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Construction begins for Great Lakes Energy Headquarters expansion

A ground-breaking ceremony to celebrate the expansion of the Great Lakes Energy headquarters was held Wednesday, September 23, in Boyne City. Last spring GLE purchased adjacent property, formerly a Carter's Food Center, to accommodate the building expansion.

Joining the electric cooperative's board of directors, managers, and employees were distinguished guests, including Rural Utilities Services (RUS) Representative Pat Sarver, USDA State Director Jason Allen, and mayor of Boyne City Tom Neidhamer. Other local officials as well as representatives from Clark Construction and White & Liebler Architects also attended.

"This is a historic day for our cooperative and our employees. It symbolizes much more than the brick and mor-



A ground-breaking ceremony to celebrate the expansion of the Great Lakes Energy headquarters was held Wednesday, September 23, in Boyne City. Courtesy photo

tar that go into the actual building itself." Bill Scott states. "This building symbolizes growth, prosperity, and dedication to the community. It will take us into the future as we continue to serve our members with pride."

The new expansion will

provide much-needed infrastructure and space for the growth the electric cooperative has experienced in recent years. Trustream, GLE's new fiber internet and voice network, plays a vital role in the need to expand. Launched in 2018 in rural parts of Emmet, Charlevoix,

and Cheboygan counties, Trustream brings high-speed internet, with speeds up to 1 Gig, and voice services to homes and businesses that have long been without broadband connectivity. Trustream has created local employment opportunities and with it a need for more

office and warehouse space. The plans include the addition of offices and operations vehicle storage as well as minor remodeling to the existing headquarters building. The first phase of the building addition will be constructed on the north side of the existing GLE headquarters and will house the utility's operations staff, equipment and vehicles. The second building addition will be constructed to the west, in the former Carter's building footprint, and will house GLE's 24/7 dispatch center as well as staff offices. The current headquarters building will sustain some remodeling to accommodate the growing utility workforce and Trustream internet network operations center and staff. The anticipated completion of the new facility is late 2021.

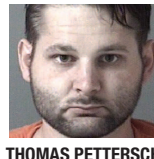
Rayders top Gladiators



Taylor Petrosky (12) and Claire Scholetn (1) of Charlevoix go up to block another Gladiator shot in the Rayders victory. Read this story and more in sports. Photo courtesy Doretta Brodin.

Petoskey Man Sentenced to Prison for String of Charlevoix County Home Invasions

Friday morning in the 33rd Circuit Court, Thomas Richard Pettersch,



THOMAS PETERSCH

27, Petoskey, was sentenced to serve 10 to 20 years in prison for a crime spree committed in Charlevoix and Cheboygan Counties in October of 2019.

According to a police affidavit in the case, Pettersch committed 19 home invasions in Charlevoix County which were reported October 27 through the 30th.

The houses were clustered into groups in the Thumb Lake area and an area on the South Arm of Lake Charlevoix. Pettersch stole guns, tools and other personal items.

"The defendant targeted areas of mostly seasonal homes," Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Allen Telgenhof said. "He went places where no one was likely to be around and gained entry breaking windows, screens or doors."

Pettersch was arrested after performing a similar crime in Cheboygan County which was seen live via security camera by the victim who called police. The 911 call led to a car chase and his apprehension.

Police located items stolen from the Charlevoix County crimes in his truck as well as his residence in Petoskey once police obtained a search warrant.

On August 28, Pettersch pleaded guilty to home invasion, first degree and two counts of home invasion, second degree and the remaining charges against him were dismissed.

The first degree home invasion charge related to one

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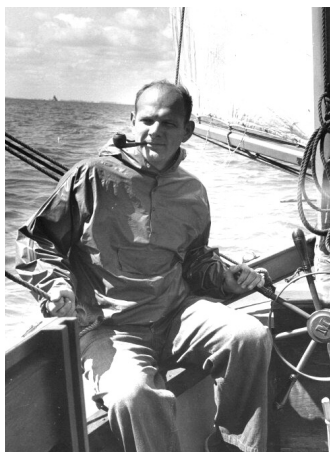
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OCT 4	41°	65°	26° (1996)	81° (1997)
OCT 5	40°	65°	20° (1965)	83° (2007)
OCT 6	40°	65°	26° (1966)	84° (2007)
OCT 7	40°	64°	23° (2001)	87° (2007)
OCT 8	39°	64°	28° (1981)	88° (2007)
OCT 9	39°	63°	22° (1989)	88° (2007)
OCT 10	39°	63°	23° (1952)	84° (1949)

OBITUARIES

John Alfred Munk, 92

(APRIL 23, 1928 - SEPT. 26, 2020)



John Alfred Munk of Boyne City and Toledo, OH joined his bride Kate (Kathryn Peth) in heaven on September 26, 2020 with his four children by his side.

John was a devoted son, husband, father, grandfather, uncle, brother-in-law, policeman, sailor and fisherman.

He is survived by his children Sandra (L. Bud) Besecke, Clara (Alec) De-Gabriele, Elizabeth Munk and John (Diane Zinck) Munk; nine grandchildren Katie Burle, Tim Besecke, Todd Besecke, Daniel Vasquez, David Vasquez, Christopher Munk, Stephanie Hendrickson, Amy Testa and Nicholas Munk;

and ten great-grandchildren.

John's family will be forever grateful to the staff at Hiland Cottage Hospice House for their compassionate care.

Interment will be held 10:00 AM, Wednesday, September 30, 2020 at Maple Lawn Cemetery in Boyne City.

Stackus Funeral Home of Boyne City is serving the family.

Patricia Gerianne O'Malley, 62

(JAN. 8, 1958 - SEPT. 24, 2020)



Patricia Gerianne O'Malley, affectionately known as Patti, was born in Detroit, MI on January 8, 1958, third

child of William and Elizabeth O'Malley and left this life unexpectedly and way too soon on 9/23/20 in Boyne City, MI

Patti attended St. Suzanne elementary school and Bishop Borgess High School. She was a gifted sprinter and while running with the Motor City Striders, won three gold medals in the Junior Olympics. Soon after graduation, Patti visited Boyne City, MI and fell in love with the beauty and peacefulness of "up north" but also with the man that she would eventually marry, Robbin Behling, and his young son, Tim Behling. She embraced the northern Michigan lifestyle as well as the entire Behling family and spent many happy years working and playing in pure Michigan style.

Patti was employed in various capacities but her work passions were senior citizens and Lavender Hills Farm, her "happy place". In her leisure time, she enjoyed skiing, cheering on the Detroit Tigers, hiking with her beloved collie, Lizzie and gardening. Patti was a Master Gardner which was reflected in the beautiful landscapes she maintained.

Patti was a kind and gentle yet feisty Irish woman. As cousin Maureen said, "She had a giant heart in that tiny body." Patti's final act of

kindness was to be a Gift of Life organ donor.

Very sadly, Patti was predeceased by her loving husband, Rob, in 2012. She is survived, loved and missed by her son, Tim, his wife, Denise, granddaughters Taylor and Kennedy and great grandson, Tanner. They were the brightest lights in her life. Also missing her forever are her siblings Karen (George), Bill and Bob. Patti will be sorely missed by her Boyne City family, Jim and Marge Behling, Cathy and Pete Hammond, Terrie and Gil Redmond and their children and grandchildren as well as a plethora of friends all across Michigan.

"Love doesn't die, people do. When all that's left of me is love, give me away."

In lieu of flowers, Patti's family would appreciate donations in her name to Gift of Life.

A gathering of family and friends will be held 11:00 to 1:00 PM Friday, October 2nd at St. Matthews Church in Boyne City.

Robert Dale Marshall, 88

(JUNE 5, 1932 - SEPT. 23, 2020)

Robert Dale Marshall passed away on Wednesday,

September 23, 2020 at his home. Arrangements are pending and a full obituary will follow.

Barbara M. Skeel, 89

(DEC. 20, 1930 - SEPT. 23, 2020)



Barbara Skeel, formerly of Charlevoix, passed away Wednesday September 23, 2020 at her daughter's residence in Peru, IN where she was living. She was born in Grand Rapids, MI on December 20, 1930 to Adolphus and Barbara Allard.

Barbara enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, attending church and sewing.

She is survived by her chil-


dren Phillip (Rhonda) Skeel of Ellsworth, MI, Jeanette (Bob) Dwyer of Peru, IN, Gordon (Diane) Skeel of Lewis-town, IL, Paul Skeel of Rogersville, MO, Lori Rittenberry of Springfield, MO, Bobby Bayer (Janene) of Monroe, MI, 14 grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren, Brother Leo (Jenny) Allard of Millington, MI, numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband Lewis, her brother Fritz and her parents.

A Funeral Mass will be held Saturday, October 3rd at 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church in Charlevoix with Fr. Chester Collins officiating. Interment will be in St. Mary Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday, October 2nd from 6 to 8 pm with a rosary at 7:30 pm all at the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

In lieu of flowers and because she loved animals, especially dogs, memorial contributions can be made in her memory to the Charlevoix Area Humane Society, 614 Beardsley St., Boyne City, MI 49712.

Arrangements have been handled by the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes. Please sign her on-line guestbook www.mortensenfuneral-homes.com.



