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the girls division at the Carson City Cross Country Invitational in a time of 18:11 to lead the Rayders to a 12th place finish.



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The senior scored three times for the Ramblers as they earned another important Lake Michigan Conference victory over the Rayders.





Keep undefeated season in tact with 43-0 Victory over Rival East Jordan

By Chris Fiel

Boyne City 43, East Jordan 0

EAST JORDAN - It didn't take the Ramblers long to establish that they were there to take care of business as they scored on their first five possessions for a 36-0 halftime lead, as they defeated the Red Devils 43-0 on September 28.

With the victory, Boyne improves to 6-0 overall, 3-0 conference and clinched the Ramblers first playoff berth since the 2009 season. Boyne City is tied with Grayling in the Lake Michigan Conference.

Bovne scored on their opening drive of the game as Jamael Kelly scooted 16 yards down the left sideline for a touchdown and a 7-0 Boyne City lead.

After holding East Jordan to three and out, Boyne wasted little time as freshman Malik Smith took the third play of the drive and exploded up the middle for a 17-yard score. "I think the kids came out and executed really well in the beginning of the game," Boyne City coach David Hills said. "We had a couple of real nice drives to start and put some points on the board, I was real proud of the kids execution wise and their focus in taking control of the game right off the bat."



Bradley Fouchia added an-

Red Devil royalty, Matt Bolser and Crystal Clavier were crowned Homecoming King and Queen during halftime **festivities.** (PHOTO BY CINDA SHU-MAKER)



Boyne City senior, Jamael Kelly (32) breaks free from the East Jordan defense and heads towards the end zone. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

other rushing touchdown at the 9:47 mark of the second quarter, and on the following Rambler possession, Corey Redman found a wide-open Maceo Vroman for a 39-yard scoring strike and a 28-0 Boyne City lead.

Fouchia closed out the first half scoring on a 35-yard zigzagging run for a 36-0 halftime cushion, and Conner Mills closed out the scoring with a 6yard run.

Austin Gardner finished 5of-5 on extra point attempts.

Leading the Boyne City ground game was Smith with 91 yards on 13 carries and a TD, Fouchia rushed seven times for 72 yards and two scores, Kelly gained 54 yards and a TD on five carries and Mills gained 35 yards on six attempts and a score.

Redman finished 3-of-6 passing for 55 yards and a TD. He also added a two-point conversion toss to Connor Beebe after taking a high snap on the Ramblers final TD of the first half.

Defensively for Boyne, Max Cuper recorded nine tackles, Alan Manross finished with seven and Fouchia added six.

"All in all, I thought it was a real good performance by our kids," Hills noted.

Boyne City hosts Charlevoix, 0-6 overall, 0-3 conference, on October 5 for the Ramblers Homecoming.

East Jordan goes to Ferris State University to take on Grand Rapids Catholic Central the same night.



In Junior Varsity Action Boyne City's Cole Butler (82) eludes the block East Jordan's Hector Paz (53) as he gets a piece of the EJ punt attempt in their contest on September 27. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)



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Boyne City	4 - 0 - 06 - 0 - 0
Grayling	3 - 0 - 06 - 0 - 0
Kalkaska	3 - 1 - 05 - 1 - 0
Elk Rapids	2 - 2 - 03 - 3 - 0
Harbor Springs	1 - 3 - 02 - 4 - 0
East Jordan	0 - 4 - 00 - 6 - 0
Charlevoix	0 - 4 - 00 - 6 - 0

THIS WEEK IN SPORTS

OCTOBER 4

CROSS COUNTRY

• East Jordan at Mancelona Invitational, 4pm

VOLLEYBALL

- East Jordan at Elk Rapids, 6pm
- Boyne City at Charlevoix, 6pm
- Alanson at Ellsworth, 6pm
- JV FOOTBALL
- Boyne City at Charlevoix, 6pm

TENNIS

Rayders defeated by Gladiators

By Chris Fiel

T.C. St. Francis 26, Charlevoix 7

CHARLEVOIX – The Glads came to town and put a damper on the Rayder Homecoming festivities as TCSF came away with a 26-7 non-conference victory over Charleovix.

