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A Boyne USA work crew stands at the top of the new tubing park they've been building at Boyne Mountain while they await winter, or at least cooler weather, to arrive at the resort in Boyne Falls. Although a few flurries have hit the area, the temperature hasn't stayed cold long enough for Boyne to make its own snow. From left are: Dave Rogers, Vic Hart, Pete Gouza and Dave Newman.



## BOYNE MOUNTAIN FOLKS KEEPING BUSY WHILE THE WAIT FOR WINTER CONTINUES

# Just waiting for snow

By GINA SOLTIS KENDELL

Everybody's watching the weather these days, but none more closely than the folks at Boyne Mountain. Without a bit of snow accumulation so far this year, nor the cold weather to create it themselves, the resort is lacking its primary product.

But the Boyne crew isn't staring idly at the sky, because there is still plenty of other work to complete before the winter sports season gets into full swing. Besides, it gives the resort a little extra time to finish up projects it began this summer without battling the wind-chill factor.

It's not the first year the white stuff has been reluctant to fall and it probably won't be the last. "They come and they go," General Area Manager Ed Grice said.

And so Grice's two-way radio — a constant companion — is never quiet for long, beckoning him here, there and everywhere as the mountain, from top to bottom, is an organized flurry of activity.

Throwing his four-wheel drive into low gear — a snow groomer would be easier if there was snow — he heads up the mountain to just south of the Meadows Lift.

He stops to talk with the men working on the tow-rope for the new tubing park which will include six chutes and 150 tubes to rent. They thought by now they would have been able to test it out. But nevertheless, the work must go on.

They discuss ramps, rye grass, snow depth, the terminal height, how the tubes will be towed and that they might lose one more tree.

Mountain Manager Dave Newman leads this crew which looks to Grice for direction, advice and confirmation on the project. After

25 years at the mountain, Grice is able to quickly assess the situation and make a recommendation. And he trusts the crew's judgment too.

"If we're not happy, we'll change it for next year," Grice tells them. For even though the snow hasn't fallen yet, decisions here can't wait. "We knew we were going to be in a learn-as-you-go experience," he tells them before he's off to another site.

"We're fortunate as far as people who work here," Grice said. "We can program people into different types of activities." And that good fortune includes having enough work to keep people busy until the snow falls.

"I'm just a coordinator," Grice said. "The others really do the job. There's a core and

that core helps bring along the younger people and teaches them."

Many who have started out at entry level jobs have learned a trade like carpentry or plumbing, and moved on to do those types of jobs for the resort.

Grice himself has done a little bit of everything since starting as a busboy in 1973. He's washed dishes, tended bar, made snow, worked in hotel maintenance, been a bell hop, "You name it, I've done it one time or another here," said Grice who has worked directly or indirectly for Boyne most of his working life.

Over at the condominium construction site, Disciples Village, Boyne employees pour concrete walls, lay tile and build walls. Grice's fast, long strides, move him quickly in and out, and up and down ditches, and through brush to check on progress.

Thirty of the condos have been sold. The new owners will be able to ski right out their front doors onto a waiting slope.

Boyne's own crew has done most of the

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*"You fight the things you can fight and accept the things you can't. I don't know a way yet to change Mother Nature."*

--Ed Grice

## EAST JORDAN'S CITY COMMISSION CONSIDERS A PLAN FOR THE FUTURE

# Now for the parks

East Jordan's Tourist, Murphy and Sportsman's parks, along with the city boat ramp, could undergo some major sprucing up if city commissioners adopt a recently completed feasibility study by Capital Consultant Engineers, as a master plan.

The city staff and a committee comprised of a cross-section of local residents, provided direction and input for the study, which the engineers submitted to the commission for its review at last week's regular meeting.

Over 12 acres of city-owned waterfront property — equaling more than a half mile of shoreline — is contained within the three city parks. The study is aimed at guiding planning efforts to maximize the parks' usage and to suggest linkages for automobile and pedestrian traffic between the parks and ultimately the downtown area.

The committee identified the

high goose and gull population in Sportsman's Park and on the point at Tourist Park as primary constraints to using those facilities.

The grass is mowed down to the shoreline in Sportsman's Park and trees are the only other vegetation within its usable boundaries creating an inviting environment for geese. Tourist Park also has a grassy point neatly mowed to the water's edge, another favored location for geese.

The study suggests not only prohibiting bird feeding at these parks, but to replace the maintained areas near the shoreline with native vegetation from 1 1/2 to three feet high, which will create a more threatening environment to geese because it restricts the visibility of their predators.

Erecting horizontal barriers, such as split rail fences, is also a deterrent for geese. Additional tree and shrub plantings throughout the main-

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The geese, ducks and other waterfowl at Sportsman's Park may be encouraged to move to a more suitable feeding area across the road at East Jordan's public boat launch.

## at a GLANCE

### Boyne's holiday baskets need mittens, toys

The Boyne Community Christmas Basket drive is in full swing and in need of more caps, mittens and toys for all ages along with non-perishable food items.

Anyone wishing to make a contribution or who knows of a needy family should contact Thelma Behling at 582-6870 or Ardith Hawley at 582-7880.

Baskets will be packed on Friday, Dec. 18, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Boyne City.

### Red Ribbons promote safe driving during the holidays

The East Jordan and Boyne City police departments will work with Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) through Jan. 1 in an effort to curb drinking and driving traffic accidents with the "Tie One On For Safety" sober driving campaign.

The promotion calls for motorists to promise to drive safe and sober during the holidays and a red ribbon tied to the vehicle seals the motorist's promise.

"We hope by reminding people of the many potential consequences of drunk driving, especially during the holidays when there is an increase in partying with alcohol, that drivers will be less likely to get behind the wheel after drinking," East Jordan City Administrator David White said.

"We won't back off our patrols or arrests because of the holidays. In fact, this department is committed to helping make the holidays happier for everyone by vigorously ensuring the roads in East Jordan are as safe from intoxicated drivers as possible," White said.

Anyone interested in making the sober driving pledge can show their support by tying a red ribbon to a visible place on their car such as the mirror or antenna. Free ribbons are available at the East Jordan Police Department at 326 Main St., or at the Boyne City Police Department at 319 N. Lake St.

### Community Band will perform holiday concert

The Jordan Valley Community Band will perform traditional and Christmas tunes ranging from "New York, New York" to "The Saints Hallelujah" during its holiday concert on Sunday, Dec. 13 at 2 p.m. in the East Jordan High School auditorium.

Conductor Rita LaVictoire along with other guest conductors, will lead the group through additional festive renditions of "Sheep May Safely Graze," "A Canadian Brass Christmas," "Stille Nacht," and "The Chimes of Liberty."

The musicians hail from East Jordan, Boyne City, Charlevoix, Petoskey, Bellaire, Lake of the Woods, Harbor Springs and Gaylord.

# OPINION

## A strange guy at home on the range

By HUGH CONKLIN

Fate, often times, is hard to figure. Rarely, if ever have I watched Dateline, an NBC television news magazine program. But last week while channel grazing I happened to come across the program just as it was about to begin a new segment.

It took only a few words of introduction by the host and I said to myself, "This is about Larry."

Amazingly, it was Larry Goodwin is a strange sort of guy. He lives in Douglas, Wyo., a conservative ranching community located about 45 miles east of Casper. (It's also about 50 miles west of Lusk, the small town featured in recent television ads for Microsoft.)

Larry made the news because he has an unusual characteristic — he dresses in women's clothing — all the time. And it's just not ordinary women's attire. It's the ugliest stuff you've ever seen.

Remarkably, though, everything else about Larry seems normal. He's been married between 25-30 years, has two grown children and has worked many years for the Dave Johnston Power Plant, a big brother version of the old Advance Power Plant.

The program spent a lot of time talking with Larry about his desire to wear women's clothing. Apparently there is a sizeable percentage of the male gender who like to do the same thing, but few of them wear women's clothing in public.

Larry does. Why? After 15 minutes of watching and listening I couldn't tell you.

But I do know something about the town Larry calls home.

For 5 1/2 years Susan and I lived in Douglas, Wyo. Our three boys were born there. We were both acquainted with Larry.

What's so fascinating about Larry and his story is how tolerant the community is of his wacky behavior. If ever there was a conservative town, Douglas is it. But it's a nice place and people, comfortable with who they are, are for the most part accepting of others.

But there was little mention of this in Larry's story. It's the part I find most remarkable.

## LETTERS

### Spreading the joy of the holiday season

TO THE EDITOR:

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! This year's Wreath and Angel auction was an unqualified success. There are so many people that need a special thanks that I can't mention all of them. We had 66 wreaths and angels donated.

A special thanks to Dennis Crissman and the staff at One Water Street; also Cindi Franco's Cool Stuff, Country Now & Then, Connections North, Glen's, Carter's, Kelts Travel, The Citizen, and Mr. Howie's second grade class.

I personally would like to thank Debbie and Arlene at the chamber office.

Again, Thank You Boyne City for helping raise money for the Christmas Baskets and the Food Pantry.

Jerry Kelts

### Volunteers helped brighten Thanksgiving

TO THE EDITOR:

East Jordan Care and Share Pantry wishes to thank everyone who helped on the Thanksgiving baskets.

The middle school children outdid themselves; they gave a large donation of cans to the pantry. The first grade classes did a great job and donated lots of canned goods, too.

Our Christmas baskets of food and toys for the children will be passed out on Dec. 21 at the East Jordan Family Health Center.

Ferne Finch and Kathy Reid  
Care and Share volunteers

## WEATHER PREDICTION:

The number of lights strung during a warm spell is inversely proportionate to the degrees below zero it will be when you have to remove them.



## GUEST COLUMN

### Recreational trails can appeal to users of all ages

By JEAN PARDEE

The snow season is upon us but as I sit here looking out the window on the 5th of December, I see no snow. I know it's coming, and according to all reports our snowmobiling season should be a good one. However, today the trails are bare while waiting for La Nina to do her stuff.

As snowmobilers, we naturally fall into the category of nature enthusiasts and stewards of our environment. It is our desire to protect the land we use and one way of doing that is to promote better legislation governing our trails so that these same trails we use today will remain open for generations to come. Many areas are turning seasonal trails into multiple use trails for year-round recreational purposes and this really makes a lot of sense.

