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East Jordan, Michigan

A plan for Boswell Field

City commission wants to know what community thinks about the park's future

The East Jordan City Commission now has a plan to consider for the future of Boswell field.

Rick Beaupre of Capital Consultants presented the proposed plan to the commission at its meeting Feb. 18.

Capital Consultants, hired by the city to recommend uses for the facility, developed three different concepts for consideration. All three plans were reviewed at a meeting of a Boswell community committee on Feb. 17. The committee came to a consensus agreement on the third plan with some slight modifications.

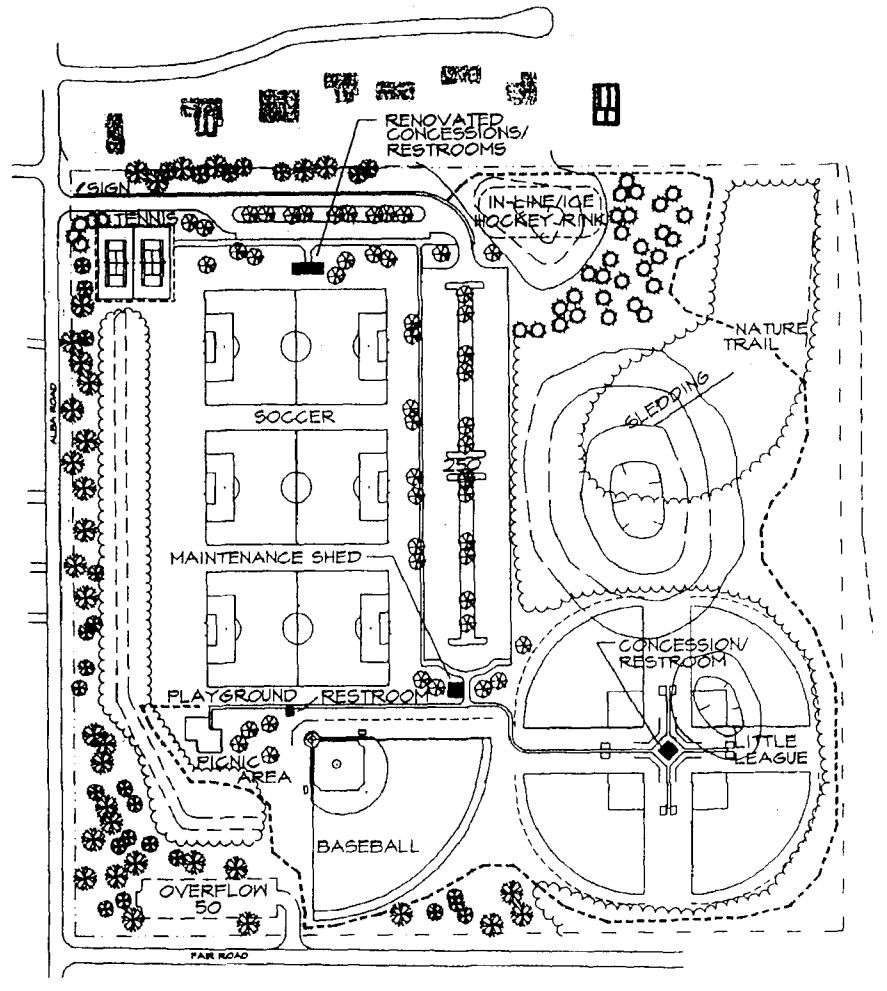
Capital Consultants then worked overnight to have the revised plan, or "Concept D," ready for the city council meeting the next day.

Some of the features of the plan include: one regulation size baseball field

with 300 foot fences, four little league/softball fields with 200 foot fences, three regulation soccer fields which could be used as six American Youth Soccer Organization fields, two tennis courts, a sledding hill, an outdoor ice/in-line hockey rink, a playground, a parking lot with 250 spaces and an overflow lot with 50 spaces, an area for parents to safely drop off their children, a half mile nature trail and three restroom facilities.

Capital Consultants will present its cost estimates and its recommendations on priorities and phasing for the project at the next council meeting on March 4.

The commission is seeking community input on the proposed plan. Anyone with questions or comments is asked to call city hall or any of the commissioners.



at a GLANCE

Jordan Valley Express hosting music jamboree

The 19th Fiddler's Jamboree is Saturday at the Jordan Valley Express.

The public is invited to attend the festivities. Admission is free, although a donation box will be located at the door.

Sponsored by the Barnard Grange, the jamboree is a gathering of musicians and music lovers who appreciate the traditional music of the fiddle. Square dancing will also be a featured activity.

Last year, over 1,200 music enthusiasts attended the jamboree. Musicians from all over Michigan gather to perform and share their talents. Each fiddler will play three musical pieces of their choosing.

Musician and square dancing caller registration begins at noon. Fiddlers will begin playing at 1 p.m. in the order they registered. There will also be an "open mike" time between 5 and 7 p.m. Registered dance callers will start the square dancing at 7 p.m. The East Jordan Senior Center will be serving food all day.

Bill Stevens, president of the Barnard Grange, and his wife Donna, have helped coordinate the jamboree for over 16 years. The other co-chairs for this year's event include Gary and Janet Stutzman, Rod and Kim Stevens, Dan and Sherry Johnston, Jack and Catie Stebe, and Lloyd and Sara Cummings.

Sub sale will help fund Mexico trip

Students in Merri-Sue Cardwell's Spanish II class at East Jordan High School will be going on a trip to Mexico for eight days in June.

The students will visit the Pyramids of the Yucatan Peninsula, Cancun, the colonial city of Merida and will stay on the island Isla Mug Eres.

The trip will cost \$900 per student, which covers transportation, lodging, admittance to all attractions and two meals per day.

To help finance their trip, the Spanish II students will be holding a submarine sandwich sale.

The sale will feature an American Classic and Turkey and Swiss sub which the students will make themselves.

Orders will be taken for subs, now through March 1, and the sandwiches can be picked up on March 15 between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the high school cafeteria.

The cost is \$2.50 for one, \$6 for three, \$12 for six, and \$20 for a dozen.

Orders can be placed by leaving a message on Cardwell's voice mail at the school at 539-0053 Ext. 5320.

Hospital opening medical center

The new Boyne Area Medical Center will open Monday and a ribbon-cutting ceremony is planned for 10 a.m.

The medical center, built by Charlevoix Area Hospital, is located at 223 N. Park St.

Two family practice physicians, Catherine Wonski, M.D., and Pamela Knysz, M.D., are staffing the medical center.

Contest opens for new city logo, slogan

The City of East Jordan will be calling on residents to tap into their creative energy next month.

Plans are almost complete for a contest to select a new city logo and slogan.

The winning logo will earn a cash prize of \$500. The author of the winning slogan will be awarded \$500 in prizes.

Entries will be accepted until March 31 at city hall. To ensure anonymity, all entries will be coded with a number and each entrant's name will be placed in an envelope with a corresponding number.

The entries will be judged by members of the Downtown Development Authority, and members of the school board, the historical society, arts center and city council. The winners will be announced in April.

The winning logo will be featured on the new manhole covers that will be donated by the East Jordan Iron Works for the DDA's downtown redevelopment project.

Contest rules are available at city hall.

UNEXPECTED GRANT WILL HELP EASE COSTS

Good news for DDA projects

The East Jordan City Commission heard positive reports on two ongoing Downtown Development Authority (DDA) projects.

East Jordan City Administrator David White reported that the city will receive an unexpected \$125,000 grant to help fund the DDA's downtown re-development project.

When the project was first conceived it had an estimated cost of \$1.3 million. Although an actual estimate is still being completed, White estimates the total cost of the project will be closer to the \$2 million mark.

"We're really happy with the grant. This is money that we thought we had lost," White said.

The DDA hopes to begin work on at least a portion of the project this summer, White said, and the city has hired a bond attorney to begin looking at options for financing the project.

The plan calls for extensive infrastructure work and improvements to streets, sidewalks and lighting in the areas of Spring, Main and Second streets.

White also reported to the commission about the future of the former Dahlquist Building at 104 Main St. Last fall, the city hired Petoskey architect Rick Neumann to do a study of the condition and possible use of the building.

The city had originally considered completely demolishing the building, at an estimated cost of \$100,000, and using the site for a parking lot. But when Neumann determined that the building was salvageable, the commission began to look at the possibility of selling or renting the building. Neuman's cost estimate for stabilizing the building is \$45,900. The DDA has already approved hiring Neumann to oversee demolition of the unsalvageable rear

portion of the building.

"The second floor was in a lot better condition than we had expected," White said.

The stabilization work would include replacing the roof, demolition of the rear portion of the building, and building temporary walls after the demolition work is complete.

The city will also apply for historical site designation for the building. A historical site designation would not only be significant to the preservation of the building's historical significance, but would also offer a 20 percent tax credit to potential private investors.

Former owner Gerald Burton gave the 90 year-old structure to the city in November after the city had filed a court action to condemn the building because of inadequate maintenance.

Mayor Russ Peck says he wants to stay on the job

Television cameras and a packed house turned out for the East Jordan City Commission's first meeting since Mayor Russell Peck's arrest for allegedly operating a vehicle while intoxicated.

Peck's Feb. 8 arrest came just four days after he and commissioner Brian Sweet survived a recall election which had divided city residents.

More than 20 people and reporters from two area television stations were on hand for the Feb. 18 meeting.

Although several other issues were on the agenda for the meeting, the biggest question on the minds of most of those in attendance was what, if any, response there would be to Peck's arrest.

In a television interview prior to the meeting, Commissioner Ron Klooster said, "I think as leaders, we live in glass houses. A good leader would admit his mistake and step down. I think his willful resignation would be in the best interest of the city."

Mayor Peck called the meeting to order and it continued as planned without mention of the arrest until commission member comments near the end of the agenda. Commissioner Lyle Etcher made first mention of the arrest.

Etcher asked Peck, "Do you want to remain the mayor of East Jordan?"

"Yes, I do," Peck replied.

Etcher then said, "I wonder if I could get a show of hands of which

commissioners think that the mayor should resign?"

Commissioner Greg Chappuies interrupted Etcher's impromptu poll and said, "This commission can't do anything to remove the mayor from office, so it's really just inflammatory to ask him to resign."

City Attorney Scott Beatty confirmed that under the current circumstances, there is, in fact, nothing the commission can do to remove Peck from office.

"We have a lot of other important work to do. What we really need is for this commission to pull together," Chappuies added.

Some East Jordan residents in attendance also voiced comments to the commission.

Virginia Giacomelli said, "I think we have a serious problem here. He should get some help."

Harry Watson asked the mayor directly, "You are the only one who really knows what this is all about. Why don't you end all the secrecy and just tell us what happened?"

The mayor responded by saying that he could not discuss any details of the charges pending against him.

One audience member reminded those present that the mayor has yet to be convicted of the charge.

On Feb. 18 Peck waived his right to an arraignment hearing, and stood mute to the charge. The court will enter a not-guilty plea on his behalf. A pre-trial hearing date has been set for March 4 at 10 a.m. in 90th district court in Charlevoix.

FIRST KID'S BANK READY TO OPEN

Learning all about money

By STEVE ZUCKER

Ten young entrepreneurs will soon be opening a new business in East Jordan.

Fifth graders from East Jordan Elementary School will be opening The First Kid's Bank on Feb. 27 with a ribbon cutting ceremony in the elementary school cafeteria at 8:15 a.m.

With a little help from employees from FMB Northwestern Bank of East Jordan, the FKB will be an actual functioning bank run by the fifth graders. Students will be responsible for cash drawers, recording transactions, keeping track of accounts, and customer relations among other things.

FMB has sponsored similar programs through its down-state branches and locally in Charlevoix.

Just like in the real work world, students who were interested in working for the FKB had to apply for the position. Applications were first screened by teachers to narrow the list. Elementary school principal Charles Hershberger and Debbie Manville, assistant branch manager at FMB in East Jordan then conducted interviews to select the 10 successful applicants out of the more than 40 who applied.

On the applications, students were asked questions about summer jobs, household chores, extra-curricular activities, and their strengths and weaknesses.

The FKB staff will be: Branch Manager, Joshua Smith; Assistant Branch Manager, Whitney Hershberger; Tellers, Beth Stallard, Jessica Crick, Garry Arnold, Ted Slough, Tyler Cutler, Reece Bartlett, Chisanne Selonke, and Tiffannie Bearden.

"It teaches kids about money, and its value. It also teaches them how to handle money, about savings and people skills," Manville said.

The selected students have been training hard with FMB employees since January in anticipation of the grand opening on Thursday.

The school held a contest to pick the logo and name of the new bank and FMB offered a \$15 prize for each winner. The winning logo was designed by Elliot Roberts. Deanna Walter and Patrick Teske both came up with the winning name and will split the prize money. The prize money will be used to start each winner's account with the FKB.

"We are hoping to encourage kids to save," Hershberger said.

In addition to sponsoring the program, FMB will also donate \$1 for each student account opened with FKB.

For the remainder of the school year the FKB will hold office hours twice a month at 8:15 a.m. in the school's media center for about a half hour. The bank will alternate between Wednesdays and Thursdays to allow kindergarten students to participate.

