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# Fall Festivals

## Boyne City celebrates Harvest Fest on Sept. 30



Boyne City will celebrate autumn's bounty at Harvest Festival this Saturday, September 30, from 8am to 4pm. Downtown event includes farmers market, music, crafts, scarecrow contest & more

"The event committee continues to find ways to make the event fresh and fun! There will be something for all ages," says Karen Guzniczak, committee chair.

"Joliet Jake" and Elwood Blues-aka The Blues Brothers-were resurrected as scarecrows who are sitting sentinel this week in front of Boyne City's new city hall complex. These Blues Brothers are participants in a scarecrow contest for the upcoming Harvest Festival, which will be ongoing in downtown Boyne City from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. this Saturday, September 30. PHOTO BY MICHELLE MEDJESKY



Free hayrides will run from 10am to 2pm. FILE PHOTO

This family fun day will include music, crafts, children's activities, food and fall produce in the downtown area from 8am to 4pm. As the extended Farmers Market will be moved downtown from Veteran's Park, portions of Water and Lake Streets will be closed to traffic.

Free hayrides will run from 10am to 2pm. Musical performers will be featured, with a selection of bands to be playing from 11am until 4pm. There will also be folk art demonstrations and scarecrows lining the streets.

There will be children's games and activities sprinkled around town. Local churches and non-profit organizations

that would like to participate by organizing children's activities or harvest crafts are encouraged to contact the Boyne Area Chamber (582-6222) to find out how to get a free booth!

We hope you will join us as we shop the market and arts and craft vendors and spend time enjoying all that the downtown area has to offer.

The festival is supported by the Boyne City Main Street Program and the Boyne Area Chamber. For more information, vendor applications, and to register for the scarecrow contest, please visit [www.boyneharvestfestival.com](http://www.boyneharvestfestival.com) or call (231) 582-6222.

## East Jordan celebrates Fall Fest September 30

East Jordan will be hosting its annual Fall Festival on the South Arm of beautiful Lake Charlevoix, Saturday, September 30 from 2-9pm.

Camp in our local Tourist Park, enjoy a fabulous hay art display, hayrides, face painting and balloon making for the kids. Enter your team in the softball tournament and stay to enjoy the beer tent activities featuring the cool musical sounds of Lou Thumser from 3-5:30pm and Full Circle band from 6-9pm.

Craft and domestic beers, as well

as local food trucks provide the refreshments. This event is proudly sponsored by East Jordan Parks and Rec Dept. and East Jordan Rotary.

### Schedule of Events

- Hay Art, 2-5pm. Vote for best display to benefit East Jordan Care and Share Food Pantry
- Hay Rides, 2-5pm. Free!
- Live Music; Waterfront stage, free admission. Lou Thumser; 3-5pm, Full Circle; 6-9pm
- Beer & Wine, 3-9pm



EJFallFest2017Photo; East Jordan will be hosting its annual Fall Festival on the South Arm of beautiful Lake Charlevoix, Saturday, September 30. Among the many activities is a fabulous collection of hay art on display to view during the event. COURTESY PHOTO

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**Texas man to pay \$30,000 for cutting trees on city property in Charlevoix**

By Michelle Medjesky

CHARLEVOIX - A Texas man who took it upon himself to improve his view of Lake Charlevoix by cutting down city trees across the street from his vacation home here will now have to pay thousands for doing so.

Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Allen Telgenhof said in a media release that 48-year-old Michael Walter Seitz of Bellaire, Texas, recently accepted a deferred prosecution agreement resolving a criminal case against him and must now pay \$30,000 to the city by March, 15, 2018 or the charges will be re-filed.

Seitz had been charged with malicious destruction of trees and shrubbery more than \$20,000 after being accused of removing city trees and undergrowth in order so he would have a better view of Lake Charlevoix from his vacation home on Park Avenue.

In accepting his agreement, Telgenhof said Seitz admitted that, "at his direction, trees and/or undergrowth belonging to the city of Charlevoix were cut down."

"This agreement compensates the victim, the city, for its loss and sends a message to other property owners that this type of behavior will not be tolerated," Telgenhof said.

He noted he was satisfied that a deferred prosecution agreement could be reached. "This was accomplished without the necessity of a trial, which can be unpredictable," he said.



## Green Light East Jordan finalists announced

Organizers of Green Light East Jordan announced the finalists for the business model competition scheduled for Wednesday, October 11, at Castle Farms in Charlevoix.

