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--Lee Symonds



Clarence LaCross, maintenance and groomer coordinator for the Charlevoix County Snowmobile Council, and Lee Symonds, council president, stand near the East Jordan Snowmobile Club in front of a trail groomer with a surfacer that LaCross designed specifically to be used with the small-style tractor.

MAKING TRAILS Through the woods and into town

By BETSY BAXTER BLONDIN

e doesn't own a snowmobile and he admits to being only an occasional rider, so why does East Jordan resident Lee Symonds volunteer as president of the Charlevoix County Snowmobile Council?

It's not as if he has nothing else to do. Lee and his wife, Karen, own and run the Westbrook Motel, and they have two children. Lee is also a sales associate at Charlevoix Properties.

The main reason Lee has added the responsibility of being a snowmobile council member to his already busy life is that he loves East Jordan. He and his family wanted to move north from the Detroit area the motel was for sale, and it all fell into place for them four years ago.

Because of his love for the area, Lee wants to see East Jordan succeed.

"I'd like to promote East Jordan as a place to be for all four seasons," he said. "East Jordan has everything that other resorts have, and we need to develop wintertime traffic. Our wintertime existence requires that we have successful snowmobiling."

It's big business, worth \$4 billion nationwide.

There are 260,000 registered snowmobiles in Michigan, which is more than any other state, and the average annual income for a snowmobiler is over \$60,000.

The system developed and maintained by the council consists of 63 miles that include the Jordan Valley and the East Jordan-Charlevoix trails.

"The Jordan Valley Trail is the most scenic in the Northern Lower Peninsula,' Lee said. "The East Jordan-Charlevoix trail was new last year and sanctioned by the Department of Natural Resources this year."

Interest has been expressed in recent years in developing a trail between East Jordan and Boyne City, and Lee said he'd like to see a direct trail to Boyne Falls, also. Just how does one go about developing

a snowmobile trail, anyway?

"First, you have to have the desire," Lee said. "Then you start with a plat map to figure how to go from a current trail system to where you want to go. Then you start making contact with property owners.

"Ninety percent of the Jordan Valley trail is on state property, but the Charlevoix trail runs through private property, and that trail system exists through the generosity of private property owners." The Charlevoix Snowmobile Club was instrumental in the development of the East Jordan-Charlevoix trail, and Lee said the trail would not exist without its help.

complaints about snowmobilers trespassing on private property, but Lee said from the 1995-96 season to the 1996-97 season, the number of registered complaints dropped by 90 percent. He attributes that to having wellmarked and well-maintained trails available.

"Any problems can be addressed by the clubs and the council and solved so that everybody's happy.

'The trail system can be for the economic benefit of all if it's used thoughtfully and intelligently," Lee said. "The key to all of it is consideration."

The snowmobile council is a committee of the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce and is the sponsor for trails in Charlevoix County. It is a nonprofit, mostly volunteer group

'We may have to start taking a look at paying people," Lee said. "The demands of riders and the DNR are such that it requires a lot of time.

The DNR sets all the guidelines for snowmobile trails in Michigan. Times of use, trail marking and distances between signs are some things the DNR regulates, and the department sends someone out three times a year to check the trails.

The state also shares the cost of

is the council's primary fundraiser each year. Lee sees the next big challenge for the council is to work with the city to develop a well-marked route snowmobilers can use to

travel in and out of East Jordan. "Avenues in and out of town need to be looked at by the committee," he said, "and be made permanent so snowmobilers can get in and out of town from trail systems and access the stores, restaurants and gas stations."

The council works hard and always welcomes volunteers. Each year members take trail signs down in the spring and then put them back up for winter. They just installed about 600 sign posts and are talking about color-coding and numbering signs for emergency purposes.

Council meetings are at 7 p.m. on the first Monday of each month at the East Jordan Snowmobile Club on Mt. Bliss Road. Everyone is welcome. Lee said.

For additional information, people can contact the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce at 536-7351.

"You can go from here to the Mackinac ridge on a snowmobile," Lee

East Jordan, Michigan



Bells will be ringing all over town

It's beginning to look like Christmas in East Jordan, and starting soon, the town will sound like Christmas, too.

What better way to begin the holiday season than seeing a variety of nativity sets? Starting Sunday, creches will be on exhibit at the Jordan River Arts Council Building on Main Street. The exhibit will run through Dec. 19.

The annual Festival of the Bells starts Monday, and bells will literally be ringing all over town through Saturday. The festival has been a part of the holidays in East Jordan for about 10 years.

Anyone who brings canned goods to participating merchants will be eligible to win a "Community Basket" filled with merchandise and services from local businesses. The basket drawing will be held on Thursday, Dec. 11, which is the community night of the festival.

Community Night activities include Christmas caroling sponsored by Huntington Banks employees, extended business hours. individual in-store events. judging of Christmas decoration contest, and the arts council's creche exhibit from 7-9 p.m.



Santa a pet lover?

"I have eight wonderful reindeer at home." Santa said Saturday at Once Upon a Time in Boyne City. He was helping the **Charlevoix County** Humane Society by having his picture taken with pets. With him are Chico and Brandy, who belong to Merri-Sue Cardwell's family of East Jordan, Cardwell was helping the humane society, too. As a member of the East Jordan Jaycees, she was there raising money for animal care and food. Pet owners paid \$5 for a picture, and the entire amount will go into the building fund for the society's new animal shelter.

The Charlevoix County Snowmobile Council's mission is to "promote the wellbeing of snowmobiling by providing safe, well-maintained trails.

"That's what we do," Lee said, "and the benefits are economic for our community."

The numbers Lee has memorized certainly suggest economic advantages for communities that offer snowmobiling opportunities.

"The East Jordan Snowmobile Club is always ready to respond whenever we need help, too," said Lee

In the past there have been some

maintenance equipment, and it pays 60 percent, which comes from snowmobile registration fees, gas tax and trail permit fees. With three trail groomers (consisting of a tractor and surfacer, or drag) to its name, the council plans to replace one surfacer this yea

Money for the 40 percent the council has to come up with is mostly raised through donations and fundraisers. A raffle calendar

talked to people who have gone from here through the Upper Peninsula to the Dakotas.'

But Lee is just as happy to see snowmobilers in East Jordan

"It helps bring tourist dollars here, which our community depends on," he said. "If we give people a place to be, they will come here, and I'm sure they will love it."



Thanksgiving visitors

Pilgrims and turkeys sang songs and shared cornbread muffins they had made at school when they visited the East Jordan Senior Center last week. The pilgrims are students in Mrs. Reid's transition first-grade class, and the turkeys are kindergarten students in Mrs. Frykberg's and Mrs. Trumble's classes. Students shared the muffins in the spirit of an American Indian tradition of a potlatch, or giving ceremony.



Chamber elects four new board members

Chamber member votes have been tabulated, and the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce has four new board members as of Monday.

Elected to three-year terms were Dick Hoffman of Smith & Hoffman Excavating, Sandi Whiteford of the Computer Center, and Janet Walter of J&J Bakery. Elected to a twoyear term was Tim Carey of Glen's Markets.

OPINION

EDITORIAL

There's light at the end of the tunnel

Even though so many have failed in the past, and a nearby community is calling it the "Boyne City syndrome," there is some optimism that a school bond proposal has a chance of passing in the near future.

That optimism, however, is somewhat diminished by the track record of recent years. Many different plans have been proposed, all with the same result: defeat.

Given that track record, why would any sane person think another proposal has any chance of succeeding? Good question and here is an attempt at an answer.

First, the problems have not gone away. Everyone seems to agree something needs to be done. To what degree and at what cost remains a big item of discussion.

Secondly, and this is not meant as any criticism to past school boards, the current school board truly represents the community. They are different personalities, but share a common trait — they speak their minds. Kathy Anderson as board chairperson has done an admirable job thus far, and seems to be the right person in the right seat of leadership at the right time.

Thirdly, everyone wants what's best for Boyne City and our children. And what it needs right now is to get this school issue behind us. The solutions are there. What we have to do to solve the problem is get involved, express our opinions, believe in the leadership of the board, and be willing to spend a little extra for our kids.