During office hours, students can come to the cafeteria to open interest bearing accounts, and conduct transactions with the bank. Adult FMB account holders can also conduct transactions at the FKB.

Students can make withdrawals from their accounts but must have parental permission.

According to Hershberger, the school and FMB are planning on continuing the program next fall.

"We plan on offering it both semesters next school year so we can get more kids involved," Hershberger said.

FKB accounts will also be accessible at any northern Michigan FMB Northwestern location.

OPINION

IT'S ONLY LIFE

With some questions, it's hard finding right answers

By ROGER HUCKLE

When I attended college, I enrolled in a philosophy course entitled "Ethics." We began our studies by analyzing treatises by Plato, Socrates and others, who derived their ideas from these ancient philosophers, in addition to studying our textbook, which happened to be written by our professor.

I found myself questioning the ethics of my instructor who had transformed his master's thesis into a textbook which he then required his students to buy at (what I thought) an inflated price of \$45 (this was 1976). I withdrew from the class after five weeks and sold my book back to the bookstore for \$15 (they, in turn, sold it the next year as used for \$35).

When I enrolled, I had the idea we would be discussing professional conduct and ethical behavior within society. I was not interested in the "origins" of the concepts of "good" versus "evil" which is what most of the course consisted of. Even in ancient times society's concepts of these two ideas were as divergent as night and day depending upon personal points of view.

Today's society finds itself in the same morass when it comes to accepted standards of ethical behavior concerning public individuals. Life and death issues aside, society's ideas diverge when approaching issues that concern personal behavior. In essence — what we do with and/or to ourselves in the privacy of our personal lives is nobody's business but our own.

On the other hand, in recent years segments of our society have begun to deal with behavior problems where they concern public personas whose conduct may have an effect on our youth. The drug and alcohol policies adopted by professional sports leagues are a good example of this.

We still find ourselves in a dilemma, however, concerning other public figures including our thespians and elected officials. The debate is ongoing about what standards of ethical conduct we should hold these people responsible for, given the fact that it is they who choose to sacrifice their privacy and become public figures. The personal behavior of these people would not be of general interest if they were not public personas.

Society has been sending mixed signals about the ethical conduct of these people. Gary Hart forfeited his political future by his philandering behavior while Madonna made a fortune trading on similar conduct.

Of course, a case could be made that Madonna has no responsibility to a constituency as an elected official would have, but I think her conduct may have a greater impact on our youth than a Gary Hart would have had.

For our local public officials, the only standard of conduct they can legally be held to concerns the conviction of a crime involving "moral turpitude." Moral turpitude concerns a depravity or baseness of morals.

Certain behaviors could be considered unethical by society yet not involve society's definition of moral turpitude. The gap between these two concepts is ever-widening. An example of this divergence is society's ideas concerning homosexuality. This type of behavior was once considered a crime or moral turpitude but now is considered by some segments of society to be socially acceptable.

In any event, the question remains as to what standard of ethical behavior should our public figures be responsible for? Is it the same standard we subscribe to, ourselves, in our personal lives? Should we have differing standards for differing professions as we currently have, or should we adopt a universal standard, and if so, could these standards become legally binding and enforceable?

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ADDING TO THE STEW!



LETTERS

Fire taught family valuable lessons

TO THE EDITOR:

We would like to publicly express our appreciation to the Boyne City Fire Department who rushed to our aid during the dryer fire at our home Saturday, Jan. 25.

It was a beautiful sunny day, extremely cold, and a perfect weekend for fun and the Winter Carnival, yet the response to help us contain the damage in our home was prompt and courteous. We quickly extinguished the fire ourselves, however, the professional, personal assistance with examining the area, removing the dryer, and applying the smoke removal machine helped our losses to be kept to a minimum.

This was our family's first time actually dealing with a potential catastrophe. Although we have always considered ourselves cautious and prepared, we have learned much and would like to share some of what we have experienced.

- Regardless of its condition, immediately replace your plastic or vinyl dryer vent with an aluminum one.
- Frequently remove and check the vent and area around it and other crevasses for clothing lint and remove the lint.
- Never leave your house with the dryer going. Never go to sleep with the dryer going.
- Install a smoke detector which is also heat sensitive. Our smoke detector directly above the dryer went off, but only after the flames were put out and the smoke arose. In fact, it went off even though it had become a melted blob of plastic.
- Periodically video tape all the belongings in and around your house including basements, attics, closets, and food storage areas. Even those things which you consider inconsequential add up if you have to replace them. Borrow a camera if you need to.
- Store important papers in a fireproof safe. Keep additional copies elsewhere if possible.

• Discuss a plan with your family which would enable you to act safely and quickly in the event there is a fire. Consider all circumstances and places where a fire may occur. Keep extinguishers full and handy, and know how and when to use them. Plan an escape route and meeting place for all family members.

• Close doors to contain the area of the fire. Do not open windows. This may fan the fire or spread smoke damage throughout the house.

• Always call 911, even if you put the fire out yourself. The professional firefighters need to examine the area for possible re-ignition, and they have the expertise in fire containment and damage control. Your insurance company will also need a report for any financial reimbursement.

• Maintain and update your house insurance with a reputable agency. Call them immediately after the fire. They are also experts in disasters and are there to help you. Ours, Korthase-Lindsay, was superb in their efforts to get our lives quickly back to normal, and our out-of-pocket expenses are minimal.

Apparently dryers are commonly the cause of many house fires much more disastrous than ours. We were very fortunate to have little damage to our home and we lost only a few belongings. Our fire resulted in little more than an inconvenience, being displaced for a few days from our home, a place we had perhaps taken for granted and not always appreciated.

We commend all of you who volunteer your time and energy to gaining the knowledge that allows you to expertly handle situations just like ours. And we realize you are people who we may have also taken for granted. Like we said, we have learned much from this experience.

Sincerely,
The Ryan Family
Amelia, Michael, Aurora, and Oliver

Scoutmaster has helped get troop started

TO THE EDITOR:

We would like to thank Devere Washburn, scoutmaster of Troop 49 in Boyne City, for all the help and advice he has given us throughout last year.

We are in our first year of running a new boy scout troop in Charlevoix, and Mr. Washburn has always been there for us. He furthers the scout spirit by continuing

to be available at outings and round tables so we can ask advice and bounce ideas off him as we grow.

Boyne City should be proud to have him as a member of their community. Thank you, Devere!

Bobbie Ruehle
Cathy Miller
Troop 6, Charlevoix

A MOM'S LIFE

Kids have strict rules of fairness

By CINDI PLACE

"It's not fair!" How often have we heard this complaint from our children? We try to explain to them that things don't always happen the way we expect. That we can't control everything in our lives. A more cynical person might just tell them "life's tough, get used to it."

And what's fair to one person, may not seem so to another. Our oldest child doesn't think it's right that we allow her younger brother freedoms at an earlier age. Her brother can't imagine what the fuss is about since all we're talking about is riding his bike to school. Another brother thinks that we should make his sister do more chores since she is older; problem with that is she is also much less accessible, what with all her after school activities and as she puts it "I have a life, you know!"

What our children don't realize is that being fair isn't what parenting is all about. To borrow from comedian Bill Cosby, parents aren't interested in being fair, we're interested in peace and quiet. So that's why we sometimes tell the older kids to let their youngest sibling have his own way, even if it isn't the fair thing to do. And why, in settling a disagreement between our children, we tend to find the quickest solution.

I know consistency is the key in dealing with children. But how often does consistency come into play at 5:30 p.m., as we are all returning home from our various "day jobs", dinner isn't ready, the middle schooler's teacher sends a note requesting an urgent conference, the cheerleading uniform is still in the washer and tonight's the big game? You look for the path of least resistance. Fast food for dinner, take the telephone off the hook and get out the blow dryer. All things that on a good day you wouldn't even consider. (Although, taking the telephone off the hook has a pleasant "ring" to it!)

Kids today don't realize just how "fair" they have it. These days we hear about how we should give our children choices, how they need to feel that their opinions count. Thinking back, I can't imagine telling my parents that I didn't "choose" to go to school that day. Or that I thought a decision they made wasn't fair or just. Talking back was what they called it then; having a healthy relationship is the description now.

Whenever we get into a discussion about being fair, our kids cite time after time when we apparently broke our own rules. Amazing how well they can document these incidents when remembering to do the laundry is apparently an impossibly unfair task.

We were getting ready to go on a trip recently, and I asked the kids to help load the van. Ten minutes later, the van was unloaded and our children were no where to be found. As I contemplated loading the suitcases myself, our youngest child appeared and asked me why I looked mad. "I don't know, son, maybe mommy just thinks life's not fair," I told him. "Would a hug make it more fairer?" he asked. The kid's going to be a lawyer, I just know it.

There were many offering their help

TO THE EDITOR:

My husband and I became victim to the corner north of Advance coming back from East Jordan recently.

After the car stopped in the snow (a little too far in to dig out), we walked to the closest farm house to call a towing service. At this house, not only were we allowed to use the phone, but were reassured that we weren't the only ones to go off that corner, much to the embarrassment of my husband who hasn't slid off a road in 20 years.

As we walked back to our car to wait for the tow truck, what truly surprised us was every car or truck that went by us stopped to offer assistance. Since we only recently moved up to this area from living in a large city, it was so heart-warming to us that people cared enough to take the time to stop.

We are once again reassured of our choice to live in Boyne City. THANKS.

Becky King

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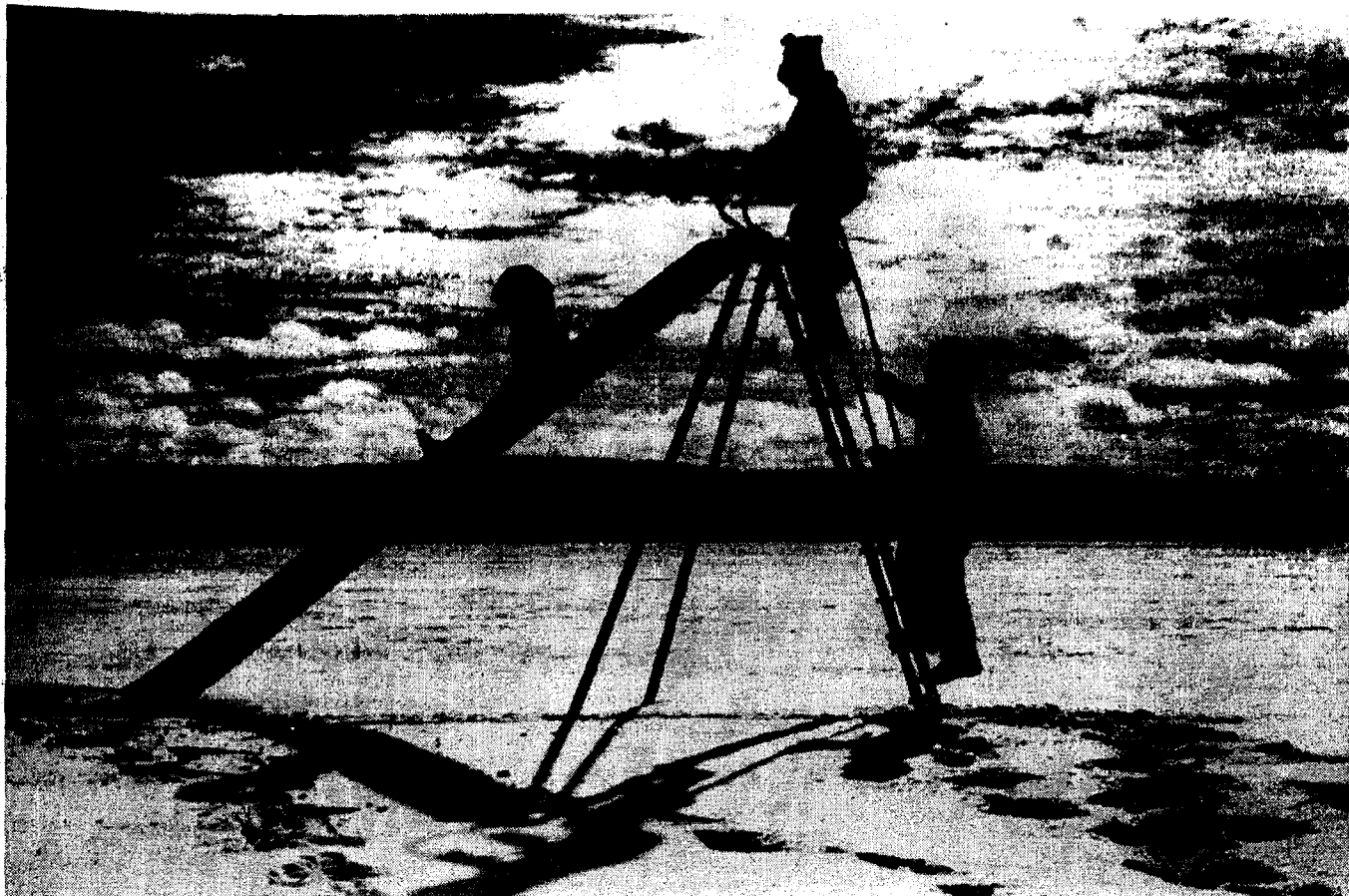
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Winter playground

When it comes to winter, there are abundant opportunities: skiing, sledding, ice fishing, skating, snowmobiling, snowshoeing, and for these children, taking advantage of the quietness of the season at Young State Park and enjoying a ride down the slide.

