

Raegan Pedigo, Boyne Falls

Raegan recorded her third double-double of the season for the Loggers as she poured in 19 points and grabbed 19 rebounds in Boyne Falls Northern Lakes Conference win over Ellsworth.

athletes of the week

Marcus Matelski, **Boyne Falls**

Marcus notched a triple-double as he netted a career high 42 points on 17-of-20 shooting, along with connecting on 5-for-5 triples. He also grab 12 boards and make 11 steals in the contest for Bovne Falls in their win over Ellsworth.



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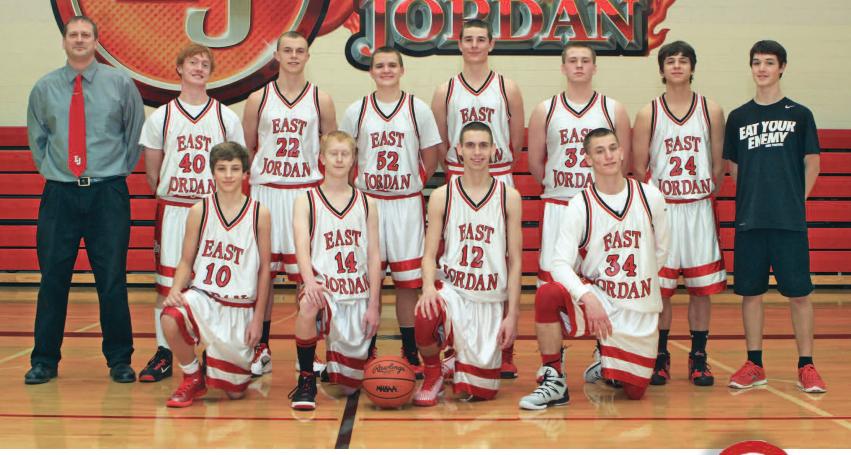
East Jordan Team Ranked in Class C Boys Basketball

By Chris Fiel

EAST JORDAN —Those familiar with the Charlevoix County area and Northern Michigan basketball, it wouldn't take one long to realize that the East Jordan boys basketball team is a pretty solid group of talented players.

Now that team along with veteran coach Darrin Weber are being recognized at an entire new level, as the Red Devils sit as the number one ranked team in the first Associated Press Class C Boys Basketball poll of the 2014-15 season.

"We were a little shocked," coach Weber noted. "We brought the kids into the classroom and told them and they were really excited. It's nice to get the recognition and respect. We were hoping for a top 10. Us picking up a couple of big wins over two really good teams (Boyne City and



East Jordan has been off since before the holiday break and with that extended time to prepare the Red Devils have used that chance to get healthy (sickness) and get everyone at practice. East Jordan returns to action on January 16 when they travel to Traverse City St. Francis to face the Gladiators.



East Jordan's Donny Cutler (34) drives the lane in the Red Devils victory over Boyne City in December. (PHOTO BY CINDA SHUMAKER)

Bellaire) on the road before the holiday definitely helped."

Off to a 4-0 start, the Red Devils continue to make a lot of noise this season as they return four starters (all juniors) from last seasons quarterfinal team, Jordan Weber, Donny Cutler, Colin Petrie and Collin Bajko, while EJ also features a much improved bench this season.

"There has been a lot of buzz in the school and community since the rankings came out," Weber added. "I received a lot of congratulations the other day while shopping and I know the players and staff appreciate it."

Having that great tournament run last season, along with their undefeated campaign, the Red Devils are packing the gym every night they take the court.

Weber also noted that while the ranking is appreciated, they have a long road ahead, especially in the always tough Lake Michigan Conference.

"We know our league." the coach added. "There are no off nights and anyone can knock off another on any given night, so staying undefeated is a tall task. We just have to take it one game at a

time." East Jordan has been off since before the holiday break and with that extended time to prepare the Red Devils have used that chance to get healthy (sickness) and get every-

one at practice. "We invited some alumni in to help practice over the break," Weber said. "Not having played for so long, we were a little rusty, but eventually the boys picked it up and got rolling. We've got some tough games coming up and looking forward to getting back on the court."

East Jordan returns to action on January 16 when they travel to Traverse City St. Francis to face the Gladiators.

Although East Jordan boys remain undefeated, the new rankings came out Tuesday afternoon and East Jordan dropped to number 3 in the state rankings due to games that were cancelled last week due to snow.