Returning for a third year, Green Light East Jordan gives new businesses and prospective entrepreneurs an opportunity to compete for monetary prizes that are intended to assist in starting or furthering a business venture. The competition is open to re-

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## Charles Culver Exhibition at the Charlevoix Circle of Arts

Working with the Charles Culver curator Andrea Gerring, the Charlevoix Circle of Arts presents A Charles Culver Retrospective opening on September 29 from 5-7 pm and running through November 4.

Bellaire artist Charles Beech Culver was born in 1908 and his life ended in 1967. He loved jazz music, and for a short time in the late 20's and early 30's went on the road as a musician to earn extra money, playing tenor sax and clarinet. In addition to music, Culver had worked as a cartoonist for the Royal Oak Tribune in the

1920's. Culver's love of music, his work on children's books and cartoons were only hobbies, and to make money he worked several years at the Chevrolet Studios in the General Motors Building in Detroit as a commercial artist.

In the 1930's, Culver began receiving invitations to exhibit his paintings in galleries such as the Gordon Beer Gallery in Detroit, the Detroit Artists Market, the Michigan Artists at the DIA, and then branching out to places like the Butler Institute of American Art in Youngstown, Ohio, and the

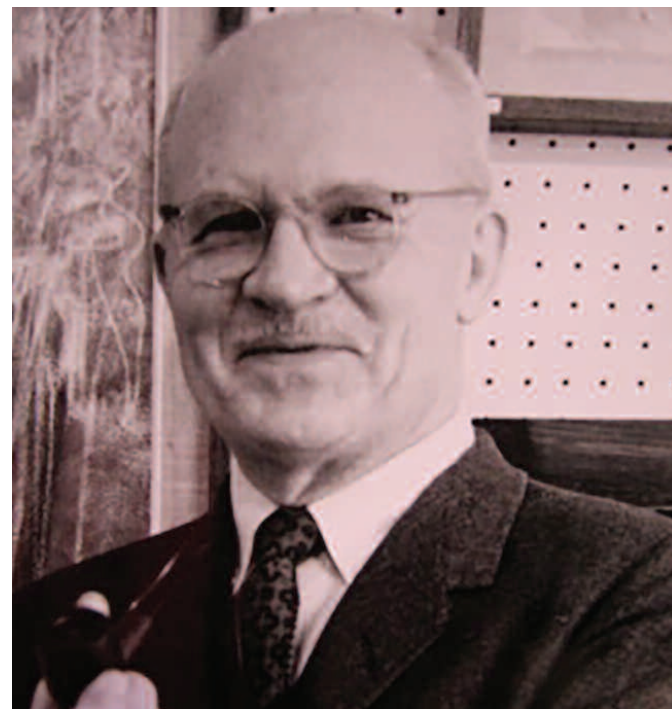
International Watercolor Exhibition at the Art Institute of Chicago, to name just a few.

In the 1950's, he began teaching at what is now known as The College for Creative Studies and was a commissioned artist with the Ford Times. The former director of the Detroit Institute of Arts, E. P. Richardson was quoted as saying, "People say 'That's a Culver' when they enter a room of paintings and see the one that speaks his name, the one whose form and line and color identify the artist instantly. Charles Culver was a true

artist."

It is certain that many others thought of Culver with the same kind of respect. He had over 25 one-man shows in the Detroit area alone, won 14 prizes at the "Exhibition for Michigan Artists" sponsored by the DIA, including the Scarab Club Gold Medal in 1940-43, and is represented (according to a curator at the DIA in 2006) by some 90 paintings in the DIA's permanent collection, more than any other Michigan artist at that time.

In a 1952 article in the Detroit Free Press, entitled "Artist Explains His Work,"



Bellaire artist Charles Beech Culver was born in 1908. COURTESY PHOTO



Charlevoix Circle of Arts presents A Charles Culver Retrospective opening on September 29 from 5-7 pm and running through November 4. Shown here; Deer, watercolor and charcoal on paper by Charles Culver. COURTESY IMAGE

Culver was asked why he painted the way he did. He wrote, "I try to 'see' though not too exactly; I try to think though not too ponderously; I feel emotion yet I try not to become overwrought. I interpret rather than describe, and design rather than depict. I work with values, not light and shade; hence, when I am successful, I achieve substance rather than three-dimensional form, and this satisfies me as being wholly sufficient. In my work, I wish to be serious without becoming a bore, exuberant without being frivolous, humorous without being silly. I believe that good paintings are conceived, not contrived; and I am interested in art much more than in pictures."