We snowmobilers need to join together with other environmentalists to acquire lands and permits for land use that will preserve and protect our lands, not only for the use of snowmobiling but also the hikers, mountain bikers, equestrians, and even roller bladers. In the northern area in which we live, there is still a chance to preserve areas for recreation before they are gobbled up by developers. A group gathered together with the same interest will have a stronger support base for obtaining land for all-season trails.

In East Jordan, we have the beautiful Jordan Valley at our door step; however, this land is difficult to travel in seasons other than winter via snowmobile. A group called River Life has been formed to promote recreational trails while still protecting these lands for the future enjoyment of its users. It behooves us all to work together, for in the end, our goals are the same. We are, after all, each environmentalists in our own right, wishing to protect and enjoy this beautiful area for others to come and enjoy along with us, a sharing of Mother Nature's seasons... for all reasons.

It is amazing what trails can do for a community. I made a trip to visit Minnesota and the "Mall of America." Within walking distance of the mall is a series of trails that go meandering through a creek area that is absolutely fantastic. It's in town, tucked away for nature enthusiasts to enjoy and for me at least, its calling card super-

sedes the call of the mall. When I visit an area, I look for its nature trails and Salt Lake City has an abundance of them. In the city are paved trails that share themselves on opposite days with road traffic and foot traffic. Of course there are many foot paths through the mountains that are a delight to travel as well. I believe more people are looking for ways to enjoy our great out-of-doors, in all seasons. We need to look around us, find these areas, and protect them for future enjoyment.

Near East Jordan, we have a little Dutch town by the name of Ellsworth. It is a delightful area and it's for SALE! Will it go by the wayside, or will it group together and save itself? This could be an area for year round recreation, a hub for trails in all directions... if it wants to be. The public is ever looking for areas that provide ways of communicating with nature and this town of Ellsworth has the potential of being stewards of their environment while providing for their citizens. It will be interesting to see what will happen.

There is strong public support for recreational trails as they appeal to users of all ages and walks of life. In the U.P. there is a network of trails used by motor bikes only. These trails traverse through the wilderness, criss-crossing each other and go fairly unnoticed. They are barely wide enough for a bike to pass through and would be difficult for foot traffic; however, the wildlife use these trails, as they do the snowmobile trails, and these trails do permit wildlife to move about more freely. Nobody knows the land better than those who use it and this includes the hunter and fisherman along with the snowmobiler. There is great reason to band together to protect our lands.

After our snow season has come and gone, and you've put away your snowmobile, skis or snowshoes... don't forget about the need to continue working for trails. We need to promote all-season trails for all-season reasons. Plan on getting involved with other stewards of the land to work toward preserving and obtaining lands in your area for recreational use, not only for users today but also those coming up behind us. Don't wait 'cause it might be too late!

(Jean Pardee lives in East Jordan.)

## BASIC BANTER

### Already there is excitement and joy in the air

By HARRIET KENNEY

Once again we're in the midst of a holiday season. The reason is Christ's birth. Already there is joy, anticipation, and excitement in the air. Many decorations are in place and shopping is going full speed ahead.

Yet, Christmas is so much more than this. Having spent a few winters in the southern states, I have learned what is truly important at this time of year. I was prompted to write these lines that describe the feelings of many winter snowbirds.

*They can smell the scent of home-cooking, sense the exuberance and touch the moments of merriment, only through their memories. Home and family become dearer at Christmastime.*

*Today, the temperature soared above the 80's The ground is so burnt and dry. Still I shiver in the mounds of glistening snow. Not knowing it's only in my mind's eye.*

*All the houses are dressed in Christmas lights, Hung in the heat before the sun was low. Then shadows disappeared and darkness fell, And I saw diamonds twinkling in the snow.*

*There exists perfect peace and complete harmony From the core of the earth to the upper-most sky. The world is wrapped in love like a Christmas gift. But that, too, is only in my mind's eye.*

*The family is gathered around the old fireplace With laughter and hugs making spirits high. Grandkids ogle their gifts beneath the tree. Yes! This too is only in my mind's eye.*

*Still my heart is filled with great happiness. If you don't understand, let me tell you why: I'm richly blessed with precious moments, That will always live in my mind's eye.*

(Harriet Kenney writes from her home in Central Lake.)

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## JORDAN RIVER HATCHERY MANAGER RETIRING AFTER LONG CAREER

# Fish watch comes to an end



Larry Wubbels stands aboard the M/V Togue distributing lake trout in Lake Huron.

**A**fter almost 35 years of federal service with the U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, Larry Wubbels will retire on Jan. 2.

Wubbels has been the manager of the Jordan River National Fish Hatchery, near Alba, for the past 20 years.

"This lake trout program has been the most valuable, in my estimation, that I've worked with. It certainly is one of the reasons that kept me here working in the Great Lakes area," Wubbels said. A native of Minnesota, Wubbels has worked at hatcheries throughout the United States.

The Hatchery, which raises lake trout for rehabilitation of the Great Lakes, is one of three federal hatcheries located in Michigan, and the only one located in the lower peninsula.

Fish are hatched and reared for 18 months at the Hatchery — until they are about seven inches long — and then placed in the lakes.

One of the more challenging aspects of his job has been planting fish on the traditional spawning reefs on the Great Lakes, which Wubbels said

requires coordination with many different agencies.

Now with a vessel of its own, the Hatchery's work has been made much easier, but still is not without danger. "Any time you're working out on the great lakes, the weather and storms can be very dangerous and make your hair turn gray," Wubbels said.

But the new vessel allows them better control of the time and place where the fish need to be transferred for stocking.

"We've created a good stock of fish out there in the Great Lakes," Wubbels said. And they've had some success in natural reproduction, especially in Lake Superior and Lake Huron. Between the three Michigan hatcheries, 3.5 million yearlings are currently being stocked in Lakes Superior, Michigan and Huron.

"We have had some great success and some notable failures, but the program is going to continue as a strong part of the fisheries work in the Great Lakes," Wubbels said. He noted that the hatcheries were able to get some natural reproduction in Lake Michigan, although it hasn't been able to maintain

itself. But Lake Superior, during Wubbels' reign, has become nearly self-sustaining.

A graduate of the University of Minnesota with a degree in Fisheries and Wildlife Management, Wubbels made his way to East Jordan via fisheries in North Carolina, Tennessee, Missouri, New York and the Upper Peninsula.

He and his family have lived on-site in the Hatchery's government housing since 1974. Even though it was a requirement that he occupy the home there for many years to protect the property and fish, he was still required to pay utilities and rent comparable to the area.

"I really enjoyed my work here at the Jordan River Fish Hatchery and every crew has had outstanding people," Wubbels said. "At this point, I'm looking forward to retirement. It's the right time for me to be stepping down after some 34 years."

The Hatchery staff will host a retirement party in his honor in early January. He and his wife Ramona, will reside in East Jordan where they recently bought a home.

## Architects gather input on Boyne Library addition

There was no shortage of ideas on what staff and board members and library users would like to see in a new addition to the Boyne District Library.

And they might just all become a reality.

Architects from the Moake-Park Group of Fort Wayne, Ind., met with the library board and staff and held a community meeting last week to gather input on what the needs of the library are and how they might be incorporated in an addition.

The architects gathered the input and their next step is to finalize program requests and prepare a preliminary budget for the Mary K. Peabody Foundation, which has agreed to pay for the addition as well as renovations to the existing building.

A community room, more technology, better access, more quiet ar-

reas, even an area for community concerts, were among the ideas suggested.

While no decisions were made, consensus was reached at the community meeting last Wednesday regarding the location of the proposed addition. It was agreed the addition would be built behind the existing library building and a new entrance would be built along the Park Street side of the building.

The existing entrance would be restored to its original design and would be used as a secondary entrance and exit, according to Dick Moake. Using it as a main entrance would require an enormous amount of work and expense to bring it up to code and it would alter the look of the existing building.

Moake said one of his goals is that the addition would fit into the residential character of the street.

"We do not want to destroy the feeling of neighborhood," he said.

Along with constructing the addition, Moake said upgrades of the existing building will be addressed. He also said furnishings for the new addition would likely be included in the project.

The library board selected Moake-Park to work on the addition since it worked with the Peabody Foundation on the North Manchester, Ind., library which the foundation built. North Manchester was the hometown of Mary K. Peabody.

Boyne City's Stephen Wiseman has been hired as Moake-Park's local architectural representative. Wiseman's firm has many years of experience in building restoration and preservation.

One question that came up repeatedly during the meeting was the amount of money available for the

project. Moake said he has been given no specific amount, but that his job, as the project architect, was to develop a design and prepare a preliminary budget.

Diana Creech, a graduate architect with Moake-Park, said the foundation "likes to do things right." She also said it is much like developing a wish list and having much of it come true.

The preliminary budget is expected to be presented to the foundation board on Dec. 18. Francis Fisher, a seasonal resident of Walloon, is one of the two trustees for the foundation.

Following the board's acceptance of the preliminary budget, Moake-Park has developed a tentative project schedule:

- Schematic design completed in late February.
- Design development com-

pleted by early May.

- Contract documents completed by mid July.

- Accept bids through mid August.

- Award contract by late August and begin construction, which is expected to take one year.

The Mary K. Peabody Foundation is located in Manchester, Ind. It is also paying for construction of a new library in Walloon.

The foundation's goal, according to Fisher, is to fund projects that promote interests Peabody had.

Peabody, who died in 1991 at the age of 74, started coming to Walloon with her family when she was 6 years old. She was not a "resort type" of person, but rather enjoyed year-round residents, "particularly of Boyne City," Fisher said.

"Mary was very educated and

reading oriented," Fisher said. "Books were her best friends. She was also interested in helping young people."

Fisher said Peabody was also dismayed by the amount of television children watch.

Funding an addition to the Boyne District Library "just seemed to be a natural expression of her interest," Fisher said.

The board has formed two committees needed for the project — a building committee to serve as a liaison between the board and architect, and an endowment committee to raise money for a fund to cover extra operational costs created by the addition.

The board has also set up an endowment fund through the Charlevoix County Community Foundation and is now accepting contributions.

A roofing crew put the finishing touches on a new roof at the Charlevoix County Land Conservancy in Charlevoix, and renovation of the interior office space will get underway soon.



## Which of These Costly Homeseller Mistakes Will You Make When You Sell Your Home?

Boyne City - A new report has just been released which reveals 7 costly mistakes that most homeowners make when selling their home, and a 9 Step System that can help you sell your home fast and for the most amount of money.