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Ramblers girls fall to Petoskey

By Chris Fiel

Petoskey 53, Boyne City 25

BOYNE CITY — Following a slow start to the contest for both squads, the Petoskey girls basketball team got things going in the middle two quarters as they outscored the Ramblers 36-16 over that span as the Northmen downed Boyne City 53-25 on January 12.

Petoskey was able to squeak out a slim 8-4 first quarter lead as neither team could get into a flow offensively, but the Northmen were able to get some good looks as their shots began to fall in the second and third quarters, while the Ramblers shots would do anything but drop through the hoop during that same time period.

Petoskey would lead 26-11 at halftime before extending that lead to 44-20 entering the final eight minutes of regulation.

The Northmen were led by Tilly Koboski with 12 points, while Lily Kingma and Isabel Anderson each added 10.

Boyne City was paced by Celena Brzezinski with 10 points, while Hannah Hoth added six. Hoth also added seven rebounds, three assists and two steals, while Keyrsten Girlinghouse chipped in with six rebounds.

The Ramblers travel to Grayling on January 16 in a Lake Michigan Conference contest, game time is 5:30 p.m.



Boyne City's Hannah Hoth (30) takes her time before draining this free throw attempt. (PHOTO BY CHRIS FIEL)



Rambler junior Celena Brzezinski (25) drives the right side against the Petoskey defense. (PHOTO BY **CHRIS FIEL)**

Loggers clip Lancers in for NLC victory

By Chris Fiel

Boyne Falls 43, Ellsworth 33

BOYNE FALLS — Two of the top teams in the Northern Lakes Conference locked horns on January 7 and played a pretty even contest until Boyne Falls used a strong second half to pull away from Ellsworth 43-33.

Raegan Pedigo recorded her third doubledouble of the season as she poured in 19 points and grabbed 19 rebounds to pace the

Boyne Falls also got nine points from Katelynn Wilson and six from Josie Smith.

The Loggers, 4-3 overall, 3-1 conference, led at the quarter breaks, 7-6, 15-4 and 31-26.

Ellsworth was led by Katelyn Sowers with 11 points as the Lancers slipped to 3-4, 2-2 on the season.

Dogman Challenge Fat Bike Race

The 3rd Annual Dogman Challenge is on tap for Saturday, February 21st beginning with a mass start at 12:00 Noon at the base of the Mt Mc-Sauba Ski Hill in Charlevoix. Riders will race Fat Bikes on a 1.5 mile loop through the trails of Mt



McSauba and North Point Nature Preserve. The rider to complete the most laps in two hours is the champion and will be awarded the Dogman trophy and cash prize. Trophies and prizes will also be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in both the men's and women's division. Registration is open at OneStopRace.com or by contacting Revolution Bike at 231-237-0900.

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Michigan Associated Press High School Basketball Rankings

Michigan Boys Basketball

School (First-place votes) (Record) **Points**

- 1. Detroit Western International (5) (6-
- 0) 75 2. East Kentwood (6-0) 69
- 3. Muskegon (5-1) 64
- 4. Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central (6-
- 5. Saginaw Arthur Hill (4-2) 50
- 6. Clarkston (6-0) 48
- 7. Detroit U-D Jesuit (6-1) 43
- 8. Kalamazoo Central (6-0) 41 9. North Farmington (7-0) 32
- 10. Romulus (4-2) 24 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Wyoming (6-0) 16, Ann Arbor Huron (6-1) 15, Lansing Everett (6-1) 14, West

Bloomfield (6-0) 13, Alpena (6-0) 12. Class B

School (First-place votes) (Record)

- **Points** 1. Milan (3) (5-1) 83
- 2. Detroit Henry Ford (3) (7-0) 82
- 3. Wyoming Godwin Heights (5-0) 67 4. Wayland Union (5-0) 62
- 5. Yale (7-0) 55
- 6. Benton Harbor (5-1) 52 7. Otsego (5-1) 48
- 8. New Haven (6-0) 38
- 9. Goodrich (7-1) 30 T-10. Flint Northwestern (5-0) 28

- T-10. Alma (4-0) 28
- T-10. Battle Creek Harper Creek (6-0)
- Others receiving 12 or more votes: Frankenmuth (5-0) 23, Imlay City (7-0)

- 5. Shelby (5-0) 63
- T-6. Millington (7-0) 59

- nary (6-0) 35
- 10. Hillsdale (7-0) 25 Others receiving 12 or more votes:
- City-Crystal (3-1) 21, Detroit Loyola 19, Ironwood Luther L Wright (6-0) 18, Monroe St. Mary Catholic Central (4-0) 13, Ithaca (5-1) 12.

