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Owen Borsvold fires in a pitch during Friday's district championship win over AuGres. See story on page 7. Photo by Ben Murphy.

Local business donates 100 percent of proceeds to help AHS animals

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

"The greatness of a nation and its moral progress can be judged by the way its animals are treated." – Gandhi

Pets can be wonderful beings. A dog or a cat can bring unconditional love to even the grumpiest of humans and never waver in their fidelity. A loved pet can bring enormous joy, peaceful moments and a sense of well-being.

For pet owners who have felt that special bond with a pet it is hard to understand how anyone can mistreat a pet, how a faithful pet could grow to be unloved, unwanted, or abandoned, yet every day, pets are discarded like old worn-out shoes,

tossed out without the least concern.

There are also those pets who unfortunately just cannot be taken care of by their owner anymore due to the owner's illness, death or if a family has an unfortunate circumstance such as moving because of the loss of a job or divorce.

It is for these reasons humane societies exist and the Alcona County Humane Society has a caring team of individuals that take in those lost souls with muddy feet and hungry bellies.

It is also the reason people like Chuck Hansen, owner of the Stone Bar and Grill in Hubbard Lake, is once again opening his establishment for an afternoon of good food, drink, a little fun at a silent auction and a great opportunity to get together with other pet lovers all while helping the animals of Alcona County.

"The truth is, I like animals more than most people," Hansen said cheekily. "It's a good cause and we had a good turnout last year when we did this. We wanted to try it again and, hopefully, raise even more money for the shelter."

As they did last year, Hansen and his entire staff, from cook to waitress to busboy are volunteering their time to pull the fundraiser off. In addition, all food served has been donated by the Stone Bar and Grill leaving 100 percent of everything earned this Sunday, June 11 between noon and 4 p.m. to go entirely to the Alcona Humane Society.

Alcona Humane Society Manager Jenna Richardson was filled with gratitude for the generous event. "It's quite a gift for a business owner to do something like this for our shelter and we can't begin to thank them all enough. The Stone is known for their pizza. It's really good. It was amazing to have them step forward to donate a fundraiser for us last year, but to do it again this year – Wow!"

Richardson was also look-

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Michigan's threatened and endangered list sees update, 58 added, 36 removed

The Michigan list of threatened and endangered plants and animals now includes 407 species after completion of its seventh update in nearly 50 years.

Experts from universities, the Michigan Natural Features Inventory, other conservation organizations and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) recommended changes to the list based on recent data. "When people come together to collaborate on conservation, we can recover rare species," said DNR endangered species specialist Jennifer Kleitch.

"For instance, trumpeter swans were just removed from Michigan's threatened and endangered species list. Their populations have grown as a result of significant conservation efforts by many partners over decades."

Although the trumpeter swan has been removed from Michigan's list of threatened and endangered species, it is still federally protected under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. While 36 species were removed from the list, others

still need our help, Kleitch said.

Three bat species – little brown, northern long-eared and tri-colored – have been listed as threatened due to significant population declines in the state resulting from white-nose syndrome. Rusty-patched bumblebees and American bumblebees were added to the endangered species list because, like many pollinator species, their populations are seeing large declines.

In all, 58 species were added to the list as either threatened or endangered.

"Many threatened and endangered species rely on high-quality natural areas that benefit all of us by providing clean water, clean air and places for us to enjoy nature. When species are struggling, it can indicate declines in the functioning of those natural areas, which in turn can impact our quality of life," Kleitch said.

He explained that people can help by learning more about rare plants and animals and their conservation needs. There is a full list of



Trumpeter swans, whose populations have grown as a result of significant conservation efforts by many partners over decades, were recently removed from Michigan's threatened and endangered species list. Photo courtesy of Michigan DNR.

the state's threatened and endangered plants and animals on the Michigan Natural Features Inventory website. This website also provides additional information on what each species needs to survive and thrive.

"I encourage everyone to take an interest in rare plants and animals – they are fascinating! Learn more and sup-

port conservation efforts. Whether it be planting a native flower garden for pollinators or donating to a local land conservancy, we can all play a part," Kleitch said.

Learn more about how the DNR manages Michigan's wildlife at Michigan.gov/Wildlife. For ideas on how to support wildlife conservation efforts, visit Michigan.gov/DNRVolunteers.



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Did you miss out on a brick in The Pocket Park?

We are opening the sales for this summer until August 31st. You can pick up a form at the pocket park or call Becky Bean at 989-724-6569

In loving memory of Robert Joseph Henderson who passed away on April 11, 2023. Husband of Chris Ann Henderson, father of Allen (deceased), Elizabeth, and Nathanael Henderson. Please join us for a celebration luncheon honoring Robert's life on Monday June 12, 2023 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the depot located at 124 W. Fletcher St., Alpena, MI.



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Truman A. Thornton

Truman A. Thornton, 80, of Glennie, died on Friday, May 26, 2023, at home.

He was born August 20, 1942, to Albert and Myrtle (MacGregor) Thornton in Barton City. He was a lifelong resident of Glennie.

Mr. Thornton worked in many capacities as a heavy equipment operator, including 18 years with the Alcona County Road Commission.

On September 1, 1973, he

married Mona Rae Schwerin in Glennie.

He was happiest in his garage, where he could be found tearing apart motors and putting them back together.

He enjoyed riding his Harley Davidson.

Mr. Thornton is survived by his wife, Mona Rae; one brother, Allen (Esther) Thornton of Glennie; two brothers-in-law, Clarence Schwerin, and Jack Dale

(Simone) Schwerin; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Francis Jasman, and two brothers, Ralph Thornton and Clyde Thornton.

There will be a memorial celebration on Sunday, June 18 at 2 p.m. at 3250 Clouse Road, Glennie. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

James F. Potter

James F. Potter, 79, of Harrisville, died on Thursday, June 1, 2023, at Medilodge of Alpena.

He was born May 23, 1944, to Forrest and Bonnie (Dewar) Potter in Harrisville, where he was raised.

He served in the United States Marine Corps from 1962-1966.

On August 3, 1968, he married Barbara Oliver in Lincoln. They were longtime residents of Westland, Mich.

Mr. Potter worked in tool and die and retired to Harrisville in 2007.

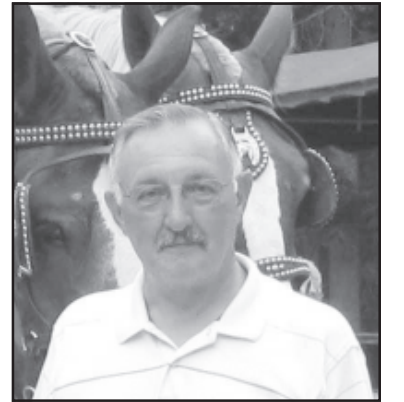
He was a member of the Harrisville United Methodist Church and its men's group.