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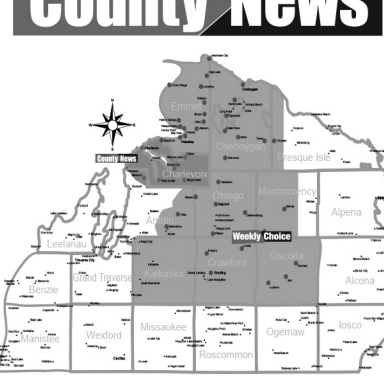
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Charlevoix's Annual "Buy Nearby Weekend" Oct. 2-4

Local retail businesses will celebrate Buy Nearby Weekend on October 2 - 4, offering special merchandise or sales and the chance for lucky shoppers to win a \$500 gift card by posting a photo while shopping local with the #buynearbymi hashtag. New this year - a Poker Run event hosted by Charlevoix Cinema III will add to the fun.

Enter the Charlevoix Poker Run Contest

To participate in the Urban Century - Charlevoix Cinema III Poker Run print out the attached image or find a printed list at Charlevoix Cinema III and have fun shopping. Make a purchase at any of the participating shops between October 2 and October 4th and you will be able to draw a card. Make a purchase at 5 different shops throughout the time frame to create your poker hand. There will be 15+ prizes for

the best poker hands awarded. Play sheet must be turned in at the Charlevoix Cinema III by Sunday, October 4th by 9:00 pm. Open to all!

This is all part of the Michigan Retailers Association's (MRA) year-round Buy Nearby campaign that encourages shoppers to support their communities by spending their dollars locally.

"Michiganders spend \$18.5 billion annually to out-of-state retailers," said Lindsey Dotson, Executive Director of the Charlevoix Main Street DDA. "Keeping those sales in Michigan would give a big boost to our communities."

Enter the Buy Nearby contest

Many stores will offer special promotions as a thank you to supportive customers. As an extra incentive to buy nearby, one shopper will win

a \$500 gift card. All you need to do is take a selfie shopping at a local store or a photo of your purchase during the weekend; post it to Twitter, Facebook or Instagram using the hashtag #buynearbymi and you're automatically entered. The winner will be chosen the following week in a random drawing. (Must be 18 or older to win; be sure your post is "public").

Independent research found that the state economy would grow by more than \$1.2 billion and nearly 10,600 new jobs would be created if residents switched just one in 10 purchases from an online seller to a Michigan retailer.

"Just a modest change in shopping habits can have a huge impact on Michigan's economy," said William J. Hallan, incoming President and CEO of MRA. "Our Buy Nearby campaign encourages people to be intentional

about their purchasing patterns. Keep your money in the Mitten!"

With 116,000 stores, Michigan's retail industry employs about 877,000 workers and pays \$21.6 billion in wages each year. That's the direct impact. Indirectly, retailers purchase goods and services, such as cleaning services, security staff, accountants and more. And their employees spend money as well.

Additional information about the Buy Nearby campaign is available at buynearbymi.com and facebook.com/BuyNearbyMI. You also can follow the campaign on Twitter @buynearbymi and on Instagram @mibuynearby. The Charlevoix Buy Nearby event details can be found on facebook.com/DowntownCharlevoix



Courtesy Image

Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce host Apple Fest Poker Run

While Apple Fest 2020 may be cancelled, you can still take part in the fall-themed fun with the Apple Fest Poker Run! The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce is excited to host the first-ever Apple Fest Poker Run. In lieu of Apple Fest, this will be a fun way to support your favorite area orchards

while enjoying fun fall activities.

How to Play: Register online at www.charlevoix.org or at the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Office (109 Mason Street). Players will travel to at least 5 out of the 7 (Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce, Charlevoix

Farmer's Market, Friske Orchards, Royal Farms, King Orchards, Interwater Farm and Farmer Whites) stops throughout northern Michigan to create their best 5-card poker hand. At each participating business, players will show their Apple Fest Score Card in order to draw a card. The player with

the best hand will win the Charlevoix goodie basket grand prize!

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Health Department of Northwest Michigan COVID-19 Update

On September 29, the Health Department of Northwest Michigan is reporting one new confirmed case in Otsego county. Case investigation and contact tracing are in progress, and relevant information will be shared when it is available.

During case investigations, the following locations were identified as potential low-risk public exposure sites.

- Goodwill, Petoskey on September 20th, 22nd, 23rd, 25th from 9:45 am - 6:15 pm
 - Lucky's Restaurant, Gaylord on September 25th from 5:30 - 7:00 pm
 - Great Clips, Petoskey on September 23rd from 10:00 - 10:30 am
 - Meyer Ace Hardware, Downtown Petoskey on September 23rd from 11:30 am - 12:00 pm
- The businesses have been

contacted, and they are working with the health department to ensure their employees and customers are safe. If you have questions about testing or about your potential exposure, please call the health department at 1-800-432-4121.

As a reminder to our communities, school related COVID cases will be included in our daily case numbers but they will not be identified as such in our updates. If deemed necessary, we will provide information in our updates if there are concerns about community exposures, just as we do for other confirmed cases. At some point, this may change if there is a need to provide school-specific information to protect the public health or if there are large enough numbers that there are no concerns about confidentiality. Resources for schools

can be found here.

"We knew that as people started returning to their normal routines at work and school that cases would increase because we cannot prevent cases from appearing in our schools," stated Lisa Peacock, Health Officer. "Schools are typically not open to the general public and have records of everyone who has been in and out of their buildings. When cases appear in the schools, we work directly with the school to do their case investigation and contact tracing, and close contacts will be contacted directly by the health department."

As of 4pm on September 29, the Health Department of Northwest Michigan is reporting:

-Positive COVID-19 cases in the following counties: Antrim - 63, Charlevoix - 96, Emmet -

145, Otsego - 156
-Recovered COVID-19 cases in the following counties: Antrim - 53, Charlevoix - 67, Emmet - 106, Otsego - 111
-Confirmed COVID-19 deaths in the following counties: Charlevoix - 3, Emmet - 4, Otsego - 11.

The State of Michigan has reported 123,633 cases and 6,751 deaths.

Stay up to date on the latest information in the Health Department jurisdiction by liking and following our Facebook page and visiting our COVID-19 Data Dashboard. To locate a testing facility, visit the Michigan COVID-19 Test Finder website. To track the risk levels of COVID-19 pandemic indicators, visit the MI Safe Start Map website.

BOYNE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT INCIDENT REPORT

Monday, September 14, 2020

- 0039 Assist Sheriff Dept. in Boyne Falls.
- 0805 Larceny from vehicle in the 500 block of E. Division St
- 0835 Civil standby in the 600 block of Jefferson St.
- 0939 Dead deer at Division and Lewis
- 1105 Assist EMS in the 600 block of Boyne Ave
- 1150 Threats complaint reported at the PD
- 1537 Disturbance reported on Hemlock St
- 1623 Dog bite reported at Front St. and Lake Park Dr.
- 1727 Disturbance reported on Beardsley
- 1758 Littering complaint on State St. near Hannah St.
- 2113 Juvenile complaint on Division St.
- 2242 Noise complaint in the 400 block of Hemlock

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

- 0806 Arrested subject for DLWS and Improper Plate on M-75 S
- 0918 Larceny of yards signs in the 500 block of Hannah St.
- 0956 Abandoned vehicle on Ray St.
- 1018 Driving complaint at Lakeshore and Marshall.
- 1031 Assist Sheriff Dept. at Fall Park and Crozier
- 1311 Private property damage crash in the industrial park.
- 1421 Civil complaint in the 900 block of Brockway.
- 1530 Assist Sheriff Dept. in

- the 300 block of E Division St
- 1721 Suspicious situation reported from Boyne City Rd. and Springwater Beach
- 1900 Trespass complaint in the 700 block of Vogel St
- 2132 Civil complaint in the 400 block of Boyne Ave.
- 2141 Car deer crash in the 400 block of Boyne Ave.
- 2310 Assist EMS in the 1300 block of Boyne Ave.

Wednesday, September 16, 2020

- 0316 Suspicious situation reported in the 300 block of W court St.
- 0800 Citation issued for speed on Boyne Ave in front of the schools.
- 0839 Citation issued for speed on N Lake near Groveland St.
- 0938 Suspicious situation reported on Bailey St.
- 0949 Cyberbullying complaint reported from the 300 block of S Park St.
- 1117 Report of lost wallet
- 1222 Barking dog complaint in the 600 block of N East St.
- 1238 Larceny reported in the 900 block of Wilson St
- 1401 Damage report on Pearl St.
- 1704 Civil complaint in the 1100 block of Boyne Av.
- 2026 Child abuse complaint in the 600 block of Jefferson
- 2054 Assist citizen at Lake and Park
- 2122 Assisted Sheriff Dept. in Boyne Falls.

- 2259 Barking dog complaint in the 1000 block of Pleasant.

Thursday, September 17, 2020

- 330 Fire alarm in the 100 block of Silver St.
- 0758 Citation issued for speed on Boyne Ave. in front of the schools.
- 0820 Illegal dumping complaint at the little league fields on North St.
- 1323 Natural death in the 800 block of S Park St
- 1524 Report of larceny from resident on Bay St
- 1646 Abandoned Vehicle near lake and Ray St.
- 1805 Report of a suspicious vehicle at West and Division.
- 1907 Vehicle unlock in the 300 block of Mc Kinley
- 2007 Assist Sheriff Dept. in Boyne Falls.
- 2011 Vehicle unlock in the 600 block of Beardsley
- 2130 Welfare check in the 600 block of Grant St.
- 2204 Assist Sheriff Dept. at Boyne Mountain

Friday, September 18, 2020

- 220 Arrested subject for OWI in the 400 block of N East St
- 1042 Assist Sheriff Dept. on Barber Rd.
- 1411 CSC complaint reported from the 1000 block of Boyne Av
- 1623 Request for welfare check in the 900 block of Wilson St.
- 1743 Citation issued for speed at Pleasant Ave. and Tim-

- ber Ln.
- 1809 Civil Complaint on Bay St.
- 1920 Vehicle unlock in the 600 block of E Main St
- 1932 Littering complaint in the 800 block of S. Lake St
- 2123 Suspicious vehicle at Addis St and W. Michigan.

