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In a meeting of the hospital's Board of Directors last Tuesday evening, Lyn Jenks officially announced her plans to retire as Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital's CEO. COURTESY PHOTO

Lyn Jenks to retire as Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital's CEO

In a meeting of the hospital's Board of Directors Tuesday evening, Lyn Jenks officially announced her plans to retire once a suitable replacement has been found. It is estimated that a search process will begin within the next few weeks and may take up to six months to complete. "As long as I've known Lyn, she has been an unwavering champion for Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital," said Ed Ness, President and CEO of Munson Healthcare. "Through-

out the process of our initial partnership and then full integration, she has always effectively fostered constructive discussions and advanced a spirit of collaboration." He continued, "It is impossible to measure what Lyn has meant to Charlevoix Hospital these past years - she has clearly had an enormously positive impact. We will miss her wisdom and guidance, but we know that her decision to retire sets the stage for the great things that are in

store for her in this next chapter of her life. We wholeheartedly wish her nothing but the best." Persuaded by the hospital to come out of her previous retirement, Ms. Jenks began working for Charlevoix Area Hospital Foundation in 2005 and was appointed CEO of the hospital on June 1, 2012. Board members agree that she has been instrumental in helping to greatly improve the hospital's financial condition and reputation in the community, turning around

financial, strategic and operational performance. Dr. Ruth Hoppe, former Chairperson of the hospital's Board of Directors, had this reflection. "Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital has flourished under Lyn's highly-engaged leadership. She has long understood that her most important role has been as a strategic thinker and nurturer of workers, whom she inspires and supports to make things better for pa-

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Apples abound at 38th Annual Apple Fest



Fall is in the air and northern Michigan orchards are busy harvesting bushels of fresh, ripe apples in preparation for the 38th Annual Apple Fest taking place downtown Charlevoix on October 14-16. Hours are 10am to 6pm on Friday and Saturday and from 10am to 4pm on Sunday. Apples are Michigan's largest and most valuable fruit crop and this year our apple trees are full to overflowing.

Area orchards will be set up downtown in East Park with more than 30 types of apples and a variety of fall harvest items and apple related goods. Local non-profit organizations will be onsite to tempt you with delicious, hot food such as chili, hot dogs, apple flappens, Irish apple cake, and kielbasa. The special Fall Market is the perfect place to pick up your fresh bagels, mustard, honey, meat, baked goods, granola, soup, maple syrup, cider, mums, pies, jam, and fall veggies - All locally grown and produced.

And don't forget to stop by the Apple Fest booth on Bridge Street next to the clock tower to purchase your 2016 commemorative Apple Fest shirt - All proceeds from shirt sales benefit the Charlevoix High School Art Department.

Our fall harvest celebration includes fun for the entire family. You won't want to miss the expanded Art & Craft Show taking place all three days. More than 125 artist booths will be located in East Park. Head one block north to Bridge Park to check out an additional 40+ booths. In total, there are over 165 exhibitor booths bursting with unique, one of a kind creations. The show offers the work of artists and craftsmen from around the country and is the perfect venue to kick off the holiday shopping season, so be sure to check out both locations!

New this year, children can ride and play with the interactive trains provided by Castle Farms. The train area will be located in East Park in and around the Odmark Pavilion. Trains will be running on all three days of the festival (weather permitting).

The children's area will be located on Mason Street on Saturday and Sunday only. Bring the family for a variety of child friendly activities including a petting farm, real live camel, face painting, Twister Joe Balloon Artist, and more.

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in the street on Saturday afternoon! The Pine River Jazz Band will perform a free swing dance concert from 3 to 5pm on the East end of Mason Street on Saturday.

The Kiwanis Apple Fest Family Fun Run is on tap for Saturday morning. The 1 mile starts at 9am; 5k starts at 9:30am. This is a true fun run designed for all ages and with fun obstacles along the way. Goodies will be given away to all participants and some great local treats will be available to all at the finish line, so register early. Find out more at www.charlevoixkiwanis.org.



County property owners will pay less tax

By Michelle Medjesky

CHARLEVOIX - It's rare and unusual to hear that taxes are going down just about any place, but residents of Charlevoix County will actually be paying a little less in property taxes next year.

The Charlevoix County Commission recently voted unanimously in favor of approving its 2016-2017 fiscal budget in the amount of \$14.3 million, which includes corresponding millage rates and a reduced property tax rate.

The approved millage for the county's levy reflects 4.5 mills, which is down 0.15 from the 2015-2016 fiscal year. One mill is equivalent to \$1 in taxes for each \$1,000 of taxable property value, which translates to someone with property valued at \$100,000 paying \$15 less in county taxes next year.

The county's total levy is 7.5 mills when combined with all of the voter-approved millages for road improvements, parks, recycling, senior and veteran's services, transit and the Grandvue Medical Care facility.

Charlevoix County clerk Cheryl "Cherie" Potter Browe said the 0.15 reduction comes in the wake of the county commission's promise to lowering its general operating levy as programs that had been paid for through the general levy obtain funding through special voter-approved millages.

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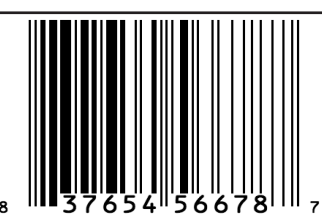
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HIGH: 75 LOW: 63	HIGH: 70 LOW: 48	HIGH: 55 LOW: 44	HIGH: 55 LOW: 43	HIGH: 59 LOW: 47	HIGH: 59 LOW: 45	HIGH: 59 LOW: 45

record temps

DAY	AVG LOW	AVG HIGH	RECORD LOW	RECORD HIGH
OCT 6	40°	65°	26° (1966)	84° (2007)
OCT 7	40°	64°	23° (2001)	87° (2007)
OCT 8	39°	64°	28° (1981)	88° (2007)
OCT 9	39°	63°	22° (1989)	88° (2007)
OCT 10	39°	63°	23° (1952)	84° (1949)
OCT 11	39°	63°	22° (1964)	81° (1949)
OCT 12	38°	62°	26° (1990)	82° (1995)
OCT 13	38°	62°	24° (1974)	83° (1995)

DAVE Says

(Cash flow school?)

Dear Dave,
My wife and I are on Baby Step 2 of your plan, and I'm in graduate school while working full-time. We're trying to cash flow my education from this point forward after previously taking out student loans. Our household income is \$90,000 a year, and we have a car payment. Are we taking the correct approach to handle all this responsibly?
Dan

Dear Dan,
I love this approach and the fact that you're willing to work hard and be disciplined to make all this happen. At this point you just need to lay your finances out and crunch the budget numbers as to what tuition and school are going to cost between now and when you graduate.

Your first goal is to do no more harm, meaning that you graduate and finish this degree without taking on any more

debt. I think beyond that, and I don't know what you're paying for the school, you should have some money beyond that to work your debt snowball. Don't beef up the payments on your debt so heavily that you use up money that you'll need for tuition. Getting through school will slow down your debt snowball somewhat, but that's okay. This is a worthy cause, and you're approaching it the right way. I just don't want you to get so excited and gazelle intense about paying off your debt that you end up borrowing for tuition.

Congratulations on being really smart with your finances and your education. It's a really neat idea, and you guys are going about it in exactly the right way!
— Dave

(Travel medical insurance?)

Dear Dave,
My fiancée and I are planning a

Caribbean honeymoon cruise after our wedding. Do you think it would be a good idea to purchase travel medical insurance?
Tim

Dear Tim,
Normally, I would say travel medical insurance falls into the gimmick category. But if you're concerned about it, I would suggest double-checking your current policy through your provider to see exactly what you've got and how far it extends in terms of coverage compared to any risk factors you may be facing.

The only reason I can think of as to why your current health insurance wouldn't cover you is that you may be out of the country during portions of the cruise. In most cases and areas, I believe, out-of-network considerations will still apply in the Caribbean. But check with your insurance company for verification and details on that, too.

I've never bought travel medical insurance, and we've gone on two cruises already this year. Just do your homework ahead of time, and make sure you'll have the coverage you need in the locations you're going. Congratulations, Tim!
— Dave

* Dave Ramsey is America's trusted voice on money and business, and CEO of Ramsey Solutions. He has authored seven best-selling books, including *The Total Money Makeover*. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 12 million listeners each week on 575 radio stations and multiple digital platforms. Follow Dave on Twitter at @DaveRamsey and on the web at daveramsey.com.

Predator of elderly facing life in prison

By Michelle Medjesky

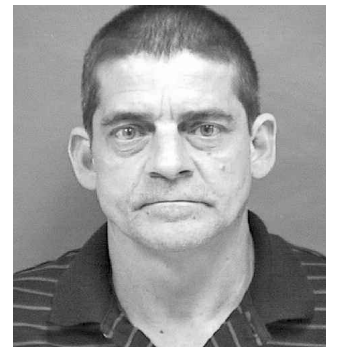
CHARLEVOIX - A Central Lake man is facing life in prison after being found guilty earlier this week of defrauding a vulnerable adult for tens of thousands of dollars.