School (First-place votes) (Record)

- T-1. Cedarville (3) (6-0) 84
- T-1. Powers North Central (3) (5-0) 84 3. Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (8-
- 5. Allen Park Inter-City Baptist (3-1) 57
- T-7. Climax-Scotts (5-1) 48
- T-7. Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart (5-1)
- 9. Peck (4-1) 47
- 10. Munising (2-0) 37

16, Muskegon Oakridge (6-0) 14.

- Class C School (First-place votes) (Record)
- **Points** 1. Flint Beecher (3) (6-0) 86
- 2. Beaverton (1) (6-0) 70
- 3. East Jordan (1) (4-0) 67
- 4. Laingsburg (5-0) 64

- T-6. Iron Mountain (4-0) 59
- 8. McBain (5-0) 40
- 9. Saginaw Michigan Lutheran Semi-
- Jackson Lumen Christi (5-0) 21, Carson

- **Points**
- 4. Frankfort (4-0) 59
- 6. Crystal Falls Forest Park (6-0) 49
- Others receiving 12 or more votes: Muskegon Catholic Central (4-0) 29.

tian (3-4) 17, Hillman (5-1) 17, Lake Linden-Hubbell (4-0) 17, Bark River-Harris (5-1).

Fulton-Middleton (5-1) 23, Mio Au

Sable (5-1) 18. Adrian Lenawee Chris-

Michigan Girls Basketball Class A

- School (First-place votes) (Record)
- 1. Bloomfield Hills Marian (4) (6-0) 60
- T-2. DeWitt (7-1) 49
- T-2. Southfield-Lathrup (6-1) 49
- 4. Saginaw Heritage (7-0) 48
- T-5. Farmington Hills Harrison (7-1) 42 T-5. Detroit Martin Luther King (8-1) 42
- 7. Ann Arbor Huron (6-1) 36
- T-8. Marquette (10-0) 32 T-8. Waterford Kettering (7-0) 32
- 10. Grosse Pointe South (6-2) 28 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Lansing Waverly (8-1) 15. Farmington

Hills Mercy (6-1) 12.

- School (First-place votes) (Record)
- **Points** 1. Haslett (3) (8-0) 45
- Grand Rapids Catholic Central (7-1)
- 3. Midland Bullock Creek (9-0) 39
- 4. Detroit Country Day (9-0) 36
- T-5. Benton Harbor (6-3) 30
- T-5. Wayland Union (7-0) 30
- 7. Manistee (9-0) 27 8. Goodrich (6-1) 25

T-10. Williamston (8-1) 15

9. Frankenmuth (7-1) 16 T-10. Dearborn Divine Child (5-3) 15

Others receiving 12 or more votes: Chelsea (8-1) 12.

School (First-place votes) (Record)

Points

- T-1. Carson City-Crystal (3) (8-0) 69
- T-1. Sandusky (8-0) 69 3. Ypsilanti Arbor Preparatory (2) (8-1)
- 4. Flint Hamady (5-0) 50
- 5. Ithaca (7-0) 46
- 6. Saginaw Nouvel (6-3) 45 7. Blissfield (7-0) 44
- 8. Calumet (7-0) 42 9. Laingsburg (7-0) 34
- 10. Niles Brandywine (7-0) 31 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Gobles (6-0) 29. Traverse City St. Fran-

Class D

cis (6-0) 29.

School (First-place votes) (Record)

- 1. St. Ignace LaSalle (2) (6-3) 70 2. Morrice (1) (8-0) 67
- 3. Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart (2) (6-
- 4. Frankfort (6-1) 63
- 5. Bark River-Harris (7-1) 53
- 6. Bellaire (5-0) 42 7. Pittsford (6-0) 41
- 8. Crystal Falls Forest Park (5-2) 38 T-9. Munising (6-1) 29
- T-9. Newberry (8-1) 29 Others receiving 12 or more votes: Posen (6-1) 20. Birmingham Roeper (6-0) 18. Portland St. Patrick (7-1) 12.