Saturday, September 19, 2020

- 0946 Report of possible court order violation on Morgan St.
- 1255 Assist Sheriff Dept. at 131 and Baumann Rd.
- 1610 Vehicle unlock on W Water St
- 1657 Report of threatening mail received in the 500 block of N. Lake St.
- 1700 Salvage Vehicle inspection.
- 1902 Driving violation called in at M75 N and Old 75 loop.
- 1914 Removed juveniles from pavilion at Veteran's Park who were skateboarding and jumping off the roof.

Sunday, September 20, 2020

- 0302 Liquor license violation on W Main St.
- 0307 Intoxicated subject at Water St and N. Lake St.
- 1400 Citation issued for Careless Driving at E. Main St and S. Lake St.
- 1900 Noise complaint in the 800 block of S Park St.
- 2058 Driving violation reported from M75 N and Old 75

HOME INVASIONS FROM PG. 1A

of the homes where Pettersch stole a firearm which increases the maximum penalty from 15 to 20 years in prison.

"With concurrent sentencing, whether this defendant was found guilty of two sec-

ond degree home invasions or 25 made no difference in the scoring of the guidelines or his maximum penalty," Telgenhof said. "With this sentence, the defendant will not be eligible for parole for ten years."

The court could have ordered that Pettersch's sentences on the second degree home invasion charges be served consecutively to the first degree home invasion

charge, but Judge Roy C. Hayes III declined to use his discretion for this purpose, indicating he felt the 10-year minimum was appropriate under the circumstances.

Records indicated that Pettersch had previously been convicted of similar offenses in Indiana and Florida. He was ordered to pay \$62,264.50 in restitution to the victims.

"This was an example of excellent police work by the

Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, led by Detective Ben Speigl, tying together numerous cases with physical evidence leading to a resolution where the public will be safe from this defendant for quite a while," Telgenhof said.

Submitted by Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney, Allen Telgenhof

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CHARLEVOIX CHILI COOK-OFF CANCELLED

The Charlevoix United Methodist Church has cancelled their annual Chili Cook-Off for October 2020 due to Covid 19. Traditionally, it is held on Saturday of the Charlevoix Applefest. We want to thank all the participating Charlevoix restaurants who so generously contributed the last 15 years. We deeply appreciate you! Also a thank you to the many faithful patrons. We hope to see you all next year.

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY ANNUAL BREEZEWAY FALL COLOR TOUR

October 3. Pick up your "goodie bags" at Royal Farms in Atwood and end your cruise at Boyne Mountain in Boyne Falls. 26 Miles of scenic rural splendor splashed with natures beautiful fall colors. We own the Fall in Northern Michigan! For more information contact the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce 231-536-7351 or info@ejchamber.org

EAST JORDAN OPEN DOOR CHRISTIAN COFFEE HOUSE

October 3, 7pm, Lighthouse Church on Rogers Road. The Open Door Christian Coffee will host Jeff and Brenda Glasko. Refreshments are available: free coffee and snacks with a small charge for pizza and water. We have lots of wonderful talent right here in northern Michigan. Great fellowship. Everyone is welcome. For questions contact (231) 675-4152.

CHARLEVOIX FALL FEST

October 3, 8am-5pm. Apple Cider Donuts | Pumpkin Donuts | Fresh Pressed Cider | Petting Zoo | Huge NEW Kid's Outdoor Play Area | Caramel Apples | U-Pick Apples | Pumpkins | Caramel Apple Pie | Hot & Cold Cider | Scratch Baked Goods Galore | Specialty Food & Gift Shopping So much more. Details at www.friske.com

BOYNE CITY BLESSING OF OUR ANIMALS

October 4, 11am, Church of the Nativity, 209 East Main Street. We have this time of

blessing in commemoration of St. Francis of Assisi, who taught love for all of God's creatures. Please have your animal on a leash or in a carrier, and feel free to bring your horse or hamster or lizard. Or feel free to bring a picture of your pet or your pet's favorite toy.

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BOYNE CITY FARMERS MARKET

Wednesdays and Saturdays, 8am - Noon through mid-October. The last outdoor market of the season will be Saturday, October 17th. In the following Saturday, October 24th we begin our indoor season inside the Veterans Park Pavilion. Stay tuned for more information. We kindly ask that you think

Governor Whitmer Extends State of Emergency to Protect Michigan Families, Frontline Workers, and Small Businesses

Governor also extends four executive orders to protect vulnerable populations

LANSING, Mich. -- Today, Governor Gretchen Whitmer took further action to save lives and protect the health and safety of Michiganders by extending the State of Emergency until October 27, 2020 at 11:59 p.m. Executive Order 2020-186 will allow the state to continue to mobilize resources and take the reasonable and necessary steps to protect Michiganders and their families. The governor also extended four executive orders to protect Michigan families and our most vulnerable populations.

"We have saved thousands of lives in our fight against the COVID-19 pandemic, especially among our most vulnerable populations - people of color, seniors, and people with disabilities. Because we took swift action, the health of our families and our economy are faring better than our neighbors in other states," said Governor Whitmer. "This emergency will end, and it is a matter of months. But we are not out of the woods yet. Right now, the federal government and all 50 states have been under some form of state of emergency. We must continue doing our part to fight this virus on behalf of our families, frontline workers, and our small businesses."

Where Michigan was once among the states most heavily hit by COVID-19, our per-capita rate of new daily cases has plateaued at a level well below the national average. Despite gradually reopening our economy, Michigan's seven-day case positivity rate has remained between 3.0% and 3.7% since early July. Over the same time period, case growth has also remained within a narrow band of 61 to 71 daily new cases

per million population, by date of symptom onset.

Governor Whitmer has taken deliberate and steady action to reopen sectors of Michigan's economy in a way that protects businesses, employees, and patrons. CNN Business currently ranks Michigan in the top ten - in ninth place - on their list of states that are getting our economies back on track.

The health, economic, and social harms of the COVID-19 pandemic remain widespread and severe, and they continue to constitute a statewide emergency and disaster. Though local health departments have some limited capacity to respond to cases as they arise within their jurisdictions, state emergency operations are necessary to bring this pandemic under control in Michigan and to build and maintain infrastructure to stop the spread of COVID-19, trace infections, and to quickly direct additional resources to hot-spots as they emerge.

"The Governor's swift actions have saved thousands of lives during this pandemic, and she must be able to continue taking swift action to save lives," said Chief Medical Executive and MDHHS Chief Deputy for Health Dr. Joneigh Khaldun. "As we approach the 2020-2021 flu season, it is vitally important that all Michiganders get their flu vaccine, wear a mask, and maintain physical distancing. We will get through this together."

The four other executive orders the governor signed today include:

Executive Order 2020-187 which protects vulnerable populations and strengthens our economic recovery by extending through October 31 the governor's previous order allowing business to be conducted remotely through expanded use of e-notaries and e-signatures.

Executive Order 2020-188 which ex-

tends the limited and temporary restrictions on the entry of individuals into health care facilities, residential care facilities, congregate care facilities, and juvenile justice facilities. The Department of Health and Human Services will continue to issue orders to specify exceptions to this order.

Executive Order 2020-189 which extends through October 31 protections for prison and jail populations through enhanced cleaning protocols and implementation of testing protocols by Michigan Department of Corrections prisons and any jails that transfer inmates to MDOC prisons.

Executive Order 2020-190 which adds protections for workers and customers at food-selling establishments to the Workplace Safeguards order, including the requirement to maintain two hours a week of reserved shopping time for vulnerable populations.

"On behalf of the sheriffs, I am thankful that the governor worked with us to streamline the jails & prisons EO, and we look forward to continuing to work together for the safety and well-being of all Michigan citizens," said Matthew Saxton, CEO and Executive Director of the Michigan Sheriffs' Association.

"We are grateful for the governor's dedication to fighting COVID-19 and her ongoing work to protect Michigan workers and their families," said Andrea Acevedo, President of SEIU Healthcare Michigan. "There is no doubt that the governor's swift action has saved thousands of lives, particularly for our most vulnerable populations and health workers like ours who are serving on the front lines. We will continue to work closely with Governor Whitmer to ensure the health and safety of our members, their families, and those they serve."

of it as an outdoor grocery store and ask that you help us by shopping responsibly and cooperating with the guidelines that are in place. Here's how: 1. Wear your mask. 2. Stay by your vehicle if lines are long. 3. One shopper per family. 4. Find your vendor. 5. Make your selection. 6. Head home and enjoy. We do ask that if you are able to please place orders with our vendors ahead of time. For more information on the market, visit the Boyne City Farmers Market Facebook page or email farmersmarket@boynecity.com

CHARLEVOIX FARMERS MARKET

Thursdays, 8am-1pm, East Park. The Farmer's Market may continue for now, though it is essential vendors, staff and patrons wear masks. The booths will be spread out, and other precautions are followed per state guidance. Many varieties of tables line the Bridge Street sidewalk downtown Charlevoix in full view of the sun rising over Round Lake at East Park. The Market is full of life, flavors, happy people, activity - and the view is staggering. Shop local. Eat fresh.

