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Jordan Valley Library board has 2 openings

The East Jordan Board of Education is accepting applications from residents of the East Jordan School District who have an interest in serving on the Jordan Valley District Library Board.

Two vacancies, each with a four-year term, are subject to appointment.

Those interested can pick up an application form at the main desk of the Jordan Valley District Library. The deadline for application is Wednesday, May 17.

Concord honors founders

Concord Academy Boyne will be dedicating its new wing on Saturday, May 13, from 10 a.m. to noon.

Concord will honor the founders of the school with a presentation including naming the new performance room after founder Greg Matteson.

Included in the presentation will be an interpretive dance of the school's creed, a musical video of its history with music provided by the jazz band, and an all-school art show.

The public is welcome to tour the school and celebrate with Concord's staff, students and parents.

For more information call 582-0194.

Food servers changing roles for fund raiser

If you stop in at Big Boy in Boyne City for dinner on Wednesday, May 17, you may find some familiar faces waiting tables.

As a fund-raiser for Camp Quality Michigan, the restaurant is sponsoring a Celebrity Waiter Dinner from 5-8 p.m., with local folks like Mayor Eleanor Stackus, police chief Randy Howard, and city manager Eric Strahl, among others, taking on serving duties.

Ten percent of the meal cost, waitpersons tips, and proceeds from a pie auction will go to the children of Camp Quality.

For more information, call 582-(2471)

Food drive is Saturday

Boyer City postal carriers will be participating in the eighth annual National Association of Letter Carriers National Food Drive on Saturday, May 13.

Residents should place a box or can of non-perishable food next to their mailbox before their letter carrier delivers mail on Saturday, May 13.

In 1999, the national drive resulted in 58.4 million pounds of food being collected.



Pipe organ technician Roscoe Wheeler, pictured above in the back chamber of the pipe organ at Boyne City's United Methodist Church, along with his wife Carolyn, removed all 869 pipes of the organ and cleaned each one individually.

Fine tuning

Historic organ receives long overdue cleaning

The pipe organ at the Boyne City United Methodist Church recently received a little tender loving care, in the form of a much-needed cleaning by pipe organ technician Roscoe Wheeler and his wife Carolyn, of Curran, Mich.

The cleaning took about two weeks to complete, requiring the removal of all 869 pipes, which were then carried to the basement to be individually washed and repaired.

According to church secretary Sue Hocquard, it seems that it'd been a while since the organ was

last cleaned; the pipes were discovered to be covered with coal soot from the days when the church was heated with coal.

The organ is known as an Opus No. 1518, constructed by the M.P. Moller Company of Hagerstown, Md. Built and installed in 1913, it is still in its original state as a tubular pneumatic pipe organ. According to Wheeler, the organ may be the oldest working organ of its kind in the area still in use, with an estimated value of at least \$210,000.

EJ athlete on the mend

He's recovering after getting hit with shot put at school track meet

East Jordan High School junior Chris Mills was released from the hospital last Thursday after being hit in the head with a shot (12 pound steel ball) last week at a track meet.

The incident occurred on Monday, May 1, at the Heidi Steiner Memorial Invitational at Bellaire High School.

"He is home from the hospital, but has not come back to school yet," said East Jordan High School athletic

director Steve Hines. Mills was scheduled to see his doctor early this week to receive clearance to return to school.

The school is waiting on the official report from the host school to release details about the incident, but according to Hines, Mills suffered a concussion and whiplash, and received stitches.

"He seems to be doing well under the circumstances," Hines said.

The art of glass

Artists opening studio, store

By ANGELA SHULTIS

With the soothing sounds of a trickling waterfall and the low roar of the glass furnace, Jordan Valley Glassworks is a studio for the senses. Make no mistake about it though — the focus here is the art of glass.

The studio/retail store is the latest project for glass artisans Jay Bavers and Glenna Haney, along with Jay's son Bill Bavers. Located at 209 State St. in East Jordan, the shop will feature glass creations of all types, from lamps to bowls to decorative pieces and more, utilizing blown glass, molded glass, and cast glass, to name a few.

Though still in the process of putting the finishing touches on the shop, Glenna and Jay hope to be open for business Memorial Day weekend.

"We wanted to be open to the public," Jay said of their reason for opening a retail space now. Previously, Jay and Glenna have worked privately, on commissions and creating work to be sold in shops primarily in Traverse City and Petoskey. The two have had clients from all over the country, in places like Chicago and Cincinnati, and all over the world, including Italy, China, and Japan.

But they haven't had a lot of local customers, something they hope to change by opening a local store, with items in an affordable price range. One feature they hope will attract clientele is the unique

opportunity to actually see pieces being created on location, which, Glenna points out, is something you don't have with most gift or souvenir shops. Also, there's the possibility of offering classes or workshops in the future. Teaching is an especially satisfying aspect of



Jay Bavers, shown here checking hot glass from the furnace, will open a glass studio in East Jordan along with partner Glenna Haney.

the business, Glenna said, in that it's fun to teach people that "nothing has to come in kits. You can take a sheet of glass and turn it into something beautiful. And we don't have to make it for them."

Goals for the business are two fold, said Jay. First, "to provide interesting and unique art at a reasonable price for local people," and second, to create some "really unique art that will express

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Spring cleaning

More than 60 people showed up to lend a hand to Boyne City's annual spring cleaning effort, Buff Up Boyne, on Saturday. With the weather on their side, participants picked up trash on areas such as the Lake Charlevoix shoreline, the Boyne River, the bike path, and local parks, streets, and alleys. At Peninsula Beach, members of St. Matthew's youth group, along with some adult help, cleared the swimming area of debris, including many pieces of old wood pilings. Pictured with a large piece are Beth Karkosak, left, and Jessica White.

Prior to Saturday's event, area students had participated in extensive cleanup efforts along the Boyne River and the lakeshore extending from Peninsula Beach to the mouth of the Boyne River. Students had also worked to remove trash from Avalanche Preserve.



BETWEEN the LINES

In one week, life can give you quite a ride

By ANGELA SHULTIS

Have you ever had a week when life throws all kinds of little milestones at you? After months or longer of nothing much happening, suddenly life's passages are right in front of you.

In the course of last week, my husband's aunt passed away, and my nephew was born. We signed up our oldest child for kindergarten, and attended my sister-in-law's graduation from college. We attended the baptism of a friend's newborn daughter, and, on the same day, two of our older nephews were also baptized. And on a smaller, though still eye-opening scale, our beloved babysitter stopped by, decked to the nines, on the way to her first prom.

Perhaps if only one or two of these things had happened in the course of a week, I might not have even given them a second thought, beyond the occasions that they were. But with so many precious, life-changing events occurring in such a short span of time, I began to think about how our lives are punctuated with these "milestones." It is by these occasions that we, to a great degree, measure our lives. Whether they call for mourning or celebration, these are the moments, the frozen spaces in time, that will provide the anchors for how we remember this particular piece of our life.

And it's interesting, the range of emotions we humans are capable of, and may be subjected to, in the course of a few short days. The first event was the sudden passing of my husband's aunt, who was especially dear to him, and whom we hadn't seen in quite a while. Needless to say, it was a sad start to the week.

Then there was, a couple of days later, the birth of my brother and sister-in-law's third child, a bouncing baby boy - the news of which, though I knew it would be coming at any time, took me unexpectedly to the peak of joy and excitement.

The next day, we took my daughter to Kindergarten Round-Up, an event filled with mixed emotions, starting with nervousness and uncertainty, and a short two hours later, ending with excitement and visions of the possibilities that lie ahead.

And then a weekend of celebrating a graduation and more than one baptism. Talk about an emotional roller coaster!

In the meantime, we've carried on our daily lives of work, daycare, housecleaning (sort of), grocery shopping, and laundry. And trying to take a moment or two to stop and enjoy the lovely spring weather at the same time.

So you'd think such a week would be exhausting. And it was, emotionally and physically. But at the same time, it was somehow invigorating - I have probably never felt quite so alive as I did this last week, with its ups and downs, with its surprises and its celebrations. I don't relish the bad things, and I try not to count, too much, on the good things. But what a journey it is when life just decides to put things in high gear and give you a little ride once in awhile.

While we spend a lot of time planning for the future, we'll need times like these to plant us a little more firmly in the present. With all this going on, with all this to concentrate on, I didn't have time to worry about three months, six months, two years from now. I, for once, wasn't spending my time thinking about how much better it will be when this finally happens, or when such-and-such time is here. I was forced, though I didn't realize it at the time, to be in the moment, for an entire week. And I realized how much value there is in being where you are, right now.

So my life will likely return now to its normal, less-interesting even keel. Even so, I am still holding on to the experience, being acutely aware that this past week was one I know in advance will be a week I'll remember always, and that the lessons found that week have probably only just begun.



LETTERS

Vandalism a problem at skate park

TO THE EDITOR:

To the kids of Boyne City: recently we have been having a problem with vandalism at the Avalanche skate park.

I have had complaints from the city concerning the following items: the drain covers being popped off; the chain link fence being stolen along with the wooden post holding it; kids getting on top of the warming house roof; and unnecessary damage to the ramps and rails.

Many kids have approached me and asked where the rest of the ramps are. And to say the least, I just haven't brought them over because of this. The half-

pipe would have arrived in the last two weeks, but the recent complaints have delayed it even longer.

To further say, the city has graciously let us use the property seeking no charge, but is only asking us to respect what is there.

So, to the kids of Boyne City: respect your skate park, which we have worked so hard to develop. If not, the city has already told me that they will shut down the park if any more damage occurs.

To discuss these matters further we will have a meeting at the Boyne City skate park on May 13 at 1 p.m.

John Stevens Jr.

Florida reader enjoys local news

TO THE EDITOR:

Firstly, I have greatly enjoyed the paper here in Florida this past season - soon to be with you in northern Michigan.

The writing about Easter Traditions is superb! To connect up what is considered the pagan customs with the Christian meaning is very comforting - to still have our fun with Easter baskets, eggs and bunnies. Also appreciated more connection between Easter celebration and Spring!

We had a lovely sunny day here in Florida, but know in north country it can be a bad weather day and really can't expect good spring weather till after Easter. We also learned that Easter this year came almost as late as it can possibly be. I hear the weather has been usual April - not wanting to let go of winter

white - Lady Spring trying to arrive by turns.

Good to read of good Samaritans of Boyne Falls. Years ago we had a similar experience of loosing a wallet, but never returned. We only wished someone had a good Christmas with its contents.

I had many a chuckles with reading the challenge of a right direction. A friend and I have the same problem so when we start our in a car, we have a real challenge. I have learned that what I think should be right way to go is the wrong way. I can still get lost in Boyne area after more than 50 years of living there.

Loved to see the spring lambs - reminded me of my childhood on a Minnesota farm - watching the lambs frolic in the barn yard was entertainment!

It was also interesting to read of pastors moving on.

Anne Jenkins

A MOM'S LIFE

Parents aren't alone in raising children

By CINDI PLACE

At a recent award dinner honoring high school students, I was struck by the obviously strong relationships between these particular students and their teachers. Almost to a student, they looked and acted as if they would follow their respective instructor just about anywhere. The respect these students had for their teachers was almost palpable. And the respect that these teachers had for their students was equally as enthralling!

I think we forget sometimes that we, as parents, are not in this (raising of our teenagers) alone. On the contrary, there are innumerable people in our lives whose wisdom and support we can count on in any given circumstance. Our kids' youth group leaders, coaches and even friends' parents, all know our children in some way. They may have a more objective view of our kids, or even some insight which we, lost in the course of homework, grades and everyday life, aren't able to see.

Our children have a life outside the walls of our family. And most of it is spent inside a classroom. We give our children to their teachers every day, with the hope that some form of learning will take place. But do we take the time, once our kids have

returned home, to find out what they learned each day? For the little ones, it's a bit easier because their excitement for everything new usually extends to their schoolwork. But how about when our kids reach the teen years? Do we remember to ask about that term paper that was turned in recently? Do we ask them about their day?

I know I have come home from work, frustrated because no one seems interested in the kind of day I have had. Imagine the feeling of a sixteen year old who, having worked for a week on a project and got it back with a good grade, doesn't find anyone interested in his work. If we don't ask them how their day went, we may never hear about their successes!

Our children have been blessed with wonderful teachers. We encourage our kids to tell their teachers when something they did made them happy. Or encouraged. Or even confused. And, luckily, our kids have had the kind of teachers who respond to this type of communication positively.

We have all had experiences with teachers who walked that extra mile in order to get their point across. During this week of "Teacher's Appreciation" we should each make a special point of acknowledging the exceptional teachers in our lives!