Foundation accepting grant requests

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation is ready to put funds to work on behalf of area residents.

During the next few weeks, the Foundation and its Youth Advisory Committee will review grant requests to support a number of worthy projects serving the county.

Those eligible to receive grants include nonprofit organizations, schools, and local municipalities. In the past, proposals for a wide variety of programs have been chosen for funding — from health initiatives, educational endeavors, and the arts, to environmental projects and human services.

Youth grants give special priority to proposals that address key concerns of young people: substance abuse prevention, land conservation, child abuse, juvenile crime, and recreational programs.

"We're interested in helping programs that enrich and improve life for families and children throughout Charlevoix County," said Mike Stowe, president of the Foundation.

"Our Community Foundation's endowment has grown to the point where we can begin to have a significant impact on this area by channeling funds to those projects most in need of help."

The Community Foundation

was established in 1992 by a group of local citizens who hoped to build a charitable reserve for Charlevoix County. Since then, Foundation assets have grown to more than \$4 million.

Like other Community Foundations throughout the country, the organization holds contributions in a permanent endowment and uses only part of the investment income to make grants. Thus, the endowment continues to grow and serve the area for many years to come.

So far, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation has returned more than \$380,000 in the form of grants and scholarships.

Those interested in applying for grants should submit their request by April 30. Application forms are available through the Community Foundation office, and Foundation representatives are happy to answer questions and provide technical assistance to those preparing grant proposals. For more information call the Foundation office at 536-2440.

BUSINESS

Re/Max of Boyne earns honors

RE/MAX of Boyne was recently honored by the RE/MAX Real Estate System for outstanding sales and service in 1996.

Awards were presented at the RE/MAX of Michigan 18th Annual Regional Conference held Feb. 6-8 at The Grand Traverse Resort in Traverse City.

James Lindsay received the RE/MAX President's Club Award for helping between 12-21 families with their real estate transactions in 1996, which is above the national industry average of 11 transactions per year.

Broker/co-owner Gary Deters was awarded Executive Club honors for 22-35 real estate transactions (two to three times the industry average). Pat O'Brien and brokers/co-owners Jeff Wellman and Rebecca Voice were presented with the RE/MAX 100 Percent Club Award for helping 36 or more families with their real estate transactions (three times the industry average).

RE/MAX of Boyne, located at 111 S. Lake St., has been open since 1992.

Your old Carhartt threads may be good for a prize

Did you ever think your old worn-out coat might win a prize? Thanks to Boyne Valley Lumber Company, it just may.

The lumber company, which sells the Carhartt work wear clothing line, will be holding a contest to find the area's most worn Carhartt coats and bib overalls.

Area residents can enter their tattered Carhartt workwear at Boyne Valley Lumber Company, located at 2032 U.S. 131 in Boyne Falls, along with a brief history of the garment.

The contest will run from March 1 - 21 and all entries will be on display for public viewing at Boyne Valley Lumber during normal business hours during that time.

Those who enter will receive a

Carhartt hat.

The winners will be judged by a representative from the Carhartt Clothing Company and will be judged based on normal wear and tear.

The owner of the "worst worn" coat will receive a brand new coat, and the winner in the bib overall division will likewise receive a new pair of overalls.

Prizes will be limited to merchandise only. No cash will be given for prizes.

Winners need not be present to win and will be contacted by telephone.

All entries that are not picked up by March 28 will be discarded.

Anyone with questions can call Boyne Valley Lumber at 549-8000.

Consumers Energy pays nearly \$1 million in taxes to county

Consumers Energy's growing business is reflected in increased property tax payments to Michigan communities in 1996, up five percent compared to 1995 property tax

payments by the utility.

In Charlevoix County, Consumers paid real and personal property taxes of \$970,394 in 1996, including \$68,498 to Boyne City.

BOYNE COUNTRY

MEMO: FROM THE DESK OF TOBYE WIETZKE

Although I've lived in Boyne Country for three years as a member of the Century 21 team, I've shared part-time in Boyne City's development for 25 years.

Throughout my long career in real estate, community activities and my job at home, I've come to realize the main focus of any endeavor is "The People Business."

My high school motto was "Enter to Learn, Go Forth to Serve." The Century 21 system is built on the foundation of QUALITY and SERVICE. I'm proud to be part of it.


Just ask me. If you see me in the street, in church or at the store, ask me about buying or selling. Even if you aren't ready to take action just yet, please let me know. I would help you learn the information that would help you realize this!

Thank you for reading this!
Toby Wietzke

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First Presbyterian Church of Boyne City, Charities Education Committee, member
Michigan Association of Community Arts Agencies, member
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JUST ASK ME!
Call Toby Wietzke
616-582-6554



Opening March 3, 1997 The Boyne Area Medical Center



... established to meet your family's health needs.

Pamela Knysz, M.D., and Catherine Wonski, M.D., family practitioners, will begin scheduling March appointments on February 17.

In addition, you can make appointments at the Center with Craig Wendt, M.D., general surgeon, and James Jeakle, M.D., obstetrics and gynecology.

Call the center at 582-5314.

The Center will serve people of all ages with convenient office hours
Monday through Friday: 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
and Monday evenings until 8:30 p.m.

Boyne Area Medical Center

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Pamela Knysz, M.D.



Catherine Wonski, M.D.

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Hope Valentine opened wide for Dr. Richard Fish during her dental check-up.

Say 'Ahhh'

Boyne City elementary students receive their annual dental exam

The word of the day was, "Ahhh!" at Boyne City Elementary School last Friday.

That was the day three area dentists made their annual visit to the school for dental examinations.

According to elementary school principal Ed Snyder, about 80 percent of the students at the school participated in the free program. Students who participated needed only a signed permission slip from a parent or guardian.

Snyder said that the exams have been done for about the past 20 years in conjunction with dental health week.

The dentists check for things such as tooth decay, gum disease, and orthodontic problems. If a doctor sees a problem, a report is sent home to

the child's parents. After the exam, each student receives a new toothbrush.

"We have seen a dramatic reduction in the amount of decay we see," said Dr. Richard Fish.

He attributed the improvement to weekly fluoride treatments at the school, the addition of fluoride to the city's drinking water, and better education about dental health issues.

Students can receive a weekly fluoride treatment rinse at the school for a cost of just \$1 per year.

"We just do a very basic examination. Then it is up to the parents to follow up on any further needed treatment," Fish said.

Other dentists participating in the program were Dr. Bruce Stewart and Dr. Robert Polleys.

Hospital hosts two lectures

Charlevoix Area Hospital will be hosting two lectures in the upcoming weeks.

Diabetic educators from Munson Medical Center will be on hand on March 6, March 20, and April 3 from 9 a.m. to noon for a lecture entitled "Diabetes in Depth."

On March, 6 the hospital will also host a cardiac rehabilitation lecture from 7-8 p.m.

The public is invited to both of these programs at no cost. However, pre-registration is necessary. For more information or to register, call Connie Roland at 547-4024.

OBITUARIES

Guy I. Stevens

Guy I. Stevens, 76, of East Jordan, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997, at Boulder Park Terrace in Charlevoix.

Funeral services were held Feb. 21 at the Paullin-Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan. The Rev. J. Perry Fowler of the Safe Harbor Baptist Church in Charlevoix officiated, with burial in Maple Lawn Cemetery in Boyne City.

Mr. Stevens was born on June 16, 1920, in Boyne City, the son of William and Leora Stevens. He served as a medic in the U.S. Army during World War II in the European Theater.

He worked as a carpenter for many years. He enjoyed tinkering, cars and trading things.

Mr. Stevens is survived by six children, Karen Johnson of Empire, Harold (Lisa) Stevens of Boyne City, Penny Stevens of Newport News, Va., Ann Caid of Newport News, Va., Glen (Lynette) Stevens of Boyne City and Lisa Stevens of Central Lake; six grandchildren; and a good friend, Arbutus Stevens.

Memorial contributions may be given to V.I.P. - Vision Impaired People - at the East Jordan Senior Center in East Jordan.

Maxine Ione Lake

Maxine Ione Lake, 78, of Lake City died Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1997, at Autumnwood in McBain.

Mrs. Lake was born Oct. 4, 1918 in Ionia County to Vern and Lillian (Zimmerman) Smith. She married Hersel Lake April 23, 1938 in Ionia.

She graduated from Ionia High School in 1937. She worked as a nurse's aide for 19 1/2 years and at Essex's Electric in Boyne City for 13 years. She retired in 1970. For the past few years she and her husband have lived in the Lake City area. She loved to travel, knit and crochet. She was a follower of the Schuller's Crystal Cathedral TV Ministry.

Survivors include her husband, Hersel of Lake City; children,

Lavonne Ione (William) Bennett, Thomas Daniel (Roberta) Lake, all of Ionia, Ivan Herbert Lake of Delton and Louis Milton (Allison) Lake of Wayland; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Celestine (Stanley) Abbot of Grand Rapids, Leo Lake of Kalamazoo, L.G. (Helena) Lake and Morrison (Virginia) Lake, all of Saranac.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brothers, Jerry Smith, Alden Smith, Asaha Smith and Wayne Smith.

Services were Feb. 10 at Cook Funeral Home in Ionia, with Rev. Kendall Harger officiating.

Harold 'Hal' Johnson

Harold D. "Hal" Johnson, 83, of Boyne City, died Feb. 19 in Zephyrhills, Fla. He will be remembered as a dedicated teacher and counselor. Twenty-six of his over 30 years of service in education were in Midland.

He bred and hybridized gladiolus for over 50 years and served as president of the Michigan Gladiola Society and the American Gladiola Society. Two of the gladiolus he developed achieved "All American" status and were named "Funny Face" and "Majorette." He was an avid golfer after his retirement.

He is survived by his wife, Priscilla; three children, Harold R. "Hal" (Kathy) of East Jordan, Ginger

(Tom) Hood of Knoxville, Tenn., and John (Barbara) Bailey, of Trinity, N.C.; six grandchildren, Kevin (Linda) Johnson, Karen (Mike) Bradley, Kristi (Richard) Robina, Michael (Irene) Johnson, Chris (Laura) Hood, and Heather (Randy) Jones; 10 great-grandchildren, Megan Johnson, Heather and Benjamin Bradley, Michael Robina, Arien and Theo Johnson, Rebecca and Stephen Hood, and Christopher and Allison Jones; and several sisters.

His funeral was held Feb. 23 at Ware-Smith-Woolver & Co., Midland. Memorials may be given to the Dow Gardens, Eastman Road in Midland or to the Charlevoix Area Hospital in Charlevoix.

Harriett Sophia Tebo

Harriett Sophia Tebo, 83, of Gaylord died on Feb. 15, 1997.

A service celebrating Harriett's life was held at the First Methodist Church in Gaylord. The Rev. Warren D. Pettis officiated, with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Harriett was born Feb. 28, 1913, in Cheboygan, the first daughter of Russell and Otilia (Mattson) Peterson. She grew up and attended school in the Cheboygan/Duncan Bay area.

On Aug. 8, 1937, she became the wife of LeRoy Albert Tebo. The couple made their home and worshiped in the Gaylord community together for 54 years until Roy's death in May 1991.

Survivors include a sister, Lorrain Pennington, of Lewiston; three brothers, Edwin Peterson of Dearborn Heights, Russell Peterson

of Federal Way, Wash., and Kenneth Peterson of Cheboygan; three daughters, Sharon Greenman of Kalamazoo, Judith Patterson of Dublin, Ohio, and Sylvia Lyman of Montrose; two sons, Arthur Tebo of Walloon Lake, and Joseph Tebo of Wentzville, Mo.; 13 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Harriett was a member of the Gaylord Methodist Church, where she served faithfully. She served her community as a volunteer at McReynolds Hall and with the Gaylord Association of Retarded Citizens.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Harriett Tebo Fund and sent Attention: Art Tebo, Boyne Mountain Resort, Boyne Falls, Mich. 49713.

Arrangements were handled by the Nelson Funeral Home in Gaylord.

CRADLE CALL

EMILY SUSAN NICHOLS, weighing 5 lb., 11 oz. was born to Matthew and Dawn Nichols of Boyne City on Feb. 21, 1997 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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NEIGHBORS

By **NANCY NORTHUP**

A BELATED VALENTINE'S DAY story, not the typical hearts and flowers tale, brought a few chuckles, as Boyne City Police Officer Lee Cloyd shared it with residents of Litzzenburger Place. First, Eddie Albert hosted an interesting and inspiring film clip about keeping the mind, body, and spirit in sync with the positive, and how growing old can be a new beginning. That's when the "chicken story" fit right in. It seems that an emergency call led officer Cloyd to the local Glen's parking lot, due to a stray chicken that nobody could catch! Many by-standers laughed, and then everybody got in the act, as they formed a circle of 8 and tried to help Officer Cloyd, who grew up in Detroit, accustomed to packaged chicken, not live ones! She was wishing that Chief Randy Howard, an old chicken hand, was there at that moment. It was about then that Henry Erber walked on the scene, and between them all, the chicken was captured and placed in the waiting humane society vehicle.