-Hugh Conklin

A MOM'S LIFE

A holiday of 'family stuff'

By CINDI PLACE

I guess it all depends on your perspective. Here we were with a whole four days together as a family. Plenty of tasks to accomplish, but also plenty of time to spend talking, playing garnes, going for walks. All the things that we dream of having the extra time to do.

But the kids had an entirely different vision for this past weekend. The youngest ones wanted to Christmas shop. The eldest son was looking forward to a whole weekend of eating. And our daughter? All she wanted to do was sleep.

So we compromised. We did eat, and Christmas shop and sleep a lot. But we also cleaned and organized. Then we rewarded ourselves with time to read, and we watched a couple of great holiday movies. We even got the family Christmas letter composed, addressed and



Santa and his friends

Though there was no snow for a sleigh, it was a wonderful-weather night for a Santa parade Friday. Santa's helpers on the chamber of commerce float were, from left, Adam Friedrich, Sean Morrison and Jared Friedrich. Sean is from Flushing and was visiting his cousins in Boyne City for Thanksgiving. Nineteen parade entries made their way down Water Street from the Wolverine-Dilworth Inn to One Water Street Restaurant where Santa visited with children.

LETTERS

Problem solving has 3 ingredients

TO THE EDITOR:

I have been criticized and perhaps rightly so for not attending school board meetings such a release and tries to hold the board's feet to the fire then the problem takes on a new dimension. This problem must be resolved with no further payment to Paullin if the school board ever hopes to gain the trust and support of the electorate.

Make every second count

(Editor's note: This column was sent to us by one of our readers. During the busy holiday season, we thought you might enjoy a commentary on something important to all of us.)

Imagine there is a bank which credits your account each morning with \$86,400, carries over no balance from day to day, allows you to keep no cash balance, and every evening cancels whatever part of the amount you had failed to use during the day.

What would you do? Draw out every cent, of course.

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You must live in the present on today's deposits. Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success. The clock is running. Make the most of today.

To realize the value of ONE YEAR Ask a student who has failed the final exam.

To realize the value of ONE MONTH Ask a mother who has given birth to a premature baby.

To realize the value of ONE WEEK Ask an editor of a weekly newspaper.

To realize the value of ONE DAY Ask a daily wage laborer who has ten kids to feed.

To realize the value of ONE HOUR Ask the lovers who are waiting to meet

To realize the value of ONE MINUTE Ask a person who has missed the train.

To realize the value of ONE SECOND Ask a person who has survived an accident.

To realize the value of ONE MILLI-SECOND Ask the person who has won a silver medal in the Olympics.

Treasure every moment that you have. And treasure it more because you shared it with someone special...special enough to have your time...and remember time waits for no one.



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mailed. And we did most of these things together.

So often when we find ourselves with a few extra days, we use the time exclusively to catch up on all the chores that have been piling up. But we wanted this weekend to be a little different. Of course, we did need to straighten the house, decorate for the holidays, and wrap a few Christmas gifts. But we also wanted to spend a little time enjoying all the things we were thankful for, like our family.

Our children wanted to spend some time with their friends, so we tried to balance that with alone time with each of the kids. Unfortunately for him, by the end of the long weekend, our youngest was feeling a little stifled with all the quality time we were exposing him to. Poor kid, because he was too young to go out on his own, he got stuck entertaining "the folks."

As our long weekend drew to a close, our family reflected on all the great "stuff" we had done together. I thought that we had packed an awful lot into only four days. But again, it must depend on one's perspective.

This morning at school, I overheard my son talking to a friend about what kind of weekend he had had. "And what did you do," my son was asked. His reply? "Aw, nothing." not attending school board meetings.

But in my defense let me say that I am fully aware of what usually happens when a person tries to make a critical presentation to a group of people when within that group someone anticipates where the speaker's remarks are headed and keeps interrupting so as to break the line of thought and the presentation becomes meaningless. So I shall go this route and say what is on my mind.

Our school board, administration and community group has got themselves a real problem. They have dug themselves into a pretty deep hole. This in itself is bad enough, but they entirely forgot to put a ladder in it. They now ask, "What do we do now?" Let's see if we can help.

Problem solving has three main ingredients:

1) Identify the problem. Be thorough, be factual and don't try to sugar coat anything or excuse oneself from his or her fair share of the blame, and don't leave any little surprises that can pop up down the road.

2) Figure out just what it is going to take to resolve the problem.

3) This one has but two words, DO IT.

The highest priority problem the board faces today is to get an unconditional release from the Paullin contract. This contract has put the school district in the most untenable position it has ever been in since I can remember, and that's quite a while. If he refuses to give Now what to do. If Paullin refuses to do the honorable thing and cancel the contract after two rather dramatic defeats of the present bad issue, the board is not left entirely defenseless. They can always hire a new attorney and take Paullin and the contract to court. There is one thing above all else that consultants such as Paullin do not need and definitely do not want, and this is adverse publicity. When faced with such a possibility his heart will surely soften. The media would love a story such as this. His pocket book is what would take the hit and he wouldn't like that at all.

What if the school board wants to hang on to Paullin? In that case, they can expect just more of the same. I personally have never met him nor do I care to. He could be a nice person, even be able to walk on water, but he is the father and author of the worst contract this school district has ever had to deal with. I will not support anything that has his fingerprints on it, even if it is only a hootenanny out on the back forty.

There now, I have said it, so go right ahead and interrupt all you please, but remember that if you don't do the job now and you force one more vote it will be at least a year before you can even think about getting what the schools really need. You have got the ball.

Everett Sayles



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Most of us hear that Salvation Army bell ringing as we go in and out of stores during the holiday season, and without thinking about it, we drop our change or a couple of dollars into the pot as we go by.

What's that money used for, anyway?

"It literally funds all the Salvation Army outreach programs for the whole year," said volunteer coordinator Myra Jenkins. "We couldn't help people without it."

Tommy Stanich is the only regular volunteer bell ringer in Boyne City this year. He was at Carter's last Friday and Saturday, and he plans to be there each Saturday morning during the season.

Jenkins said the Salvation Army needs volunteers in Boyne City. Order of the Eastern Star members have indicated they may help ring bells, and anyone else willing to help can call Jenkins at 347-3531.



Pilgrim pals

Thanksgiving is all about sharing, and it's obvious that Tracy Persons and Emily Bajko share something important - friendship. They were ready for a first-grade Thanksgiving feast last Wednesday afternoon after a busy morning. To the sounds of "Over the River and Through the Woods" and the smell of fresh popcorn, five Boyne City Elementary School first-grade classes visited the other four classrooms for Thanksgiving activities that included sharing songs and stories, making beeswax candles, corn bags, American Indian necklaces and samplers.

Understanding Boyne Falls school's financial picture is no easy task

During the fourth of a series of town meetings to discuss and decide the fate of Boyne Falls School, it was noted that some people in the community still do not understand the district's basic financial picture.

Since Proposal A passed in 1993, the district has lost 70-80 students, according to school superintendent Patrick Smith. That translates to a lot of revenue, which mostly comes from state per-student grants.

Currently, Boyne Falls' per-student grant is \$5,253, so a loss of 70 students means a loss of about \$368,000.

That's not easy to overcome, and some people still believe that if a district needs more money to operate, it can ask voters for more millage. Not true.

Under proposal A, school districts can only ask voters for additional millage for building or construction bonds, not for operating funds. They are two separate issues.

Smith told the 30-35 people attending the meeting on Nov. 25 that the per-student grant for next year is frozen. There will be no increase, and although the state is reducing the amount the district has to contribute to retirement funds, there will still be a net loss of between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

He projects that the district will lose 7-10 more students next year, for a variety of reasons, so the community is still faced with the big decision --- what kind of educational presence should Boyne Falls have?

Options that have been discussed include keeping a K-12 school, creating a K-8 or a K-6 school, or consolidating with another school district.

The final decision rests with the school board, and board president Marv Schwem repeated at the meeting that the board will base its decision on what the community decides it wants at these town meetings.