Charlevoix County prosecutor Allen Telgenoff in a press release stated that a Charlevoix County jury deliberated for only one hour Tuesday, October 4 before finding 48-year-old Frederick William Cords Jr., of Central Lake, guilty of defrauding an 86-year-old Marion Township man.

Testimony showed in bank records that between September, 2012 and June 2014, Cords received more than \$80,000 from the man in cash, checks and through a car loan he received through the elderly man's name.

The matter was investigated through Adult Protective Services division of the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and Michigan State Police.

Telgenoff said Charlevoix County chief assistant prosecuting attorney Mark Muniak prosecuted the case and described Cords in his closing argument as "a predator who sought out a weak and vulnerable victim, became involved in his life and then



Frederick William Cords Jr.

manipulated him for money, including late night visits to the man's house where he would pound on the door or window until the man would answer and give him his ATM card."

Muniak said the arrest and conviction was a "team effort" that ultimately resulted in prosecution of Cords and protection of his victim.

While the crime typically carries a maximum penalty of 15 years in prison, Telgenoff said since Cords is a fourth time habitual offender, he is therefore now facing a life term.

After the jury's guilty verdict, Judge Roy C. Hayes III revoked Cords' bond and remanded him to the Charlevoix County jail where he is being held until his scheduled sentencing on October 28.

The family request memorial donation be directed to DAV - Disabled American Veterans, PO Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301.

OBITUARIES

Edwin L. Long, 83

(JAN. 25, 1933 - SEPT. 29, 2016)

Edwin was born on January 25, 1933 in Boyne City, the son of Emery and Sarah (Hiar) Long and was raised in Boyne City. In February of 1953, Edwin enlisted in the US Army and proudly served his country with the 12th Tank Company, receiving his honorable discharge in 1955.

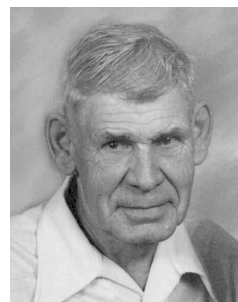
Edwin returned home and on October 24, 1959, married the love of his life, Loretta Daniel and made their home in Petoskey. Edwin went to work at Harold Baird Plasterers for over 20 years before going to work with Don Jepson Excavating for a time, as well as helping with maintenance at the Petoskey Knights of Columbus Hall and St. Francis Cemetery.

Edwin loved being out in nature. He enjoyed gardening, fishing, hunting, and cutting wood, as well as doing puzzles and playing cards. He was a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Parrish and the Petoskey Knights of Columbus.

He is survived by his wife, Loretta; 3 children, Sharon (Thad) Hofbauer, Wanda (Rob) Smith, and Glen (Julie Williams) Long; 6 grandchildren, Samantha (Brian) Gorney, Jennifer (Thomas) Loomis, Colin Smith, Owen Smith, Tessa Long, and Meghann Martin; 4 great grandchildren, Olivia Hofbauer, Dustin Gorney, Ella Mae Loomis, and Amelia Loomis; siblings, Thomas (Nancy) Long, Ethel (Harry) McFall, Joyce (Ed) Pruetz, and Versa (Ed) Ventline; and by many nieces and nephews.

Edwin was preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Shirley Ann Long; siblings, Erven Long, Martina Long, Donna Brooks, and Emery Jr.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, October 4th from 6-8pm at the Stone Funeral Home with the Rosary being recited at 7:30pm. The family will receive friends again on Wednesday, October 5th from 10-11am at the Gathering



Space at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Petoskey, with the funeral Mass at 11:00am. Burial will be in St. Francis Cemetery.

David G. Underwood, 65

(SEPT. 5, 1951 - OCT. 1, 2016)

David G. Underwood of Boyne City died Saturday, October 1, 2016 at Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital.

He was born on September 5, 1951, in Newberry, Michigan, the son of James and Belle (Crandell) Underwood.

David served in the United States Army during the Vietnam Conflict and received two Purple Hearts, one Bronze Star and one Silver Star.

He married Susan Dunson in Boyne City on January 17, 1976 and was a very devoted husband.

He had worked for Viatic Process-storage Systems — Equipment in Charlevoix and more recently for DCL, Inc. in Charlevoix. He retired in 2011.

David loved building houses, boating and restoring cars. He loved providing quad runners and snowmobiles for his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Susan L. Underwood of Boyne City; daughter, Gwenda (Mike) Blackledge of Laingsburg; a special son, Tim Hurst of Laingsburg; four grandchildren, Landon (Sabrina McCaughna) Hurst, Haley Hurst, Caleb Hurst and Amelia Hurst, all of Laingsburg; his mother, Belle Underwood of Rapid River; two sisters, Ruth (Bobe) Stigell of Rapid River and Sally (Ron) Burton of Palmer; one brother, Ernest (Margaret) Underwood of Trenary; as well as several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, James; father-in-law, William Dunson; three brothers, Dan, James "Bun" and Frank Underwood; and two sisters, Rosie Underwood and Carol Larson.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, October 6, 2016, at 11:00 A.M. at the Lighthouse Missionary Church in East Jordan. Rev. James L. Jordan will officiate with interment following at Sunset Hill Cemetery in East Jordan.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. at the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan.

George Light Jr., 94

(JAN. 31, 1922 - OCT. 4, 2014)

George Light Jr., 94, of Norwood, died Tuesday, Oct. 4, 2016 at his home with his family by his side.

He was born January 31, 1922 in Norwood to George and Fay (Wagner) Light.

George was a veteran of WWII, serving in the U.S. Army in the European theater in France. After his discharge he remained in France for one year to shut down the military depot. He was awarded the Croix de Guerre bronze star by the French government.

George married Barbara Butler on March 13, 1948 in Detroit, and they made their home in Norwood. Barbara died in 1994. George married Marion Shea on May 26, 1996 in Norwood where they made their home.

George owned and operated the East Jordan Lumber Company for many years. He enjoyed fishing and being outside in nature.

Surviving are his wife Marion; daughters Christine (Dale) Reedy of Ellsworth, Georgia (Walter) Beck of Norwood; step-children Stuart (Cecilia) Shea of Chicago, John (April) Shea of Ellicott, MD, Thomas Shea of Chicago; 4 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren; a sister Helen (William) Stevens of Charlevoix.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, October 12, 2016 at the Norwood United Methodist Church with the Rev. Craig Pahl officiating.

For those wishing to make memorial contributions the family suggests the Norwood United Methodist Church General Fund.

The family was served by Hastings Funeral Home in Ellsworth, online at www.hastingsfuneral.com.

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The newly-approved 2016-2017 budget reflects about a 4 percent decrease-or roughly \$636,000 less-than last year's budget, an amount that Browe said came about

largely because last year the board had to pay for a building complex on Beaver Island for the county sheriff's office, road commission and transit offices and garage.

While next year's budget means taxpayers will pay a bit less in property taxes, it also includes a small 1.5 percent pay increase for county employees.

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CEO RETIRES

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tients. It is no accident that engagement surveys, from employees and from physicians, have been pacesetter during Lyn's tenure as President. She has laid a wonderful foundation for keeping our hospital moving forward in today's changing health care environment. "

"This has not been an easy decision for me," said Ms. Jenks. "It's been a great personal honor to serve in this capacity and to support all the moving parts that make Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital a thriving, successful team. Together we have accomplished great things for our hospital and I want the community to know how very proud I am to have worked with these professionals. It has been a real privilege."

In a letter to the hospital staff, Ms. Jenks pointed out that no success or failure in business can be attributed to a single individual. "Working alone will never result in the kind of joy we have felt as we watched our work conclude in high patient, staff and physician satisfaction. Together, we have assured our hospital's financial viability through efficient operation, successful recruitment of physicians and other important staff, service and facility initiatives."

Deeply respected by the healthcare community, Ms. Jenks has received numerous awards over the years, and most recently was presented with the Award of Excellence in Administration by Healthcare Michigan. She is well-loved by her staff and has maintained a transparent, open-door leadership style throughout her impactful tenure at the hospital.

In her retirement announcement, Ms. Jenks thanked the board members for their support, especially during the partnership and integration process with Munson Healthcare, ensuring the legacy of compassion and strength which has characterized health care in Charlevoix will continue.

Ms. Jenks plans to retire as soon as a new CEO is in place and comfortable in order to allow a smooth transition. She intends to continue living in the area and spend her retirement time enjoying friends and family, traveling, and pursuing some of the service opportunities she is passionate about.

"I'm retiring because it feels like the right time," she said. "I had a unique opportunity to serve as CEO during what was a 'crossroads' for our hospital. I am confident that the relationship with Munson Healthcare secures a solid future for the 'world-class healthcare and hometown caring' that we have a history of providing."

