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Leadership Charlevoix County Raising Funds For Safe Trails and Connected Communities

Leadership Charlevoix County (LCC) and Top of Michigan Trails Council (TOMTC) are rolling out a safe new way for bikers and outdoor recreation enthusiasts to connect our communities. Tasked with completing a community service project that will better Charlevoix County while developing leadership skills, LCC class participants decided to hit the trails – the Boyne Valley Trail and Boyne City to Charlevoix Trail that is. Over the next few months, LCC participants will be

working with Top of Michigan Trails Council to develop a trail connector route linking these fantastic trails together to provide users a safe route through downtown Boyne City.

“We really wanted to make a tangible impact in our community and were really excited when Top of Michigan Trails Council reached out to us with this project idea” said LCC participant Erin Miedema of EJ. LCC participants and Top of Michigan kicked the project off by working

with Boyne City officials to identify the best route to safely bring trail users through downtown past points of interest and local businesses.

Now that the route is selected, LCC participants and Top of Michigan will be creating a plan for wayfinding signage to guide users along the route as well as develop informational trailhead signage to direct users to points of interest and local businesses.

In order to bring this signage to life, LCC class

participants will need to raise funds to cover the cost of fabrication and installation. Fundraising is already ongoing with sponsorship opportunities available. Those wishing to contribute can learn more at www.trailscouncil.org/lcc. Ultimately, LCC class participants and Top of Michigan Trails Council plan to have all aspects of this fantastic new connector completed in time to kick off the spring biking and hiking season.

HOME AND OUTDOOR LIVING SHOW

March 17 - 18



Coveyou Farm Market will be displaying outdoor poly furniture made from 95% recycled milk jugs along with information on their organic produce and Dairy Doo.



Emmet Brick and Block, along with other outdoor living exhibitors, will be at the 45th Annual Home and Outdoor Living Show on March 17 and 18 at North Central Michigan College.

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The Expo offers Chamber businesses and organizations a chance to build awareness in the community by promoting their products, services, and careers to fellow businesses, residents, and visitors. It's a one-stop shop for business exposure and exploration!

Also featured is the Taste of Charlevoix, with restaurants offering attendees a sampling of their culinary specialties. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to taste and vote for your favorite dining establishment.



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The 45th Annual Northern Michigan Home and Outdoor Living Show will take place on Friday and Saturday, March 17 and 18, at North Central Michigan College, Petoskey. The show brings together home builders and remodelers, kitchen and bath specialists, deck builders, landscaping companies and other home-related businesses. Attendees can meet one-on-one with exhibitors during the show hours on Friday from 11 am to 5 pm and Saturday from 9 am to 4 pm.

“Getting to meet the actual builders and home specialists in person is the biggest draw of the home show,” said Christine Cole, president of the Home Builders Association of Northern Michigan, the non-profit organization hosting the event. “Attendees always tell us they enjoy getting remodeling ideas and looking at materials like composite decking or patio pavers,” Cole said. In 2022 the show had about 1000 attendees.

A new exhibitor this year is Petoskey-based Coveyou Scenic Farm Market which will be featuring Amish-made poly outdoor furniture that is designed to hold up in our climate. Other featured exhibitors include Wolverine Cabinet Company showcasing custom-made kitchen and bathroom cabinets and the Renewit Decks and Outdoor Living showroom on wheels featuring the latest in decking, railings and outdoor kitchens.

Preston Feather Building Centers and Design Showrooms, along with Builders FirstSource, will have representatives available to discuss all types of building materials such as windows and doors, decking materials, fixtures and their many services available to builders and homeowners. Both com-



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weather forecast

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
HIGH: 38 LOW: 24	HIGH: 35 LOW: 18	HIGH: 30 LOW: 19	HIGH: 30 LOW: 24

SNOWFALL

2022-23	Amount	City	2021-22	Amount	City
3/6/23	.92	Boyer Falls	3/7/22	.66.5	Boyer Falls
3/6/23	.64.2	Charlevoix	3/7/22	.65.9	Charlevoix
3/6/23	.76	Cheboygan	3/7/22	.49.8	Cheboygan
3/6/23	.120	East Jordan	3/7/22	.91.9	East Jordan
3/6/23	.132.1	Gaylord	3/7/22	.125.1	Gaylord
3/6/23	.97.4	Kalkaska	3/7/22	.129.6	Kalkaska
3/6/23	.87.5	Onaway	3/7/22	.68.4	Onaway
3/6/23	.96.3	Petoskey	3/7/22	.84.5	Petoskey

record temps

Day	AVG	HIGH	LOW	Record HIGH	YEAR	Record LOW	YEAR
MAR 9	.35	.15	.67	.2000	-19	.1984	
10	.35	.15	.62	.1977	-14	.2008	
11	.36	.16	.64	.1973	-6	.1979	
12	.36	.16	.65	.1990	-27	.1984	
13	.36	.17	.66	.1995	-9	.2014	
14	.37	.17	.69	.2012	-9	.2005	
15	.37	.17	.74	.1990	-10	.1980	
16	.38	.18	.72	.2012	-9	.1997	

OBITUARIES

Adella Pearl (Crick) Bricker, 96

(OCT. 31, 1926 - FEB. 28, 2023)
BOYNE CITY



Adella P. Bricker of Boyne City passed away February 28, 2023, at The Brook of Boyne City. Adella was born on October 31, 1926, in Boyne City, the daughter of William Glenn Crick and Charlotte (Hodges) Crick.

Adella worked at the Dilworth Hotel as a waitress from 1942 through 1950. She also worked as a waitress at Boyne Mountain Lodge and Indian River Inn, and as a sales clerk, at Rosenthal's Clothing Store in Petoskey. In November 1966, she started working at Top O' Michigan Electric Company as the receptionist until her retirement at the age of 62.

Adella married the love of her life, Samuel Bricker, on February 20, 1954, in Boyne City. She lived a fulfilling life as a loving mother to her two daughters, adoring grandmother and great-grandmother to seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, a caring sister to seven siblings, an amazing wife to her late husband, Samuel, and a friend to many. During her life she enjoyed knitting, gardening, reading, and playing Bingo. Her grandchildren always got a kick out of some of the answers she would give while playing Scattagories. Adella enjoyed spending time with her loving family more than anything else.

Adella is survived by her daughters, Patricia (Gary) Koteskey of Boyne City, Pamela Grove of Boyne City; grandchildren, Kristina (Scott) Roggenbeck, Rebecca (Brandon) Hemingway, Nicholas (Kandace) Koteskey, Michael (Amber) Koteskey, Jesse (Heidi) Grove, Jeremiah Grove, Joshua Grove; great-grandchildren, Ellen and Brady Roggenbeck, Brielle Hemingway, Brayden and Brody Koteskey, Evelyn and Emmett

Koteskey, Margaret and Henry Grove, Skyla Grove; sister, Barbara Wade; and many nieces and nephews.

Adella was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel Bricker; granddaughter, Emily Grove; parents, William Glenn and Charlotte Crick; four sisters, Charlean Decker, Jane Ferris, Jean Knapp, and Toni Saly; two brothers, Donald Crick and William Dean Crick.

There will be a private family service and burial at Maple Lawn Cemetery in the future.

Arrangements are in the care of Stackus Funeral Home.

Judith Probert, 84

(JAN. 19, 1939 — MARCH 4, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



Judith Anne Probert of Charlevoix passed away peacefully on Saturday, March 4, 2023 with her family at her side. She was born on January 19, 1939, in Pontiac, MI, the daughter of Guy and Norah (Spencer) Harrell.

Judith graduated from Waterford High School and furthered her education at Eastern Michigan University, earning her Bachelor's Degree in Education. On March 17, 1956, she married the love of her life, Norman Probert, in Pontiac, MI. They moved to Charlevoix permanently in 1970. She taught for several years at St. Mary's Catholic School in Charlevoix and then worked for many years in East Jordan teaching kindergarten and 3rd grade. Judith enjoyed reading and helping Norman any way she could with his role as the wrestling coach in Charlevoix. She and Norman loved to travel together; they visited all 50 states, and took trips to Tahiti, Aruba, New Zealand, Australia, and many others.

Judith is survived by two children, Terri (Michael) Hodge of Charlevoix, and Gary (Barbara) Probert of Orlando, FL; three bro-

thers, Jerry (Diane) Harrell of Goodrich, MI, Jeffrey (Dawn) Harrell of Hadley, MI, and John (Candace) Harrell of Ortonville, MI; two sisters, Janet Davidson of Lapeer, MI, and Jenny (Tim) McKinney of Hadley, MI; four grandchildren, Tricia (Paul) Howard of Charlevoix, Jerred (Kara) Hodge of Charlevoix, Heather (Mike) Rinaldi of Minneola, FL, and Brett Probert of Orlando, FL; two great-grandchildren, Grayson and Clara; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her beloved husband, Norman E. Probert; and her niece, Kristi Sindelar.

A memorial service will take place in late spring or early summer of 2023. Details will be announced as they are made available. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601, or Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library, 220 West Clinton Street, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720.

Judith's family wishes to thank Pineview Cottage and Hospice of Michigan for all of the care and support.

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

Jack Haynes, 83

(APR 19, 1939 — MAR 4, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



On March 4, 2023 Jack Haynes, loving husband and father passed away at the age of 83. Jack was born April 19, 1939 in Marion, IN to Ralph and Evelyn Haynes.

He received his BS degree in Education from Adams State University, Alamosa, CO in 1966. He began his career as a 5th grade teacher in Aurora, IL. After receiving an MS in Education, Jack became an elementary school principal in East Aurora, IL. Jack went on to further his education and received an EdD from Northern, IL University, DeKalb, IL. From that point on, Jack and his family moved to Lakeland, FL where Jack became a member of the faculty at FL Southern College. Shortly after joining the faculty, Jack was named Head of the Education Department where he held that position until his retirement in 2003.

On August 13, 1966 Jack married his high school sweetheart, Shari Farren. They raised one son, Michael.

After retirement he and his wife, Shari, remained in Lakeland, FL until 2007 at which time they moved to Charlevoix.

Jack was preceded in death by his father, Ralph, and his mother, Evelyn. He is survived by his wife, Shari, who resides in Charlevoix and his son and daughter-in-law Michael and Kathy Haynes of Northport, MI.

There will be no services.

Arrangements are in the care of the Charlevoix

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Darrell Wayne Trumble, 55

(OCT. 23, 1967 - MARCH 1, 2023)
EAST JORDAN

Darrell Trumble passed away at McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey, the evening of March 1, 2023.

Darrell was born October 23, 1967, in Warren, Michigan, graduated from East Jordan High School in 1985 and served in the US Army. After serving in Germany during Desert Storm, he moved to Miami, Florida where he maintained and operated printing presses. Darrell moved back to Northern Michigan in 2010.

He was predeceased by his mother, Loretta Stanford Hinton.

Darrell is survived by his father and step mother, Larry and Nancy Trumble; older brother, Glenn (Carolyn) Trumble; and younger sister, Kerry (Adi) Trumble Zarchi; as well as a nephew and a niece Evan and Eleanor Zarchi.

No services are scheduled at this time.

Gabriel Campbell, 89

(APRIL 1, 1933 — MAR 2, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



Gabriel M. Campbell of Charlevoix passed away peacefully on Thursday, March 2, 2023 in Riverview, FL. He was born on April 1, 1933, in Detroit, MI, the son of James and Leone (Mahaut) Campbell.

Gabe grew up on the family farm in Howell, MI and graduated from Howell High School in 1951. Shortly thereafter, he served in the United States Navy on the Pacific towards the end of the Korean War. Upon returning home, he worked on a yacht in the Bahamas for two years before furthering his education at Michigan State University where he earned a two-year degree in agriculture. He then worked as a truck driver hauling cars for several years.

On December 28, 1963, in Charlevoix, he married the love of his life, Karen Pischner, whom he met on Beaver Island. They settled in Charlevoix and raised their family there. Over the years, Gabe played an integral role in many areas of the community; he was an active member at St. Mary Catholic Church, Union President at Medusa Cement Plant, member of the City Council, Board Member of the Charlevoix Credit Union, Mayor of Charlevoix twice and Knights of Columbus Grand Knight. He was truly a pillar of Charlevoix and was willing to help anyone who was in need.

Gabe's family came before everything else in his life. He supported his children and grandchildren in all their endeavors; whether it was a sporting event, a play, or a band concert, he was always there cheering them on. His grandchildren always got a kick out of him wig-

gling his ears, and will remember the countless hours he spent playing Candyland with them. He also enjoyed travelling, reading, working in his garden in the summer, and rooting for the Spartans and Detroit sports teams. He was always willing to try new foods and new experiences, evidenced by his parasailing adventure at 83 years young!