He was also a member of the Harrisville Lions Club.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, golfing, and watching his grandchildren play baseball.

Mr. Potter is survived by his wife, Barbara; one son, Martin (Julie) Potter; five grandchildren, Amanda Potter, Joshua Potter, Angel Potter, Edgar Potter, and Hilda Potter; one great-granddaughter, Aubry Becker; two sisters, Jill (Chris) VanAntwerp and Judith (Lee) DuCharme; one brother, Gilbert (Laurene) Potter; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Mia Potter on November 5, 2008, and



his son, Matthew Potter, on July 6, 2011.

The funeral was held at Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln on June 6. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery, Harrisville.

Duane Arthur Ginder

Duane Arthur Ginder, 79, of Harrisville, passed away peacefully with loved ones by his side on Saturday, May 20, 2023. He was greeted in Heaven by his father, Harry Lafayette Ginder and mother, Dorothy Mae Ginder (Dewar); brother-in-law, Clay Groff; and his "man's" best friend, Tippy, who preceded him in death.

Duane was born on March 13, 1944, in Harrisville. After graduating from Alcona High School in 1962, he left Michigan for a short time, but then returned in 1964 to begin his career with General Motors Corporation where he worked as a forklift driver for 34 years until his retirement in 1998.

Duane is survived by his three children who he loved dearly, Laura Ann Tripp (Ginder) of Grand Blanc, Mich., Michael Duane Ginder and daughter-in-law, Jacqueline Ginder (Beloskur) of Crestwood, Ky., and his youngest son, Darwin Duane Ginder of Harrisville; his three grandchildren whom he was SO proud of for all of their artistic talents and successes

in school, Austin Clark Tripp of Flint, Mich., Andrew David Tripp of Oak Park, Mich. and Zachary Michael Ginder of Crestwood, Ky.; his sister, Pauline Groff (Ginder) of San Angelo, Texas; niece, Sherry Edwards (Groff) of Watertown, Minn.; nephew, Kevin Groff and wife, Jodi, of San Angelo, Texas; and many other family members and friends.

In 1960, Duane met Sharon Leeseberg, they fell in love and were married for 30 years. Even though they weren't married to the end of his life, she remained the love of his life to the very end.

Duane was known for his infectious laugh and practical jokes. His favorite summer pastime was watching the Barton City baseball team, most especially during the years when his boys played on the team together. He loved to play cards (euchre was his favorite and he could often be caught talking across the table). He was impossible to beat at checkers.

Duane was an avid hunter and he enjoyed it most when he could hunt with his sons. In retirement he spent much



of his time sitting on his front porch sipping a cup of coffee with his best friend Tippy on his lap while they watched the wildlife that surrounded his home, or poking fun and laughing with his buddies (in person or on the phone) while sharing some of his famous "cherries."

He also enjoyed watching his favorite morning and evening games shows on TV.

In lieu of flowers, Duane's children request donations to the American Cancer Society or The Medical Team Hospice in Flint, Michigan.

A graveside service is scheduled for Friday, July 21, 2023, at 11 a.m. at Mikado Township Cemetery.

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 **Patrick M. McDermott**

Patrick Michael McDermott, 67, of Grand Blanc, Mich. died on Thursday, May 1, 2023.

He was born on July 23, 1955, in Trenton, Mich., the son of Andrew and Dorothy (McGee) McDermott.

He served in the United States Army.

Then, as he began starting his family, he moved to Bakersfield, Calif. and started his career working for Getty Oil as a mechanic. As his family grew and through life changes, Mr. McDermott relocated his family back to northern Michigan. He became an accredited master mechanic and worked at a local GM dealership in Lincoln.

He was an outdoorsman that included building his own

fishing rods to support his love of bass fishing. A favorite hobby of his was drafting homes and eventually drawing his dream home.

Late in his life, Mr. McDermott continued to use his knack for tinkering and fixing things, making them more useful to him and ultimately better.

Mr. McDermott is survived by one daughter, Margaret (Stephen) Deller; five grandchildren, Sage McDermott, Griffin Deller, Grace Deller, Gavin Deller, Grady Deller, and Gwendolyn Deller; and one brother, Brian McDermott.

He was preceded in death by his parents; five brothers, Charles Coak, James Coak, John Coak, Bobby Coak, An-



drew McDermott; and one son, Patrick McDermott Jr.

In accordance with his wishes, cremation has taken place. Expressions of sympathy may be shared on Mr. McDermott's tribute wall at detroitcremationsociety.com.

 **Calendar of Events** 

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

The Alcona County Baby Pantry is open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado. Alcona County residents with newborns through age four are eligible and welcome. This is not an income-based program. There is free formula, diapers, toys and new and gently used clothes and shoes. Layettes are available in the eighth month.

Friends of the Alcona County Library will meet at the Harrisville branch at 1 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

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 will meet at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in begins at 9 a.m. Meeting begins at 9:15 a.m. The first visit is free. For details, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

Youth in grades nine through 12 are invited to choose their own book to read, meet with friends, eat snacks, discuss a book, and play games. Meet in "the lounge" at 3 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Teenagers (age 13 and up) are welcome to join the Movie & Munchies Night at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library to see a movie and movie-style buttered popcorn. The movie begins at 5 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

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

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 Paster Caincross at (989) 569-1298.

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

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.

An all you can eat spaghetti dinner will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 N. Second Street, Harrisville. Dinner includes spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, beverage and dessert. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$5 for children ages 6-10 and children five and under are free. Take out orders are available.

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

The Sunrise Side Strummers encourage all levels of ukulele players to join in an evening of strumming and singing from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Bobcat Bar & Grill, 1981 S. US-23, Greenbush. Friends are welcome to come and sing along.

MONDAY, JUNE 12

Teenagers and adults are welcome to learn hand lettering at the June Craftomania at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. This is a free program. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13

Practice ukulele with other confident beginners at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Confident beginners know several chords and are eager to become familiar with playing in a group. The ability to read music is not required. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Play euchre at the Lincoln Senior Center, lower level, 207 Church Street, Lincoln from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. All seniors are welcome to participate in this free activity.

Adults and teenagers are welcome to ukulele lessons from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. The ukulele

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Moma Mia...Come join us for an **All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Dinner** 
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Correspondence



To the Editor,
In your most recent issue, you reported the Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) decided that their millage funding prevents them from serving anyone under 60 years of age. I say, along with Abraham Lincoln in his second inaugural address, that we must care for our widows and orphans.

