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Front (L-R) Halee Boughton - Boyne City; Emily Matelski - Boyne Falls; Valerie Peters - East Jordan; Gabby Gray - Charlevoix. Middle (L-R) Brianna Newberry - East Jordan; Sydney Carlson - Charlevoix; Mary Myers - Boyne City; Tara Essenberg - Ellsworth; Madeline Boss - Charlevoix. Back (L-R) Kari Steenwyk - Ellsworth; Paige Poindexter - East Jordan; Raegan Pedigo - Boyne Falls. Inset: Rainy McCune - Boyne City (PHOTOS BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

2013 CHARLEVOIX COUNTY NEWS' ALL-AREA GIRLS BASKETBALL DREAM TEAM

PHOTOS BY CINDA SHUMAKER

Loggers guard Emily Matelski is Player of the Year; Boyne Falls' Lyndel Sage is Coach of the Year

By Chris Fiel

BOYNE CITY - The Charlevoix County News is proud to announce the 2012-13 Girls All-Area Basketball "Dream Team."

With the girls season coming to a close over a week and a half ago, it gave us plenty of time to gather all the necessary information and highlights from this past season to make a thorough decision on which of these 13 student-athletes should be chosen as Player of the Year.

Once all that information had been digested, the field was narrowed to three and ultimately came down to one player and that deserving individual is Boyne Falls junior guard Emily Matelski.

Emily, in her fourth season on the varsity, led the Loggers and all female area basketball players with a

17.6 points per game average, while also dishing out seven assists, grabbing 6.3 rebounds and making four steals per contest.

Matelski used knowledge of the game, court vision and her ball handling skills to get the Logger offense running and gunning on just about every possession.

In addition to the offensive responsibilities, which included a career-high 34 points in an early season victory over Alanson as she topped the 20 point mark on numerous occasions; Emily was usually tasked with defending the opponent's best offensive player in nearly every contest.

When asked about the season Emily responded, "I was really happy with our season, we really grew as a team and all got along very well. I'm going to miss the

graduating seniors, but I'm already looking forward to next year!"

Joining Emily on the All-Area "Dream Team" is Logger teammate Raegan Pedigo; Boyne City's Rainy McCune, Mary Myers and Halee Boughton; along with the Charlevoix trio of Sydney Carlson, Madeline Boss and Gabby Gray. East Jordan is represented by Valerie Peters, Brianna Newberry and Paige Poindexter; and rounding out squad is the Ellsworth tandem of Tara Essenberg and Kari Steenwyk.

Boyne Falls Raegan Pedigo, a sophomore center, came into her own this year, banging and boarding with each opponent's post player. Raegan finished her second varsity season averaging just below a double-double. Pedigo contributed 11.9 points, 9.7 boards and blocked 2.4 shots per

contest for the Loggers.

Boyne City

Rainy McCune, a junior guard stepped right up to lead the team from the opening tip this season and gave the Ramblers a strong offensive and defensive presence that they needed. McCune used her ball handling abilities to orchestrate the Ramblers offense, her ability to hit shots from all over the court, created openings for the Boyne post players, and the attention she drew from the defense left teammates unguarded for clear looks.

Rainy finished with 250 points for a 13.2 per game average. She also grabbed 5.7 rebounds per game and led the team with 81 assists and 54 steals.

Mary Myers, a senior forward earned the respect of her coaches

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PLAYER OF THE YEAR:



Emily Matelski
Boyne Falls

COACH OF THE YEAR:



Lyndel Sage
Boyne Falls

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Player of the Year!

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Raegan Pedigo
BOYNE FALLS LOGGERS



Madeline Boss
CHARLEVOIX RAYDERS



Sydney Carlson
CHARLEVOIX RAYDERS



Gabby Gray
Charlevoix Rayders



Halee Boughton
BOYNE CITY RAMBLERS



Rainy McCune
Boyne City Ramblers



Mary Myers
BOYNE CITY RAMBLERS



Tara Essenberg
ELLSWORTH LANCERS



Kari Steenwyk
ELLSWORTH LANCERS



Brianna Newberry
EAST JORDAN RED DEVILS



Valerie Peters
EAST JORDAN RED DEVILS

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and peers by outworking everyone she was matched up against. Mary scored 172 points on the season for an 8.6 per game clip, and grabbed 131 boards for an average of 6.6 per game.

Myers was also tasked with defending the best opposing post player and would often times tire her opponents out with her ability to run the court.

Halee Boughton, a Rambler senior guard used her lightning quick speed to create havoc on the defensive end and push the ball up court for easy looks at the baskets for herself and teammates.

Boughton finished with a 6.5 points per game average, totaling 124 points on the year. She also grabbed 61 rebounds and dished out 39 assists for Boyne.

Charlevoix Junior guard Sydney Carlson has been a consistent

in the back court for the Rayders for the past three seasons. Carlson, played both guard positions for the Rayders, and used her veteran leadership, sacrificing her own game and leading by example to help the younger players develop throughout the season.

