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By B. J. CONLEY-HETLER

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## Proposed Bike Path Location Draws Safety Concerns

By JIM AKANS

Over 30 concerned citizens crowded into the meeting room where the Charlevoix County Road Commission held their bi-monthly meeting on Monday morning, to express their thoughts regarding the placement of a proposed bike trail along Boyne City- Charlevoix Road.

Mike Sheehan, president of the North Country Bicycle Club, stated, "This trail is an opportunity to do something beneficial for the community as a whole by providing a safe path to allow users to connect to a network of similar trails extending throughout Northern Michigan. It is important to do this right from the beginning."

The key word in Mr. Sheehan's observation is "safe."

When the idea for a bike/walking/hiking path was originally conceived, the concept envisioned locating the path several feet away from the edge of the roadway, yet within the Road Commission's 99-foot right-of-way.

At the Charlevoix County Road Commission's August 10th meeting, however, issues concerning right of way deed restrictions that some property owners along the planned route have held since the 1950's, caused the Road Commission to re-evaluate the idea of locating the trail away from the actual roadway. Those restrictions allowed the Road Commission to use the right of way for "highway purposes" only, and it isn't clear whether a bike path is a conforming use.

To circumvent the possibility of lawsuits from property owners, the commission suggested making the roadway wider, as much as five feet on each side, during the upcoming reconstruction of Boyne City - Charlevoix Road, and use that surface for a bike path.

The problem, opponents of that idea say, is that a non-motorized path abutting a very motorized and well used roadway isn't all that safe for either category of vehicle operator.

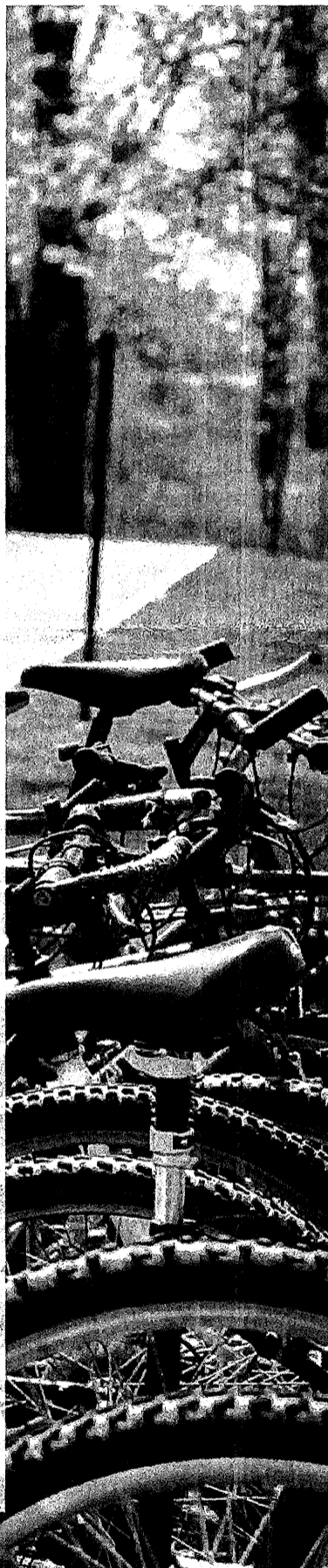
In a recent online survey conducted by the Boyne Area Chamber, over 82% of the 233 respondents indicated they or their family would use a bike path from Boyne City to Horton Bay if it were separated from the road. However, only 42% indicated they would use the path if it were a bike lane on a wider shoulder. From 70% to almost 90% responded that they believed that a bike path would be safer, would be an asset to local residents, add to quality of life, encourage a healthy lifestyle, and help the local economy by attracting visitors.

As Road Commission Manager Pat Harmon noted at Monday's meeting, "We are not opposed to a bike path. While the Road Commission recommends that the path be a five-foot road shoulder, that is not etched in stone."

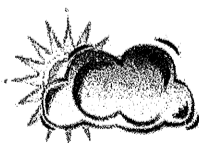
He indicated that perhaps what should be done at this point is to hold public hearings to give property owners along the route an opportunity to voice their positions about the use of the right of way.

The estimated cost of the path from Boyne City to Charlevoix, along the south side for Boyne City - Charlevoix Road is approximately \$1.4 million.

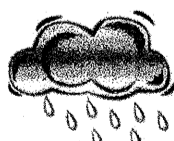
Area resident, John Kurtz, states, "With the funding that has been found and a couple of grants that are available, we are only about \$20,000 short of that goal. However, if the path is located along the road shoulder, we will lose one of those grants that represent nearly \$1/2 million of the project funding."



### WEATHER



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**Friday**  
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SE wind 7mph



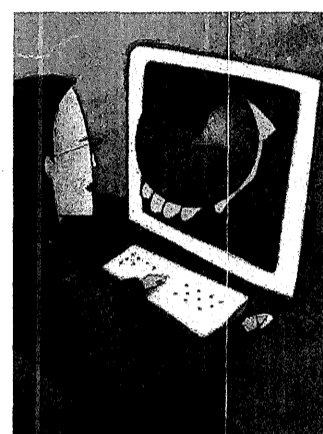
**Saturday**  
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NNW wind 9mph



**Sunday**  
High 59, low 47  
WNW wind 10mph



**Monday**  
High 64, low 49  
NW wind 9mph



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## Leveling the Technology Field

By JIM AKANS

The lyrics of Kid Rock's summertime classic "All Summer Long" reflect on a bygone era in Northern Michigan when "We didn't have no Internet,"

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## LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

### BOYNE CITY

#### SIDEWALK SALES

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### CHARLEVOIX

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## UP-BEAT

By Dave Baragrey



The Charlevoix County News makes it a point every week to publish the positive side of news in Charlevoix County. We are surrounded by negative news, but readers find the Charlevoix County News will find a refreshing change especially in today's climate. If you have something positive to share, let us know. E-Mail us at [Office@CharlevoixCountyNews.com](mailto:Office@CharlevoixCountyNews.com).

# A Great Lesson in Leadership

By Dave Baragrey

On the morning of March 5, 2003 General Earl Hailston appeared on Good Morning America. Charlie Gibson was interviewing him, since he was serving as the commanding

general of Marine Forces Central Command at the time. The general was waiting with his troops just a few miles off the border of Iraq...waiting to go to war.

Toward the end of the interview, Charlie asked him if he had any hobbies. The following except is General Hailston's reply, as told by Mac Anderson, founder of Simple Truths.

The general said, "Yes, I love photography, especially taking photos of my men." He shared that while he had been waiting for the past few days he took photos of his men, and at night he would email

An excerpt from  
*The Essence of Leadership*  
By Mac Anderson

"They don't care how much you know until they know how much you care".  
— Unknown source

the photos with a brief note to their mothers back in the USA.

Charlie asked if he could see a sample of a

letter, and the general walked into his tent, turned on his computer, and read the last letter he had sent.

It said:  
*Dear Mrs. Johnson, I thought you might enjoy seeing this picture of your son. He is doing great. I also wanted you to know that you did a wonderful job raising him. You must be very proud. I can certainly tell you that I'm honored to serve with him in the U.S. Marines. Sincerely,*

*General Earl Hailston*  
Wow! I had goose bumps as I watched Charlie randomly interview a few of General Hailston's men, and without exception, you could feel the genuine love and respect that every one of them had for their leader.

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## COUNTY RECORDS FOR AUG. 27, 2009

### DISTRICT COURT

The following cases were recently decided in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Thomas Barron Maynard, 17, Houston, TX. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sentenced to pay \$300 in fines and costs.

Floyd Herman Hughey, 46, East Jordan. Driving without security.

David Henry Drenth, 64, East Jordan. Domestic violence. Sentenced to pay \$300 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 93 days in jail with a credit of 13 days, serve 10 days, 70 days held in abeyance, six months on probation.

Adam Richard Johnson, 18, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Sentenced to pay \$830 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 36 days in jail with credit for one day, 30 days held in abeyance, five days of community service work, six months on probation.

Michael Thomas Pappert, 19, Bloomfield. Minor operating with any blood alcohol count. Sentenced to pay \$730 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 10 days of community service work, six months on probation.

Perry Jon Matthew, 27, Charlevoix.

Driving without license. Sentenced to pay \$400 in fines and costs.

Justin Dean Aytes, 17, East Jordan.

Driving without license. Sentenced to pay \$150 in fines and costs.

Samuel Scott Drenth, 23, Ellsworth.

Use of hydrocodone. Sentenced to pay \$1,350 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 365 days in jail with credit for one day, 334 days held in abeyance, 30 days of community service work, two years on probation.

Steven Michael Filipiak, 23, Charlevoix.

Driving while intoxicated, 2nd offense. Sentenced to pay \$1,430 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 20 days on work release, 313 days held in abeyance, 30 days of community service work, two years on probation.

Brent Adam Gray, 29, Boyne Falls.

Driving while intoxicated, 2nd offense. Sentenced to pay \$1,430 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 365 days in jail with credit for 20 days, serve 20 days, 265 held in abeyance, 30 days of community service work, two years on probation.

### ASSUMED NAMES

The following businesses recently filed with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office for an assumed name for doing business:

Serenity Garden's, 06115 Townsend Road, East Jordan by Marcia Gibbard.

Brush Creek Ranch, 04545 Boyne City Road, Boyne City by Gerritt J. Schurman.

John Napier Carpentry, 526 N. Lake St., Boyne City by John Napier.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following people have recently filed for marriage licenses with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Adam Timothy Whitley, 23, Charlevoix and Jillian Renee Potter, 25, Charlevoix.

Chad Michael Wenz, 21, East Jordan and Sienna Lee Richards, 21, East Jordan.

Michael Saltonstall Post, 30, Charlevoix and Alissa LoriAnn Lachiusa, 30 Charlevoix.

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## Boyne City Police Department Activity

August 18 - August 24, 2009

Offenses	Number	Offenses	Number	Offenses	Number
Obstructing Justice	2	Alarms-False	3	Assist other Agency	1
Parking Violations	1	Annoying/Harrassing	1	Health & Safety	2
911 Hangup Calls	2	Animal Complaint	3	Fraud-Checks	1
Attempt To Locate	1	Larceny	2	Suspicious Situations	12
Damage to Property	2	Vehicle Unlocks	2	Public Peace	3
Property Inspection	1	Civil Dispute	4	General Assistance	17
Noise Complaint	1	Threats Complaint	1	Traffic Accident	1
Fraud-False Pretense	1	Traffic Violations	3		
Burglary-Forced Entry	1	Lost/Found Property	3		

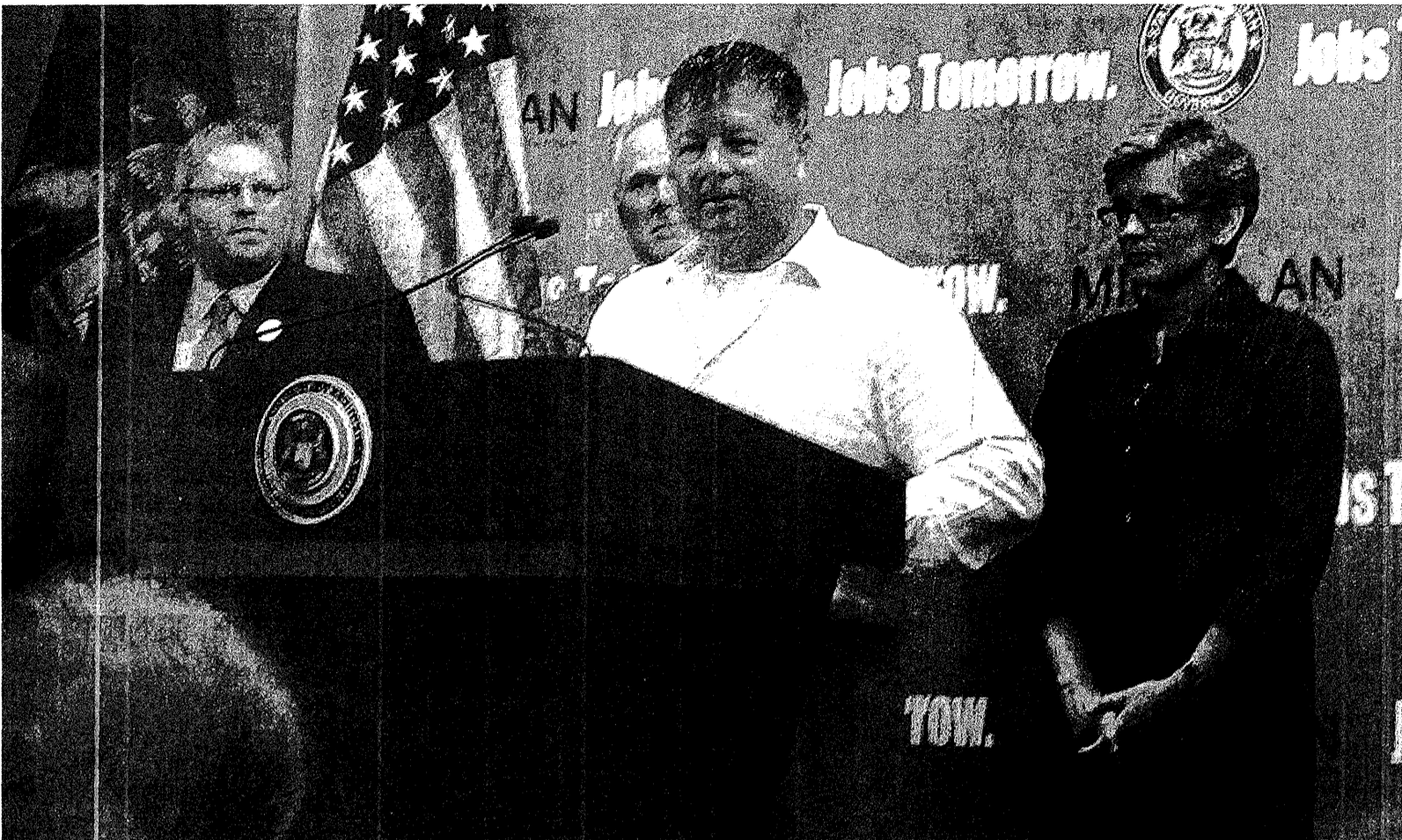
## East Jordan Police Department Activity

August 14 - August 20, 2009

Offenses	Number	Offenses	Number	Offenses	Number
Animal	4	Suspicious Situation	2	Alarm	1
Public Peace Disturbance	4	Fraudulent Activity - Check	8	Assault & Battery	1
Civil Dispute	2	Public Relations	3	Found Property	2
Traffic Offenses	32	Harassing Phone Calls	1	911 Hang Up	1
Assist Citizen	6	Drug Overdose	1	Paper Service	1
Keys Locked in Vehicle	1	Property Damage Accident	1	Liquor Inspections	10
Lock/Unlock Parks	35	Domestic Assault1		Open Door	1
Assist Other Agencies/Departments	6	Sign Posting Ordinance Violation	1		

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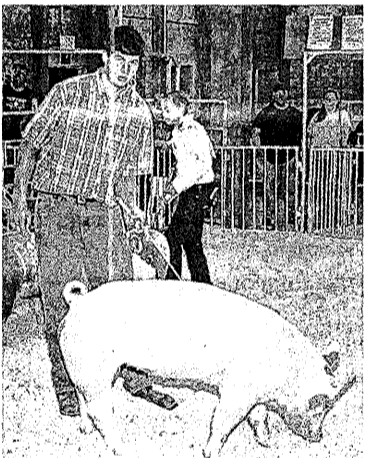
Glen Catt, of Catt Development, spoke in Lansing about receiving brownfield designation as Governor Jennifer Granholm looks on. Courtesy photo.

