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Commission sets July 16 date for public hearing

BY IRENA GRANAAS

Journal Editor

After receiving a request for a public hearing from suspended city administrator Carolyn Sutter. East Jordan city commissioners changed the July 16 work session to a regular meeting, and scheduled the hearing for 7:30 p.m.

The action took place at the July 2 city commission meeting.

Also at the meeting, commissioners approved a city administrator evaluation guide to be used to evaluate the performance of Sutter or any other future administrator.

Commissioners met and discussed evaluation forms used by the East Jordan Schools to evaluate their superintendent and an evaluation form used

by Boyne City, and drafted their own using elements from both.

No plans had been set for evaluating Sutter at press time.

Commissioners voted to placed Sutter on a 30-day suspension at a June 13 special meeting, after multiple concerns were expressed about Sutter's handling of employees and her administrative duties.

Commissioners discussed whether to appoint an interim administrator during Sutter's suspension to take the burden off city treasurer and acting administrator Susan Moreau, but city attorney Scott Beatty advised not to appoint anyone until after the public hearing.

Moreau said she is managing the workload for now, "But you'll have to realize some things won't get done as fast."



Property owner threatens suit

against city over road installation

BY IRENA GRANAAS

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An East Jordan property owner petitioned the city commission at the July 2 meeting to build an undeveloped, platted road to provide access to his property.

Robert Gee said he's been paying property taxes on the land since 1994 and needs road access in order to build a house on the property. Spruce Street is an undeveloped street which branches off Cedar Street, near the Evans Lumber Yard.

Robert Gee and his father Dale said Dale has been paying taxes on the property since 1968. Robert bought the property from Dale in 1994.

"All I want to do is build a house up there," said Robert.

Commissioner Brian Sweet agreed Spruce Street is a platted street, but said it doesn't mean the city must build the street.

"We've got a lot of platted, undeveloped streets," he said.

"But we've got to have this one, or we go to court," Dale Gee

Commissioner Greg Chappuies said the commission "represents every taxpayer in the city ... Probably every taxpayer in the city doesn't want to pay for your street."

Chappuies said if the city were

to pay for Gee's road, "Every private individual will want the city to pay for private streets. That doesn't mean mistakes weren't made in the past."

He told Gee the city is willing to maintain the road once it's

"If you're not going to do it, we're going to court," said Dale. "That's all there is to it."

After a brief discussion about setting up a special assessment district or giving Gee a private easement, city attorney Scott Beatty offered to talk to Gee's attorney Roy Hayes III to work out a solution. The commission directed Beatty to do so.

Beatty told commissioners any road built should be brought up to specifications before the city accepts it.

"The city is not free of liability if it's a platted street," he said.

"According to our attorney, we're justified in making the city put this road in," said Dale Gee.

Citing the precedent it would set, Chappuies said, "You could bankrupt the city by winning the

"I think if a street's been platted for 40 years, it becomes pretty real to the people who own property there ... I think a platted street indicates the city's intent to put a street there," said commissioner Ruth Gee.

"I don't think a plat signifies an intent, but control of development," said Sweet. "We don't put in a driveway for nothing. How can we put in a street for nothing?"

Dale Gee told the commission he has a 1983 letter signed by former East Jordan City Superintendent John Michael Dionne, which states if then-owner Dale Gee ever decided to build a home, the city would put the street in.

Commissioners agreed Beatty will contact Robert Gee's attorney and review the options for the road to be built.

In a July 4 interview, Robert Gee said the city's action is satisfactory for now. He plans to attend the July 16 city commission meeting with his attorney, and expects the city to make a decision on the road at the meeting.

The platted length is 300 feet by 66 feet wide, but Gee said he only needs a 30-foot-wide gravel road for his needs.

Gee said the city should pay for road constructon, because it's a platted street and that's why he bought the property from his father in 1994 with the intention of building a house.

"They said East Jordan was the fastest-growing city in the state in 1995," he said. "How can that be if they won't even put streets in?"