Gabe is survived by four children, Erin Thompson (Gerry) of Riverview, FL, Kathleen Powers (John) of Boyne Falls, Jamie Monteith (Andrew) of Holland, MI, Kevin Campbell of Charlevoix; Nine grandchildren, Megan Thompson, Bradley Thompson (Taylor), Gabe Monteith, Max Monteith, Joshua Powers, Alex Powers, Daniel Powers, Rocky Campbell and Nova Campbell; and a great granddaughter on the way (Emma Thompson).

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Karen Campbell in 2015; his parents James and Leone Campbell; his siblings, Dan, Jim, Mary Ellen and Richard; and nephew Ian.

Service information will be announced in the near future.

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Dan Louiselle, 73

(AUG. 18, 1949 — FEB. 28, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



Dan Gene Louiselle of Charlevoix passed away on Tuesday, February 28, 2023 following a short battle with cancer. He was born on August 18, 1949 in Charlevoix, the son of Thomas and Janet (Webster) Louiselle.

Dan graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1967. He worked as a mechanic for many years, including owning his own service station until deciding to go into the trucking business. Dan was never more at home than when he was behind the wheel of a semi-truck. In his younger years he enjoyed sponsored motorcycle racing and has many trophies to show for it as well as drag racing in his own cars. In 1990, he retired so he could be his son Andrew's full-time caregiver. He spent the last 33 years making sure he had everything he needed. Dan loved riding his Harley all around Northern Michigan. He also liked buying and selling classic cars and taking them to local car shows and was an avid collector of scale model cars, trucks, semi-trucks and motorcycles.

Dan is survived by two sons, Brad (Cheryl) Louiselle and Andrew Louiselle; four grandchildren, Michalla Louiselle, Sierra Louiselle, Maureen Vallance, and Jay Gray; seven great-grandchildren, Aleigha, Owen, Harley, Benson, Gracey, Payshence, and Fayette; and two siblings, Thomas (Linda) Louiselle and Joan Balch.

He was preceded in

death by his parents.

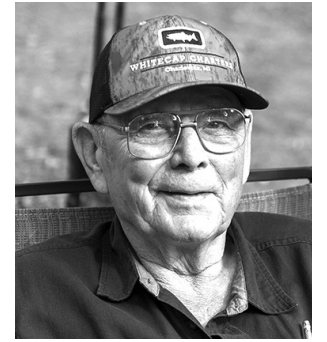
A funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, March 8 at Center Point Assembly of God, 5291 M-66, Charlevoix, MI 49720. Visitation will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 7, at the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Robert Geer Sr., 84

(JAN. 25, 1939 — FEB. 28, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



Bob Geer Sr. passed away suddenly at his home in Charlevoix on Tuesday, February 28. He was preceded in death by his parents Art and Evelyn Geer and his siblings, sister Joann Geer and brother Terry Geer. Bob attended Charlevoix High School, graduating in 1957.

Bob leaves behind his wife of 61 years, Sally Geer and his children, son Bobby (Hawk) Geer and son Alan (Hondo) Geer (Jessica), grandchildren Tanner Geer (Desaray) and Sara McClanathan; and great grandchildren Kamden Geer and Reva Geer. He is also survived by his sister Artis Galnares (John) and many loving family and friends.

Bob served his country both in the US Army and US Army Reserve. He worked at American Mold and Medusa Cement (presently St. Mary's Cement) for many years, from which he retired. During his working years, he volunteered with the Charlevoix Fire Department.

After he retired, he enjoyed working in his garage, "fixing" and creating with his friend Al. Bob had a passion for drag racing, which he enjoyed with his sons. He's known for his friendly "wave" on his walks and drives, and the local "four-leggeds" watched for him and the treats he always offered when he walked by.

Bob's commitment to friends and family made him an icon in Charlevoix. He enjoyed fishing and hunting for many years. He loved and almost never missed sporting events at Charlevoix High School. He was a huge fan.

Bob will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. Everyone knew he'd almost be first in line to help. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Athletic Department of Charlevoix High School.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Details will be announced as they are made available.

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Coast Guard and Schools Team Up With Charlevoix Pool

As the Charlevoix Area Community Pool celebrated its 25th anniversary with a fundraiser at the Argonne House on March 2nd, board members reported that they have added the United States Coast Guard to their volunteer team.

Two "Coasties" have taught four subjects to area school children. Pool Facility Manager Kathy Klimas said, "Thanks to Station Chief Bradley Bishop and two members of his crew, our local children are becoming 'waterproofed' and more savvy boaters. More Coast Guard volunteers will be back as instructors and lifeguards."

The U.S. Coast Guard promotes civic involvement in communities where it has bases across the U.S. The recent teamwork between Pool Staff and "Coasties" has taught more than 150 local students swimming lessons; Boating Safety Basics; Life Jacket Common Sense and Law; and Reach-and-Throw, Don't Go Life-saving Techniques. Area schools that have participated so far include Charlevoix St. Mary's Elementary, Ellsworth Elementary, and Boyne City Elementary.

Ms. Naomi Sponable, Principal of the K-12 Ellsworth Public Schools, said, "We appreciate the opportunity to partner with the Charlevoix Area Community Pool and the Coast Guard to provide aquatic education and water safety skills to our elementary students."

Coast Guard Station Chief Bradley Bishop said, "We are honored to be of-



Mechanical Technician 2nd Class Jake Reisner teaching Life Jacket Hug and Huddle.

fered the opportunity to continue to serve our community outside of our normal operations. We have an exceptional team that willingly offers their free time to volunteer at various activities. For this event, Mechanical Technician Second Class Jake Reisner and Seaman Hanna Thomas answered the call. Both members have a vast knowledge in boater safety and open water survival techniques with a passion to teach. I could not think of a better duo. We look forward to continuing our support in any future activities."

Ms. Ashley Potter, parent and chaperone for Charlevoix St. Mary's second graders, enthusiastically commented, "This is an amazing program that builds kids' confidence in the water. I see improvements right away; those who were nervous about getting into the water or putting their faces in the water, built up their confidence quickly. Knowing how to swim is an essential

skill, especially since we live on the Great Lakes."

This past year, the CACP served nearly 4,000 pool users during 15,109 pool visits, and over 450 children benefitted from swim lessons and water safety classes. The Chicago Club has donated funds to provide free Learn to Swim classes for students who attend Charlevoix schools.

Members of the Pool Board are unpaid community volunteers. They and their full-time Pool Facility Manager, Kathy Klimas, work with part-time lifeguards, desk staff, and dozens of volunteers to serve Charlevoix and nearby townships and cities. The annual pool budget is comprised of revenues from user swim fees, local taxes, individual donations, grants from community and private foundations, and fund-raising events.



Seaman Hanna Thomas teaching Boating Safety Basics



Facilities Manager Kathy Klimas teaching Reach and Throw, Don't Go Techniques.

New Exhibit: Charlevoix Creatives Collective – Tools Of Creativity

Charlevoix, MI, March 1, 2023 - Charlevoix Circle of Arts is excited to announce its upcoming exhibit: Charlevoix Creatives Collective - Tools of Creativity, on display from Friday, March 10th through Saturday, April 8th. The exhibit will feature artwork by six local artists who are members of the Charlevoix Creatives Collective, an artist group that meets weekly at Charlevoix Circle of Arts. The public is invited to attend the opening reception on Friday, March 10, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm, to meet the artists and enjoy light fare and refreshments, including craft beer from Beards Brewery and appetizers from Grey Gables.

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Jennifer Carroll, Mary Duggan, Shayla Johnson, Kathie Libert, Ruby Smith and Sharon Smithem. They are artists/creators who represent a variety of art mediums and unique perspectives including illustration, painting, fiber arts, photography, graphic design, fused glass, stained glass, writing and book publishing. Most of the art pieces on display will be for sale.

The Charlevoix Creatives Collective - Tools of Creativity exhibit will also feature a hands-on collaborative art piece that visitors are encouraged to participate in. The project involves helping to create a mixed media collage that will progress and change as community members add to it throughout the time of the exhibit. In addition, free children's "Take & Make" collage art project kits will be available in the gallery during the duration of the exhibition.

Several free, fun and informative events are also planned during this exhibition at Charlevoix Circle of Arts. From 12-1pm on Thursday, March 16, Emily Hengstebach, Harbinger of Beer at Beards Brewery,

will lead a discussion about Craft Beer and Art Pairing, which involves looking at works on display from each artist and selecting a Beards' craft beer that would pair with and why. A gallery talk at 12pm on Thursday, April 6 will engage all six exhibiting artists in discussion about their creative process, tools used, individual works, and collaborative projects. And, on Saturday, April 8, from 3-5pm, the Charlevoix Creatives Collective members will host an Art Social Workshop for creatives of all levels and mediums to come together for a fun afternoon of sharing and creating in the studio.

This exhibit is free and open to the public, thanks in part to the sponsorship of Grey Gables Restaurant & Catering. Charlevoix Circle of Arts is open 11:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday through Friday and Saturday 11:00 am - 3:00 pm and is located at 109 Clinton Street in downtown Charlevoix. For more information about the exhibit or related events, please call (231) 547-3554 or visit: www.charlevoixcircle.org.

HOME SHOW

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panies also have kitchen and bath specialists on staff who can assist homeowners with layouts, cabinetry and color selections.

Contractors attending this year include McBride Remodeling, Calendar Roofing, All Weather Seal, Integrity Concrete Coatings, and Renewal by Anderson, among others. Mr. Appliance of Gaylord is exhibiting for the first time along with other new exhibitors such as Lake Effect Restoration, Hot Shots Drain Cleaning & Plumbing, and Northern Michigan Property Management and Construction. The wide range of exhibitors covers other areas of the home such as financing, insurance, water systems, and even invisible dog

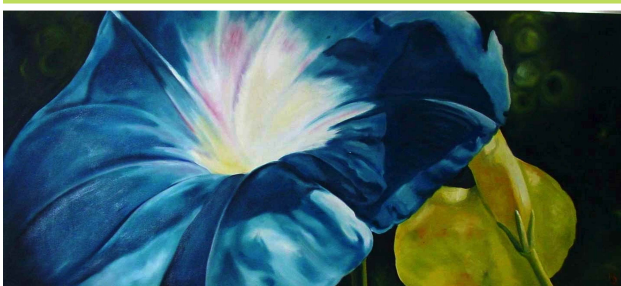
fencing.

To keep the kids busy Home Depot of Petoskey will be hosting a children's building project from 11 am to 3 pm on Saturday. Food will be available at the Iron Horse Café located on the college's campus.

Leaf Guard Holdings, a company that makes and installs seamless gutter systems, is a key show sponsor. Additional sponsors include: Harbor Brenn Insurance Company, DTE, Builders First-Source, Preston Feather, McBride Remodeling, Wolverine Cabinet Company, and Barden Lumber Company.

Admission is only \$5 for adults and children 17 and under are free. Complete show details are at www.HomeShowUp-North.com or call 231-348-9770.

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EAST JORDAN

PRAYER SERIES

The East Jordan Ministerial Associations inter-faith prayer series invites everyone to join fellow Christians of other denominations to come together to deepen common faith in Jesus Christ. Each Wednesday session begins at 12:10pm with a prayer reflection conducted by the pastoral leader of the hosting church. This is followed by a soup and salad lunch. Your free will offering will support the Christian outreach efforts of the ministerial assn.

March 8 - Saint Joseph Catholic Church

March 15 - United Methodist Church

March 22 - Evangelical Lutheran Church

March 29 - East Jordan Community Church

April 7 - Good Friday Ecumenical Service - 7pm - Light-house Missionary Church

PETOSKEY

EXHIBIT SPACE AVAILABLE AT THE HOME & OUTDOOR LIVING SHOW

The 45th Annual Northern Michigan Home and Outdoor Living Show is March 17 and 18 at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey. Companies interested in booth space can find information on exhibiting at www.HomeShowUpNorth.com. In 2022, the show had about 1,000 visitors and 55 booths. Companies exhibiting have included contractors, home improvement supply vendors, water system companies, financial services businesses, realtors, specialists in outdoor spaces like landscapers and deck builders, among others. The show is hosted by the Home Builders Association of Northern Michigan. For information call 231-347-0982.

EAST JORDAN

STUDENT JOB FAIR

EJ High School Student Job Fair is March 8, 12:30 - 1:30pm at the high school community auditorium. Seeking local employers to have a booth for summer employment or career opportunities. RSVP to SierraDunlop@ejps.org to reserve a booth. Sponsored by East Jordan High School National Business Honor Society.

