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Tom Sheridan of East Jordan chauffeured guests' hayride style at the 2012 Pumpkin Festival. FILE PHOTO

Full day of fun at East Jordan Pumpkin Festival Saturday

By Tina Sundelius

WHEN:
Saturday,
October 19
1-4PM

- Pie Baking Contest
- Craft Show
- Pumpkin Bowling
- Kids Games
- Live Music & More!



FILE PHOTO

EAST JORDAN—
Four years ago, three community leaders were looking for a way to make fall fun with a focus on community, today we call the fruits of their labors the East Jordan Pumpkin Festival. This year's event will be taking place Saturday, October 19th from 1-4 P.M. and like every Pumpkin Fest starting from that first event promises something for everyone.

"The first Pumpkin Fest was pulled together in a month and the support and enthusiasm just kept growing every year," said Chamber of Commerce President Mary Faculak. "The first year around one o'clock people just appeared from everywhere," she said.

Included in the day's events are a pie-baking contest, pumpkin bowling, the Leaf Peekers Craft Show, kids games, pumpkin painting (every child gets one free), and live music by Full Circle in the band shell. Most of the events are aimed at kids and are either free or low cost.

Local businesses are enthusiastic about the festival, participating in

early trick or treating and sponsoring the event. "One of the beauties of the festival is the support of the businesses from the trick or treat candy to sponsoring all the entertainment, everything we offer is free thanks to these gracious sponsors," said Faculak.

The East Jordan Community Church will be sponsoring the kid's games adding 'Nine Square in the Air' and 'Octo-Ball' to the usual array of carnival games. Of course those discerning critics with an artistic eye can admire the many scarecrows positioned all over town, still on display after the scarecrow competition and no hometown festival would be complete without the pie-baking contest, which takes place in Memorial Park. Pies may be baked at home and brought at 2 p.m. to the park for judging.

"I just love Pumpkin Fest, it's just a happy time of solidarity for the community and an added bonus to those out doing the color tours on the Breezeway," Faculak said.

For more information, visit the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce's website at or call (231) 536-7351.

Boyne City Public Schools Completes the 2012-13 School Year with a Balanced Budget.

The Boyne City Schools' Board of Education received "good news" at their regular meeting Monday evening when they learned the details of the annual audit.

Approving an operating budget in June of 2012, the District originally projected to spend over \$340,000 from its fund balance to make up a shortfall in revenue. However, upon receiving the report outlining the results of the District's annual audit; completed by the CPA Firm of Baird, Cotter, & Bishop; the Board learned the District actually added \$26,962 to the fund balance when the fiscal year ended on June 30th (2013). Entering the new fiscal year, the District's fund balance now stands at a respectable 13.7%.

What were the causes of this welcomed news? First of all, revenue came in slightly higher than originally forecast: \$12,472,366 versus \$12,428,654. It is difficult to make forecasts of rev-

See BC SCHOOLS-5A

20 Breaking & Enterings in Boyne Falls

REWARD OFFERED

Sheriff W.D. (Don) Schneider is offering a \$500.00 reward for information leading to the conviction of subject(s) responsible for approximately 20 B&Es in the Boyne Falls area recently.

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SATURDAY



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SUNDAY



HIGH: Low 50's
LOW: Mid 30's

MONDAY



HIGH: Upper 40's
LOW: Mid 30's

TUESDAY



HIGH: Low 50's
LOW: Mid 30's

record temps

Day	Avg.	High	Avg.	Low	Record High	Record Low
17	60°F	37°F	80°F	(1968)	23°F	(2009)
18	59°F	37°F	81°F	(1950)	24°F	(1966)
19	59°F	37°F	80°F	(1965)	21°F	(1991)
20	58°F	37°F	80°F	(1953)	25°F	(1966)
21	58°F	36°F	81°F	(1953)	22°F	(1959)
22	57°F	36°F	80°F	(1953)	18°F	(2008)
23	57°F	36°F	76°F	(1975)	20°F	(2008)

OBITUARIES

Roy C. "Joe" Hayes

Former U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan, Roy C. "Joe" Hayes



Hayes passed away in Charlevoix, Thursday, October 10, 2013, surrounded by family and close friends. Joe was a very special Irishman, who lit up the room with his kind-heartedness, his sense of humor, his stories, and his jolly laugh. That laugh is echoing throughout the halls of heaven today. His Irish eyes are smiling again.

Joe was born in Detroit to Roy Charles Hayes Sr., the owner of an advertising and public relations company, and Gertrude Sullivan Hayes, a dotting Irish mother. He graduated from University of Detroit Jesuit High School in 1958, and attended the University of Notre Dame, where he received a bachelor's degree in 1962. He then went to law school at the University of Detroit Mercy School of Law, graduating in 1965.

After passing the state bar, Joe was selected in 1966 to be the Editor of the Detroit Lawyer, the primary publication of the Detroit Bar Association. During the same time, he served as public relations counsel to the State Bar of Michigan and of the Detroit Bar Association. In 1967, Joe was selected as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney in the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office, where he specialized in trying major felony cases. He quickly developed an expertise in prosecuting murder, arson and fraud cases.

From 1970 to 1975, Joe headed the Wayne County Organized Crime Task Force in Detroit, supervising a task

force of prosecutors and law enforcement officers who investigated major corruption. During this time Joe was the chief trial lawyer for the 10th Precinct Police Corruption trial that lasted nine months. The case resulted in the conviction of fourteen police officers and six drug traffickers.

With wife, Jacqueline ("Jackie"), and two young children in tow, Joe moved to Charlevoix, Michigan in January 1976 to become the Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney. In 1978, he went into the private practice of law in Charlevoix. He handled a very diverse statewide legal practice from his firm in Charlevoix for the next seven years.

In 1985, at the age of 44, Joe was appointed United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan by President Ronald Reagan. He was confirmed by the United States Senate and sworn into office by U.S. District Judge Robert E. Demascio. As U.S. Attorney, Joe prosecuted many high profile cases, including the cases against the Chambers Brothers Gang, which utilized strict business practices to operate approximately 300 crack cocaine houses during the period of 1983-1988. At the height of its operation, the group was making a profit of \$1 million a week. Under Joe's leadership, twenty-two of the gang members were indicted in February of 1988, resulting in convictions and long sentences for all defendants.

As U.S. Attorney, Joe spent time developing policies and procedures for the Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force. As the Core City U.S. Attorney, he had oversight responsibility for investigations and prosecutions in the Great Lakes Region, which consisted of U.S. Districts in Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania.

He was also chosen by U.S. Attorney General Edwin Meese to serve on the Economic Crime Council, and the White Collar Crime and Public Corruption Subcommittees. He was also a member of the National Drug Policy Board's Prosecution Subcommittee.

Joe retired as U.S. Attorney in 1989, and went back into private practice in Charlevoix until he retired in May of 2000.

Friends of Joe know all too well how passionate Joe was about his Irish heritage. His St. Patrick's Day parties in Charlevoix were legendary throughout the state of Michigan, with oftentimes over 500 people in attendance. In particular, Irish (and not so Irish) lawyers and judges from across the state would converge on Charlevoix for the jubilant "Wearin' of the Green". Joe was the lone member of the Charlevoix Chapter of The Incorporated Society of Irish American Lawyers.

The most important thing in Joe's life was family. He is survived by his beloved wife of 46 years, Jackie. Joe and Jackie were married at Saints Peter and Paul Jesuit Church in Detroit on August 19, 1967. Jackie selflessly and lovingly cared for Joe for the last 13 years in their home after he was diagnosed with early onset of dementia.

Joe and Jackie have two children, both of whom also graduated from Notre Dame. Their son is Charlevoix attorney Roy "Joe" Hayes III, who is married to Kendall. Joe and Kendall gave Joe two granddaughters, Catherine (7) and Sloane (5). Catherine and Sloane loved their "Papa Joe" dearly, and were able to be with him almost every day in their home or in his.

Joe and Jackie's daughter is Amy McNamara, who is also an attorney. Amy is married to John McNamara, who practices law in Austin, Texas. Amy gave Joe four grandsons, Michael (22), Christopher (22), Jack (16), and Joe (1), who is named after his granddad. "Papa Joe" was very special to all of his grandsons. He raised Michael and Christopher as a father for 3 years. When Joe became ill several years ago, he would spend extended time visiting Texas, where he became a best friend and playmate to Jack. Baby Joe, in addition to being named for his grandfather, has a striking resemblance to him, and has inherited his jolly laugh.

A Funeral Mass was held for Joe Tuesday, October 15, at Saint Mary's Church in Charlevoix.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's School - Angel Tuition (to provide scholarships) at 1005 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Mary Helen Riggle, 97

(JAN. 29, 1916 - OCT. 10, 2013)

Mary Helen Riggle of Charlevoix died Thursday, Oct. 10, 2013, at Boulder Park Nursing Home in Charlevoix.