ANOTHER ITEM, called in too late for last week's column, told of a fun time of a surprise birthday party last Sunday for Boyne City's Esther Smith! A group of 25 gathered at the Vic and Linda Spaniak home for the special dinner, cake and ice cream party, with Esther receiving cards and many lovely gifts.

JOHN LEWIS of Pleasant Valley Road spent this past week in Northern Michigan

Hospital with pneumonia.

JIM AND KATHY Rice of Tecumseh arrived in Boyne City to visit her mother, Arlene Inman. Quite the outdoor man, Jim enjoyed cross country skiing while here. Among other Sunday family callers were Beth and Peter Inman and daughter Hope of East Jordan.

LELIA VOELKER also enjoyed a drop in visit on Sunday at her Litzzenburger Place apartment from Pleasant Valley Road friends, Robert and Juanita Simons.

GERI BURGESS enjoyed nearly a week's visit with her cousins, Alan and Bonnie Johansen, who were here from Valparaiso, Ind. While here, they all enjoyed touring Boyne Mountain and Harbor Springs as well as other area points of interest.

MARTI HUTCHINSON of Boyne City enjoyed being "Nana" over the weekend, to her granddaughter, Morgan Bishop, daughter of East Jordan's Tracy and Troy Bishop.

PAUL AND JOYCE HIBBARD of Millington were here visiting his mom, Adell Hibbard, over the weekend. They were also among the many community supporters of the BCHS Band Benefit Breakfast, a fund raiser for their upcoming trip to Europe, which was held on Saturday at the VFW.

GOOD NEIGHBOR, Billie Stanley

took Thelma Bradley up to the Emergency Care Unit of Northern Michigan Hospital on Sunday. Thelma was later admitted as a medical patient, after she had just recently spent a whole week there!

"JUST BECAUSE SHE MISSED ME!", said great grandma Phyllis Hardy, as she told of a Sunday over night stay of 5-year-old Carley Cole Hess, who now lives in Gaylord. The kindergartner doesn't have school on Mondays.

THE XI GAMA SORORITY met at the Boyne City home of Marty McLeod on Wednesday evening. All enjoyed a detailed and informative talk about the 911 service. Delicious refreshments were served.

"JUST OUR WAY OF SAYING 'Thanks for putting up with us'" said Boyne City Fire Chief Nord Schroeder. And that's the way it was, for the wives, retired members, honorary and regular members — 52 in all, who enjoyed the fine meal and evening on Saturday at the Dilworth Hotel in attending the annual "Firemen's Dinner" event.

JAN ARASIM arrived at her Boyne City home on Monday from visiting an old neighbor in Tampa, Fla., and then going on to Miami for an award ceremony for her son, Jim, and his work as a designer of packaging displays.

(To submit items to Nancy, please call 582-9174.)



Labels galore

Boyne City Middle School Librarian Jacqueline Battiste sorts, cuts and counts Campbell's Soup labels in the school's library. This year the school is hoping to collect the 26,000 labels required to get a new overhead projector for the school. So far this school year the school has collected over 13,000 labels. Other items the school has received through the soup label program include a television, public address system, megaphone, and several audio and video tape recorders. Those wishing to donate labels to the middle school can drop them off at the school or at a drop-off canister at the public library.

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World Day of Prayer celebration is March 7 at EJ Presbyterian Church

By **BETTY BOSWELL**

The 110th annual World Day of Prayer will be celebrated on March 7 at 1 p.m. in East Jordan at the Presbyterian Church.

Written annually by Christian women from 170 participating countries, the 1997 World Day of Prayer was prepared by South Korean women on the theme, "Like a Seed Which Grows into a Tree."

Christians in Korea comprise approximately 25 percent of the population. Through the service and prayers, the writers desire to plant seeds of hope for "An yung," or

peace. They pray for reunification of their country (Korea has been divided into North and South since 1953); for freedom from invasions suffered over many centuries and, in particular, equality and freedom from oppression and abuse for all the women of Korea.

The worship is built on parables of Jesus Christ referring to seeds: the tiny mustard seed that grows into a large shrub and the ability of a seed to grow and increase depending on the kind of soil it falls upon.

In Korea this context would mean the transformation from a mili-

tary, patriarchal culture in a divided nation to a better society where the powerless, such as widows and orphans, are all cared for in a reunited country.

This vision has not yet become a reality, but they are assured by the parable of the mustard seed that it

will come. They will continue to work and pray. They take faith and hope from the mustard seed and its assurance that God will give the growth.

Christian women from five different denominations will take part in this prayer service in East Jordan.

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WHAT'S COOKING

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

After a day in the cold and snow, nothing tastes better than a big bowl of hot, rich soup. Many soups taste best when they have been simmering for hours on the stove or even reheated the next day, but if you didn't plan ahead, you can still enjoy a great bowl of soup with out the wait.

My recipe for Cream of Broccoli can be made in a very short amount of time but you still get all the flavor and richness. So keep this recipe handy for next time your family is chilled to the bone. They will forget all about dreams of summer.

Cream of Broccoli Soup
(Serves 4)

1 bunch of broccoli	1 large onion
1/4 lb. butter	pinch of salt & pepper
1 quart whipping cream	1/2 cup chicken broth

Boil broccoli and onion al dente (cooked, but still firm to the teeth). Drain, and put one half in a blender along with half the whipping cream, salt and pepper and 1/4 cup of chicken broth. (You are making two batches as your blender won't hold the whole batch at once). Puree in your blender and do the same with the second half. Melt all the butter in a sauce pan and add all of the blended mixture to it. Reheat, but do not boil. Serve when hot.

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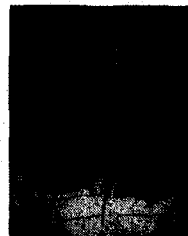
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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Boyne City High School



Sarah Bobowski



Katie Kujawski



Lindsay Whitley

NAME: Sarah Bobowski
PARENTS: Bob and Katie Bobowski
GRADE: Junior
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Varsity basketball, volleyball, softball
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I like to ski, hang out with my friends, draw, go shopping, and spend time with my family."
FUTURE PLANS: "Go to college, particularly Grand Valley State University after graduating from high school with a 3.9."
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Sarah is a very goal-oriented student who has set high standards for herself," said Mrs. Ruhs. "She gives 100% to both her classes as well as many extra curricular activities. She is an asset to the classroom, school and community. Congratulations, Sarah."

"Sarah is a very serious, hard-working student," said Mr. Fry. "She's a goal-setter and always wants to do her best. A nice young lady that is an asset to her class."

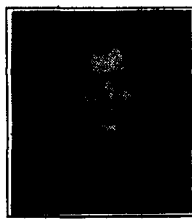
NAME: Katie Kujawski
PARENTS: Cindy and Kirk Kujawski
GRADE: Junior
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Drama, varsity basketball, track, Number One Fan!
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I enjoy performing on stage - singing and dancing. I love hanging out with my friends and snowboarding as much as I can."
FUTURE PLANS: "I was accepted into the Young Americans last summer so I was planning on traveling to California State Fullerton but now I just might attend Western Michigan University or the University of Michigan after high school to major in Performing Arts - then become a professional actress!"
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Katie is an excellent student who is a joy to be around," said Mr. Ewald. "It's been a pleasure working with her in the art classes and during the drama season. To top it off, she's a great 'country' dancer! Congratulations, Katie!"

"Katie obtained the lead role as 'Belle' in Beauty and the Beast this year, sang two solos in our recent 'Boyne Meets Broadway' productions and has a 3.72 GPA," said Mr. Wollenberg. "I couldn't ask for more out of a student!"
 "Katie is a well-rounded student who successfully and cheerfully balances her academic and extra-curricular activities," said Mrs. Ruhs. "Keep up the good work and congratulations."

NAME: Lindsay Whitley
PARENTS: Dane and Tamara Whitley
GRADE: Junior
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Band
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I enjoy participating in activities with my church and youth group, line dancing, and being with my friends."
FUTURE PLANS: "I plan to attend a southern college to study to become a marine biologist."
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Lindsay is an outstanding student with maturity and a good sense of humor," said Mr. Parker. "I enjoy having young people in class who work so hard and maintain an upbeat attitude. Keep up the good work!"
 "Lindsay is a very consistent, conscientious and cheerful student," said Mrs. Ruhs. "Her positive attitude and active involvement in school-related activities make her an asset to our school and community. Congratulations, Lindsay."

Boyne Falls School

NAME: Shane Gerred
PARENTS: Robbie and Neil Gerred
GRADE: 2nd
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I like to play with Beanie Babies and play with my model Dodge truck."
FAVORITE COLOR: Green
FAVORITE FOOD: Pizza
WHAT I LIKE BEST ABOUT SCHOOL: "Playing with legos and math."
WHAT I WANT TO BE WHEN I GROW UP: "I want to be an auto mechanic."
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Shane is a hard-working student who always tries to do his best," said Miss Gibes. "He has a positive attitude and is a joy to have in class. He is friendly and well liked by everyone."
 "Shane is one of the 'star' pupils in his computer class," said Mrs. Brown. "He is very enthusiastic, fun-loving, and always has a big smile."
 "Shane always does his best in Art and is the first to share materials," said Mrs. Rozycki. "He is always smiling."



Shane Gerred

NAME: Ryan Fiel
PARENTS: Diane and Gary Fiel
GRADE: Sophomore
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Baseball, basketball, cross country, Student Council representative, Sophomore class secretary.
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "Hunting and fishing are some of my favorite things to do. I also enjoy skiing."
FUTURE PLANS: "I'm planning on going to college. I'd like to do something in the art field, possibly graphic arts."
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Ryan well deserves a 'Student of the Week' recognition! He is extremely pleasant in class, gets along well with his classmates and demonstrates great effort in class," said Colleen Rice.
 "Ryan is a dynamic Art student and a big help on the Student Council," said Jane Rozycki. "Ryan's attitude is a great model for all students. I really enjoy working with him."
 "Ryan is a pleasure to work with," said Frank Hamilla. "He has a great work ethic and is a total team player, which is an important ingredient for a successful season."
 "Ryan is a fantastic guy who brings a lot of creativity into my classroom," said Jeff Garver. "His artwork is great!"
 "Ryan has been a hard-working Geometry student," said Ted Beyer. "He has balanced his athletic and academic requirements well."



Ryan Fiel



The winners in the Boyne City Middle School Spelling Bee were, front row from left: Scott McDowell, Travis Gibbs, Kate Cramer, and Christina Dixon. Back row: Danielle Hoaglund, Elaine Schalcofski, Jodi Salisz, Rebecca Hoesli and Jane Stieber.

A talent for spelling

Cloven, butterscotch, ballistic, druggist. No, it isn't the next fad in cartoon action heroes, but rather a list of words that students at Boyne City Middle School had to spell in order to win a recent spelling bee.

On Jan. 28, students participated in a school-wide spelling bee sponsored by Scripps-Howard and the Detroit News. Seventh grader Jane Stieber won the school-wide bee when she spelled the word "lozenge" correctly. She will be awarded a dictionary from Scripps-Howard and the Detroit News and is also eligible to compete in the

regional spelling bee to be held in the spring.

A bee was also held for each grade level. The winners were: eighth grade - Elaine Schalcofski, runner-up Danielle Hoaglund; seventh grade - Jane Stieber, runner-up Rebecca Hoesli and alternate Jodi Salisz; sixth grade - Travis Gibbs, runner-up Scott McDowell; fifth grade - Christine Dixon, runner up Kate Cramer.

The winner of each grade level will receive a dictionary from the school at the year-end awards ceremony.

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Camp Daggett filling quickly

Camp Daggett still has summer openings for all eight-week sessions, that start June 15.

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These Boyne City Middle School students show off some of the journals that they made for a language arts and social studies assignment last month. The students are, from left: Walter Plumm, Kate Neidhamer, Jason Rostar, Aaron Place, Nick Dennison, Ed Woelfert, Aaron Barsy, Nissa Ryder, Nicole Peck, and Danielle Hoaglund.

Students take a trip back in time

Students at Boyne City Middle school took a trip back in time to the early 1700s. The trip did not involve a jazzed up Delorean or 1.21 gigawatts of electricity however, just their minds.

Social studies teacher Peg Wilcox and language arts teacher Amelia Ryan recently assigned their students a collaborative project.

The assignment was for each student to write a journal from a first-person standpoint about what life was like during colonial times in the

United States. Students were required to pick an identity to assume and then write seven journal entries from that person's point of view.

Students could choose to be people such as a soldier with the British Army, a blacksmith, a farmer, or a new settler in the New World. In order to do this, students had to research 10 facts about the era and how life might have been like for their alter-ego. The students then used the information in writing the journals.

Some students wrote on rustic materials like birch bark and fabric to give their journals an added touch of authenticity. Others used coffee or tea to "antique" the paper, making it appear old.

"It's an excellent way for students to learn about that era while improving their writing skills," Ryan said.

Computer class teaches the basics

East Jordan Community Education is offering the class "Computers, Just the Basics."