A co-captain, Sydney averaged 6.2 points, 3.5 rebounds, 2.8 assists and 2.6 steals per game for the Rayders.

Madeline Boss, a sophomore center for Charlevoix often times created a mismatch for opposing post players with her athletic prowess and ability to get up and down the court quickly for the entire game without looking the least bit winded.

Boss averaged 12.4 points per game to lead the Rayders, while also chipping in with 6.1 boards, 2.6 steals and nearly two blocks per contest.

One of this seasons highlights was when she turned in a monster game against

Grayling late this season as she finished with 28 points, eight boards, four blocks and four steals.

Gabby Gray, developed into a very solid guard this season for Charlevoix. She helped draw the attention away from both Carlson and Boss with her ability to put the ball in the hoop for the Rayders, scoring in double figures or near double figures when the time called for it.

Gabby averaged 5.8 points, 1.8 steals and 1.2 assists this season for Charlevoix, and the outlook for next season is for an even bigger contribution to the team.

East Jordan Senior co-captain and point guard, Valerie Peters, once again led the Red Devils and did so by putting up above average numbers in nearly every statistical category. Val used her ability to break down opponent's defensive schemes to get teammates open looks at the basket, and when the time

came, she would often put the team on her back and take control of the contest, doing whatever it took to bring home a win.

Peters averaged 10.7 points, 3 rebounds, and 2.5 assists per game this season, and knocked down 26 triples from beyond the arch for East Jordan.

Valerie was also recognized by coach Steve Hines as "The heart and soul of the Red Devil basketball team, a great role model, outstanding student and great kid!"

Paige Poindexter a junior forward. Was the second leading scorer for East Jordan at 8.5 points per contest and led the team in rebounding at over seven per game.

She had to miss the last four games of the season due to injury, thus taking one of the better area post players out of the Red Devils lineup.

Senior guard, Brianna Newberry, another Red Devil co-captain, started



Paige Poindexter
EAST JORDAN RED DEVILS

every game for East Jordan this year, finishing second on the team in assists and three pointers made with 23.

A steady player throughout the course of the contest, she regularly stepped up her play when the game was on the line in the

fourth quarter. There were multiple times this season where Newberry hit a game-tying or go-ahead three pointer. Also on four separate occasions, Brianna strolled to the free throw line late in the game and hit nothing but the bot-

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(left to right) Back Row: Jim Elzinga, Kristen Verrett Mcmanus, Dustin Keller, D. Cook, Linda Halford, Brent Cook, and Robin Deblake. Front Row: Gabe Hawley, Rick Hawley (PHOTO COURTESY RICK HAWLEY)



And they're off! The Shamrockers Run for the Gold 5K road race participants take off from the start. (PHOTO COURTESY RICK HAWLEY)

The Shamrockers Run for the Gold (5K road Race)

By Chris Fiel

EAST JORDAN — The Shamrockers Run for the Gold 5K road race took place on March 24. The race was hosted by the East Jordan Snowmobile Club and put on by Northern Stiders.

Race director Rick Hawley said the weather conditions were great and all participants received awards.

East Jordan's Gabe Hawley was the overall winner in a time of 17:32 in the men's division, while Kristen Verrett Mcmanus of Traverse City finished in 23:11.

Masters division winners were Mike Miller of Boyne Falls in 21:15 and Penny Coon of Elmira in 27:21.

In the Grand Masters division, Jim Elzinga of Conway finished in 32:30.

Walk winners were Scott Coon of Elmira in 53:29.40, and Yvonne Olds also of Elmira in 53:29.78.

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Boyne City's Corey Redman Class C honorable mention; Boyne Falls' Marcus Matelski Class D honorable mention.

BOYNE CITY — Rambler sophomore forward Corey Redman can add another post season award to his growing list of accomplishments as he was named as a Class C All-State honorable mention selection by the Associated Press.

The second year varsity player averaged 20 points, 7.5 rebounds, two assists and 1.5 steals a game this season for Boyne while shooting 52 percent from the floor and 82 percent

from the charity stripe.

BOYNE FALLS — Logger freshman forward Marcus Matelski was also selected by the Associated Press All-State panel as he received Class D honorable mention.

Matelski, in his second season on the varsity, finished the season averaging 27 points, 9.4 rebounds and 3.3 assists and 2.8 steals per game for Boyne Falls. He also shot 63 percent from the field and 80 percent from the free throw line.

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tom of the net as she finished the season 10-of-10 in crunch time.

Ellsworth Tara Essenberg, a senior multi-position player for the Lancers this season, found herself posting up one possession and on the next, running the show for Ellsworth from the point guard position.

Tara finished with 238 total points for a 13.2 per game average, grabbed 188 rebounds for a 10.4 average, made 52 steals and blocked 36 shots and shot 54 percent from the charity stripe.

Credited by coach Brenda Stevens as an, "extremely hard worker that plays at 100 miles per hour, she also made the smooth transition from point to center this season for the team."

Kari Steenwyk, another senior multi-position player for Ellsworth played all but 15 minutes this season for the Lancers.

