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# APPLE FEST THIS WEEKEND



CHARLEVOIX – The 43rd annual Apple Fest is this weekend, October 14 – 16. Experience the magic of autumn in northern Michigan at the 43rd Annual Charlevoix Apple Festival. Join the festivities and show your support for our local farmers, orchards and non-profit organizations while celebrating the season in scenic downtown Charlevoix this October. The Harvest is in!  
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PARTY SIGN UP - Friday, 1PM | Saturday, 11:30am | Saturday, 2pm  
APPLE FEST PIE EATING CONTEST SIGN UP - Saturday, October 15 at 12pm  
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Apple Fest Schedule of Events:  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14  
Art & Craft Show: 10-6pm  
Farmers Market: 10-6pm  
Apple Fest Paint Party



with Cottage Pottery 1pm  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15  
Apple Fest Fun Run - Saturday, October 15 at 9am  
Art & Craft Show: 10-6pm  
Farmers Market: 10-6pm  
Apple Fest Paint Party

with Cottage Pottery 11:30am & 2pm  
\*\*To sign up, go to <https://charlevoix.chambermaster.com/eventregistration/register/14069>  
Apple Pie Eating Contest- 12pm  
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Music in the Streets 1-4pm Charlie Millard Band  
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Kids Activities: 10am-6pm  
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Twister Joe Balloon Artist  
Face Painting  
Kids Craft with the Charlevoix Circle of Arts- 12-4pm

\*\*Road Closure: Bridge Street will be closed on Saturday from 7am to 9pm. Please use the detour of Hurlbut to State St. to Park Ave to Bridge Street. There will be signs posted for the detour. This is for the safety of the festival goers during the event.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16  
Art & Craft Show: 10-4pm  
Farmers Market: 10-4pm  
Kids Activities: 10am-4pm  
Petting Zoo  
Twister Joe Balloon Artist  
Face Painting

Apple Fest Fun Run sponsored by Charlevoix Kiwanis

Apple Fest Fun Run - Saturday, October 15 at 9am  
Apple Fest Fun Run is for families and teams of all ages and offers a 5k and 1 mile FUN RUN each starting and ending in downtown Charlevoix at the Annual Apple Festival.

This is a true FUN run with obstacles along the way— leave your watch at home as you won't want to be timed for this event but are sure to have a good time! Event is designed for all ages and FUN run through scenic Charlevoix.

Goodies will be given away to all participants and some great local treats will be available to all at the finish line so reg-

SEE APPLEFEST-3A

## Dirt Bike Racing Ranch Opens In Mancelona

Last year, ten families partnered together to form 10 Pines Ranch, a new race park situated on 100 acres of heavily wooded land on Elder Road in Mancelona. Construction on the course began in early 2022, and the ranch was later sworn in by the American Motorcycle Association (AMA) District 14 Hare Scramble. The first event was held Sunday, October 2, and drew in an estimated 4,000 people including spectators, racers, volunteers and staff. Ranch co-owner Tommy McDonald said, "the reception we received from racers, sponsors, local businesses owners and the community was amazing. We couldn't be happier."



PHOTO BY JOANIE MOORE

Racers lined up in rows and were released based on their skill level and class. The main course, approximately 7 miles long, consists of various challenges including heavily wooded areas, jumps, curves and rough terrain. Racers Sunday ranged in age from 2 to over 60.

McDonald said the park came to fruition because the like-minded partners shared a common goal and worked together to achieve it. "This is what can happen," he said. "We did this to keep families riding and build the off-road community." 10 Pines Ranch received

countless messages and inquiries on their social media platform, an indication that the inaugural event was going to be big, and successful.

"The outpouring of people that showed up stunned me," said Phil Sawicki, a Gaylord resident who volunteered at 10 Pines Ranch. "It was really fun to be a part of it. Sometimes the old school friendly competition gets lost in sports when you go faster, get better and compete more. Everyone was helping each other with maintenance and encouragement. There's nothing better than being at the races."

HAVE YOU STARTED YOUR FALL BUCKET LIST?

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**record temps**

Day	.....	AVG HIGH	.....	Aug. LOO	.....	Record HIGH	YEAR	Record LOW	YEAR			
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**OBITUARIES**

**Betty Jane Pearsall, 98**

**PASSED OCTOBER 5, 2022**



Betty Jane Pearsall peacefully passed away on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at the home of her daughter in Ironton.

Betty was born in Cran- don, Wisconsin to Lonnie and Harriet (Scott) Adkins. Her mother passed away when Betty was 13 and she helped raise her 6 siblings. She married Harry Pearsall on September 15, 1945, in East Jordan and they purchased a farm on Ranney Road. In addition to farm- ing, Betty worked at Bur- nett foods for several years. When they moved to Charlevoix, Betty became a quality inspector at Ameri- can Mold. She retired in 1972 and began her career as a full time volunteer.

Betty has been a member of the East Jordan United Methodist Church, The South Arm Women's Club, The VFW and American Legion Auxiliary, The East Jordan Senior Center Advisory Board, the Charlevoix

County Commission on Aging, and the Red Hatters.

In 2014, Betty was selected as the East Jordan Citizen of the Year in recognition of her lifelong volunteer work in the community at the Care and Share food pantry, Senior Center, Grandvue Medical Center, VFW, American Legion, and her church.

Betty is survived by her daughter, Sherrel (Jack) Bergmann of Ironton; her son, Michael (Patty Rein- hart) Pearsall of Charlevoix; five grandchildren, Michelle Pearsall (de- ceased), Tony (Jenny) Pearsall, Krista Pearsall, Andrew Bergmann and Benjamin (Savannah) Bergmann; ten great grand- children and twenty nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; hus- band, Harry on June 15, 2002, her granddaughter Michelle: her brothers: Charles, John, Lonnie, and Raymond and her sisters Mae Mathers and Helen Bond.

She enjoyed travel, gar- dening, helping at the Sen- ior Center, fishing, crafts, reading, dancing, and spending time with her friends and family.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, October 16, 2022, at 1:00pm at the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan. A celebration of her life will continue at 2:00pm at the Senior Center in East Jordan. Interment of Betty's remains will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery in East Jordan.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that the me- morials be given to the Care and Share food Pantry in East Jordan or the United Methodist Church in East Jordan.

**Carl J. Bayster, 78**

**(FEB. 14, 1944 - OCT. 7, 2022)**

Carl J. Bayster of Boyne City passed away on Friday, October 7, 2022 at his home.

Carl was born on Febru- ary 14, 1944 in Detroit the son of Walter Bayster and Eleanor Dubois.

He is survived by his life partner Kay Edison; daugh- ter Candace Lamon; sister Janice Bayster; grandsons Ben Lemon and Logan Lemon; grand-daughters Malissa Stahl and Jennifer Peregori; great grand- daughters Melody Stahl, Harmony Stahl, Lyric Cook and Paisley Peregori.

Carl is preceded in death by son Dale Bayster and brothers Joey Bayster, Bob Bayster and Rich Bayster.

Carl was a meticulous painter and loved to bowl, play softball and golf. His family will remember him as an amazing companion, father and a wonderful Papa.

**Frances Mary (Daniels) Hayden, 87**

**(SEPT. 17, 1935 - OCT. 3, 2022)**

Frances Mary (Daniels) Hayden of Boyne City

passed away on October 3, 2022 at Boulder Park Ter- race in Charlevoix, Michi- gan.

Daughter of Henry and Julia (Strickler) Hayden, Fran was born in Petoskey, Michigan on September 17, 1935. She grew up in Petoskey and graduated from the St. Francis Catholic School.

Fran married John Wes- ley Hayden on June 13, 1953, in Petoskey, Michigan.

After Fran and Wes were married they moved to Flint, Michigan in 1955 so Wes could work for Buick. When Wes retired they moved back to Northern Michigan. Fran spent much of her time working on crafts for others. She was involved in camp quality, she also knitted and cro- cheted hats and mittens for veterans at the hospitals in the Saginaw area.

Fran had many crafting hobbies. She enjoyed ce- ramics and would pour, paint and kiln her own work. She also liked work- ing at art fairs selling wood working toys and cars. Fran loved mushroom picking, working in her garden and feeding the birds too.

Fran was a devoted catholic. She was a kind, giving and loving woman. She volunteered her time to give crafts to those in need.

Fran is survived by her sons Edward Michael Hay- den and Robert John (Wendy) Hayden; her grand- children: Julia, Eddie, Johnny, Sarah, Jennifer, Adam, Kyle, and Curtis; her sister Eleanor Hayden and

sister-in-law Sue Karlskin; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her husband John "Wes" Hayden; her sons John Jr., and Kenneth Wesley Hay- den; and her siblings: Elmer, Grace, Joyce, Henry, Patricia, Adam, Rose.

Those wishing to make a charitable are asked by fam- ily to consider the Alzheimer's Association.

A funeral mass officiated by Father Greg McCallum was held on October 11, 2022 at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Petoskey. Burial followed at Maple Hill Cemetery in Clarion, Michigan.

Arrangements are in the care of Stackus Funeral Home.

Kathy (Albert, Jr.) Legato of East Jordan and Karol (John) Smith of Halstead, Kansas; one brother, Roy D. (Susan Groat) Woehlert of Aquilar, Colorado; as well as several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his Father on June 28, 1999 and his sister, Karen Marie Woehlert on March 2, 2019.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, Octo- ber 13, 2022, at 11:00 A.M. at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan. Rev. Karen Harriman of the East Jordan United Methodist Church will offi- ciate.