The class begins Thursday, March 6, and will also be held March 13 and 20 from 6-9 p.m. Each session will be held at East Jordan High School.

Some of the topics of the class

include: Windows 95, Word, Excel — what are they and what do they do; learning to use the mouse; and hands-on exercises in word processing and spread sheets.

Cost of the class is \$37.50. To register, call East Jordan Community Education at 536-2250.

Choral society presenting concert

The Little Traverse Choral Society continues its 10th anniversary concert series with the performance entitled, "Amen! A Gospel Celebration."

Performances will be on Saturday, March 8, at 8 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, 1804 East Mitchell Street, in Petoskey, and Sunday, March 9, at 4 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, 343 East Main

New Beginnings Chapel welcomes guest preacher

Dawn L. Jones will be leading the worship service at New Beginnings Chapel Assembly of God on Sunday, March 2.

Jones' music ministry has been featured on both National Christian Television and the television show she produces in the Grand Rapids area, "The Dawning Light."

She recently released her first vocal recording, "I Won't Turn Back."

She also serves as praise and worship leader for many women's seminars and retreats which have taken her all over Michigan and the U.S. She has also recently been to Russia on a mission trip.

Jones is in her second year with Berea Bible College where she is studying for her ministerial credentials. Jones, her husband and three children, live in Grand Rapids where she serves as the morning coordinator for Women's Ministries at the First Assembly of God.

New Beginnings is located at 509 N. East St. in Boyne City.

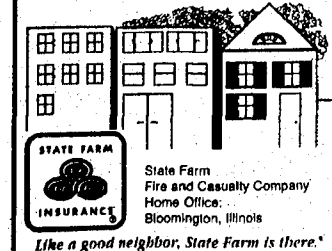
Jones will appear in concert at 6 p.m. at Charlevoix Assembly of God, located at 05219 M-66 North in Charlevoix.

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Doris Hostetler and Howard Darbee exchanged marriage vows on Feb. 8 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Osprey, Fla. The Rev. Clifford A. Zeckser performed the double-ring ceremony in the presence of their families and 60 guests.

Doris was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Krebs, Sr. of Dover, Ohio. She was escorted to the altar by her brother Capt. E.C. Krebs, Jr. of Venice, Fla. The three daughters of the bride were matrons of honor and the groomsmen were Robert and William Darbee, sons of the groom. A grandson, John, served as acolyte and usher.

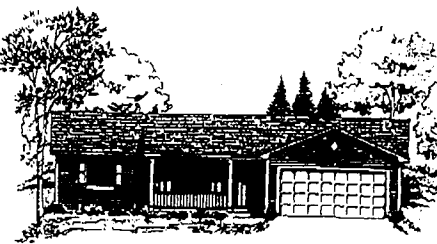
Doris retired from Pennland Enterprises of New Phila, Ohio in 1973. Howard retired from Northwest State Bank in 1976.

They will reside at 286 Ave. of Queens, Nokomis, Fla., and at 00686 N. Advance Rd. Boyne City.



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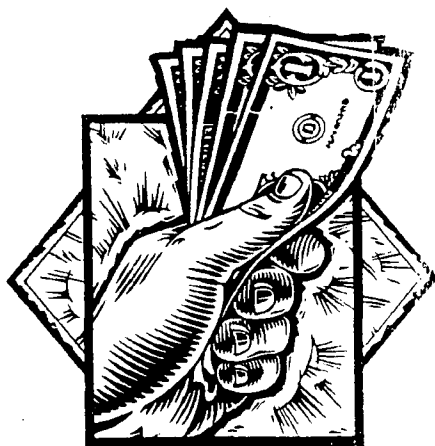
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SPORTS

BOYNE CITY FINISHES THIRD AT STATE MEET

Skiers prove it really is a team sport

It was deja vu all over again for the Boyne City boys ski team.

After last week's come-from-behind third place finish at the regionals, the Ramblers did it again.

This time it was at the Class B-C-D State Championship Meet Monday at Nub's Nob. Again Boyne City finished third and again they came from behind.

Just like at the regionals, Boyne City fell behind right out of the gate in the giant slalom, posting a sixth place finish in that event.

In the giant slalom competition, Josh May finished seventh, Andy Frykberg eighth, Andy Douglas 31st, Matt Seiler finished 33rd and Nick Reihl finished 34th. Once again the Ramblers came back

strong in the slalom, finishing second in the event.

Although it did not seem that they would at first.

Hopes of making a run at second place were dashed somewhat for Boyne City when Frykberg lost a ski and fell on his first slalom run.

According to coach Bob McCullough, that's when the rest of the team really dug in.

"The next five guys really kicked it in. They put in a real good effort," McCullough said.

In the slalom competition, May finished sixth, Chad James eighth, Seiler 19th, Douglas 20th, and Corey Hall 21st. "Something like this just shows how

vital every member of a team is," McCullough said.

The Ramblers' third place finish was sweetened just a bit when a single point was all that separated them from fourth place Iron Mountain. Iron Mountain edged out Boyne City for second place last week at the regionals.

East Grand Rapids took the state title followed by Petoskey, Boyne City, Iron Mountain, Grayling, Detroit Country Day, Grand Rapids West Christian, Elk Rapids, and Manistee.

In the girls overall competition, Petoskey took the state crown followed by Maple City, Forest Hills North, Kingsford, Fenton, Manistee, Harbor Springs, Cranbrook, and Traverse City St. Francis.



Photo by Brianne Korhase

Chad James, like all members of the Ramblers' ski team, was all smiles they took third place at the state meet.

Another wild one for the Ramblers

Kalkaska game had it all except one thing, a win for Boyne City

By CHRIS WINKLER

It seems that this year, half-court shots at the buzzer just aren't going Boyne City's way.

Two weeks ago, East Jordan sunk a shot from nearly half-court as time expired to beat the Ramblers by one. Then on Friday night, with Boyne down three in overtime to Kalkaska, Bill Case let a shot fly from well on the other side of center court, but it was just a second late.

The 94-91 league loss was sandwiched between two conference wins over Harbor Springs, 63-53 on Feb. 18, and Elk Rapids, 92-73 Saturday afternoon.

In Harbor, a slow start and a 29-26 half-time deficit may have been just the thing to get Boyne moving. The Ramblers picked up the pace to out-score the Rams 17-5 in the fourth quarter.

Jason Rozycki paced Boyne with 18 points, 13 rebounds, and four assists. Don Richards added 17 points, while Jesse Belford made nine points and grabbed 12 boards.

Boyne was 14 of 27 from the free-throw line, and was outrebounded 38-34.

For Harbor Springs, Nathan Taylor scored 11 and Daniel Clarke nine.

Against Kalkaska, a 10-point lead in the second quarter and a 41-32 lead at intermission gave Kalkaska the edge, but the Ramblers came out of the locker room strong. Scoring the first nine points of the third period, Boyne fought their way back into what would turn into a see-saw battle.

With under a minute to play and the Blazers holding a 74-72 lead, Boyne's two players that have proven to be clutch performers, Belford and Rozycki, took hold of the game. With 57 seconds left, Rozycki sunk two

free-throws to tie the game. Then following a Rambler steal, Belford put Boyne up with six seconds on the clock.

Following a timeout, Kalkaska drove the length of the floor and was able to get off a shot before Rozycki ended up with the ball on the ground as time expired. Rambler fans figured the game was won, but the refs figured differently. Apparently, Rozycki had traveled when he was on the floor, so one second was added to the clock. A second that allowed an easy Blazer lay-up and forced the Ramblers into their second overtime contest of the season.

Kalkaska had built up a six-point margin over Boyne, but the Ramblers stayed with the visitors. With Boyne down 92-88, Rozycki had to force up a shot from downtown with two hands in his face and four ticks left on the clock. Not a problem, as he sunk the final three of his game-high 36 points.

Boyne was reduced to fouling, and Belford was reaching out to grab the ball handler when both players went down. Belford was called for the intentional foul, so the Blazers had two foul shots and next possession of the ball. On that next possession, Boyne fouled again. For both trips, the Blazer made one of two shots. That left the score 94-91 when Case launched the miracle shot.

"We talked defensively at half-time," said coach Kevin Fitzpatrick. "The problem was not that we had 32, the problem was that they had 41. That is far too many points to give up in a half of basketball. The difference in the third quarter was the fact they scored ten points, which got us back into the ball game."

Behind Rozycki's 36 points and seven rebounds was Belford, who scored a career high 22 points, in-

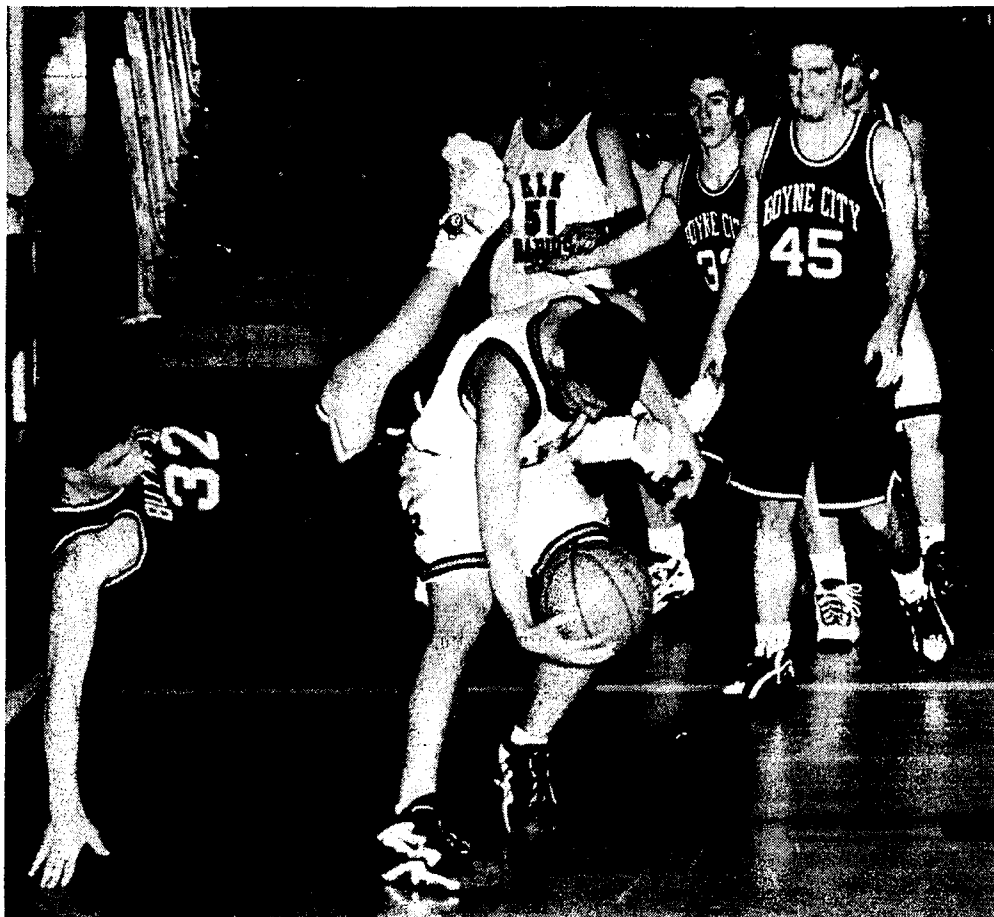


Photo by Vic Ruggles

The Ramblers' Don Richards, 45, and Chuck Stanek watch teammate Dean Fiel get some hang time in Saturday's make-up game against Elk Rapids. Fiel was shaken up a bit from the fall, but not seriously injured.

cluding three triples. Belford also made two steals. Chuck Stanek put in nine points, and Jason Richards added seven points and 11 rebounds.

For Kalkaska, Bree Saunders scored 26, and Chuck Schuba had 21 along with five steals. Chris Maxwell made 18 points and blocked four shots. David Brower had seven assists. The team shot an unbelievable 12 of 22 from three-point land.

Boyne committed 15 turnovers and shot 13 of 18 from the line. The Ramblers out-rebounded Kalkaska 28-23.

In the Elk Rapids game Saturday, Boyne took control right out of

the gate and never gave it up. Going into the locker room, it was 41-36, Ramblers. Much of the game was played on the perimeter, and the contest turned into a shoot-a-thon.

For the winners, Rozycki had 29 points. Don Richards chipped in with 19, and Brian Mapes had nine points and six rebounds. Matt Johncheck made four points, dished out three assists, and grabbed eight boards. Boyne won the battle of the boards, 41-35. The team committed 16 turnovers and shot 12 of 26 from the line.

Elk Rapids was led by Ed Wierzbicki, who scored 23 points. Ryan Reiter put in 14 and Will Tegel 13.

Fitzpatrick had an all-senior starting line-up, and said that "Brian Mapes stepped in and did a real nice job. I thought everybody that stepped on the floor played hard."

The junior varsity have won five straight after downing Harbor 69-68, Kalkaska 55-39, and Elk Rapids 70-40. John Gibbs scored 18 points against the Rams and 21 over the Elks, while Jeremy Grice led the team with 15 versus the Blazers. Their record is now 9-9.

Both teams were in action Tuesday night, when they hosted conference-leading Traverse City St. Francis.