She was born Jan. 29, 1916, in Petoskey, the daughter of Angus and Ella (Cross) Fochtman. She graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1934, then attended Davenport Business College in Grand Rapids.

Mary Helen worked at Consumers Power in Alma, where she met Robert Granger Riggle. On June 24, 1939, they were married. They made their home in Lansing, where Mary Helen worked at Sears and Roebuck, then retired to Charlevoix in 1972, where she worked at the Shop of the Gulls.

Mary Helen was a member of the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix for more than 75 years. She founded the Community Food Pantry there with Lucy Martin, organized the Community Christmas Project, and belonged to several church circles. She helped organize the sewing and completion of the Peace Quilt that hangs in the church fellowship hall, and knitted hats for the newborns at Charlevoix Area Hospital. She was a founding member and Rainbow Shoppe volunteer, participated in the annual CROP walks, fundraising for Heifer International, and was a member of the Charlevoix Garden Club. In 1995, she was the Venetian Parade Grand Marshal. Mary Helen was awarded the 2011 Charlevoix Kiwanis Community Appreciation Award.

Mary Helen is survived by her sons, Thomas (June) Riggle of Atlanta, Ga., John (Janice) Riggle of Kentwood, James (Rose) Riggle of Kinchloe; grandchildren, Robb (Kim) Riggle, Kristina (Bruce) Ringstrom, Kimberly Riggle; brother, Edward (Mary) Fochtman of Zephyr Hills, Fla.; many dear nieces and nephews. Her husband, Bob, preceded her in death on Dec. 5, 2000.

Funeral was Tuesday, Oct. 15, at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix, the Rev. Neil Wilson officiating. Burial in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. Sign Mary Helen's guestbook at www.winchester-funeralhome.com.

Donald Lawrence Curtis, 83

(JUNE 21, 1930 - OCT. 11, 2013)

Donald Lawrence Curtis of Ellsworth, Mich. formerly of Shelby Township, died on Oct. 11, 2013, at Munson Medical Center surrounded by his loving family.

Don was born on June 21, 1930, in Detroit, Mich., to

Helen and Lawrence Zielinski (Kerney). He graduated from Saint Anthony's High School in 1948 and went on to earn both a BS (1952) and a DDS (1956) from the University of Detroit. Donald then joined the United States Air Force and was stationed at Alconbury Air Force Base in England where he met his wife of 53 years, Joanne Elliott Curtis. They were married in 1960 in Royal Oak, Mich., and moved to Shelby Township, Michigan, where he raised four children and practiced dentistry for more than 30 years until his retirement in 1993. Don was a member of the Macomb Dental Society and the Michigan Dental Association. Once retired, Don and Joanne moved to Ellsworth, where they lived on the shore of Lake Michigan and enjoyed the sunsets for many years.

Donald is survived by his loving wife, Joanne Elliott Curtis; son, James Curtis (Debbie); and daughters, Kathleen Curtis Reed (Paul), and Mary Beth Curtis McHugh (Peter). He is also survived by his sister, Carol Zielinski Boige grain; and the 12 grandchildren whom he adored, Emily Curtis, Bennett Curtis, Nathan Curtis, Abigail Curtis, Grant Reed, Adam Reed, Connor Reed, Nathaniel Reed, Owen McHugh, Anne McHugh, Liam McHugh, and Maggie McHugh, and many nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Helen and Lawrence Zielinski; his sister, Betty Zielinski Acierno; and his son, Thomas Curtis. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Thursday, Oct. 17, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix, Mich. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to either Webber Heart Center, c/o Munson Foundation, 210 Beaumont Place, Traverse City, MI 49684; or Petoskey Public Schools Athletic Department, c/o Petoskey Public Schools, Attn: Gary Hice, 1130 Howard St., Petoskey, MI 49770.

The Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix is handling the arrangements.

Ann Rosenthal, 86

Ann Rosenthal of Bloomfield Hills and Charlevoix, Mich., died Oct. 5, 2013.



Beloved wife of the late Marvin "Mike" Rosenthal. Cherished mother of Rochelle (Randy) Forester and James (Cathy) Rosenthal. Loving grandmother of Ivy Forester and Maxwell Rosenthal. Dear sister of Marvin (Lois) Nochman and the late Harriet Etelman. Sister-in-law of Leon Etelman.

Services happened the afternoon of Monday, Oct. 7, at the Ira Kaufman Chapel in Southfield. Interment at Machpelah Cemetery in Ferndale.

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THE CHARLEVOIX AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Our mission is to support commerce and provide leadership to enhance the quality of life.

CHAMBER ACCEPTING AWARDS NOMINATIONS



The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations to recognize those businesses and individuals that go the extra mile to make Charlevoix the amazing place we call home.

If you know a person or business that is worthy of receiving an award, please e-mail your nomination, along with an explanation of why this person or business is so deserving, to ferguson@charlevoix.org by 5pm on Monday, November 4th.

The Chamber Awards will be presented at the Annual Meeting in January. Nominations are open for the Customer Service Award, Ambassador Award, New Business Of The Year Award, Young Professional Award, Business Of The Year Award, and Outstanding Citizen Award.

Visit www.charlevoix.org to view the definitions and criteria for each award.

CHARLEVOIX FARMERS MARKET MOVES INDOORS



The Charlevoix Farmers Market will move indoors at the Charlevoix Public Library Community Room A & B beginning this Thursday, October 17 from 9am to 1pm. Stop in for bagels, maple syrup, scones, granola, preserves, veggies, pumpkins and more all grown and produced locally here in northern Michigan. The market will remain at the library through the beginning of June 2014. We look forward to seeing you there.

SIGN UP TO SPONSOR A 2014 BAH OR FFBB

Sponsorship is now open for the Chamber monthly networking events, Business After Hours and First Friday Business Breakfast. For more information or if your business would like to

be a sponsor please contact the Chamber by e-mailing ferguson@charlevoix.org or calling 231-547-2101.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR THE CHRISTMAS PARADE

Show your holiday spirit and community cheer by entering the 3rd Annual Holiday Parade. The parade will be held on Friday, November 29th beginning at 5:30pm on Bridge Street in downtown Charlevoix.

The parade is a welcome addition to Charlevoix's Annual Commu-



nity Tree Lighting festivities which run the same day from 3:00 to 6:00pm. Tree Lighting activities include ornament making and free photos with Santa at the North Pole (located at the Charlevoix Circle of Arts), cookies, cocoa, and yuletide cheer. Contact the Chamber for details at ferguson@charlevoix.org.

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Advanced Clean Air Technologies of Charlevoix receives Northwest Michigan Works award



(l-r) Sen. Howard Walker, Eric Fulcher, ACAT VP of Global Operations, Rep. Greg MacMaster

Advanced Clean Air Technologies (ACAT) Global of Charlevoix received an Outstanding Business Award from Northwest Michigan Works. The company was recognized for its efforts to train workers in northern Michigan.

ACAT has partnered with educators to launch a computer numerical control (CNC) training

program.

The company has utilized the Northwest Michigan Works! On-the-Job Training program and they recently partnered with Michigan Works to promote a successful on-site job fair that attracted over 100 applicants for one of their divisions. They project to employ over 60 new hires in the next few years.

ACAT received the award at a September 27 open house at the Career Café located inside the Traverse City Michigan Works! Service Center. The award was presented by Senator Howard Walker and Representative Greg MacMaster. Awards were also presented to several other northwest Michigan businesses.

Castle Farms Hosts 1st Annual Harvest Festival

By Heather DeLong

You may know Castle Farms for the beautiful weddings, events and tours it provides. The stone towers represent those of Europe's, and the gardens surrounding the castle are breathtaking and on display for the public to appreciate. The castle's old-world look makes it a unique location for special events. This Sunday, Castle Farms is hosting its first Annual Harvest Festival from 2 to 5 pm.

As we say farewell to what seemed like a quick fall season, Castle Farms is celebrating with a small farmers market with local farmers, syrup and honey available. For just \$10 per person and kids 2 and under free, you can enjoy apple cider, popcorn, donuts, activities for your entire family, horseback rides, a photo booth, face painting, horse drawn wagon rides and more! Participate in sack races and gourd painting contests, carnival games and craft stations. It's a festival you don't want to miss!

Castle Farms is located at 5052 M-66 in Charlevoix. For more information visit www.petoskeyarea.com or www.castlefarm.com or call



Castle Farms 1st Annual Harvest Festival will include a small farmers market with local farmers, syrup and honey available. Upon the entrance fee, you can enjoy apple cider, popcorn, donuts, activities for your entire family, horseback rides, a photo booth, face painting, horse drawn wagon rides and more! COURTESY PHOTO

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*To contact Heather DeLong for any comments, questions or concerns, she can be reached at heather@weekly-choice.com.