The family will receive friends on Thursday from 10:00 A.M. to service time.

**Rick Allen Woehlert, 58**

**(JUNE 13, 1964 - OCT. 8, 2022)**

Rick A. Woehlert died on Saturday, October 8, 2022, at his home in East Jordan.

He was born on June 13, 1964, in Mt. Clemens, the son of Roy E. and Kay M. (VanDerworp) Woehlert. The family moved to East Jordan in 1971. Rick gradu- ated from East Jordan High School in 1982.

Rick worked for the EJ, USA, Inc. in Elmira for 28 years. He enjoyed hunting and kayaking. His passion was wood working.

Rick is survived by his mother, Kay Woehlert of East Jordan; two sisters,

**Dennis E. Matthews, 65**

**(SEPT. 11, 1957 — OCT. 1, 2022)**

Dennis E. Matthews of Charlevoix passed away Sat- urday, October 1, 2022 at home.

Arrangements are incom- plete at this time and will be updated.

Please share your memo- ries and personal messages with the family on his guestbook below.

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**Dave Ramsey**

**(It'll take lots of discussion and planning)**

Dear Dave,

My wife and I are in our late-twenties, and we have a full emergency fund saved up. Our only debt is our home. We have talked about having a child sometime next year, but I am on the road three weeks a month for my job. I don't want to be gone so much once we have a child, and I am thinking about opening my own business, so I can eliminate the travel and control my hours better. Do you have any thoughts on this situation?

Mike

Dear Mike,

An entrepreneur is the person I know who can go from sheer terror to sheer exhilaration and back every few hours. You've got to have a strong mind and a strong heart to be success- ful, plus there's a good chance your idea won't last long if you don't love what you're doing. Remember, too, you're basically on straight commission as an entrepreneur, and there probably wouldn't be a reg- ular paycheck you could count on for a while.

Okay, that was a quick dose of reality. Now, if time

but you're not going to make the best possible deci- sions for yourself—and your family—without a lot more planning and thoughtful discussion.

**(An uncomfort- able situation)**

Dear Dave,

I need your advice. I just accepted a new job in a field I love three weeks ago. Yesterday, I was recruited and offered a position by a huge company for the same kind of position, and they pay more than twice what I'm making now. I did not send in a resume, or fill out an application for the job that was just offered. They came directly to me, and it was a huge surprise. I don't have a contract with my current employer, but they are good people and I want to handle things well and do the right thing. Can you help?

Jenny

Dear Jenny,

Long story short, I think you take the new job. Now, how do you handle this with your present em- ployer? With total honesty, respect and a lot of grati- tude. Walk into your boss's office, and lay out the whole situation truthfully. Let them know what has hap- pened, how it happened, and while you feel awful about how things worked out, you had no intention of misleading them or causing problems. On top of all that, promise to do every- thing possible to make the transition as easy as you can.

In uncomfortable scenar- ios, it's always a good idea to try to put yourself in the

other person's shoes. Let's pretend you own a busi- ness, and you just hired a young lady. A few weeks later, someone comes in, completely out of the blue, and offers her more than double what she's making with you. I can tell you what would happen at my company. I'd tell her to take it. I'm serious. I mean, as an employer I'm certainly not going to double her in- come that quickly. And while I'd be surprised, and a little disappointed, I'd be happy she has the chance to take such a big step up.

If an organization cares about its people, and one of those team members has the opportunity to signifi- cantly increase their in- come—and they're not breaking a contract or promise in the process—this type of scenario is per- fectly reasonable, even if it's a little inconvenient for the current employer in the short term. I know it'll be uncomfortable for you, Jenny, but they can't realis- tically expect you to pass up a chance to do what you love at double-plus what you're making now.

Congratulations!

— Dave

\* Dave Ramsey is an eight-time national best- selling author, personal fi- nance expert, and host of The Ramsey Show, heard by more than 18 million lis- teners each week. He has appeared on Good Morning America, CBS This Morn- ing, Today Show, Fox News, CNN, Fox Business, and many more. Since 1992, Dave has helped people re- gain control of their money, build wealth and enhance their lives. He also serves as CEO for Ramsey Solutions.

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## Dress for Chill makes sure students stay warm

BOYNE CITY - Another summer is now history, fall's beautiful but cooler temperatures are upon us, and we know that winter's cold and snow are not far behind. For the past 14 years, the women of Eta Nu Charities have conducted their annual "Dress for Chill" program to purchase and distribute new winter outerwear for children in need in the Boyne City community. Last year, Eta Nu helped 187 area preschool and elemen-

tary students stay warm through the freezing winter months by providing them with jackets, snow pants, boots, hats and mittens.

The need for this program seems to become more acute each year. Due to the pandemic and other economic factors, many families are still struggling. The income required to provide warm winter clothes for growing children often isn't available.



That's where Eta Nu comes in. Beginning in September, committee members work together in an all-out effort to raise money to dress these children. The Dress

for Chill team works all year to purchase warm weather clothing at the best possible prices, often taking advantage of end-of-season sales. They buy, sort, catalog and store all the purchases and then finally match each child with new outdoor clothing for winter before the snow flies.

This major project takes a lot of planning – and a lot of funding. Each year, there has been an increase in the number of students in need and

inflation has added increased costs to the clothing purchases. The funds to support the program are raised solely through donations from community organizations, local businesses and individuals. It is truly a community project and Eta Nu members are grateful for the assistance and support we have received in the past. Helping our local children stay safe and warm during our

cold winter season is imperative.

Please consider becoming a part of this vitally important program. All donations are tax deductible. Checks may be made out to Eta Nu Charities/Dress for Chill and sent to P.O. Box 133, Boyne City, MI 49712. Additionally, online donations can be made by accessing the QR code.

## East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce to Host 2022 State of the Community Oct. 25

The East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce will host a "State of the Community" forum and luncheon on Tuesday, October 25th at the East Jordan Community Auditorium located at the East Jordan Middle/High School (101 Maple Street). Doors will open at 11:15 AM, a take-out boxed meal catered by EJ Catering will be available immediately following the forum. The Presenting Sponsor for the event is Consumers Energy and the Event Sponsor, Charlevoix State Bank. Thank you to our generous sponsors of the event. Presentations will begin promptly at 11:45 AM and the event will conclude by 1:00 PM.

Presenters include:  
 Matt Stevenson – East Jordan Public School Superintendent  
 Tom Cannon – East Jordan City Administrator  
 Chip Hansen – Charlevoix County Community Foundation President  
 Kieran Fleming – Little Traverse Conservancy Executive Director  
 Thomas Teske – East Jordan Downtown Development Authority Chair  
 Mary H. Faculak – East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce President/CEO  
 Reservations are required for the boxed lunch which will be \$20.00 for Chamber Members and \$25.00 for not-yet-members. Please call 231-536-7351 or e-mail info@ejchamber.org by Thursday, October 20, 2022. Checks may be sent to the Chamber Office at P.O. Box 137, 100 Main Street, Suite B, East Jordan, MI 49727. State of the Community is an excellent way to become informed about projects, programs and events occurring or coming to the East Jordan area.



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- Late/Same-Day Registration will be available until Saturday, October 15, 2022 in the bandshell downtown Charlevoix (please note, same day registration fees will apply).
- Check In Saturday, October 15, 2022, downtown Charlevoix, in the Bandshell 8:00 am-9:25 am and onsite registration is available.
- 1 Mile Race Begins at 9am
- 5k Race Begins at 9:30am
- All races will begin at Belvedere Ave & Bridge Street (above Veteran's Park)
- Any questions or large groups may contact us at AppleFestFunRun@gmail.com
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## CHARLEVOIX

### ANNUAL MEETING FOR CHX POOL

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool, a non-profit organization, will host their Annual Meeting on Oct 13 from 4 to 5 pm at the pool, 11905 US 31 N. Pool staff and directors will review the pool finances and successes from 2021. The public is invited to attend. More info at: www.Charlevoixpool.org

## ELLSWORTH

### MOMS & TOTS FUNDRAISER

Get your tickets to our Moms & Tots Fundraiser on Thursday, October 13 at the East Jordan auditorium. Doors open at 6:30 and the Event begins at 7. Comedian and Speaker Derrick Tennant and his fabulous sister, Julie will have you laughing! You will hear from our clients and get updated on what's happening at Moms & Tots. An opportunity to give will be given followed by fellowship and refreshments. For tickets, call Gayle Kroon at 231-588-2200. You don't want to miss this fun evening!! For more information go to the following link: www.thegoodsam.org

## BOYNE CITY

### OFF THE CLOCK

October 13, 5:30 - 7:30 at

Muskrat Distilling.

## CHARLEVOIX

### APPLE FESTIVAL

October 14-16. Food booths, art and craft show, farm market, kids activities, petting zoo, paint art and more in downtown. Friday and Saturday 10am - 6pm. Sunday 10am - 4pm.

## EAST JORDAN

### OPEN DOOR COFFEE HOUSE MUSIC

Gospel music at 7pm the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. The Open Door is a Christian Coffee House located inside the Lighthouse Missionary Church, 7824 Rogers Road. Donations only. Everyone is welcome. Bring a friend. Music schedule

Oct. 15 - Jeff and Brenda Glasko

Nov. 5 - The Walkers

Nov. 19 - Judy Slocum & Friends

## CHARLEVOIX

### APPLE FEST PAINT PARTY

Three paint sessions to choose from. Friday, October 14 at 1pm. Saturday, October 15 at 11:30am. Saturday, October 15 at 2pm. Join Cottage Pottery to create an Apple Fest masterpiece. To register call the Chamber, 231-547-2101.