## One Water Street Receives Approval for Brownfield Designation

Glen Catt, of Catt Development, spoke in Lansing on August 18<sup>th</sup> about receiving approval from the state of Michigan for brownfield tax credits for a new project. State and local tax capture valued at \$40,032 will support the redevelopment of a 2.5 acre site on Lake Charlevoix in downtown Boyne City, known as "One Water

Street." The site is a brownfield because of contamination from industries that operated in the area in the late 1800s and early 1900s. The project includes remediation of the property in order to construct two new buildings, one for retail, office and restaurant space, and the other for a hotel. The project will generate \$12.3 mil-

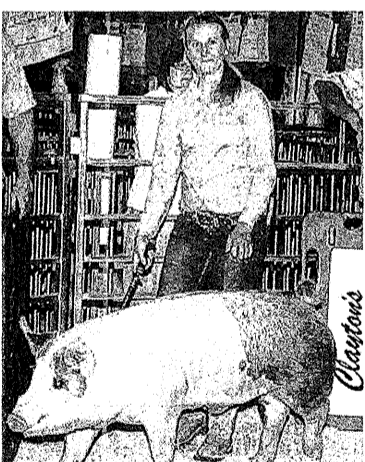
lion in new capital investment and is expected to create up to 40 new jobs. Michigan brownfield programs provide incentives to invest in property that has been used for industrial, commercial or residential purposes and to keep that property in productive use or return it to a productive use.



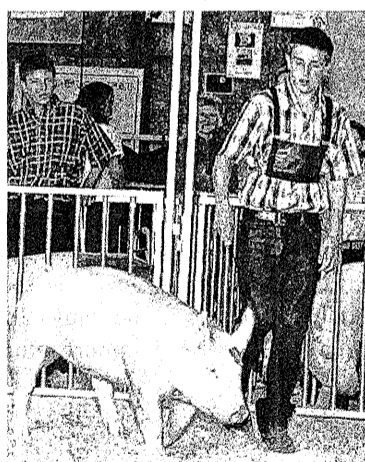
Beau Fuller received the Grand Showmanship award. PHOTO COURTESY OF SCOTT WIESLER PHOTOGRAPHY.



Chloe Beek and her Grand Champion winning Swine. PHOTO COURTESY OF SCOTT WIESLER PHOTOGRAPHY.



The Grand Showmanship Reserve Champion is Alli Self. PHOTO COURTESY OF SCOTT WIESLER PHOTOGRAPHY.



Zeek Beek, who is Chloe's brother, raised the Reserve Grand Champion Swine. PHOTO COURTESY OF SCOTT WIESLER PHOTOGRAPHY.

## Emmet-Charlevoix County Fair Runs Through This Sunday

The Emmet-Charlevoix County Fair began last weekend and will continue through this Sunday, August 30th.

Fair Manager, Agnes Shaw states, "The 4H judging of the still exhibits has been completed and we encourage people to stop by the Community Center on the fairgrounds to see an amazing selection of items ranging from quilts, garden vegetables, canned goods, photographs, drawing and painting, and much more. There is even a beautiful hand etched coffee table on display created by a man from the Petoskey area."

The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Swine Carcass awards have been judged and the winning entrant was raised by Chloe Beek, and her brother Zeke's entrant was awarded Reserve Grand Champion. The Grand Showmanship award was presented to Beau Fuller and Reserves Champion was Alli Self.

Agnes notes, "The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion award is based on the market criteria for the animal, evaluating qualities such as correct weight and build. The Grand Showmanship award judges how a person handles their animal, and how well they answer educational questions about the process of raising the animal."

Agnes also notes that there is plenty of Emmet-Charlevoix County Fair left between now and Sunday evening when the carnival rides shut down.

Thursday evening the Tuff Truck contest takes place in the Grandstand area, Friday brings the Autocross to the Grandstands, and Saturday evening the always popular Demolition Derby will thrill the audience.

"Come on out and enjoy the fair," Agnes affirms. "It is Pure Family Fun!"

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## CHARLEVOIX COUNTY CROP WALK SCHEDULED

The Charlevoix County CROP Walk will be held Saturday, September 26 at 9:00 am. at locations throughout the county. Area residents are gearing up to join in the Charlevoix County CROP Walk, Saturday, September 26 at 9:00 am. The six-mile walk will begin at 9:00 am three Charlevoix County locations, including Elm Point in East Jordan, Whiting Park in Boyne City and Charlevoix Middle School in Charlevoix. Each location will conclude the walk at the Congregational Church in Ironton where David Phillips will provide lunch for all walkers. This year, we are walking in memory of Dorothy Stoel of Charlevoix. Both Dorothy Stoel and David Phillips were responsible for founding CROP Walk in Charlevoix.

Organized locally, the Charlevoix County CROP Walk has set a goal of recruiting 100 walkers to raise \$20,000, which will work to combat hunger here in our community as well as around the world. Twenty-five percent of all monies raised here in Charlevoix

County will come back locally to The Good Samaritan of Ellsworth, Care 'n Share of East Jordan, the Charlevoix Food Pantry, Seventh Day Adventist and Trinity Pentecostal Church of God of Boyne City.

Last year, 87 walkers raised more than \$15,500 for the Charlevoix County CROP Walk.

Four local food pantries (Care 'n Share, Charlevoix Food Pantry, Seventh Day Adventist and Trinity Pentecostal Church of God) each received \$1400. The remaining funds helped to combat hunger and poor sanitation around the world, including the United States.

For more information about CROP Walk please contact Marge Teske at 231-536-3128, John Young at 231-547-2042 or Mary Richwine at 231-582-6035.

## Share Your Favorite Recipe

We are asking readers to share their favorite recipes with other readers.

Each week we will publish favorite recipes from readers in the paper. You can submit your recipe by e-mail to [Office@CharlevoixCountyNews.com](mailto:Office@CharlevoixCountyNews.com). Send the recipe (ingredients and cooking instructions) along with a photo of the completed dish. If there is a story behind the recipe (a family recipe that has been passed down, special holiday treat, created by mistake, etc.) please send that information also.

*Here is one of our favorite recipes.*

### GRILLING CORN ON THE COB

BY CATHY BARAGREY

One of the favorite treats of summer is fresh corn on the cob. Stopping by a roadside stand and bringing home a dozen ears of corn for dinner is one of those simple pleasures of summer that just brings a smile to your face.

Cooking the corn on boiling water on the stovetop during the dog days of summer just adds to the heat and humidity inside your home. As long as you're grilling a steak, hamburger or fish anyway, why not throw the corn on the grill too.

Grilled corn, with its wonderful and distinctive flavor, is a summertime favorite. It is easy to cook and takes about 40 minutes to prepare and cook from the

time you walk in the door until the time you sit down at the table to enjoy some fresh corn on the cob.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR PREPARING AND GRILLING CORN ON THE COB.

1. Carefully peel back the husks from an ear of corn. Don't pull the husk completely down, just far enough to remove the silk from the top of the cob.
2. Remove most of the silk.
3. Bring the husk back over the cob.
4. Repeat steps 1-3 with each of ear of corn.
5. Place the corn cobs in water.
6. Soak for at least 10 minutes.
7. Grill the corn, turning frequently, until husks are dry and kernels are beginning to brown, 15 to 20 minutes.
9. Serve hot off the grill, with butter or margarine if desired.



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### ELLSWORTH

#### LANCER GOLF SCRAMBLE

Support Ellsworth School athletics and enjoy a day of golf and fun and Antrim Dells Golf Course on Aug. 29. Price is \$59 each or \$220 team. Includes golf, dinner, tee gift, silent auction and raffle prizes. Contact Brian Certa immediately to register at 231-676-3900.

### BOYNE CITY

#### USED BOOK SALE

The Friends of the Boyne Library are sponsoring a used book sale on Aug. 28, and Aug. 29, in conjunction with the Boyne City Sidewalk Sales. The sale begins at 9am for members of the Friends, and for the public from 10am - 4pm on Friday and 9am - 4pm on Saturday in the Community Room of the library. All proceeds will support library programs.

### CHARLEVOIX

#### HEALTH SCREENINGS

Charlevoix Area Hospital continues to offer walk-in health screenings on the first Wednesday of each month. The Wellness Wednesday hours are: 10am until 1pm and from 1:45pm until 4pm. Health Screens include: Cholesterol and blood Glucose levels, Body Mass Index (BMI) score, and a Blood

Pressure reading. Cost for the service is \$12. Participants will receive a blood pressure log, a pedometer, and all test results at the time of the screen. Heath Consultation and educational materials will be tailored to individual results by a Registered Nurse. Appointments can be made in advance by calling the Office of Community Health Education at: 231-547-8906.

### BOYNE CITY

#### DANCIN' IN THE STREETS

SoBo, the newly named South Boyne business district, presents Dancin' in the Streets Thursday, Aug. 27 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Bring your chairs, grab a sandwich, put on your dancing' shows and join us for an evening of fun. Sun Dogs will be performing.

### CHARLEVOIX

#### BERGMANN CENTER'S ANNUAL GARAGE SALE

Bergmann Center's Annual Garage Sale is a big hit for people looking for a huge sale where there is something for everyone. We are starting with "Early Bird Specials" for those who cannot resist by opening on Aug. 26 from 4pm to 8pm offering great deals, a tour of Bergmann Center, coffee and donuts! The actual sale is Aug. 27-29 from 9am to 3pm. Prices are by donation, but we like to wheel and deal, so

come one, come all, and let the prices fall! Also "Fill a Bag" Sale runs Sept. 3 & 4. Bergman Center is located at 08855 Martin Road in Charlevoix.

### CHARLEVOIX

#### CHAMBER GOLF OUTING

Join the Chamber and your colleagues for a round of golf at the 10th Annual Chamber Golf Outing Aug. 28. It will be an afternoon of fun in the sun at the Belvedere Golf Club!

### BOYNE CITY

#### LEADER OF THE PACK MOTORCYCLE RALLY

A benefit motorcycle rally & bike contest for the Charlevoix Area Humane Society on Aug. 28, Noon - 4pm. Learn to Ride Like a Pro. You too can learn the same fundamental skills that motor officers use. Even experienced riders will improve! Learn new skills, improve your abilities, challenge yourself. We're not going to teach you how to ride a motorcycle, we're going to teach you how to ride one better! Register on the day of the event at 220 Lake Street beginning at 8:30am.

### BOYNE CITY

#### LEADER OF THE PACK MOTORCYCLE RALLY & CHICKEN DINNER

Third Annual Leader of the Pack Motorcycle Rally/Poker Run & Chicken Dinner. Aug. 29, 10am - 3pm. Register in advance online at: [www.charlevoixhumane.org](http://www.charlevoixhumane.org) or the day of the event starting at 8:30 am at 220 Lake Street, Boyne City. Dinner begins at 4pm.

### EAST JORDAN

#### THE ART OF TRACKING

The Institute for Sustainable Living, Art, and Natural Design, (ISLAND) and the Martha Wagbo Farm and Education Center are partnering to bring you a valuable resource in outdoor education—tracking knowledge. If you are a hunter, a wildlife researcher, a nature photographer, or if

you have an interest in primitive skills or the animal world, then this workshop is for you. Activities will be lead by Paul Raphael, an experienced tracker who has worked with renowned outdoorsmen and has taught tracking classes across the United States and Europe. The workshop will be held at the Wagbo Farm, located at 5745 North M-66 - just south of East Jordan. It will last two days, starting Saturday, August 29th and ending Sunday, August 30th. Cost is \$30 for three meals and camping, \$25 for two meals without camping (breakfast excluded.) Overnight camping is available at the Wagbo Farm. Space is limited to just 15 participants, so register today!

### BOYNE CITY

#### CLASSIC INSTRUMENTS RECOGNIZED AGAIN BY INC. MAGAZINE

Inc. Magazine has ranked Classic Instruments of Boyne City as one of the top 5000 fastest growing companies in their annual business survey for the second consecutive year in 2009. Classic's sales are up 19.9 percent over the last three years. The Classic Instruments brand is over 30 years old, but the company was literally reinvented after being purchased from the founders in 2001. Building on Classic's established reputation for quality, John McLeod and his team at make gauges such as speedometers and tachometers for classic cars, combining modern electrical and microchip technology with the vintage styling of the originals. All product manufacturing is done in their Boyne City plant for worldwide markets.

### EAST JORDAN

#### USED BOOK SALE

Jordan Valley District Library's annual Used Book Sale now through Aug. 31. Hundreds of hardbacks, paperbacks, VHS and books on cassette will be available for bargain prices. These titles include Western, Mystery, Romance, Science Fiction, Adult, Young Adult, and Children's

fiction and non-fiction. Some of the books are volumes that have been discarded by the library and others are donations. Hardbacks are \$0.50 and paperbacks are \$0.25. All proceeds benefit the library. The book sale will be in the Community Room during library hours: Mon 9-7, Tue 9-5, Wed 9-7, Thu 9-5, Fri 9-5, Sat 9-1, Sun 1-5. Contact the library at 231-536-7131 or visit the website [jvdl.info](http://jvdl.info).

### CHARLEVOIX

#### WELLNESS WEDNESDAY

Charlevoix Area Hospital continues to offer walk-in health screenings on the first Wednesday of each month. The Wellness Wednesday hours are: 10:00 am until 1:00 pm and from 1:45pm until 4:00 pm. Health Screens include: Cholesterol and blood Glucose levels, Body Mass Index (BMI) score, and a Blood Pressure reading. Cost for the service is \$12.00. Participants will receive a blood pressure log, a pedometer, and all test results at the time of the screen. Heath Consultation and educational materials will be tailored to individual results by a Registered Nurse. Appointments can be made in advance by calling the Office of Community Health Education at: 231-547-8906.

