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The senior sharp shooter, finished the week with an 18 point per game average, including 26 against Kalkaska in a Lake Michigan Conference contest.



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Rayders Topple Ramblers

Charlevoix pulls away down the stretch as Catt leads charge with 16 points

By Chris Fiel

**Charlevoix 56,
Boyne City 47**

CHARLEVOIX — It was a play-off type atmosphere in another Lake Michigan Conference rivalry showdown between Boyne City and Charlevoix, and for the second time this season, the Rayders came out on top in a 56-47 hard-fought victory on February 1.

Leading the Rayder charge was senior Tanner Catt, as he dropped 16 points, while fellow senior Charlie Hamilton added 10, and Zach Hankins chipped in with eight and 12 rebounds.

“What a great game from start to finish by both teams!” Rayder coach Adam Wood said. “It was a typical Charlevoix vs Boyne City rivalry game in front of a great crowd and each quarter found the game either a one or two point differential, until the final score.”

The back and forth contest saw

the Rayders take a 15-14 advantage after one quarter of play, and extend that to a 29-27 lead at the half and 41-39 headed into the final eight minutes of play.

With the win, Charlevoix improves to 8-2 overall, 6-1 conference, while Boyne slips to 6-6, 3-5.

With both teams battling foul trouble, it was the benches that took center stage, and while each played well, it was the Rayders that would buy enough time to get their big guns back into the contest with the game on the line.

“Good rivalry game, good crowd and student sections and two teams playing hard every possession,” Boyne coach Nick Redman said. “We had guys step up when Corey and Ryan got in early foul trouble, Mike Dohm and Dalton Gardner played great defensively.”

“As always, both teams fought hard on every possession and we were just fortunate to get a couple stops at the end of the game, but it could have gone either way,” Wood added. “It was tough sledding for both teams through-



Charlevoix senior Charlie Hamilton (3) flips the ball towards the hoop as Boyne City's Steven Halstead tries to draw the charge. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

out the game due to foul trouble on both sides.”

The Ramblers were led by Corey Redman with a game-high 17 points and five boards, while Bradley Fouchia added 11 and Maceo Vroman finished with 10 and three steals. Ryan Carson added five rebounds for Boyne.

Coach Wood lauded the play of the Rayder bench for making key

plays throughout the contest, notably Shane Sutherland, as he came in to knock down a couple of big shots and some free throws.

“Much respect goes to Boyne City and their effort tonight because the game really could have gone either way,” Wood added. “We will see them in March and I'm sure it will be another great game.”

Boyne coach Redman had similar feelings about the outcome, “They executed better down the stretch to earn the win but I am happy with our effort and our improvement, again, Tanner Catt played very well for them.”

MORE RAMBLER/RAYDER RESULTS ON PAGE 3B

Boyne City's Maceo Vroman (5) releases the ball over the hand of Charlevoix shot blocker Zach Hankins (34). Vroman would finish with 10 points in the game. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)



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McCune paces Boyne with 15

By Chris Fiel

Boyne City 45, Charlevoix 44

CHARLEVOIX – Boyne City had just enough of a lead three quarters to hold on, as Charlevoix made a fourth quarter run that came up just shy, as the Ramblers picked up a 45-44 Lake Michigan Conference victory on February 1.

Boyne City improved to 5-9 overall, 4-4 conference, while the Rayders fell to 5-9, 4-5.

Rainy McCune netted 15 points to lead Boyne.

Boyne City led at the quarter breaks, 14-6, 26-16 and 34-26.

“The team is continuing to work hard trying to put all four quarters together,” Charlevoix coach Liz Shaw said. “We have moments of

greatness, I am proud of how hard the girls worked in the second half against Boyne City, they played together as a team.”

The Rayders were led by Madeline Boss with 10 points, six rebounds, four blocks and three steals, while Gabby Gray added nine points, Katie Hybl and Kelsey Engstrom six points each, Ellie Way had six rebounds, Sydney Carlson finished with five rebounds, four assists and three steals and Paige Ager made five steals.