This industry report shows clearly how the traditional ways of selling homes have become increasingly less and less effective in today's market. The fact of the matter is that fully three quarters of homesellers don't get what they want for their home and become disillusioned and - worse - financially disadvantaged when they put their home on the market.

As this report uncovers, most homesellers

make 7 deadly mistakes that cost them literally thousands of dollars. The good news is that each and every one of these mistakes is entirely preventable.

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Advertorial

### 'VOICES IN THE WATER'

## Local voices featured in book

An interview with local conservationist JoAnne Beemon is featured in the recently published book by Glenn Ruggles, "Voices in the Water."

Beemon's is one of the book's 38 oral histories about the Chain of Lakes, which includes St. Clair and Six Mile Lakes in South Arm Township.

In an excerpt from the book, Ruggles asks Beemon what is so unique about the Sinclair River — a stretch of the Chain close to her heart. She responds:

"We lost a major battle to protect 2,000 feet on Lake Charlevoix. I was heart sick, I was in mourning. My husband said, 'Get in the boat, let's take a ride.' Somehow it heals me to be outdoors. So we discovered that a river comes out to this lake we were on. We went into this river and it was like being pulled and embraced by all this wildness around us. As the sun went down with shades of pink and the sounds of the birds, it just seemed to me that all was pure and serene and good in that special place. We couldn't see anything, not one man-made structure. Everything was so fresh and pure, I didn't want to go home. I wanted that feeling to last forever. It was right there that I knew I had to do everything that I could so that my children and other people's children might be able to experience that someday."

Since that day, Beemon has founded and is executive director of the Charlevoix County Land Conservancy. The Sinclair River remains in

its natural state due mainly to her efforts. And this fall, the Conservancy received its first donation of land to be protected in perpetuity — a 25-acre tract stretching 1,500 feet along the Boyne River.

The book also features an interview with Ellsworth resident Thale Yettaw, who spent most of his life on the small lakes of the upper Chain. He recalls his life growing up on fishing and as a guide on the Chain.

Beemon said, "Voices on the Water" captures the spirit of the people of the region, and their love for the land, the lakes and the rivers.

It includes 275 photographs and numerous maps of the 75-mile long

Chain which includes 15 lakes and inter-linking rivers from the tiny Scott and Beal Lakes as well as the mighty Torch and Elk Lakes.

The recorded histories are of fishermen and women, poets, farmers, teachers, homemakers, resort owners, business owners, scientists, preservationists, a historian and a lumberjack.

"This book gives a voice to the unique character of the people of this region and to the treasure of the Chain of Lakes, its past, its present and a look to the future," Beemon said.

"Voices on the Water" is available at area bookstores.

### A gift that keeps on giving

Each year, area land conservancies join in the holiday spirit by offering special gifts with a cause. This year, the Charlevoix County Land Conservancy is offering a gift of a Dr. Harold Kohn black and white print for any new "Supporting" membership donations.

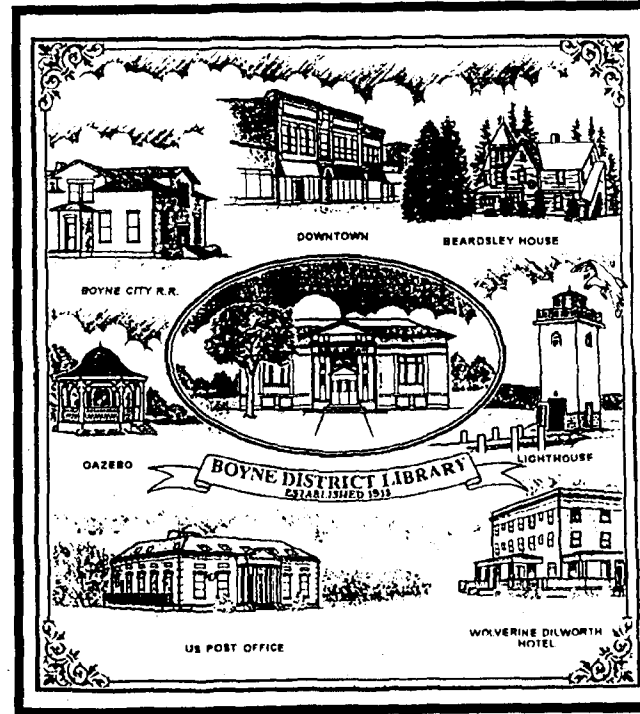
The 11" x 14" print is of deer standing in an open meadow and is suitable for framing.

Kohn, quoted from "Pathways to Understanding," wrote, "Could not the creator have made some sort of law-abiding beauty? It would seem so. Yet, while the bare necessities are here, added to them are rich flourishes of loveliness as if the Designer had said, 'Now these are for creation's sake.' Then adding beauty, He said, 'And this is for love's sake.'"

Membership proceeds go toward furthering the organization's commitment to involve area citizens in land stewardship and to work to protect significant natural agricultural and scenic lands in Charlevoix County.

To become a member, or to lend a hand in renovating the Conservancy's headquarters, call 237-9335.

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**OBITUARIES**

**Mildred Mary Dean**

Mildred Mary Dean, 86, died on Saturday, Dec. 5, 1998 at her home in East Jordan. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 2 p.m. at the Paullin-Penzien Funeral

Home in East Jordan. The family will receive friends on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until service time at the Paullin-Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan.

**Francis Marvin Koss**

Francis Marvin Koss, 75, of Boyne Falls-Hudson Township, died on Sunday, Dec. 6, 1998 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey. There will be a private family service.

Mr. Koss was born on Oct. 4, 1923 in Detroit the son of Frank J. and Martha Baumgart Koss. He grew up in Detroit, and served in the United States Army during World War II in North Africa and Europe. On April 23, 1949 Francis married Mary J. Davis in Detroit. After the war, he returned to Detroit where he worked as a body repairman for Cadillac Motors Division - General Motors for over 40 years. Mr. Koss retired on June 30, 1982. On July 1, 1982 the family moved to Hudson Township where they have resided ever since.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Koss, of Boyne Falls-Hudson Town-

ship; six children, Charlene (Gary) Molnar of Lakeville, Roberta McFall of Royal Oak, Paul (Jeanne) Koss of Traverse City, Veronica (Samuel) Kearns of Prescott, Ariz., Elisabeth (Asle) Soberg of Collegeville, Pa., and Gordon (Gwyn) Koss of Milford; six grandchildren; a brother, Robert (Elizabeth) Koss of St. Clair Shores; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Marian and Virginia Koss.

The family wishes memorials to the Kidney Foundation. Stackus Funeral Home in Boyne City is in charge of arrangements.

**CALENDAR**

**BALLROOM DANCE**  
Friday, Dec. 11

Charlevoix Community Education is sponsoring a ballroom dance, from 9-11 p.m. in the Charlevoix Elementary School Gym. Bring your special someone or come on your own for an evening devoted to the graceful art of ballroom dance. Instructor Marie Volovsek will provide a quick refresher on the dance steps from 8:30-9 p.m. Cost: Singles - \$3. Couples - \$5.

**PEACE COFFEE HOUSE**  
Saturday, Dec. 12

Gretchen VanLoosen, with guitar and harp, will share carols from around the world. "Tone Soup" from Benzonia features tight harmonies and a diverse repertoire of musical styles. Both will perform from 8-11

p.m. at the Jordan River Art Center in East Jordan. An open stage follows. The cost is \$5. Wagbo Peace Center's annual quilt raffle drawing will be held during the intermission. Call 536-0333.

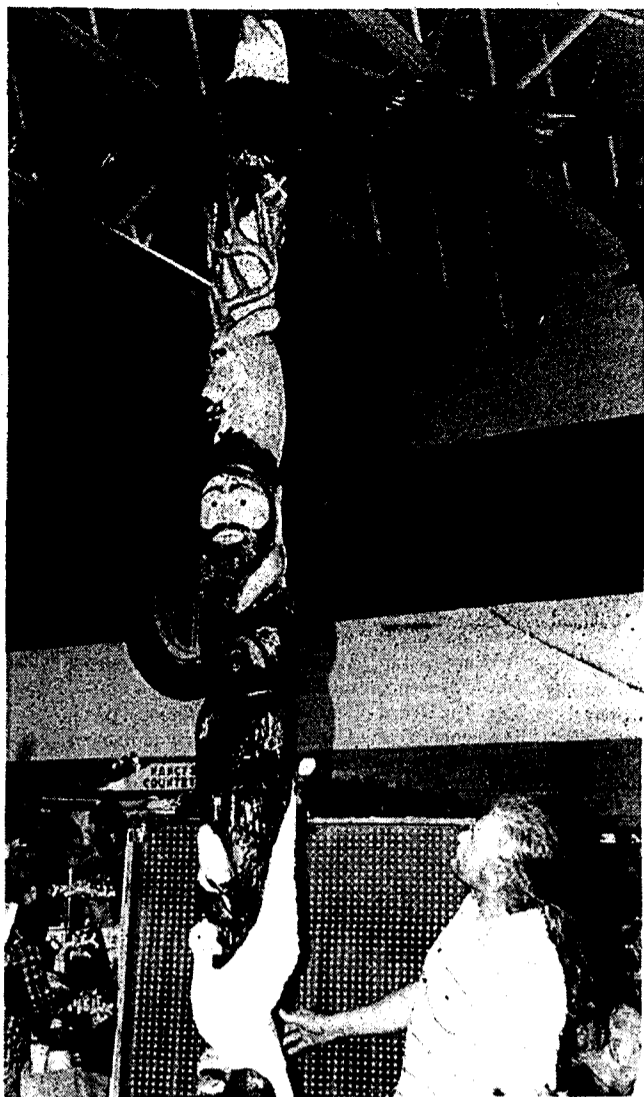
**YOUNG TEEN NIGHT**  
Saturday, Dec. 19

A Young Teen Night will be held for Boyne City Middle School students at the middle school with fifth and sixth graders from 6-8 p.m. and seventh and eighth graders from 8-10 p.m. Those interested in chaperoning can call 582-2606.

**BLOOD DRIVE**  
Tuesday, Dec. 29

An American Red Cross Blood Drive will be held from 1-6:45 p.m. in East Jordan at the Civic Center, 201 Main St.