## CHARLEVOIX

### APPLE PIE EATING CONTEST

Saturday, October 15 at 12 pm. Sponsored by Friske Farm Market.

## BOYNE CITY

### CANCER CRUSADERS FUNDRAISER

The Northern Michigan Cancer Crusaders are hosting Rockin through the decades, 60's, 70's, 80's and 90's. Celebrity performers, prizes, cash bar, silent and tickets auction. Food available. Held at the Eagles Hall October 15, 6pm - 11pm. Music by Northern Nites and Tim's DJ Service. Come dressed in your decade for a chance to win a prize. \$6 donation. 100% of the money raised goes to individuals with cancer. This past year NMCC distributed over \$25,000 to people in Northern Michigan.

## EAST JORDAN

### HARVEST DINNER AND AUCTION

Saturday, October 15, 5 pm, Evangelical Lutheran Church will have its annual Harvest Dinner & Auction. Dinner will be served at 5pm (free will offering) with the auction starting immediately thereafter. There will be good quality household items, fresh produce, homemade item (including 2 quilts) and baked goods to bid on. Come and enjoy good food, fellowship and fun. The church is located at 7855 Rogers Road. For more information call (231)536-5050.

## ELLSWORTH

### SOUP SUPPER

It is time again for Ebenezer Christian School's annual soup supper. It will be held Tuesday, October 18 from 5-7pm at the Ellsworth Christian Reformed Church. Take a break from cooking and enjoy a delicious bowl of homemade soup, rolls, salads, and of course, homemade desserts. Dine-in or takeout options are available.

## BOYNE CITY

### CANDIDATE FORUM

The Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel (MARSP) will be hosting a candidate forum on Wednesday, the 19th of October in Boyne City, at 12:30. It is being held at the Early Learners Center (Old Middle School) on 321 Park (Park and Main) next to the Library. All of the candidates for U.S. Congress, Michigan State Senate and Michigan State House have been invited to participate. The public is cordially invited to attend. Come and inform yourselves on critical issues that will be explored.

## EAST JORDAN

### FARMERS MARKET

Thursdays 10am - 2pm at East Jordan Tourist Park

## CHARLEVOIX

### KID COLORING CONTEST

Charlevoix Circle of Arts Presents the Kids Coloring Contest. For our new exhibit: Charlevoix and the Night. Kids 18 & under can participate in our month-

long "Charlevoix and the Night" coloring contest. Each child may submit 1 coloring page to the CCA during September & October for a chance to win a prize! Deadline for submissions is October 24. Go to CharlevoixCircle.org to download coloring page

## EAST JORDAN

### DONATION TO TOURIST PARK

East Jordan Lions have purchased a refrigerator and ceiling fans in the Tourist Park Clubhouse from the camping wood sold at the park. They would like to thank all those that supported our wood sales. We work hard to keep the wood supplied. The East Jordan Lions meet at the Jordan Inn at 6pm the first and third Monday of the month during September through May. They meet during the summer months at the Tourist Park pavilion at the same time.

## 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.

## EAST JORDAN

### STATE OF THE COMMUNITY

Thursday, October 25, East Jordan Community Auditorium. Doors opening 11:15 AM, program to start at 11:45 AM, concluding at 1:00 PM. Boxed lunches to go will be available (pre-order, details to follow in upcoming weeks) Proudly sponsored by Consumers Energy.

## PETOSKEY

### FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

In recognition of World Stroke Day McLaren Northern Michigan is offering FREE Blood Pressure Screenings on Wednesday, October 26, from 11am to 1pm in the Petoskey cafeteria.

## CHARLEVOIX

### NEW EXHIBIT

The Charlevoix Circle of Arts has a new exhibit now through Oct. 29. CHARLEVOIX AND THE NIGHT With artists: Kevin Barton, Phil Fisher & Kurt Anderson.

## BOYNE CITY

### HALLOWEEN PUB CRAWL BINGO

Oct. 29 starting at 4:30pm at the Eagles Club. Pre-registration available at Eventbrite.com by October 15 to guarantee t-shirt. Crawl at your own pace while completing tasks and finding clues at Red Mesa, Stigg's, Café Sante, and BC Tap Room. Complete as many bingos as possible. Meet back at the Eagles at 9pm for door prize drawing, music, silent auction, and costume contest. For more information contact syrina @ charter.net or 231-675-2492. Proceeds benefit Chain of Lakes Relay For Life

## EAST JORDAN

### OPEN HOUSE

Jordan Valley EMS Authority open house Friday, Oct. 28, 5-8pm. 555 Maple St. Ambulance and equipment demonstrations, games, crafts, treats and prizes. Fire prevention education with EJ Fire Dept. Flu shots available.

## EAST JORDAN

### SPAGHETTI DINNER

Oct. 29, 4-8pm at the Rebecca Sweet American Legion post, 303 Main St. Suggested donations: Adults \$8. Children age 6-12 \$5. Under 5 free. Maximum of \$20 a family. All proceeds to improvements to GAR Park on Main St.

## EAST JORDAN

### SCARECROWS ACROSS THE BREEZEWAY

Let's get the Breezeway and its communities decorated for fall. You also have a chance to win some great prizes. Larger prize money for Non-Profit & Residential Division

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1st Place - \$100.00

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3rd Place - \$40.00

Registration Forms available at the Chamber Office or online at www.ejchamber.org

## CHARLEVOIX

### GRAND WEDDING EXPO

October 30, 12PM - 3PM at Castle Farms. You're invited to attend our eagerly-anticipated and recently-refreshed Grand Wedding Expo. This event experience features displays by the most sought-after wedding and event professionals that Northern Michigan has to offer. Couples are certain to find resources for planning their wedding a breeze including tasting food from caterers and bakeries, viewing decorations and florals to bring all those pins to life, hearing music from the best DJ's in the spaces that can be reserved for a wedding, and so much more!

## ELLSWORTH

### TRUNK OR TEAT

Oct. 31 at Ellsworth Community Park pavilion. Fun activities, music, photo props, hayrides and more. Haunted house at Banks Township fire station. Good Sam Food Pantry will be having a canned food drive. Adults and young people are encouraged to wear costumes. All community members, churches, businesses and organizations are invited to bring their treats and participate.

## BOYNE CITY

### HOLIDAY WREATHS

Boyer Valley Garden Club 2022 Holiday Wreath & Garland. Stop into the BC Chamber office and pick up an order form. All orders by Nov. 4. 10ft Garland, \$15. 20 inch wreath, \$30. Pick up orders at Eagles Hall on Thursday, Nov. 17, 9-11am. Business deliveries will be made on Nov. 16.

## BOYNE CITY

### LEAF PICKUP

City residents can have their bagged leaves picked up on Mondays and Fridays from October 10 through November 11. Please set bagged leaves curbside in biodegradable paper yard waste bags available locally at Boyne City Hardware, Boyne Cop and other sources. Please put only leaves in bags as the bags are not strong enough to hold sticks, sand, or stones, and will tear upon lifting.

## CHARLEVOIX

### AFTER SCHOOL ART VENTURES

October 6 - November 17. Art-Ventures is CCA's new after school art program for children ages 6-10. Kids get to be creative, try new techniques and explore a variety of materials! Includes all supplies & snack. Fall Session of 6 classes. Thursdays, October 6 - November 17 (no class Nov. 10). 4 - 5:30pm. \$60 for CCA Members, \$70 for Non-Members. Scholarships Available. Pre-Registration Required: CharlevoixCircle.org or 231-547-3554

## BOYNE CITY

### ETA NU WRAPS BC KIDS IN WARMTH WITH DRESS FOR CHILL PROGRAM

Another summer is now history, fall's beautiful but cooler temperatures are upon us, and we know that winter's cold and snow are not far behind. For the past 14 years, the women of Eta Nu Charities have conducted their annual "Dress for Chill" program to purchase and distribute new winter outerwear for children in need in the Boyne City community. Last year, Eta Nu helped 187 area preschool and elementary students stay warm through the freezing winter months by providing them with jackets, snow pants, boots, hats and mittens. The need for this program seems to become more acute each year. Due to the pandemic and other economic factors,

many families are still struggling. The income required to provide warm winter clothes for growing children often isn't available. That's where Eta Nu comes in. Beginning in September, committee members work together in an all-out effort to raise money to dress these children. The Dress for Chill team works all year to purchase warm weather clothing at the best possible prices, often taking advantage of end-of-season sales. They buy, sort, catalog and store all the purchases and then finally match each child with new outdoor clothing for winter before the snow flies. This major project takes a lot of planning – and a lot of funding. Each year, there has been an increase in the number of students in need and inflation has added increased costs to the clothing purchases. The funds to support the program are raised solely through donations from community organizations, local businesses and individuals. It is truly a community project and Eta Nu members are grateful for the assistance and support we have received in the past. Helping our local children stay safe and warm during our cold winter season is imperative. Please consider becoming a part of this vitally important program. All donations are tax deductible. Checks may be made out to Eta Nu Charities/Dress for Chill and sent to P.O. Box 133, Boyne City, MI 49712.

## BOYNE CITY

### LET'S TALK TURKEY

With Good Neighbors Food Pantry. The chase is on! Let's round up those Northern Michigan Turkeys for Thanksgiving and put them on the plates of those in need in the Boyne City Area. A \$20 donation will provide a family with all the fixings for a complete Thanksgiving meal.

