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East Jordan, Michigan

## Mayor Peck not guilty

### JURY REACHES VERDICT IN LESS THAN AN HOUR

By STEVE ZUCKER

A jury took less than an hour to find East Jordan Mayor Russ Peck not guilty of drunk driving charges in Charlevoix County's 90th District Court last Thursday.

Peck's trial came seven and a half months after he was arrested by East Jordan Police Officer Ken Wilson on Second Street in East Jordan for drunk driving at 2:25 a.m. on Feb. 8.

During the one-day trial the one woman, five man jury saw the defense, represented by attorney Stephen Graham, and the prosecution, represented by prosecuting attorney John Jarema, agree on just about everything except that Peck was drunk that night.

That, of course, was the crucial point.

In June, Judge Richard May ruled that the breath test administered to Peck following his arrest was inadmissible as evidence because the deputy giving the test had left him alone for a few seconds. Therefore, Jarema had to rely mainly on the testimony of the arresting officer to prove that Peck was drunk.

Without the breath test as evidence, Jarema had to prove to the jury that "Because of consuming alcohol, (Peck's) ability to operate a motor vehicle in a normal manner was substantially lessened."

In his testimony, Wilson said that the reason he pulled Peck over was because he was driving on the left side of second street "for about 300 feet."

After stopping Peck, Wilson said he smelled alcohol on him and put him through a series of seven field sobriety evaluations; of which, Wilson said Peck performed unsatisfactorily on five.

The tests included saying the alphabet (passed), counting from 1-25 (passed), choosing a number between 12 and 14 (hesitated before answering correctly), standing on one leg (failed), standing with eyes closed and head tilted back (swayed some), and walking heel to toe for seven steps (stumbled).

Peck, who later took the witness

stand in his own defense, said that he stumbled during the heel-to-toe test because the road was snow-covered; he failed the balance tests because, "I just don't have good balance;" and he was driving on the left side of the street to avoid cars that were parked by the curb.

Although Wilson said he couldn't remember if there were cars parked there or not, Reserve Officer Greg Austin, who was riding with Wilson that night, testified that there were no cars parked there. But defense witness Keith Smith, who lived on Second Street last winter said that he had three cars that were parked behind the curb in that location, and hung out into the street "a couple feet."

Several other inconsistencies in the prosecution witnesses' testimony also hurt the people's case. For example, Wilson testified that Peck's speech was not slurred nor stuttered. But East Jordan Police Officer Dan Reese, whom Peck called from the jail, and Charlevoix County Sheriff Deputy George Lasater Jr., who booked Peck both testified that his speech was slurred.

In his testimony, Peck admitted having had three and a half drinks, or about five ounces of liquor, in a three hour period prior to driving home that early morning.

Peck said that he arrived at Ansted's at about 10:30 p.m. on Feb. 7, had his first drink at about 10:45 p.m. and had two more before leaving at about 1:45 a.m. Peck said that he then went to The Rainbow (Bar) where he had half of another drink before leaving at about 2:20 a.m.

At one point Jarema asked Peck, "Were you drunk when you got behind the wheel that night?"

Peck responded, "No."

Following his acquittal, an emotional Peck said, "I'm just glad to see justice served. I think the jury made a wise decision. I'm actually glad it went to trial."

Looking ahead to how the verdict will affect his future as East Jordan's mayor Peck said, "I don't think it will have any effect on the city. We'll just get back to getting things done and that's it."



### Game on!

The action was hot last week during the 4-H youth soccer games at Boswell Field. This year's program has about 250 participants ages 5-14 playing on 16 teams. The games are held every Tuesday and Thursday evening beginning at 6 p.m. The program, in its fifth year in East Jordan, will wrap up with a tournament on Oct. 11.

Jon Easterbrook is in critical but stable condition

## Explosion injures one

A 49 year-old East Jordan man is recovering at the University of Michigan Medical Center burn unit in Ann Arbor from injuries he suffered in an explosion last Thursday.

The blast occurred at about 12:20 p.m. at East Jordan Sandblasting, 450 Griffin Road, when proprietor Jon Easterwood was outside using a cutting torch to cut the top off of a 55-gallon drum and the drum exploded.

The East Jordan Fire Department responded to the scene and put out a small fire that resulted from the blast.

East Jordan Ambulance transported Easterwood to Charlevoix Area Hospital where his condition was stabilized. He was then transported via helicopter to the U of M Medical Center.

According to East Jordan Ambulance Director Jay Peck, Easterwood suffered second degree burns over 60 percent of his body from the neck down.

As of Monday, Easterwood was reported to be in critical but stable condition at the University of Michi-

gan Medical Center burn unit and was slated to begin undergoing cosmetic surgery on his hands and arms on Monday. Further surgeries will be done as skin grafts become available.

Jon's doctors have asked that due to the high risk of infection, no flowers be sent to him at this time. Patricia Easterwood, Jon's wife, said, however, that letters and cards are welcomed and encouraged. Cards and letters may be sent to:

Jonathan Easterwood, University of Michigan Health Systems, Trauma Burn Center, 1500 East Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 58109-0053.

According to a statement from the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, Jon's doctors have praised the efforts of fire and ambulance crews who responded to the scene, as well as the work done to stabilize him at the Charlevoix Area Hospital emergency room.

The building sustained minor damage in the explosion.

at a  
**GLANCE**

### Leaf Peekers on tap this weekend

As autumn colors begin to fill the Jordan Valley, East Jordan area residents prepare to host the annual Leaf Peekers Open House.

Area merchants and civic groups will take part in the event, which will be held this Thursday through Sunday.

See page 6 of this week's Journal for a schedule of events for this year's open house and a map of the Leaf Peekers Color Tour route.

## Homecoming '97 will feature something new



Members of this year's Homecoming Court are, front row from left: Jenny Goebel, Renee Perreault, Kristina Nelson, Angie Swan, Raissa Schroeder, and Cassie Krause; back row, Tracey Johnson, Salvador Cabellaro, Parke Bluhm, Matt McCoy, Brad Carey and Andrew Wood.

### Game slated for 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Community Pep Rally on Friday night

One of the greatest time-honored traditions of fall is the celebration of homecoming festivities at East Jordan High School.

This year, however, the school will break with tradition a bit as the pinnacle of the week — the football game — will be held on Saturday.

This year homecoming activities will take place Oct. 2-4. The Red Devils will face off on the gridiron with conference rival Boyne City on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.

The Homecoming '97 court that the EJHS senior class selected during voting on Sept. 19 includes Parke Bluhm, son of Ken and Franny Bluhm; Jenny Goebel, daughter of Walter and Marilyn Goebel; Andrew Wood, son of Rusty Wood and Prudence and Larry Kurtz; Cassie Krause, daughter of Tom and Emily Krause; Salvador Cabellaro, son of Santiago Hernandez; Renee Perreault, daughter of John and April Perreault; Matt McCoy, son of Sandra Miller and Sandy Johnson and Michael McCoy; Raissa Schroeder, daughter of Michael and Donna Drury; Tracey Johnson, son of Bill and Cindy Johnson; Kristina Nelson, daughter of Richard and Audrey Nelson; Brad Carey, son of Marty and Debbie Carey; and Angie Swan, daughter of Debra and Alan Swan.

Festivities will get underway on Thursday when the Homecoming Court is presented during half-time of the girls varsity basketball game.

Following a court breakfast on Friday morning, the court will visit the middle and elementary schools for a pep assembly. The high school assembly will take place at about 1:30 p.m. followed by float judging at 3:30 p.m.

At 5:30 p.m. a community pep assembly will be held at Jordan Valley Express which will include the coronation of the king and queen.

On Saturday things will get started at 11:30 a.m. with the homecoming parade. The parade will follow a route from Main and Garfield Streets to the True Value Hardware parking lot on Mill Street. Following the parade, tailgate parties will be held in the high school parking lot until game time.

The homecoming court will be presented at half-time of the football game.

Homecoming 1997 will wrap up with the Homecoming Dance from 9-11:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

# OPINION

## EDITORIAL

### A bum deal for Boyne Falls School

Boyne Falls School is fighting for its life. With changes in school funding, based on enrollment, the school is facing large budget deficits in the near future just to maintain the programs it now offers.

In short, the school is a casualty of Proposal A. And if there aren't changes, Boyne Falls School will run out of money a few years down the road.

To some, the solution is simply to have Boyne Falls consolidate with another nearby district. That's easier said than done. And Boyne Falls residents are right when they

say their school was doing just fine until the rules of the school funding game were changed.

It's one thing to ask for consolidation, but it's an entirely different story when it's being forced on you.

Prior to Proposal A, Boyne Falls tried hard to run a tight ship. But what's happening is the school is being penalized for being thrifty.

And when you talk about making radical changes to a school, the ripple effect is felt all throughout a community. A school means

a lot to a community. It's a gathering place. It's the heartbeat of the town. Without it, a large part of the community suffers.

Faced with the pending problems, the Boyne Falls School Board and administration are trying to involve the whole community in understanding the reality of the situation and researching the best options available.

It's not an easy process. But sitting back and doing nothing will make the situation even worse.

— Hugh Conklin

## LETTERS

### Treat everyone with respect

TO THE EDITOR:

Suppose when you woke up this morning and you tried to get out of bed, you couldn't. You yelled for your husband but the words never came. Off to work your husband goes, you are all alone, not near a phone that you couldn't hold anyway and were trapped. When help finally arrived, after a full work up it was discovered that you were going to stay like this permanently. You can't do anything for yourself. You can't eat, talk, walk, or even go to the bathroom by yourself. How would you feel? You have all your mental capacities but cannot express them. When someone abuses you, you cannot tell them to stop and you can't tell anyone what happened. You couldn't get a drink of water when you're thirsty, and can't tell someone when you're wet. I wonder how I would feel.

Recently, I had the privilege of going to Mackinaw Island with some people with disabilities. Some lady made an issue in front of my friends that she wasn't going to stand near these "things" and proceeded to make her husband and friends move away from us. That made me very angry and yet I felt sorry for her.

Whether it be disabled, lame, blind, depressed, cross-eyed, flat footed or buck-toothed, we all have feelings. I hope the next time that you are out and about and you see someone less fortunate than yourself, praise God that you are in control of your whole being. It could have or may happen to you.

Whether you are rich or poor, tall or short, fat or skinny, ugly or beautiful, you could have something happen today that would make you totally dependent on someone else.

I have seen a lot in the 20 some years I have worked with people, hospitals, doctors, clinics, you name it. Often there has been an attitude of "Oh, brother." May each of us think about what we have and not look down on those who haven't.

Anne VanderMey

### A message for the school board

TO THE EDITOR:

Hey, Marty Moody, please, try a reasonable - not stubborn - look at the proposed \$35,000,000 Boyne City schools building bond issue. Try a little bit of common sense. You, of all people, can do it; you've already realized and said "...communication between school and community is nonexistent."