PETOSKEY & CHARLEVOIX

LITTLE WAVES LIBRARY MUSIC PROGRAM FOR KIDS

Petoskey District Library and Charlevoix Public Library are hosting "Little Waves," a young children's music program. Free and open to the public and sponsored by the Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra (GLCO), the program is designed to introduce young children (ages 4 - 10) and their families to music in an entertaining setting. Each drop-in event takes place at 10:30 am in Petoskey and 1 pm in Charlevoix. The theme for this year is "Musical Adventures." Each session features a multimedia story, an opportunity to hear one or more GLCO musicians demonstrate and explain how their instruments work, and fun music-related activities for kids. The next event is Sat. Mar. 11 with cello and bassoon. For more information, contact the library, GLCO 231-487-0010, or visit www.glcorchestra.org/education/little-waves

CHARLEVOIX

ST. PATRICK'S CELEBRATION ON MARCH 11 AT CASTLE FARMS

Tickets are now available for the annual St. Patrick's Celebration at Castle Farms, Charlevoix. The event starts at 6 pm and includes bar drinks, a catered dinner by the Grey Gables, live music and fun! Attendees can bid on many auction items including restaurant gift certificates, merchandise, golf packages and more. All proceeds benefit our community grant program. Tickets can be purchased from any Charlevoix Rotary club member or stop at Lakeshore Chiropractic, 1302 Bridge Street, Charlevoix. This event sells out, so get your tickets soon!

BOYNE CITY

BOARD OF REVIEW

If you want to appeal your 2023 property tax assessment, the Board of Review



We've Got Spirit, Yes We Do, We've Got Spirit, How About You?

The East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce officially proclaims the week of March 13 thru March 17th as the 2nd Annual Community Spirit Week! The Chamber Staff Members Shannon Fender and Mary Faculak launched this event last year and the area schools and businesses had such fun and success with the five days of smiles, cheerful laughs and happiness we are making it an annual event! We all need a break from the winter doldrums and

also a way to get into Spring Break excitement! Business owners...this is an excellent promotional opportunity and a chance to have fun with your team members and customers. Be creative!! Everyone is invited to participate throughout the area! There are no prizes...however if individual businesses want to do their own little competition or awards, go for it! But, what the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce wants you to do...is

post your photos of your team, class or crew on Facebook or send them to the Chamber. info@ejchamber.org

FYI...the resale shops are a great place to get your SPIRIT Week looks together!

Crossroads Ecumenical Resale Shop - East Jordan
Good Samaritan Resale Shop - Ellsworth
Bergmann Center Resale Shop - Charlevoix
Home Again Upscale Resale - Boyne City

COMMUNITY SPIRIT WEEK SCHEDULE:

Monday, March 13 - Sports Day

Tuesday, March 14 - Beach Day

Wednesday, March 15 - Cowboy/Cowgirl Day

Thursday, March 16 - America Day

Friday, March 17 - St. Paddy's Day

will meet at City Hall on Monday, March 13, from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m., and on Wednesday, March 15, from 9 to 12 p.m. and 1 to 4 p.m. Property owners are encouraged to make an appointment or send a letter of appeal to the BOR to review their 2023 assessments. Letters must be received by March 13. For an appointment, please call City Hall at 231-582-6597. Letters should be sent to City of Boyne City, Attention BOR, 319 N Lake St, Boyne City, MI 49712.

BOYNE CITY

FAMILY DINNER BOOK CLUB

Tuesdays in March, 6-8pm at Boyne District Library community room. Free! Registration is required. March 14, March 21, and March 28. Families are invited to join Boyne District Library for a meal followed by a children's book reading. Ms. Mary will lead a casual discussion with all in attendance. This is a free program filled with prizes, fun, food, and, of course, reading. RSVP required for this program as space is limited. Contact the library to register.

CHARLEVOIX

BUSINESS EXPO AND TASTE OF CHARLEVOIX

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce is excited to host the 11th Annual Charlevoix Business Expo and Taste of Charlevoix, taking place at Castle Farms on Wednesday, March 15 from 4-7:00 pm. To register or if you have any questions, please contact Caitlin Cole at 231-547-2101 or cole@charlevoix.org.

EAST JORDAN

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Thursday, March 16, 5PM - 6:30PM "BINGO & Business" at Rebec-Hosler Sweet American Legion Post #227. Sponsored by East Jordan Auto Parts, EJ Catering, American Legion Post #277

ELLSWORTH

SOUP SUPPER

Enjoy a no cooking night and join Ebenezer Christian School for a bowl of soup or two, rolls, salad, and desserts! This Spring Soup Supper is put on by the Ebenezer Christian Big Room (grades 6-8) to earn funds for their annual classroom community initiatives. The Soup Supper will be held Thursday, March 16th from 5:00-7:00pm at the Ellsworth Christian Reform Church.

PETOSKEY

HOME SHOW 2023

The 2023 Northern Michigan Home and Outdoor Living Show will be on March 17 & 18 at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey. Friday - 11am - 5pm. Saturday - 9am - 4pm.

CHARLEVOIX

FILM SERIES AT LIBRARY

Created Equal Film Series by the National Endowment

for the Humanities with Professor Charles McCaffrey. Every third Saturday, January - April, 1pm in the Community Room. Each film in this series tackles issues of equality, the law, and civil rights. Join us for a viewing of the films and a discussion with Professor Charles McCaffrey of North Central Michigan College.

March 18: Freedom Riders - Renowned director Stanley Nelson chronicles the inspirational story of American civil rights activists' peaceful fight against racial segregation on buses and trains in the 1960s.

April 15: Loving Story - In 1958, Richard and Mildred Loving are arrested for violating Virginia's anti-miscegenation laws, eventually leading to a landmark U.S. Supreme Court decision on interracial marriage. Alternate Location: Coeling Computer Center

CHARLEVOIX

HELP FILL FOOD PANTRY WISH LIST

The Charlevoix Community Food Pantry is seeking the following Recipe Wish List ingredient donations to give our families so they are able to make Baked Corn Casserole: 8 oz. Jiffy Corn Muffin Mix, 15 oz Canned Whole Kernel Corn, 15 oz Canned Creamed Corn, Butter. Items can be dropped off at the pantry on Mondays from 9:00-12:00 am or 5:00-7:00 pm, or items can be placed in the drop box in front of the pantry anytime. We appreciate any help you can give!

PETOSKEY

APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS TRAINING

Looking to learn a new skill in 2023, Kiersten's Ride is happy to promote an upcoming Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST) March 27th - 28th, Petoskey. ASIST is a two-day face-to-face workshop (BOTH full days required). Participants will learn how to prevent suicide by recognizing signs, providing a skilled intervention, and developing a safety plan to help keep someone alive. Social Work CEU credits available. Seating is limited for each class, so register soon and spread the word. Everyone should be empowered to save a life from suicide. Kiersten's Ride wants to empower you! Join us and learn this life-saving skill; or, Send one (from your organization) 2 Save one (you'll never know where) Please contact us if there are any questions. Kiersten's Ride, kiersten-ride.org, 231-675-5047

NORTHERN MICHIGAN

FREE JOB SEEKER WORKSHOPS

Michigan Works Northeast Consortium is planning to hold a series of free workshops over the next few months to help those who are looking for a new job. Whether you've been out of

the workforce, you're switching careers, or you're looking for a part time job, Michigan Works says the sessions could help you brush up your job hunting skills. Workshop topics include: Resume Writing, Cover Letters, and References; Acing the Interview; What Employers Expect from Employees; Online Job Search with Pure Michigan Talent Connect, Indeed, LinkedIn and more; and Computer Basics 101. Workshops are held at different times and days based on which Michigan Works Service Center you go to. Walk-ins are welcome or you can call ahead and reserve your spot. The full schedule of workshops is posted at www.milworksne.org/workshops.

BOYNE CITY

A TOAST TO THE TOWN

The Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce is hosting their annual gala April 20 from 5-8:30pm at Boyne Mountain Resort

ELLSWORTH

LOOKING FOR MUSICIANS

The Ellsworth Downtown Development Authority is looking to select musicians/musical groups that would like to perform on Wednesday evenings during the month of July, 2023, in the Ellsworth Community Square (outdoor venue). Concerts will start at 7:00 pm and will run 1 1/2 to 2 hours. If you/your group might be interested, please indicate what type of music you perform, what facility requirements you require and what you charge. Please e-mail that information (and/or questions) to lynnspearing@gmail.com.

BOYNE CITY

MARKET AT THE PAVILION

Every Saturday, 9am - 12:30pm at the Veterans Park pavilion. Artesian foods, crafts, local meats, fresh baked goods, live music.

EAST JORDAN

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Every Sunday, December through March, 7am - Noon at East Jordan Trailblazers, 5586 Mt. Bliss Rd.

EAST JORDAN

EASTER FUN & GAMES

The East Jordan Lions Club will be having Easter Fun and Games on April 8th at 10 am at the EJ Elementary gym. There will be games, candy, and prizes. Only school age children 5-12 can receive prizes. Children under 5 can still participate in games and receive candy. The Easter bunny will be there too!

PETOSKEY

CAREER FAIR

Register now for North Central Michigan College's Spring Career Fair. North Central Michigan College is hosting a Spring Career Fair on Thursday, April 13, from 11 a.m.—3 p.m. in the NCMC Student & Community Re-

source Center gymnasium. Open to employers and job-seekers, the event will provide opportunities to network, recruit and interview candidates for career-track and entry-level positions as well as internships. Employers: Register before February 15 at the Early Bird rate of \$30! (Regular rate is \$50.) Thursday, April 13 from 11am — 3pm at NCMC Student & Community Resource Center Gymnasium in Petoskey. Questions about the event? Contact Lori Morgan, NCMC Career Development Specialist, at 231-439-6265.

CHARLEVOIX

COUNTYWIDE BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Wednesday, May 24, 5PM - 7PM at Charlevoix Area, East Jordan Area and Boyne Area Chambers of Commerce. County-Wide Business After Hours at the Back Lot Charlevoix. Sponsored by Blue Cross Blue Shield of MI

EAST JORDAN

SUMMER CLASSES FOR KIDS AT RAVEN HILL

Raven Hill Discovery Center is excited to announce a return to past years with Summer Classes for Kids. Classes will replace Discovery Camps, allowing staff and volunteers to teach and participating kids to focus on a specific subject area, like Science Magic, Pioneer Living or Fiber Arts. Of course, there will be some time at the beginning and end of each class to see the animals and play in the Discovery Room, but the majority of each session will focus on a given area of study. Classes will be informal and active. Three different classes, one each of science, history and art, will be taught in the morning and a different three sessions will be scheduled for the afternoon. Kids can attend morning classes, afternoon classes or both. They will choose their focus and explore a variety of hands-on lessons on a particular topic over the course of four days—Monday through Thursday. Suggested ages are 5 to 14 and activities will be age-appropriate for those signed up in a class. Call 231-536-3369 or email info@miravenhill.org for more information or if you have any questions. This is the summer to learn, create, grow and play during Raven Hill's Summer Classes for Kids.

BOYNE CITY

FREE CLINIC

The Boyne Area Free Clinic is now accepting Medicaid. Open Fridays, 8am - 4pm

EAST JORDAN

RAVEN HILL UPDATED HOURS

For those who develop cabin fever, Raven Hill is open over the holidays by appointment. Call 231.536.3369 or email info@miravenhill.org to set a date and time to visit. After the holidays, we will be open noon to 4pm Saturdays & 2pm to 4pm Sundays, plus holidays & other times by appointment.

EAST JORDAN

COMMUNITY BAND

The Jordan Valley Community Band is looking for new members, all musicians welcome! We especially would like to have you join us if you play French Horn, Trombone or Clarinet. The Jordan Valley Community Band plays concerts on Thursday evenings in July at 7:30 PM in the East Jordan Memorial Park Bandshell. For more information or questions about joining the band, contact Becky at 231-675-0543. The Jordan Valley Community Band will once again be part of the East Jordan Jubilee of Trees for 501-C3's. Please join us at The Boathouse on Lake Charlevoix, Saturday, November 26 from 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM where the band will be performing your favorite Christmas Carols.

BOYNE CITY

FREE FLU SHOTS

Boyne City EMS has a large stock of flu shots and would like to share them with the public. They are now available free of charge at the EMS garage next to City Hall. To make an appointment please call EMS 231-582-9535, text 231-350-2589 or email EMS@boyncity.com. If you are homebound, we will come to your home to give you your flu shot.

EAST JORDAN

FLU SHOTS

Flu Shots are available at Jordan Valley EMS Authority, 555 Maple St. Call for appointment Mon - Friday, 8am - 4pm. 231-536-7881

BOYNE CITY

LITTLE LEAGUE REGISTRATION

Spring registration for little league baseball and soft-

COMMUNITY LEADERS

Women's Center Executive Director Gail Kloss stokes the agency's mission-flame

BY JOHN KEYSER

Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan (WRCNM) is a nonprofit, community-based organization serving Emmet, Charlevoix, Antrim, Cheboygan and Otsego counties. The agency's work is critically important to women, children and families in our region. For the past several years, Gail Kloss has been leading the organization and is deeply committed to the mission of providing a multitude of specialized services for adults, children and families to improve their lives.

