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## At A Glance

### Everyone invited to playground work-bee

Community members are invited to take part in a work-bee at Boyne Area Creative Playground on Saturday, May 11. Workers will be cleaning up and putting on the new playground's finishing touches. The playground area will be limited to adults-only during the work-bee, due to power tool use; parents participating are asked to bring games/activities for their children to enjoy in Veteran's Park outside of the playground area. Anyone who can bring their own tools is encouraged to do so. For more information, call the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce at 5826222.

### Grandvue offering tour and building project update

A Grandvue Update and Tour event will be held on Thursday, May 9, from 2:30 pm. at the Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan. All interested community members, staff, and families are invited to visit the facility and receive an update on Grandvue's current building project and other news of interest. Those wishing to attend are asked to call ahead. The number is 536-2286. The event is sponsored by the Grandvue Auxiliary.

### BCFFEE seeks volunteers for work bee at sports complex

The Boyne City Foundation for Educational Excellence is looking for individuals to pitch in and help put the finishing touches on the school sports complex. Workers of all ages are invited to help complete the following: finish all sidewalks going into the complex and baseball field; pour bleacher pads for the baseball field; and build two ticket booths for the football field. Helpers will be needed for some evenings and possibly Saturday work. Call Frank Shtaler at 582-7512 or Lynda Christensen at 582-9555 for more information or to advise of availability for scheduling purposes. Organizers hope to begin work on May 13, depending on the number of volunteers available.



### Keeping Boyne buff

With glorious weather on their side, plenty of folks turned out last weekend to wash the remnants of winter out of Boyne City. Above, Carl Waghorn, John and Joni Czarniecki, and Kathy Waghorn clean up the waterfront, while, at left, Scott MacKenzie and company wash down city streets.

BFPS RECIEVES NCA ACCREDITATION EXTENSION, WORKING TOWARDS TRIMESTER SYSTEM, POSSIBLE EXPANSION

## Boyne Falls School sees a bright future

As Boyne Falls Public School continues to keep up with its motto, "A Small School with a Big Future," it was recently announced that the school's North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA) accreditation has been extended through the end of the current school year. The action was taken at the NCA's annual meeting in Chicago on April 9. The renewal is an annual process, with official accreditation extension being awarded in April after the school has been monitored via on-site evaluations, an annual report on conditions, and on supplementary information gathered throughout the school year. If there's a problem, said Boyne Falls principal Bill Aten, the NCA will "let you know early on" in the evaluation process, earlier than the final official designation is made in April.

Boyne Falls, however, appears to be right on track. Last year, the school became one of the smallest in the state to receive the NCA accreditation status, which is in essence, Aten said, "an assurance that you are providing good, quality instruction. "NCA membership assures the public at large that the school has met standards which high quality schools in the NCA region consider to be imperative for effective education and that is working to improve performance for all students." Along with the accreditation, the school is currently in the second of a five-year cycle of working towards an NCA "endorsement," or what is now being called a "performance accreditation." While the NCA previously offered school districts several different endorsement tracks, the organiza-

tion is transitioning to four stages of improvement. Districts must work through each of the stages to receive the performance endorsement, a model that more closely matches that of the federal education model of "No Child Left Behind," as well as the State of Michigan's educational model, "Education Yes!" The idea, Aten said, "is a meshing of all those goals, so [schools] are not doing three separate things." Each school year, Boyne Falls School identifies goals and rewrites an improvement plan, per NCA requirements. While those goals and plans can include a myriad of areas, one major change the school will be implementing in the 2002-03 school year is the switch to a trimester system, rather than the traditional semester system, in which students will have three terms instead of two over

the course of one school year. Never ones to follow the crowd, Boyne Falls will become the only local school to implement such a system and, said Aten, may be the second in the state to do so. "We really know of only one other school in the state on trimesters," he said. The motivation to make the move came essentially from the opportunities administrators and staff believe it will create for students. "[The change] has expanded our curriculum," Aten said, "and that's one of the point of emphasis with North Central, 'what are your offerings?'" Additional course offerings will not range significantly outside of current offerings, but rather consist mainly of enrichment and extensions to what students are currently taking. For example, Aten said, in biology, students might take two terms of biology, and

then an additional term in limnology, or freshwater biology, doing things like water quality studies. "Teachers [in those enrichment classes] will do more performance-based assessments." With a growing student body, especially at the high school level, the trimester system will also allow the school to accommodate a higher number of students without compromising educational quality. The move to trimesters will, in fact, "increase contact time with our students. Students are going to have more contact time with teachers in a 12-week cycle than they do now in an 18-week cycle. Despite the obvious advantages, the decision to implement the system was not one taken lightly, or without plenty of input from interested par-

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## Telling tales

### ■ EJ student has found her creative niche in forensics

Upon meeting East Jordan High School sophomore Whitney Hershberger, it is immediately apparent why she would be successful in the forensic storytelling events she enjoys participating in. An animated speaker with a bright smile and poised manner, Hershberger is the picture of a young person with confidence and self-esteem to spare.

And she is, indeed, successful, having recently taken first at both the district and regional competitions, as well as capturing an enviable fifth-place finish overall at the state competition over the weekend in Marquette, competing against schools much larger, from teams much more seasoned than her own. One of 25 finalists from all over the state competing in the grueling, days-long competition, Hershberger, according to forensics faculty coach Paula Vollbach, placed one spot above a storyteller from a downstate arts school. "It's truly amazing," Vollbach said. "The team was excited for her." The achievement comes in what is only Hershberger's second year of forensic storytelling competition, and her first as a student at East Jordan High School, which just this year added a forensics program. To Whitney, though, her success appears to boil down to one simple factor: a love for telling stories. "I've always been a drama geek," she said with a wide grin. "I enjoy drama. I don't do athletics. This is my sport." She first became involved in forensic storytelling at her previous school downstate as a freshman. With her dad Charles getting involved, the pursuit became a family affair, one they brought with them to East Jordan upon



East Jordan High School sophomore Whitney Hershberger recently placed fifth overall at the state forensics competition in Marquette.

moving to the area last year. Charles serves as the community coach for the team, and also is involved with judging competitions throughout the season. With her passion for the event, it's no surprise that the family took the initiative in establishing a program at East Jordan High School. "I thoroughly and completely enjoy [forensics]," Hershberger said. "You really leave with a lot of confidence." A debate team was the first step, established last fall with Whitney and 11 others

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## Having a ball

### ■ 'Fun-Guy Ball' added to Boyne Mushroom Fest

With the Mushroom Festival right around the corner, slated for the weekend of May 16-19, the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce is adding to the fun with a punfully dubbed "Fun-Guy (fungi) Ball." Planned for Saturday, May 18, the event will begin at 6 p.m. under the Big Top in Veteran's Park, and will feature dinner, dancing, prizes, and more. The cost for tickets is \$100 for two, including dinner and limited drinks, plus a chance to win raffle prizes including an Alumcraft V14 9.9 HP Yamaha two-stroke with trailer from Sunburst Marine; a four-person hot tub from Luxury Bath and Spa; or Mountain Hard Wear camping gear and canoe from the Outside Edge. First place in the raffle drawing will get their choice of the three offered prizes; second place will pick from the two remaining. Those interested in attending the dinner and dance, but not participate in the raffle, can purchase tickets for \$25 each, which admits one person and is good for \$15 in food and drink tickets.

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# OPINION

## LETTERS

### Many braved the chill to support Kite-In

TO THE EDITOR:

It could have been warmer, but dedicated activists braved the chill to help raise environmental awareness at the second Annual Environmental Awareness Kite-In held at Veteran's Park in Boyne City April 27.

Many thanks to the environmental organizations who participated and staffed educational outreach booths at this Earth Day-Every Day event: Watch, Citizens for Alternatives to Toxins, Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Environmental Services, Charlevoix Conservation District, MI Groundwater Stewardship Program/Americorps member of Antrim Co., Lake Charlevoix Association, Friends of the Boyne River, the Girl Scouts, and the Green Party.

With great heart and determined spirit, two professionals, Thea Ennen (who traveled from Wisconsin) and Robin Lee Berry (from Boyne City), braved the weather and warmed our spirits with their beautiful, uplifting, inspiring music.

We cannot thank them enough for volunteering their time and performing under less than comfortable conditions to help promote environmental awareness. THANK YOU, Robin and Thea!!

An ongoing people-count estimated that some 200 people visited the free, non-commercial event throughout the afternoon.

At one time, there were 12-15 kites floating on the wind, truly a beautiful sight against the dark, threatening skies. And, almost surreal, was a HUGE rainbow colored kite, perhaps 12-15 feet wide slowly snaking its 50-foot tail to Thea's dreamlike music, like a dragon dancing in the sky.