He was referring, of course, to the widows and orphans of those men who had served in

the American Civil War. But I would extend that obligation to all people in our community who are unable to provide for their own needs.

Apparently, the current leadership in ACCOA wants to stop distributing food at a food pantry in line with their interpretation of the millage funding. I applaud their decision to continue the practice of providing food to needy children in the county for another month to give all concerned a little time to arrange for other sources of help for those families. It seems to me that one measure of charac-

ter is how we relate to those who are powerless.

I hope that the solution arrived at by the citizens of Alcona County and ACCOA will provide for the children as well as the persons over 60 and I believe a long-term solution is in everyone's best interests.

Could the newspaper do a follow-up story to see how the solution to the problem of hungry children is coming along?

Donald W. Stansloski
Greenbush

To the Editor,
We want the tax payers of Alcona County to know what a wonderful thing our veteran's millage, under the direction of Tony Atkinson, Alcona County veteran counselor, is doing for the townships that have a cemetery. They pay for the veteran stakes and flags and also for an American flag for the flag pole. It is a kind and financial help for the townships.

Mike and Muriel Goddard
Sextons,
Twin Lakes Cemetery
Gustin Township

To the Editor,
The Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) Board of Directors continues on its course to destroy what's left of the organization. The board's latest move to suspend both the pop-up pantry food distribution to families in need and shuttle service for those who depend on it for "nonmedical emergency transport like dialysis" is heartless.

The ACCOA board meet-

ings offer little insight to the attending public or by way of their meeting minutes as to what is really going on behind those opaque doors. What is the status of the \$12.5 million community center grant? Is there progress being made toward final designs? How and where is the millage and grant money being spent on daily operations?

What happened to some of the exercise equipment in the gym area that was purchased through a grant? Will they sell off the transport vehicles? Is the ACCOA board ready to fire employees now that they are suspending services?

I could go on...but the point is made.

The feckless Alcona County Board of Commissioners failed to intervene in this crisis even though they can exert some influence through its contract or memo of understanding with the ACCOA. If nothing else, the county prosecuting attorney should look into malfeasance by the ACCOA board and perhaps a few of the commissioners as well. Is an investigation by the State Attorney General needed?

It's time to step up, disband the current ACCOA Board of Directors, and have an open and fair election allowing all registered voters in Alcona County a say in the leadership. Millions of dollars are at stake as well as the welfare and safety of our seniors. Clearly, this board is not up to the task of fulfilling the mission of the ACCOA and its supporting millage. Worse, they seem intent on destroying it.

Joe Lukasiewicz
Greenbush

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING Alcona Township

On June 13, 2023, from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. at the Alcona Township Hall, 5576 N. US 23, Black River, Michigan, 48721, the Township of Alcona will host a public meeting to seek community input regarding a proposed Michigan Department of Natural Resources Spark Program grant application for the construction of a shelter and restrooms at Alcona Township Park, Ridge Road, Black River, Michigan.

Interested citizens are encouraged to attend and share any ideas or suggestions about this project. Written comments may also be submitted in advance of the public meeting to the address listed below. Citizens having input regarding barrier-free access to proposed recreational improvements are strongly encouraged to attend and may contact the number below for accommodation if needed.

For more information, please contact: Marlena MacNeill, Alcona Township Supervisor, 5576 N. US 23, Black River, Michigan, 48721, (989) 727-3788, macne01@charter.net

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



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is easy to learn and does not require the ability to read music. Check out a ukulele from the library or bring one. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

Youth of any age are invited to stop in at their preferred branch of the Alcona County Library – Caledonia, Glennie, Harrisville, Lincoln or Mikado — to sign up for Summer Reading 2023. This year's theme is "all Together Now." Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

The 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 pickup and follow volunteer traffic control. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county residence. Identification is required. Bring a box or bag. The church is located at 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Call (989) 727-3443 for more information.

The Cryptid Club is looking for teenagers and adults to join an educational group of enthusiasts who explore the world of cryptids at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County at 3 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

Embark on an adventure at the new Dungeons and Dragons Club. Discover a world of imagination where heroes are born, and legends unfold in the "lounge" at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 4 p.m. Beginners are welcome. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

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able for use. Based on John 18:10, Peter had one and tried to decapitate Malchus with it. The text and other biblical references strongly suggest that Peter, the passionate fisherman, swung the sword like a baseball bat. Before contact with Malchus' neck his wrist(s) turned over causing him to flat blade on the neck but sever the ear as the sword slid up the side of Malchus' head.

Judas had the second sword as Matthew 26:47/Mark 14:43 strongly suggests as he led the mob that carried clubs and swords to arrest Jesus. Later, as stated in Acts 1:15-19, Matthew 27:5, Judas hung himself on the sword like a door is hunt on its hinges.

There is zero evidence that a noose or a tree was the methodology whereby Judas hung himself as many believe and some teach/preach from their pulpits.

Mike Doran
Caledonia Township

formation.

THURSDAY, JUNE 15

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

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Family Game Day will be held at the Lincoln branch of the Alcona County Library from 1 to 3 p.m. There will be an assortment of fun outdoor games. Call (989) 569-8177 or (989) 724-6796 for more information.

Youth ages nine and up

are invited to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library for a fun craft and snack at 3:30 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details about this free program supported by the Michigan Arts and Culture Council and Art in the Loft.

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

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

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 Paster Caincross at (989) 569-1298.

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

There will be a crafts trunk sale and Alcona Humane Society pet adoption day at the Craftmakers' Cabin in Harrisville from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information, call Nancy at (734) 904-0108.



Buggy Rides



TV all stars to play at Mikado

June 7, 1973 ~ On Saturday evening, June 16th at 6:30 p.m. the TV 5 All Stars softball team will be in Mikado to tangle with the has beens and never-was's from the Alcona Athletic Association.

Tickets for the event are on sale throughout the county at various business places at 50¢ for anyone between 5 and 18 years old for the game only, and \$1.50 for those over 18 for the game, and dance which will follow at 9:30 p.m. at the Mikado Township Hall. The co-managers of the game are Bill Kahn and Jim Cook and anyone belonging to the association should contact either one if they want to participate.

The association, which was formed late last fall with ideas to support and promote all athletics in the county, has now grown to over 100 members.

Perhaps you'll see if Jim Peyton can play ball as well as he draws pictures for your TV enjoyment or if Chet Rogoza is really the famous Falcon from Hamtramck. Can Willard LeClair rip that big ball like he did the small one?