EAST JORDAN FARMERS MARKET

Thursdays 9am-1pm, Memorial Park. Locally organically grown herbs, fruits and vegetables. Baked goods, jewelry, jams, jellies, maple syrup, farm fresh eggs and more.

ELLSWORTH FARMERS MARKET

Saturdays from 9am to noon at Ellsworth's Community Square.

NORTHERN LOWER MICHIGAN PEOPLE FUND GRANT OPPORTUNITY

The Great Lakes Energy People Fund is accepting grant applications from non-profit organizations throughout its local service area for the fall grant cycle. Applications should be submitted in person or by mail by 4:30pm on October 15 to the GLE headquarters in Boyne City. With the purpose of bettering local communities, the People Fund is supported solely by Great Lakes Energy members. Those who participate in the program allow their electric cooperative to round their monthly electric bill to the next whole dollar amount. Since 1999, more than \$3.7 million in grants

have been awarded to charitable and community organizations throughout Great Lakes Energy's 26-county service area, which stretches from Kalamazoo to the Mackinac Straits. The People Fund awarded \$228,481 in grants in 2019. Non-profit organizations can read program details and request a grant application online at www.gtlakes.com/people-fund or by calling Great Lakes Energy at 1-888-485-2537, ext. 1313. Non-profit organizations that serve communities located in the Great Lakes Energy service area are eligible to apply. Applications are due by October 15. Another grant opportunity will be available in April 2021.

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

Have you experienced financial hardship due to the COVID-19 crisis? Northwest Michigan Community Action Agency (NMCAA) has funding from the federal CARES Act to assist with various needs (utility help, car repairs, housing costs, diapers, baby formula, phone bills, etc). You may be eligible for assistance if you meet income guidelines and live in NMCAA's service area (Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Missaukee, Roscommon, and Wexford Counties) To apply for help, please contact our CARES Intake Specialist at 800-632-7334.

EAST JORDAN
Wifi Locations
In an effort to help our local students that need to access the internet for their school lessons, we are starting a list of places where wifi is available for them to use from outside. If you are a business owner and have wifi that is accessible from your parking lot and you are willing to let students use it please let us know. info@ejchamber.org

Wifi Locations: East Jordan DDA - First two blocks of Main Street, Downtown East Jordan - Harbor/Marina Parking Lot, City of East Jordan - East Jordan Tourist Park near the log building, EJ Laundry Station - 128 S. Lake Street, Jordan River Arts Council - Outside - username: jrագuest, password: jrագuest, East Jordan Public Schools - High School & Elementary School parking lots, JRAC To fulfill a request from the East Jordan Schools the Jordan River Art Center has made it's patio a free WIFI hotspot. Anyone can sit on the patio and access the internet. The username is:

jrագuest and the password is: jrագuest. Feel free to sit there and enjoy spring.

BOYNE CITY KINDER CLOSET

At Christ Lutheran Church is open from 10am to noon on the second Saturday of every month. Free baby items are provided, including diapers; wipes; clothes and more, for any Charlevoix County parent with a newborn to 24 month-old-child. Christ Lutheran Church is located at 1250 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. For more information, call 231-582-9301.

CHARLEVOIX 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 to have our calendar emailed to you monthly.

CHARLEVOIX

Hospice of Northwest Michigan invites you to join our Monthly adult grief, loss & bereavement support group, which takes place the 2nd Sunday of each month from 4-5pm at the First Baptist Church, 6781 M66 North. This program is open to anyone in our community looking for assistance in their grief process and is facilitated by Rev. David Behling. There is no charge to attend. Please feel free to call Hospice at 231-547-7659 to register or for more information.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN
Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan provides counseling and support services at no cost to survivors of domestic abuse, sexual assault, child abuse, child sexual assault and adults molested when they were children. Support services include crisis counseling, individual counseling, support groups, trauma therapy (EMDR), play therapy for children, safety planning, advocacy and resources/referrals. If you or someone you care about has been a victim of crime, contact the WRCNM's main office at (231) 347-0067.

NORTHERN MICHIGAN
Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan offers free playgroups for children 0-60 months and their preschool-age siblings. Playgroups help you learn about your child's developmental stages, learn new children's games/activities and share parenting concerns/experiences with other parents and the playgroup facilitator. Playgroups are held in various northern Michigan communities. For current playgroup locations/times, visit www.wrcnm.org or call (231) 347-0067.

BOYNE CITY 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.



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Downtown Charlevoix's newest boutique hotel opens

Located in the heart of downtown Charlevoix, Hotel Earl of Charlevoix has officially opened its doors today, setting a new standard for Northern Michigan hospitality. Silva Property Management purchased and developed the property. The design team encompassed northern Michigan experts in the hospitality industry. These include KLK Design, Shoreline Architecture and Hotel Investment Services, Inc.

Hotel Investment Services Inc (HIS), a Michigan based hotel management company is excited to announce the long-awaited opening. Fresh from a recent redesign, Hotel Earl of Charlevoix - named

after original architect, Earl Young, is a trendy boutique hotel with a chic and inviting vibe. More than a hotel, this mid-century modern getaway offers a nod to vintage history with a contemporary ambiance and a convenient location just steps from Round Lake and in the heart of Downtown Charlevoix.

The original hotel, known as Earl Young's Weatherlane Lodge, was built in 1959. Young constructed homes in the mid-century modern era of architecture and is known for his construction of Charlevoix Mushroom Homes, Boulder Park, and Boulder Manor. The design team was very passionate about preserving

much of the original architecture and details while incorporating new elements designed to emulate Young's original concept.

The hotel will continue to be owned by Paul and Jennie Silva. They will remain active in the oversight of the property. Paul Silva said, "I am thrilled to have the opportunity to continue the legacy of this property and am proud that we were able to embrace the origins of this hotel while creating a modern showpiece destination." Mr. Silva added "The hotel was designed to be a social hub for visitors and locals alike. The hotel will provide guests an unexpected yet authentic Northern Michigan

experience."

The hotel's 56 thoughtfully appointed guestrooms include the Earl Suite, the largest, most prized suite located on the third floor boasts a large balcony overlooking Michigan Ave with views of Round Lake. This space is designed for socializing with more than 1,500 square feet of living space featuring a bedroom, a full kitchen, a washer/dryer, two bathrooms, a large balcony and a living room with a fireplace.

Interior design elements include the use of live edge wood featured throughout the building including headboards, boardroom table and lobby communal tables. Custom millwork is showcased in the lobby bar area and vestibule providing a warm earthy character. Guestrooms feature bold quartz countertops, vintage, old-style Victrola Bluetooth radios, statement décor including hand painted murals by local artist Kris Beemsterboer and modern pops of color which embrace the origins of this stunning property.

Other stand-out features include a sophisticated boardroom and enhanced fitness center. The lobby wine bar will feature trendy hand-crafted cocktails and an extensive Michigan craft beer selection. Locally sourced pastries and a Higher

Grounds signature Hotel Earl coffee blend will be served for the hotel's continental breakfast. Coming soon will be the spectacular rooftop deck, indoor pool and outdoor hot tub.

"We are delighted to add Hotel Earl of Charlevoix to our collection of independent and branded properties," said HIS CEO, Ron Wilson. "The property will soon set the new standard of hospitality in Northern Michigan and we are excited to be part of this journey."

The Hotel Earl of Charlevoix is located at 120 Michigan Avenue. For info call (231) 547-6565 or visit <https://www.hotelearl.com>.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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

TO THE EDITOR,

Sometimes we forget to say thank you. The recent attack from the Gary Peters campaign against Betsy DeVos was wrong. I could only feel extremely sad and embarrassed. I, including many others in Michigan, should be saying thank you to the DeVos family. The DeVos family has given multiple contributions to Michigan over the years.

That includes the Beaver Island Community Center,

the Northern Michigan Dyslexia Center and serving on the Michigan State Board of Education. Let's not forget the Helen DeVos Children's Hospital along with many more.

What a sad place Michigan would be without the DeVos family.

Shame on you Gary Peters! Voters, remember this on Election Day.

Phyllis R. Haggard, a thankful voter
Charlevoix

Community Foundation and Health Department partner to provide school nurses

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Ten years ago, the Community Foundation was part of an effort to provide school nurses across Charlevoix County and recently made a grant to sustain that service for hundreds of local children.

"Healthcare services provided by school nurses are important in our local schools every day, and they are especially important today. We are so fortunate to be in a position to partner with the Health Department of Northwest Michigan to make these services a reality

for the benefit of our students and our school districts," explains Chip Hansen, president of the Charlevoix County Community Foundation.

A grant for \$130,000 from the Community Foundation will help the Health Department provide two full-time school nurses to serve in Boyne City, Boyne Falls, and East Jordan Public Schools for the 2020-2021 school year. Charlevoix Public Schools was able to fill the gap in health support on their own. Confirmed funding for the current school year will also provide time for the Health Department to engage with the school districts and other potential partners to explore collaborations aimed at sustaining the school nursing program for the longer term.

how to evaluate and treat health-related situations," says Pat Little, Boyne City Public Schools superintendent.