Charlevoix slipped to 0-6 overall with the loss, and TCSF improved to 3-3. Tanner Catt once again paced the Charlevoix offense as he carried 10 times for 144 yards and the lone Rayders score. Bryan Noirot chipped in with 36 yards on seven

rush attempts. Catt and Shane Sutherland finished with 10 tackles each, leading the Charlevoix defense. Greyson Spegele and Noirot added seven stops apiece. Sutherland and Nate Moon both had one intereception.



Rayder Royalty, newly crowed homecoming king Joe Rich and queen Haley Herzog. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)



Charlevoix's Bryan Noirot (21) moves in for the tackle on Jimmy Brady (21) of Traverse City St. Francis. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

VOLLEYBALL ROUNDUP

Ramblers down Blazers 3-0

By Chris Fiel

BOYNE CITY – The Ramblers improved to 20-7-4 overall, 8-1 in the Lake Michigan Conference with a 25-13, 25-21, 25-20 over the Kalkaska Blazers on September 27.

The Ramblers were playing without their top hitter (Kylie Hick) due to an injury.

"Tonight was a good win for our team," Boyne City coach Casie Parker said. "It was nice to see some of our other players step up."

Heather Nichols and Rainy McCune finished with 18 digs apiece, while Nichols added 24 assists to lead Boyne.

Paige Hornbeck and Mary Myers finished with nine and six kills respectively.

Erin Baker, Hornbeck, Mc-Cune and Myers all served at 100 percent in the contest. "Paige did a great job hitting outside tonight, while Rainy and Heather did a nice job passing," Parker noted.



Charlevoix at Boyne City, 10am

OCTOBER 5

JV FOOTBALL

• East Jordan at Grand Rapids at Ferris St. University, 4pm

FOOTBALL

• East Jordan vs Grand Rapids North Pointe Christian at FSU, 7pm

Charlevoix at Boyne City, 7pm

OCTOBER 6

VOLLEYBALL

- Boyne City at Onaway, 9am
- Ellsworth at Mackinac Island Tournament, TBA

CROSS COUNTRY

• Charlevoix at Harbor Springs, 8:15am

OCTOBER 8

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• Sault Ste. Marie at Boyne City, 4pm

OCTOBER 9

VOLLEYBALL

• Boyne City at East Jordan, 6pm



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Rayders go 1–3 at Morley–Stanwood Invitational

MORLEY -- Madeline Boss had 28 kills and 15 digs in leading the Charlevoix High School volleyball team to a 1-3 finish Saturday at the Morley-Stanwood Invitational.

Charlevoix's record stands at 12-12-5 overall.

The Rayders fell to defending state champion Morely-Stanwood 20-25, 18-25, then rebounded against Cedar Springs 25-15, 25-18; lost to Detroit Cass Tech 20-25, 11-25; and Frankenmuth 11-25, 20-25.

"This was a great tournament with some very talented and tough teams," Rayders coach Audra Randall said. "That's exactly what we needed to prepare ourselves for the second half of our season. We made it to the quarterfinals of this very difficult tournament, we had many quality matches throughout the day."

Also for Charlevoix; Karley Pearsall finished with 28 digs, 16 kills and eight blocks; Gloria Greene recorded 41 assists and eight digs; Jennaca Holecheck had 22 digs; and Katie Paramo added 11 digs.

"Our bench was not very deep due to injuries to setter Cassidy Peebles and Jessica Paramo who share responsibilities at that position," Randall said. "We adapted quickly to a 5-1 rotation with sophomore Gloria Greene at the helm and she demonstrated poise and control through this change. I give her a lot of credit under so much pressure to perform. This was a team effort, every girl had court time and grew in a positive way from this experience." Mary Myers (9) of Boyne City goes for the kill shot as a Blazer defender attempts the block. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHU-MAKER)

Charlevoix focused in win over Grayling

GRAYLING – The Rayders traveled to the home of the Vikings and were determined to bring back a Lake Michigan Conference victory and they did so, 25-11, 25-12, 26-24 on September 26.

Madeline boss finished with 15 kills, eight digs and recorded seven aces to lead Charlevoix, while Karley Pearsall added 12 kills, eight digs and three blocks.

Also for the Rayders, Jennaca Holecheck was strong defensively with 13 digs, Cassidy Peebles had 16 assists, four digs and three aces; Gloria Greene added 14 assists, three digs and three aces; Anna Way had four kills.

Katie Paramo served at 100 percent with 2 aces, and Kelsey Pischner has been giving positive serve receive in her rotations, and added two kills.