Six election defeats prove it. As will the seventh building bond defeat this November.

Come on, Marty, persuade the rest of the school board members to also try a smidgen of reality. Like the following examples:

Boyne City's school system had an original student capacity of 1,690 students. Presently only 1,368 students are claimed by school authorities to be in grades K-12; a difference of 255 students...

Let's bread this down by individual schools. At the high school (original capacity 570 students in grades 9-12) only 409 students presumably, are in 26 classrooms - that's 15 plus students per room....

At the middle school (original capacity 420 students in grades 6-8) some 343 students, presumably, are in 19 classrooms - that's 18 plus students per room....

At the elementary school (original capacity 700 students in grades K-5) some 616 students, presumably, are in 27 classrooms - that's 22 plus students per room....

Finally, divide all the above classrooms and all the above student numbers and an average of 18 plus students per room results. No matter where the students are.

(All the above basic numbers are from Boyne City school documents.)

And, Marty, that's without counting any of those, for applying voter pressure, tactical portable classrooms; nor the extra empty seats in each room, each school, the whole school system.

Good news, Marty; according to the Michigan Department of Education and the Michigan Education Association, all the above makes the Boyne City school district a virtual utopia, because it is below all of Michigan's average of 19 plus students per classroom.

But, let's not be dumb. Sure, there's a lot of slack in our school system but most of it is mismanagement. That can be cured. It would be foolish, however, to not plan for the future. Just a wee bit is necessary; most people, I believe, are well aware of that.

Therefore, a consensus appears to be saying four (4) add on classrooms at the elementary and middle schools would last us a long time. The cost: less than two million, plus or minus.

We could almost afford it. Pass this message along to the school board, Marty, please.

Karl Waldner

## A MOM'S LIFE

### I'll get to it in a minute, but first ...

By CINDI PLACE

At one time or another, each of our kids have gone through the childhood stage of "stalling." You know the game. Extra drinks of water, then the bathroom when it's time to go to sleep.

Asking to watch just one more television show before starting on that homework assignment.

We've even had a child who asked to do the dinner dishes on purpose, just to avoid the inevitable job of cleaning his room. It took quite a few dish nights before he finally figured out that his room still needed cleaning and no one else was going to do it!

But the master of stall is our youngest child. Nobody can put things off quite as efficiently as he can. He begs to watch his favorite television show, "just until the next commercial, Mom" time after time. Like he thinks his parents were born yesterday? We tried that one ourselves many years ago... and it still works like a charm.

Cleaning his room and making his bed are apparently his least favorite activities. He will actually offer to help make anyone else's bed before he tries to tackle his own. Makes us wonder just what is under all those lumps in his covers. Oh, yeah. It's the books he hides so that at bedtime he can avoid actually falling asleep as long as possible.

Bedtime for our youngest child actually starts right after school. With all the excuses, requests and outright terrorist tactics, this kid needs at least six hours to exhaust his stalling repertoire of tricks.

Like the other night. His grandmother was here, visiting from "far, far away", and he just didn't want to miss any time with her. (His first excuse.) Then he wanted to show her the different projects he was building from those little snap together building blocks. Trouble was, this kid can create an entire metropolitan area in just one evening. So after the tour of "Legoland" he headed into the bathroom to brush his teeth. No one, absolutely no one can take as long as this kid does flossing his teeth. It makes his dentist proud. After flossing, brushing and swishing he should be ready for la-la land, right? Not quite.

First we need a snack. Now, ignore the fact that the child ate a huge dinner just two hours ago. And forget that earlier in the evening he consumed two bowls of popcorn, at least 3 bananas and a half dozen chocolate chip cookies. Now, just minutes before the absolute latest this kid can stay up, he needs a snack. And who are we to send our child to bed hungry? So out comes the cereal and milk.

Of course, this all means that he has to go through the teeth brushing ritual all over again. But finally, he has run out of excuses and we have run out of patience. He heads into his bedroom and all appears quiet.

After nearly fifteen minutes, we hear a wee little voice from the hallway "Mom and Dad, I forgot to give Grandma a kiss." Into the living room he runs to administer hugs and kisses to his mom, dad and grandmother. And then this kid, our master of stall, turns to his grandmother's guest, a stranger that he has never met. And you can see his mind working. "Is it worth hugging this stranger for just a few extra minutes of stall?" As I look into our child's face, I see that special look of triumph that only a six-year-old who thinks he has put something over on someone can wear. Then he leans over and gives our very surprised guest a goodnight hug.

## # 1 IN THE NATION



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## NEWS FROM BOYNE CITY HALL

By SUE HOBBS  
Acting Boyne City Manager

**FOLLOWING REQUESTS** from citizens, when you call City Hall's main line you will again get a "real person," not a recording telling you what to press to get whom. The only time you will get a recording is if the receptionist is at the counter helping someone in the lobby or on another line. Voice mail will be used in each separate office when staff is out, on another line, or with someone.

**IT APPEARS THAT** Groveland Street might soon be done. City crews are working on the restoration of the shoulders and Boyne Valley Hydroseeding will hydroseed the shoulders because of the large area that needs to be seeded and the length of time that it would take using the city's small machine.

**THE CURB AND** sidewalk in the downtown parking lot was replaced where it was installed

incorrectly. The areas are graded and ready for paving. H&D is the scheduled subcontractor for paving and it is anticipated this will be done by the end of this week.

**DUE TO THE INCREASE** in gas tax, the city recently received funds for additional street work this year. There were quite strict parameters and a short time frame to plan the project for funding. It was determined that High and Kunert streets most closely met the MDOT's criteria. We are waiting for a paving schedule for these two streets.

**THE CITY HAS** requested a grant to help fund the engineering phase for a boardwalk along the river between Lake and Park streets. This boardwalk has been planned since the early 80's. Now, thanks to the DDA and this grant, we can start actively planning how it will be built.

(Editor's note: "News from Boyne City Hall" will be a weekly column in an attempt to better inform residents on activities around the city.)

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# A big bear for Big Buck

If you go into most people's workshops you'll find the typical tools, sawdust, and perhaps some roughly drawn plans lying about. But if you wander into the workshop of local artist Glen McCune you'll find all those things and a seven foot black bear.

McCune and three other area artisans have been working for the past five weeks on a seven-foot wooden statue of a black bear and a statue of two bear cubs climbing a tree.

The statues are to be used as decoration for the third location of the Big Buck Brewery and Steakhouse slated to open on Oct. 1 in Auburn Hills.

McCune, a carpenter by trade, has a diverse background in wildlife painting and wood-carving. He designed the label that adorns the brewery's bottles including the three story bottle that stands outside at the original Big Buck Brewery located in Gaylord. He also fashioned the mahogany bar at the brewery and many of the signs.

So, when the Big Buck owners were looking for someone to create something unique for their newest establishment, they naturally asked McCune.

Because of the short time frame, McCune enlisted the help of Dick Fish, Carlton Howie and Carl Beal. The quartet has spent the past five weeks working diligently to complete the figures by the restaurant's scheduled Oct. 1 opening.

The statues began as drawings conceived by McCune.

"I watched a lot of Winnie the Pooh for my inspiration on this one," McCune said.

Since finding a solid block of wood large enough to carve a



The bear carving team includes, from left: Glen McCune, Dick Fish, Carlton Howie and Carl Beal.

seven foot bear from would be rather difficult, McCune took several smaller pieces of white pine and glued them together.

From there the men took the large block of wood and began to hone the shape down, first

with power tools and later with more precise hand tools, until the form of a bear began to emerge.

The statue of the two bear cubs in a tree had to be done in several pieces.

In its completed form, the bear alone weighs an estimated 500 pounds.

The very detailed and lifelike bear and two cubs were to be transported to the new restaurant last Friday via horse

trailer.

"It's been a lot of work but it's been a great experience too," McCune said. "We just hope Dick (Boyne City dentist Richard Fish) doesn't get his tools mixed up."

## Two-vehicle accident at U.S. 131 and M-75 corner injures three

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department responded to a two-vehicle personal injury accident that occurred at about 3:50 p.m. last Friday at the intersection of U.S. 131 and M-75 in Walloon Lake.

According to a sheriff's report, the accident occurred when Jack D. Dickhout, 79, of Boyne City attempted to turn north onto U.S. 131 from M-75 and struck a southbound vehicle driven by David M. Kruski, 25, of Petoskey.

Dickhout and his passenger Julia M. Dickhout, 75, of Boyne City, were taken to Northern Michigan Hospital by Life Link Ambulance where they were treated and released. Kruski suffered minor injuries but was not transported to a hospital.

Melrose Township Fire Department assisted at the scene with the Jaws of Life to extract the Dickhouts from their vehicle. The accident remains under investigation.

### BOYNE CITY POLICE REPORT

Boyne City Police Department handled a total of 94 complaints for the week of Sept. 18-26.

Officers apprehended two Boyne City juveniles Friday night who are believed to be responsible for damage caused to 20 vehicles parked at Friday night's football game between Boyne City and Kalkaska. The vehicles were scratched with a sharp object causing paint damage. The damage is estimated at about \$300 per vehicle. The two juveniles will be petitioned to juvenile court.

A homeowner on East Main Street reported a garage door kicked in, but no items were missing from the garage.

On Sept. 23, a Park View Apartment resident reported a Huffy 10-speed mountain bicycle stolen.

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October 1, 1997

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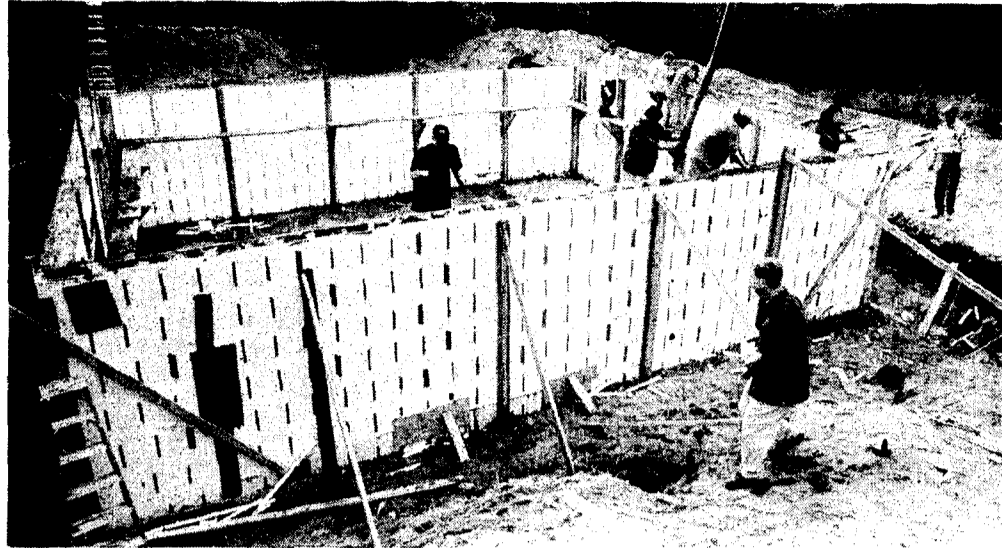
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**Up it goes**

Students in the Boyne City High School building trades class work on the foundation of the home they are constructing this school year. The class has 21 students, six of whom are from East Jordan, and is taught by Tom Neidhamer. Builder Nord Schroeder also works with students, who are on the job site in the morning, then return to school for the rest of the day. The house students are building this year is two story, with three baths and a full basement.