The community is faced with a second decision, and that is whether to put a school bond issue before the voters for improvements to the school building.

If the building is to be used as any kind of school facility, there are a few problems that need to be addressed. A recent health department

inspection confirmed the problems architects had already raised. Those include a new roof, replacing some windows and doors, meeting Americans with Disabilities Act requirements and some ventilation improve-

ments. The school board hopes to make these difficult decisions by spring, and in the meantime, Smith is looking at ways to deal with the financial situation.

Selective timber cutting at the school farm and in the school forest could bring in \$50,000-\$60,000, and the district saved about \$20,000 on

the principal's position this year. Beyond that, Smith said he would start looking at cutting costs

ics, transportation and teaching. Cutting costs would not necessarily mean cutting programs, but maybe contracting them out or changing the way they are funded.

That raised questions about whether the district wants to keep a K-12 school if it is a bare-bones system and quality is compromised.

The board hopes to have specific architectural choices for necessary building renovations and dollar amounts in time for the next town meeting scheduled for 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 17.

The meetings are held in the school gym, and the board of education urges community members to come and help decide the future of in administration, secretarial, athlet- Boyne Falls School.



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Because of staff development meetings at Boyne City Public Schools on Tuesday, Dec. 9, students will have a half day.

early Tuesday for **Boyne students**

School is out

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The middle school will be dismissed at 11:07 a.m. and the elementary and high schools will be dismissed at 11:15 a.m.

There will be no afternoon kindergarten. The morning kindergarten students will return home with the older students. Breakfast will be available for all students

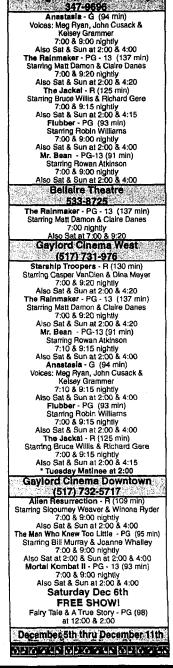
Sen. North's aide coming to Boyne

State Senator Walter H. North's district representative, Don Weeks, will be in Charlevoix County on Wednesday, Dec. 10.

Weeks will meet with constituents at Boyne City Hall from 10 a.m.noon, and in Conference Room B at the County Courthouse in Charlevoix from 2-4 p.m.

Any citizen with concerns regarding state government is encouraged to attend and should bring all relevant information pertaining to their case.

For more information, contact Senator North's Lansing office at (517) 373-2413.







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Curtain rises Drama students open season with children's theatre show Sunday at elementary school

Drama season has started with about 60 students and a flourish at Boyne City High School.

The season runs from November through April, and each year highlights include the Children's Theater, a senior drama trip, and the spring musical.

The annual Children's Theater this year is "The Sun and the Moon," and it takes place Sunday, Dec. 7, with performances at 2 and 4 p.m.

For children of all ages, the presentation has an international flair with a medley of musical numbers, dancing, unique sound effects and audience participation. The show includes a Japanese-style puppetry play, which senior Mike Houser directs.

"It's not to be missed," said director Bob Wollenberg.

Tickets are \$2.50 for all seats and can be purchased from any drama student, at the door or at the Boyne

City High School office at 582-6587 Wollenberg advises people to buy tickets early or to call the high school because tickets go fast.

Upcoming events for the drama department include a private performance of last year's "Boyne Meets Broadway" at the Bay View Inn on Dec. 6, and this year's "Boyne Meets Broadway" performance scheduled for Feb 4-5 and Feb. 9-10.

Tickets for this year's "Boyne Meets Broadway" and the spring musical, which is Gershwin's "Crazy for You," will be on sale starting Dec. 8. This will allow time for tickets to be bought and given as Christmas presents

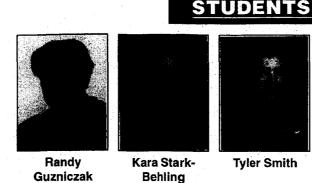
Drama students work hard but get a chance to enjoy themselves once each season, too. This year, drama students will travel to Toronto in January and have the opportunty to see shows including "Rent" and "Phantom of the Opera."

Fruit from band sale on its way

City School band members, it is due to arrive Thursday, Dec. 4. It can be picked up between 7:30

If you ordered fruit from Boyne and 9 p.m. at the high school. For more information, call the school at 582-6587.





NAME: Randy Guzniczak

PARENTS: David and Robin Guzniczak **GRADE:** Senior

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Tennis, golf, football, band HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I like to play tennis and learn in Mr. Rice's class welding and machining, going to school events, and swimmina

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FUTURE PLANS: "I plan on graduating, then work for one year. Following that year I will attend a trade school for machining and welding in Grand Rapids. 1 will then become rich and retire." NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Randy has done a real good job in my

classes this year," said Mr. Rice. "Keep working, Randy!" "Randy deserves to be student of the week because he has gotten

involved in school," said Mr. Beyer. "He has learned to use school for his benefit. He has gotten involved in programs that will help him as he graduates. Randy has shown through his behavior that good things happen if you get into a program that meets your needs and interests. Randy has a positive attitude, and is always willing to greet you with a smile and a hello.'

NAME: Kara Stark-Behling PARENTS: Rex and Maxine Stark-Behling **GRADE:** Sophomore

ACTIVITIES: Campus Life Bible Study, Who's In Charge? drama group, youth group

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Hiking, reading good books, going to youth group events at church, goofing around with friends. FUTURE PLANS: "To go to college and get a job working with animals

or outdoors, then hopefully move to the mountains somewhere away from the big cities.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Kara always works hard and does her best," said Mr. Parsons. "She certainly is deserving of this award. It is a pleasure knowing her and having her in class."

a pleasure knowing her and having her in class. "Kara is an outstanding individual who has performed admirably in Biology," said Ms. Forfinski. "Daily assignments as well as projects are always done well. Kara is self-motivated, organized, cooperative and always done well. works to her potential. One of Kara's strengths is that she demonstrates respect and consideration for myself and others in the class. Kara is doing great, she is a pleasure to have in class. Congratulations, Kara!"

"Kara is an excellent student - dedicated, hardworking, and pleas-ant to be around," said Ms. Van Damme. "It surely is a privilege to have her in my class. Nice job, Kara!'

NAME: Tyler Smith

PARENTS: Tim and Nancy Smith

GRADE: Sophomore SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Track

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "Rollerblading, biking, playing basketball and soccer, bowling, and spending time with my girlfriend."

FUTURE PLANS: "After high school I plan on going to college and getting a degree in electrical or computer engineering."

NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Tyler is an ambitious Spanish student, eager to learn and well-motivated," said Mr. Edwards. "I enjoy having him in class and admire his dedication."

"Tyler is self-motivated and he makes sure he thoroughly understands the material we cover in class," said Ms. Forfinski. "I enjoy having Tyler in Biology and seeing his enthusiasm towards his education. Tyler is doing excellent and I enjoy working with him. Congratulations, Tyler!'

Boyne Falls

NAME: Julie Korthase PARENTS: Betty and Dave Korthase GRADE: Freshman

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Basketball HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Reading and

writing, piano (6 years) FUTURE PLANS: Attend Michigan State Uni-

versity NOMINATING COMMENT: "Julie is a very dedicated student," said Mr. Tippett. "She is well prepared for class and always goes the extra mile in doing her work. She is also a very friendly and outgoing person.'