Changes Coming to GED Test

The General Educational Development (GED) test will undergo some changes beginning January 2, 2014. The new GED will be more difficult and will require more writing and applying knowledge. The new test will have to be taken on a computer so a paper and pencil test will no longer be an option. The test will also cost more than it has in the past. Anyone who has already passed one or more of the five GED tests must finish them all by December 15 or they will have to start all over with the GED 2014 tests.

The Northwest Michigan Works! Learning Labs are now taking registrations for classes for adults who would like to prepare for the GED. Classes are also

available for adults who would like to complete their high school diploma, or improve their basic reading, writing, math, or computer skills. There is no cost to attend classes and students can register in person at any of the Learning Labs or by calling 800-442-1074. Learning labs are located in Benzonia, Cadillac, East Jordan, Kalkaska, Manistee and Traverse City. More information about the Learning Labs is available at nwm.org/labs.

Adult education services are available through the cooperative efforts of TBAISD, the Northwest Michigan Council of Governments, Northwest Michigan Works and local school districts.

Community Center receives donation



The Consumers Energy Foundation recently approved a \$2,500 grant to support the continued rehabilitation of the Boyne Country Community Center. "One of our promises to Michigan is to care about the communities we serve," said Consumers Energy area manager Tim Petrosky. "Supporting important projects such as the Boyne Country Community Center helps us meet that promise." The Community Center is located at 212 N. Lake St. in Boyne City. For more information, visit boynecc.com.

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October 7-13, 2013

911 Hang Up Call	3
Abandoned Vehicle	3
Abuse	0
Alarm	6
Animal Complaint	21
Annoyance	3
Assault	1
Assist Citizen	5
Assist Motorist	6
Assist Other Agency	10
Attempt to Locate	2
Attempted Suicide	1
Bank Alarm	0
Boating Accident	0
Boating Violation	1
Breaking & Entering	1
Car/Deer Accident	15
Citations Issued	7
Civil Complaint	3
Criminal Sexual Conduct	0
Death	0
Disorderly Person	0
Disturbance	0
DNR Complaint	1
Domestic Dispute	1
Driving Complaint	6
Fireworks Complaint	0
Found Property	1
Fraud	2
Health & Safety	1
Hit & Run	0
Intoxicated Person	1
Juvenile	1
Larceny	8

Lockout	6
Lost Property	1
Malicious Destruction of Property	2
Mental Subject	0
Minor In Possession	0
Miscellaneous Criminal	1
Missing Person	0
Noise Complaint	2
Operating Under the Influence	0
Paper Service	12
Parking Violation	0
Personal Injury Accident	2
Personal Protection Order	0
Private Property Accident	0
Property Check	29
Property Damage Accident	2
Prowler	1
Road Hazard	3
Stalking	0
Suspicious Situation	18
Threat	1
Traffic Stop	47
Trespassing	3
Unknown Accident	1
Unlawful Driving Away of Automobile	0
Vehicle in the Ditch	1
Violation of Controlled Substance Act	2

BOYNE CITY POLICE DEPT.

Monday, September 30, 2013

10:50am	Report of stolen property from 200 block of W Cedar St
12:30am	Suspicious activity reported in

the 600 block of Forest Park Ln.	Had occurred at an earlier date.
1:42am	Citation issued for speed at Lake and Lower Lake
2:28am	Assist EMS in the 200 block of River St
4:22am	1 vehicle property damage accident at Park and Water St
5:40am	Civil dispute in the 100 block of S Lake St
9:13am	Suspicious situation in the 100 block of N East St
11:38am	Suspicious situation in the 100 block of E Water St

Tuesday, October 1, 2013

10:25amSuicidal subject reported
1:35am	Report of smoke alarm beeping in the 500 block of S Park St
3:28am	Report of suspicious vehicle in the area of Lincoln and Pleasant
6:55am	Assist to Child Protective Services

Wednesday, October 2, 2013

12:55am	Assist Sheriff Dept on Korthase Rd
8:00am	Report of Bay St being blocked by construction vehicles
12:33am	Vehicle unlock in the 500 block of N Lake St
4:08am	2 vehicle property damage accident on Water and East St
4:43am	Welfare check in the 300 block of Hannah St
6:10am	Report of injured seagull near the Marina
9:57am	MDOP to vehicle in the 500

block of N East St
Thursday, October 3, 2013

6:09am	Citation issued for speed at Lake and Lower Lake
6:39am	Vehicle unlock in the Industrial Park
11:56am	Welfare check requested in the 500 block of N Lake St
1:14am	Report of stolen CD's from the Industrial Park
1:30am	Trespassing complaint in the 100 block of E Water St
2:01am	Report of lost wallet
2:20am	Vehicle unlock in the 1300 block of Boyne Av
7:44am	Subject arrested for retail fraud in the 400 block of N Lake St
10:35am	Intoxicated subject reported in the 500 block of N Lake St

Friday, October 4, 2013

1:42am	Suspicious subject in the 200 block of N Park St
9:01am	Welfare check in the 500 block of N Lake St
3:50am	Found phone dropped off at PD
4:08am	Found credit card dropped off at PD. Was returned to owner.
11:20am	Report of suspicious activity on Leroy St

Saturday, October 5, 2013

12:30am	Report of domestic dispute in the 700 block of Wenonah St
12:45am	Suspicious vehicle in the 500 block of Boyne Av
1:32am	Welfare check in the 800 block

of S Lake St	2:13am	Dog bite reported from the 600 block of Beardsley St
	2:45am	H&R accident reported from the Farmer's Market
	7:00am	Found debit card turned into PD

Sunday, October 6, 2013

11:35am	Assist Sheriff Dept on Dam Rd
12:31am	Civil dispute in the 300 block of Groveland St
1:40am	Report of B&E on Bay Ridge Ln
2:13am	Gasoline driveoff from the 400 block of N Lake St

Personal Injury Accident

Sheriff W.D. (Don) Schneider reports today, Thursday, Oct. 10, 2013, at approximately 4:09 A.M., the Charlevoix Sheriff's Office was called to a rollover accident on Thumb Lake Rd. near Hudson Stone Rd. in Hudson Township. Twenty-five year old Michael Luni of Petoskey was west-bound on Thumb Lake Rd. when he hit a deer and then lost control of his 1999 GMC Sierra pickup truck. Luni went off the roadway, struck several trees and came to rest after the truck rolled onto its roof. Luni complained of back pain and was transported to McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital as a precaution by Boyne Valley EMS.

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enue until both a state budget and the district's enrollment (both in October) have been finalized. This change is less than ½ percent variance from original projections. Additional revenues recognized were mainly in the area of vocational education dollars and increased enrollment.

Although revenue was slightly up over its original forecast, the real story was the District's ability to control its spending. This happened because spending was reduced across many areas of the District's operations. Again, when the 2012-13 budget was approved in June 2012, Boyne City Schools was projected to

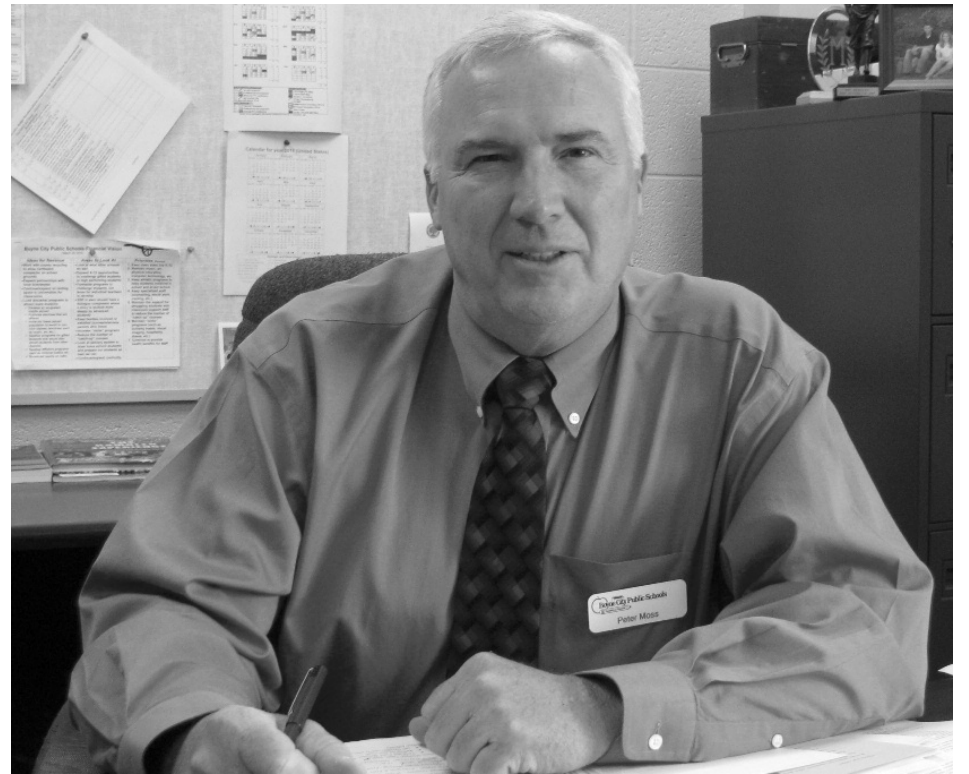
spend approximately \$12,775,737. The recently completed audit reported expenditures actually came in at \$12,445,404; a reduction of just over \$330,000. The savings is a variance of just over 2.5% on a \$12.5 million dollar budget.

