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Boyne City completes Community Exchange with Sault Ste. Marie

Thirteen Boyne City staff and elected officials traveled to Sault Ste. Marie Wednesday, August 8th, to complete a Community Exchange with officials from the City of Sault Ste. The Soo officials visited Boyne City all day on June 20th in the first part of the exchange. The first stop on Boyne's tour Wednesday was the Soo Locks, where they came across U.S. Senator Debbie Stabenaw, who was also visiting the locks.

Also joining the Community Exchange was State Senator John Damoose, who represents both Boyne City and Sault Ste. Marie. Here is the senator's Facebook post, which gives a good rundown of the highlights of the day-long visit to the Soo:

"Thank you to the members of the Boyne City and City of Sault Ste. Marie



Officials from Boyne City and Sault Ste. Marie at the Soo Locks. Photo by Jessica Puroll.

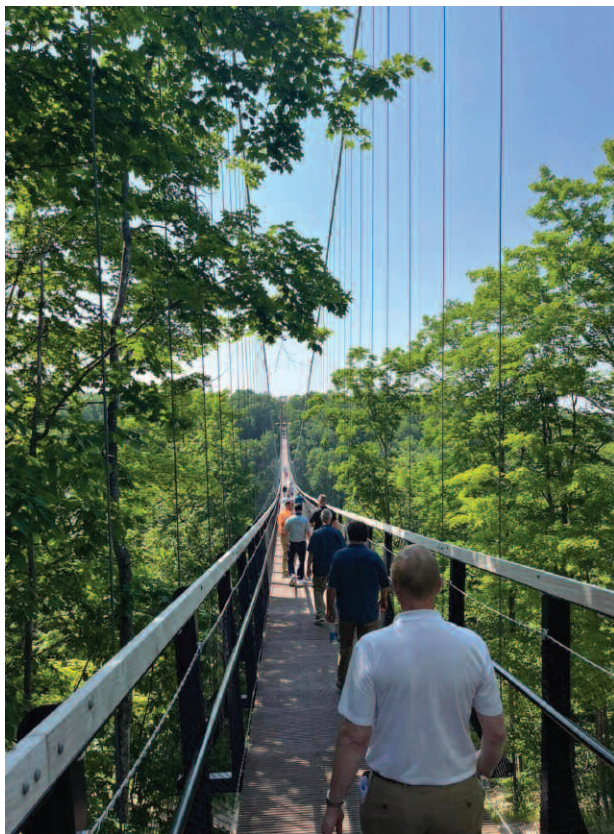
governments for inviting me to join your collaboration tour today. The new Soo lock that is under construction by the Army Corps of Engineers is quite

a feat... the City of Sault Ste. Marie Fire Department is doing unbelievable work... the River of History Museum is fascinating. The Center for Freshwater Research is an example of what we can accomplish up here... and of course, I am so proud to see the construction of the new Car-bide Dock after securing \$5 million in state funding!"
 "Our exchange with Sault Ste. Marie gave our elected officials and staff an opportunity to learn from and share with them on

many issues we have in common. I've already heard of a number of take-aways from the exchange that should be valuable to us going forward," said Boyne City Manager Mike Cain.

On June 20th, Boyne City officials hosted the first half of a Community Exchange with officials from the City of Sault Ste. Marie. The Soo officials arrived at City Hall at 9:30 a.m. and stayed until 10 p.m. They visited various city and

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Boyne and Soo officials cross Boyne Mountain's SkyBridge during a June visit to Boyne by Soo officials.. Photo by Jessica Puroll.



Officials from Boyne City and Sault Ste. Marie in front of Sault Ste. Marie City Hall. Photo by Jessica Puroll.

Charlevoix Summer Sidewalk Sales
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Charlevoix area merchants are pleased to once again offer hot summer deals at their annual end of summer sidewalk sales taking place Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 17, 18 & 19.

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weather forecast

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HIGH: 72 LOW: 55	HIGH: 72 LOW: 52	HIGH: 82 LOW: 63	HIGH: 83 LOW: 60	HIGH: 82 LOW: 60	HIGH: 84 LOW: 66	HIGH: 81 LOW: 58

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OBITUARIES

Delores Louise

Cornell, 88

(JULY 19, 1935 – AUG. 8, 2023)
CHARLEVOIX



Delores Louise Cornell of Charlevoix went to be with our Savior Tuesday, August 8, 2023, at Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

Born in Lansing, Michigan on July 19, 1935, she was the daughter of Charles and Winifred (Abbott) Adams. Delores grew up in Lansing, graduating from Lansing Sexton High School in 1953.

On March 7, 1953, Delores and Harry D. Cornell were united in marriage. They recently celebrated 70 years of marriage. They lived primarily in Portland, Michigan, where Delores was a homemaker and stay at home mom, raising four children. Later, after the children were older, she went to work as a bus driver at Portland Schools. In 1989 they moved north to Wolverine, and then to

Charlevoix in 2016.

Delores was a dedicated member of Hope Lutheran Church in Portland, and later at Hope Lutheran Church in Indian River.

When their family was young, she enjoyed family camping trips. She also enjoyed spending time outdoors, gardening, tending to her flowers, and watching butterflies and hummingbirds.

She was an accomplished crafter, painting often on ceramics and on wood crafts that Harry made, and she also enjoyed sewing.

Delores also loved music. She played organ for many years in their church, and she played the accordion, making the difficult to play instrument look so easy. She and Harry played in a band, the Maple Sugar Band, with several friends. They played in northern Michigan, often in and around Gaylord, in parades, senior residences and other places.

Delores was also an active member of the Northern Michigan Antique Flywheelers Club where she could be found working in the Pie Shack with the ladies and on stage playing her accordion with the Maple Sugar Band during the annual shows.

Delores is survived by Harry, her husband of 70 years; a brother, Lynn (Margie) Adams of Lansing; daughters, Lynette (Al) Grams of Charlevoix, MI, and Vicki (John) Reed of Lyons, MI; sons, Brian

(Kim) Cornell of Wenatchee, WA, and Kevin Cornell of Lyons, MI; grandchildren, Grant (Mason), Jacqueline (Jonathon), Chloie, Codee (Madison), Kevin Mitchell, Lindsay (Casey), Kreg (Kristen), Adam (Natalie), Kimber (Matt), Nick, Jim (Annette), Albert Jr., Jessica (Amanda), and Christopher (Jenni); 16 great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and a brother, Kenneth Adams.

Memorial service arrangements are pending and will be announced later. Those who wish are asked to consider memorial contributions to Hope Lutheran Church, 6193 South Straits Hwy, Indian River, MI 49749.

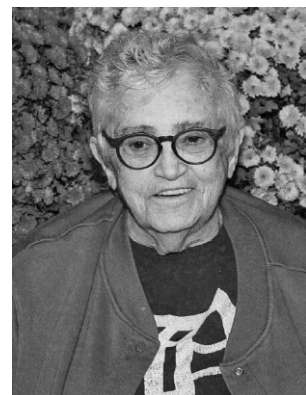
The family would like to thank the staff at Grandvue Medical Care Facility for the excellent care provided to Delores, and her family.

Arrangements are by Gaylord Community Funeral Home & Cremation Service. Please share your memories and personal messages with the family at www.gaylordfuneralhome.com/obituaries/delores-cornell

Phyllis J. (VanBelkum)

Rogers, 93

(JULY 24, 1930 – AUG. 12, 2023)
BOYNE CITY



Phyllis Joyce Rogers of Boyne City died August 12, 2023.

She was born on July 24, 1930, the only daughter of John and Johanna (Deverman) VanBelkum. She grew up in Grand Rapids and attended school in both Grand Rapids and Lansing.

On October 2, 1946, she married Robert Rogers. Over the years, Robert and Phyllis enjoyed many trips, including Florida and Mexico. They loved to travel. Robert was a talented musician, playing guitar and singing, and Phyllis loved to listen to his music.

She was a bartender at the Eagles in Boyne City for most of her life. She also was a proud supporter of the unions and was Union President for the UAW during her time at Allied. She will be remembered for her strong and stubborn ways but she was also tender and loving to those in her inner circle.

She is survived by her daughter, Nancy (the late Ron) Grubaugh; her six grandchildren, who were the pride and joy of her life; 13 great-grandchildren; 19 great-great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and her special friends Pagine and Boomer Lloyd.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Rogers; and her parents.

Her memorial service will be held on August 16, 2023 at the Eagles in Boyne City at 11:00 a.m. with a one-hour gathering prior to

the service. Pastor Ruthie Eaton will officiate. Burial will take place at a later time at Maple Lawn Cemetery where she will be laid to rest next to Robert.

Friends wishing to make a charitable donation to honor her life are asked to please consider the Alzheimer's Association (alz.org)

Grace Marie (King)

Zerbe, 78

(FEB. 9, 1945 – AUG. 7, 2023)
HAYES TOWNSHIP



Grace Marie Zerbe, an Odawa woman, walked on unexpectedly in her home on August 7, 2023. Grace was born on February 9, 1945, in Petoskey. She grew up with her family in Petoskey. She was the youngest of her siblings.

On August 5, 1966, she married the love of her life Leroy Bernie Zerbe in Detroit, Michigan, and enjoyed three children.

Grace was a member of Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians. She was a student at NCMC. Worked as a housekeeper at L'Arbre Roche. Worked at Victories Casino and Odawa Casino as a surveillance operator and retired as a surveillance supervisor. She also was on the Odawa Casino gaming regulatory commission. Grace spent much of her time with her children and family, whom she cherished. She always made sure her family spent time together. She enjoyed car rides, northern Michigan beaches, and being an Indigenous Odawa. In her spare time, she loved watching movies and having meals with her family. She was an advocate to learn the Anishinaabemowin with her family. She was a member of Greensky Hill Indian church.

Grace is survived by her daughter Dawn (Raymond) Shenoskey; Pauline (Matt) Boulton; daughter in law Patty Zerbe; grandchildren Raymond and Leroy (Abigail Nahdee) Shenoskey; Clint, Craig, and Alexander Boulton; Daniel, Gabriel, and Oginiihns Gracie-Jean Zerbe; Ninmkee Fox; Elizabeth Wesaw; sisters Alice May (King) Yellowbank, Delores Ann (King) Pierzynowski, Carol Jean (King) McFall; and nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

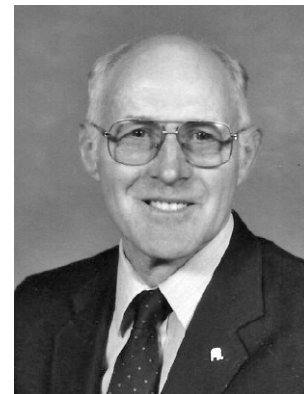
She was preceded in death by her husband Leroy in 1984; son Jeremy Leroy Zerbe in 2014; granddaughter Reona Lynn Zerbe; parents Alberta and William King; brothers William and Jesse King; and dog Kwe.