LETTERS

Teaching that goes beyond the classroom

TO THE EDITOR:

I had the pleasure of attending the Char-Em ISD banquet honoring the top Vocational and Career Tech students in the area last week. The thrill was watching the students interact with the teaching staffs. The relationship between the teachers and the students is truly a mentoring relationship.

Voc Ed is a hands-on, today's-world, type of education. The students learn skills that they can use in today's workforce. The instructors are special people, who guide and mentor their students.

In Boyne City, we are lucky to have instructors Mark Gill, BST; Tom Neidhamer, Building Trades; Jill Towne, Marketing; and Lee Ewald, Visual Imaging. These instructors go beyond the classroom to give the students the skills needed to work in today's world.

I would especially like to thank Lee Ewald for mentoring a couple of young men, who put together the most impressive animated computer graphic presentation I have ever seen! I was not the only one impressed, as many of the area school administrators and business people stopped to congratulate the students.

Congratulations and thank you to these special mentors for developing such outstanding talent.

Andy Place
Marketing Manager
Honeywell International, Inc.

Team shows good sportsmanship

TO THE EDITOR:

This past weekend, I had the opportunity to be at this year's Harbor Hoop Shoot. Being a first time parent at such an event, I was amazed at the intensity of the games being played. It is just that intensity that has inspired me to write this letter, to congratulate and praise Boyne City's sixth grade girls entry team called the "Fearless Four."

This team received a second place trophy for all their efforts, but in my heart they are truly first place material! These girls played their hearts out and never gave up. They played together as a team in a true sense of the word. Their sportsmanlike conduct toward the other teams was exemplary. I am so proud of each and every one of them and I wanted Boyne City to know what kind of kids we have in our town.

Congratulations to Thereseann Zimmerman, Haili Friedrich, Kayla VanAlstine and Emma Clemens. You ladies are awesome!!

Jody Clemens

Red Wing fans disappointed in cable

TO THE EDITOR:

I'm sure I'm not the only Red Wings Fan who is totally disgusted by the cable t.v. company that does not seem to be able to get ESPN2 in this area.

At least one person I know has "done the dish thing," where you buy a package of channels and they change the package of without notice (It's in the fine print of every ad of every dish that they get to do that.) The sales person will tell you: "of course the "sports package" (including ESPN2) can be purchased all by itself. Until the dish is set up in your yard and then it's: "No, you have to also purchase the "basic package" in order to be able to purchase the sports package." That is "The Dish Thing!" So what ends up happening is we are denied access to Red Wings games unless we jump through their hoops at no small cost either.

There is no real reason the cable company could not get ESPN2. All the Red Wings fans I know would pay a higher cable bill to get the Wings games.

Margaret Howard
Petoskey

WE WELCOME YOUR LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The best read letters are brief and on a topic of local interest. Our deadline is Monday at 10 a.m. Letters will be printed on a space-available basis.

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Boswell Field will host powwow this year

The Day of the Eagle Powwow, an annual event in East Jordan, will be held at Boswell Field this year.

Permission for use of the field was granted by the city commission at last week's commission meeting, after representatives from the Anishinabe Inter-Tribal Council presented a request to hold the event at Boswell.

The event is moving from last year's location on Mill Street, follow-

ing notification from the city that the Powwow violates zoning restrictions on the property.

"Right now they don't have enough acreage [at the Mill Street location]," said East Jordan city administrator David White.

The powwow's organizers wish to return to the Mill Street site in the future, and are, according to White, working on acquiring more acreage

in order to meet zoning standards.

The notification from the city of the zoning violation initially caused some friction between the council and the city.

But, said White, "The friction was caused by questions on both sides. Those have been cleared up." White attended a tribal council meeting on April 31, at which time he was able

to address many of the concerns on both sides of the issue.

The issue of relocating the powwow was first raised recently by residents Jeff and Irene Gettel, whose home is adjacent to the Mill Street property. The Gettels also attended the city commission meeting, along with several citizens who spoke in support of the Powwow.

The Gettels, who had appeared at previous city commission meetings to address their concerns over the location of the Powwow, spoke in an attempt to clear up apparent misconceptions about their intent.

"This is not a cultural issue," said Irene Gettel. "This is not about cultural affairs, it's about appropriate location."

"The issue was zoning, not noise," White said, to clear up another misconception that the problem was the noise level of the event.

The city will continue to work with the tribal council to resolve the zoning issues.

"I want to work with the tribal council," White said. "The powwow is an important part of East Jordan."

From server to owner

Nancy Baxter takes the reins of Pippins

By ANGELA SHULTIS

Though she hadn't originally set out to do it, buying Pippin's seemed like a natural progression to longtime employee Nancy Baxter.

Baxter, who has managed Pippin's since 1995, purchased the business in April, 12 years after she first was hired as a server at the restaurant. When Cincinnati-based business and building owner Jeff Anderson sold the building last July, "it made no sense for him to stay involved," Nancy said. "It was something he and I have been discussing for quite some time."

The restaurant, which was originally operated as The Whistle Stop in Boyne Falls, moved to Boyne City in 1984 when owner Barb Bates and her daughter Maggie relocated the business on to Water Street. At that time, the name was changed to Pippin's.

Three years later, in 1987, Barb entered into a partnership with Jeff Anderson, and the restaurant was moved into his building. Pippin's current location on West Main Street. Maggie, who had served as the restaurant's main baker, left in 1990. Barb departed in about 1992, when she sold her portion of the business to Anderson.

From 1988 on, Nancy worked at Pippins in one capacity or another, starting out as a server, moving on to baker, and assistant manager from 1990-1995. When the business

opened its doors for the season in the spring of 1995, it was with Nancy as the manager.

Despite the moves and changes, the history and reputation of the restaurant has followed it through the years. "A lot of people we serve here ate at the Whistle Stop," Nancy said. One feature the restaurant has always tried to stay true to is a commitment to homemade. "When we say homemade, we mean from scratch," she said.

Originally, the Bates made everything from scratch, including things like English muffins, biscuits, etc., until they're expanded business made it necessary to make some adjustments. "People had to wait too long for their food," Nancy said. But, the focus is on making as much food from scratch as possible. "Certain things will never change," she said. "Fresh eggs, and the pancake batter will always be Barbara's made-from-scratch recipe. And desserts, right down to the pie dough made from lard and butter like our grandmas used to do."

But the challenge now is, according to Nancy, to balance the old and the new. "Over the years we've tried to improve the variety," she said. Most recent changes in the menu include an expanded offerings for lunch, with more specialty sandwiches, like three different portabella mushroom sandwiches, and some new entree salads. On the dinner menu, the restaurant is using lots of

fresh herbs, some new pastas, bison ribs, and have added seafood, like shrimp and scallops.

Some recent ideas are to incorporate other flavors, including southwestern and Mexican dishes, as well as add more vegetarian dishes. "We've had a lot of requests" for vegetarian entrees, said Nancy. With the new items, though, "the hard part is what do you give up?" she said, laughing. "You can't keep everything and still add, too."

The biggest challenge, though, of owning a restaurant in Boyne City, according to Baxter, is competing with the increasing number of restaurants in town.

Pippin's primary season is in the summer, and the business closes for parts of the winter. Responding to the assumption that Pippin's is a tourist business, Nancy said, "We have been open parts of the winter when we can do it, because we want to be here for the local people." But, with so much competition, "we don't have enough people in the off season," to support all the restaurants.

She adds that the business is trying to stay open more in the winter, but as the number of restaurants in town increases, it becomes harder to do so. And, she said, area restaurants are beginning to feel the crunch in the summer as well. "When there was four or five less restaurants in this town," she said, "in the winter we would have 80 people for lunch. Now we're lucky to do 80 for lunch



In April, Pippins' longtime manager Nancy Baxter purchased the restaurant. Baxter, who has worked for Pippins for 12 years, plans to continue their homemade tradition while adding some new flavors to the menu.

in the summertime."

Even so, the restaurant's staff of 12 "base employees," and triple that in the busy season, are ready to serve, and Nancy speaks highly of her staff. "We have a whole family of Moores we couldn't live without here in the kitchen," she said. And of her wait staff, "I depend on them a lot. They're very good with our guests." And, being a family business, her husband works as a night chef at the

restaurant, and her second oldest son, as well as her 16-year-old, also lend a hand.

And as another way to better serve guests, the restaurant has space available in the off-season to be reserved for gatherings of six-30 people. The restaurant has hosted chamber breakfasts, firemen's dinners, and for about six years has been home to the appreciation dinner the Hospice holds for its employees and volunteers.

"They're a nice bunch of people," she said. "We enjoy doing that."

Pippin's is now open, with off season hours of 8 a.m.-8 p.m. on Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. on Sunday, and closed on Tuesday and Wednesday. After Memorial Day, the hours will be increased to 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Monday through Saturday, and 8 a.m.-2 p.m. on Sunday.

Cindifranco's settling into new home

With bright new paint and displays, Cindifranco's Cool Stuff is settling in at its new location at 309 S. Lake St. in Boyne City. The business, which was previously located at the Tower Center made the move because, according to co-owner Cindi Malin, "we needed more space."

Malin and her husband, Frank, have renovated a home into a retail space, with an eye to future expansion. The couple did much of the renovation work themselves, and stayed as local as possible in purchasing materials and services.

That the business has moved further out of the main downtown area is not a concern for Malin. "We're

still in the CBD (Central Business District)," she said. "And JD's [Deli, across the street] has a great clientele. We can feed off each other." And while space was the major consideration for the move, Malin said, "This setting is more conducive to what we do."

What they do is interior design work, with the retail shop offering everything from home furnishing and decorating items, to custom gift baskets and other gift items, in price ranges to fit varying budgets.

"Our inventory has made quite a big change," Malin said, noting that they are importing many new items. Customers can count on finding items such as handmade wooden fur-

niture, a full line of upholstered furniture, lighting, fabrics, wallcoverings, window treatments, bedding and accessories.

Besides the expanded retail business, Malin will continue to offer design services. With store hours set for 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday and Saturday, and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, Malin said she also meets with clients by appointment to suit their schedules. "We're here for service," she said.

Frank Malin will continue to provide installation and painting services to customers.

For more information, call Cindifranco's Cool Stuff at 582-0526.

The Downtown Development Authority would like to thank all those who participated in Buff Up Boyne!

Thanks to the following organizations, individuals and businesses who worked to beautify their community:

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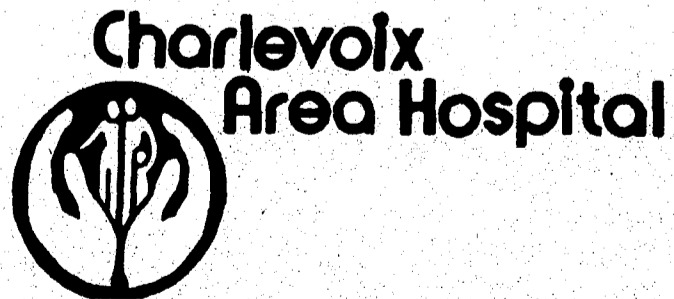
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Charlevoix Area Hospital recognizes

National Hospital Week May 7-13

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Dredging underway this week in EJ

The city of East Jordan will be undertaking a dredging project this week, focusing on the city marina and boat slips.

The price tag for the project is estimated to be about \$96,000; 75 percent of which the city hopes to defray with a grant from the State of Michigan. The city has already submitted a grant application, and expects to hear from the state in the next

couple of months.

A mobilization charge of \$18,000 will be split by the city and the East Jordan Iron Works, with the city paying \$10,000, and the iron works contributing \$8,000.

The project will utilize a mechanical dredge, with materials being trucked away to the transfer station. The city commission recently approved the city's entry into a contract

with Ryba Marine to do the dredge work.

The sand bar, though, that's being created outside of the river mouth, near the bridge, is another issue the city is pursuing. "The city's position," said White, "is that that sand outside of the harbor, washed down from the river, belongs to the department of natural resources."

The city has been in contact with the offices of Rep. Andy Neumann, Rep. Bart Stupak, and Senator Walter North, as well as the DNR, in hopes of finding "someone in the DNR who can authorize funding" for the project, White said.

The dredging inside the marina is independent of the sandbar issue, and will move forward as scheduled.

OBITUARIES

Mary Lou Breakey

Mary Lou Breakey, 72, of East Jordan, died Wednesday, May 3, 2000 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 6, at the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan. The Rev. James Jordan officiated, with interment in Sunset Hill Cemetery, East Jordan.

She was born on May 16, 1927 in Ironton, the daughter of Louis and Eva Mae (Brown) Peterson. She had lived in Ironton and Ellsworth before moving to East Jordan in 1936.

On Jan. 12, 1945 in Hoisington, Kan., she married Thomas Breakey, Sr.