### ELLSWORTH

#### FRONT PORCH CAFÉ

#### CELEBRATES 1 YEAR

The Front Porch Cafe celebrates its first anniversary with a Picnic Dinner and Concert featuring national recording artist, Jill Jack on Friday evening, September 4, under the pavilion in the new Ellsworth Community Park. From 6:00 to 7:00pm a Picnic dinner will be served featuring Brats, Hot Dogs, Roast Corn and Beverage. At 7:00 Jill Jack performs! The Picnic dinner and concert are by free will offering. Please bring your lawn chairs and blankets to be comfortable. In case of rain, the dinner and concert will be moved indoors to the Banks Township Hall. For more information, please call 231-588-2000. The Front Porch Cafe is a 501C3 non-profit organization.

### BOYNE CITY

#### CAR SHOW

Plan to attend the annual Labor Day Weekend Car Show, Sept. 5 sponsored by the Boyne City Rotary club. Held annually on the Saturday before Labor Day at Veterans Memorial Park on the shore of beautiful Lake Charlevoix in Boyne City

### CHARLEVOIX

#### ROYAL CRAFT SHOW

Castle Farms is proud to host the annual Royal Craft Show in beautiful Charlevoix, Michigan on Labor Day Weekend. The grounds and buildings of Castle Farms will be the host to one of Michigan's most prestigious craft shows where thousands of visitors will attend this event. This craft show will feature only the finest arts and crafts

that can be found and will be held in one of the most affluent areas in the state. The Royal Craft Show hours are Saturday, Sept. 5, 10am - 5pm, and Sunday, Sept. 6, 10am - 4pm. free parking with a \$3 per person admission fee. Children under 12 are admitted free. Food is available at a nominal charge. Pets are not allowed.

### BOYNE CITY

#### STROLL THE STREETS

Another season of Stroll the Streets fills downtown Boyne City with music and fun every Friday evening from 6 to 9 p.m. through Labor Day weekend. Music will range from traditional folk, blue grass and jazz to rock. Special activities include magicians, caricature artists, face painting and balloon twisting. This event is organized by the Boyne City Main Street Program.

### EAST JORDAN

#### GOOD NEIGHBOR DAY

Jordan Valley Floral in partnership with FTD and the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring Good Neighbor Day on Sept. 9. Receive a dozen free flowers with your non-perishable food donations for the East Jordan Care and Share. Just keep one flower for yourself and give the remaining flowers to someone else who will do the same until they are all distributed. Meet someone new, spread goodwill, tell someone that you care.

### CHARLEVOIX

#### KIWANIS'S 75TH

#### ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Come celebrate 75 years of supporting kids and all that they do on Sept. 10! Kiwanis is excited to share their Anniversary with those who have helped along the way. Tickets are available from any Kiwanis member for this great party held at Castle Farms in Charlevoix and catered by Grey Gables of Charlevoix.

### CHARLEVOIX

#### BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

On Sept. 10 from 5 to 7pm, attend Business After Hours sponsored by Pine River, Inc home of the E-log. It's a premier networking opportunity.

### EAST JORDAN

#### CONCERTS IN THE PARK

The Jordan Valley Community Band presents Concerts in the Park on each Thursday in July from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at the Memorial Park Bandshell. Rain location Senior Center.

### EAST JORDAN

#### GOLF OUTING FUNDRAISER

Fourth Annual Memorial Event in Memory of Jeremy and Nick Bingham. Saturday, Sept. 12 at The Mallard to register call the Mallard at 536-3636. Proceeds go to the Endowment Fund for Annual Scholarship.

## CROSSWORD

### Across

1- Change for a five; 5- Clock face; 9- First name in country; 13- Track event; 14- Division of a long poem; 15- Epic narrative poem; 16- Novelist Waugh; 17- Diciembre follower; 18- Dynamic beginning; 19- Closer; 21- Microwave; 22- Unhearing; 23- Chow; 25- Bristle; 27- Three points scored by one player; 31- Saw for cutting wood with the grain; 35- French 101 verb; 36- Disgusting; 38- Hiding place; 39- Battery size; 40- Country bumpkin; 42- Greek X; 43 - Dress with care; 46- Salver; 47- Minerals; 48- Farm storage; 50- Without sin; 52- American space agency; 54- Short tail; 55- Heroic adventure tale; 58- Pouch; 60- Rubbed out; 64- Came down to earth; 65- Writer Jong; 67- Strong wind; 68- Bog; 69- Out; 70- Lubricates; 71- "\_\_\_ Rider" starred Clint Eastwood; 72- "Orinoco Flow" singer; 73- Minn. neighbor;

### Down

1- Arabian sultanate; 2- Egypt's river; 3- Zeno's home; 4- Give off; 5- Rockers Steely \_\_\_; 6- Don Juan's mother; 7- Gillette razors; 8- Inchworm; 9- Adjust again; 10- Blunted blade; 11- Aboriginal rite site; 12- Beginning; 14- Confirm; 20- Decoration at the top of a chair leg; 24- Go swiftly; 26- \_\_\_ the season...; 27- Piles; 28- Pong maker; 29- Track; 30- Large Nepalese knife; 32- \_\_\_ bleu!; 33- Gray; 34- Card game; 37- Inclines; 41- Sharp-sighted; 44- Plant-eating aquatic mammal; 45- Links org.; 47- Polygon having eight sides; 49- Ancient Palestinian; 51- Belonging to us; 53- Brother of Moses; 55- Coarsely ground corn; 56- Inter \_\_\_; 57- Female child; 59- Large town; 61- Aforementioned; 62- First name in scat; 63- Writing table; 66- The Company;

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## LOCAL NEWS

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## TECHNOLOGY

# Beware of the TROJAN!!

## There is a New Deadly Computer Virus on the Block

It's called the MPAck Rootkit and it installs Ultra-Invisible Trojans and other variant rootkits. MPAck hacker tool kit is installing malware that carries out all its chores - including spewing spam - from within the Windows kernel, making it extremely difficult for some security software to detect.

It injects many Trojan horse's into the user's computer, two stand out the most. They are called 'Srizbi' and 'Torpig' which are being dropped onto PCs by the multi-exploit MPAck, a ready-to-use attack. Although MPAck can force-feed any malicious code into a commandeered PC, researchers said Srizbi stands out. Rather than follow the current practice of hiding only some activities with rootkit cloaking technologies, Srizbi goes completely undercover. The new Trojan does everything from kernel-mode, including its main task: sending spam. This technique also allows the Trojan to bypass firewall and sniffer tools, and to hide all its network activities. If your security software is relying only on Windows' APIs to detect malware, you won't be protected.

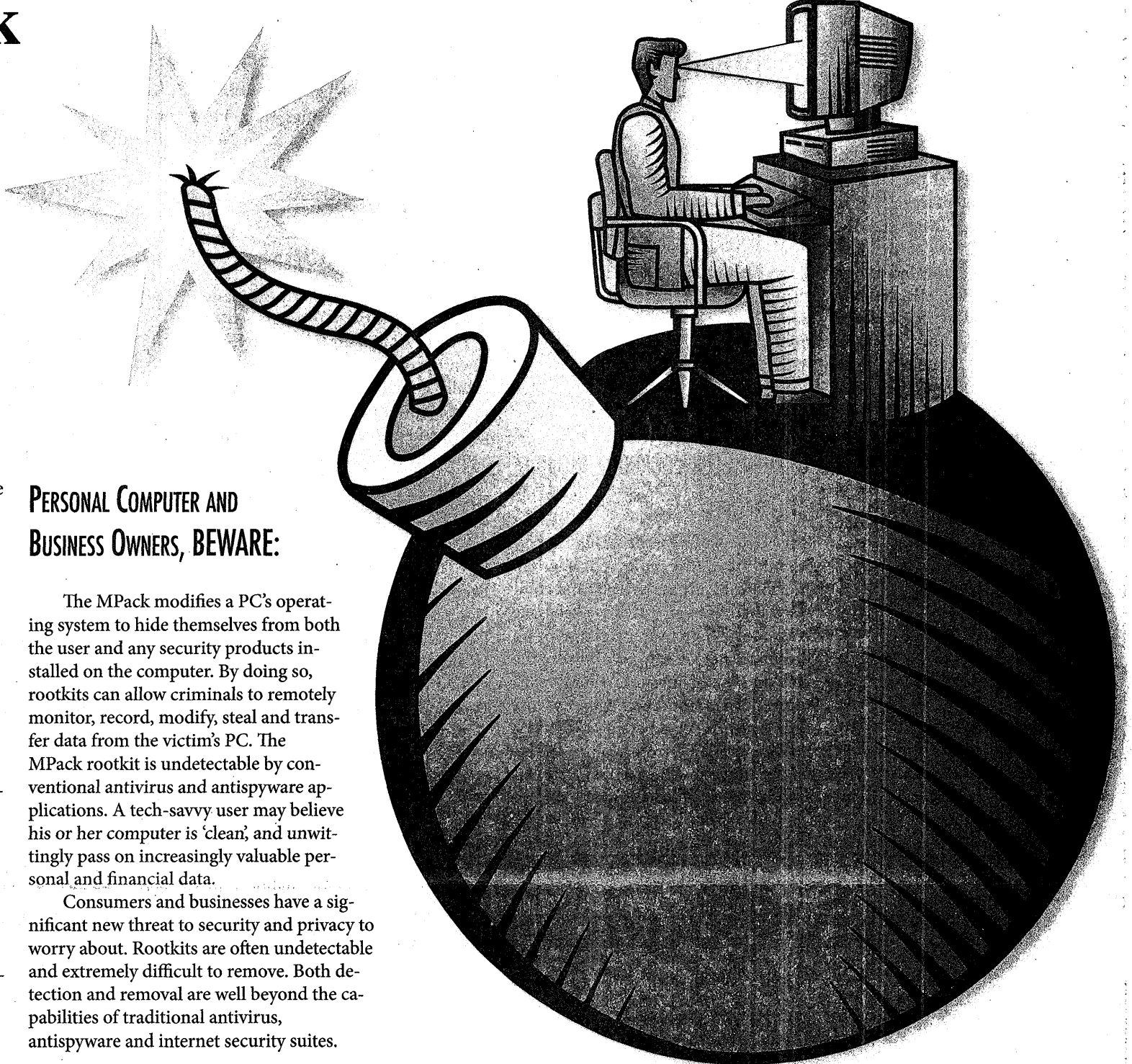
Torpig, is a type of botnet spread by a variety of trojan horses which can affect computers that use Microsoft Windows. Torpig circumvents anti-virus applications through the use of rootkit technology and data mines the infected system for credentials, accounts and passwords as well as potentially allowing attackers full access to the computer. It is also purportedly capable of modifying data on the computer it infects.

To date, it has been responsible for stealing the details of about 500,000 online bank accounts and credit and debit cards and is described as "one of the most advanced pieces of crimeware ever created"

### HOW A COMPUTER BECOMES INFECTED WITH MPAck:

As a computer user browsing the Internet, you are at risk. This attack can occur on almost any site, as long as it has been compromised, by merely connecting to a Web site, maybe even one that the user has been browsing for years. The user might not even be aware of it, unless they are running the appropriate spyware, anti-virus, or other security tools.

The problem is that even if the user keeps up with the latest antivirus updates, they could still be at risk. This is because the MPAck kit is constantly being updated. The manufacturer of the MPAck kit guarantees that no virus scan software will detect new versions.



### PERSONAL COMPUTER AND BUSINESS OWNERS, BEWARE:

The MPAck modifies a PC's operating system to hide themselves from both the user and any security products installed on the computer. By doing so, rootkits can allow criminals to remotely monitor, record, modify, steal and transfer data from the victim's PC. The MPAck rootkit is undetectable by conventional antivirus and antispyware applications. A tech-savvy user may believe his or her computer is 'clean', and unwittingly pass on increasingly valuable personal and financial data.

Consumers and businesses have a significant new threat to security and privacy to worry about. Rootkits are often undetectable and extremely difficult to remove. Both detection and removal are well beyond the capabilities of traditional antivirus, antispyware and internet security suites.

### HARMFUL ACTIONS THAT COULD TAKE PLACE:

- Erasing or overwriting data on a computer.
- Corrupting files in a subtle way.
- Upload and download files.
- Spreading other malware, such as viruses.
- Spying on the user of a computer and covertly reporting data (like browsing habits) to others.
- Make screenshots.
- Logging keystrokes to steal information such as passwords and credit card numbers (also known as a key logger).
- Phish for bank or other account details, which can be used for criminal activities.

Trojans have the same right on the system as does the logged in user. In other

words, if the user can, the Trojan can. This includes deleting or modifying files, installing other software, uninstalling software, or sending sensitive password and login information to a remote attacker. While broadband users are the favorite targets, even dial-up users can be unwitting participants. Various studies have demonstrated that any vulnerable system can be compromised within as little as 5 minutes online.

### MPACK ROOTKIT'S SYMPTOMS:

- Slow computer performance.
- Unexplained activity on the victim's machine indicative of someone having remote access via the client component.
- Unknown processes are running. Unknown ports are open. Reduced sys-

tem performance.  
Unknown download files.  
-Disabled sections of security areas of Windows operating systems, such as Security Center, Windows Update, RegEdit, Task Manager, etc.  
- Unable to execute Antivirus or Anti-spyware software.  
- Unable to establish connection to the internet.

This information has been provided by PC Plus Innovations, located in the Gaylord Area. If you feel that you are experiencing any of these effects or symptoms disclosed in this article, feel free to contact us at 989-448-8425 or email [pcplusinnovations@gmail.com](mailto:pcplusinnovations@gmail.com).



## Bill Bynum & Co. Brings Bluegrass and Country Music to Aten Place

On Saturday, August 29th at 7:00 pm, the sounds of old time country and bluegrass will fill the barn at Aten Place. With songs both traditional and original, and a sound that is at once as comfortable as a pair of old jeans, Bill Bynum & Co. is a band that is easy to love and hard to quit. The band's core of guitar, dobro, fiddle, bass and harmony vocals can lean into bluegrass, veer toward country, or take listeners on a unique journey through Bill's original songs.

Although a Detroit na-

tive, Bill's musical roots are in the South. His parents migrated from Black Oak, Arkansas to work in Detroit's steel industry in the 1940s, bringing, like many others, their love for bluegrass and country music. Bill grew up listening to artists like Johnny Cash and Buck Owens on Detroit's country radio station, and soon found himself with a non-stop desire to hear and play those songs. The company in Bill Bynum & Co. is Chuck Anderson on bass, Dave Keeney on dobro and

Mary Seelhorst on fiddle and vocals.