Come on out and find out for yourself!

EDC planning for incubator building to help businesses

June 3, 1998 ~ By Cheryl Peterson

Business owners working out of their homes and looking for more exposure could get some now that plans are being considered to develop an incubator building.

The county received a \$20,000 grant to fund a feasibility study to purchase an incubator building. The study would include the feasibility of renovating and leasing the structure to small businesses to help spur economy.

Judy Stone, chairperson of the Economic Development Corporation (EDC) said the grant was procured by the EDC with the help of Janice Kellogg, an economic development specialist with the Northern Michigan Council of Governments.

"We are very excited," Stone said. "It's our first big project and we are thrilled to have been approved at our first application."

Stone said receiving the grant is just one step on a long list of things that need to be done to see the completion of an incubator building. The EDC will hire someone to con-

duct the study. Once the study is complete and termed feasible, then a location has to be found, funds will have to be developed to renovate the location, candidates have to be considered and then chosen.

The idea for an incubator building was developed by members of the EDC in order to help business owners who are working out of their homes and need the exposure that a building located near high traffic areas would bring. The concept is to get the businesses into the building for an as yet undetermined amount of time to give then necessary exposure and then let them expand on their own. The EDC sees this as a revolving door type of project - as one business moves out, another moves in.

Stone said the EDC has a goal of five businesses working in the incubator building at a time.

The EDC is made up of a nine member board that is appointed by the Alcona County Board of Commissioners. There is one advisor and one consultant on the board.

The EDC's focus is to "foster growth in Alcona County by supporting the start of new local businesses, the growth of existing businesses and the recruitment of new businesses in Alcona County."

"We have a limited budget right now," Stone said. "The support we have from the board (of commissioners) is rewarding."

We are looking forward to doing more projects in the future. We are always looking for people who are interested in economic growth."

The EDC meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 4:30 p.m. in the Commissioner's Room in the county building.

The meetings are open to the public.

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Alcona track sees success at state finals, Hansen takes second in discus

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

The track and field season came to an end on Saturday for Alcona runners, jumpers and throwers.

The Tigers had plenty of athletes compete at the Division 4 state finals though, held at Baldwin Middle School.

Senior Kelsey Hansen had a great showing in the throwing events. She was second in the discus with a distance of 126'3 and she was fourth in the shot put with a throw of 36'2.5.

Also, for the Lady Tigers, Addi Beatty was 15th in the 100-meter dash and 14th in the 200, with times of 13.20 and 27.17.

"Kelsey proved once again that she was one of the best throwers at the meet," coach Jason Somers said. "She also just missed out on the long jump finals. Her day was a great ending to what has been a fantastic track career at Alcona. She will now move on to a career at Northwood University. These fine young men and women represented themselves and our school very well and for that as a coaching staff we are super proud."

On the boys' side, Jeremiah Bullis was 17th in the 100 and 12th in the 200, with times of 11.60 and 23.24. Cole Upper was 18th in the 110 hurdles, with a time of 16.98. Bullis

was also 12th in the pole vault at 11'0. Logan Zuchowski placed 26th in the discus with a throw of 107'4.

"The state meet saw (our) teams compete very well," Somers said. "The freshmen runners Addison Beatty and Cole Upper both set personal bests in their events. Jeremiah Bullis had a good day running and pole vaulting. The 4x200 boys team of Sawyer Seminoff, William Liebler, Cole Upper, and Jeremiah Bullis had a DNF as there was a missed exchange. The bright side is all these athletes come back next year and are hungry to finish the job."

Lady Tigers breeze through Mio, AuGres to claim district championship

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity softball team was believed to be the favorites to claim the Division 4 district championship at AuGres held last Friday. The Lady Tigers didn't disappoint either, as they dominated Mio 16-1 in the championship game and easily defeated tourney host 12-0 earlier in the day.

Both contests went just five innings due to the mercy rule.

"I am so proud of how hard these girls have worked as a team and truly grown together," head coach Chelsea Neuenfedt said of the team's second straight district title. "The way they play as a team and always have fun is a breath of fresh air. Their next goal is regionals."

In the championship win

and Schopfer shut the door on the Thunderbolts by striking out the side in the bottom of the fifth to end the game.

In the semifinal win over AuGres, Schopfer earned the win, going five innings without giving up a run. She allowed three hits, struck out three and walked two.

On offense, Olivia Borchardt had three hits. Addi Beatty and Riley Tracy had



The Alcona varsity softball team with the Division 4 district trophy after topping Mio and AuGres last Friday. (Front, from left) Addison Beatty, Rilee Tracy, (back row) Coach Terry Franklin, Jena Wambold, Baylee Goddard, Gracyn Tracy, Rylee Kroon, Nhya Jackson, Sage Gauthier, Miah Schopfer, Olivia Borchardt, Carmen Dellar, Lillian Pappas, Hannah Renschenski, Coach Chelsea Neuenfedt, Ella Gehring, Shelly Hoffmeyer, and Coach Cody Franklin. *Courtesy photo.*

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over Mio, Miah Schopfer nailed the victory in the circle, going all five innings and giving up one run, one on one hit, five strikeouts and two walks.

On offense, Sage Gauthier got a triple and two doubles. Schopfer had three singles, and Jena Wambold added a single.

A big 11-run fifth inning helped extend Alcona's lead,

two hits each, with one of Tracy's being a triple.

"The girls came out strong and never looked back," Neuenfedt said. "They have had districts as their team goal since day one and were on a mission."

Alcona continues its season on Saturday, June 10 when it takes on Coleman in a regional semifinal at Carson City-Crystal.

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Tigers have monster rally, claim district championship over AuGres

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity baseball team spent much of last Friday afternoon's home Division 4 district championship game playing from behind against AuGres.

Once the Tigers caught the Wolverines however, there was no stopping them as they plated an impressive 14 runs in the top of the seventh inning, allowing them to claim an 18-8 victory and their second straight district championship.

"It feels good for the group and for myself to get two in a row," said head coach Dru Carson. "I think we had a lot of motivation and for me, being a young coach, I wanted to go back-to-back and that is what we were able to get done. No matter the adversity, we got through it."

Trailing 8-4 entering the top of the seventh, the Tigers began that frame with singles by Evan Borsvold and Owen Borsvold. Jordan Benac was hit by a pitch to load the bases, and while the next batter struck out, Collin Walker was able to deliver a big two-run double to pull Alcona within 8-6.

Benac and Walker came in to score on a Garrett Somers triple, knotting things up at 8-8. Somers came in to score the go-ahead run moments later on a single by Ricky Schott, and they continued to tack on runs from there.