She will be missed dearly by her family. A funeral service will be held Friday, August 11, 2023 at Stone Funeral Home in Petoskey. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery in Petoskey and a luncheon to be held at Tribal Center 7500 Circle Drive, Petoskey, MI 49770. The funeral will

be officiated by Rev. Jonathan Mays, Greensky Hill Indian United Methodist Church.

John Wieland, 94

(SEPT. 11, 1928 – AUG. 7, 2023)
ELLSWORTH



John Richard Wieland, born September 11, 1928, died following a brief illness on August 7, 2023.

John lived and worked the family farm in Ellsworth most of his life. He saw many changes in his nearly 95 years; in 1938, he would see tractors edge out horsepower in the fields, and electricity came to the home that same year. He truly did walk two miles to school – in the snow – but admitted it wasn't uphill both ways! In the 1940's everyone learned to live without many things, including hired help, so John and his brother took turns going to school, with one staying home to help on the farm. After graduating high school, he spent two winters taking Ag Tech classes at MSU, which started a generational tradition of being a Spartan.

Literally over a cow, while competing in 4-H dairy judging, he met the love of his life, Doris VanDeventer, and on November 26, 1948 they were married. This marriage lasted 71 years.

Although farming and family were time consuming, John took on many other activities. He belonged to the local Lions Club, he served on the school board, became active in the Republican party, and was a member of the State Farm Bureau board. These activities led to travel for conventions and meetings across the country.

Eventually he learned to relax and spent time in sunny Florida. The winter trips became longer and after selling the Michigan property, Florida became their official residence. Golf became his new passion and his farm now consisted of a citrus tree in the back yard. John and Doris joined the aptly named FUN CHORUS, singing for nursing homes and putting on musicals, he was the much-loved president of the group. Florida became lonely after Doris passed away and John moved back to Northern Michigan in 2022. He never did get acclimated to the winter weather, but enjoyed the changing seasons for one last year.

~A Life Well Lived~ John is survived by three children, Kathleen Ruis (Joe Beaudoin), Landon Wieland, and Suzanne Cliff; a daughter-in-law, Joni Wieland (Griz Patenge); three grandchildren, Lori (Brian) Frohock, Josh Wieland, and Jamie (Ryan) Fischer; three great-grandchildren, Camden Frohock, Ella Frohock, and Brooklyn Fischer; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his beloved wife, Doris Wieland; his son, Daniel Wieland; his brother, Tom Wieland; his son-in-law, Marvin Ruis; and his daughter-in-law, Barbara Wieland.

A celebration of John's life will take place on Thursday, August 17 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Banks Township Hall. He will be laid to rest with Doris in Ellsworth Cemetery at a private family ceremony.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Front Porch Ministries or the Banks Township Historical Society.

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

Wendy J. Grahn, 64

(AUG. 14, 1958 – AUG. 11, 2023)
PETOSKEY



Wendy Jane Grahn was born on August 14, 1958, and grew up in Birmingham, Michigan. She moved to Charlevoix, Michigan in the 1990s, and retired to Petoskey, Michigan in 2015. She passed away peacefully on August 11, 2023, surrounded by family.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Elizabeth and Edwin Grahn, her sister, Margo LaGattuta, her brother, Jon Grahn, and her nephew, Peter Kocis. She is survived by her children, Elizabeth Grahn and Colin Campbell, her sister, Susan Boisoeneau, nephews Mark LaGattuta, Erik LaGattuta, Adam LaGattuta, and niece Emily Marx.

In keeping with her wishes, no public services will be held.

William J. Wingo, 58

(JULY 6, 1965 – AUG. 11, 2023)
PETOSKEY

William J. Wingo of Petoskey passed away on August 11, 2023.

He was born on July 6, 1965, in Boyne City, the son of Jack and Kathleen (Vincent) Wingo.

He enjoyed racing video games, computers, and sightseeing around northern Michigan, especially the Sleeping Bear Dunes.

Surviving are two children, Elora Wingo and Joseph Charlie as well as an uncle Charlie Vincent all of Charlevoix.

He was preceded in death by two brothers Jack and Terry Wingo and his parents.

The family will be holding a private Memorial Service with the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

Memorial contributions may be made to the family. Arrangements are in the care of the Charlevoix Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

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Owned by the same family for over 100 years, this wonderful walkout ranch style home features approximately 64 feet of frontage on Lake Charlevoix near East Jordan.

This four-bedroom two bath home has approximately 1,350 square feet of space on the main level plus a full walkout basement. Interior highlights include gorgeous lake views from the kitchen, dining and living room areas, spacious living room and three bedrooms on the main floor and more. The walkout basement features a large non-conforming bedroom, which would also make a great home office, hobby or media room, a bath plus lots of storage area. There is a two-car detached garage for keeping vehicles out of the weather as well as a shed for additional storage needs.

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TOP 10 HOME CLOSING CHECKLIST TIPS FOR SELLERS

It doesn't matter whether you are selling your home as a short sale or as a traditional seller, your checklist for home selling is identical. There are certain things on a home selling checklist that every responsible seller should do.

PART 1 OF 2

Closing Checklist Tip #1: Retain Executed Seller Disclosures, Purchase Contract and Addendums

Ideally, you will receive a complete closing package by your escrow officer or closing agent. But you could also find some of these documents scattered about in your car or at your office. Keep all of these documents in a safe place. It's conceivable you could need them again, especially if a bill was unpaid or the buyer challenges something and hires an attorney.

CLOSING CHECKLIST TIP #2: CLEAN THE HOUSE

If you don't have time to clean, hire a professional cleaning service. How clean to leave a house is often personal preference. It's not always necessary to shampoo the carpets, but that's a nice touch. This also means wipe down cabinets, inside and out. It doesn't hurt to make your last impression on the buyer a good one by polishing sink fixtures. Leave your home the way you, as a buyer, would like to find it.

CLOSING CHECKLIST TIP #3: TURN OFF SHUT-OFF VALVES

If you have disconnected a washer, for example, make sure the shut-off valve is completely turned off because a small drip, drip, can eventually flood a home. Some sellers shut off the valves to all water sources such as sinks, toilets and dishwashers, too. Leave a note for the buyers so they won't call a plumber when the water won't turn on.

CLOSING CHECKLIST TIP #4: ATTEND THE FINAL WALK-THROUGH

There are so many quirks that only a home seller knows, and you could pass on these tips to a new home buyer during the final walk-through. Things like which light switch operates the lights, whether a door sticks, or how to clean a swimming pool. I like to ask sellers what they always wanted to do for a home improvement project but never got around to doing.

CLOSING CHECKLIST TIP #5: CANCEL YOUR INSURANCE POLICIES

Wait until you know the deed has recorded or title transfer has formally occurred before you call your insurance agent. You should receive a refund from a prepaid premium for your homeowner's insurance.

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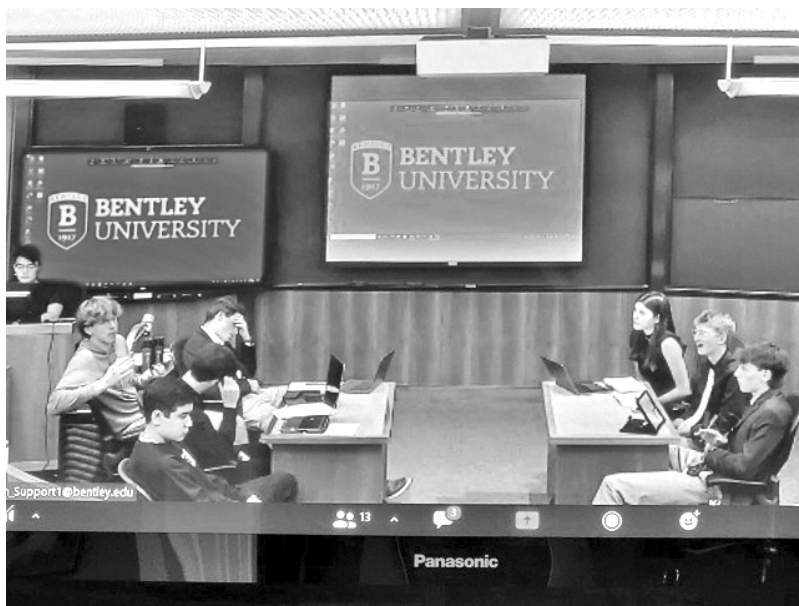
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Jürgen Griswold Summer Academic Scholarships:

ELLSWORTH - Jürgen Griswold is a rising senior at Ellsworth Community School, he has received six pre-college academic scholarships,

Including three prep scholars' programs, the QuestBridge Prep Scholars program. Jürgen was one of 3,518 students selected from a large pool of over 15,000 high school juniors based on academic excellence, personal qualities, and financial need.

With this program they invited him to attend the 2023 National College Admissions Conference at Northwestern University, ILL, and has a chance to become a candidate for the QuestBridge National College Match which would allow him to be recognized as a strong potential applicant by the programs 50 partners. If selected, students who match will receive a four-year scholarship. These educational programs have been a tremendous help in guiding Jürgen with his upcoming college admissions process.



The two additional preparation programs are the Matriculate and The STARS College Network (The Small Town and Rural Students (STARS) College Network) is dedicated to working with rural and small-town high school students to widen the pathways to higher education. The academic scholar-

ships that he received to attend the highly selective Pre-College courses include;

- * Bentley University's Wall Street 101
- * Northeastern University, Boston, MA, Accelerate Entrepreneurship Program
- * Vanderbilt University (WAVU) Pre-Law Program
- * Yale University's

Young Global Youth Scholars Literature, Philosophy, & Culture course. This program hosted students from 124 countries and was the first summer to return to session since the pandemic.

- * Brown University Introduction to Film Analysis
- * Carnegie Mellon University Music Scholarship,

30 students were accepted from a worldwide application pool.

Jürgen was also one of 100 students invited to a FLY-IN at Washington University, St. Louis, MO.

Applications for the pre colleges and scholarships for many of these programs open in the fall of the year, recipients receive acceptance confirmation

by late spring. Many of the top colleges offer several courses to choose from, this is a great opportunity for students to get a feel of college life and the rigor of classes prior to applying for college in their senior year. Jürgen would like to encourage Northern Michigan students to Dream Big and look into these opportunities.



The featured Flag briefly being flown at Boyne City Area Veterans Memorial.