We provided literature for those visiting the outreach booths, and encouraged them to read the information, think about environmental issues, the web-of-life, and our beautiful, fragile planet. We talked to elementary and high school students... and planted seeds of awareness that will, hopefully, encourage people to make positive, healing choices that will help protect our environment.

Michael Buttigieg, who did all the organizing for this event, extends his "Thank You!" to all who participated and attended this event. And, Michael says, "Next year, this Earth Day-Every Day event will be held in June!! Plan on coming and bringing your kites...it's FUN!!"

Towards a Greener World,  
Up North Green Party

### Charter schools provide inspiring, challenging environment

TO THE EDITOR:

Last week charter schools throughout the country celebrated National Charter Schools Week. Charter school children throughout the week involved themselves in special programs, contests, and other exciting activities, allowing our students an even more enjoyable, motivating educational experience than they would normally receive daily. Concord Academy Boyne is open to all children, grades K-12 and bound by Michigan Department of Education guidelines and regulations. Concord is a public school, which means it is open to all children and like any other public school offers a "free" education.

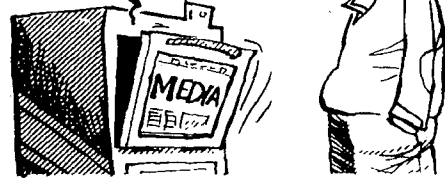
The staff is dedicated and loyal to their profession and students. Parents are invited and encouraged to participate in the classroom. The doors of communication are always open to the entire staff.

Concord Academy Boyne will provide an inspiring and challenging educational environment conducive to critical thinking by integrating a strong fine arts program into a traditionally strong core curriculum.

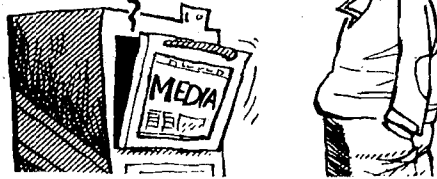
In closing, the combined efforts of teachers, students, and parents make Concord a truly unique educational environment for children.

Dan Mills  
Concord Academy Boyne

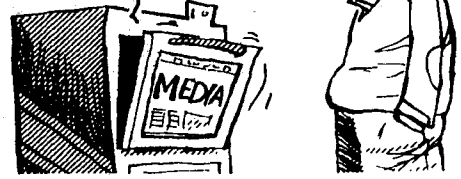
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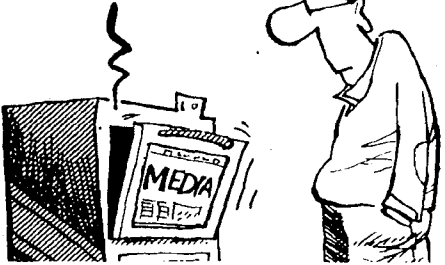
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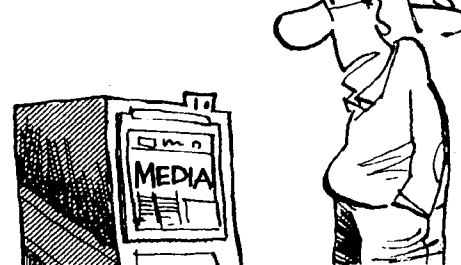


Photo by Vic Ruggles

### Putting in her two cents

While visiting Washington D.C. recently, Boyne City resident Jesse Willson, 91, unable to participate in her usual two or three card game per week average, found another way, according to her grandson Vic Ruggles, to put in her two cents. Alongside Palestinians protesting against Israel, Israelis protesting against Palestinians, Columbians protesting deforestation, and "hippies" protesting the World Bank, Willson's "protest" was a bit more generic in nature.

### BOYNE CITY HIGH SCHOOL

#### CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

(The following information has been provided by the Christman Company and the Boyne City Board of Education.)

Over the past two weeks the crews have accomplished the following: formed and poured the concrete risers in the auditorium, and installed the pole vault pit in the gymnasium floor; the veneer block at the main entrance walls has been laid, and the flashing for the translucent wall system was put in place.

The crews have begun hanging the wood doors and installing the door hardware. They have finished the drop ceiling in the classroom and locker room wings, as well as installing the acoustical wall panels in the commons area.

The installation of the plaster ceiling in the shower rooms is underway, as well as installing the toilet partitions in the locker rooms and auditorium restrooms.

They continue to install the carpeting and VCT in the classroom wing. The sprinkler piping in the student commons area is being hung, and they are finishing the light installation in the kitchen and commons areas.

Over the next couple of weeks the crews look to wash the block walls in the commons and lobby areas, then pour the concrete floors at the entryways with the recessed mat frame embedded in the concrete.

The last of the structural steel will be set at the main entrance, as well as the installation of the aluminum wall panels in the same area. The angle and metal deck in the light port rooms will be done, along with the installation of the roof ladders.

The translucent wall system at the main entrance will begin with the installed, as well as the remaining aluminum windows. The aluminum storefront and curtain wall system will be started, along with the installation of the acoustical wall panels in the Stage House area.

The crews will be finishing the carpeting and VCT in the classroom wing and start the VCT in the locker room wing. The rubber stair treads and landings will be installed in the classroom wing, and they will start the tiling of the bathrooms near the dressing rooms.

The stage house will be finished painted, as well as the ceiling in the commons area. Lockers will be installed in the vocational wing and kitchen areas, and they will be installing the stage rigging in the auditorium as of May 1. Lastly, they will begin the installation of the wood floor in the gymnasium.

The crews continue to move on schedule, and Mother Nature becomes more cooperative with each passing day.

## WE WELCOME YOUR LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The best read letters are brief and on a topic of local interest. Our deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. Letters will be printed on a space-available basis.

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## Honoring East Jordan's top dad

### EJ native Jim Shepard is Rotary's 'Father of the Year'

At its annual Father and Son banquet recently, the East Jordan Rotary Club presented East Jordan native Jim Shepard with the honor of 2002 Father of the Year.

Shepard was presented with the award by his grandson, Pat Whiteford. Married for 45 years, Shepherd is the father of four, grandfather of 16, and great-grandfather of two.

"As he can well tell you," said Whiteford in his introduction, "a father's job never ends. All of his children and grandchildren continue to look to him for support and advice. They know he is always there to help in any way he can, or, more importantly, to guide in a direction that allows them to reach their goals."

Born in 1935 in East Jordan, he graduated from East Jordan High School in 1953, moving on to study at Michigan State University, where he received his teaching degree in 1961, followed by a Master's degree in 1966. He also attended the University of Michigan, where he earned an Advanced Studies certificate.

In 1961, Shepard began his teaching career in Alanson Public Schools, and spent the rest of the 1960s as a member of the Twin Valley and East Jordan Public School systems as a teacher, adult education instructor, and vocational education director.

In October of 1969, Shepard followed his desire to promote vocational education as vocational education director for the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, becoming superintendent of the Char-Em ISD in January of 1973, a position he eventually retired from in 1993.

Shepard is also a member of the Michigan Association of School Administrators, Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators, and the Northern Michigan Leadership Teacher Learning Consortium, is an IDE Fellow, and has served on the Charlevoix Community Foundation Board of Directors. He is also an active original member of the East Jordan Lions Club.



Jim Shepard received his Father of the Year award at the annual Rotary-sponsored Father and Son banquet.

## Boyne Falls School

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ties. "The teachers endorsed it immediately," Aten said. "We had community forums, presented it to our PTO and school board. Once they've seen it laid out, the offerings and what's available, we've had real positive feedback."

The system will change graduation requirements from 21 credits to 26 with an increase in math, science, technology, and physical education requirements, but will be phased in over the course of four years in order to ease the transition for current students.

While the change primarily affects the high school grades, Aten added, the middle and elementary staffs have decided to follow the same format, grading three times a year instead of four, and giving mid-term progress reports approximately every six weeks, instead of the current four-week standard. "It just makes sense," Aten said, "but we left that as a staff decision."

And as Boyne Falls continues to break ground figuratively, they may also, at some future date, need to break ground in the literal sense. As their student body grows by leaps and bounds, the school building, new in 2000, may need to grow as well. "Next year, we'll be maxed out," Aten said. "If we have another influx like we did in the last two years at the elementary, we'll have to look at expansion."

"It appears that, Aten said, "good news travels fast."

### Ball

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"Upbeat country music" will be the featured entertainment.

A limited number of tickets are now available at the Boyne Area Chamber, Boyne River Bait, Bali & Beyond, Destress Express, Kilwin's, and the Wolverine-Dilworth Hotel.

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## BCES to host Char-Em Family Discovery night

Families with children age birth to five and older siblings are invited to a Family Discovery Night event at Boyne City Elementary School on Thursday, May 16, from 6:30-8 p.m.