**Foundation accepting grant requests**

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation is again ready to make grants in support of projects in the area, and nonprofit groups, schools, and local municipalities in need of funds are invited to submit their grant requests.

During the next few months, the Community Foundation and its Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) will review grant proposals to help fund health initiatives, community development projects, education, the arts and cultural events, environmental efforts, and human service programs. The YAC, which is made up of representatives from high schools throughout Charlevoix County, will award grants to programs that serve children and teens.

Grant requests should be submitted no later than Oct. 31. Application forms are available through the Community Foundation office, and foundation representatives are happy to provide advice and assistance to organizations interested in applying for funds.

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation is a charitable organization that was started five years ago by a group of local citizens. Like its 50-some counterparts throughout Michigan, the foundation serves as a grass-roots philanthropy-gathering donations from individuals, families, and local organizations and managing them in a permanent endowment. Investment income is used to support programs that meet

local needs, while the endowment continues to grow and generate charitable dollars for many years.

Thanks to the generosity of local donors, and matching grants from the Frey and Kellogg foundations, the Community Foundation's assets have grown to more than \$5 million, and its Youth Fund now has more than \$1 million designated for the exclusive benefit of young people. The Community Foundation has already distributed almost \$500,000 in grants and scholarships.

More information about the Charlevoix County Community Foundation, grant applications, and help for grant seekers is available by calling the foundation office at 536-2440.

**Charlevoix Hospital hosting prostate cancer forum**

Several specialists from the Munson Medical Center staff in Traverse City will present an in-depth look at prostate cancer via inter-hospital telecommunications at Charlevoix Area Hospital on

Wednesday, Oct. 8, from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

The public is invited to hear Drs. Stefanciw, Gillett, Hall, and Harris, urologists on the Munson staff, and an oncologist, discuss diagnosis and

treatment of prostate cancer. Participants will be able to ask questions of the physicians.

The forum is free, however, reservations are requested by calling Connie Roland at 547-4024.

*Open House*

Sunday, October 5, 1997

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY MEDICAL CARE FACILITY

**OBITUARIES**

**Angela Rose Skrocki**

Angela Rose Skrocki, 69, of Boyne City, died on Thursday, Sept. 25, 1997 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Her Funeral Mass was held Saturday, Sept. 27, at St. Matthew's Catholic Church. Burial was in Maple Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Skrocki was born on May 29, 1928 in Detroit, the daughter of Dino and Catherine Barbieri Procello. She graduated from Boyne City High School in 1946. She then attended Detroit Business Institute.

On Sept. 3, 1951 she married Chester J. Skrocki. She worked for Northwestern State Bank for over 32 years, retiring in 1981. She was a member of St. Matthew's Catholic Church and its financial committee, Charlevoix County Share of Michi-

gan, Reach to Recovery Program (27 years), Camp Quality volunteer, AFLAC agent for 11 years, and Monday Study Group.

She was a cancer survivor for 34 years.

Survivors include her husband, Chester of Boyne City; sisters, Maryanne C. Watkins of Boyne City, and Diana A. (David) Terrell of Traverse City; aunt, Mrs. H. William Borsay of Roseville; sisters-in-law, Sue (Archie) Nemecek of East Jordan, Margie (Don) Robley of Lansing, and Ruth Ann (Thomas) Sheridan of East Jordan; and many nieces and nephews.

The family wishes memorials be given to St. Matthew's Building Fund.

**Dan H. MacEachern**

Dan H. MacEachern, 94, died on Thursday, Sept. 25, 1997 at Bortz Health Care of Petoskey.

His funeral was Monday, Sept. 29, at St. Cyril of Jerusalem Catholic Church, Taylor, Mich. Buried was in Our Lady of Hope Cemetery, Southgate, Mich.

Mr. MacEachern was born Sept. 12, 1903 in Glendale, Nova Scotia, Canada the son of Alexander (Big Alec) and Catherine (MacIssac) MacEachern. He married Ann Jane MacMaster in Detroit on Aug. 25, 1936. She preceded him in death on Jan. 14, 1991.

He was employed by Ford Motor (Rouge Tool & Die Plant) from 1931 to 1968, when he retired. He moved from Allen Park to East Jordan in June 1990.

He took special pride in his Scottish roots and enjoyed the Gaelic language and music. He set a fine example of how to gently lead a family.

He is survived by his only son, Larry (Lorraine) of East Jordan; four grandchildren, Melissa MacEachern, Kimberly (Randall) Weeter, Lawrence A. MacEachern II, and Jennifer M. MacEachern all of East Jordan; and one great-grandchild, Logan L. Weeter.

He was also preceded in death by both parents; his brothers, John (Big Jack) MacEachern and Alexander MacEachern; and his sister, Mary MacEachern.

Memorials may be given to Mother House-Sisters of St. Martha Antigonish N.S. B26 2G6 Canada.

Angela Skrocki's family wishes to thank all those who participated in her funeral with cards, donations, flowers and condolences.

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OPEN HOUSE AND DEDICATION IS SUNDAY

# Alzheimer unit opening at Grandvue

Finishing touches are being applied this week as Horizonvue prepares to host an open house this Sunday. Horizonvue is a newly developed specialized unit at Grandvue Medical Care Facility that is dedicated to caring for those suffering from Alzheimer's.

The open house is Sunday from 2-4 p.m. A dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony will be held at 2:30 p.m. State Rep. Beverly Bodem and Charlevoix County Commissioners will be in attendance.

The new 20-bed unit has been renovated and converted into a more home-like environment. The old nursing station was removed and the kitchen was enlarged to become the focal point of many activities, said Nancy Carey, director of Horizonvue.

There is also a secured garden area with a walking path, that will incorporate activities such as pitching horse shoes, bird feeding, and tending flower gardens, all of which is designed to provide meaningful activities and rekindle past memories, Carey said.

The programming will be structured but also extremely flexible to meet individual needs.

Grandvue began the process to add the Alzheimer's unit a few years ago when it applied to the Michigan Department of Public Health (MDPH) for a Certificate of Need for a 20-bed Alzheimer Unit. The



Vicki Moats, a nurse at Horizonvue, works with a patient in a new parlor area at the facility, which has been completely renovated.

beds became available through an Addendum for Special Needs Populations when the state allocated an additional 200 beds to be utilized throughout the state for Alzheimer research.

As part of the application requirements, the unit will also participate in research. The research chosen by Grandvue will be to incorporate and study the effects of music therapy on specific behaviors. This will be accomplished through singing and playing instruments, especially repeated rhythms with drums.



Director Nancy Carey is overseeing last minute details at Horizonvue.

## Health Circle offering screening to those who may suffer depression

Every year the National Institute of Mental Health sponsors Mental Illness Awareness week, in October with the goal of educating the public about mental disorders and to promote understanding of those people who suffer from mental or emotional problems.

During the week of Oct. 6-12, mental health professionals nationwide will be offering free screening to help people determine whether they may have clinical depression. In Boyne City, a screening for

depression will be offered by psychologist Nancy Holton of Health Circle. Screening consists of completing a brief questionnaire, a brief consultation, and receipt of information. There will be no charge for the service. The screening will be Friday, Oct. 10, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., or by appointment. For more information call 582-2441.

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## Sheriff's office providing home security checks

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For home owners to participate in the program, they must contact the sheriff's office and request a security check form. Residents who have participated in the program in the past must re-submit their request each year.

The sheriff's department notes, however, that the program is not intended to take the place of private security programs. Rather, it is intended to work along with, and add coverage to the private programs.

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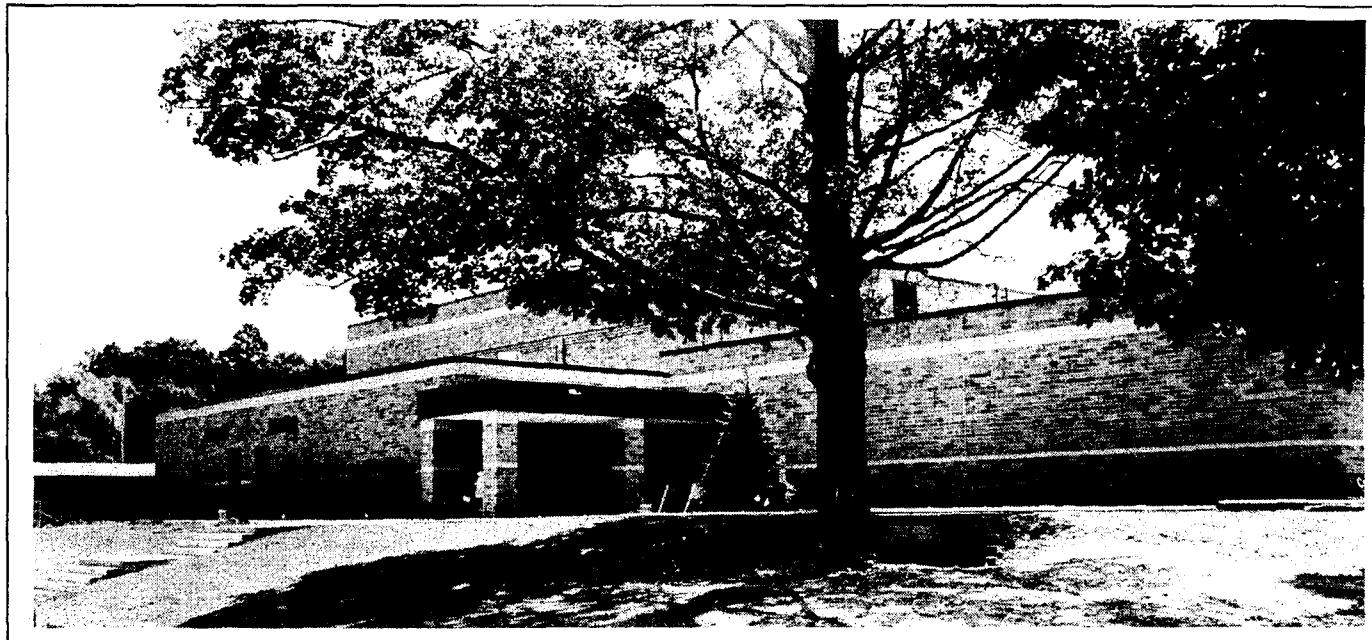
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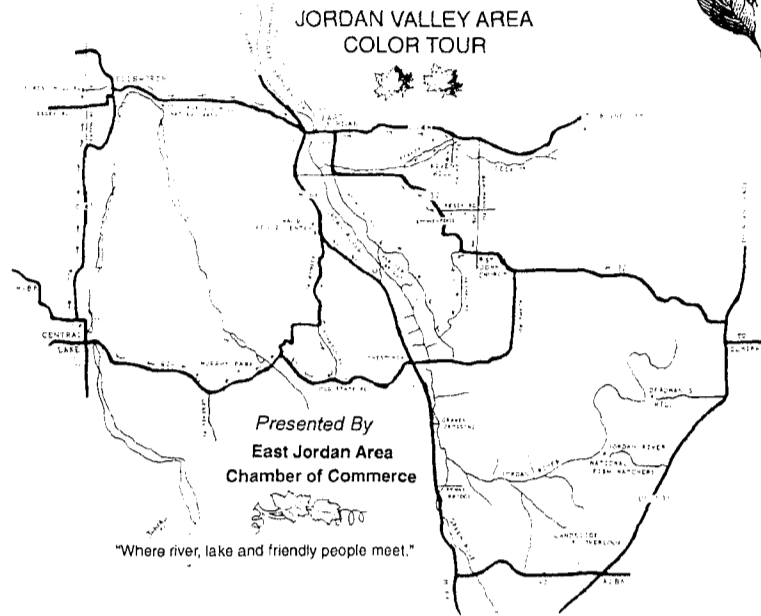
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## OPEN HOUSE