Ways to donate:

1. Drop off your check or cash at Pat O'Brien and Associates Real Estate in Boyne City now through the month of October.

2. Mail your tax- deductible check to Good Neighbors Food Pantry, PO Box 35, Boyne City, MI 49712

3. Donate online at www.goodneighborsboyncity.org

With your help, the Good Neighbors Food Pantry will have enough turkeys for all who shop at the pantry. Good Neighbors is blessed to be in our 7th year of service to our neighbors.

## CHARLEVOIX

### 2023 CALENDARS

The Best of the Charlevoix Photography Club 2023 calendar is now for sale. It's a collaborative effort by its many members, and printed close by to benefit a local business. The price is still just \$25! This calendar would look great on your wall, or make a unique gift to family or friends! They can be ordered at www.charlevoixphotography-club.org or purchased at the Charlevoix Circle of Arts.

## EAST JORDAN

### TEEN CENTER

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

## EAST JORDAN

### JUBILEE OF TREES FOR 501 C(3)'S

November 26 at The Boat-house on Lake Charlevoix, 4:30 - 7PM. We are working on some new additions for this year's event. Only 25 Tree Sponsors. New this year - 5 Basket Sponsors. New this year - Monetary Sponsorship Levels available. Special monetary donation to the 501 C(3) that has the most attendees check in at the door. Only 501 C(3)'s that are East Jordan Chamber Members in good standing will be eligible to receive the donations. Please contact the EJ Chamber Office, 231-536-7351 or info@ejchamber.org, if you are interested in being: A Tree Sponsor, A Basket Sponsor, A Monetary Sponsor

## 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.

## EAST JORDAN

### CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

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

# Write-In

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# News

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## Students at 10 High Schools Benefit from New Chill Lounges

Collaboration of health department, schools, and federal funding support the vision

Sometimes life is stressful. Sometimes classrooms are abuzz with activities. Sometimes students need a quiet place to think, process.

For these reasons and more, chill lounges, also known as peace rooms, have been established at 10 area high schools—Alanson, Boyne Falls, Charlevoix, Elk Rapids, Ellsworth, Gaylord, Mancelona, Pellston, Petoskey, and Round Lake. The rooms are getaways for students who need to regroup. They're gathering places for students who would otherwise need to leave campus between class and sports practices or games.

"This is a big improvement, more than I could have hoped for," said Jordan Devers, a senior at Boyne Falls School. "There are lots of pillows and chairs. It's comfortable, more cozy."

The Chill Lounge gives Jordan a place to transition from stepping off the bus from welding class to his upcoming Silent Sustained Reading time.

Also a senior at Boyne Falls, Amber Cool says the high school volleyball team uses the space to gather before games. They put their phones away and visit, sometimes using the old-school games to initiate conversation.

The Health Department of Northwest Michigan (HDNW) received a grant from American Rescue Plan Act through the Northern



Amber Cool (left) and Jordan Devers enjoy a short break from class Wednesday in the Logger Chill Lounge.

Michigan Regional Entity to help the schools purchase a total of \$80,000 worth of supplies to create calm spaces for kids. The grant increases youth protective factors throughout Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet, and Otsego counties. The proactive intervention is hoped to interrupt the stress that can lead to substance use.

"We are thankful for this funding," said Susan Pulasaki, HDNW Community Health Supervisor. "A peace room is a dedicated, safe, and neutral space in a school building for students to work through difficult emotions and challenging situations. Examples of what the peace rooms may

include are: low lighting, comfortable furniture, inspirational messages, soft music, sensory items, and healthy snacks. Additionally, this provides funding for school/HDNW staff to complete the Mindfulness Schools Training to further support students."

Each school determined the location of their chill lounge. They were able to customize orders based on their space and the overall feel of the room. In Boyne Falls, for example, a wood theme was woven in to represent the Loggers. Student Success Advisor Brooke Fenske said they looked for seating to maximize the space for students, opting

for a couch, chairs, large floor pillows, and two tables with taller chairs around them. Overall, the chill lounge has three potential spaces for small groups. But it also comfortably accommodates a single student with a headache or in need of a quiet space to write a paper or depressurize from a conflict.

"If someone feels frustrated, they can just ask their teacher if they can come down," Amber said.

A small portion of the money was used to stock personal hygiene items the students can access, like toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, and Chapstick. There are cups for Keurig



machines and creamers.

Even though the lounges just opened, one example of their benefit includes a student asking to go to the lounge after arriving at school upset from fighting with a family member.

"He was embarrassed to be in class because he was emotional from what happened at home," Fenske said. "The chill lounge gives the students assurance that

there's a safe, quiet retreat available for them."

"The space is beneficial for students managing difficult feelings while they are at school," said Julie Jamison, the HDNW mental health professional for the Boyne Falls Wellness Program.

To schedule a tour of a chill lounge at one of the 10 area schools, call the onsite wellness center.

### COMMUNITY PROFILE

# What Are The Problems And How Can We Help?

BY JOHN KEYSER

I had great pleasure in meeting community leader Stacy Nelson, Executive Director of Good Samaritan Family Services. Clearly, Stacy is such a fine person, totally dedicated to our community and working collaboratively to help meet the various needs of our neighbors.

As background, Stacy was born in Muskegon and spent a number of his early years with his mother in Salt Lake City. As an adult he attended Moody Bible Institute in Chicago for his undergraduate degree, then worked in Milwaukee until he was offered a position as a Pastor in the Upper Peninsula.

After five years in the U.P., Stacy moved here as Pastor of Grace Community Church in Central Lake. He also became head of His House, one of the valuable resources of Good Samaritan that helps dads find their place as a father. It meets men where they are, helping them navigate through their life. It is a place of friendship, support and encouragement. This was rewarding for him as a husband and father of two sons.

Subsequently, Stacy was offered the position of Executive Director of all of Good Samaritan resources for those in need and he is now in his fourth year with this responsibility. Stacy is thriving as he is a totally



STACY NELSON

selfless person, energetic, and devoted to serving others in their needs.

A bit of history about Good Samaritan Family Services. 32 years ago, Mary Peterson, an Ellsworth resident was struck by how many neighbors were in need of food. She would share with them when she could, though she herself had limited resources. Very much on her mind was "How can we help feed our children and neighbors, and why isn't someone addressing this need?" Frequently, in her prayers she'd hear God say to her, "This should be you", which she did not feel she could. Then one day at a church service, again heard God speak this to her, and suddenly out loud she nearly shouted, "Yes, I will", and Good Samaritan

began out of the back of her van and her garage.

Good Samaritan has expanded its services and now serves more than 1,500 a month, from all over our county and surrounding area, and all in need. Services include:

Food Pantry – A place for those in the area to come and collect food for their hungry family.

Emergency Assistance – People, including as just some examples, senior citizens, disabled, and young moms, those without heat, their electricity being shut-off, being evicted and other emergencies.

Sammy's Shoes – Many students in our area were wearing shoes that were taped together, and many that were too large or too small. Sammy's Shoes provides new shoes as needed.

Moms & Tots – Support is given to pregnant women and mothers of children from infancy to age five, helping through tough times and sharing in celebrating the good times.

His House – Learning opportunities for men covering parenthood, home repair, and vehicle maintenance.

There is a building a few blocks away in Ellsworth that offers donated furniture at very reasonable prices.

Good Samaritan Family Services is so very important as 40% of families in our county and surrounding area struggle to meet their basic needs.

Stacy loves being with Good Samaritan as his team, some who are employed, and many volunteers, are sincerely devoted to serving those in need. As Stacy says, "Our team members and volunteers have good hearts!"

Stacy's guiding principal is "What are the problems and how can we help?"

After my meeting with Stacy, as I drove off, I called my wife and excitedly told her "I just met with one great person, so enthusiastic about the help offered by Good Samaritan and their team members, and he has such humility, absolutely no ego."

If there were more Stacy Nelsons, our world would be better!

### GUEST COMMENTARY

## Love Your Community; Leave a Legacy

By Chip Hansen

Charlevoix County Community Foundation

What do you love most about your community? Maybe you have a favorite beach or bike trail, a sense of commitment to helping friends and neighbors, or a love of your hometown. Whatever your interest, consider leaving a portion of your estate to provide for the future.

In the next 35 years, Charlevoix County residents are estimated to leave over \$3.5 billion to the next generation. If those friends and neighbors give just 5%, our region could benefit from \$175 million in charitable resources. These future gifts can be made without impacting current finances to support charitable organizations and causes you care about most.

Shirley Gibson is a fourth-generation Charlevoix native. She moved away for a time but grew tired of big city living and returned home in the eighties. Shirley always loved the scenic trails around the city, the rolling dunes near Mt. McSaubia, the tree-lined streets downtown, and the quiet serenity of her own backyard. In consultation with her attorney and the Community Foundation, Shirley designed a future gift in her estate plan that reflects her love of community. "I just knew it was a good thing to do," said Shirley. "You have to take care of things while you are here but

being able to help take care of them in the future is a real gift."

Since 2012, more than 80 individuals and couples have connected with the Community Foundation to formalize their legacy gifts. They're supporting organizations and causes they love and, in many cases, are also leaving an unrestricted gift. No one knows what the needs will be in Charlevoix County a decade or two from now, so unrestricted gifts are especially beneficial, providing the Community Foundation with resources that will help us meet needs and advance opportunities, even as the needs and opportunities change over time.