"I enjoyed how the girls had intensity, and they showed that immediately," Rayder coach Audra Randall said. "They are becoming mentally stronger with each match they play."

I enjoyed how the girls had an intensity and how they showed that immediately. They are becoming mentally stronger with each match they play. We are headed to Morley Stanwood for the Volleyball Invitational where we will match up with Morley Stanwood in the opening match. Last year Morley beat them in the final 4 match at Class C state finals. They will also see other downstate teams they would not play up in northern michigan.

Lancers battle till the end

ELLSWORTH – The Lady Lancers spotted Harbor Light a two game lead before battling back to force a fifth game, but ultimately fell in the Northern Lakes Conference match-up on September 27.

Ellsworth fell 21-25, 23-25, 25-15, 25-21, 12-15 in the five set match.

Kari Steenwyk led the Lancers with 12 kills, 16 digs and two blocks, Tara Essenberg added nine kills and eight digs, while Whitney Heard finished with 17 assists and 12 digs.

Leah Swenson added 12 digs and Kendra Warner chipped in with 11 digs.

"We started out to slow again tonight, and we have really been concentrating on getting our spiking coverage better and the girls are started to pick up more digs," Lancer coach Linda Steenwyk said. "I was proud of the girls in the fact that they did not give up they played hard and really put forth total team effort."

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Sports **Ramblers** down Rayders 5-1

Gardner records three goals

By Chris Fiel

BOYNE CITY - The Ramblers improved to 12-5 overall, 6-2 conference with a 5-1 LMC victory over Charlevoix on September 27.

Rambler senior Austin

Gardner scored three times to lead Boyne, while Luca Thomsen added a pair of goals and an assist and Alan Bielas chipped in with three assists.

Boyne coach Nick Biac credited defenders Alex Branim, Trevor Day, Eric Amy, Eric Patrick and Chris Moore with solid play, as did Steven Halstead at forward. Derek Willis recorded 10

saves in goal for the Ramblers.

> **RIGHT: Boyne City's** Austin Gardner (6) battles for possession **Charlevoix's** with Sawyer Golovich (2). (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

LEFT: Ben Halstead of Boyne City (21) sends the ball towards a teammate. (РНОТО ВУ СІМДА SHUMAKER)

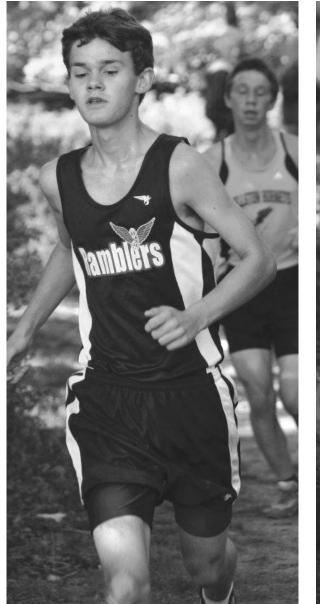


CROSS COUNTRY ROUNDUP

Rayders boys eighth, girls 12th By Chris Fiel

CARSON CITY -- Charlevoix sophomore Amber Way won the Gold Division girls race Saturday Carson City Cross Country Invitational. She finished in 18 minutes, 11 seconds, leading Charlevoix to a 12th-place finish.

"Amber ran a great race and did not take the lead until almost the two-mile mark and then she opened up a lead of 37 seconds over runner-up Rachel Sema of





67th.

Garrett Fogo finished fifth in 18:26 to lead Boyne City; while Trevor Day was seventh in18:40; Derek Willis - 16th; Jeff VanHove -36th; Ethan Habasco - 46th; and Tanner Evans - 57th.

The Boyne City girls were led by Jennelle Roberts with an 11th place finish, followed by Jessica Dowty - 17th; Katelynn Banner -26th; Hannah Knitter - 27th; Margaret Durbin - 29th; Hailey Richards - 33rd; and Alison Burnell - 39th.

Aorth who was 14th, while Ainsley MacLean was 43rd and Kayla Baker was 50th.

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St. Louis," Charlevoix coach Mary Plude said. "Amber's time was the second fastest of the dav.

Julia Bos -- the defending Division I state champion from Grand Rapids Christian -- finished first overall in 17:37.

Also earning a medal for the Charlevoix girls was Caroline Boss, who finished in 20:50 and was 26th overall.

"This was Caroline's first race since having a stress fracture in August," Plude said.