There are agencies in Michigan and throughout the country that also go by the name of Women's Resource Center. However, they are not affiliated with WRCNM.

Gail spent her childhood growing up in Sandusky and Marlette, located in southern Michigan. She attended Mott and Lansing Community Colleges, and then when she and her husband moved north, she studied at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey. She said her strong appreciation for



GAIL KLOSS

North Central is because they connect with and care about their students. She was also grateful for North Central's partnership with Lake Superior State University (LSSU) in Sault Ste. Marie, which enabled her to complete required college coursework provided by LSSU while remaining in Petoskey and raising her

children. After earning her degree in business administration with an emphasis on finance, Gail went to work at a marina in Walloon Lake, and then at local manufacturing companies. While her two children were home she worked part time at a local glass shop. In 2010, she was hired as WRCNM's Fi-

nance Director. Five years later, the Executive Director Jan Mancinelli announced her retirement and Gail was hired as her replacement. They worked together until June 1, 2015, when Gail assumed leadership responsibility of the agency.

Community members can connect with WRCNM 24/7 through their help and information line. They provide confidential support and advocacy for individuals impacted by domestic abuse, sexual assault, child abuse and child sexual assault. Additionally, the Safe Home provides a secure and compassionate place for women and their family members seeking refuge when their own home is no longer a safe place to live. The agency's survivor services are provided at no cost.

WRCNM's Educational and Employment Services provides individuals with educational support, academic advising, career guidance, educational scholarships, advocacy and assistance with work and interview clothing.

The agency's weekly Playgroups provide an opportunity for parents, caregivers and their young children up to age 5 to par-

ticipate in fun activities, crafts, reading and socializing in Charlevoix, Boyne City and Central Lake. The group facilitator assists families with information on child development, parenting and helpful resources.

The agency has a history of creating programs based on community needs; early childhood education and childcare continue to be pressing needs. The Children's Learning Center (CLC) program provides an early childhood classroom learning environment, preschool and a balanced childcare service. The program emphasizes developmentally-appropriate learning experiences for preschool children ages 2½ to 5. Children's Learning Center maintains a 5-star Great Start to Quality rating for licensed programs in Michigan.

The need for WRCNM's unique services is constant, which makes funding those services an ongoing challenge. WRCNM is funded by local, state and federal grants, as well as fundraising events and individual and community donations. Additionally, the agency's two Gold Mine Resale Shops

direct 100% of their proceeds to support WRCNM programs and services.

Community partnerships have been established over the years with hospitals, health departments, police and sheriff departments, school districts, churches, clubs and other organizations in an effort to support individuals and families and help create safe and thriving communities.

To learn more about WRCNM's programs and services, visit the website at wrcnm.org or call the 24-hour help and information line at (231) 347-0082 or (800) 275-1995. WRCNM offers educational programs on a variety of subjects, to inquiry about a speaker for your group or organization, call (231) 347-0067.

Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan provides needed and vital programs and services for community members in northern Lower Michigan. WRCNM's Gail Kloss, staff members and Board of Directors are determined to continue to meet those needs and fulfill the agency's mission.

Community Foundation Names New Communications & Development position

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation is pleased to announce the selection of Pam Decker as the organization's new Communications and Development staff member.

Most recently the Business Services Representative at Northwest Michigan Works!, Decker brings a wealth of knowledge and experiences to the Community Foundation that will contribute to her success in her new role.

"We're excited to welcome Pam to our team," said Chip Hansen, President of the Community Foundation. "She has the right blend of skills, experience, and personality to continue to grow our communications and development initiatives at the Community Foundation."

Decker earned two Bachelor's Degrees in Media Communications and Spanish Communications from Grand Valley State University, plus she holds a professional certificate for Nonprofit Fundraising and Grants Management from the University of Washington. She has held various communications, fundraising, and development positions throughout her career, working for several nonprofit organizations locally and around the country. She also owned and operated her own business for many years. A native of East Jordan, Decker graduated from East Jordan High School before moving downstate for college, and then to North Carolina and Washington during her career. She recently returned to the area and is looking forward to making a difference close to home with the Community Foundation.

"I'm excited to get to work with the Community Foundation," Pam said, adding, "I can't wait to expand the organization's



PAM DECKER

communications strategies and dive into building relationships to connect donors with community needs." Pam's first day was February 20th and she is off to a great start.

Established in 1992 by a group of civic leaders, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation is a charitable organization dedicated to improving and enhancing life for all who live in the area. Local volunteers serve as trustees, and a youth advisory committee addresses issues related to youth in the community.

The Community Foundation accepts gifts of all sizes and for many purposes. Those contributions are professionally managed to generate income that is used to make grants supporting worthwhile programs, projects, and initiatives right here at home. Currently, more than 270 separate funds make up the Community Foundation, each one created by an individual, family, business, or nonprofit agency. With current assets of \$55 million, the Community Foundation has made grants totaling more than \$30 million since it began.

More information about the Community Foundation is available by calling (231) 536-2440, or visiting the organization's website, www.c3f.org.



David Reimer, Elise Greidanus, Benjamin Wu, and Greg Binger of the Cummings Quartet

Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra presents The Cummings Quartet

The Cummings Quartet, presented by the Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra (GLCO), will perform a free concert on Sunday, March 19 at 4 p.m. at the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix, located at 101 State St. GLCO's Sunday Series brings small orchestra ensembles to neighborhood venues across

Charlevoix and Emmet counties.

The Cummings Quartet is a northern Michigan-based ensemble of professionals who perform with the Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra and the Traverse Symphony Orchestra. Named after the benefactors of the Dorothy Gerber Strings Program (DGSP),

the quartet serves as teachers and artistic representatives of the Gerber youth music education program throughout the region.

Musicians David Reimer (violin), Elise Greidanus (violin), Benjamin Wu (viola) and Greg Binger (cello) will be performing Quartet in E♭ major, Op. 12 by Felix Mendelssohn,

Danzas de Panama by William Grant Still and La oracion del torero by Joaquín Turina.

The concert will begin promptly at 4 p.m. No tickets or registration are needed for this free, public concert. For more information, visit www.glorchestra.org or call 231-487-0010.

GLCO's next Little Waves Children's Library Music Program is Mar. 11

Petoskey District Library and Charlevoix Public Library are hosting "Little Waves," a young children's music program. Free and open to the public and sponsored by the Great Lakes Chamber Orchestra (GLCO), the program is de-

signed to introduce young children (ages 4 - 10) and their families to music in an entertaining setting. Each drop-in event takes place at 10:30 am in Petoskey and 1 pm in Charlevoix. The theme for this year is "Musical Ad-

ventures." Each session features a multimedia story, an opportunity to hear one or more GLCO musicians demonstrate and explain how their instruments work, and fun music-related activities for kids. The next event is Sat.

March 11, featuring cello and bassoon. Don't miss the fun! For more information, contact the library, GLCO 231-487-0010, or visit www.glorchestra.org/education/little-waves/.

HELP!

Who is buried in the Old Section? Old Section of what you may ask? Why the Eveline Township Cemetery of course. Take a stroll through the snow to that area and see many (about 100) white flags. Each of those flags represents someone buried there. But who? No records, no stones, no answers.

Please, if you knew of anyone who might have been buried there, or know someone who knows, con-

tact Chris Brown at 231-582-9337 or cmjbrown@live.com. With a name, research can find birth, death and military records.

A monument with all of their names is in the works, but we must have something to work with, or no monument.

We'll be waiting by the phone and computer to hear from you.

Chris Brown, Registrar
Chief Shawano Chapter, NSDAR

Gaylord Post Accepting Donations for Victims of Sexual Assault

OTSEGO COUNTY, MI. The Michigan State Police (MSP) "Purses with a Purpose" initiative began in 2019 and has become an annual event. The MSP Gaylord Post is accepting new purses or tote bags filled with comfort items to benefit the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan. The purses and their contents will be distributed to sur-

vivors of sexual assault. Donations can be made during regular business hours at the MSP Gaylord Post, located at 563 S. Otsego Avenue and several other designated areas in Cheboygan and Charlevoix Counties, through April, which is Sexual Assault Awareness Month.

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Boyne City High School Students Advance to State DECA Competition

Following wins at the district DECA competition in January, the Boyne City High School (BCHS) team is off to the state competition in Detroit, Thursday – Saturday, March 9 – 11, 2023. At the January conference, held at Ferris State University in Big Rapids, the team competed against eight high school districts, covering the westside of Michigan.

“I’m very proud of our students. Our students were awesome representatives of BCHS,” shares Andy Place, Boyne City High School Teacher and DECA Coach. “A special thank you goes out to the local business people who traveled to Big Rapids to help in judging the events.”

Prior to the district and

state conferences, students are required to take an on-line test that measures knowledge of business and leadership. The district and state conferences provide an opportunity for students to show their problem-solving skills through role-play and presentation events.

- Earning district medals for the Boyne City High School Chapter:

- Earning medals for the on-line testing were Corbin Smith, Mya Pofahl, and Brianna Ager

- Earning medals for individual role-play events were Corbin Smith, Odin Kirkby, Mya Pofahl, Norah Frasz, Reagan Woodall, and Adonae Patton

- Earning medals for team

decision making events were the teams of Maureen Hautz and Ava Tarsi, Brianna Ager and Gabby Dunlap, and Henry Bair and Ava Maginity

- Earning State Conference Individual Qualifier medals were Corbin Smith, Odin Kirkby, Mya Pofahl, Norah Frasz, and Reagan Woodall

- Earning State Conference Team Qualifier medals were the teams of Maureen Hautz and Ava Tarsi, Brianna Ager and Gabby Dunlap, and Henry Bair and Ava Maginity

Other students competing in their first District Conference role-play events were Chelsey Hertel, Malorie Carter, Camille Eads, Jacky Dunlap, and Braylyn Rincon.



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LEADERSHIP

The Power Of A True Team

BY JOHN KEYSER

We could write volumes about what a difference teamwork makes. In this paper, we'll outline some of the basic principles that can maximize success.



The Webster's Dictionary definition of teamwork is "joint action by a group, in which each person subordinates her or his individual interests and opinions to the unity and efficiency of the group."

This is certainly accurate, though, in our opinion, it does not do justice to the impact that a true team and effective teamwork can achieve.

I have been privileged to be part of teams that worked unselfishly, where our competition was outside our business, we each wanted to do great work, supported and encouraged one another, and had pride in our work and our team.

To maximize success, exemplary teamwork must be a foundation of our culture.

Collaboration, everyone feeling an important member of the team, a team we are all proud of, lead to the power of a team. The very likely results of the power of a team are in increased creativity, positive and high energy, improved productivity, and greater results.

Exemplary teamwork means being respectful of one another, providing timely and helpful feedback, allowing healthy conflict, and listening to one

another with an intent to understand.

I love the quote "Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."

Have an excited, inspired team and we'll achieve great results, especially with a team that strives for continuous improvement.

What is needed to create true teamwork and unleash the power of a team?

- Leadership that motivates and inspires team members, helping them feel supported and valued
- A clear vision for the team
- Team members who are encouraged to share ideas, their feelings, and to offer and be receptive to helpful feedback from

one another

- An understanding and acceptance of each person's roles and responsibilities
- Encouragement of ideas and opinions, with everyone listening with intent to understand, without judging the person, and understanding it's okay to disagree
- People not seeking personal credit and glory. This takes inner security
- Once a decision is made, everyone supporting it with positive energy
- A team leader who leads by example with her encouragement of others, asking questions, purposefully listening and providing positive energy

If we harness the power of our team, we can expect great results!



From left to right: Darienne Cronover, Sami Burks, Ashlynn Kluth, Delaney Huffman, Elliona Leaman, Skylar Barnett, Christine Whitaker, and Mailey Hamilton.

Miss East Jordan Scholarship Pageant contestants announced

The organizers of the Miss East Jordan Scholarship Pageant have announced their contestants competing for the title of Miss East Jordan 2023.

Tickets are on sale now. To purchase tickets, please contact one of these lovely ladies or if

you don't know them, email us at missejboard@gmail.com.

Save the date! April 15th at 7 pm! Come support the contestants and witness who will be crowned Miss East Jordan and represent our town as an ambassador!