Aten Place is located 1/2 mile south of Cherry Hill Road on Old Mackinaw Trail in Boyne Falls. The venue is a ninety-five year old oak frame barn with seating for 180, overlooking the Boyne River valley, in the shadow of Boyne Mountain. All tickets are \$10 at the door. Tickets go on sale at 6:00 pm the day of the concert. Normally concerts start at 7:30, but this concert will start a hour earlier at 7:00 p.m. Aten Place is a non-profit en-

deavor, and no food or beverage is sold on the premises. Many patrons bring snacks and desserts to share at intermission. There is also a covered picnic pavilion for those who wish to come early and enjoy the grounds and peaceful setting.

For more information on this summer's schedule go to [www.atenplace.com](http://www.atenplace.com) or call Bill or Maxine Aten at 231-549-2076.

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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

LOCAL NEWS DROP BOXES

The Charlevoix County News has placed drop boxes for residents to easily submit news, photos, wedding announcements, classified ads and other local content.

BOYNE CITY

CHALLENGE 4 KIDS RELAY

Boyne City Booster Foundation Fundraiser Sept. 12 for the Boyne City Public Schools held at the Boyne City Track.

EAST JORDAN

CHILDREN'S PLAY GROUP

The library and the Women's Resource Center collaborate together to promote reading to young children during play group.

group and Library Assistant, Robin Moyer implement the program. It is a free program available for children from birth to four years old and is held every Wednesday from 9:30am to 11am in the library's community room.

BOYNE CITY

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Sept. 17 - Business After Hours at Boyne Medical/Boyne Rehab Center, 197 State St., 5:30pm.

EAST JORDAN

EAST JORDAN FARMER'S MARKET

Enjoy the freshness each Thursday now thru October from 9am to 1pm at Sportsmen's Park. Accepts Project Fresh, contact Shirley Vollbach at 231-536-2526

BOYNE CITY

GARDEN CLUB COOKBOOK INCLUDES 400 RECIPES

The Boyne Valley Garden Club has collected the best recipes from group members, family and friends and compiled them into an attractive keepsake cookbook.

Provisions, CindiFranco's Cool Stuff, Boyne Avenue Greenhouse and Florist, Country Now and Then-Up the Lazy River, and the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce. All proceeds will go toward the purchase of flowers for Boyne City gardens.

ELLSWORTH

ELLSWORTH FARMERS MARKET

Enjoy the fresh offerings from local growers every Saturday, 8am-Noon through October.

CHARLEVOIX

CHARLEVOIX FARMERS MARKET

Enjoy the Charlevoix Farmers Market held every Thursday through September 24th, from 9am to 1pm in downtown East Park.

BOYNE CITY

FARMERS MARKET

Every Wednesday and Saturday 8am to Noon through October in the Old City Park. The Farmers Market is expected to move to its new temporary location at the end of Water Street next to Sunset Park and the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce in late July or August.

Charlevoix County Rallies to Fight Cancer

235+ area residents raise over \$36,000 to fight cancer

(Charlevoix County) - Over 235 residents and friends from around Charlevoix County rallied together in their fight against cancer by participating in the Relay For Life of Charlevoix County the American Cancer Society's signature event.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life, a team-based fundraising event, is a unique, empowering and fun way to make a difference in the fight against cancer.

"Relay was an inspiring event. The sheer number of people that came to support survivors as they took their victory lap and the families there to remember loved ones lost to the disease by lighting a lumina truly offered hope that one day cancer will not be a major health problem," said Lindsey Malpass-Skop, PR/Media Chair for Charlevoix County "Overnight, lives were changed forever."

At the heart of Relay For Life were two opportunities to pay tribute to those who have battled cancer. During the Victory Lap, 30 cancer survivors from the surrounding community walked a celebratory lap around the track together, signifying their victory over a disease which claims the lives of one in four Americans each year.

Numerous community sponsors, committee members, teams, participants and donors made the 2009 American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Charlevoix County possible.

"Relay For Life is a perfect example of the great results that can be accomplished through teamwork," said Jennifer Wilson, of Great Lakes Energy. "By joining together we built strong teams, raised money and united our community in fighting back against cancer."



Area residents Sarah Boeckman, Steve Boeckman and Dave Hickman walk to support the fight against cancer.

Donations can still be made to American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Charlevoix County by visiting www.relayforlife.org and clicking on Find Relay Events.

As the Society's signature event, Relay For Life celebrates 25 years of bringing cancer survivors and anyone touched by the disease together. Held overnight in honor of the fact that cancer never sleeps, Relay For Life has grown from a single event in Tacoma, Wash. that raised \$27,000 to the largest grassroots movement nationwide.

The American Cancer Society is dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by saving lives, diminishing suffering and preventing cancer through research, education, advocacy and service. Founded in 1913 and with national headquarters in Atlanta, the Society has 13 regional divisions and local offices in 3,400 communities, involving millions of volunteers across the United States.



FOCUS ON THE FAMILY

with Dr. James Dobson

CHILDREN'S BEHAVIOR MAY BE ACCIDENTAL, NOT INTENTIONAL.

QUESTION: I need more help understanding how to interpret childish behavior. My problem is that I don't know how to react when my son, Chris, annoys me.

DR DOBSON: Obviously, the first thing you have to do is determine Chris' intent, his feelings, and his thoughts. Is there evidence that Chris is challenging your authority?

Let me be specific. Suppose Chris is acting silly in the living room and falls into a table, breaking some expensive china cups and other trinkets.

On the other hand, when a child screams obscenities at his mother or stamps his foot and tells her to shut up, something very different is going on.

You have drawn a line in the dirt, and Chris has tossed his cute little toe across it. Who is going to win? Who has the most courage? Who is in charge here?

In summary, when misbehavior occurs, your obligation is to look first at the issue of intent, and second, at the issue of respect.

QUESTION: Do you think a child should be required to say "thank you" and "please" around the house?

DR. DOBSON: I sure do. Requiring these phrases is one method of reminding the child that his is not a "gimme-gimme" world.

Dr. Dobson is founder and Chairman Emeritus of the nonprofit organization Focus on the Family, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80995 (www.focusonthefamily.org).

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CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Grid of crossword puzzle solutions with words like ONES, MILE, ALEC, NEARER, HATRICK, ETRE, AAA, PRIMP, SILAGE, SAGA, ALIT, MIRE, PALE, DIAL, CANTO, ENERO, ZAP, SETA, RIPSAW, FOUL, STASH, YOKEL, CHI, TRAY, ORES, INNOCENT, NASASA, SCUT, SAC, ERA, SED, ERICA, GALE, NOTIN, OILS, ENYA, NDAK.

# Leveling the Technology Field

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yet for many Northern Michigan residents, access to fast, reliable Internet service remains unattainable to this day.

In a "white paper" regarding the Cooperative Development of Broadband Service in Northern Michigan, Charles Scott relates; "Remarkably, after more than 12 years since the Internet burst onto the popular scene, rural areas in Northern Lower Michigan still remain devoid of Broadband services."

He notes that the reasons behind this lack of service are centered on the poor return on investment commercial service providers would achieve in attempting to reach the many rural, lightly populated areas, further complicated by the difficult, wooded, hilly terrain found in much of the region.

The result is that today, many Northern Lower Michigan homes, businesses and communities are falling precariously behind in the information age, a trend that is impeding economic development, preventing access to essential services, and negatively affecting quality of life.

Charles Scott is now vice-president and board member of the Northern Michigan Broadband Cooperative (NMBC).

He states, "The objective of the NMBC is to provide high speed services to the Northern Michigan area equal to or better than the services available in major metropolitan areas of the state. Building an infrastructure capable of doing that, which means creating fiber-optic network throughout much of Northern Lower Michigan, will result in virtually every area having the availability of high speed broadband services that will level the

technology field for now and in the future. To meet current and future demands, it is important to build an infrastructure that is robust enough to continue to meet needs fifty years from now."

The Federal Communications Commission defines Broadband as being capable of transmission speeds exceeding 200 kilobits per second (a typical "dial-up" telephone base service operates around 50 kilobits per second). NMBC believes that a system capable of servicing today's needs, as well as tomorrow's needs, should be designed for speeds well in excess of that. Fiber optic technology easily supports speeds beyond 100 Megabits per second and can support a wide range of user needs.

Incorporated last year as a non-profit cooperative covering 21 Northern Lower Michigan counties, the NMBC has recently applied for a federal stimulus grant to move their project forward. Competition for the grant includes private sector Internet service providers representing a variety of technologies, though Charles Scott points out that many of the environmental characteristics that have impeded development of high speed technology to date are also obstacles to the effectiveness of alternative distribution methods such as wireless data systems.

"Northern Michigan has a unique character," he states, "with hills and dense vegetation that wireless technology cannot service effectively or reliably." "We are a traditional cooperative; a group of individuals and entities getting together to solve those problems in a non profit structure. This approach reduces revenue dilution and makes us more palatable to a broad group of entities, crosses bound-



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BroadbandPhoto1; Northern Michigan Broadband Cooperative "kick-off" meeting in June of 2009.

aries between the private and public sectors, orchestrating a central solution for bringing parties together to solve the challenge of providing high speed service to our rural areas."

Currently, Northern Lower Michigan is drastically underserved in the high speed information age, and the Northern Michigan Broadband Cooperative has established a goal to remedy this technological inequity.

Steve Neal, president of NMBC,

states, "Our goal is to bring urban quality and pricing to rural Northern Michigan. Making information available on the Internet can save a tremendous amount of time for local governments, educators, and health care providers. To business and consumer customers, that means they can do business with those entities on line, greatly reducing the amount of time and effort required. That also applies to health care, as patients can access information right from their home. In the area of education, a number one factor affecting the process is engaging the kids. With high speed access, parents can go on line to a web site to see firsthand what their kids are doing in school on a day to day basis, even monitoring class attendance, viewing progress reports and report cards, or obtaining notifications of events."

Steve adds, "The NMBC is just getting our sea legs. The first step is to apply for stimulus fund grants, next is USDA rural utility service infrastructure loans." He affirms, "We aren't doing this to make money, we are doing this to solve a problem."

For additional information, please visit the Northern Michigan Broadband Cooperative web site at [www.northernmichiganbroadband.com](http://www.northernmichiganbroadband.com).

Photos

## Dr McMillian's Mental Health Corner



### SODA

#### Not Just a Soft Drink!

Social anxiety is a persistent fear of social situations that potentially arouse embarrassment or shame. Social anxiety ranges from, hand tremors, stumbling over words, to avoiding people. Those with social anxiety have tangled thoughts, hand tremors, heart palpitations as signals to escape social encounters. The questions start, what if I say or look stupid, or I can't talk to them. The anxiety ramps up, then, verbal skills become more difficult for the brain to access. Interactions have four core stages, Stop, Observe, Deliberate, and Act. (SODA)

#### Learn A Social Approach

(S)-Say hi, or I haven't seen you in a while. (O)-Does the person look in hurry or giving the cue that they have time to talk? (D)-What do you want to ask? Or has the other person asked you a question. (A)-Give brief answers. *When anxious, it is easy to unravel and give all the details.* Remember, you do not have to carry the entire conversation alone. Practice at home and give it a try.

Tammy McMillian, Ph.D.

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## WHO IS SUPPORTING THE N. MICHIGAN BROADBAND COOPERATIVE?

- US Senator Carl Levin
- US Senator Debbie Stabenow (sent directly to grantor)
- US Representative Bart Stupak
- Michigan State Senator Jason Allen
- Michigan State Senator Tony Stamas
- Michigan State Representative Joel Sheltrown
- Michigan State Representative Kevin A. Elsenheimer
- Alcona County
- Alcona Township
- Aloha Township
- Alpena Area Chamber of Commerce
- Alpena Township
- Bagley Township
- Belknap Township
- Bush, Robert E.
- Boyer City Commission
- Case Township
- Charlevoix County
- Charlevoix-Cheboygan-Emmet Central Dispatch Authority
- Charlton Township
- City of Alpena
- City of Cheboygan
- City of Gaylord
- City of Grayling
- City of Onaway
- City of Rogers City
- Clinton Township
- Corwith Township
- Crawford County Economic Development Partnership
- Crystal Clear Title & Escrow Agency
- Davis Tree Farm Nursery and Technical Services
- East Jordan Family Health Center
- Ellis Township
- Emmet County
- Fort Fudge Shop, Inc.
- Gaylord area Chamber of Commerce
- Grant Township
- Guston Township

- Hawes Township
- Haynes Township
- Icehouse Quilt Shop
- Indian River Chamber of Commerce
- Inverness Township
- Koehler Township
- Long Rapids Township
- Loud Township
- Lovells Township
- Maple Forest Township
- Maple Ridge Township
- Meadow Brook Medical Care Facility
- Mentor Township
- Michigan Decorations
- Mikado Township
- Millen Township
- Moltke Township
- Montmorency County
- Montmorency Township
- Mullett Township
- Munro Township
- Nadelhoffer, Knute, U of M Biological Station
- Needle Garphx
- NEMCOG
- North Allis Township
- Northeast Michigan Consortium
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# MOVIE GUIDE

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## MOVIE REVIEW

# Inglorious Basterds Takes No Prisoners

Group of Misfits Re-Write WWI History in Director Quentin Tarantino's Latest Film



By JIM AKANS

You've probably seen the promo's on television, or maybe someone you know has attended director Quentin Tarantino's latest film, *Inglorious Basterds*, but until you've actually sat through this lighting-fast paced, two-and-a-half hour movie, it's impossible to know what all the fuss is about.

The film is set in Nazi-occupied France, primarily in the city of Paris, during WWII. A group of eight, Jewish American soldiers (vigilantes may be a more apt description) led by Lieutenant Aldo Raine (a Brad Pitt role unlike any other), sets out on a mission to kill any Nazi soldier they encounter in a most gruesome fashion, (including a rather graphic scalping ritual), in order to spread fear among other Nazi's in the region. Well, they usually let one "lucky" soldier survive in order to communicate the horrific details of their encounter with the "Basterds."

Meanwhile, a young Jewish woman named Shosanna, who survived a Nazi elimination of the rest of her family, now runs a cinema in Paris where the upper echelon of the Third Reich plans to hold a movie premier for a propaganda film. Shosanna, who



has assumed a new identity, plans to make things a little "hot" for the Nazi's, and the Basterds have a plan in mind as well, and this sets the plot in motion toward a walloping conclusion.