RIGHT: Boyne City senior Mary Myers (10) goes over Charlevoix's Kelsey Engstrom for this shot. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

Lady Elks pull away in the final quarter against East Jordan

By Chris Fiel

Elk Rapids 53, East Jordan 39

ELK RAPIDS — The Lady Elks used a 16-7 fourth quarter advan-

tage to pull away from the Lady Red Devils as East Jordan fell 53-39 on February 1 in a Lake Michigan Conference contest.

Paige Granger finished with 24 points and Michelle Costa added 12 for Elk Rapids

East Jordan was led by Valerie Peters with 14 points; Paige Poindexter added nine points and five rebounds, while Holley Carson had seven rebounds.

“We trailed the entire game but started to close the gap early in

the fourth quarter,” EJ coach Steve Hines said. “With about five minutes left we were down by two but struggled putting points on the board.”

The Elks led at the quarters, 9-8 after the first, 25-18 at halftime

and 35-32 entering the fourth.

“The free throw line played a big part in this game,” Hines noted. “We shot 6-of-21 and ER shot 18-of-26.”

East Jordan slipped to 4-8 overall, 3-5 conference.

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Lake Michigan Conference

TEAM	CONF	OVR
St Francis	8-0	13-0
Charlevoix	6-1	8-2
Grayling	6-1	9-3
Elk Rapids	5-3	8-5
Boyne City	3-5	6-6
Harbor Springs	2-6	4-9
East Jordan	1-7	3-8
Kalkaska	1-8	3-9

Northern Lakes Conference

TEAM	CONF	OVR
Boyne Falls	7-0	10-1
Mackinaw City	5-2	6-4
Alanson	3-2	5-5
Ellsworth	3-2	3-5
Wolverine	2-4	3-6
Harbor Lt Chr	1-6	1-12
Alba	0-5	0-5

Ski Valley Conference

TEAM	CONF	OVR
Bellaire	8-0	11-0
Forest Area	7-2	8-3
Mancelona	6-2	7-4
Onaway	7-3	9-3
Gaylord St Mary	5-6	7-6
Inland Lakes	3-5	3-8
Joburg-Lewiston	4-7	5-8
Central Lake	1-8	2-8

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Lake Michigan Conference

TEAM	CONF	OVR
St Francis	6-1	11-2
Kalkaska	6-2	9-3
Elk Rapids	6-2	9-4
Boyne City	4-4	4-9
Charlevoix	3-4	4-9
East Jordan	3-5	4-8
Grayling	3-6	7-7
Harbor Springs	0-8	2-12

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Ellsworth	5-2	6-6
Harbor Lt Chr	3-4	4-8
Alba	2-5	4-6
Wolverine	2-5	3-7
Alanson	0-6	0-12

Big North Conference

TEAM	CONF	OVR
Petoskey	8-1	13-2
Cadillac	6-1	11-3
TC West	6-2	6-9
Gaylord	2-4	4-7
Alpena	3-6	5-10
TC Central	2-5	2-10
Ogemaw Heights	0-8	2-12

UPCOMING GAMES & EVENTS

FEBRUARY 7
GIRLS BASKETBALL
• Boyne Falls at Wolverine, 6pm

FEBRUARY 8
GIRLS BASKETBALL
• Boyne City at East Jordan, 6pm
• Charlevoix at Elk Rapids, 6pm
BOYS BASKETBALL
• Boyne City at East Jordan, 7:30pm
• Charlevoix at Elk Rapids, 7:30pm

FEBRUARY 11
GIRLS BASKETBALL
• Central Lake at Ellsworth, 6pm
BOYS BASKETBALL
• Boyne Falls at Gaylord St. Mary, 6pm

FEBRUARY 12
GIRLS BASKETBALL
• Mackinaw City at
• Boyne Falls, 6pm

• East Jordan at Charlevoix, 6pm
• Alba at Ellsworth, 6pm
• Elk Rapids at Boyne City, 6pm
BOYS BASKETBALL
• Charlevoix at East Jordan, 6pm
• Boyne City at Elk Rapids, 6pm

FEBRUARY 13
BOYS BASKETBALL
• Central Lake at Ellsworth, 6pm

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Rambler Boys win twice

Boyne City 51, Cheboygan 50

CHEBOYGAN – The Ramblers outscored the Chiefs 13-8 over the final eight minutes of play, including a Corey Redman free throw with four seconds remaining to pick up a late game victory 51-50 over Cheboygan in non-conference action on January 29.