East Jordan Man Arrested for Multiple Counts Criminal Sexual Conduct Against Victim Under 13

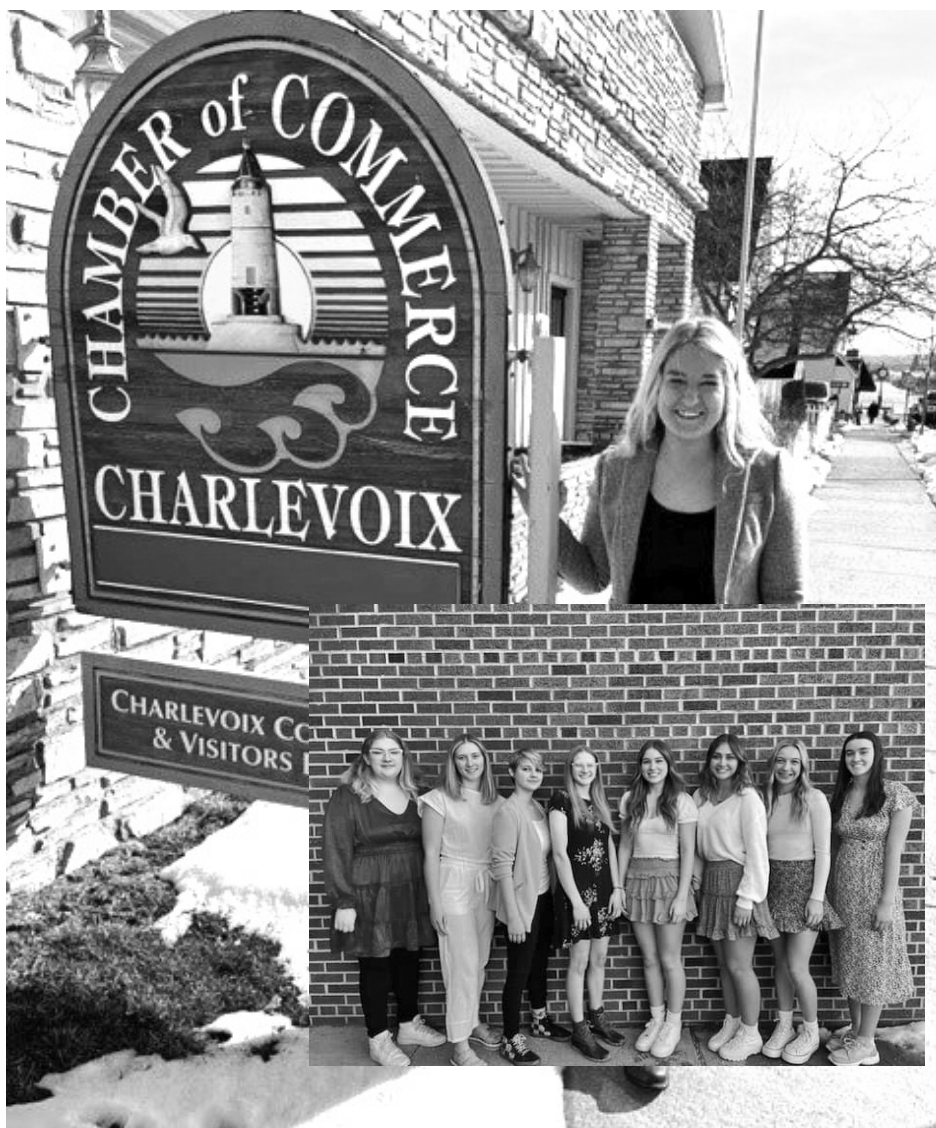
In September 2022, the victim of a sexual assault contacted law enforcement requesting an investigation be re-opened. The Michigan Children's Protective Services initiated the investigation in 2012 after a mandated reporter notified them of the alleged sexual assaults. The suspect, now 44-year-old Sean Michael Russell from East Jordan, was interviewed by state troopers and subsequently arrested later that year. The Charlevoix County Prosecutor at the time ultimately moved for nolle prosequi of the charges and the case was dismissed.



SEAN RUSSELL

A trooper from the Michigan State Police (MSP) Gaylord Post re-opened the complaint in September 2022 at the victim's request. The investigation led to charges being issued by the current prosecutor in Charlevoix County. Russell was arrested at his residence on February 28, 2023, and numerous electronic devices were seized during the arrest. Russell was lodged in the Charlevoix County Jail.

Russell was arraigned today in the 90th District Court in Charlevoix County on one count Criminal Sexual Conduct First Degree (Victim Under 13), and one count Criminal Sexual Conduct First Degree, and one Criminal Sexual Conduct Second Degree. He was given a \$25,000 PR bond. His next scheduled court appearance is on April 4, 2023.



Charlevoix chamber Welcomes Sarah Elgart as Operations and Service Manager

Introducing a new face to your Chamber team! Meet Sarah Elgart. Sarah is joining the Chamber to be our Operations and Services Manager, handling a range of duties aimed to help the organization continue operating smoothly, as well as

help take care of members and guest needs. We're excited to get Sarah out in the community, and she's excited to be a part of our work!

Sarah grew up in Gaylord. Most recently you may have seen her working at

the ski desk at Mt. McSauba this winter season. She is a licensed real estate agent and certified personal trainer, two of her passions. She also loves the outdoors, her three dogs, true crime podcasts, and pizza!

Nonprofits encouraged to apply for \$35M fund to help more Michiganders make ends meet

Michigan's nonprofits who are struggling with the negative impacts and hardships of the COVID-19 pandemic can now take the first step to receive much needed funding from the \$35 million MI Nonprofit Relief Fund for serving their hard-hit communities.

The Michigan Nonprofit Association (MNA) and the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity (LEO) today announced the launch of the "intent to apply" phase for the relief fund, which is focused on assisting small charitable nonprofit organizations. Nonprofits can fill out the intent to apply at MiNonprofitRelief.org. MNA membership is not required to apply.

The bipartisan relief program was signed by Gov. Gretchen Whitmer as part of FY23 budget and program funding comes from the federal Coronavirus Relief Funds awarded to the State of Michigan as part of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). The relief fund, designed for small nonprofits, is part of a two-part grant program. An ad-

ditional \$15 million in grants will be available to larger nonprofits later this year.

MNA and LEO have partnered to design the grant program and select grantees as well as manage the application portal and award payments. To be eligible for this funding, organizations must be a Michigan-based, 501(c)(3) nonprofit or a fiscally sponsored project by a 501(c)(3).

The \$35 million MI Nonprofit Relief Fund, which is being administered by MNA, is designed to provide aid and recovery to nonprofits with annual revenues of less than \$1 million that can demonstrate necessary expenditures and/or losses incurred after March 3, 2021 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Small nonprofits could receive one-time grant funds from \$5,000 to \$25,000 in Spring/Summer 2023 to continue or expand their services to areas hit the hardest by COVID-19 and to populations that are underserved and underrepresented. The impact of the ongoing pandemic has been

particularly hard on nonprofits located in rural areas and those led by, and serving, Black, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC) communities.

The initial "intent to apply" short online form is estimated to take no more than 10 minutes to complete and includes basic yes-or-no questions to assess the nonprofit's needs. The second phase of the application process for small nonprofits, estimated to launch March 22, will be a more detailed application.

An additional \$15 million MI Nonprofit Impact Grant program will be administered by LEO and is designed for larger nonprofits to support programs that lift people out of poverty and above the ALICE (Asset Limited Income Constrained, Employed) threshold. This program is expected to launch in Spring 2023.

For further information, go to MiNonprofitRelief.org or email reliefund@mnaonline.org.

This project is being supported, in whole or in part, by federal award number

SLFRP0127 awarded to the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Development by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

ABOUT LEO: Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity (LEO) provides the connections, expertise and innovative solutions to drive continued business growth, build vibrant communities, create affordable housing, generate tourism and attract and retain key talent to fill Michigan's vast pipeline of opportunities. For more information about LEO, please visit www.michigan.gov/LEO.

ABOUT MNA: Michigan Nonprofit Association is a 501 c (3) founded in 1990 to serve the nonprofit sector through advocacy, training and resources. MNA is a statewide membership organization dedicated to promoting and supporting anti-racism and social justice in the nonprofit sector. For more information, visit www.mnaonline.org



American Legion Post 228 accepts a defibrillator donation

Jim White, owner of Boyne City Hardware presented an AED to the Ernest Peterson American Legion Post 228. Accepting the life saving device (pictured) was Past Commander Dean Kleinschrodt. The officers and members of Post 228 appreciate Jim White's thoughtful gift.



Ellsworth Community Schools

LANCER OF THE WEEK



ANNEMAE MANDERS

Ellsworth Community School strives to instill values that will guide students through their academic and personal learning experiences. At the Middle/High School, Lancers are Engaged, Accountable, and Dependable (LEAD) in a great way! This week's LEAD Exemplar is Annemae Manders

School Activities: Basketball and Middle School Track

Favorite Subject: Annemae enjoys History and Math and says, "I like learning about what has happened in the past and in Math I think it's fun to solve problems and find solutions."

Her Teacher says: "Annemae Manders is a hard working, confident, and kind young lady. Annemae comes to class with a smile on her face ready and excited to learn. She is an outstanding example of a Lancer that is Engaged, Accountable, and Dependable." -Mrs. Stuck

After High School: "I'm thinking about becoming a baker or something to work with food."

Other Activities: Dorothy Gerber Youth Orchestra and Summer Softball

Annemae enjoys going on road trips and seeing different places around Michigan. She enjoys reading, playing the violin, and playing with her pets (a bunny, a parakeet, and a basket hound).

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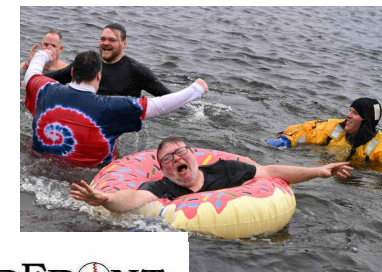
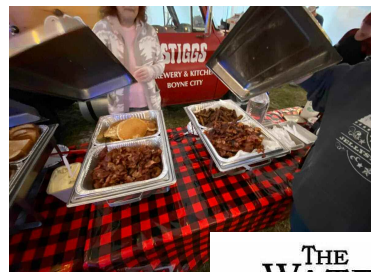


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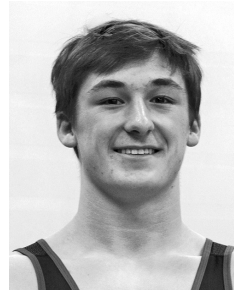
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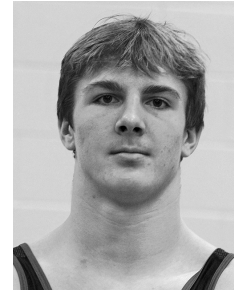
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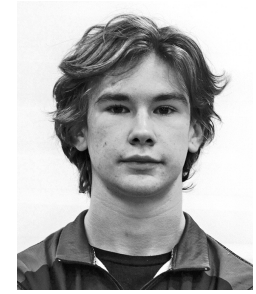
Sophomore Brady Jess went 4-1 in the tournament in the 175 weight class, taking third place. Junior Trevor Streeter went 5-1 in the 215 weight class to also take third place and junior Landon Swanson went 4-2 in the tournament, taking fifth place in the 190 weight class. Senior Mason Cunningham was unable to earn a spot on the podium.



BRADY JESS



LANDON SWANSON



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GIRLS BASKETBALL

Ramblers season comes to a close against Stags

BY CHIRS FIEL

KINGSLEY 44, BOYNE CITY 29

KALKASKA – Sometimes it's just not your night.

While no team wants an off night, it's especially unwanted during tournament play and that's what ended up happening to Boyne City as the Ramblers saw their six game winning streak halted, falling to Kingsley

in the Division 2 district championship contest 44-29.

The Stags outscored the Ramblers 31-18 over the final 16 minutes of action, finding their rhythm in the third quarter and turning a 13-11 halftime lead into the victory.

It was slow going from the opening tip for both teams, as both Boyne and Kingsley found it difficult to put the ball in the hoop. Each team had multiple

looks at the basket early on, but could not get the shots to drop as they struggled to a 7-6 Stag advantage at the end of one quarter of play.

The second quarter wouldn't get much better for either squad, as the inability to get shots to fall continued, Kingsley would outscore the Ramblers 6-5 to end the half.

Third quarter action would see the Stags start to create some breathing room as Boyne went nearly three minutes before finding the bottom of the net on an Elly Wilcox three pointer with just over five minutes to play.

Kingsley would score 21 points in the quarter for a 36-24 lead, taking control of the game, and forcing the Ramblers to play catch-up.

Boyne would not pull closer than 16 the rest of the way as the Stags controlled the glass, out rebounding the Ramblers by nearly a two-to-one advantage 41-22.

Braydin Noble finished with 10 points to lead the Ramblers (9-15), while senior Ava Maginity closed out her career with a six point effort.

The Stags were paced by Chrissy Whims with 14 points and Grace Lewis added nine.

BOYNE CITY 62, KALKASKA 30

KALKASKA—Hot, hot, hot!

That is exactly what the Boyne City girls basketball team is right now. Riding a six-game winning streak to close out the season, the Ramblers entered Division 2 district play on a roll.