Mix some outstanding acting, incredibly realistic sets, bombastic effects, and Quentin Tarantino's unique "spaghetti-western" inspired style, and the result is a hold on to your seats adventure that manages to maintain a level of suspense throughout its entire run time. As I tell the kids before a long trip; "take care of your business beforehand because we aren't going to stop"

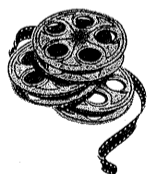
But this isn't a movie for the kids. The film's R rating isn't so much for foul language (there is some of that) or nudity (a brief stint), it's for the violence and gore. Anyone who has watched Quentin Tarantino's famous Kill Bill movies will understand his penchant for creating disgustingly realistic blood baths, and this film isn't an exception to that approach.

With that disclaimer, this is a movie that is absolutely captivating and I suspect we will be seeing a few nominations at next year's Oscar's...too bad about the title.

### EXIT COMMENTS:

- "Very suspenseful and well done...definitely revisionist history," *Roberta* - St. Petersburg, FL
- "I liked that there was at least some humor in it," *Connie & Andrew* - Roscommon
- "Typical Tarantino; draws it out to build suspense," *Andrew & Christina* - Boyne Falls
- "I kind of hate myself for liking it," *Elizabeth* - Onaway
- "I liked it but it was a bit bloody," *Jed & Denise* - West Branch

Movie;  
90%



EXIT POLL  
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You Prefer?

Popcorn;  
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## AREA MOVIE LISTINGS

### Gaylord Cinema West

AUG 28-SEPT 3  
Shorts - PG  
Starring: Jimmy Bennett, Devon Gearhart  
2:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**The Time Traveler's Wife**- PG13  
Starring: Rachel McAdams, Eric Bana  
2:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**Inglorious Basterds** - R  
Starring: Brad Pitt, Eli Roth  
1:30, 4:00, 6:45, 9:30  
**The Final Destination** - R  
Starring: Shantel Vansanten, Nick Zano  
2:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra**- PG13  
Starring: Dennis Quaid, Channing tatum  
2:00, 4:15  
**District 9** - R  
Starring: Jason Cope, Nathalie Boltz  
7:00, 9:15  
**Julia & Julia**- PG13  
Starring: Meryl Streep, Amy Adams  
2:00, 4:15, 7:00, 9:15

### Kingston Theatre,

AUG 28-SEPT 3  
**District 9** - R  
Starring: Jason Cope, Nathalie Boltz  
1:00, 3:15, 7:00, 9:15  
**The Final Destination** - R  
Starring: Shantel Vansanten, Nick Zano  
1:00, 3:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**The Ugly Truth** - R  
Starring: Katherine Heigl, Gerard Butler  
9:15  
**Shorts** - PG  
Starring: Jimmy Bennett, Devon Gearhart  
1:00, 3:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra**- PG13  
Starring: Dennis Quaid, Channing tatum  
1:00, 3:15, 7:00  
**The Proposal**- PG13  
Starring: Sandra Bullock  
1:00, 7:00  
**The Hangover**- R  
Starring: Bradley Cooper  
3:15, 9:15

### Petoskey Cinema,

AUG 28-SEPT 3  
**District 9** - R  
Starring: Jason Cope, Nathalie Boltz  
12:00, 7:00, 9:15  
**The Final Destination** - R  
Starring: Shantel Vansanten, Nick Zano  
11:45, 1:45, 3:45, 7:15, 9:15  
**The Time Traveler's Wife**- PG13  
Starring: Rachel McAdams, Eric Bana  
12:00, 2:15, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**Inglorious Basterds** - R  
Starring: Brad Pitt, Eli Roth  
11:45, 2:30, 6:45, 9:30  
**G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra**- PG13  
Starring: Dennis Quaid, Channing tatum  
2:00, 4:45  
**Halloween II** - R  
Starring: Tyler Mane, Brad Dourff  
12:00, 2:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00  
**Shorts** - PG  
Starring: Jimmy Bennett, Devon Gearhart  
11:45, 1:45, 3:45, 5:30, 7:15, 9:00

### 500 Days of Summer

- PG13  
Starring: Zoey Deschanel, Clark Gregg  
11:45, 1:45, 3:45, 5:30, 7:15, 9:00  
**Julia & Julia**- PG13  
Starring: Meryl Streep, Amy Adams  
11:45, 2:15, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15

### Bellaire Theatre,

AUG 28-SEPT 3  
**District 9** - R  
Starring: Jason Cope, Nathalie Boltz  
7:00 Nightly  
**Alien's In The attic**- PG  
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7:00 nightly

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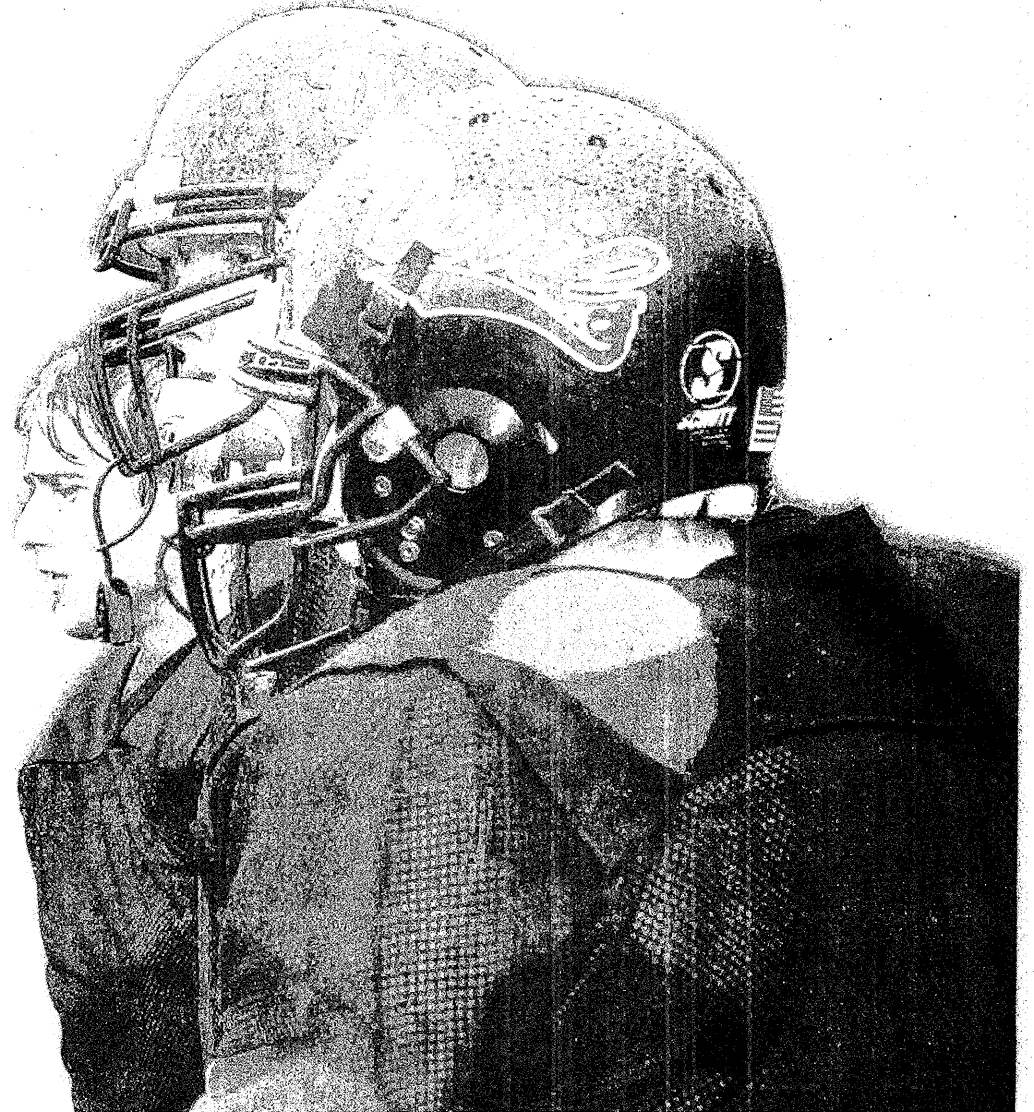
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# SEASON PREVIEW

BOYNE CITY RAMBLERS

CHARLEVOIX RAYDERS

EAST JORDAN RED DEVILS



The East Jordan Red Devils open the 2009 season Friday night at the field of Maple City Glen Lake. East Jordan, which lost a close one at home to the Lakers in the 2008 season opener, are hoping to reverse the outcome and get this season off on a winning note. (PHOTO BY MIKE DUNN)

## Gridiron season kicks off!

Rayders, Ramblers and Red Devils begin '09 campaign Friday

By MIKE DUNN

### East Jordan Red Devils

At East Jordan, second-year head coach Bill Tison is seeking to build on the momentum of last year's strong finish. The Red Devils finished 2-7 but won their last two games.

"We have our work cut out for us but we've set some goals that we believe are attainable," said Tison, who was the East Jordan JV coach for seven years prior to taking over the program. "We want to improve week by week and do the things that are necessary to put ourselves in a position to win. Our biggest goal is to win six games and make the playoffs. To do that, we need to avoid injuries, do things right and stay eligible."

East Jordan's offensive line should be a strength this

season. The line, anchored by senior guards Tanner Olstrom and Michael Becker, averages 220 pounds and exhibits good mobility. The line performed well in the preseason scrimmage at Bellaire. Junior Eric DeHaan, a two-way starter in the trenches a year ago, returns to one tackle slot and senior Eric Brun is back at the other. Junior David Sargent, up from the JV, is at center.

Senior Teddy Snowden returns under center to engineer the Red Devils' complex full house offensive schemes and leading rusher Michael Munich, a punishing runner, is back at fullback. Junior Robby Crick and sophomore Chris Yettaw join the varsity this year after playing well at the JV level. Both backs are legitimate breakaway threats. Junior Jacob Bier provides solid depth in the backfield.

When Snowden goes to the air, he has some familiar targets to throw to. Senior tight end Andrew Nemecek, a glue-fingered receiver and sturdy blocker, and senior wideout Billy Kraemer are both returning starters. Nemecek caught a TD pass in the scrimmage. Steady senior Tony Pentecost, who also serves as the long snapper, brings good hands and quickness to the receiver spot.

East Jordan's 5-3 defense is fueled by the fiery play of linebackers Becker, Yattew, Bier and Olstrom. Senior Josh Williams and DeHaan both return to the tackle spots on the D-line and are joined by junior nose guard Matt Warrington, who is a collision waiting to happen.

Nemecek at safety is the lone returning starter in the secondary. Crick and sophomore B.J. Steinhoff at the corners and speedy junior Akeem Brogan at strong safety make the jump from the JV.

The Red Devil defense has been noted for its aggressiveness and hard-nosed play and Tison sees that trend continuing.

"Basically, play pursue and plug the holes," he said. "We've always played pretty hard-nosed defense; the kids love to hit."

In addition to starting at guard and linebacker, Becker is also the team's kicker and punter. Last year, he averaged 40 yards per punt and he also has the accuracy and leg strength to give the Red Devils the opportunity for a field goal try whenever they penetrate the red zone.



East Jordan head coach Bill Tison discusses strategy with his team during a scrimmage held last week in Bellaire. Tison is in his second year as head coach after serving seven years as the JV coach. (PHOTO BY MIKE DUNN)

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## 2009 Gridiron Weekly Schedule

### Week 1

FRIDAY, AUG. 28

Boyer City at McBain, 7 p.m.  
Charlevoix at St. Ignace, 7 p.m.  
East Jordan at Glen Lake, 7 p.m.  
Johannesburg-Lewiston at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*

### Week 2:

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3

St. Ignace at East Jordan, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4

Sault White Plane (CN) at Boyne City, 7 p.m.  
Glen Lake at Charlevoix, 7 p.m.  
Atlanta at Central Lake, 7 p.m.

### Week 3

FRIDAY, SEPT. 11

Harbor Springs at Boyne City, 7 p.m.\*  
Charlevoix at Grayling, 7 p.m.\*  
East Jordan at T.C. St. Francis, 7 p.m.\*  
Central Lake at Forest Area, 7 p.m.\*

### Week 4

FRIDAY, SEPT. 18

Boyer City at Kalkaska, 7 p.m.\*  
T.C. St. Francis at Charlevoix, 7 p.m.\*  
Grayling at East Jordan, 7 p.m.\*  
Inland Lakes at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*

### Week 5

FRIDAY, SEPT. 25

T.C. St. Francis at Boyne City, 7 p.m.\*  
Charlevoix at East Jordan, 7 p.m.\*  
Gaylord St. Mary at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*

### Week 6

FRIDAY, OCT. 2

Charlevoix at Boyne City, 7 p.m.\*  
East Jordan at Elk Rapids, 7 p.m.\*  
Central Lake at Mancelona, 7 p.m.\*

### Week 7

FRIDAY, OCT. 9

Elk Rapids at Charlevoix, 7 p.m.\*  
Bellaire at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*  
**Saturday, Oct. 10**  
Boyer City at East Jordan, 3 p.m.\*

### Week 8

FRIDAY, OCT. 16

Elk Rapids at Boyne City, 7 p.m.  
Charlevoix at Kalkaska, 7 p.m.\*  
Pellston at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*

SATURDAY, OCT. 17

East Jordan at Harbor Springs, 3 p.m.