### Schedule of Events

#### Friday Oct. 3

- Dress Up Day - wear your bib overalls, jeans, flannel shirts and straw hats!
- Special sales and in-store promotions at participating merchants.
- 5:30 p.m.** - **Community Pep Assembly** at the Jordan Valley Express including the crowning of the East Jordan High School 1997 Homecoming King and Queen.
- 7:30 p.m.** - **An Evening with Shawn Galloway** at the Jordan River Arts Council Building, 301 Main St. Tickets to see the singer and songwriter are \$5 at the door or in advance from Sacred Sparks at 596-2704.

#### Saturday Oct. 4

- Enjoy breakfast at one of our many fine restaurants.
- Red Devil Day - wear the East Jordan school colors to celebrate Homecoming 1997.
- 10 a.m.** - **Leaf Peekers Trolley** leaves Boyne City to East Jordan stopping at the corner of Mill and Main Streets
- 10 a.m. - 12** - **Farmers Market** in Memorial Park
- 10:20 a.m.** - **Entertainer Shawn Galloway** performs in front of the East Jordan Senior Center.
- 11 a.m.** - **Trolley returns to Boyne City**
- 11:30 a.m.** - **The 1997 Homecoming Parade** will travel from the corner of Garfield and Main Streets to True Value Hardware on Mill Street.
- Following the parade, the **East Jordan Band Boosters** will host a tailgate party until the gate opens for the football game at 1 p.m.
- 1:30 p.m.** - **Kickoff of football game** between East Jordan and Boyne City at Boswell Stadium.

#### Sunday Oct. 5

- 2-4 p.m.** - **East Jordan Portside Art and Historical Society** presents pioneer arts and crafts demonstrations at the Historical Museum at Elm Pointe. Apple cider and caramel apples will be available.
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**NEIGHBORS**

By **NANCY NORTHUP**

**HEARTFELT SYMPATHIES** for the family and friends of Boyne City's Angela Skrocki who died unexpectedly last week. Many will miss her, as evidenced by her beautiful farewell service at St. Matthew's on Saturday morning.

**BILL AND JAN ROBINSON** of Sault Ste. Marie were weekend visitors at the Boyne City home of Delcie Phillips.

**TIM KORTHASE** of Montague spent a couple of days here at the Deer Lake home of his Aunt Jean and helped the Korthase boys, Randy, Kim, and Chris chop corn.

**ROSE SCHWEM** of Boyne Falls and her son, Jack and wife Marti of Minnesota have returned from spending more than a month on a wonderful fun-filled trip to Norway and Scotland. "A good trip and a great flight," said Rose, who also enjoyed a visit in Scotland with her granddaughter, who married a Scotsman, and getting re-acquainted with her 3-year-old great granddaughter! Other highlights were the many sights, sounds, and smells of their annual Edinburg Festival of classical music, castles, clowns, puppet shows and much more.

**IRENE AND RAY Speltz** of Boyne City were among approximately 115 who attended the annual Farm Bureau Awards dinner held at

Whiting Park on Saturday night. Also attending the special night were state representatives Bev Bodem, Marge Kares, and others. Special recognitions were given to extension agent, in agriculture, Boyne City's Rod Cortright and also to Bo Reinhardt, for his 4-H achievements.

**COUSIN MAYJO ERFORTH** of Culleoka, Tenn., came to Boyne City to pick up Marlene Groh and take her back home for a two-week visit. En route they made an overnight visit in Muskegon with more cousins, Art and Betty Hughey. While in Tennessee, Marlene enjoyed visits with Mayjo's son and family, the Gary Erfourths and Gary, Jr. and fiancée Michelle and her daughter Hailey.

**JUNE AND JAMES MOREY** of Ionia were in the area over the weekend. On Friday night, a family group of nine celebrated the birthday of his dad, Jack Morey of Vanderbilt, with dinner in Gaylord. The Moreys spent time with her mother on Kuzmik road, the Anne Jenkins home, before making the trip back.

**BILL DELL AND WIFE DORIS** of Flint were here this past week visiting his Aunt Billie Stanley and Bill also fished in the area.

**ADELL HIBBARD** of Boyne City has returned from Ann Arbor. She and her daughter, Nancy of Big Rapids were there visiting Adell's brother, James Ollila, who has been a medical patient this past couple of weeks at the VA

Hospital.

**SANDRA NEWVILLE** has returned from spending the week in Kentwood at the home of her daughter, Michelle, and husband Kevin Potter and family. Sandra enjoyed helping Michelle care for the children.

**ON FRIDAY**, Doris Hocquard, Ruth Hausler, Evelyn Dodds, Kathleen Massey and Jean Korthase joined others attending Grandvue's Bingo & Bake Sale festivity for the public. Lucky Doris won the door prize, a huge basket of fruits and goodies.

**PATRICIA "PAT" HADDIX DEAN** of Petoskey traveled to Anchorage, Alaska, Aug. 19, to visit longtime friend Nancy Marie Steuer, formerly of Boyne City. While there Nancy took Pat on a whirlwind tour of Anchorage, Wasilla (Iditarod Trail Headquarters), Talkeetna, and Denali (Mt. McKinley) National Park. While on a bus tour into the park they saw grizzly bear, moose, caribou and smaller wildlife, Ester (Gold Mining Area), Fairbanks, North Pole (Santa Clause House), Glenallen, Copper Center, Valdez (Home of the terminus of the Aleyska Pipeline), and Palmer (Alaska State Fair). While in Fairbanks they visited Carl "Nick" Nichols, formerly of Boyne City. The three of them called longtime friend James Feagan at his home in Kerrville, Texas.

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

**WEDDINGS**



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**Senglaub-Jason**

Debra Senglaub and Nathan Jason, both of Boyne City, were married Aug. 16 at Elm Pointe in East Jordan.

The area was decorated with wildflowers. The Rev. David Downton performed the double-ring outdoor ceremony in the presence of 150 friends and family.

The bride is the daughter of Terry and Jan Healey of Boyne City. The groom's parents are Dennis and Mary Jason of East Jordan.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. She wore a classic ivory crepe dress with matching bolero jacket trimmed with lace. She carried wildflowers wrapped with organza.

Music was provided by Tom Pluister with a solo performed by Todd Ackerman.

The bride's sister, Kimberly Ackerman, served as maid of honor. Amy Jason was the bridesmaid. They wore tea length, floral dresses and carried nosegays of wildflowers wrapped with organza.

Meghan Senglaub was the flower girl. She wore a satin and organza ivory dress. Steven Senglaub served as ring bearer.

Best man was John Jason with Todd Ackerman serving as a groomsmen. Ushers were Michael Jason and Scott Diller.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at Elm Pointe given by the bride's parents and hosted by Charlotte Diller. It was catered by Harbor Bay Catering and reception music was provided by David Cisco.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents on Aug. 15 at their cabin in Ironton.

The couple went hiking in the Upper Peninsula for their honeymoon. They will reside in Boyne City. Nathan is a public relations coordinator at East Jordan Iron Works and Debra has a degree in marketing and advertising.

**Garden Club soliciting recipes for new cookbook**

The Boyne Valley Garden Club has begun collecting recipes and is making plans to publish its second cookbook, which should be ready for sale by the summer of 1998.

Area residents are being invited to submit as many recipes as they would like to the garden club. These should be old tried and true favorites.

Submit each recipe on a separate sheet of paper and include your name and a phone number. They should be legibly written, printed or typed. If your recipe is selected, your name will appear with your recipe. Men are especially invited to participate in the proposed section entitled, "How Men Cook."

Recipes may be mailed to the Boyne Valley Garden Club, P.O. Box 0387, Boyne City, Mich., 49712, or

they may be turned in to any garden club member. Questions can be directed to club president Betty Arner Shaver at 582-5545.

Proceeds from the project will go back into the community in the form of beautification, as evidenced this past summer at various locations around Boyne City, such as at the post office, flower boxes on the bridge, public restrooms by the river, city hall, Chamber of Commerce, new marina lighthouse grounds, shade bed at Cedar and Pleasant streets, the gazebo and fountain in old city park and around the water tank at the Water Treatment Plant.

The cookbooks will be available in time to give as a gift to someone special for the 1998 Christmas season.



Proceeds from the sale of its new cookbook will be used by the Boyne Valley Garden Club to maintain and expand the many flower gardens it maintains around Boyne City.

**EJ Rotary planning spaghetti dinner**

The East Jordan Rotary Club will hold a spaghetti dinner on Tuesday, Oct. 21, from 4-7 p.m. at the East Jordan Snowmobile Club.

The menu will be spaghetti, garlic bread, salad, coffee or milk and a dessert.

Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12 years of age. Proceeds from the dinner will

help fund Rotary's community projects.

East Jordan Rotarians are selling tickets in advance, and tickets can also be purchased at the door. For more information call Bob Tambellini at 536-2440.