Give a gift that arrives 52 times a year. Send a gift subscription of The Citizen or Jordan Journal this holiday season. Call 582-6761 for details.



**A tall order**

Artist Mike Operhall surveys the neo-American totem pole he had for sale at the Holiday Hobbycraft Show held last Saturday at Boyne City High School.

**BOYNE CITY POLICE REPORT**

The Boyne City Police Department received 88 complaints last week, among them were:

Nov. 30: A report of a hit and run accident in the Glen's Market parking lot.

Dec. 2: A parent of a middle school child reported a harassment complaint with a high school child while on a school bus run.

Dec. 3: Two larcenies were reported, one from a motor vehicle parked at Allied Signal, the other, of

a stereo and answering machine, was from the Silver Street area.

Dec. 4: Officers handled a car/deer accident on Wildwood Harbor Road near Jefferson Street.

Dec. 5: There was a property damage accident at Max Car Wash when a vehicle sideswiped a cement pole, and another property damage accident on Boyne Avenue and Hemlock Street with one person being arrested for operating a vehicle under the influence of liquor.

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# HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

## East Jordan

**ALL THAT GLASS**  
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Art exhibit at the Jordan River Arts Council, 301 Main Street. Cost: Free, donations accepted. Call Jane Diller at 582-6399.

**GLASS ORNAMENT WORKSHOP**  
Dec. 10  
Make a mosaic glass ornament at the Jordan River Art Center from 6-8 p.m. Refreshments will be served. The hands-on workshop is held in conjunction with the "All That Glass" exhibit. Cost \$1 per ornament.

**CHRISTMAS TREE SALE**  
Every weekend through Dec. 20  
The East Jordan Lions Club will sell trees from the Huntington Bank parking lot at the downtown branch. Call Jeff Argatsinger at 582-2770.

**FESTIVAL OF THE BELLS**  
Through Dec. 12  
Ring a bell and receive a prize or discount during this week-long, pre-holiday shopping promotion and holiday celebration, sponsored by the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce.

**COMMUNITY NIGHT**  
Dec. 10  
Celebrate the holidays in the "new" downtown. Participating businesses will host open houses from 5-8 p.m. Carolers will regale shoppers with holiday songs — groups from 1 to 100 are encouraged to join in the singing. The Soup Cook-Off will run from 5-7 p.m. at Ansted's by the Lake at 115 Main Street. Participating restaurants cook up their tastiest soup to compete for the "People's Choice" award, with proceeds from the \$1 donations benefiting the Care & Share Food Pantry. Darlene Bolser of Darlene's Restaurant is coordinating the Cook-Off. Call her at 536-2801 for more information.

**FREE TROLLEY RIDES**  
Dec. 10  
The trolley will take riders — on a first come first served basis — for a tour of the city's holiday decorations, leaving from the Senior Center at 6 p.m. and again at 7 p.m.

**GIFT WRAPPING CENTER**  
Dec. 10  
The East Jordan High School German class will have a gift wrapping center from 5-8 p.m. at the Senior Center on Main Street. Also featured will be Pampered Chef and Mary Kay representatives and

a bake sale. Call Lisa Treinen at 536-2259.  
**SANTA PARADE/VISIT**  
Dec. 12

Santa will make his way down the new Main Street aboard the fire department's new firetruck at 11 a.m. Float and costume entries are encouraged — be creative! Line up by the East Jordan fire hall. Then head over to the East Jordan Senior Center from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. to visit Santa who will be giving out handmade stockings stuffed with candy, and home-made cookies and hot chocolate courtesy of the East Jordan Lioness Club along with assistance from the Senior Center. For more information contact Jane Donaldson at 536-2321 or Jane Meade at 536-7470. The East Jordan Firefighters, Police Dept. and EMT Dept. will be giving free fire truck, police car and ambulance rides.

**FREE SANTA PHOTOS**  
Dec. 12  
Huntington Bank, Karen Walker Photography and Huckle's Photo Express will sponsor free keepsake photos with Santa at the Senior Center.

**PUPPET THEATER**  
Dec. 12  
The East Jordan Thespians will sponsor a puppet theater from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at the Civic Center.

**COMMUNITY BAND CONCERT**  
Dec. 13  
The Community Band holiday concert begins at 2 p.m. at the East Jordan High School auditorium.

**CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS**  
Dec. 14  
A "Seasons Greetings" program will be put on by kindergarten, first and second graders at 7 p.m. at the Jordan Valley Express.

Dec. 15  
A "Christmas Celebration" program will be put on by third through fifth graders at 7 p.m. at the Jordan Valley Express.

**CHRISTMAS BAND CONCERT**  
Dec. 16  
The East Jordan Middle School and High School bands, choir, and jazz ensemble will hold a Holiday Gala concert at 7 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. The public is invited.

**LIVE NATIVITY SCENE**  
Dec. 20  
A live nativity scene will be on display at the First Presbyterian Church, 207 Williams St., from 6-8 p.m. Church members and friends will portray the manger scene. Peter and LeAnn Elliott are providing the stable animals. The public is invited. Contact Cele Malpass at 536-2971.

## Boyne City

**ETA NU LIGHTS OF LOVE**  
Wednesday, Dec. 9

Eta Nu is selling Christmas tree lights and decorative hearts to benefit the Charlevoix County Hospice through Dec. 9, with a tree lighting at 6:30 p.m. at One Water Street.

**FRIENDS OF BOYNE RIVER**  
Dec. 9

Friends of the Boyne River will hold its first annual Holiday Celebration at the Wolverine Dilworth Inn at 7 p.m. The community is invited to stop by to learn more about the river and the organization. Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be provided. Members are asked to bring a dessert to pass.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL CONCERT**  
Dec. 10  
The Boyne City Middle School band will perform a Christmas concert at 7:30 p.m. in the middle school gymnasium. The public is invited.

**TROLLEY TOUR OF LIGHTS**  
Dec. 11-23

Boyne Country Books is the pick-up point for the free trolley tour of Boyne City's decorated homes. Two runs will be made each night, beginning at 6:30 p.m. and again at 7:30 p.m.

**COOKIE WALKS**  
Saturday, Dec. 12  
The Episcopal Church of the Nativity, located at 209 E. Main, will hold a cookie walk from 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

The Boyne City Presbyterian Women will hold a Christmas cookie walk from 8:30-1 p.m. at the church located at the corner of Park and Pine streets. Proceeds will support mission and outreach programs.

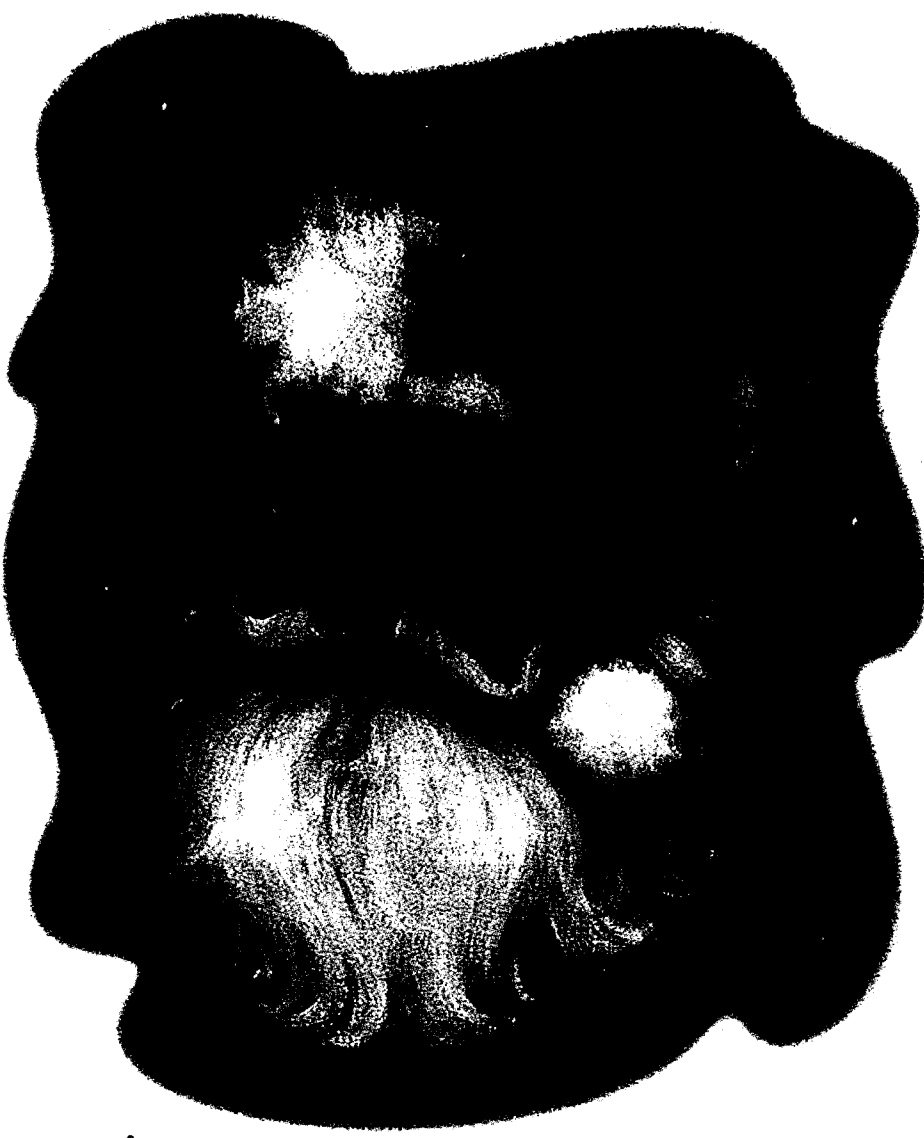
**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
Sunday, Dec. 13

A Children's Christmas Party will be given by the Boyne Valley Knights of Columbus from 12:30-4 p.m. Santa Claus will be there; the public is welcome. The Knights of Columbus are located on M-75 in Boyne City.

**LIVE NATIVITY SCENE**  
Dec. 13

The children's Sunday School classes from Boyne City United Methodist Church will present live nativity scenes including a donkey and sheep, at 6 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 7 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The church is located at 324 S. Park St.

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Tour organizer Julie Wellman started

organizing the ride about 10 years ago along with the Tour of Lights contest in which residents compete for the best-decorated home award.