Celebrating freedom

Members of the U.S. Marine Corps march proudly during the June 29 Freedom Festival Grand Parade while all-American colors like those displayed by balloon vendors Terise Cutler (left) and Becki Whiteford, both East Jordan cheerleaders, were the order of the day. See inside today's East Jordan Journal for more photos.



Coming events

Garden Club holds annual flower show

The East Jordan Garden Club will hold an unjuried flower show Tue., July 16, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Jordan River Arts Council building.

The show's theme is "Enjoying My Garden." It is open to members of the public.

People may submit flower arrangements, single blooms and vegetables. The submissions must be brought to the JRAC building between 9 and 10 a.m. July 16.

Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Peggy Midener, 536-2117.

JRAC studio tour returns

Due to popular demand, the Jordan River Arts Council is again featuring the Studio Tour Wed., July 17, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The tour offers a chance to visit as many as 10 studios of local artists. For \$10, tour participants can take part in a drive while watching some of the area's most talented artists creating their

Artists on this year's tour include:

David and June Otis, pottery; Glen McCune, painting, Ron Abfalter, woodworking; Marion Shea-Light, watercolor; Art Brown, metalwork; Cornelia Dhaseleer, pottery; Maggie Matthews, weaving; Jerry and Linda Beers Aydlott, jewelry; Diane Strzelinski, weaving; Jim Galbraith, photography; and Glenn Bell, multi-media artwork.

Something new this year is a brochure-map which also serves as a ficket. When tickets are purchased at any of the six ticket outlets. a combined brochure-map will be provided.

Ticket outlets are: Busy Bridge and Huckle's in East Jordan; Boyne Country Books in Boyne City; Koucky Gallery in Charlevoix; McLean and Eakin Books in Petoskey; and Berween the Covers in Harbor Springs.

Former resident holds exhibit

"Capturing a slice of reality" is the theme of artist Susie Logie's collection of oil painting, pastels and charcoals.

The Jordan River Arts Council has invited Logie to display her varied, colorful paintings in the Arts Council Gallery, from July 21 to Aug. 1.

The opening reception on Sun., July 21, is from 2 to 4 p.m. Starting July 22, the exhibit is open daily from noon to 4 p.m.

Logie is interested in the real thing, and does not paint from photographs.

"This is the way I like to work," she says. "Look at the same thing for a long time. Monet taught us to do that."

Logie works in oils on canvas and pastels on paper. In a typical week, she will paint a few hours at three or four sittings. She values variety in her work, painting a range in size, in intensity of color and in subject.

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Grief recovery program begins

A series of five weekly sessions for those coping with a loss will be held from Wed., July 24 to August 21, form 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Community Mental Health Conference Room, 218 W. Garfield, Charlevoix.

The grief recovery program is sponsored by Charlevoix County Hospice, Charlevoix Area Hospital, Community Mental Health and District Health Department No. 3, to provide help who is recovering from a loss.

Andrew Sahara, Ph.D., LP. will conduct the grief recovery sessions. Anyone is invited who has suffered a loss, or who is helping a loved one deal with a loss and would benefit from the support of others.

These informative discussions are open to the public and free of charge. Class size is limited to 10. Those interested must pre-register, and registration will be closed with no one admitted to the sessions after the first class.

Please call the Hospice office at 536-2842 to indicate your desire to participate in the free program.

Parish festival held Sunday

The St. Mary Church, Charlevoix, will hold its 12th Annual Parish Festival Sun., July 14, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A chicken barbecue dinner will be served from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and there will be a fast food concession stand open. Everyone is welcome.

Other festival features include:

- cash raffle
- Bingo
- children's games
- basketball tournament (3 on 3, double elimination, 9 years and up)

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Joining forces to clean up Michigan forests

A historic Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) was signed June 28 at the Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC) 59th Annual Convention in Cadillac.

The formal agreement is aimed at resolving litter problems and conflicts associated with hunting blinds placed on public lands. Cosignatories include the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR), MUCC, Upper Peninsula Whitetails Association and the Upper Peninsula Sportsmen's Alliance.