Finance Committee Chairperson, Ross McLane commented, "I am pleased with the outcome and presentation of the audit" and expressed "my congratulations and appreciation to the administrative staff" for the positive audit.

Business Manager Byrne indicated the credit for this favorable audit should go to "every employee within the district for prioritizing their spending by staying within, and in many cases, below the targeted budget amounts for the 2012-13 school year". Superintendent Moss offered

his recognition and gratitude to the staff as well and added, "Maintaining student programming is always a Board priority. With a balanced budget, the District has placed itself in a stronger financial position that will help maintain a wide-array of academic and other student-centered opportunities."

All school districts in the state are required to report their budgets and annual audit on their school website. Boyne City Schools' Annual Report is located at www.boyne.k12.mi.us. Munetrix is a second tool to view at www.munetrix.com, providing a color coded system linking government municipalities and school districts.



Boyne City Schools Superintendent, Peter Moss expressed his gratitude to the staff and the school board for operating within a balanced budget. FILE PHOTO

East Jordan plans for tourism with new designs

By Krystal Johnson

EAST JORDAN—East Jordan city commission heard plans for community improvement at Tuesday evening's meeting, including master plan designs for the Tourist Park and hotel site recommendations based on a feasibility study commissioned by the city earlier this year.

Parks Director Tom Cannon and landscape architect Scot Lautzenheiser of Wade Trim presented a master plan for design improvements within the Tourist Park. Plans include a community center building to replace the current log building, a new office space with a small store and attached bath house, an arc pavilion, shade structures on the beach, a new boat launch and marina with a fish cleaning station, as well as additional walkways for the public and a Mobi-Mat to allow for wheelchair accessibility to the waterfront.

New projects could be in place as early as this summer.

"I would like to pursue some grants in the spring," said Cannon. "[Michigan State Waterways] is not going to fund the marina but could possibly fund the boat launch."

Cannon says he hopes to break apart the master plan into a series of phases as funding becomes available. Number one on his priority list is the community center building.

"Our city needs a community building," said Cannon. "I think it is the most critical. I've seen the usage [at Tourist Park] drop because of the current facility."

The park currently hosts a log building near the beach. Structurally, the building cannot take on any more weight for a remodel due to the fact that it is sitting on sand. The only solution: start fresh. Plans for a new building include a natural look, contemporary with a rustic feel. It would be open year-round for rental and would include a 3,200 sq. ft. multipurpose room, coatroom, catering kitchen, storage, restroom facilities within the building, and restrooms with an outdoor entrance for the general

public. An ideal wedding venue, the facility could house more than 200 people.

Another priority phase would include a boat launch and possible marina.

"I don't think we can go another summer without a boat launch," said Mayor Peck. "I don't think it would hurt [the city] to move on either [the community center building or boat launch/marina]."

Wade Trim will present rough cost estimates for particular projects at the next city commission meeting.

The East Jordan city commission also reviewed the hotel feasibility study commissioned earlier this year. The study looked into four different possible site locations for a hotel including one overlooking the river basin, another with highway access but no river or lake access, a third at the existing (but closed) boat launch at the corner of Bridge Street and Water Street, and a fourth just east of B.C. Pizza.

Hospitality Advisors Consulting Group of Ann Arbor evaluated the sites and chose one site for more detailed market analysis, noted City Administrator Chris Yonker.

"The consultants believe that the site needs to be downtown to have the greatest economic impact, as well as the highest probability of success," said Yonker.

The recommendation: the site that lies just east of B.C. Pizza.

"It is our conclusion that a branded hotel of approximately 60 rooms with appropriate amenities...assuming competent management could achieve cash flow at a level to support a \$4.5-5 million project," noted Hospitality Advisors Consulting Group of Ann Arbor.

Yonker plans to put together a timeline so that city staff can begin presenting a proposed marketing plan within the next one to two months for the DDA and chamber, along with several service clubs to build synergy.

The next regular meeting of the East Jordan City Commission is scheduled for Tuesday, November 5 at 7 pm.

Pumpkin Festival Pumpkin Pie Contest



It is time to get those pumpkin pie recipes out and ingredients ready to bake a winning entry. The 4th Annual East Jordan Pumpkin Festival Pumpkin Pie Contest will once again be a part of the annual East Jordan Festival scheduled for Saturday, October 19, 2013 downtown East Jordan in Memorial Park. Registration/ pie drop off will be from 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM in Memorial Park with judging from 2:30 - 2:45 PM. First, Second and Third Place winners will be announced at 3:00 PM in the bandshell. The Pumpkin Pie Contest is proudly sponsored by Save-A-Lot of East Jordan. The pie contest is one of several family friendly events being held in conjunction with the 4th Annual Pumpkin Festival. For more information please visit www.ejchamber.org or 231-536-7351.

Student artwork for New Year's logo

Crooked Tree Arts Center is looking for a student artist to feature for this year's New Year's Eve at the Arts Center. Entry is open to all students in Charlevoix and Emmet counties, and the entry deadline is November 11, 2013. The artwork will be used for promotional materials, t-shirts and admission buttons, and will not be returned. The selected artist will receive a \$50 gift certificate for art supplies and will be featured in CTAC's newsletter, Art News. "One of my favorite things about this evening is that we use student artwork for the admission buttons" says Cindy McSurely, staff coordinator for this event. "We're so grateful for all the wonderful entries we receive each year and enjoy displaying them all at the event. We've used artwork from both elementary, homeschool and high school students' in past years. It's inspiring to see what the student's come up with."

New Year's Eve at the Arts Center will be held on Tuesday, December 31, 2013 from 5-9 p.m. This event is an all age, alcohol-free, celebration, featuring performances and workshops by Crooked Tree Arts Center's instructors and area artists and organizations, including Blissfest Music Organization and Petoskey District Library among others. The night concludes with a "Midnight at 9", Times-Square



Last year's winning entry by local student Nathaniel Wurster

style, ball drop on Division Street sponsored in part by Moran Iron Works. "This will be our seventh year for the event, and the entertainment on the street begins at 8:30 pm. Each year more people seem to come out just for the "Midnight at 9" festivities on Division Street," said McSurely.

For further information please contact Crooked Tree Arts Center, 231-347-4337. Students may download a call for entry form on CTAC's website and view the previous winners work at

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Bay Winds FCU celebrates International Credit Union Day

Six branches to offer refreshments, gifts, support for Women's Resource Center

Bay Winds Federal Credit Union will host member appreciation events at each of its six branches in celebration of International Credit Union Day on Thursday, October 17, 2013. International Credit Union Day has been observed on the third Thursday in October since 1948 and serves as an opportunity to reflect upon the credit union concept's history and highlight the services provided to the more than 196 million members

worldwide. Members are encouraged to visit any one of Bay Winds FCU's branches (Bellaire, Boyne City, Charlevoix, East Jordan, Petoskey North and Petoskey South) on Thursday, October 17 to celebrate. Each of the BWFCU branch lobbies will be open 9:00am - 5:00pm and will offer tasty refreshments and gifts. Bay Winds FCU will also partner with the Women's Resource

Center of Northern Michigan (WRCNM), a non-profit, community-based organization dedicated to serving the women and families of northern lower Michigan. In addition to offering domestic and sexual abuse counseling, employment placement, childcare and preschool, free community playgroups and violence prevention programs, the agency also operates the domestic abuse Safe Home and a 24-hour crisis and information

line. Each BWFCU branch will collect needed supplies and funds to support the Safe Home from Thursday, October 17 - Friday, October 25 and will host small indoor representations of the Clothesline Project, a program started in Cape Cod, Massachusetts in 1990 to address the issue of violence against women. The Clothesline Project displays t-shirts created by local survivors of domestic abuse who have been provided

immediate and ongoing support through the WRCNM and serves as a means for women affected by violence to express their emotions by decorating a shirt. The shirts are displayed on a clothesline to be viewed by others as testimony to the ongoing problem of violence against women. For more information about International Credit Union Day activities, visit www.baywinds-fcu.com.