Gifts to the Charlevoix County Community Foundation are invested for long-term growth, which provides for grants to the community, forever. Professional advisors can help you determine the best way to make a gift in a way that works for you. Some people name the Community Foundation as a beneficiary of a life insurance policy or a retirement account or you can work with an attorney to create or update a will or trust. Then, be in touch with the Community Foundation to get more specific about how you want to make a difference close to home with a future gift. Call us at 231-536-2440 or send an email to legacy@c3f.org.

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# News

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# Fire Prevention Week



Banks Township Fire and Rescue presented to Ellsworth Elementary classes as part of Fire Prevention Week! They talked about the importance of working smoke detectors, knowing building exits, having a plan, and staying safe. Special thanks for Mr. Brad VanderArk, Mr. Daryl Richards, and Mr. Ward and Nate St. Pierre! For more information on Fire Prevention Week visit <https://www.nfpa.org/Events/Events/Fire-Prevention-Week>

## After advocating against reduced service for Up North airports, Rep. Damoose meets with airline officials, community leaders

State Rep. John Damoose on Wednesday joined community leaders and officials from Delta Air Lines and SkyWest to discuss the importance of accessible, reliable air transportation to Northern Michigan and the Eastern Upper Peninsula.

The meetings at Pellston Regional Airport and Chippewa County International Airport came after Damoose, R-Harbor Springs, last month helped secure the restoration of direct, nonstop flights between northern regional airports and Detroit.

“While we were able to avert long-term schedule changes that would have resulted in a loss of significant air service to our region, this issue will likely come up again and again,” Damoose said. “To help ensure vibrant travel options, we convened meetings at two essential airports in our region with Delta and

SkyWest, local government officials, business leaders, and airport executives. Bringing people with different perspectives together from across our region is critical to opening a dialogue and protecting our transportation in the years to come.”

SkyWest contracts under Delta to service the airports, and it had previously announced a transition to tag flights — trips with multiple stops to pick up additional passengers. Damoose then wrote a letter opposing the change to U.S. Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg and met with Delta officials to share local concerns with the plan.

“Thank you to everyone who traveled here to participate, and thank you to Delta and SkyWest for listening to our community,” Damoose said.



State Rep. John Damoose, at head of table, listens to local government officials, business leaders, airport executives, and others at Pellston Regional Airport on Wednesday, Oct. 5. Damoose facilitated discussions about the importance of accessible, reliable air transportation to Northern Michigan and the Eastern Upper Peninsula.

## Pumpkins to fly at Wellington Farm!

### Corn maze also open to the public

GRAYLING – Flying pumpkins, cider and donuts, a corn maze, pumpkins available for purchase, operating steam engines and a rural farming community set in 1932 all to be discovered and enjoyed this weekend, Oct. 15 and 16, and next weekend, October 22 and 23.

This Saturday, Oct. 15, will be especially exciting because four trebuchets will be flinging pumpkins high into the sky. Pumpkins will begin flying at

10:30 each day and continue every hour on the half-hour. The last flight will be at 4:30.

Admission to the 60 acre living history museum is still only \$10 for adults, \$7.50 for seniors and \$6 for students. Preschoolers are free. Gates open at 10 each day. A shuttle will be running throughout the park the entire day.

Wellington Farm, USA is located at 6944 S. Military Road southwest of Grayling. The farm is easily accessed from either Exit 251 of I-75 or Exit 206 of US-127.

Wellington Farm's giant trebuchet with a 1200 pound counterweight will be pitching giant pumpkins into oblivion the next two weekends. (courtesy of Wellington Farm)



## Boyne Falls Public Schools STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Calli Silva

Grade: 6

Parent's Name(s): KC & Carrie Silva

Future Plans: Her current plans are to become a teacher or a scientist.

Favorite Book: The Wings of Fire series by Tui Sutherland

Hobbies and Interests: Basketball, volleyball, soccer, softball, and math

School Activities: Volleyball & basketball

Staff Comments: Although new to our school, Calli is already making her presence known. She quietly demonstrates self-control, perseverance, and kindness, to name a few of her virtues. Her ready smile, willingness to help, and cheerful disposition add positivity to the sixth grade class. Calli daily demonstrates that she is a Logger Team player, and I am so glad she is on our team!

Submitted By: Dianna Brown

## Humility And Allowing Ourselves To Be Vulnerable

By John Keyser



JOHN KEYSER

Working with a leader and her team, helping improve leadership, her own and the team members', was a special and rewarding experience as nearly everyone embodies humility, is selfless, no personal agendas, and allows themselves to be vulnerable, recognizing and sharing with one another their areas of potential improvement.

The following are their areas for growth:

I must be timely in responding to calls, emails, and texts

I must learn the art of having the difficult conversations and address problems, conflict, and difficult team members promptly

I tend to check my iPhone in meetings and conversations

I sometimes forget what I have committed to and do not follow through

At times, my tone of voice and or my facial expression will intimidate others

If I was more organized I would be more efficient

I need to ask for input, then prepare agendas and distribute several days in advance of meetings – and distribute minutes the day after meetings

I tend to be late for meetings

I can be too emotional, can have a short fuse

I need to boost my self-confidence and contribute my ideas

Your initial reaction could be that this is not an effective team. To the contrary, they are an amazing team. The key is that the leader sets the tone of allowing herself to be vulnerable, sharing what she is working on herself and asking her team members for their help by giving her feedback going forward and that she will be appreciative. Thus, her team members are also comfortable sharing their own development goals and asking for timely and honest feedback – and they should offer feedback to others.

As a result, each team member has developed into a leader themselves, as they are encouraging, supporting, helping one another, and contributing their ideas.

When we look at the development goals outlined

above we could well feel that this is common sense, and it is. Leadership is common sense, e.g., it is how we communicate with, serve, and respect others. That should be easy, and for some it is. Yet, universal challenges are our business and definitely for some, a lack of self-confidence.

We all have areas of potential improvement, each of us. It is key to recognize them. Some may be long-term habits, and some may be blind spots. We can ask people for their perceptions of what we are doing well and how we might improve. Co-worker feedback is powerful and usually leads to our resolve to improve.

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If we think we are too busy to have these conversations and to take the time to listen, we must realize that we must make the time! It is our duty as leaders to be with our people, to create and maintain productive working relationships with each of them. This is how they know that they are appreciated, valued, and heard, and that their ideas matter.

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## FOOTBALL



Korbyn Russell threw for two touchdowns against St. Ignace

# Red Devils fall to Saints

By Mark Elliott

Entering Friday's homecoming contest at 3-3, and a heartbreaking 20-14 loss to Frankfort in their rear view mirror, East Jordan was eager to show visiting league opponent Saint Ignace that a win on the road wasn't a sure thing.

Proving their point right out of the gate, the Red Devils put up 7 points in a matter of moments on a Korbyn Russell to Braylon Grybauskas 10 yard strike before the rain started to fall.

St. Ignace countered with a touchdown to even the score at 7 and there it would stay, until halftime.

The homecoming festivities at halftime, saw outgoing King Caleb Ziebarth, crown Nick Bascom Homecoming King for 2022.

Last year's queen, Katie Black crowned Mailey Hamilton as the queen for this year.

The third quarter was

plagued with fumbles, penalties and dropped balls due to weather conditions. With 4:44 left in the 3rd quarter Russell again connected, this time with Daniel Ziebarth, for a 66 yard touchdown. St. Ignace countered quickly to take the lead, scoring twice off of a slippery ground attack. The extra point attempt was no good after the final St. Ignace touchdown, leaving a 20-14 margin with moments remaining.

A St. Ignace fumble gave the Red Devils prime field location at their own 35 with two minutes remaining, but a 4 and out against a hard pounding Saints defense sealed the win for St. Ignace pushing them to a 6-1 record, sitting atop the league at 5-0 in conference play.

East Jordan falls to 3-4 overall and 3-2 in conference play. The Red Devils will host league opponent Oscoda on Friday October

14th for their season finale at home.

While the outcome of the last two contests were the same, the fierceness and tenacity of the players, the blood, sweat and tears they put into every play came with the same energy level as the first game of this season. The entire team plays an incredibly hard, clean football game. Showing poise, discipline and commitment to team philosophies isn't always easy against certain teams.

One thing I've learned this year so far, East Jordan brings 100% every game. Be prepared to battle 4 quarters when the Red Devils on your schedule.

Braylon Grybauskas gets some advice on the sideline from the coaching staff



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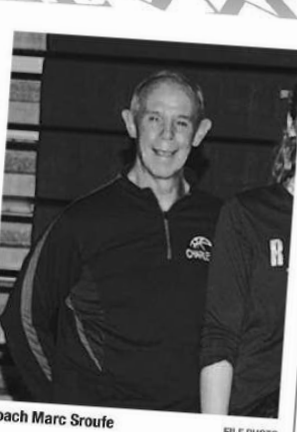
## 2020 CHARLEVOIX COUNTY NEWS ALL-AREA GIRLS BASKETBALL DREAM TEAM

**East Jordan's Jayden Weber selected Player of the Year**

**Charlevoix's Marc Sroufe is Coach of the Year**



Jayden Weber.



Coach Marc Sroufe

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY - Another great season of basketball for our Northern Michigan area. While there continued to be strides made in each program of our coverage area this season, "What If" still lingers in regards to the Division 3, regional championship opportunity that was ahead of the Charlevoix girls basketball team when the season was halted. The Raydors put together the best season in the area over the winter months, finishing 15-5 overall, going a perfect 14-0 in Lake Michigan.