With the win, Boyne improves to 6-5 overall, 3-4 conference.

“I am proud that we could go on the road and play that hard against a good team after a hard fought game last night (versus Harbor Springs).” Rambler coach Nick Redman said. “Two nights in a row we had tie game with the ball and took over a minute off the clock and got the shot we wanted to win the game. That is great to see from a young team.”

Corey Redman scored 20 points and grabbed six rebounds to lead Boyne, while Maceo Vroman finished with 13 points and six boards, Ryan Carson added seven rebounds and Bradley Fouchia three assists.

The Ramblers led 14-11 after one quarter, while the Chiefs led 28-23 at the break and 42-38 at the end of three quarters of

play. “Mike Dohm hit a couple of big free throws to tie the game with about three minutes to go,” Coach Redman added.

For Cheboygan, Luke Harrington and Ben Pearson scored 12 points each.

Boyne City 64, Harbor Springs 62

BOYNE CITY – The Ramblers got 23 points from Corey Redman to lead four Boyne City players in double figures as they defeated Harbor Springs 64-62 on January 28.

“We got off to a good start, stayed focused when the game got tight and executed at the end to win it,” Boyne City coach Nick Redman said. “It was nice to see us get four guys in double figures.”

In addition to his 23 points, Corey Redman also added nine rebounds, while Bradley Fouchia added 19 points, five rebounds and five assists and Maceo Vroman and Ryan Carson chipped in with 10 points apiece. Vroman also added five rebounds.

Coach Redman also noted that Mike Dohm, Nick Vellis and Dalton Gardner each stepped it up by playing great defense.

Loggers roll past Wildcats & Red Devils

By Chris Fiel

Boyne Falls 68, Wolverine 33

BOYNE FALLS — Marcus Matelski scored a game-high 34 points and picked up 10 boards as Boyne Falls remained unbeaten in the Northern Lakes Conference with a 68-33 win over Wolverine on February 1.

The Loggers also got 15 points and four assists from Brendan Matelski, while Max Reed added eight points, and Clay Whitley finished with four steals.

For Wolverine, Taylor Schamm scored 12 points and Chris Grimm chipped in with eight.

“We started a little slow on defense on the first quarter,” Boyne Falls coach Tim Smith said. “We really cranked it up on defense in the second quarter.”

The Loggers led, 19-14, after the first quarter, 40-20 at halftime and 58-30 after three quarters of play.

“It was a nice homecoming win for us,” Smith added. “It was nice to have a lot of kids play in front of a big home crowd for us.”

Boyne Falls is 10-1 overall, 7-0 in league.

Boyne Falls 63, East Jordan 49

BOYNE FALLS – Facing a tough defense, Logger freshman Marcus Matelski found a way to get the ball and make shots, as he scored a game-high 30 points and grabbed 12 rebounds to lead Boyne Falls to a 63-49 non-conference victory over the Red Devils on February 28.

The Loggers improved to 9-1 with the win. Brendan Matelski and Maxwell Reed added 13 and 10



Boyne Falls Andrew Stevens (3) looks to move the ball as East Jordan's Noah Bacchus (10) defends. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

respectfully. Brendan Matelski and Clay Whitley added seven boards apiece.

“Good game for us, as we saw some junk defense on Marcus and where able to still get him shots,” Logger coach Tim Smith said. “We played very well on defense in second half.”

The Loggers led after one quarter 22-18, 34-32 at the half, and 55-42 headed into the fourth quarter.

“We appreciate East Jordan playing us it's a chance for us to play a much larger school and they are so well coached they really bring out the best in you,” Smith added.

WRESTLING

Mills, Wandrie earn LMC Championships

By Chris Fiel

TRAVERSE CITY —Conner Mills and Zach Wandrie each earned Lake Michigan Conference championships in their weight class on February 2.

Mills, wrestling at 145 pounds, finished with a 4-0 record as he pinned Randy Hohman of Elk Rapids, 1:25; earned a technical fall decision of LeAnna Kneer of Kalkaska, 16-1; pinned T.C. St. Francis' Ben Jamieson, 3:28; and pinned Charlevoix's Jake Novotny in 5:50.

