

## New housing project completed by BC fourth graders

There won't be any housing shortage in Boyne City this summer as this housing project was completed by Mr. Hoover's Fourth Grade class this week. The project will hopefully provide homes for 30 bluebird families in the area. The plans for the birdhouses came from the DNR and took three weeks for the students to build with lumber that was donated by Matelski Lumber Company. Each member of the class knows where to install the nest houses so that the birds will find them. This is the third year Hoover's classes have completed the project. Others from previous years say the bluebirds have used the housing.



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## Residents pack meeting to urge 'no' to proposed marina

Over 50 people attended the Tuesday noon meeting of the Boyne City Commission, most to express some opinion or listen to comments being made about a proposed marina that will be constructed in front of One Water Street, if approved.

The citizens were told at the beginning by City Manager Randy Frykberg that the city still has not yet been formally informed of the marina proposal, and because they have not seen what is being proposed, preferred not to make any comment upon the proposal.

That did not sit well with the audience who asked the city to set a public hearing on the marina issue. The city commissioners did not exactly set a public hearing, as the issue will be undertaken by the Department of Natural Resources or the Corps of Engineers which has the jurisdiction over the proposal. The city will be putting their input into those hearings, if they are held, Frykberg said.

The issue brought several other comments from the audience, among them John Howard who said the whole community should become involved with the issue and this is the stage where they could provide their opinions.

Commissioner Bill Grimm told the audience that their opinions should be directed to the DNR and the Corps as the hearing is the most important part of the process.

Grimm also said the city was willing to provide the city hall for a meeting room or even help set up a meeting at the high school gym if needed for an informational hearing.

The commissioners asked developer Rick Smith if he was willing to attend an informational meeting and Smith said that he intends on meeting with the two Lions Clubs, the Rotary and any other group he could find to explain what the owners of One Water Street Company are plan-

ning to do.

It was suggested that an informational meeting be held as part of the Parks and Recreation meeting that will be held Thursday, May 10 in the Commission Chambers of the City Hall. That idea was accepted by Smith who said he will attend after going to another meeting.

Several people wanted answers to questions they had concerning the project, but the commissioners could not answer them as they had no information to talk about the project as of yet.

When the questions concerning the project came up, John Howard told the audience that this was not the time or place to decide those issues as they were premature, he said the city would have several opportunities to get citizen input and that was the time and place.

In other action before the commissioners, Grant Street was reopened after city crews had almost repaved the street filling the potholes.

Yvonne Price, a resident on the street, asked that the street remain closed as there are many young children in the neighborhood who cannot tell the difference between the street being closed and when it is open for the six months of the year.

The city had closed the street last year on an experimental basis with barricades at each end. The street has been used in the past in the winter as a sledding hill and had not been plowed.

With hearing of the concerns of the residents in the area, the commissioners voted to again close the street and to put up the barricades.

Another concern brought to the commissioners was the parking issue on Front Street. One resident asked if the parking could be disallowed as to the concerns the cars bring. The commissioners agreed to have Police Chief John Talboys research the street again

to see if no parking signs should be added.

Talboys had researched the street several years ago and came back to the commission with a recommendation that parking be allowed until such time as the traffic on the street grew to a problem.

Another resident asked if stop signs could be installed on the alley behind Robert's Restaurant as the alley is getting more traffic. The city agreed to look into the matter and would probably install some signage.

On agenda items, the city approved a resolution that gave authorization to clarify some airport loans that were made in 1983-85-86. The resolution was to cover some problems the state has with the loans as far as authorization from the local governments.

They also awarded a bid to the C.H. Smith Company for the installation of a water main on Park Street at \$53,459. The city engineer said that the job would be completed before the Michigan Department of Transportation starts on rebuilding of M-75 as it comes through the city. He said the project is about six weeks of work and has completion deadlines for the contractor with penalty clauses. Smith is supposed to start the job within a couple of weeks and complete it before the summer.

The work involves putting in a large sized water main on East Street and will help maintain water to the north side of town.

Presently the only water main crossing the river is on Park Street and that will be disrupted when the Park Street bridge is replaced. The new main will be looped into the system and will help provide additional water to the north side of the community.

The engineer said the project came in well below the estimates he had prepared.

Also included in the project will be a section of sewer pipe that will be installed on Hemlock Street.

The city then set the millage rate for the collection of taxes after holding a public Truth in Taxation Hearing at 16.00 mills. The tax rate will go into effect six weeks after the hearing date and after the commissioners approved the resolution. The millage rate is the same as last year.

## Students start drive against polystyrene

Four Boyne City High School students appeared in front of the Boyne City Commission Tuesday to ask the city to consider passing a resolution that would place a ban on the use of Polystyrene products within the city by merchants and others.

The students made the presentation in front of the city commissioners explaining that polystyrene was one of the largest contributors to the depletion of ozone, and the filling of landfills as it does not break down.

The students told the commissioners they will be going to businesses and asking them to refrain from the use of the product and will be coming back to the commissioners asking that they approve an ordinance to ban the product within the city later this year.

The presentation was to inform the city of their intentions and to let them know some of the concerns the students have who live in the area.

## Barbershoppers sing Sat.

Me-me-me-me

Boyne City Barbershoppers will be presenting their 45th Annual Boyne City-Loton Wilson Bush League Quartet Contest and Show this Saturday at the Boyne City High School gym.

The contest involves quartets that have never ever won any contest and will feature many new groups that are starting up in the state. The show will also include songs by the Boyne City Snow

Belt Chorus, last year's winning quartet, "Expanded Sound" and a feature quartet, "The Blue Ribbon Coalition."

Also appearing on the show will be the winner of this year's competition which will be held during the day.

Tickets for the show and the afterglow will be available at the door for those who may wish to attend this year's show.

## Nicole Weidler, Miss East Jordan 1990



Miss East Jordan Scholarship winner for 1990, Nicole Weidler.

## Over 400 attend pageant to see winner

Nicole Weidler is the new Miss East Jordan after being named as the Miss East Jordan Scholarship Pageant winner for 1990 Saturday night.

Nicole is the daughter of John and Jeanne McFarland and was awarded a \$900 scholarship as the winner.

She plans on attending the University of Michigan in the fall where she is enrolled in the Literature, Science and Arts program. She intends to pursue a career in foreign relations. Weidler, also the class valedictorian for East Jordan High School, presented a travelogue of her travels in West Germany where she spent a year as an exchange student. She showed slides of the trip, which included visits to Austria, London and Paris.

There were eight candidates for the top prize in the contest, making it a difficult job for the judges to pick out the winner.