NCAA Basketball Associated Press Top 25 Mens Basketball

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TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS	TEAM(1st Place votes)	RECORD	PTS	TEAM(1st Place votes)RECORDPTS
1Kentucky (63)	15-0	1,623	13Wichita State	14-2	832	25Wyoming15-271
2Virginia (2)	15-0	1,561	14Maryland	15-2	801	
3Gonzaga	16-1	1,446	15North Carolina	12-4	719	Dropped out: No.22 Ohio State, No. 24 St. John's, No. 25
4Duke	14-1	1,432	16West Virginia	14-2	627	Old Dominion
5Villanova	15-1	1,358	17VCU	13-3	578	
6Louisville	14-2	1,264	18Oklahoma	11-4	485	Others receiving votes: Ohio State 70, Michigan St 67,
7Wisconsin	15-2	1,200	19Arkansas	13-2	431	Dayton 55, Providence 17, Indiana 15, LSU 12, St. John's
8Utah	13-2	1,185	20Texas	12-4	345	10, Georgetown 7, Alabama 7, NC State 6, Syracuse 3,
9Kansas	13-2	1,100	21Seton Hall	13-3	298	Green Bay 3, TCU 2, San Diego St 2, Butler 2, Oregon 2,
10Arizona	14-2	1,037	22Baylor	12-3	278	SMU 1, Davidson 1, Hofstra 1, Colorado St 1, Old Domin-
11lowa State	12-2	922	23Northern Iowa	14-2	212	ion 1

NCAA Basketball Associated Press Top 25 Womens Basketball

TEAM(1	st Place votes)	.RECORD	PTS	TEAM(1st Place votes)
1	South Carolina (28)	.16-0	868	12North Carolina
2	Connecticut (7)	.14-1	846	13Stanford
	Baylor			14Arizona St
4	Texas	.13-1	728	15Mississippi St
4l	Louisville	.15-1		16Duke
6	Tennessee	.14-2	722	17Nebraska
71	Notre Dame	.15-2		18Georgia
				19Princeton
	•			20Florida St
	Kantucky			21 Oklahoma St

23.....MinnesotaRutgers..... 25......11-5......11-5 Others receiving votes: Western Kentucky 78, Chattanooga 49, Miami (FL) 41, Washington 24, South Florida 21, Iowa State 19, Northwestern 18, Green Bay 14, St. John's 7,

Long Beach St 7, Seton Hall 6, California 5, Depaul 4,

Dropped from rankings: Western Kentucky 25

George Washington 2, Ohio State 2

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Youth swim team takes third place in UP meet

EAST JORDAN - The Devil Ray Swim Team made a Splashy start to 2015 with a 3rd place finish at the Rudyard International Invitational on Saturday, January 10, 2015.

The Devil Rays placed 1st place in five relays. "Relays are great – it's a wonderful opportunity to watch teammates feeding off the energy of one another" said Jory Jonas - Head Coach of the Devil Ray Swim Team.

The Devil Rays had 16 swimmers participate in the Invitational. The youngest swimmer was Lily Snyder who is 6 years old. Lily swam her first ever butterfly event and placed 1st. Asya Sitzema was the oldest Devil Ray swimmer – Asya is 18. This was the first swim meet Asya has ever been a part of. She has been the lifeguard for the Devil Ray practices and thought it might be fun to join in on the fun. "I never imagined I would swim in a swim meet, it's been great to be part of such a supportive team" when Asya was asked what her first swim meet was like.

Placing 1st for the Devil Rays:

Madilyn Cochran 11 -East Jordan

Sophie Snyder 9 – East Jordan

Audrey Thompson 12 -Charlevoix

Emma Buday 12 -Charlevoix

Keenan O'Neil 12 -

Charlevoix Madeline Malpass 13 -East Jordan

Gabby Snyder 13 – East Jordan

Sophia Thompson 13 -Charlevoix Macv McPherson 13 -

East Jordan

Lily Snyder 6 – East Jordan

Ivy Wells 17 – Charlevoix

Ian Clapp 10 – Charlevoix Shane Pausits 16 - Alpena

Basia Kornoely 15 – Boyne City

The Devil Ray Swim Team is a regional age group swim team that is based out of the East Jordan Community Pool. Any swimmer who is able to swim the length of the pool is



Audrey Thompson, Madilyn **Cochran and Emma Buday**



Lily Snyder



Asya Sitzema



Keenan O'Neil

Shorthanded Rayders bow to Blue Devils

By Chris Fiel

Gaylord 66, **Charlevoix 37**

GAYLORD — The Charlevoix Rayders were outmanned by the Gaylord Blue Devils in their non-conference matchup, 66-37 on January 12 at Gaylord High School.