This year residents don't need to enter the contest because all of the houses will be automatically entered unless they are in out of the way location. In that case, homeowners can call the Chamber of Commerce to enter their home in the contest.

Last year's winner will be on the judging tour, and prizes will be awarded for first,

second and third places. Judging will take place on Thursday night, Dec. 17.

Wellman expects an even brighter show than last year because of the unusually warm decorating season. "With the weather being as calm as it has been, there a lot more lights." This year the tour will extend down Old State Road to Laurie Road, but won't run down Lake Street.

"It's lots of fun," Wellman said, and she advises bringing along singing voices for caroling along the way.

## HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

### DECORATING CONTEST

Dec. 14

The Boyne City Chamber of Commerce Christmas Window Decorating Contest judging will be held on Dec. 14. The judges, the Boyne Valley Garden Club Members, will make their rounds from 5:30-7 p.m. All downtown Chamber member businesses will automatically be entered into the contest. Judging is based on originality, creativity, lighting and overall concept.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PLAY

DEC. 18

Boyne City Elementary School students will present "Shapin' Up Santa" at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

## Horton Bay

### LIVE NATIVITY SCENE

Dec. 21-22

A live nativity scene will be presented on Horton Bay Road, 1/2 mile off of the Boyne-City Charlevoix Road in Horton Bay, from 6-9 p.m. Several local families will portray the holy family, shepherds, wisemen and angels. Stable animals will complete the manger scene. A children's choir will lead Christmas carols on Tuesday night. All are invited to share in the presentation.


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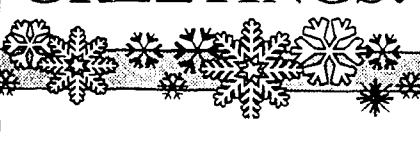
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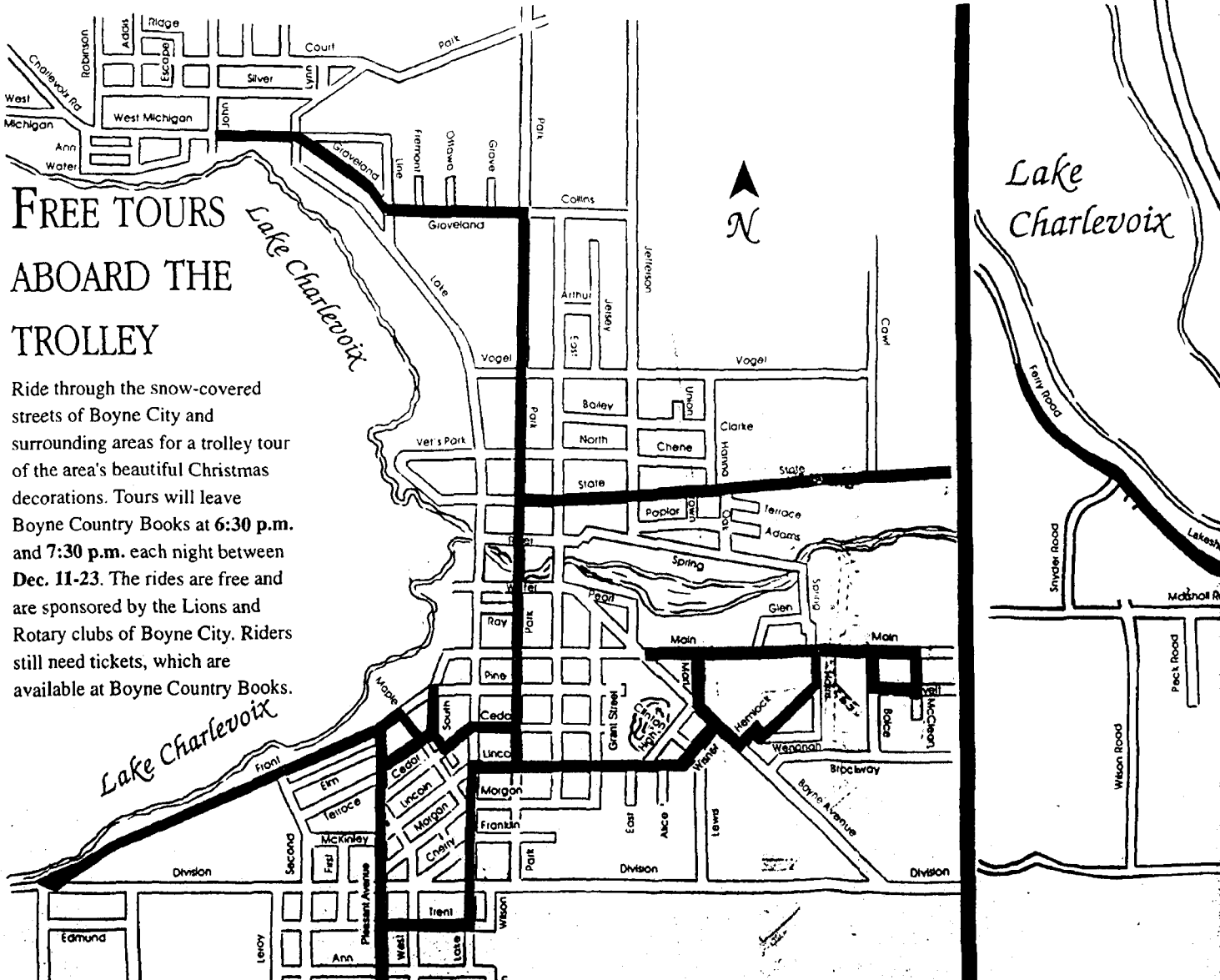


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**STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**

**Boyne City**

**NAME:** Nicole Kurtz  
**PARENTS:** Bill and Delette Kurtz  
**GRADE:** Junior  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** Varsity basketball team, track team, and SADD  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** "I enjoy skiing, shopping, and spending time with family and friends."  
**FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS:** "I plan to pursue a teaching career after high school. I have not yet decided on which college to attend. I am looking at Central Michigan, Grand Valley, Saginaw Valley, or Lake State."  
**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "Nicole is a pleasure to have in class," said Mrs. Ruhs. "She is a self-motivated student, has a positive attitude and strives for excellence."  
 "I have always enjoyed having Nicole in class," said Mr. Klooster. "Whether it be English or gym, she is always in a good mood, ready to work, and fun to be around. She is an asset to our school and community."  
 "Nicole was an outstanding athlete on our varsity basketball team this year," said Mr. Neidhamer. "Nicole, who was co-captain, led the team in steals, was second in scoring, and third in rebounding. But more important than statistics was Nicole's ability to lead by example with her work ethic, competitiveness and her desire to win. It was a pleasure to coach Nicole."



Nicole Kurtz

**NAME:** Aubrey Fry  
**PARENTS:** Bill and Linda Fry  
**GRADE:** Sophomore  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** "I play volleyball and basketball."  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** "My hobbies are sailing, swimming, and hanging out with my friends and family. I love playing volleyball all year round."  
**FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS:** "I plan to get a degree in design. Hopefully I can attend Michigan State University."  
**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "Aubrey is doing well in Biology," said Mrs. Hemming. "She is a conscientious student who is self-motivated, organized and works well with others. I have to commend Aubrey on her cell project - it was unique and she did a great job on it. Congratulations Aubrey!"  
 "Besides being a yo-yo champ and a great dancer, Aubrey is a terrific art student and a really nice person to get to know," said Mr. Ewald.  
 "Aubrey is an excellent student in Advanced Algebra," said Mr. Parsons. "She works hard and is always willing to help others. I certainly enjoy having her in class. Way to go Aubrey!"  
 "Aubrey is doing a great job in drafting class," said Mr. Neidhamer. "Her work is of the highest quality and her work ethic is outstanding. Nice job Aubrey!"



Aubrey Fry

**East Jordan**

**NAME:** Tabatha Peters  
**PARENTS:** Ruth and Allan Joseph  
**GRADE:** Senior  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** SADD, National Honor Society  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** 4-H, horse-back riding, reading  
**FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS:** attend Davenport College to receive a bachelor's degree in marketing and management  
**FAVORITE CLASS:** "MST - it is very challenging and different from the rest of my classes."  
**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "Tabatha is determined to do her best all the time," said Bill Aten.  
 "Tabatha is very hardworking and always strives to do her best," said Patti Anthony.  
 "Great worker!" said Bob Panoff.  
 "Tabatha is always very pleasant," said Brad Jones.  
 "Tabatha is a hard worker," said Lisa Treinen. "She is conscientious and dependable."  
 "Tabatha is a wonderful student," said Matt Inman. "She is polite and extremely hardworking."  
 "Tabatha always does her best," said Alice McPherson. "She is a hard worker. She is very good-natured."



Tabatha Peters

**Boyne Falls**

**NAME:** Chad Matelski  
**PARENTS:** Debbie and Randy Matelski  
**GRADE:** Junior  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** basketball, baseball, junior high assistant coach, 4-6 basketball coach  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** basketball, hanging out with friends  
**FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS:** automotive tech school, go to Ferris or Traverse City.  
**NAME:** Nathan Dzwik  
**PARENTS:** Al and Sue Dzwik  
**GRADE:** Junior  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** basketball, baseball, junior high assistant coach, 4-6 basketball coach, student council.  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** sports, computers, youth group  
**FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS:** be a high school teacher, go to Central or Lake State.



Chad Matelski



Nathan Dzwik

**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "I have had the pleasure of having Chad and Nathan as my Student Assistant Coaches for junior high and grade school basketball for the last two years," said Mr. Beyer. "These students have been positive role models for the younger athletes and are developing into excellent leaders and teachers. Chad and Nate took on their greatest challenge as I named them as co-coaches for the last game of the junior high season. Both did a great job even though they suffered their first coaching loss. The team did improve from the first meeting."  
 "Chad and Nathan will again be giving up their Saturday mornings to help with our 4th-6th grade basketball program this winter. Nathan has kept 'book' for away games for both the boys and girls junior high teams for the last three seasons. Both individuals are a credit to themselves, their families and to Boyne Falls Public School."

**NEIGHBORS**

By NANCY NORTHUP

**KERRY HARVEY** of Boyne City and John Tapper of PawPaw were married before family and friends in Kalamazoo on Nov. 28. Kerry is the daughter of Carol Harvey of Detroit and the late Russell Harvey. The ceremony and reception was held at the Rose Street Market and Hall. Of the 170 guests attending, a "special thanks for being there" goes out to good friends Heather Heckman, Susan Fetting, and Jim and Jill Feagen of Boyne City. The newlyweds are living in PawPaw, where they have opened their own business, Sporting Image, where they do screen printing, embroidery, and signs.