Taking the first runner-up place and a \$500 scholarship was Sara Chase who plans to attend Kalamazoo College where she will

study marine biology.

Second runner-up spot was won by Rhonda Brennan. She took home a \$300 scholarship.

Other awards were given to

Brennan, Miss Congeniality; Chase, Top ticket sales, Casual Modeling and Creative Performing

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Sara Chase, 1st runner-up, and 2nd runner-up, Rhonda Brennan, flank new Miss East Jordan winner Nicole Weidler.

# Obituaries

## CHARLES C. LEIST

Charles C. Leist, 79, of Bay Township, died April 22, 1990, at Little Traverse Division, Northern Michigan Hospitals.

Funeral was Thursday, April 26, at the Stackus Funeral Home, Boyne City. The Rev. Craig Adams of the Horton Bay United Methodist Church officiated and burial was in Maple Lawn Cemetery, Boyne City.

Mr. Leist was born Dec. 15, 1910, in Horton Bay, the son of John and Hazel (Shaw) Leist. He lived in Bay Township his entire life.

Mr. Leist was a farmer and also worked for Penn Dixie Cement Co. and Michigan Maple Block in Petoskey. He owned and operated Pappy's Boots & Saddles and was Bay Township supervisor for four terms. He was one of those instrumental in the founding of Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

On April 20, 1931, he married the former Gertrude Priebe.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Raymond (Frances) Patrick of Jackson, Mrs. Robert (Hazel) Harneling of Bay Township, Mrs. Robert (Kathleen) Schmoltd of Bay Township and Mrs. Wayne (Dorothy) Miller of Leslie, Mich.; one daughter-in-law, Kathy Towne Leist of Boyne City; a son and daughter-in-law, Ron and Judy Leist of Bay Township and a son, Milo Leist of Fallon, Nev.; one brother, Albert of Brookeland, Texas; two sisters, Laura Eggers of Boyne City and Mrs. Phil (Ruby) DeNise of Boyne City; one sister-in-law, Jenny Leist Bannon of Horton Bay; 24 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother Ralph and a sister Myra Kurtz.

The family suggests memorials to Grandvue Medical Care Facility.



## BC Historical Society to present fashion show and tea May 5

The Boyne City Historical Society will present a fashion show and tea on Saturday, May 5th from 2:00 to 4:00 at the United Methodist Church in Boyne City, Park and Pine Streets.

Society members and friends and Boyne City High School students will model antique and modern clothing. Several of the old fashions were presented to the Museum by Merla Vought, several were loaned by Nancy Gowell and the new garments will be provided by White Rose, Gocha's and Kaden's of Boyne City.

Models will be Thelma Bentley, Trudy Clark, Bea Smith, Susan Coyle, Sue Rainey and grandson James Sobleski, Sandy Kadrovach, Dorothy Leslie, Paula McGinnis, Jackie Wollenberg, Barbara Polinski, and students Maria Rich, Stacy Johnson, Colleen Blooms, Alice Brooks and Jackie McGinnis.

Tea will be served by the Society members. Florine Davis will be the commentator and James Pickrel will provide piano accompaniment.

Tickets are \$5.00 and can be obtained at the City Hall, from Society members, and at the door. Everyone is invited to share this enjoyable afternoon at the United Methodist Church.

## East Jordan Garden Club elects new officers

A new slate of officers was installed when East Jordan Garden Club members met April 23 in the District Library's meeting room. Past president Esther Porter conducted the installation ceremony and the incoming officers are: Shirley Butcher, president; Jean Muha, Vice-president; Gladys Sattler, recording secretary and Evelyn Gidley, treasurer and corresponding secretary. Each officer was presented with a spring corsage by past president Phyllis Malpass.

Douglas Fuller from the Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council was introduced by Martha Annear. Fuller, a water quality technician, spoke on "Groundwater Protection". The Watershed Council has a grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation to conduct a three year program concerning groundwater education in Michigan. The program consists of well testing for nitrates, fuel storage surveys and hazardous waste pick-up.

Groundwater is one of our most important natural resources as we all need clean water to drink. Approximately 43% of Michigan residents rely on wells for drinking water. Wetlands are an important source of recharging groundwater.

Surface waters are easily contaminated by natural substances or pollution from human activities.

The six areas of concern that contaminate ground water are agricultural impacts and animal wastes, improperly maintained septic systems, household hazardous wastes, leakage from fuel storage tanks, business and industry drainage and leakage from old dumpsites and landfills.

Fuller's speech was accompanied by a slide presentation and was of particular interest following America's Earth Day celebration.

Newly-installed president Butcher presided over a short business session. The May meeting will be a talk by Mary Whitmore on "The Common Loon".

Refreshments were served from a tea table featuring a pale pink cloth, centered with a beautiful arrangement of pink roses and candles in antique holders. Tea hostesses were Betty Boswell and Kay McDowell.

## DENNIS J. BRILL

Dennis J. Brill, 36, of Greenville, died April 23, 1990, at Butterworth Hospital, Grand Rapids.

Funeral was Thursday, April 26, at the Brown-Teman Funeral Home, Greenville. Pastor Harry R. Johnson officiated and burial was in Rest Haven Memory Gardens, Greenville.

Mr. Brill was born Dec. 28, 1953, in Flint, the son of Frank F. and Hazel W. (Godin) Brill Sr.

He married the former Mae Dines on June 18, 1983, in Greenville.

Mr. Brill is survived by his wife; his parents, Frank and Hazel Brill Sr. of Cheboygan; three daughters, Eva Marie Brill of Alpena, Christine Brill of Boyne City and Mandy Brill of Levering; one stepson, Mark Herroon of Greenville;

two sisters, Karen Brill of Cheboygan and Mrs. Don (Linda) Ferris of Palo Alto, Calif.; five brothers, Gerald and Sara Brill of Delaware, Frank Brill Jr. of Cheboygan, William and Sandra Haver III of North Branch and Lowell Haver and Ronald Haver, both of California; his father-in-law, Ralph Dines of Baldwin; several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Angela in 1982, and his mother-in-law, Helen Dines in 1990.

The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society or Bone Marrow Research Foundation. Memorials may be submitted to Brown-Teman Funeral Home, 511 W. Franklin St., Greenville, Mich. 48838.

## EDWARD T. HUNT

Edward T. Hunt, 93, of Deer Lake, Boyne City, died April 23, 1990, at his home.

Funeral was Thursday, April 26, at the Free Methodist Church, Boyne City. The Rev. Lane Eddy officiated and burial was in Maple Lawn Cemetery, Boyne City.