Steenwyk finished with 227 total points for an 11.95 average, hauled in 204 boards for a 10.7 per game average, dished out 52 assists, made 37 steals, blocked 22 shots and shot 70 percent from the free throw line.

Noted for playing bigger than her 5'6" frame, coach Stevens also mentioned that Kari was one of the smartest players that she has had the opportunity to work with.

Coach of the Year Coach of the Year honors go to Boyne Falls' coach Lyndel Sage. Sage, in her second season on the Loggers bench, helped lead the team to a 12-6 overall

record and second place finish in the Northern Lakes Conference at 8-3.

Coach Sage had the Loggers playing up-tempo basketball on a regular basis, allowing the team to average 51 points per game and their pressure defense helped limit opponents to only 35 points per contest.

"It's an honor to coach for a great community and supportive school system," coach Sage said. "I feel if we work hard this off-season, we could make a run to win the conference. It would be nice to finally hang that banner in the gym!"

The Loggers put together a pair of five game win streaks this season as they in closer to their first league title.

Boyne Falls will say goodbye to three seniors, Kaylee Wilson, Melody Ann Harmon and Kiersten Bielas. Wilson will be missed for her work ethic and defense, while Harmon was credited with being a spark plug in big games for the Loggers and keeping the defense honest with her ability to hit the three pointer and Bielas for her defensive ability on opponents guards.

"My returning girls are four starters and we have high hopes, hopefully we can fulfill that goal for the players and school."

With a very solid returning cast, it looks like the Loggers should be able to make some more noise in the Northern Lakes Conference and finish near or at the top.

Former Pro Football player delivers inspirational message to local audience

PETOSKEY - Apathy and indifference are the most pressing problems society faces today, and tackling those two factors are the first step toward a better America.

That was the message from former professional football player Joe Ehrmann, who delivered a riveting and inspiring speech to a crowd estimated at 550 last week at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey.

Ehrmann, an All-American at Syracuse who went on to a 13-year pro football career and who was once named the most important coach in America by Parade magazine, said involvement is critical in rebuilding the foundation of society.

"It's about setting aside our goals for the broader well-being of the team," he said in using his own football-playing experiences as a metaphor for everyday life. "We've got way too many bystanders."

After retiring from football in 1985, Ehrmann became a minister and is today a motivational speaker, traveling the country to spread his message of grassroots change.

He said athletics can absolutely transform lives, and he said sports have continually played a major role in societal change.

He cited examples such as Jackie Robinson breaking the color barrier in Major League Baseball, Title IX in opening doors for women, and the role sports played in helping to end Apartheid in South Africa.

"Sports bring us together," he said. "They've become the secular religion in American."

Athletics are ingrained, for better or worse, in the fiber of the culture, said Ehrmann, who has received myriad awards for his work and was named one of the 100 Most Influential Sports Educators in America by the Institute for International Sport.

Ehrmann's latest book, InSideOut Coaching: How Sports Can Transform Lives, is a prescription for that very change, and eschewing a win-at-all-costs mentality is critical.

Ehrmann said society sends messages that children receive almost from the very beginning. Those messages, he said, are dead wrong.

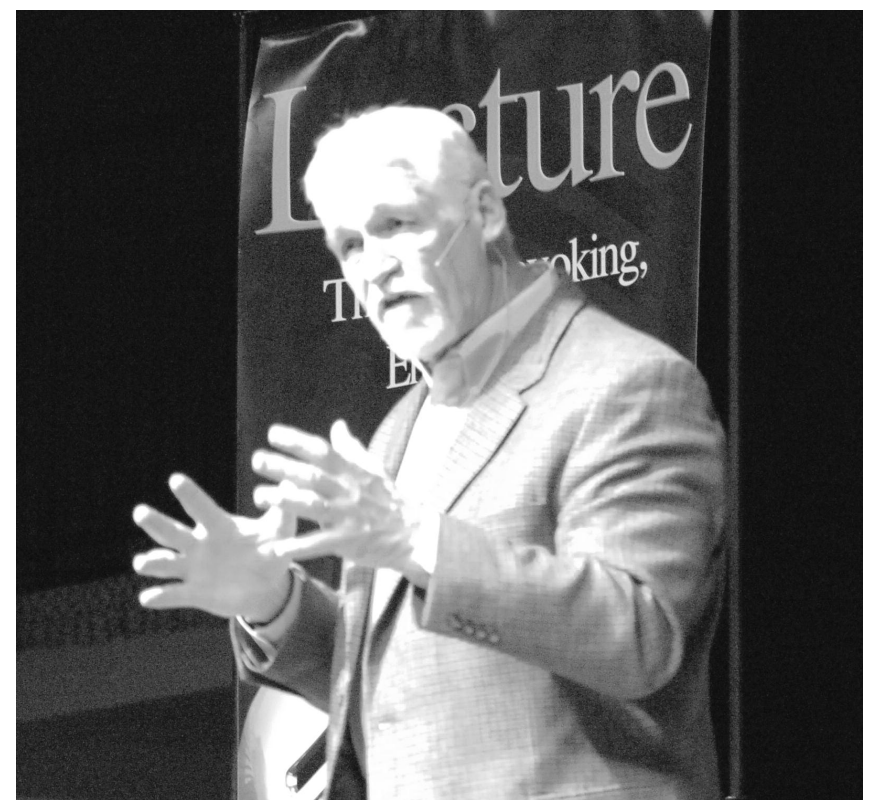
"We have a crisis in America that's foundational," he said. "It's a crisis of masculinity. What does it mean to be a man?"