Charles Culver is probably most well-known for his animal portraits. One of his first was a six-toed cat belonging to the family and went on from there to include deer, ducks, exotic birds, cows,

common forest animals such as raccoons and skunks, and wild beasts he could look at in zoos. These paintings are distinctive, recognizable usually by a background of a soft mottled coloring, and a watercolor technique that never looks washed out and, in later years, he began adding wax to the outline of the animal or in the background of many of the works.

The exhibition A Charles Culver Retrospective runs from September 29-November 4 and is free and open to the public. Curator Andrea Gerring will present an Inner Circle Gallery Talk on October 12 beginning at 10 am to discuss the life and work of Charles Culver. For more information please contact the Charlevoix Circle of Arts located at 109 Clinton Street in downtown Charlevoix, (231) 547-3554 or go online at: [www.charlevoixcircle.com](http://www.charlevoixcircle.com).

## Motown Magic benefit concert

Dreams of a better life will be coming true under the Harvest Moon during the Harvest Moon Dance Concert, a fun-filled benefit for the Charlevoix-based women's transitional home. The dance concert is being hosted by Charlevoix Golf & Fitness from 6:30-9:30pm on Thursday, October 5 at Shanahan's Barn and features the Motown magic of Intrigue.

Detroit-based band, Intrigue, previously entertained Northern Michigan as a headliner for the Venetian Festival. In addition to the full band performing, the night will include various opportunities to support Joppa House, farm-to-table hors d'oeuvres by Grey Gables Restaurant and a cash bar. Through reservations, tables of eight to 10 may be reserved for families or groups of friends.

"Shanahan's Barn is a perfect venue for such an event, especially in the fall," said Denise Fate, long-time member and resident of the Country Club. "It is also a wonderful opportunity for former members of Charlevoix Country Club, as well as residents of the Club, to come together for a fun and meaningful social event. Having a renowned and high-en-

ergy band like Intrigue perform is makes it that much more exciting!"

Joppa House has been welcoming women and children through its doors for three years. During that time, 26 women, 25 full-time children and nine part-time children have lived and learned in the safe and secure environment. Of those adult women, 14 have come from Charlevoix and a total of 22 from Charlevoix County. While in the house, they helped to heal, attend life skills classes and many undergo GED and/or job training programs.

"We have found that most of these women stay in touch with us and with each other after they into the next phase of life—independent living," said Joppa House director and pastor Ginger Stevens. "They continue to remain friends and support each other. We are truly honored to be part of creating this meaningful extended family and hope to expand it for years to come."

To RSVP for the benefit, call (231) 547-8040 or email [info@joppahouseministries.org](mailto:info@joppahouseministries.org). Tickets are \$75 per person and dress is resort casual. Joppa House is a 501c3 non-profit organization. All donations are tax deductible.

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## New Barbara C. Hoffius Nature Preserve

Along the western shore of Lake Huron, between Mackinaw City and Cheboygan, lies a small, gravel-road resort called Point Nipigon, founded in 1914 by Glenn R. and Lena Chamberlain of Grand Rapids. Nipigon is thought to be Chippewa for "waters that stretch far" and Point Nipigon looks toward Mackinaw City, Mackinac Island, and Bois Blanc. Once you reach the Point, on the east end, it looks out on the expanse of Lake Huron.

In 1914 Glenn and Lena Chamberlain's daughter, Barbara, was born (as was her future husband, Stuart Hoffius) and for her lifetime she enjoyed summers at Nipigon. As was the case with so many northern Michigan summer resorts, Point Nipigon was sought as a retreat for many "Southerners" to escape to the clear waters and clean air that gave reprieve from seasonal allergies. Most of the original families at Nipigon came from Grand Rapids and Detroit, many of them taking the Timberliner train that ran from Detroit to Mackinaw City (today, the North Central State Trail follows that railroad line from Gaylord to Mackinaw City). The resort is perhaps best known for its unique entrance off U.S. 23, which was built in 1928 to resemble an old stockade and guard house, along with totem poles. The Hoffius family built their cottage at Nipigon in 1952.



On July 14 more than 25 Nipigoners, including Dirk and Steve and their families, gathered on the site to dedicate the preserve and enjoy the new trail to the shoreline. COURTESY PHOTO

Through the years, the Chamberlains bought much more land in the area, and eventually gave more than 1,000 acres to their three children. After Barbara Hoffius's death in 1995, she left her share of the land west of Point Nipigon to her two sons - Dirk, an attorney in Grand Rapids, and Stephen, a writer in Charleston, South Carolina. Dirk and Steve have donated all of that land, 370 acres with 1,000 feet of Lake Huron frontage, to the

Little Traverse Conservancy, a nonprofit conservation organization working in Cheboygan County. The gift is in recognition of their mother's love of place and is the answer to a question Dirk and Steve agreed upon: "If we could come back in 50 years or 100 years, what should happen to the land so that we would feel good about what was done with it?" "We sometimes called it 'Babbyland' in her honor and with a smile," remembered

Steve. "But now it's got an even more impressive name: 'The Barbara C. Hoffius Nature Preserve.' She would be thrilled."