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## City votes to Temporarily Suspend Short Term Rental Operations

**BY KAREN WALKER**  
The Charlevoix City Council held a special meeting last Friday, April 3rd, to consider an ordinance restricting the use, operation and licensing of lodging establishments within the City. The virtual meeting was held online and by phone via Zoom with approximately 40 people participating. City Manager Mark Heydlauf and City Attorney Scott Howard first presented the emergency ordinance to council members to "Temporarily Suspend Short Term Rental Operations during the State of Emergency" in an effort to limit the spread of COVID-19. After much discussion, Council members directed the City Attorney to make

some changes to the proposed ordinance as initially presented, causing the Council to hold a second meeting the following day, Saturday, April 4th. The revisions included restricting the use of hotels and motels, and ensuring travelers staying at these establishments are there for essential services. Further, the ordinance requires all essential businesses comply with health and sanitation practices outlined by the Health Department of Northwest Michigan. City Mayor Luther Kurtz pointed out that Charlevoix values its seasonal residents, and the city is trying to keep everyone safe. The City Attorney informed Council members that the city has

both the right and obligation to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its citizenry and the ordinance is absolutely an important step towards protecting its residents. Exempted from the ban are rental units used to house economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals, individuals who need assistance as a result of the emergency, and people with disabilities. Rentals may also be used to house persons working in COVID-19 mitigation and critical infrastructure workers so long as they comply with the Governor's executive orders relating to COVID-19. The Charlevoix City Council feels that continuing

to allow short term rentals would promote the movement of people, exacerbating the spread of COVID-19. And adoption of the Emergency Ordinance was necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens. While several meeting attendees voiced concern over enforcement of the ordinance, it ultimately was approved with a lone dissenting vote cast by Councilman Greg Bryan. The ordinance aligns with Governor Whitmer's executive order issued on March 23rd and will be in effect for 61 days or until the governor's executive order, or subsequent orders, is lifted, whichever comes first.

## Health Department offers drive-through testing at Fairground

The Health Department of Northwest Michigan, in partnership with Emmet County Northern Michigan Medical Center, McLaren Northern Michigan, the Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet Office of Emergency Management and Homeland Security, and the Petoskey Department of Public Safety will be offering appointment based, drive-through testing at the Emmet County Fairgrounds beginning Wednesday, April 1st from noon - 4pm Monday through Friday for patients 12 and older. This testing facility is for individuals who have seen their primary care provider, have been determined to meet the criteria for testing, and have a lab slip. The drive-through testing facility will utilize a recently approved FDA testing method with nasal swab. The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) has created a statewide hotline for COVID-19. The hotline will be open seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 1-888-555-4388. Additionally, the Health Department of Northwest Michigan has a Public Health Information Phone Line - 1-800-386-5650 and email publichealthinfo@nwhealth.org.

## East Jordan Family Health Center employee receives positive Coronavirus test

On April 1, 2020, an East Jordan Family Health Center employee was confirmed as having a positive Coronavirus test. The employee has been quarantined at home since March 25th, 2020 and is doing well with mild symptoms at this time. Direct colleagues of this employee have been under delegated "self-monitoring" since March 25th and will continue for a minimum of 14 days. This individual had a history of downstate Michigan travel and was involved with a large group setting. The Bellaire and East Jordan Family Health Centers have taken significant measures to prevent the transmission of Coronavirus within our facilities. The health center will continue these daily prevention efforts and will continue to monitor the Coronavirus situation in our workplace and throughout northern MI. As a result of these proactive measures, employees and patients of Bellaire and East Jordan Family Health Centers remain at a low risk for exposure to the Coronavirus. All staff of the Bellaire and East Jordan Family Health Centers will continue to strictly adhere to PPE, social distancing and handwashing guidelines, both at work and home, to mitigate the spread of the COVID-19 virus. If you have questions regarding the Coronavirus, visit our website at www.ejhc.org for up to date information along with additional services

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## FOOTBALL

# Ramblers run to victory over Elk Rapids 34-0

By: Dom Santina

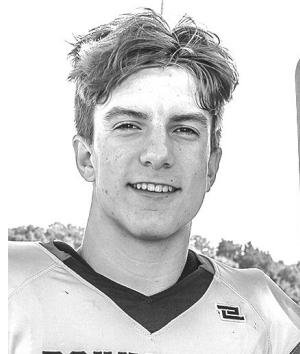
After a big time victory on homecoming over rival Charlevoix, the Ramblers spirits got dampened, as they found out quarterback Jack Neer was out for the rest of the season with a broken leg. Neer's injury required surgery, which he had during the middle of the week.

That was not going to stop the Ramblers chances of securing at least a share of the Northern Michigan Football Conference - Leaders Division championship. As the Ramblers traveled to take on Elk Rapids.

The Ramblers decided to turn to two things in the wake of the injury. One was to turn to the ground game and did they ever, as they had 50 attempts for 370 rushing yards. The second thing was a split duty at quarterback between senior Mason Wilcox and freshman Drew Neer.

The Ramblers got things going early as normal, as Drew Neer connected with Alex Calcaterra for a 50 yard touchdown. That was the only score of the first quarter and gave the Ramblers a 7-0 lead.

In quarter number two, Gavin Hewitt picked up



ALEX CALCATERRA

where he left off from last week, with a 18 yard touchdown run. Ryan Spate's extra point attempt was blocked. The Ramblers then held a 13-0 lead. The Ramblers found the end-zone two drives later on a 25 yard rushing touchdown from Joey McHugh to push the lead to 20-0 after a Spate extra point. It was another two drives later, but the Ramblers capped the first half off with another touchdown as Mason Wilcox rushed around the right end from 10 yards out to push the Ramblers lead 26-0. Spate who was filling in for Neer missed the extra point. The Ramblers held that lead heading into the halftime break.

In the second half, the Ramblers capped off their opening drive with a 31



GAVIN HEWITT

yard touchdown run by Ryan Reynolds. They also converted a two point attempt with a pass from Drew Neer to Spate to push the lead to 34-0. The rest of the game ended quietly as neither team could score. The Ramblers secured another victory moving to 7-0 on the season.

The Ramblers were led by McHugh with 12 carries for 131 yards and 1 touchdown. Calcaterra led the team with 3 receptions for 59 yards and a touchdown. Drew Neer finished the game 6-8 for 89 yards and a touchdown. McHugh led the defense again with 13 tackles.

The Ramblers will look to wrap up the conference championship on Friday, October 14 against Tawas.

# Rayders roll over Manistique 65-0

By: Dom Santina

The Rayders were put to the biggest test all season last week against the Ramblers. While they did suffer their first loss of the year and one to a big rival. All was not lost, as the team was one win away from playoff eligibility and an outside chance of sneaking back into the conference hunt.

The Rayders had to wait until Saturday to play against Manistique, but that only let them prepare more. Patrick Sterrett, who was kept kind of quiet until the closing moments of the Boyne City game, made his mark early and often this week.

In fact, he scored the opening 3 touchdowns for the Rayders. The Rayders defense stepped up in a big way, as they earned a safety. As soon as the Rayders got the ball back Henry Herzog punched in a touchdown on their next drive. They kept pouring on as well, as Brady Jess connected with Owen Waha for a touchdown pass. The Rayders offense was back to clicking and they held a 52-0 halftime lead over Manistique.

The Rayders continued



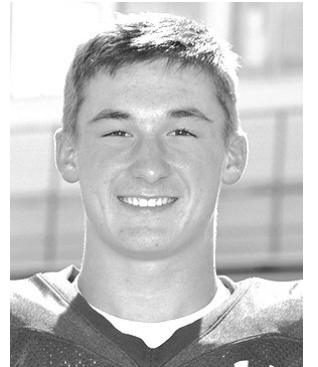
PATRICK STERRETT

to put pressure on Manistique and expanded their lead to 65-0 and secured their sixth victory of the season.

The Rayders had a massive day rushing the ball as they scored 7 times and rushed for 365 yards. Sterrett led the way with 8 carries for 130 yards and 2 touchdowns. He also had 52 yard touchdown reception as well, which led the receivers.

Brady Jess finished the day 4-5 for 106 yards, 2 touchdowns and 1 interception. On the defensive side of the football, the Rayders were led by Landon Swanson with seven tackles.

The Rayders move to 6-1 on the season with the win and to 3-1 in the



BRADY JESS

Northern Michigan Football Conference Leaders Division. The Rayders also continued to track down some school records in the process. As they scored over 300 points for the third straight year, which has never been done. They are also continuing to be on pace to have the lowest amount of points scored against them since 1977.

The Rayders will be back in action on Friday, October 14 against Kalkaska to finish NMFL Leaders conference play.