Ehrmann co-founded with his wife Paula Building Men and Women for Others, an organization that addresses issues of masculinity and femininity and seeks to redefine and reframe social responsibility of sports, coaches, parents and players. He said that society defines masculine values as athletic ability, size and strength, from an early age.

"That is an absolute lie," he said.

As boys grow older, they are taught that success is measured by sexual conquest and, finally, economic advancement, Ehrmann said.

"Boys are never given permission to express their feelings and emo-



Former professional football player Joe Ehrmann delivers a speech to a crowd estimated at 550 last week at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey.

tions," he said. "Emotions are signs of masculine failure. Boys are taught to separate their hearts from their heads and live from the neck up."

He said power, dominance and control are the values that are wrongly rewarded and emphasized among males in America. He said criticisms of males run almost universally in challenges to that perceived notion of manhood in the form of feminine or homosexual labels.

As a result, he said, emotional growth is stunted from the very beginning.

"If you can't identify your own feelings and emotions, you can't empathize with others feelings and emotions," he said. "We have to reconnect a boy's heart with his head."

Females, he said, are bombarded with messages from an early age to believe that if they are pretty enough, they will be rescued by Prince Charming; that their worth is completely dependent on their beauty and body type; and that they must abandon their authentic self in order to be accepted, popular and, finally, loved.

"We've been taking in these messages for a lifetime about what it means to be a man or a woman," Ehrmann said.

Those factors can eventually lead to substance abuse, self abuse, eating disorders, isolation and violence in both genders.

"We have 4 percent of the world's population in the United States, but we have 25 percent of the incarcerated people in the world," Ehrmann said, adding that an estimated 80

percent of American men suffer from alexithymia, a personality disorder in which a person is unable to identify and describe their own emotions.

He said that can often be traced to childhood, during which males are often told to "Be a man" on the playground, and that means carrying on, not showing emotion and burying feelings.

"Think about how it all developed your own self concept," he said in addressing the adults in the audience. "You're not destined to repeat that."

The challenge is to redefine masculinity and femininity, and that begins early on in the athletic arena, said Ehrmann, who added that he began seriously thinking about emotional disconnect, and feelings, when, as a 29-year-old playing for the Baltimore Colts, he watched his brother, 10 years his junior, die of cancer.

"The heart is the key to attachment," he said, adding that people need to find a cause to "make the world a better place. We need to identify our own personal cause.

"What is greatness in our own life? And it ought to emanate from your heart."

Ehrmann drew on what are recognized as some of history's great speeches, those delivered from the likes of John F. Kennedy, Martin Luther King and Winston Churchill.

He said the recurring themes in those historic speeches are relational responsibility and fairness, justice and being hipbilateral.

"All of life is about relationships," he said. "What does it mean to love and be loved?"

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Local basketball players in the Big Dance

Four players from Northern Michigan played in the NCAA Tournaments

The book is hardly closed for a quartet of former Northern Michigan basketball standouts as each strives to carve out a legacy on the college hardwood.

But no matter what happens over the next two or three years, each has a special memory, the result of a rare experience that each had this season.

Petoskey's Kerby Tamm and Cory Starkey along with Central Lake's Jasmine Hines are at the midway point of their respective careers, while Pellston graduate Christopher Hass just completed his freshmen year.

All four have something in common, besides the fact they are playing NCAA Division I basketball. They each got a taste of March Madness this season from a perspective very few ever do. Each came closer to that One Shining Moment than most of us ever will.

Starkey and Hass were members of the Bucknell University men's basketball team that bowed to Butler, 68-56, in its NCAA Tournament opener; Tamm is a member of the Central Michigan women's team that fell in its NCAA Tourney opener to Oklahoma, 78-73; and Hines is a member of the Michigan State women's team that was eliminated from the tournament on Monday by Maryland, 74-49.

Tamm, a sophomore, is part of a resurgent CMU women's team that won the Mid-American Conference tournament, giving the Chippewas their first NCAA berth since 1984.

Central finished 21-12, and returns six of its top nine players – including Tamm and leading scorer Crystal Bradford – who averaged at least 12 minutes per game this season.

And while Tamm spent a good portion of the season in Coach Sue Guvera's "rotation" – basketball parlance for the regulars, those players who either start or come off the bench and play with the game's outcome still in the balance – she saw her playing time diminish through tournament play.

She did not play in the Chippewas' loss to Oklahoma.

Tamm, a sharpshooting sophomore guard and a two-time All-Stater at Petoskey, drew 10 starts this season.