For Walker, it was a great comeback story, as his play on the field was limited this spring due to an injury. In the seventh inning alone he



The Alcona varsity baseball team celebrates with the Division 4 district championship trophy after rallying to defeat AuGres. Photo by Ben Murphy.

had a double, a single and four RBI.

"He got hurt during the football season and hasn't played all year," Carson said. "He just got a note clearing him two days ago and he came up big, he did his job."

Getting the win pitching was O. Borsvold, as he went six and one-third innings and gave up eight runs, three earned on five hits and seven strikeouts. E. Borsvold got the final two outs of the game, getting an easy pop-up on the infield and he struck out the last batter.

Somers finished with a triple, two doubles and three RBI. Walker had a double, two singles and four RBI. E. Borsvold had a double and three singles.

"I'm proud of how they boys fought until the very end," Carson said.

Alcona reached the championship game with a 16-1 three inning win over the Charlton Heston Academy.

E. Borsvold got the win, going three innings and giving up one run on one hit and seven strikeouts.

At the plate, E. Borsvold had a home run and a double. Gavin Dellar had three hits and two RBI. Jordan Benac had a double, single and two RBI.

"It was nice playing Charlton Heston the first game, we were able to get them in three innings so I had Evan for another 60 pitches, if needed," Carson said.

On Tuesday, May 30 the Tigers played at Mackinaw City in a pair of non-league games. They lost both, 7-2 and 9-3.

In the opener, E. Borsvold took the loss, going three innings and giving up five runs and striking out six. Jesse Sheldon pitched two innings and gave up two runs on five hits.

On offense, Dellar and E. Borsvold had one hit apiece.

In game two, O. Borsvold took the loss, going three and one-third innings and giving up four runs on four hits and seven strikeouts. Vinny Mahalak and Dellar also saw time in relief and E. Borsvold had two hits on offense.

Alcona took on Rogers City on Wednesday, May 31 in Hillman in a regional semifinal game. The winner of that game moves to the regional finals on Saturday, at Inland Lakes.



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Brinn is 48 pounds and is a short legged girl. She is spayed, microchipped, has her Distemper and Parvo vaccine, and has been dewormed. Brinn just recently had surgery to remove two mammary lumps. She is so very loving and sweet and deserves the best home! Please help us find her a home- just because she had cancer removed doesn't mean she won't have a wonderful and long life! She has so much to give and is very active! She loves her squeaky toys!

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Correction

In the May 31 edition, the Review had an incorrect time for the United Methodist Church of Harrisville's pantry -- its hours are 9:30 a.m., not 1 p.m. The Review apologizes for this error and any inconveniences it may have caused. The Review also thanks everyone who contacted the office and the ACCOA office for clarification. Any pantries that are in operation and would like information published in the Review's Calendar of Events, call (989) 724-6384 or email editor@alconareview.com.

Business Open Houses

Two new businesses will have open houses next week to welcome residents and visitors to see their locations, meet owners and learn about what is available.

- The Sweetwater Sea Bed and Breakfast, 2307 US-23, Greenbush, is having a ribbon cutting and open house on Wednesday, June 14 from 5 to 7 p.m. The owners are Cecelia and Mike Gabel.

- On Friday, June 16 Harrisville Yoga Studio, 301 E. Main Street, Harrisville will have a ribbon cutting at 4

p.m. and an open house. The owner is Liz McNichols.

Everyone is welcome. These events are sponsored, in part, by the Oscoda-AuSable Chamber of Commerce.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, Lincoln. Reservations are required by 11 a.m. each day by calling (989) 334-3470.

- Monday, June 12: Fish almonidine, wild rice, mixed vegetables, mixed fruit.

- Tuesday, June 13: Chicken alfredo, California blend vegetables, bread stick, A&B Cake and Ice Cream.

- Wednesday, June 14: Beef chop suey, rice, peas, pineapple.

- Thursday, June 15: Goulash, wax beans, fruited Jell-O.

All meals include milk, bread and butter according to guidelines. Menu is subject to change due to food availability.

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Away at School

Hannah (Terpstra) Morton, a 2014 graduate and valedictorian of Alcona High School, received a doctorate in veterinary medicine from the University of Missouri on May 14, 2023. She graduated with honors in animal science from Michigan State University in 2018. She has accepted a position as large animal veterinarian at Torch Lake Veterinary Clinic in Rapid City, Mich. She and her husband, Jeff, will be living in Alba, Mich. She is the daughter of Kayla and Terry Terpstra of Lincoln.

Cottage Food Law Training

The Michigan Cottage Food Law allows Michigan residents to manufacture and store certain foods in unlicensed home kitchens. Through this training, participants will learn about pre-



Dr. Hannah Morton

paring and selling foods under the Michigan Cottage Food Law. In addition, the course reviews important food safety practices when preparing and selling food to the public. The format is online on demand – which means on an individual’s schedule. The cost is \$20. For more information, contact Karen Fifield via email at fifield@msu.edu.

Underwater Exploration

Join Dr. Katie Skinner of the University of Michigan’s Department of Naval Archi-

ecture and Marine Engineering Robotics Institute on Thursday, June 22 at 7 p.m. as she explores new technology and innovative methods to advance autonomous capabilities of marine robotic systems for search and survey of shipwreck sites.

The main goal of this work is to increase efficiency and decrease cost for these missions. To achieve this objective, this work aims to develop novel machine learning algorithms for detection and ranking of potential targets of interest from sonar data collected through large area robotic surveys; develop novel methods for efficient path planning of robotic surveys to collect high resolution imagery from potential sites of interest; and to validate proposed methods through large area robotic search and survey of shipwreck sites in the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary (TBNMS) in Lake Huron.

TBNMS offers a unique environment for developing the proposed technology as it contains almost 100 known shipwreck sites and over 100 undiscovered sites. Data col-



Dr. Katie Skinner

lected throughout this project will be made publicly available as a benchmark dataset to encourage and enable future research at the intersection of machine learning and ocean exploration. While the developed technology will be immediately applied to search for shipwreck sites in TBNMS, it will be widely applicable to enabling new discovery of submerged maritime assets in deep ocean water.

The seminar will be held at the Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center, 500 W. Fletcher Street, Alpena, Mich. 49707.

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After 20 years Alcona Humane Society continues caring, fund raising

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

For over 20 years the Alcona Humane Society (AHS) has held up its mission to prevent cruelty to animals, find good homes for homeless cats and dogs, return lost animals to their owners, educate people about the humane treatment of animals, reduce companion animal overpopulation and relieve animals suffering.