The Rayders, playing without three key players, still gave a valiant effort as those remaining filled the necessary positions and gave all they had as Charlevoix slipped to 3-3 overall.

Kourtney Putman led Charlevoix with nine points and eight rebounds, while Hannah Zipp added eight points and six boards. Alexis Tribfelner chipped in with six points and seven rebounds and Ellie Way added six points. Olivia Storm also contributed to the team making five steals.

Gaylord was led by Brandi Wagner with 16 points and Casey Korte had 13 points for the 6-1 Blue Devils.



Charlevoix's Hannah Zipp (40) gains control of this rebound as Gaylord's (24) attempts to get a hand on it. (PHOTO BY SCOTT RICHARDS)

Lady Lancers use strong second half to oust Swordsmen

By Chris Fiel

Ellsworth 46, Harbor Light 34

HARBOR SPRINGS — The Ladv Lancers improved to 4-4 overall, 3-2 in the Northern Lakes Conference with a strong second half as they downed Harbor Light 46-34 on Jan-

Ellsworth led 17-15 at the half. Sharn Dillon paced a strong Ellsworth attack with 17 points and 16 rebounds, while Amanda Veenstra added 14 points, 10 boards and four steals.

Maddie Steenwyk finished with five points, but hauled in 19 rebounds as the Lancers controlled

the glass in the contest.

"The girls played well, and we did really well on the glass," Ellsworth coach Brenda Stevens said. "We've been working hard on our press and it's showing. We played good all-around defense, ran our offense and boxed out. That's all we can ask them to do."

BOYS BASKETBALL

Loggers roll behind Marcus Matelski's career night

Boyne Falls 74, Ellsworth 21

ELLSWORTH - Sometimes players find themselves "In the zone".

Boyne Falls junior Marcus Matelski seems to do that quite often, but on January 6 against Northern Lakes Conference rival Ellsworth. he took it to another level in leading the Loggers to a 74-21 win over the Lancers.

Matelski would notch a triple double for Boyne Falls, finishing with a career-high 42 points on 17-for-20 shooting from the floor and was 5-for-5 from threepoint land. He would also grab 12 rebounds and make 11 steals in the contest.

"We played a real efficient game as we only had three turnovers," Loggers coach Tim Smith said. "Marcus shot a unbelievable percentage while facing a triangle and two (defense). The team is getting real proficient playing against junk defense. We have everyone executing together and tremendous chemistry right

Also for Boyne Falls, Andrew Stevens chipped in with 12 points and five assists, while Andrew Campbell had seven points and Josh Lange added five assists.

The Loggers, 4-0 overall, 2-0 NLC, led at the quarter breaks 26-9, 42-11 and 59-15.

Tyler Drenth hauled in 10 boards for the Lancers, (2-1, 1-1).



Marcus Matelski (32) of Boyne Falls gets in the lane on a fastbreak as Ellsworth's Tyler Drenth

(32) gives chase. (PHOTO BY RACHEL LANGE)

Lancers down Swordsmen for third win of the season

By Chris Fiel

Ellsworth 45, **Harbor Light 40**

HARBOR SPRINGS — The Lancers were able to overcome a relatively slow first three quarters of play as they pulled out a 45-40 Northern Lakes Conference on January 12 on the road.

Ellsworth used a strong fourth quarter, going on a 25-9 run over the games final eight minutes to down the Swordsmen.

Harbor Light held the lead and controlled the game for the first three quarters of play, 12-10, 19-12 and 31-20 before the Lancers kicked it up a notch.

"It was a frustrating first three quarters of play," Ellsworth coach Kirk Ikens said. "In the fourth we started applied some pressure to get the game uptempo and we started to make some shots and were able to get the win."

The Lancers also shot 6-of-10 from the charity stripe in the final stanza.

Winter Romeyn led Ellsworth with 15 points, while Zeb Collins added 12 points and 12 rebounds and Zach Wynkoop added nine points and six steals.

Harbor Light got 20 points from Lucas Matthews.

The Lancers improve to 3-1 overall, 2-1 conference with the win. Ellsworth will have played against Wolverine after we have gone to press on January 13 and play at Alanson on January 15, the JV contest begins at 6 p.m. Look for results in next weeks paper.