Other Charlevoix girls: 72-Anna Voci; 88-Alaska Dhaseleer; 89-Megan Clees; 90-Cora Taylor; 91-Shelby Robinson; 95-Pauline Sheets.

"The team had a major loss in Cassidy Bonar, who broke both bones in her shin during the race at the two-and-a-half mile mark,' Plude said. "Cassidy is a senior and was the solid fourth runner on the team. We will really miss her strong presence in practice and in the races. The team will have to rise up and come together to solidify the middle of the pack."

The Charlevoix boys finished eighth in the Gold Division. Jackson Buday led the Rayders with a 23rd place finish in 17:23.

Other Charlevoix boys: 37-Tristan Rudolph; 53-Chris Young; 68-CJ Rice; 79-Noah Jeakle; 80-Parker Skeel; 86-Lucas Von Lau; 94-Nicholas Plude; 106-Brendan Gregory; 107-Shae Bearss; 109-Jon Pischner; 111-Jon Lindfor; 112-Micah Peebles; 115-Aaron Duckworth.

"Tristan ran a personal best and had a very strong race," Plude said. "This was a great place to have a breakthrough

Garrett Fogo of Boyne City finished fifth overall at the Boyne Falls Cross Country Jamboree over the weekend. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

Boyne Falls sophomore Hunter Williams pushes towards the finish line. Williams would finish 10th overall. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

race. CJ Rice also ran strongly. Parker Skeel, Lucas VonLau and Nick Plude are all on the recovery and all saw improvements."

Logger boys finish second at own Jamboree

BF's Westbrook takes second, BC's Fogo, fifth

BOYNE FALLS - The Logger boys captured second place in

their own Boyne Boyne Falls Cross Country Jamboree, while the Boyne City boys and girls teams took third in each race on September 29.

Mancelona earned a sweep as they won both team races. The Ironmen boys finished with 67 points, Boyne Falls had 83, Boyne City - 110 and Pellston -134.

On the girls side, the Lady Ironmen finished with 77 points, followed by Joburg with 89, Boyne City - 110, Boyne Falls – 144 and Inland Lakes 153.

Mancelona's Shayne Dingman won the boys race in 17:35, while Mancelona's Isabella Tremonti

won the girls race in 20:34. The Loggers Erica Westbrook was second in the girls race in 21:01, while Marcus Matelski was the top boys finisher for Boyne Falls, eighth overall in 18.42.

Other top Boyne Falls boys team members were; Hunter Williams - 10th in 18:53.98; Kory Skop - 13th; Brendon Matelski -23rd; Truman Crego - 29th; Maxwell Reed - 30th; and Andrew Stevens - 34th.

For the Logger girls, Kaylee Wilson was 20th, Natalie Aikens – 23rd; Megan Byrne - 46th; Katelynn Wilson - 53rd; Kurstin Wilson - 64th; and Madison Skop -

For the Inland Lakes girls, Hannah Passino was a team-best ninth in 22:15.07; followed by Rebekah Drogowski, 24th; Lindsay Smeltzer, 31st; Taylor Fletcher, 38th; and Sadee LaLonde, 51st.

The Inland Lakes boys, who finished seventh, were led by Jacob Drogowski, who was ninth in 18:51.75. Also for the Bulldog boys, Jacob Major was 20th, followed by Zach Florek, 39th; Duncan Dickinson, 52nd; Andrew Dufek, 56th; Pablo Delos Santos, 61st; and Daniel Smeltzer, 62nd.

The Wolverine boys were led by Mike McNeil who was 24th. Also for Wolverine, Robby Reese was 25th, Wayne Goddard was 27th; Triston Long, 40th; Tommy Moore, 59th; and Brandon Mc-Cauley, 72nd.

For the Wolverine girls, Courtney Whittaker was 16th and Tori Forster was 72nd.

The Ellsworth girls finished in seventh place as Larissa Fisher was 15th, while Taryne Rozema was 22nd; Crissa Karavas, 32nd; Kate Sowers, 63rd; and Lexi Lambert, 73rd.

Ellsworth boys runners included Troy Vandenberg, 41st; Zachery Wynkoop, 51st; and Nate Veldboom, 64th.

The Mackinaw City boys placed ninth led by Noah Morse, 17th, and Carson Hartman, 42nd. Other Mackinaw boys: Matt Rivera, 50th; Zach Smith, 60th; and Jonah Robbins, 66th.