But she said she refused to be discouraged by her lack of late-season playing time, and instead maintained a solid team-first attitude.

She said she was as thrilled as anybody to get an opportunity to dress for an NCAA Tournament game.

"Every night I come ready to play," said Tamm, who made 30 of her 72 3-point attempts this season and averaged 3.4 points per game. "You just have to have a good mindset. On every team, everyone has a role. It's just accepting your role and embracing your role."

"I'm just really happy to be a part of it, going to the NCAA Tournament."

Neither Starkey nor Hass appeared in Bucknell's loss to Butler, but they, like Tamm, said the experience of winning a league championship – in the case of the Bison, the Patriot League – and punching their ticket to the Big Dance left an indelible mark.

"The experience of cutting down the nets and celebrating with the team" was phenomenal, Starkey said. "It was definitely a great experience, a memorable experience."

Starkey and Tamm, both sophomores, had a unique perspective, one that made the success of their respective 2012-13 teams all the more sweeter.

Both were freshmen last season, when the Bison men and Chippewa women both came within a whisker of making it to their respective NCAA Tournaments.

As it was, both lost in their respective league tournament championship games. The Central women lost to Eastern Michigan, 72-71, when the Eagles scored the game-winning bucket with under 2 seconds left; the Bucknell men fell to Lehigh, 82-77, in the Patriot League title game and settled for a berth in

the National Invitation Tournament.

"Last year we were just a couple of possessions away and it was a huge letdown," Starkey said. "I think we learned a lot. To get over the hump this year is just a dream come true when we finally won it and knew we were going to the tournament."

"Last year we were in a similar situation," Tamm said. "We were excited to be back at the MAC tournament and really had a mindset of taking home the championship because we got so close last year."

"We were 1.5 seconds away from a championship (and NCAA berth) and that really motivated us to play well and come to play every game all season. That really helped in the MAC tournament, having the experience from the previous year."

While neither Starkey or Hass is among Bucknell's top-line players, each has become entrenched in the program as a scholarship player, patiently biding their time and waiting their turn in a program that has developed into a Patriot League power.

"It's special to be here and be in the tournament," Starkey said before the Bison fell to Butler. "When you think that most college players are done at this point in the season and we're still playing ... and even if I'm



Pellston Graduate Cliff Hass plays for Bucknell University. PHOTO COURTESY OF BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

poster child – are filled, top to bottom, with legitimate student-athletes with the emphasis on student first and foremost.



Petoskey Graduate Cory Starkey plays for Bucknell University. PHOTO COURTESY OF BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

not getting major minutes, it means something. It's definitely special to me."

The Bison finished 28-6 this season and were 25-10 a year ago. The Patriot League is comprised of strong academic institutions

It's a wait-your-turn proposition for most underclassmen, Starkey and Hass included.

"The whole campus has just been great about it," Hass said of the atmosphere surrounding the team and its success. "It's really

that's going to the tournament, it's been my dream. Ever since I could fill out a bracket, I guess."

Both Starkey and Hass figure to see increased playing time as early as next season, when the 6-foot-7 Starkey will be a junior and Hass a sophomore. The Bison were senior-laden this season, and among those graduating are 6-11 Mike Muscala, who is very likely headed to the NBA.

The next step for both Northern Michigan legends is to make their way into the rotation at Bucknell.

"It's definitely been a letdown, but it is what it is and there are really good players ahead of me," Starkey said in regards to his playing time. "Obviously they're really good because of the outcomes of last two seasons. I learn from them, and they push me in practice and I know I've been getting a lot better. I've been putting in a lot more time because I know I have to. I've been focused on getting in the gym as much as I can and improving on the things I need to."

"It's tough because everybody coming in wants to play right away and contribute and it's definitely a shock when it's not that way. But playing behind a guy who's going to be playing in the NBA and another guy who's probably going to be playing professionally somewhere, it's about competing with them every day and learning from them. They've had a lot of experience."

"You've just got to continue to

provided, of course, he continues to make strides.

"I really do believe that," he said. "I've put in my time. A lot of people have to put time in and not play a lot and learn from the people ahead of them, and I feel like I've done that."

"I feel like my time is just right around the corner. I feel like I've been real close to breaking into the lineup. I'm really positive about the next two years."

Hass is in a similar situation in that he backed up shooting guard Bryson Johnson, a senior who was the top 3-point shooter in the Patriot League this season, knocking down 40 percent of his triple tries.

Hass is regularly assigned to guard Johnson in practice. "College is so much more physical (than high school)," Hass said, "and me being the 6-4, 6-5 string bean that I am, I've been working in the weight room a lot more than I thought I would."

It's paid off. Hass said he now weighs 181 pounds, 16 more than when he graduated from Pellston in 2012 as the Associated Press Class D player of the year and as the third all-time leading scorer in Michigan high school history with 2,522 points.

Still, a year as a backup at Bucknell has taught Hass that he has plenty of strides to make, particularly on defense, which is a Bison calling card.

"It makes me realize that, 'Wow, I've got a lot to work on,'" he said. "It's really rekindled my fire for basketball."