“Conner had the toughest bracket of the day,” Boyne City coach Don Nohel said. “He left no doubt about who is the best wrestler in the Lake Michigan Conference at 145 with four decisive victories.”

Wandrie, (215) pinned Mitchell Thompson of Grayling in 5:34, and then pinned Spencer Bruce of Charlevoix in 2:45 in his final match.

“It was nice to see Zach Wandrie win the conference,” Nohel said. “He's made a lot of progress this year, it was quite an accomplishment for him.”

Finishing runner-up in the tournament was Brady Calo, 285; Zach LaDere, 140; while Carter Wilmot, 135, was third.

Calo opened with a pin over Andrew Mitchell of Charlevoix, 1:24; then pinned Zach Joseph of Grayling, 1:35; and was pinned by Jake Khoury of T.C. St. Francis in the final in 1:59.

“All year, Brady has been wrestling guys who outweigh him by 40-60 pounds,” Nohel said. “So finishing second speaks a lot for his ability.”

LaDere pinned his Charlevoix opponent in 3:12, then fell to Kaid Brookshire of Elk Rapids, 19-3.

“Zach finished his senior year on a high note in the conference,” Nohel said.

Wilmot pinned Lucas Prevo of Charlevoix in 1:10; then pinned Rob Pope of Kalkaska, 2:30, was beat by Guayge Tooney of Grayling, 8-7; then fell to T.C. St. Francis' Matt Mawby, 7-5.

“Carter wrestled extremely well to finish third,” Nohel said. “He lost to the two top finishers by a total of three points, quite an accomplishment for a freshman.”

Charlevoix downs Kalkaska



Shane Sutherland (24) drives against the Kalkaska defense. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

Charlevoix 77, Kalkaska 49

CHARLEVOIX – After the Blazers took an opening quarter 25-14 lead, the Rayder Defense buckled down and held Kalkaska to only two second quarter points as Charlevoix pulled out a 77-49 Lake Michigan Conference victory on January 28.

Charlie Hamilton got the hot hand from all over the court and kept the Blazers off balance, hitting long range bombs or getting to the rim for a closer attempt. Hamilton would finish with 26 points leading Charlevoix.

Rayder big man, Zach Hankins added 19 points and eight rebounds, and Tanner Catt dished out eight assists.

“The shots that fell for them in the first quarter stopped falling and I thought our transition offense really got us going in the second,” Charlevoix coach Adam Wood said. “We started to attack their zone with more aggression and were able to get some easier baskets than we did in the first quarter.”

Wood also noted that Hamilton sparked the team with his basket attacking style and kept them off balance knocking down shots from the outside as well. Wood also added that Catt played a very unselfish game by getting his teammates involved.

“It is always a great night when you can get everyone in the game to contribute in some way, and we were able to do that tonight,” the coach said. “I was proud of the way the guys bounced back after Kalkaska came out so tough in the first quarter.”

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Question & Answers About Selling Real Estate

Five Key Areas to Pay Attention to When Buying a Home - Part 1 of 2

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Looking for a new home can be exciting and frustrating. You can help alleviate the frustration by paying close attention to five key areas of

the homes you're considering buying; it may save you money in the long run.

There are five areas in homes that he frequently reports problems with. They are electrical,

foundation, plumbing, the attic, and landscaping.

Electrical

Walker says sometimes homeowners assume with newer homes that all will work just fine but that's often not the case. "I [inspected] a brand new house — four years old but the electrical was all done incorrectly," says Walker.

Having a complete home inspection will help to rule out any problems and point out any areas of concern. However, even as you're browsing homes, buyers can start to make note of the key areas that Walker mentioned, such as the foundation.

Foundation

Walker says a four-year-old home he inspected recently was already showing trouble signs which could result in a costly repair project. "It was a model home. What [the homeowners] did was plant trees for shade to make it look really nice, but they planted the wrong trees and they're going to crack the foundation and it's going to cut the property value down by \$50,000," says Walker.