Since 1818, a star for each new state has been added to the flag on the Fourth of July the year immediately following each state's admission. In years in which multiple states have been admitted, the corresponding number of stars were added to the flag. This change has typically been the only change made with each revision of the flag since 1777, with the exception of changes in 1795 and 1818, which increased the number of stripes to 15 and then returned it to 13, respectively. As the exact pattern of stars was not specified prior to 1912, many of the historical U.S. national flags have had varied arrangements of the stars. Our 23-star Flag came into existence on July 4th 1820 welcoming the states of Alabama and Maine to the USA. Becoming the first of four US Flags to fly for only two years before being outdated by the addition of more states.

Rally round the flag, boys—
Give it to the breeze!
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Let the traitors brag,
Gallant lads, fire away!
And fight for the flag.
Their flag is but a rag—
Ours is the true one;
Up with the Stars and Stripes!
with the new one!
Let our colors fly, boys—
Guard them day and night;
For victory is liberty,
And God will bless the right.

COMMUNITY LEADERS

RACHEL SYTSMA-REED

Developing Programs, Voices, And Community

BY JOHN KEYSER

Rachel Sytsma-Reed is a new member of Rotary. When I read her application and the wonderful things she is doing I knew I should meet her to write and highlight her as a very special community leader. Fortunately, this has worked out and I have to admit that I am inspired by her principles and activities!

Rachel grew up in Forest Hills, just south of Grand Rapids. She took a curvilinear, exploration-rich journey through school, studying various disciplines in a variety of colleges and universities from Indiana to Connecticut. Ultimately, Rachel obtained two Masters degrees and a Doctorate, integrating her loves of research science, education, and psychology.

Professionally, most of Rachel's life has been spent in academia. Her middle and high school teaching was in Forest Hills Public Schools (Grand Rapids), where she developed a high school gifted and talented program, Civic Action and Forum (a class for middle schoolers that explored social issues and taught students about the importance of perspective), and an experiential, extracurricular environmental Honors course (The Goodwillie Environmental Honors Seminar) for high school students that was integral in the establishment of the Goodwillie Environmental School. She also spent time as a consultant, evaluating and guiding school district pro-

gramming in both New England and Michigan.

Then, at Calvin University, Rachel was on faculty in the Education department, where she oversaw pre-service and student teachers and where she was principal investigator within a team of faculty scientists on a \$750,000 National Science Foundation grant she conceptualized and wrote that focused on how to develop scientific research skills and thinking among middle school students. What drove her direct work with students in these capacities was her desire to help develop independent, critical thinkers with the confidence to lead.

Charlevoix had been a summer retreat for her family, and when her Dad retired, her parents moved here full time. Seven years ago, Rachel and her family made their own permanent move to Charlevoix, where she tells me they've never been happier! Together with Julie Voci and Munson Charlevoix Hospital's Wellness Workshop, Rachel developed a community-based education program that focused on how to use plant-based nutrition in the prevention and treatment of chronic illnesses such as diabetes, heart disease, and cancer. As a member of Christ Episcopal Church, Rachel led Sparkle and Shine – a fundraiser to support Habitat for Humanity and the various and important work of the Episcopal Church Women. The relationships she forged through these community-centered efforts were as meaningful to her as they could ever could have been



RACHEL SYTSMA-REED

to those she hoped to serve. Her community work in Charlevoix underscored for her the significance of both the intellectual and emotional power of community connections and inter-generational learning.

The Great Lakes Center for the Arts (in Bay Harbor) approached her in late 2021 to consider applying her educational expertise within its Next Gen program. Rachel was struck by the mission of the Center and felt her work there would be more than a job – it felt like a mission to serve children and young people. She has now been at the Center since January, 2022, and serves as its Next Gen Director. In that role, Rachel oversees and is continuing to develop a summer Arts Management Internship Program for college students and recent graduates. But the main thrust of her work is collaboration with and service to educators and students from across Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet, and Otsego counties. Next Gen offers monthly performing arts matinees at the Cen-

ter, October through May, where she is proud to design opportunities for students that educate through the arts at no cost to the schools or students; next Gen programming is funded by the Center's generous family of donors and sponsors!

Rachel is excited to be creating programs for 2023-2024 that bring collaborative opportunities for other arts organizations in the area to engage in community-created, community-relevant, educationally impactful programming. As an educational Psychologist, Rachel understands the importance of helping educators and families attend to and develop students' social and emotional skills; she created the Human[kind] Cinema Series to help high schools meet the Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) standards to which Michigan has committed. Just this past Spring, Rachel applied her priorities of community service and inter-generational relationships through development of a Hearts to Arts program that connects residents of retirement communities and nursing homes to Dorothy Gerber Youth Orchestra concerts at the Center.

Rachel's goals as the Next Gen Director extend her passion for critical, independent thinking, social and emotional development, and service to others, themes to which she has committed over the years. At the Center, she sees the performing arts as a powerful tool to help students learn – both literally and metaphorically – to de-

velop their voices. Education helps all of us understand, and the performing arts provide each of us deeper awareness about perspective and strength of character.

In a rural area where many families don't have easy access to live, global culture, the arts – opera, dance, plays, musical theatre, and all forms of music – bring the world to our students. The insights the arts provide and the recognition of beauty they help develop last a lifetime. In a nutshell, that kind of mission is one Rachel is honored and thrilled to be involved in. Her hope is that the time she needs to take away from her three children is well spent providing an example to them about what community means and how and why we proactively care for each other.

From community service to connecting with community, Rachel is driven by people and their potential. She sees hope and empowerment and leadership opportunities for young people everywhere and is grateful to be able to use her diverse experiences and unexpected journeying for the education of students of all ages through her work and the relationships she is building as a very happy Charlevoix resident.

We are fortunate, really blessed, to have Rachel and her family in our community.

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Community Foundation Celebrates New President with Meet Your C3F Event

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation (C3F) formally celebrated their new President, Sara Ward, with their "Meet Your C3F" event on Thursday, August 3rd, at Veterans Park Pavilion in Boyne City, MI. This was an opportunity for the community to meet the staff, and even some of the board members, that are making a difference throughout Charlevoix County. The focus of the event was to introduce the community to the new C3F President, Sara Ward, as she shared her vision for the future.

When asked about the event, Ward shared, "Thank you to everyone who came out for our Meet Your C3F event. It was a joy to connect with each and every one of you and share some laughs, food and fun. It is our distinct pleasure to serve this community and we share this spotlight with our donors who make our work possible." Each year C3F makes grants to projects that support parks, trails, water quality, recreational opportunities, art, music, local history, youth projects, animal welfare, health care, public spaces, human services and so



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much more. This event was a way to celebrate those successes while looking toward the future.

Attendees of the event had the opportunity to nominate their favorite non-profit organization serving Charlevoix County in a drawing for a chance to win a \$500 grant. Congratulations to the Boyne City Pub-

lic School's Early Learners program for winning this award.

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 committee members and the youth advisory committee addresses issues related to youth in the community.

The Community Foundation accepts gifts of all sizes for many purposes. Those contributions are professionally managed to generate income that is used to make grants supporting

worth-while programs, projects, and initiatives right here at home. Currently, more than 325 separate funds make up the Community Foundation, each one created by an individual, family, business, or nonprofit organization. With current assets of \$55 million, the Community Foundation has made

grants totaling more than \$30 million since 1992.

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

St. Mary School Adds New Pre-K Program to its Early Learning Options and adds 8th grade to Middle School Program.

St. Mary School is pleased to announce an expansion to its successful preschool program with the addition of a true Pre-K program. With the realization that a "Young 5s Program" is lacking in our community, St. Mary School is eager to step up to fill this need. The intention with this new program is to bridge the gap from preschool to kindergarten for all students.

The St. Mary Preschool program will continue under the direction of lead teacher, Mrs. Amy Baldwin, while its new Pre-K (young 5s) program will be directed by Mrs. Lyndie Michanowicz.

In addition to its growth in programming for young students, St. Mary School is happy to announce an extension of the middle school program with the addition of an 8th grade. Principal Kathleen Dvoracek notes: "Continuing our classes through 8th grade allows us to focus on the spiritual and educational needs of students at this often-challenging time in their lives. Focusing on the needs of our students, with curriculum that teaches them to believe in the good that God has offered to each one of us, is very important. With this growth, our desire is to be able to offer sports programs as well!" The 7th/8th grade co-hort will be taught by Mrs. Lynn Prepejchal.

St. Mary School has been a pillar in the community since 1906, providing a well-rounded faith-based program to meet the needs of all students, following its mission to: "Empower students to grow spiritually, academically, creatively, and physically so that they may experience, understand, and live their responsibilities to God, family,



AMY BALDWIN - PRE-K



LYNDIE MICHANOWICZ - PRE-K

community, and self."

St. Mary Catholic School is a faith-based school that is open to both Catholic and non-Catholic families, welcoming students and families of all faiths. Registration is open for the 23/24 school year. If you are interested in learning more about what St. Mary School has to offer your child, please email principal@stmaryschoolchx.com or call 231-547-9441 for more information.



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school facilities plus local businesses including Lake Street Pub, Boyne Provisions, Boyne Mountain (where they all walked across the Skybridge), Precision Edge, and Van Dam Boats before finishing with dinner at Red Mesa Grill and dessert at Alpine Chocolat Haus.

Check the City Facebook Page for more pictures of the city tour.

Help Celebrate the Pool's 25th Anniversary!

BBQ PARTY
Sat, August 19, 3:00-5:30 PM

Charlevoix Lions Club Chicken Dinner \$15 ea -- Eat in or Take Out

Free Swim 1:00 - 3:00 PM (Limited Capacity)

Call to reserve and pay for dinners: 231-547-0982
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Charlevoix Area Community POOL Event at the pool: 11905 US 31 North, Charlevoix

Before heading back to school, LET'S CATCH UP ON ROUTINE VACCINES

Start the school year off right. Make sure your child is caught up on routine vaccines. Talk to their doctor today.

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Summer concerts Thursday nights in East Park at the Odmark Performance Pavilion in downtown. August 17 - The Real Ingredients. 7pm
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PETOSKEY MOVIE IN THE PARK AT DARK

Grab your blankets for the Movie in the Park at Dark. Every Friday night through August 18, Downtown Petoskey will host a movie on our huge inflatable movie screen in Pennsylvania Park.
Aug. 18 - The Super Mario Bros. Movie
Sponsors: Grandpa Shorter's Gifts, Wolverine Cabinet Co., Great Lakes Orthodontics, Murdick's, Fox and Hound, Musik Haus, Bearcub Outfitters, Northgoods, Meyer Ace Hardware, Petoskey District Library.