## SOCCER CONFERENCE STANDINGS

### Big North Conference

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Traverse City West	8-0-1	14-1-1
Petoskey	8-2-0	14-7-1
Alpena	5-2-2	12-4-3
Traverse City Central	4-6-0	5-12-1
Gaylord	1-7-2	7-10-3
Cadillac	0-9-1	1-15-1

### Lake Michigan Conference

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Elk Rapids	7-1-0	13-7-2
Charlevoix	6-2-3	9-4-4
Boyne City	6-2-3	9-5-5
Kalkaska	2-2-0	9-9-1
Grayling	4-6-1	9-11-1
Harbor Springs	2-7-0	9-9-0

### Northern Michigan Soccer League

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Clare	10-1-4	10-3-4
McBain NMC	9-1-3	12-3-4
Gladwin	10-2-2	13-4-2
Tawas	7-5-3	8-9-3
Cheboygan	5-5-1	9-9-2
Roscommon	6-8-1	7-11-2
Shepherd	5-7-1	5-7-2
LeRoy Pine River	3-12-1	3-13-2
Burt LakeNMC	0-14-0	2-16-0
Big Rapids Crossroads Academy	0-13-0	0-15-0

# STATE RANKINGS

## MIVCA STATE VOLLEYBALL RANKINGS

The Michigan Interscholastic Volleyball Coaches Association has released its latest state rankings of the 2022 season.

9/28/22

### DIVISION 1

- Bloomfield Hills Marian
- Northville
- Farmington Hills Mercy
- Ann Arbor Skyline
- Hudsonville
- Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern
- Clarkston
- Coopersville
- Macomb Dakota
- Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central
- Honorable Mention

Rockford, Saline, Grand Haven, Lake Orion, Novi, White Lake Lakeland, Caledonia, Battle Creek Lakeview, Jenison

### DIVISION 2

- North Branch
- Detroit Country Day
- Pontiac Notre Dame Prep
- Lake Odessa Lakewood
- Grand Rapids South Christian
- Grand Rapids Christian
- Marshall
- Cadillac
- Frankenmuth
- Birch Run
- Honorable Mention
- Essexville Garber, Grand Rapids West Catholic, War-

ren Regina, Imlay City, Wixom St. Catherine, Crosswell-Lexington, Holland Christian, Otsego, Orchard Lakes St. Mary, Aôs

### DIVISION 3

- Monroe St. Mary Catholic Central
- McBain
- Pewamo-Westphalia
- Watervliet
- Kalamazoo Christian
- Blissfield
- Traverse City St. Francis
- Cass City
- Shelby
- Bridgman
- Honorable Mention
- Centreville, Calumet, Plymouth Christian, Manistique, Manton, Lake City,

Kent City

### DIVISION 4

- Adrian Lenawee Christian
- Leland
- Athens
- Battle Creek St. Philip
- Inland Lakes
- Mendon
- Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart
- Hillsdale Academy
- McBain Northern Michigan Christian
- Lansing Christian
- Honorable Mention
- Wyoming Tri-unity Christian, Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes

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### DIVISION 1

- School Record Points
- Belleville (5) (7-0) 50
  - Caledonia (7-0) 44
  - Rockford (7-0) 39
  - Macomb Dakota (7-0) 37
  - Rochester Adams (6-1) 26
  - West Bloomfield (6-1) 23
  - Lapeer (7-0) 17
  - Brighton (7-0) 16
  - Davison (6-1) 10
  - Saline (6-1) 4
- Others receiving votes: Romeo 3. Southfield 2. Detroit Catholic Central 2. Clinton Township Chippewa Valley 2.

### DIVISION 2

- School Record Points
- Dexter (4) (7-0) 49
  - Warren De La Salle (1) (6-1) 46
  - Livonia Franklin (7-0) 37
  - Muskegon Mona Shores (6-1) 36
  - Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central (7-0) 32
  - South Lyon (6-1) 23
  - Midland (6-1) 17
  - (tie) East Lansing (6-1) 17
  - Birmingham Seaholm (7-0) 9
  - Battle Creek Central (6-1) 5
- Others receiving votes: Saginaw Heritage 2. Swartz Creek 1. Temperance Bedford 1.

### DIVISION 3

- School Record Points
- Detroit King (5) (5-1) 50
  - Mason (7-0) 44
  - Muskegon (5-2) 36
  - River Rouge (5-1) 33
  - Mt. Pleasant (6-1) 31
  - St. Joseph (6-1) 26

- Walled Lake Western (6-1) 21
  - Zeeland West (6-1) 19
  - Grosse Pointe North (7-0) 9
  - Trenton (6-1) 3
  - (tie) Cadillac (5-2) 3
- Others receiving votes: none.

### DIVISION 4

- School Record Points
- Grand Rapids South Christian (4) (7-0) 49
  - Whitehall (1) (7-0) 46
  - Riverview (7-0) 40
  - Redford Union (7-0) 35
  - Freeland (6-1) 30
  - Edwardsburg (6-1) 20
  - Crosswell-Lexington (6-1) 17
  - Goodrich (6-1) 13
  - Tecumseh (7-0) 13
  - Fruitport (5-2) 4
- Others receiving votes: Chelsea 3. Hudsonville Chelsey Christian 2. North Branch 2. Charlotte 1.

### DIVISION 5

- School Record Points
- Grand Rapids Catholic Central (3) (6-1) 48
  - Frankenmuth (2) (7-0) 47
  - Detroit Country Day (5-1) 40
  - Gladwin (7-0) 33
  - Corunna (6-1) 28
  - Portland (6-1) 26
  - Marine City (6-1) 16
  - Muskegon Oakridge (6-1) 13
  - Belding (6-1) 8
  - Olivet (6-1) 5
- Others receiving votes: Armada 3. Berrien Springs 3. Kingsley 3. Flint Hamady 2.

### DIVISION 6

- School Record Points
- Clinton (4) (7-0) 49
  - Standish-Sterling (7-0) 42
  - Negaunee (7-0) 40
  - Grand Rapids West Catholic (1) (6-1) 32
  - Durand (7-0) 28
  - Boyer City (7-0) 23
  - Millington (6-1) 15
  - (tie) Warren Michigan Collegiate (6-1) 15
  - Constantine (6-1) 9
  - (tie) Madison Heights Bishop Foley (7-0) 9
- Others receiving votes: Ecorse 5. Reed City 5. Almont 2. Buchanan 1.

### DIVISION 7

- School Record Points
- Traverse City St. Francis (4) (7-0) 40
  - Hudson (7-0) 36
  - Detroit Central (7-0) 32
  - Ithaca (6-1) 25
  - Elkton-Pigeon Bay Port Laker (7-0) 23
  - Napoleon (7-0) 20
  - North Muskegon (6-1) 14
  - Charlevoix (6-1) 8
  - New Lothrop (6-1) 7
  - (tie) Jackson Lumen Christi (4-3) 7
  - (tie) Lawton (6-1) 7
- Others receiving votes: Union City 1.

### DIVISION 8

- School Record Points
- Ottawa Lake Whiteford (4) (7-0) 40
  - Beal City (7-0) 36
  - Ubyly (7-0) 32
  - Iron Mountain (6-1) 28
  - Ewart (6-1) 22
  - Centreville (6-1) 15
  - Fowler (6-1) 12
  - Frankfort (6-1) 10
  - Reading (6-1) 9

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## FOOTBALL

# Trojans steamroll Onaway, 58-12

By Bob DeLong

The Central Lake-Ellsworth varsity football team jumped out to a 44-6 lead over Onaway last Friday night and cruised to a 58-12 victory at the Herrick Field Athletic Complex in Central Lake. Senior QB Kelan Pletcher accounted for an amazing 369 total yards from scrimmage for the Trojans as he connected on 13-18 passes for 237 yards, two TDs and three conversions and he added 132 more yards on the ground and two more touchdowns.

Central Lake jumped out to a quick 16-0 advantage after 12 minutes of play and they scored on their first eight possessions. The "mercy rule" clock ran the entire second half due to the 38-point advantage at intermission. The win assures the Trojans, (now at 5-2), their first winning regular season since their championship season of 2017. Central Lake is in very good position to not only make the playoffs, but they could host at least one game this postseason, especially if they can win their last two games.

Besides Pletcher's fantastic game, several other Trojans filled up the stat sheet.

Drayten Evans rushed for 75 yards and a pair of TDs and he had 105 receiving yards and another TD; Garrison Barrett had 76 yards on receptions and a TDS and 51 yards on the ground and another TD and Owen Cary had 80 yards rushing as the Trojans offense again pushed 600 total yards.

Defensively, Cameron Spencer had five tackles, including two TFLs; Mason Hoppe led the team with six stops; Grant Miller had five tackles; Pletcher had four tackles and an interception and Landon Drogdt added four stops.

Central Lake now travels to Farwell for their first

ever meeting with the Eagles. Farwell is 7-0, (their best start since 1998 when they started 9-0), but their schedule is suspect, as their opponents overall record is 10-38. The Trojans would gain a bunch of bonus points if they can get a victory over the Eagles. Farwell is in their third year of being an 8-man football school and will not qualify for the playoffs as they have an enrollment of 239 students, 24 more than the maximum allowed of 215 to qualify for the post season. Central Lake concludes their regular season with a home game with the 1-5 Warriors from Forest Area.



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## SOCCER

# Ramblers end regular season with victory over Grayling

By: Dom Santina

The Boyne City soccer team finished up their regular season with a matchup against Grayling on Thursday, October 6.

The Ramblers got on the scoreboard just 20 minutes into the first half. When Jack Snyder scored off an Amayo Bardeguéz-Barrera assist. Bardeguéz-Barrera himself then scored an unassisted goal with 7 minutes left to play before half-time. This game gave the Ramblers a nice 2-0 lead.