Walker says in the case of that home, the trees were causing micro-fractures in the tile in various locations of the home. "As you walk through the house, 21 feet in and 30 feet deep, there's just too much root invasion and it's going to ruin their tile," explains

Walker.

He says some tell-tale signs with this home were the minor cracks in the foundation that were causing a lifting and separation of the foundation. Also, the windows were not opening and closing properly, "which means the foundation is moving."

However, just because you see cracks doesn't mean there is a foundation problem. "Most people don't understand that there are natural cracks in a house. That's why when we do an inspection report we have to look at it and say 'Okay, this is a typical crack and this one is an untypical crack,'" says Walker. He says some cracks may lead to other problems while others won't.

Featured Property

Price reduced on this turn of the century home in Boyne City

By Jim Akans

There's nothing quite like the charm and craftsmanship found in a turn of the century home. This week's feature listing, situated just three blocks from the extraordinary shopping, recreation and entertainment offered in downtown Boyne City, is a wonderful example of that vintage home appeal.

The home features just under 1,500 square feet of living space on the two main levels, plus it has a partial block basement for extra storage room. The main level includes an open living room with wood burning fireplace, an adjoining formal dining room, nicely sized kitchen and full bath plus a half bath. Upstairs there are three bedrooms and a full bath. Gorgeous and original hardwood flooring extends throughout both main levels, providing a welcoming sense of warmth to the interior spaces.

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Automotive Review



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Ford Fusion and Fusion Hybrid earn Top Vehicle Safety Rating from NHTSA

The 2013 Ford Fusion and Fusion Hybrid received a top vehicle safety rating from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA). The Fusion and Fusion Hybrid received a five-star Overall Vehicle Score in NHTSA New Car Assessment Program (NCAP) testing, which combines vehicle performance in frontal and side-impact crash tests and resistance to rollover.

"The Fusion and Fusion Hybrid exemplify the new face of Ford vehicles and demonstrate Ford's commitment to safety in all its vehicles across the globe," said Steve Kenner, Global Director of the Ford Automotive Safety Office (ASO).

The new five-star safety award from NHTSA is in addition to the 2013 Fusion being named a Top Safety Pick+ from the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety (IIHS) last month. The Top Safety Pick+ designation is the highest rating the organization has for vehicle safety.

The all-new Fusion features the Personal Safety System™ with new safety belt technologies and front impact airbags.

The Personal Safety System™ is a network of components that work together to tailor the deployment of the front airbags during frontal collisions. The restraint control module (RCM) translates information collected by the front crash sensors, front outboard safety belt buckle switches, driver-seat track position and passenger seat

weight sensor. Using this information, the RCM activates the safety belt pretensioners and determines how the dual-stage front airbags will deploy. This tailored airbag deployment is based upon system inputs received about the size, seat track position and safety belt usage of the front seat occupants.

The redesigned seat-mounted side airbags deploy lower in the pelvis area and incorporate new venting technology. The side airbag's venting technology takes into account the size of the occupant, and varies the pressure so smaller occupants receive a lower pressure.

The tunnel vent is lined up with the shoulder area of the occupant. On larger passengers, the shoulder engages the vent and keeps it from venting so the gas stays inside the airbag. On smaller passengers, the effect is just the opposite: Because the occupant's shoulder is below the vent, the gas vents out of the airbag.

The driver's airbag uses a reconfigured curve-shaped tether system that pulls in the lower section to create a pocket that help to lessen the impact of the airbag on the driver's chest and ribs in frontal crashes. Deploying at the same time is a driver's knee airbag.

The Fusion and Fusion Hybrid boast leading fuel economy and numerous technologies that help enhance the driving experience, reduce stress and assist the driver. Fusion brings the

broadest selection of fuel-efficient powertrains in the mid-size car segment. Consumers have the choice of a pair of EcoBoost four-cylinder engines, a normally aspirated four-cylinder engine, an automatic start stop system to shut off the engine at stationary idle, front-wheel drive and all-wheel drive applications, and a choice between automatic and manually shifted six-speed transmissions.

Maneuvering parking lots and traveling open roadways becomes less stressful with Fusion's available sensor-based BLIS® (Blind Spot Information System) with cross-traffic alert. The system uses radar to identify and alert the driver if a vehicle is detected in the vehicle's blind spot. Cross-traffic alert provides audible and visual alerts if traffic is detected approaching from the sides, such as when backing out of a parking space.