### Week 9

FRIDAY, OCT. 23

Boyer City at Grayling, 7 p.m.\*  
Harbor Springs at Charlevoix, 7 p.m.\*  
Kalkaska at East Jordan, 7 p.m.\*  
Onaway at Central Lake, 7 p.m.\*  
\*League game

## INDIVIDUAL FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

### Boyer City 2009

2008 RECORD: 9-2

Aug. 28 – at McBain, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 3 – SAULT STE. MARIE WHITE PINE, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 11 – HARBOR SPRINGS, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 18 – at Kalkaska, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 25 – TRAVERSE CITY ST. FRANCIS, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 2 – CHARLEVOIX, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 10 – at East Jordan, 3 p.m.\*  
Oct. 16 – ELK RAPIDS, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 23 – at Grayling, 7 p.m.\*  
\* Lake Michigan Conference

### Central Lake-Ellsworth

2008 RECORD: 9-2

Aug. 28 – JOHANNESBURG-LEWISTON, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 4 – ATLANTA, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 11 – at Fife Lake Forest Area, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 18 – INLAND LAKES, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 25 – GAYLORD ST. MARY, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 2 – at Mancelona, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 9 – BELLAIRE, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 16 – PELLSTON, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 23 – ONAWAY, 7 p.m.\*  
\* Ski Valley Conference

### Charlevoix

2008 RECORD: 5-5

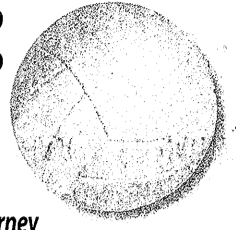
Aug. 28 – at St. Ignace, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 3 – MAPLE CITY GLEN LAKE, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 11 – at Grayling, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 18 – TRAVERSE CITY ST. FRANCIS, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 25 – at East Jordan, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 2 – at Boyne City, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 9 – ELK RAPIDS, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 16 – at Kalkaska, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 23 – HARBOR SPRINGS, 7 p.m.\*  
\* Lake Michigan Conference

### East Jordan

2008 RECORD: 2-7

Aug. 28 – at Maple City Glen Lake, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 3 – ST. IGNACE, 7 p.m.  
Sep. 11 – at Traverse City St. Francis, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 18 – GRAYLING, 7 p.m.\*  
Sep. 25 – CHARLEVOIX, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 2 – at Elk Rapids, 7 p.m.\*  
Oct. 10 – BOYNE CITY, 3 p.m.\*  
Oct. 17 – at Harbor Springs, 3 p.m.\*  
Oct. 23 – KALKASKA, 7 p.m.\*  
\* Lake Michigan Conference

## Volleyball:



Lancers take second at St. Mary

Ingalls, Drenth shine at service stripe;

Charlevoix reaches semifinals of Pellston tourney

By MIKE DUNN

GAYLORD – Ellsworth got the 2009 volleyball season off to a fine start in the Gaylord St. Mary Invitational on Saturday. The Lancers posted a 5-1-1 mark on the day, advancing to the championship match before losing to a very good Johannesburg-Lewiston team, 12-25, 25-10, 15-11.

Ellsworth split with the Cardinals earlier in the day, 17-25, 25-12, and had wins over St. Mary (25-20, 25-18), Alanson (25-8, 25-14), Mancelona (25-14, 25-20) and Fairview (25-7, 25-14) in pool play. The Lancers faced Mancelona again in the semifinals and swept the Lady Ironmen 25-14, 25-14 to reach the finals.

Jalyn Ingalls had a big day at the net, recording 37 kills with eight blocks. Ingalls and teammate Haley Drenth were bazoookas at the service stripe, launching one missile after another. Ingalls collected 30 aces and Drenth had 37. Emily Blaney blasted 18 aces with 10 kills and 41 digs and Savanna Karhoff recorded 27 digs.

### RAYDERS REACH SEMIFINALS

PELLSTON – Charlevoix reached the semifinals of Saturday's invitational tourney at Pellston, posting a 4-1-1 mark along the way.

The Rayders won their pool, defeating eventual tourney champion Pellston in the first match of the day, 25-20, 25-20, and going on to sweep Central Lake (25-22, 25-18) and Mio (25-13, 25-12) and split with Suttons Bay (25-17, 20-25).

In the championship bracket, Charlevoix beat Boyne City (25-16, 25-19) in the quarterfinals before falling to Kingsley 25-20, 25-16 in the semifinals.

Setter Jenna Way and libero Taylor Storm both earned a spot on the 10-player All-Tournament Team. Way set the table all day for her teammates, amassing 77 assists, and she was a force at the service stripe as well, recording 12 aces. Storm was reliable as the sunrise in the back row, accumulating 79 digs on the day.

Allison Hankin cast a long shadow in the middle for the Rayders, notching 10 blocks, and outside hitter Isis Hang was a hammer at the net, drilling 27 kills with 32 digs. Katie Mays (21 kills), Bobbie Molter (20 kills) and Sarah Potter (20 kills) were strong up front as well. Potter and Kelly Greyerbiel covered the floor in the back row like a fresh coat of wax, producing 20 and 11 digs, respectively.

## Mallard Golf Club of East Jordan League Results

THURSDAY SENIOR MEN'S LEAGUE-AUG. 20

1. Don Skinkle and Herman Spaay .....63
2. Leo McCallup and Wally Tiefenthal .....59
3. Russ Hanselman and Dave Smith .....58

MONDAY EVENING COUPLES LEAGUE-AUG. 17

1. Mark and Darlene Folsom .....36
2. Bart and Gail Petrich .....34.5
2. John and Joyce Brock .....34.5

Longest Putt – John Brock

Closest-to-pin No. 4 – Deb Odium

Closest-to-pin No. 6 – Doug Stark

TUESDAY MEN'S LEAGUE-AUG. 11

1. Ray LaVoie and Keith Stewart .....54
2. John Stark and Chris Guznezak .....50.5
3. Vail Shepard and Dave Smith .....50

Closest-to-pin No. 4 – Steve Leamon

Closest-to-pin No. 6 – Tom Cannon

## DNR FISH REPORT

Salmon fishing is faring well

Fly fishing remains good in AuSable River

Good reports are still coming in from most locations for salmon and lake trout fishing. Light numbers of salmon have started to move into some rivers but the big spawning run is still a few weeks away.

Petoskey - Salmon have been caught but the fish are scattered. Anglers have taken fish 95 feet down in 150 feet of water on spoons and flies. A few fish were taken in shallow waters in the early morning or late evening. Pier anglers fishing at night should start catching fish soon. Lake trout have been caught just off the bottom in 140 feet of water.

Charlevoix - Salmon continues to be the focus with fish caught on spoons and flies 95 to 140 feet down in waters 250 to 300 feet deep. Good lake trout action just off the bottom in waters 140 feet deep. Pier anglers should start to catch salmon in the next few weeks. Spawning runs are still a few weeks away.

Lake Bellaire - Walleye anglers are trolling near the access sites and the narrows with crawler harnesses, spoons, or stick baits. Some caught fish when jigging leeches or crawlers. Small to medium bass were caught near the mouth of the river and along the west side of the lake. Anglers are casting tube baits, crank baits or plastics. Pike are hitting on spinners or stick baits in 15 feet of water. Yellow perch were caught but most were small.

Rogers City - Bigger chinook salmon are being caught. Most are averaging 10 to 15 pounds however some are bigger. Most were caught south between Calcite and Adams Point when trolling the top half of the water column. Some are shallow while others could be found in 70 to 110 feet of water. Good colors were green and silver, blue and silver, watermelon, black and white, green or blue. The bite was best right at sun up or right after sunset when using anything that glows.

Presque Isle - Anglers are catching chinook, lake trout and walleye in 65 to 110 feet of water between the lighthouses or straight out from the Red Can at the harbor. Use anything that glows in the top half of the water column. Find structure and bait-

fish.

Alpena - A few walleye were caught in 20 to 30 feet of water around Thunder Bay Island. North Point is also producing some fish. Reef runners seem to work best.

Thunder Bay River - More anglers are fishing the river and taking home walleye, smallmouth bass and catfish. Most everyone is fishing with crawlers and leeches. Night fishing is best for catfish and walleye. A good number of walleye have been caught around the mouth in 20 to 30 feet of water.

Au Sable River - Fly fishing has been real good this summer. The North Branch and the mainstream have excellent hatches of tiny olives and trico. White flies are starting below Mio and catch rates are very good for rainbow trout.

Higgins Lake - Rock bass have been caught everywhere. Warm weather had the perch hitting out around Treasure Island and the area called the "Table Top". Lake trout have been caught when trolling cowbells with body baits.

Houghton Lake - Walleye were being caught but catch rates for pike slowed. Smaller bluegills are shallow while the bigger fish were suspended in deeper water.

Tawas - Walleye have been caught near the Steeples, 50 to 70 feet of water off Tawas Point, the reefs northeast of Big Charity Island and down towards Alabaster. Crawler harnesses caught the most fish. Pier and river fishing remains slow, with a few perch, smallmouth bass or rock bass caught.

Au Gres - Had very good walleye fishing in 30 to 35 feet of water off the mouth of the Au Gres River, out around the Charity Islands, and south of the port.

Traverse City - In the East Bay, salmon are scattered throughout and the bite has not been consistent. Whitefish were found by those jigging spoons between Deep Water Point and Elk Rapids. In the West Bay, salmon have been caught in the "Hole" off the Boardman River. The better action has been in the early morning or just before dark when trolling flasher/fly combinations in green or white and glow spoons during low light conditions. Good lake trout action on the south side of Marion Island.

Frankfort - Salmon have been caught out deep. Most are trolling meat rigs and J-Plugs in the early morning or late evening. Pier fishing was slow.

Betsie River - Light numbers of salmon were reported in the river but the main run has not yet begun.

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**BINGHAM MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT SEPT. 12**

**EAST JORDAN** — The fourth annual Bingham Memorial Golf Tournament will be held Saturday, Sept. 12, at the Mallard Golf Club in East Jordan. The event, held in memory of Jeremy and Nick Bingham, features a 9 a.m. shotgun start and a 1 p.m. shotgun start with a scramble format for men, women and mixed teams.

The registration fee of \$50 per person or \$200 per four-person team includes a cart, 9 holes of golf and prizes for the longest drive, the longest putt and closest-to-the-pin. There is also a \$5,000 prize offered for a hole-in-one.

To golf 18 holes, there is an additional \$25 fee and that also includes dinner at noon.

The dinner featuring hamburgers, hotdogs, salad, dessert and drink is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children 5-12.

There will be a silent auction from 3-5 p.m., a 50/50 raffle, and a money raffle at 4 p.m. with a \$500 first prize, \$300 second prize and \$200 third prize.

Proceeds from the event go to the endowment fund for the annual Bingham Scholarship. Winners of the 2009 scholarship award were Andrew Boyer and Hailey Crick.

To register, contact the Mallard Golf Club at (231) 536-3636. For information about donations or the benefit, call (231) 536-7668 or (231) 350-0810.

Donations may be sent to 2487 Adams Road, East Jordan, MI 49727.

**SENIOR GAMES SET FOR SEPT. 9-10**

**TRAVERSE CITY** — The 30th annual Northwest Senior Games will be held in Traverse City Sept. 9-10. The Games feature a variety of competitions for those 50 and older, including 5K run, golf, swimming, horseshoes, track and field events, bike race, billiards and bowling, shuffleboard and miniature golf, in addition to Wii tennis and Wii bowling.

The registration fee of \$6 allows participation in all of the events, though there is an additional fee for golf (\$10 for walking, \$15 for a cart) at Elmbrook Golf Course and an additional \$6 per person for bowlers who aren't participating in any other event. There is also a \$2 fee for miniature golf and billiards at Wilderness Crossing.

The registration deadline is Sept. 1 for the 5K run, golf, swimming, biking, bowling, shuffleboard, billiards and horseshoes. Advance registration is encouraged for all other events, though on-site registration is accepted.

For more information contact the Traverse City Senior Center at (231) 922-4911 or send an e-mail to [lwells@tcseniorcenter.com](mailto:lwells@tcseniorcenter.com).

**BETSIE VALLEY RACES SLATED FOR OCT. 4**

**THOMPSONVILLE** — The fourth annual Betsie Valley 5K, 10K and Half Marathon is set for Sunday, Oct. 4, at Crystal Mountain Resort & Spa.

The races begin at 9 a.m.

with a children's one-mile event starting at 11:30 a.m.

The entry fee is \$25 per person or \$30 the day of the event, with proceeds benefiting the Betsie Valley Library. For more information visit [www.betsievalleyrun.com](http://www.betsievalleyrun.com) or call (800) 968-7686, ext. 7140.

**SWINGING FOR WISH GOLF SCRAMBLE SEPT. 21**

**GAYLORD** — The "Swinging for a Wish" golf scramble is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 21, at the Tom Fazio course of Treetops Resort. The event raises money for the Make-A-Wish foundation of Michigan.

The four-person scramble begins at 10:30 a.m. For details, call Michael Rey at (989) 731-8828 or send an e-mail to [mrey@treetops.com](mailto:mrey@treetops.com).

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**EJ road race is huge success**

**Saturday's inaugural 'South Arm Shuffle' draws 111 runners**

By Mike Dunn

**EAST JORDAN** — The first-ever East Jordan South Arm Shuffle 5K Road Race was a smashing success. The event, held Saturday, started and ended at the Community Park and drew 111 participants from as far away as Ann Arbor.

"It was very exciting," said race coordinator JoAnne Thomas. "It was a huge success for our first time. Everybody was raving about the course and saying how much they liked it. They said they'll be coming back next year and bringing some friends. We couldn't be more pleased with how everything turned out."

The South Arm Shuffle — so named because the course winds along the scenic "South Arm" of Lake Charlevoix — served as a fundraiser for the East Jordan Lioness Club. Proceeds from the race go toward the club's community projects and help with things like the Women's Resource Center, the Freedom Festival, fire victims, the Charlevoix Area Hospital Foundation, leader dogs for the blind, and many other projects.

"We want to thank everyone who helped with the organization of the race and with all the details involved in putting it together and making sure it ran smoothly," Thomas said.

Ron Zywicki crossed the finish line as the first-ever South Arm Shuffle champion, completing the course in a time of 16:49. Val Thomasma, a teacher and cross country coach at East Kentwood, was the overall female champion in 19:30. The male masters champion was Ken Flannery (18:39) and the female masters champ was Kathy Patton (25:34).

Derek Thomasma was runner-up (18:06) and first in the 25-29 age division with Jordan Becker (18:17) third, Flannery fourth and Rick Hawley (19:01) fifth.

Kaylee Wilson (21:21) was second among the ladies and also winner in the female 15-under age bracket. Morgan Posthuma (21:58) came in third.

There were additionally 26 participants who walked the course.