For more information about Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital, please visit munson-healthcare.org/charlevoixhospital.

October 11th is last day to register to vote in November election

Tuesday October 11, 2016 is the last day to register to vote in the November 8, 2016 Presidential Election. Michigan does allow online voter registration. You may pick up your State of Michigan Voter Registration Application at your local Secretary of State branch office, local county, city, or township clerk's office, offices of several state agencies like the Department of Human Services, Department of Community Health, and Department of Labor and Economic Growth and Military recruitment centers.

To register you will need to confirm that you are a US citizen and will be 18 years old by November 8 and provide your Michigan driver's license or personal ID number. If you don't have one, provide the last 4 digits of

your Social Security number. If you have none of the above, indicate that. In addition you will have to provide your full name and residential address, your gender and date of birth. If your mailing address is different, provide it and then and sign and date the form.

If you were registered outside of Michigan or with a different name, provide the name and/or address where you were registered.

You will also have to present an official Michigan ID card or driver's license, or another generally recognized photo ID. If you don't have one, you may sign an affidavit. Michigan law states that the same address must be used for voter registration and driver's license purposes. That means, if the residence address you provide on the ap-

plication differs from the address shown on a driver's license or personal identification card issued by the State of Michigan, the Secretary of State will automatically change your driver's license or personal ID card address to match the residence address entered on this form. If a change is made, the Secretary of State will mail you an address update sticker for your driver's license or personal ID card. Return the Voter Registration Application to your local city or township clerk by October 11.

You may also download and print the State of Michigan Voter Registration Application from the Michigan Secretary of State web site at www.Michigan.gov/vote. Complete the above steps

and mail or return the Voter Registration Application to your local city or township clerk by October 11.

When registering by mail, if you don't provide your Michigan driver's license or personal ID number and don't provide the last 4 digits of your Social Security number, you must provide a copy of one of the following with your registration or when you vote: current photo ID, paycheck stub, utility bill, bank statement, or a government document with your name and address.

If you are a first-time Michigan voter who registers to vote by mail or through a voter registration drive, you cannot vote absentee in your first election. You must vote in person on Election Day. However, if

you register in person at one of the registration locations listed above, you will be able to vote absentee in your first election.

You may check if you are registered to vote on the Michigan Secretary of State web site at www.Michigan.gov/vote. A sample ballot of your voting precinct and voter precinct location are also available on the Secretary of State web site.

Finally, if you have registered but are not on the registration list at the polls on Election Day, you can vote a provisional ballot.

Students may read more about student voting rules in Michigan by going to the Brennan Center for Justice at the web address: <https://www.brennancenter.org/analysis/student-voting-guide-michigan>.

Mysteries of the Night Gallery

The Charlevoix Circle of Arts 'Armchair Theatre presents the perfect program to get you ready for the upcoming Halloween holiday on Sunday, October 9 at 6:30pm. Mysteries of the Night Gallery will showcase two experienced performers, bard Jim Ribby, and actress Abbey Adler. Both Jim Ribby and Abbey Adler have performed for Armchair Theatre, Ribby with a program of Civil War stories and Adler in "Under Milk Wood." Webster's dictionary describes the word "mystery" as "puzzling circumstances, difficult to explain, unsolved, intriguing, baffling."

Jim Ribby says "Bard" is the Celtic word for storyteller. Ribby has over 50 works committed to memory, with tales and poems that span centuries from the bronze age to modern times. He uses his art to preserve history. Jim brings the writings of different authors together in programs that celebrate major holidays of Western culture such as Halloween. He has been involved with performance poetry and stories since 1992.

Caroline Lewis, Historian from Old Mission Peninsula, says, "when I first heard Jim I felt I had happily entered the doors of a time machine."

Mysteries of the Night Gallery will include writings from Edgar Allan Poe, Robert Service, and King David of the Old Testament. Abbey Adler has performed



Mysteries of the Night Gallery will showcase two experienced performers, bard Jim Ribby, and actress Abbey Adler. COURTESY PHOTO

major acting roles in Ireland, England, toured France, Belgium, Italy, Spain, Portugal, and Greece. Her performances have included the classics, mime, improvisation and comedy. At Queen's University, Belfast she played Masha in Chekov's "The Seagull" and Salome in Oscar Wilde's "Salome". In Hamtramck, Michigan U.S.A. she appeared as Mrs. Zero in "The Adding Machine".

Abbey toured as the Cook in "From Hell" in an adaptation of Aristophanes' "The Frogs" with the University of Detroit Summer

Theatre. Abbey's resume also includes teaching English Literature and Theatre at the London Oratory School. She has worked as a Radio Journalist for the BBC, written film scripts and documentaries, and was the news editor for WAIR in Petoskey. Abbey will be playing Lucy, an art lecturer who ponders the mysteries of Easter Island, the Pyramids, and prehistoric cave paintings, in the contemporary play "A Narrow Bed" by Ellen McLaughlin.

A \$5.00 donation is suggested for the Armchair Theatre Programs.

Charlevoix Farmers Market announces changes starting October 13

Starting October 13, the Charlevoix Farmers Market will have three changes:

1 - Market switches to AFTERNOONS - 3-6pm every Thursday.

2 - We move to the Charlevoix Public Library.

3 - Email orders will be assembled for quick pickup: chxfarmersmarket@gmail.com

Afternoons, 3 to 6 PM is a time people will be out picking up kids from school or leaving work and gives opportunity for quick market shopping before going home to make dinner. Charlevoix students may take the bus to the library and enjoy an after school snack while parents shop for fresh, weekly staples. Its a brief, three hours each Thursday and we are hoping for good public support.

The fall location, 220 W. Clinton, in our library's beautiful Community Room will keep us warm in bad weather and there are a lot of products and fresh baked goods to enjoy late season.

Email orders will be assembled for quick pick-up, by writing chxfarmersmarket@gmail.com. Find available products on [Facebook.com/CharlevoixFarmersMarket](https://www.facebook.com/CharlevoixFarmersMarket) and send a list with an hour lead time. Your package will be waiting for your approval and payment upon arrival. For questions contact, manager, Chris Leese 231-330-0968.

DNR NEWS

Tips for safe bow hunting experience

Michigan's bow hunting season opened Oct. 1, and Department of Natural Resources conservation officers are sharing tips for a safe hunting experience.

"Bow hunting is enjoyed by thousands of hunters every year in Michigan, and we want to ensure everyone has a safe and enjoyable hunting season," said Sgt. Steve Orange, supervisor of the DNR's hunter education program. "With the season upon us, every hunter should follow some common sense safety tips before heading to or being in the woods."

Top safety tips for bow hunting include:

Before going out, inspect equipment, including tree stand or other raised platform. If anything is worn, frayed, cracked or peeling, replace it or get it fixed. If using a compound bow or crossbow, make sure the cables and pulleys are in good working order.

When sharpening broadheads, be careful and take your time.

Practice tree-stand safety. The DNR recommends using a full-body safety harness to get into and out of a tree



The DNR urges taking safety precautions when going out to hunt for bucks like these with your bow this year. (COURTESY OF DNR)

stand.

If using a raised platform, always use a haul-line to raise and lower gear.

Keep arrows in the quiver until ready to use. A common injury is to stab or injure yourself or a hunting companion while carrying arrows in your hand or nocked on your bow.

When heading out to the woods, hunt with a friend or family member or make sure you tell someone reliable where you are going and what time you expect to be back. This information is valuable in helping conservation offi-

cers or other law enforcement officers and search-and-rescue teams find you if you are lost.

Also, think about carrying a cell phone, a compass, a flashlight and other small safety items when in the woods.

Other important reminders include:

Obtain permission from a landowner before hunting on his or her land or using their land to access public land.

Never take a shot at a deer that is beyond the maximum effective range of your equipment and your shooting ability.

If you are successful, field dress your deer and cool its meat immediately.

Michigan's unpredictable weather means we sometimes have warm October days. Warm temperatures can cause the meat to spoil quickly.

For more information about Michigan's conservation officers, go to www.michigan.gov/conservationofficers. For more information about hunting in Michigan, go to www.michigan.gov/hunting.

Cell phone service should improve dramatically in Boyne City

By Michelle Medjesky

BOYNE CITY - Dropped calls, weak or non-existent power bars, aggravating data connections and having to ask the question, "Can you hear me now?" won't likely happen quite as often with the installation of five new cellular communication antennas in the downtown Boyne City area this fall.

After two years of negotiations, Boyne City manager Michael Cain announced the city has finally approved a contract with the company ACD.NET to install five short-range cellular antennas in the downtown area which are expected to bring significantly improved cellular telephone and data network service there.

