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Charlevoix Public Library to Host Charlevoix Mayoral Candidate Forum

Listen to and meet the City of Charlevoix Mayoral Candidates on Thursday, September 29 at 5:30 pm at the Charlevoix Public Library. The forum will feature Dennis Halverson and Lyle Gennett, running for City of Charlevoix Mayor, along with networking opportunities with the City of Charlevoix Ward 1, 2, & 3 Councilmember candidates (each running unopposed). The candidates will be answering prepared questions

as well as questions submitted from the audience prior to the forum beginning. Scott T. LaDeur, Ph.D., Professor of Political Science, North Central Michigan College will moderate for the evening. The forum is a partnership between the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce and the Charlevoix Public Library, and was launched from the desire of both organizations to inform voters of each candi-

date's stances on a variety of topics affecting the City. Sarah Van Horn, President of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce, commented, "A vital role of the Chamber is to provide educational opportunities to our membership and our community. Through this partnership with the Charlevoix Public Library, we are able to fulfill that role as we host our Candidates for City of Charlevoix voters to meet, listen to, and

gain a better understanding of their role in our community." Library officials also look forward to the forum because it aligns with the organizations goals, said Library Director Ryan Deery. "We are excited to be able to partner with the Chamber of Commerce to provide our community the chance to get to know their candidates and future public officials," Deery said. "The

library aims to be an informational and educational hub of the community, this definitely achieves that." For more information about this or other library events visit the library at www.charlevoixlibrary.org or call 231.237.7340. For more information about this or other Chamber events, please visit the Chamber of Commerce at www.charlevoix.org or call 231.547.2101.



FALL Festival
EAST JORDAN TOURIST PARK
LAST SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER

Fall Fest next weekend September 23 & 24

East Jordan Fall Fest is a Northern Michigan community event, to celebrate and give back after a long summer season has come to an end. The Fall Fest takes place and is sponsored by the East Jordan Tourist Park and takes place Friday and Saturday, September 23 and 24. The events begin

Friday at 5pm and all day Saturday. 2022 marks our 7th year hosting this wonderful event and we have been growing steadily. This is a family-friendly festival that involves live music, food and drinks, vendors, a Co-Ed softball and cornhole tournament. We have activities for kids including yard games, face

painting, arts and crafts, hay wagon rides, bounce houses, live busker performances, magicians, and much more. Fall Fest is hosted by the East Jordan Tourist Park, encouraging all participants to camp for the weekend, allowing for easy access throughout the day's events, with trick-or-

treating and campsite decoration competitions Saturday night. Over the past few years, we have steadily grown to over 2,000 participants! Fall Fest is a donation-based festival with no charge for admission.



Charlevoix To Celebrate Michigan Downtown Day in September

Downtown Charlevoix is excited to announce their celebration plans for Michigan Downtown Day on Saturday, September 24, 2022. This third annual Downtown Day is aimed to honor and support downtowns and all the small businesses located within. The Michigan Downtown Association (MDA) made the push with Governor Whitmer in 2020 to officially claim the fourth Saturday in September as Downtown Day. "Downtowns, and their small businesses, deserve to be celebrated for they distinguish a community, are the drivers of economic development, and help to offer a sense of place that contribute significantly to the quality of life for the residents," Dana Walker, Director of the MDA said. Knowing that downtown businesses create jobs, commerce, and investment, Downtown Charlevoix is planning a special celebration for Downtown Day by giving away downtown dollar gift cards to seven lucky winners. How to enter: purchase a Downtown Dollars Gift Card of any value on September 24th - winners will be randomly selected to win additional downtown dollars ranging in value between \$10 - \$50. Simply visit and click "DOWNTOWN DOLLARS" at the top of the website. Winners will be notified & announced on September 26th. "We see the great importance of supporting our small businesses and downtown. Now more than ever, they deserve a day dedicated to them so our local community (and beyond) can come out and say thank you by shopping, dining,

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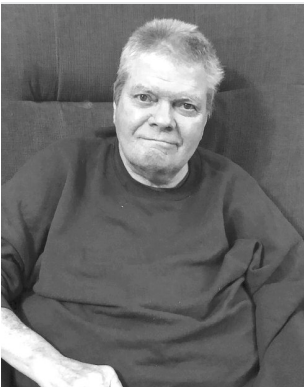
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19	...	66	46	...	84	1955	...	28	2020
20	...	65	45	...	81	1998	...	27	1956
21	...	65	45	...	87	2017	...	28	1956
22	...	64	45	...	80	2017	...	26	1981
23	...	64	44	...	89	2017	...	24	1981

OBITUARIES

Louis Hand, 83

(DEC. 12, 1938 - SEPT. 6, 2022)



Louis Hand of Petoskey died September 6, 2022 at Boulder Park in Charlevoix. Services were held at Stackus Funeral Home in Boyne City September 10th, 2022. The Rev. David Behling officiated and burial in Greenwood Cemetery in Petoskey.

Louis was born December 12th, 1938 in Petoskey, Michigan the son of Millard and Alta (Bailey) Hand. He grew up in Bayshore and attended school at Petoskey High School. On August 24, 1968 he married Elizabeth Hannam in Kaleva, Michigan. Louis worked as a dairy farmer from childhood until late in life. He worked for many years at the Marathon gas station in Petoskey and later, his own firewood business until his retirement. Louis enjoyed fishing, spending time with his wife and family, and especially playing cards with his beloved granddaughter, Samantha.

Louis was preceded in

death by his wife, Elizabeth, parents Millard and Alta, and several of his siblings. He is survived by sons James (Jennifer) and Christopher, granddaughter Samantha, and several siblings.

Ronald "Pete" Lyle Prebble, 74

(AUGUST 23, 1948 - SEPT. 5, 2022)



Ronald Lyle Prebble, better known as Pete, of Canton, North Carolina (formerly of East Jordan, Michigan,) passed away on September 5, 2022 at Mission Hospital in Asheville, North Carolina.

Pete was born on August 23, 1948 in Petoskey, Michigan, the third son of Lewis and Iva Prebble, who preceded him in death.

After graduating from East Jordan High School in 1966 Pete worked at the East Jordan Iron Works until he was drafted into the Army in April of 1968. He served two years in the army, a

year of which was in Vietnam in the 87th Infantry Division as a Staff Sergeant. Pete received the Army Commendation Medal and Bronze Star while serving in Vietnam.

Pete joined Champion International Paper Mill, now known as Evergreen Packaging, in Canton, NC on May 2nd of 1983 and worked there until he retired on November 1st, 2020 as their MRO and Transportation Manager.

He enjoyed fishing, hiking, gardening, reading, bird watching, summer visits with family and friends in East Jordan and spending time with his faithful Yellow Labrador Retriever companion, Krispy.

Other survivors include siblings Bob (Jane) Prebble of Boyne City, MI, Suzi (Bob) Hart of North Tonawanda, NY and sister-in-law Beth Prebble of East Jordan. A brother Raymond predeceased him in June of this year. He is also survived by his long time special and close friend, Lynn Perry and step-daughter Christi Ferguson and her children, Taylor, Tori, and Mylie as well as several nieces and nephews and cousins.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Sarge's Animal Rescue Foundation, Inc., 256B Industrial Park Dr. Waynesville, NC 28786 or St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 99 Academy Street, Canton, NC 28716.

There will be a small family gathering at a later date as per his request.

degree from Michigan State University.

He had taught high school for a total of ten years, including Ellsworth High School, Lincoln Alcona High School and Hesperia High School. Later he took up masonry and construction field from 1980.

On October 2, 1985, in Las Vegas, Nevada, he married Janet Sue Billman.

Phillip is survived by his wife of 36 years, Janet Sue Osterman of East Jordan; two daughters, Lori Barrie of Kalkaska and Lisa Dean of East Jordan; 6 grandchildren, Cody Dean, Jazon LaFleche, Connor Dean, Autumn (Justin) Baynton, James Moore, Bella Barrie; two brothers, Ken (Anita) Osterman of Fremont and John (Sue) Osterman of White Cloud; three sisters, Christine Osterman of Hesperia, Lora (Jerry) Dickinson of Fremont and Barbara Hines of Show Low, Arizona; as well as several niece and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; one grandson, Joshua Standen; and one brother, Robert Osterman.

No services are scheduled at this time.