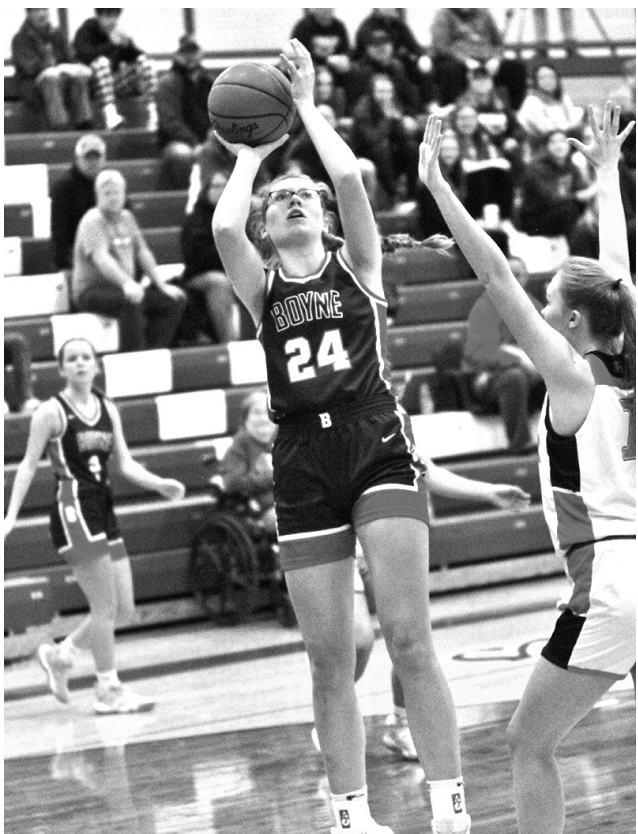
Matching up with host Kalkaska, a team the Ramblers have seen and defeated twice this season, Boyne would not let down as they overcame a slow first half, enroute to a convincing 48-24 victory, moving them into the championship contest against Kingsley (14-9) on Friday, March 3.

Boyne City (9-14) would take a 14-5 at the end of one quarter of play, and then led 22-10 at intermission. An explosive second half saw the Ramblers outscore the Blazers 26-14 over the final 16 minutes of play, leading 38-19 at the end of the third.

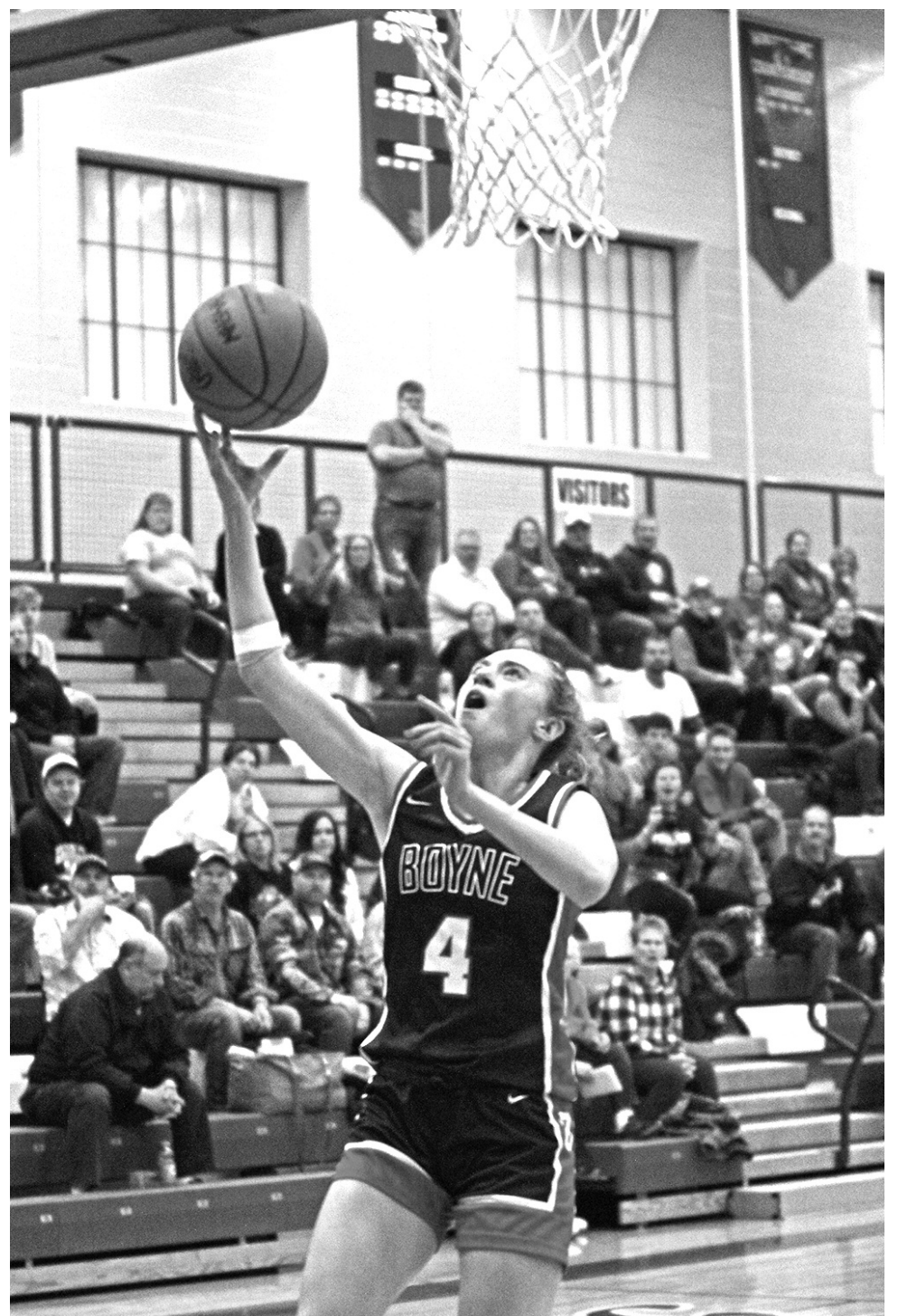
Senior Morgan Deming finished with 16 points to lead Boyne, while Braydin Noble netted nine and Ava Maginity, along with Mackenzy Wilson each scoring seven.



Boyne City's Ella Day (2) look on as she awaits for the Rambler inbound play to develop. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Boyne City's Morgan Deming (24) gets an easy look at the hoop early on against Kingsley. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Ava Maginity (4) of Boyne City, gets a fastbreak layup to fall against Kingsley. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Rambler Ely Wilcox (5) launches a three pointer over the Stag defense. (Photo by Chris Fiel)



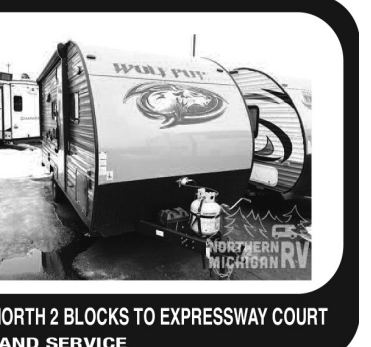
Rambler guard, Mackenzy Wilson (3) makes a pass to a teammate early on in the contest against the Stags. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

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BOWLING

Ramblers compete in Bowling State Finals

JACKSON, MI – The Boyne City bowling team took part in the State Finals over the March 3-4 weekend, with the girls team represented in the qualifying block and one bowler each in the individual finals.

On Saturday, in the State Finals individual rounds, Victoria McGeorge finished 50th overall with a high score of 165, while Blake Root came in at 52nd overall, recording a 205 high score.

On Friday, the girls team, consisting of team members: senior, Ella Seelye; junior, Miranda Knight; and sophomores, team manager Lillie Bennett, Marlee Fischl, Lauren LaBute, Victoria McGeorge, and Whitney Root, took part in the qualifying block, advancing to the Elite Eight.

The team bowled a combined set of 903 in the individual games, finishing 7th in Division 3.

“They (team) trained hard and set team goals that they exceed,” coach Becky McGeorge said.



VICTORIA MCGEORGE



BLAKE ROOT

“They fought hard until the last pins fell.”

OPINION

MHSAA needs to take action

BY DAVE BARAGREY

In the final match of the individual State wrestling tournament in the 144 lb. weight class this past weekend, last year's champion at 130 lb., Loudon Stradling of Gaylord was wrestling CJ Poole of Lowell. The match was stopped five minutes into the match after what was called an injury.

Poole ran toward Stradling and head butted him knocking Loudon unconscious. Instead of the referee disqualifying Poole for a flagrant misconduct violation Poole was awarded the win.

Gaylord fans, coaches and teammates watching this incident were enraged. Stradling was knocked unconscious and likely had a concussion.

With fans voicing displeasure with the incident, Poole's father, who is the

wrestling coach at Grand Valley State University, walked by the Gaylord contingent and yelled obscenities and flashed obscene hand signals.

Last week in the team state tournament, Poole ran Gaylord wrestler Gus James off the mat into tables nearby. Fortunately Gus was not injured.

In my opinion, the head butt incident needs immediate attention from MHSAA. The state athletic association needs to step in and implement some penalties for the Lowell high school wrestling program. There is no reason for actions like these from any high school athlete or program. It hangs a dark cloud over the sport and an even darker cloud over MHSAA if they ignore what is obviously a program and athletes out of control.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Ellsworth tunes up for Districts

BY BOB DELONG

The Ellsworth High School boys' basketball team defeated East Jordan 71-67 last Tuesday in Ellsworth. The game, against a larger school, served as a good measuring stick and tune up in preparation for the upcoming MHSAA districts that Ellsworth will be hosting this week. The win was the Lancers seventh in a row and they finish the regular season with a very good 17-5 slate. The Red Devils have had a tough season as they lost their ninth in a row and fell to 4-18 for the year.

East Jordan started the game on fire as they took a 21-13 lead thanks to three

combined triples from Koryn Russell and Eli Burns, but the Lancers rallied in the second stanza. Jacob Jenuwine scored 11 points as Ellsworth outscored East Jordan 19-5 in the games second eight minutes to take a 32-26 advantage at the halftime break.

The Lancers gave themselves some breathing room and led the game 60-44 after three periods, (thanks to 10 more points from Jenuwine), before the Red Devils made a furious rally in the final frame.

Lucas Stone hit three treys and Max Beal added a pair to make things interesting in the fourth quarter to get within three points, but the Lancers played

enough defense at the end to hold on for the victory.

Jenuwine led Ellsworth with 25 points and eight boards; Kelan Pletcher scored 22 points, 10 rebounds and three steals; Patrick Puroll was also in double figures with 12 points, seven assists and six steals; Cam Snyder scored six points and had a game high four blocks; Jurgen Griswold had four points and Tyler scored two.

Ellsworth hosts MHSAA D4 District #105 this week. Central Lake will play #1 seed Gaylord St. Mary on Wednesday at 7:00 pm. Ellsworth, the #2 seed will play Bellaire on Wednesday in the other semi-final at 5:30 pm. The Lancers won

an exciting game between these two teams in the regular season back on December 21st in Bellaire when a last second basket by Pletcher game Ellsworth a 59-56. The two winners from Wednesday will meet in Ellsworth at 7:00 pm for the championship game.

REMINDER: All tickets have to be purchased in advance on your phone and must be validated at the door. No cash sales will be accepted. Please go the MHSAA.com or GoFan.com Website or call your high school for more details.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Ellsworth Girls Season Ends in Districts

BY BOB DELONG

The young Ellsworth High School girls varsity basketball season came to an end last Wednesday when the Lancers lost to Bellaire by a score of 49-16 at the #106 MHSAA D4 district semi-final at the Monsignor Kaminski Gymnasium in Gaylord.

Ellsworth, who has a lineup of players that average somewhere between a freshman and a sophomore, showed a lot of grit and moved the ball at times, but they had too many turnovers against the Eagles zone press. Bellaire senior Jacey Somers wreaked havoc at the point of the press and scored 24 of her game high 33 points in the first half as the Eagles put the game out of reach by halftime with a



BELLA ESSENBERG



HANNAH ESSENBERG



KERRI DEYOUNG

29-8 lead.

Lancer sophomore Bella Essenberg scored eight points to lead Ellsworth, freshman Hannah Essenberg had four points; junior Avery Strange and freshman Kerri DeYoung each scored two points to round

out the scoring. Senior Annabell Bartman, sophomores Samantha Paalman and Kiley Fuller and eight graders Ruby Pletcher and Nora Puroll all played four quarters. These girls did not score but all played hard and they gained valu-

able varsity experience for future Ellsworth teams.

The Lady Lancer ended their season at 5-13 overall and 5-7 in the Northern Lakes Conference.

Boys' district basketball tourney set for March 6-10

The Michigan High School Athletic Association post-season basketball tournament will get under way with district tournament a week after the girls' competition.

The contests will be held Monday, Wednesday and Friday, March 6, 8 and 10.