Great resale finds at Peg's Closet and sales proceeds benefit the Boyne Valley Food Pantry

By Jim Akans

Peg's Closet in Boyne Falls not only offers shoppers some amazing bargains on quality resale items, proceeds from the sales of those items are utilized to benefit the Boyne Valley Food Pantry, which happens to share the same building as Peg's Closet.

Founded in April of 2010 by Peggy Vondra and her mother, Marti, Peg's Closet operates solely with a volunteer staff, and the wide variety of items offered in the approximately 1,000 square foot shop is donated by individuals and organizations in the Boyne Falls and surrounding area.

Marti Vondra states, "We have donations com-



Shoppers will find a huge variety of items at Peg's Closet, including knick knacks, furniture and plenty of clothing for men, women and children. PHOTO BY MARTI VONDRA



ing in regularly. Boyne Falls and surrounding area are very generous with providing donations. The community likes the idea that our resale shop helps support the food pantry."

Shoppers will find a

huge variety of items at Peg's Closet, including knick-knacks, furniture and plenty of clothing for men, women and children. Clothing items that are not sold are either shipped overseas or sent to recycling facili-

ties where they find new life in products such as rugs or even building insulation.

Peggy Vondra notes, "Customers enjoy shopping here and they tell us that our clothing prices are inexpensive (clothing items are available starting at just \$2 per item). Though our pricing is very reasonable, the items that we sell are all in good condition and ready to be re-utilized."

Peg's Closet is located at 3031 Main Street in Boyne Falls, at the corner of Main Street and Center. Hours of operation are Wednesday from 11 am to 3 pm, Thursday from 11 am to 4 pm, and Friday from 4 pm to 6:30 pm. The store can be reached at 231-675-2463,



Sustainable Agriculture

GAYLORD - What is sustainable agriculture and why does it matter so much? Join Bluestem Farm of East Jordan, MI for an interactive presentation at Saks Wellness Center, 1447 S. Otsego Avenue in Gaylord on Tuesday, October 22 from 6:30 to 8:00pm.

Join Bluestem farmers as they discuss the many ways that something as basic as the food we eat can have an impact on everything from our health as individuals, to broad-ranging impacts on community, the environment, food security, and the economy. Learn about the many ways Bluestem Farm pulls

these elements together with their diversified, artisanal style of agriculture, and how they weave this together with an active, four-season community supported agriculture (CSA) program.

All ages are welcome. Healthy refreshments from the farm will be served. Co-sponsored by Saks Wellness Center and Bluestem Farm.

For more information, contact Mary at bluestemfarmers@gmail.com or call 231-459-8968. Please register at: <http://bit.ly/1g2Kii2>



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Scarf workshop

Boyne Arts Collective will host a Silk Scarf Fiber Art workshop from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 16 at 201 S. Lake St. To register, mail the \$60 fee with your name, email address and phone number to the Collective, or deliver it to the gallery mail slot. All felting equipment, silk, merino, exotic fibers, handspun yarns, tables and chairs are furnished for a \$10 materials fee. For further information call 231-582-5877 or click here.

BOYNE CITY

Immunization clinic

Clinic with flu shots and other vaccines will be conducted by the Health Department of Northwest Michigan from 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17, in the Boyne City Middle School Media Center. Ages 6 months and older are welcome. For payment, the clinic will accept Medicaid, Medicare, Blue Care Network, Blue Cross Blue Shield, McLaren Health Advantage, Tri-Care, Priority Health, cash, or a personal check - but no credit cards. Appointments are required; call 1-800-432-4121. Children/students must be accompanied by an adult.

BOYNE CITY

Lights on Afterschool

This event is for all 21st CCLC after school families from Boyne City, Boyne Falls, Beaver Island, Central Lake, and Pellston. Please come and join your child at this family fun event! Thursday, October 17, 4 - 5:30 pm. Boyne City Middle School. Face Painting, Food, Games, Health Screenings, Family Fun! Parents can visit booths about: Understanding the Affordable Care Act. Help with winter heating and utility bills, Nutritional advice and more!

BOYNE CITY

Leaf pickup

The City will pick up leaves Mondays and Fridays through November 8. Please set bagged leaves curbside anytime after the first day of pick up, in clearly marked biodegradable paper bags. City crews will pick up bags as time allows. If your bags have been out for an extended period of time and have not been collected, please notify City Hall at 582-6597.

CHARLEVOIX

Business after Hours

October 16, 5-7pm. Hosted by Charlevoix State Bank & Ace Hardware at the Villager Pub.

EAST JORDAN

Business after Hours

October 17, 5-7PM at Jordan River Arts Council. Co-sponsored by Jordan River Arts Council and Inner Structure interior Design.

BOYNE CITY

Business after hours

The Boyne Chamber's monthly networking event, will be held at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17 at Farley Calendar Co., 635 N. Park St. There is no charge for admission, hors d'oeuvres and refreshments.

BOYNE CITY

Handbell concert

Handbell ensemble coming to Performing Arts Center Oct. 18. The Agape Ringers, Chicago's premier handbell ensemble, will perform in concert at the Boyne City Performing Arts Center, 1025 Boyne Ave., at 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 18. The concert is made possible by the Glasgow family of Water Street Café, and the concert will feature works by Michael J. Glasgow, an internationally known handbell composer and arranger. The Agape Ringers are noted for beautifully orchestrated presentations of entertaining and varied music. The 16 musicians have a collective ringing experience of over 430 years, and perform on 76 bronze Malmark handbells and 73 Malmark Choir chimes. You can learn more

about The Agape Ringers on their website, Facebook and YouTube. Reserved and general admission tickets are available for \$16 and \$12 at Water Street Café, 113 Water St. For hours and ticket information, call (231) 582-9929.

EAST JORDAN

Harvest party

Harvest Party with Songwriter Nathan Bates / Saturday, October 19 / 5 - 8:00 PM / Bluestem Farm / 4218 M-32 (at Adams) 7 miles east of East Jordan.

BOYNE CITY

Benefit for Free Clinic

The Boyne City Eagles is sponsoring a benefit to support the Clinic and help bring their building up to code on October 19 from 4 pm to 10 pm at the Boyne City Eagles Hall at 106 River Street, Boyne City, MI 49712. Donations will be accepted for pulled pork sandwiches, salads, baked beans and dessert. There will be both the Kowalske Family Band and TNT. A live auction as well as a 50/50 raffle will be held.

EAST JORDAN

Pumpkin Festival

Saturday, Oct. 19 - 4th Annual Pumpkin Festival - Featuring "Full Circle" from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM in the bandshell (sponsored by EJ Plastics, Inc.), Twister Joe Sponsored by Charlevoix State Bank, Pumpkin Pie Contest by Save-A-Lot of East Jordan.

EAST JORDAN

Pool party

The East Jordan Community Pool is holding a Halloween Pool Party on October 19th from 5-7PM. The pool is located at 101 Maple St., East Jordan. There will be an open swim, floating pumpkins, Halloween Cupcake contest, refreshments, drawings and more... Wear your swimsuit for a hauntingly good time! Admission is \$5 Adult, \$3 Child. Call 231-536-2250 for more information.

CHARLEVOIX

Harvest Moon Dance

Saturday, October 19 beginning at 8pm Waygood Productions presents the Harvest Moon Dance, featuring a live musical performance by Switchback. Dhaseleer Events Barn is located at 15794 Paddock Road in Charlevoix. For tickets and more info call 231-675-7768 or visit www.waygoodmusic.com.

BOYNE CITY

Horseback trail rides

Free horseback trail rides for 24 kids rescheduled to Oct. 19 at Avalanche. Owners Don Cowell and Becky Kuebler of Boyne Valley Equine, who provided carriage rides during Stroll the Streets and will begin offering horseback trail rides at Avalanche, would like to give back to the community. On Satur-

day, Oct. 19, Boyne Valley Equine will give guided horseback rides to the first 24 kids to sign up. This has been rescheduled from a previous rained-out date. Ride times are 10 a.m., noon, 2 and 4 p.m. and they will be able to accommodate 6 riders during each time slot. Children age must be at least 7 and no older than 17. Children must be checked in by a parent/guardian; however the parents will not ride. This free ride is geared toward providing the experience to children who have never ridden or would not normally have the opportunity to ride. To sign up for a time slot, contact City Hall, 231.582.6597, no later than 4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 18. Avalanche trail rides for all ages at other times are available by calling 231-203-1626.

BOYNE CITY

Farmers market

The Boyne City Farmers Market is open from 8am to noon every Wednesday and Saturday in Veterans Park.