The family was serviced by the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan.

dan for most of his life but recently resided in Elmira. He worked for the East Jordan Iron Works, now known as EJ, USA, Inc., for 38 years. He retired as plant manager in 1997.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and his family. He loved artistic repurposing. He was also a farmer. He was a member of St Joseph Catholic Church in East Jordan as well as St. Matthews Catholic Church in Boyne City.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara Mumich of Elmira; five children, Janet Krussell of Zephyrhills, Florida, Marge Marker (Sam Makarewicz) of Elmira, Stephen M. Mumich III of Midland, Eileen (Tom) Dickey, Churchton, Maryland and Barry Mumich of East Jordan; twenty one grandchildren; thirty three great grandchildren; seven great, great grandchildren; and two sisters, Ruth Ann Fredlund of Kansas and Genevieve Borowiak of Gaylor. He was preceded in death by one infant son, Matthew Kenneth Mumich on December 31, 1961; one daughter, Theresa "Terri" Barbara Mumich on November 12, 1972; one brother, Edward Mumich; and one sister, Dorthey Hublick.

A memorial mass was celebrated on Friday, September 9, 2022, at St. Matthews Catholic Church in Boyne City. Rev. Fr. Dennis Stilwell will officiate with military honors following at Maple Lawn Cemetery in Boyne City.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to Employee Appreciation at Brookdale Midland AFC Home, 4004 Waldo Ave., Midland Michigan 49642-6571. In Memory of Stephen "Steve" Mumich.

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Stephen "Steve" M. Mumich, Jr., 88 (FEB. 1, 1934 - AUG. 28, 2022)

Stephen "Steve" Michael Mumich Jr. of Elmira and formerly of East Jordan, passed away on Sunday, August 28, 2022, in Midland, Michigan.

He was born on February 1, 1934, in Boyne Falls, Michigan, the son of Stephen Michael, Sr. and Anna Genevieve (Tesluck) Mumich. He graduated from Boyne Falls High School in 1952.

He married his wife of 69 years, Barbara Lee LaForest on February 14, 1953, at St. Matthews Catholic Church in Boyne City.

Stephen served in the United States Air Force from 1953 to 1957.

Stephen lived in East Jordan

ones at the American House in Charlevoix.

The family is planning a memorial service in October. Details regarding the service and a full obituary will follow in the coming weeks.

Arrangements are in the care of the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes. Please sign his online guestbook at www.mortensenfuneralhomes.com

Francis Pike, 75

(JUNE 5, 1947 — SEPT 5, 2022)



Francis Pike passed away September 5, 2022 at the age of 75. He was born in Montague, Michigan to the late John David Pike and Helen LaFreniere Pike.

Fran had two brothers, George Nelson Pike and John David Pike and one sister, Elaine Pike West who all loved him dearly.

He also leaves behind his three sons, Kip Wilson, Brent Pike (Jennifer), Jared Pike (Miranda), two wonderful and beautiful daughters-in-law and four perfect grandchildren, Aidan, Addison, Liam and Harbor who will miss him forever. His wife, Marijean Dutmers Pike of 51 years will always miss his great sense of humor and his love of life.

Fran graduated from Montague High School and Western Michigan University and then went on to teach at Reeths-Puffer Middle School for 32 years where he coached football and wrestling and made so many great friends. After Fran retired, he and Marijean moved to Beaver Island where they lived in a home built by Fran and many of his friends. They spent their winters in Cape Coral FL.

Funeral arrangements will be announced at a later date.

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Phillip Osterman, 80 (DEC. 13, 1941 - SEPT. 10, 2022)

Phillip Osterman died Saturday, September 10, 2022, at his home in East Jordan.

He was born on December 13, 1941, in Muskegon, the son of Peter Roche and Florence Eileen (DeLong) Osterman. He grew up in Hesperia. He graduated from Hesperia High School and received his bachelor's

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People Fund Grant Applicant Letters of Interest Due October 1

The Great Lakes Energy People Fund is accepting letters of interest and grant applications from non-profit organizations throughout its service area for the fall grant cycle. Letters of interest are due by Oct. 1. If the letter of interest is approved, the applicant can then submit a grant application by Oct. 15. All letters and applications are accepted through an online grant application portal that can be found at gtlakes.com/people-fund.

Great Lakes Energy members support the People Fund by agreeing to have their bill rounded up

to the nearest whole dollar amount. That extra change is then pooled with other People Fund participants and returned to the community through grants to non-profit, charitable organizations that provide humanitarian, educational, or community development services within the cooperative's 26-county service area. Since 1999, the People Fund Program has awarded more than \$4 million in grants to charitable and community organizations to help them better the lives of residents in local communities. The People Fund awarded more than \$144,000

in grants in 2022 spring cycle.

Non-profit organizations that serve communities located in the Great Lakes Energy service area are eligible to apply. More information about the People Fund program, including organization and grant eligibility criteria, and lists of recent grant recipients, is available online at www.gtlakes.com/people-fund.

Letters of interest are due by Oct. 1, with applications due by Oct. 15. Another grant opportunity will be available in April 2023.

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COVID-19 Omicron Booster Available Locally



HDNW clinics scheduling appointments for people 12 years and up

Have you been wondering about a COVID-19 booster? Are you planning to get your annual flu shot or other immunization?

If so, the new Omicron Booster is available at Health Department of Northwest Michigan (HDNW) clinics, and it may be given at the same appointment as a flu vaccine. The single-dose Omicron Booster is authorized for anyone 12 years and older who completed the initial COVID-19 series at least eight weeks ago. The new booster may be used regardless of which type of primary vaccines residents have gotten.

The updated COVID-19 booster includes components from the original virus strain and the BA.4 and BA.5 Omicron variants. The Pfizer booster is approved for anyone 12 years and older regardless of un-

derlying medical conditions. Children under 12 should continue with their primary COVID-19 vaccinations and boosters, according to this American Medical Association video update.

“Because the Omicron Booster has both the original vaccine strain and the currently circulating Omicron variants that are causing most of the current infections in our area, it may provide better and more durable protection against future infections,” said Dr. Joshua Meyerson, HDNW Medical Director. “Updating vaccines is common. The public is familiar with the practice of getting an annual flu vaccination because it contains the latest strains that have been circulating. The same approach is being used to improve the COVID-19 booster.”

When the U.S. Food &

Drug Administration (FDA) authorized use of the Omicron Booster Aug. 31, it did so based on data showing that the BA.4 and BA.5 lineages of the Omicron variant are currently causing most cases of COVID-19 in the U.S., and they are predicted to continue circulating this fall and winter.

“The COVID-19 vaccines, including boosters, continue to save lives and prevent the most serious illnesses and deaths,” said Dr. Meyerson. “As we head into fall and begin to spend more time indoors, we strongly encourage anyone who is eligible to consider receiving the new booster to provide better protection against the circulating variants.”

Scheduling the Booster
The Omicron Booster has replaced the original booster formulas. Individuals may get the booster,

manufactured by both Pfizer and Moderna, regardless of which primary series vaccine or original booster dose they previously received.

Residents wanting to schedule both an Omicron Booster and a flu shot for the same day should schedule an appointment for a HDNW immunization clinic. COVID-19 only clinics do not offer other vaccinations.

To schedule a flu shot or other general immunization like Tetanus, Hepatitis A and B, Shingles, Meningitis or other, call 800-432-4121. To schedule an Omicron Booster only, visit www.nwhealth.org/covid19imm.html. There are clinics scheduled in Charlevoix, Mancelona, Gaylord, and Harbor Springs next week with appointments available for children and adults.

Meet the new Boyne Area Chamber Director

BOYNE CITY - Lisa Luebke has been with the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce since 2017. Starting as Office Manager, she was promoted to Associate Director in 2019. Lisa joined the Boyne Area Chamber team with over 25 years of experience working in different capacities with local, not-for-profit organizations - Boyne City Housing Commission, Char-Em United Way, and Camp Quality Michigan.



LISA LUEBKE

Lisa and her husband, Randy, along with their five children, moved to Boyne City in 1993. Over the years, Lisa has been highly involved in the community, volunteering her time where needed in the schools as her children grew. She currently serves as Queen/King Lion with the Boyne Valley Lions Club and is on the Boyne Area Community Christmas board.

Lisa is an advocate for Northern Michigan communities and small business and was thrilled to accept the promotion to Executive Director of

Boyne Area Chamber. After living in the community for almost 30 years, she has witnessed first-hand the amazing growth of the Boyne area and considers herself privileged to be in a leadership role.

