie concerning number of provisioning centers in the city.

Motion by Mason, support by Peterson, on recommendation of city planning commission, to grant approval of applications for permits for licenses for adult use of medical and recreational marijuana to Blooming Buds, LLC.

Ayes: J. Schwanz, Kaiser, Mason, Bean, Peterson. Nays: 0. Motion carried: 5-0.

Meeting adjourned: 8:10 p.m.

A special meeting of the City of Harrisville Planning Commission was held on Wednesday, June 29 at 7 p.m. at city hall. Present: L. Schwanz, J. Schwanz, C. Duckwitz, J. Swise, and W. Vanderheuel.

The meeting opened at 7:01 p.m. Discussion. There were no public comments from guests. Meeting closed at 7:03 p.m.

Motion by Duckwitz, support by Vanderheuel, to recommend to city council approval of application for state licenses for adult use of medical and recreational marijuana to Blooming Buds, LLC.

Ayes: Swise, Duckwitz, L. Schwanz, J. Schwanz, Vanderheuel. Nays: 0. Motion carried: 5-0. Published prior to city council approval.

L. Schwanz, Chairman

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Alcona Township's July board meeting was called to order. Roll call was taken. Present: LaLonde, MacNeill, Bouchard and Bolanowski. Excused Gauthier. Motions to approve minutes from June meetings; accept treasurer's report; to pay bills as presented; to amend budget by adding an income of \$1,500 for an election grant as well as an expense for the same amount. All motions passed. This synopsis published prior to board approval.

Dawn LaLonde, Clerk

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Incomplete or voided sales from the September 6th auction, if any, will be re-offered online on September 28th, 2022. Please visit www.tax-sale.info/faq for additional details.

For more information and a list of the properties being sold, visit www.tax-sale.info or call 1-800-259-7470. Sale listings may also be available at the county treasurer's office.

The Village of Lincoln is seeking applications for someone to serve on the Village Council. The applicant must be a registered voter in the Village and be willing to serve 2 1/2 years. This position has been created by a vacancy on the current board. Interested persons may submit a letter of application to: Village of Lincoln P.O. Box 337, Lincoln, MI 48742 ATTN: Council Position Applications will be opened at the regular Village Council meeting on August 1st, 2022 at 7 P.M.

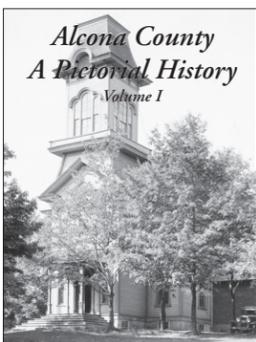
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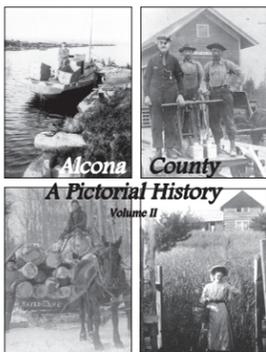
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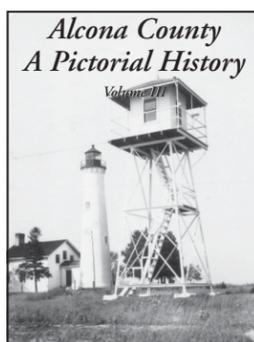
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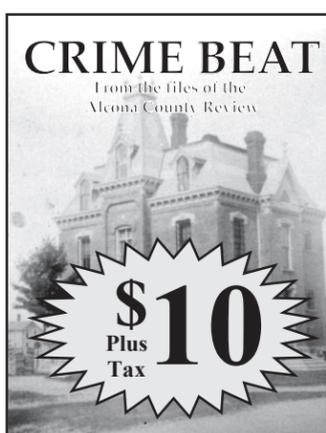
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by Linda Thistle

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Veterans Post

By Greddy Groves

New Covid Rules at VA Medical Facilities

The Department of Veterans Affairs has just instituted a three-tier safety program to keep veterans, visitors and staff safe from COVID at medical facilities.

Starting in May the Veterans Health Administration COVID-19 Health Protection Levels program, aligning with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's health care setting data, will determine on a weekly basis just what needs to be done before you can access care at a VA medical facility.

At mine, for example, it's at Level High. That means the full menu of options comes into play: masks, social distancing (stay 6 feet from others), probable screening at the door, approved visitors only and video options en-

couraged for appointments instead of needing to go in.

At a Level Medium, it means masks, your care partner can come in but no other visitors, self-screen for COVID symptoms before you go and social distancing not required.

At a Level Low, visitors are probably fine (staff approved) if you're hospitalized, self-screen for COVID symptoms before you go and social distancing not required.

And yet there were other facilities I checked across the country where there were no health protection levels whatsoever, typically at VA in-network community partners like civilian optometrists. You'll need to call them individually to find out their protection levels. Oddly enough, in some locations across the country,

facilities within mere miles of each other can range from low to medium to high.

Each week on Mondays the CDC rules will be updated on the facility listing with any changes and signs posted at doors. They'll also update on website and social media and telephone voicemails.

The new guidance covers not just coming in the door, but waiting rooms, group therapy, staffing, visitors ... everything.

If you're about to head out to a VA health facility, check to see their level so you'll know what to expect, even if you can guess based on the COVID cases in your home area: www.va.gov/coronavirus-veteran-frequently-asked-questions.

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by Dave T. Phipps

WOW, WHAT A NICE DAY. I SHOULD GET THE FAMILY AND DO SOMETHING.



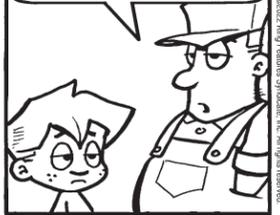
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