Mr. Hunt was born March 5, 1897, at Deer Lake, the son of Thomas J. and Josephine (DuBay) Hunt. He lived most of his life on Deer Lake. He was a farmer and had worked at Howe's Tanning & Extract in Boyne City. For a number of years he rented cabins and boats on Deer Lake in the summer months.

On July 2, 1916, he married the former Mabel Crozier in Detroit. She preceded him in death in 1969.

Mr. Hunt was a member of the Free Methodist Church in Boyne City.

He is survived by three sons, Edward Hunt of Muskegon, Gordon Hunt of Traverse City and Elwood Hunt of Renton, Wash.; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Eleanor and one great-grandson.

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## HAROLD E. REED

Harold E. Reed, 79, of East Jordan, died April 24, 1990, at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Funeral was Friday, April 27, at the Paulin Funeral Home, East Jordan. The Rev. Merlin K. Delo officiated and interment was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, East Jordan.

Mr. Reed was born Feb. 18, 1911, in South Arm Township, the son of Elmer and Lillian (Moble) Reed. On Oct. 6, 1940, he married the former Virginia Stanek in Ithaca.

Mr. Reed worked for the building and grounds department at Michigan State University from 1984-44. He was self-employed as an interior decorator, returning to East Jordan in 1947. He worked as a painter and interior decorator in East Jordan and Charlevoix area until his retirement in 1974.

Mr. Reed was a former member of the Eagles Lodge. He enjoyed outdoor activities, including hun-

ting and fishing. He also loved to read and enjoyed furniture wood-working and crafts.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Roger (Anette) Cyr of Petoskey; two sons, Charles Reed of Whittemore and David Reed of Royal Oak; four grandchildren, Jon Cyr, Kevin Reed, Charlene Reed and Bradley Reed; two sisters, Mrs. Ivan (Helen) Russell of Portage and Mrs. Nelson (Gloria) Storing of Gaylord; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Robert (Marge) Reed of East Jordan and Mrs. Elmer (Viola) Reed of Charlevoix.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Robert in 1978 and Elmer in 1989.

The family suggests memorials to the East Jordan Ambulance Fund or the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Envelopes for memorials are available at the Paulin Funeral Home in East Jordan.

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## Neighbors with Nancy Northup 582-9174

Charles and Irene Rickard have returned from spending a long Easter week at Lagmar in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. They were joined there by their daughter, Mrs. Lois Groh of Clearwater, and daughter, Mrs. Karen Gibson and husband of Grand Blanc, Mich. and also by Irene's sisters, Mrs. Paddie Adelman and Mrs. Maxine Niles, both of Fort Lauderdale. Mrs. Adelman hosted 35 friends and relatives with a delicious dinner and a long inter-coastal cruise aboard the Lady Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin (Cecelia) Long, who have returned from spending the winter in Kathleen, Florida, were here over the weekend visiting her sister, Clara Rolls, and his parents, the Emory (Sarah) Longs before returning to their home in Grand Rapids. His mother, Sarah, is recuperating at home after several hospital stays.

Bill Gaunt was the guest Gideon speak at a church in Ellsworth this past Sunday.

Tim Kent of Litzemburger Place is now a resident of the Mike and Karen Bos Nursing Home on LaLonde Rd. in East Jordan.

Anne Jenkins was in Traverse City visiting her daughter June and Jim Morey and family and taking in other activities in the area over the weekend.

Garth and Jewel Bryan returned from Lake Havasu, Arizona over the weekend.

The Rev. and Mrs. Joyce Spohn and daughter Cindy and Tim Markham have been spending a couple of weeks in Houston, Texas vacationing and to attend a Christian seminar. While there, Joyce spent several days in the hospital, in intensive care, with a breathing problem. She is reportedly doing well now and all are expected home this next Wednesday.

Murray and Jan Northup of Midland were here over the weekend visiting his mother Edna and Dick May and family.

Lynda Christensen and daughter Kristie returned on Monday from spending a week in Sykesville, Maryland visiting her brother John Yell and family.

Carla and Pete Jarema returned to their home in Flint last Monday after having spent a week here with her mother Dorothy Nowland. Dorothy had been visiting the Jarema's enroute home from spending the winter in

Florida with Adeline Boweman, a former elementary teacher of East Jordan. Her son, Norman Nowland and Jean were here on Saturday. On Sunday, Dorothy and Stella Clute went to Grandvue to share in the birthday celebration of Alberta Vogel who was 90 on Monday, April 30th!

On Thursday, Tim Hayes, a client worker of Bergmann Center, was officially honored with a certificate and a special letter of appreciation from Sheriff George Lasater, as an expression of the Charlevoix County's Sheriff's office in thanking Tim for his many years of faithful service, time, and loyalty in helping the elderly and the handicapped. Tim will soon be moving to Rose City and among the many who will miss him will be Ralph Hamilton of Charlevoix, a senior citizen that Tim called every day for many years. Tim, the staff, and clients shared more farewells with a beautifully decorated cake at the afternoon break. Good luck, Tim!

Loton Willson has been a resident of Grandvue this past couple of weeks.

There was a good turnout at the Free Methodist Church for their three-day revival meetings this past weekend as the Rev. Larry Evoy and his wife Grace delivered ministries with the theme of "Life-Style Evangelism". Erling Ollila and wife Pat of Warren left on Tuesday after having spent a few days here visiting his sister Adell Hibbard.

There was a good turnout at the Trinity Fellowship on Sunday morning for the very inspiring music of the Calvarymen Quartet.

The bowling scores of the Boyne senior bowlers this past week were: Celo Davis-496, Norman Ramsdale-471, Ardyth Dorgan-459, Bob Rumlfelt-432, Mildred Sheldon-396, Beverly Dyer-387, Ken Dyer-379, Nyle Gould-363, Jean Marcham-357, Clara Kimble-301, Jerry Kimble-300, Pearl Friden-279.

Thursday's bingo winners were: 1st regular Jenny Jodway, 2nd Leonna Griffen, and 3rd Mary Towne. The 2 specials went to the first one, being a split between Rose Reinhardt and Albert Towne and the second went to Bernice Suchara. The cover all went to Lena Kerr and all games were called by Mary Towne.

Thought of the week! Enjoy the beauty of nature in our world!

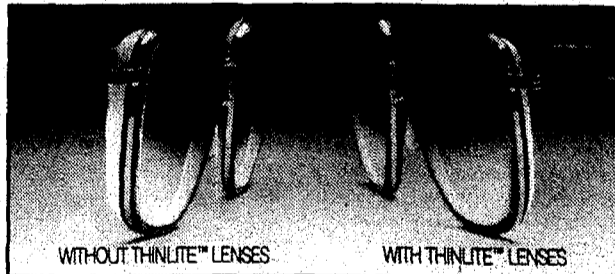
## Jordan River singers will present "Spring Rhythm"

"Spring Rhythm" is the theme of a concert to be presented at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at the First Presbyterian Church, 207 Williams St., East Jordan.