Lisa enjoys spending her free time with husband Randy remodeling their “tiny house” in the woods and her five grown children and their families. She is a proud grandmother to four grandchildren

DOWNTOWN DAY FROM PG. 1A

and playing in our beautiful downtown” Lindsey Dotson, Charlevoix DDA Director, said.

Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority is at the heart of a movement to develop downtown Charlevoix into a beautiful, green, year-round community with a demonstrated commitment to the health and well-being of residents and visitors alike, and sustainable economic opportunities that invite active participation in all that Charlevoix has to offer.

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Join the grief recovery group at Lighthouse Missionary Church, 7824 Rogers Rd, for a 13 week program beginning Sunday, Sept. 11 from 6-7pm. Call 231-536-2128 with any questions.

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AUCTION

September 11, 1-4pm. The annual Starlight Silent & Live Auction will be on September 11 from 1-4pm at Castle Farms. To purchase tickets please visit the Bergmann Center Resale Shop or call 231-547-2979. Tickets are \$35.

BOYNE CITY

FRIENDS OF THE BOYNE RIVER

Friends of the Boyne River annual membership meeting, election and picnic will be Wednesday, September 14, 5pm at Veterans Park pavilion. Members are asked to bring a side dish, appetizer or dessert.

ELLSWORTH

BLOOD DRIVE

Now that you turned the calendar page to September, you can mark your "be a hero" day and sign up to be a hero at our Good Samaritan Family Services Versiti Blood Center of Michigan blood drive at our Family Center (9100 Pleasant Hill Rd) on September 15 from noon to 6 PM. Double Red and Whole Blood donors needed. Great incentive this time from Culver's, a pint for a pint donated! Walk-ins welcome, but registrations take precedence. Call today to register, 231-588-2200.

ELLSWORTH

PADDLE ANTRIM FESTIVAL

September 15-17. The Village of Ellsworth is hosting a Kick-Off Party at the Ellsworth River Park from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm on Thursday, September 15th. Live entertainment and food will be available. The community is invited to attend. Also, come watch the paddlers launch at 9:45 a.m. on Friday, September 16th at River Park.

EAST JORDAN

SAVE A LIFE TOUR

We want to inform you that the International Save A Life Tour will be visiting East Jordan High School on September 16. You are invited to visit our international safe driving program that includes hands-on Impaired and Distracted Driving Virtual Reality Driving Simulators. Address: 101 Maple St. The day starts at 9 AM with hands-on Virtual Reality Driving experiences. You may contact Principal Nate Dionne at 231-536-2259 or email ndionne@ejps.org.

EAST JORDAN

CHRISTIAN CONCERT

On Saturday, September 17th, Harvest Barn Church, 210 S. Lake St. is hosting the Christian Band, Union of Sinners & Saints. This is a donations-only concert, no tickets will be sold. Donations can be made at the door. This band is made up of members of the Christian Rock Bands, Petra and Whiteheart.

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will be running some of our demonstrations and exhibits. Food and family friendly beverages will be served.

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FREE SENIOR EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP

Senior retiree survival workshop. What every senior and retiree should know about Medicare and Nursing Homes. Wednesday, Sept. 21, 10am. Charlevoix Library Carnegie Building, 220 Clinton St. Presented by Senior Care of Michigan

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FREE SENIOR EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP

Senior retiree survival workshop. What every senior and retiree should know about Medicare and Nursing Homes. Wednesday, Sept. 21, 2:30pm. Boyne Mountain Resort, Mountain Grand Lodge & Spa - Vienna Room, 1 Boyne Mountain Rd. Presented by Senior Care of Michigan

EAST JORDAN

BOSWELL STADIUM TURNS 3 THIS YEAR.

Join in the celebration at the varsity football game, Sept. 23 as the Red Devils welcome back the 1992 team and cheerleaders that opened play on the field as well as distinguished guests. A special ceremony is planned for halftime as well as other surprises. Join the celebration at 7pm as the Red Devils take on Glen Lake and we celebrate the most beautiful athletic venue in Northern Michigan.

BOYNE CITY

PURSE AUCTION

The Boyne City Eagles Ladies Auxiliary is sponsoring the "In the Bag" Purse Auction Saturday, Sept. 23 at the Eagles Community room. Doors open at 1pm. Auction starts at 2pm. Businesses and organizations can donate a new duffel bag, beach bag, cooler, tackle box or purse filled with gifts, certificates and novelty items. Purses accepted Sept. 21 and 22 at the club from 4-7pm. Proceeds benefit the auxiliary's charitable giving fund.

EAST JORDAN

IMPROVE YOUR PRAYER LIFE

Seminar with Dennis Fuqua at Lighthouse Missionary Church, 7824 Rogers Rd. Sunday, Sept. 25 10am and 6pm. Monday, Sept. 26 pm. Stay for some ice cream following the evening seminars. Everyone welcome.

GRAYLING

CALL FOR VENDORS

Seeking Vendors for this annual one-day Fall Arts & Crafts show sponsored by Grayling Promotional Association. Past shows have seen nearly 800 shoppers and over 60 vendors. If you are interested in selling your Handmade goods at this event. Grayling Arts & Crafts Fall Show Saturday, October 1, 10am - 4pm. Grayling Elementary School - 1000 Michigan Ave. Contact: Chair Co-Chair Lynn White Judy

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ELLSWORTH

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Front Porch is looking for volunteers. 1 day a week, 4 hours. If interested please call Front Porch Ministry, 231-588-2000.

ATWOOD, ELLSWORTH, EAST JORDAN, BOYNE FALLS 13TH ANNUAL BREEZEWAY FALL COLOR TOUR CRUISES

Last year a record number of goodie bags were handed out to color tour participants. Dates for this year are September 24, October 1 & October 8 at Royal Farms in Atwood from 10AM to Noon. Participants will receive a goodie bag filled with coupons, samples, business swag, flyers or business cards with a discount noted are encouraged, please plan on 150 of any type of promo item. The bags also have a sheet of suggested points of interest, photo opportunities to capture the fall scenic beauty along the rolling drumlins of the Breezeway, discount coupons, etc.

BOYNE CITY

PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

All library programming is free. May require registration through www.boynelibrary.org.

Mondays - 10am Beginners Yoga, 10:30am Toddler Tales & Tunes. Tuesdays - 10:30am Storytime, 2pm-5pm Computer Help. Wednesdays - 4:30pm Beginners Yoga

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GRAYLING

ARTS & CRAFTS FALL SHOW

Saturday, October 1st, 10am to 4pm. Grayling Elementary School. Michigan Avenue. \$1 Admission 50/50 Raffle GPA Basket Raffle Lunch Available. Over 60 Handmade Arts & Craft Booths. Sponsored by Grayling Promotional Association

EAST JORDAN

ART SHOW

The Jordan River Arts Council's Member Show opens on August 28 and runs until September 30. It will feature the work of JRAC member artists. The gallery will be open Thursday through Monday from 1pm to 4pm and closed Tuesday and Wednesday.

FREE SECOND SATURDAY

Second Saturdays are back at Raven Hill Discovery Center for the warmer months of 2022. May through October, Raven Hill will offer free admission for families each second Saturday from noon to 4pm. The next second Saturday is October 8. No groups, please, as we need all parents to be watching their own children. We are also limiting the indoor time, as we want our visitors to socially distance and stay safe in these times of continuing pandemic concerns. Families will be given a group number at check-in and a return time to visit indoors. With all of the outdoor exhibits, like the Music Garden, Jurassic Park Walk, Schoolhouse, Treehouse, Ancient World and the new Connections Trail, families will have plenty of things to explore outside! These 2022 FREE Second Saturdays honor Diane Strzelinski, a Raven Hill volunteer and supporter for more than 25 years.

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MICAREER QUEST FALL 2022

MiCareerQuest is the hands-on, career and college readiness event for high school students. MiCareerQuest Char-Em ISD on October 14 from 8am-3pm at North Central Michigan College, will expose 9th and 10th grade students to exciting career paths.

Students will:

- Talk one-on-one with experts from the region's high-demand industries.
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Don't miss this chance to help

prepare students for careers in Northern Michigan! For more information contact Tory Thrush at 231-340-3432 or thrush@charemysd.org. Registration deadline is September 23rd

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The Depot Jordan Valley Teen Center is located in the lower level of the St. Joseph Parish Hall, 207 Nicholls Street, East Jordan

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.