EJ Fight Against Cancer Varsity Basketball Game

The "EJ Fight Against Cancer Varsity Basketball Game" will be on Friday, February 6th at 5:30pm and 7:00pm vs. Boyne City High School. Proceeds from the event are given to members of our community with cancer in the form of gas cards to offset the cost of transportation to and from appointments. Fans are encouraged to wear the color purple. The Devil's Den (Store at EJHS) will be selling purple t-shirts to support the cause

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You do, but make sure you know your options

During the real estate transaction (especially if you're a first-time buyer), you're hit with so many foreign terms, fees and requirements your head spins. One of those strange and unfamiliar costs is title insurance. In most cases, borrowers have no option either you get title insurance (among other requirements) or you don't get a loan.

The lender says you need it, you want the loan to go though, so you buy title insurance. Great. So what is title insurance?

When you buy a home you want to make sure that the people selling it actually have full and legal title. The

party who conducts closing will check this out by going down to the local property records office to research the history of ownership.

But those records down at the property office may be official, but they may also be wrong. It's also possible that the person who does the title search can make a mistake and also that important information may simply not be recorded.

For instance, maybe a bill against the property was not recorded or some taxes were not been paid. Or, suppose that 40 years ago the property you want to purchase was owned by Smith. Let's also imagine that Smith was a bigamist with an extra spouse. Will this matter show up on the local property records? Not likely. Does the additional Smith spouse have an ownership claim against the property? That may only be clear after

a lot of legal wrangling and if you lose, you could lose the house.

There may be other odd and bizarre claims as well. Was an owner an alcoholic? Insane? A drug user? Is there a contractor with a claim against the property? Such issues can "cloud" titles and neither lenders nor owners want clouds.

One form of title insurance, "lenders" coverage, is designed to protect (who else?) your lender in case of title problems. "Lenders" coverage is required and generally provides protection up to the original mortgage amount—if you buy a home for \$300,000 and get a \$250,000 mortgage, then \$250,000 is as much coverage as you can get with a lender's policy. If there's a claim, the title insurer will fight on your behalf and if there's a claim the policy

will pay off the loan if necessary. This is good news for you because you won't owe the lender a dime if you lose in court.

But there are also some options.

For instance, you can also get "owners" coverage. This will protect your equity that \$50,000 in the example above not covered by the lender's policy. And you can often get an "inflation rider" with an owner's policy—as the value of your home goes up, so does the value of your title coverage.

While title insurance is required by virtually all lenders, there is one big exception: Loans made in Iowa. In Iowa, the state says that attorneys and others who do title work must participate in a title guarantee program. If there's a title error, the state fund provides coverage.

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Featured Property

Price reduced on custom built home in wooded setting near Boyne City



By Jim Akans

Tucked neatly into a gorgeous wooded setting, this custom built classic colonial style home offers a plethora of amenities and options for virtually any lifestyle.

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home begins with having potential for fourth bedroom and it is also plumbed for a second full bath. There is bonus space above the garage just waiting to be transformed into a game room, media center, guest apartment or nearly anything the new home-

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Automotive Review



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Dodge Challenger

All-new 2015 Dodge Challenger earns Five-Star Overall Safety Rating From U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

The all-new 2015 Dodge Challenger has earned a five-star overall safety rating from the U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA). Five stars is the highest possible safety rating given by NHTSA.

"The new Dodge Challenger coupe further demonstrates our commitment to broaden the proliferation of advanced safety technologies, such as driver-assist features," says Scott Kunselman, Senior Vice

President-Vehicle Safety and Regulatory, FCA-North America.

In its assessment of the new Challenger, NHTSA notes the availability of Forward Collision Warning (FCW), which features forward-facing sensors programmed to detect the potential for certain types of frontal collisions. If detected, the driver is alerted with visual and audible

The 2015 Dodge Challenger is the only car in its segment with such capability.

FCW is among more than 70 available safety and security features on the 2015 Dodge Challenger. Others include Blind-Spot Monitoring and Rear Cross-Path Detection, which was pioneered by FCA US LLC.

Among the individual crashtests in which the Challenger scored five stars were front- and side-impacts.

"The 2015 Challenger checks all the boxes," Kunselman says. "It affords premium safety and security in a stylish package that delivers a sporty driving experience."