**FRANK ABBETT** and daughter, Marilyn Rader, have returned to Boyne City from spending the Thanksgiving holiday in Indiana.

**UNBELIEVABLE FOR** this time of year was the sight of a Boyne City homeowner out mowing his lawn on Friday, Dec. 4.

**THERE WAS A** good turnout on Saturday night for the annual Christmas dinner party and dance hosted by Boyne City's LexaMar Corporation, which was held at Petoskey's K of C Hall.

**KEVIN AND MICHELLE POTTER**

and children Sarah and Andrew have returned to Grand Rapids after having spent the Thanksgiving weekend in Boyne City with her parents, Sandra Newville, Doug and Joyce Newville, and other relatives.

**GLEN'S OF EAST JORDAN** employees enjoyed their Christmas dinner and dance party at Ansted's By The Lake on Sunday night.

**BILL AND DEB KORTHASE** of Boyne City hosted an early Lindsay family Christmas dinner party on Sunday. Among those attending were Norma Lindsay of Florida, Jeff and Karen Lindsay and children, Brenda and Scott Hogema and son, all of Grand Rapids, Michelle, Melissa, and Melanie Hubbell, Jamie and Chris Lindsay and daughter Emily, Adam Hubble, and Adria Korthase of Ann Arbor. The occasion also was in celebration of Norma's birthday, as she will be returning to Florida.

**BILL TYRON SR.** of Litzenburger Place is recuperating at Havencrest in East Jordan.

**"LOOKIN' GOOD"** is Mary Hutchinson, who returned home on Friday, after therapy at Boulder Park Terrace in Charlevoix.

**SANDY NEWVILLE** has returned from

spending the week at the home of her son and his wife, Todd and Karen Newville of Shrewsbury, Mass. While there, she became acquainted with her new (beautiful) granddaughter, Katherine Joanne (known as Katie already) who was born on Nov. 17, the second child of Todd and Karen. She weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces. She has a brother, Christopher, who will be 3 in February. Grandparents are Sandra Newville and Douglas Newville, both of Boyne City and Frank and Joanne Chuzas of Manchester, N.H. Great-grandmothers are Ruth Yahr and Evelyn Newville, both of Boyne City.

**ADELL HIBBARD** of Boyne City spent the Thanksgiving holiday week in Big Rapids with her daughter, Nancy Rennick and family. They were joined by son, Paul and Joyce Hibbard and grandson of Millington and many other relatives. Before returning, Adell also visited her sister-in-law, Louise Ollila in Grand Rapids.

**CHRISTIE REED** has returned to her studies in Wheaton, Ill., after having spent the week in Walloon Lake with her grandmother, Dawn Tillotson. On Friday, Dawn and her daughter, Georgia Stephenson, went to the Soo to visit another daughter and sister, Ann Merchant.

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

**Band's citrus arrives this week**

The Boyne City Rambler band citrus sale orders can be picked up on Thursday, Dec. 10, beginning at 5 p.m. in the Boyne City High School band room.

Volunteers will also be at the school to distribute the fruit during

and after the middle school band Christmas concert.

Those picking up fruit are asked to try to bring the correct cash amount or a check made out to the Boyne City School Band.

**Episcopal church hosts cookie walk**

The ninth annual Christmas Cookie Walk at the Boyne City Nativity Episcopal Church is Saturday, Dec. 12, from 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

More than 1,000 decorated cookies will be available in the main church, and free coffee will be served

in the basement.

Proceeds from the cookie walk will help pay for the church's new ramp. The church is located next to the Boyne City Library on Main Street.

**Students present Christmas program**

Will there be a slimmed-down Santa this holiday season?

To find out you will have to attend Boyne City Elementary School's Christmas play on Dec. 18

when they present "Shapin' Up Santa."

Performances are at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

**CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS**

**American Legion Auxiliary**

The regular meeting of the American Auxiliary was held after a joint potluck supper with the Legion. At the dinner a guest speaker gave the Legion information relative to forming a youth baseball team. After discussion a motion was made and approved that the Auxiliary donate two Spinoza Bears with accompanying tapes to the Buddy Bear Project which can be sent to any hospital to assist in the Children's Hospice program. It was also decided to donate \$100 for the Community Christmas Baskets this year. Gifts valued at \$567 were mailed to the Jacobetti Veteran's home in Marquette. This included Christmas gifts for both men and women.

Two rolls of quarters were donated to Grandvue to be used as prizes for their bingo games.

A donation of \$200 was sent to the Legion Villa (a veteran adult care center in Battle Creek). Also, \$100 was sent to support the Department President's Program for assistance to homeless veterans.

Two Auxiliary members, Marie Zoberkski and Ruth Ann Knysz have volunteered to be bell ringers for the Salvation Army this year.

The joint Christmas Party of the Legion and Auxiliary members will be held on Dec. 27 at the Legion Hall at 5 p.m. If you wish to exchange gifts, bring a \$5 exchange gift. Also bring some snack food and a couple of small wrapped items to use as prizes. Bingo will be played. The next meeting of the Legion

and Auxiliary will be held on Jan. 7, 1999.

**American Legion**

Speakers following the potluck dinner of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary on Dec. 4 were Ted Karaszewski and Terry Elzinga who proposed organizing an American Legion baseball team in the area.

Legionnaires voted to sponsor the team and plans will be made to begin recruiting players for the team with Karaszewski and Elzinga responsible for the program.

The members of the Post were encouraged to attend the district meeting of the American Legion to be held at the East Jordan Post on Sunday, Dec. 13.

A letter of appreciation for attending the Veteran's Day open house at the Post from Boyne Falls School teacher, Doug Tippett, was read. Included with his letter were "reflections," written by several students following their visit, all of which made a profound impression on the veterans.

**Boyne City Masons**

Boyne City Lodge No. 391 F. & A.M. will hold an open installation of officers for the 1999 Masonic Year at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11, 1998 in the Masonic Hall, 212 N. Lake St.

The officers scheduled to be installed are: Gene A. Farley, Worshipful Master; Daniel J. Rehkoph Chingwa, Senior Warden; Henry R. Erber, Junior Warden; Lyle W. Ross, Treasurer; John C. Talboys, Secretary; Frederick N. Welch, Senior Deacon; Robert Freed, Junior Deacon; Willard J. Chipman, Senior

**COLLEGE NEWS**

**MARK PENZIEN** of East Jordan is a cast member in the Alma College theatre production of "Hot Line" by Elaine May. The play examines how suicide affects more than just the person who dies and is one of three, one-act plays chosen to develop skills in directing. It will be presented Dec. 11-13 in the college's Heritage Center Theatre.

**BEVERLY LUCAS** of East Jordan was part of the running crew for the five sold-out performances of Alma's first, full-length production of "The Nutcracker" on Nov. 19-22, presented by the Alma College Dance Company and the Alma Symphony Orchestra.

**MATTHEW J. DAVIS** of Boyne City made the Dean's List for the first semester at Michigan Tech. Matthew is a freshman majoring in

chemical engineering. Matthew's mother is Ellen J. Davis, and his grandparents are Warren and Clara Davis, all of Boyne City.

**Boyne City School Boosters 300 Club Drawing**

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**Air Force Airman ANDREA L. DERENZY** has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and customs and received special training in human

relations. Derenzy is the daughter of Daniel L. Derenzy of Boyne City. Her mother, Kim Norton, and stepfather, Eugene Norton, reside in East Jordan. She graduated from East Jordan High School in 1998.

**BUSINESS**

**Oral surgeons open office in EJ**

Oral surgeons, Drs. William Jerome and James Osetek, have opened Northern Michigan Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery in East Jordan at 306 Main St. in the former offices of dentist John Kempton.

The surgeons will offer extractions including wisdom teeth removal, biopsy services, maxillofacial trauma repair, dental implants, surgeries in preparation for dentures, consultation appointments, and also offer sedation for patients.

Headquartered in Petoskey, and with another office in Cheboygan, the East Jordan site will more readily serve a growing patient base in and around the city.

The doctors have been in practice together in Petoskey since 1989, and are members of the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. They are also on staff at Charlevoix Area Hospital, Northern Michigan Hospital and Community Memorial in Cheboygan.

The practice participates with Delta Dental of Michigan, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan, Medicare and Medicaid and also bills insurances on its patients' behalf. Referrals for appointments are not necessary.

The East Jordan office is open on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. For appointments, call 536-2040 or 347-1601.

**Investment rep joins Korthase**

Nancy Weber joined the investment department at the Korthase Insurance Agency, Inc. in Boyne City as an investment representative on Nov. 16.

"I like the idea of coming back to the small, privately owned and operated type business, Weber said. "The atmosphere is great and the people are wonderful."

Weber has worked for the past 22 years in banking, most recently as a team leader for the investment department at Huntington Bank.

**Charlevoix choir presents cantata**

A community choir of more than 50 voices will present a Christmas cantata entitled, "Mary Did You Know," at Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix.

Performances are Saturday, Dec. 12, at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 13, at 6 p.m.

The cantata will feature soloists Patrick Price and Beth Teuscher with narration by Garry Miller.

The choir is directed by Cindy Mansen.

Grand Rapids performer Lara Bremer will present liturgical dance throughout the cantata.

The presentation is free and open to the public, however, a free-will offering will be taken.

The church is located at the corner of Oak and Meech streets in Charlevoix.

**Charlevoix Hospital selling Christmas card designed by Norwood watercolor artist**

Botanical watercolor artist Marion Shea-Light of Norwood designed the Charlevoix Area Hospital annual Christmas greeting card this year. The cards feature two large, red poinsettias.

Shea-Light is best known for her natural subjects. The cards are available with or without an inside mes-

sage that reads: "Wishing you happy and healthy times with those you hold dear."

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**SPORTS**

# Ramblers' challenge is to play as a team

Compared to recent years, the Boyne City varsity basketball team has gone from being the hunted to being the hunter.

In the past three years, the Ramblers have won three district titles, two conference titles and played in three regional championship games.

This season, expectations are still high, but with an inexperienced team, coach Kevin Fitzpatrick is unsure what to expect.