All parties have pledged to work together to remove illegal blinds from Michigan forests and support increased penalties for illegal ground blinds. In exchange for the cooperative forest cleanup initiative, the MOA further establishes a two-year test period whereby portable, manufactured or artificial deer hunting ground blinds will be allowed to remain in place on public lands in the Upper Peninsula and northern Lower Peninsula from Nov. 10 through Jan. 2.

Portable ground blinds not removed at the end of the day must also have the owner's name and address clearly attached. During the remaining hunting seasons, and for all public lands in southern Michigan, only portable ground blinds which are removed at the end of each day and those constructed out of dead and natural materials will be permitted.

DNR officials said hunters were displeased with a DNR directors' order scheduled to take effect this year, making it unlawful for ground blinds made of manufactured materials to be left overnight on public lands. The order was an attempt to address what was viewed as a growing problem of abandoned blinds littering public lands.

"We were initially approached by Upper Peninsula sports groups who shared our concerns about trash in forests, and who were also concerned about an order signed by my predecessor to totally prohibit the use of manufactured ground blinds on public lands," said DNR Director K. L. Cool. "We recognized an opportunity to forge a new partnership to address common challenges, and we welcomed it. The DNR should always be open to suggestions, alternatives and the ideas of anyone who is willing to work with us."

MUCC Executive Director Rick Jameson added, "This cooperative agreement is the ideal way to solve the problem of abandoned blinds. Sportsmen's groups have been very active in the Adopt-a-Forest program, and I believe they will successfully tackle the blind problem as well."

DNR officials added it is the expressed hope of all parties that a 10-percent reduction of trash in northern forests will result from this cooperative venture.

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WHAT'S COOKING

Recipes designed in the kitchen of Debbie Chappuies, with East Jordan cooks in mind

Pork Tenderloins are one of the most versatile and elegant meats to prepare. Last week I shared my favorite traditional recipe and today I would like to offer a few other suggestions for even less involvement in preparation time. They are all extremely simple and I use them all. Don't let their simplicity hold you back from using them for a company meal – they will think you spent hours!

- Either make your own or buy honey mustard and rub all over the tenderloins. Let marinate for about 30 minutes. Brush more on tenderloins as you cook them. To make your own honey mustard, simply combine Dijon mustard with honey until you like how it tastes!
- Do the same as above except with orange marmalade.
- Combine pineapple juice with brown sugar and heat until sugar is dissolved. Pour over tenderloin and bake.
- Marinate the tenderloin in pineapple juice for 30 minutes. Combine a can of peach slices, a can of mandarin oranges, pineapple chunks and one or two mangos, sliced. You can use whatever fruits you like, but mangos are the key.

Put the fruits in a large frying pan with their juices. Simmer without a lid until it starts to thicken. If you wish, add a 1/4 cup of dry sherry. (Never use 'cooking sherry', as there is too much salt – regular wines are much better.) When tenderloin is ready, slice and pour fruit mixture over.

In all cases, cooking time is about 40 minutes at 420 degrees – or use the grill. I like to serve Uncle Ben's long grain and wild rice with any of these methods, along with a vegetable. All the methods also work well with chicken.