It's a huge task and to have it accomplished year after year is nothing short of miraculous, considering its annual budget of a little over \$160,000, which mostly comes from public donations.

AHS Manager Jenna Richardson said the bulk of their funds comes from Precious Paws Resale Shoppe in Harrisville. Precious Paws is a volunteer-run shop that

takes in new, gently used and vintage donations and resells them with profits going directly to AHS.

"Most of the rest comes from fundraisers, memorials and generous donors," Richardson said.

To keep their operation a no-kill shelter and for the health of the animals they do take in, the humane society will only house approximately 15 dogs and 33 cats and Richardson said she has seen a dramatic shift in recent years.

"Normally, we have way more cats than dogs come into the shelter but over the last two years, we've had a lot more dogs brought in. Some have been with us for more than three years.

"We do everything we can to make sure the animals here feel loved and are taken care



Sarah Apsey, Jenna Richardson and Misty Kutas showing off the new Alcona Humane Society logo apparel while Baraka chews on a pig toy. Photo by Mary Weber.

of, but all that pales in comparison to a home and family of their own where they can feel loved 24-hours a day, seven days a week. It's hard on the animals being in a shelter and every day they go without being adopted is heart-wrenching for the staff," Richardson said.

Currently, the shelter has 12 cats and 15 dogs. All AHS animals are presently neutered, spayed, dewormed and have had shots and can be adopted. The adoption fee is \$120 for dogs and \$65 for cats. Visit the Alcona Humane Society Facebook page for photos and information of adoptable pets.

In years past, AHS received some funds from Amazon Smile, but the company

changed its policy last year and is no longer donating to charities. "It wasn't all that much, maybe \$150 quarterly, but still, it was something. Now we have to make that up in fundraising," Richardson said.

Fundraising events happen nearly monthly for the shelter, especially in the warmer months. In addition to the Stone Bar and Grill fundraiser that will happen this Sunday, there has already been a garage sale this spring and have two more scheduled for July 14 and 15 at the shelter on Traverse Bay Road in Lincoln and the annual big garage sale at the fairground site in Lincoln on September 15 and 16.

Also on September 16, at 6

p.m., Precious Paws will be hosting a fashion show at Maria Hall (St. Anne Catholic Church) in Harrisville.

The annual dinner and silent auction will be held at Maria Hall on October 7.

According to Richardson, AHS has been taking in returnable bottles and cans and that has been a good way to bring in extra income. Since 2020, the shelter has made about \$20,000 in bottle and can returns.

AHS has recently gotten in a shipment of new apparel and shirts can be purchased at either Precious Paws or the humane society shelter.

Like most businesses in the area, finding quality help is scarce and Richardson was grateful for her staff. She said they recently hired an additional part-time employee but was still looking for one more.

Foster families for the animals is always a need that doesn't change as well as volunteers to help socialize the animals and keep things clean. Volunteer help is also needed at Precious Paws.

Richardson said one foster family stepped up and took in four or five sibling cats that came from a hoarding situation. "One of the cats was special needs and was partially blind. It was very hyper and the stress of the kennel made it even more so. Luck-

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ing forward to the silent auction which will include numerous local gift cards and unique gift baskets all donated by caring businesses and patrons of the humane society.

According to AHS President Marlene Hawes, during the event a tent canopy will be set up outside with some of the shelter animals currently waiting for that special home.

"We want everyone to know that Alcona Humane Society is a "no-kill" shelter. The only time we would ever euthanize an animal is for severe illness or if the animal was just too aggressive to be adopted," Hawes said.

The fundraiser runs from noon until 4 p.m. Sunday, June 11 at the Stone Bar and Grill, 7002 Hubert Road in Hubbard Lake. Everyone is welcome.

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Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **MOVIES:** Which actor voiced the character of Darth Vader in the first three "Star Wars" movies released?
2. **TELEVISION:** Which was the first TV show to react to the 9/11 attack on the United States?
3. **LITERATURE:** Who is the youngest person to win the Nobel Prize for literature?
4. **HISTORY:** Which city did Anne Frank and her family live in hiding before they were discovered?
5. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is the tallest breed of dog?
6. **FOOD & DRINK:** What is considered the national dish of Spain?
7. **GEOGRAPHY:** Which is the only city that also is the smallest country in the world?
8. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** Which holiday is considered the Jewish New Year?
9. **ANATOMY:** What are the bones in the fingers called?
10. **ASTRONOMY:** How many primary phases of the moon exist?

Answers: 1. James Earl Jones.; 2. "The West Wing."; 3. Rudyard Kipling.; 4. Amsterdam.; 5. Great Dane.; 6. Paella.; 7. Vatican City.; 8. Rosh Hashanah.; 9. Phalanges.; 10. Four. (c) 2023 King Features Synd., Inc.