Second season begins

District tourney starts Monday at Harbor Springs

One season will soon be history and another is about to begin.

Tournament time, better known as March Madness, is just a few days away.

It's the time when you can throw away the records and start fresh, but if the tournament is anything like the conference season, it will be a wild week.

Harbor Springs is hosting this year's district tournament and East Jordan has the unenviable task of playing the home team in the first round.

"We're playing the home team on their own floor and they will be pumped up," said East Jordan coach Del Ingalls.

Boyne City, last year's host and district champion, drew a bye in the first round and will not play until Wednesday at 6 p.m. It will play the winner of the Mancelona-Charlevoix game.

If East Jordan wins, it will play Elk Rapids, which also drew a bye.

Tournament draws were done Tuesday at noon at Harbor Springs High School.

Tickets for each game are \$3. They are available from each school's athletic office and at the door.

Ramblers excel in the classroom

Academic and football excellence go together at Boyne City High School.

The 1996 Boyne City Ramblers football players proved that they can excel, both on the field and in the classroom when they received the Class C Academic All-State Football award.

The team finished its 1996 season with an impressive 10-1 record. In the process they won the Lake Michigan Division Championship, and earned a trip to the class CC regional finals, all while the top 11 players were racking up a combined 3.87 grade point average.

The team received a plaque honoring its accomplishment at the Boyne City School Board meeting on Feb. 10.

The 11 team members honored were: Bo Reinhardt, Travis Garrett, Chris Winkler, Brian Mapes, Don Richards, Jason Richards, Kurt Lockman, Wade Leist, Joe Helsley, Jeremy Andrews, and Corey Lockman.

Denzil Wilson has career game for Red Devils

The last few weeks have not been real kind to the East Jordan Red Devils.

They've lost some tough games and injuries have mounted. But Friday night they got back on the winning track with a convincing 58-49 win over Charlevoix.

It was a game the Red Devils' Denzil Wilson will not soon forget. He scored a team-high 26 points and hit an amazing 11 of 13 shots from the field.

Although he was the only player in double figures, all but two of the Red Devils contributed offensively.

"He came out and played really well," coach Del Ingalls said. "He's been playing gradually better all season long. He gives us a shot of energy. He is very explosive offensively and his defense has been picking up."

Matt Mogan's play was also praised by

his coach. "Matt gave us a real boost with his intensity and effort," Ingalls said.

Earlier in the week, East Jordan traveled to Traverse City St. Francis where it suffered an 85-64 loss. It wasn't that the Red Devils played poorly, it's just that St. Francis played well. "We came out and played a pretty average game," Ingalls said. "St. Francis played really well."

St. Francis shot better than 70 percent

for the game and held a comfortable 18-point lead at the half.

Jim Malpass had another strong game, leading the Red Devils with 27 points and seven rebounds. Also hitting in double figures were Mogan with 12 and David Miller with 11.

East Jordan is now 6-5 in the conference and 13-5 overall.

Boosters honor Jeff Bradford

The Boyne City All-School Boosters named Jeff Bradford their 1997 Booster of the Year at half-time of the Boyne City varsity basketball game Friday night.

Bradford was presented with the "John Hunt Award" plaque to honor his contributions to the booster organization.

The award is named after the booster organization's original president and organizer.

Bradford, who owns Bradford Master Dry Cleaners in Charlevoix, Boyne City, and Harbor Springs, cur-

rently serves on the boosters' board.

"I'm very honored by this. There are four or five other people who could have gotten this," Bradford said.

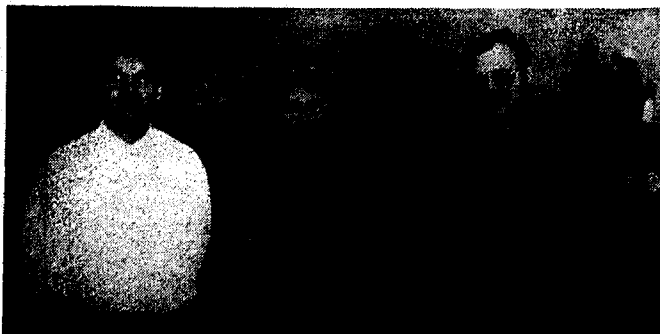
The boosters, which have been in existence for over a decade, give financial assistance to school programs where the school district's budget may fall short.

Recently the boosters helped the high school band fund their upcoming trip to Europe, and purchased some high-tech calculators for the high school math department.

"We try to help support everything from the science labs to the ski team," Bradford added. "We want to give our kids every possible resource."

The Boosters use membership dues, and fund raisers like The 300 Club Raffle and Booster Saving Certificates to generate the needed money.

Membership in the Boyne City All-School Boosters is \$15 a year and all money goes to support Boyne City Schools.



Jeff Bradford, center, received the "Booster of the Year Award" from Pete Friedrich, left, president of the Boosters, and John Hunt.

Loggers celebrating Homecoming Friday

One more obstacle remains between Boyne Falls and a share of the conference crown. That obstacle is Mackinaw City and they come to the Loggers' den Friday evening.

It will be a special night for Boyne Falls which is also celebrating homecoming. If the Loggers win, there will be plenty more to celebrate.

Events include a different theme for each day of the week and an auction of the homecoming court on Monday.

Homecoming representatives are freshmen Erica Simon and Chad Matelski, sophomores Heather Grobaski and Ryan Fiel, and juniors Andrea Kondrat and Justin Cleary.

Members of the 1997 Homecoming Court are: Amy Anthony, Melody Burris, Karen Giem, Sandra Kohler, Mark Bearss, Jarrett Brooks,



The members of the 1997 Boyne Falls High School Homecoming Court are, front row from left: Jarrett Brooks and Melody Burris; back row, Curtis Hansen, Karen Giem, Amy Anthony, and Patrick Gerred. Sandra Kohler and Mark Bearss are not pictured.

Pat Gerred, and Curtis Hansen.

Students will vote for the king and queen during school on Friday. They will be announced between the varsity and J.V. basketball games on Friday night.

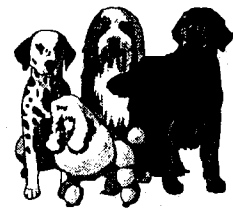
Events for homecoming week will conclude with a dance in the school gym immediately following the varsity basketball game. The Loggers, who are defending conference champions, ventured out of league play Monday night and traveled to Leelanau where they lost a heart-breaker 79-77. The game was originally scheduled for last Friday but was postponed because of the weather.

Following its game with Mackinaw, the Loggers will turn their attention to the second season: March Madness.

Vanderbilt is hosting the district tournament and the Loggers will open Monday against the host team. Boyne Falls has defeated Vanderbilt this season, but the Loggers will not be taking anything for granted.

The winner of the game will play Gaylor St. Mary's, which drew a bye in the first round of the five-team tourney, in the semi-finals Wednesday at 7 p.m. The winner will advance to the championship game Friday at 7 p.m.

The Loggers are currently 14-5 overall and 10-1 in the conference.



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Red Devils netters sweep Boyne

East Jordan placed fourth at the Lake Michigan Volleyball Tournament in Kalkaska on Saturday.

The Red Devils swept Boyne City in pool play before dropping two of three to Charlevoix.

Charlevoix went on to win the tournament.

"The girls showed they could play the game, but again inexperience was our shortcoming," East Jordan coach Duane Kujat said. "We are looking to meet Charlevoix again this

Saturday in the districts with the hope of another good match.

"The girls are playing well now as a team and we will only be losing one senior off the team. So we are looking forward to the future."

The East Jordan Varsity netters finished out their regular season conference play with a sweep of Boyne City in a three game match last Thursday.

The Red Devils defeated the

Ramblers 15-6, 15-6, and 16-14 to finish the season in fourth place.

Top servers were Amanda Pepin, Jenny Goebel and Raissa Schroeder. Goebel, Pepin, Boss and Suzi Malpass led the team with attacks and kills. Abbey Carter led in blocking and Schroeder led the way in getting to the ball for sets.

In J.V. action Boyne City defeated East Jordan 15-1, 14-16 and 15-4.

BOYNE AREA 4-H YOUTH HOCKEY

Boyne City Ace Hardware Bantams played two tough games with Cadillac in Boyne City on Sunday.

The first game was a hard-fought 3-2 loss. John Stevens, Jr. did an excellent job in goal facing 19 shots compared to eight shots on goal by Boyne.

D.J. Adkison scored with an as-

sist from Ben VanDam and Brian Perreault scored unassisted.

The second game was a frustrating loss for the Bantams with the final score 6-2. Boyne coach John Stevens says his team will be skating extra hard this week in preparation for a rematch. Goals for Boyne

were made by Kyle Price unassisted and by Neil Howie assisted by Kyle Price.

"A special thanks to the volunteers who worked Friday night, Saturday and Sunday night to save our ice and make these games possible," Stevens said.

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EAST JORDAN GIRLS YOUTH BASKETBALL

Results from the third week of play (Feb. 16) in the East Jordan Girls' Youth Basketball league:

Third and fourth grade: The "Black Jacks" defeated the "Blue Laker Girls" 15-8. Leading scorer for the winners was Felicia Burks with 13 points, followed Kayla Hines and Savannah Barts with 1 point each. For the Blue Lakers, both Stephanie Steuer and Kayla Jacobson had 4 points.

"Green Dragons" nipped the "Red Devils" 13-12. For the winners, Gena Bogaert had 6 points, Nina

Mathews 3, Sierra Roberts 3, and Amanda Kitson 1. For the Red Devils, Kaila Bennet, Kari Skop, and Jessica Skop had 3 points each, with 2 points by Megan Warnos and 1 point by Amber Gettel.

Fifth and sixth grade: The "Michigan Blues" beat the "Black Attack" 26-14. For the winners, Megan Luck had 10 points, Haley Shaw 5, Shannon Marvin 5, Claire Niewendorp 4, and Amanda McMichael 2. For Black Attack, Lisa Talboys had 5 points, Amanda Brodin

3, Amy Schroeder 2, Laurie Graham 2, Jillian Derenzy 1, and Samantha Bingham 1.

The "Red Hot Chili Peppers" defeated the "Green Mean Machine" 33-21. Alyne Hillaker lead the "Peppers" with 13 points, followed by Rebecca Thorman with 7, Jenny Kraemer 7, Christy Steuer 6, and Jessica Mellios 2. For the "Machine," Jessica Renkiewicz had 9 points, Cayla Tinney 4, Courtney Hammond 4, Jessica Crick 3, and Diana Beardon 1.

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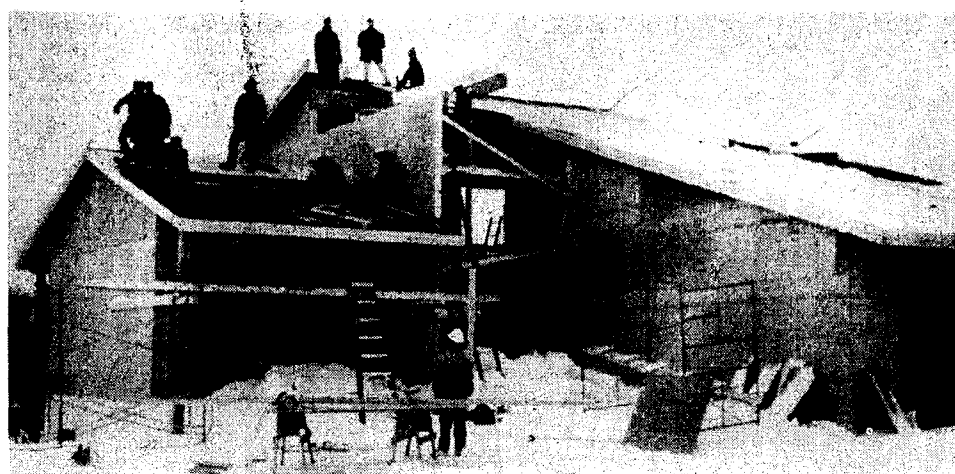
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The building trades house, across from Rotary Park, is still on schedule. The weather has slowed the work down some, but the students should have the majority of it done before the end of the school year.

Trades house going up smoothly

By Wade Leist

Anyone that will be driving along State Street lately should look and see how the BCHS building trades house is coming. Owner Mike Long has been real happy with the progress the kids have been making. "He's been up here everyday, and seems to enjoy working with the kids," said instructor Tom Neidhamer.

Now into late February, Neidhamer says the house is still pretty much under budget, though Long pays

for all materials.

The winter snow has slowed progress just a little, as the students found it hard to shingle in the cold weather. Inside, however, work is rapidly getting done. This class shows good work standards and everyday they learn more.

Long stands to save around 20 to 30 percent by having the class build the house. It's also a good situation for the school, as they get a great non-classroom situation.

Editorial

Hands-on science teacher retires

By Chris Winkler

Boyer City High School has lost one of its most widely respected science teachers. Mr. Maurice Seamon retired at the end of the first semester this year, after 16 years of dedicated service to the district.

Mr. Seamon taught a variety of courses, mainly science, including most recently, chemistry, biology, physical, earth, and space science, and freshmen math, geometry.