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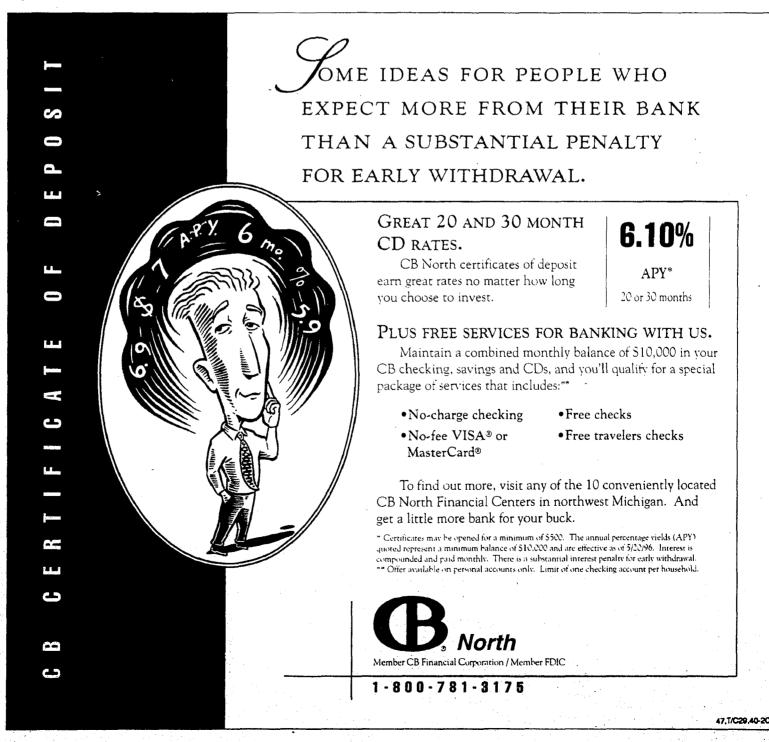
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D&D Construction It's a boy! retains lead in league

BY RICH CLARK Journal Sports Writer

D&D Construction maintained its grip on the Men's Fast-pitch Softball League with a 6-1 win over Shadow's/Sam's June 24 Second-place Charlevoix Electric was upset by a tough Tom's Golf team June 28, helping D&D's cause.

June 24 action saw Charlevoix Electric down Tom's Diesel, 11-3. Ron Boss hurled two strikeouts and gave up six hits in the win, Steve Goebel took the loss, allowing 11 hits and striking out five. Kevin Morrison led Charlevoix with a homer and two singles. Randy Morris, Kelly Morris, Jeff Brodine, Steve Goebel, Darey Bennett and Dennis Skrocki each collected a hit for Diesel.

The second game of the night saw D&D Construction struggle to a win over a determined Shadow's/Sam's team, 6-1. John Skop picked up the complete-game win with seven strikeouts and only four hits while Ray Argetsinger fell in the loss, hurling six strikeouts and allowing nine hits. Steve Bartlett led the D&D attack with a homer and two singles in three trips to the plate. John Skop also had a homer for D&D. Jamie Vincent, Ray Argetsinger, Rocky Clerk and Kurt Labeau all had hits for Shadows.

June 26 saw Tom's Diesel win over Tom's Golf, 10-5. Tom Reid had a complete-game win, allowing eight hits. Vern Ringle gave up 14 in the loss. Kelly Morris led the attack with two

Tail trustee work crews available

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater advises that he will be assigning county jail trustees, under the supervision of a sheriff's officer, to work in community projects.

So far, trustees have completed several projects including cleaning Evee Township Cemetery and painting a fence at Wilson Township

Lasater advised trustees may be available to help county senior citizens who cannot afford help with painting or yard work through normal means. Citizens or officials who have questions about this can contact Lasater at the sheriff department, 547-4461.

homers and Dennis Skrocki had a double and two singles to help out Diesel. Lyman Harris had two homers and a single to pace Tom's Golf.

In game two, Charlevoix Electric cruised to a 26-7 win over Rainbow Bar. Ron Boss gave up nine hits for the win while Kevin Russell and Jim Raymond allowed 20 hits combined. Boss also helped himself on the offensive end with two homers and a single. Mike Martin had a homer and two singles, Kris Bartling had three singles and a double, and Frank Hersha had a homer for the Charlevoix attack, John Russell had a homer and Kevin Russell a double and a single for

June 28 saw the upset of the week with Tom's Golf coming out on top of Charlevoix Merchants, 11-10. Ron Heinbaugh earned the pitching win by giving up 10 hits and Ron Boss took the loss, allowing 13 hits. Tom Reid Jr. lifted Golf with a homer, a double, and a single. Boss helped his cause with a homer and a single and Kevin Morrison added a homer for Charlevoix.