"In high school, especially in Class D, you could get away with some stuff. I can definitely tell that my defense has picked up. The coaches have noticed it, and that's a good sign. I definitely want to be in the rotation. I feel like I can (be). I've just got to work hard, which I plan to do. ... I don't see it as a goal that I can't achieve."

Hines, a 6-3 sophomore, scored six points in the Spartan women's season-ending loss on Monday to Maryland.

She appeared in 33 of MSU's 34 games this season, drawing five starts. She averaged 7.6 points and 4.7 rebounds per game in 17.6 minutes.

MSU finished 25-9. As freshman last season, Hines averaged 5.1 points and 2.5 rebounds while shooting a team-best 54.2 percent from the field.

Hines enjoyed a sensational career at Central Lake, where she was a four-time All-Stater and became the state's leading scorer with 3,034 points and rebounder, 1,692.

She was named a Parade High School All-American, the state's Miss Basketball, and the Associated Press Class D Player of the Year in her senior year, 2010-11.



Petoskey Graduate Kerby Tamm plays for Central Michigan University. PHOTO COURTESY OF CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

and it compares favorably to the Ivy League, both in scope and philosophy.

In short, the basketball programs in the Patriot League – and Bucknell is perhaps the

a close-knit campus. ... Everyone in town knows who you are and stuff, so you walk around town and everyone is congratulating you. I'm on cloud nine.

"Just to be a part of a team

fight. You can't back down because if you relax for a second they can take advantage of you."

Starkey said his sense is that he will move up the depth chart beginning next season,



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Medicare Product	Enrollment Period
Initial Enrollment Period Medicare Parts A & B & D (drug plan) <u>OR</u> Medicare Advantage/Health Plans	3 months before the month of 65 th birthday, the month of 65 th birthday and 3 months after month of 65 th birthday
Open Enrollment – Medicare Part B for those not enrolled at other times or with a special enrollment period	January 1 – March 31 annually
Annual Election Period (for reviewing / changing plans) Medicare Part D & Medicare Advantage/Health Plans	October 15 – December 7 annually
Special Enrollment Period - Medicare Part B when losing "credible coverage" from another source like employer coverage	Within 8 months after losing credible coverage
Special Enrollment Period - Medicare Part D (drug coverage) - when involuntarily losing credible drug coverage	Begins with the month of notice of loss of coverage and continues until 60 days after the loss or 60 days after the notice, whichever is later
Disenrollment Period Medicare Advantage/Health Plans dropping an Medicare Advantage plans and returning to Original Medicare and a drug plan	January 1 – February 14 Annually
Guaranteed Issue Period Medicare Supplemental Plans During this time a company cannot deny coverage, make you wait for coverage to start or charge more because of your health conditions	Begins the first day of the first month you are BOTH 65 and enrolled in Medicare Part B.

This information provided by the Regional MMAP office at the Area Agency on Aging of Northwest Michigan. MMAP is funded by a grant from the Michigan Office of Services to the Aging through funding received from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

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Thursday, March 28 1 pm Pinochle	Friday, March 29 9:30 Craft Class 10 am Sit and Be Fit 1pm Rummy	Monday, April 1	Tuesday, April 2 Tax preparation assistance	Wednesday, April 3 1 pm Cash Bingo	Thursday, April 4 1 pm Pinochle
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Thursday, March 28 Wii Bowling	Friday, March 29 CLOSED	Monday, April 1 Bingo	Tuesday, April 2 Craft Class 2-7 High Speed Internet	Wednesday, April 3 Line Dance Br. Bag Bingo	Thursday, April 4 Wii Bowling
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Real Estate Corner

Question & Answers About Selling Real Estate

Signs that you're ready to buy



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Six tips that tell you it's time

Figuring out whether you're ready to buy a house — whether you're a renter or are aiming to move up or size down — can be a daunting task. But there are signs that will indicate whether you're ready to take the buying plunge.

If you are thinking about buying, you're not alone. So are you ready to make the move? You might be if you:

1. Are familiar with the market. If you've been paying attention to how much houses are listed for in the neighborhoods you're eyeing and have a realistic view of how much a house will cost you, you're in good shape. But if you're dreaming about that big corner house with no clue about it's asking price, you may want to spend some more time becoming familiar with the market and how much houses are going for.

2. Have the money for a down payment and closing costs. The down payment is a percentage of the value of the property. Freddie Mac says the percentage will be determined by the type of mortgage you select. Down payments usually range from 3 to 20 percent of the property value. Also, you may be required to have Private Mortgage Insurance (PMI or MI) if your down payment is less than 20 percent. Closing costs include points, taxes, title insurance, financing costs and items that must be prepaid or escrowed and other settlement costs. You can expect to pay between from 2 to 7 percent of the property value. Generally, buyers will receive an estimate of these costs from your lender after you apply for a mortgage.