Due to health problems, Mr. Seamon had been using a lot of sick days, so he decided to retire. Despite any medical difficulties, though, he was considered by stu-

dents as one of the smartest and toughest teachers at BCHS.

For the time being, Mrs. Amy Snook has taken his spot. She will remain teaching for the rest of the year. For next year, a permanent replacement will be hired.

Although I have never really liked science, some of Mr. Seamon's lab experiments made the subject a little more interesting, and my fellow classmates will agree. I'll never forget the time when he picked up about a 10-inch roundworm with his bare hands and started dissecting it.

As you can see, Mr. Seamon was always quite involved with his experiments, and he will be missed.

Improved Rambler skiers make a name for themselves

By Kurt Lockman

BCHS skiers have found success on the slopes throughout the 1997 high school ski season. The Rambler boys have been especially impressive this year. Seniors Josh May and Andy Frykberg have led the team to various wins, placing near the top in just about every meet.

Besides the traditionally strong Petoskey and Manistee teams, the only other team to defeat Boyne so far has been Harbor Springs. The loss to Harbor was disappointing because it was a team the Ramblers had defeated earlier at Nubs Nob.

Had it not been for a couple of falls, the Ramblers would have claimed the conference title, something Boyne City has not done in years.

Frykberg, who won the slalom and finished sixth in the giant slalom,

and May, who placed second in the GS, earned all-conference honors. They both skied well at the Feb. 13 regional meet, held at Boyne Mountain.

The Rambler girls team, despite a season ending illness to top skier freshman Andrea Gerling, have competed strong. They were able to place fourth in the ten-school conference meet behind the skiing of senior Heather Bingham, junior Alison Polack, and freshman Maggie Doherty. Bingham, with an eighth place finish in the GS, and Polack with a pair of ninth places, earned all-conference honors. Doherty placed 13th in the slalom and 14th in the GS.

The girls took seventh at the regional meet while the boys took third and qualified for the state meet, which was Monday at Nub's Nob in Harbor.

Awards program now at the Mountain

By Niki Rewald

Boyer City High School honors students will be acknowledged on Feb. 26, at 7 p.m., in Boyne Mountain's Civic Center.

Students with a 3.0 grade point average or higher will receive a certificate, and letters (or a pin for those that already have a letter) will also be handed out to those students. National Honor Society members will also be honored.

Invitations have been sent to the families of those that will be recognized, and there will be a \$10 charge for all family members who would like to accompany their son or daughter.

This assembly used to be held at the high school during school hours, but parents could not be there to support their children's accomplishments. Congratulations to all of those students who will be honored for their hard work.

The high school band's trip to England is going to be a Journey of a lifetime

By Shannon Niedling

It's been a long time coming, but the time has finally arrived. A group of 28 anxious high school band students will be traveling to England on March 27. They will be performing with bands from all over the world in the Harrogate Band Festival.

Some have been working for up to five years to earn the money to go on this trip, and for them, this is a great reward and well deserved. Over the years, the band's fundraisers have included: selling calendars, fruit, and discount cards, planning car washes, and preparing breakfasts, lunches, and dinners.

Liverpool will be their first destination where they will give a performance at Albert Dock. Following the concert, they will arrive in Manchester for two nights. From there the group will travel to Harrogate where five nights will be spent and they will give one of their most exciting performances ever.

Next, their destination will be London, where they will view West Minster Abbey, Big Ben, Buckingham Palace, and other famous sights. The students will be in London for two nights, one of which will be spent on a dinner cruise on the Thames River aboard a glass-bottom boat. With this full schedule of events, the trip is sure to be

memorable and well worth the effort by the time the musicians arrive back in the states April 6.

The trip is coming up faster than expected, and is greatly welcomed. "I think it will be a terrific experience and the trip of a lifetime," explained senior Colleen Chapoton. "This journey will allow me to expand both musically and culturally."

When the new worldly travelers return to school, they'll surely have many great stories to tell and

adventures to recreate. They will have this experience under their belt and be ready for wherever their instruments take them next.

Trainers in training

By Brianne Korthase

There are many members of the football and basketball teams at Boyne City High School, and the past few years there have been a couple of participants that you won't always see on the field or court.

Mr. Steve Kehrer started an athletic training room for our players two years ago, and there has been some student trainers helping him with injuries and therapy.

Heather Erber, a senior, started last year after going to the Kramer sports medicine camp for three days at Grand Valley State University. She was influenced by Kehrer and said she always wanted to do it. Erber likes "being involved with athletics and the attitudes of the players."

Stacy Amesbury and Melisa

Jasinski are two juniors that also attended a Kramer camp and helped for junior varsity and varsity football. Amesbury hopes to pursue a career in sports medicine, but Jasinski is undecided. They both chose to do this because "it looked fun and interesting." They enjoyed "working with people, helping, and learning more about football."

Carey Rouleau, a sophomore, attended the Kramer camp and was talked into training by Erber. She would like to go to college for sports medicine at either Grand Valley or Central Michigan University. She plans on helping with the program for another two years and says, "It's good experience for the future." She enjoyed watching the football team while training.

Seniors, beware of senioritis

By Erin Fry

For seniors, the end is nearing. The finish line is within reach. But we can't quit now. Many seniors across the country are now coming down with a new disease called senioritis. Symptoms for senioritis include students cutting classes, easing up on studying, and loading up on fun, according to Rusty Hoover of The Detroit News.

What most students don't realize is that colleges can revoke your application if grades fall. At the University of Michigan, if a student receives a D in his or her senior year, they are required to give a written explanation to the university. Any more than two D's and a closer look is given. Each year U of M takes

back four or five applications.

At this point in the year, students should have already sent in at least three applications. Those who are applying to the more highly competitive schools the deadline for applications was on either Jan. 1 or Feb. 1. To visit the colleges of their choice, they should contact their high school counselor for more information.

All college bound seniors should turn in the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. This form should be filled out even if a student isn't planning to apply for financial aid. Seniors should also be looking for and filling out scholarship forms, as the deadline for most is coming up.

Two important dates to remember:

March 7- Teacher in-service, only a half day of school

March 10- Boyne City High School activity day

New teacher at BCHS has a masters in Molecular genetics?

By Bo Reinhardt

Mrs. Amy Snook is one of the newest members of Boyne City High School's teaching staff. Mrs. Snook is replacing Mr. Seamon, who retired after 16 years of teaching here at BCHS.

Mrs. Snook graduated from Frankenmuth High School. She attended Cederville College in Ohio and graduated with a B.A. in chem-

istry and a masters in molecular genetics. She then taught at Wayne State University's School of Medicine, and eventually went on to teach at Ohio State University.

She and her husband moved to the Boyne area a little over a year ago. "I love the beauty of this area," she says, so they decided to raise their family up here.

Amy Snook will be teaching at BCHS for the rest of this semester.

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The Rambler Press would like to thank Matt Rader for all of his work on our banner, and to The Citizen, for making the BCHS student newspaper one that the entire community can read and enjoy.

Attention all Poets

St. Mary's College, located in Orchard Lake, is holding their annual high school poetry contest, and all of you with a hidden talent in the art, or who already know you have it, try it out! With \$150 in prize money being given away, you can't go wrong.

The deadline for this contest is March 15, and the following rules apply: must be a high school student; no longer than a 20-line poem; no more than one poem a student; must have a statement that says the work is original. For more information, talk to Mr. Fowler.



All eyes are on director Becky Palmiter, as the Boyne City High School band performs during its pre-festival concert on the elementary school stage last Wednesday. The band earned a Division III rating at the district festival held at Gaylord High School on Friday.

Chamber announces raffle winners

The second month of the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce Cash Raffle had the following individuals receiving checks for \$100: Jeff Legato of Petoskey, and Basil More, Margaret Farmer and Duane Kujat, all of East Jordan. Ticket sellers receiving \$10 for selling the winning tickets were Maric Beach, Mary Faculak and Mary Clough.

Tickets are still available for \$10 each (with 10 months left to win) and may be purchased by sending checks payable to East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 137, East Jordan, Mich. 49727. Only 1,200 tickets will be sold. All proceeds benefit the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce.

Valentine's Day comes up roses for Boyne Falls lottery winner

It was all "Hearts & Roses" for a Boyne Falls woman on Valentine's Day. That's the day she claimed the \$14,000 top prize in the Michigan Lottery's new instant game, "Hearts & Roses!"

"My husband was going to play the Daily 3 game, but changed his mind at the last minute and decided to buy one Hearts & Roses ticket."

said the winner, who asked Lottery officials not to release her name.

"We couldn't believe it. We had to keep looking at the tickets," she said. "I was really happy."

The 60-year-old winner said she's a regular player of Michigan Lottery instant games. "We like instant games because there are new

games all the time."

The winner said she and her husband would use their Hearts & Roses winnings to take a fall vacation, share with their grandchildren, and have a celebration dinner with their kids.

Her winning Heart & Roses ticket was purchased at Boyne Country Party Shop, 127 Water St., in Boyne City.

Andrew Stead's vote may not have counted but it got the President's attention

What would you do if your 6-year-old child came home and told you he was going to vote in the next election?

That happened to a Boyne City grandmother prior to last fall's presidential election. One day Andrew Stead came home and asked his grandparents, Judy and Carlton Follette when the next election was, because he was determined he was going to vote. For Bill Clinton.

His grandmother explained to Andrew that he could go with her when she voted but he was too young to cast a ballot. Andrew was not deterred. When election day came he went with his grandmother to vote and brought with him his own ballot.

He was quite proud of his ballot and showed it to many people waiting in line to vote, although he was careful no one saw who he preferred for president. Andrew gave his homemade ballot to the election worker and left knowing he had done his civic duty. Andrew wasn't aware that his ballot wasn't counted and was returned to his grandmother the next day.

Judy sent a letter explaining the story of Andrew's civic-mindedness to President Clinton a few days after the election. Her letter got the attention of the White House and earlier this month Andrew received a letter signed by President Clinton.

Printed on White House stationery, it read:

"I was delighted to hear about your desire to cast a vote in the recent presidential election.

"I am extremely honored to be your President. Even when I was a little boy growing up in Arkansas, I hoped that someday I would be able to serve the people of my country.

"My job as President can be very difficult, but it is also exciting. The best part is knowing that I have an opportunity to make America better for young people like you.

"Best wishes for a good school year."

Who knows, maybe Andrew will follow in the same footsteps. And it's too bad those who can vote don't take their responsibility as seriously as he does.



Andrew Stead

President of Panama pays a visit

Charlevoix and Emmet Counties played host to some vacationing VIP's this weekend, but few people knew about it.

According to Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater, President Ernesto Balladares of Panama and his family visited the area from Friday through Sunday.

The president and his family flew into Cherry Capital Airport in Traverse City on Friday with little notice. The family stayed at a condominium in Eveline Township on Lake Charlevoix.

While in the area, the visiting dignitary and his family went shopping and sightseeing in Petoskey and Harbor Springs and dined at The Pier in Harbor Springs and Tapawingo in Ellsworth.

The U.S. Secret Service contacted Lasater last Thursday about the Balladares' visit. During the visit, Lasater's office assisted 15 Secret Service agents in the protection detail for Balladares.

The sheriff's office was not able to offer any further information regarding the Panamanian president's visit.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

WILSON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING SPECIAL USE PERMIT

PLEASE TAKE NOTE that the Wilson Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing for a special use permit on Tuesday, March 4, 1997 at 7 p.m. in the Wilson Township Hall located at 02530 Boyne City/East Jordan Road North, Fall Park, Boyne City, Mich. The Special Use Permit has been requested by Carl Steuer for the removal of sand and gravel from the property located at 03245 Abernathy Road, East Jordan. The public is invited to attend and present its comments on the issuing of this special use permit.

HUDSON TOWNSHIP BUDGET HEARING

The Hudson Township Board will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, March 5, 1997 at 7 p.m. in the Township Hall for the purpose of presenting and adopting a budget for the Township of Hudson for the 1997-1998 fiscal year.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

All discussion and comments will be received at this time or can be sent to the office of the Clerk. The Budget will be available in the Clerk's office.

Frank D. Wasylewski
Hudson Township Clerk
08755 Huffman Lake Road
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CITY OF EAST JORDAN BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING DATES

The East Jordan Board of Review will be in session March 10 and March 11, 1997. Property owners may examine their 1997 property assessments at City Hall during the following times:

March 10: 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.
March 11: 12-3 p.m. and 4-7 p.m.

The City of East Jordan tentative ratio and multiplier subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization.