"We have a good blend of seniors and juniors, but not much experience," said Fitzpatrick who is beginning his fifth season as head coach.

"We have enough athletic ability and individual skill to be competi-

ve. Our biggest challenge is to learn to play as a team and to function as one unit."

Fitzpatrick started his varsity coaching career when Jason Rozycki was a freshman and Tuesday night's game was his first without him.

Rozycki, who finished his career as the Ramblers' all-time leading scorer, plays for Oakland University, which is making the jump this season to Division I. He's averaging 18-20 minutes per game.

Although not starters last year, seniors Josh Hall and Jeremy Peck did see a lot of playing time. Fitzpatrick will be counting on them and three other seniors, Tim Bouters, Jeremy Grice and Mike Sero, to provide leadership.

The junior group, Fitzpatrick said, is led by Noah Stanek who joined the varsity late last year and saw playing time during the tournament.

"Both groups (seniors and juniors) have had success at the freshman or junior varsity level," Fitzpatrick said. "They know what it takes to win."

While lacking experience, the Ramblers do have depth. "We can play nine or 10 kids on any given night," Fitzpatrick said. "We do not have a defined top five or six players. There is a lot of opportunity for the kids who want to step up."

Looking at the league race, Fitzpatrick said Charlevoix and Elk Rapids look strong. Elk Rapids has all its starters back from last season, but its coach resigned last Thursday so it's not known what impact that may have.

And Fitzpatrick isn't ruling out his team's chances. "If we can pull it all together, upset some teams, we have a chance at the league crown."

Tom Neidhamer returns as a varsity assistant this season along with Jim Brown who graduated from Boyne City in 1995.

The Ramblers opened Tuesday at home against Rogers City. They play Friday at Mancelona, host Lake City Saturday and Petoskey on Tuesday.

# Boyne midget hockey team faces some tough competition in early going

The Boyne Area Hockey Association's Midget hockey team, sponsored by B.C. Pizza, has started its season.

This is the first year that Boyne City has had a Midget level team, and the goal for this team is to improve

its performance as it gains experience throughout the year.

Play started on Nov. 28 with two games against Ludington. In the first game, Boyne City lost 2-1, and in game two they were defeated 6-0.

Boyne's only goal was scored by Ben VanDam with Sven Pearsall getting the assist. On Dec. 5, Boyne traveled to Traverse City for games against two different TC teams.

The more experienced and practiced Traverse City teams handed B.C. Pizza two losses, 13-0 and 13-

1. The only goal by B.C. Pizza was by Pearsall, with assists by Van Dam and Neil Howie.

Considering the limited practice time that B.C. Pizza has had, the coaches are pleased with the effort, and are looking forward to a rematch.

# PUBLIC NOTICES

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**Mortgage Sale - Default** has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Catherine B. Doncoes, a single woman (original mortgagor) to Old Kent Bank, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 27, 1996, and recorded on February 6, 1996 in Liber 295, on Page 0553, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Old Kent Mortgage Company, as assignee by an assignment dated January 27, 1996, which was recorded on February 6, 1996, in Liber 295, on Page 0559, Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty-Six Thousand One Hundred Fifty-One and 86/100 dollars (\$46,151.86), including interest at 7.375% 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 a.m., on January 22, 1999.

Said premises are situated in Township of Melrose, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF EAST JORDAN COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

ON THE FORMATION OF A BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND DESIGNATION OF THE BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT ZONE

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN:

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the City Commission of the City of East Jordan, County of Charlevoix, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1999, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Commission Chamber of City Hall, 201 Main Street, East Jordan, Michigan, to consider the adoption of a resolution establishing a Brownfield Redevelopment Authority for the City of East Jordan and designating the boundaries of a Brownfield Redevelopment Zone, pursuant to Act 381, Public Acts of Michigan, 1996.

### PROPOSED BOUNDARIES OF THE BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT ZONE

The boundaries of the proposed Brownfield Redevelopment Zone within which the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority shall exercise its powers are as follows:

The corporate boundaries of the City of East Jordan, Michigan and the lands annexed by P.A. 425, of the Public Acts of 1984, being MCLA 1124.21 et. seq. (Air Industrial Park)

The City of East Jordan may not incorporate land into the zone not included in the description above, but it may eliminate described lands from the zone in the final determination of the boundaries without additional notice.

At the public hearing, all citizens, taxpayers, officials from a taxing jurisdiction whose millage may be subject to capture under a Brownfield Plan in the proposed zone, and property owners of the City of East Jordan desiring to address the City Commission shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard in regard to the establishment of the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority and the boundaries of the proposed Brownfield Redevelopment Zone.

**FURTHER INFORMATION** may be obtained from the City Clerk at (616) 536-3381, 201 Main Street, East Jordan.

This notice is given by order of the City Commission of the City of East Jordan, Michigan.

Kathy O'Rear  
City Clerk

**WILSON TOWNSHIP  
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY**

The Calendar of Meetings for Wilson Township has been revised due to the incorrect listing of the December Board of Review Meeting.

**REVISED WILSON TOWNSHIP 1998+ CALENDAR**

Tues., Dec. 8, 1998	Township Board Meeting	7 p.m.
Tues., Dec. 15, 1998	Board of Review Meeting	5 p.m.
Weds., Dec. 16, 1998	Zoning Board of Appeals	7 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 5, 1999	Planning Commission Meeting	7 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 12, 1999	Township Board Meeting	7 p.m.

WILSON TOWNSHIP CLERK

**CITY OF EAST JORDAN  
REQUEST FOR BIDS**

THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN WILL RECEIVE SEALED BIDS FOR SOLID WASTE HAULING:

A. Materials Collected at City Transfer Station

- Hauling and disposal of approximately 450 cubic yards monthly of compacted solid waste collected at the city transfer station (Nichols Street).
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- Hauling and recycling of approximately 35 cubic yards monthly of corrugated cardboard collected at the city transfer station.
- Hauling and recycling of approximately 30 cubic yards monthly of appliance and other bulky metals collected at the city transfer station.

B. & C. Hauling and disposal of approximately 130 cubic yards monthly of solid waste in dumpsters provided by the hauler at various city owned parks and buildings.

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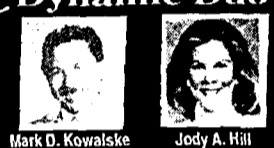
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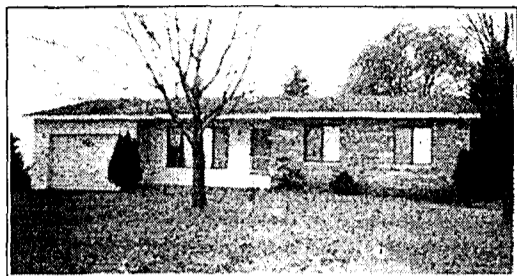
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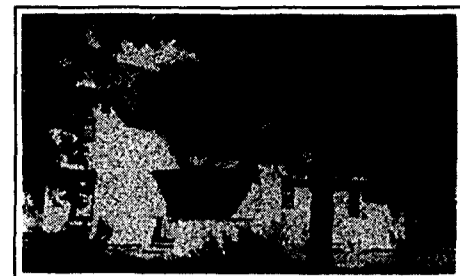


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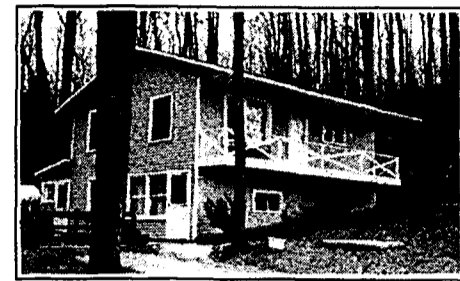
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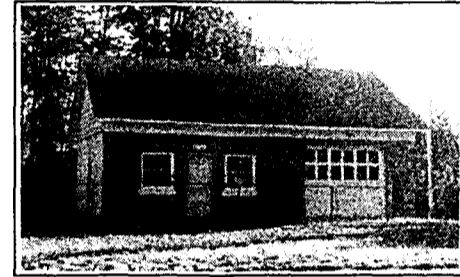
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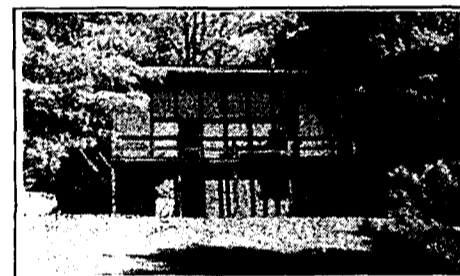
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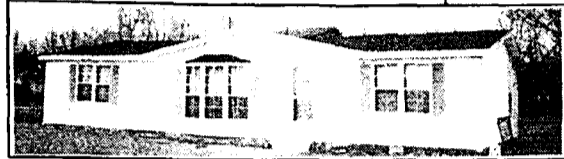