The snowmobile club is located south of East Jordan on Old 66 (Mt. Bliss Road).

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## Simon Otto signing latest work at Boyne Country Books

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Otto is well known in the area from his many appearances at local schools and community events and through his regular newspaper column "Walk in Peace." He was born and raised in Northern Michigan and now lives in Indian River. He heard many stories and conversations

while growing up, most told by Elders and medicine people. His writings are from those contacts in his early childhood. His parents were aware that the preservation of Indian culture was critical and they tried to instill it in all of their children. He is striving to pass on what he heard so that the traditions can be carried on.

He has authored two previous books "Walk in Peace" and "Grandmother Moon Speaks" and both will be available at the book signing.

For more information, call Boyne Country Books at 582-3180.

## Bicyclists will cruise county this weekend

In addition to Boyne City's Harvest Festival and East Jordan's Leaf Peekers, hundreds of bicyclists are expected to visit Charlevoix County this weekend.

As many as 1,000 cyclists will be participating in Biketoberfest on Saturday, according to Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater. In order to ease road congestion, Lasater said there will be three different routes for the bicyclists to choose from, as well as a staggered start.

All riders will begin near the Deer Lake Beach House at the back of Boyne Mountain on Deer Lake Road. The three routes include:

• Short Loop: Deer Lake to East Jordan to Whiting Park and back to

Deer Lake.

• Medium Loop: Deer Lake to Ironton Ferry to East Jordan and back to Deer Lake.

• Long Loop: Deer Lake to Ironton Ferry to Charlevoix to East Jordan and back to Deer Lake.

Roads to be used include Crozier Road; Boyne City/East Jordan Road; Thomkins Road; Pleasant Valley Road; Front Street; Ferry Road; C-48; C-32; Wickersham Road; Novotny Road; Loeb Road; M-66; Stover Road; Sequanota Road; Phelps Road; Ranney Road; LaCroix Road; Mill Street; Main Street and Division Street in East Jordan; Boyne Road; Peninsula Road; and Ridge Road.



### Don't mess with him

Duncan Zinck recently earned his black belt in Tae Kwon Do. Not bad for an 8 year old who began studying the sport at age 4. Duncan is the son of Staff Sgt. Paul and Vanessa Zinck. His dad is serving with the 254th Base Support Battalion in Belgium. The story originally appeared in the base newspaper. Duncan's grandmother is Meta Zinck of Boyne City.

### SERVICE BRIEFS

Army Pvt. LUCAS D. PENNINGTON has graduated from One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, Mo.

The training included basic military training where trainees received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Pennington is the son of Franklin C. and Susan J. Pennington of East Jordan. The private is a 1997 graduate of East Jordan High School.

### Elm Pointe hosting fall program

The East Jordan Historical Society will present a fall program, Pioneer Crafting Traditions, in the museum at Elm Pointe on Sunday, Oct. 5, from 2-4 p.m.

Local artisans will be demonstrating hand quilting and Hardanger

Norwegian white work, lace making, sheet caning and traditional caning techniques.

Refreshments will be served and the public is welcome. Elm Pointe is located on M-66. For more information call 536-2250 or 536-3416.

### EJ teen competing in pageant

Brandy Lynne Huffman, daughter of Sherri and Bill Huffman of East Jordan, has been selected as an entrant in the 1997 Miss Michigan Teen All American Pageant to be staged in the Grand Ballroom of the Royce Hotel in Romulus this weekend.

The event will select Michigan's representative to the 20th annual Miss Teen All American Pageant held in Miami, Fla. in August.

Huffman will be competing with young women from all over the state. She attends East Jordan High School where she participates in cheerleading, S.A.D.D., and P.R.I.D.E. Her other activities include horseback riding, skiing, boating, and rollerskating.

Huffman's sponsors to the 1997 Miss Michigan Teen All American Pageant are: Matelski Lumber Company, Wiu/Son Carbide, Keith and Pam Pinney, Don Puroll Logging, Marla Carr, Addis Logging, Moblo Logging, Glen's of East Jordan, Charlevoix Properties, Jordan Valley Animal Clinic, Lifestyles Hair Salon, Parts Plus of East Jordan, Mary Sue Cardwell and family, Bob Panoff and family, Laurie Moses and family, East Jordan Transportation, and Michelle Boss.



Brandy Huffman

## LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

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

### TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Boyne City Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the school district on Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1997.

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted at the special bond election:

#### I. BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Boyne City Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Nineteen Million Nine Hundred Sixty-Five Thousands Dollars (\$19,965,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

- erecting, furnishing and equipping a new high school;
- erecting, furnishing and equipping an addition or additions to the existing high school and partially remodeling, refurbishing and re-equipping school buildings;
- acquiring and installing educational technology improvements in all school buildings; and
- developing and improving playgrounds, playfields, and sites, and relocating the tennis courts and baseball field?

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

#### II. BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Boyne City Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Eight Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$830,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of acquiring a site for and constructing a bus garage?

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

**THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1997, IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1997. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1997, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION.**

To register, visit any Secretary of State branch office or your county, city or township clerk's office. Persons planning to register with the respective county, city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

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# SPORTS

THEY ARE ON A FIVE-GAME WINNING STREAK

## Lady Ramblers taste success

By CHRIS WINKLER

Something has clicked with this season's Boyne City High School girls' basketball teams. They are playing hard, playing with confidence, and best of all, doing what it takes to win basketball games.

At week's end, the freshmen, after losing their first contest to Petoskey 57-56, are 7-1 and still improving.

The junior varsity squad also fell to the Northmen early on, and then lost to a good Elk Rapids team Thursday. Their overall record is 5-2.

The varsity team is riding a five-game winning streak that has them at 5-2 overall, 3-0 in the Lake Michigan Conference, and tied with Harbor Springs for the league lead.

So just how all of a sudden did the Lady Ramblers start winning? Last year's varsity went 6-15. At this time last season, the team was 2-6. They didn't get their fifth win until Nov. 5, one week before the regular season ended. This season, that fifth victory came Thursday night in Elk Rapids.

Varsity coach Tom Neidhamer explained the turnaround of his team. "It's a combination of some good athletes working hard, the coaching staff working hard, and our standards of excellence. We expect them to win."

That coaching staff consists of Neidhamer and assistant Tim Hardy on varsity, Scott Hausler and Maurie

Tompkins handling the junior varsity, and Michelle Vandamme taking care of the freshmen.

Those coaches have the high school program with a 17-5 record on the season, and 14-1 over the last three weeks. Those numbers are impressive, but the real story is within the victories. The Ramblers are fighting for loose balls, out-hustling opponents, draining three-pointers, grabbing rebounds, and putting up big points on the board. This all makes girls' basketball in Boyne City fun and exciting to watch.

### BOYNE CITY DOWNS LADY RED DEVILS

As its coach would say, the Boyne City girls' basketball team is hard to beat. The squad proved that last week after a hard-fought 57-44 win over rival East Jordan Tuesday, and another league victory in Elk Rapids Thursday, 57-49.

In the game against the Red Devils, the Lady Ramblers overcame a slow start to lead by as many as 16 in the third quarter. After the first quarter, the score was 14-13, East Jordan, but by half-time, it was a 32-22 Boyne lead. With eight minutes to play, the Ramblers were up 49-35.

Katie Bernthal led the Ramblers, scoring 17 points, and had four steals. Staci Seelye put in 11 points, and had seven rebounds. Katie Jo Dhaseleer had ten points, grabbed five boards, and made three steals. Sarah

Bobowski added nine points and four steals.

Jenny Goebel paced the Red Devils with 25 points. Ember Ransom chipped in with eight.

"We have some girls who are very capable of scoring in double digits," said coach Tom Neidhamer. "We are a team that is hard to stop. On any given night, someone else can be a leader."

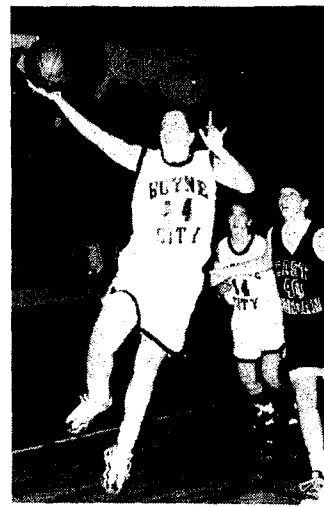
That leader in Elk Rapids was Bernthal. The junior captain lit up the scoreboard, putting in 32 points. She completed the double-double by snatching 12 rebounds. April Roberts helped in the cause by scoring nine and making three steals. Dhaseleer had seven points and six boards, while Ashley Schrader grabbed five rebounds.

For Elk Rapids, Carrie Meyers scored 15 points, and Erin Reiter made nine.

Next, the Lady Ramblers face off against the Rams, in Harbor Springs on Thursday. As in years past, they will be a tough team.

"They have six players that are excellent," Neidhamer said of the Rams. "Anyone of them is capable of beating you on any given night. We'll have to play solid, smart basketball, and continue to do what we're doing. We don't want to get into a running game, we want to control."

While the varsity was winning, the junior varsity (5-2) and freshmen



Boyne City's Katie Bernthal lays it up for two

(7-1) were keeping up the pace. The JV's have been led by Nicole Kurtz, who put in 24 points in a 39-31 win over East Jordan. Leah Senter added seven. In Elk Rapids, the team struggled, losing 34-23. Kurtz put in 10 to pace the Ramblers.

The freshman team also beat East Jordan on Tuesday. In the 63-41 victory, Ellie Neidhamer scored 14 points, and Kara Perry had 10. On Saturday, Nikki Peck had three treys to finish with 13 points in a 58-37 triumph over Rogers City. Shelly Deschermeier contributed with nine.



East Jordan's Jenny Goebel looks to the hoop through the defense of Boyne City's Ashley Schrader during last Tuesday's game.

## Golfers swinging into final stretch

By CHRIS WINKLER

As the Boyne City golf team heads into the final stretch of its season, the players are struggling to post good rounds in order to finish strong. The team lost 181-193 to Elk Rapids Sept. 23, and the junior varsity linksters competed in the Inland Lakes JV Invitational Thursday.

In Elk Rapids, juniors Tim Bouters and Josh Hall, who have carried the team through the season, each shot a 47. Senior Derek Friske was close behind with a 48, and Kevin Metzger had a 51.

At the JV meet, sophomore John Fry and Metzger both scored a 122. Freshman David D'Amour shot a 123, while freshmen Kevin Burns and Aaron Place shot 126 and 140, respectively.

"I hoped we'd be able to pick up a couple people," said Coach Bob Wollenberg. "We lost a couple to football, and we needed more at the 3rd and 4th spots."

"Tim and Dan have been real steady, but the rest have been up and down. That's frustrating for them."