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CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Cancer and Caregiver Support group meets at 10am the 3rd Saturday of each month at Lighthouse Missionary Church

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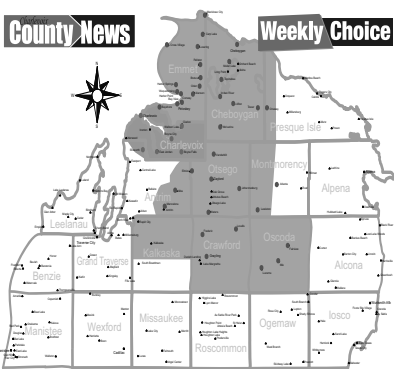
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LEADERSHIP APPRECIATION AND POSITIVE ENERGY LEAD TO SUCCESS

By John Keyser

Appreciation is both energy and a source of power, good power! It increases success and well-being. Appreciation is transformative!

The Power Of Appreciation, a book by Dr. Noelle Nelson and Jeanine LeMare Calaba is a source of important and helpful information.

I also recommend *The No Complaining Rule* by Jon Gordon. It's a simple, short, easy read, presented almost as a modern-day fable. The book presents trouble in a business, many employees talking behind backs, an atmosphere with negative energy, a lack of confidence and trust in the leadership, and management out of sync due to their own doubts and internal competition.

The business owner/CEO realizes the negativity, hears the behind the scenes complaining, and acknowledges that this is not a culture that will lead to long term success.

The business owner places his trust in the head of Human Resources (HR). He asks her to quickly develop a plan to change the company's working environment. He gives her a tight deadline of the following Monday. The message is clear: this is urgent.

After great thought, Hope, the head of HR, outlines her ideas for solution and presents them to her business owner, who immediately gives his approval for implementation of her plan.

Some of Hope's key principles are:

A positive environment and culture are everything;

POSITIVE LEADERSHIP IS ESSENTIAL;

We must relentlessly make our culture and our people a priority at all lev-



JOHN KEYSER

els; our people deliver our results, we must focus on our people – asking, listening, helping; our employees and customers want to know that they can

trust us and that we care about them;

We need positive communications, interactions, and conversations;

We need to listen to our people and we need to empower them;

And we need to become solution and innovation based.

Hope and her business owner implemented a No Complaining Rule. Yes, there are times when complaints are legitimate. So, the rule was to complain only if you also offer a solution.

The book additionally offers an implementation action plan, explaining the cost of negativity and complaining, shows that there can be justified complaints accompanied by a possible solution, a complaint/solution process, a process for celebrating successes and suggests a kick off with the designation of a No Complaining Week.

In the book, the business transformed into a positive, high energy, solution-based culture, thanks to the new enthusiasm of their people and leadership.

Can one "turn on a switch" to increase her/his people's sense of appreciation and enthusiasm immediately? No, not instantly.

Can you "turn on a switch" to increase your own sense of appreciation, your own enthusiasm, become a spark plug, immediately? Yes, you sure can! You can make a positive difference for your business, starting today!

By John Keyser

Cindy Pineda is Superintendent and Principal of Boyne Falls Public School. She was highly recommended by Chip Hansen as someone I should know and write about as a community leader.

Well, I am and can attest that she truly is someone exceptional.

As background, Cindy grew up in a Chicago suburb, went off to college at Colorado State, loved being in the country versus a city environment and upon graduation she accepted a position with St. Francis School in Traverse City. She taught and also coached basketball, volleyball and golf. She loved the school, the students and being involved with sports. She knew this was her passion and the career for her to pursue, and so she went on to Grand Valley State University to earn her Master's Degree in Educational Leadership. She had the great benefit of faculty members who were teachers and senior school administrators, as she describes them people who "walked the halls", and isn't this what all leaders should do!

After completing her graduate studies, Cindy was approached about becoming the Principal of St. Mary

Cathedral School in Gaylord, which is Pre-K through 12th grade. This gave her up to 15 years with many of the students and having a significant role in shaping their growth, and to her, this was an important opportunity. She worked with many great people while at St. Mary and greatly values her time there.

In 2014, the position of Superintendent and Principal of the Boyne Falls Public School became available. These are really two jobs, as Superintendent working with the Board and committees and as Principal with students, staff, teachers, and



CINDY PINEDA

parents, and in both roles with interested people in the Boyne Falls community.

Cindy is now beginning her 9th year with Boyne Falls Public School and it is a very positive environment with much success, thanks to a great team at the school, and certainly thanks to Cindy's leadership principles and practices. For example, in working with the Board and committees, she is committed to no surprises. There are times when she sends two or three emails in a week with information, including a Friday recap and accolades about her team members, students, and others at the school. This assures that the Board stays abreast between their regular monthly meetings, at times more often with committee members.

As with all schools, COVID 19 was a huge challenge. Cindy is a strong advocate of hands on leadership, knowing each student, being out with and speaking with them, "being there" for them, having a "personal touch", being somewhat involved in their personal lives. Thankfully, the COVID restrictions are now over and that special energy is back. They just had their first full school assembly of all students, teachers and staff in three years, and the excitement was tangible.

There are many unique and special services, for example, a great many qualify for free or reduced

cost lunches, and the school has a chef, Nathan Bates. Thanks to relationships with farmers and others in the nearby communities, the food is fresh, local, and healthy. In fact, this school year, Boyne Falls is participating in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) program which enables schools to serve free meals to all students regardless of income. What a tremendous service to all school families. Cindy believes "If we fill their bellies with good food, we'll get good results from them", including good behavior. In addition to the lunches, the school is focused on doing their best to help students with not only food, also supplies and clothing, as needed.

There is an active school wellness committee, which provides information and inspiration about nourishment and exercise, and there are health fairs, family challenges, cooking classes and cook outs offered for families (as Cindy promotes "Have food, and people will come").

In addition, the school now has a fulltime nurse and also a mental health professional, and again, thanks to relationships with nearby healthcare providers, they also assist with vision and dental care.

There has been a long-standing relationship with Boyne Mountain Resort and students in grades 3 through 8 can ski for free every Thursday afternoon in the winter, and students in the higher grades receive a discount if they maintain a good grade average.

There is an annual trip to Hawaii for senior students, which has an educational purpose. These students work through their four high school years to earn money to finance the trip. For example, they sell food at the Boyne Falls Polish Festival every August. This not only accrues money for

the trip, it helps the students learn and practice customer service and personal interaction skills, such as speaking politely, comfortable eye contact, smiling – and the importance of hard work!

Finally, just like Cindy, the Boyne Falls preschool program is starting its 9th year in existence. The program, led by Preschool Director Mitchell Klooster, is a 5-star rated preschool program and it prepares the youngest learners for educational success. This highly-acclaimed program and its dedicated staff ensures that local 3 and 4 year olds receive the best start possible in their educational journey.

From the preschool program, to the exceptional food service, and the active wellness committee, Cindy states that she feels fortunate to be surrounded by caring, supportive staff members who do not hesitate to step in when needed. From the business manager, Lori Herman, who guides the wellness committee, to the Student Success Advisor, Brooke Fenske, who schedules fun activities and creates exciting spaces for students around the school, the Boyne Falls team will do anything to provide opportunities for success.

There are so many positives about Cindy Pineda, her staff, teachers, the school and the Boyne Falls community I feel this article only begins to describe just how special they are.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR:

John and his wife, Kerry, live in Charlevoix now, was a senior executive in the corporate world in NYC, DC and Chicago, then founded Common Sense Leadership, a leadership coaching and consulting practice, have been helping senior people in the business, academic and religious worlds improve leadership, their own and their team's. John is a graduate of Georgetown's Institute for Transformational Leadership and Life Purpose Institute.

Schmidt sponsors legislation to increase housing availability, revitalize local communities

LANSING, Mich. — State Sen. Wayne Schmidt on Wednesday joined a bipartisan group of lawmakers in introducing a package of bills aimed at increasing access to affordable housing for Michigan residents.

"There is a significant shortage of attainable housing, not only in communities in my district, but all across Michigan," said Schmidt, R-Traverse City. "Affordable, available housing is a critical piece of the puzzle when considering how we can continue to grow the state's economy and attract new talent.