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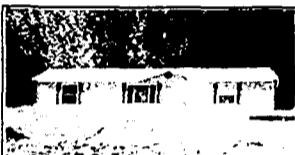
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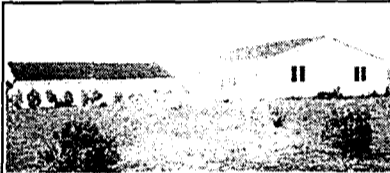
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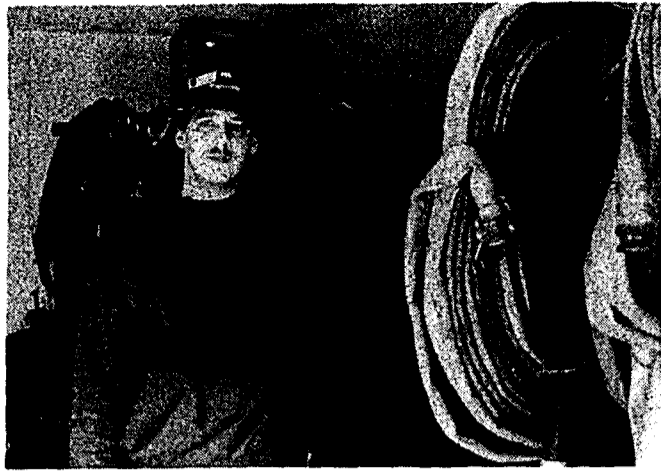
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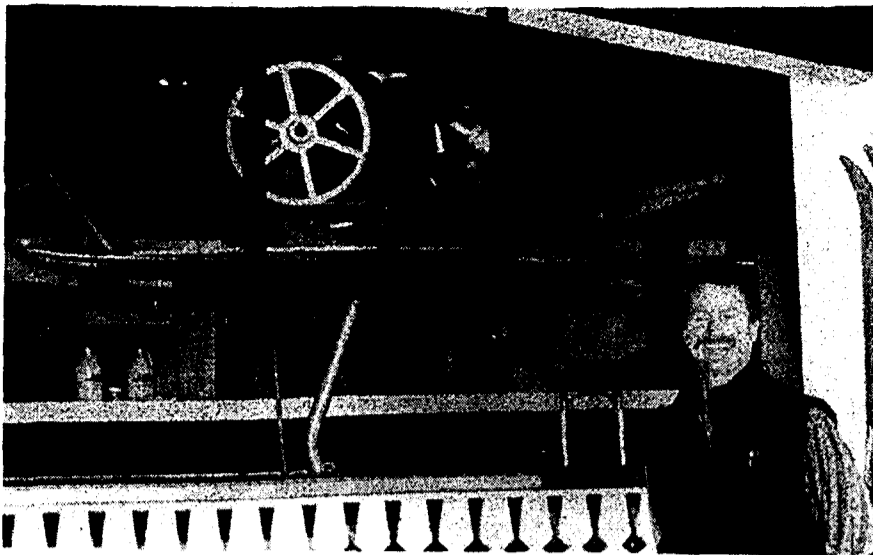
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Although the hoses for the snowguns stand idle during the mild weather, Snowmaking Supervisor Mike Smith still has plenty of other tasks to keep him busy.



Eagle's Nest Manager, Paul "Arnie" Wooten, spruced up the mountain-top restaurant with this latest decoration of the first tow-rope that Boyne founder Everett Kircher made.

## Boyne

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work with the help of local contractors, leaving as many full-grown trees around the lots as possible. "We want to make it look like they've always been here," Grice pointed out, even though it makes construction more inconvenient.

The second phase of the condos is yet to be determined.

Projects are being planned one, two and more years out. "It's a bunch of people together dreaming," Grice said. A new slope? "We go out on a hill. Walk the hill and see what nature has given you." From there, he said matter-of-factly, it's bulldozing, planting grass and you've got a slope.

A crew is also working to complete the new Disciples II chair lift, which will give access to nine new intermediate runs at Disciples Ridge. A truck is on its way from Spokane, Wash., with the rest of the parts.

Getting a late start on the project in July, the 28-tower lift — hauled to its site via helicopter this fall — is now just a few weeks away from completion. "I don't care what the job is, you always finish it on Christmas Eve," Grice said. "The guys up there working on it have done a wonderful job getting it ready."

The resort's service values include leading by example and being a mentor or role model. "And that's what that core of people do," Grice said. "Some of those people who have been here years and years have been a mentor and role model to me."

"Without those people we'd be absolutely nothing," Grice said. "It's those core people that I respect so much."

And ski slopes throughout the resort attest to the value of many former Boyne associates who had a significant role at the resort, or of prominent people in the area like Hemingway. Disciples Ridge slopes carry the

monikers of former area managers. One was named after Grice who said good-naturedly, "I thought, what's he trying to say — they're all former people." Grice chose the "best and longest" slope for his own namesake.

Snowmaking supervisor Mike Smith is one of that core group. He's worked at the mountain for 16 years.

"He's the go-to guy," Grice said. "The one to call whenever you need anything."

"It's a good environment to work in," Smith said. And it helps that he likes snowmaking. But when it's too warm for that, there's golf course work, irrigation, and even building flower gardens. Whatever needs to be done.

"It's so nice to have people who can do a little of everything," Grice said. "Mike's one of those people who can do just about everything."

Austrian ski instructors Rupert Winkler and Helga Burgsteiner have commuted across the ocean to Boyne for the last 15 winters to teach skiing. They, along with instructor Todd Crawford, traded in their skis and snowboards for paint brushes last week to brighten up an outbuilding while they wait for snow.

Winkler taught Grice how to snowboard last year at the age of 40. "In my mind I was a perfect snowboarder," Grice said. "In reality, coming down Boyneland, it felt like I was coming down Super Bowl."

Always something new to learn. "There's something going on in every little spot," Grice said. Roofers are working on a condominium. A tow rope for the new half pipe was recently installed. Rooms are being remodeled and cleaned.

There's some sprucing up going on at the Eagles Nest too. The fireplace was being swept out. The vacuum was going and



Ski-school instructors Helga Burgsteiner, Todd Crawford, center, and Rupert Winkler put their artistic skills to use painting an out-building while they wait for snow and students to arrive.

windows were washed. Manager Paul "Arnie" Wooten, who lives out East the rest of the year, will spend his 18th winter here at the restaurant.

Antique ski gear adorns the walls and this year Wooten has displayed Boyne founder Everett Kircher's first tow rope made of a Briggs and Stratton motor, a 1/2 inch rope and a toboggan.

In his office, Kircher recalls when he made and first used the 1,000 foot tow-rope on a hill on a golf course in Detroit, before the resort was ever opened. He hooked the contraption up to his car, eventually using the sealed beam headlights to make the first night-time skiing.

They had a heck of a time getting it started, he said, and then the rope would break. "We'd have to splice it," he explained.

It should have a plaque, Kircher tells Grice. Making a mental note, Grice will be sure

the project gets done. Then they discuss the thickness of board for a project to reinforce the riverbank.

"Everett Kircher has given me an education of a lifetime in the past several years. That's something you couldn't pay for — the education I've gotten," Grice said. "Sometimes the education's been painful, but still was an education. I guess lessons sometimes are like that."

"He's an amazing man," Grice said. "This kind of business gets in your blood," Grice said. "I'm fortunate that I work with a bunch of people who enjoy what they do. It's something that you wonder why in the hell they want to pay you for it."

"I've been lucky in the respect that I've been able to find something to do that really isn't a job. I think that if a person can find that — where he or she makes a living doing

something they really enjoy — they are a success then, no matter what the job is. I've been lucky and I work for a lot of great people."

But when all is said and done, in the end, a ski resort needs snow.

"Give me three cold days and we'll be open," Grice said. When the temperature drops to 28 degrees, they can convert 5,000 gallons of water every minute into snow. The depth of the snow depends on the temperature and humidity. He knows precisely how the snow guns work, and can recite in detail the process that turns a drop of water into a particle of snow. And that process is ideal he said, "then you don't have to plow the parking lot."

"You fight the things you can fight and accept the things you can't," Grice said. "I don't know a way yet to change Mother Nature."

## Parks

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tained areas in the parks will also contribute to restoring the natural aesthetics and provide more natural habitat. And the relocation of memorial trees will provide the basis for individual picnic areas.

The study also proposes relocating the bird feeding area across Mill Street to the public boat launch.

City administrator David White said that commissioners will take this suggestion under review even before a final adoption of the study, to possibly relocate that feeding site sooner.

The study also suggests erecting signage throughout the park system to educate users on biological and water quality concerns and to establish linkage between the parks. Signs

could include park maps and trails, historical information, and instructions and explanations for not feeding the birds.

Since the parks sit adjacent to Lake Charlevoix, interpretive walkways and platforms will provide wildlife observation opportunities and views of the entire mouth of the Jordan River Watershed at Sportsman's Park, giving users more opportunity to actually be in a natural area while they use the park.

The existing boat ramp, already well-used, will be widened to two bays with a center pier, and the fish habitats will also be improved along the dock.

Parking areas in Murphy Park will be defined in separate areas for increased safety and efficiency. The

new basketball and proposed tennis courts will be located between the two existing ballfields, with spectator parking located along the outfield.

A centrally located restroom/concession building will also contain a meeting room for leagues, and berms and shade will be added as buffers to the western edge of the park.

Improvements to Tourist Park include maintaining and upgrading the public use area along the shoreline and adding a perimeter path for campers and the public which also adds access along the shoreline of Lake Charlevoix. This path connects to other paths at Murphy, linking the entire park system and downtown.

The existing volleyball court will be relocated farther south along

the beach and replaced with a youth play area with updated play equipment and safety surfacing for youth. The tot-lot will also be relocated next to the youth playground.

The beach-house will be completely removed and replaced with an open-air structure, providing shade and opening up a view of the lake from the campsites.

The campsite facility itself will have utilities extended to complete modern utility service to the remaining sites at the east end of the park, with living quarters for the park manager added on to the existing office for increased efficiency.

Pedestrian linkage between the park facilities will use existing sidewalks that run along the north side of M-32 and Water Street. Desig-

nated crossings with marked crosswalks and signage will provide safe pedestrian crossing both inside and between the parks.

The need for the study was identified within the city's 1995 Five Year Community Recreation Plan. A capital improvement schedule within the study estimates the makeover cost at \$1.47 million. If adopted as a master plan, the city's next step will be to investigate sources of grant funding to cover construction costs, and volunteer help would also be sought to assist in certain areas.

Commissioners are expected to act on the study at their December meeting or their first meeting in January.

Copies of the report are available for review at city hall.

## Boyne airport resurfacing wins an award

H & D, Inc. of Petoskey received an "Award of Merit" from the Michigan Asphalt Paving Association and the Michigan Department of Transportation for the reconstruction of the Boyne City Airport runway.

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## East Jordan accepting nominees for Citizen of the Year award

Nominations are now being accepted for the East Jordan Citizen of the Year award.

Anybody is invited to cast a vote for the individual they believe exhibits outstanding community and civic involvement in East Jordan.

The deadline for entries is Dec. 23. Nominations will be reviewed and chosen by a committee of community representatives and announced at the chamber's annual meeting and auction on Jan. 23. Location and time will be announced at a later date.

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## Work will soon begin on clearing new Rotary fields

A \$10,000 contract to remove stumps and provide rough grading for soccer and baseball fields at Rotary Park has been awarded to Tim Moyer, and work at the park should get underway this week.

The money the city received from logging the area is being used to pay for most of the contract, with the 4-H youth soccer and little league groups contributing \$750 each to cover the balance.

"The city is allowing both organizations to use the area and agreed that whatever revenues it received from logging would be put back into clearing and grubbing, and those organizations would take it from there," Jason said.

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