EAST JORDAN

Craft Show

Leaf Peekers Craft Show October 19, 10am - 5pm. East Jordan Civic Center & Main Street

BOYNE CITY

Retail specialist

Susan Shaddox, a retail merchandising specialist from the Arkansas Main Street Program, will be visiting Boyne City to work with local businesses on Oct. 21-22. As part of her visit, Shaddox will make a presentation at 6 p.m. Monday, Oct. 21, titled "Visual Merchandising on Main Street." Her presentation in the community room at the Boyne District Library and is open to the public. Her visit is sponsored by Michigan Main Street and the Boyne City Main Street Program. During the days of her visit Shaddox will be working individually with more than 15 downtown Boyne City businesses on ways to stimulate retail sales with eye-catching window displays, improved product placement and positive image building. Shaddox is an interior design consultant with Main Street Arkansas and travels the country working with independent retail businesses. Prior to her position with Main Street Arkansas, she worked as an interior designer in the hotel/hospitality industry. For more information about the presentation, contact Boyne City Main Street at 582-9009 or mainstreet@boynecity.com

ELLSWORTH

STEM Tour

A hands-on event for students in grades 10, 11, and 12! Wednesday - October 23. Ferris State University representatives consisting of faculty, admissions, and recruiting will be visiting two schools in the Char-

Em ISD. Ellsworth High School, 1 pm - 2:30 pm. Students are invited to join in this activity to hear firsthand how using their Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) interests can be beneficial in choosing their career choice. Students will experience hands on activities with Ferris State University faculty members.

CHARLEVOIX

Biz Breakfast

Please join us for a special Biz Breakfast at 7:30am on October 25th at Grey Gables. Receive transportation information and updates presented by members of the MDOT Board of Directors and MBA Board of Directors.

BOYNE CITY

Afro Latin Jazz

CalJE: Chicago Afro Latin Jazz Ensemble, is performing one of the best jazz events of the year. Crooked Tree Arts Center is presenting this dynamic and original jazz group at 8 pm on October 26th, at Boyne City Performing Arts Center. CalJE will be performing their global Latin sounds. To reserve seats visit www.crookedtree.org, or call 231.347.4337

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TEA workshops

9th - 12th grade girls and a female mentor, mother, grandmother, or female guardian are invited to attend. Technology Engineering Aptitude or TEA workshops offer female high school students a tremendous opportunity to complete hands-on activities and interact with an engineering professional to learn about valuable, high-wage opportunities in the engineering industry! Charlevoix High School October 29 - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

PETOSKEY

Community Healthcare Enrollment

Community Healthcare Enrollment Drop In Sessions. Medicaid Outreach and Enrollment Specialists will be on site to provide information, answer questions, make appointments and assist in enrollment in the health insurance marketplace. Sessions are open to the general public. Tuesday, October 29 from 4 - 6:30 p.m. John and Marnie Demmer Wellness Pavilion and Dialysis Center, 820 Arlington Ave.

EAST JORDAN

WANTED: PJs's

Accepting donations of new and gently used warm sleepwear for foster children in our immediate area. Thru October 31. Ages 4-16 years of age. Drop off sites will be Charlevoix State Bank, Sunnyside Up Tanning Salon, Presbyterian Church, Lighthouse Missionary Church.

BOYNE FALLS

Haunted house

The Nightmare takes place every Friday and Saturday in October from 7-10pm at Challenge Mountain Lodge, 2205 N. Springbrook Rd. Adults, \$10. Children 2 for \$5. Lots of scary stuff and family friendly.

EAST JORDAN

East Jordan Remembers 2

A project is now underway to compile a second collection of historical remembrances of East Jordan. Tentative plans are to publish this second volume in spring 2014 in the form of an interesting and educational book that would be illustrated with many photos. The committee coordinating this project is currently soliciting stories and photos for the book and has issued an open invitation to anyone who would like to contribute. Of particular interest is the Tourist Park/Camp and Sportsman's Park; Charlevoix Co. Fairgrounds; the pickle, cigar and gum factories; Cannors independent basketball team; and East Jordan Airport. The deadline for all stories and photos is November 1. Stories and photos can be sent to East Jordan Historical Society, PO Box 1355, East Jordan MI 49727. Questions can be referred to Agnes Clark, chairperson, 231-536-2163.

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Family Music Day

Saturday, Nov. 2, 1:00-5:00pm. \$5 per person/\$15 family. Instrument-making & beginner ukulele lessons. At the Circle of Arts

EAST JORDAN

Princess for a Day

Father - Daughter Dinner & Dance Saturday, November 2nd, 5 - 8pm at the East Jordan Civic Center. Join us for an evening of dinner, dancing, and fun for Elementary School - aged girls and their favorite guys. Ticket includes dinner, party favor, and a photo. Tickets: \$20 per couple \$25 per family. Tickets are available in the Co-op Nursery classroom at East Jordan Elementary School. For questions or to arrange to purchase tickets, please call Jen at (231) 881-1455

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Food and Farming roundtable

North Central Michigan College is offering a half-day conference for farmers, food producers, restaurateurs and local food lovers on Saturday, November 2. The roundtable will be in the Student Center Cafeteria on the Petoskey campus from 9am - 1pm. Tickets are \$15 per family or \$10 for an individual in advance or \$20 at the door. For tickets or information, please see www.ncmich.edu/cce or call 231-348-6708 or 231-348-6705.

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One Hour

CHARLEVOIX

Songwriter Workshop

With John D. Lamb Saturday, November 30, 2:00-4:00pm, \$45. Register by November 9. At the Circle of Arts

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Gun raffle

The East Jordan Lions Club will be holding their Gun Raffle again this year. 1st Prize is a Remington 783 - .270 and 2nd Prize is a Remington 783- 30.06. Buy Tickets at East Jordan True Value, Bruce's Barbershop, Parts Plus, EJ or from any Lions Club Member. Tickets \$5 each or 3 for \$10. Drawing to be held November 11

EMMET & CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

Student artwork

Crooked Tree Arts Center is looking for a student artist to feature for this year's New Year's Eve at the Arts Center. Entry is open to all students in Charlevoix and Emmet counties, and the entry deadline is November 11. The selected artist will receive a \$50 gift certificate for art supplies and will be featured in CTAC's newsletter. For further information please contact Crooked Tree Arts Center, 347-4337. Students may download a call for entry form on CTAC's website and view the previous winners work at www.crookedtree.org.

CHARLEVOIX

BASES Community Education Series

2nd Wednesday's - October thru April from 6:30-7:30pm (no charge for these presentations or materials) All presentations conducted at BASES Teen Center. Topics include: Developmental Model of Recovery / Relapse, Relationships in Recovery, Emerging Drug Trends, Dealing with Other Addictions in Recovery, Raising Drug Free Kids, Young People in Recovery, Brain Training for Addiction Recovery. Attend one or all, no pre-registration required, call (231) 547-1144 for more information.

CHARLEVOIX

Concert

With John Lamb. Saturday, November 30, 6:30pm. \$8. At the Circle of Arts

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Holly Daze

The plans for Holly Daze 2013 are well underway and another great holiday event is in the making for Friday, December 6. The well-known Friday evening event will once again be hosted at charming Castle Farms with its popular silent and live auctions of amazing items. Space is limited; please contact Faye Parrish at 231-547-8501 to purchase your tickets.

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Join the Crooked Tree Arts Center in congratulating all of the artist photographers who entered Farm to Frame: Good Food, Good Neighbors at the opening reception and awards ceremony, Oct. 22nd from 5:00p to 7:00p. With over 40 photographic works from around Charlevoix and Emmet counties, Farm to Frame will be on display in the Atrium Gallery at Crooked Tree Arts Center through December 16th.

Inspired by the desire to foster community awareness and involvement in local foods, Farm to Frame showcases the journey of the food process with three categories: local food production, or “from the farm”; local food sales, or “from the market”; and local food preparation and presentation, or “from the table”. This year’s theme also broadens the idea of what can be involved in the process of our food production- people and environment. While there were no residency requirements to enter the competition, all photographs must have been



An example of food preparation artfully arranged; (R)peppers roasting on a grill from Real Food Catering at Blackbird Gardens (L) An herb display at Petoskey's Farmers Market



taken within Charlevoix and Emmet counties.

“We are really excited for the 2nd Annual Farm to Frame exhibit opening. And even more thrilling is that it aligns with the Local Foods Week, a great community celebration of local foods that was born from the same inspira-

tion behind the contest. To top it all off, after the reception patrons can head out and enjoy the local restaurants participating in Petoskey Restaurant Week” shares Crooked Tree Arts Center program director, Valerie St. Pierre Smith.

1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes

will be awarded in two age categories, with the top photographers receiving Palette Bistro Best of Show Award (Open Age) and Johan’s Best of Show Award (Youth). Open Age Category Awards include 1st Place Award and Magnum Hospitality From the Farm 1st Place Award; Local Eats From

the Market 1st Place Award and American Spoon’s From the Table 1st Place Award. Youth age awards include the Mitchell Street Framework’s From the Farm 1st Place Award; The Grain Train From the Market 1st Place Award and Twisted Olive’s From the Table 1st Place Award.