The team finishes the regular season in Charlevoix Oct. 1. The conference and regional meets will be held the following week.

## Wolverine runs past Loggers

By TED KARASZEWSKI

The Loggers took second place in a double dual meet at Boyne Mountain last Wednesday as Wolverine runners took the top three spots to win the meet.

Alba took third place as Boyne Falls nipped them 27-28 on a sprint to the finish by Logger Ben Britton.

"Ben really pushed it down the stretch," said coach Andy Place. "We needed that effort from him to beat Alba. Wolverine has a really fine team this year. Their top three runners are just super athletes."

Loggers in order of finish: 5th - Mike Kenny, 17:43; 7th - Matt Britton, 18:04; 11th - Ryan Fiel, 18:54; 20th - Paul Howard, 21:33; 21st - Ben Britton, 22:57

Boyne City boys runners in order of finish: 6th - Sean Weisler, 18:01; 8th - Mik Martin, 18:19; 9th - John Gibbs, 18:24; 15th - Jordan Brandt, 20:09; 18th - Adam Hubble, 20:43.

Boyne City Girls results: 5th - Beth Stackus, 23:12; 6th - Amy Place, 24:01; 10th - Laura Cassidy, 27:22.

Last Saturday, Boyne Falls had two runners participate in the Central Lake Invitational while Boyne City had five boys and four girls. Seven teams took part with Re-

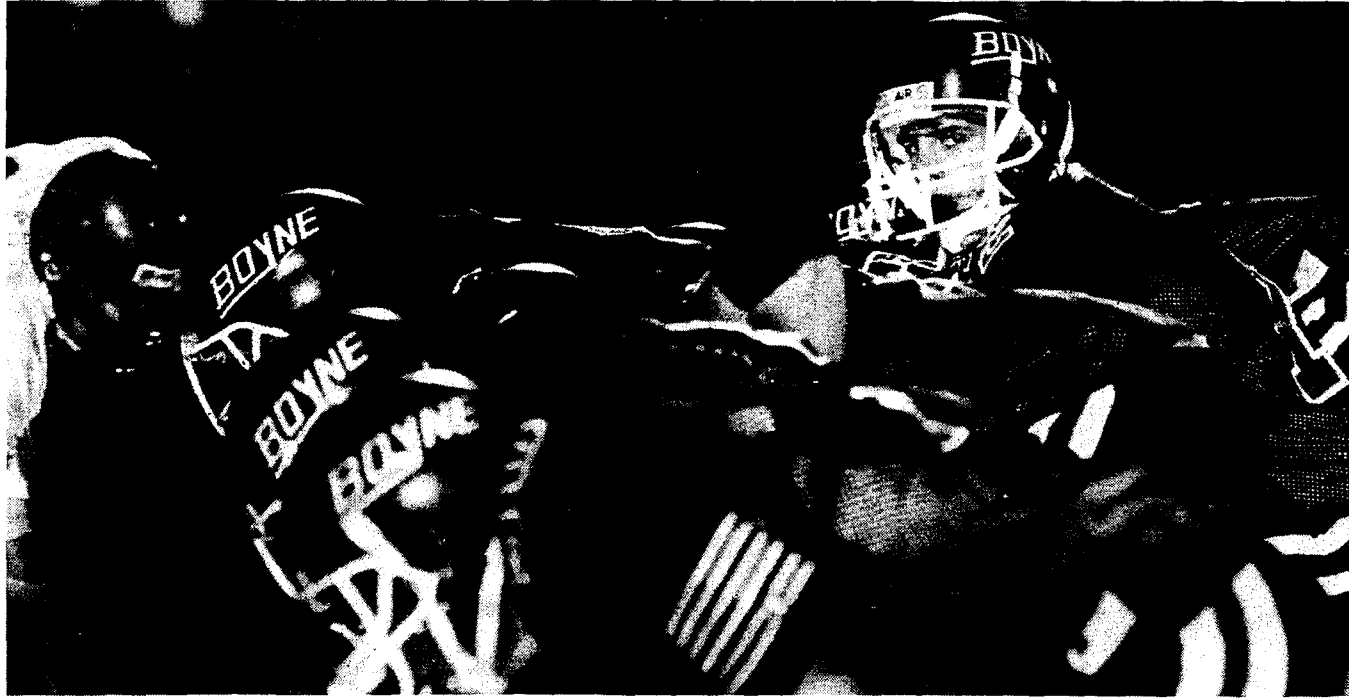
public/Michigamme winning the meet with a 57. Second place went to Central Lake with a 58 followed by third place Carney-Nadeau with a 68. Wolverine took fourth with 78 while Fairview took fifth place with 119. Sixth place went to Mason County Eastern with 127 with Vanderbilt taking the final seventh spot with a 179. Boyne Falls couldn't score because of not enough runners. Boyne City didn't score because they are a class C team.

Central Lake's Nathan Shay won the race with a 17:56. The top 30 runners in each race won medals with Boyne Falls' Mike Kenney taking 15th place with a 20:04. Boyne City had two runners medal as Shawn Weisler took the 21st spot with a 20:31 and Mik Martin took 24th with a 20:49.

Other Boyne City and Boyne Falls runners in order of finish: 32nd - John Gibbs, 21:42; 39th - Ryan Fiel, 21:49; 43rd - Jordan Brandt, 22:01; 55th - Adam Hubble, 24:03.

Three Boyne City girls medaled as Charlotte Stackus took 16th place with a 25:43 followed by Beth Stackus' 25:45. Amy Place placed 28th with a time of 27:41. Laura Cassidy finished out of medal contention at 39th with a 31:58.

Boyne Falls races at Alba on Wednesday.



Crouched over center, Matt Johncheck looks down the line and as he scans the Kalkaska defense. Johncheck, the senior quarterback, hit 9 of 13 passes Friday for 230 yards.

THEY COMBINE TO PUT ON QUITE A SHOW IN WIN OVER KALKASKA

## The Johncheck-Belford connection

Boyne City looked much better this past Friday as it handed new conference rival Kalkaska a 20-8 loss to improve its record to 2-2.

"The way we played the last two weeks, we needed to come out and play a good game," said coach Pat Klooster. "We played pretty solid and I think that's going to help our confidence the next couple of weeks. This is the kind of win to build on."

That's exactly what the Ramblers will need as they travel to East Jordan this Saturday. The Red Devils will be in no mood for a Rambler invasion as they come off a 30-6 loss to Benzie Central.

"East Jordan has a good team this year," said Klooster. "They're better than I thought they would be."

Kalkaska scored first midway through the second quarter on a long drive starting from its own 15 yard line. Ten plays later, Kyle Peters scored from 5 yards out to put the Blazers on the board. After Peters added a 2 point conversion, Kalkaska led 8-0.

The Ramblers didn't wait long

to strike back. Faced with a third and 20, quarterback Matt Johncheck connected with end Jesse Belford for a 28 yard gain and a first down. The very next play, Belford hauled in a 41 yard pass from Johncheck to set Boyne up with a first and goal on the 2 with 47 seconds left in the half. Johncheck put the Ramblers on the board on the following play as he again hooked up with Belford for a touchdown. Johncheck added the 2 point conversion to tie the game.

"We came in at half-time knowing that we could play with these guys," Klooster said. "In the third quarter our guys rose to the occasion. The hunger was back."

Boyne City took the lead late in the third when Chuck Stanek scored a touchdown on a 14 yard run.

With five minutes left in the game, the Ramblers capitalized on a Blazer fumble as another Johncheck to Belford pass play went 31 yards for a touchdown and the final score of 20-8.

Johncheck had a great night throwing the ball, going 9 for 13 for

*'Our linemen answered the challenge we gave them and did a good job.'*

--Pat Klooster

230 yards. Belford caught seven of those for what is believed to be a school record 213 yards receiving.

"Jesse has such good hands and he's a great athlete," Klooster said. "We were hoping we could throw the ball up there and he would come down with it. He did it."

"Matt, on the other hand, also had a great night. Give credit to the offensive line. He had pretty good protection for a change. Our linemen answered the challenge we gave them and did a good job."

The Rambler defense gave up 178 total yards with Kyle Peters gain-

ing 154 of those on 33 carries.

"We're still giving up too many big runs. We have to get better at stopping the run. We might try a few more changes this week," Klooster said.

Boyne's defense was led by Dave Cadarette's seven tackles. David Miller and Travis Garrett each had six while George Grunder had 5 1/2 tackles. Stanek had five and Bill Case added four.

Cadarette and Grunder each had a quarterback sack. Bo Reinhardt had an interception while Joe Helsley and Keith Jones each had a fumble recovery.

Boyne had 130 yards on the ground led by Scott Karaszewski's 40 yards on three carries. Stanek had 36 yards on seven tries while Ryan Seeley had 21 yards on 11 carries. Jesse Simon had 11 yards on two tries.

Other pass receivers were, Seeley with one catch for 14 yards and Stanek with 5 yards on one catch.

Saturday's game with East Jordan starts at 1:30 p.m.

## 4-H hockey expanding beginner-intermediate program this season

The Boyne Area 4-H Hockey Association is expanding its instructional program this season for beginning and intermediate players between 4 and 15 years old.

The program will be held twice a week for one hour and will include beginning skating instruction and basic hockey skills. Games will be held during the practices as skating skills improve. The

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## Boyne jr's improve record to 3-1 with Kalkaska win

The Rambler junior varsity improved its record to 3-1 behind the aerial show of quarterback Josh Bush and receiver Noah Stanek. Boyne City defeated Kalkaska 28-12.

Bush was 8 of 12 passing for 178 yards including a 10 yard toss to

Stanek. Stanek was the main target as he pulled down seven of those passes for 156 yards. Stanek's catches were timely because they set up rushing touchdowns for Casey Sirmons, Norman Moore and Bush.

Running the ball was no prob-

lem as Sirmons led the charge with 139 yards on 22 carries. Moore carried 18 times for 102 yards. Moore made the end zone on a 1 yard plunge while Sirmons scored on a 2 yard run. Bush had to run six yards for his score. Moore and Bush each had 2

point conversions.

Leading defenders were Aaron Belcher, Cody Belford, Stanek, Nick Zavesky and David Suttle.

The jr's play at home this Thursday against East Jordan. Game time is 6:30 p.m.

# Runners right on schedule

## East Jordan boys take second at Carson City meet

The East Jordan boys cross country team had another successful weekend, bringing home a second place trophy from the Carson City Invitational Meet on Saturday. Jonesville edged out East Jordan 41-60 for first place in the boys race.

The Red Devils were again paced by Chris Bearden who took second place with a time of 17:06. Right on Bearden's heels was Mark Penzien, third, 17:06.3; followed by Micah Middaugh, 14th, 17:36; Tarn Leach, 18th, 17:43; Charlie Hague, 23rd, 18:01; Kevin Penzien, 25th, 18:14; Brian McNeil, 51st, 19:15.