Julie Korthase

Lady Ramblers and Red Devils earn all-conference honors

Three members of the Boyne City Lady Ramblers and East Jordan Lady Red Devils have earned Lake Michigan All Conference honors

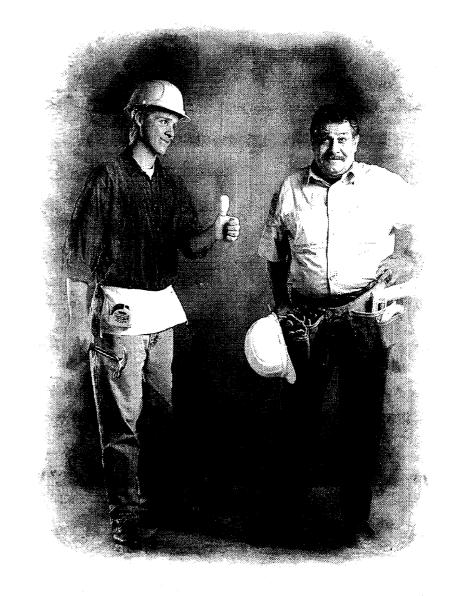
Named to the first team for the Lady Ramblers are Sarah Bobowski and Katie Bernthal. Katie Dhaseleer was an honorable mention selection For the Lady Red Devils, Jenny

Goebel and Jenny Falco were named to the first team while Ember Ransom was an honorable mention selection.

Conference champion Harbor lections.

Springs led the team with four first team selections and two honorable mention picks. Kalkaska had three first team se-

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CITY HALL NEWS

By SUE HOBBS

IN THE INTEREST of safety, the city reminds families to warn children not to play on or stand near snow banks along the streets. State Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships and Villages, prohibits the deposit of snow, ice, or slush from private property onto public highways or plowed across streets or on the shoulder of the roadway and deposited in a manner which obstructs the safety vision of the driver of motor vehicles.

WHEN PLOWING SNOW from private driveways, please do not pile onto sidewalks. This is public right of way. All snow plowed from private property must be deposited onto the owner's property unless permission is given by another owner to use their private property

SNOWMOBILERS ARE welcome in Boyne City. Please be

reminded snowmobiles are not permitted on any city sidewalks or in the downtown area of Water Street from Boyne Avenue to Lake Street, and on Lake Street from Water Street to Main Street. Additionally, the use of snowmobiles within city cemeteries is prohibited. City staff is in the process of developing a pamphlet with a map showing where snowmobiles are and are not allowed and the rules and regulations for operating snowmobiles within the city.

CITY ORDINANCE prohibits parking on city streets from 2-6 a.m. due to snow plowing activities.

THE CITY RECEIVED several complaints regarding the disposal of truck loads of snow from the downtown area to a site by the Boyne River. The city will change the location of the disposal area to vacant land in the Maple Lawn Cemetery.

(Sue Hobbs is Boyne City's city clerk and assistant city manager.)

OBITUARIES

Josephine Wozniak

Josephine Sophie Czerkies Wozniak, 78, of Boyne Falls, died on Wednesday, Nov. 26, 1997 at Northern Michigan Hospital.

Her funeral Mass was held Saturday, Nov. 29, at St. Augustine Catholic Church in Boyne Falls. The Rev. Francis Partridge officiated, with burial in St. Augustine Cemetery

She was born on Nov. 24, 1919 in Boyne Falls, the daughter of Stephan and Mary Zajac. On May 29, 1939 she married Stanley Wozniak. After her marriage she moved to Detroit. In November of 1995 she returned to Boyne Falls. Mrs. Wozniak was a member of St. Augustine Church and loved playing bingo and reading.

She is survived by her husband.

Robert A. Howard, 66, of East Barbara Howard of East Jordan; five Jordan died on Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1997 at Northern Michigan Hospital.

A memorial service was held Friday, Nov. 28, at the Paullin-Penzien Funeral Home, with interment in Sunset Hill Cemetery in East Jordan

Mr. Howard was born on March 24, 1931 in Melrose Township, the son of Henry and Mabel (Osborn) Howard. On Aug. 26, 1992 at his home near East Jordan, he married Barbara Anderson Weber.

Robert was a co-owner of H&L Machine Tool, Inc. in East Jordan. He was a former member of the East Jordan Lion's Club. He enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Robert is survived by his wife,

Stanley, of Boyne Falls; three children, Geraldine Beveridge of California, Thomas (Jane) Wozniak of Walloon Lake, Robert (Gail) Wozniak of California; four grandchildren, Mark (Teri) Beveridge of California, Ken (Karrie) Wozniak of Traverse City, Kevin Wozniak of Grand Rapids, Karen (Jason) Karatkiewicz of Grand Rapids; four great-grandchildren; brothers Andrew Czerkies of Boyne Falls. Sylvester "Zeke" Czerkies of Boyne Falls: sisters Victoria Pawlowski of Boyne Falls, Pauline Maior of Roseville, Ann Martini of Las Vegas, and Bernice Kolodziedj of St. Clair Shores.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother. Joseph Czerkies

Robert A. Howard

children, Mark (Mary) Howard of East Jordan, Charlotte (Rick) McKay of East Jordan, Joyce (Eugene) Sewell of East Jordan, Patricia (Allan) McMillan of Wyandotte, and Eric (Susan) Weber of Lansing; four grandchildren, Charity McKay, Angela Sewell, Lance McKay and Kimberly Sewell: three brothers, Norman (Shirley) Howard of Flint, Lester (Mabel) Howard of Vanderbilt and Lyle Howard of East Jordan; and one sister, Sandra (Courtlan) Clausen of East Jordan. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Bernard Howard.

Memorials may be given to the East Jordan Ambulance Fund or Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

James A. Webster Sr.

James A. Webster Sr., 89, of on Aug. 24, 1929 in Dearborn. Greenbush and formerly of Boyne City, died Nov. 19, 1997 in Caro. Funeral services were held Sat-

urday, Nov. 22, at Gillies Funeral Home in Harrisville. Burial was in the Mikado Cemetery in Mikado. He was born on April 10, 1908 in Elmira and was raised in Boyne City. He married Helen Grace Lahr

They were residents of Dearborn until moving to Rochester in 1950, then moving to Greenbush in 1973. He is survived by his wife and

three sons, James Jr. of East Jordan, Hobson of Oscoda, and Theodore of Caro; 16 grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren and two greatgreat-grandchildren.

Beverly Jean Mayhew

Beverly Jean Mayhew, 58, of lector. She was a member of the Boyne City, died Wednesday, Nov. 26. 1997 at her home.

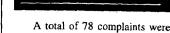
Her funeral was Saturday, Nov. 29, at the Stackus Funeral Home. The Rev. Lane Eddy officiated, with burial in Maple Lawn Cemetery.

She was born on Jan. 17, 1939 in Zainesville, Ohio, the daughter of Arvid and Dorothy Hill Anderson, As a young lady she moved to Boyne City where she has resided ever since. She worked for Allied Signal for over 18 years.

Mrs. Mayhew enjoyed bowling, crosswords and was an avid doll colBoyne City Eagles. Survivors include her husband

Roger Mayhew of Boyne City; five children: James (Nancy) Magill of Boyne City, Dorothy Sisson of Boyne City, Brian (Shirley) Magill of Boyne City, Barbara (John) Murphy of Houston, Texas, and Kathleen (Brant) Fortune of Elmira; a brother, Michael (Barbara) Anderson of Boyne City; a sister, Janine (Larry) Johnson of Boyne City; several grandchildren and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister Kathleen.





received by the Boyne City Police Department during the week of Nov. 20-26 On Nov. 26 a minor accident was reported at the corner of N. East

Street and Water Street. There were no injuries A retail-fraud complaint re-

ported from Glen's and Butler's Drugs on Nov. 28 was handled by a Boyne City police officer. Two car/deer accidents occurred

within the city limits during the past week.

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Bells are ringing, lights are twinkling, and Christmas spirit is in the air. There are enough community events and activities planned for the holiday season to keep everyone busy.

In Boyne City this week, you can see a holiday musical, bid on wreaths and angels in a silent auction, have lunch with Santa, visit a craft show and watch a Christmas tree be illuminated with Lights of Love.

Boyne City band students will present their Christmas concert on Thursday, Dec. 4, at 6 p.m. in the high school gym. Performing will be the fifth and sixth grade choir, and the middle school and high school bands.

"Join our young school musicians as we ring in the holiday season," said band director Becky Palmiter

"The Gospel According to Scrooge" will be presented at Trinity Fellowship Church, 401 State St., Boyne City, at 7 p.m. each evening, Thursday

through Sunday, Dec. 4-7. Admission is free, but offerings will be accepted.