City commissioners have been working to hammer out a suitable agreement with ACD.NET since fall of 2014 when they approved a right-of-way telecommunication permit with the provider that would allow them to install fiber optic telecommunications lines in city rights-of-way. The company will pay the city an annual fee for use of those rights-of-way.

But positioning and location of the antennas and control boxes along with other factors drew contention between city officials and ACD.NET that resulted in a satisfactory agreement only being reached in the past month.

Officials at ACD.NET sent Cain a memo in September

2015 detailing how each of the five proposed 20-foot antennas will have a power range between 1,500 and 2,000 feet, with strength being effected by topography and by nearby buildings or other structures. The memo further noted the antennas are intended to "offload" cell traffic from the main tower and make communications in the downtown vicinity more efficient, as well as improve service at the local school campus.

Cain said most of the antennas will be mounted on steel or wooden poles. However, he noted that as part of contract negotiations, ACD.NET agreed to install more attractive poles at the high profile downtown intersection of Lake and Water Street designed to serve a dual purpose as a mount for traffic lights as well as the new cellular communication antennas.

The remaining four antennas are planned for the following sites:

- Near the intersection of East Main and Grant Streets
- Near the intersection of North Park and North Streets
- Along Brockway near Boyne Avenue

- To be determined: On Second Street between Elm and Terrace or at the intersection of Douglas and West Cedar.

Cain said the new cellular phone and data network antennas are expected to be installed in coming weeks.

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BOYNE CITY BOYNE ARTS COLLECTIVE ANNUAL MEETING

October 6, 5pm, Eagles Event Room, corner of River and Lake Streets. The Boyne Arts Collective, a non-profit organization that promotes local artists is having its annual meeting to celebrate a successful year in their new location in downtown Boyne City. Featured speakers will be Cindy and Glen McCune, acclaimed artists in the area. Wine and appetizers will be served. The Collective relies on financial support from membership, donations, sales of artwork, and grants. Please join the festivities for an evening of socializing and learning about the organization. For any questions, please call Elaine Dettman, Publicity Chairman for BAC at 989-284-5089.

CHARLEVOIX CHAMBER MEMBER APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

October 7, 7:30-9:30am, Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. Chamber members are welcome to stop in for a casual meet & greet, complete with light breakfast catered by That French Place. For more information contact the Chamber at (231) 547-2101.

BOYNE CITY SCARS OF SELF-INJURY EXAMINED

October 7, 6:30pm, Lifetree Café, 401 S. Park Street. The program, titled "Cutting: The Epidemic of Self-Mutilation," features filmed interviews with two individuals who committed acts of self-harm including cutting and burning. During the program, participants will have an opportunity to discuss emotional wounds they've experienced in their own lives and how they've responded to them. Admission to the 60-minute event is free.

EAST JORDAN AUTUMN ON THE BREEZEWAY

October 8, Color tour participants pick up "goodie bags" filled with trip tips, color tour maps, coupons and other surprises at Royal Farms Winery in Atwood between 10am and 3pm. Participants then proceed at their own pace along C-48 The Breezeway stopping, shopping, dining or enjoying a nature hike at one of the three preserves along the route. End the experience at Boyne Mt. in Boyne Falls with a complimentary chair-lift ride for a breathtaking view atop the mountain. For more information contact the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce at 231-536-7351 or www.ridethebreezeway.com

ELLSWORTH PANCAKE BREAKFAST

October 8, 8-11:30am, Ellsworth Elementary. All proceeds benefit the junior/senior Washington D.C. Government trip.

BOYNE CITY SCARS OF SELF-INJURY DISCUSSED

October 9, 6:30pm, Lifetree Café, 401 S. Park Street. The program, titled "Cutting: The Epidemic of Self-Mutilation," features filmed interviews with two individuals who committed acts of self-harm including cutting and burning. During the program, participants will have an opportunity to discuss emotional wounds they've experienced in their own lives and how they've responded to them. Admission to the 60-minute event is free.

EAST JORDAN KICK-OFF TO HOMECOMING

October 9, 9am, East Jordan United Methodist Church. Wear

Red & Black School Colors to Church. Wear your varsity jacket, jersey, Cheerleading uniform or spirit-filled tee shirt. Show your colors. Fun & Games & Hot Dog Lunch after Worship Service. Everyone is Welcome! Get Fired-Up for Homecoming.

CHARLEVOIX MYSTERIES OF THE NIGHT GALLERY

October 9, 6:30pm, Charlevoix Circle of Arts located at 109 Clinton. With Jim Ribby, well known bard and Abby Adler, actor, who has delighted audiences near and far. For additional information and registration, please call the Charlevoix Circle of Arts at 231-547-3554.

CHARLEVOIX FUTURE OF SCHOOLS COMMUNITY FORUM

October 12, 6:30pm at the Round Lake Educational Center in the Rayder Room. A tour of RLEC will be provided at 6pm.

EAST JORDAN GREENLIGHT EAST JORDAN

October 12, Castle Farms. The Top 10 Finalists will be announced on Friday, September 23. In the meantime, it is now time to register to attend this exciting business competition event on Wednesday, October 12 at Castle Farms. Registration / Check-in starts at 4:45 PM and the 10 pitches start at 5:30 PM promptly. The networking following the event features FREE Food and refreshments. The audience is invited to be a part of the Crowd Vote. Registration at <http://greenlighteastjordan16.eventbrite.com/>

EAST JORDAN COMMUNITY DANCE

October 14, 7-10pm, East Jordan Civic Center, 101 Civic Center Lane. Featuring the Jordan Valley All-Stars Band. Non-stop dancing. Admission: \$15 per person. \$5 from every admission is being donated to The Depot Jordan Valley Teen Center. Snacks and water available for purchase.

CHARLEVOIX 38TH ANNUAL APPLE FEST

October 14 & 15, 10am-6pm and October 16, 10am-4pm. Includes Arts & Craft Show in East Park, Farm Market, Apples, Cider, Pies, Meat, Honey and Vegetables. Saturday and Sunday include Petting Zoo, Castle Trains, Face Painting and Twister Joe. Info at www.charlevoix.org.

BOYNE CITY GREAT LAKE ENERGY SEMINAR

October 15, 10am-Noon, Great Lake Energy Office. Great Lakes Energy members are invited to a free Energy Seminar. The seminar will feature presentations on home heating and cooling options with geothermal and air-source heat pumps and rebates available on energy-saving products and appliances. They include rebates on furnaces with variable speed blower motors, heat pump water heaters, refrigerators, televisions, lighting and more. Great Lakes Energy staff members and local heating and cooling companies will be available to answer questions about heat pumps and other energy-saving offers. GLE members will also receive an energy-saving gift. Space is limited so please register by calling 1-888-485-2537, ext. 8958, or e-mail: events@glenergy.com.

BOYNE CITY LEE HARVEY OSMOND PERFORMS AT FRESHWATER

October 15, 8pm, Freshwater Art Gallery, 217 South Lake Street. Tickets \$25 in advance. Call 231-582-2588 to reserve.

EAST JORDAN ZOMBIE WALK TO FIGHT HUNGER

October 15, 11am, downtown East Jordan, hosted by the Tilted Skillet. An event to help restock local community food banks. Participants are asked to bring a non-perishable food item. Event includes face painting, live band, dunk tank, bounce houses, monster mash box car race for kiddies, pumpkin carving contest, costume contest for adults and children, blood drive, ORV trail ride, vendors, arts, farm market and more. For information contact Trisha, Jessie or Jon at (231) 536-3395.

CHARLEVOIX CANDIDATE FORUM

October 18, 6:30-8pm, Charlevoix Middle/High School Auditorium.

CHARLEVOIX CHAMBER BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

October 19, 5-7pm, Charlevoix Circle of Arts, sponsored by Beacon Dental Center.

BOYNE CITY CHAMBER BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

October 20, 5:30-7:30pm, Boyne Boat Yard. There is no charge for admission or refreshments. Boyne Boat Yard opened their doors in 2013 at 974 E. Division St. as a complement to Van Dam Custom Boats. Charlie Harrett was hired as President of Boyne Boat Yard in January of 2015. The combination of Charlie's decades of experience, Van Dam's vast marine knowl-

edge, and a passionate and appreciative team has produced a premium storage and service experience available to all Boyne Boat Yard clients, old and new. For more information visit www.boyneboatyard.com or call (231) 582-5239.

BOYNE CITY BLOOD DRIVE

October 24, 11am-4:45pm. Community of Christ Church, 777 Vogel. Simply call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org to make an appointment or for more information.

BOYNE FALLS BLOOD DRIVE

October 28, 10am-3:45pm. Boyne Falls School, 01662 M-75 South. Simply call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org to make an appointment or for more information.

CHARLEVOIX MUSIC TO KEEP WARM WITH

November 13, 6:30pm, Charlevoix Circle of Arts located at 109 Clinton. Gary Stutzman teams with Alex King, percussionist, in "Music To Keep Warm With." As the winds of November blow through northern Michigan, the audience will enjoy the melodious strains of well-known favorites. For additional information and registration, please call the Charlevoix Circle of Arts at 231-547-3554.