"I've spoken with local leaders in northern Michigan, and the lack of available housing is a major issue for area families — and these concerns have been echoed by other legislators who worked on this package. If we want to continue efforts to make Michigan a better state to do business, we need to have homes for families to live in — it's as simple as that. Something needs to be done."

Senate Bills 1152-1155 would update the Brownfield Redevelopment Finance Act

to include "housing assistance" or "housing development" and give local governments some flexibility when considering redevelopment projects if they focus on improving access to affordable family housing.

Brownfield sites are those being redeveloped or repurposed in a way that benefits those who live in the area. This measure specifically focuses on the redevelopment of old sites with the goal of rebuilding affordable, single-family homes and rental units in their places.

The bills are written to ensure rural, suburban and urban projects are all viable for assistance.

" Oftentimes, properties sit abandoned because of the cost associated with clean-up and redevelopment," Schmidt said. "These changes would give local governments some additional tools to increase the availability of affordable housing in their communities."

The bills have been referred to the Senate Committee on Economic and Small Business Development for further consideration.

8th Annual Northwest Michigan Housing Summit Set For Oct. 27-28

TRAVERSE CITY - The annual Northwest Michigan Housing Summit hosted by Housing North is returning in its eighth year for an in-person event at the Great Wolf Lodge in Traverse City. Taking place on October 27th – 28th, the event features community leaders, housing agencies, financiers and other partners focused on expanding housing options across the region.

After two years of virtual events, Housing North has decided to return to its in-person modality. To ensure the safety of participants, Housing North is adhering to Grand Traverse County's Covid-19 updates and protocols regarding the Summit. Registration for the event opened on September 7th with early bird rates until October. Tickets to the event can be purchased at mynorthtickets.com/evnts

"The Northwest Michigan Housing Summit is an annual event presented by Housing North and its partners. We are excited about our in-person return, expanding opportunities for networking, discussions, and exchanges along partners and supporters to expand

on housing solutions for our communities," Brown said. "With advocacy being this year's theme, the event will be an excellent opportunity to connect with organizations and stakeholders across the board who are committed to the growth of our region through housing."

Like every year, the Housing Summit will feature several updates and presentations highlighting solutions and tools for housing being used in the region, including:

- An update on the legislative efforts of Housing North and the Housing Michigan Coalition.
- A state of the region update that addresses the current housing situation with exciting new program announcements
- A panel discussion with the newly created Office of Rural Development, Michigan State Housing Development Authority, and the Michigan Economic Development Corporation
- Workshops on zoning reform and recommendations to expand housing at the local level
- Trainings on advocacy, communication and getting traction to support housing at the local level
- Workshops on housing

projects that involve tools for housing including Brownfield/Tax Increment Financing (TIFs), and Neighborhood Enterprise Zones (NEZ), Payment in-lieu of Taxes (PILOT)

- A discussion over the Statewide Housing Plan, Housing Action Plans and ARPA Funding

- The role of the private sector in housing and its impact in local economies
- Roundtable discussions around Legislative priorities and Housing Bills and bring capacity for Housing to NW Michigan and more!

"We've worked to gather an outstanding group of speakers and presenters to build on the momentum generated to continue expanding housing options for all residents of Northwest Michigan," Brown said. "Housing continues to be a significant barrier to growing our regional economy. Every year, we engage more partners, and we continue to see support across the State to make progress and help grow our housing market."

Brown noted the strong support from more than 20 businesses and organizations that have sponsored the Housing

Summit. Networks Northwest and Aspire North are this year's Partner Sponsors for the event, while Gold Sponsors include Federal Home Loan Bank of Indianapolis and the Consumers Energy Foundation. Other organizations and businesses have showed their support at the Silver Sponsor level including the Frey Foundation, IFF, Michigan State Housing Development Authority, Cherry Republic, Goodwill Northern Michigan, Short's Brewery, Independent Bank, Michigan Community Capital, 4Front Credit Union, Habitat for Humanity Grand Traverse Region. At the Bronze Sponsor level, the Housing Summit has received support from Fishbeck, Rare Bird Brewery and Taproom, Area Agency on Aging of Northwest Michigan, Groundwork Center for Resilient Communities, Traverse City Tourism, Hollander Development, Cinnaire and the Northwest Michigan Community Action Agency.

More information related to sessions, news and the announcement for the keynote address of the 2022 Housing Summit will be available on Housing North's website

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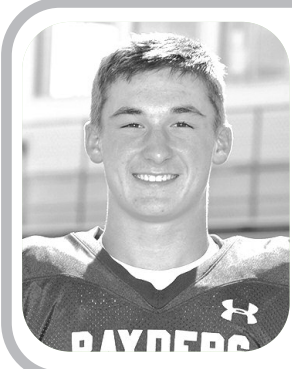
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Brady Jess
Charlevoix Rayders Football
In the 50-0 drubbing of the Manzelona Ironmen last Friday, Rayder quarterback, Brady Jess ran for two touchdowns and passed for another.

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Morgan Deming
Ramblers Volleyball

In a 3 game set win over Grayling last week Morgan Deming led the way with 12 kills, 2 blocks, 2 aces and 8 digs.



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VOLLEYBALL

Ramblers sweep Vikings in opener

By: Dom Santina

The Boyne City Ramblers hosted Grayling on Thursday, September 8 as part of the Lake Michigan Conference starting.

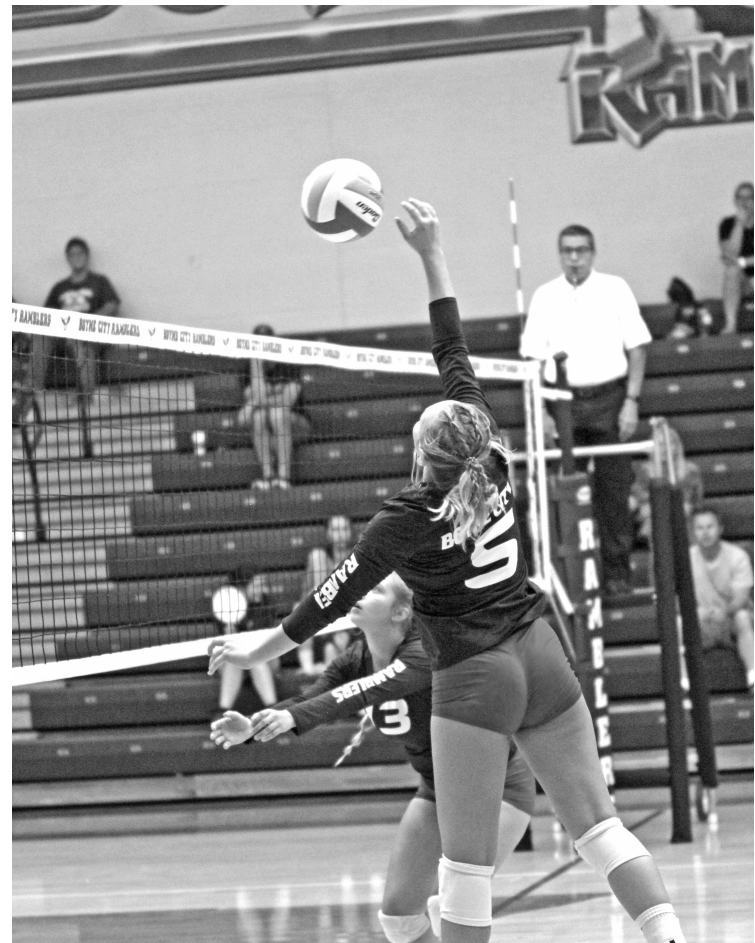
The first game of the set was a competitive game, with both teams having an opportunity to close the game out. In the end, the Ramblers secured a 25-22. The Ramblers took the momentum into game two and dominated their way to a 25-14 win. The Vikings tried to get back into the match, but the Ramblers sealed the overall victory with a 25-21 set victory in game 3.

Morgan Deming led the way with 12 kills, 2 blocks, 2 aces and 8 digs. Elly Wilcox added 7 kills, while Ava Tarsi had 21 assists. Braylyn Rincon finished up with 9 digs, 9 serve receptions, 4 aces and served at 100 percent.

The Ramblers start conference play at 1-0. They will be in action on Tuesday, September 13 against Kalkaska. Then they will play Sault Ste. Marie on Thursday, September 15 and then Charlevoix on Tuesday, September 20.