"The Hoffius land gift allowed us to pursue funding for an adjacent shoreline parcel," said Ty Ratliff, LTC's Director of Donor Relations. Funding from the J. A. Woollam Foundation, and Consumers Energy Foundation enabled the purchase of additional acreage and 1,000 feet of shoreline. This past summer, a new parking area and trail were created by LTC staff to allow for a beautiful hike from U.S. 23 to the shore of the preserve. In the future, additional trails will be built on the south side of U.S. 23.

On July 14 more than 25 Nipigoners, including Dirk and Steve and their families, gathered on the site to dedicate the preserve and enjoy the new trail to the shoreline. Shortly thereafter, an additional 50 Nipigoners joined the celebration at the Point Nipigon Lodge located less than a mile to the east.

"The land is home to a great variety of wildlife and plants," points out Steve. "Naturalists have found bear scat and rare northern Michigan plant species. We thought how great it would be if others could enjoy the land too, especially school children in the area. The LTC staff has helped make our dreams come true," Steve said.

### BOYNE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

**MONDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2017**  
 0057 Assist EMS in the 100 block of E court St  
 0815 Juvenile complaint in Brockway  
 0915 Vehicle unlock in the 300 block of N Lake St  
 0946 Civil custody dispute in the 1000 block of Boyne Av  
 1034 Vehicle unlock in the 400 block of N Lake St  
 1318 Retail Fraud complaint in the 400 block of N Lake St  
 1405 Report of found a boat last fall.  
 1515 Driving complaint at Rotary Park. Gone on arrival  
 1631 Assist EMS in the 600 block of E. Main St.  
 2045 Vehicle driving through fence near Boyne and Division. Arrested subject for OUID.  
 2051 Civil complaint in the 400 block of State St.

**Tuesday, September 12, 2017**  
 0644 Assist Sheriff Dept on Etcher Rd.  
 1541 Request for no Trespass Orders in the 1300 block of Boyne Av.  
 1601 Civil complaint in the 400 block of State St.  
 1850 Civil complaint in the 400 block of State St.  
 2013 Suspicious situation in the 500 block of N Lake St  
 2233 Citation issued for running a red light at S. Park and Water

**Wednesday, September 13, 2017**  
 0934 2 vehicle property damage crash on the Bridge on Lake St.  
 1206 Vehicle unlock, Park near Water.  
 1320 Report of missing items from vehicle at Rotary Park.  
 1455 Report of attempted phone scam from the 600 block of W Michigan  
 1700 Salvage Vehicle Inspection  
 1730 Salvage Vehicle Inspection  
 1755 Found key and fob turned in  
 2142 Citation issued for Disregarding Traffic Light at Park and Water

**Thursday, September 14, 2017**  
 0837 Civil complaint in the 400 block of State St.  
 0943 Found cash turned in to PD. Was later returned to owner.  
 0922 Report of dog barking in the area of Wildwood Harbor and Park St. Says it has been barking all night. Located dog stuck in mud. Was able to free it from mud with ACO  
 1335 Assist EMS in the 100 block of E Water St  
 1400 Report of missing camera  
 1450 Report of Craigslist scam regarding house on Knollwood Ct.  
 2003 Suspicious subject in the 500 block of W Michigan  
 2047 Welfare check requested on intoxicated subject in the 800 block of Boyne Ave.  
 2326 Checked on 2 suspicious subjects at Lake and Water.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017**  
 0019 Suspicious subject in parking lot at State St. and Jefferson St.  
 0857 Vehicle unlock in the 100 block of S Lake St  
 1026 Report of a drone hovering over cars in a parking lot in the 400 block of Boyne Av.  
 1643 Complaint of a dog left in a car in the 400 block of N Lake St. It was, but had the windows cracked and water to drink.  
 1839 Assist Sheriff Dept and YSP Ranger with two intoxicated subjects causing a disturbance and trying to drive away.  
 2026 Report of a suspicious vehicle parked in the 700 block of E Main.  
 2202 Report of fight-in-progress on M-75 S.