Mary Lou worked at the old Grandvue Hospital in East Jordan, now known as Grandvue Medical Care Facility. She then worked a total of almost 30 years at Boyne Mountain, first as a waitress and later as a bookkeeper in the office.

She was active in the Auxiliary of the Rebec-Hosler-Sweet Post #227 of

the American Legion for many years. She loved her baking, making the family favorite, home-made long johns and caramel corn with Tom's help.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Breakey, Sr. of East Jordan; two sons, Thomas "Tinker" Breakey Jr. of East Jordan and William "Butch" Breakey of East Jordan; one daughter, Debbie (Brad) Sweet of East Jordan; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one sister-in-law, Jean Peterson of East Jordan; and the family's dog, "Happy Girl."

She was preceded in death by her father, Louis Peterson in 1977, her mother, Eva Mae Peterson in 1995; one brother, Leon Peterson in 1984; one sister, Lillian Bennett in 1999; and one daughter, Patricia "Tricia" Easterwood in 1999.

Memorials may be given to East Jordan Firefighter's Fund or the East Jordan Ambulance Fund.

CALENDAR

CARPAL TUNNEL SYNDROME
Wednesday, May 10, 7-8:30 p.m.
 The Community Health Education Center will offer a class designed to answer questions about Carpal Tunnel Syndrome. The course will be held in the Dean C. Burns Community Health Education Center at 360 Connable Avenue in Petoskey. The Center is located across from the main entrance to Northern Michigan Hospital. The discussion will center around prevention, early diagnosis and treatment options. Cost: free. Information: HealthAccess, 800-248-6777.

resource of the Northern Michigan Hospital Foundation. A registered dietitian will conduct the course and will give participants information about the effects of soy products in the diet. Cost: \$7. Information: call HealthAccess at 800-248-6777.

BLOOD DRIVE
Monday, May 22
 An American Red Cross Blood Drive will take place at Lexamar in Boyne City from 6-10 a.m. and 1-4:45 p.m. in the Lexamar Training Room, 100 Lexamar Drive.

BOYNE FOOD PANTRY
First & third Mondays
 Food pick-up hours are on the first Monday of the month from 10 a.m.-noon and third Monday from 5-7 p.m., or on Tuesday if a holiday falls on Monday.

BCFFE
First Wednesday
 The Boyne City Foundation for Excellence in Education meets the first Wednesday of each month at 5:45 p.m. at the Boyne City, High School media center.

VETERAN ASSISTANCE
Thursdays
 A Service Officer will be at the American Legion Post every Thursday from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Any veteran seeking assistance, whether financial, medical, disability benefits, etc., may visit the Post at the corner of Lake and Main streets in Boyne City or call 582-7811 at that time.

AL-ANON
Tuesday nights
 Al-Anon meetings are held at 8 p.m.

at St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

AA MEETINGS
Weekly
 The Boyne Valley Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets in the basement of St. Matthew's Catholic Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City. All meetings are closed and non-smoking. Times: Sunday 1 p.m.; Monday 12 noon, 8 p.m.; Tuesday 12 noon; Wednesday 12 noon (Big Book Study); Thursday 12 noon, 6:30 p.m.

(Big Book/Step Study), 8 p.m.; Friday 12 noon, 8 p.m. The first Friday of each month, an "Open Speaker" meeting is open to family and friends.

NEW TOPS CHAPTER
Every Monday, 10-11:30 a.m.
 A new chapter of TOPS meets every Monday from 10-11:30 a.m. at the Northern Michigan Hospital Health and Education Center classroom #3. The center is located at 416 Connable Ave. in Petoskey. Information: Daniella Winter, 348-7679.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Legion hosting open house

The American Legion Post in Boyne City will host an Open House on May 17 from 9 a.m.-6 a.m. The public is invited to attend. All area schools have been sent invitations for their students to visit the post to talk to veterans and view the displays of equipment, memorabilia, uniforms, medals, and scrapbooks.

Additionally, area law enforcement officers, as well as active service personnel, will be on hand to talk to students about their work in their branch of service.

For more information, call 582-7253.

Election of officers for the year 2000-2001 was held at the May 4 meeting of Ernest Peterson Post #228 of the American Legion.

Elected were: Commander, Gerald Evans; First Vice Commander, Pete Faskey; Second Vice Commander, Kerry Woiteshek; Adjutant, John Mathers; Finance Officer, James Bates; Service Officer, Jim Wicker; Chaplain, Maxine Hough; Sergeant-at-Arms, Fred Leyth; Historian, James Bates; and Judge Advocate, Howard Crozier.

Installation of officers will take place on June 1.

In other business, the veterans of the Post were reminded of the Post's participation in Memorial Day activities in the area on May 29.

Bob Doan, Commander of the 19th District, who attended the meeting, gave a report on the membership

in the various District Posts. He also reminded the veterans of the District meeting which will be held in Lewiston on June 11.

Legion Auxiliary selling poppies

American Legion Auxiliary volunteers will distribute the familiar red, handcrafted poppies honoring America's war dead on May 18, 19 and 20.

The annual event serves as well as honors the veteran with all proceeds from the distribution invested in local programs for the benefit of his/her family.

Each nine-piece poppy is made by veterans for veterans in Auxiliary-sponsored Poppy Shops that supplement physical and psychological therapy needed by hospitalized and disabled veterans. The Auxiliary provides the materials and the volunteers. The veteran makes the poppy and is paid a small amount for each

painstakingly-made flower. For some it is their only income.

The memorial poppy is never sold, but given in exchange for a contribution. The poppy program has been part of Auxiliary programming for more than 70 years.

Garden club shrub sale underway

The Boyne Valley Garden Club is holding its annual shrub sale as a fundraiser for the groups activities.

This year's featured shrub is a white peegee hydrangea. This hydrangea prefers sun and/or partial shade, and does well in healthy, moist, well-drained soil enriched with organic matter. It can grow to as tall as eight feet, and is adaptable to the local zone four region. Beginning in July and into late summer, the branches are tipped with flower clusters, opening white and changing later on to pink and/or beige.

Only 250 of the shrubs are avail-

able, at a cost of \$13 each or two for \$25. All orders must be received by May 26 and paid in advance.

Orders must be picked up on Saturday, June 10, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon on Brockway Street, next to Boyne Avenue Greenhouse.

Call 582-5545 for order forms or for more information.

BOYNE POLICE NEWS

The Boyne City Police Department received 74 complaints for the week of April 27-May 3. Four traffic accidents were reported, and eight traffic citations were issued, along with 12 verbal warnings. One arrest was made for minor in possession.

Other complaints:

Monday, May 1 - Officers responded to a minor property damage accident in the elementary school.

Tuesday, May 2 - Officers were called to a loud party complaint; one person was arrested for minor in possession. An embezzlement complaint at S&K Foods is under investigation.

Wednesday, May 3 - A minor accident was reported on South East Street near Barden's Lumber with no injuries reported. Property damage to a home was reported on South Park Street.

Friday, May 5 - Officers received a trespassing complaint at Glen's Market.

Saturday, May 6 - Officers handled a domestic complaint. A minor accident on Lewis Street was reported, with no injuries.

Sunday, May 7 - Property damage to a theater window was reported.

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A tour of our watershed

■ Land conservancy, Friends of the Boyne hosting 'Ramble' event

The Charlevoix County Land Conservancy and Friends of the Boyne River will host the second annual Spring Lake Charlevoix Watershed Ramble on Saturday, May 13.

The theme of this year's Watershed Ramble is "The Changing State of Michigan's Natural Resources."

At 9:30 a.m. participants will gather at the Dilworth Hotel in Boyne City for doughnuts and coffee and for

an overview of current conservation activities in the watershed.

A presentation on the environmental impacts of the changing water levels of Lake Charlevoix will be given by Larry Levengood of the Charlevoix Health Department. An overview of "the State of Michigan's State Forests" will be presented by the Mackinac Forest Council.

At 10:30 a.m. participants will

board the Charlevoix County Trolley for a tour of the Lake Charlevoix watershed, with stops at Boyne River Project sites, natural areas, the Friends of the Jordan's new Watershed Center and Lake Charlevoix properties that demonstrate the impact of low water levels.

Participants will learn how activities in our watershed affect the whole watershed community. The tour will visit Boyne City, East Jordan, Ironton, Charlevoix and Horton Bay.

The public is invited to attend. Call 237-9335 or 582-5824 for information and to make reservations.

Boyne City reinvestment program under review by DDA

The Boyne City Downtown Development Authority will be reevaluating the current Business Reinvestment Program to do some fine-tuning and improve the program's visibility.

According to DDA member Mark Kowalske, "We're trying to get more people to be aware that if they want to do some fixing up, that it's a wonderful tool."

The program, which offers business and building owners loans of up to \$25,000 with an interest rate of two percent below prime over 10 years, was established in 1994 to help downtown business owners maintain and improve their individual buildings, with the idea of encouraging a collective improvement to the downtown area.

The venture started as a cooperative effort involving the chamber of commerce and local banks, including Old Kent, Citizens, Bank One, and Huntington, and later came under the umbrella of the DDA.

According to Kowalske, one change the DDA is considering is an increase in the dollar amount available per building, which is currently

set at \$25,000. It also hopes to find ways to make the public more aware of the programs existence.

Though it's been used primarily for exterior improvements, the reinvestment program can be utilized by building owners for restoration of the both the exterior and the interior of their properties, provided interior work is of a permanent nature.

According to the program guidelines, exterior work can include work to improve the exteriors of the buildings, including the cost of design, construction, and removal and replacement of exterior elements including signs.

"The design itself has to go through a design review committee," said Kowalske, and must meet

design standards for the turn of the century style of the downtown area. The design committee is comprised of representatives from the DDA, the city council, the planning commission, and the chamber.

The bottom line is to continue the renovations and improvements that have already begun in the community. "You can see what it's done with just the few that have used it," said Kowalske, citing participants such as Medicap, Lou Awodey, Tom Mannes, and Lester's.

And, he said, "special historic buildings [are] one of the community's most valuable assets."

For more information about Boyne City's Business Reinvestment Loan Program, call Kowalske at 582-6554.

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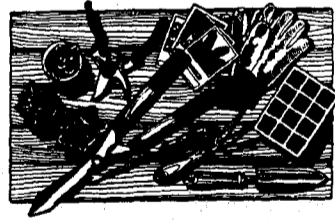
Mark Kowalske
--DDA board member



Career Day

Last week, students at Boyne Falls Public School participated in the school's first ever Career Day. About 23 professionals held sessions at the school to speak to students about careers in computer programming, interior design, teaching, architecture, and the military, just to name a few. Here, clockwise from center, Sarah Skop, Amanda Skop, Emily Korhase, Cassie Barnes, Erika Jarema and Samantha Barnes get the chance to put into practice some of what they learned from hair stylist Jane O'Brien.

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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Boyne Falls

NAME: Niki Fish
PARENTS: Mary Schmidt; Al and Julie Fish
GRADE: Fourth
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Key chains
FAVORITE COLOR: Purple
FAVORITE FOOD: Ice cream
WHAT I WANT TO BE WHEN I GROW UP: Artist
FAVORITE T.V. SHOW: 'So Weird'
FAVORITE CARTOON CHARACTER: Scooby-Doo
FAVORITE HERO: Aunt Linda



Niki Fish

WHAT I LIKE BEST ABOUT SCHOOL: Doing homework so I learn
MY PET: A ferret named "Thief"
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Niki's example as a hard worker is to be admired," said Mr. Book. "She has made progress this year in many subject areas and always strives to do her best. Even when experiencing difficulty in her studies, she remains determined not to give up. Rather, she puts in the extra time and effort needed until she feels confident in her work. Her cheerful and outgoing personality brightens the classroom."

East Jordan

NAME: Mike Gardner
PARENTS: Colmcille and Chris Gardner
GRADE: Sophomore
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Basketball, football and baseball
FUTURE PLANS: College or military
FAVORITE CLASS: History
NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Mike is a good person," said Mike Gee. "Does what he is told and asks good questions."



Mike Gardner

"Mike is an excellent worker and very inventive," said Bob Panoff.

"Mike always adds a fresh perspective to class discussions," said Roxanne Zell.

"Mike is a good, steady worker in class," said Jerry Hawes.

"Mike is a hard worker who brings a lot of prior knowledge about history into our class," said Jennifer Richardson.

"Mike puts forward the extra effort to get things done outside of class as well as in class," said Laura Kueffner.

Boyne City

NAME: Carleen Pearsall
PARENTS: Sue Hocquard and Bob Pearsall
GRADE: Senior
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Tennis, drama, softball, cheerleading, National Honors Society, student council and class rep
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Hang out with friends, play sports and keep active
FUTURE PLANS OR GOALS: "I plan to attend Hope College in the fall. I am still undecided on a major."