The event is part of the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District's Stepping Stones to School project. "Send Off to Summer" is the theme of this event.

Summer activities will be highlighted, including gymnastics and Raven Hill activities. A special infant and toddler's play corner will be available. Tours of the school and snacks round out the event.

Area summer fun activities will be highlighted and an infant and toddler play area will be designated. Craft activities will be available for older children. Tours of the school and snacks will also be available.

Family Discovery Nights are for all children, birth to five, and their entire family.

Older siblings are welcome to attend, too. Games, educational activities, tours of the building led by elementary school staff or PTO members, snacks and more are on tap at each Family Discovery Night.

The local elementary school and The Stepping Stones to School Alliance sponsor the event. Alliance partners include Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Head Start of Northwest Michigan, and the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District. Char-Em ISD coordinates the Alliance partnership through a grant from the Michigan Department of Education.

Stepping Stones to School is a new

program designed to help families walk their child toward school readiness, starting at birth.

Studies show that the potential success of a child depends on the level of parental and adult involvement beginning at birth.

Thanks to a grant from the Michigan Department of Education and coordinated by Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, services — such as Family Discovery Nights — are available in the area to enhance the home-to-school connection.

The purpose of the free Family Discovery

Night is to:

- connect all families with children ages birth to 5 with their local elementary school,
- provide all families with children ages birth to 5 access to community resources,
- offer fun activities for parents of young children in their local community, and
- provide child development and parenting information that will support parents as they ready their youngster for school.

Besides the free Family Discovery

Night events, families that enroll in Stepping Stones to School receive invitations to playgroups to meet other families with young children; newsletters with information on health, nutrition and fun activities to try at home; birthday packets from the local elementary school until the child reaches kindergarten; and home visits from a registered nurse.

For more information about Stepping Stones to School or the location and date of a Family Discovery Night at your local elementary school, call 547-6217 or toll free 1-877-866-3714.

### VETERAN OF THE MONTH

#### Corb John Miller

Veteran of the Month for May is Corb John Miller who was born Nov. 27, 1909 in Calumet, Mich. His family moved to Muskegon in 1922 where he later graduated from high school.

In 1940 Miller met Bernice in Detroit, at a restaurant he owned and operated, and they were married. Miller was inducted into the Army May 30, 1942 in Detroit, and was assigned to the Engineer Corps working as a carpenter building bridges. Miller departed the US on April 2, 1943 arriving in Algeria on April 13, 1943 and departing Algeria on Jan. 8, 1944 to arrive in Corsica on Jan. 10, 1944.

He returned to the US Nov. 25, 1944 where he received his honorable discharge on March 23, 1945 in Cleveland, Ohio. Miller served in the Italian Campaign and received the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with one Bronze Battle Star and the Good Conduct Medal.

After receiving his discharge Miller moved to Livonia where he worked in the auto industry as a paint sprayer for 25 years.

He spent his retirement fishing, gardening, cooking and reading until his death March 29, 2002.

He is being honored by his daughters Terrie Sloan from Rapid City and Valerie Donn from Williamsberg. The Veteran of the Month program is available for any deceased veteran who served honorably in the United States military.

To honor a veteran call (231) 588-6067 or Tuesdays and Thursdays (231) 582-7811 between 3-6 p.m.

The ceremony may be witnessed the first Thursday of each month in front of the American Legion Post at the corner of Lake and Main in Boyne City at 6:15 p.m.



Corb John Miller

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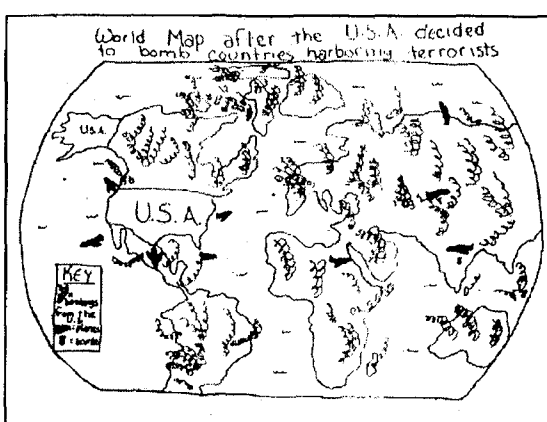
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# AREA STUDENTS MAKING NEWS

Beyond reading, writing and arithmetic, students in our area schools are making news of their own all the time. This week, *The Citizen-Journal* highlights a few of those students' accomplishments, as we will in the future in this occasional feature.



## Cartoon winner

Boyne City Middle School student Rachel Jabara took first place in her division in the Detroit Free Press Editorial/Political Cartoon Contest. Here, Jabara is presented with her certificate by principal Steve Smith. Several other student also participated in the contest, which also included editorial essays.



EJHS students Tiffanie Bearden and Jenny Kraemer pose with CMU foreign language professor Mary Gillingham at the recent Foreign Language Day at the university.



## RIF fun

Boyne City Elementary School celebrated its 14th annual Reading Celebration, "Freedom to Read!" Students enjoyed book, craft, music and snack station. The event was especially successful thanks to BC Pizza,



Glens, National Honor Society students, the Boyne City High School band and more than 40 parents and staff members. Pictured above, first graders ham it up between activities. At right, Kevin Paul leads a music station for fourth graders.



## Trip to Lansing

House Speaker Rick Johnson met recently with Boyne City High School juniors Marcie Diener and Scott Weir, who were in Lansing for the Youth in Government program, as the written press editor and the Senate Workplace Committee chair, respectively. Diener, 16, is the daughter of Jack and Val Diener. Weir, 17, is the son of Dan and Shelly Weir.

## East Jordan students connect with languages

Thirty-two foreign language students from East Jordan High School, accompanied by teachers Merri-Sue Cardwell and Nathan Tarsa, participated in the 30th annual Foreign Language Day at Central Michigan University in April.

The East Jordan students were among some 2,100 high school students from around Michigan who took part in dance, song, skits, interpretive reading, poster design, and cultural displays in French, German, and Spanish. Students also toured the campus and the Language Learning Center, ate lunch in one of CMU's residence halls, and attended competitions and an awards ceremony.

This year's theme was "Connecting the World with a Foreign Language."

In the Poetry/Interpretive Reading competition, Jessica Vallance won third place for Spanish Level One, and Tiffanie Bearden won third place for German Level Two. Vallance shared a children's story accompanied by a flannel board interpretation. Bearden read an original poem entitled "Das Kleine Madchen (The Little Girl)," written in memory of her father.

Other competitors include Dale Henning and Nina Romero who performed a dance routine to "Gotcha," and Stephanie Mills and Jessica Mellios who constructed a display capturing Mexico's annual Blessing of the Animals celebration. Mills, Mellios, and Vallance supported each other in both competitions. Catey Brent, Nean Lewis, and Amanda Evans submitted a theme poster for consideration for next year's event.

Jenny Kraemer performed "Lieber Gott," an original prayer for the German Interpretive Reading Level Two competition. Matt Malpass and Kyle Brouwer built and displayed a model of Germany's most well-known castle, King Ludwig's "Neuschwanstein," and Donna Grutsch and Chirsanne Selonke created and displayed a model of the concentration camp, "Auschwitz."

## EJHS student finds success in forensics

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on the team, coached by local residents Dana and Jill Compton. With the spring season comes forensics, a public speaking activity divided into two categories, interpretive and public address. Six students signed up this season for forensics, a number that Vollbach hopes will grow as kids become more aware of what it has to offer. While Vollbach credits Whitney as "the reason [forensics] is here," she was clearly pleased with the team's performances overall, noting that as a group they took a third place finish for small schools at their second invitational this year, and forensics team member Dale Henning had been selected as an alternate for regional competition.

Mostly, the year has been a learning experience. "It's really funny," Vollbach said. Going in, "they don't tell you all the details." In the hand-

book, she said, details of competition are outlined, but not important issues of protocol. The team's first competition was "an adventure, trying to figure out what was accepted. The first time out, we were just glad to compete."

While forensics isn't for everyone, there are certainly plenty of students who could excel at it if they choose to take the opportunity, which Vollbach hopes they will. "It takes a lot of self-motivation," she said. "They have to put in the time themselves. It's a lot of hard work." But, she adds, the payoff is "the thrill of the event."

Describing the public address forensics category as "more businessy," Whitney makes it clear that the more dramatic interpretive category is her cup of tea. For Whitney, the entire season is based on her interpretation of a single story, one that she selected at the beginning of the season in February of this year. Her performance must include not only the recitation

of the memorized story, but also dramatic movements, voices, characterization, and must be completed within a specific time limit, between five and eight minutes.