The Judy Kuheana Memorial Breakfast is from 8:30-11 a.m., Saturday, Dec. 6, at the Red Mesa Grill. Breakfast for adults is \$6, and for children 12 and under, \$3. All proceeds go to the Boyne City Food Pantry. Tickets are available at Boyne Country Books, Ace Hardware, Kelts Travel, or at the door.

The Wreaths and Angels of Christmas Silent

Auction will be held from 3-6 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 7, at One Water Street Restaurant. Refreshments and entertainment will be offered, and all auction proceeds will be divided equally between the Boyne City Food Pantry and Boyne Community Christmas.

Kelts Travel is collecting wreaths and angels for the auction, and they can be dropped off at the Chamber of Commerce office or Kelts Travel. They will then be displayed at One Water Street on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 5 and 6. Last year, this event raised enough money to buy 3,500 pounds of food.

Lunch with Santa at One Water Street Restaurant will take place from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 6. For more information, call One Water Street at 582-3434

The annual Holiday Hobbycraft Show at Boyne City High School is from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 6, and promises to be a great show with many displays.

The annual Used Ski and Skate Sale runs the same hours as the craft show at the high school on Dec. 6, in the home economics room

The United Methodist Church Bazaar and Luncheon is held from 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 6, at the church, and the Eagles Christmas Bazaar is the same day from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Eagles Hall on Lake Street.

Entries in the Gingerbread House Contest will be on display at Nature & Co. of Boyne, and the judging is at 3 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 6. Anyone who wants to enter a house can bring it to Nature & Co. on Lake Street Friday. Prizes include Boyne Bucks, and all entries should be accompanied by a 3 x 5 card with the builder's name on it.

Santa Claus will be visiting with children at Johnson's Furniture on Water Street from noon-4 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 7.

The annual Community Christmas Candlelight Carol Service is Sunday, Dec. 7, at 6 p.m. at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Boyne City.

Carols and readings will comprise the service with an offering taken to assist the Boyne City Ministerial Association in its ministry to the emer-

gency needs of community families. A fellowship hour will follow the service.



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EVEryone is invited to attend

The Charlevoix area community chorale, orchestra and guest musicians will present its annual "Festival of Carols" in the sanctuary of the Charlevoix Congregational Church on Sunday, Dec. 7, at 4 p.m.

The program will consist of carol anthems, including two new numbers by composer John Rutter. Selections by Leroy Anderson will be offered by the orchestra. Featured will be the Charlevoix Men's Glee Club as well as the Congregational Church's bell choir, the Pilgrim Ringers. Those attending will also have the opportunity to usher in the Christmas season by singing popular Christmas carols.

There is no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken. A reception will follow in the fellowship hall.

The Lights of Love Christmas Tree at One Water

Street will be lit by Eta Nu Sorority members at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 10, with music starting at 6:15. Community members may purchase lights and hearts for the tree, and proceeds go to Charlevoix County Hospice. The Lights of Love program was started by Eta Nu in 1987, and since then it has raised almost \$23,000.

In **East Jordan**, jingling sounds will fill the air beginning on Friday and continue right through the Festival of the Bells and Christmas.

An **Evergreen Wreath Sale**, sponsored by the East Jordan Garden Club will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at Huntington Banks. The sale is a fundraiser for the garden club's activities.

December 5 is also the last day to register for the **Business and Residential Decorating Contest**. Forms are available at local financial institutions, the Chamber office, and Rupp & Keen Real Estate on Lake Street. Rupp & Keen is the event sponsor this year. Winners will be announced on Dec. 13.

The Opening Reception for the **Creche Exhibit** at the Jordan River Arts Council on Main Street takes place from 2-4 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 7, and the exhibit runs Dec. 8-19, daily from 1-5 p.m. On Thursday, Dec. 11, the exhibit will be open from 7-9, also. At least 20, and maybe more creches from people's collections will be on display. Each year the holiday exhibit rotates between angels, santas and creches. Some holiday art will be available for purchase during the exhibit. Anyone willing to share a creche for the exhibit is asked to call Marge Teske at 536-3128 by Friday.

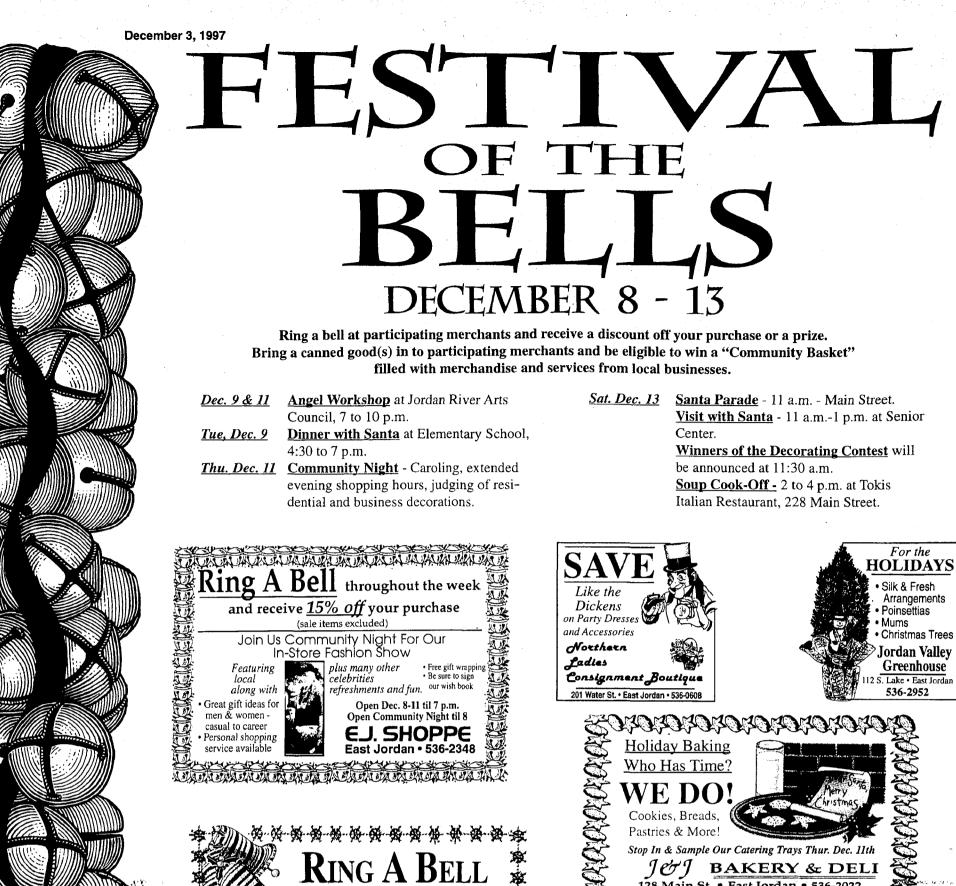
Bells will literally be ringing all over town during the annual **Festival of the Bells**, Monday-Saturday, Dec. 8-13. The festival has been a part of the holidays in East Jordan for about 10 years. At participating merchants, customers can ring a bell and receive a discount on purchases or win a prize. Bring canned goods to participating merchants and be eligible to win a "Community Basket" filled with merchandise and services from local businesses. The basket drawing will be held on Thursday, Dec. 11.

Angel Workshops with Debbie McDermott will be held at the Jordan River Arts Council, 7-9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, Dec. 9 and 11. A fee will be charged for the wool angel workshop. For more information, contact Marge Teske at 536-3128 or McDermott at 536-2779.

Young people of all ages can have **Dinner with Santa** at the East Jordan Elementary School cafeteria from 4:30-7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 9. For \$2 per person, dinner and a craft project are provided. For more information call the elementary school at 536-7564.