The Jordan River Community Chorus will sing "A Sentimental Journey through the Forties" with some Broadway show tunes and such well-remembered songs as "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "Rhythm of Life." They will also present a medley of spirituals, including "Who'll Be a Witness?"

The chorus is directed by Margaret Thomson, East Jordan, and Fran Tolas, Charlevoix, for Jordan River Arts Council. A \$2 donation is suggested.

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# The Humble Farmer

BY ROBERT SKOGLUND

## The Artist

One of the first things my cousin Pam did when she came up from the city was to wash two years of soot and wood smoke off my curtains. They had just started to stream out in the wind when Gramp Wiley rushed over from his trailer next door and shouted in a very excited voice: "Quick! Get them old fashioned curtains off the clothesline."

"What are you talking about?" she asked politely.

"I ain't seen Andy Wyeth go down by yet this morning."

Before the words were out of Gramp's mouth, I was yanking the curtains off the line and rolling them into a wet ball under my arm.

Pam looked at us as if we were crazy.

"If you lived around here you'd understand," I said sheepishly. "Tell her about it, Gramp."

"For years everyone with a house on the road between Thomaston and Port Clyde has lived in fear," he said with a shiver. "I suppose you noticed that our homes are all freshly painted and kept up down here."

"It's a very pretty village," Pam agreed.

"Andy Wyeth's doing," said Gramp as he looked at the road nervously. "Every morning he loads a couple of his dogs into his Jeep and drives right by here on his way to his family's old studio where he works."

If anyone along here let a house get weatherbeaten, Andy'd be right out in their front yard drawing it on a sketch pad.

"Suppose you accidentally kicked out a pane of glass in your front window," I added, "and stuffed a rag in the hole. Andy'd have it in a painting within two days. A week later you'd see a photograph of it in *Time* magazine."

"Why that would be great," said Pam brightly. "You'd be famous."

"We're tired of being famous," Gramp snorted. "Think what that means. Every two weeks for the rest of your life there'd be a reporter around from some slick magazine wanting to do a story on

you and your quaint old house. And when you replaced the glass in your window, every arty photographer in the free world would get mad."

"Half of your neighbors would be jealous," I added, "and the other half would be asking you to get Andy's autograph. You'd never get a moment's rest. No matter what you did, everyone in town would have their own reason to hate you."

"And that's not all," said Gramp. "Every time Andy paints something, a tourist steals it for a souvenir. After he did the lightning rods on Hen Teel's roof, a dowager from Connecticut climbed up there and walked off with them."

"I've seen a banker from New York get out of a Rolls Royce right in broad daylight and tear the clapboards off Ralph Cline's house."

Pam looked around my back yard and nodded. "I wondered why it looks so good out front of your house and so messy out back."

"Right," I said. "As long as everything looks OK when he drives by, we're safe. But he would have seen those fancy old curtains blowing in the wind, and only a hound dog chained to a tree would fetch him in here any quicker."

"And if he ever sees all the old wagon wheels out back, we'd never get rid of him," said Gramp with a shudder. "Sooner or later he'd ask for a drink of water or something, just to get a look at the inside of the old house."

"Before you'd know it, there'd be hundreds of tourists throwing beer cans and paper plates on my yard," I continued. "They'd be lined up to see my old pantry where Andrew Wyeth painted 'Hermit's Despair.'"

Gramp Wiley herded us out of view of the road before he felt safe to say: "I'll take them curtains home and throw them in the drier. If he done one sketch of this place there'd be so many people crawling through these lilac bushes we'd have to start pulling our shades when we got ready for bed."



This aerial picture shows the old Syfert's Marina which is located on the edge of Boyne City back in the early 1950s. The property today is known as the McIntyre Boat Works and a condominium housing project has been proposed for the site. The project has

been denied by the city planners because the density factor was too much for the amount of land being used. The present owner is suing the city in order to get approval to build.

## Jottings

BY JIM SILBAR

Something else that has been bugging me for the past several years is going to a doctor for the first time.

The office assistant usually hands you a form to fill out that wants you to give your medical history so the doctor can save time by reading it, rather than asking tons of questions about this and that.

The thing that gives me the holy blues is when the office staff and ultimately the doctor, ask questions that are not medical history, like where do I bank, what kind of banking, what insurance plan, what is my address and if I am buying the house, where is the mortgage and how much do I owe.

They also ask my social security number, how long I have lived in town, and many other things that are not related to medicine, but to my financial ability to pay the bill.

What ever happened to the Hippocratic oath?

In my anger, I am thinking of making up a form to give to the doctor for him to fill out.

I want to know what medical school he graduated from, what his grades were, who is his malpractice insurance carrier, how many times has he been sued for malpractice, where he banks and what is his bank account number.

I also want to know what his social security number is, his state tax number, his medical registration number, and his hat size.

After all, if he thinks about my ability to pay a bill, then I want to know about his ability to provide me with medical care.

I think that is as important to me as he thinks my medical history and financial status is to him.

But, if I did that, hand him a form to fill out, I am sure that he would not want me as a patient, if only because the doctors seem to think that almost everyone is

against them anyway. They want to have a smooth running office and do not want to have anyone upset the applecart. Even if by implication.

Now I only go to the medical people when I feel sick enough to

go, or when my better half sends me as I am too lazy and think that I am not sick enough to warrant the doctor's time.

So they see me rather infrequently as I hopefully, do not get sick very often.

I just think the next time I see a doctor, they will keep looking until they find some exotic disease that I could only get by visiting some place on the Asian continent.

And I don't ever plan on going there.

## Ware-withal

No official statistics have appeared on the subject, but then it could well be that none exist considering the difficulty in gathering them. In any case, it seems safe enough to say that Michigan produces one of the largest crops of dandelions annually of any state

in the nation. State residents have always considered this state of affairs more of a tragedy than a triumph, except for pre-school fanciers of the blooms, of course. Now that well-heeled diners pay handsome

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## Letters

### Earth Day Steering says thanks

Editor,

Earth Day Action would like to thank the businesses and individuals who donated funds, products, and services to our efforts: With their support and the work of our steering committee, Earth Day Action organized many activities to celebrate Earth Day 1990. We held the Earth Day Eco-Fair which was attended by over 1,000 people, mailed educational information to 800 teachers and other group leaders, distributed information on tree protection to 13 cities and villages, gave 12 talks to school and community groups, and

encouraged cities, villages, and counties to enact Earth Day resolutions.