Her chosen story is a children's book, "Iris Sleeps Over," by Bernard Waber. Though the choice is a crucial one, Hershberger had no difficulty in selecting her material for the season, having years ago seen Waber who had visited her elementary school.

"I got all [Waber's] books," she said. "This one is absolutely adorable." Performing the story, Hershberger said, allows her to "really get into a child's mindset. It's a lot of fun."

Judges look for all the creative elements in the students' performance, as well as keeping in mind the time limit. Students are not only rated by judges but also critiqued, a practice that Hershberger finds to be very helpful in continuing to develop her

own talent. "I use most of the suggestions," she said. "It really gives you feedback."

While any competition can get tense, Hershberger said that any stress involved is outweighed by the bonds she's made with other competitors. "Some people you've seen at every competition," she said. "We talk and talk. They want to talk, to get to know everyone, why they choose their stories. You get to know their stories, notice what they change [from competition to competition]."

Passion notwithstanding, a humble Hershberger expresses a bit of awe at having achieved such lofty kudos in a short period of time.

"I'm really surprised," she said. "I've never done this well [at anything else]." Not that she thinks she's reached a pinnacle.

"It feels good to know I must be doing something right," Hershberger concluded, "but there's always something to improve."

## COLLEGE NEWS

DEBRA BACON, JOHN BOYER, and BEVERLY LUCAS, all of East Jordan, and JESSE BELFORD and AMY PLACE of Boyne City were eligible to participate in Alma College's 2002 commencement ceremony on April 20.

Bacon and Lucas are both graduates of East Jordan High School. Bacon received a Bachelor of Arts de-

gree in education and Lucas received a Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology. Boyer is a graduate of Petoskey High School and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in mathematics.

Belford and Place are graduates of Boyne City High School. Belford received a Bachelor of Arts degree in history and Place received a Bachelor of Arts degree in education.

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**NEIGHBORS**

By NANCY NORTHUP

**WALKER POLICE** Officer Bryan Sulak, son of former East Jordan residents Del and Sal Sulak and grandson of Agnes Sulak of East Jordan, was recently in the right place at the right time, as a woman was preparing to give birth, to twins! He was only two blocks away when the ambulance called was seven or eight minutes away. Sulak told the ambulance it would be too late, and went on to deliver the first baby girl, Alexandria, and Officer Troy Myers arrived in time to assist with the second girl, Alycia. Both mother and daughters were reported to be doing well.

**KEOKI AND LORE KUHEANNA** of Honolulu, Hawaii are the proud parents of their first child, a son. Gabriel James Kuheanna was born April 30, 2002, and weighed 9 lbs. and 1 oz. and measured 24 inches in length at his birth. Grandmother is the late Judy Kuheanna and great-grandmother is Betty Kelts of Boyne City.

**A LATE ITEM** last week concerns Wayne and Angie Sobleski of Boyne City. En route to Mississippi to attend the fourth birthday celebration of their grandson, they were called to Oakland due to the unexpected death of her father, Louis Sepezia, on April 26.

**JOE AND MICKI (BENNETT) McHugh** of Cleveland, Ohio welcomed the arrival of a daughter, Mollie Rose McHugh, who was born on April 19, 2002 and weighed 6 lbs. 15 oz. at her birth. Grandparents are Mike and Lucille McHugh and Carol Bennett-McGeorge of Boyne City.

**THAD HEGBERG** of Honolulu, Hawaii spent several days in Boyne City, visiting his mother, Virginia, and other friends and relatives. On Saturday, they enjoyed an early Mother's Day celebration at the Argonne Supper Club in Charlevoix.

**HEARTFELT SYMPATHY** goes out to the friends and family of the widely known Garth Bryan, who passed away at Northern Michigan Hospital on Friday.

**BETTY KELTS** underwent successful angioplasty surgery at Northern Michigan Hospital. As of Sunday, she was reported to be doing well but expected to spend a few more days there.

**HAROLD HARDY** of Florida was here for an early celebration of the May 6, 96th birthday of his mother, Zola Hardy, at Independence Village in Petoskey and to spend some time with her.

**ELWOOD AND PHYLLIS HARDY**, Greg Hardy, Janet Geiger and Kelly Styles all attended the Monday funeral service of Mrs. Irven (Onalce) Thayer, which was held in Mt. Morris.

**THE DIOCESE** of the Western Michigan Episcopal Church welcomed its new Bishop, the Rev. Robert R. Geper, in Grand Rapids last Saturday. Members attending the Ordination of Consecration Ceremony from the Episcopal Church of the Nativity in Boyne City were; Janeth Arasim, Joyce Boring, Kenneth and Alice Matteson, and Genevieve Varum.

**MICHAEL SWARTZ** has returned home after graduating from Grand Valley State University on April 27. He received his BS in liberal studies with a minor in philosophy. He has accepted a position at South Dakota State University in Brookings, S.D. as food services director. Congratulations Mike.

**ANDREW AND CAROLYN HARDY** of East Jordan became the proud parents of a second son. Benjamin Andrew Hardy was born at Northern Michigan Hospital on May 1. He weighed 7 lbs. and 10 oz. and measured 19 1/2 inches long at his birth. His sibling is Samuel Douglas. Grandparents are Douglas and Denise King, Les and Ruthann Hardy and Debbie Hardy, all of Boyne City.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Dawn Felton as she was among the 2002 graduation class at Lake Superior State University receiving her BS in accounting. Mark Felton, David Zimmerman, Scott Cutler, Rob Startzel, Jerry, Brenda and Michael Swartz, and Jim and Linda Felton attended the ceremony. A lunch followed at Maloney's in Sault St. Marie.

**ESME (THAYER) LANCE** is here from Oregon, visiting her son, Melvin and Doris Thayer in Charlevoix. A former resident, she is also visiting friends and relatives in the area.

(To submit an item for Nancy's column, call her at 582-9174 or e-mail her at neighbors@gtlakes.com)

**STUDENTS OF THE WEEK****Boyne City**

**NAME:** Kristen Zettel  
**PARENTS:** Bryan and Gail Zettel  
**GRADE:** Sophomore  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** Cheer team, tennis  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** "I enjoy swimming, going to the beach, and hanging out with friends."  
**FUTURE PLANS:** "My plans after I get out of school are to go to a local college for a year and then the following years, majoring in interior design."  
**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "Kristen has been a pleasure to have in class," said Debbie Neidhamer. "Her positive energy, easy going personality, true eagerness to learn and quality work are a great combination to have in the classroom."



Kristen Zettel

**Boyne Falls**

**NAME:** Shawn Kilmer  
**PARENTS:** Karen McCary and Michael Kilmer  
**GRADE:** Eighth  
**FAVORITE CLASS:** Math  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** Basketball and cross country  
**FAVORITE PROFESSIONAL TEAM:** Pistons  
**FAVORITE COLOR:** Blue  
**FAVORITE FOOD:** Pizza  
**FAVORITE BOOK:** Star Wars  
**FAVORITE TV SHOW:** You Got'ta See This  
**NOMINATING COMMENTS:** "Shawn Kilmer is a hard working math student who strives for excellence," said Heather Smith. "Shawn has a good sense of humor, which makes for an interesting and exciting class. I truly enjoy having Shawn in class. He will be a great addition to the high school next year."



Shawn Kilmer

**OBITUARIES****Evelyn I. Stocker**

Evelyn I. Stocker, 88, of Boyne City, passed away at her home on Saturday, April 27, 2002.  
A funeral service was held May 1, at Stackus Funeral Home in Boyne City. The Rev. Roger Spencer officiated. Burial was in Maple Lawn Cemetery in Boyne City.  
She was born on Feb. 16, 1914, in Duluth Minn., the daughter of Frank and Nellie (Hammond) Bondy and moved to the Boyne City area as a young girl. She attended Boyne City High School.  
In 1931, Evelyn married Charles Stocker Sr.  
Evelyn worked at various places but most notably as a waitress at the

Sunnyside Restaurant in Boyne City.  
She was a charter member of the Eagles. Fishing was a passion so much so that she fished everyday that she could up until recently.  
Survivors include her children, Charlotte Keach of Boyne City, Ellen Ulrich of White Cloud, Dorothy (Elmer) Daniels of Harbor Springs, Charles Stocker of Boyne City, Nellie (Mike) Cardosa of Weslaco, Texas, George Stocker of Sparta and East Jordan; 31 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1976.