Super Crossword

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 PC program shortcut</p> <p>6 Fog</p> <p>10 Pelting precipitation</p> <p>14 — Hopkins University</p> <p>19 Alternative</p> <p>20 Parka feature</p> <p>21 Quattro or TT carmaker</p> <p>22 Consume entirely</p> <p>23 King penguin's son?</p> <p>26 Dazzling light</p> <p>27 A, in Berlin</p> <p>28 Italian island</p> <p>29 Give a steed a spanking?</p> <p>31 Handheld firework</p> <p>33 Ad- —</p> <p>34 Direction from Ariz. to Ky.</p> <p>35 Actor Danson</p> <p>36 Hwy. violation</p> <p>37 Back in time</p> <p>39 Western treaty gp.</p> <p>42 Answer to "Are you?"</p> <p>44 Driving coast to coast on icy roads?</p> <p>52 — Purina (old pet food company)</p> <p>53 Consumed</p> | <p>54 Negative point</p> <p>55 Platform for speakers</p> <p>57 Folkie Guthrie</p> <p>58 "It makes sleeping comfortable," e.g.?</p> <p>63 "A Nightmare on Elm Street" director</p> <p>64 Like Dubliners</p> <p>65 Inning third</p> <p>66 Berate loudly</p> <p>67 Holy images</p> <p>68 Device like a TiVo, in brief</p> <p>69 Jigsaw unit</p> <p>71 Repeated</p> <p>74 U.S. org. with operatives</p> <p>75 One — (a handful)</p> <p>76 Writing tablet</p> <p>79 Nylon tights for people who are losing a lot of weight?</p> <p>83 "— la Douce"</p> <p>84 Hauling rig</p> <p>85 Gut-punch reaction</p> <p>86 Tree of Illinois</p> <p>87 Alternative to grits</p> | <p>89 Violins donated to people who've gone broke?</p> <p>94 Prior to</p> <p>95 Cool, 1940s-style</p> <p>96 "See ya!"</p> <p>97 With</p> <p>115-Across, "Quit dreaming!"</p> <p>98 Ovine whine</p> <p>101 Water, to Yvette</p> <p>103 K-12 gp.</p> <p>105 Rebuke</p> <p>110 Presently riding as a jockey?</p> <p>114 Mix</p> <p>115 See</p> <p>97-Across</p> <p>116 Growing older</p> <p>117 Villain from a Virginia city?</p> <p>120 Roofing tile</p> <p>121 Writer Wiesel</p> <p>122 Frightful giant</p> <p>123 Sewing cases</p> <p>124 Skin qualities</p> <p>125 Split apart</p> <p>126 Go beyond</p> <p>127 Plains shelter</p> | <p>4 "The Intern" actress</p> <p>5 Tolkien menace</p> <p>6 Entire</p> <p>7 Informal German tavern</p> <p>8 The Hawkeye State</p> <p>9 High-tech "appt. book"</p> <p>10 Gave birth to Tom, Dick or Harry?</p> <p>11 "— Lang Syne"</p> <p>12 Screened at a bar door</p> <p>13 Twisted cotton thread</p> <p>14 Archie's pal, in comics</p> <p>15 World capital on a fjord</p> <p>16 Valentine's Day symbol</p> <p>17 Surgery aide</p> <p>18 Quickness</p> <p>24 Twisting fish</p> <p>25 Print quality meas.</p> <p>30 City in Oklahoma</p> <p>32 Commercial suffix with Star or Sun</p> <p>33 State-run game</p> <p>38 Grind, as the teeth</p> <p>40 Natty scarf</p> | <p>41 Hershey candy bar</p> <p>43 Halfway point</p> <p>44 Bird's gullet</p> <p>45 Unusual</p> <p>46 Become rusty, say</p> <p>47 — a million</p> <p>48 Maker of major repairs</p> <p>49 Like musical works with five sharps</p> <p>50 Hardware bit</p> <p>51 Gershon of "Killer Joe"</p> <p>56 USMC NCO</p> <p>59 Sure-footed equine</p> <p>60 Parka feature</p> <p>61 Glasses and goggles</p> <p>62 1920s-'30s art style</p> <p>64 Frosted</p> <p>67 Potassium — (table salt additive)</p> <p>68 Major racket</p> <p>69 Counterpart of 54-Across</p> <p>70 "No problem"</p> <p>71 Slalom curve</p> <p>72 Dish designer</p> <p>73 Half: Prefix</p> <p>74 — latte (espresso)</p> <p>75 "Someone to Watch Over Me" musical</p> <p>76 Made attractive</p> | <p>77 "I'm —" (greeting in Apple ads)</p> <p>78 "Cagney & Lacey" actress Tyne</p> <p>80 Sushi eggs</p> <p>81 Ritz</p> <p>82 "— dabba doo!"</p> <p>83 Obtain by entreaty</p> <p>88 Pulls hard</p> <p>90 Earth-scooping machines</p> <p>91 Preside over</p> <p>92 Sided against</p> <p>93 Bee fluids</p> <p>98 Be a braggart</p> <p>99 — -Saxon</p> <p>100 Thai or Iraqi</p> <p>102 Gut problem</p> <p>104 Old Pan Am competitor</p> <p>106 Trail activities</p> <p>107 Billy Joel's "Just the Way You —"</p> <p>108 Hawkins of "Li'l Abner"</p> <p>109 Mom on "Family Ties"</p> <p>111 Poker stake</p> <p>112 "Wilde" actress Jennifer</p> <p>113 No, in Bonn</p> <p>114 Onetime Nintendo rival</p> <p>118 Daddy</p> <p>119 Poker stake</p> |
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Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On June 19, 1968, 50,000 people participated in The Poor People's March, organized by Martin Luther King Jr. and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, to address economic justice. The campaign culminated in Washington, D.C., to demand aid for America's most impoverished communities and focused not just on Blacks, but all minorities.
- On June 20, 1947, gangster Benjamin "Bugsy" Siegel was murdered at the Beverly Hills, California, mansion of his girlfriend, Virginia Hill, while reading the evening newspaper. Though the case has never officially been solved, one theory holds that Siegel died by order of mob associates disgruntled about the soaring costs of his pet project, the Flamingo resort in Las Vegas.
- On June 21, 2006, two recently discovered moons orbiting Pluto were named Nix, after the Greek goddess of darkness and night, and Hydra, after a mythological, multiheaded serpent defeated by Hercules. The moons had initially been spotted by the Hubble Space Telescope a year earlier.
- On June 22, 1940, the first Dairy Queen restaurant opened on historic Route 66 in Joliet, Illinois. While frozen sweet treats are, sadly, no longer served at the site (especially at their original prices of 5 cents for a cone and 8 cents for a sundae), it remains a local landmark.
- On June 23, 1951, a hailstorm in El Dorado, Kansas, dropped over 12 inches of ice and caused \$1.5 million in crop damage, with another stunning \$14 million in property damage.
- On June 24, 1916, Mary Pickford (born Gladys Marie Smith), affectionately known as "America's Sweetheart" during the silent-film era, became the first female actress to be offered a million-dollar contract, which also allowed her the freedom to choose the movies she would star in.
- On June 25, 1978, the rainbow flag was flown for the first time at the San Francisco Gay Freedom Day Parade. Previously, gay pride had been represented by a pink triangle, but as that symbol was used during the Holocaust to identify homosexuals, people wanted a more positive image. (c) 2023 King Features Synd., Inc.

Strange But True

By Lucie Winborne

- The "Guinness World Records" holds the world record for being the most stolen book from public libraries.
- Some New York City taxis are actually undercover cop cars.
- Nintendo was sued and found guilty because kids were getting blisters from playing too much Mario Party.
- A cow named Cincinnati Freedom lived up to her name when she evaded police officers for 11 days after jumping a 6-foot fence to escape a slaughterhouse. Once caught, she was given the key to the city by Cincinnati's mayor and allowed to peacefully live out her remaining days in a New York sanctuary.
- Before he became the axman for Guns N' Roses, Slash auditioned for the band Poison but decided not to join when he was asked about wearing makeup.
- Persian King Agha Mohammad Khan ordered the execution of two servants for being too loud. Since it was a holy day, he postponed the event for 24 hours and made the servants return to their duties. It turned out to be an unfortunate decision, as they murdered the ruler in his sleep that very night.
- When George Washington died, Napoleon Bonaparte gave a personal eulogy and ordered a 10-day mourning period for France.
- Onions are the only commodity banned from futures trading in America.
- The man for whom Mount Everest was named, George Everest, didn't want the honor, pointing out that his name was difficult to write or pronounce in Hindi and that all previous Himalayan peaks were officially given indigenous names.