Available Active Park Assist makes parallel parking virtually stress-free. With the press of a button, the system detects an available parallel parking space and automatically steers the vehicle into the space. Drivers control only the gas and brake pedals and transmission gear position.

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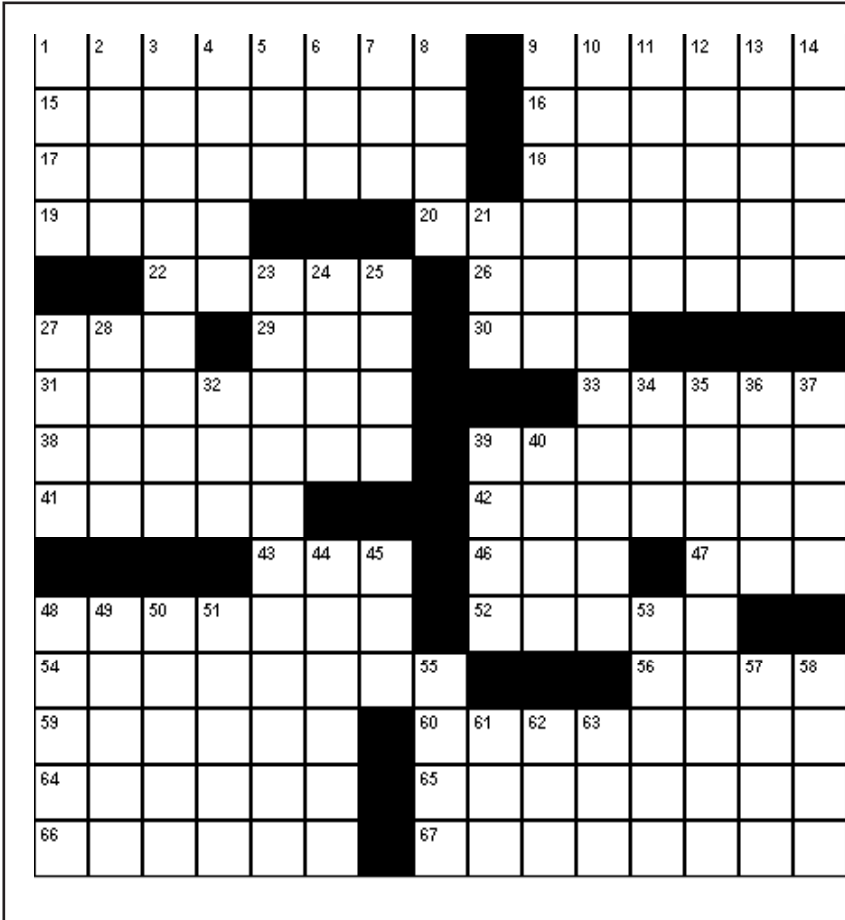
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Young Soldier Home for Now, but Plans future Return to Afghanistan

East Jordan Amends Dog Law

By B. J. Conley

EAST JORDAN — When grabbing the leash to take Fido for a walk in the city of East Jordan, dog walkers are advised to grab a disposable bag, as well. An ordinance was introduced at the city commission meeting on Aug. 3, to amend Section 6-36 of the Code of Ordinances, Section 6-36 addresses removal of dog feces if a dog happens to decide a neighbor's lawn is the perfect place to find relief. But the new ordinance adds the language that states: "Anyone walking their dog on property other than their own shall be required to have a disposable bag..."

Also at the meeting, the city administrator updated the commission on the construction of the Emergency Services Facility. The main part of the building and the EMS wing were under a roof, allowing the electrical and plumbing contractors to begin their portion of the work. There is still some flooring to be poured in the Fire Wing. The concrete walls are in place and the roof trusses on this portion of the building will be up soon. The completion target date is early fall.

Mary Faculik, president of the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce, gave a presentation to commissioners that informed them of what the Chamber does for the city and updated them on events the Chamber has sponsored. She said she is excited about the Main Street Program.