**RACE RESULTS**

**Overall Winner** — Ron Zywicki, 16:49

**Female Winner** — Val Thomasma, 19:30

**Male Masters Champ** — Ken Flannery, 18:39

**Female Masters Champ** — Kathy Patton, 25:34

**Male 15-under**

Joshua Wogan .....19:03  
Luke Hawkey .....19:05  
Robert Nemecek .....20:30  
Travis Tyler .....24:48  
Kevin Lange .....24:50  
Gabe Hawkey .....24:56  
Stephen Winter .....32:50

**Female 15-under**

Kaylee Wilson .....21:21  
Morgan Posthuma .....21:58  
Katherine Edwards .....28:12  
Sophia Sommer .....42:50  
Julia Maccini .....42:57  
Mackenzie McGaye .....42:58

**Male 16-19**

Jordan Becker .....18:17  
Zach Hausler .....19:56  
Travis Lange .....21:27  
Benjamin Winter .....26:45

**Female 16-19**

Jordan Lamothe .....24:10  
Halley McMahan .....26:50

**Male 20-24**

Chris Winter .....29:00  
Ronald Sehl .....29:42

**Female 20-24**

Chelsey Poindexter .....24:17  
Jessica Crick .....37:42

**Male 25-29**

Derek Thomasma .....18:06  
Dan Draper .....19:28  
Keith Nowak .....23:45

**Female 25-29**

Megan Blamer .....25:19:03  
Leah Olson .....25:19:82  
Lydia Case .....25:55  
April Leist .....26:54  
Betty Draper .....28:42  
Holly Wise .....29:40

**Male 30-34**

Mat Bolinger .....20:34

**Female 30-34**

Kelly Neer .....26:42  
Erin Stevenson .....32:16  
Kellie Barber .....39:24  
Bobbi Hudson .....39:27

**Male 35-39**

David Dawson .....22:36  
Herb Pines .....29:16

**Female 35-39**

Rebecca Bailey .....32:23  
Marianne Beard .....36:23

**Male 40-44**

Joe Decker .....24:52

**Female 40-44**

Gayle Harbaugh .....25:50  
Lynette Starr .....31:21  
Shelly Dawson .....33:24  
Irene Ferguson .....35:04  
Tinea Spence .....35:19  
Rachel Lange .....36:21  
Ann Crick .....37:56

**Male 45-49**

Rick Hawley .....19:01  
Larry Huckle .....24:34  
Versile Spence .....25:43  
Terry Starr .....32:11

**Male 50-54**

Fred Koehler .....22:22  
Dave Atkins .....22:51  
Maurice Klaus .....23:56  
Dean Tahtinen .....31:19

**Female 50-54**

Robin Sommer .....25:35  
Nancy Vandebroek .....29:46  
Dee Hawkins .....36:48

**Male 55-59**

Rodney Lofquist .....21:30

**Female 55-59**

Deb Kuhn .....29:27  
Lynda Halford .....32:12  
Kathy Albring .....36:47

**Male 60-64**

Tom Harbaugh .....20:51

**Male 65-69**

Bill Swift .....28:01  
Jim Hart .....28:51  
Dan Gamble .....29:41

**Male 70-over**

Jim Elzinga .....26:23  
Paul Shepard .....26:31  
Clifford Bye .....37:22  
Bob Esford .....37:30

**DNR announces waterfowl seasons**

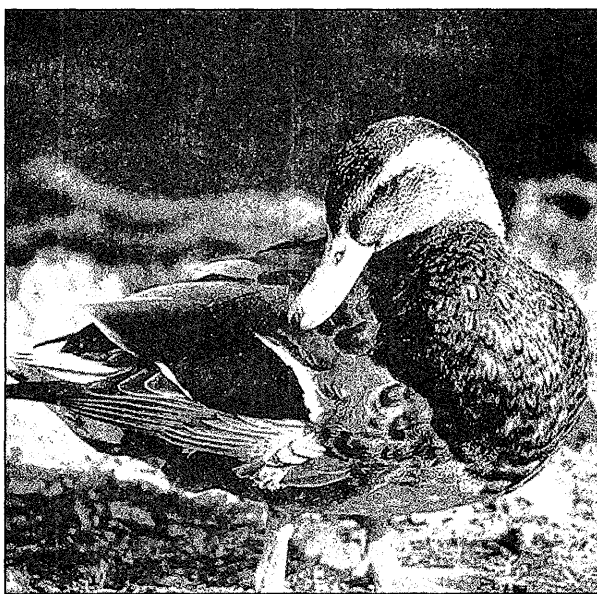
**LANSING** — Michigan duck hunters will enjoy three opening days this fall as the Natural Resources Commission set waterfowl seasons at its recent meeting in Lansing. The seasons, which were recommended by Department of Natural Resources biologists, correspond to the recommendations of the Citizens Waterfowl Advisory Committee, which met Aug. 8.

Duck season in the Middle Zone (the top half of the Lower Peninsula) runs from Oct. 3-Nov. 29 and Dec. 5-6 while the dates are Sept. 26-Nov. 20 and Nov. 26-29 in the North Zone (Upper Peninsula) and Oct. 10-Dec. 6 and Jan. 2-3 in the South Zone.

There is an open season on canvasbacks this year as well as expanded opportunity for scaup. The daily bag limit is six ducks to include no more than four mallards (no more than one hen), three wood ducks, two redheads, two scaup, one pintail, one black duck and one canvasback.

Early Canada goose season opens Sept. 1 and runs through Sept. 15 statewide, except for the Upper Peninsula and Saginaw, Tuscola and Huron counties, where it runs through Sept. 10. The daily bag limit is five.

Regular goose seasons are Sept. 16-Oct. 30 in the North Zone; Oct. 3-Nov. 9 and Nov. 26-Dec. 2 in the Middle Zone; and Oct. 10-Nov. 12 and Nov. 26-Dec. 6 in the South Zone, except for designated Goose Management Units (GMU). The daily bag limit is two.



Duck hunting season in the Middle Zone runs from Oct. 3-Nov. 29 and Dec. 5-6.

Hunters also may harvest other geese during the regular and late goose seasons in their respective zones. The bag limits are 10 snow, blue and Ross' geese in combination; and one white-fronted goose or one Brant.

Hunters also are reminded of the Youth Waterfowl Weekend on Sept. 19-20. This hunt is statewide for licensed youths 10 to 15 years of age. Youths must be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or someone 18 years or older. The adult will not be allowed to hunt waterfowl and is not required to have a waterfowl hunting license. The daily limits are the same as those allowed for the regular duck season.

To learn more about hunting opportunities in Michigan, visit the DNR's Web site at [www.michigan.gov/dnrhunting](http://www.michigan.gov/dnrhunting).

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# Gridiron Preview

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## Charlevoix Rayders

The task for Charlevoix head coach Don Jess as he enters his seventh season is to take the Rayders back to the playoffs for the second year in a row and the fourth time in five years. Being part of a conference that is simply loaded year after year makes the annual playoff hunt an interesting challenge.

Jess believes his troops are ready, though. "Our expectations are high," he said. "The kids have bought into our system and our philosophy. They've come together as a family and they know that nobody is greater than the team."

The bar has been set high this year. "We want to do well in the conference and get back to the playoffs," Jess said. "Once we get there, we want to do some damage."

The Rayders finished with a 5-5 mark a year ago and were eliminated in the first round of the playoffs by potent Iron Mountain.

To be among the top tier of teams in the always rugged Lake Michigan Conference and to "do some damage" in the playoffs in 2009, Jess will be relying heavily on his returning starters, especially up front.

Senior Bill Ivan (6-foot-5, 260) is a man mountain at tackle. Ivan, who has earned All-State recognition among many other honors, has already accepted a scholarship to play for Indiana University in the Big Ten.

"Having a D-1 kid on your team makes everybody better," Jess said. "With Bill being recruited like he was last year, it made all the linemen step up their game."

Ivan and fellow tackle Ian Gauthier (6-3, 295) anchor a mammoth line that serves as the catalyst for the Rayders' belly-style offense.

Another key returnee is senior Clayton Mitchell (5-9, 160) at quarterback. Mitchell, an All-Conference and All-Area selection, is a three-year starter with savvy, field smarts and toughness to go with a bazooka for an arm.

Senior Isaac Hosper, who hits hole like he was launched from a cannon, is back at fullback and shifty sophomore Jake McClean, one of four sophomores on this year's varsity roster, is fast and strong with excellent balance, Jess said.

When Mitchell goes to the air, he will have reliable seniors Alex Foster (5-11, 155) and J.T. Lawrence (5-9, 140) among his targets.

On the defensive side of the ball, the Rayders will run a variation of the 4-4 scheme with Hurricane Hunter Johnstone (6-0, 185) and Casey Helstrom (6-2, 190) at inside linebacker and sophomores John Boss (5-9, 150) and McClean at outside linebacker. Johnstone and Helstrom bring a "football mentality" to their role inside, Jess noted, pursuing enemy ball carriers like hungry predators chasing dinner.

Ivan, Gauthier, Justin Williams (5-10, 245) and sophomore Chris Levens (6-4, 190) will man the D-line. Lawrence, a three-year starter at cornerback, returns to the secondary along with Foster.

Jess expects the conference to be as tough as usual, with state title contender and defending champion Traverse City St. Francis at the top of the list.

At Boyne City, first-year head coach Don Nohel takes over a team and a program that has been among the best in northern Michigan for nearly a decade. Before stepping down in June to pursue further education, Dave Hills guided the Ramblers to a 69-26 mark in his nine years at the helm and was named regional coach of the year four times.

Nohel, who had head coaching stints at Ewart and Oscoda, has been part of the Boyne City program since 2005, coaching the offensive and defensive lines. Now that he has stepped into the head role, he doesn't plan to make many changes.

"Why change what's working?" Nohel said with a laugh. "There won't be any change in our philosophy as a team. We'll make some adjustments here and there and fill in some roles but that's about it. We'll use basically the same offense and defense."

## Boyne City Ramblers

The Ramblers, who were 9-2 a year ago, lost a lot of offensive production with the graduation of fullback Trevor Kruzal, last year's leading rusher, and the knee injury sustained by senior Drew Noehl, the coach's son and the team's second leading rusher in 2008.

The good news for the Ramblers is the return of senior quarterback Nick Young, a three-year starter, along with rugged two-way starter Dalton Looze at tight end and linebacker and senior Parker Ameal at guard and linebacker.

Having Young back at quarterback is a huge asset, Nohel said. The 5-foot-9, 165-pound senior, whom Nohel called "a heady kid with good quickness and a competitive streak," is experienced engineering the Delaware wing-T attack and will be a leader in a backfield that is long on quickness but short on size and experience.

Mercury quick juniors Kolbi Shumaker (5-10, 160) and Jalen Adams (5-10, 170) and senior Evan Orban (5-9,



Boyne City's Don Nohel makes his debut as the Rambler head coach Friday night at McBain. Nohel served as an assistant under Dave Hills for four years. (PHOTO BY MIKE DUNN)

160) will help take up the slack left with the departure of Kruzal and Nohel.

Ameal and senior center Bryan Wonski are returning starters on the offensive line, though senior guard Robert Garcia (5-11, 165) and senior tackle Dylan Ferguson (6-4, 210) both saw duty in a reserve role last year. Sophomore Chris Meyers (6-0, 180) will man the other tackle post. Senior Beau Firlirk (6-2, 255) provides solid depth on both sides of the ball. Looze is a fierce blocker at tight end and a gritty team leader on the field.

The Ramblers run a 52 Eagle defensive scheme that relies heavily on the mobile play of the linebackers. The corps of Looze, Ameal, Adams and Taylor Reinhardt is among the best in the Lake Michigan Conference.

Nose guard Gage Burt (6-0, 175) is as tough as a raw T-bone in the middle and he is flanked by returning starters Wonski and Dylan Percy (6-2, 200) at the tackle spots. Senior Wes Roberge (5-11, 260) and Ferguson provide solid depth inside.

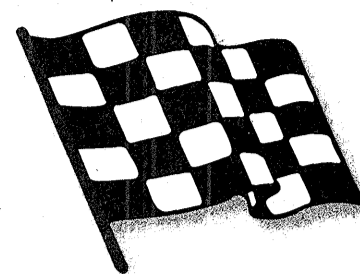
The secondary should be a strength with Young, Orban and senior Zach Bush all returning starters.

"If we stay healthy, the kids we have can compete," Nohel said.



Charlevoix head coach Don Jess believes his team is ready to begin the 2009 playoff hunt on Friday. The Rayders have a tough opener at the field of 2008 playoff qualifier St. Ignace. (PHOTO BY MIKE DUNN)

## Northern Michigan Speedway:



**Tompkins ties Pure-4 course record  
Vandy driver wins time trial and 20-lap feature;**

**East Jordan's Housh is dash winner**

By MIKE MATHU

ELMIRA — The largest car count of the season, an animated crowd, and a lawnmower race at intermission made it a fun Saturday night at Northern Michigan Speedway.

The 30-lap Modified feature did not go down to the final turn as it did last weekend but the largest field of mods this season made for an impressive show-ender nonetheless. Dave Hartung of Indian River looked like a good bet in the main as the four-car dash winner set the pace from the pole position. James Brown's slide in turn two while shadowing the leader brought out chaos behind him and a caution flag on lap 8. Last week's feature winner, John Clawson, would exit due to damage and Hartung would set the pace again after the green flag dropped. The new pursuer was heat race winner Craig VanTielien of Vanderbilt and he grabbed the lead on lap 13. Brown regrouped enough to slip by Hartung four laps later but he was well behind VanTielien, who motored on to his first feature win of the season. Tyler Noeske finished third.

The Pure-4 division was again compelling due to a three-way tie in the standings and each contender making their mark before the 20-lap feature. Vanderbilt's Caleb Tompkins tied the track record to take qualifying honors as a substitute driver for Daniel Loshaw while George Finney did his part by winning one of the heat races. In addition, Isaac Tompkins won the dash in a sub role for Mark Tompkins. After two cautions at the outset, Finney went to the front on lap 2 with Isaac Tompkins into second one lap later. Caleb Tompkins then passed Kyle Loshaw on lap 6 for third. After another pair of cautions on lap 12, Caleb Tompkins made his move. He passed Isaac Tompkins for second with five laps to go, then swept by Finney for the lead on the next circuit and on to the win. Finney stayed in second to the finish line with Ty Phillips fourth. Lester Houx of East Jordan won the night's other heat race.

Larry Young Jr. of Sault Ste. Marie made his first visit to the track this year and took no prisoners. He posted the division's best qualifying time of the season in time trials, then won the dash and heat. Tod Ferguson of Onaway and Corey Ward kept Young back initially in the 20-lap feature but Young broke through by lap 3 to capture the lead. Only an oil leak by Corey Ward slowed down the proceedings on lap 8. Young went on to win with Ferguson and Ryan Zimmerman in second and third, respectively.

Jim DuBois of Indian River solidified his Pro-4 season points lead with a green to checkered run in the 15-lap feature. Heat winner Dale Britting tucked in behind DuBois on lap 2 but could only play follow the leader the rest of the way. DuBois also won the dash.

Wolverine's Brad Leach grabbed the lead on lap 5 of the 25-lap Pure Stock V8 feature. Meanwhile Brian DuBois snaked through the field from a row 4 start and into second on lap 6. He shot to the front on lap 8 and dispensed with the drama to claim the win. Leach kept Chantell Paquette at bay from lap 8 to lap 16, then held off Ryan Radzewski over the final nine laps. In addition to finishing fourth, Paquette won the dash. The heat winner was Jon Clancy of Harbor Springs.