Thought for the Day: "Live deep instead of fast." -- Henry Seidel Canby
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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: **M** equals **B**

HPCY YOCZ-XWZWTOE MCTTDOT

VDBPY JWVO QWZDXO MO

HTCQQDAB CTWLAE C XTDVO

JXOAO? XWTEWA MZLO.

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Now Here's A Tip

By JoAnn Derson

• Purchase a large tub of cookie dough, and when you make the first batch, go ahead and portion out the remaining dough by teaspoons onto a cold cookie sheet. Freeze as balls, and then replace them in the container they came from. Refreeze. Now you can take out only as many cookies as you would like to make, and cook them straight from frozen.

• "This is a tip for painting stairs. Paint every other stair. Let them dry. Then paint the other stairs. This will make your staircase usable the whole way through your paint job." -- R.L. in Michigan

• Spray old artificial flowers with hair spray to make the look fresh and vibrant.

• Many food containers can be reused to store personal items. Glass jars can be cleaned and labels removed. Paper-board boxes can be custom trimmed and covered with leftover

wrapping paper or wallpaper. Paper milk cartons can be cleaned with soap and water, dried thoroughly then painted to hold a variety of items. Don't overlook the many possibilities in a piece of recycling or trash.

• Use plain household vinegar to kill grass that grows in the cracks of walkways and driveways.

• "Use bathroom fans appropriately. Make sure to turn them off. They vent air to the outside, and that includes your paid-for air conditioning, too. Close the bathroom door after showering and let the fan run for about 10 minutes. Then turn it off." -- D.A. in Texas

Send your tips to Now Here's a Tip, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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CRAFT SHOW

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Pursuant to Michigan law, the chief circuit judge annually reviews the performance record of the friend of the court. The review will be conducted on or about July 1, 2023. This review is limited by law to the following criteria: whether the friend of the court is guilty of misconduct, neglect of statutory duty, or failure to carry out the written orders of the court relative to a statutory duty; whether the purposes of the Friend of the Court Act are being met; and whether the duties of the friend of the court are being carried out in a manner that reflects the needs of the community. Members of the public may submit written comments to the chief judge relating to these criteria. Send your written comments, with your name and address, to Hon. Richard E. Vollbach Jr., 230 North Grove Street, Standish, Mich. 48658.

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Alcona County
Notice to Creditors
Decedent's Estate
Case No. 32-6364-DE**

Court address
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Estate of Ronald Stephen Skiba
Date of birth: December 26, 1932
To all creditors:
Notice to creditors: The decedent, Ronald Stephen Skiba, died November 21, 2022. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Joan M. Whitfield, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 N. 5th Street, P.O. Box 385, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the personal representative within four months after the date of publication of this notice.
Date: June 7, 2023
Joan M. Whitfield
Personal representative
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Boaz, Ala. 35959
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Alcona County
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Date of birth: September 19,
1941
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Date: June 7, 2023
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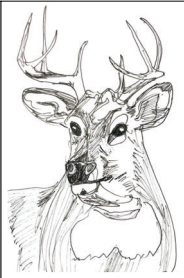
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- Must be dependable, trustworthy, and kind to animals.

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- poop scooping, snow shoveling
- animal health checks, vaccinations, medicine administration
- Customer service skills on the phone and in person

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ily, the cat was adopted which is amazing. Typically, special needs pets are the last to find a good home," Richardson said.

Currently, AHS has a special needs St. Bernard. "He was raised by a single lady with small kids and doesn't take kindly to men. He needs a special diet and some specific daily grooming. He's a big dog, but sweet," Richardson said.

The needs of the shelter haven't changed much in the last 20 years, it takes a lot of cleaning supplies and pet food to care for the number of animals they have.

AHS is specific on certain brands of dog and cat food and will only accept Purina Dog Chow in the green bag; Purina Cat Chow Complete (blue bag) and Purina Kitten Chow (yellow bag). Items for donation can be purchased at Lincoln Hardware and if you mention it is for the shelter, they will waive the sales tax. There is a drop-off box located in front of the shelter or donations can be taken to Precious Paws.

Other items used daily include bleach, laundry detergent, trash bags, paper towels, disinfecting wipes, hand soap, brooms, mops, towels and of course, cat and dog treats and toys. A complete wish list can be found on the alconahumanesociety.org website.


The shelter is located at 457 W. Traverse Bay Road in Lincoln, north of M-72 off F-41. Public hours are Tuesday, Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. but may be available other days for adoption appointments. For further information, call (989) 736-7387.

Precious Paws Resale Shoppe is located at 410 E. Main Street in Harrisville and is open Tuesday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. To see types of items brought in for resale visit the Precious Paws Resale Shoppe Facebook page.

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Alcona County Sheriff's Report

For the Week of May 29-June 6, 2023

155 complaints were handled resulting in the following arrests: 1 Arrest; 1 Warrant Arrest; 39 Citations Issued.

Complaint Statistics

Car/Deer Accidents	9	Traffic/Traffic Stop	79
Mental	1	Warrant Arrest	1
Alarm	1	Assist	3
Animal/Dog	5	Vehicle ID Inspection	1
PBT/Drug Testing	15	Fraud	3
Dog Bite	1	Suspicious Event	4
Trespass	1	Threats	1
Juvenile	1	Gun Shots	1
Assault	1	Fire	5
Miscellaneous	5	Larceny	2
Civil	5	Drive While License Susp.	1
Fingerprinting	2	Unwanted Person	1
Neighbor Trouble	4		

Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	8	Caledonia	8	Curtis	41
Greenbush	29	Gustin	4	Harrisville	9
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Millen	15	Mitchell	3		
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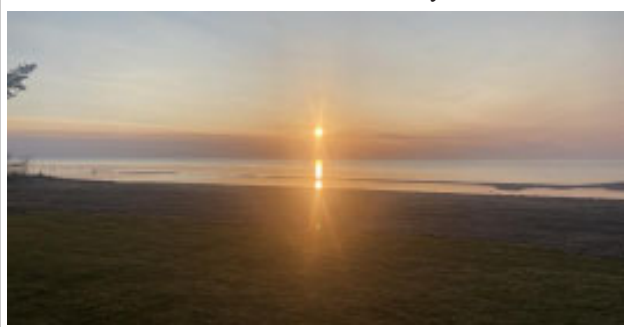
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