Game two saw Shadow's/ Sam's down Witson Carbide, 13-5. Shadow Herbon and Ray Argetsinger combined for the win with three strikeouts and seven hits. Scott Kelly gave up 12 hits and seven strikeouts in the loss. Herbon had a double and a single to lead Shadow's. Donny Smith and Rick Matelski added two singles each. Scott Kelly helped his cause with two homers in the game to bring his season total to

Standings as of June 29:

Team	W	L
D&D Cons	6	0
Charl. Merch.	6	2
Tom's Diesel	4	5
Rainbow Bar	3	4
Tom's Golf	3	5
Shadow's/Sam's	3	5
Witson Carbide	1	6
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• Rita LaVictoire and Steven Wisniewski of East Jordan announced the birth of a son, Thomas Isadore Wisniewski, on Sun., June 16, 1996, at Charlevoix Area Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces, and measured 21 inch-

Thomas is also welcomed by brothers Jack and Luke, and a sister, Emily. Proud grandparents are Ben and Betty Wisniewski of Flushing and Virginia LaVictoire of Flint.

Student news

Malpass earns degree

An East Jordan man was among 2,123 students earning degrees from Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo at the end of the winter semester of the 1995-96 school year.

Andrew James Malpass received a manufacturing engineering degree from the university.

Prescription help available

The Charlevoix County Commission on Aging has MEPPS vouchers available for assisting senior citizens in purchasing prescription

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Dale A. Gee of East Jordan and Maxine E. Butz of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada were married May 22, 1946 by Rev. Howard Moore in East Jordan's Methodist Parsonage. Witnessing the marriage were Rex Gibbard of East Jordan and Edna Scott of Edmonton.

The Gees have three children, Barbara Pluciennik, Robert Gee and Janice Tavallieri, and five grandsons.



MAXINE AND DALE GEE

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croping can only bring disaster to both parties. That doesn't mean that we can't learn and in time be expable of teaching others. Yet so can they do likewise. The true measure of a person's ability to lead is to first learn to follow. We must also learn the guidelines for living with and loving our fellow beings. And what better guide is there for clearing the mist from one's eyes than the words of leaves as He taught us to venerate God and respect one another?

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Other East Jordan Area Churches:

- E.J. Missionary. 536-2128
- · E.J. Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
- E.J. United Methodist Church, 536-7596 • Full Gospel Truth.
- 536-3430 Grace Bible Church,
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Approval granted for NMH program

The Commission on Cancer of the American College of Surgeons has granted three-year approval to the Comprehensive Cancer Services at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Because of the changes Northern Michigan Hospital has instilled into the Comprehensive Cancer Services, this three-year approval has opened a door to helping staff and participants provide the best diagnosis and treatment of cancer.

The commission sets the standards for cancer care in the nation. Established by the American College of Surgeons in 1932, the approvals program encourages participants to equip and staff themselves so that they are able to provide the best in diagnosis and treatment of cancer.

Recognizing that cancer is a complex group of diseases, the program promotes consultation among surgeons, medical oncologist, radiation oncologist, diagnostic radiologists, pathologist, and other cancer specialists. This multidisciplinary cooperation results in improved patient care.

An integral part of cancer program is the tumor registry. All patients who are diagnosed or treated for cancer are listed in the registry so that the institution can maintain contact with them and make sure that they receive continuing care and assistance with rehabilitation. Information collected through the registry allows Northern Michigan Hospital to participate in national studies that are designed to improve patient care. These studies focus on diagnostic patterns, surgery, other treatment, and patient outcome.

Using annual cancer registry data from more than 1,000 US cancer treatment organizations, Northern Michigan Hospital is able to comparatively assess their patterns of care using survey data from the National Cancer Data Base (NCDB).

The NCDB also provides an annual yardstick of how many patients were diagnosed at each hospital using the most appropriate staging or classification system of disease severity. To further assist in comparative assessment of cancer treatment at the hospital, two studies of special population have been performed that focus on Hispanic patients and elderly patients.