The final battle for season points is this Saturday before Season Championship races on Labor Day weekend. Time trials begin at 5:30 p.m. with racing at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Seniors are just \$8, children 5-to-12 are \$5, and under 5 are free.

N.M.S. is located 8 miles west of Gaylord on M-32, then 4.5 miles north on Camp Ten Road at Huffman Lake Road.

## Results from August 27

**30-Lap MODIFIED Feature:** 1. Craig VanTielien, Vanderbilt; 2. James Brown, Gaylord; 3. Tyler Noeske, Vanderbilt. Heat: VanTielien. Dash: Dave Hartung, Indian River. Time: Brown (15.30)

**20-Lap FACTORY STOCK Feature:** 1. Larry Young, Sault Ste Marie; 2. Tod Ferguson, Onaway; 3. Ryan Zimmerman, Gaylord. Heat: Young. Dash: Young. Time: Young (15.90).

**15-Lap PRO-4 Feature:** 1. Jim DuBois, Indian River; 2. Dale Britting, Gaylord; 3. Michael Evans, Wolverine. Heat: Britting. Dash: J. DuBois. Time: Britting (16.73).

**25-Lap PURE V8 Feature:** 1. Brian DuBois, Indian River; 2. Brad Leach, Wolverine; 3. Ryan Radzewski, Atlanta; 4. Chantell Paquette, Gaylord. Heat: Jon Clancy, Harbor Springs. Dash: Paquette. Time: B. DuBois (17.00).

**20-Lap STOCK-4 Feature:** 1. Caleb Tompkins, Vanderbilt; 2. George Finney, Bellaire; 3. Isaac Tompkins, Gaylord; 4. Ty Phillips, Bellaire; 5. Scott Norman, Frederic. Heats: Finney; Lester Houx, East Jordan. Dash: I. Tompkins. Time: C. Tompkins (18.61\*)

\*Ties track record

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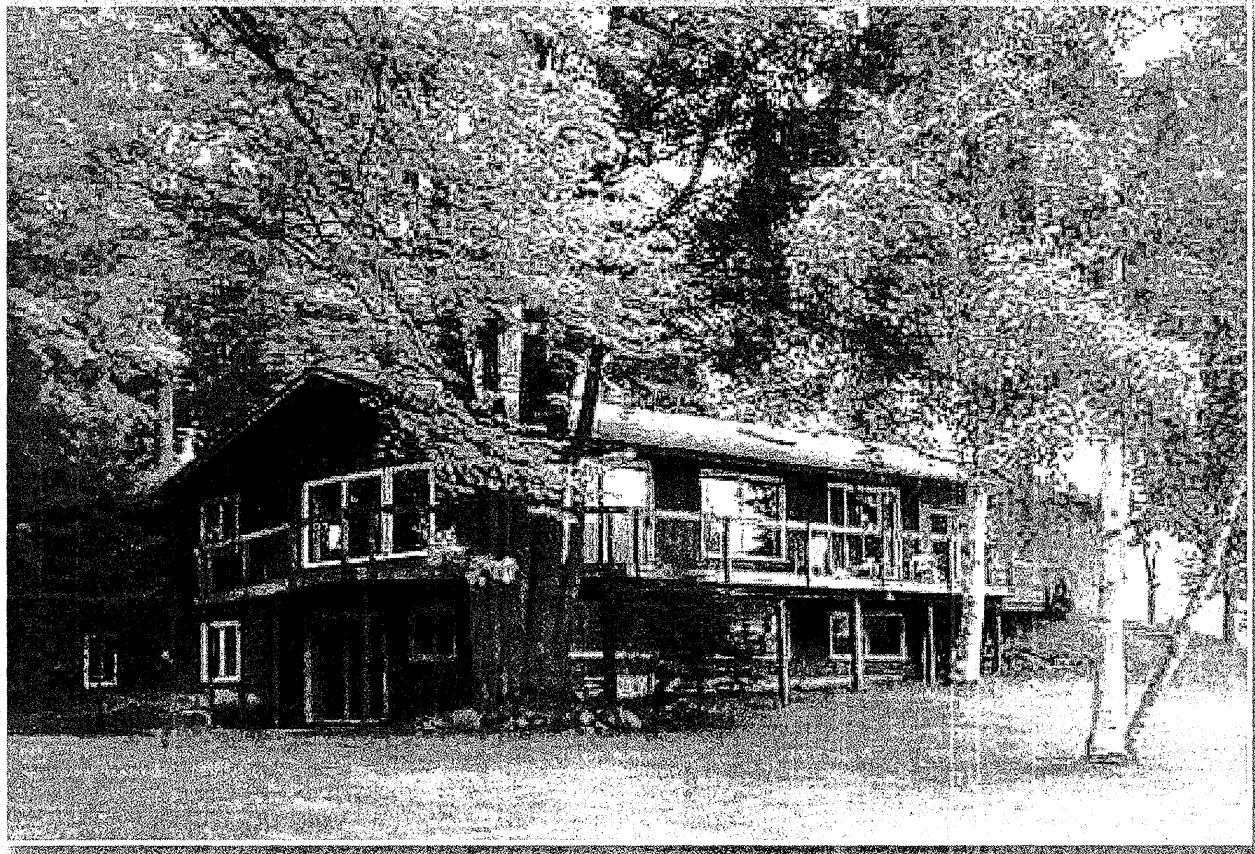
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# Country Estate Just Outside of Boyne City

## Beautiful Four-Bedroom Walk-out on a Stunning, Six-Acre Setting

BY JIM AKANS

Ah, to get away from it all out in the country. This property features gorgeous, wooded, rolling terrain, overlooking the beautiful hillsides of Northern Michigan, and is anchored by a spacious, four-bedroom walk-out ranch home perfectly situated on the site to take maximum advantage of the breathtaking views.



And while it may seem that such a idyllic country setting would be miles away from nearest village or town, this home is actually just outside the city limits of Boyne City, offering easy access to that community's many shopping, entertainment and recreational opportunities. What a rare find indeed.

The home was built in 1972, and has 1,760 square feet of main level living area PLUS approximately 1,300 square feet of

additional living space in the finished lower level walk-out. Like the six acres of grounds surrounding this home, there is a lot of room to roam indoors as well.

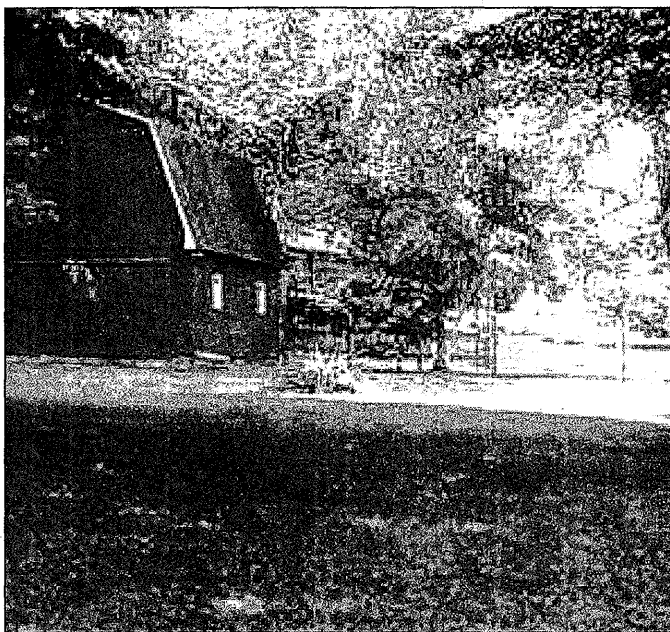
That includes four good-sized bedrooms, three full baths, formal living and dining area, nicely appointed kitchen, and there is a huge family room on the lower level. There are two wood-burning fireplaces to keep things nice and cozy indoors during cooler weather, and a large, wrap-around raised deck to enjoy the outdoor vista for at least three seasons during the year.

If you have items to store, such as lawn equipment or snowmobiles (this home is conveniently located near the snowmobile trails), this property has got you (and your stuff) covered. In addition to available storage space in the basement, the home has a two car attached garage, and a 24' x 28' classic-style red horse barn on the property.

The home is heated by a forced air furnace system fueled by natural gas, and has Andersen windows throughout. A full compliment of appliances comes with the home, including range, refrigerator, built-in microwave, washer and dryer.

As harvest season approaches, the new homeowners are in for an unexpected treat as there are several fruit bearing cherry and apple trees located on the grounds. What could be sweeter than relaxing on the back deck of this beautiful home, enjoying the gorgeous panoramic views, while savoring some delicious fruit grown on your own country estate...just outside of town!

This home is listed at \$309,900. For a more information or to arrange for a tour of this home, call Lynda Christensen at 231-582-9555 or email at [Lynda@lyndasrealestateservice.com](mailto:Lynda@lyndasrealestateservice.com)



## Stating the Obvious



By TIM MANCHESTER

To state the obvious: If you are a buyer looking for, a bargain price on a home, and you want to know how low the sellers are willing to go, there is only one thing to do: Make an offer.

Occasionally you run the risk of offending someone. Take the risk. In this market, most sellers know that they are going to be receiving offers, and that some will be unacceptable to them. It is a good idea to develop a thick skin about these things. Sellers, feel free to counter, but try not to take offense; consider any offer an opportunity to have a conversation and see where it goes.

Just lately, we have had one or two bidding wars on a property. As always, homes

that are attractive and priced right are the ones most likely to sell. In the good old days, it wasn't uncommon to have a couple buyers bidding on an attractive property. In the last few years, even very nice listings have languished on the market longer than I would prefer to admit.

But finally – as buyers and sellers get on the same page with prices – multiple offers are beginning to happen again. Frankly, while it may be frustrating for the buyer, this is good for the overall economy, and shows that the “market correction” is working as it should.

Some sellers list with the idea that they will be forced to barter down their price, so they list high to build in some bargaining power for themselves. While I understand the thought process, what this often does in reality is cause the home to lose potential showings as buyers see a price they view as

unreasonable. Eventually – even though the seller may get the home into a saleable price range - the listing becomes “stale” and buyers don't look because the house has been unsold for so long they assume there is a hidden problem.

The only problem was an unrealistic original list price.

We all feel very protective about our own homes. How many times have Realtors shown their clients fair comparable properties, only to have the seller say, “But my house is way nicer than that one!”

There's not a lot we can do to persuade a seller out of his house pride, and that's not what we are trying to do anyway.

Here's one reason it's crucially important to find a Realtor you trust. You need to be able to trust your Realtor when he or she advises you on your home's value and marketability. Find someone knowledgeable, with a good reputation and references, and build a relationship. That way, if your Realtor says your property is worth this much in this market, you will be confident you can make an informed decision based on sound advice.

And if the suggested list price is lower than you like, you can decide whether the time is right to sell.

Buyers are very savvy these days. They have access to Internet multi-list systems such as REALTOR.com, and most Realtors have their own websites which include links to all the area real estate listings in an impressive radius. So even before they start a physical search, buyers often have a good idea what is available and what average prices are. They offer accordingly, and sometimes lowball – might as well give it their best shot.

Sellers – another case of stating the obvious: It's nothing personal. You will weigh it out – balancing the cost of keeping the property for an indeterminate length of time vs. selling lower than you expected or hoped. The desire to sell vs. the need to sell.

So besides finding a Realtor who knows the area and its market well, the other important quality to find in your agent is the ability to negotiate between the parties with civility and composure, always keeping your best interests at heart, no matter which side of the bargaining table you are on.

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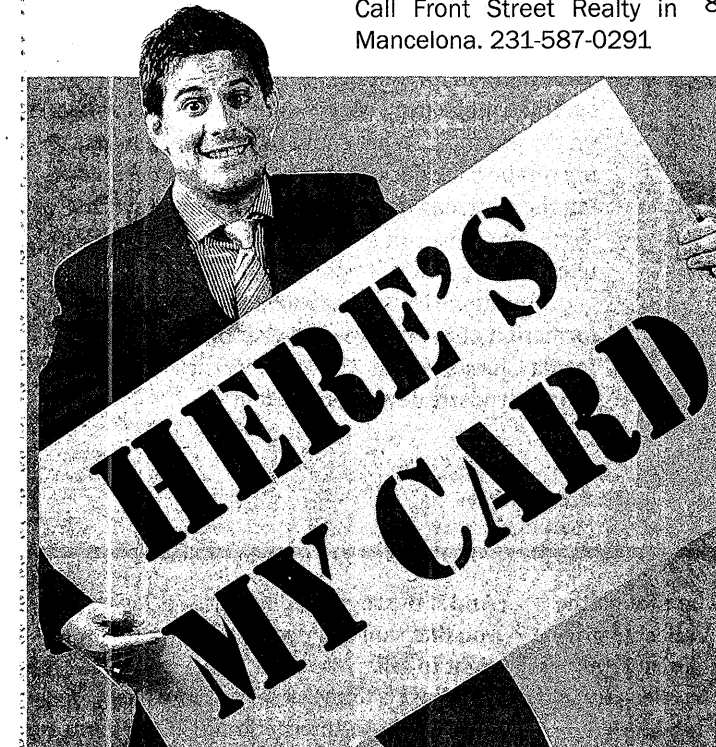
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Sue Kiteley of Kiteley Farms hand picks vegetables and garnish for Esperance, a local restaurant.

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# Kiteley's Farm

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of M-66, is one such market. The family farm is owned by Mike and Sue Kiteley who have two children, Katie and Fisher.

"We're a berry, produce and flower farm," Sue said.

Many of their customers are regulars. Whether a regular customer or a new one, everyone receives a warm welcome, a smile and helpful service.

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"About half of our customers

pick on their own," Sue said. "They pay about half the price when they do that."

Kiteley's also services area restaurants, such as Esperance in Charlevoix. The produce and fruit is picked the day the customers need it.

Mike Kiteley said the cool summer and rain have been good for some crops, such as beets, potatoes and raspberries.

The summer's weather results in other produce having a later harvesting.

"Corn is behind by two weeks,

but hopefully we'll have a later season and have corn into mid or late September," Mike said.

The farm will have winter squash and pumpkins in the fall.

Kiteley's Farm Market's summer hours are 8 a.m.-7 p.m. and fall hours are 9 a.m.-6 p.m. From M-66 leaving Charlevoix, turn right onto Shaw Road and follow the signs. The website is kiteleyfarms.com and the telephone number is 231-547-2318.



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Mike Kiteley and son, Fisher, gather freshly picked beets. The family farm has been in operation for more than 11 years and customers always receive a warm welcome.




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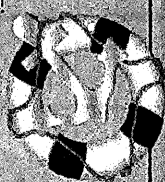
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