CHARLEVOIX ALL IS BRIGHT

December 11, 6:30pm, Charlevoix Circle of Arts located at 109 Clinton. Santa, Bob T., and his elf, Kate Heady will perform for the audience and Ruth Willis, piano stylist, will play music of the season. For additional information and registration, please call the Charlevoix Circle of Arts at 231-547-3554.

BOYNE CITY FARMERS MARKET

Wednesdays and Saturdays, 8am - Noon, Veterans Park. If North Street entrance is closed, enter park on State Street side. Live music, fresh produce and fruit, flowers, trees and shrubs and more. We'll be moving to winter location, the Red Barn, on the first Saturday in November.

CHARLEVOIX FARMERS MARKET

Charlevoix Farmers Market, Thursdays, 8am-1pm, East Park, 408 Bridge Street, downtown Charlevoix. Starting October 13, Thursdays, 3-6pm, Charlevoix Public Library. Orders can be emailed to chxfarmersmarket@gmail.com for pickup. Event updates at www.facebook.com/Charlevoix-FarmersMarket

EAST JORDAN FARMERS MARKET

Sportsman's Park, 9am-1pm every Thursday. Veggies, Flowers, Baked Goods, Meat, Farm Fresh Eggs, Handmade goods & gifts.

Beginning September 8th and continuing until May 15, 2017; the Tennis Courts at Rotary Park will be closed to facilitate the reconstruction of the playing surface. This project involves removal of the current playing surface, proper subgrade installation, paving of the playing surface and all new marking (including "Pickleball") for the 4 courts. If you have any questions please contact City Hall at 231-582-6597.

BOYNE CITY BUSINESS EXPO REGISTRATION OPEN

Registration is now open for the Boyne Chamber's 8th Annual Business Expo and Taste of Boyne. The Expo will be held from 3 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2, at a new location at the Civic Center at Boyne Mountain Resort. This expo is always one of Northern Michigan's largest business networking events, as 1,300 people come to see 90 local exhibitors, including a dozen Taste of Boyne food booths. The public is welcome to attend for \$5 admission, which includes tastings from a dozen food and beverage providers. Exhibitors receive extra admission passes for their employees, friends and clients. A cash bar will be available. Online registration plus pictures and the exhibitor list from last year are at www.boyne-expo.com.

EAST JORDAN OPEN DOOR CHRISTIAN COFFEE HOUSE

Hold every first and third Saturday at the East Jordan Senior Center, new location is 951 Mill Street. Different performers presented through December. Admission is free-will donations, refreshments are available; free coffee and a small charge for pizza and soda. Great fellowship. Everyone is welcome.



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Area October Happenings!

10/1, Saturday

Downtown Petoskey Shopping Scramble

Modeled after a golf outing, the Shopping Scramble allows your group to spend a day shopping, dining, and enjoying the amenities without worrying about sand traps or water hazards! Also enjoy an elegant lunch and a fashion show. www.petoskeychamber.com

10/5, 12, 19, 26, Weds, 8am - 12pm

Boyne City Farmers' Market
Outdoor market in Veteran's Park, 207 N. Lake Street. www.bovnechamber.com

10/6, Thursday, 8am - 1pm

Charlevoix Farmers' Market
East Park, along Bridge Street, downtown Charlevoix. www.charlevoix.org

10/13, 20, 27, Thursdays, 3pm - 6pm

Charlevoix Farmers' Market
Market moves indoors to the Charlevoix Public Library in the Community Room, until Thanksgiving. www.charlevoix.org

10/6, 13, 20, 27, Thursdays, 9am - 1pm

East Jordan Farmers' Market
Sportsman's Park, 85 Bridge Street. www.ejchamber.org

Monthly Adult Grief Support Group
Due to varied session locations and times, please call 231-547-7659 to register or for more information. www.hospicewm.org

10/7, Friday, - 10/8, Saturday

Young State Park Halloween Harvest Festival

Join us for a howling good time! Enjoy a movie in the graveyard on Friday night, and a Saturday filled with kids' crafts, hay rides and "spooktacular" contests. A haunted trail Saturday evening will complete this fantastic weekend. www.boynechamber.com

10/14, Friday, - 10/16, Sunday

38th Annual Charlevoix Apple Fest
More than 30 types of apples will be on hand as well as other fall harvest items. There will be kids' activities, art and craft show, food booths, farmers market and more. www.charlevoix.org

10/15, Saturday, 11:30am - 2:00pm

12th Annual Chili Cookoff
This "You be the Judge" event, held at the United Methodist Church, will have 7 of Charlevoix's favorite restaurants competing for the title of "BEST CHILI IN TOWN." This chili extravaganza is only

\$6.50 per person.
www.charlevoix.org

10/20, Thursday, - 10/23, Sunday

Girls Just Wanna Crop Fall Scrapbook Weekend
Share stories, techniques, and laughs. It's your opportunity to relax, immerse in your favorite hobby, and pamper yourself with like-minded friends. Create memories. www.boyne.com

10/21, Friday - 10/28, Friday

Petoskey Restaurant Week
Enjoy your favorite restaurants and discover new ones at affordable prices. The best restaurants of Petoskey & Bay Harbor have joined forces for this special culinary event. www.petoskeychamber.com

10/28, Friday, 6:30pm - 9:30pm

Haunted Halloween Progressive Dinner
Downtown Petoskey will promote its ghostly history with a progressive dinner throughout haunted buildings downtown. Start at Stafford's Perry Hotel with Appetizers, Entree @ City Park Grill, and Dessert @ Jesperson's. Tickets are \$45 per person, reservations required. www.petoskeychamber.com

BOYNE AREA SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 6
9-10am Food Distribution
11am Arthritis Foundation
Exercise Program
Wil Bowling

Friday, October 7
After Lunch: Dollar
in a jukebox
Raffle
Rummikub

Monday, October 10
10:30am Line Dancing
Bingo - Gift Certif Prize
Rummikub

Tuesday, October 11
9am-12pm FLU SHOTS!
Call Terri for appt.
11 am Walk With Ease
Bingo-Free Lunch Prize
Mexican Train

Wednesday, October 12
10:30am Wil Bowl Practice
11am-2pm CVX Veterans Affairs
John Hess
Various Card Games

Thursday, October 13
Foot Clinic (by appt.)
11am Arthritis Foundation
Exercise Program

CHARLEVOIX SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 6
11:30 Roger Hartson Music
11am Chair Yoga Class
1pm Mahjong

Friday, October 7
9:30am Craft Class

Monday, October 10
1pm Bridge
1 pm Woodcarving
7pm Bible Study

Tuesday, October 11
1pm Paint Class
1pm Mahjong
Wil Bowling in Boyne City

Wednesday, October 12
1pm Bingo
9:30-11:00 FLU CLINIC
Must pre-register at
1-800-432-4121

Thursday, October 13
11am Chair Yoga Class
11:30am Kevin Johnson
Music
1pm Mahjong

EAST JORDAN SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 6
11am KARAOKE DAY!
12:30pm Euchre

Friday, October 7
11am Barry Loper
Bingo/Raffle Cards
Carmella Day!

Monday, October 10
Exercise Room
8am-1 pm Walking M-F
12:30pm Wil Bowling

Tuesday, October 11
12:30pm Bingo -
Meal Ticket Prize
Mexican Poker
11-Termes Elder Law

Wednesday, October 12
Pool Table / Ping Pong
10:30am Crafts
1pm Cards

Thursday, October 13
10am Advisory Bd Mtg
11am KARAOKE DAY!
12:30pm Euchre

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY SENIOR CENTER MENU

Thursday, October 6
CHICKEN ALA KING

Friday, October 7
Brat Burger w/Bun

Monday, October 10
Breakfast

Tuesday, October 11
Hungarian Goulash

Wednesday, October 12
Chicken Tacos

Thursday, October 13
Hamburger w/Bun

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Local Community Foundations received re-accreditation

The Charlevoix County and Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area Community Foundations recently received re-accreditation with the nation's highest standard for philanthropic excellence. National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations® establish legal, ethical, effective practices for community foundations everywhere. "Meeting the National Standards benchmarks is a rigorous, comprehensive process," said Randy Royster, Chair of the Community Foundations National Standards Board. "This accredita-

tion is a significant accomplishment that indicates the Charlevoix County and Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area Community Foundations demonstrate a commitment to transparency, quality, integrity and accountability as they carry out their missions." The National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations® program requires community foundations to document their policies for donor services, investments, grant-making and administration. The Charlevoix County and Petoskey-Harbor

Springs Area Community Foundations are among the first in Michigan to meet the expanded standards that are a part of the National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations® program, which is designed to provide quality assurance to donors, as well as to their legal and financial advisors. "This is critically important to our donors," said Chip Hansen, Charlevoix County Community Foundation president. "When people make a charitable bequest or establish a fund, they are putting their trust in us.