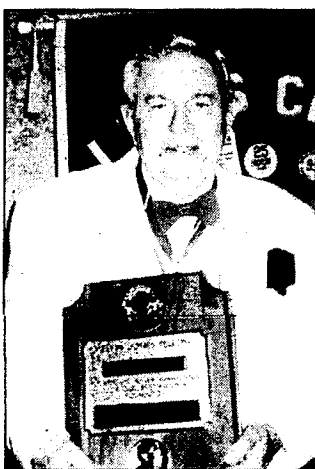
**Doris E. Behling**

Doris E. Behling, 87, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 25, 2002 at Grandvue Medical Care Facility attended by her family and the wonderful caregivers at the facility.  
Services were held April 29 at Stackus Funeral Home. Her nephew, the Rev. David Behling, officiated.  
Doris was born in Boyne City on Nov. 12, 1914 to William and Sula MacGregor. She attended Boyne City Public Schools and graduated in 1932.  
On Aug. 28, 1937, she married Elmer Behling and they made their home in Boyne City. Doris accompanied her husband all throughout the U.S. during World War II, until he was sent overseas.  
She also graciously made new homes in several locations during his early years with the Department of Natural Resources. She was thrilled to finally come back to her hometown in 1957, where they lived for many years at Young State Park.  
Although Doris worked as a retail clerk for several years at Kaden's in Boyne City, her utmost focus in life was her family.  
She participated actively in the

lives of her husband, children and especially her grandchildren.  
She had been recently delighted with the visits of her great-grandchild, Tyler.  
She was a lover of animals, especially cats, and always had a special place in her heart and home for them. Doris was very artistic and creative, working many long hours making gifts for family and friends, and donating many items to the Methodist Church bazaar every year.  
Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law, Gayle and Richard Bouters of Boyne City; daughter-in-law, Ruth Behling of Muskegon; grandchildren, Chris (Melissa) Bouters, Tim Bouters, Evan Behling, Marnie Behling, Rod (Joannie) Heykoop, Roxanne (Dan) Russell, and Brian (Wanda) Heykoop; sisters-in-law, Thelma Behling and Margaret Behling, many nieces and nephews, many friends, and her family of caregivers at Grandvue.  
She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Elmer, and son Robert.  
Memorial contributions may be made to the Grandvue Medical Care Facility. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

**CLUB & ORGANIZATIONS****Boyne Valley Lions Club**

Boyne Valley Lions Club member, past district president Roy L. Bowman, was recently honored with the Melvin Jones Fellowship, the Lion's International Foundation's highest award. The fellowship was created to acknowledge individual dedication to humanitarian service in the Lions Club organization.  
Bowman was presented with the prestigious honor at the annual Lions International District #11E-2 convention, held in Grayling April 19-21.  
A charter and life member of the Boyne Valley Lions Club, Bowman has served on numerous committees at the local and state level, as well as spending five years as a trustee for Welcome Home for the Blind and 16 years on the Michigan Eye Bank Board of Directors. He was District #11E governor in 1974-75, and has been the recipient of many awards at all levels.  
Also attending the convention were Lions Mary Juday, Jeanne Bowman, Harry Ahlborn, and Nels and Louisa Northup. Lions Gordon and Joyce Lambie attended the Saturday evening banquet at which Bowman was honored. In another highlight of the trip, during a memorial service



Roy L. Bowman

held at the convention, Ahlborn lit a candle and received a tree in memory of Dr. Joseph Thompson, a 30-year member of the Boyne Valley Lions Club.

**East Jordan Garden Club**

The East Jordan Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, May 13, at 1:30 p.m. in the Jordan Valley District Library meeting room. Bob Tambellini from the Charlevoix Area Community Foundation will be speaking on scholarships. Hostesses for the afternoon will be Addie Richter and Sherri Huffman.  
Final preparations for the upcoming Luncheon with Fashion Show and Plant Sale to be held on Saturday, May 18, will be done. Coordinator Joan Lemerand and committee members have been working hard to organize this special day. Tickets for the luncheon, to be held from 12 noon-1 p.m., are \$7 each, and are available at Busy Bridge, Plaid Petunia, the E.J. Shoppe, and Mary's of Boyne. The Civic Center will be open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturday with a plant sale, exhibits, vendors and refreshments.  
For more information on these events, or on garden club membership, call club president Jean Pardee at 544-6988 or Ginny Carey at 582-5680. The East Jordan Garden Club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan and the National Council of State Garden Clubs.

**Boyne City Masonic Lodge**

The Boyne City Masonic Lodge 391 will meet at 8 p.m. on May 9. Potluck will be held at 6:30 p.m. followed by a Building Association meeting at 7 p.m. The lodge is located at 212 North Lake St.

**COMMUNITY CALENDAR****PEACE COFFEE HOUSE**

Saturday, May 11  
The Wagbo Peace Center will present its monthly folk music program, "Peace Coffee House," from 8-11 p.m. at the Jordan River Arts Center in East Jordan. This will be the final show of the season. Performing will be Rick Meisterheim, debuting his latest CD, "Swords into Plowshares," a collection of original folk songs about peace, and Ruth and Max Bloomquist of Muskegon. Open stage will follow the performers. Coffee and treats are available. The cost for entry is \$5; free for kids ages 12 and under. This is a smoke- and alcohol-free event. For more information, call 536-0333 or e-mail wagbo@torchlake.com.

**YOUTH SOCCER REGISTRATION**

May 11 and 15  
Boyne Area 4-H Youth Soccer will hold registration for the fall season on May 11 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and May 15 from 4-7 p.m. at the Boyne City Hall Auditorium. Registration is open to kids 5 and up; cost is \$25/player, \$40/two siblings; \$55 for three. For more in-

formation, call 582-6232.

**OSTEOPOROSIS PREVENTION**

COMMUNITY LECTURE  
Thursday, May 16  
Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey is sponsoring a free community lecture on what's new in osteoporosis prevention and treatment. The event will be held from 6-8:30 p.m. at Northern Michigan Hospital's Auditorium, 416 Connable Ave., Petoskey. There is no charge for the lecture; however, registration is necessary. Register by calling HealthAccess at 1-800-248-6777.

**EAST JORDAN FOOD PANTRY**

Every Monday & Thursday  
The East Jordan Food Pantry is located at 601 Bridge St., in the basement of Health Center. Pickup or donation hours are Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m.-12 noon.

**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.

**BOYNE CITY SCRAPBOOKING**

Second Tuesday  
A Boyne City Scrapbooking Night will be held on the second Tuesday of each month from 6 to 11 p.m. at the Boyne District Library Community Room. Participants should bring own supplies. Meet new friends and learn new techniques. All levels of experience are welcome. There is no fee to attend. For more information, call Becky Brand at 582-1853.

**KIWANIS OF BOYNE**

Thursdays  
Interested persons are invited to join the Kiwanis of Boyne for coffee, camaraderie, and community service every Thursday morning at 7 a.m. at Robert's Restaurant in Boyne City.

**VETERAN ASSISTANCE**

Thursdays  
A Service Officer will be at the American Legion Post every Thursday from

3-6 p.m. Any veteran seeking assistance - 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**

Thursday nights  
Al-Anon meetings are held at 6:30 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.

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# SPORTS

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## Errors plague Rambler softball

Boyer City took a beating last week in a softball double header at Elk Rapids, losing both games, 5-1 and 5-4.

In game one, Jessie Raber took the mound for Boyer City, pitching one strike, and giving up two hits and one run.

Top hitter for the Lady Ramblers was Meredith Clemens with a double and one RBI.

"They put the bat on the ball, we didn't," explained Boyer City head coach Sandy Clausen of the loss in game one. "With 13 strikeouts, it doesn't leave much for the defense to do."

"You can't make six fielding errors and expect to beat a team like Elk Rapids."

Game two found Raber pitching again, this time tallying two strikes, and giving up seven hits and three runs.

"[Elk Rapids] earned their first run, we gave the next one," Clausen said. "In the last inning, they wanted it more than us."

"We did earn all of our runs," she said, "they weren't making errors. So close, so frustrating, but we were trying to stay focused."

Last week, Boyer City took on Traverse City St. Francis, tallying two lopsided losses, 14-4 and 17-2.

The Lady Ramblers had their best chance for a win early in game one, as the teams were still tied by the bottom of the sixth inning.

"We had played really well for those six innings," Clausen said. In the seventh, though, TC St. Francis had five of their 10 hits, with Boyer City committing three of their four errors for the game and walked three of five batters.

"Needless to say, it wasn't a good way to end the game," she said.

"The score is misleading. We played well, just not long enough."

Raber was on the mound, giving up 10 hits and five runs, and tallying five strikes.

Top hitters for Boyer City were Jenna Roland with two doubles, and Katie Grice, Clemens, and Lindsay Helseley, with a single apiece.



Boyer City's Emma Persons takes a swing at bat in Monday's game against Elk Rapids.

In game two, TCSF took control right from the start, with the third inning setting the tone for the game. Traverse City had five hits, including two triples, and Boyer made three of a total of seven errors.