	Ratio	Multiplier
Real Commercial	49.02	1.00000
Real Industrial Property	49.38	1.00000
Real Residential Property	47.50	1.05264
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

HUDSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for Hudson Township will meet at the Township Hall as follows:

Public Meetings:
Monday, March 10: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Tuesday, March 11: 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Hudson Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Agricultural	45.92	1.08886
Commercial	48.49	1.03114
Residential	47.29	1.05731
Timber-Cutover	46.89	1.06633
Personal	50.00	1.00000

CHANDLER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for Chandler Township will meet at the Chandler Fire Hall as follows:

Public Meetings:
Monday, March 10: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Tuesday, March 11: 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Chandler Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Agricultural	47.33	1.05642
Commercial	48.71	1.02649
Industrial	49.52	1.00000
Residential	46.26	1.08085
Timber-Cutover	49.68	1.00000
Personal	50.00	1.00000

EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for Evangeline Township will meet at the Township Hall as follows:

Public Meetings:
Monday, March 10: 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Tuesday, March 11: 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Evangeline Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Agricultural	48.18	1.03778
Commercial	50.00	1.00000
Industrial	47.65	1.04932
Residential	47.98	1.04211
Timber-Cutover	50.60	1.00000
Personal	50.00	1.00000

MELROSE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for Melrose Township will meet at the Township Hall as follows:

Public Meetings:
Monday, March 10: 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Tuesday, March 11: 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Melrose Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Agricultural	46.00	1.08696
Commercial	49.33	1.00000
Industrial	44.78	1.11656
Residential	45.06	1.10964
Timber-Cutover	44.02	1.13585
Personal	50.00	1.00000

EVELINE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for Eveline Township will meet at the Township Hall as follows:

Public Meetings:
Tuesday, March 10: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday, March 11: 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Eveline Township tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Agricultural	49.83	1.00000
Commercial	50.13	1.00000
Industrial	66.28	0.75438
Residential	46.84	1.06747
Timber-Cutover	44.55	1.12234
Personal	50.00	1.00000

CITY OF BOYNE CITY BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review for the City of Boyne City will meet at City Hall, 319 North Lake Street, as follows:
Wednesday, March 5, 1997 - 9 a.m. Organization Meeting. No public input.

Public Meetings:
Monday, March 17, 1997 by appointment:
12 noon to 3 p.m. and 6 - 9 p.m.
Wednesday, March 19, 1997 by appointment:
9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 - 4 p.m.

The Assessment Roll will be available at City Hall beginning March 6, 1997 during normal working hours.

The City of Boyne City tentative ratios and multipliers, subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization are as follows:

	Tentative Ratio	Multiplier
Commercial	48.86	1.02334
Industrial	50.91	1.00000
Residential	47.04	1.06292
Personal	50.00	1.00000

You may call City Hall at 582-6597 between the hours of 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., Monday through Friday to schedule a 10 minute appointment with the Board of Review for the March 17 or March 19 meeting.

Sue Hobbs, City Clerk



Winning family

Billie Reid, her son, Rob, and daughter, Angie, all of East Jordan, each earned a little bit of fame recently. Billie was named Employee of the Year for Grandvue Medical Care Facility. Angie was named Employee of the Year for Glen's Markets. In the same week, Rob was chosen Student of the Week for East Jordan High School. Incidentally, Billie was given a getaway weekend. She and her husband, Tom, visited a casino in the Upper Peninsula where she subsequently won about \$600. Billie and Angie were given a plaque to commemorate their award.

EJ Thespians will present 'Fiddler on the Roof'

The East Jordan High School Thespians are hard at work preparing for this year's production. Under the direction of Paula A. Vollbach, the students will be performing "Fiddler on the Roof."

The musical is based on a collection of stories by the great Yiddish author Sholem Aleichem called "Tevye's Daughters," and has been one of the most successful and long running productions on Broadway and throughout the world.

Told with wit and humor, "Fiddler on the Roof" is a powerful statement about the evils of prejudice and the importance of maintaining a warm and caring communal and family life in the midst of severe oppression.

"I like to pick shows that are not only challenging for the kids to perform, but also educational as well. 'Fiddler' teaches the kids a lot about how difficult things were for

the Jews back then," Vollbach said.

For Vollbach, who teaches art at East Jordan Elementary School, this will be her 26th major production and will be the sixth production for the East Jordan Thespians.

Performances will be at the East Jordan High School Auditorium March 15, 20, 21 and 22 at 7 p.m. and March 16 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$3 for students/senior citizens and will be available Monday-Friday, March 3-22 from 3-5:30 p.m. at the high school cafeteria. No phone reservations will be accepted.

Eighty students tried out for 60 roles.

The cast members are: Tevye - Gary Brooks; Golde - Autumn Dodge; Yente the Matchmaker - Emily Niewendorf; Motel - Thor Leach; Tzeitel - Rachel Warnos; Perchik - Mark Penzien; Hodel - Katie Goebel; Fyedka - Joshua Evans; Chava - Lindsey Malpass; Shprintze - Josie Krause;

Bielke - Katie Brooks, and Lazar Wolf - Bryan Banfield.

Additional cast members are: Billy Bavers, DiAnna Bearden, Alicia Beauvais, Darin Bluhm, Daniel Brooks, Kari Anne Brooks, Mary Alice Brooks, Mary Ann Brooks, Abbey Carter, Joey Cooper, Lucy Cornell, Tony Cutler, Lynsey Derenz, Tina Downton, Wilma Drok, James Gee, Patty Gee, Jenny Goebel, Joey Goebel, Charita Hauge, Katrina Kamradt, Dusten Kasuba, Megan Kempton, Tarn Leach, Beverly Lucas, Cynthia Mazzella Mike Mazzella, Jennifer McCready, Kevin McNeil, Michelle Meads, Jeanetta Merrow, Sara Miller, Chris Mills, Theresa Moses, Kristina Nelson, Kristina Nicloy, Joseph Niewendorf, Jim Nowka, Becky O'Rear, Renee Perreault, Ember Ransom, Renee Roberts, Paul Teske, Cayla Tinney, Krista Westman, Mararet Whiteford, Andy Wood, and Kelly Woodard.



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CITY OF BOYNE CITY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that, Pursuant to Rules and Regulations as outlined in the Boyne City Zoning Ordinance A-28, Public Hearings will be held at the regular meeting of the Boyne City Planning Commission on Monday, March 17, 1997 at 5 p.m. in Commission Chambers, 319 North Lake Street. The following issues will be open for public comment.

- To review and consider a change to the approved Site Plan for Harborside, a 1.2 acre development between Peninsula Beach and Water St. Inn.
- A Public Hearing and Site Plan Review for B.C. Pizza, to construct a 48 person sit-down restaurant on M-75/Boyne Avenue between the Fieldcrest Motel and Boyne City Lanes.
- A public hearing to consider an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance Section 1.40 Definitions A (9) Building Height.

The City Commission, if recommended by the Planning Commission, will hold a first reading of this amendment on Tuesday, March 18, 1997 at 12 p.m. in the City Manager's office, 319 N. Lake St., Boyne City, Mich. 49712.

Any input for or against this request will be received by the City Planner's office until 5 p.m. of the day of the Public Hearing or at the Public Hearing. For further information contact the City Planner's office at 319 North Lake Street, Boyne City, Mich. 49712 or call (616) 582-0337.

Timothy O'Leary
Planning Director

EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

The following is a synopsis of Ordinance No. 17 adopted by the Evangeline Township Board at the regular Feb. 3, 1997 meeting. A true copy of the ordinance is available at the office of the Township Planning Director, Boyne City Hall, 319 North Lake Street, or by calling the Evangeline Township Clerk at 582-7539.

FRANCHISE GRANTED TO MITTEN STATE TRANSPORT INC.

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Section 2. CONSIDERATION. In consideration of the rights, power and authority hereby granted, said grantee shall faithfully perform all things required by the terms thereof.

Section 3. CONDITIONS. Grantee shall be responsible for construction conditions regarding obstructions, interference and damage, construction notification, inspection and approval costs.

Section 4. HOLD HARMLESS. Grantee shall keep and save the township free and harmless from loss, costs, damage arising out of negligent construction and maintenance.

Section 5. EXTENSIONS. Grantee shall construct gas distribution system within said township in accordance with applicable laws.

Section 6. FRANCHISE NOT EXCLUSIVE. Either manufactured or natural gas may be furnished hereunder.

Section 7. RATES. As approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission subject to review at any time upon petition by township.

Section 8. REVOCATION. Subject to revocation upon 60 days written notice.

Section 9. MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, JURISDICTION. Grantee shall remain subject to rules and regulations of the Michigan Public Service Commission.

Section 10. ASSIGNMENT OF FRANCHISE. Grantee shall not assign this franchise to any other without written approval of the township board.

Section 11. EFFECTIVE DATE. Ordinance shall take effect the day after the date of publication.

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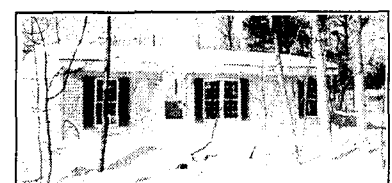
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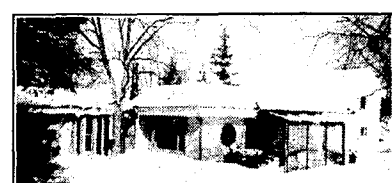
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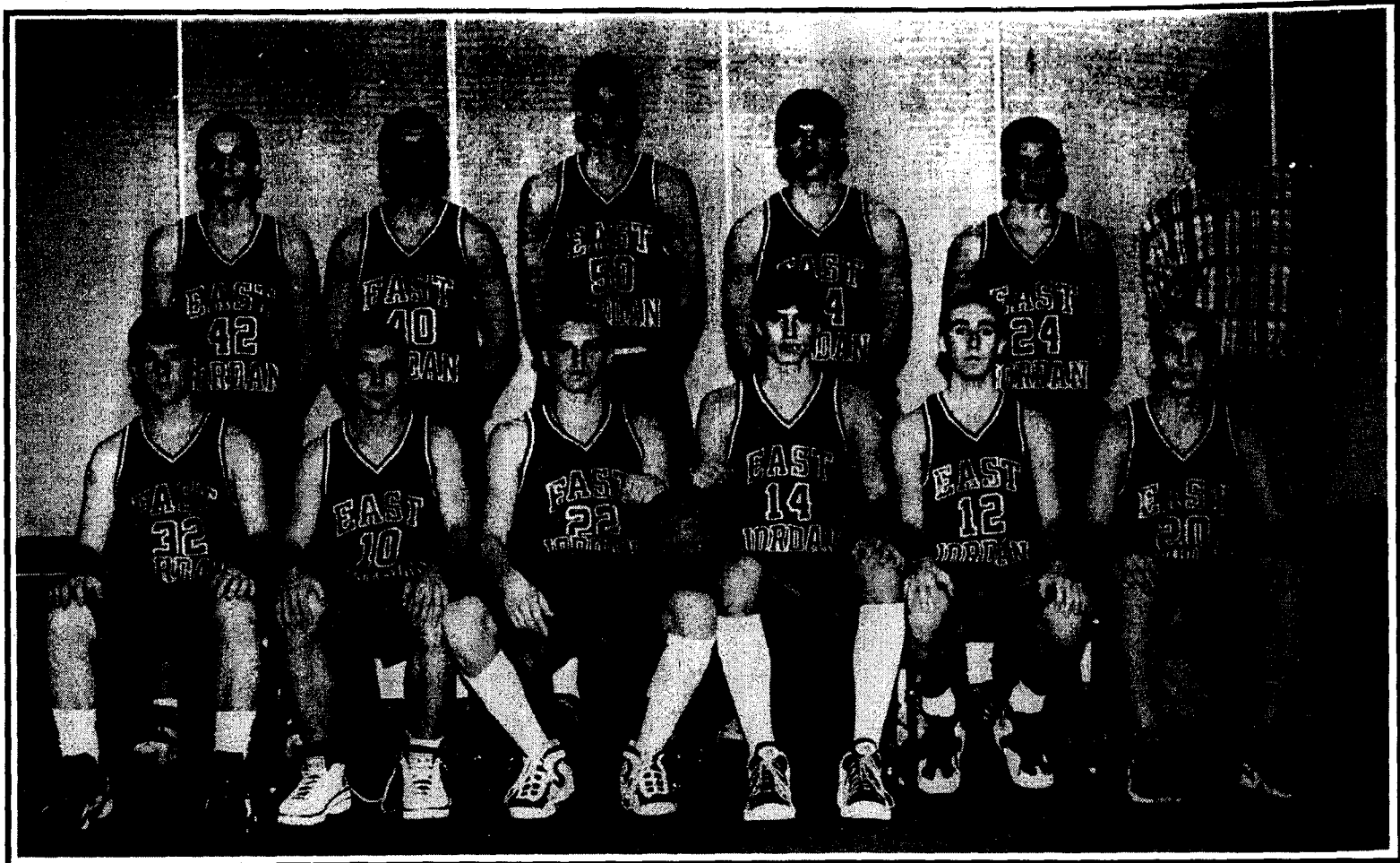
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WILSON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
REGARDING PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE WILSON TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTE that the Wilson Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on a proposed amendment to the Wilson Township Zoning Ordinance on Tuesday, March 4, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Hall located at 02730 Boyne City-East Jordan Road. The proposed ordinance amends the Wilson Township Zoning Ordinance by adding definitions to the zoning ordinance relating to condominium projects and by establishing procedures within the zoning ordinance for the review and approval of condominium projects. A copy of the entire text of the proposed zoning ordinance amendment may be obtained from the Wilson Township Clerk, 00314 Rogers Rd., Boyne City, MI 49712 at times to be arranged with the township clerk. The public is invited to attend and present its comments on the proposed zoning ordinance amendment.

Carol Clavier, Wilson Township Clerk

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