And new this year Sweetgrass Framing’s People’s Choice Award! Patrons visiting the exhibit throughout the run can pick up a ballot from Crooked Tree’s front desk. Casting the ballot is easy- fill it out and drop it in the ballot box within the exhibit. Choosing the viewer’s favorite will be the harder part.

This year’s jury is made up of distinguished artists and photographers Anne Morningstar (youth) and Nancy Payne (open age). The opening awards ceremony for From Farm to Frame: Good Food, Good Neighbors is Tuesday, October 22nd, from 5:00 to 7:00p and the exhibit will be on display in the lower level of Crooked Tree Arts Center through December 16th.

Afro Latin Jazz lights up the stage at the Boyne City Performing Arts Center Oct. 26

If you haven’t reserved seats yet for Saturday October 26th’s performance of CalJE: Chicago Afro Latin Jazz Ensemble, you’ll be missing one of the best jazz events of the year. Crooked Tree Arts Center is presenting this dynamic and original jazz group at 8 pm on October 26th, at Boyne City Performing Arts Center.

CALJE, or “Chicago Afro-Latin Jazz Ensemble” is regarded as the new and innovative force on the Latin Jazz scene.

CALJE made its debut by kicking off the “Jazz en Clave” Latin Jazz Festival at the famed Hothouse, alongside international artists such as multi-Grammy winning artist Eddie Palmieri & Dafnis Prieto’s Quintet. Musicians in this band have had the opportunity to share the stage with powerhouse artists such as Tito Puente, Danilo Perez, Paquito D’Rivera, Celia Cruz, Chick Corea, and many others.

With a global sound and

ensemble, this band represents Afro-Cuban Jazz, as well as music from all of Latin America. They incorporate traditional Cuban rhythms such as son, guaguango, and clave negra with modern Jazz harmony. Through this fusion concept, they have explored writing new music based on Argentinian Tango, Dominican Merengue, Puerto Rican Bomba y Plena, Spanish Flamenco and Jamaican Reggae. CALJE delivers captivating performances and high energy in the form of dance grooves. The music is primarily written by co-leaders trumpeter Victor Garcia and pianist Darwin Noguera and has performed and recorded with artists such as Grammy winners Howard Levy from the Bela Fleck Group and Brian Lynch from the Eddie Palmieri group, master percussionist Paoli Mejias and legendary trombonist Steve Turre. Their debut album “Blueprints” was critically acclaimed throughout the US and abroad.

Not only is CalJE appearing on stage for the public at 8 pm, but will also be conducting a master class for music students in the Boyne City school district on Friday, October 25th. “This will be an amazing opportunity for these students to be exposed to



CalJE's full ensemble; their sextet will be performing Saturday, October 26th in Boyne City. COURTESY PHOTO

an amazingly high level of jazz musicianship, but also the originality of sound when cultures collide,” shares Crooked Tree Arts Center program director, Valerie St. Pierre Smith. “We are inordinately excited for this educational experience, as well as performance! Many thanks to the Arts Midwest Touring Fund and Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs for their financial support.”

Founded in 2006 by Nicaraguan pianist/composer, Darwin Noguera & Mexican trumpeter/composer Victor Garcia, these long-time musical collaborators envisioned an endeavor in Latin music that would follow in the innovative footsteps of the pioneering Cuban groups Chucho Valdes’ Irakere, Mario Bauza &

His Afro-Cubans, & the Dizzy Gillespie United Nations Orchestra. This dynamic group is continuing the dance and listening legacy in the Latin Jazz genre.

Their reviews are particularly telling:

“... a wonderfully diverse repertoire of new and highly creative music... The arrangements demonstrate a departure from the straight-down-the-pike Latin dance band vein, preferring a more suite-like approach in some cases, and always in full command of the rich, harmonic possibilities of the big-band format. Darwin and Noguera are clearly open to exploring new and unusual paths, and their collaborative efforts are sure to garner the respect of their peers as well as those young musicians

whom they will undoubtedly inspire. There are moments of quiet to balance the power-packed grooves, and there is plenty... to sink your teeth into.”

- Rebeca Mauleón, Jazz Times Magazine

“As co-leaders, Nicaraguan pianist Darwin Noguera and trumpet player Victor Garcia (Chicago native with a Mexican heritage) share a common taste for the magnificence of big band compositions. A smoking performance.”- Latin Jazz Network

CalJE will be performing their global Latin sounds Saturday, October 26th at 8:00p at Boyne City Performing Arts Center. To reserve seats visit , or call 231.347.4337

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Described as “mellow but full-bodied,” the music of local songwriter and Chef Nathan Bates is rhythmically engaging and acoustic — the perfect counterpoint to the peak of autumn in the beautiful north. Come

early to the evening barn concert and get a chance to see the animals up close, meet Bluestem Farm's knowledgeable farmer-guides, and gain insight into the ways this diversified, artisanal farm weaves vegetable gardens, woods, and animal pastures into a living patchwork of many mysteries.

Families are welcome. This event, like farming, happens rain or shine. Please dress for the weather and wear comfortable shoes you won't mind getting dirty. If

you're coming to the concert, please bring along a chair or blanket to sit on and a flashlight to find your way back to your car. Event parking is on the north side of M-32, on Adams Road. No dogs, please.

Please note that if you are relying on electronic navigation to get here, it will steer you wrong. The farm is at M-32 and Adams Road, and the driveway is off M-32. The farm is located at 4218 M-32 (at Adams) 7 miles east of East Jordan.

No reservations required. This event is sponsored by Bluestem Farm and Nathan Bates. Donations for Nathan are gratefully accepted at the door. For more information, contact Mary at or call 231-459-8968.

Schedule

5:00-6:00 Farm tour and hayride
6:00-8:00 Potluck & Nathan Bates Concert

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HEALTH

What is SAD?

By Deb Hagen-Foley

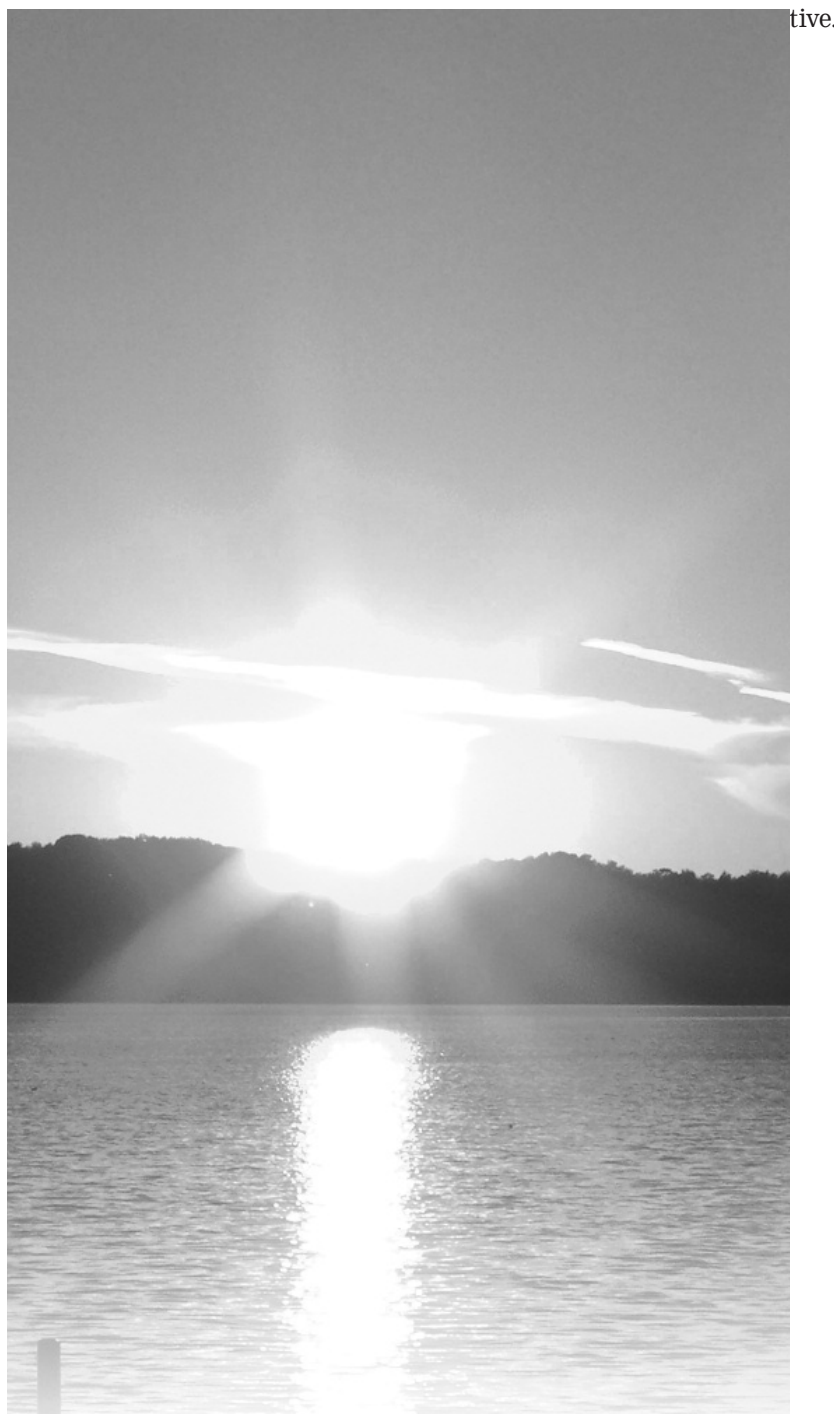
As the weather turns cooler and the hours of daylight get shorter, is your mood changing for the worse? Are you craving carbohydrates? Do you find you have more energy in spring and summer months? You may be experiencing SAD.