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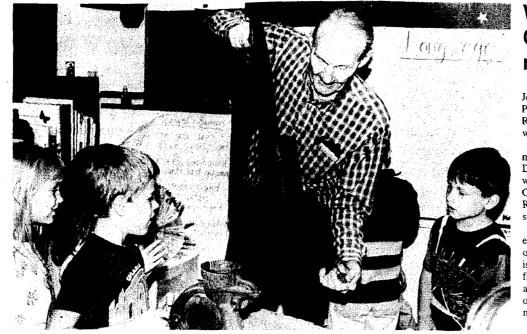
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Times change

It was "the way things used to be" in Mrs. Dunne's Boyne City **Elementary School** second-grade class last Wednesday. Pictured is Fred Gondzar showing students how to plant corn the old-fashioned way. He also showed them a corn sheller, and each student was able to shell an ear of corn. Mrs. Freed was a special visitor, and she helped the students make rope on a classic ropemaking machine. The class had read "Little Mossback Amelia" and made old-time popcorn balls in the morning.



NEIGHBORS

By NANCY NORTHUP

BRIAN MAPES, a student at Albion College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Boyne City with his parents, Mary and Mike Mapes. All enjoyed Thursday's dinner at the Shirley Blekkenk home.

DAN AND JULIE Schmittdiel of Chicago, and his mother, Marie, shared the Thanksgiving Day meal at the home of Julie's parents, Bill and Mary Dunlop of Boyne City.

BILL AND DEB KORTHASE hosted the Thanksgiving Day feast for their mothers, Norma Lindsay and Jean Korthase, her brothers, Jeff Lindsay, wife Karen and their two children, from downstate, and Jamie Lindsay, wife Chris and daughter Emily, and his brother, Roger Korthase and daughter Mackenzie, all of Boyne City.

A GROUP OF 20 of the Boyne City Senior Swimming group had a great time on Saturday night aboard the "Pickle Bus" and attending the Gaylord Grizzlies-Illinois game, held in Gaylord. MANY FRIENDS AND relatives came from California, Colorado, Arkansas, and various points throughout Michigan over the weekend to attend Friday's memorial service for Willis Planck of Walloon Lake. Held in the community church, with the Rev. Jeff Ellis officiating, it was followed by a dinner, served by the ladies of the church.

VIRGINIA HEGERBERG of Boyne City left on Sunday to spend a couple of weeks in Hawaii with her son Thad, and then planned to spend more of the holidays in Daphne, Ala., with her daughter Pam and husband, the Rev. Richard Schmidt and family.

SPENDING THE LONG holiday weekend with Billie Stanley at her Boyne City home were Barb and Mike Howard of Flint and their two children. Michael Paul and Rebecca.

BETTY HOBBS RETURNED to her Boyne City home on Sunday, following a few days stay this past week at Northern Michigan Hospital.

ELOISE CLELAND of Lakeview

Village spent the Thanksgiving Day holiday in Traverse City at the home of her son John Cleland and family.

A SPECIAL NOTE GOES out to "all our friends and neighbors, especially the ladies of Lakeview Village, who put on a wonderful luncheon for us this past week." My caller thinks "you are pretty special people." The Hart family wanted to say thanks again.

JUANITA ERBER spent the holidays at the home of her daughter Nancy and husband Charles Miller in Duck Lake (near Whitehall). On Thanksgiving Day, they all went to the home of her granddaughter and husband and great-granddaughter, Don and Amy Romain and Hannah, who will be 2 years old this month.

BILL AND JEANETTE AVERY of Glenwood Beach enjoyed the family gathering on Thursday at their home with her brothers, Ray Fisher and son Scott. Frank Fisher and wife Renee, and her sister and husband, Martha and Mike McKenzie and girls, Mindy and Melissa, all of East Jordan.

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

December 3, 1997

Wagbo Peace Center hosting music program

The Wagbo Peace Center of East Jordan is preparing to host a monthly Peace Coffee House at the Jordan River Arts Center in East Jordan this winter.

The coffee house starts this month from 8-11 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 13, and the folk music program will feature singer Ron Schmoke of Gaylord on guitar and songwriter Rick Anderson of Wolverine on, 12string guitar.

An open stage follows, and everyone is welcome to bring a poem or music to share. The coffee house is a community, smoke and alcoholfree event with coffee and treats available. Coffee houses will be held on the second Saturday of each month now through May.

Entry is by donation for the musicians, and everyone is welcome. For more information, call Tracy Meisterheim at 536-0333.

Dinner will raise funds for missionary trip

A fund-raising dinner will be held at the Free Methodist Church in Boyne City to help fund Elizabeth Eddy on her mission trip to Costa Rica in January.

The dinner is Saturday, Dec. 6, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. The cost is \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for children 6 to 11 years old, and free for children under 5.

For more information, call the church at 582-6843.

East Jordan VFW, Ladies' Auxiliary

The East Jordan VFW and Ladies Auxiliary will hold a joint meeting Dec. 16 for a Christmas party and potluck.

The evening will include a silent auction and a \$5 gift exchange. The VFW meets every second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. and the Ladies Auxiliary meets ev-



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WILL THE PERSON who borrowed the wheelchair from the Charlevoix Alano Club please contact Ed - phone no. 547-9184. 12/3

NEEDED: Creches and Angels for Grandvue Auxiliary's annual one day display to be held on Thurs day, Dec. 11, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the facility. All day supervision provided by auxiliary members Please call 582-7809 or 582-9969 if you would like to see your spe cial creche or angel figures dis played for our residents and inter ested guests 12/3

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JANITORIAL HELP wanted, Boyne City and East Jordan areas, evening work. Three and Five day per week positions available. Call Judy at J&R Cleaning, 348-3155. 11/5,19-12/3

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PUBLIC NOTICE **EVANGELINE TOWNSHIP**

The Evangeline Township Board regular monthly Dec. 1 meeting has been rescheduled for Monday, Dec. 8, at 7:30 p.m. at the Evangeline Township Hall

TIMBER SALE

Boyne Falls School is accepting bids on red pine timber sale. Location is T32N R5W, Section 22, SE1/4. Specifications for the sale and contract material can be picked up through Patrick Smith, Superintendent, (616) 549-2211. For specific information on the timber or location contact Glenn Beyer the school's contract forester at (616) 258-9765 or cell (616) 633-7534. Sealed bids, (school's contract), are due in the superintendent's office at noon on Friday, Dec. 19, 1997.

BOYNE CITY COMMISSION SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES

Nov. 18, 1997, 12:00 noon meeting - The Commission rescinded a motion of 14 October 1997 which accepted a bid from West Shore Fire for the purpose of a pumper/tanker fire equipment, and approved a motion accepting an upgraded fire equipment bid from Zaremba Equipment, Inc. for the purchase of one International Chassis, and a bid from West Shore Fire, Inc. for commercial pumper/tanker fire apparatus. Two lot reconfigurations were authorized: Lots 142 and 143 of Ray Street, and a section of parcel 15-051-335-086-00 on Main Street.

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF BOYNE CITY PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at the regu-Iar meeting of the Boyne City Parks and Recreation Advisory Board on Thursday, December 11, 1997 at 7 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, 319 N. Lake Street, Boyne City, Mich., to receive input on the future development of Rotary Park. The purpose of the public hearing is to receive input from the community which will aid the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board in developing a conceptual plan for Rotary Park. All interested persons are encouraged to attend the Public Hearing and participate in the discussion. Persons unable to attend may submit comments in written form to City Hall, or may call at 582-0338.