And it does so for \$26,995, excluding tax, destination and title. Building on the 2014-model's legacy of honors that include Edmunds.com's Best Retained Value Award and winner three years' running J.D. Power's APEAL Award for overall ownership enjoyment, the 2015 Dodge Challenger ups its game with:

- New 1971-inspired exterior and interior design features

- An unmatched array of personalization options, including a wide range of colors, stripes and wheels to create the perfect combination of fun, nostalgia and

- Segment-first and segmentexclusive TorqueFlite eightspeed automatic transmission, which delivers world-class precision and up to an 11 percent improvement in fuel economy, compared with the outgoing gearbox

- Significant new technology upgrades such as the all-new Uconnect Access system with standard touchscreen, standard new 7-inch multi-view TFT gauge cluster, new performance electronic shifter, Keyless Enter 'n Go with push-button start.

Last month, the Challenger recorded its best-ever November sales total with 4,157 deliveries. That's a 52-percent jump compared with the same month in

























Charlevoix County Commissioners SYNOPSIS OF THE ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING OF THE 147TH SESSION, JANUARY 6, 2015

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION The East Jordan City Commission met January 6, 2015 at

7:00 p.m.; Mayor Peck presiding with all members of Commission present. Acknowledgement was given to paid bills

Further Commission Action: Approved Resolution #101-

2015, approved Resolution #102-2015; acknowledged re-

ceipt of Cash on Hand report for November 2014;

acknowledged Monthly Public Safety report for EMS for No-

vember 2014; approved final pay request and change order

#1 for the Well House #2 project; approved requests made

by Chamber for 34th Annual Sno Blast; appointed Tony Pitts

and Marty Carey to Brownfield Authority; appointed Mike Burr

to Zoning Board of Appeals; and appointed Robert Kenney

City Hall for review during normal office hours.

Copies of the minutes of the above meeting are posted in

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners held the organizational meeting of the 147th session in the Charlevoix County Commissioners room. Commissioners Lasater, Christensen, Reinhardt, Evans, Ferguson, and Roloff were

No action was taken on Resolution #15-001, Establishing Term of the Chairperson of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners

Commissioner Joel Evans was elected Chairman for a twoyear term. Commissioner Ronald Reinhardt was elected as Vice-Chair-

Motion approved the Committee Appointments and Meeting Schedules. They can be found on the County website. Motion approved Resolution #15-002, 2015 Rules of Proce-

Motion adjourned the meeting at 10:25 a.m. Complete copies of Board minutes can be found on the

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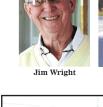
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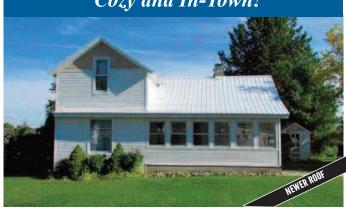
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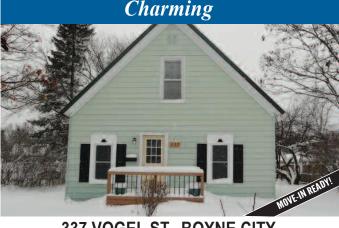
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Charming Country Home

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Custom Kitchen!



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210 E CALHOUN STREET, MANCELONA For many years this has been a landmark in Mancelona as the Pressbox. This is a super location on US 131. MLS 439560. Ask for Mike Stark. \$54,900







Charlevoix County Commission on Aging

"The mission of the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging is to provide the highest quality senior services in partnership with the community. We focus our efforts on advocacy and support for seniors and their caregivers by promoting health, wellness, and education to achieve a dignified and enriched quality of life."

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WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.charlevoixcounty.org/coa.asp

January Happenings

1/3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Saturdays, 9am - 1pm

Boyne City Farmers' Market In the Red Barn next to the Boyne City Dis-

trict Library www.boynechamber.com

1/14, Wednesday

Elisworth Shiverfest

Snowshoe events, cardboard sleds, desserts, hot dog roast and much more www.ejchamber.org

1/22, Thursday, 6:00pm - 9:00pm

Annual Meeting of the Boyne Area Chamber

This gala event is held at Boyne Mountain each year. The program is an upbeat gathering with great food and drink, business awards, live and silent auctions, live music

and the introduction of the Chamber Board members

Tickets on line before Jan 2, \$35 pp; after Jan 2, \$40 pp. www.boynechamber.com

1/22, Thursday, 5:30pm - 7:00pm

January Swirl

Join us for wine tastings in our galleries. Mingle among beautiful art, listen to local musicians, and sample fine wines and food from local restaurants. Tickets may be pur-chased on-line, telephone, or at the door. Event takes place at the Crooked Tree Arts Center in Petoskey.