**Saturday, September 16, 2017**  
 0803 Report of a dog running at large in the 400 block of Hemlock.  
 1454 Retail Fraud in the 100 block of E Water St  
 1741 Fire alarm activation on Bay St.  
 1930 Found keys turned in from the recycling center.  
 2242 Assisted Sheriff Office with report of assault in progress at Boyne Mountain

**Sunday, September 17, 2017**  
 0330 Assist EMS in the 400 block of Boyne Av.  
 0830 Burn permit issued in the 800 block of State St.  
 0955 Citation issued for Expired Registration in the 1200 block of Pleasant.  
 1016 Vehicle unlock in the 200 block of S Lake St.  
 1317 Received information regarding possible stolen long boards from the 700 block of Wenonah St.  
 1347 Private property damage crash in the 400 block of N Lake St  
 1715 Assist EMS on W Water St  
 2003 Vehicle unlock in the 300 block of E Division  
 2201 Assist DNR on Dam Rd.

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The Charlevoix income tax preparation team is looking for volunteers to prepare free tax returns for senior citizens and low-to-middle income taxpayers.

As a volunteer, you will be trained and certified to perform this service. Certification would be completed in January, and the tax preparation season runs from February 1<sup>st</sup> through April 15<sup>th</sup>.

The program is supported by the NMCAA (Northwest MI Community Action Agency) in Traverse City.

For more information and/or to volunteer, contact Randy Cebulski at 231-675-0004.

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## GREEN LIGHT FINALISTS

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cently started (no longer than two years) or prospective business concepts along the "Breezeway" corridor extending from Atwood through Ellsworth to East Jordan and Boyne Falls. New this year is a Student Competition with three finalists competing for a \$1,000.00 cash prize.

Mary H. Faculak, President/CEO of the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, noted that the third year's competition drew 22 applicants. She noted that the "Creating Entrepreneurial Communities Committee" that has worked on the Green Light Competition since 2014 is "Thrilled with the response for the 2017 event! The idea and diversity of the businesses are very exciting!"

A panel consisting of local business and community leaders narrowed the pool of applicants to 11 finalists.

Finalists include:  
Adventure Sports North  
CK Innovate  
Eke Moku at Rocky Top  
Hops - n - Props Boat Works  
Kid Kart Vending  
Latitude 45 Marketing  
New Hope Family Chiropractic  
Rock Paper Modern Hair Salon  
South Arm Market  
The Kitchen  
Up North Academy

At the Green Light East Jordan, October 11 competition, the finalists will present four-minute

pitches on their business idea to a panel of judges and audience members. The top contestant chosen by the judges will receive \$10,000.00. Smaller monetary prizes will be awarded to the second and third place winners. A "Crowd Vote Winner" will also be named.

The general public is welcome to attend Green Light East Jordan 2017 at Castle Farms. There is no admission charge, however organizers request that attendees register in advance. To sign up, go to [greenlighteventbrite.com](http://greenlighteventbrite.com). A networking event with complimentary food and refreshments will take place after the competition. The winners will be announced at the networking event.

The Green Light East Jordan business model competition originated in 2014 after Faculak attended the Creating Entrepreneurial Opportunities Conference along with committee members Nancy Carey of Jordan River Arts Council, Clif Porter a partner in the local Cannonball, LLC real estate development venture, Matt Stevenson, East Jordan Public School Superintendent, Tom Cannon, East Jordan City Administrator, Hannah Sanderson, Northern Lakes Economic Alliance Business Attraction and Growth Specialist.

The event aims to convey the readiness and friendliness towards entrepreneurial ventures and to help in attracting technology-based businesses.

For more information please contact Mary Faculak at the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce. 231-536-7351 or

## Indoor Farmers Market will be at City Facilities Building

Good news for shoppers and vendors alike as the Boyne City Farmers Market is now in one location! Beginning Saturday, November 4 at 9am, the Boyne City Indoor Farmers Market will be located in the main lobby area of the new City Facilities Building, which is located right next to the summer market location in Veterans Park.

"We are so pleased to be able to offer our indoor market for the seventh year. This is such a wonderful opportunity to provide a beautiful new indoor location for our community and market ven-

dors," says Becky Harris, Boyne City Main Street board member.

Partnering with the City of Boyne City, the market committee is happy to find a home for the months of November through April, until the Veteran's Park Pavilion is winterized. Twenty vendors are expected to provide an array of locally grown and produced products. The new indoor location will offer the use of a commercial grade kitchen, which will allow the market the opportunity to offer more diverse programming throughout the indoor sea-

son.

The market committee and Boyne City Main Street would like to thank the Boyne District Library for use of the Red Barn since the inception of the indoor market in 2011.