"This game was just not played well," Clausen said. "Way too many errors."

Pitcher Raber threw two strikes, giving up nine hits and five runs.

Relief pitcher Helseley gave up three hits and one run, and tallied one strike.

Leading Boyer City at bat were Clemens, with an out-of-the-park home run, and Grice with a single.

"Hopefully we'll play better in the future," Clausen said. "We have the ability and the skill. We just need to do it."

The team is 4-10 overall, and 2-4 in the conference.

They're scheduled to host Kalkaska on Thurs-

day, May 9, and will travel to the Kingsley Tournament on Saturday, May 11.



Jessie Raber spent a lot of time on the mound for Boyer City last week, shown here at Elk Rapids.

## Boyer City girls turn up the heat

Like a butterfly emerging from a cocoon, the Boyer City Girls Track Team spread their wings at the Mancelona Ironman Invitational on Friday. The poor weather so far this season has hampered performance on the track, but on Friday afternoon the Rambler girls broke a school record, set a new meet record, and set several personal records on their way to winning the meet.

The team won 10 of the 17 events and scored 175 points. Kingsley was second with 131 points. The 3200M Relay team of Jane Stieber, Hannah Decker, Emma Dunne, and Mindy McCutcheon set a new meet record with a time of 10:23.98. The 800M Relay team of Jane Stieber, Sarah Hall, Brean Smith, and Kelsi Brewer set a new school record with a time of 1:53.52.

"Our depth really paid off in this meet," said girls' head coach Andy Place. Boyer City placed first and third in the High Jump, Long Jump, High Hurdles, 400M, and 800M. Boyer City won three out of the four relay events. "Emma Dunne ran a great 1600M," Place said. "Kim Foster, Jenna Pearsall, Kelsi Brewer, and Hannah Decker all had great days."

Earlier in the week the girls had fin-

ished fifth at the Heidi Steiner Invitational in Bellaire. Fifteen of the best teams in Northern Michigan competed. The girls team did not win any events, but placed high in several events. "The times were a little slow," Place said. "I think it was still a little cold for us."

The Boyer City Boys team finished third at the Mancelona Ironman Invitational. Once again, the Rambler sprinters ran away from the competition. Seniors Aaron Sulak and Kyle Gibbons finished one-two in the 100M and 200M dashes and teamed with sophomores Randall Sutton and Matt Ku to win the 400M and 800M relays. Sulak set a meet record winning the 100M with a time of 11.28. Gibbons finished second in the 100M and won the 200M, while Sulak finished second in the 200M. Sutton also won the long jump with a jump of 18'5". Geoff Martin and Ian Smith led the Ramblers in the middle and long distance races.

The boys' team finished seventh at the Heidi Steiner Invitational. The sprinters provided most of the team's points. Sulak and Gibbons won the 100 and 200 respectively. "Our guys vaulted well," said coach Tom Nagurka. "We had some good races."

## EJ's Courtney Hammond shows promise on the track

East Jordan runner Courtney Hammond continues to shine on the track, with two strong recent finishes. At the Traverse City Invitational, Hammond took third in the 400M with a time of 1:02.3 and first place in the 200M with a time of 27.2.

"The Traverse City Invitational offers some of the region's top performers," said East Jordan girls' coach Dennis Snarey. "For Courtney

Hammond to do so well shows she should be one of the regional favorites."

Last week, Hammond took first in the 400M at the Heidi Steiner Invitational in Bellaire. "Now as regionals are approaching, the work really begins," Snarey said. "Her second place finish time in the 200M easily makes the state-qualifying time for this event."

## Tough week for Red Devil soccer

The East Jordan girls soccer team keeps plugging away, despite more than a week of disappointing losses.

On Monday, the team lost to Harbor Springs JV girls, 6-0, with Harbor Springs posting five goals in the first half.

Missing several key players due to illness, East Jordan, said coach Pete Elliott, "pulled together and played a hard game."

Goalkeeper Renee Nowka stopped 24 shots. Freshman Nina Romero made her first start of the year, and sophomore Kristie Headley, Elliott said, "continues to grow in her role as a fullback. Her hard play is making a difference for the team."

Late last week, East Jordan hosted Charlevoix, losing 7-0. In goal for East Jordan was Cayla Tinney, stopping 22 shots on goal.

Elliott also cited senior players Jessica Olds, Nowka, Jenny Barrow, and Janelle Doebel for strong play, noting "they have really stepped up their play this year, being leaders by hustling and controlling the ball."

"The team as a whole has really drawn together and is increasingly playing as a team."

Earlier in the week, the team tallied losses to Houghton Lake, 4-0, and Elk Rapids, 11-0.

The team will face Roscommon on Thursday.

## Sign-ups held for fall youth soccer and summer camp

Early-bird registration for the Boyer Area 4-H fall youth soccer season will be held Saturday, May 11 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. and Wednesday, May 15 from 4-7 p.m. at the Boyer City Hall Auditorium.

Registration will also be ongoing at the Charlevoix County 4-H office, 319 N. Lake St., Boyer City, from May 8-15 from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

The recreation league is available for players age 5-11. The season runs five weeks beginning Sept. 3, with two games per week. Practices are held at the coach's discretion before the season begins.

The Subway travel teams are available for players age 9 and up. Practices are held Tuesdays and Thursdays, with games on the weekends, Sept. 7-Oct. 13.

The early-bird cost is \$25 per player; \$40 for two siblings; and \$55 maximum per family. If a player has a usable Boyer 4-H reversible jersey from last year, \$5 can be deducted from the cost. Early bird registration ends May 15. After that date, the cost will be \$30 per player; \$45 for two siblings; \$60 maximum per family. Carter's slips are accepted and need to be totaled and stapled together with adding machine tape attached. Scholarships are available.

A "soccer swap" will be available at registration for those wishing to donate soccer gear, as well as for

those looking to purchase low-cost cleats, shin guards, balls, etc. Proceeds will benefit the soccer program.

**SOCCER ENTHUSIASTS** will have an opportunity to play and work on skills this summer at the Far Post Soccer Camp held in Boyer City.

"We're pleased to offer a Far Post camp again, because response in the past has been so positive," said Boyer Area 4-H board member Frank Carleton. Far Post is known as a quality program throughout the state, according to Carleton, and is in high demand. The camp's director, Greg Thompson, is a highly experienced coach and is a grade-school teacher as well.

The camp is offered for players age 5 and up. It will be held July 29-Aug. 2, Monday-Friday, 9-11 a.m. at Rotary Park. Registration will be held at the same times listed above for early-bird soccer registration.

As a way of keeping costs down for parents, 4-H Soccer is subsidizing part of the fee for area youth. The cost is \$40 for Boyer Area 4-H Soccer participants, and \$60 per player for all others. The deadline to guarantee a spot is May 15, after which the cost will be \$60 per player on a space-available basis. Carter's slips may be used and scholarships are available. Campers will receive a T-shirt. They should bring shin guards, a wa-



BCHS freshman Matthew Haver poses with his gun outside of the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, where he has been part of the 4-H Shooting Sports program for three years.

## Boyer City student to travel to national 4-H shooting competition

Boyer City High School freshman Matthew Haver applied for and was given a position on the State 4-H Shotgun team, to represent Michigan at the National 4-H Shooting Sports competition in Raton, New Mexico this July.

As part of the four-member team, Haver will be shooting skeet, trap, and sporting clays.

Haver has been shooting in the 4-H Shotgun program at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club for the past three years.

At his first 4-H state competition in 2000, he was the silver medal winner in the Junior Skeet Division; in 2001, he won the gold medal in the Junior Skeet Division and was part of the skeet team that brought home the bronze medal.

Last year, Haver was ranked second among skeet shooters of all ages with a score of 46 out of 50.

In the upcoming weeks, Haver will be shooting approximately 300 rounds per week to prepare for the competition.

He will also be traveling downstate to train with his teammates. Anyone wishing to make a tax-deductible donation to offset Haver's training expenses can contact him at 582-7739.

## Another win for Rambler soccer

The Boyer City girls soccer team recorded its second win of the season, beating Forrest Area 2-1 in overtime.

Forrest Area was the first to score, taking their first goal with 12 minutes left in the first half. Boyer City's Kyle Barden tied the game 28 minutes into the second half on a nice cross from Lea Howle.

The winning goal was scored in overtime by Brittney Moody, with Barden providing the assist.

Karlene Gaither made 12 saves in goal. The Ramblers are 2-4-1 on the season.

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## Hospice auction will help fund services

The 2002 Hospice of Northwest Michigan (formerly Charlevoix County Hospice Auction) will be held at the Boyne Mountain Convention Center on Friday, June 7, with the auction set to begin at 5:30 p.m. The evening includes silent and live auction items.