www.crookedtree.org

1/24, Saturday, Starting @ 12:00pm

Boyne City Winterfest

Come have a blast in Boyne City! Winterfest features activ-ities the whole family can enjoy. Some of the activities in-clude snow

sculpture contest, indoor sidewalk sales, kids' games, chili cook-off, wine tasting, horse-drawn sleigh rides, and much more. www.boynechamber.com

1/31, Saturday, 5:45pm - 9:00pm

E. J. Chamber Annual Dinner/Meeting/Auction

The Chamber's largest event of the year, held at Castle Farms, kicks off the New Year with an awards program, dinner and live and silent auction. www.ejchamber.org

1/31, Saturday, 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Snowman Wonderland & Story-

Join your kids and/or grandkids for activities and a story at Castle Farms. \$5 per person.

It's Tax Time Again

The Charlevoix Senior Center is again offering free high quality tax help through the AARP Foundation Tax-Aide program, giving peace of mind and economic benefits to Taxpayers and their families.

The program will be available every Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., beginning on February 10th and ending on April 7th.

The preparers will be: Linny Arnold, Randy Cebulski, Evelyn Davis, Bill Keehn, John Loucks, and Nancy Moore. Please bring the following

documents with you: Copy of last year's income tax return

Social Security cards or other official documentation for yourself and all dependents

_W-2 forms from each employer

_Unemployment compensation statements

_SSA-1099 form for Social Security Benefits you received All 1099 forms (1099-INT, 1099-DIV, 1099-B, etc) showing

interest and/or dividends, and documentation showing original purchase price of sold

_1099-MISC showing any miscellaneous income

_1099-R form if you received a pension or annuity _W2-G form for gambling income

all forms indicating federal income tax paid

dependent care provider information (name, employer

ID, Social Security number) _All receipts or canceled checks if itemizing deductions

Receipts showing sales tax paid on new motor vehicles purchased in 2014

(automobile, truck, RV, motorcycle etc)

Receipts for any other large or unusual purchases

Receipts for any energy

efficient home improvements _Receipts for college tu-

ition or student loans _Property Tax bills for

2014 and winter of 2013 if paid in February 2014

Health Insurance Bills _Automobile Insurance Policy (for medical portion of

premium paid) _Home Heating Bills (Nov 2013 thru Oct 2014)

_NEW – If medical insurance was purchased through the marketplace, include Form 1095 and if reimbursed for premiums, Form 1095A.

BOYNE AREA SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 15 Wii Bowling 11am Knitting & Crochet Friday, January 16 Foot Clinic (by Appt) 11am O.J. Adkins Raffle

Monday, January 19 Line Dance Brown-Bag Bingo -

Gift Certificate Prize

Tuesday, January 20 11am Ray & Tom Brown-Bag Bingo -Free Lunch Prize

Wed., January 21 Foot Clinic (by Appt) 11am Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program

Thursday, January 1522 Wii Bowling 11am Knitting & Crochet

CHARLEVOIX SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 15

Back Porch Music-Ernie Mendel 11am Chair Yoga Class 1pm Pinochle

Friday, January 16 1pm Rummy

Monday, January 19 1pm Bridge 1pm Woodcarving

7pm Bible Study

Tuesday, January 20 11am Chair Yoga Class 1pm Paint Class . 1pm Rummy

Wed.,January 21 12:45pm Bingo

Thursday, January 22

11am Chair Yoga Class

1pm Pinochle

Thursday, January 1522

Foot Clinic

KARAOKE DAY!

EAST JORDAN SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, January 15

Foot Clinic KARAOKE DAY!

Friday, January 16 11am Dollar in a Jukebox Bingo BAKE RAFFLE—everyone

Monday, January 19 Foot Clinic & BP 8am-1pm Walking M-F

Tuesday, January 20 10:30am Line Dancing 12:30pm Bingo

Wed., January 21 GAME DAY!

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY SENIOR CENTER MENU

Thursday, January 15 CHICKEN CHOP SUEY

Friday, January 16 **BEEF STEW**

bring something!

Monday, January 19 MACARONI & CHEESE

Tuesday, January 20 CABBAGE ROLL

Wed.,January 21 COOK's CHOICE

Thursday, January 1522 SLOPPY JOE w/ BUN

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