Rambler setter, Ava Tarsi (1), passes to a teammate. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Aubrey Burns (5) of Boyne City, elevates for this kill shot. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



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Rayders beat Rams to start LMC play

By: Dom Santina

The Charlevoix Rayders volleyball team took on Harbor Springs to start the conference play on Thursday, September 8. The game was the first game in over a week for the Rayders.

The downtime did not make a difference for them though. As the Rayders swept the Rams in a three game set. The Rayders won the first set by a score of 25-18. They followed the first win off with two more by scores of 25-15 and 25-

13.

Anna Haf was one of the lead players once again. As she had 6 aces and 13 out of 14 on serve received. Claire Scholten added 15 assists and 2 kills. Addison Boop contributed 6 kills and a solo block.

Head Coach Audra Randall was pretty pleased with our outcome after having a week off.

"We had a solid performance on the night and had a whole week off, it felt like a long time ago since we played. Harbor had some strong servers

but our girls managed to get some good passing or bounce back on a bad pass on the previous play. These girls are learning to be resilient and not let one bad play affect the next rally," said Randall.

The win moves the Rayders to 9-2-1 overall and 1-0 in the Lake Michigan Conference. The Rayders will play Traverse City St. Francis on Tuesday, September 13. Then they will take on Boyne City on Tuesday, September 20.

Red Devils rally to top Blue Blazers

By: Dom Santina

East Jordan volleyball played Kalkaska on Thursday, September 8.

The Red Devils found themselves in a whole very early. As the Blue Blazers jumped out to a two-set lead with two 25-21 set victories over the Red Devils.

In the third set, the Red Devils fought back and picked up the third set, by a score of 25-20. The fourth set was total domination by the Red Devils, winning the set 25-8. It ended up coming

down to the fifth set, where the Red Devils hung in and won 15-11.

The Red Devils led by Sophie Snyder were 100 percent serving and had 19 kills. Lindsey Cross added in 11 digs and 14 kills. Alyssa Sherman and June Kirkpatrick each added in multiple kills. Elliona Leaman was a big force with 24 assists and 9 digs. Baylee Bender added 15 digs, Lillian Stone also had 24 assists and 9 digs. Meryn Vron dran received 26 serve receptions on 28 opportunities.

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VOLLEYBALL

Lancers start Northern Lakes Conference play 1-1

By Dom Santina

BURT LAKE

The Ellsworth Volleyball team opened their conference play in the Northern Lakes Conference on Tuesday, September, 6 at Burt Lake Northern Michigan Christian.

The Lancers jumped to a

2-0 set lead heading into the third set. That was until Burt Lake Northern Michigan Christian went on a run to take a 3-2 victory in 5 sets. The team was led by Anabell Bartman with 10 digs and going 4-5 on serves. Payshence Bruce contributed 11 digs, 5 kills and one block. Jackie Gibson added 7 digs, 1 kill and went

8 for 8 on serves.

The Lancers also hosted Alanson on Friday, September 9.

ALANSON

The Lancers ended up getting things in order against Alanson. The Lancers ended up sweeping the Vikings in 3 sets.

“The girls flipped the switch today. Their footwork was spot on and the serves were awesome. That is what propelled us to the win,” said Coach Andy Montgomery.

The Lancers had Bartman step up into the libero position for an injured Jackie Gibson and would play excellent. Hannah

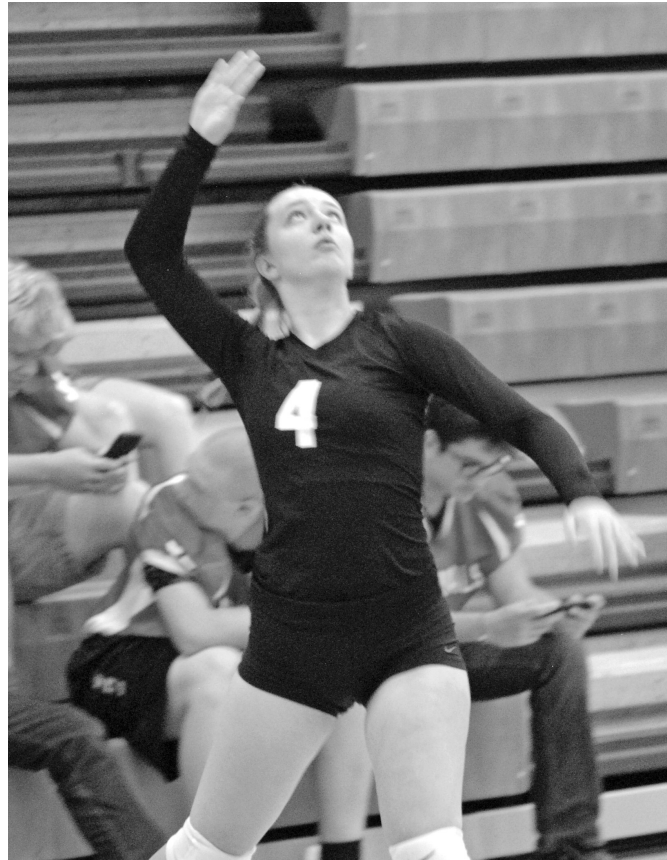
Hughey also stepped in and played well while getting a couple of digs. Lexie Montgomery had 4 blocks, 2 digs and 5-6 kills. Molly Muladore was 17-20 on dig attempts and 10-13 for serving. Bella Essenberg contributed and had 2 kills, 9-11 on digs and 8 kills. Avery Strange was 18-19 on digs and 4 kills and was 22-

24 on serves. The Lancers had a good performance from a couple of others as well. The Lancers start conference play with a 1-1 record after this week.

The Lancers will play Wolverine on Friday, September 16 and Boyne Falls on Tuesday, September 20.



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FOOTBALL

Ramblers have their way against Vikings 34-6

By Dom Santina

The Boyne City Ramblers traveled to Grayling for their week 3 matchup of the 2022 season. A couple of tough wins on the road and at home against Benzie Central and Cheboygan would prepare them well for Grayling.

The Ramblers found offense early and often against the Vikings and it

did not matter which way it came. Joey McHugh opened the game with a rushing touchdown to get them on the board. Then, Jack Neer, had back-to-back touchdown passes to Mason Wilcox and Alex Calcaterra. Another passing touchdown to Wilcox before the first quarter expired gave the Ramblers a 28-0 lead.

The Ramblers continued

to add to the lead, as they held a 34-0 lead by halftime. The Ramblers were held scoreless in the second half, while the Vikings were able to eliminate the shutout by scoring a touchdown. The Ramblers ended up securing the victory by a 34-6 final.

The Ramblers were led on the ground by McHugh with 44 rushing yards. Neer finished 8-15 for 149 yards

and three touchdowns and two interceptions. Wilcox was the leading receiver with 68 yards and two touchdowns.

The defense was led by Fila Xiong with 11 tackles. McHugh, Spate and Wilcox each intercepted a pass. The Ramblers will open the Northern Michigan Football League Leaders Division competition on Friday, September 16 against

Rayders dominate against Mancelona 50-0

By Dom Santina

The Charlevoix Rayders football team has had a strong start to the season. A tough win over the Red Devils to start the year. They followed that up with a dominating win against the Rams in week 2. They would travel to play Mancelona on Friday, September 9.

The Rayders kept wracking their point totals up against the Ironman. Brady Jess got the scoring going with a 24-yard touchdown run. The extra point was converted by Henry Herzog

to put the Rayders up 8-0. Herzog earned the second touchdown on a 2-yard rush. This time the Rayders did not convert the extra point and had to settle for a 14-0 lead.

They again expanded on the lead with a Patrick Sterrett 55-yard touchdown run. However, the Rayders again failed on the two-point attempt. The Rayders then held a 20-0 lead over the Ironmen. Sterrett found the endzone once again on a 31-yard touchdown run. This time the Rayders connected on a Jess to Zack Nickel two-point conversion. The

Rayders then held a 28-0 lead, but they were not close to being done.

Jess and Sterrett later connected on a 34-yard pass that ended in the endzone. Ryan Pearl made a rare extra point kick to push the Rayders lead to 35-0. Sterrett found the endzone one more time, the last one coming on a 63-yard punt return. Pearl made his second straight kick to push the Rayders lead to 42-0. The Rayders finished the game by finding the endzone one last time. As Jess scampered into the endzone on a 9-yard run. Herzog fin-

ished the two-point conversion in the endzone to give the Rayders a 50-0 lead.