Carleen Pearsall

NOMINATING COMMENTS: "It has been a pleasure to watch Carleen Pearsall grow," said Steve Beyer. "Her commitment to her studies and her extra curricular is a fine example for our younger students."

"Carleen is a fantastic senior who took art for the first time this year," said Lee Ewald. "She has been a hard worker and has been a big inspiration to others in class. Also, I have worked with Carleen during the drama productions for the past four years and she exudes an enormous energy and commitment to the program. Congratulations, Carleen we will miss you!"

NAME: Riley Denison
PARENTS: Mike Denison and Janet Denison-Ryke
GRADE: Senior
SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: Drama, tennis and National Honor Society
HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Spending time with my friends and family, being outside, and playing sports
FUTURE PLANS: "I plan to go to Northwestern Michigan College in the fall, my major is undecided."



Riley Denison

NOMINATING COMMENTS: "Riley is a cheerful, helpful, and hard-working student," said Carrie Nelson. "She is always prepared for class and is always ready to participate."

"Riley has been an excellent student in my classes throughout the past year," said Chris Ames. "She consistently performs well on tests and maintains a high GPA in class. It is Riley's type of personality that makes it fun to work with students."

"I have had the pleasure of having Riley as a student in seventh grade and having seen her through her high school years," said Pat Klooster. "What a delightful student, always smiling and willing to work. Great job, Riley."

THE WISDOM TOOTH

Baby Bottle Tooth Decay

Baby bottle tooth decay is a commonly seen condition. The good thing is that it is preventable.

The cause is as the name implies. It's the baby bottle, what is in it, and when it's given to the child. About the only liquid that is safe in a baby bottle is water. Too often a child is put down to nap, sleep at night or to rest and quiet crying spells with a bottle. If that bottle contains formula, milk, juice, Kool aid or similar liquid it can promote decay, especially if brushing is not adequate. The child sleeps or sits with the nipple just behind the upper front teeth giving a constant supply of cavity promoting liquids.

The teeth most frequently affected are the upper front 4 incisors. In more involved or severe cases, more or even all teeth can be decayed to varying degrees, with the front teeth usually being the worse. Progression can lead to tooth pain, infection and tooth loss.

Treatment also varies with the severity of the case. Simple restorations, more involved restorations, pulp removal and crowns are commonly seen as are extractions of non-restorable teeth. Primary (baby) teeth can cause discomfort or infection just like adult teeth. They're also important in guiding permanent teeth into position. Let's not forget their chewing, speaking and appearance functions as well.

Home care is important, and cleaning the child's teeth should begin as soon as teeth erupt. Early on, a damp cloth on a finger can work. As more teeth erupt the introduction of a toothbrush and floss (by parents) is important. The big thing to remember is to watch what goes into the bottle and when it's given.

This information provided as a service by Dr. Gregory Klinker and staff at 108 S. Lake St. in East Jordan. Most insurance accepted including Delta and Blue Cross. Services and treatment include family, preventive, restorative and cosmetic dentistry. (231) 536-3307.

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NEIGHBORS

By NANCY NORTHUP

LINDA HANSON of Fremont arrived this week to join the family in being with their mother, Mrs. Joy Brooks, who had been transported to Northern Michigan Hospital earlier last week from East Jordan's Grandvue Facility.

RETURNING FROM her son Lee and wife Sandra's home in Franklin, after a week's visit, Delcie Phillips of Boyne City was pleased to tell all about her birthday celebration. The Dearborn Inn was well attended by friends and relatives for this special occasion. Delcie taught in the Dearborn Public Schools until her retirement and made her home in Dearborn at that time. She enjoyed seeing old friends and visiting her grandson John and family, who now live in Dearborn. She also visited her grandson Gerald and wife Shannon, who live in nearby Brighton.

DOROTHY HAWKINS, a post-surgical patient this past week at Northern Michigan Hospital, was expected to be returning to her home on Monday.

ROBERT AND MARILYN MCNEILL arrived in Boyne City over the weekend to visit their daughter Christine O'Donnell, her husband Dennis, and their only grandchild, Elizabeth O'Donnell. The McNeills, who had just returned on Thursday from wintering in New Mexico, hoped to find a few mushrooms, as well as looking for a home to buy in this area, to be nearer to their children and grand-daughter.

NELS AND LOUISA NORTHUP of Boyne Falls returned home on Sunday noon from spending the weekend in Marshall, visiting his daughter Lynnell and Denny Wakley and boys. On Saturday, they enjoyed watching his grandsons; Gannon and Gabriel

play in a soccer event. The Northups also have enjoyed the recent visits from her daughter, Kim and Madlyn Martin and his daughter and husband, Lori and Bill Bailey, all of Grand Rapids.

THE LIGHT RAINFALL on Saturday may have enhanced area woodlands for mushroom pickers, but I could hardly believe the large morel that Phyllis Tison brought in to show me! The perfectly shaped mouth watering morsel was just the right size to fit in a quart-sized zip lock baggie! Phyllis said her daughter Sally found it, underneath her Jefferson Street clothesline. She's found another one, the same size, since then.

BILL AND JEANETTE AVERY have returned to their Glenwood Beach home after having spent six weeks in Kansas City, Mo., with their son Wayne, helping him with some remodeling projects. While there, they also visited their daughter Paula's home and toured the Union Station, the renovated restoration of a 100-year-old railroad train area. En route home, they visited their daughter Deanna in Grand Rapids.

CRISTI DAVIS of Jackson and his son Dort of Mt. Pleasant were here over the weekend visiting their sisters and aunts, Ruth Yahr at Litzenger Place and Edith Tillotson of Petoskey's Bortz Health Care.

KATIE BRICKER, a student at Grand Valley and her sister Molly, a student at Aquinas, both in Grand Rapids, spent the weekend at home with the Dave and Robin Bricker family.

AREA FRIENDS are in sympathy with the family of former Petoskey resident, Rick Johnson, the son of Lynn Johnson. Rick, a Michigan State Police Trooper, was accidentally killed while on duty, along I-95 over the

weekend. Rick is also the godson of Louisa Taylor Northup of Boyne Falls. Louisa and husband Nels were to attend the farewell services for Trooper Rick in Kalamazoo on Tuesday and Wednesday.

MADORA GRIFFIN of Boyne City was named the "Millennium" Queen of the Boyne Valley Slim & Trim Club on Wednesday. She earned "Queen" honors by losing the most weight from May '99 to May '00. Her celebration party will be forthcoming.

JANET AND JIM SHEPHERD and Phyllis Tison and daughter Sally Flowers of Boyne City have returned from Missouri, where they joined other relatives and friends in attending the wedding of Brian Tison, son of Robert and Gladys Tison.

ANNE JENKINS has returned to Boyne Falls after spending the winter in Zephyrhills, Fla., She was met in Lansing by her daughters Julie Nadon of California, and June Morey of Ionia. The girls had surprised her by having her home all ready before her return. On Friday, all enjoyed an early 80th birthday party, as several friends of different eras of Anne's life shared in the fun gathering at her home

KURT AND LEAH KLEINSCHRODT of Boyne City honored their son, Kurt Jr. for his 12th birthday on Sunday with cake and ice cream, gifts, and extended family fun.

HAILI FRIEDRICH, 11, daughter of Leasa and Peter Friedrich of Boyne City, was among those confirmed on Sunday at St. Mary's Cathedral in Gaylord. Haili was honored with an extended family dinner celebration at her home later in the afternoon.

(To submit items to Nancy, call 582-9174 or e-mail her at nanup@mail.unnet.com.)

Her first prom -- it was a night to remember

By KATIE BROCK

Prom... I had never been to one prior to last Saturday night.

I woke up at about eight o'clock that morning and traveled to Charlevoix, a mess and not quite awake, to pick up my date's boutonniere. I had gotten my dress the day before, cutting it close, but I had managed to find a dress and shoes that made me happy.

My original intent was to buy my dress at a used clothing store, where perhaps I might have found the perfect fifties dress, which was what I initially wanted to wear. Some old fashioned dress with long gloves, a cool old hat, fur coat and old jewelry... it would have been perfect. Perhaps an embarrassment for my date, but still splendid.

I had gone to several second hand stores in recent weeks and found nothing. At one store, I found a wedding dress; it was made of a plastic material that reminded me much of an old table cloth that nothing ever

sticks to, but slides off.

I imagined myself wearing that to prom, and having to rip off the train because our tablecloth had gotten all too messy, and we needed a replacement. The thought gave me the giggles, however, I was sure my date would be mortified and end up dumping me on some street corner, secluded and alone. I decided to go with a regular dress...slightly regular, anyway.

It's an interesting experience, prom. We arrived in a white Cadillac, stepping out in my glamour, with taller heels than I'd ever attempted to be graceful in before (I wasn't), my flowing dress, and feeling laden with make-up (lipstick and mascara). I felt like Cinderella stepping out of her white coach, and Pat as my prince (sorry Pat). Our prom was at Charlevoix Country Club, and its glamour went superbly with the elegance of all of us.

The night went fast, and I enjoyed every moment of it. I don't usually dress up like that, and don't intend

on making a habit of it, but for the night, it was divine. Everyone looked beautiful, some of the guys you wouldn't have recognized, dressed up to the tens as they were. Everyone was happy, and laughing.

It was perfect, for me, nothing went wrong.. I had all my friends with me, I was in a flowing dress, I had a

cool date, and it seemed to me that our work as juniors had been a success.

I can't wait to get my pictures back; even if my dress wasn't completely unique...my pictures certainly will be.

(Katie Brock is a junior at East Jordan High School.)

Boosters, Foundation offer scholarships

Time is running out for Boyne City High School seniors to apply for scholarship money available from the Boyne City All School Boosters and the Foundation for Educational Excellence.

Information and applications are available from Sue Breidenstein at the BCHS attendance office.

Since fewer students apply for these scholarships, applicants have a much better chance of being awarded one of these scholarships than one from a college or trade school.

Scholarships are granted to applicants based on the applicant's self profile (including, goals, community involvement, and family situation), grade point average (at least 2.67 or a C+), and recommendations from teachers and community leaders selected by the applicant. Scholarship money can be used for tuition or books for college or trade schools.

Applications and all required information must be turned in by May 12. For more information call Breidenstein at 439-8127.

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The puppy learned to duck for "Hard-a-Lee"
 and climb a mesa to hear the cry of coyote.
 Never faltering in his love of he.

In Boyne his fur was covered
 with the early struggles of J.D.'s.
 Gus' only and most important contribution was to please.
 As Chip beleaguered from deli to nurse,
 Gus never complained at the near empty purse.

Fifteen years past from Cabbages to Kings.
 Gus learned to adjust to many beginnings.
 To the love of Claudia for both
 and to tolerate that "OTHER THING."

The bond never wavered over 62 seasons
 as they both aged the pledge
 of love and friendship being the reason.

Gus' spirit now freely roams
 wherever Chip, Claudia and Sage may be,
 From Cave Creek, to Boyne City or sea.
 Forever drawn by his love of he.

Tina Lorenger

In one of the many arts events that Concord brings to its students, a group of visiting performers entertained students at the school last month. C3C, a Gaylord-based dance group directed by dance instructor Dale Steuver, performed several modern dance pieces.



Concord holding auction to support Arts program

Concord Academy Boyne will hold an auction on Friday, May 12, at 7 p.m. in its new performance room to support the Arts on the Go program. Arts on the Go brings in nationally known performers and artists to enhance curriculum. An African drummer, Kevin Collins, was brought to the school for workshops during the study of Africa. Other recent artists include jazz guitarist Robert Jones; poet Terry Wooten and the Good Time Theater. Some of the many auction items include work from art classes, a package to Mackinaw Island, a stay at the House on the Hill with a meal at Tapawingo, and V.I.P. tickets for Crooked Tree Arts Center. Tickets are on sale for \$3. Appetizers will be provided. For information call Julie Stoppel or the school office at 582-0194.

Housing Coalition plans yard sale

The Charlevoix Emmet Housing Coalition will hold a community-wide yard sale on Saturday, May 20, from 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at the housing coalition's parking lot at 4149 North M-75 in Wallbon Lake.

Participants will be charged \$5 to reserve a space, with the proceeds going to help support the coalitions programs. Advertising and tables will be supplied.

A paint giveaway will be held at the same time, featuring new interior and exterior paint in a variety of colors.

For more information call 535-5166.

COLLEGE NEWS

SARAH A. KOSC of Boyne Falls was inducted into Delta Mu Delta (Delta Xi Chapter), a national honor society in business administration at Northwood University. Sarah is the daughter of Victor and Linda Kosc of Boyne Falls.