CHARLEVOIX SUMMERTIME MUSIC AT THE CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC LIBRARY

SummerFolk Concert Series:
September 11th: Jack & Gary Jazz at the Library (JATL)
August 9th: Little Big Band
August 16th: Family & Friends

PETOSKEY SOUNDS OF SUMMER

Blissfest Music Organization and Downtown Petoskey bring you Sounds of Summer. Enjoy live tunes in Pennsylvania Park Friday nights from July 14th through August 18th! Beginning at 7 pm these free concerts will get you grooving all summer long. Grab yourself take out or a drink from one of our Social District bars and restaurants and bring your blanket and chairs and enjoy the Sounds of Summer concert series.
August 18 - Al Bettis (Smooth Indie Soul)

BOYNE FALLS BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

The Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce is hosting BAH at Springbrook Farms, 089 N. Springbrook Rd. Boyne Falls on Thursday, August 17. 5:30 - 7pm. Appetizers provided by Boyne River Grill.

PETOSKEY SUMMER SENDOFF

Celebrating Community through Craft. Raise a glass to another great summer in Downtown Petoskey. In collaboration with Beards Brewery, come celebrate the Summer Sendoff on Friday, August 18 and Saturday,

August 19. Multiple concerts in the park, Movie in the Park at Dark, the Great Lakes Brass Band, street games, community partner tents, the Charlie Millard Band and more.

BOYNE FALLS FUNDRAISER FOR KIERSTEN'S RIDE

Creating communities that are safer from suicide requires teamwork. Please join us for our 11th Annual Fundraiser for Kiersten's Ride on August 19 at Chandler Hill Campground, Boyne Falls. Join our mission and help us continue this life-saving work. You can participate in many ways, so choose which suits you best! You can register (horse-back ride, bike trail ride, walk, or ORV ride)... attend in person; donate; or sponsor a participant online. There will also be a lunch, prizes, and a fantastic raffle. NOTE: We'd love you to share this information with others who may be interested. However, please ensure you send the direct link to those you share the trainings with; they need the url so that their registration goes under their email address (and not yours): www.eventbrite.com/e/615709793567

CHARLEVOIX CHARLEVOIX POOL HOSTS BBQ ON AUGUST 19

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool is celebrating its 25th anniversary with a BBQ on Saturday, August 19, from 3-5 pm, at the pool. Enjoy a grilled chicken dinner prepared by the Charlevoix Lions Club for \$15 each. Includes a half chicken, chips, coleslaw, drink and chocolate covered cherries donated by Cherry Republic. Onsite seating or take out. Free swim offered from 1-3 pm. Reservations requested by Aug 9: 231-547-0982. Walkins are welcome. www.charlevoixpool.org.

ELLSWORTH CONCERTS

Concerts on the Ellsworth Community Square every Wednesday Night—7 p.m.

EAST JORDAN MEET UP, EAT UP

Meet up and Eat up at East Jordan Elementary school. Lunch and breakfast are served daily Monday through Thursday. Breakfast is at 8:30 AM till 9 AM and lunch 11 AM to 12 PM. Free for anyone 18 and under.

MACKINAW CITY CORVETTE CROSSROADS

Registration for the 34th Annual Corvette Crossroads Auto Show is Now Open. Saturday, August 26th, hundreds of Corvettes will be on display in downtown Mackinaw City at its NEW location in the parking lot of the Straits State Harbor on South Huron Ave. from 10:00 am until 3:00 pm.

GAYLORD CONCERT

Join us on August 29th at 7pm for the Best of the Collingsworth Family Fall Tour at the E-Free Church, 1649 M-32 East. Tickets are only \$25 for general admission, \$45 for Gold Circle, and \$55 for Artist Circle. Make your plans now, it's going to be epic. Get tickets online at www.itickets.com/events/473256?af=f=BIT.

BOYNE CITY LABOR DAY WEEKEND CAR SHOW

The Labor Day Weekend Car Show will be on September

1&2 this year. On Friday, September 1, look for classic cars to be lined up in the 100 and 200 blocks of Water St from 6pm-9pm during Stroll The Streets. There is no registration or fee to display cars on Friday night. Everyone is welcome to bring their cars down, listen to the live music, and enjoy a great night with other car enthusiasts.

CHARLEVOIX CELEBRATING THE WORK OF LOCAL ARTIST AND ARCHITECT HANS WIEMER

In memoriam, please join us in celebrating the work of local artist and architect Hans Wiemer, on display in the Charlevoix Circle of Arts' Norman Brumm Artist Reference Library from August 21 to September 2.

MACKINAW CITY & ST. IGNACE MACKINAC BRIDGE WALK

The Labor Day bridge walk is Monday, Sept. 4. The bridge walk has been an annual event since 1958, with the exception of 2020. The 2023 walk will be the 65th event. Between 20,000 and 30,000 people have participated in recent years; 26,000 participated in the 2022 event.

BOYNE CITY STROLL THE STREETS

Music, art, and downtown store deals fill the streets every Friday night through the summer 6-9pm. Sponsored by Boyne City Main Street.

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HHW EVENT

Sept. 8, 5-8pm, Sept. 9, 9am - 1pm. Charlevoix County Recycling Program will begin accepting phone reservations by calling 231-547-0080 starting Tuesday, September 5th through Friday, September 8th between 8am-3pm. Please only leave one message as we will return calls in the order they are received. You can also schedule an appointment on-line by using the link located on our website. The link will be uploaded approximately 2 weeks prior to the event. Location will be given out when scheduling reservation. For more information, please visit: www.charlevoixcounty.org/recycling

BOYNE CITY ARCHERY RANGE

The Archery Range on the back side of Avalanche Park is set up with 25 targets ready for public use. The entrance to the Archery Range is off of Pleasant Avenue. Thanks to Barney Hess for setting up the targets as he has done for several years

EAST JORDAN BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

September 21 at EJ Historical Museum at City Hall, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING

Wednesday night dinners run every Wednesday through September 27. Dinner is served from 5p-6p. Centers are open from 2p-7p those Wednesday and there is NO lunch served that day.

BOYNE CITY HARVEST FESTIVAL

Sept. 30 in downtown Boyne City. 9am - 3pm. Expanded farmers mar-

ket, crafts, retail and non-profit booths and family games and activities.

BOYNE CITY FREE CLINIC

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

EAST JORDAN BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

October 19 at the Depot Jordan Valley Teen Center, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY CASH RAFFLE

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce, Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce, and East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce serve this function for Charlevoix County, energizing the County and encouraging economic activity throughout the region. One lucky Chamber Champion will win \$10,000 CASH! Additionally, two lucky Chamber Champions will win either \$2,000 or \$1,000 Cash! Drawing will take place on November 3rd at Castle Farms and will be livestreamed on the Chambers' Facebook page. Only 400 tickets are being offered for purchase at \$100.00 each. To purchase a ticket, call Charlevoix Area Chamber at 231-547-2101, East Jordan Area Chamber at 231-536-7351 or Boyne Area Chamber at 231-582-6222

EAST JORDAN FARMERS MARKET

The East Jordan Farmers Market is every Thursday. Hours 10am - 2pm at the East Jordan Tourist Park.

BOYNE CITY FARMERS MARKET

Every Saturday at Veterans Park, 8am - Noon. Fresh produce, live music, local artwork, artisan food, kids corner and more.

CHARLEVOIX FARMERS MARKET

The Farmers market is now open for the season every Thursday from 8AM - 1PM on Bridge Street, downtown Charlevoix

NORTHERN MICHIGAN CHILD CARE PROGRAM

The MI Tri-Share Child Care Program help companies retain their employees by participating and pay 1/3 of the cost of childcare, the OCEA (Grant from the State of MI) pays 1/3, leaving the parent only to pay 1/3 of the childcare cost. We are looking for smaller businesses that want to help their employees. Right now, some of the companies participating are Treetops Resort, Albies Foods, Gaylor Insurance. We can help self-employed families by paying 1/3 of cost. They would be responsible for 2/3 of the cost. Non-Profits can participate with this program to help their employees. For more information call 989-731-7510 or email Brandy@Gaylord-Otsego.com

EAST JORDAN TEEN CENTER

The Depot Teen Center Located in the Teen Zone at 214 Main St. Serving 6th-12th Graders throughout Northern Michigan Wednesdays & Fridays after school until 6pm. EJDepot.org. (231) 222-2224. DepotJVTeenCenter@gmail.com

CHARLEVOIX

Hospice of Northwest Michigan invites you to join our Monthly adult grief, loss & bereavement support group, which takes place the 2nd Sunday of each month from 4-5pm at the First Baptist Church, 6781 M66 North. This program is open to

Postpartum doula training coming to Boyne City in October 2023

The four-day training will run 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Oct. 13-16, 2023



The Great Start Collaborative of Charlevoix, Emmet, and Northern Antrim Counties is launching the second phase of its doula initiative: postpartum training.

The collaborative has worked over the last year to bring doula training to Northern Michigan, decreasing obstacles for those wishing to become professional doulas and filling a growing need for doula services, which are now covered by Michigan Medicaid in addition to private insurance and private payment.

The new four-day postpartum training will prepare participants to serve postpartum people and their immediate family in the six months following pregnancy, labor and delivery, said Savannah Cool, collaborative director.

Cool said that upon completion, participants will be DONA International trained postpartum doulas and will have received the training and education necessary to become Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) certified doulas. After receiving MDHHS certification, doulas will be able to begin the process of enrolling with Medicaid Health Plans which will allow them to receive reimbursement from Michigan Medicaid for services provided to Medicaid recipients.

"With each new family members comes a significant point of transition. Whether stepping into parenthood for the first time, or adjusting to parenting multiple children, the early postpartum period is a vital time for bonding and healing," said Cool. "Families are strengthened when they are supported in this transition, helping balance the load, and having a safe space to share successes, struggles, or concerns as they lean into their new roles and new identities. Parents deserve support, and postpartum doulas are prepared to provide it."

The four-day training will run 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Oct. 13-16, 2023, and full participation and attendance are required. The cost of attendance is \$760. With financial support from Hestia Women's Giving Circle and the Petoskey-Harbor

Participants in the spring doula training, held in Boyne City, became certified doulas upon successful completion of the course. The next step in local training is for postpartum doula care.

Springs Area Community Foundation, financial scholarships may be available to those facing financial barriers.

"Countless scientific trials examining doula care demonstrate remarkably improved physical and psychological outcomes for both pregnant, birthing, and postpartum people and their baby," said Cool. "Doula services have been shown to positively impact social determinants of health, support birth equity, and decrease existing health and racial disparities. Doulas have a positive impact on the well-being of the entire family."

If you are interested in registering for the doula training; would like to learn more about the training; are interested in applying for financial assistance; or would like to learn more about Michigan's coverage of doula services, visit: <https://greatstartcollaborative.org/events-training>

WHAT IS A DOULA?