Antique Auto Show & Flea Market

By Jim Akam

Boyer City is certain to be a destination location this coming weekend as the 37th Annual Antique Auto Show and Flea Market takes place in Veterans Memorial Park from 9 am to 4 pm Saturday and Sunday. This is a free event for attendees, offering a once a year opportunity to peruse some awesome vintage vehicles and shop fascinating and unique wares on the shores of beautiful Lake Charlevoix.

"This is a very popular event that has been going for many years," states Jim Bauman, Boyne City Chamber executive director. "We usually get about seventy vehicles for the show, all vintage and in original condition." Among the exciting features of the show is a spectacular 1911 Ford Touring Car that was used in the classic 1979 movie, "Somewhere in Time" (filmed on Mackinac Island). The vehicle is owned by Arnie Hudson, a Walloon Lake Resident who is the immediate past president of the club.

"I feel blessed to be in the U.S. where I don't have to worry about someone taking a family member away"

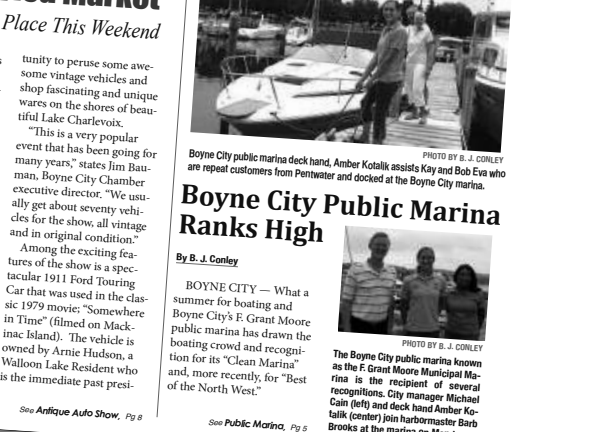


Platoon Sgt. Troy Drebenstedt served in Iraq and Afghanistan. He is home on leave and recently sat down and talked about his experiences and how the experiences led him to appreciate the United States more than ever. "I was extremely angry," Troy said. A medic who had noticed signs of a concussion came to get him and his superior officer ordered him back to the truck. The other four men riding with him also sustained injuries, but no one was killed. The explosive device was made with the intention to kill everyone in a large radius anywhere near it. "It was 300 pounds of explosives. Forty to 100 pounds is the usual size," Troy said. "I cut a hole six feet deep across the road." He is blessed, he says, and he credits his character to his Christian faith and his upbringing. His anger dissipated and he separates the Afghan people from the terrorists. "Being angry with a whole race is buying into their bigotry," he said. Troy's job in Afghanistan was one of the most dangerous. He was part of the Combat Engineering Unit, known as SAPPERS. He performed "route clearance," that is, his job was to find IEDs planted by the terrorists and clear the area of them for safer travel by the military.

Boyer City Public Marina Ranks High

By B. J. Conley

BOYNE CITY — What a summer for boating and Boyne City's E. Grant Moore public marina has drawn the boating crowd and recognition for its "Clean Marina" and, more recently, for "Best of the North West."



BOYNE CITY PUBLIC MARINA DECK HAND, Amber Katalik assists Kay and Bob Fox who are repeat customers from Port Huron and docked at the Boyne City marina. The Boyne City public marina ranks high as the #1 Great Lakes Municipal Marina in the recipient of several recognitions. City manager Michael Cain (left) and deck hand Amber Katalik (center) join harbormaster Barb Brooks at the marina on Monday.

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A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public inspection on the Norwood township website, www.charlevoixcounty.org/norwood.asp or at the township hall and by request to clerk, norwoodclerk@yahoo.com

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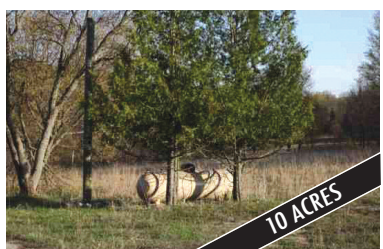
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320 OLD STATE ROAD, BOYNE CITY
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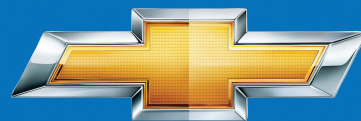
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