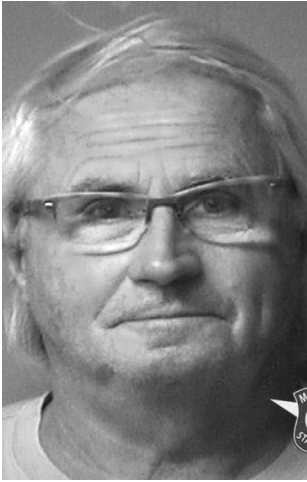
Beyond direct clinical care for students, "nurses work on policy, process, and systems change initiatives that benefit the entire school community," says Natalie Kasiborski of the Health Department of Northwest Michigan. This role might be especially relevant as the year continues. Schools have been in session – and in person – for a few weeks now, but the situation remains uncertain due to the COVID-19 pandemic. If schools close, the nurses will continue to serve as liaisons to the schools and support the COVID response. "Keeping health care providers in our schools for as long as school is in session is so important for our kids, and provides so much support for local educators," Mr. Hansen said, adding, "and, in the event that remote learning becomes the norm again, the nurses will continue to provide valuable advice and support to kids, families and our school leaders."

For more information about the grant-making process, establishing a fund, or making a gift, please contact the Charlevoix County Community Foundation at (231) 536-2440, or online at www.c3f.org.

A Tip Leads To The Arrest Of A Central Lake Man

ANTRIM COUNTY, MI. In early July 2020, the Michigan State Police (MSP) Gaylord Post requested the public's help identifying a suspect who had stolen construction supplies from a property owner in Banks Township. The property owner installed a trail camera and was able to obtain photographs of the perpetrator in action. The photographs were shared with the media in the news release.

A tip was received, and the suspect was identified as 70-year-old David Jules Vercammen of Central Lake. An arrest warrant was authorized by the Antrim County Prosecutor's Office. Vercammen was arraigned earlier this week in the 86th District Court in Antrim County for one misdemeanor count Larceny



DAVID JULES VERCAMMEN

Greater than \$199 but Less than \$1,000. Vercammen bond was set at \$100. His next scheduled court appearance is on September 30, 2020.



Boyne Falls Public Schools STUDENT OF THE WEEK

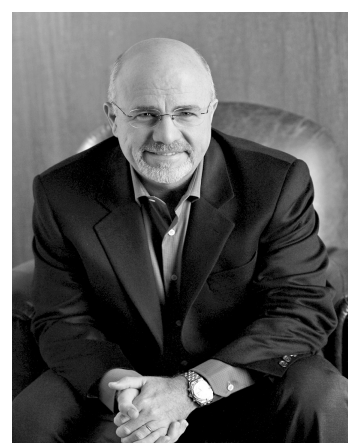


Shainna Grams

Grade: 6th grade
Parent's Name(s): Robert Grams & Sonya Zawistowski
Future Plans: Shainna would like to become a video game developer.
Favorite Book: The Wings of Fire series
Hobbies and Interests: Playing video games, reading, drawing and writing creative stories
School Activities: Spelling Bees at the local, county & regional levels
Staff Comments: Shainna has been working hard in her studies as an online remote learner, especially in math and language arts classes. She has worked diligently to fulfill the requirements for attendance, even putting in time on the weekends. Shainna takes pride in her work, and has allowed written pieces to be used as models for the middle school language arts classes. She has also proven herself a valuable team player as she represented us in the Knights of Columbus Spelling Bees last spring. We are proud to have Shainna on our Boyne Falls School team!

Submitted By: Dianna Brown, Teacher & 6th-12th Online Facilitator

DAVE Says



Dave Ramsey

(Use non-retirement account to pay off debt?)

Dear Dave,
 I have \$11,000 in a mutual fund account that is not a retirement account. My wife has a retirement account through her job as a teacher, but I do not have one at all. We're in Baby Step 2, so should we cash out the \$11,000 in the investment account to help pay off debt?
 Chris

Dear Chris,
 If this money is designated as non-retirement funds, I'd say go ahead and cash it out. Use the money to pay down debt, and continue to stay focused working the Baby Steps. Get that debt paid off, build an emergency fund of three to six months of expenses, then it's your turn to start investing.

The quickest way to build wealth is to get control of your largest wealth-building

tool—
 your income. When all your money is going out the door to other people, you don't have that tool at your disposal when it comes to important things like saving and investing. There's some math in there, but it's also about behavior and being intentional. Getting out of debt dramatically shortens the distance between you and wealth.

A lot of people are having some major "never again" moments right now in the wake of COVID-19 and all the other stuff 2020 has thrown at us. They're saying things like, "Never again will I be broke, never again will I have debt, and never again will I live with no savings to help take care of me and my family."

You can do this, Chris. Get after it!
 —Dave

(Handling debt collectors)

Dear Dave,
 Do you have suggestions

on
 how to interact with debt collectors? Sometimes they are reasonable and easy to work with, but others are rude and pushy. Your advice would be appreciated.

Paul

Dear Paul,
 You'll run into all sorts of collectors, no matter what kind of debt you have. Occasionally they are friendly and understanding, while others can be downright mean and nasty. Whatever their approach is, you have to keep in mind they're all after one thing—your money.

Most debt collectors prey on a person's emotions and lack of confidence. If you don't know your rights, they can scare you by using bogus threats. Understand what I'm saying here, Paul. If you have debt, you have a legal and moral obligation to pay it. At the same time, you need to calmly and confidently control these kinds of conversations. You might have made some financial mistakes, but that doesn't mean you should allow someone to abuse you.

When it comes to dealing

with debt collectors, keep track of all the calls and emails. Write down the names of anyone you talk to and when they called. A record of all contact is important, and it will make it easier to report them if they violate the federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act. If the collector agrees to settle the debt, get it in writing and keep the document as proof in case they "forget" they made the offer.

Also, be completely up to speed on your accounts. Know what you owe, who you owe, and have a record of all the payments you've made. Knowing the facts gives you the upper hand in any situation. Don't be intimidated by debt collectors, either. Calmly explain your situation, the reason you're behind on the debt, and how you plan to pay it off. Don't get emotional and let yourself get drawn into an argument or shouting match. If they insult you, or yell or curse at you—yes, this happens sometimes—hang up immediately.

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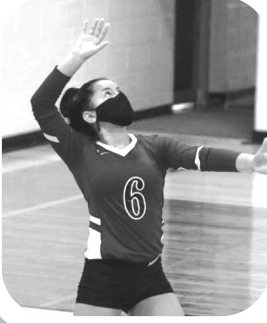
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athletes of the week



PATRIA MURIEL, CHARLEVOIX

Patria had a great all around game for the Rayders against TCSF, recording 34 digs, going 15-of-15 on serve receive and was a perfect 12-for-12 from the serving line.



AIDEN BREHM, BOYNE CITY

A first year football player, the Rambler senior caught two passes, each going for a touchdown in the home opener for Boyne.



KYLIE SKROCKI, EAST JORDAN

The Red Devil junior helped lead the team with solid play last week. For the week, Skrocki recorded a stat line of 29 kills, 12 aces, 35 digs, 18 assists and three blocks.

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The Boyne City defense wraps up a Kalkaska runner during first quarter play. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

Ramblers rack up yards in win over Blazers

FOOTBALL RESULTS

BY CHRIS FIEL

BOYNE CITY 60, KALKASKA 0

BOYNE CITY — Nothing like your own home field. The Boyne City Ramblers let that be known in their 60-0

route of Kalkaska at Earl Brotherson Field on September 25 in front of the allowed limited number of attendees.

All in all, Boyne would finish with 309 yards of total offense and picked up their first victory of the season to improve to 1-1.

The Ramblers seemed to have their way with the Blazers throughout most of the night, racking up a 40-0 lead at halftime and a running clock in the second prevented the damage from

being any worse.

Sophomore quarterback Jack Neer had a good night, completing 5-of-8 passes for 40 yards and two touchdowns, one to junior Aaron Bess and another to senior Aiden Brehm. Bess also threw a scoring pass to Brehm in the first half.

Junior Bobby Hoth added 66 yards rushing on seven carries and a pair of scores from eight and three yards out respectively, Jacob Bush finished with a 38-yard touchdown on nine attempts

for 121 yards, Kaden Jewett added 56 yards and two touchdowns and Bess picked up a rushing TD to go with his 42 yards.

Defensively, Bush finished with four tackles and an interception on the last Blazer play of the game, Jackie Belcher added four tackles and Bess, Gavin Hewitt and Mason Wilcox all picked off passes.

Boyne welcomes rival Charlevoix on Friday October 2.



Rambler Kaden Jewett (6) finds some running room against the Blazers. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



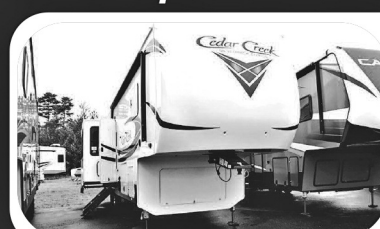
Rambler Bobby Hoth (8) scores early on to help get Boyne City rolling on the night. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Boyne City senior, Aiden Brehm (12) celebrates with teammate Thomas Bunker (53) following his second touchdown of the night. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

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Rayders top Glads in 5 sets



BY CHRIS FIEL

CHARLEVOIX — Familiar foe, great match, better results.

That would be the case in regards to the Rayder volleyball teams performance against TC St. Francis on September 22, when Charlevoix downed the Lady Gladiators in five sets, 25-11, 18-25, 25-22, 19-25 and 15-10.

“Came away with a huge win for the girls!” Charlevoix coach Audra Randall said. “It’s a great win for the girls and they really played their hearts out tonight. Even in the tough times they stayed in tune and stayed level headed.”

In the opening set, the Rayders came out focused and played hard, winning 25-11, but TCSF found their groove in the second set, taking that one 18-25. Charlevoix rebounded with strong play in the third as they walked away victorious, 25-22.