Doulas are non-clinical, trained professionals who provide physical, emotional, and informational support to pregnant individuals during the prenatal, labor and delivery, and postpartum periods helping them achieve the healthiest, most satisfying experience possible. Countless scientific trials examining doula care demonstrate remarkably improved physical and psychological outcomes for both pregnant, birthing, and postpartum people and their baby. In addition, doula services have been shown to positively impact social determinants of health, support birth equity, and decrease existing health and racial disparities. Doulas can have a positive impact on the well-being of the entire family.

EAST JORDAN CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

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

anyone in our community looking for assistance in their grief process and is facilitated by Rev. David Behling. There is no charge to attend. Please feel free to call Hospice at 231-547-7659 to register or for more information.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

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At the tip of Lake Charlevoix's South Arm, the East Jordan Municipal Harbor has captured the attention of more than just boaters. Located only one block off Main Street, the Municipal Harbor is within walking distance to local restaurants and friendly shops. Memorial Park which is part of the marina has picnic tables, grills and public restrooms. A band shell was constructed in 2005 which has enter-

tainment most weekends throughout the summer. The Municipal Harbor offers 27 seasonal boat slips, 27 transient boat slips, shopping docks, full-service Midgrade (87 Octane) and Premium non ethanol (91 octane); both have Valvteq Marine fuel additive, pump-out station, ice and restrooms. Shower facilities are available for seasonal and transient slip holders.

For more information call 231-536-2166

19 watershed organizations share \$600,000 in EGLE conservation, education grants

Next request for proposals to be available soon

The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) today announced 19 grants totaling approximately \$600,000 for projects that will support watershed organizations with conservation and educational efforts.

The Watershed Council Support grants are funded under Michigan's Public Act 166 of 2022. Grants are limited to \$40,000 per applicant, and the projects will be completed within a year of receiving the grants.

Among the activities

funded are organizational and administrative support for watershed organizations; and outreach and educational activities for a variety of watershed issues including new efforts for underrepresented audiences, installing best management practices to control nonpoint sources of pollution, developing watershed management plan elements, water quality and aquatic life monitoring, assessment of environmental justice issues and audiences, and desktop and field inventories of nonpoint

sources of pollution.

Michigan-based organizations and projects selected to receive funding:

- **Adrian: River Raisin Watershed Council, \$39,940.**
- **Allegan: Allegan Conservation District, \$40,000.**
- **Alma: Healthy Pine River, \$31,400.**
- **Beulah: Benzie Conservation District, \$32,338.**
- **Big Rapids: Muskegon River Watershed Assembly, \$25,729.**
- **Camden: Little Long Lake IN-MI Watershed Association, Inc., \$12,750.**
- **Gaylord: Huron Pines,**

\$12,000.

- **Grand Rapids: Kent Conservation District, \$40,000.**
- **Hancock: Copper County ISD/Lake Superior Stewardship Initiative, \$39,419.**
- **Harbor Springs: Great Lakes Stewardship Initiative, \$39,955.**
- **Kalamazoo: Kalamazoo River Watershed Council, \$39,931.**
- **Marquette: Superior Watershed Partnership, \$40,000.**
- **Petoskey: Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council,**

\$39,850.

- **Plymouth: Friends of the Rouge, \$39,987.**
- **Rochester Hills: Clinton River Watershed Council, \$18,750.**
- **Saginaw: Saginaw Conservation District, \$16,075.**
- **Saginaw: Saginaw County Health Department, \$19,960.**
- **Taylor: Friends of the Detroit River, \$39,988.**
- **Twin Lake: Muskegon Conservation District, \$36,711.**

A total of 52 applications requesting over \$1.8 million were received in response to

the request for proposals.

The grants are issued by EGLE's Nonpoint Source (NPS) Program, which helps local stakeholders reduce pollution and excess runoff by supporting efforts to develop and launch watershed management plans. The NPS program typically issues three requests for proposals each year with the next available later this month. It will be posted at Michigan.gov/NPS.

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Popular Charlevoix Restaurant Changes Hands: Wineguys Adds Jax Northside to the Collection

Jax Northside Food & Spirits was recently purchased by Wineguys Restaurant Group of Petoskey. The Charlevoix location is the fourth Wineguys acquisition and the first outside of Petoskey. (Petoskey's City Park Grill, Roast & Toast, and Palette are all Wineguys eateries.)

Generous seating includes a spacious dining room, sports-style bar, enclosed porch, and umbrella-covered patio. The menu is creative American with a nod to current trends, including ribs and steaks; John Cross whitefish and salmon; a selection of 1/2-pound specialty burgers; inventive sandwiches alongside the standard favorites; and a really standout salad bar. Like all Wineguys properties, ingredients are fresh and locally sourced, whenever possible.

The building itself has had a long life, starting out as an indoor roller rink, with a smooth white maple floor, considered the finest and largest in northern Michigan. (Roller skating started as a national fad way back in the 1860's, though its origin story begins in France, circa 1743.) Sometime later the building was named Moonlight Gardens, for dining and dancing.

"The building has been a landmark for as long as anyone can remember," shares Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Executive Director, Sarah Van Horn. "It's always an exciting time to see the passing of a torch to new restaurateurs. We're happy for Strands as they move on and welcome Wineguys Restaurant Group to Charlevoix. This location is a crucial one for the greater Charlevoix area, as it maintains the restaurant scene on the north side for City and township residents and those visiting nearby hotels. We are pleased that it will continue to function as a gathering place."

Starting in 1965, the site began a decades-long run, under different owners and names, as a successful restaurant, bar and entertainment venue. The last owners, Patty and Jack Strand, purchased it in December 2017 and did a complete renovation and menu upgrade. Under their ownership, Jax was popular with year-round and seasonal residents, travelers,



and golfers. (Jax is adjacent to the 6th green of the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course.) Planning their well-deserved retirement, the couple sought a buyer who would understand and maintain their vision. "We were looking for a smooth transition that would be supportive of the loyal customer base we had developed over the years," explains Patty Strand. "Wineguys Restaurant Group was the right fit."

Patrons of Jax will recognize the same familiar faces. In fact, maintaining the existing staff was an important component of the sale. Wineguys has always been committed to the importance of staffing in their Petoskey venues, and they are pleased that nearly the entire crew, including chef Rosie and bar manager Roxie, will be on hand to welcome their regular customers as well as new patrons.

Wineguys looks forward to serving Charlevoix patrons and developing its own history within the Jax tradition. "Jax Northside really fits in well with the Wineguys ethos: good food and interesting wines and bar selections, all at affordable prices, in a comfortable setting," shares Joe Keedy, Wineguys Restaurant Group partner.

Find Jax at 757 Petoskey Ave, Charlevoix, MI 49720, online at jaxchx.com, and on Facebook at facebook.com/jaxcharlevoix. For reservations, call 231.437.6400.

For more information about Wineguys Restaurant Group and other eateries within their collection, visit wineguysgroup.com online or call 231-347-0101.

Boyne City Kiwanis Host 41st Labor Day Weekend Car show

Boyne city Kiwanis are pleased to be hosting the 41st Labor Day Weekend Car Show. The Labor Day Weekend Car Show was begun in 1982 when a group of local car enthusiasts started a car show on the shores of beautiful Lake Charlevoix. It continues to be a day full of fun, cars, music, and friendship.

The Labor Day Weekend Car Show will be on September 1&2 this year. On Friday, September 1, look for classic cars to be lined up in the 100 and 200 blocks of Water St from 6pm-9pm during Stroll The Streets. There is no registration or fee to display cars on Friday night. Everyone is welcome to bring their cars down, listen to the live music, and enjoy a great night with other car enthusiasts.

On Saturday, September



2, the judged Car Show will take place in Veteran's Park, 207 N lake St. Registration will open at 8am, judging will begin at 10am, and prizes will be announced approximately 3pm. There is a \$20 pre-registration fee which will be available through 9pm Friday night. On Saturday, registration will be \$25.

There will be 18 judged classes. Boyne City Kiwanis

is fortunate to have a great group of volunteers who are willing to donate their time as amateur judges. Plaques will be awarded to the first-place winners in each class. There will be 3 additional non-judged categories, including the Percy Stowe Memorial Award.

Throughout the day on Saturday, we will have music and door prizes.

There will also be a chance for spectator participation with voting for Kid's Choice and People's Choice awards until 1pm.

Coffee and doughnuts will be available for purchase in the morning, and BC Pizza will have their food truck on sight for lunch.

Boyne City Kiwanis Club is a diverse group of Boyne area citizens who care deeply about the health and education of our area's youth, as well as children around the world. Kiwanis started in Detroit in 1915 and has spread to over 80 countries.

Proceeds of the Boyne City Kiwanis Labor Day Weekend Car show will benefit the youth of the Boyne City area and the world.

For more information call 231.675.2492.

LEADERSHIP

Our Responsibilities To Our Team Members

BY JOHN KEYSER

Problems and situations involving conflict and difficult employees are often ignored and not addressed. One of my "go to" books is *Fierce Conversations* by Susan Scott. She offers that stress does not come from the problem, it comes from continuing to face that problem. So true, so many managers do not "man up" and address a difficult issue and they avoid the difficult conversation. Actually, we should probably say they need to "woman up" as, in general, women are less tolerant than men at accepting unethical or inappropriate behavior.

There is a basic leadership principle, that "Managers focus on numbers, leaders focus on their people". Of course, leaders have to achieve their goals, certainly, and they realize it's their people who

achieve their results, and a happy, energized team will do their very best.

Business owners and leaders must be servant leaders, they serve their team members, genuinely care about their team members any everyone in their business or organization.

Significance of one-on-one conversations

People need to feel appreciated and valued, that they are heard, and that their ideas matter. And that means conversations, not simply emails or texts. It means being with our people, to ask:

How are they doing?
What do they need?
How can we help?

What are they learning from our customers?
What are their ideas?
What advice do they have for us?

If we ask these and similar purposeful questions and listen appreciatively with an open-mind, we will gain a wealth of rich, helpful information – and our team members will feel appreciated and heard.

Again, realizing that our team members need to feel

that they are important, we want to demonstrate that they and their work matter to us by responding as quickly as possible to their calls, voice messages, emails, and texts.

Responsiveness and timeliness

Responsiveness and timeliness mean a great deal to our people, and it is just the opposite if we are not. Our people will feel we don't about care about them. We hear that frequently in facilitating leadership assessments.

Sure, we are all busy, yet it is our responsibility to respond, even if "I am in meetings or dealing with an issue, will be back to you as soon as I can, or definitely by the morning."

Addressing problems promptly

Regardless of whether we are conflict avoidant, as many of us are, it is our responsibility as a leader to tackle the difficult situations and people.