"Most of the boys improved on last year's times," said Coach Denis Snarey. "The team is right on schedule."

The girls team also made another strong showing taking fifth place among a 12-team field.

Emily Niewendorp led the way again for the Lady Red Devils, finishing 21st with a time of 21:45. Following Niewendorp were Beth Purvis, 26th, 22:06; Catey Moses, 29th, 22:26; Debbie Bacon, 35th, 22:54; Cassie Krause, 57th, 23:50; Kristina Nelson, 74th, 25:53; and Tammy Hague, 85th, 29:57.

Snarey said, "The girls ran well, but need to move to the next level if we expect greater successes."

The cross-country team will see its next action on Thursday when they travel to Mancelona. The team will also participate in the Marten Invitational in Charlevoix on Saturday. That race begins at 10 a.m.

## EAST JORDAN HOSTS BOYNE FOR HOMECOMING

# Red Devils suffer first loss

The East Jordan Red Devil football team got its first taste of defeat this season as they fell to Benzie Central last Saturday 30-6.

The Red Devils, now 3-1, came into the game not only without a loss, but also having yet to give up a point on defense. But that only lasted until about mid-way through the first quarter Saturday.

Benzie drew first blood on a 45-yard pass play and a two-point conversion to bring the score to 8-0. But the Red Devils came right back, with a Chris Murray to Parke Bluhm 65 yard aerial strike. The point after failed.

Benzie scored again in the second quarter to bring the halftime score to 16-6. Two more second half scores would seal East Jordan's fate.

East Jordan Head Coach Allan Peterson pointed to Benzie's size as one of the key factors in the game.

"Their two tackles (270 pounds and 280 pounds) weighed more than our whole backfield," Peterson said.

Despite the score East Jordan racked up 223 yards of total offense, including 104 in the air.

Bluhm led the offense gaining 42 yards on seven carries, followed by Tony Prevo who was 9-for-42; and Dillon Antaya who was 7-for-25. Murray was 5 of 10 in the air.

Amos Skrocki led the defense with 16 tackles and two sacks; Mike Mazzella had 15 tackles and five sacks; Matt Mogan chipped in with eight and Denzil Wilson intercepted a Benzie pass.

"I was really proud of how our guys played. We scrapped with them even after they wore us down. They are just a good team, plain and simple.

The Red Devils will host Boyne City (2-2) for homecoming on Saturday.

Looking forward to that game, Peterson

*'I was really proud of how our guys played. We scrapped with them even after they wore us down.'*

--Allan Peterson

is expecting a well matched contest.

"I think we match up pretty good if you compare what we've both done against Benzie. We're expecting to see them throw the ball a lot, and we'll try to do more of that too," Peterson said.

Saturday's game will kick off at 1:30 p.m. at Boswell Stadium.

# Lady Red Devils back on winning track

The Lady Red Devil varsity basketball team bounced back from Tuesday's loss to Boyne City with a 57-31 victory over non-conference Bellaire.

East Jordan led the game 28-23 at halftime, then broke the game open in the third quarter with a 15-4 run.

East Jordan Head Coach Steve Hines said, "I don't think we played

up to our capabilities against Boyne. It was a little disappointing to see. But it was encouraging to see the girls bounce back from losing two games in a row."

Jenny Goebel led the Lady Red Devils with 17 points, while Ember Ransom added 12. Leading the way under the boards were Goebel, Ransom, and Rachel Boss.

East Jordan, now 3-4, made four 3-pointers and was 13 of 35 from the foul line.

"We didn't play really well in the first half. But we made some defensive adjustments and that took some time to get used to," Hines said.

One of the adjustments the team made was adding a press to their repertoire. It was a press that gave the

Lady Red Devils fits in both the Ellsworth and Boyne City games.

"As we certainly can attest to, a press can be a very effective tool if you have the right people out on the floor," Hines said.

East Jordan was slated to take on a tough Harbor Spring team at home on Tuesday and will host Traverse City St. Francis on Thursday.

# East Jordan junior varsity has perfect slate

The East Jordan Junior Varsity gridders preserved their unblemished record last Saturday defeating Benzie Central 34-14. Benzie also came into the game undefeated.

Nate Swan led the Red Devil offense with 183 yards rushing and two touchdowns. Kyle Bjorem added 59 yards, a touchdown and a two point conversion. Matt Birgy ran for

46 yards and a touchdown and Mike Wladischkin scored on a 25 yard reception from quarterback Ken Slough.

Nathan Diller led the team on

defense with 12 tackles while Evan Chappuis and Kris Lifer had seven each and Rob Vincent had six.

This Thursday East Jordan travels to Boyne City.

## SPORTS SCHEDULE

### East Jordan

Oct. 2 - Cross Country, Mancelona Inv. - 4 p.m.  
Oct. 2 - Girls Basketball, St. Francis, home - 6 p.m.  
Oct. 4 - Varsity Football, Boyne City, homecoming - 1:30 p.m.  
Oct. 4 - Cross Country, Marten Inv. Charlevoix - 10 a.m.  
Oct. 7 - Girls Basketball, Charlevoix, home - 6 p.m.

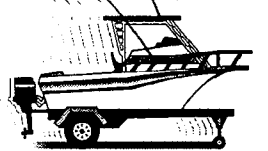
### Boyne City

Oct. 1 - Golf at Charlevoix - 4:30 p.m.  
Oct. 2 - Girls Basketball at Harbor Springs - 6 p.m.  
Oct. 4 - Varsity Football at East Jordan - 1:30 p.m.  
Oct. 6 - Girls Tennis, Harbor Springs, home - 4 p.m.  
Oct. 7 - Golf, Conf. Tourn. at TC St. Francis - 4:30 p.m.  
Oct. 7 - Girls Basketball, Kalkaska, home - 6 p.m.

### Boyne Falls

Oct. 1 - Cross Country at Alba, 5:15 p.m.  
Oct. 2 - Girls Basketball, Alba, home - 6 p.m.  
Oct. 7 - Girls Basketball at Lake Leelanau St. Mary - 6 p.m.  
Oct. 8 - Cross Country at Wolverine, 5:15 p.m.  
Oct. 9 - Girls Basketball, Mackinac City, home - 6 p.m.

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# Hockey

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younger and older players will always be separated into different groups. There is no travel involved with the instructional program.

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Those players who are able to skate already will be split off into separate groups and hockey skills and scrimmage games will be emphasized. If enough players sign up, the association will hold multiple sessions on different nights of the week.

The season runs approximately from the end of December until the beginning of March depending on the weather.

The hockey association is pur-

chasing more equipment including new helmets which can be rented for the season at a nominal cost. Further details on equipment rental will be available at the next registration.

The next registration date is Oct. 8 from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Boyne City Hall auditorium. You may also sign up at the 4-H office in the city hall daily from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. The cost of the instructional program is \$35 or \$13 if your child's birthday is in 1991 or later. There is also a \$50 per child or \$75 per family registration fee which is refundable if you perform work for the program. There is a \$22 deposit required at registration.

For more information about the program, call Steve Anderson at 582-7930 or Dawn Miller at 582-5692.

## Hot pursuit

With Kalkaska defenders in hot pursuit, Ryan Seeley finds some running room as he sprints to the outside. Kalkaska had the Ramblers' running game bottled up for much of the night, but Boyne found much success through the air.

## Pop Warner teams win one, lose one

Turnovers spelled disaster for the East Jordan Pop Warner Dirt Devils on the way to a 30-0 defeat at the hands of Petoskey in Pellston last Saturday.

Dirt Devil head coach Rich Clark said, "The kids seem to have trouble concentrating away from their home field. The unusual surroundings seem to make them nervous."

Those nerves manifested themselves in the form of nine fumbles and three turnovers, most in the first half. Petoskey scored all 30 points in the first half.

"They never really scored on any of our fumbles, but it certainly doesn't help us score. I think it also frustrates the kids.

One bright spot in the first half came when the Dirt Devils mounted a goal line stand after turning the ball over on their own three yard line.

In the second half, the Dirt Devils stepped things up keeping Petoskey out of the end zone and mounting a few drives of their own.

"If we could have played the first half like the second, we would have given them a run for their money," Clark said.

Clark noted Greg Grose as the day's defensive standout.

"He was playing like a madman. He was just awesome," Clark said.

The coach also praised his offensive unit for keeping their heads up despite the score.

The Dirt Devils are now 1-2 and

Petoskey remains unbeaten at 3-0.

In other East Jordan Pop Warner action, the Super Devils defeated Pellston 35-6.

Super Devil Coach Mike Merrill praised offensive standouts Allan Arnott, Nick Bingham and Reece Bartlett who kicked five extra points.

"The team has been working together really well. We've been focusing on tackling in practice and it seems to be paying off," Merrill said.

The Super Devils are now 1-1-1.

This Saturday the East Jordan teams travel to Traverse City to take on Traverse City Dental and the Traverse City Steelers at Thirly Field. The first game starts at 10 a.m.

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## DNR patrol truck damaged; reward offered

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources is offering a \$300 reward for information leading to the arrest of the individual responsible for vandalism that occurred in East Jordan last Friday night.

Damaged in the incident was the patrol truck of Antrim County State Conservation Officer John Crane while he was monitoring fishing activity near the Mill Street bridge.

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#### BIDS WANTED CITY OF BOYNE CITY

Sealed bids are now being accepted at Boyne City Hall, 319 North Lake Street, for a new class "A" pumper/tanker fire truck. Bid specifications are available at City Hall during regular business hours. All bids must be received no later than 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 9, 1997 at which time said bids shall be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be contained in a sealed envelope identified as "Fire Pumper/Tanker bid". The City of Boyne City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in the best interest of the City.