The Lady Glads would not go down easy as both teams went on runs and then responded to each other’s competitive play, but a few too many Rayder miscues late would allow TCSF to earn the set 19-25. The fifth and final set of the night was tight early on as the two teams battled to 5-5, 6-6 and 7-7 ties, before Charlevoix was able to get a little breathing room and pushed their advantage to 11-7. St. Francis would pull to within 12-10, but an ace by Rayder Cam Turkelson at point 13 would take the wind out of the Gladiator sails and Charlevoix would close out the set on the next point.

“A great team win for the girls!” Coach Randall noted. “(I’m) so proud of the leadership by Zoe Brodin, Avery Zipp and Patria Muriel.”

Brodin finished with 36 assists, four kills and 10 digs; Zipp recorded 13 kills, 27 digs, three aces, and was 21-of-22 on serve receive; and Muriel added 34 digs, 15-of-15 on serve receive and served a perfect 12-for-12 to lead the way.

Also for Charlevoix, Claire Scholten had four kills, three blocks, 17 digs, two aces, and went 17-of-18 on serve receive; Taylor Petrosky, five kills, 18 digs and three blocks; Grace Lentz added nine kills and five digs; Anna Haf, six kills, 10 digs; Turkelson served two aces and added 19 digs.

The Rayders moved to 18-2 on the season, 3-0 in Lake Michigan Conference play.

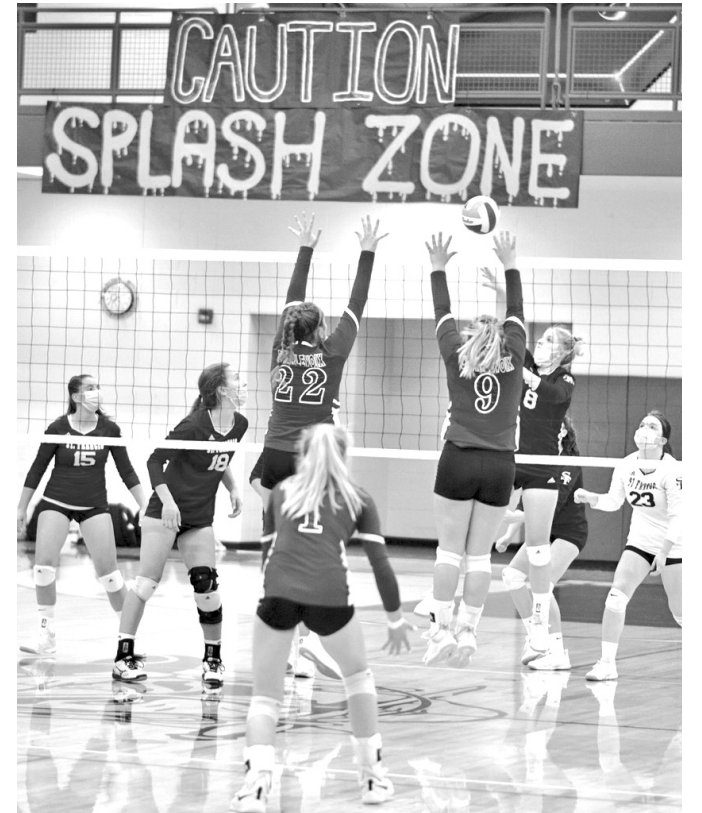


Rayders Taylor Petrosky (12) and Claire Scholetn (1) double team a block and made it difficult for the Gladiators all evening. (Photo courtesy Doretta Brodin)

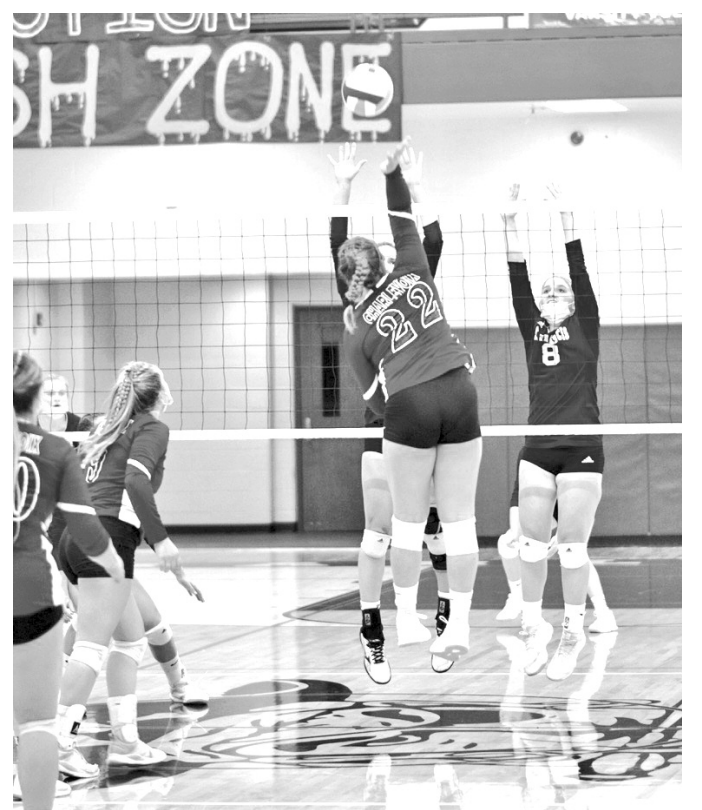
Senior Zoe Brodin (9) was on point with her passing for Charlevoix. (Courtesy Photo)



Rayder senior, Avery Zipp (20) brought her power game and St. Francis got a first hand taste of it. (Photo courtesy Doretta Brodin)



Grace Lentz (22) and Zoe Brodin (9) elevate to block a TCSF kill attempt. (Photo courtesy Doretta Brodin)



Charlevoix's Grace Lentz (22) slams a kill shot against St. Francis. (Photo courtesy Doretta Brodin)

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Two games, two wins for Rayders

FOOTBALL RESULTS

BY CHRIS FIEL

CHARLEVOIX 24, MANCELONA 8

MANCELONA — While not as easy of a task as the season opener, the result was the same.

The Charlevoix football team is off to a great start (2-0) as they head this upcoming week to meet rival Boyne City.

On September 25, the Rayders took down Mancelona, 24-8 and had to grind out the win, proving to themselves that they didn't need to blow out opponents much like they did in week 1.

Charlevoix got on the scoreboard first as Phil Sterrett rumbled in for a four-yard touchdown run.

The Ironmen would strike next and take an 8-6 lead.

The Rayders would tack on another score before the half as receiver Evan Solomon hauled in a 56-yard scoring strike from Caleb Stuck for a 12-8 advantage headed into the break.

Neither team could get much going in the third, but Charlevoix would open things up a bit in the final 12 minutes of play as Patrick Sterrett caught a 28-yard toss



Charlevoix Rayders junior Max Ostrum (5) powers through Mancelona Ironmen defense Mason Crandall (20) and Trace Miller (11) at Mancelona Friday, September 25. The Rayders had a 24-8 victory over the Ironmen. Photo: Joanie Moore/joaniemore.com

from Stuck and raced into the endzone and then he (Sterrett) would intercept an Ironman pass on the ensuing Mancelona possession and returned it 28 yards to the

house for a defensive score. For the night, Stuck would throw for 139 yards on 7-of-11 passing and a pair of TDs. "We were happy with how our kids responded in the

second half," Rayder coach Don Jess said. "Mancelona is a good football team and it's always nice to get that first road win of the season." On the defensive side, Luke

Snyder paced a balanced attack with 13 tackles, while Dimitrii Bell-Chavez had seven tackles, Jack Herzog five stops and Patrick Sterrett made four tackles to

go with a pair of interceptions (one for a score).

Red Devils edged by Eagles in 5 sets



BY CHRIS FIEL

EAST JORDAN — The East Jordan volleyball team had a

rough go of it against Belaire on September 24, having to battle to overcome unforced errors and nearly pulled it off.

The match went five sets, but the Eagles were just too much for EJ, 21-25, 25-13, 23-25, 25-20 and 13-15.

"Our serve-receive was the best statistically by far; we have worked hard on passing accuracy and consistency and it is paying off," Red Devil coach Laura Snyder said. "We made more mis-

takes at the net than we have in the past, which hurt us tonight. It was a tough loss; based on scores and talent, we definitely could have taken this match, but we didn't dig up as many hits as we could have and were not as tough offensively as we typically are, which made the difference tonight."

Haley Gibson was all over the court, leading EJ with 31 digs, 30 assists, four kills and an ace, Kylie Skrocki added 17 digs, 16 kills and four aces

and Julia Trojanek recorded 39 digs.

Also for EJ, Evelyn Diller added 14 kills, six digs and three aces; Sophie Snyder made 12 kills, three digs, three blocks and an ace; Lindsey Cross had seven kills, seven digs, four aces, four blocks and one assist.

Kyleigh McDuffie chipped in with nine digs and five aces and Katey Black had nine digs; Anna Richards had seven kills and three digs, Emma Richards made

six digs and Rhyen Olsen added three digs.

"I am extremely proud of this team, despite the loss because of their "never say die" grit that they showed tonight," the coach added. "They played hard for five full sets and never let up. That drive will help us to keep working hard as we move into more league matches."

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Red Devils fall short against Rams

BY CHRIS FIEL

HARBOR SPRINGS 30, EAST JORDAN 8

HARBOR SPRINGS — Flying high off a tough season opening weekend, the East Jordan football team was brought back down from the clouds, temporarily.

On September 25, East Jordan dropped a 30-8 contest to Harbor Springs on the Rams homecoming contest to fall to 1-1 on the season.

Harbor got out to a 14-0 first half lead behind the strong arm and legs of Grant Richardson.