The defense was led by Nate Clafin with 6 tackles, while Landon Swanson and Joshua Schultz added 5 each. Aj Speigl added a fumble recovery, Hudson Volmer added an interception and Jess had a sack.

It was another shutout for the Rayders and a 50-0 win to push them to 3-0 on the season. They have now outscored their last two opponents 117-0, overall on the season, it is 141-15. They will host Elk Rapids on Friday, September 16.

East Jordan rallies against Johannesburg-Lewiston

By Dom Santina

The East Jordan Red Devils team has had a rough start to their season. A tough loss to rival Charlevoix to bring the season. Then they lost another one-score game to Elk Rapids in week two. So they had a big matchup against Johannesburg-Lewiston on Friday, September 9 for a Northern Michigan Football League Legacy Division matchup.

The Cardinals jumped out to the early lead on the Red Devils. After finding themselves down 6-0, Braylon Grybauskas helped lead the team down the field and they capped off the drive with a 15-yard touchdown run by Logan Shooks. The Red Devils converted the two-point conversion to take an 8-6 lead.

That was just the start for the Red Devils, as Dawson Carey connected with Grybauskas for a 44-yard

touchdown pass to expand the lead to 14-6 before halftime. The Red Devils continued to roll in the second half. As Carey found the endzone on a 32-yard touchdown run and connected with Korbyn Russell for a 31-yard touchdown pass. The Cardinals found the endzone late in the fourth quarter, but it was not enough, the Red Devils picked up a big first win by a final score of 42-12.

The Red Devils were led

by Carey with 123 yards through the air and added 2 touchdowns. He also had 78 yards and a touchdown on the ground. Grybauskas finished the game with 108 yards rushing with a touchdown and a 44-yard touchdown catch.

The Red Devils move to 1-2 on the season and more importantly 1-0 in the NMFL Legacy Division. They will take on Harbor Springs on Friday, September 16.



FOOTBALL CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Big North Conference

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
Gaylord	0-0	2-1
Alpena	0-0	1-2
Cadillac	0-0	1-2
Petoskey	0-0	1-2

Northern Michigan Football Conference-Leaders

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
Charlevoix	1-0	3-0
Elk Rapids	1-0	3-0
Boyne City	0-0	3-0
Kalkaska	0-0	1-2
Mancelona	0-1	1-2
Tawas	0-1	0-3

Northern Michigan Football Conference-Legacy

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
St Ignace	2-0	3-0
Maple City Glen Lake	2-0	2-1
East Jordan	1-0	1-2
Frankfort	0-1	2-1
Oscoda	0-1	1-2
Harbor Springs	0-1	0-3
Johannesburg-Lewiston	0-2	0-3

Northern Michigan Football Conference-Legends

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
Sault Ste Marie	2-0	3-0
Traverse City St Francis	2-0	3-0
Kingsley	1-0	2-1
Cheboygan	0-1	1-2
Grayling	0-1	1-2
Ogemaw Heights	0-2	1-2
Benzie Central	0-1	0-3

Ski Valley Conference

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
Gaylord St Mary	2-0	2-1
Indian River Inland Lakes	2-0	2-1
Pellston	1-0	2-1
Central Lake	0-2	1-2
Bellaire	0-0	0-1
Fife Lake Forest Area	0-2	0-3
Onaway	0-1	0-3

North Star League-Big Dipper

Team	W-L (Conf.)	All
Alcona	1-0	3-0
Rogers City	1-0	3-0
Whittemore-Prescott	1-0	2-1
Mio	0-1	2-1
St Helen Charlton Heston	0-2	0-3

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SOCCER

Ramblers lose to Kalkaska, rebound against Oscoda

By: Dom Santina

KALKASKA

The Boyne City boy's soccer team has had its struggles this season. They traveled to play Kalkaska on Thursday, September 8.

It was a very quiet game for both teams. As the game remained scoreless through halftime and for the majority of the second quarter. The Blue Devils ended up finding the back of the net with 15 minutes remaining. The game ended up finishing at 1-0 in favor of Kalkaska.

Gabe Zarzycki made 4 saves in goal, while the offense had 8 shots on net. The Ramblers move to 2-4-3 overall. They are now 1-1 in the Lake Michigan Conference. They got a break from LMC competition as they hosted Oscoda on Saturday, September 10.

OSCODA

The Ramblers would get the offense going even more than what happened against Kalkaska. Logan Leist got the team on the board 21 minutes into the game, with an assist from Jack Snyder. Logan Lloyd added to the score another 22 minutes into the game, with Reese Bey getting an assist. The Ramblers added another goal before halftime, as Felix Bair scored with 2 minutes remaining on a Matt Spate assist. The Ramblers lead 3-0 heading into halftime.

In the second half, the Ramblers added one more goal with Leist scoring again of a Snyder assist. Oscoda ended up getting a goal to avoid the shutout, but the Ramblers solidified the 4-1 victory.

Kacey Gray earned the win in goal with 7 saves. The win moves the Ramblers to 3-4-3 on the season while staying at 1-1 in the LMC. The Ramblers will host Charlevoix on Monday, September 12. Then they will play Elk Rapids on Thursday, September 15. They will finish the week up with Cheboygan on Saturday, September 17 and Harbor Light Christian on Monday, September 19.



Boyne City's (number 26) keeps control of the ball during Saturday's win at Oscoda. Photo by Ben Murphy.



Boyne City's (no 31) tracks down the ball. Photo by Ben Murphy.



Boyne City's (number 3) passes the ball to a teammate. Photo by Ben Murphy



SOCCER CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Big North Conference

Team	W-L (Conf.)	W-L (All)
Traverse City West	1-0-0	7-1-0
Gaylord	1-0-0	7-3-1
Alpena	1-0-0	4-2-1
Petoskey	0-1-0	6-5-0
Cadillac	0-1-0	1-5-0
Traverse City Central	0-1-0	1-5-1

Lake Michigan Conference

Team	W-L (Conf.)	W-L (All)
Elk Rapids	3-0-0	7-5-1
Boyne City	2-0-2	3-3-4
Kalkaska	1-1-0	5-2-0
Charlevoix	1-1-2	3-2-3
Harbor Springs	1-2-0	7-3-0
Grayling	1-3-1	3-5-1

Northern Michigan Soccer League

Team	W-L (Conf.)	W-L (All)
McBain NMC	4-0-2	7-0-3
Clare	4-1-3	4-1-3
Gladwin	4-1-1	6-3-1
Cheboygan	3-1-0	4-3-1
Tawas	3-3-1	3-3-1
Shepherd	2-3-1	2-3-2
Roscommon	2-4-1	2-4-1
LeRoy Pine River	2-5-1	2-6-1
Burt Lake NMC	0-5-0	2-7-0
Big Rapids Crossroads	0-6-0	0-7-0

GOLFING

Belvedere pro Marty Joy completes annual 'Hickory Hundred' in support of junior golf

By Andy Sneddon

CHARLEVOIX – Marty Joy loves golf and he does his part – boy does he do his part – in spreading that love of the game to the next generation of players.

Joy, the head professional at Belvedere Golf Club, recently completed his acclaimed Hickory Hundred at the venerable course in Charlevoix.

It marked the 14th consecutive season that Joy completed 100 holes in a single day as a fundraiser for the Charlevoix County Junior Golf Program.

"It's for the program, for the kids," the affable Joy said. "It's the only source of income for the program. The good thing is this year, every kid who signed up for the program got a pass for the Charlevoix municipal golf course to play all summer long."

Joy doesn't do it alone; volunteer program mentors help clear the way around the course and act as forecaddies, rake bunkers, tend flagsticks on the green, and other various duties to make the day run smoothly. Joy began his marathon



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of 76, 74, 69, 75 and 69, completing each in just under 90 minutes. And, he never lost a golf ball. In fact, he said, in his 14 years of the Hickory Hundred, he's lost just one.

It's all part of who Joy is. He is a member of the Society of Hickory Golfers and the Belvedere annually hosts a tournament for members. Joy has also played for Team USA in the Grail Cup, an bi-annual Ryder Cup-style competition with European players. A year ago, the event was played on the Old Course at St. Andrews and has been held at several top American venues, such as Pinehurst and Baltusrol.

Next year, it comes to the Belvedere.

"It's kind of its own fraternity," Joy said. "It's a group of guys who love the history of golf and they collect old clubs and golf memorabilia. They love playing the game as it used to be played. You play it on the ground, you play these funky old clubs. It's more difficult, definitely."