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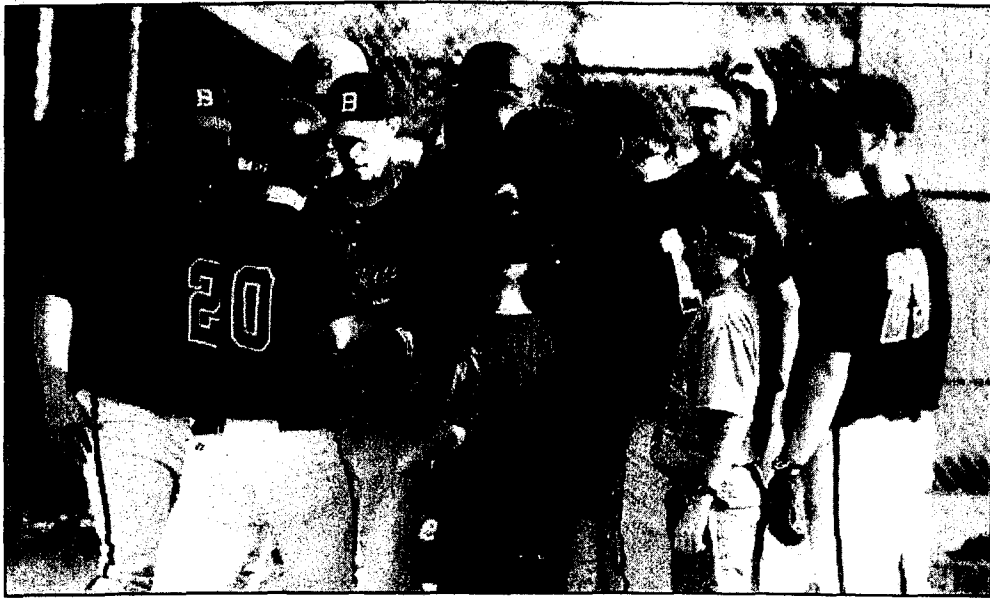
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SPORTS

Ramblers split an old-fashioned home run derby



Josh Bush is greeted by his teammates at home plate after belting one of his four home runs against Kalkaska last Thursday night.

Boyer City split a double header with Kalkaska last week, winning game one 16-10, and falling short in game two, 8-16.

Game one, said coach Beano Archey, "was a close game all the way." The game was tied at the bottom of the fifth; the Ramblers scored six times to take a 16-10 lead. On the mound, Justin Callahan started for the first four innings, giving up eight hits, walking one, and striking out one. Tim Wellert came in as relief to get the last three outs and the win. "Justin did a nice job on the mound," Archey said. "Tim came in and closed the game out."

Top hitters for Boyne were Josh Bush with two home runs, Kevin Metzger with a double and a home run, Cole Andrews with two doubles, and Callahan with a single and a home run. Steve Bush, Nick Zavesky, Dustin Moore, and Ryan Amesbury contributed a single apiece.

"Josh had a good game with two home runs and six RBIs," said Archey. "On defense we committed

four errors but also turned two double plays."

Game two was not so kind to Boyne. In the fourth inning, Kalkaska managed four home runs in a row off two different Rambler pitchers, before the game was called on account of darkness. For Boyne, David Vasquez started on the mound, with Josh Bush and Amesbury in relief. Hitters for the Ramblers were Josh Bush with two homers, Moore with one home run, and Andrews, Callahan, Steve Bush, Anthony Wormell, and Vasquez with a single each.

Overall, said Archey, "It was a pretty wild night. No lead seemed safe with 17 home runs and 42 hits combined. The pitchers tried to keep the ball in the park but as windy as it was that was not very easy."

The conditions were more agreeable on Monday night, with Boyne City pulling out a 10-0 win over Charlevoix. Callahan pitched all six innings, giving up just one single in the first inning, and two walks for the game.

"Justin pitched a terrific game after being bothered by a sore arm," said Archey. "It was nice to see him able to throw a complete game and throw so well."

For Boyne, Josh Bush nailed a homer, Callahan contributed two singles, and Andrews, Kevin Metzger, Moore, and Wellert had a single each.

In game two of the double header, Boyne was narrowly defeated by Charlevoix, 5-6. Vasquez pitched the game for the Ramblers, giving up ten hits, one walk, and striking out three.

"David pitched well, holding Charlevoix scoreless for the first three innings and taking a 5-3 lead into the sixth," Archey said. "But give Charlevoix credit - they came back to score three runs to win."

Hitters for Boyne were Moore with two singles, and Josh Bush, Callahan, and Brian Metzger with a single apiece.

"Overall we played pretty well all night," Archey said.

The team is 3-11-2 overall.

EJ girls earn three more wins

East Jordan girls split a pair of games with Cheboygan on May 1, winning the first game 3-2, and losing the second 4-5. Three days later they hosted Elk Rapids, winning twice. The wins brought their conference record up to 7-1.

In game one against Cheboygan East Jordan was only able to get three hits, but they made them count, scoring two runs in the first inning and one in the third. Linda Slough earned the win for the Red Devils, striking out three and giving up four hits and just one walk. Lindsay Skiera took the loss.

Kristin Haley doubled for the Red Devils, while Lindsey Malpass and Stefanie Skop singled.

"Defensively we outplayed them in game one. We played well," said East Jordan coach Meg Kitson, while noting that offensively her team still needs to attack the ball more.

The second game went to Cheboygan, 5-4, as they scored in the top of the ninth inning for the victory. It was the second comeback of the game for the Chiefs; they scored three runs in the seventh inning to tie the game.

Slough took the loss, giving up four hits and four walks, while striking out seven. East Jordan got four hits off winning pitcher Kristy Lomps.

Mary Ann Brooks led the offense with a double and a single. Haley and Josie Krause each contributed a single.

"This was a tough game to lose," said Kitson. "We were winning 4-1 going into the top of the seventh. Cheboygan hit the ball extremely

well to tie it up. We had our opportunities, but our bats didn't come through for us today."

The Red Devils have lost only three games this season.

East Jordan made sure that their bats came through on Thursday against Elk Rapids, winning the first game 3-0. The Red Devils had 10 hits in the opener.

Slough was the winning pitcher, allowing only two hits while fanning five. Katie Breece took the loss.

Wendy Walczak led the offense with a triple and a single, while Haley had a double and a single. Skop doubled and Krause, Malpass, Renee Roberts, Brooks, and Stephanie Sweet connected for singles.

Kitson was happy with her team's play. "We played excellent ball all day. We really wanted and needed these wins today. Our girls were not going to be denied today. We had so much fun."

Game two was also fun for East Jordan, as they won 6-3.

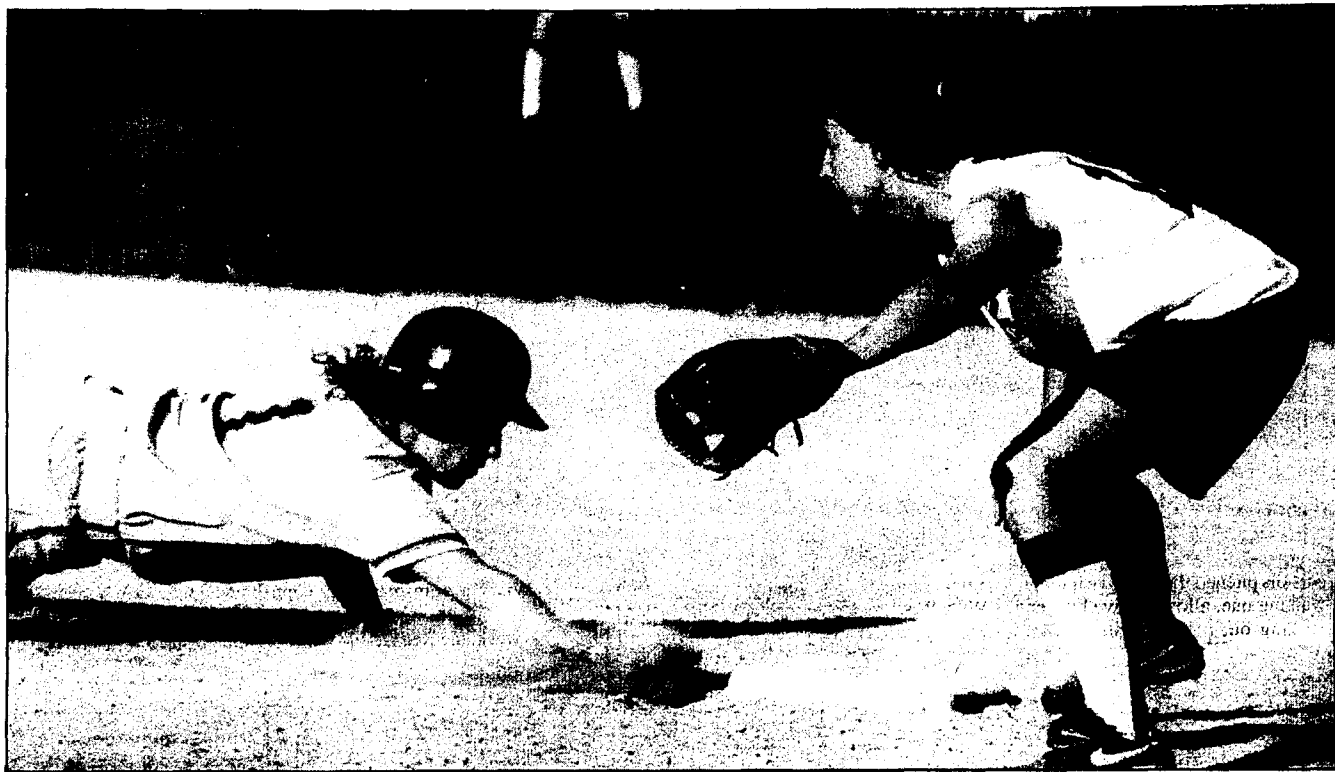
"Elk Rapids is a good team and they played well also," said Kitson. "It just seemed that we wanted it more."

Slough allowed four hits and one walk while striking out two to earn the victory. Lindsey Wynkoop took the loss, walking seven and allowing three hits.

Brooks had a double and a single for East Jordan, while Skop contributed a single.

Kitson praised her offense. "Our patience at the plate really helped us this game."

Saturday, May 13, East Jordan plays in the Gaylord tournament.



Rambler Natalie Stafford makes a dive back to first base as to beat the throw from Kalkaska's catcher.

BC girls defeat Kalkaska, lose to Elks

The Boyne City Varsity softball team went 2-2 for the week. On May 1 they traveled to Elk Rapids, losing 2-0 and 4-1. Thursday the Ramblers took two from Kalkaska, 7-5 and 11-9.

Elk Rapids used one unearned run in the second inning and three hits in the fifth to win a low-scoring game against the Ramblers. Bethany Tompkins took the loss, allowing six hits and striking out one.

Ellie Neidhamer had a double while Emily Roland and Natalie Stafford each contributed a single.

"We need to do better offensively," said Rambler coach Sandy Clausen. "We had six strikeouts; that's too many."

Game two saw Elk Rapids win 4-1, scoring three of their four runs on errors by the Ramblers. Tompkins and relief pitcher Brenna Jessup, who started in the fourth inning, gave up three hits and three walks, while striking out three.

Stafford and Kara Perry led the offense with two singles each. Leeann Schrader, Kelly Sweet, Carleen Pearsall, Jessup, and E. Neidhamer each had one single.

"We had base runners in scoring position in four of our six innings; we just couldn't put the hits in the right spot," said Clausen. "The fourth inning we had three infield errors that allowed them to score all the runs in that inning. We hit the ball better this game. We need to cut out the errors."

On Thursday the Ramblers scored seven runs in the first three innings to defeat Kalkaska 7-5. Tompkins

struck out five batters while giving up five hits and two walks to earn the victory.

Eight Ramblers contributed to the offense, led by Sweet with two doubles, Perry with three singles, and Pearsall with a triple. E. Neidhamer, Roland, and Stafford each connected for two singles while Becky Morrow and Lindsay Helsley each had one single.

Although Clausen was happier with the offense, noting that her team did hit well, she felt that more work could be done on the defensive end. "We still had four fielding errors which allowed two of their runs," she said. "The two walks came right before an error and a hit which allowed for two more. We need to cut out the errors."

The Rambler scored in four out of five innings and withstood a six run fourth inning from Kalkaska to hold on to an 11-9 conference win. Tompkins and Jessup allowed five hits and eight walks while striking out two.

"It's great to have a couple of conference wins," said Clausen.

The Ramblers found themselves on base 14 times due to walks. Ellie Neidhamer had a triple while Perry, Sweet, and Roland each had singles.

"We had three fielding errors; they just seem to happen when we really need the out," said Clausen. "In the fourth inning they had three hits; we gave them three walks and an error, so we helped them earn those runs."

On Saturday the Ramblers travel to a tournament in Kingsley. Games begin at 10 a.m.