Tickets are \$20 and include hors d'oeuvres, drawing for cash prizes and music provided by Margaret Thomson. Auction tickets are avail-

able from Boyne Country Books in Boyne City, Busy Bridge Antiques in East Jordan, The Clothing Company in Charlevoix and the Hospice Office in East Jordan.

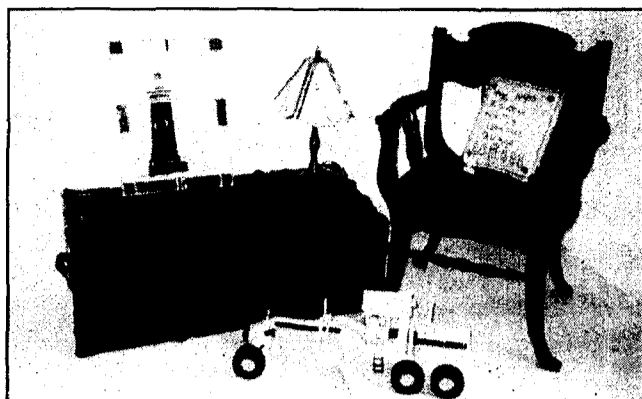
Many items for the home are part of both the silent and live auctions. Some of the contributors are Jordan Valley Glassworks, Dick Barnett and Plaid Petunias of East Jordan, Sturgeon River Pottery in Resort Township, and Bill Bridges of Boyne City.

Many other categories of items including sporting goods, gardening and cooking supplies, gift certificates for restaurants and golf courses, and art work will be available. The auction provides important funding so that hospice services can be provided to area residents.

One of the highlights of this year's auction will be the drawing for a restored 1973 VW Beetle which was donated by Mark and Susan Grimme

of Boyne City and Fort Thomas, Ky. Some raffle tickets are still available at Great Lakes Motor Works and Ace Hardware in Boyne City; Prime Time, Bellaire; Don's IGA in Charlevoix; Don's Market, Harbor Springs; and the Hospice Office, East Jordan.

**At right, just a few of the many items that will be up for bid at the hospice's annual auction.**



### PUBLIC NOTICES

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**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William J. Matelski Sr., Veronica R. Matelski, William Matelski, Jr. and Gerald Matelski Sr. (original mortgagors) to Bank One, N.A., Mortgagee, dated Oct. 5, 1999, and recorded on Oct. 15, 1999 in Liber 374 on Page 242 in Charlevoix County Records, Mich., and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc., Assignee by an assignment dated Oct. 23, 2000, which was recorded on Feb. 8, 2001, in Liber 407 on Page 672, Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ONE HUNDRED ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY AND 95/100 dollars (\$101,550.95), including interest at 6.950% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them at public venue, at the Main lobby at the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan at 11 a.m., on June 7, 2002.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF BOYNE VALLEY, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

Beginning at the intersection of the South and West 1/8 Lines of Section 9, Township 32 North, Range 5 West; thence East along the South 1/8 line of said section 400 feet; thence South parallel with the West 1/8 line of said section 400 feet; thence Southwesterly to a point on the Northeastly line of Highway M-75, at a point 300 feet from the West 1/8 line of said Section 9 (measured along the Northeastly line of said highway); thence Northwesterly along the Northeastly line of said highway 300 feet to the said West 1/8 line of said section; thence North on said 1/8 line to the point of beginning, being a part of the Southeastly 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 9, Township 32 North, Range 5 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 24, 2002  
For information, please call:  
Jaguars 248-593-1311  
Trott & Trott, P.C.  
Attorneys and Counselors  
30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 200  
Bingham Farms, MI 48025  
File# 200215443  
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**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michael E. Weber, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Old Kent Mortgage Company, a Michigan Corporation (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Bank), mortgagee, dated March 5, 2001 and recorded March 14, 2001 in Liber 411 Page 363, Charlevoix County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of One Hundred Thirty Thousand Two Hundred Forty-Four and 26/100 Dollars (\$130,244.26) including interest at the rate of 7.25% per annum.

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 a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Mich. at 11 a.m. on May 17, 2002.

The premises are located in the City of Boyne, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as:

Beginning at a 1/2 inch rod at the Southwest corner of Section 22, Township 32, North, Range 6 West; thence along the South line of said section South 89 degrees 49 minutes 21 seconds West 360.02 Feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence North 01 degrees 34 minutes 36 seconds East 660.49 Feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the North line of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of said section; thence along aforementioned line North 89 degrees 54 minutes 08 seconds East 360.00 Feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the East line of said section; thence along the East line of said section South 01 degrees 34 minutes 36 seconds West 659.98 Feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 22, Township 32 North, Range 6 West.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in the event a 3rd party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower.

Dated: April 10, 2002  
Orians Associates PC  
Attorneys for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Old Kent Mortgage Company, a Michigan Corporation (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Bank.)  
As Assignee  
2501 Rochester Court  
Troy, MI 48063 (248) 457-1000  
File No. 200.0378

**Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. is a debt collector and we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.**

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Archie W. Graham, a single man to Mortgage Electronic Registration System, Inc., ISAOL as nominee for Homestead USA, Inc. ISAOL, Mortgagee, dated May 14, 2001, and recorded on May 16, 2001, in Liber 419, on page 201 Charlevoix County Records, Mich. on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of eighty five thousand nine hundred eighty six and 98/100 dollars (\$85,986.98), including interest at 7.500% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, MI, at 11 a.m. on May 31, 2002.

Said premises are situated in CITY OF EAST JORDAN, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as:

Lots 7 and 8 Bowen's second addition to the Village of South Lake now City of East Jordan, according to the recorded plat thereof in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Mich., including the 2000 Skyline Manufactured Home, Serial #17-38-0182NAB, which is permanently affixed to the real property.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: April 24, 2002

Mortgage Electronic Registration System, Inc., ISAOL as Nominee for Homestead USA, INC. ISAOL  
Mortgagee  
Attorney for: Mortgagee  
Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.  
401 South Old Woodward Avenue  
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For information please call:  
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**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Kathy S. Makino and Ronald J. Makino, wife and husband, to Great Lakes National Bank Michigan, predecessor in interest to TCF National Bank, Mortgagee, dated Oct. 27, 1997, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, on Jan. 12, 1998, in Liber 329, Page

823, Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Ninety Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Three and 68/100 Dollars (\$98,853.68) and late charges of Twenty Six and 50/100 Dollars (\$26.50). And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on June 14, 2002, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, in the front lobby of the County Courthouse, in the City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Mich. (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with

the interest thereon at Seven and 990/1000 (7.990%) percent per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Said premises are situated in the City of Boyne City, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan and described as:

Unit 11, The Atrium Inn Condominium, according to the Master Deed as recorded in Liber 316, Pages 72 thru 106, Charlevoix County Records, and designated as Charlevoix County Subdivision Plan No. 47, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the

above Master Deed, and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. Tax I.D. No.: 150-51-410-011-00.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241(A), in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days.

Dated at Ann Arbor, Mich. April 2, 2002.

Elizabeth A. Kiefer, Law Department  
TCF National Bank, Mortgagee  
401 East Liberty, Ann Arbor, Mich.  
48104-2298  
(734) 769-8300 X 5499

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in Special Session, April 23, 2002 at 7 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present.

Commission Action: held budget discussions.  
A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

## 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 10, 2002.**

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 10, 2002, IS MONDAY, MAY 13, 2002. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 13, 2002, 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 clerk's offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

**Sandra Erber**  
Secretary, Board of Education

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**Kenneth L. Schrader**  
Secretary, Board of Education

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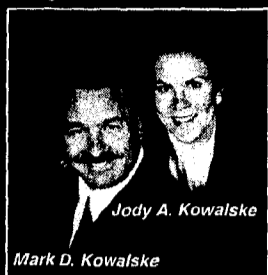
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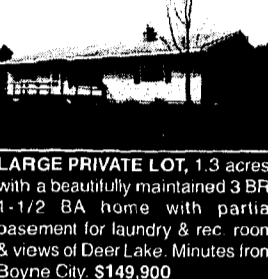
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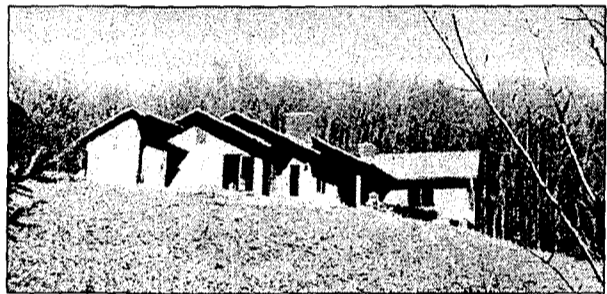
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**CLAIMS NOTICE**  
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Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

The decedent, Janet D. Fish, whose last known address was 1252 LaLone, East Jordan, MI 49727, and 02631 Pinehurst Shores Dr., Boyne City, MI 49712, died April 12, 2002.