The market operates from 9am - noon every Saturday November - April, and from 8am - Noon every Wednesday and Saturday from May - October.

For more information on the market, visit [www.boynecityfarmersmarket.org](http://www.boynecityfarmersmarket.org) or email Boyne City Main Street at [mainstreet@boynecity.com](mailto:mainstreet@boynecity.com)

## Boyne Falls Public Schools STUDENT OF THE WEEK



**Katie Thompson**

Grade: 9<sup>th</sup>

Parent's / Guardian's Name(s):  
Chris and Jessica Thompson

Future Plans: Attending college to become a Psychologist

Favorite Book: I can't choose. I have too many!

Hobbies and Interests: Watching movies with family, hanging with friends and playing beach volleyball

School Activities: Volleyball, Working the class booth at the Polish Festival

Staff Comments: "Katie has started the school year with more of a growth mindset. She is working on her weaknesses and working smart to improve her math skills. She is participating in Number Talks and trying to find multiple ways to solve problems. She has been asking questions and completing her work. Her attitude has been more positive and she has been willing to accept it is ok to struggle and to learn from mistakes.

Katie, keep those synapses firing, your brain growing and sustain the effort!" - Ted H. Beyer, Teacher

## Halloween already?

The First Presbyterian Church of Boyne City will again this year be hosting the 12th annual "Trunk or Treat" on Tuesday, October 31, 5-7pm. They are looking for participants to join this event by offering individually wrapped healthy snacks, candy, pencils, pens,

tooth brushes, etc. Items can be placed in the box in the fellowship hall if you are unable to join us on Halloween. The church is located on Pine Street between the church (corner of Park St.) and Early Learners (corner of East St.). Set up time will be at

4:30pm.

If you would like to participate in handing out treats, call either the office 231-582-7983 or Paula 989-941-9991. Thank you in advance for all you help and support of this event.

## 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 11. The event will be held on the Petoskey campus in the Student and Community Resource Center from 6pm until 7:30pm.

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](http://www.ncmich.edu) and click on the College Night banner.

## "Get your gear on" at Pineview Military Surplus in Frederic

Built to perform, built to last. It is a quality inherent in the equipment designed and manufactured for military use. Thanks to the folks at Pineview Military Surplus in Frederic, these high quality items are also available for campers, hunters, hikers, outdoor enthusiasts, and those who simply enjoy well-crafted, durable goods.

Pineview Military Surplus current owners, Dan and Christine Klatt, purchased the business back in 1997, after it had already been in operation for about 17 years. The approximately 2,000 square foot facility located in

Frederic on Old U.S. 27 North is an amazing wonderland for those interested in just about any type of military surplus item. The shop even includes a fascinating military museum, with collections starting from the Revolutionary War era through the current conflict in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Christine Klatt states, "While the items in our museum area are not for sale, they are amazing to see. What we do offer in our store is all the Government Issue military surplus items that we can find, some authentic new items, and even some

vintage items. Our inventory comes from government auctions, from people who have retired from the military, and we also buy new items from the same manufacturers that supply the government with equipment."

Highlights of those offerings included clothing and outerwear of just about every type; rain gear, head gear, boots, hats, helmets, even women's, children's and infant clothing.

They also stock camping gear, web gear, backpacks, carry bags, and chemical protection suits (a great al-

ternative to scent lock suits for hunters). Among the souvenir items in the shop are military insignia and ribbons, medals, hatpins, patches, decals, window stickers...the list of items goes on and on.

The best way to see what is available is to stop by and take a look! Pineview Military Surplus is located at 7328 Old US 27 North in Frederic. They are open seven days a week from 9 am to 7 pm. Check them out on Facebook at Pineview Military Surplus, or call (989) 348-8300.



Thanks to the folks at Pineview Military Surplus in Frederic, high quality, military grade items are available for campers, hunters, hikers, outdoor enthusiasts, and those who simply enjoy well-crafted, durable goods. PHOTO BY DAN KLATT.

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Northern Michigan Treasure Hunter's Guide to area antique, consignment, resale and thrift shops

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# News

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Participants then proceed at their own pace along C-48 The Breezeway stopping, shopping, dining or enjoying the natural beauty along the 26 mile route that passes through Ellsworth, East Jordan and past the beautiful Deer Lake. The tour route ends in at Boyne Mountain in Boyne Falls with a complimentary chair-lift ride for a breathtaking view atop the mountain. While there, check out the exciting zip-line, Avalanche Bay indoor water park as well as a round of golf or a session at the Solace Spa.