Grayling (11-9) vs. Cheboygan (7-13). 5:30pm at Cheboygan
Boyne City (18-3) vs. Kalkaska. 7pm at Cheboygan

3/10 District Final. 7pm at Cheboygan

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DIVISION 4

Boys Basketball District 103 Hosted By Mackinaw City

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3/8 Harbor Light (12-9) vs. Alanson (8-11). 5:30pm at Mackinaw City
Mackinaw City (17-3) vs. winner Pellston/Mack Island. 7pm at Mackinaw City

3/10 District Final. 7pm at Mackinaw City

Boys Basketball District 104 Hosted By Onaway

3/6 Burt Lake NM Christian 44 vs. Posen 59.
Wolverine 61 vs. Rogers City 59.

3/8 Onaway (16-3) vs. NM Christian 5:50pm at Onaway
Inland Lakes (15-5) vs. Wolverine. 7pm at Onaway

3/10 District Final. 7pm at Onaway
Boys Basketball District 105 Hosted By Ellsworth

3/6 Central Lake 61 vs. Boyne Falls 44.

3/8 Ellsworth (16-5) vs. Bellaire (10-9). 5:30pm at Ellsworth
Gaylord St. Mary (17-3) vs. Central Lake. 7pm at Ellsworth

3/10 District Final. 7pm at Ellsworth

Boys Basketball District 109 Hosted By Mio

3/6 Atlanta 27 vs. AuGres 35.
Hale 49 vs. Fairview 32

3/8 Mio (17-1) vs. AuGres. 5:30pm at Mio
Hillman (18-2) vs. Hale. 7pm at Mio

3/10 District Final. 7pm at Mio

DIVISION 1

Boys Basketball District 1 Hosted By Sault Ste. Marie

3/6 Traverse City Central 58 vs. Sault Ste. Marie 57.
Gaylord 45 vs. Traverse City West 59.

Petoskey 68 vs. Alpena 53.

3/8 Marquette (12-8) vs. TC Central. 6pm TBD
TC West vs. Petoskey. 6pm TBD.

3/10 District Final. 6PM TBD

DIVISION 2

Boys Basketball District 34 Hosted By Cheboygan

3/6 Kingsley 46 vs. Kalkaska 53.

3/8

DIVISION 3

Boys Basketball District 67 Hosted By East Jordan

3/6 East Jordan 63 vs. Charlevoix 49
Harbor Springs 82 vs. Mancelona 47

3/8 Elk Rapids (15-6) vs. East Jordan. 5:30pm TBD
St. Ignace (16-4) vs. Harbor Springs. 7pm TBD

3/10 District Final. 7pm TBD

Boys Basketball District 68 Hosted By Tawas

3/6 Whittemore-Prescott 54 vs. Oscoda 46

3/8 Alcona (8-9) vs. Johannesburg-Lewiston ((1-17). 5:30pm at Tawas
Tawas (14-5) vs. Whittemore-Prescott. 7pm at

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BOYS BASKETBALL



Ryan Spate (5) of Boyne City, tries to handoff to teammate Mason Wilcox (4) late in the game as the Petoskey defensive pressure swarms. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

Northmen edge Ramblers

Petoskey hold off late Boyne comeback

BY CHRIS FIEL

PETOSKEY 72, BOYNE CITY 64

BOYNE CITY – While it may not quite be tournament time, most games this time of the season are played in a March Madness type of atmosphere.

That is exactly what you got last Tuesday, February 28, when Petoskey traveled to Boyne City in the annual non-conference matchup that the two teams use to prepare themselves for the post-season.

The two teams played a fast paced 32 minutes of physical basketball, before Petoskey exited The Wheelhouse with a 72-64 victory over the Ramblers.

The Northmen looked to be in control most of the night, but could not put the Ramblers away, whenever Petoskey seemed to garner momentum and increase their lead. Boyne would respond and stay within striking distance.

With the win, Big North representative, Petoskey improved to 15-6 on the season, while Lake Michigan rep, Boyne City dropped just their fourth contest of the year, closing out an 18-4 campaign.

An up and down, tightly played first quarter saw the Northmen pull ahead 18-12 at the end of the first eight minutes of play.

During the second quarter, Petoskey would push their lead to as much as 10 before the Ramblers clawed their way back, pulling within four on a basket by senior guard Jack Neer as the quarter was closing, but a Northmen triple in the final seconds, move the Petoskey lead to seven points at the break.

In the second half, the two teams kept bringing the fight, as Boyne stayed within two possessions most of the way, before the Northmen once again closed the quarter strong, carrying an 11-point advantage into the final eight minutes of play.

Petoskey would push their advantage to 14 points during the final stanza, but Ramblers would not fold as they

chipped away at the deficit to pull within five points with under 20 seconds to play in the contest, but a key turnover would prove costly.

Clutch free throw shooting by Northman center, Cade Trudeau down the stretch would be enough to keep Boyne at arm's length and close out the win for Petoskey.

"It just wasn't our night shooting and that caused us just enough to where

we couldn't get over the hump," Boyne coach Randy Calcaterra said.

Trudeau was a force for the Northmen inside, pacing all scorers with 26 points, while hauling in 10 boards and three assists, while the Petoskey perimeter players were hot from the outside early and often, with Shane Izard netting 13, Jackson Jonker had nine, with Jimmy Marshall and Michael Squires each

adding eight points.

Leading the Ramblers with 22 points was Alex Calcaterra (also grabbed four rebounds and four assists), with Mason Wilcox dropping 17 points, six boards, six assists and four steals, Neer and Jaden

Alger both chipped in with eight apiece.

Boyne is off until Wednesday, March 8, where they play in the Division 2 district, waiting for the winner of the Kingsley/Kalkaska contest.



Brady Odenbach (2) of Petoskey is pressured by Rambler guard, Jack Neer (2). (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Northmen center, Cade Trudeau (24) wins the tip over Boyne's Jacob Johnson (3). (Photo by Chris Fiel)



Boyne City's Alex Calcaterra (13) looks to make a pass as Petoskey's Jackson Jonker defends. (Photo by Chris Fiel)

BOYS BASKETBALL STANDINGS

BIG NORTH CONFERENCE

Cadillac	8-2	16-4
Traverse City Central	8-2	10-10
Petoskey	6-4	14-6
Traverse City West	5-5	8-12
Gaylord	3-7	12-9
Alpena	0-10	3-17

LAKE MICHIGAN CONFERENCE

Boyne City	13-1	18-3
Traverse City St Francis	13-1	17-3
Elk Rapids	9-5	15-6
Harbor Springs	8-6	11-9
Grayling	7-7	11-9
Kalkaska	2-12	5-14
East Jordan	2-12	4-16
Charlevoix	2-12	3-17

NORTHERN LAKES CONFERENCE

Mackinaw City	11-1	17-3
Ellsworth	10-2	16-5
Harbor Light Christian	9-3	12-9
Burt Lake NMC	4-7	10-9
Alanson	4-8	8-11
Wolverine	3-8	5-10
Boyne Falls	0-12	0-16

SKI VALLEY CONFERENCE

Gaylord St Mary	13-1	17-3
Onaway	14-2	17-3
Indian River Inland Lakes	13-2	15-5
Central Lake	7-8	8-13
Mancelona	7-8	7-13
Bellaire	6-8	10-9
Pellston	4-9	7-12
Johannesburg-Lewiston	1-12	1-17
Fife Lake Forest Area	0-15	0-17

STRAITS AREA CONFERENCE

Sault Ste Marie	8-0	14-6
St Ignace	5-2	16-4
Rudyard	4-4	16-5
Cheboygan	2-6	7-13
Newberry	0-7	3-17

GIRLS BASKETBALL STANDINGS

BIG NORTH CONFERENCE

Petoskey	9-1	15-8
Traverse City Central	8-2	16-6
Gaylord	5-5	13-9
Alpena	3-7	8-15
Traverse City West	3-7	5-16
Cadillac	2-8	7-15

LAKE MICHIGAN CONFERENCE

Traverse City St Francis	13-1	19-2
Elk Rapids	12-2	17-3
Harbor Springs	10-4	17-4
Charlevoix	7-7	10-12
Boyne City	6-8	8-14
Grayling	4-10	10-11
East Jordan	4-10	8-14
Kalkaska	0-14	1-18

NORTHERN LAKES CONFERENCE

Mackinaw City	12-0	21-1
Burt Lake NMC	10-2	14-8
Harbor Light Christian	8-4	13-6
Ellsworth	5-7	5-12
Alanson	4-8	8-11
Boyne Falls	2-10	3-13
Wolverine	1-11	2-18

SKI VALLEY CONFERENCE

Gaylord St Mary	16-0	19-3
Indian River Inland Lakes	13-3	17-5
Johannesburg-Lewiston	11-5	17-6
Onaway	11-5	16-6
Bellaire	7-9	12-10
Mancelona	6-10	8-13
Central Lake	5-10	8-12
Fife Lake Forest Area	2-14	2-18
Pellston	0-15	1-21

STRAITS AREA CONFERENCE

Sault Ste Marie	7-0	18-2
St Ignace	5-2	12-10
Cheboygan	3-5	5-18
Newberry	2-7	2-18
Rudyard	1-7	1-18

HOCKEY STANDINGS

BIG NORTH CONFERENCE

Alpena	10-0-0	23-3-0
Traverse City Central	8-2-0	14-9-3
Cadillac	5-4-1	13-12-1
Traverse City West	4-5-1	9-15-1
Gaylord	1-9-0	8-19-0
Petoskey	1-9-0	3-22-0

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WRESTLING

Charlevoix wrestling places three at state finals

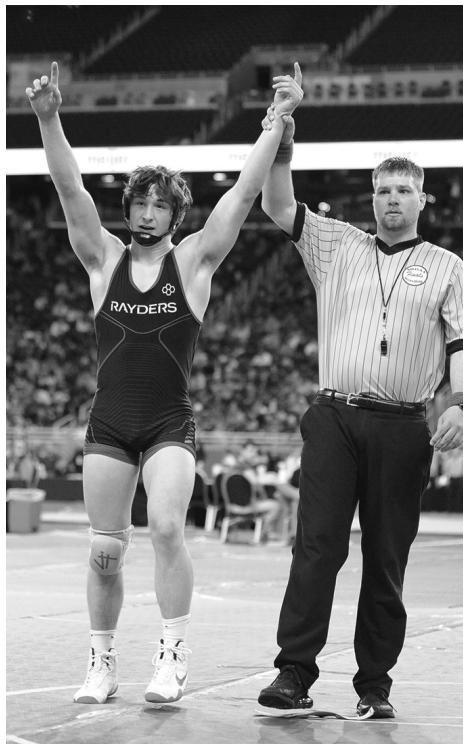
by Ben Murphy

The Charlevoix wrestling team had quite the showing at the individual state championship tournament, held at Ford Field on Friday and Saturday. Three of the four Rayders making the trip were able to find themselves on the podium.

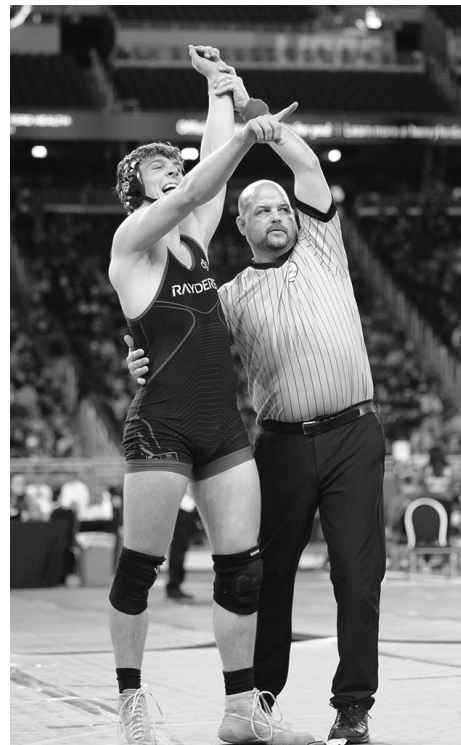
"We had a lot of fun at the finals, I was proud of all my wrestlers," head coach Mike Hinkle said.

Sophomore Brady Jess went 4-1 in the tournament in the 175 weight class, taking third place. Junior Trevor Streeter went 5-1 in the 215 weight class to also take third place and junior Landon Swanson went 4-2 in the tournament, taking fifth place in the 190 weight class. Senior Mason Cunningham was unable to earn a spot on the podium.