3. Know how much you can afford. Freddie Mac says that as a general guide, your monthly mortgage payment should be less than or equal to a percentage of your income, usually about a quarter of your gross monthly income. Also, your income, debt and credit history go into deter-

mining how much you can borrow. As a general rule, your debt - credit card bills, car loans, housing expenses, alimony and child support — should not be more than about 30 to 40 percent of your gross income.

4. Know what additional expenses will come with owning a home. This includes homeowners insurance, utility bills, maintenance costs — roofing, plumbing, heating and cooling.

5. Have your credit in good shape and make sure your credit report is accurate. Potential lenders will view your credit history — how much debt you've accrued, how many accounts you have open, whether your payments are made on time, etc. — to determine whether they'll give you a loan. You should get a report from each of the credit reporting companies.

6. You haven't made any recent major purchases, particularly a vehicle. If you do, you may have a harder time getting a loan — or it could potentially lower the amount you'll be approved for.

Featured Property

Home and buildings on over 11 acres near Atwood offer commercial potential

By Jim Akans

Here is a real estate opportunity with lots of possibilities. Situated on approximately 11.6 acres of property just off U.S. 31 near Atwood, this week's featured listing includes two large outbuildings, a mobile home overlooking a large pond, and a detached greenhouse. There is currently a business operating from the main building that is not part of the listing, though the owner is open to negotiation.

The mobile home built in 1999 features approximately 1,216 square feet of living area that includes three bedrooms and two baths. The main outbuilding is 48 by 50 feet and contains three bays, and office area and a half bath. The second outbuilding is 24 x 36 feet and has one bay. There are also two wells and two septic on the property.

Located at 10950 N. U.S. 31 near Atwood, (and near Friske's Orchard) this is a real estate offering that has plenty of possibilities, and it is listed at just \$120,000.

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Automotive Review



For 2014 the Jeep® Patriot boasts improved on-road performance, compliments of a new six-speed automatic transmission. 2014 Jeep Patriot models will begin arriving in dealer showrooms in the second quarter 2013. PHOTO COPY-RIGHT 2012 CHRYSLER GROUP LLC.

2014 Jeep® Patriot:

Benchmark compact-SUV capability with improved ride and handling, courtesy of a new powertrain

For 2014 the Jeep® Patriot boasts improved on-road performance, compliments of a new six-speed automatic transmission. With unmatched Jeep capability in all weather conditions, fuel economy up to 30 miles per gallon (mpg), more than 30 safety and security features and a starting U.S. Manufacturers Suggested Retail Price (MSRP) of \$15,995, the 2014 Jeep Patriot is the best priced SUV in America.

The 2014 Patriot is unmistakably a Jeep, designed to appeal to compact-SUV buyers who want traditional Jeep styling with best-in-class off-road capability at an affordable price. Patriot offers consumers segment-leading 4x4 capability and excellent fuel efficiency along with rugged exterior styling and clever interior features.

"Jeep Patriot delivers best-in-class 4x4 capability with an iconic Jeep design," said Mike Manley, President and CEO — Jeep Brand, Chrysler Group LLC. "With a new six-speed automatic transmission for 2014, Patriot features improved on-road driving dynamics without sacrificing any of its best-in-class off-road capability. Best of all: Jeep Patriot is still the best-priced SUV in America."

Packed with standard features

that provide value and convenience for drivers and passengers, the 2014 Jeep Patriot standard features include: front seat-mounted side air bags, electronic stability control, electronic roll mitigation, Hill-start Assist, anti-lock brakes, illuminated cup holders, sunscreen glass, fog lamps, removable/rechargeable flashlight, outside temperature display, rear fold-flat 60/40 folding seat, rear window defrost and wiper, tilt steering column, cruise control and sliding visors with mirror.

In addition to the standard features, the 2014 Jeep Patriot offers an array of clever features consumers will appreciate whether commuting to work, exploring out-of-the-way places or driving in challenging weather conditions. A Uconnect Media Center with iPod interface, SiriusXM Radio, navigation with SiriusXM Travel Link, power sunroof, a premium audio system with nine Boston Acoustic speakers, articulating liftgate speakers, and fold-flat rear seats are some of the available features that make the 2014 Jeep Patriot the perfect compact SUV, enabling drivers and passengers to enjoy any adventure.

Available for the first time in most 2014 Jeep Patriot models is the world-class 6F24 six-speed automatic transmission. Inde-

pendently developed by PowerTech and refined for application in the 2014 Jeep Patriot, the six-speed automatic is fully electronic and designed for fuel efficiency and improved performance. Compact and lightweight, the 6F24 eliminated many potential extra engineering efforts from a packaging standpoint with the chassis layout.

The new six-speed transmission also helps reduce cost of ownership and maintenance costs with its fill-for-life design. There is no transmission dipstick, and transmission filter or fluid changes are not required under normal driving conditions. Low-viscosity fluid is used to improve fuel economy by enabling quicker operating temperatures on the transmission to reduce drag on internal components.

The 2014 Jeep Patriot's powertrain is designed to deliver world-class performance in all weather conditions, with exceptional fuel economy and refinement, all at an affordable, value-packed price.