For more information contact the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce at 231-536-7351 or [www.ride-thebreezeway.com](http://www.ride-thebreezeway.com)



### Boyne District Library programs

- Toddler Tales & Tunes every Monday at 10am and Preschool Storytime every Tuesday at 10am. Check website for any date changes. No registration is required.
- Yoga with Reb Andrews 9am every Monday, 8 week sessions/\$5 per week
- Tai Chi every Wednesday, 9am beginners class, 10am advanced class, cost is \$5 per session
- The Boyne District Library Book Club meets at 7pm. Information at [www.boynelibrary.org](http://www.boynelibrary.org).

### Wellness Workshops

- Held at Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital Wellness Workshop, 411 Bridge Street. Call (231) 437-3482 for more information.
- Hatha Yoga, every Monday and Friday 7:30-8:30am. The yoga sequences, along with breath work and relaxation techniques will assist in building strength, stamina, flexibility, balance, and increasing body awareness. The use of props, blocks, or blankets make poses easily modified to suit the individual. All levels of fitness are welcome and modifications will be provided as needed. The class is taught by Lisa Hepner is a licensed physical therapist assistant with Munson Healthcare Charlevoix Hospital.
- Wellness Wednesday, every Wednesday from 8am-11am. Health screens include: Total Cholesterol, HDL, TC/HDL Ratio, Glucose Level, Body Mass Index Score, Muscle and Fat Percentages, and a Blood Pressure Reading. No fasting is required. However, if you are fasting and LDL and Triglyceride reading can also be obtained. Cost for the service is \$15. Hemoglobin A1C Levels can also be done for known or borderline diabetics for an additional \$10. Participants will receive all test results at the time of the screening and a "Know Your Numbers" log to track progress. A Registered Nurse will adapt health consultation and educational materials to individual results. Walk-ins only, no appointment required.
- Full Body Toning Exercise Class, every Thursday from 5:30-6:30pm. The first class is free as are all yoga and strength training classes. If you enjoy your first class, low-cost punch cards available and are good for any of our classes. Call (231) 437-3482 for more information or email [chx-wellness@mhc.net](mailto:chx-wellness@mhc.net) to have our calendar emailed to you monthly.

### 8th Annual East Jordan Pie Contest

Show us how you roll! It's time to pull out those favorite fall pie recipes and ingredients to get ready to bake a winning entry. The 8th Annual East Jordan Pie Contest proudly sponsored by Save-A-Lot of East Jordan will be part of the annual East Jordan Pumpkin Festival & Moonlight Madness event scheduled for Wednesday, October 18, 2017, downtown East Jordan.

Registration and pie drop off will be from 4 - 5:45pm in front of the Community Center and the judging will take place from 6 - 6:30pm. The \$100.00 First Prize, \$50.00 Sec-

ond Prize and \$25.00 Third Prize Save-A-Lot Gift Certificates will be awarded at 6:45pm in front of the Community Center. In case of bad weather, the contest will be moved inside the Community Center.

The Pie Contest is one of many family friendly events being held in conjunction with the Pumpkin Festival & Moonlight Madness. For more information please contact the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce Office at 231-536-7351 or [info@ejchamber.org](mailto:info@ejchamber.org).



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## Bomb Threat at Boyne City High School

By Michelle Medjesky

BOYNE CITY - School this week got off to a scary start for hundreds of Boyne City High School students and staff after a threatening message was found on items thrown through a classroom window, causing students to be diverted from the school even before they arrived early Monday morning.

Boyne City Police Chief Jeff Gaither said that just as students were en-route to school early Monday, a school maintenance employee discovered a broken glass window at the door to the high school art room, which is located on the ground floor. He said several items believed to have been used to break the window were located at the scene and had threatening messages attached that were considered a bomb threat.

Boyne City Public Schools Superintendent Patrick Little said as soon as the discovery was made just before 8 a.m. Monday, district officials notified students, staff and parents by email, text and social media that due to a "building problem" they were to report to the middle school instead of the high school that morning.

"Upon discovery, a decision was made to lock-down the high school so staff and students would not enter the building. Staff and students followed safety protocols and reported to the middle school until law enforcement completed a safety inspection," said school officials in a public statement that morning, further noting, "Boyne City Police Department and Charlevoix County Sheriff were on-site to conduct a visual inspection and review surveillance video."

A canine team from the Michigan State Police was also dispatched to the scene but found nothing suspicious, Little said, and it was soon determined that the building was safe for student and staff re-entry, which was enabled before noon on Monday.