Our donors included American Spoon Foods, Between the Covers, Carter's Food Centers, Central Drug Store, Charlevoix County State Bank, Dutch Treat Deli, Great Lakes Gas Transmission Company, Harbor Supply, Irish Boat Shop - Charlevoix, Lindie Furniture, John and Debbie Messer, Petoskey Moving Company, The Print Shop, Char and Bruce Sanderson, and U.S., Inc.

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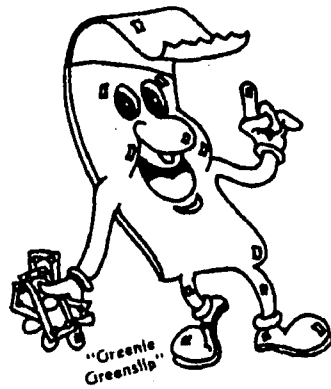
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## Save-Share



Boyne City Elementary School Principal Ed Snyder accepts a check for the school from Glen's Save-Share for \$1037.48.

This is one example of a non-profit group making use of the Save-Share Program to help raise funds. There are many more groups using it, too.

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Thirty-four bowlers, all seniors, took part in the first annual Seniors Tournament that was held Tuesday at the Boyne City Lanes. The tournament included members from the Tuesday and Wednesday senior leagues. The oldest bowler was Clara Kimble, who at 88, still bowls a good game.

Navy Airman Apprentice Jay V. Gee, a 1982 graduate of Boyne Falls High School, recently returned to Naval Air Station Lemoore, Calif., from deployment to the Sea of Japan while serving with Attack Squadron-27, embarked

**In service**

board the aircraft carrier USS Carl Vinson. During the deployment, Gee participated in several exercises including Pacific Exercise (PACEX). PACEX consisted of over 100 ships, the largest military

**Hospice volunteer training to start**

The Charlevoix County Hospice will be conducting a Hospice Volunteer Training Program starting on Monday, May 7th. The training sessions will run for five weeks, meeting on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7-9 p.m. The first session will be on volunteer orientation and the role of a volunteer. Each class will deal with a different aspect of training - Grief and Bereavement, Death and Dying, Communication Skills, Spiritual Care of the Dying, Understanding the Family, Pain Management, Care of the Patient's Mouth, Legal Aspects, Nutrition, and Basic Patient Care.

Please call the hospice office (536-2842) if you are interested in becoming a valuable trained hospice volunteer. You must be at least 18 years of age.

exercise conducted since World War II. He also participated in exercise Valiant Blitz, an exercise conducted with the Japanese Air and Maritime Self Defense Forces and the Korean Defense Force.

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sums in New York's poshest restaurants for salads featuring the leaves of the weed, however, all Michiganians may someday soon view their yellow-dotted lawns as strewn with pieces of gold, or silver anyway.

The Atlantic magazine pointed out New Yorkers' growing enthusiasm for dandelion leaves as salad greens on its April Almanac page, being as it considers April the height of the dandelion season. Due to the vagaries of Michigan weather, May, as often as April, has the climatic conditions that encourage dandelions to show their blooming best. But this is a small point.

**The big point as far as Pageant**

Arts; Jeanne Healey, people's Choice Award.

Over 400 people attended the pageant which also included local talent that entertained the crowd while the girls were getting ready for the next segment of the pageant.

Weidler was crowned by last year's winner Heidi Gaunt after her farewell speech and walk.

This was the second year for the pageant and each year, according to the pageant officials, it becomes harder and harder for the judges to pick the winner. They said that all eight girls really are winners and Queens in their book.

**Ware-withal**

Michiganians are concerned is that The Atlantic indicated that if this trend persists, it could spread across the land, with restaurants nationwide featuring dandelion greens in salads. This would mean that this state's residents could get cash for their bumper crop instead of cursing it and trying to kill it.

How much cash dandelion greens command isn't indicated. The article did say that in the past decade, sales of commercially grown dandelions have tripled, which has greatly enriched Vineland, New Jersey, center of the dandelion business.

Vineland couldn't handle all the business should the enthusiasm for the weed become a national dining passion though, and this is when Michigan residents could step in and fill the needs of Midwest restaurants, at least, with little effort.

While The Atlantic states that Vineland's profits come from the commercially grown weeds, since crops here grow bountifully without any cultivation, it hardly seems necessary to do anything further. Still, if restaurants require that the dandelions they buy be especially grown for the commer-

cial market, residents might have to do a few things to make the produce from their yards saleable.

For instance, buyers might want them to guarantee that animals haven't used the area the dandelions they sell grown in for what animals are accustomed to use yards for. Short of standing guard 24 hours a day, which probably wouldn't do the job anyway, residents would have to dig out a patch of land plentifully endowed with the plant and put it in animal-proof housing. A greenhouse likely would do best, which sounds sill for dandelions, but a buck is a buck.

Beyond that and singing and saying soothing words of encouragement to them, which is supposed to help plants thrive, and should impress buyers as well, Michiganians can prosper from selling their lawn pests; that is if this dandelion greens fad grows and spreads westward.

As for the young devotees of dandelion flowers, since restaurants don't use the blooms in salads, tots can still pick them anytime, anywhere they wish and gravely present the bouquets to those they love.

**Obituaries**

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**ELMER M. SHUBRICK**

Elmer M. Shubrick, 84, of East Jordan, died April 24, 1990, at Bor-tz Health Care of Petoskey.

Funeral was Friday, April 27, at the Paullin Funeral Home, East Jordan. Gene Mickey, minister of East Jordan Church of Christ officiated. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery, East Jordan.

Mr. Shubrick was born Sept. 30, 1905, in Cedar, the son of Mike and Stella (Salisbury) Shubrick. He moved to East Jordan as a young boy with his family and has lived

there ever since.

He retired from Sherman Canning Co. in East Jordan 19 years ago, after working there for many years.

Mr. Shubrick enjoyed reading. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Dorothy Boyer of Naples, Fla., several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two sisters.

The family suggests memorials to the East Jordan Ambulance Fund.

**NETTIE A. HURLBERT**

Nettie A. Hurlbert, 95, of East Jordan, died April 26, 1990, at Grandvue Medical Care Facility, East Jordan.

Funeral was April 28 at St. Joseph Catholic Church, East Jordan. The Rev. Joseph Diezel officiated and interment was in Sunset Hill Cemetery.