Bethany Tompkins was all business in the Ramblers' game one victory over Kalkaska on Thursday. She also pitched game two, an 11-9 win.

SPORTS SCHEDULE

Boyer City

May 10 - JV Baseball, at Cheboygan, 4:30 p.m.
 May 12 - JV Baseball, Harbor Springs, home, 4:30 p.m.
 May 13 - Varsity Softball, at Kingsley, 10 a.m.; Varsity Baseball, at Kingsley, 10 a.m.
 May 15 - Track, East Jordan Invitational, away, 4 p.m.;
 May 16 - Varsity Softball, Inland Lakes, home, 4:30 p.m.; Varsity Baseball, Inland Lakes, home, 4:30 p.m.
 May 17 - JV Softball, East Jordan, home, 4:30 p.m.; JV Baseball, East Jordan, home, 4:30 p.m.
 May 19 - Varsity Softball, Petoskey, home, 4:30 p.m.; Varsity Baseball, Petoskey, home, 4:30 p.m.; JV Softball, at Petoskey, 4:30 p.m.; JV Baseball, at Petoskey, 4:30 p.m.; Tennis, Regionals, TBA
 May 20 - Track, Regionals, TBA

Boyer Falls

May 11 - Softball, at Alba, 4 p.m.; Baseball, at East Jordan, 4:30 p.m.
 May 15 - Softball, at Harbor Light, 4 p.m.; Baseball, at Harbor Light, 4 p.m.
 May 18 - Softball, Ellsworth, home, 4 p.m.; Baseball, Ellsworth, home, 4 p.m.

East Jordan

May 10 - Girls Soccer, Roscommon, home, 5 p.m.
 May 11 - Varsity Baseball, Boyne Falls, home, 4:30 p.m.
 May 12 - JV Softball, Charlevoix, home, 4:30 p.m.; Track, Inland Lakes Invitational, 4 p.m.
 May 13 - Girls Soccer, at Harbor Springs, 10 a.m.; Varsity Softball, Gaylord Tournament, away, 10 a.m.; Varsity Baseball, Gaylord Tournament, away, 10 a.m.
 May 15 - Varsity Softball, Charlevoix, home, 4:30 p.m.; Varsity Baseball, Charlevoix, home, 4:30 p.m.; JV Softball, Bellaire, home, 4:30 p.m.; JV Baseball, Bellaire, home, 4:30 p.m.; Track, Rotary Invitational, home, 3 p.m.
 May 17 - Girls Soccer, at Elk Rapids, 6:30 p.m.; JV Softball, at Boyne City, 4:30 p.m.; JV Baseball, at Boyne City, 4:30 p.m.
 May 19 - JV Softball, Jo-Burg, home, 4:30 p.m.; JV Baseball, Jo-Burg, home, 4:30 p.m.
 May 20 - Track, MHSAA Regional Meet, home, 9 a.m.

Rambler Scramble a benefit for Boyne City athletics

Ye Nyne Olde Holles will hold its ninth annual Rambler Scramble golf fund-raising tournament.

The four-person golf scramble will take place on Friday, May 19, at 5 p.m. at the golf course.

The cost is \$25 per person, which includes dinner. Pre-registration is encouraged.

For more information or to register, call Kevin Fitzpatrick at 582-6875.

Play Ball

LITTLE LEAGUERS TAKE THE FIELD

By ANGELA SHULTIS

With the boy's major league teams opening the season last week, and the minor's, major girls, and t-ball teams opening Monday, the Boyne City Little League will soon be in full swing.

According to little league president Dennis Amesbury, the numbers are down slightly from last year, with about 425 kids signed up presently as opposed to 450 last year. Even so, t-ball is now full and, he notes, the numbers may still go up, with senior boys and girls sometimes signing up after the school year has ended. "We may have 20 more by the time school's out," Amesbury said.

Besides the expected investment in practices and games, the organization is also involved with the proposed expansion of Rotary Park, and is helping with the creation of three new ball fields, a girl's softball field, a boy's senior field, and a minor/major combination field. And though the city has been thus far turned down for DNR grants to fund the project, the little league is still working to make the fields happen. While the city is donating labor and machinery when available to help with things like grading, volunteers from the organization are pitching in wherever they can.

The group hopes to have the boy's senior field



Batter Andrew Kruzal concentrates as catcher Drew Mittig and umpire George Britton wait for the pitch.

playable by next spring, though amenities like dugouts will have to wait until later. An application has been filed with the Charlevoix County Community Foundation for a grant to provide fencing, and Amesbury expects to hear shortly whether they will receive the funding.

The need for more fields, said Amesbury, is partly due to one of the biggest shifts in the league, which is an increase in the participation of girls in the sport. "We have a girls program for each of the boys programs," Amesbury said. "Girls are getting real heavy into the little league program."

Amesbury, who, after four or five years with the program is in his first year as president, said the group has lots of volunteers, but is "always looking for umpires, and folks to help maintain the fields, noting that field maintenance is a paid position.

scratch-card fund-raiser, which the group is trying in place of the usual candy sale. "It's looking real good," Amesbury said.

EAST JORDAN'S little league season will open on May 13, and the numbers, according to league president Patti Tison, are looking good. "We're at about 320 [kids] with 28 teams, pretty much about the same as we were last year," she said.

All their teams are set, and, unlike Boyne City, registration for their senior leagues is already closed. That's one thing Tison said is always a problem, having people wanting to sign up after the deadline. Amesbury noted the same problem in Boyne City, saying that lots of folks contacted them and said they hadn't heard about sign-ups, despite efforts on the league's part to get the word out. According to Tison, "that's the discouraging part."

more teams, with less kids per team and more playing time for each child. Still, she said, "every town has that problem."

The teams they have, though, are ready to play, and though they've got lots of volunteer help already, "we always can use volunteers," she said, especially in areas like the concession stand and for announcing. She notes that the greatest need for volunteers exists with the older teams. For the younger kids, she said, "we can always get volunteers at that level," because the game is still just for fun. "It's a fun time, there's no bad sportsmanship," she said. "I like that area the best."

Tison is in her second year as president of the league, and her fifth year on the board. "We've come a long way as a board," she said. Over the last few years the league has put a great deal of emphasis on safety, ensuring that each coach has good equipment that's kept up to code, as well as sportsmanship.

The organization, too, is looking to improve what the league has to offer when they can. "We have a new PA system this year," Tison said, funded by a grant from the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. She's excited to put that into use, she said, so now "everybody can hear us."

East Jordan teams play at various locations around town, including Murphy Field, Watson Field, and the high school fields. "On opening day, we have games at all four fields," she said. "The first game starts at 9 a.m. and the last game starts at 6 p.m. It's a good thing I don't have any kids playing," she laughs.

They've made the scattered game locations work, but are eager for the completion of Boswell Field, which will ultimately provide the organization five fields on which to play. They'll begin playing at Boswell in May of 2001.

And though the new fields will bring a lot to the game, it's really about the kids. Said Tison,



Little leaguer Cody Mittig kicks up some dust as he slides into third base.

Red Devil baseball on a winning streak

East Jordan High School varsity baseball chalked up four wins in four games last week, in two double headers against Cheboygan and Elk Rapids.

In game one of their meeting with Cheboygan, the Red Devils scored three runs in the first inning, to win the game 4-3 in six innings. Bobby Nichols pitched the first five innings, walking one, allowing five hits, and striking out two. "[Nathan] Skop relieved Nichols in the top of the sixth with runners at first and second," said coach Bruce Harger. "He threw a double play ball and got the

next batter to fly out to end the game and earn the save."

Top hitters for East Jordan were Jon Bennett with three hits, Nate Diller with a single and an RBI, and Mike Wladischkin, also with a single and an RBI.

East Jordan picked up the pace in game two, topping Cheboygan with a final score of 13-6. On the mound, Willy Wiser took over for starter Nick Karaszewski in the second, and walked two, gave up two hits, and struck out four. "Another strong relief performance for Wiser," said Harger.

For the Red Devils, top hitters included Nichols with two hits and two RBIs, Skop with a triple, a home run, and six RBIs, Bennett with two hits, and Diller with a single, an RBI, and two runs scored.

"Nate Skop had a great game at the plate," Harger said. "His three-run home run in the bottom of the fourth gave Wiser a comfortable lead."

Later in the week, the Red Devils captured two more wins, this time against Elk Rapids, with final scores of 15-2 and 13-6.

In game one, East Jordan pitcher Jon Bennett walked one, struck out five and gave up two hits. Commented coach Harger, "Jon Bennett had an excellent outing. He kept his fastball down and mixed his pitches well."

Top hitters for East Jordan were Nichols, who was three for four and pulled off a three-run homer, Skop with two doubles and an RBI, Karaszewski, two for three with a two run homer, and Matt Birgy, who had three runs scored.

"Offensively this was our best game of the year," Harger said. "Everybody hit the ball hard."

The Red Devils' Jeremy Bartlett allowed eight hits from the mound in game two, walking two and striking out four. Top hitters were Diller, two for three with an RBI double, Jeff Kraemer and Willy Wiser, who each contributed a three-run homer, Skop with an RBI double, a three run homer, and four RBIs, and Birgy, who went two for three with three runs scored.

"We hit the ball well all day," Harger said. "Nate Skop had a great day, five for eight, eight RBIs. Diller is swinging the bat well the past four games, Bartlett threw well. Elk Rapids had several hits that seemed to find the holes."

The team's record is 14-4 overall, and 5-1 in the conference. East Jordan was scheduled to play Kalkaska on Tuesday.

East Jordan's first high school soccer season shaping up

The Red Devils suffered a tough loss to Petoskey in last week's game at East Jordan, with a final score of 6-0.

"Our inexperience in passing and working as a team showed," said coach Eric Richardson. "We're still making first-year mistakes, though our second half game is improving dramatically."

Goalkeeper Patti Murray made 16 saves for the day, with forward Jennifer Roberts noted for strong play, and Heidi Russel and Cayla Tinney strong on defense.

The following day, East Jordan fell to Benzie Central at home, 4-0.

"East Jordan couldn't seem to hit gold in a flurry of shooting

that wouldn't go in," said Richardson. Benzie Central made the final goal of the game with three minutes remaining.

For East Jordan, Cynthia Mazzella was in goal, with strong offensive play by Renee Nowka and Naomi Lawson and strong defense contributed by Valerie Derenzy and Tinney.

"Everyone was excited to see our number of shots up dramatically," Richardson said. "Our defense stayed with them very well and our offside trap worked all game."

The team's record for the season is 0-7, and 0-5 in the conference. They were scheduled to play Charlevoix on Tuesday.

First hole-in-one of 2000 hit at Ye Nyne Olde Holles

The golf season has officially begun; Boyne City resident and musician John Povolito scored a hole-in-one on May 4.

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BC Girls, EJ Boys Take 4th at Heidi Steiner

The East Jordan boys missed third place by a half point at the May 1 Heidi Steiner Track Invitational in Bellaire finishing behind champs Benzie Central, Harbor Springs, and Onaway. The Boyne City boys finished twelfth.

The Red Devils used one first place finish and four seconds to lead the team. Rusty Steinhoff earned the lone victory in the shot put with a toss of 46-8. Micah Middaugh took second in the 3200m, Don Priest took second in the 300m hurdles, and Ken Slough placed second in the discus. The co-ed 3200m relay team also placed second in 9:24.13.

Others earning points for the Red Devils include Eric Fischer (5th) 200m; Chris Bacon (5th) 800m;

Chris Bearden (5th) 1600m; Peter Warnos (6th) pole vault; Jeremy Booze (6th) 3200m; and Steinhoff (6th) discus.

The Ramblers placed third in the co-ed 3200m relay with a time of 9:25.28. They also took fifth in the 400m relay and sixth in the 1600m relay. Others who placed in the top six include Aaron Sulak (5th) 100m and Shawn Weisler (5th) 3200m.

The Rambler girls also finished fourth in the 14 team meet, missing third by only four points. Benzie Central placed first, followed by Traverse City St. Francis and Bellaire. East Jordan placed eighth.

Boyer City used one first place finish and strong showings in the pole vault to pace themselves. Nicole

Kurtz ran 16.11 in the 100m hurdles, breaking her own school record, to earn top honors.

Nikki Peck also broke her own school record and tied for the meet record in the pole vault, clearing 8-4 to take second place. Nissa Ryder placed third in pole vault and Emily Bricker set a personal best as she placed fifth.

Having three pole-vaulters clear 7-0 or better and place in the top five was exciting for Boyne City coach Andy Place. "Every time I looked over to the pole vault area, one of our girls was vaulting. It is impressive to score three places in one event at a meet this size."