"Boyne City Public Schools appreciates the collected manner in which staff and students handled



Student life was back to normal at Boyne City High School on Tuesday, the day after a bomb threat created a temporary lockdown and disruption of morning classes. COURTESY PHOTO

this disruption in the normal operation of the school day, as well as the support of law enforcement," the statement read.

Little said he was also personally proud of how the situation was and continues to be handled by everyone involved, especially the students. "We were pleased at the cooperation the students showed. They handled it really well," he said.

Little said on Tuesday that Boyne City High School Principal Karen Jarema spoke to the student body about the incident. "She talked to them about keeping a positive energy in the building and setting a positive tone for themselves and those around them," he said, noting Jarema also spoke about how to keep in touch with what's going on in their school environment and the importance of not being afraid to speak up if they hear or see something suspicious.

Gaither said on Tuesday that the incident at the high school is still an active investigation, with some evidence and surveillance video from the high school still being examined. "We're interviewing people and we do have some evidence that's been sent to the crime lab," Gaither said.

Gaither noted there was no indication that the threats were directed at any one individual or group involved with the school.

He added that he believes the incident likely occurred sometime Sunday night and that the suspect or suspects eventually will be apprehended.

Anyone with information about this crime is asked to contact the Boyne City Police Department at (231) 582-6611.

BOYNE CITY COMMISSION MEETING, SEPT. 26, 2017

## Seagull "resi-doo" making a mess at new city hall

By Michelle Medjesky

BOYNE CITY - City officials here have seen a lot of big smiles and heard a lot of praise about the new \$7 million Boyne City Hall complex since it opened last month.

But there's one dirty glitch that's surfaced on the roof of the new building that's going to require a shocking solution and nearly \$9,000 to fix.

Boyne City Mayor Tom Neidhamer told the city commission at its last monthly meeting this week how he first started hearing about the problem from local citizens who questioned him about the new city hall complex during his regular visits to the city farmer's market. "That's the number one comment I get...it's a beautiful building, but..." Neidhamer said.

The "but" in this case, however, perhaps requires another "t" and the ability to look up at the new structure and notice the white streaks of seagull resi-doo dripping from its dark-shaded roof and onto the surrounding areas.

Boyne City Streets & Parks Superintendent Andy Kovolski told the commission that he'd researched a number of options to keep the seagulls from landing on the city hall roof and doo-ing their business and he eventually determined that a method marketed as the "Hot Track Bird Deterrent System" is the easiest to install and maintain and the least visibly distracting alternative.

Kovolski explained how the Hot Track System works by running a two wire track along the roof ridge or peak and attaching it with a silicone adhesive. The wire track is then triggered by a solar powered current which will give the gulls a slight shock if that's where they decide to land, and hopefully one that will deter them from using the city hall as their roosting spot in the future.

Kovolski assured that no seagulls will suffer any serious physical



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harm once they set foot on the Hot Track System, and that smaller birds won't risk any injury if they land on it, either. "It's kind of like sticking your tongue on a nine-volt battery," Kovolski said.

The city commission voted in favor of approving the purchase of the \$8,868 Hot Track System, a figure which Kovolski noted will include the company's cleaning of the existing seagull staining prior to installation of the system.

Neidhamer said the expense to get rid of the gulls is necessary. "We've got to take care of this," he said.

Commissioners Hugh Conklin and Ron Grunch were excused from attending this week's meeting.

In other business, the commission voted in favor of a request for the city to apply for two of what Boyne City Manager Michael Cain called "quasi-related" grants from the Charlevoix County Community Foundation.

The first grant is for \$68,500 for Phase 2 of the city's Veteran's Park Pavilion project - currently under construction - with that grant funding needed to pay for much-needed new public restrooms there. The second grant the city will seek from the foundation is a matching grant to help pay for Phase 1 of the Boyne Valley Trail.

The commission also voted this week in favor of approving the information provided and moving ahead with a public hearing for a special assessment that will bring improvements and the extension of city water service in the region of West Michigan Street.

Cain said numerous residents in that area have requested the special assessment for better water quality service to their homes.

Public commentary on the special assessment required for this water project is invited during the next scheduled city commission meeting at 7 p.m., Tuesday, October 10.

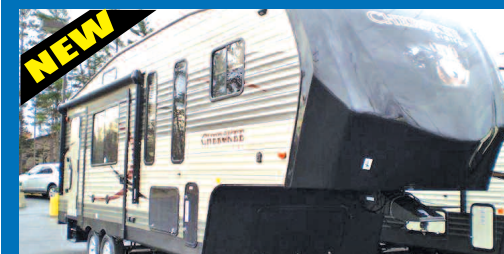
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