There is an art to having the difficult conversations. We must learn the art. There are plenty of resources, e.g., books, arti-

cles, TED Talks, and coaches. Unaddressed issues will likely continue, will increase and cause even more stress and unhappiness – for us, and more importantly, for our people.

Key to highly effective leadership is focusing on our people and their well-being.

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

Notice Of Public Comment Period On Proposed Fy 2024 Community Services Block Grant (CsbG) Plan

August 10, 2023 - The Northwest Michigan Community Action Agency, Inc. will accept public comments as required by the Michigan Department of Health & Human Services CSBG Plan for FY 2024. Public Comments will be accepted on the CSBG FY 2024 proposed plan from August 10, 2023 through

August 24, 2023.

The plan summary is as follows: A total of \$629,198 is planned to be utilized in the counties of Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Missaukee, Roscommon, and Wexford for the general purposes of anti-poverty programming for low-in-

come citizens to include but not be limited to: Senior Nutrition, Financial Management and Education, Emergency Services, Food Programs, Housing Rehabilitation and Weatherization. Persons or organizations wanting to comment on or review the proposed plan should contact Tish Stave between the

hours of 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M., Monday through Friday at 231-947-3780. Materials are available in alternative formats by calling 231-947-3780 (voice or TDD). These formats can be provided if notification is given one week in advance.

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HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS



Newly named Boyne Falls athletic director Matt Bolinger is pictured here coaching the Wolverine girls basketball team last winter. photo by Ben Murphy

Longtime Wolverine A.D. Matt Bolinger takes over at Boyne Falls

BY BEN MURPHY

New Boyne Falls athletic director Matt Bolinger has quite the long list of experience. In his 10 year stint at Wolverine as their A.D., he was either a head or an assistant coach in many sports. The 1997 Wolverine graduate has also been a bus driver the last five years, often taking teams to their events.

"It was difficult (to leave Wolverine) but when I went into the A.D. job, I was up front with everybody that my goal was 10 years," Bolinger said. "I knew that when I started there was a two year average nationally and I thought that I should be able to make it 10 years as long as I did a good enough job that they would keep me around. That was before I knew what I was getting into."

What Bolinger was getting into was his start of his time as an A.D. who wore many hats. By his first winter at the school, due to a bit of unforeseen circumstances, he was coaching the girls varsity basketball team and the JV boys basketball team.

"They tell you when you become an A.D. that if you aren't coaching already, don't start that first year," he said. "Between the JV boys, varsity girls and elementary basketball on weekends, I lived in the gym; but the kids enjoyed it and we got through it. I had

more buy in from the other coaches at that point because they saw what I was willing to do for the kids."

It didn't stop there either. Bolinger also coached the cross country team for many years. He coached JV, varsity and middle school volleyball. He was the head baseball coach and he has also been an assistant with the softball team. To top it all off, he also had an influential hand in Wolverine's short lived football program in 2018 and 2019.

But for Bolinger, it was all worth it.

"I had some goals, being a small school, Wolverine didn't have an athletic department run like (bigger schools)," he said. "I felt the kids deserved an athletic department that looked like an athletic department, even if that meant sacrificing a lot of my time that I wouldn't see a monetary gain for. I put the time in whether I got paid or not because I felt the kids deserved it. Knowing the coaches that I had and the A.D. I had growing up I knew they gave a lot and I wanted to follow in their footsteps as an example for the next generation."

And as for his stint driving the big yellow busses the last five years? That is an interesting story as well.

"Like a lot of small schools, they were having a hard time finding bus drivers, let alone drivers that would do the after school driving," Bolinger said. "One of the things I did as

an A.D. was I didn't just manage the home games, I went to most of the away games. So, the approach to me was, 'hey have you ever thought about driving the bus, you go to everything anyways.' That is how it started. I went and did my bus driving training in October and November and by December I was driving the bus to games."

It didn't end with that however.

"By January they needed a route driver," Bolinger, who was also a parapro at the school the last three years said. "That got challenging, driving in the morning and afternoon. I would go run the route, then run my practice or go out on my route and then load the kids up for a game. That made for some long days."

The move to Boyne Falls does many things for Bolinger. He will be the athletic director, a parapro and transportation director. It also keeps him close to his hometown Wolverine, and keeps him at a Northern Lakes Conference school; the athletic league that he has been president of the last five years.

"One of the good things is Boyne Falls is similar to Wolverine in size, it is a little smaller but growing," Bolinger said. "It is a similar community in how they value athletics. They still put academics ahead of athletics but they want their athletes to present the community in a positive light,

the same way Wolverine did."

Bolinger added that he might get back into coaching as well; but at the moment there are no open positions. Having been a cross country runner in high school and longtime coach of the sport, he hopes to see that team return to Boyne Falls as well.

"I get to the (interview) and one of the questions was, 'what would you think about restarting cross country at Boyne Falls,'" he said. "They approached the question before I could even get to it. I said I would love to. It may not happen this year, but we are looking forward to the start of a cross country team, by next fall for sure."

The recently married Bolinger is not only excited for his new gig at Boyne Falls, but also feels good about what he accomplished at his former school.

"I think I was ready, because I told myself that 10 years should be enough," he said. "If I hadn't put a number on it, it might have been more difficult and also my personal life was moving in a different direction. I think I left them in good hands. (New Wolverine A.D.) Doug Tippet was a principal when I started there and he has a good heart for the kids."

FOOTBALL

Charlevoix Rayder Football 2023

Join us Friday, August 25th

BY JOHN KEYSER

Charlevoix High School's girl's and boy's athletic teams have achieved some good of success as of late including baseball (which had an exceptional season), soccer (which we feel was robbed of a playoff spot by a bad call at the end of regulation time of the final game), wrestling, track and cross country.

We can certainly be proud of our football team. The Rayders have qualified for the Michigan High School Athletic Association (MHSAA) playoffs each of the last four seasons.

Last season's football success was achieved with only four seniors, so there's plenty of reason for optimism about this coming campaign. Last year's squad boasted many talented sophomore and junior players who formed a foundation for success.

The Rayders host perennial power Traverse City St. Francis in the Friday, August 25 season opener at Kipke Field. St. Francis claims five state title banners, have failed to qualify for the post-season once in the 30+ years modern playoff era.

While St. Francis is in a league above ours, our head coach, Don Jess, secured a contest with them to open our season, at home on Kirpe Field on May Street, 7 pm. Coach Jess wants our players to see firsthand what very good is, and, as the quote goes, "If you want to be the best, you have to beat the best."

Our committed and hard-working core of young athletes definitely benefit from our coaching staff, which is focused on football as a pathway to life success. Jess is quick to recognize his admiration and appreciation for our program's assistant coaches, from Pop Warner to middle school to junior varsity to varsity. This staff consistently preaches the program's three core values:

Always have a great attitude

Always give great effort

And above all else, be a good person

Our Rayder team is talented and hungry, and

most importantly, this group is tight-knit. They root for one another's success, in addition to team achievements. It doesn't matter who catches the pass, makes the tackle, or scores the touchdown. They each play their very best and challenge one another to contribute their best, as well.

I encourage everyone to attend the August 25 opener and support the team as we host the St. Francis. Again, kickoff is at 7 pm. Shoot to arrive about 6:30 or so to allow time for parking and to cross over to our home stands.

Even if you are not an avid football fan, you'll enjoy the excitement. Just as the Venetian Festival is a celebration of Charlevoix, so are our student-athletes.

Wouldn't it be terrific if everyone – all of us fortunate enough to live in our beautiful Charlevoix – were seated in the stands when our team takes the field? Our young athletes deserve nothing less, and those in attendance will be treated to some excellent football. Note: this game is before our school year begins, so we probably won't enjoy our Charlevoix marching band.

Attending the games to have fun, support our players, and celebrate Charlevoix? Let's hope so! Go Rayders!

Here is a pre-season roster of our team members.

Brendan Anderson
Jackson Crouse
Henry Herzog
Emmit Feiter
Bryce Johnson
David Gray
Ben Matter
Brady Jess
Troy Nickel
Hunter Lemerand
Joshua Schultz
Micah Richards
George Sheets
Ryan Pearl
Adam Streeter
Aldan Speigl
Trevor Streeter
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VOLLEYBALL

Boyne City volleyball sees Tyla Coates take over as head coach

BY BEN MURPHY

The Boyne City volleyball team has a new coach this season in Tyla Coates. However, she has been around the program the last three years, one as an eighth grade coach and two as the JV coach. She will have to replace four seniors from last year's team, but should have a talented cast to do so.

"This year's team is strong, almost every girl on the team is capable of playing every position," Coates said. "We don't have height but we have great attackers who can jump. The team as a whole gets along so well. The mentality in every girl is top-tier. I believe this team will get far this season. The main goals we will be focusing on are with serving and serve receive. Ava Tarsi will be coming out strong this year and does a great job leading the group to get everyone there."

Coming back to the team will be seniors Ava Tarsi (setter, all-regional), Brianna Ager (right side, defensive specialist), Eliana Michael (defensive specialist), Aubrey Burns (libero), Sawyer Cadarette (middle) and junior Elly Wilcox (outside hitter).

New to the team will be seniors Mauren Hautz (back row), Ella Doumanian (back row) and juniors Hailey Vanhorn (right side), Katelyn Dittmar (right side), Morgan Erickson (back row), Ava Snyder (outside), Amelia Duncan (middle), Josie Wilson (outside) and Addie Patton (back row).

"Serving and serve receive have been huge

(focus so far)," Coates said. "Once we can dominate in those areas we will be all set. Practicing a lot of offensive plays as well. We need to have a good mentality winning or losing. No one wants to lose but when we get in that position our performance decreases. Staying consistent throughout the season is huge too. It only goes up from here."

The Lady Ramblers also have some teams they feel they have to look out for; some in conference and one not.

"St. Francis is always a huge competitor for us," Coates said.

"Charlevoix as a rival we always want to come out and beat them. Elk Rapids has a pretty good team where I feel like we will have some even levels there. Cheboygan is a team we lost to during districts which we will make sure doesn't happen again."

Boyne City opens at a tournament in Pellston on Saturday and hosts a quad meet on Tuesday.

"(Early on) my hope is that the seniors put in their all and don't look back at the game or tournament thinking they could do better," Coates said. "I obviously want us to win and come out strong. We are feeling really good about (the tournament in Pellston). This next week we will be putting in a lot of work to get the outcome that we want. I have a really good feeling about this team this year. I am so honored and excited to be coaching these girls who I have mostly coached in the past. Boyne City is going to be a team to watch out for."