Place also noted that Jane Steiber, who placed fifth in the 3200m, and

Charlotte Brandt, who placed fifth in the 800m, both ran personal bests.

Other Ramblers who earned points for the team were Wendy Chrysler (5th) high jump; Meredith Clemens (4th) high jump; Sarah Hall (6th) 100m; and Ryder (6th) discus. Boyne City also placed fifth in the 400m relay, sixth in the 1600m relay, and third in the co-ed 3200m relay.

Suzi Malpass led the Red Devils, placing second in the 100m hurdles, and fourth in the 300m hurdles and the long jump. Heather Hammond placed fourth in the 800m and Jessica Peverall earned fourth in the pole vault. East Jordan also took second in the co-ed 3200m relay.



Cheerful workers

Members of Boyne City Brownie Troop #283 showed their community spirit by participating in "Buff Up Boyne" on Saturday. The girls cleaned up around city hall and Veteran's Park, and managed to maintain their Brownie smiles in the process.

Lady Loggers sweep Mackinaw and Vanderbilt

In Boyne Falls softball action, the Loggers met with Mackinaw City Monday, winning both games of a double header, 5-1 and 14-11.

In game one, Jenny Kuhn took the mound for Boyne Falls, giving up one run, three hits, five walks, and striking out three.

Hitters for Boyne Falls were Amanda Raphael with a double and a single, Kim Wagner with a triple, and Rene Fiel, Rachael Lewin, Amanda Jarema, and Stephanie Dzwik with a single apiece.

In game two, Jenny Kuhn relieved Kim Wagner in the fourth inning, and gave up three runs, one hit, walked five and struck out five. Wagner gave up eight runs, four hits, and walked eight.

At bat for the Loggers, Raphael and Erin Turner contributed two hits, and Kari Morey, Kuhn, Sarah Skop, Wagner, and Jennifer Boyer had one each.

"We played real good defense in the first game, and it was our best game so far," said coach Al Gasco. "In the second game we had a bad

third inning but to the girls' credit, they hung in there and didn't get down."

Last week, Boyne Falls met Vanderbilt, pulling out two wins in a double header.

Pitcher Jenny Kuhn allowed seven runs and two hits, striking out eight and walking eleven.

Hitters for Boyne Falls were Skop with two doubles, Raphael with a double and a single, Kuhn with two singles, Erica Jarema with a triple, and Turner and Wagner with a single each. The final score was 21-7.

In game two, Wagner took the mound, allowing ten runs and nine hits, striking out six and walking five. Top hitters for the Loggers were Skop with a double, and Kuhn, Raphael, and Boyer adding a single apiece.

"A much more aggressive effort from the team," said Gasco. "We ran the bases much better and we settled down after the first couple of innings and made some good decisions in the field. A good all-around effort from the team."

Boyne Falls lost to Wolverine on

May 1 in nine innings, 6-5. Hitters for Boyne Falls were Raphael with a double and a single, Skop with a double, and Wagner, Jarema, Stephanie Dzwik, and Rene Fiel with a single apiece.

In game two, Boyne Falls came back to win 8-7 in seven innings.

The team is 5-3 overall with a conference record of 5-1. They were scheduled to meet Bellaire on Tuesday.

ORDINANCE # 171 CITY OF EAST JORDAN FISCAL YEAR 2000/01 BUDGET

The City of East Jordan Hereby Ordains:

Section 1: Adoption of Budget

The revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year commencing on July 1, 2000 and ending June 30, 2001 are hereby appropriated on a major organizational unit basis summarized as follows:

PLANNED EXPENDITURES (TAX SUPPORTED FUNDS)

Governing Body/Commission	\$ 29,500.
Administrator	\$ 59,251.
Elections	\$ 4,350.
Assessor	\$ 23,000.
Attorney/Counsel	\$ 24,067.
Clerk	\$ 51,542.
Board of Review	\$ 1,460.
Treasurer	\$129,572.
Data Processing/Computer Dept	\$ 23,055.
Building and Grounds	\$112,875.
Cemetery	\$ 60,755.
Police Department	\$372,578.
Fire Department	\$162,625.
Inspection Department	\$ 1,000.
Zoning Board/Commission	\$ 15,670.
Department of Public Works	\$171,700.
Airport	\$ 44,148.
Street Lighting	\$ 43,000.
Recreation/Parks Department	\$724,344.
Elm Pointe Recreation Facility	\$ 27,425.
Civic Center Recreational Facility	\$ 14,225.
Sidewalks	\$ 6,060.
Transfers Out-Control	\$137,956.
Total General Fund	\$2,240,158.
Major Streets	\$159,655.
Local Streets	\$ 63,323.
Fire Equipment	\$ 11,130.
E.J. Community Day Camp	\$ 21,744.
Tifa Fund	\$182,449.
Ambulance Fund	\$213,122.
Equipment Fund	\$467,756.
Total Tax Supported Funds Expenditures	\$1,119,179.
Total Expenditures	\$3,359,337.

ANTICIPATED REVENUE (TAX SUPPORTED FUNDS)

Property Tax	\$770,000.
Misc. Tax Income	\$ 7,800.
Tax Collection Fees	\$ 11,000.
State Revenue	\$288,000.
Federal Grant	\$ 10,000.
Grants Private Source	\$ 60,000.
State Grant Recreation	\$369,000.
State Grant	\$ 28,000.
Township Contracts	\$ 62,993.
Cemetery Fees	\$ 10,000.
Interest	\$ 40,000.
Rentals	\$ 2,512.
Rebates	\$ 250.
Miscellaneous	\$ 9,675.
Sidewalk Receipts	\$ 1,000.
Sale of Fixed Assets	\$ 11,500.
Contribution/Donations	\$ 40,000.
Operating Transfers In	\$ 6,600.
Sub Total General Fund	\$1,728,330.

Revenue (con't)

Major Streets Fund	\$107,300.
Major Streets Fund Balance	\$ 63,355.
Local Streets Fund	\$ 50,500.
Local Streets Fund Balance	\$ 12,864.
Fire Equipment Fund	\$ 20,397.
Fire Equipment Fund Balance	\$ 48,871.
E.J. Community Day Camp	\$ 25,389.
E.J. Community Day Camp Fund Balance	(\$ 6,645.)
Tifa Fund	\$191,922.
Tifa Fund Balance	(\$ 9,473.)
Ambulance Fund	\$217,002.
Ambulance Fund Balance	\$ 244.
Equipment Fund	\$271,400.
Equipment Fund Balance	\$220,369.
Sub Total	\$1,216,495.
Funds on Hand (General Fund)	\$414,512.
Total Revenue	\$3,359,337.

ENTERPRISE FUNDS	EXPENSE	REVENUE
Harbor Fund	\$276,273.	\$184,210.
Harbor Fund Balance	\$115,237.	\$ 54,425.
Transfer Station	\$87,999.	\$47,925.
Transfer Station Fund Balance	\$54,542.	\$95,000.
Tourist Park Fund	\$155,059.	\$89,859.
Tourist Park Fund Balance	\$351,882.	\$338,368.
Sewer Fund	\$290,280.	\$354,905.
Sewer Fund Balance	\$387,981.	\$576,708.

DEBT SERVICE FUNDS	EXPENSE	REVENUE
DDA 1997A Debt Retirement Fund	\$78,085.	\$ 78,095.
DDA 1997A Debt Retirement Fund Balance	\$ 1,502.	\$ 65,198.
1998 DDA Debt Retirement Fund	\$65,188.	\$ 1,233.
1998 DDA Debt Retirement Fund Balance		

1999 MI Transportation Debt Retirement Fund	\$32,755.	\$32,755.
1999 MI Transportation Debt Retirement Fund Balance		-0-

CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS	EXPENSE	REVENUE
Industrial Complex Const. Fund	\$ 20,340.	\$ 40,200.
Industrial Complex Const. Fund Fund Balance		\$ 17,249.

FIDUCIARY FUND	EXPENSE	REVENUE
Perpetual Care Fund	\$7,000.	\$ 7,800.
Perpetual Care Fund Funds on Hand		\$148,184.

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND		
Rehab I & 11		\$ 28,433.
Rehab I & 11 Fund Balance	\$ 1,000.	\$48,248.

Section 2: Millage Levy to Support Budget
The Tax Millage Rate to support the 2000/01 budget will be 18.4539 mills or less, subject to Michigan State Tax Statutes and will be levied as follows:

General Operations:	18.4539 (or less)
Fire Equipment:	.4616 (or less)

Section 3: User Fee Increases Over Prior Year to Support Budget (effective 7-100 unless noted otherwise)

Civic Center Rental Fees		
Resident w/ food/beverage:	\$375.00	
Non Resident w/ food/beverage:	\$500.00	
Miscellaneous Fees		
Ledger Size Copies	.75	
Zoning Map (colored)	\$ 5.00	
Name List	.08 per name	
Ambulance Fees		
Transfers Resident	\$125.00	
Transfers Non-Resident	\$175.00	
Cemetery Fees		
Lot Purchases		
Lot	\$ 250.00 each	
Perpetual Care	\$ 125.00 each	
5th Addition Lot	\$ 125.00 each	
Grave Openings		
Adult	\$ 275.00	
Child (under 10)	\$ 100.00	
Cremains	\$ 100.00	
Saturdays	\$ 500.00	
Holiday	\$ 650.00	
Sundays	\$ 500.00	
Winter	\$ 650.00	
Miscellaneous		
Winter Storage	\$ 125.00	
Dis-interment	\$ 275.00	
Re-interment	\$ 275.00	
Elm Pointe Rental Fees (effective 1-1-2001)		
Resident 1/2 Day	\$ 125.00	
Resident Full Day	\$ 250.00	
Non-Resident 1/2 Day	\$ 300.00	
Non-Resident Full Day	\$ 500.00	
Resident Security Deposit	\$ 100.00	
Non-Resident Security Deposit	\$ 150.00	
Tourist Park Camping & Misc. Fees (effective 1-1-2001)		
Lakeview Site	\$ 20.00	
PV Site	\$ 18.00	
Tent w/electric	\$ 15.00	
Tent	\$ 11.00	
5 & 6 th Person Shower	\$4.00 per person, per night	
	\$ 2.00	
Water Rates		
User Fees	\$ 1.08/100 c.f.	
OM&R (all users)		(There is no longer a volume discount available)
Miscellaneous		
Off/on charges	\$ 25.00 Monday thru Friday	
Pulling Meter (tampering)	\$ 100.00	
Restoration of Tampered Services	\$ 100.00	
Sewer Rates		
Miscellaneous		
Minimum Flat Rate (per quarter)	\$ 5.50 first unit	
	2.50 per each additional unit	
Extra BOD Charge	\$.49 per 100 c.f.	
SS	\$.53 per 100 c.f.	

All other current rates are to remain the same.

Roll Call Vote:
Ayes: Norton, Cihak, Hoffman, Williams, Hammond & Mayor Klooster
Nays: None
Absent: Gee

Adopted: May 2, 2000
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Effective: May 17, 2000

Kathy O'Rear, City Clerk Date: 5-4-00

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BOYNE CITY MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK

The Boyne City Middle School girls track team took first and the boys second in their first meet against Charlevoix, Harbor Springs, and Elk Rapids on April 24. Three days later they both took top honors, defeating Charlevoix, East Jordan, and Harbor Springs.

Katie Martin led the girls in their first meet with three first place finishes, including a new record of 6-3 in the pole vault. Hannah Decker, Emma Dunne, and Carly Stieber all took top honors in two events. Darren Looze and Ian Smith were both double winners for the boys.

Following is a list of Ramblers who placed in the top five: Pole vault: 1-Katie Martin; 2-Hannah Decker; 800m: 1-Martin; 3-Lea Howie; 400m: 1-Martin; 3-Emily McLane; 1600m: 1-Emma Dunne; 4-Kayla Welch; 1600m relay: 1-Boyne City (Dunne, Decker, Carly Stieber, Savannah Hartwick); 3200m relay: 1-Boyne City (Decker, Stieber, Lyndsay Tomkins, Becky Young); 3200m: 2-Stieber; 5-Young; High jump: 4-Hartwick; Shot put: 2-Christine Dixon; 70m: 5-Dixon; 400m relay: 3-Boyne City (Leslie Meads,

Dixon, McLane, Kyle Barden); 200m hurdles: 2-Barden; 800m relay: 2-Boyne City (Michelle Metzger, Brean Smith, Katie Dole, Barden); 200m: 2-Smith; Long jump: 5-Kathleen Adkison; 55m hurdles: 2-Wendy Ostby.