The former Nettie A. Cihak was born Aug. 15, 1894, in Jordan Township, Antrim County, the daughter of Frank and Josephine Cihak. On Nov. 25, 1916, she married Roy Hurlbert in East Jordan. He died in 1958.

Mrs. Hurlbert had lived in the East Jordan area all her life.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and had worked at the canning factory in East Jordan for many years. She enjoyed gardening, dancing and making hooked rugs.

She is survived by one son, Lester Hurlbert of East Jordan; many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Hurlbert was preceded in death by five brothers, Boehomeo, Frank, James, Louis and Joseph and two sisters, Josephine Cihak and Mary Kubeck.

Arrangements were by the Paullin Funeral Home, East Jordan.

**Head Start registration for Boyne Valley**

The Northwest Michigan Human Services, Inc., is announcing registration activities for the Head Start Center for Boyne Valley. Recruitment activities for enrollment in the Center will be held at The Boyne Valley Head Start Center, 233 W. Cedar, Boyne City, on Monday, May 7, 1990, 12 noon to 6:00 p.m.

The Head Start Program is a complete preschool program for 3 to 5 year old children in the Boyne City, East Jordan area.

The basic goal of the program is to encourage well-rounded development. This is done through the teaching of health, cognitive (thinking) skills. Teachers, community professionals, support staff, and parents, (whose participation is extremely important) work together to accomplish this

goal. Through the involvement of parents, the program aims at enhancing the parent's role as the prime educator of their children. The program is carried out through the center and home-based activities.

To qualify for this program, you must be within these Federal Income Guidelines:

HOUSEHOLD	GROSS INCOME
2	\$ 8,420
3	\$10,560
4	\$12,700
5	\$14,840

For each additional household member add: \$2,140.

While this is an income-eligible program, families whose income exceeds these guidelines may still qualify if their child has a special need documented by a professional (doctor, psychologist, social

worker, etc.) who makes a referral to the program. Ten percent of the enrolled families are over the income guidelines.

Those interested in applying for the Head Start Program should come to the recruitment and bring the following information:

1. Your child's immunization records.
  2. Proof of income (1989 tax records, pay stub, DSS check enclosure, or client notice)
  3. Social Security numbers of all household members
  4. Your blue Medicaid card (if you have one)
  5. Your insurance card (if you have one)
  6. Food Stamp card
  7. Birth Certificate
  8. The child you are enrolling
- This program will be held at the

Boyne Valley Head Start Center, 233 W. Cedar, Boyne City. The class will be limited to 40 children and will be held Tuesday through Friday in the morning and afternoon beginning in September and ending in May.

This program is funded through a grant from the Federal Government and there are no expenses to the families. Children will be bused to and from the center through Northwest Michigan Human Services transportation services and a nutritious meal/snack will be provided.

For further information on this program, please call Phyllis M. Hess at 347-9070 (collect if necessary).

**Boyne City Middle School Honor Roll**

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**SIXTH GRADE**

All A's: Sean Battiste, Katie Bricker, Nikki Fettig, Margaret Gregware, Milissa Helsley, Katrina Knipe, and Sean Pethers.  
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**SEVENTH GRADE**

All A's: Kelley Bauman, Adrea Korthase, and Nikki Neeb.  
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Jim Karkosak, Jeanice Knight, Jamie Matthews, April Mattson, Peter Moody, Travis Peck, Amy Rau, Jody Reinhardt, Ashli Simpson, Kregg Smith, Albert Steed, and Fred Stolt.

**EIGHTH GRADE**

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3.0 or better: Amy Barkdoll, Daphne Crozier, Katie Drury, Chad Ernst, Shawn Gonzales, Jeff Greetis, Gina Howard, Melanie Hubble, Charity Huff, Kelly Johnecheck, Matt Nakoneczny, Lisa Niedling, Mike Pittiglio, Anne Polleys, Bianca Ride, Brandon Stadt, Brooke VandenBrink, and Josh Wright.

**LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION**

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF BOYNE FALLS PUBLIC SCHOOLS. CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 11, 1990.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1990, IS MONDAY, MAY 14, 1990. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 14, 1990, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

John Hausler  
Secretary, Board of Education  
may 2, 9

**LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION**

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF EAST JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

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In the matter of JEFFERY DAVID PAYNE.  
**TAKE NOTICE:** On Wed. May 16, 1990 at 2:00 p.m., in the probate courtroom, City of Charlevoix, Michigan, before Hon. Frederick R. Mulhauser, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition for Change of Name filed by Diana L. Noeske, requesting that the name of Jeffery David Payne be changed to Jeffery David Noeske.  
 April 4, 1990  
 Diana L. Noeske  
 01443 BC & EJ Rd.  
 Boyne City, Mich. 49712  
 may 2

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO ESTABLISH A BRANCH BANK**  
 Notice is hereby given that the Northwestern State Bank of East Jordan, Michigan, has made application to the Regional Director, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, for permission to establish and operate a bank branch at 625 North Williams Street in the village of Manacelona, Michigan.  
 Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its regional office, 30 South Wacker Dr., Suite 3100, Chicago, IL 60606, before processing of the application has been completed. Processing will be completed no earlier than the 15th day following either the date of the last required publication or the date of receipt of the application by the FDIC, whichever is later.  
 The period may be extended by the regional director for good cause. The nonconfidential portion of the application file is available for inspection within one day following the request for such file. It may be inspected in the Corporation's regional office during regular business hours. Photocopies of information in the nonconfidential portion of the application file will be made available upon request. A schedule of charges for such copies can be obtained from the regional office.

# What's Happening

**SPRING SALAD LUNCHEON**  
 The United Methodist Church of East Jordan will be featuring a salad luncheon on Thursday, May 3 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Children under five years are free and those under 12 years will be admitted for half price. Everyone is encouraged to come and enjoy. The church is located at 201 Fourth Street.

**PANCAKE SUPPER**  
 Peninsula Grange is having a pancake and sausage supper on Saturday, May 5 from 5-7 p.m. at the Grange hall located 2 1/2 miles north of East Jordan off Advance Road. Children admitted at reduced price. There is a handicapped entrance at the hall. Come join us.

**N.M.S.A.S.**  
 The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services Board of Directors will be held on Monday, May 7 beginning at 10 a.m. at the Holiday Inn in Grayling. For agenda and details please call (517)732-1791.

**BUDDY POPPIES**  
 Buddy Poppies will go on sale in the Boyne City area May 10, 11, 12. Buy one and wear it. Throughout the nation, veterans in need are counting on you to bring them assistance through your purchase of the VFW Buddy Poppy. Your donation will help those who fought to preserve the freedom you enjoy today, and will stay in your community to help local veterans.