In addition, several Patient Care Evaluation (PCE) studies were designed and completed that used supplementary medical information gathered for evaluating special issues of cancer management concern for cancers of the cervix, colon and prostate. Thus, the Patient Care Evaluation Studies and the national Cancer Data Base have collectively provided a useful benchmark that individual approved cancer programs can use for continuous improvement of the quality of patient care.

The American Cancer Society estimates that, 1,359.150 cases of cancer will be diagnosed in the United States during 1996. Slightly more than one-fifth of the country's hospitals have approved cancer programs, and more than 80 percent of patients who are newly diagnosed with cancer are treated in these hospitals.

This three-year approval will help Northern Michigan Hospital and Burns Clinic physicians and staff educate and emphasize awareness and prevention of cancer. For more information about the Comprehensive Cancer Services at Northern Michigan Hospital, please call 1-800-248-6777.

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AISE accepting host family applications

American International Student Exchange is currently accepting applications from families in this area who are interested in hosting a foreign exchange student for the upcoming school year.

Families may choose to host a student for a semester or a full year. These high school students, all proficient in the English language, will arrive in the United States in August and attend local high school, while living as members of their American host families.

All AISE students have completed a lengthy screening and interview process with representatives in their home countries, and come highly recommended by school principals, counselors and teachers.

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Luther Carl Ransom, 74, of Central Lake, died July 4, 1996, at

Funeral services were held July 8, 1996 at the Central Lake Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

Christina M. Burch, 32, died Fri., July 5, 1996, at her home in Mancelona.

Funeral services were held July 9 at the Paullin-Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan.

Richard B. "Dick" Waffle, 64, of Central Lake, died Sat., July 6, 1996, at home.

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Police reports

Sunroof broken

A baseball player batting a ball at nearby Murphy Field July 1 ended up damaging a parked car.

East Jordan Police Chief Jerry Alward said Arnold Smith had his 1980 Pontiac four-door parked at the field on Water St. about 7:30 p.m. when a foul ball hit the car's sunroof and broke it.

Parked car damaged

An unknown driver damaged another vehicle June 28 which was parked in the East Jordan Iron Works lot.

Charles Miller III of Ellsworth reported to police at 7:30 a.m. that someone struck his 1990 Ford four-door while it was parked.

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DNR holds open houses

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will hold two Public Listening and Outreach Open Houses on July 17 and 23.

The July 17 meeting will be held in Grand Rapids from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Grand Rapids Charter Township Hall, 1836 East Beltline NE, Grand Rapids.

The July 23 meeting will be held in Newberry from 7 to 9 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, Highway M-123. The American Legion Hall is approximately three miles north of intersection M-28 and M-123, next to the State Police post.

These are fourth and fifth in a series of open houses to be held in various locations statewide. Participants will be able to address questions, concerns and compliments to DNR employees, including DNR deputy directors and division chiefs.

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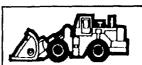
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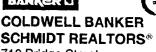
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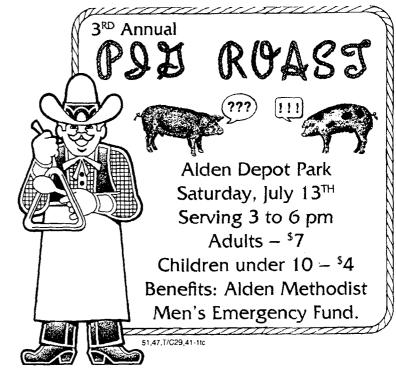
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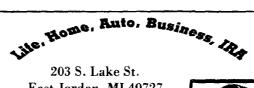
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Freedom Festival draws thousands

The Jordan Valley Freedom Festival brought over 3,000 people to the downtown area to attend the many festivities. Since the event provided more memorable moments than we could place into the July 3 Journal, we're showcasing additional photos here.

UNP photos by Irena Granaas



DOING THEIR PART to express their patriotism, members of the East Jordan High School band marched along under the eye of their band leader Tom Steggall(left).







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