#### BID NOTICE

Charlevoix County is now taking bids for the 1997 Charlevoix County General Purpose Financial Statements. The audits are to be Single Audits conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards; the standards for financial audits contained in "Government Auditing Standards", the Single Audit Act of 1984 and provisions of OMB Circular A-128, "Audits of State and Local Governments". Please submit any proposals in writing to the Charlevoix County Clerk, 203 Antrim Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 16, 1997. Charlevoix County reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP CHARLEVOIX COUNTY Nuisance Ordinance

Public Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Evangeline Township Board at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, October 6, in the Evangeline Township Hall located on Wildwood Harbor Road, Boyne City. This hearing will consider adoption of a Nuisance Ordinance in the Evangeline Township Zoning Ordinance. Copies of the proposed ordinance can be obtained by calling 582-7539 or through the Township Zoning Administrator office at 319 N. Lake Street (582-0337) between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

#### NOTICE OF LAST DATE TO REGISTER FOR CITY OF BOYNE CITY GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD NOV. 4, 1997

THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER for the Nov. 4, 1997 City General Election is Monday, Oct. 6, 1997. Notice is hereby given that the office of City Clerk, 319 North Lake Street, will be open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. to receive registration to vote from any qualified resident of the City of Boyne City not already registered. If you are unable to register during regular office hours, please call (616) 582-6597 for an appointment outside regular office hours. You may also register to vote at any Secretary of State Office. Sue Hobbs, City Clerk

#### NOTICE OF FILING PETITIONS FOR OFFICE OF CITY COMMISSIONER CITY OF BOYNE CITY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that nomination petition forms will be available at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 319 North Lake Street, Boyne City from Sept. 30 until Oct. 15, 1997 at 5 p.m. for the purpose of placing in nomination the names of candidates for the office of City Commissioner. The last day for filing said petitions with the City Clerk is Oct. 15, 1997 at 5 p.m. Three City Commissioners will be elected for four year terms at the Nov. 4, 1997 City General Election. The terms of office of William Grimm, Victor Ruggles, and Eleanor Stackus, incumbent Commissioners will be expiring. Sue Hobbs, City Clerk

#### BAY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES Synopsis of Minutes Regular Meeting - Sept. 11, 1997

Board Members present: Chipman, Hellstrom, MacLachlan, and Moeschke. Approval of minutes. Treasurer's report accepted. Approval to pay Township bills. Accepted resignation of Treasurer, Donald J. MacLachlan effective Sept. 30, 1997. Report on zoning permits issued. Approval of Hettler lot split. Public hearing on proposed revised zoning ordinance to be held on Oct. 7, 1997. Public comment. Next regularly scheduled meeting on Oct. 9, 1997 at 7 p.m. Township residents interested in Treasurer's position should contact Allie L. Chipman, Bay Township Supervisor, at 582-6164. s/David L. Simmons Bay Township Clerk

#### PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.C., IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of mortgage made by Gary D. Sarasin and Tammy L. McClanathan to Midwest Mortgage, Inc., Mortgagee, dated October 19, 1995, and recorded on October 19, 1995, in Liber 290, on Page 0874, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY AND 19/100 DOLLARS (\$73,550.19), including interest at 8.5 % per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan at 11:00 o'clock a.m., on Friday, November 14, 1997. Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP of MELROSE, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 24, Original plat of the Village of Talcott, According to the recorded plat thereof. The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: October 1, 1997

#### OLD KENT MORTGAGE COMPANY

For information, please call: (248) 642-4202 Trott & Trott, P.C., Attorneys for OLD KENT MORTGAGE COMPANY, 30150 Telegraph, Suite 100 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025 File #97097318 Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1997


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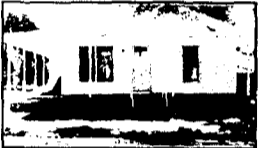
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November 14, 1997. Said premises are situated in Township of Marion, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: LOT 2, PLAT OF KNOLLWOOD, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT RECORDED IN LIBER 2 OF PLATS, PAGES 411 AND 412, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY RECORDS, TOWNSHIP OF MARION, TAX ID # PART OF 15-09-002-071-00. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be (30) days from the date of such sale. Dated: September 23, 1997 Peter M. Schneiderman PETER M. SCHNEIDERMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.M. 30300 Northwestern Hwy. Ste. 222 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334 Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1997

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**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Brian VROMAN, a single man to FIRST CHICAGO NBD MORTGAGE COMPANY, (f/k/a NBD Mortgage Company, Delaware Corporation), Mortgagee, dated August 31, 1995 and recorded on September 8, 1995 in Liber 289, on Page 274, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty-Nine Thousand Five Hundred Seventy And 75/100 dollars (\$49,570.75), including interest at 7.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, Charlevoix, Michigan at 11:00 o'clock a.m., on Friday, October 24, 1997. Said premises are situated in CITY of BOYNE CITY, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 108, Jersey's Addition to the assessor's plat of City of Boyne City. The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: September 10, 1997

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FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL: (248) 642-4202 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for FIRST CHICAGO NBD MORTGAGE COMPANY, 30150 Telegraph, Suite 100 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025 File #97086698

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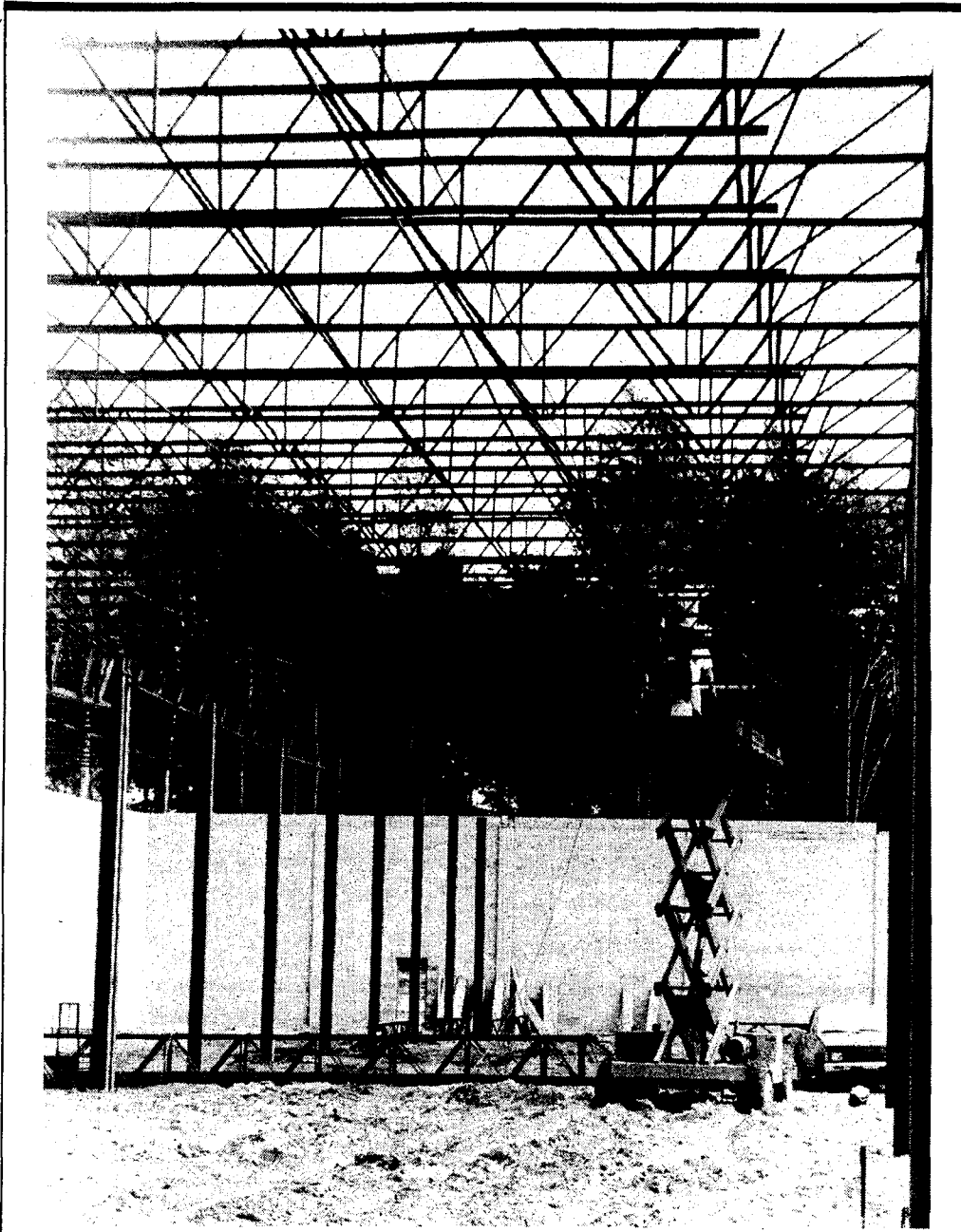
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### Lofty work

Work continues to move along on schedule at the East Jordan Iron Works Hydrant and Valve plant at the East Jordan Air Industrial Park. The plant, expected to begin operation early next year, will be the park's first resident. In June the city received more than \$600,000 in Community Development Block Grant funds to pay for road improvements and water main and sewer extensions at the park. Above, workers from Petrie Construction do some welding on roof girders.

## Boil advisory lifted

### Hydrant may be cause of problem

City of East Jordan officials last week issued a warning to city water customers in the Hillcrest subdivision, on Shepard Lane, and on Peninsula Road to the Grandvue Medical Care Facility to boil their tap water before using it for cooking or drinking.

The warning came following a routine water quality test taken from Grandvue that revealed bacterial contamination of the water supply.

The bacteria levels were measured at 15 parts per million. Although not a serious health threat, the state does not allow any bacteria in public water systems. On Thursday, the city began chlorination treatments of the affected water mains. On Tuesday, the system was re-tested and after finding no traces of bacteria, the boil advisory was lifted.

The source of the contamination is believed to be a 45-foot dead-end

water main extension for a fire hydrant at the end of Shepard Lane. The extension was put there when the hydrant was moved because it created a snow plowing hazard.

Doug Sineway, City of East Jordan water operator, said that since the water in that section of water main only moves when the hydrant is opened he suspects the stagnant water is the source of the bacterial growth. Sineway said the city may consider removing the extension to eliminate the possibility of future contamination at the site.

In all, the advisory affected 33 City of East Jordan water customers. Grandvue facility was relatively unaffected because it has a back-up well that can be used as a water supply in an emergency. Anyone with questions about their water service can contact the City of East Jordan at 536-3381.



Becky Holm and Emily Niewendorf

### Students writing for Journal

East Jordan High School seniors Emily Niewendorf and Becky Holm will be doing some writing for the East Jordan Journal during the 1997-98 school year.

As an extension of their Year-book class, Niewendorf and Holm have named their journalistic team,

"The Press Connection."

In addition to covering some of East Jordan athletics, the girls will be on the lookout for interesting stories from the East Jordan School District and the community as a whole. Look for their work in upcoming editions.

### VFW and Ladies' Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary meets every first Tuesday of the month. The Men's VFW meets every second Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The third Tuesday of the month is combined, with both the VFW and Auxiliary meeting together for a potluck dinner at 6 p.m.

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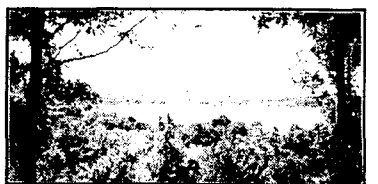
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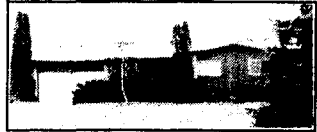


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