**MINSTREL SHOW**  
 The Elk Rapids Rotary Club will hold its 36th Annual Minstrel Show, May 11 & 12 at 8 p.m. in the Township Hall, River Street, Elk Rapids. Using "Laugh In" as their theme, the show should prove to be hilarious. Tickets can be purchased at Riteway Party Store on River Street and the Village Market on Ames Street in Elk Rapids. Proceeds from the show are used for The Good Works Fund. More info call Dee Wilson 264-9713.

**CHOLESTEROL CLINIC**  
 The monthly cholesterol testing clinic at the East Jordan Family Health Center will be held on Tuesday, May 8, from 12 p.m. in the Community Room on the lower level. There is a special fee for tests at this time. Since only a limited number of patients can be seen, please make an appointment. Call 536-2205.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
 If you have a problem with alcohol we urge you to attend a local A.A. meeting for support.

The Boyne Valley Group meets at the Knights of Columbus Hall on M-75 S. Boyne City, every Monday at 8 p.m. (closed meeting). Wed. at 6:30 p.m. (step study closed meeting followed by a regular closed mtg.), Thursday at noon (closed mtg.), Friday at 8 p.m. (closed mtg.).

The Boyne City group meets every Sunday at the Presbyterian Church on Park St. at 8 p.m. for a closed meeting.

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**  
 The American Legion of Charlevoix will be holding an "all you can eat" pancake breakfast on Sunday, May 6, 8 a.m. to 12 noon. This event will take place at the Legion Hall in Charlevoix, which is located on Garfield and Bridge Streets.

**NEEDED**  
 The sewing room at Grandvue Medical Care Facility is in need of clean, snagged nylons (all colors), old broken jewelry, beads and sequins. These supplies will be used by the patients in upcoming projects.

**BLIND/DEAF**  
 Braille materials, readers for visually impaired individuals, and interpreters for the hearing impaired will be provided upon request. If you are in need of one of these services, please notify Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, 1723 West M-32, Suite A, Gaylord, MI (517)732-1791.

**SIZZLE STEAK DINNER**  
 Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 519, will be having a sizzle Steak Dinner May 12 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the V.F.W. Hall in Boyne City. Will feature a Kiddy Burger and Fries. Everyone is welcome.

**ACE GENEALOGY**  
 The Ace Genealogy Society will meet on Thursday, May 3 at the Boyne City Library at 7 p.m. This will be a work bee.

## In service

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Timothy C. Winters, son of Robert C. and Linda L. Winters of Boyne City, recently reported for duty aboard the Submarine USS Sturgeon, homeported in Charleston, S.C.  
 A 1983 graduate of Boyne City High School, he joined the Navy in February 1988.

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## Spring's torrent of fish

BY REG SHARKEY

Whistle Trout, that's the fish we know as suckers, (family Catostomidae), are migrating up creeks and rivers to spawn.

Always plentiful they push into gravelly spawning areas unmindful of the spear-thrusting humans who take them home by the bagful to be smoked, canned, made into fish burgers, soup, you name it.

Here in this part of Michigan the spearing season opens the first of May, and if you go after them make darn sure you aren't gigging on designated trout streams. It's "verbotten."

Don't let anyone tell you that suckers aren't good eating. This time of the year their flesh is firm and sweet. Of course those little pitch fork bones can be troublesome. However, if prepared right they're no problem.

And like my old friend Bud Schulz—he's an expert at separating those small bristly bones from the flesh. Smoked suckers are Bud's Sunday suit. Like a well-oiled machine the fish portions go inside one side of the mouth and as mastication takes place the bones slide out the other.

Go after these fish and I'll tell you how to smoke them. This is the way it's done:

Dress them by removing the head and cut the tail part off just back of the dorsal fin, which has a concentration of those annoying little bones. Cut the belly open and shuck out the entrails. A teaspoon will clean out the cavity real well. Oh, yes, don't scale the fish.

Some people prefer to leave the dressed chunk whole, but I prefer to split them. The brine will penetrate the flesh better that way.

Now you're ready to make the brine. You're best container is a big crockery one. You'll have to judge how much brine you think it will take to cover the fish.

Anyhow, to the fresh cold water add salt, preferably kosher salt. How much salt? Enough to float a

lawnmower? Heavens no! The way to judge it is to use an uncooked egg. Keep adding salt to the water until the egg floats exposing a spot the size of a dime. And my secret to top flavor is to add garlic powder. How much is up to you.

How long in the brine? I usually dunk the fish in the brine about 5 p.m. The next morning about 8 a.m. I take the fish out, rinse off the brine slime, lay them on the smoking racks to drain while stoking up the smoker. After the fish is through dripping I put the raked fish in the smoker.

A slow, fairly cool smoke is a good starter. What do you use for fuel? Regardless of what the so-called experts say, it doesn't matter as long as hardwoods are used. I use maple and also corncobs. Course if you go for what the experts say you'll bust your butt scrounging for apple or other exotic hardwoods.

I use a converted refrigerator for a smoker, with a meat cooking thermometer piercing the side which keeps tabs on the temps.

It takes me around six to eight hours to do a good job. Color will tell you when they're getting to the right point. Cool smoke at first and as they brown you'll get to the point where you increase the heat to finish them off. Top them off with a short interval of heat up to 212 degrees for a couple of minutes. This makes sure botulism is a no-no.

Now you're ready for a treat, better than those smoked whitefish you buy from commercial smokers.

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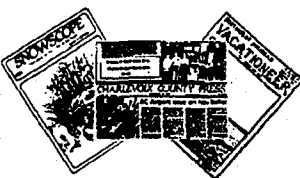
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## LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF  
BOYNE CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 11, 1990.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1990, IS MONDAY, MAY 14, 1990. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 14, 1990, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

*Belle R. Reinhardt*  
Secretary, Board of Education

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This mess of smokers was speared at one of the many secret spots Reg know about in the area.

## Free Boyne County calendar now available for asking

From crafts to classic cars, a full schedule of festivals, fairs and activities is listed in the Boyne County 1990 Calendar of Events.

Included are dates and locations for events in the Petoskey, Harbor Springs, and Boyne City and Boyne Falls areas, as well as near-by Charlevoix, East Jordan and Mackinaw City.

Some of the listed items include the National Morel Mushroom Hunting Championship and

## Boyer Falls girls lose two, stand 3-3

BY BECKY HAUSLER

Monday, the Boyne Falls girls' softball team failed to make any contact with the ball throughout the first game of a double-header against Ellsworth, and lost the game by a score of 2-0. The team did get runners on base with eight

## Loggers take games 5-4, 10-9

BY BECKY HAUSLER

Boyer Falls Logger boys' teams ended up completely different than the girls' softball team as the hardball playing boys took both ends of a double-header against Ellsworth Monday.