EJ however would not make it easy as Dawson Olstrom connected with Tom Reid Jr. to cut the Harbor advantage to 14-6. The Red Devils would pick up a safety a short time later to pull to 14-8.

The Rams would then tack on 16 unanswered points via the running game and a made field goal for the final scoring.

"We had some opportunities with the ball inside the 10-yard line a couple times and didn't do what we needed to do," East Jordan coach Greg Kitson said. "We also had four turnovers and you can't do that against a team like Harbor. Give them credit, they made the plays. We need to regroup and come out next week. It is a short season, but it is still early."

Olstrom led the ground game with 35 yard, while Carter Sherman had seven receptions for 47 yards and Reid hauled in the 10 yard touchdown.

Lee Nemecek was the leading tackler for the Red Devil defense with 11, while Zander Johncheck and Caleb Boyer each added nine stops and Keenan O'Neill had seven.



East Jordan's Lindsey Cross (12) waits for the pass to come down while teammate Anna Richards (24) looks on. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Red Devil sophomore Sophie Snyder (10) serves up a point for EJ. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

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CONFERENCE STANDINGS BOYS SOCCER

BIG NORTH CONFERENCE

TEAM	CONF	OVR
TC WEST	5-0	11-1-1
TC CENTRAL	4-1	9-1-2
PETOSKEY	2-2-1	6-2-2
CADILLAC	2-2-1	4-4-2
GAYLORD	1-4	5-7-2
ALPENA	0-5	7-7-1

LAKE MICHIGAN CONFERENCE

TEAM	CONF	OVR
ELK RAPIDS	6-0-1	11-2-4
BOYNE CITY	4-0-3	8-4-3
GRAYLING	5-3-1	7-3-2
HARBOR SPRINGS	3-3-1	6-4-2
KALKASKA	1-5	1-10-1
CHARLEVOIX	0-7	1-11-1

NORTHERN MICH SOCCER LEAGUE (BOYS - NORTH)

TEAM	CONF	OVR
ROSCOMMON	7-3-1	8-4-1
CHEBOYGAN	3-4	6-7-1

CONFERENCE STANDINGS FOOTBALL

BIG NORTH CONFERENCE

TEAM	CONF	OVR
CADILLAC	2-0	2-0
TC CENTRAL	2-0	2-0
PETOSKEY	1-1	1-1
TC WEST	1-1	1-1
ALPENA	0-2	0-2
GAYLORD	0-2	0-2

NORTHERN MICHIGAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE-LEGENDS

TEAM	CONF	OVR
KINGSLEY	2-0	2-0
SAULT	1-0	2-0
BENZIE CENTRAL	1-1	1-1
OGEMAW HEIGHTS	1-1	1-1
ST FRANCIS	1-1	1-1
GRAYLING	0-1	1-1
CHEBOYGAN	0-2	0-2

NORTHERN MICHIGAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE-LEGACY

TEAM	CONF	OVR
HARBOR SPRINGS	2-0	2-0
FRANKFORT	1-0	1-1
JOBURG-LEWISTON	0-0	2-0
EAST JORDAN	0-1	1-1
ST IGNACE	0-2	0-2

NORTHERN MICHIGAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE-LEADERS

TEAM	CONF	OVR
GLEN LAKE	2-0	2-0
CHARLEVOIX	1-0	2-0
BOYNE CITY	1-1	1-1
ELK RAPIDS	0-1	0-2
KALKASKA	0-1	0-2
MANCELONA	0-1	0-2

NORTH STAR LEAGUE

TEAM	CONF	OVR
POSEN	2-0	2-0
ATLANTA	1-0	1-1
HALE	1-1	1-1
HILLMAN	1-1	1-1
AU GRES-SIMS	0-2	0-2
MIO	0-1	0-2

SKI VALLEY CONFERENCE

TEAM	CONF	OVR
GAYLORD ST MARY	2-0	2-0
PELLSTON	2-0	2-0
ONAWAY	1-0	2-0
BELLAIRE	0-2	0-2
CENTRAL LAKE	0-1	0-2
FOREST AREA	0-2	0-2

STATE RANKINGS GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

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 1 MERCY
 2 LOWELL
 3 MARIAN
 4 BYRON CENTER
 5 LAKE ORION
 6 FHC
 7 AA SKYLINE
 8 CLARKSTON
 9 NORTHVILLE
 10 TRAVERSE CITY WEST
 HONORABLE MENTION: GRAND HAVEN, NOVI, SALINE, STONEY CREEK, UTICA
 EISENHOWER, BLOOMFIELD HILLS

DIV. 2 TEAM
 1 GR CHRISTIAN
 2 LAKEWOOD
 3 NOTRE DAME PREP
 4 MONTAGUE
 5 COUNTRY DAY
 6 CADILLAC
 7 NORTH BRANCH
 8 GRAND RAPIDS CATHOLIC CENTRAL
 9 HAMILTON
 10 FOREST HILLS EASTERN
 HONORABLE MENTION: COOPERSVILLE, AIRPORT, CORUNNA, REGINA, MARSHALL, BIRCH RUN

DIV. 3 TEAM
 1 ST. MARY CATHOLIC CENTRAL
 2 SCHOOLCRAFT
 3 BEAVERTON
 4 WEST MICHIGAN CHRISTIAN
 5 BRONSON

6 CHARLEVOIX
 7 HUDSON
 8 NORTH MUSKEGON
 9 SAGINAW VALLEY LUTHERAN
 10 TRAVERSE CITY ST. FRANCIS
 HONORABLE MENTION: BEAL CITY, CALUMET, MORLEY STANWOOD

DIV. 4 TEAM
 1 MENDON
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10. PETOSKEY

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 1. TRAVERSE CITY ST. FRANCIS
 10. BENZIE CENTRAL
 14. HARBOR SPRINGS
 HONORABLE MENTION: CHARLEVOIX

LOWER PENINSULA DIVISION 4
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 9. PETOSKEY ST. MICHAEL

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 11. TRAVERSE CITY WEST

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 1. EAST GRAND RAPIDS

2. PETOSKEY
5. CADILLAC

LOWER PENINSULA DIVISION 3
 1. HART
 2. BENZIE CENTRAL
 7. TRAVERSE CITY ST. FRANCIS

LOWER PENINSULA DIVISION 4
 1. KALAMAZOO CHRISTIAN
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1	CLEMSON (55)	1,542	1	2-0	17	OKLAHOMA STATE	555	15	2-0
2	ALABAMA (3)	1,473	2	1-0	18	OKLAHOMA	535	3	1-1
3	FLORIDA	1,324	5	1-0	19	*WISCONSIN	510	NR	0-0
4	GEORGIA	1,310	4	1-0	20	LSU	401	6	0-1
5	NOTRE DAME	1,231	7	2-0	21	TENNESSEE	377	16	1-0
6	*OHIO STATE (4)	1,169	NR	0-0	22	BRIGHAM YOUNG	295	18	2-0
7	AUBURN	1,133	8	1-0	23	*MICHIGAN	277	NR	0-0
8	MIAMI (FLA.)	1,045	12	3-0	24	PITTSBURGH	248	21	3-0
9	TEXAS	862	8	2-0	25	MEMPHIS	196	17	1-0
10	*PENN STATE	840	NR	0-0					
11	UCF	743	13	2-0					
12	NORTH CAROLINA	734	11	1-0					
13	TEXAS A&M	705	10	1-0					
14	*OREGON	651	NR	0-0					
15	CINCINNATI	646	14	2-0					

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INDIANAPOLIS AT CHICAGO 1:00PM CBS	NEW ENGLAND AT KANSAS CITY 4:25PM CBS
JACKSONVILLE AT CINCINNATI 1:00PM CBS	BUFFALO AT LAS VEGAS 4:25PM CBS
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NFC SOUTH	AFC NORTH	AFC EAST
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ATLANTA FALCONS030	CINCINNATI BENGALS021	NEW YORK JETS 030
NFC NORTH	AFC WEST	
GREEN BAY PACKERS300	KANSAS CITY CHIEFS300	
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
CITY OF EAST JORDAN PLANNING COMMISSION

The East Jordan Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, October 8, 2020, at 5:30 p.m. to hear any comments or concerns regarding a proposed zoning district ordinance change. The proposed zoning district ordinance change is to AMEND AND REPLACE CHAPTER 46 ZONING, ARTICLE VII OFF STREET PARKING, LOADING AND UNLOADING

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The Public Hearing will be held at City Hall, 201 Main Street, East Jordan, MI, 49727. Any written comments may be addressed to City of East Jordan, C/O City Clerk, PO BOX 499, East Jordan, MI 49727.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
CITY OF EAST JORDAN PLANNING COMMISSION
REZONING REQUEST

The City of East Jordan Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, October 8, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. regarding the proposed ZONING MAP district changes from R-3 (Multiple Family) to R-1 (Single Family Residential) and I (Industrial) to R-1 (Single Family Residential). Your property may be affected and a listing of the affected properties can be found on our website or at City Hall.

The Planning Commission will receive public comments on this proposed Zoning Map Rezoning on Thursday, October 8, 2020 at 5:30 PM via Zoom. Individuals unable to attend the Public Hearing may submit written comments to: East Jordan Planning Commission, c/o City Clerk, POB 499, East Jordan, MI 49727.

The Public wishing to participate during the public hearings or public comment section of the meeting or view the meeting electronically, may call the toll-free call-in number: 877 853 5257 or use ZOOM and use Meeting ID: 872 1164 7536.