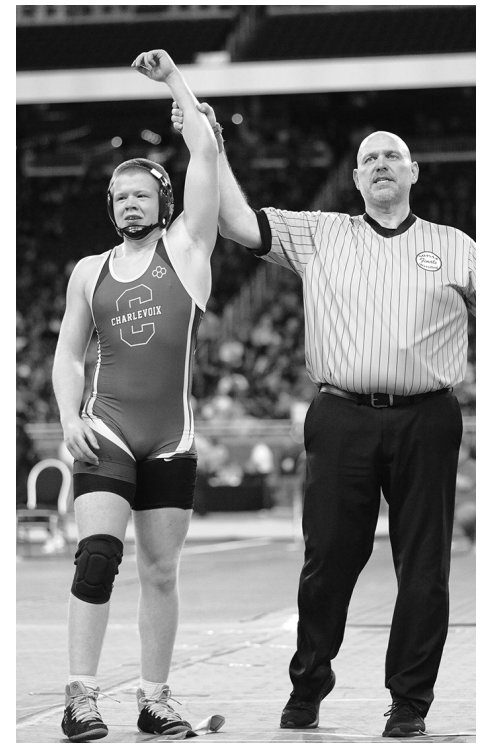
"Mason overcame a couple of major injuries over the last four years to qualify for state as a senior," Hinkle said. "Our three medalists will all be back next year, and they are already bugging me about getting back in the wrestling room. These three guys, all put in a lot of work in the off-season; strength training, camp, open mats etc. and their hard work is paying off. I hope their example inspires some of our younger athletes to do the extra work that will take them to the next level."



CHARLEVOIX'S BRADY JESS.
PHOTO BY BEN MURPHY.



CHARLEVOIX'S LANDON SWANSON.
PHOTO BY BEN MURPHY.



CHARLEVOIX'S TREVOR STREETER.
PHOTO BY BEN MURPHY.

BOYS BASKETBALL

East Jordan boys have season ended by Charlevoix

BY BEN MURPHY

The East Jordan boys basketball team started off Monday's Division 3 district opener against Charlevoix pretty well. The host Red Devils weren't able to keep the upper hand though, as they eventually faded to the Rayders, seeing their season ending with a 63-49 loss.

"We started so hot and with so much energy and we just could sustain it throughout the game," E-J head coach Nate Dzwik said. "I thought overall we did a good job of executing on both ends. We had a little bit of foul trouble with Korbyn Russell and that really hurt as he was playing a great game and that took him out of his rhythm. I thought Devon Olstrom did a great job of controlling the game on both ends of the floor but in the second half they really keyed on not letting him get what he wanted."

E-J was able to jump to a 20-14 lead after the first quarter, and they still led at the half, 33-28. That lead disappeared after the third though, as they faced a 43-40 hole and they continued to fall back in the final eight minutes.

Russell finished with 13 points and three rebounds to lead the way, Max Beal had nine points and four rebounds, Lucas Stone netted six points and grabbed four rebounds, Ethan Thomas netted five points, Brenden Aenis and Ryder



EJ's Max Beal drives hard for 2 pts. Photo by Mark Elliott

Malpas each scored four points, Olstrom had three points and five assists and Angel Delgado added two points.

Stars for Charlevoix were not available at press time.

On Thursday East Jordan lost a home non-league with Gaylord in their regular season finale, 54-45.

"A great team effort where I thought we really controlled the tempo of the game," Dzwik said. "We had the ball with chances to tie in the fourth quarter and just couldn't hit the shot. I was really proud of our kids for the way they

competed on both ends of the floor all night against a much bigger school and team."

Gaylord was able to take a 21-16 lead after the first quarter, but East Jordan hung around, trailing just 27-26 at the half. Gaylord's lead grew slightly to 41-39 entering the fourth.

The Red Devils had Beal get 12 points, seven rebounds and three assists, Stone and Thomas added 11 points apiece, Aenis had four points, putting in three was Russell and with two each was Malpas and Delgado.

On Tuesday, March 28 E-J lost a road non-league

game at Ellsworth, 71-67.

"We had a great start, got into some big foul trouble midway through the game that hurt us," Dzwik said. "We finally got some energy back in the fourth quarter and made a run. We had some defensive lapses that cost as they hit shots all on all of them."

The Red Devils led 21-13 after the first quarter, though Ellsworth rallied to 32-26 at the half and 60-44 entering the fourth.

Russell was able to lead E-J with 13 points and three rebounds, Olstrom had 12 points, 14 rebounds and three assists, Aenis and Stone each added nine points, Malpas had nine points and five assists, Beal had eight points, six rebounds and six assists, Eli Burns chipped in with three points and adding two apiece was Steve Anderson and Delgado.

East Jordan finishes the season 4-19 overall.

"We are really going to miss Devon and that quiet determination that he brought as a three year varsity player," Dzwik said. "Steven is such a great kid for the program and no matter what always brought great energy and kept this team going. Ethan showed this group a little bit of toughness and resolve. All three of those guys are going to be really hard to replace next year but by returning all the players we are who were underclassman or first year varsity players our future looks pretty bright moving forward."



Charlevoix's #24 Ryan Pearl fouls Max Beal while fighting for a loose ball. Photo by Mark Elliott.



Korbyn Russell drives hard for two while avoiding the collision. Photo by Mark Elliott.

Charlevoix boys close out regular season with wins over Mancelona, Kingsley

BY BEN MURPHY

The Charlevoix boys basketball team said goodbye to the regular season on Thursday. The Rayders took on visiting Mancelona in a non-conference game, and were able to pick up a 69-48 win in the process.

"We had good energy from the start and attacked inside-out," head coach Anthony Troshak said. "Our defense and rebounding was better. Max Dixon had a great senior night, I'm proud of him and happy for him. It was overall a great team effort."

Charlevoix was able to take a 23-14 lead after the first quarter and pushed that gap to double digits by the half, 39-25. After three it was a 51-33 advantage.

The Rayders saw Dixon and Joe Gaffney each get 22 points, with Dixon also tracking down nine rebounds. Troy Nickel chipped in with 12 points.

Tavin Morgan led Mancelona with 15 points.

On Tuesday, Feb. 28 Charlevoix won a road non-conference game, 49-46 over host Kingsley.

"We came out strong but credit to Kingsley, they responded and we struggled

to put the ball in the hole," Troshak said. "We trailed by as many as 11 in the second half but the guys never gave up. They could have folded but kept chipping away and getting stops."

Charlevoix led 15-11 and 25-22 after the first and second frames, but the Stags controlled things in the third and claimed a 41-33 lead entering the fourth. Charlevoix held Kingsley to just five points in the final frame to help their comeback bid.

The Rayders were led by Gaffney with 19 points, Hudson Vollmer put in 16 points and Ryan Pearl had seven points and seven rebounds.

Chase Bott led Kingsley with 26 points.

Charlevoix also won their Division 3 district opener over East Jordan on Monday, 63-49, however stats were not reported.

The Rayders (6-17 overall) played in a district semifinal game against Elk Rapids on Wednesday. St. Ignace and Harbor Springs played in the other semifinal, with the winners meeting Friday for the district championship. The district winner moves on to Monday's regional semifinal game in Gaylord.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Charlevoix girls bounced by Elk Rapids in district semis

BY BEN MURPHY

Just two days after a Division 3 district opening round win over East Jordan, the Charlevoix girls basketball had their sights on upsetting Elk Rapids on Wednesday, March. 1. The Lady Rayders were unable to pull that off however, as they lost the season ending contest, held at Harbor Springs, 57-31.

"We played a good first quarter and then it slowly got away from us," head coach Reece Koepke said. "Elk Rapids is a great team and have some great players that make them go. Give credit to them."

In the opening quarter, Charlevoix had four points each from Abbey Wright and Bayani Collins, but they were still down 18-10 after one. The Rayders could only get a field-goal apiece from Wright and Ava Boss in the second, allowing Elk Rapids to pull away to a 34-18 lead at the half.

Boss knocked down a three pointer in the third but Charlevoix got little else going, and they fell further back entering the fourth, 48-18.

The Rayders were led by Wright with eight points, five rebounds and four assists, Collins finished with six points and three rebounds, Boss had five points and three rebounds and Merette Carson also netted five points. Karlee Eaton and Anna Kemp were able to contribute with two points apiece.

The Rayders finish the season 10-13 overall, but for Koepke, he felt like it was a success in his debut year.

"This being my first season at the helm I couldn't ask for a better group of ladies," Koepke said. "They were great to be around on and off the court. Made some great memories and lots of improvement and growth. Always tough we a new coach with new ideas and system comes in, but they handled it great. For next year the future is bright will bring back six seniors and will have seven juniors that all want to get better. The off season and summer stuff will be a big part of where we want to be next year. I'm excited to see what this next group can do. I know they want to be great and will put in the time to be that."

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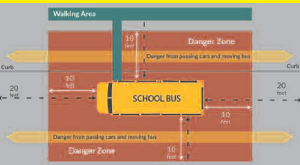
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2nd Place - Cristian Haslem of St Clair HS

3rd Place - Jarrett Smith of Lowell HS

4th Place - Jaron Bensinger of Gaylord HS

5th Place - Izaak Kukulski of John Glenn HS (Bay city)

6th Place - Jayson Clark of Allen Park HS

7th Place - Richie Davis of Brother Rice HS

8th Place - Christien Miller of Thornapple Kellogg HS

1st Place Match
Brady Baker (Lakeshore HS) 48-2, So. over Cristian Haslem (St Clair HS) 46-2, Fr. (MD 9-1)

3rd Place Match
Jarrett Smith (Lowell HS) 34-9, Fr. over Jaron Bensinger (Gaylord HS) 45-11, Fr. (Dec 5-1)

5th Place Match
Izaak Kukulski (John Glenn HS (Bay city)) 48-4, Fr. over Jayson Clark (Allen Park HS) 47-7, So. (Fall 4:01)

7th Place Match
Richie Davis (Brother Rice HS) 36-8, Fr. over Christien Miller (Thornapple Kellogg HS) 32-12, So. (Dec 3-0)

8th Place - Sean Kinane of St Mary Preparatory HS (Orchard Lake)

1st Place Match
CJ Poole (Lowell HS) 31-8, Sr. over Loudon Stradling (Gaylord HS) 50-1, Sr. (Inj. 5:00)

3rd Place Match
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5th Place Match
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2nd Place - Jack Conley of Lake Fenton HS

3rd Place - Maddox Simcoe of Lowell HS

4th Place - Noah Hall of Lake Fenton HS

5th Place - Harrison Meekhof of Allendale HS

6th Place - Elijah Ratliff of Chelsea HS

7th Place - Ben Blyveis of Fowlerville HS

8th Place - Edward Light IV of OA Carlson HS

1st Place Match
Trevor Swiss (Petoskey HS) 47-0, Sr. over Jack Conley (Lake Fenton HS) 28-4, Sr. (Dec 10-4)

3rd Place Match
Maddox Simcoe (Lowell HS) 34-7, Sr. over Noah Hall (Lake Fenton HS) 55-4, Jr. (Dec 4-2)

5th Place Match
Harrison Meekhof (Allendale HS) 42-5, Jr. over Elijah Ratliff (Chelsea HS) 29-11, Sr. (M. For)

7th Place Match
Ben Blyveis (Fowlerville HS) 45-5, Jr. over Edward Light IV (OA Carlson HS) 44-6, Sr. (Inj. 0:00)

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2nd Place - Zach Jacobs of Northwest HS

3rd Place - Kyan Larson of Sparta HS

4th Place - Jackson Sage of Southgate Anderson HS

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8th Place - Jaydn Grimes of Mason HS

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Blake Sayer (Hesperia Community HS) 44-9, So. over Jayce Ritchie (Martin HS) 45-13, So. (Dec 10-6)

7th Place Match

Trennen Smith (Mio-Au Sable HS) 46-7, Sr. over Hudson Decker (Onaway Area HS) 15-7, Sr. (Fall 2:03)

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Guaranteed Places

1st Place - Cole Hopkins of Evert HS

2nd Place - JR Hildebrand of Martin HS

3rd Place - Brady Jess of Charlevoix HS

4th Place - Jacob Britten of Bronson HS

5th Place - Colton Symons of New Lothrop HS

6th Place - Joey Calhoun of Gabriel Richard HS

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7th Place Match
Ben Gautz (Manchester HS) 37-21, Sr. over Michael Pfeiffer (Benzie Central HS) 39-19, Jr. (Dec 4-1)

8th Place - Michael Pfeiffer of Benzie Central HS

1st Place Match
Evan Wakefield of Michigan Lutheran Seminary

2nd Place - Drew Allgeyer of Bark River-Harris HS

3rd Place - Tagg Gott of Schoolcraft HS

4th Place - Logan Sallows of Hudson Area HS

5th Place - Landon Swanson of Charlevoix HS

6th Place - Eli DeYoung of Gobles HS

7th Place - Justice Onstott of St Louis HS

8th Place - Jacob Dixon of Bronson HS

1st Place Match
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CITY OF BOYNE CITY
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1. Michigan Department of Natural Resources Trust application for the Boyne Area Skate Park located at Rotary Park. This grant application seeks funding for the phased construction of a public outdoor skate park accessible to all skill levels and inclusive to a variety of users to include wheel chairs, scooters, roller skates, roller blades, and bikes at Rotary Park.

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