In the first game, Mark Reynolds hit a home run and scored another during the game. Chris Hansen, Kirt Wilson and Steve Sparks each added runs, Wilson also stole two bases.

The Loggers had two hits in the game and after six innings, took the game 5-4. Steve Sparks was the winning pitcher.

In the wrap-up game, the Loggers took a close one, 10-9 with eight hits. John Burns and Wilson scored two runs each while Reynolds, Sparks, Chris Topolinski, Bob Freck, exchange student Ai Ikeda and Jim Matelski each contributed a run. Matelski also had two RBIs.

Wilson again stole a couple of bases along with Topolinski. Sparks was the winning pitcher.

walks, but couldn't bring them home with any hitting. Michelle Cousineau was the losing pitcher.

In the second game, the Lady Loggers did make the scoreboard with seven runs but they still ended up on the losing side trailing Ellsworth by 23 runs. The final score was 30-7. Ellen Reynolds was the losing pitcher in this game that had the Loggers down for five hits and 14 walks.

The softball team's record is now 3-3.

## Donkey basketball game ends 8-9 for Celebs

BY 4-H Journalism Student  
MARIA RICH

There were lots of thrills, laughs, and countless spills at the Buckeye Donkey basketball game, played in the Boyne City High School gym on April 29th.

Local businessmen and teachers played against local celebrities, with the celebrity team pulling out a last minute 8-9 victory. Both teams agreed that it was a fun and unique experience for them.

Before the game a rider for the Community team, Sue Everson from Everson's Lodge, Ontario, said "I've never ridden a horse, and I've never played basketball, so this should be a real treat!"

Kraag Lieberman, Prosecuting Attorney, said, "It should be real fun. I want a small donkey, or better yet, one that doesn't move!"

Tom Neidhamer, a teacher at Boyne City High School, was confident that the locals were going to win the game. "Most definitely," he

replied enthusiastically. "We're going to win!"

After the game, when asked how it felt to ride a donkey, he replied, "It hurt! But it was a lot of fun!"

The game did not go on without controversy, however. There was a group of animal right activists protesting the game. Activist/protestor, Virginia Heick, said "I believe that the donkey basketball game is degrading and humiliating to the donkeys." The protestors found nothing wrong with the van and the conditions the donkeys were being kept under. They did feel the donkeys are being forced to play in too many games, too close together. The fact that we just experienced Earth Day should be enough to prove animals are living beings and deserve the respect of humans. "They are not to be exhibited like clowns for human entertainment," Heick commented.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF BOYNE CITY

Notice is hereby given that the following text will be open for Public Hearing at the Planning Advisory Board Meeting on Monday, May 21, 1990, at 6:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers of City Hall, 319 North Lake Street:

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO

BOYNE CITY ZONING ORDINANCE A-28

RELATING TO

TWO-FAMILY DWELLINGS IN R-2 MEDIUM-DENSITY RESIDENTIAL  
DISTRICT  
AND  
CONDITIONAL USES IN DISTRICTS

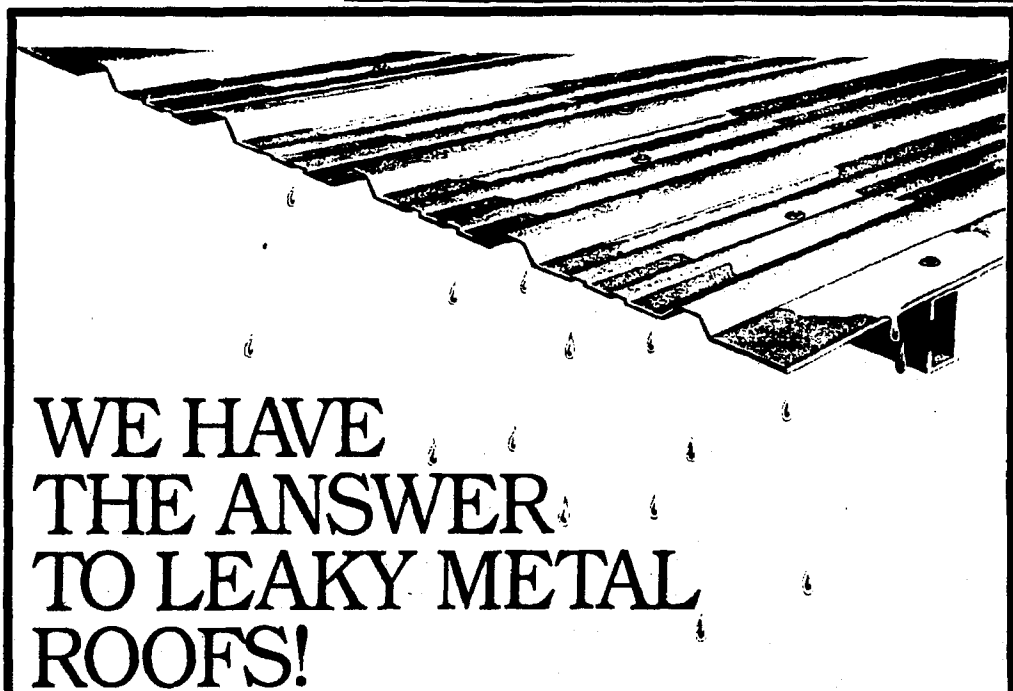
Amendment No. 33-90 to Section 3.20 (C) (3) (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL, R-2) of Zoning Ordinance A-28 for the City of Boyne City, which would permit two-family dwellings in R-2 Medium-Density Residential District, as a Conditional Use, except in the area described as being bounded by the average high-water mark of Lake Charlevoix on one side and the following described course on the other side:

From Lake Charlevoix, North along Woodland Drive to West Michigan Avenue; then East and South along West Michigan Avenue to Bay Street; then Southeast along Bay Street to John Street; then North along John Street to East Michigan Avenue; then East along East Michigan Avenue to North Lake Street; then South along North Lake Street to The Landings Condominiums.

Amendment No. 34-90 to Section 15.027 (CONDITIONAL USES IN DISTRICTS) of Zoning Ordinance A-28 for the City of Boyne City, which would add the following to the findings that must be made by the Planning Board in order to grant a Conditional Use Permit:

The applicant's lot must be not less than 66 feet in width, and have a total area of not less than 6,500 square feet.

Thomas Gariock, City Clerk  
CITY OF BOYNE CITY  
May 2



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