SOCCER

Boyne City soccer team welcomes in new coach

BY BEN MURPHY

The Boyne City boys soccer team will have a new coach this fall in Tim Wiley. So far, the coach likes what he sees in the Ramblers as they get ready for the new season.

"This year's team strikes the right balance of skill, speed and experience," Wiley said. "The key will be acclimating to a total soccer type of formation that is dynamic and requires lots of communication and discipline with the ball."

On this year's team will be Finn Tosch, Cameron Little, Felix Bair, Ethan Stefanic, Odin Kirkby, Will Mastin, Maddox Rykse, Mason Vadenais, Reese Bey, Amayo Bardeguet, Jack Snyder, Isaac Dionne, Abe Rykse, Wyatt Wildman, Wyatt Woodall, Eli Hissong and Camden Mathers.

"Our focus has been to evaluate the gifts that each

player brings and how that translates into a match play experience allowing us to achieve the most competitive play possible," Wiley said. "We've also taken into account redundancy in positions to avoid the loss of momentum during game substitutions. Our goals remain focused on how each player's overall development is equally important on the field as it is in the classroom, hallway, and community. The game itself is constantly moving, it requires fitness as a running sport, but it also demands strategic thinking as the direction of movement with the ball has many channels that involve field real estate that's wide and deep."

The Ramblers open the season at home today (Thursday) against Oscoda and hosts Benzie Central on Tuesday.

"My hope is that each Rambler steps out onto the pitch as students of the

game and embraces a mindset of "winning," Wiley said. "What I mean by "winning" is seeing each student-athlete approach the game, practice, or any other type of training in the very same manner. To individually and collectively leave it better than they found it. Be a part of the traditional win or loss, but ultimately be better for having participated than just merely showed up. I bridge this concept similarly with everyday life, don't just show up and occupy space, rather, look for opportunities to "win". Win on that math test, win on helping a friend, win on taking care of your own health and focusing on your individual wellness. Achieving self-actualization for any of us is likely a far fetched reality, but continuing to strive to be the best version of ourselves is always a good endeavor."

They'll also open up the Lake Michigan Conference

season on Aug. 31 at home against Kalkaska.

"Each team in this conference, in my opinion, will present their own set of unique challenges and opportunities for this team to learn from and grow," Wiley said. "That said, we've had the benefit of leveraging the Rambler talent of the past in our recent Co-ed Alumni BC Cup game at our home field at Boyne Mountain. I feel it's entirely possible that we've seen the most challenging team of the season already. Not only did the alumni match present us with a high level of competition, it also offered the coaching staff an opportunity to build out our game formation aligned with corresponding field positions. Plus, the legacy building for the program was advanced significantly with such wide ranging inclusiveness amongst our players and coaches past and present."

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NATURE

"WHAT WORMS... WHERE?"

BY JACOB VANHOUTEN

Sitting in my tree stand opening day of the firearm deer season, I was trying to focus on what was making the "crunch, crunch, crunch" sounds coming from behind a large white pine tree 30 yards to my left. It was then that I made out a set of antlers showing themselves through the misty pine-bows. It was a buck...the first deer seen at 7:32 AM on opening morning, November 15th. Many thoughts entered my "foggy" early-morning brain. It was a small buck however. I told my brother and nephew just 20 minutes earlier that I was going to let small bucks pass. "Looks like a fork horn... maybe a six if he has brow tines. Hmhmhm. I only have a half day to hunt and then it's back to work, so..." my thoughts raced, considering venison sausage at the same time.

You probably know what I did if you were raised hunting on "state land" and any deer with 3" antlers was considered meat on the hoof. You didn't get many chances. I slowly raised my 30-30 Marlin lever action... the first rifle I purchased for \$75.00 (and a box of shells thrown in to sweeten the deal) from "Al and Bob's Sporting Goods" in Grand Rapids, with my own money earned from selling muskrat pelts... and got the buck in my scope. It was indeed a small "forky" so my rifle was lowered, and then shouldered, then lowered again, several times. That is when I noticed something about this deer... he looked skinny. Too skinny. Had he been injured by a run in with a



SICK SPIKE HORN

truck bumper? An arrow from earlier in the bow season? No, he was just plain "sickly looking". That's when I decided to shoot. One shot at 20 yards as he sniffed at a fresh buck scrape and he dropped right there. I love those kind of tracking jobs.

I sat and looked at him piled up under an "invasive species" autumn olive shrub. I studied him with my binocs for a while too. Then I did the "latest thing" and texted my nephew... deer down. I climbed down slowly so as not to become a statistic, and walked over meeting my nephew who had hurried to help. I gutted him, studying his entrails as I did so. No sign of disease, car encounter, arrow wound, liver flukes, bovine TB, CWD, or other misfortune. He did have very little fat around his

kidneys and along his spine and in other areas. His neck was very skinny and not thick like the rest of the rut engorged bucks around the area. I finished up the job and went over to pick up my rifle and back pack from the bottom of my tree stand. As I walked back over to the buck, my nephew Brandon was poking at the heart of the deer with a stick. "Hey Uncle Jay, what's that?" I leaned in closer and sure enough, there it was... a small squirming little guy looking somewhat like a small spaghetti noodle. And then I spotted another one... and another, crawling out of the left ventricle of the heart. "Well, that would be a worm Brandon. A heart worm."

"I didn't know deer could get heart worm... yuck! Could it be fatal like in

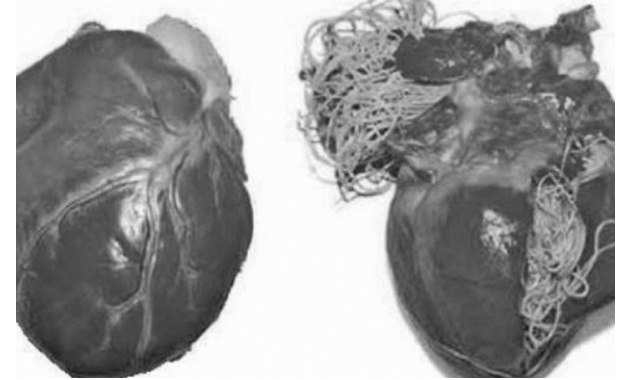
dogs?" he asked. "I think so" was my somewhat surprised answer. "Wish I had a sample jar, I'd take it back to the lab to show my class".

"You're gross Uncle Jay" Brandon laughed... and then he added: "Can humans get those?" That was an easy one: "Very rarely".

It was a heartworm alright, which got me thinking about all the different kinds of parasites that infest animals. My college students frequently ask about them for a very good reason... they want to know if they can "get" worms that live in or on our pets and game animals that are harvested. I provide them with a short list of common parasitic worm and their hosts acquired from the website, www.whichworm-why.com: These include the following:

- Heartworms. Among

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the most dangerous parasitic worm threat to dogs. Pet threat: yes Human threat: very rarely;

- Hookworms. Dangerous parasites which can cause anemia and have killed small puppies. Infections in dogs are more than twice as prevalent as whipworm infections (source Veterinary Parasitology Journal). Pet threat: Yes Human threat: Yes (common in countries where people go bare foot as this worm works its way through the sole of the foot)

- Roundworms. Intestinal parasite that can be fatal to dogs. Human children are vulnerable to infection. Very common intestinal worm seen in cats, dogs, fish, and humans with Ascaris sp. being prevalent. Pet threat: yes Human threat: yes

- Whipworms. This worm shows up less frequently than the above parasites. Pet threat: Yes Human threat: No validated cases (CAPC reports).

- Tapeworms. Non-fatal parasitic worm that

dogs contract by accidentally swallowing infected fleas. This species is different that the "common tapeworm of man". Pet threat: Yes Human threat: Very rarely (CDC).

So the next time you're gutting that deer, skinning that muskrat or cleaning that rabbit, think about all the "little guys" that are potentially lurking about the tissue and organs of your meal... remembering that most parasites are "host specific". In other words, they don't jump species. They prefer a certain type of host that probably doesn't include you. Not to mention that fully cooking the meat does in most of these guys. So don't worry too much... just take precautions when handling and perhaps learn the facts with a little research. By the way, I did that little buck a favor by smacking him with that 170 grain 30-30 bullet. His heart was full and he may not have even made it through the winter before succumbing to his tiny "heart breakers". I'll be eating venison instead!

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**CHARLEVOIX COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SYNOPSIS ~ AUGUST 9, 2023**

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met in the Charlevoix County Commissioners room on August 9, 2023, at 9:30 a.m. Five Commissioners were present. Absent: Commissioner Jess.

Motion approved the agenda as presented.

Motion approved the consent agenda as presented.

Motion approved Resolution #23-082, Grandvue Operating Transfer.

Motion approved Resolution #23-083, County Expenditures.

Motion approved to appoint Joni Hosler to the Charlevoix County Veterans Affairs Committee. 5.0.

Motion approved Resolution #23-084, Charlevoix County Resolution Opposing Michigan Legislature House Bills SB299, SB300, HB4479 & HB4480.

Motion approved Resolution #23-085, Charlevoix County Shirley Roloff Center Windows as amended to include 24 windows in existing classrooms.

The meeting was adjourned to the call of the Chair at 9:54 a.m.

**BAY TOWNSHIP
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Bay Township Zoning Board of Appeals will meet on **Wednesday, September 6, 2023 at 6:30 P.M.** The meeting will be held in the Bay Township Hall, in the Village of Horton's Bay, 05045 Boyne City Road, Boyne City, MI 49712. The purpose of the meeting is to hear the following appeal for variances from the requirements of the Bay Township Zoning Ordinance, as amended (the Ordinance).

In the Matter of : Bruce and Nancy Korthase:

Charlevoix County Property Tax Identification Number 15-001-400-001-00, located at 04676 Fontenoy Road, Boyne City, MI 49712. The applicant is proposing to build an addition on their existing legal non-conforming residence. To accomplish this project the applicant is seeking a variance from Article XVII, Nonconforming Uses, Section 17.2 d 2. and 6.4.1 of the Ordinance as well as variances from certain dimensional requirements of the Ordinance found in Section 5.4. Section 17.2 d 2. states "A nonconforming structure, which predates the Bay Township Zoning (1974) ... shall require ZBA approval for any expansion or alteration. The dimensional variance being sought is an 11' variance from the front yard setback requirement of 35, Section 5.4, Lot Area Width and Setback Requirements.

Interested parties may comment in person at the meeting or comment in writing to: Bay Township Zoning Board of Appeals, 05045 Boyne City, MI 49712, (231) 582-3594, or zoning@baytownshipmi.org. Written comments must be received by 4 p.m. on September 6, 2023.

Ronald J. Van Zee, Bay Township Zoning Administrator (zoning@baytownshipmi.org.)

**EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP
Ordinance No. 2023-08-08 B**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP
CEMETERY ORDINANCE**

THE TOWNSHIP OF EVANGELINE ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of Section 3.

Section 3 of the Evangeline Township Cemetery Ordinance is hereby amended to add a new subsection (i), which shall read in its entirety as follows:

- (i) **Green burial** means the act of burying human remains with no embalming fluids or similar body-preserving chemicals in a biodegradable casket and without a vault constructed of concrete or similar material.

Section 2. Amendment of Section 8.

Section 8 of the Evangeline Township Cemetery Ordinance is hereby amended to add a new subsection (f), which shall read in its entirety as follows:

- (f) No green burials are permitted in any Evangeline Township cemetery.

Section 3. Validity.

If any section, provision or clause of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect any remaining portions or application of this Ordinance, which can be given effect without the invalid portion or application.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become the day following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the Township.

Ordinance No.2023-08-08B was adopted on the 8th day of August, 2023, by the Evangeline Township Board as follows:

Motion by: Michelle Cortright
Seconded by: Jodi Adams

ROLL CALL VOTE:
Yeas: James Howell, Jodi Adams, Rachel Swiss, Michelle Cortright, Evelyn Howell
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: None
Published: August 17, 2023
Effective: August 18, 2023
Evelyn Howell, Township Clerk

**EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP
ORDINANCE ADDRESSING FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT
PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE**

Ordinance No. 2023-08-08 A

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE AN ENFORCING AGENCY TO DISCHARGE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN AND TO DESIGNATE REGULATED FLOOD HAZARD AREAS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, ACT NO. 230 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1972, AS AMENDED.

THE TOWNSHIP OF EVANGELINE, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Agency Designated.

Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the Charlevoix County Building Official is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of Evangeline Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended. Charlevoix County has assumed responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout the corporate limits of Evangeline Township.

Section 2. Code Appendix Enforcement.

Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, Appendix G of the Michigan Building Code shall be enforced by the Charlevoix County Building Official throughout the corporate limits of Evangeline Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

Section 3. Designation of Regulated Flood Prone Hazard Areas.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Entitled "The Flood Insurance Study for Charlevoix County, All Jurisdictions" and dated September 15, 2022 and the Flood Insurance Rate Map(s) (FIRMS) panel number(s) of 26029CIND1B, 26029CIND2B, 26029C0375D, effective September 15, 2022 and FIRM panels 26029C0530C, 26029C0531C, 26029C0532C, 26029C0533C, 26029C0553C, effective May 16, 2019 are hereby adopted by reference for the purposes of administration of the Michigan Construction Code, and are hereby declared to be a part of Section 1612.3 of the Michigan Building Code and to provide the content of the "Flood Hazards" section of Table R301.2(1) of the Michigan Residential Code.

Section 4. Repeals.

All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed, including Ordinance No. 2019-03-05 A.

Section 4. Effective Date.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Entitled "The Flood Insurance Study for Charlevoix County, All Jurisdictions" and dated Septemb

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective the day following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the Township. Ordinance No. 2023-08-08A was adopted on August 8, 2023, by the Evangeline Township Board as follows:

Motion by: James Howell
Seconded by: Michelle Cortright

ROLL CALL VOTE:
Yeas: Rachel Swiss, James Howell, Michelle Cortright, Jodi Adams, Evelyn Howell
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: None
Published: Aug 17, 2023
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DAY 1 - Thursday, August 24th @ 9:00 a.m.

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- JOHN DEERE X485 All Wheel Steer Mower, 54" Deck
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- NEW and Used Metal Siding
- NEW Chicken Houses
- Garden Sheds
- Mini Barns
- Saw Mill Lumber
- NEW Sawmill Lumber
- Semi Load Treated Posts
- R-R Ties
- New Chicken Coops
- Assorted New Mini Barns and Garden Sheds
- New and Used Metal Siding
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- Treated Posts

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DAY 2 - Friday, August 25th @ 9:00 a.m.

TRACTORS, SKIDSTEERS and DOZERS (Early Listing - Expecting Approx 30+ Tractors)

- 2021 KUBOTA 7060 D Tractor w/La1154 Loader, 4x4 Cab, Heat, Air, Hyd Shuttle, 3 Pt, PTO, 99 Hrs, Like New Cond. SN# 86804
- 2017 MASSEY FERGUSON 4609 Tractor, w/931 Loader, 4x4, 3 Pt, PTO, 4 Hyd outlets, 430 Hrs, SN001619
- 2019 MUSTANG 1650 RT Tractor Loader, Open Cab, New 16" Tracs, Joy Stick, 950 Hrs, Fully Serviced, Nice Clean Machine
- 2017 MUSTANG 1650 ORT Tractor Loader, Power Quick Attach, T Bar Control, 16" Tracs, 565 Hrs, Fully Serviced, Well Balanced Loader, 565 Hrs
- 2008 GEHL 4840 E Series Skidsteer, 60 Hp Deutz, T Bar Control, Solid Rubber Tires, 468 Hrs, Clean Cond, SN# 410746
- 1999 GEHL 4835 Skidsteer Cab, Heat, T Bar Control, 3327 Hrs, Fully Serviced Cond.
- 2009 GEHL 5240 E Series Skidsteer, Joy Stick Controls, Heat, 6053 Hrs, Running Cond
- GEHL 5240 E Series Skidsteer, 2 Speed, T Bar Controls, Enclosed Cab, Heat, Power Quick Attach, Rear Counter Weight, Self Leveling Bucket, Very Clean Condition
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- John Deere 350 C Dozer, w/3 Way Bucket Hyd Steering, Runs Nice, SN 8720659

HAY EQUIPMENT (Early Consignments)

- 2013 NEW HOLLAND BR 7070 Round Baler Silage Spec, Net Wrap, Ultra Sweep, 1558 Bales, Nice Clean Cond, Field Ready
- NEW HOLLAND 688 Round Baler, Net Wrap
- NEW IDEA 4855 Round Baler Twine Tie
- GEHL 2680 Round Baler, Variable Open Throat, Twine Tie
- NEW HOLLAND 1465 Haybine

- 2014 NEW HOLLAND 488 Haybine, Light Package, 1 Owner, Field Ready
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- NEW HOLLAND 488 Haybine, Good Cond.
- NEW HOLLAND 492 Haybine
- NEW HOLLAND 1465 Haybine
- CASE IH DCX 101 Discbine
- 2 - NEW HOLLAND 472 Haybines, Very Nice Cond
- KUHN 5.R.110 10 Wheel V Rake
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- 2 - JOHN DEERE 702 10 Wheel V Rakes
- CLAAS 330 9' Rotary Rake
- 4 Basket Hay Tedder
- NEW HOLLAND 258 & 260 Rake w/Tandem Hitch
- 2 - NEW HOLLAND 258 Hay Rakes, 1 w/ Dolley Wheel
- 2 - NEW HOLLAND 256 Hay Rakes
- 28' Skeleton Portable Hay Elevator
- 40' Hay Elevator
- 16' Hay Wagon, Good GEHL Gear
- Several JOHN DEERE 1065 Wagon Gears
- EXPECTING A NICE VARIETY OF OTHER HAY EQUIPMENT

TILLAGE EQUIPMENT (Early Consignments)

- GLENCO 5 Shank Soil Saver
- KEWANE 1020 Disc
- MASSEY FERGUSON 520 16' Folding Disc
- ALLIS 13' Wheel Disc
- 10' & 8' BRILLION Cultipacker
- 8' - 10' & 12' Crow Foot Cultipackers
- 6' & 8' Cultipacker
- LH. 45 Vibrashank 8' Hyd Lift
- JOHN DEERE 710 3 Bot - 16" Plow

OTHER FARM EQUIPMENT (Early Consignments)

- JOHN DEERE 8300 21 Hole Grain Drill
- PEQUA 110 G 2 Wheel Manure Spreader
- JOHN DEERE 2 Wheel Manure Spreader
- NEW IDEA No. 14, 2 Wheel Manure Spreader
- FICKLIN 435 Gravity Wagon, w/8 Ton Gear
- 2 - Gravity Wagons w/ Floatation Tires
- Assorted Gravity Wagons Boxes
- JOHN DEERE 2 Row Corn Planter
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- QUICK ATTACH and 3 PT. FARM EQUIPMENT (Early Consignments)
- 3 Pt Brush Hog 48"
- 3 Pt 2 Row Corn Planter
- 5' - 6' 3 Pt Cultivators
- 3 Pt Cyclone Spreader
- 3 Pt Disc
- 1-2 Bot 3 Pt Plows
- Assorted 3 Pt Back Blades
- NEW Quick Attach Equipment
- 48" Forks
- Skidsteer Buckets
- Wolverine 60" Tiller
- Grapple Buckets
- Plates
- NEW Mower King Trencher

HORSE DRAWN FARM MACHINERY (Early Consignments)

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- PIONEER One Horse Wagon
- 2 - BRILLION Cultipackers
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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to rules and regulations as outlined in the Boyne City Zoning Ordinance Section 27.20, public hearings will be held at a meeting of the Boyne City Zoning Board of Appeals on September 5, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. at Boyne City City Hall, 319 N. Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712 to review and consider the following:

- A. A non-use variance request from Pamela Decker for parcel number 15-051-245-051-00 located at 311 State St., Boyne City, MI 49712. The applicant is requesting relief from Boyne City Zoning Ordinance Section 4.20(B) that requires a 10-foot side and rear yard setback for an accessory dwelling unit
- B. A non-use variance request from Isard Properties, LLC for parcel number 15-051-171-011-00 located at 527 Bay St., Boyne City, MI 49712. The applicant is requesting relief from Boyne City Zoning Ordinance Section 20.10 that requires a 15-foot minimum rear yard setback for the primary structure.

More details on these variance requests are available for review at the Boyne City Planning Department, Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. through 4:30 p.m. All interested persons are encouraged to attend the public hearing and participate in the discussion. Any written input in regards to the request may be submitted to the City Planner's office until 5:00 p.m. on the day of the public hearing or at the public hearing. For further information visit the City Planner's office at 319 N. Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712, call (231) 582-0337 or e-mail jneal@boynecity.com.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
City of East Jordan
County of Charlevoix**

Hereby ordains: AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN CODE OF ORDINANCES

At a regular City Commission Meeting to be held at City Hall on August 15, 2023, at 6:15 p.m. an amendment to the City of East Jordan Code of Ordinance will present its first reading for **An Ordinance to Amend the Code of Ordinances for the City of East Jordan:**

Amend Chapter 1: General, Article II Civil Infractions, Section 1-38 (C) Penalties and Sanctions continuing Violation injunctive relief

Cheltzi M. Wilson, MMC/MiPMC
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