By Trust Indenture dated June 1, 1999, amended on May 21, 2001, the decedent established the Janet D. Fish Trust Agreement.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the trust estate will be forever barred unless presented to the Trustee, Richard L. Fish, 02631 Pinehurst Shores Dr., Boyne City, MI 49712, within four months of the date of publication of this notice.

Notice is further given that the trust estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

This notice is published on May 8, 2002.

Attorney for the Trustee:  
Kevin G. Klevorn (P35531)  
215 South Lake Street  
Boyne City, MI 49712  
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**This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.**

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michella A. Conrad and Steven W. Conrad, husband and wife, to Old Kent Bank, mortgagee, dated May 21, 1999 and recorded June 2, 1999 in Liber 364 Page 870, Charlevoix County Records. Said mortgage is now held by Old Kent Mortgage Company, a Michigan Corporation (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Bank.) As Assignee 2501 Rochester Court Troy, MI 48083 (248) 457-1000 File No. 200.0397

2, 1999 in Liber 364, Page 877, Charlevoix County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Forty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Eleven and 72/100 Dollars (\$45,211.72) including interest at the rate of 7.875% per annum.

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 a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix county, Mich. at 11 a.m. on June 21, 2002.

The premises are located in the Township of Chandler, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as: Commencing 25 feet South of the Northeast corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4, Section 17, Township 33 North, Range 4 West, South 275 feet along the East 1/8 line; thence West 330; thence North 275 feet; thence 330 feet to the Point of Beginning, part of Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 17. Also: North 275 feet of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 lying West of Howard Road.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in the event a third party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower.

Dated: May 8, 2002

Orians Associates PC  
Attorneys for Old Kent Mortgage Company, a Michigan Corporation (now by various resolutions duly known as Fifth Third Bank.)  
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### CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on April 24, 2002, in Charlevoix, Mich. Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in Special Session, March 27, 2002 at 7 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present except Commissioner Cihak. Commission Action: adopted Resolution #105/2002. A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in regular session, March 18, 2002 at 7:01 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgment was given to paid bills in the amount of \$835,383.50. Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of funds on hand report, February 2002; acknowledged receipt of monthly public safety reports; acknowledged receipt of introduction to Ordinance #177B; approved Civic Center rental requests; approved Elm Pointe rental request; approved Memorial Park use request; adopted Ordinance #177A; adopted Resolution #104/2002 and conducted a budget work session. A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in regular session, April 16, 2002 at 7:30 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgment was given to paid bills in the amount of \$248,154.76. Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of Funds on Hand report, March 2002; acknowledged receipt of public safety department reports; acknowledged receipt of Ordinance #182; acknowledged receipt of Ordinance #183; acknowledged receipt of Ordinance #184; amended the first reading of Ordinance #185; approved use request for Memorial Park; approved use request for Sportsman's Park; proclaimed the week of April 28 - May 4, 2002 as Municipal Clerks Week; approved amendment to Ambulance/Township contracts and authorized conversion of surplus ambulance. A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

### BAY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES

**REGULAR MEETING - April 11, 2002**  
Acceptance of Treasurer's report. Approval to pay Township obligations totaling \$6,500. Approval of Grace Assisted Living, Inc. land division. Acceptance of bids by H&D, Inc. to improve portions of Reycraft Road for \$40,249.86 and Camp Sherwood Road for \$35,839.62. Adopted resolution extending the filing date of the Township's financial statements with the State of Michigan to Sept. 30, 2002. Received report on Zoning Permits issued. Next regular Planning Commission meeting scheduled to be held on Tuesday, June 4, 2002 at 7 p.m. Next Board of Trustees regular meeting to be held on Thursday, May 9, 2002 at 7 p.m.

### PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in regular session, April 2, 2002 at 7:32 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgment was given to paid bills in the amount of \$98,807.60. Further Commission Action: approved Elm Pointe rental request; acknowledged receipt of Community Development Plan; adopted Ordinance #177B; adopted Resolution #106/2002; adopted Resolution #107/2002; adopted Resolution #108/2002; adopted Resolution #109/2002; awarded the bid for the lease/purchase of sewer/vacuum truck and approved use request for Sportsman's Park. A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

### PUBLIC HEARING

Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services Inc., is the Regional Substance Abuse Service Coordinating Agency serving the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Clare, Crawford, Emmet, Gladwin, Grand Traverse, Iosco, Isabella, Kalkaska, Lake, Leelanau, Manistee, Mason, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Montmorency, Oceana, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, Roscommon and Wexford counties. As part of its annual action planning process, the agency is accepting Public Comment on services for the 2001/2002 Fiscal Year. Written comment will be received through May 24, 2002 at:

Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, Inc.  
P.O. Box 1278  
Gaylord, MI 49734

In addition, a Public Hearing will be held on May 20, 2002 in the lower level conference room at the offices of Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, located at 1165 Elkview, Gaylord, Mich. from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Individuals may also participate via teleconference. Reservations can be made by calling 877-255-6226.

Federal and State funding has been provided to support in the project costs.



## Boyne baby is 'Born to Read'

For the third year in a row, the Boyne District Library has had the privilege of welcoming a new baby into the area through the Born to Read Baby program. This year's local Born to Read baby was Dylan Charbeneau, born on April 21 at Charlevoix Area Hospital, to Melissa Charbeneau and Randy Moore, both of Boyne City. Dylan was also welcomed by a big brother, Darin Charbeneau, age 3 1/2.

Created as a way to celebrate National Library Week, the Born to Read Baby program is a cooperative effort between area libraries in which the first babies born at Northern Michigan Hospital and the Charlevoix Area Hospital during National Library Week, this year April 14-21, are honored.

The lucky babies are presented with a special tote bag chock full of reading goodies for both mother and child. Sponsoring libraries included Boyne District Library, Jordan Valley District Library, Crooked Tree District Library, Charlevoix Public Library and Petoskey Public Library.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### EJ Senior Center to host Euchre tournament

A Seniors Euchre Tournament will be held on Monday, May 13, from 1-4 p.m. at the East Jordan Senior Center. There is a \$3 fee to play, with all funds collected to be awarded as prize money; the number of prizes and amounts will depend on total attendance. There will be a draw for partners, and an optional 25-cent Lone Hand Cup.

The East Jordan Senior Center is located at 110 Main St. in East Jordan. For more information, call 536-7831.

### Workers needed to spruce up trails at Challenge Mtn

On Saturday and Sunday, May 11 and 12, Challenge Mountain is in need of volunteers to assist with work

on trails for their upcoming summer programs. Work will begin that weekend and continue on weekends through early June. Also during that time, the organization is offering free wood from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

There is no limit to the amount of wood that can be taken, but available wood is limited to that along the service trails. Interested individuals must have a valid driver's license, and should call by May 11. For more information, call 535-2141.

### Morgridge to speak at Boyne District Library

Robert Morgridge, noted local historian and author of "Settlers to Sidewalks in Boyne City," will present a slide show on Thursday, May 23, at 7 p.m. in the Boyne District Library Community Room.

The program is part of the Michigan Week celebration taking place May 17-28 at the library. Other

events will include a family story night with local guest readers sharing Michigan stories with kids and their families on Wednesday, May 22, at 6:30 p.m.

There will also be displays of books that were chosen as 2001 Read Michigan! books, as well as winners of Michigan Awards. For more information, call the library at 582-7861.

### Skin cancer screenings free to public

Two free skin cancer screenings will be held in the area, one in May and another in June, as part of skin cancer awareness month. The free screenings are co-sponsored by Northern Michigan Hospital, Bay View Dermatology and Dermatology Associates of Northern Michigan and intended for people 18 years and older. Drs. C. Robert Charles and Roger A. Potter will hold the first screening from 5:30-7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 22, at their office on Mitchell Park Drive in Petoskey.

Dr. Sherri Vazales of Bay View Dermatology will perform a second screening at the Infusion Center on the second floor of the Burns Professional Building - the former Burns Clinic - on Saturday, June 1, from 8:30-11:30 a.m.

No treatment will be administered at the screening.

Participants should make appointments as early as possible to guarantee a place in the screening. For more information and to make the required screening appointment, call 1-800-248-6777.

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Pharmacist



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at 7 nightly • Sat & Sun at 2:15 & 4:15

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Starting May 16th

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## Saturday, May 18

## East Jordan Civic Center

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Cost is \$7 for the luncheon

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