They are counting on us to manage the investment wisely, honor their charitable wishes and do good work in the community we love." David Jones, Executive Director of the Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area Community Foundation agreed. "Earning the National Standards seal provides validation for the things we value in our organization; honesty, integrity and a commitment to serving the community. Our staff has spent immense time on this and we don't take it lightly." The Charlevoix County

and Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area Community Foundations work to meet critical community needs and support local causes that improve the quality of life in their service areas. Both Community Foundations offer a range of charitable funds, allowing donors to advance a cause, support an individual organization, provide flexible support for community needs or recommend individual grants. In addition to affirming the organization's philanthropic services, the accreditation validates each Community

Foundation's grant-making practices for the nonprofit community. National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations® is the first program of its kind for charitable foundations in the United States. More information about the Charlevoix County Community Foundation may be found at www.c3f.org or by calling 231-536-2440, and for the Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area Community Foundation by calling 231-348-5820 or on the web at www.phsacf.org.

Goodwill Retail & Distribution Centers in Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Gaylord and Petoskey

By Jim Akans

Goodwill is a name that symbolizes services and programs that provide a means for people in need to get back on their feet and regain their treasured independence. Goodwill has been around since 1902, when a Boston area Methodist Minister named Rev. Edgar Helms began collecting used household goods and clothing, and hired those who were down on their luck to mend and repair those goods for resale. Here in Northern Michigan, Goodwill opened their doors at Asgard Enterprises in 1972, and today the non-profit organization offers vocational, housing, transportation, nutritional and family strengthening programs

across the region. Goodwill has also become a nationally recognized name in resale; offering gently used clothing, household items, books, home décor accessories and more at their Retail and Donation Centers. Centers located in Petoskey Gaylord, Cheboygan and Charlevoix utilize proceeds from sales at each location to help support programs throughout Northern Michigan that help people overcome barriers to independence. Goodwill also recycles metal items, cardboard, purses, belts, shoes, books and clothing. Goodwill Northern Michigan serves 19 counties with nine locations, strengthening communities through programs such as Patriot Place transitional housing and re-

sources for homeless military veterans, the Goodwill Inn emergency shelter for individuals and families and the Workers on Wheels programs. Workers on Wheels (WoW) pairs low income, hard working families in need with a safe, reliable donated vehicle at little or no cost to the family. Being able to get to work in a reliable dependable vehicle strengthens family independence and community involvement. Last year, 50% of WoW recipients reported increased earnings from picking up more hours or landing a better job through reliable transportation. Seventy-nine percent of car recipients reported that their kids had an increase in extracurricular activities. Goodwill has achieved

many amazing results, including: - .91 of every dollar from Goodwill resale stores is reinvested into the mission and Goodwill is rated an "A" by Charity Watch.com. - Donated items that do not meet quality criteria for resale are not just thrown away, but salvaged.... that includes your shirt with a stain or that puzzle missing a piece. Goodwill Northern Michigan is proud to be a leader in sustainability as one of the largest recyclers in Northern Michigan, diverting millions of pounds of 'stuff' from local landfills each year. - Goodwill's Jobs program offers a hands-on opportunity for individuals to gain trust in themselves and explore their capacities in the workplace. - In 2015 Goodwill collaborated with local agencies to provided financial resources

to support community meals and vouchers including more than \$72,000 in Goodwill store vouchers for neighbors in need. - Goodwill employees earn higher than the Michigan state minimum wage with excellent benefits, including career advancement opportunities. - Goodwill Northern Michigan is all about maximizing impact. Donated items of exceptional value are auctioned online at www.shopgwmi.com...check it out! Proceeds are reinvested in the Goodwill Northern Michigan mission. Your support is vital to the success of Goodwill's mission - whether you make a financial contribution, donate a pair of jeans you've outgrown, shop our stores, or you volunteer your time - that's where GOOD happens. And it happens right here, every day. Thank you for

making GOOD happen in your community. The Goodwill Retail and Donation Center in Charlevoix is located at 402 Petoskey Avenue and is open Monday through Saturday from 9am to 7pm and Sunday from 11am to 6pm. The Center in Gaylord is at 1361 Pineview Drive and is open Monday through Saturday from 9am to 7pm, and Sunday from 11am until 6 pm. The Goodwill Retail and Donation Center at 1600 Anderson Road in Petoskey is open Monday through Saturday from 9am to 8pm, and Sunday from 11am until 6 pm and the Center in Cheboygan is located at 982 South Main Street and is open Monday through Saturday from 10am to 7pm and Sunday from 11am until 6pm. For additional information, visit www.goodwillnmi.org/goodtoknow.



Patti Brannon, Charlevoix Goodwill Manager, at a recent Charlevoix County resident and Workers on Wheels recipient, and LuAnn Heinert Goodwill Workers on Wheels director. COURTESY PHOTO



Goodwill Retail and Donation Centers are also located in Charlevoix (shown here), Cheboygan and Petoskey. PHOTO BY DAVE BARAGREY SR.

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Baraga Radio Network expanding throughout northern Michigan

Baraga [BEAR-uh-guh] Broadcasting, Inc. and Blarney Stone Broadcasting, Inc. have entered into a purchase agreement that will enable Baraga Radio to significantly increase reach and coverage in northern Michigan. Blarney Stone Broadcasting, Inc. has agreed to sell WSRT (106.7 FM) licensed to Gaylord, to Baraga Broadcasting, Inc., a non-profit 501(c)(3) listener-funded Catholic ministry dedicated to serving the people of the Diocese of Gaylord and the Diocese of Marquette.

Tom Hornacek, president of Baraga Broadcasting said, "On behalf of our Board of Directors, we are extremely thankful and excited for the opportunity to expand our coverage throughout northern lower Michigan with this acquisition."

The addition of 106.7 FM to the Baraga Radio Network, makes it only the seventh 100,000-watt station providing Catholic Radio programming in existence. Traverse City-Petoskey-Cadillac is the 160th largest

radio market in the country with a Metro 12+ population of 297,300 according to Nielsen Media Research. The region is a destination to more than one million visi-

tors each year.

Founded in 2006, Baraga Radio has grown into a network of six stations, WTCK (90.9 FM) Charlevoix, WTCY (88.3 FM) Traverse City,

WGJU (91.3 FM) East Tawas, WGZR (88.9 FM) Alpena, WIDG (940 AM) St. Ignace and WMQU (1230 AM) Grayling.

On November 1st, 2016,

Baraga Radio will begin broadcasting on 106.7 FM through an LMA agreement, pending the approval by the FCC of the sale and transfer of the license. Programming

features shows from EWTN and Ave Maria Radio, and recently Baraga began producing two of their own local programs, "The Cross Walk" and "Called to Freedom" with plans for more local shows to come.

"Baraga Broadcasting will celebrate our 10th anniversary this November," Hornacek added. "As The Catholic Light of Northern Michigan, we strive to bring hope, peace and joy to a troubled world through the light of Christ. The purchase of this station is going to help us reach areas that have never had access to Catholic radio before. To have it take place at this special time in our history – well, it's quite a blessing," he concluded.

Baraga Broadcasting proclaims the truth and beauty of the Roman Catholic faith by offering educational and inspirational programming that aims to engage its listeners and encourage them to live out their faith in Jesus Christ.

RELATED STORY

Blarney Stone Broadcasting acquires Northern Broadcast, Inc.

Blarney Stone Broadcasting, Inc. and Northern Broadcast, Inc. have entered into a purchase agreement that will enable Blarney Stone to significantly increase reach and coverage throughout Northern Michigan.

Founded in 2012 by Jerry and Sheryl Coyne, residents of Gaylord, Blarney Stone Broadcasting owns and operates WQON (FM), licensed to Grayling; WGRY (FM), licensed to Roscommon; WMQU (AM), licensed to Grayling.

Northern Broadcast has agreed to sell assets including WKLK (FM), licensed to Kalkaska; WKLZ (FM), licensed to Petoskey; WFCX (FM), licensed to Leland; WFDX (FM), licensed to Atlanta; WSRT (FM), licensed to Gaylord; WSRJ (FM), licensed to Honor, Michigan. The agreement also includes FM translator station W263CD, licensed to Boyne

City; FM translator station W252DA, licensed to Petoskey, and all broadcast assets of Northern Broadcast, including its six dominant transmitting towers.

"We are thrilled beyond words for the opportunity to expand our coverage throughout Northern Michigan with the acquisition of these heritage properties," said Sheryl Coyne, President and Co-Owner of Blarney Stone Broadcasting. "It has always been our commitment and privilege to improve the lives of our listeners and the communities we serve by offering engaging musical, sports and entertainment content with an emphasis on support for the local communities. We now look forward to expanding that commitment to all of Northern Michigan from Traverse City to Alpena and Saint Ignace to Clare."