Seasonal affective disorder, SAD, is a form of depression that occurs most frequently in the fall and winter months. Symptoms typically begin in late fall or early winter and subside in the spring and summer. The symptoms of fall and winter SAD are similar to other forms of depression. Symptoms include: hopelessness, loss of energy, social withdrawal, difficulty concentrating, weight gain and appetite changes, especially a craving for foods high in carbohydrates, loss of interest in previously enjoyed activities and excessive desire for sleep.

The cause of SAD is unknown. It is likely that several factors contribute to the appearance of SAD. A reduction in serotonin and melatonin levels, related to a reduction in sunlight and the change of seasons, may contribute to SAD. The reduced level of sunlight may result in a disruption of the circadian rhythm, the biological clock.

Some people may be more at risk for SAD. Seasonal affective disorder occurs more frequently among females and those with a family history of SAD or other depressive disorders. Living far from the equator, either north or south, is a risk factor for experiencing SAD. Persons with clinical depression or bipolar disorder may experience a worsening of symptoms during the fall and winter months.

If you are experiencing symptoms of SAD or begin to experience similar symptoms in the coming weeks, and you aren't able to spend the winter in Florida, you don't need to suffer with SAD. Various treatments have been found effective in counteracting the symptoms of SAD, including light therapy (phototherapy), herbal remedies and mind-body techniques. For persons with the most severe symptoms, including suicidal



thoughts, social withdrawal, problems with school or work, or substance abuse, prescription medications and/or psychotherapy are options. See your doctor if you have severe signs of depression. Treatment is available, but may require several weeks to be fully effective.

Next week, more about treatments for SAD and a story of how one woman copes with the annual effects of seasonal affective disorder.

DAVE Says



Dave Ramsey

Life insurance vs. 529

Dear Dave,
An insurance salesman told me it's better to use a life insurance policy for college savings rather than a 529 plan because the child can use it for anything instead of just college. Is that true?

Rusty
Dear Rusty,
Of course that's what he told you. He's an insurance salesman!

He was right on one point. If the kid doesn't go to college, the savings inside an insurance policy can be used for anything. But here's the catch: There won't be much waiting for you, because you saved it inside a life insurance policy. The returns stink! Savings inside a life insurance policy won't get you anywhere near the cash you'd have by investing in a 529 plan.

If you're going to save for your kids' college fund, there needs to be lots of talk around the house about actually going to college. It's not really brainwashing them so much as it's letting them know the importance of a good education. And they need to know, on no uncertain terms, that the money you're saving for them is for one thing: college.

What you experienced, Rusty, was an insurance salesman trying to sell insurance. Stay away from it when it comes to saving up for college!

—Dave

ing. I think it's funny when people run out and upgrade on their \$7,000 car to buy a \$30,000 Prius to save gas. Think about it. That's an extra expenditure of \$23,000 to save gas. Where are you planning on driving, to the moon?

Actually saving money is a much better plan than some of the ideas people dream up in the name of saving money. When it comes to things like this, you need to sit down and do the math. Crunch some hard, cold figures and see what happens. "Well, if we got this kind of gas mileage, instead of what we're getting now, how much money would we save?" But if you spend \$5,000 more to save \$50 it will take forever to get back the money you've already spent.

Getting better gas mileage is good thing, but I wouldn't recommend spending any more than the value of the car you're currently driving to make it happen. Moving down in car but up in mileage is a great plan. If you do that, you'll really start making headway with your money.

This kind of scenario is a simple math thing, Trey. The problem is lots of times people's emotions get caught up in stuff, and next thing you know they think they have a real reason to buy an expensive, new piece of automotive technology. I call that car fever, and it'll wreck your finances in a hurry!

—Dave

* Dave Ramsey is America's trusted voice on money and business. He's authored four New York Times best-selling books: Financial Peace, More Than Enough, The Total Money Makeover and Entrepreneurship. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 6 million listeners each week on more than 500 radio stations. Follow Dave on Twitter at @DaveRamsey and on the web at daveramsey.com.

Better car, better gas mileage?

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Is it a good idea to sell your car in order to get one that gets better gas mileage?

Trey
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New Medicare Rules for Purchase of Diabetic Supplies

By: Jim Verville, Region 10 Coordinator
Michigan Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program
Area Agency on Aging, Traverse City, MI

Effective July 1, 2013, Medicare will implement a new set of rules regarding the purchase of diabetic supplies. The supplies affected by this change include glucose meters, test strips, lancets, and glu-cose meter calibration fluid.

If beneficiaries intend to use a mail order vendor, they will need to get their diabetic supplies from a Medicare contracted provider. This is a new requirement in order for Medicare to participate in the payment for these items. People should not assume that their current or future mail order provider has a contract with Medicare. The contracts are for specific models of diabetic items. For example, if a beneficiary wants a particular glucose meter or certain brand of test strip, they will need to make that mail order purchase from a supplier who is authorized by Medicare to sell that specific item.

Medicare beneficiaries who prefer to purchase their diabetic supplies from a local pharmacy or business need to ask that supplier two important questions as follows:

- Will the vendor bill Medicare for the items?
- Does the supplier accept Medicare assignment?

If they do not accept assignment, then the beneficiary could be responsible for an additional cost besides the normal 20% co-pay. Worse yet, if the supplier does not bill Medicare, then the beneficiary could be responsible to

pay for the entire cost of the purchase. Beneficiaries who decide to switch to another supplier will need to make sure that the new supplier has a valid prescription from their physician. This should be set up prior to July 1, so the transition is seamless and there is no delay in obtaining their diabetic supplies.

One of the main reasons for these changes is due to the large amount of Medicare fraud that is taking place throughout the United States. Diabetic supplies, particularly test strips, are very expensive. These and other higher end durable medical equipment items are under close scrutiny as a means to protect the Medicare Trust Fund. Also, by using vendors that have contracts with Medicare, it will save the taxpayers' money because it is generally cheaper to use those businesses.

If beneficiaries have a difficult time understanding these new rules, they can call the Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP) and receive free and unbiased assistance concerning this or any other topic related to Medicare and Medicaid. A MMAP counselor can be reached by calling 800-803-7174.

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BOYNE AREA SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 17 Wii Bowling	Friday, October 18 11am-12pm TagaLongs Raffle	Monday, October 21 Bingo	Tuesday, October 22 Brown-Bag Bingo	Wednesday, October 23 10-11am Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program	Thursday, October 24 Wii Bowling
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CHARLEVOIX SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 17 11am Chair Yoga Class 1pm Pinochle Back Porch Music	Friday, October 18 Foot Clinic 9:30am Craft Class 1pm Rummy	Monday, October 21 1pm Wood Carving 7pm Bible Study	Tuesday, October 22 11am Chair Yoga Class 1pm Paint Class 1 pm Rummy	Wednesday, October 23 1pm Bingo	Thursday, October 24 11am Chair Yoga Class 1pm Pinochle
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EAST JORDAN SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 17 KARAOKE DAY	Friday, October 18 Bake Raffle 10am EXERCISE 11am Cousins Bingo	Monday, October 21 8a-1p Walking M-F 10am EXERCISE	Tuesday, October 22 11am Line Dancing 12:30 Bingo	Wednesday, October 23 GAME DAY 10am EXERCISE	Thursday, October 24 KARAOKE DAY
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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY SENIOR CENTER MENU

Thursday, October 17 COOK'S CHOICE	Friday, October 18 MEATLOAF	Monday, October 21 BREAKFAST	Tuesday, October 22 GOULASH	Wednesday, October 23 CHICKEN & GRAVY W/ RICE	Thursday, October 24 VEAL PARMESAN
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