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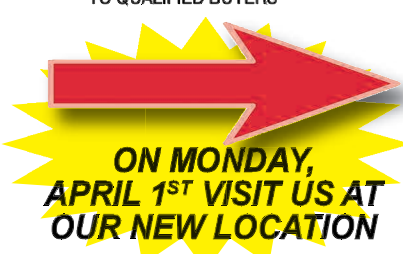
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met March 19, 2013 at 6:45 p.m.; Mayor Peck presiding with all members of Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgment was given to paid bills in the amount of \$231,417.14.

Further Commission Action: Commendation of service was awarded to Donald McKinnon; acknowledged receipt of Monthly Public Safety Reports for EMS, January 2013; acknowledged receipt of Monthly Zoning Activity Reports for February 2013; approved Michigan Main Street Program Associate Level agreement and authorized City Administrator to sign; and appointed Jessica Spencer to Planning Commission vacancy.

Copies of the minutes of the above meeting are posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

Cheltzi M. Wilson, CMC
City Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON BUDGETS

The South Arm Township Board will hold a public hearing, for the purpose of adopting the proposed South Arm Township budgets for the fiscal year 2013-2014 at the South Arm Township Hall on M-66 South on Wednesday, April 10, 2013 at 6:30PM.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

All discussion and comments will be received at this time or can be sent to the South Arm Township Clerk. A copy of the budget is available for inspection upon request.

Kimberly Olstrom, Clerk
South Arm Township
P O Box 304
East Jordan, MI 49727

NOTICE LAST DAY TO REGISTER

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS OF THE FOLLOWING CITY/TOWNSHIP
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

All electors are hereby given notice that a Recall General Election will be held in the following City on Tuesday, May 7, 2012.

Electors who wish to vote in the recall general election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 8, 2013. If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the city or township in which you live you may do so at the following locations listed in this notice.

In Person:

At the city or township clerk's office where your residence is located or at the office of the Charlevoix County Clerk during normal business hours.
At any of the Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the state during normal business hours.
At the specified agency for clients receiving services through the Family Independence Agency, the Department of Community Health, Michigan Jobs Commission and some offices of the Commission for the Blind.
At the military recruitment offices for persons enlisting in the armed forces.

By Mail:

By obtaining and completing a Mail Voter Registration Application and forwarding to the election official as directed on the application by the close of registration deadline. Mail voter registration applications may be obtained by contacting any of the following clerks.

NOTE: A person who registers to vote by mail is required to vote in person unless they have previously voted in person in the city/township where they live or are at least 60 years of age or are handicapped.

Electors who wish to register with the county or city/township clerk are advised to call ahead for the location, days and times.

This election is for the purpose of electing officials for the following offices:

City of Charlevoix Ward 1 Council Member (Partial Term Expiring 11/18/2013)
City of Charlevoix Ward 2 Council Member (Partial Term Expiring 11/18/2013)
City of Charlevoix Ward 3 Council Member (Partial Term Expiring 11/18/2013)

Full text of the ballot proposals may be obtained at the office of the County Clerk or the Clerk listed below.

Carol A. Ochs, Clerk
City of Charlevoix
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Cheryl Potter Browe,
County Clerk
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All electors are hereby given notice that a Special Election will be held in the following Cities/Townships on Tuesday, May 7, 2012.

Electors who wish to vote in the special election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 8, 2013. If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the city or township in which you live you may do so at the following locations listed in this notice.

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At the city or township clerk's office where your residence is located or at the office of the Charlevoix County Clerk during normal business hours.
At any of the Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the state during normal business hours.
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This election is for the purpose of voting on the following proposal (s): (if any)

BOYNE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

Full text of the ballot proposals may be obtained at the office of the County Clerk or the Township Clerk listed below.

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Boyne City, MI 49712
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231-549-3436

Lynn M. Sparks, Clerk
Boyne Valley Township
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Boyne City, MI 49712
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Hayes Township
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Charlevoix, MI 49720
231-547-6961

Robin Hissong Berry, Clerk
Melrose Township
01690 Old State Road
Boyne City, MI 49712
231-582-3356

Marilyn Beebe, Clerk
Wilson Township
1701 Fall Park Rd
Boyne City, MI 49712
231-582-0481

Cindy Grice, Clerk/Treasurer
City of Boyne City
319 N. Lake St
Boyne City, MI 49712
231-582-6597

Neil Booze, Clerk
Jordan Township, Antrim County
4473 Big Marsh Road
East Jordan MI 49727
231-342-7237

Sally Skop, Clerk
Warner Township, Antrim County
10435 M32
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4310 U.S. 131 HIGHWAY, PETOSKEY
This 3 bedroom home needs some TLC but has great views of Walloon Lake.. MLS 435143. Ask for Holly Nierman. **\$70,000**



NEW LISTING!

06245 PINCHERRY ROAD, CHARLEVOIX
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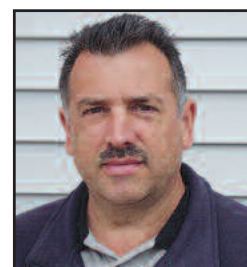
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