"We are proud of our contribution to economic growth in the region including the creation of jobs by adding 12 full time and 16 part time employees since opening our doors in October 2012. We are committed to hiring home-grown talent with a focus on local programming," said Coyne.

"Through the support of our incredible sponsors, we've been able to spend our dollars locally and provide a platform and voice for local issues. We look forward to expanding our contribution to the social, economic, and educational development of all the communities in Northern Michigan."

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BCHS receives grant to assist new teachers



Boyne City High School received a \$600.00 donation from the MEEMIC Solace Agency for each of our new teachers to have \$100.00 towards teaching supplies for their classroom. Boyne City High School would like to thank Agent Mary Standerfer and the Solace Agency for the support of the education of BCHS students. Pictured above (L to R): Mary Standerfer, MEEMIC Solace Agency Agent; Ross Daniels; Katherine Palmer; Lisa Rintala; Nicole Seymour; Shelly Brya; Josh Fritch; Principal Karen Jarema. COURTESY PHOTO

Boyne District Library News

October 2016 Events and programs, with events and programs for all ages. Most events are FREE and open to anyone interested in attending.

The Charlevoix County Genealogy Society is sponsoring an Open House beginning at 6:30pm on Thursday, October 6th. The BDL Teen Advisory Board will meet on Sunday, October 9th at 2pm. Teens and tweens are welcome.

Youth Department programs for October include Toddler Tales & Tunes every Monday at 10am, Preschool Storytime every Tuesday at 10am, and School-age Storytime on Thursdays at 10:30am. No registration is required. In addition, the Youth Department is sponsoring a LEGO Club for ages 5-12 beginning Wednesday, October 19th from 6-7:30pm.

A Teddybear Sleepover is planned for Friday, October 21st beginning at 6:30pm. All the fun of a sleepover without staying over! Kids come back the next morning to see what their stuffed animal has been up to all night at the library! Admission is FREE, but registration is required. Call Ms.

Alexa at 231-582-7861 or go to www.boynelibrary/children/ to register online.

For teens and tweens, they will take over the library on Friday, October 28th from 5-9pm. Lots of fun, food, and friends.

Adult and family programs in October include:

- Tech Café every Wednesday at 10am. Bring in your devices and tech questions and we can help.

- Tech Academy on Thursday, October 6th at 6pm. Topic this month will be Internet Safety

- Our Parent Tech Support Group will meet on Tuesday, October 11th at 10am and Thursday, October 13th at 6pm. All parents are welcome.

- The Boyne District Library Book Club meets at 7pm on October 24th. This month's book is *The Left Hand of Darkness* by Ursula K. Le Guin.

- On October 27th at 6pm, we will meet for Arts, Games, and Coding – all ages welcome.

Information for all BDL events and programs can also be found on our webpage www.boynelibrary.org.

2016 Dress For Chill Kick Off

As we wait for the leaves to change color this year, one thing is certain.... Winter and cold weather is just around the corner and the Boyne City Eta Nu Women's Organization will be ready when it gets here.

The Dress For Chill program has begun. Working with the Head Start Program for Preschoolers and the Boyne City Elementary School, a group of 20 committee members will work to distribute new winter outerwear for students in need. This is the ninth year Eta Nu women have worked on this community project, fitting over 100 students each year.

The Dress For Chill committee members work together in the month of October to raise money in the community. They shop, organize, distribute and fit the students in new outfits in coordination with the Boyne City Elementary school system. Last year the "Chill" committee outfitted 163 preschool and elementary students with new jackets, snow pants, boots, hats and mittens.

Although October is the busiest month for this program, committee members work all year long, especially during stores-wide department store sales in November & Decem-



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ber and end of season sales in January & February to purchase the garments at the very best price possible.

"We have reduced the cost for a total outfit from when we started by 40%," said Dress For Chill Chairperson, Denise Holmes.

Funds are raised through donations from community organizations, businesses and individuals. Fund donation canisters are also distributed to several area businesses in

Boyne City. President of Eta Nu, Penny Dietz said, "Dress For Chill is one of the most successful community projects Eta Nu is involved with. It is a true community effort and we need the continued support of the community to make it work!"

Fund donations are tax deductible. Checks may be made out to Eta Nu Charities and sent to P.O.Box 133, Boyne City, MI. 49712

College Night at North Central Michigan College

North Central Michigan College invites high school juniors and seniors and their parents to College Night, Wednesday, October 12. The event will be held on the Petoskey campus in the Student and Community Resource Center from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

High school students and parents can meet with representatives from more than 60 public and private colleges and universities from throughout the Midwest about higher education options, admission requirements, programs of study, costs of college, campus activities and residence life. Armed Forces representatives will also be available. A North Central financial aid advisor will be present to answer questions about federal financial aid for college.

The program is offered to the community by North Central as a free service for college-bound students and families, and is supported by the Michigan Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admission Officers. For more information on the participating institutions, visit www.ncmich.edu and click on the College Night banner.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters may be submitted by e-mail to office@CharlevoixCountyNews.com.

NFL PROTEST CATALYST

To the Editor,

FROM THE UNLIKELY PODIUM of football came the incipience. Spread to basketball, to grade school, to public, protest against killer cops that naturally led to cop killing. It has to stop somewhere. Who would have thought that the NFL would be the instigator? Kaepernick, a white guy, refused to stand for the National Anthem at a football game – remember Jimi Hendrix's version of The Star Spangled Banner with bombs galore – and started what appears to be a movement. Well, let's hope it doesn't turn into a riot or worse a

racket as Eric Hoffer stipulated.

The whole damn system is rotten and we all know it. Sure we have vestiges of those freedoms constitutionally provided, leftovers from postwar years when anybody could gain solvency and more, but we also know how those freedoms have been eroded and tweaked. Certainly there are positives and negatives all around us. The sense though is of, in the words of a faux politician, a "rigged" system. And we all know this. How could we not? We read of killer cops every day and the aftermath thereof. We have a national election that we the people have no part in except for barroom conversation. I

mean, none of us chose the candidates, only those unseen entities in the inner circles have that say, delegates and the like. It's a two-party system and the rest don't matter, including us, the people. That's why so many are backing Trump – as if he gives a damn about them – because he's acting out their discontent that they mostly can't vocalize. Politics and law ain't getting' it no mo'.

So you take the law into your own hands, or in this case football field. The legals and Sports Illustrated naturally take up the banner of incensed indignation, the cop unions are squirming, the taxicabs swarming, the hot-tubs churning. But what are they really saying? That

America needs killer cops and inequality? Seems to be the message although cloaked in a patriotic shroud of Betsy Ross Stars and Stripes.

I reiterate, Colin Kaepernick is a white guy. Some of us do want equality, decry the past and the present. Somebody had to do something and this unlikely football player did it. Nothing ever gets done without some form of sensational protest. Tongues are waggin' but tails are saggin'. It's ignominious the state the US has come to. When cops can kill with impunity, prosecutors convict for career moves, judges sentence to expedite after hours country club dates, politicians campaign on tough on

crime platforms having been raised on metaphorical plantations, we know for sure that America is not a free country. And we are mostly white whereas the victims are mostly black. Not all though.

O J Simpson and Joe Namath aside, I never imagined I'd pay attention to a football player. This guy's different. He's an American of the quality fiber we used to accept as representative Democracy, the guy that exhibits honor and heroism, the true kind. And he's incepted a movement that apparently has momentum, as it well should if anyone still cares about equality, righteousness and compassion. Maybe not. Yet some seem to. It touched

a heartstring as it were, something in mankind that reaches through the mists of prejudice and innate indifference. And from the football field at that. Who would have thought?

The police unions must be shaking in their jackboots. The NFL against them?! That's un-American. Yes it is, it's against the America that we have watched erode before our very eyes. Colin Kaepernick is an American Hero, nothing less. He's the Paul Revere of NOW. And now shall we repair to our videos of Jimi Hendrix at Woodstock playing the National Anthem replete with bombs?

**Mitchell Jon MacKay,
East Jordan**

OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

Every year, more than 200,000 American women are diagnosed with breast cancer. October, which is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, is the perfect time to remind women of the screening guidelines and risk factors associated with this disease.

Mammograms can help find breast cancer early, when treatments are more likely to be successful. For women with average risk of breast cancer, the American Cancer Society (ACS) uses the following mammography screening guidelines.

- Age 40 – Talk with your doctor about when to begin screening. Women should have the opportunity to begin screening if they choose.

- Age 45 – Begin yearly mammograms.

- Age 55 – Transition to mammograms every other year at age 55, or continue with annual mammography, depending on your preferences.