For the Mackinaw girls, Katrina Kendall-Thompson was 21st, followed by Brianna Becker, 36th; and Katherine Watchorn, 37th.



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Charlevoix County Commissioners

SYNOPSIS - SEPTEMBER 26, 2012

- The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met September 26, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Charlevoix County Commissioners room. Commissioners Reinhardt and Tripp were excused.
- Motion approved the agenda as presented.
- Motion approved the September 12, 2012 minutes as presented.
- Motion approved the consent agenda as presented.
- Motion approved the appointment of Jean Kingsley to the Commission on Aging Board. Ms. Kingsley will fill the unexpired term of Ms. Tritsch and the new term beginning January 2013.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-083, Maximum Authorized Millage Rates.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-084, 2013 General Fund Budget.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-085, Cigarette Tax Distribution.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-086, Convention Facility Tax Distribution.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-087, 2013 Salary Schedule.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-088, 2012/2013 P.A. Grant Application and authorized the Chairman to sign said application.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-089, 2013 Subsidiary Fund Budgets.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-090, 2012 General Fund Budget Deficits and authorized the County Clerk to make the necessary budget amendments to the 2012 Budget.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-091, 2012 Subsidiary Fund Budget Deficits, and authorized the County Clerk to amend the above outlined budgets by the amounts indicated above for both Revenue and Expenses.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-092, Snowmobile Grant, and authorizes the Fiscal Officer to sign said application.
- Motion approved Resolution #12-093, Boyne Falls Substation Furniture. Commissioner Gillespie Voting No.
- Motion adjourned the meeting at 8:35 p.m. Complete copies of Board minutes can be found on the
- County website, www.charlevoixcounty.org.

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house is a very time consuming task; however, knowing what to focus on during your preparation can save you time and effort. The key to an advantageous sale is preparation. Below are some helpful tips on preparing your home, so that you hopefully get a quick sale and a good price.

Stand in front of your house and look at it; this is the first glimpse of your house a visitor is going to see. Try and be open minded, don't look at it with good memories, look objectively as a buyer will. If you can't be objective then ask a friend or colleague to give you an impartial opin-

First impressions are important to make sure you play this to your advantage. If you have a lawn at the front of the home, make sure it is cut down, the edges are trimmed and it looks good. Place potted flowers near the doors to make a feature of them, any weeds need to be disposed of, rubbish picked up, children's toys put away and any mess from animals cleaned up. Furthermore, do not forget to look at all the walkways, walls, and patios for cracks and crumbling. Use this as a chance to fix or replace those faults, not only on the exterior but the interior as well: don't forget the roof and drains. Just by repainting the door, cleaning the windows and washing down the exterior can improve the look of your house.

Make the rooms of your house look more spacious and brighter by taking out clutter and making sure the rooms some potpourri is a great way to light

are clean. Family photos and other personal items need to be stored before the buyer arrives, as they can be quite distracting. One more important task is to rearrange closets and kitchen cabinets. Be sure that all your light bulbs are bright enough so that the home does not seem too dim.

Let the viewer enter a room first, introduce them to the room but avoid telling them what the room may be used for; let them make up their own mind. It is extremely important to make sure the whole property is clean and tidy; this also means you have to spend time cleaning items such as the cooker and refrigerator. Switch off appliances, particularly if they make a noise when they are running; there is nothing more disturbing than a constant buzzing sound when you are trying to imagine living in a new home. A few fresh flowers in a nice vase or

up a room and make it smell fresh as well. Rather than have items left on kitchen tops, put them away in a cupboard, especially those that are not used often. You want to show the buyer how pretty and big the kitchen is so they can imagine themselves cooking in there.

Don't forget about the windows, not only do you want to make sure they are not dirty, but you also have to make sure they are in good working condition with no damage in the glass. You should pay special attention to the bathroom; make sure that it is not dirty, replace the toilet seat and shower curtain, and put out fresh towels every day. It may also be a good idea to give your home a new coat of paint in a neutral color. And don't forget the basic truth - not only luxury homes can have luxurious appearance.

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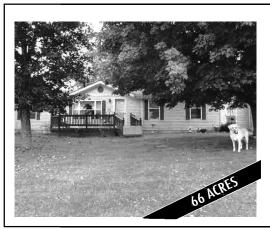
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