In the second half, Logan Leist from Reese Bey scored

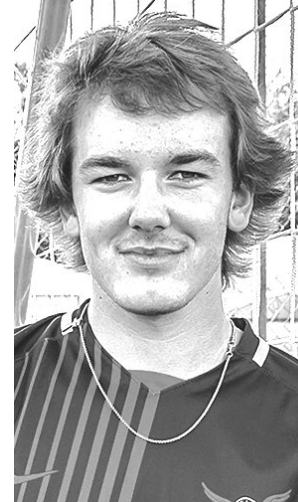
10 minutes in to push the lead to 3-0. Bey then found himself on the receiving end of a Logan Lloyd pass with 9 minutes remaining to push the lead to 4-0.

That was more than enough to secure a victory for the Ramblers. They tallied 8 shots on goal and Kacey Gray made 8 saves in net to secure the win. The victory end the Ramblers regular season at 9-5-5 and 5-3-2 in the Lake Michigan Conference.

They will start district play with a home game against Kingsley on Thursday, October 13.



JACK SNYDER



LOGAN LEIST

## VOLLEYBALL

# Ramblers top Red Devils

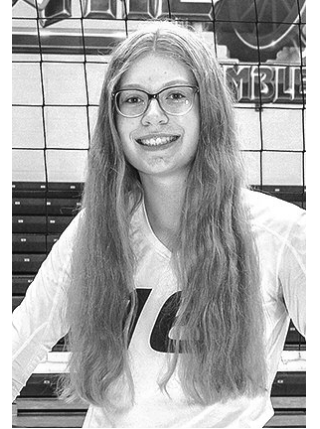
By: Dom Santina

The Boyne City volleyball team traveled to East Jordan to take on the Red Devils on Tuesday, October 4.

While the quick trip to the south arm of lake Charlevoix should not have affected the team too bad. The Ramblers came out flat against the Red Devils. The Red Devils took control and won the opening set 25-18.

The Ramblers turned their performance around in set number two and looked strong in every situation to secure a 25-14 set victory. The Red Devils were not going to allow the final couple sets to finish easily. The Ramblers jumped out to leads in both games, but the Red Devils came storming back. In the end the Ramblers secured victories in both sets by a final score of 25-21 and taking the overall win in a 3-1 fashion.

The Ramblers were led by Morgan Deming with 21 kills, 6 aces, 4 blocks and 18 digs. Ava Tarsi added in 27 more assists, 7 kills and 7 digs. Braylyn



MORGAN DEMING



AVA TARSİ

Rincon finished with 18 digs and 11/12 on serve receptions for the Ramblers.

## CROSS COUNTRY

# 2022 Portage Cross Country Invitational Results

St. Michael High School Chesterton Academy from Petoskey placed second in Division 4 teams at this large meet.

Along with St. Michael other teams from our area that participated in this event were Petoskey, Gaylord, Boyne City, Grayling and Josburg-Lewiston. Below are the results



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### BOYS RESULTS DIVISION 2

23.	11	Shane Izzard	16:11.1	Petoskey
73.	11	Tommy Farley	17:10.4	Petoskey
76.	11	Jack Lindwall	17:13.6	Petoskey
94.	10	Parker Fettig	17:21.7	Petoskey
112.	12	Gavin Towner	17:41.9	Petoskey
124.	12	Logan Ames	17:48.5	Gaylord
131.	9	Simon Licata	17:51.4	Petoskey
139.	11	Dylan Odenbach	17:56.4	Petoskey
254.	9	Carter Slezak	19:50.2	Gaylord
283.	12	Zach Keiser	20:42.2	Gaylord
293.	12	Andrei Derental	21:19.0	Gaylord

### BOYS RESULTS DIVISION 3

14.	11	Drew Moore	16:34.1	Grayling
166.	9	Ayden Cady	19:34.1	Boyne City
185.	11	Corbin Smith	19:46.8	Boyne City
208.	10	Brady Bearss	20:11.9	Boyne City
217.	12	Joseph Heckroth	20:20.6	Boyne City
315.	12	Henry Bair	22:49.6	Boyne City
331.	9	Caleb Daniels	23:28.3	Boyne City

### BOYS RESULTS DIVISION 4

4.	12	Macartan Moore	16:43.3	Petoskey St. Michael
7.	12	Zachary Maendel	16:52.4	Petoskey St. Michael
9.	12	Jacob Wartenberg	16:56.7	Josburg-Lewiston
12.	9	Lynus Cadarette	17:05.8	Petoskey St. Michael
13.	11	Blake Fox	17:10.0	Josburg-Lewiston
32.	10	Jeremiah Witt	17:56.1	Josburg-Lewiston
37.	11	Levi Benzing	18:07.7	Petoskey St. Michael
38.	10	Russell Vandermus	18:12.6	Petoskey St. Michael
40.	9	Cody Bradley	18:16.8	Petoskey St. Michael
77.	11	Dusty Layman	20:00.9	Josburg-Lewiston
99.	9	Jerome Fate	21:14.0	Petoskey St. Michael
104.	9	Domenico Fantozzi	21:19.0	Petoskey St. Michael
113.	9	Wyatt Stein	21:54.9	Josburg-Lewiston
131.	9	Ronan Weed	23:28.3	Petoskey St. Michael

### GIRLS RESULTS DIVISION 2

11.	11	CamBrie Corey	18:57.1	Petoskey
19.	10	Madeline Loe	19:21.8	Petoskey
20.	9	Katie Berkshire	19:22.3	Gaylord
37.	11	Nora O'Leary	19:49.3	Petoskey

63.	10	Skylee Ames	20:33.6	Gaylord
79.	9	Lily Sargent	20:54.3	Gaylord
127.	11	Lucy Johnson	21:48.2	Gaylord
158.	11	Lauren Cole	22:18.0	Petoskey
167.	10	Ella Spanding	22:25.7	Gaylord
191.	9	Madeline Pacola	22:52.9	Petoskey
197.	10	Amelia Smith	22:56.9	Gaylord
206.	12	Kate Farley	23:10.8	Petoskey
231.	11	Sami Keiser	23:40.1	Gaylord
242.	11	Sydney Hoffman	24:09.3	Petoskey

### GIRLS RESULTS DIVISION 3

11.	12	Ava Maginity	19:21.7	Boyne City
55.	9	Delaney Little	21:28.0	Boyne City
83.	9	Cambryne Giem	22:10.7	Boyne City
134.	9	Chelsey Hertel	23:18.1	Boyne City
142.	11	Mackensy Wilson	23:33.3	Boyne City
148.	10	Jacky Dunlap	23:46.0	Boyne City
210.	9	Bridget McHugh	25:23.0	Boyne City
211.	10	Braydin Noble	25:24.6	Boyne City
215.	10	Ruby Richards	25:29.2	Boyne City

### GIRLS RESULTS DIVISION 4

3.	10	Allie Nowak	19:18.4	Josburg-Lewiston
4.	9	Yolanda Gascho	19:48.4	Josburg-Lewiston
13.	11	Madalyn Agren	21:06.0	Josburg-Lewiston
16.	11	Rosalinda Gascho	21:11.5	Josburg-Lewiston
20.	11	Cora Mullins	21:21.4	Josburg-Lewiston
24.	10	Jane Manthei	21:30.2	Petoskey St. Michael
26.	12	Natalie Zochowski	21:30.9	Josburg-Lewiston
60.	11	Sydney Feagan	23:33.1	Petoskey St. Michael
101.	11	Bethany Byard	25:45.1	Josburg-Lewiston
120.	12	Siobhan Weed	28:04.0	Petoskey St. Michael

# FOOTBALL CONFERENCE STANDINGS

### Big North Conference

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Cadillac	3-0	5-2
Gaylord	2-1	5-2
Petoskey	1-2	2-5
Alpena	0-3	1-6

### Northern Michigan Football - Leaders

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Boyne City	4-0	7-0
Charlevoix	3-1	6-1
Elk Rapids	3-2	5-2
Kalkaska	2-2	3-4
Tawas	1-3	2-5
Mancelona	0-5	1-6

### Northern Michigan Football Conference-Legacy

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
St Ignace	5-0	6-1
Frankfort	4-1	6-1
East Jordan	3-2	3-4
Maple City Glen Lake	3-2	3-4
Oscoda	2-3	3-4
Harbor Springs	0-4	0-7
Johannesburg-Lewiston	0-5	0-7

### Northern Michigan Football Conference-Legends

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Traverse City St Francis	6-0	7-0
Kingsley	3-1	5-2
Ogemaw Heights	4-2	5-2
Sault Ste Marie	2-3	4-3
Cheboygan	1-3	3-4
Benzie Central	1-3	2-5
Grayling	0-5	1-6

### Ski Valley Conference

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Indian River Inland Lakes	5-0	5-2
Gaylord St Mary	4-1	5-2
Central Lake	3-2	5-2
Pellston	1-3	2-5
Onaway	1-3	1-6
Fife Lake Forest Area	1-4	1-5

### North Star League -Big Dipper

Team	W-L (Con)	W-L
Rogers City	3-0	7-0
Alcona	2-0	6-1
Whittemore-Prescott	1-1	2-5
Mio	0-2	3-4
St Helen Charlton Heston	0-3	0-7

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By Jim Akans

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- Irritation or dimpling of breast skin.
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- Pulling in of the nipple.
- Nipple discharge other than breast milk, including blood.
- Any change in the size or shape of the breast.
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These symptoms can happen with other conditions that are not cancer. If you notice any of these symptoms, talk to your health care provider right away.

### WHAT CAN I DO TO FIND BREAST CANCER EARLY?


Breast cancer screening involves checking a woman's breasts for cancer before there are signs or symptoms of the disease.

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