Mammography is available at several locations. McLaren Northern Michigan offers services in Cheboygan, Petoskey, and Rogers City. More advanced imaging services such as Breast MRI and Stereotactic Breast Biopsy are available at McLaren Northern Michigan in Petoskey. Ask your primary care provider or obstetrics/gynecology specialist for a referral.

According to ACS, 68% of uninsured and 29% of insured women are not receiving mammograms. Thanks to McLaren Northern Michigan Foundation donors, diagnostic services are available free-of-charge to patients meeting certain criteria. Call (231) 487-4000 for details.

What are the risk factors for breast cancer?



Mammograms can help find breast cancer early, when treatments are more likely to be successful. Courtesy Photo

- Being a woman – although men can have breast cancer, this disease is about 100 times more common in women than in men.

- Getting older – as you age, the risk for breast cancer increases.

- Certain inherited genes – about 5 - 10% of breast cancer cases are thought to be hereditary. Genetic testing is now available at the Karmanos Cancer Institute at McLaren Northern Michigan, allowing patients to assess cancer risk based on evidence-based genetic risk management.

- Dense breast tissue, relative to fatty tissue; early menstruation

- before age 12; and reaching menopause after age 55 also contribute to the development of breast cancer.

Proven risk factors aside, a significant way to reduce the incidence of breast cancer is to lead a life of overall health and wellness. Maintaining a healthy weight through a balanced diet of whole foods, limiting daily alcohol intake to 6 ounces of wine, or 1 ounce of liquor for women, and participating in a daily exercise routine all help. This, coupled with self-exams and yearly mammograms, will work toward re-

ducing the rates of breast cancer cases and breast cancer deaths.

For those who have been diagnosed with breast cancer, several support services are available. At McLaren Northern Michigan, a full-time nurse navigator, a position funded by generous donors through McLaren Northern Michigan Foundation, guides patients through diagnosis, surgery, and other therapies.

“The goal is connecting patients with the resources they need and empowering patients to have the best possible experience as they travel through the care continuum,” explains Breast Health Nurse Navigator Melissa DeSimone, RN, BSN, OCN, CBCN. “We also offer support services like an Oncology Dietitian, Social Work, The Look Good Feel Better Program, the Just For Us Support Group, transportation assistance, referrals to free wig salon programs, Certified Mastectomy Fitters, Lymphedema Clinics, Physical and Occupational Therapy, a survivorship series, and connection to many other resources to help patients with insurance or financial concerns.”

Thanks to generous donors who support breast health through the McLaren Northern Michigan Foundation, comfort kits and post-surgical garments are available to all breast cancer patients. “I feel very fortunate to be able to assist patients through their cancer journey,” stated DeSimone.

For details about breast health services offered near you and other health-related information, visit northernhealth.org or call (800) 248-6777.

For more about National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, visit the American Cancer Society website at www.cancer.org.

CHARLEVOIX WOMAN'S LEG BECOMES TRAPPED WHEN VEHICLE ROLLS OVER IT.

On September 30, 2016 at approximately 11:43 p.m., the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, along with Charlevoix Township Fire Department and Charlevoix EMS, responded to a reported entrapment vehicle crash on M-66 N. in Charlevoix Estates, Charlevoix Township.

Gale Baldrige, age 69 of Charlevoix, upon exiting her vehicle at her residence, was struck by her car door when the vehicle rolled backwards and her leg became trapped underneath it. Baldrige stated she fell on the wet pavement when getting out of her vehicle. She thought the vehicle was in park, but it wasn't.

Baldrige was transported to Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital for treatment of minor injuries sustained.

ROLLOVER ACCIDENT ON M-75 N.

On Monday October 3rd, 2016 at just after 9 p.m. the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office along with the Melrose Twp. Fire Department, Boyne City EMS, and Boyne City Police Department responded to the area of M 75 N. Hwy and Ecker Rd. in Melrose Twp. for a one vehicle rollover accident.

19-year-old Albert Nahinu Jr. of Boyne Falls was traveling east on M 75 N. when he lost control of his 2011 Jeep, running off the shoulder and overcorrecting which caused him to cross over the center line and run off the road striking a telephone pole. The telephone pole was sheared off at the ground causing the vehicle to roll onto its roof.

Nahinu was able to exit the vehicle under his own power, but was treated at the scene and transported to McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey by Boyne City EMS. Nahinu was wearing his seatbelt and the extent of his injuries are unknown.

M 75 N Hwy was closed down for several hours with the assistance of the Melrose Twp. Fire Department while Consumers Energy set a new pole.

This accident remains under investigation.

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BC POLICE DEPT INCIDENT REPORT

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

0957 Contraband discovered in the 1000 block of Boyne Av

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

1646 Citation issued for Expired Registration at Boyne Av near Brockway
1705 Report of identity theft from the 900 block of Boyne Av
2004 Juvenile complaint in the 500 block of N. Lake St.

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 21

0518 Assist Fire Dept in the 1300 block of Charlevoix St.
1041 Vehicle unlock in the 700 block of E Main
1333 Follow up to Crash report from August.
1414 Citizen assist at the airport
1426 Driving complaint in the area of E Division and Park St
1500 Assist EMS at the pavilion in

Veteran's Park.
1634 Signed off on a fix it ticket in the 700 block of Vogel
1647 Citation issued for Violation of Restricted Operator's License in the 500 block of N Lake St
1707 Citation issued for Fail to maintain driver's seat/shoulder belt in the 600 block of N Lake St
1800 Citation issued for speed at Lake and Lower Lake.
1925 Report of subject driving a car with a baby in lap heading towards Boyne Ave. Unable to locate.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

1058 Vehicle unlock on Clark St.
1253 Report of attempted scam call from the 200 block of E Water St. Someone claiming to be from Consumer's Energy advising their bill is past due and power would be cut in 45 min if they did not receive payment
1306 Report of attempted Consumer's Energy scam from the 100 block of E Water St
1315 Report of attempted Consumer's Energy scam from the 100 block of E Water St

1320 Report of civil custody dispute in the area of S Park and Pine St
1413 Report of attempted Consumer's Energy scam from the 100 block of E Water St
1454 Assist EMS in the Industrial Park.
1832 Assist EMS in the area of Park and Pine
1854 Contraband confiscated in the 1000 block of Boyne Av

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

0847 Consumer's Energy scam reported from the 200 block of E Water St
1012 Assist to Probation Officer at in the 300 block of E Division St
1029 Report of attempted scam credit card offer
1042 Vehicle unlock on Contractor Dr
1100 Welfare check in the 700 block of S Park St
1228 Report of lost Trac phone
1403 Assist EMS in the 300 block of E Division St
1508 Property damage crash in the 800 block of Boyne Av.
1619 Report of multiple harassing

and threatening calls and texts in the 400 block of N East St
1645 civil complaint on Spring St
1705 Gas larceny from the 1300 block of Boyne Av.
2131 Arrested subject for DWLS.
2218 Suspicious vehicle in the Cemetery
2018 Citation issued for speed at S. Lake St. and Cedar St.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 24

0312 Assist Sheriff Dept on Deer Lake Rd.
0829 Subject arrested for Probation violation and MIP in the 300 block of N Lake St
1024 Report of driving complaint at Pleasant Ave and Pleasant Valley.
1258 Report of estranged spouse taking money from the 600 block of E Main.
1341 Larceny of gas can from the 800 block of N Lake St.
1418 Assist EMS in the 400 block of N Lake St.
1543 Request for welfare check from the 600 block of E Main St
1715 Found cell phone turned in

from Brockway St. Was returned to owner.
2010 Found operator's license turned in to PD.
2043 Juvenile complaint in the 500 block of N. Lake St.
2123 Fireworks complaint on Wenonah St.
2154 MDOP to playground on Wenonah St.
2209 Assist MSP on Etcher Rd.
2223 Intoxicated subject at Boyne Ave. and Lincoln St.
2225 Arrested subject for No License, OUID and outstanding warrant in the 500 block of N Lake St

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 25

0344 Assist sheriff Dept with intoxicated subject at S. Lake St. and Lincoln St.
0403 Arrested subject for Disorderly at Ann and West St.
1147 Alarm in the 100 block of E Water St
1420 Report of assault in the 400 block of Boyne Ave.
1525 Report of missing meds from the 300 block of E Division St

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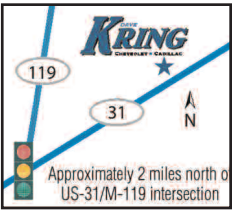
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204 DEPOT, EAST JORDAN

A great location in East Jordan with a historical flair. This building could be used in many ways, in the past it started as the East Jordan and Southern RR depot and has been used as a retail outlet and was last used as manufacturing operation. This property has just over 5 acres with waterfront on the "millpond". You can see soaring eagles from this location on a regular basis. If you have a vision this property has a lot of potential. MLS 448624. \$299,900 Ask for Chris Oliver.



306 MAIN STREET, EAST JORDAN

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