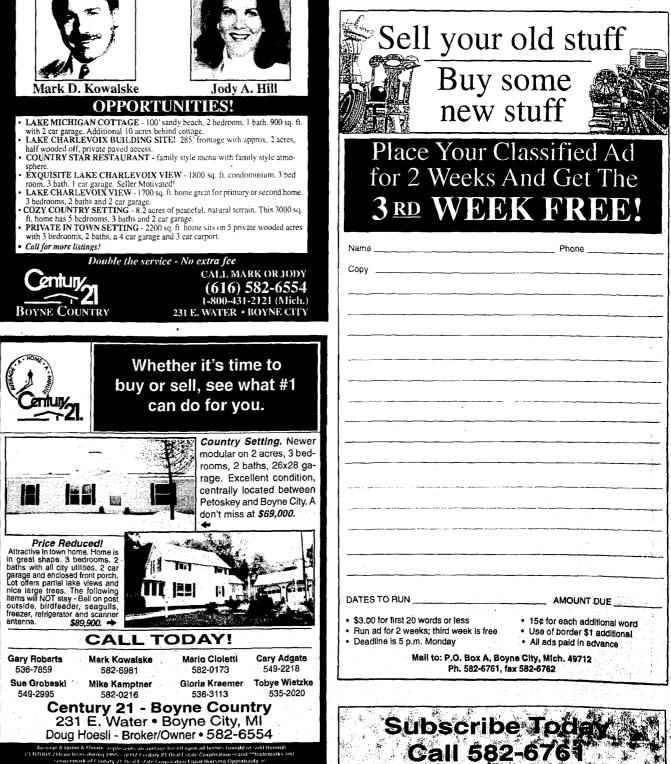
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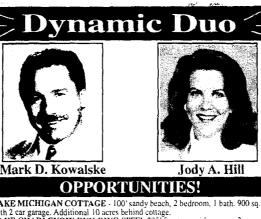
PUBLIC NOTICE MALPASS FOUNDATION

The annual report of the Malpass Foundation for the year ending Oct. 31, 1997 is available for inspection at the Foundation's office, 301 Spring

Street, East Jordan, Mich. 49727, phone 616/536-2261. The report is available during normal business hours by any citizen who requests it.

Signed, F. F. Malpass Foundation Manager





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Stone soup makers

Jessica Gibbard is in Mrs. Downton's first grade, and Kayla Windish is in Ms. Sivula's third grade class at East Jordan Elementary School. They are buddies, and that means they help each other out during the school year. Last Wednesday their classes had lunch together. "We read 'Stone Soup,' and the teachers decided to do this stone soup lunch for Thanksgiving," Kayla said. "We made the soup with potatoes and carrots and peas and a whole bunch of other stuff. It was real fun. I got to put in some of the ingredients." And what did the students learn from the experience? "It's about sharing," Kayla said, "and if everybody brings something to share, you can make a lot."

Chamber needs items for auction

Last year, the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce raised about \$2,300 for its programs from the auction held during the annual meeting.

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The auction committee is planning for the upcoming Jan. 24, 1998, annual meeting and looking for auction items.

Chamber members are asked to committee members encourage donate items for the silent and or live auctions. The auction has become a fun and entertaining event as well as a major fundraiser.

Last year, a night for two at the Jordan River Sportsmens Club winter encampment was a big hit, and members to use their imaginations when deciding on items to donate.

Businesses can call the chamber office at 536-7351 to let the committee know what they are donating, and everyone is asked to do so by Jan.

Mother's and daughter's photos picked for juried show

Karen Donaldson and her daughter, Laura Warren, of East Jordan, each had two photographs chosen for and exhibited in the recent juried photography show at McCune Arts Center in Petoskey.

There were 130 entries, out of which 65 were chosen for the show, and Donaldson won an honorable mention for one of her photos. Only 16 prizes were awarded.

Laura is 14 and a ninth-grade student at Concord Academy Boyne and the only child to enter the show.

Donaldson entered a handpainted photo and an art print of her daughter. Laura's photos were of people, her mother said.

Ellsworth man suffers injuries in rollover

An Ellsworth man was injured in a traffic accident Nov. 28 on Flagg Road near Ranney Road in South Arm Township.

Vincent Lee Brodin, 36, of Ellsworth lost control of his vehicle on a curve. He then left the roadway and hit several trees, according to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department

Brodin was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital where he was treated and released.

The Sheriff's Department was assisted at the scene by the East Jordan City Ambulance.

Alcohol and speed are believed to be factors in the accident, according to the sheriff's department.

EAST JORDAN SCHOOLS' HONOR ROLL

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Fourth Grade

Superintendent's List Tori Bingham, Shane Gardner, Rebecca Gardner, Emily Hagen, Eric Hansen, Bridget Knight, Brandon LaCount, Amber Lifer, Mike Meads, Jessica Morris, Stephanie Olszewski, Stephanie Steuer, Megan Warnos, Tim Weisler

Principal's List

Mitchell Bartlett, Joshua Blaha, Hannah Boss, Nolan Brewer, Delores Callaway, Nicole Carter, Samantha Duffy, Amanda Ehnis, Amber Gettel, Chrissy Hancy, Tasha Hart, Kaitlin Hefty, Jake Himmelspach, Carisa Jacobsen, Seth Kishefsky, Katy Kovel, Chad Kraemer, Misti Massey, Rachael McKenney, Rusty Miller, Justin Nierman, Molly Pardee, Eric Patton, Kelsey Poineau, Andrea Postma, John Renkiewicz, Seanna Richards, Sierra Roberts, Zach Russell, Brittany Scott, Ian Sims, Tassia Sweeney, Amanda Thomas, Andrew Wiser, Monique Yaldo

Fifth Grade

Superintendent's List Kaila Bennett, Devin Brown, Katie Diller, Jim Gee, Hunter Miller, Stephanie Mills, Ashley Nichols, Kyle Peters, Jennifer Pfiefle, Carrie Silva, Jessica Skop

Principal's List Rosa Ambrosio, Alyssa Anthony, Rich-

ard Bjorem, Genna Bogaert, Jamisen Both, Ashlynn Brown, Kaleb Brown, Cody

Jenna Bacon, Karianne Bennett, Krystal Birgy, Quendolyn Brammer, Bryan Diller, Robert Grover, Timothy Lord, Megan Luck, Sara Miller, Aaron Nichols, Kevin Roberts, Dustin Sadowski, Timothy Sothard, Marcie Taylor, Cayla Tinney

Honor Roll

lan Anthony, Dianna Bearden, Alicia Beauvais, Ashlie Bennett, Darin Bluhm, Sheena Boyer, Kevin Brilley, Kelcie Brock, Samual Brock, Daniel Brooks, Kandra Carson, Joseph Cooper, Oren Dustin, Matthew Dyer, Courtney Farmer, Alex Gee, Joshua Girven, Laurie Graham, Amanda Haney, Morgan Hefty, Dale Henning, Alynne Hillaker, Michael Hoffman, Santana Humbarger, Eric Jaqua, Jessica Jenkins, Darren Kassuba, Amanda Kline, Cammie Knebl, Taryn Kolp, Holly Kotrys, Jenny Kraemer, Heather LaCroix, Adam Landis, David Lawson, Tracie Lucenko, Jessica Malfroid, Matthew Malpass, Dustin Marr, Shannon Marvin, Rodney McClung, Mark McKenney, Joshua McLaren, Amanda McMichael, Jesse Meininger, Rhonda Moore, Timothy Murphy, John Murray, Scott Murray, Claire Niewendorp, Cory Paquette, Ann Pattenaude, Jennifer Patton, Kyle Postmus, David Potter, Aaron Priest, Jon Reese, Jessie Renkiewicz, Daryl Richards, Aaron Robinson, Garrett Romero, Feliesha Ross, Amber Speer, Lisa Talboys, Rebecca Thorman, Tyler Voot, Laura Walter, Matthew Weisler,

Middaugh, Christopher Mills, Nichole Moblo, Amber Mulholland, Erica Murray, Patti Murray, Rebecca Murray, Robert Nichols, William Nichols, Rvan Paquette, Tricia Pennington, Traci Potter, Tyson Potter, Eleanor Priest, Daniel Russell, Timothy Schroeder, Kenneth Slough, Linda Slough, Michael Smith, Brian Stanek, Charles Talboys, Wendy Walczak, Paige Watson, Holly Wells, Krista Westman