"New technology does make the game easier. There's no heel-toe technol-

ogy in these old clubs. You hit it poorly, it's not going to go anywhere."

Joy's annual Hickory Hundred annually raises between \$12,000-\$15,000 for the Junior Golf Program. In addition to providing instruction and playing opportunities for county youngsters, the program also allots scholarships to the Ferris State University Golf Program.

"We couldn't run our program without Marty," program director Doug Drenth said. "He is a great deal of the reason we're in existence."

"What Marty and the Belvedere membership do for the junior golf program allows us to continue to have this program for the children of Charlevoix and Charlevoix County. I'm eternally grateful for his commitment to kids."

"It's just amazing what Marty does every year, year in and year out. I'm so grateful and appreciative and in awe. And I know the kids from Charlevoix are grateful too."

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REAL ESTATE CORNER

Gorgeous turn of the century home on 80 acres

By Jim Akans

This week's feature listing is a gorgeous turn of the century getaway. It is an exceptional home with virtually every feature you could imagine, and it is located on a beautiful 80 piece of property.

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tion is also wonderful...just a few miles from the Jordan River, Lake Charlevoix, Boyne Mountain and Shanty Creek. This is a must see home and location.

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LOOK FOR A HOME'S POTENTIAL

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Home shopping for first-time homebuyers it's an exciting, albeit nerve-wracking, experience. If you're like others in the market for their first home, you probably have in mind exactly how your soon-to-be home will look.

But it's important not to fall into the bad decorating, dingy walls and dirt-bare back yard equals bad-home trap. If you don't see past the hideous wallpaper, funky light fixtures and avocado green carpeting, you may miss out on a home with great potential.

And, if you're looking for a home in a seller's market where homes are being snatched up as soon as they go on the market, you'll come to realize you can't be choosy if you want to make a competitive offer.

One of the first things to do is to get pre-approved for a loan and determine the maximum you can afford to offer for a house. Don't look at homes that are asking for more than 5 percent above your maximum, otherwise you'll be setting yourself up for disappointment if you find the perfect—but outside your budget—home. So what to do? The floor plan of the

home is extremely important. If a floor plan isn't quite to your liking, consider rearranging it or adding on. If you're looking at an existing home and will need to remodel or expand to suit your needs, the estimated cost of renovation needs to be considered when making an offer.

Also, consider the features of a home:

Walls. While these are among the easiest to remedy, they also make a huge first impression. If the walls need to be painted, are covered in wallpaper or are painted a color you find distasteful, picture them crisp and clean in the color of your choice—that's how they could look after you paint them.

Floors. Like walls, carpet or floor surfaces that are old or outdated can be easily replaced. You could even ask for a carpet allowance in your bid, especially if you're in a buyer's market.

View. Things like old, ugly—even dirty—windows and window treatments can make a view appear less desirable. Those things can be improved, so unless the only view you have is of your neighbor's clunker on the side of the house, don't get hung up on what is surely a fixable view.

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PROPERTY # 15-006-116-034-20, Joni Hendrickson, property address: 03329 Ross Lane, Eveline Township, East Jordan, Charlevoix County, MI 49727. All persons are invited to attend and be heard. Comments may be mailed to Eveline Township Hall, PO Box 496, East Jordan, MI 49727 or emailed to evelinetwpclerk@gmail.com before the day of the meeting. This notice is in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MCL 125.3843(1), and the American Disabilities Act (ADA). Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact Eveline Township at evelinetwpclerk@gmail.com, seven days in advance.

PUBLIC NOTICE is given to all persons in **Eveline Township** that a public hearing will be held by the Eveline Township Zoning Board of Appeals at 7 p.m. on **Wednesday, September 28, 2022** at Eveline Township Hall, 8525 Ferry Road, East Jordan, MI to review an appeal for

1. Rerouting of the driveway further to the north and east to accommodate topographical constraints on the Property as well as the installation of (9) commercial catch basins, concrete curb and sock piping to prevent erosion and promote water infiltration on property.
2. Inclusion of a retaining wall in the north setback to prevent soil erosion from excavation for the driveway in the relocated area.
3. Relocation of the Detached Garage to the west to accommodate a more suitable location for the septic field.
4. Variance from Article 2 Zoning Districts Section 2.3, table Letter I, Maximum Lot Coverage. Definition Article 10 – Lot Coverage. The percentage (%) of the property covered by buildings, driveways, sidewalks, parking areas, loading docks, or other structures of other impervious surfaces which impede the free infiltration of water.

Zoned Single Family Residential.

PROPERTY # 15-006-019-030-45, Tim & Tina Forell, property address: 05355 Bonners Lane, Eveline Township, East Jordan, Charlevoix County, MI 49727. All persons are invited to attend and be heard. Comments may be mailed to Eveline Township Hall, PO Box 496, East Jordan, MI 49727 or emailed to evelinetwpclerk@gmail.com before the day of the meeting. This notice is in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MCL 125.3843(1), and the American Disabilities Act (ADA). Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact Eveline Township at evelinetwpclerk@gmail.com, seven days in advance.

INVITATION TO BID

ELLSWORTH COMMUNITY SCHOOL Elementary School Boiler Replacement

Ellsworth Community School will receive Bids from Bidders for replacement of heating system boilers in the Ellsworth Elementary School building located at 9467 Park Street, Ellsworth, MI 49729 during the 2023 summer recess.

Sealed Bids may be delivered in person to Ellsworth Community School, c/o Aaron Gaffney, Superintendent, Ellsworth Community School, 9467 Park Street, Ellsworth MI 49729. Bids must be received prior to 1:30 PM local time on October 5, 2022. Bids will be opened publicly and read aloud in the Superintendent's office located at 9467 Park Street, Ellsworth, MI 49729 immediately following the closure of the bidding period. The Owner will not consider or accept a bid received after the date and time specified for bid submission. Post

There will be a Pre-Bid Meeting conducted by the Architect at 3:30 PM local time on September 21, 2022. The meeting will convene Ellsworth Elementary School boiler room accessed from the east parking lot to the elementary school building; 9467 Park Street, Ellsworth, MI 49729. The Pre-Bid Meeting will consist of a brief informational meeting followed by an opportunity for Bidders to examine the Project site. Attendance by Bidders is not mandatory but is strongly encouraged as there will be no other opportunity offered for Bidders to examine the project site.

The contract for work is expected to be awarded on or about October 10, 2022.

Bidding Documents will be available on or about September 9, 2022. Interested Bidders may view and download bidding documents at www.anthonyssonarchitect.com. Select Ellsworth Community School / Elementary School Boiler Replacement under the Bid Docs button

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Fall Fast Approaching on The Breezeway

Driving across the 26 scenic miles of C-48 The Breezeway this past week for events, there are hints of "fall colors" starting to happen on trees. At our Chamber Office, we are already planning for the 13th Annual Breezeway Fall Color Cruises (scheduled for three consecutive Saturday's - Sept. 24, Oct. 1 and Oct. 8). From 10:00 AM - Noon at Royal Farms in Atwood pick up your goodie bags filled with coupons, business swag, "Trip Tips" sheet of attractions, events, etc. and then "tour" 26 miles of the Breezeway at your own pace. Explore and discover businesses, events and places of interest on your schedule and choice! Plenty of places to dine at,



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shop and experience fall! On September 23 & 24, the annual East Jordan Fall Fest will be held at the East Jordan Tourist Park located on the beautiful South Arm of Lake Charlevoix. The event, sponsored by the City of East Jordan Parks and

Rec., Department features music, a co-ed softball tournament, food, beer tent, corn hole tournament, hayrides, children's games, face painting, art and craft show, campsite decorating contest for campers at the park, early Trick or Treat-

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Charlie's Root Fusion, 4:00 PM - Two Track Mind and local rock band Derailed from 8:00 PM - 11:00 PM. If you are simply interested in taking a fall drive throughout the Breezeway and Jordan Valley during the week, the Chamber has

suggested color tour routes and maps available. There are also several nature preserves throughout the area for great hiking. Fall is also an excellent time to canoe or kayak the wild and scenic Jordan River or the Chain of Lakes Water Trail. The Annual Paddle Antrim Festival takes place on September 15 - 17, 2022 on the Chain of Lakes. For more information on the Paddle Antrim event visit www.paddleantrim.com.

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