The draft rezoning map is available for review at City Hall during normal business hours.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY NOVEMBER 3, 2020 FOR ALL OF THE CITIES & TOWNSHIPS IN CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX;

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any qualified elector of any of the above- mentioned who is not already registered, may register to vote at the office of the City or Township Clerk; the office of the County Clerk; a Secretary of State branch office, or other designated state agency. Registration forms can be obtained at mi.gov/vote and mailed to the City or Township Clerk. Voters who are already registered may update their registration at www.expressSOS.com.

The last day to register in any other manner other than in-person with the local clerk is **Monday, October 19, 2020.**

After this date, anyone who qualifies as an elector may register to vote in person with proof of residency (MCL168.492) at the local Clerk's offices listed below:

- Bay Township Hall.....05045 Boyne City Rd, Boyne City, MI 49712
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Sunday, November 1, 2020, 12 p.m.-4 p.m.
- Boyne Valley Township Hall.....2489 Railroad Street, Boyne Falls, MI 49713
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.
- Chandler Township Hall.....07620 Chandler Hill Road, Boyne Falls, MI 49713
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 1 p.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday, November 1, 2020, 2 p.m.-6 p.m.
- Charlevoix Township Hall.....12491 Waller Rd, Charlevoix, MI 49720
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.
- Evangeline Township Hall.....02746 Wildwood Harbor Rd, Boyne City, MI 49712
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Eveline Township Hall.....08525 Ferry Rd, East Jordan, MI 49727
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
- Hayes Township Hall.....09195 Old US 31, Charlevoix, MI 49720
Special Hours Saturday, October 31, 2020, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Sunday, November 1, 2020, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Hudson Township.....4621 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, MI 49795
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- Marion Township.....01362 Matchett Rd, Charlevoix, MI 49720
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- Melrose Township Hall.....04289 M-75 N, Walloon Lake, MI 49796
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- Norwood Township.....19975 Center St, Charlevoix, MI 49720
Special Hours Sunday, November 1, 2020, 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Peaine Township Hall.....36825 Kings Highway, Beaver Island, MI 49782
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- Wilson Township Hall.....02530 Fall Park Rd, Boyne City, MI 49712
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- Boyne City Hall.....319 N. Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712
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- Vice-President of the United States
- United States Senator
- 1st District Representative in Congress
- 105th District State Representative
- Members of the State Board of Education
- Regent of the University of Michigan
- Trustee of Michigan State University
- Governor of Wayne State University
- County Commissioner – Districts 1 through 6
- County Clerk
- County Prosecutor
- County Treasurer
- County Sheriff
- County Register of Deeds
- County Surveyor
- County Drain Commissioner
- All Township Supervisors
- All Township Treasurers
- All Township Clerks
- All Township Trustees
- Constable (Boyne Valley Township)
- Justice of the Supreme Court
- Judge of the Court of Appeals 4th District
- Judge of Circuit Court 33rd Circuit
- Judge of District Court 90th District
- Intermediate School Board Members
- Local School Board Members

And to vote on the following proposal (s): (if any)

- State Proposal 20-1
- State Proposal 20-2
- City of Charlevoix Proposal 1
Use City Golf Course Vacant Land for Housing
- City of Charlevoix Proposal 2
Amendment to the City Charter Airport Hanger Lease Term
- City of Charlevoix Proposal 3
Amendment to the City Charter Publish Summary of Adopted Ordinances
- City of Charlevoix Proposal 4
Amendment to the City Charter City Clerk and Assessor to Attend Board of Review Meetings Upon Request
- Crooked Tree District Library Proposal for Library Millage
- Boyne Falls Public Schools Sinking Fund Millage Proposal
- BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS SINKING FUND MILLAGE PROPOSAL 2 MILLS FOR 10 YEARS
Full text of the ballot proposition may be obtained at the administrative offices of Boyne Falls Public Schools, 01662 M-75 South, Boyne Falls, Michigan 49713-0356, telephone: (231) 549-2211.
- VANDERBILT AREA SCHOOLS SINKING FUND PROPOSAL
- VANDERBILT AREA SCHOOLS OPERATING MILLAGE PROPOSAL
- CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL

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DOES YOUR INSURANCE POLICY COVER ROOF DAMAGE

The easiest way to know what's covered or what's not, is to contact your insurance provider. Coverage will often depend on the age of your roof, the area you live in, and many other factors, so it's important to know the specifics of your policy.

Most homeowner insurance policies will provide coverage for roof damage caused by unpreventable reasons such as vandalism or fire. Disastrous "acts of God" such as hurricanes and tornadoes are also usually covered. Although wind, rain, and hail are covered by your home insurance policy, there are many factors that determine if your damage will be covered, and if so, how much you will be reimbursed. The same basics that apply to your roof, may apply to your exterior property as well. Exterior property is considered anything that is attached to the outside structure of your home, such as siding and gutters.

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Some policies take the age of your roof into account at the time it is damaged. For example, if your roof is under 10 years old, you may be covered for the full cost of repairing or replacing the damaged section of your roof at the time of the claim. If your roof is over 10 years old, you may only be reimbursed for the depreciated value of the damaged roof. The depreciated value takes the aging and wearing of your roof into account, meaning its value has decreased prior to any damage occurring. Depending on where you live, some policies will only offer roof damage coverage up to the depreciated value, regardless of the age of your roof. Other policies will cover the full cost of repairing or replacing the damaged section of your roof at the time of the claim, regardless of the age of your roof. In most cases, your insurance company will send an inspector to your home to investigate and verify your claim. If the damage is determined to be from aging, wear and tear, or poor condition of your roof, it will typically be considered normal main-

tenance, and will not be covered under your policy.

In some instances, water damage due to flooding or surface water, might have to be covered under an additional policy. Mold caused by continued water damage or leaking, for example, also may not be covered by your insurance policy. Preventing leaks and inspecting your property are crucial responsibilities of the homeowner and could help avoid unnecessary damage. If you are experiencing leaking due to a damaged roof, promptly remove any furniture or other belongings that could sustain water damage.

Replacing a roof or other exterior property can be a time consuming and expensive process. That's why it's important to take certain steps to prevent damage from occurring.

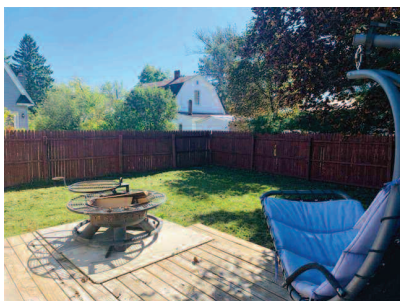
Get your roof inspected by a trained professional who can identify areas that may need immediate repair. Replace broken and worn shingles. Consider using impact-resistant shingles, which may be more expensive at first, but are designed to resist damage from hail, saving you money in the long run. Remove any dead trees from around your property that could potentially fall onto your home.

To ease the experience of the claims process and to help you receive proper settlement for your loss, take a set of "before" photos of your roof and exterior property. Update the photos whenever you have maintenance or repairs done. After damage occurs, take a set of "after" photos. Document and record the damage as well as any estimates, invoices and bills you receive. Having all of this information on file will help ensure a smooth and hassle-free claims process.

Overall, it's important to remember that all insurance companies cover roof and exterior property damage differently. Even the same company can vary coverage drastically by state or the age of your roof or property. Policies also differ in coverage limits, deductibles and certain exclusions. The only way to be certain of what your policy covers, is to speak with your insurance provider about the details.

Real Estate Feature Property

BEAUTIFULLY UPDATED RANCH HOME IN EAST JORDAN



BY JIM AKANS

This week's featured listing is a beautifully updated ranch-style home in a fabulous East Jordan location.

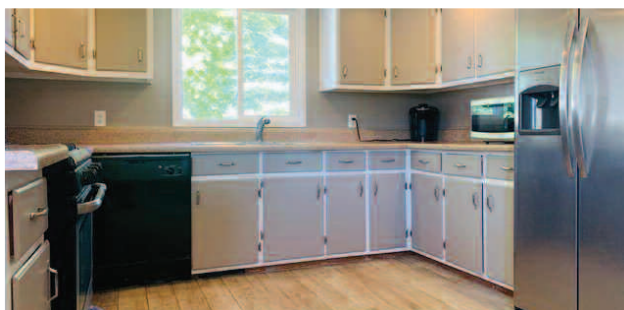
This "stick-built" three-bedroom, two bath home has approximately 1,144 square feet of space on the main level plus a remodeled full basement. Interior highlights include a gorgeous

kitchen with new tile and newer appliances, there is new paint and trim throughout, many of the fixtures are new, and there is stunning hardwood flooring. The lower level includes a huge family room and remodeled bath. Other updates include a new water heater, many new windows and a new roof just a few years ago.

A carport keeps your vehicle protected from the weather. The fenced back yard is great for pets and an open deck is perfect for relaxing or enter-

taining. This home is close to the elementary school and parks and downtown East Jordan is just a short stroll away. What a fantastic location!

This beautifully updated ranch home is located at 406 Nicholls Street in East Jordan and it is listed at \$164,900. For more information or to arrange a home tour, call Jennifer Burr, Realtor, at Coldwell Banker Schmidt, 231 Water Street in Boyne City, at 231-582-6554 or email at jennifer.burr@cbgreatlakes.com.



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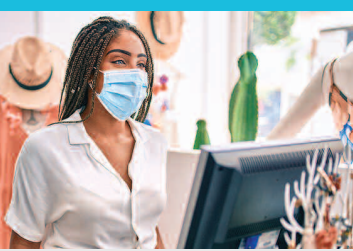
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