Tenth Grade Superintendent's List

Rachel Boss, Patricia Gee, Lindsey Malpass, Jessica McCafferty, Brian McNeil

Honor Roll

Christopher Bearden, Matthew Birgy, Kyle Bjorem, Tonya Brodin, Mary Brooks, Andrew Brouwer, Danyelle Clark, Lucy Cornell, Kimon Criner, Amanda Danforth, Lynsey Derenzy, Michelle Derenzy, Jennifer Doebel, Christina Downton, Eric Fischer, Riki Ford, James Gee, Katherine Goebel, Adam Greenman, Joseph Hahn, Holly Hammond, Kelli Hammond, Heather Herbon, Katrina Kamradt, Megan Kempton, Gretchen Knight, Naomi Lawson, Gary Legato, Kristopher Lifer, Suzanne Malpass, Cynthia Mazzella, Jessica Moore, Christopher Olson, Lukas Olstrom, Kevin Penzien, Bryan Perrault, Donald Priest, Jennifer Roberts, Renee Roberts, Pamela Schroeder, Robin Spears, Russell Steinhoff, Nathan Swan,

Honor Roll

Jennifer Baker, Sarah Bennett, Chad Callahan, Abbey Carter, Gene Cebulski, Jill Ciszewski, Jason Clark, Tina Clark, Terise Cutler, Josh Evans, Scott Fisher, Gwen Frashier, Zachary Jones, Mellisa Kowalske, Renata Lapeer, Jennifer MacEachern, Susan McKinnon, Catherine Moses, Jessica Murphy, Carl Murray, Erin Murray, Holly Petkewicz, Anthony Prevo, Ryan Saganek, Corey Schroeder, Rebeca Scott, Matthew Shaw, Anne Sierocki, Jenny Snyder, Cheltzi Thorman, Kerry Trumble

Twelfth Grade

Superintendent's List Elizabeth Banfield, Rodney Black, Rebecca Holm, Brenda Kline, Matthew McCoy, April Meads, David Miller, Adam Murray, Ember Ransom, William Towne

Honor Roll

Debra Bacon, April Bergmann, Parke Bluhm, Gary Brooks, Salvador Caballero, Bradley Carey, Eric Clark, Andrea Derenzy, Michael Dwornick, Jennifer Falco, Rebekah Fuller, James Gaonon. Jennifer Goebel, Charles Hague, James Hahn, Heather Jackson, Tracey Johnson, Scott Kraemer, Cassie Krause, Theresa Lent, Jeremy Lord, Beverly Lucas, Pierre Marchant, Kelly Mason, Michael Mazella, Angela McDonald, Heather McLaren Michelle Meads, Jeanetta Merrow, Jenny Murray, Kristina Nelson, Emily Niewendorp, Becky O'Rear, Mark Penzien, Renee Perrault, Clarence Randall, Joshua Roberts, Julie Scott, Amos Skrocki, Jeremy Snyder, Matthew Sokolowski, Jason Stone, Joseph Stump, Angela Swan, Rob Weidlich, Margaret Whiteford, Denzil Wilson, Erik Wiltfong, Andrew Wood



Coblentz, Cody Cook, Kyle Daneff, Chris Duff, Amanda Evans, Amanda Fennell, Katie Folsom, Donald Goodrich, Tabitha Grover, Joey Haney, Mae Heiden, Chad Hoppe, Christine Jackson, Kayla Jacobson, Kasaundra Klieber, Tina Kirby, Tim Kraemer, Tom Krause, Lesley Lundy, Emily Malfroid, Angela Marr, Nicole McCaig, Samantha McKenney, Joanna McMichael, Casondra Mellios, Steve Nowka, Nina Peters, Ryan Peterson, Jasmine Petrie, Nate Bichter, Justin Roberts, Amanda Scott, Ian Sibinic, Kari Skoo, Kim Snyder, Tyler Spence, Alex Stupyra, Ben Surdam, David Thomas, Danielle Warren

Sixth Grade Superintendent's List

Reece Bartlett, Kimberly Beauvais, Joshua Farmer, Rogelio Gorrostieta, Whitney Hershberger, Krista Kenny, Rhett Malpass, Haley Shaw, Jessica Vallance, Melinda Watson

Honor Roll

Garry Arnold, Michelle Arthur, Alex Bayster, Tiffannie Bearden, Louis Beeler, Samantha Bingham, Melody Bishop, Elias Boss, Tiffanie Brammer, Nathaniel Brewer, Samantha Callaway, Jessica Crick, Tyler Cutler, Heather Danforth, Brandon Derenzy, Chad Derenzy, Jillian Derenzy, Gregory Grose, Donna Grutsch, Courtney Hammond, Brittiny Hanson, Carrle Hart, Brooke Hawley, Mark Kamradt, Matthew Leftwich, Aaron Meads, Sarah Meininger, Jessica Mellios, Tyler Rose, Amy Schroeder, Jeremy Scott, Lissa Scott, Chrisanne Selonke, Pricilia Shomin, William Skrocki, James Slough, Joshua Smith, Beth Stallard, Samantha Stanek, Sarah Steinhoff, Stephanie Stelk, Christy Steuer, Crystal Stevens, Claire Stupyra, Patrick Teske, Brittany Thayer, Kelly Thomas, Justin Thorman, Shane Tisron, Deanna Walter, Kevin Whiteford, Kendra Wincek, Joshua Young, Tamara Zell.

> Seventh Grade Superintendent's List

Eighth Grade Superintendent's List

Destiny Bowman, Erica Carey, Valerie Derenzy, Chicory Dodge, Caroline Goebel, Steve Kempton, Brian Kirby, Geralyn McCafferty, Joseph Niewendorp, Renee Nowka, Lori Olson, Jeremy Penzien, Emily Perrault, Lacey Taylor, Paul Teske, Peter Warnos, Bethany Wil-

Honor Roll

Jessica Ballard, Jennifer Barraw, Elizabeth Bavers, Amanda Bayster, Patrick Bearden, Bachael Bennett, Nicholas Bingham, Jeremy Booze, Seth Boss, Kyle Brouwer, Kevin Curtin, Claude Cutler, Curt Derenzy, Deanna Desrochers, Janelle Doebel, Zachary Forster, Michael Gardner, Jeremy Girven, Joseph Goebel, Jessie Green, Shawn Grutsch, Amber Hahn, Jackie Haley, Heather Hammond, Peter Hammond, Travis Hillaker, Jessica Humbarger, Stacy Legato, Stephanie Lifer, Charity McKay, Nichole Murray, Anna Olson, Corey Purvis, Stefanie Skop, Richard Spears, Jason Steinhoff, Jonathon Stump, Kyle Symonds, Jessica Tisron. William Tisron, Andrieanna Vanderlaan

Ninth Grade Superintendent's List

Jamie Baker, Patrick Curtin, Heather Jones, Tarn Leach, Melissa McKenzie.

James Nowka, Jessica Peverall Honor Roll

Jeremy Bartlett, William Bavers, Mackenzie Boatman. Nacole Boike. Thomas Breakey, Melissa Brilley, Katie Brock, Jessica Brooks, Kattle Brooks, Nicholas Buckus, Jesse Coots, Jonathan Cornell, Tony Cutler, Amanda Daniel, Rvan Derenzy, Nathan Diller, Ryan Dudley, David Dyer, Julie Elliott, Dean Fish, Seth Grutsch, Kristin Haley, Toni Knebl, Jeffery Kraemer, Josephine Krause, Erikka Livingston, Joshua McKenzie, Micah

Brieann Thorman, Daniel Tisron, Christy Williams, Michael Wladischkin

Eleventh Grade Superintendent's List

Sara Boyer, Autumn Dodge, Heidi Drenth, Rochelle Harm, John McCafferty, Tabatha Peters, Bethany Purvis, William Slough, Rachel Warnos

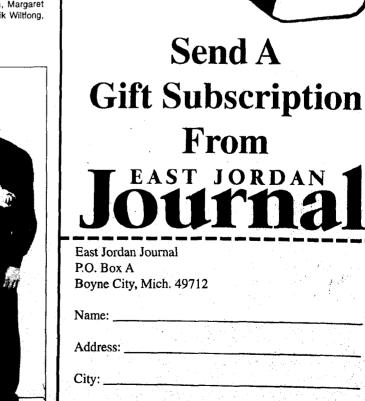


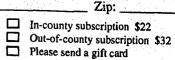
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