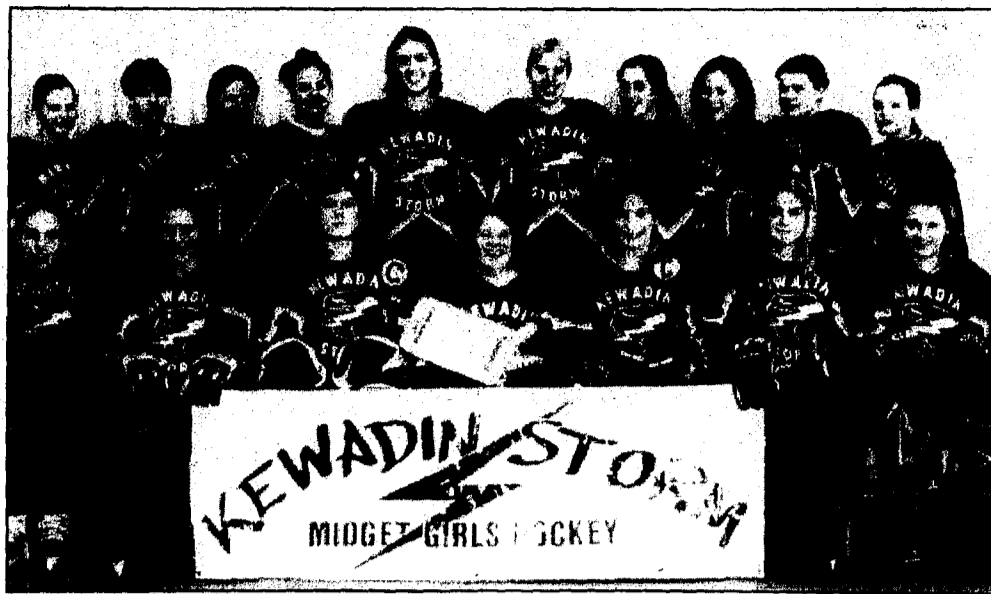
Boys: 800m: 1-Darren Looze; 5-Isaac Hoagland; 3200m relay: 1-Boyne City (Ian Smith, Jacob Warstler, Reed Ameal, Looze); 200m hurdles: 1-Nick Sulak; 3-Jordan Voice; 5-Andre Duby; 200m: 1-Steven Cronk; 4-Geary Ryder; 5-Hoagland; 1600m run: 2-Ameal; 1600m relay: 1-Boyne City (Justin Conklin, Nick Follette, Randall Sutton, Smith); 800m relay: 2-Boyne City (Conklin, Sutton, David Zimmerman, Brenton Rozycki; 3200m: 2-Aaron Harbaugh; 100m: 2-Sulak; 3-Cronk; High jump: 4-Bill Grice; 5-Ameal; 70m: 3-Follette; 5-Bill Waisanen; 400m: 3-Follette; 4-Hoaglund; Shot put: 4-Sulak; Long jump: 5-Ryder; 55m hurdles: 5-Voice

On April 27 Darren Looze was a double winner again, with first place finishes in both the 200m hurdles and the 3200m relay (with Reed Ameal, Jacob Warstler, and Isaac Hoagland).

Other Ramblers who finished in the top three include: Boys 800m: 2-Looze; 3-Warstler; 1600m: 2-Ameal; 1600m relay: 1-Boyne City (Justin Conklin, Randall Sutton, Nick Follette, Ian Smith); 3200m: 2-Aaron Harbaugh; 400m: 3-Follette; 800m relay: 2-Boyne City (Conklin, Sutton, David Zimmerman, Geary Ryder); 200m: 2-Steven Cronk; 3-Ryder; 100m: 3-Cronk; 400m relay: 1-Boyne City (Cronk, Zimmerman, Brenton Rozycki, Bill Waisanen); 200m hurdles: 2-Nick Sulak; High jump: 3-Justin Knysz.

Girls: 800m: 1-Katie Martin; 2-Leah Howie; 400m: 2-Martin; 1600m: 2-Emma Dunne; 1600m relay: 2-Boyne City (Dunne, Savannah Hartwick, Carly Stieber, Hannah Decker); High jump: 3-Hartwick; 3200m: 2-Stieber; 3200m relay: 1-Boyne City (Stieber, Decker, Lyndsay Tomkins, Becky Young); 55m hurdles: 3-Kayla Eaton; 200m hurdles: 2-Kyle Barden; 3-Wendy Ostby; 800m relay: 2-Boyne City (Barden, Brean Smith, Katie Dole, Karly Gaither); Shot put: 1-Christine Dixon; 3-Gaither; 200m: 1-B. Smith; 3-Emily McLane

The next home 7th and 8th grade meet is Wednesday, May 10 at 4 p.m.



Hockey champs

The Kewadin Storm girls travel hockey team recently concluded its 1999-2000 season with an annual awards dinner. The team won the Michigan Girls State Championship in March. Ellie Neidhamer of Boyne City was presented with the Most Sportsmanlike player award. The Kewadin Storm team includes, back row from left: Andrea Klier, Ellie Neidhamer (Boyne City), Wendy Bouschor, Kara Perry (Boyne City), Jessi Kidder, Micaela Kelso, Emily Roland (Boyne City), Aimee Fornes, Jodi Woiderski, Janelle Pingatore. Front row: Stephanie Sprecker, Jenna Roland (Boyne City), Missy Rickley, Kristyn King, Haley Sebastian, Sami Luttmann, Crystal Mitchell.

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Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, MI in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m., on May 19, 2000.

The premises are located in the Township of Boyne Valley, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

That part of the South Half (S1/2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) of Section 35, Township 32 North, Range 5 West, Lying Easterly of the G.R. & I. Railroad Right-Of-Way.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA

PUBLIC NOTICE

The 2000 Annual Report of the **KALUSH FOUNDATION**, a charitable trust designated as a foundation under Section 509 of the 1954 Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and pursuant to Section 6104(d) of that Code, is available on Form 990PF for inspection at the principal office of the foundation located at 500 Front Street, Boyne City, Michigan, (231) 582-9948, during regular business hours by any citizen who requests it within 180 days after this notice.

The Foundation's principal manager is Samuel L. Kalush, as defined. This notice is published pursuant to the requirements set forth in Sections 6104(d) and 6056 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and in compliance with the provisions thereof.

Dated: May 10, 2000
THE KALUSH FOUNDATION

ORDINANCE #170

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING CODE OF THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN

Article XXIV, entitled Zoning Board of Appeals, is hereby amended to include the following new paragraph:

New Paragraph to be added to the end of Section 24.02:

The City Commission may appoint not more than two (2) alternate members to the Board of Appeals for a term of three (3) years each. An alternate member shall serve in the place of a regular member who is absent or who must abstain in a particular case because of a conflict of interest. The alternate member shall continue to serve in the place of the regular member, who was absent or abstained, in that particular case until a final decision has been made. The alternate members shall serve on a rotating basis as needed.

The balance of the existing chapter is hereby renumbered.

Ayes: Norton, Cihak, Hoffman, Williams, Hammond and Mayor Klooster

Nays: None
Absent: Gee

Adopted: May 2, 2000
Published: May 10, 2000
Effective: May 17, 2000

Kathy O'Rear, CMC
City Clerk

600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale.

Dated: April 12, 2000

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File No. 193.0381

April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10, 2000

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

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

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the regular school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 12, 2000.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2000, IS MONDAY, MAY 15, 2000. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 15, 2000, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION.

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

This notice is given by order of the board of education.

Sandra L. Erber
Secretary, Board of Education

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ourselves.

"We want to do a lot of one-of-a-kind pieces."

It's not just the inventory they're focused on, though. "We want the store to be pleasant," Jay said, hence the inclusion of a stone wall with a waterfall and pond feature. They will also host events as often as they can. At Thanksgiving time, they hope to have glass artists from around the state create some glass pumpkins, which will then be on display in a "pumpkin patch." Proceeds from the sale of the pumpkins will be given to charity.

And coming up on Memorial Day, they plan to take some colorful glass globes, called Ninjima Floats, and inscribe them with the names of local veterans, along with the date. They will then release the pieces into the river and the lake to float

away, and be found by whoever happens upon them. "My dad was a veteran," Glenna said, "and this would be something he'd get a kick out of."

It seems the business itself is something the rest of their families get a kick out of, as well. "It's all been a family effort," said Jay. "We all enjoy this place." And Glenna added, "My kids and Joe [her husband] have been really supportive. They all take pride in the building and their own personal accomplishments here."

Both being local folks, for Jay and Glenna the location in East Jordan made sense on a couple of levels. Said Jay, "we do believe that East Jordan's rebirth over the last many years will succeed in part due to the arts."

"This is a vision Glenna and I have had for several years, that East Jordan can become a little Sausalito or Palm Springs," he said. "We'd like to get more arts in the area. Charlevoix has become what it is because a couple of stores

opened."

The store hours will be 9 a.m.-9 p.m., seven days a week. Glenna and Jay, though, will be spending even longer hours there, working and creating. But it's all for the love of their art.

Said Jay, "There's nothing we'd rather do."

ANOTHER LOCAL glassblowing duo has recently opened a studio. Alan and Nathan Swan have created a space in their workshop to display and sell the unique pieces they create. "We have a wide range of glassblowing creations," said Alan. "Blown pieces that hand like ornaments, vases, bowls, sculptures."

The father and son artisans are intent on creating unusual and one-of-a-kind items. "We don't copy any glassblowers," Alan said. "We're real careful to be working on our own designs and color combinations." The focus is on creating something new everyday. "Everyday a bunch of the neighbors

stop by," he said, to see what new things the pair have created.

"It's always new," he said. The studio, located at 3656

Hejhal Rd., has plenty of inventory at the moment, with Alan and Nathan adding new works all the time. The building that houses their enterprise is small, "very artsy" as Alan puts it, but their plan is to expand it with a larger show room space by the fall.

With two glass studios opening in East Jordan in the same year, the question is, what is it about this particular town that creates a market for the arts?

At the base of it, the business community in East Jordan is open to the sort of diversity these types of businesses create. "We're elated that they've chosen East Jordan to locate in, with the talent and quality of work they're bringing in," said East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce director Mary Faculak. With so many talented artists, writers, and craftsmen, she said, "that's what East Jordan is becoming known for."

And one thing about the glass business, like many of the varied arts, is that several can exist and not

really take away from one another's clientele. "There is no competition in this kind of stuff," said Alan Swan. "The more studios the



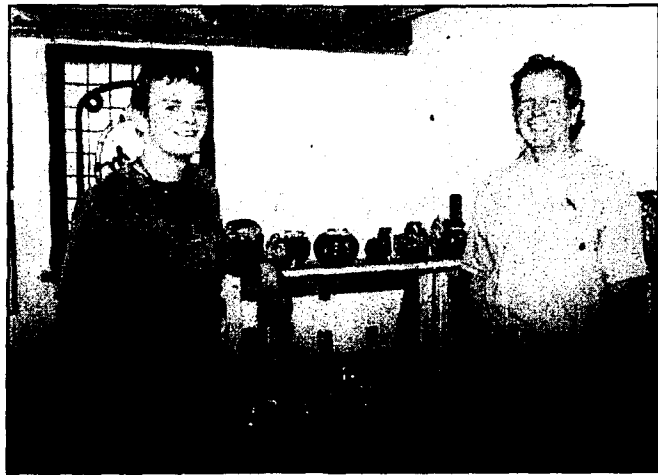
Glass ornaments hang from the ceiling in the Swan studio.

better." The reason is, he said, that they're all doing such different things, with different styles.

Faculak notes that these types of businesses, with their focus on the arts, are, like the Jordan River Arts Center, good for the whole community. "We see them as a destination for people coming in to town," she said. "When we see people coming in for their businesses, they're coming in to have lunch and visit the whole community." Also, in the case of Jordan Valley

Glassworks, the rehabilitation of an old building is another positive point for East Jordan as a whole.

And the focus on the arts, said Faculak, ties in with the trend toward nature-based tourism that brings lots of people to the East Jordan area. "That type of vacationer has a strong appreciation for [the arts] too," she said. "The neat part [of these businesses' opening] is that it compliments what we have here in this community."



Nathan Swan, and his father Alan Swan, are expanding their glassblowing workshop to include a studio area to display and sell their wares.

Arts Council to award scholarships

The Jordan River Arts Council announces the annual Doris Huckle Foundation Scholarship award ceremony to be held Sunday, May 14, with a reception for the artists, family and friends from 1-4 p.m., with awards presentation at 3 p.m., at the Arts Center, 301 Main Street, East Jordan.

Eight junior and senior students from Charlevoix and Antrim County schools will submit a portfolio of five pieces of work to be judged. The winner will receive \$500 toward expenses at the art school or program of his/her choice.

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This year's participating students are from East Jordan High School, under Pat Tinney's direction, are Jon Bennett, Tonya Brodin, Micah Middaugh, Renee Ann Roberts and Nathan Swan.

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