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COMING EVENTS:

Evening at the Opera

The Boyne City kindergarten classes are performing an opera on Thursday, May 26 from 7 - 7:30 p.m. The opera, entitled "Alphabet Zoo," will feature all five sections of kindergarten, and is based on the language program, "Zoo Phonics," that was implemented this year.

The public is welcome to attend an evening at the opera in the elementary school cafeteria

Garden Club schedules events

Mark your calendars for 1 p.m. on May 26, to meet at the library That's when The Boyne Valley Garden Club will present Zachary Shaltz, of Shaltz Shetland Sheep Farm to discuss, "Organic Farming

and Composting Through Animals' The hostesses for the meeting will be Carole Brisson, Alice Marshall and Jan Ruback.

Don't forget to call either (231) 582-9373 or (231) 582-7181 to order a beautiful pink, Knock-Out rose shrub for only \$14.00. It's the perfect addition to any garden and the proceeds all go back into the community to purchase the flowers we all so enjoy.

Speaking of flowers, garden club members and non-members are invited to gather on June 7 at 9:30 a.m. at the bridge for flower planting.

For Knock-Out roses or membership information, call Gary Francis at (231) 5821129.

Maple Lawn attendant on duty

The city of Boyne City will have an attendant on duty at Maple Lawn cemetery from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 28, to assist visitors who wish to place flowers for Memorial Day.

BC Boosters Memorial Day breakfast

The Boyne City School Boosters is serving up their annual all-you-caneat Memorial Day Breakfast Monday, May 30, at the Boyne City High School cafeteria from 7 to 11 a.m.

On the menu will be pancakes, eggs, ham, sausage, fried potatoes, toast and beverages. The cost is \$6 for adults, \$3 for children ages five to 10, and under five, free.

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Journal to print one day late next week

Due to the Memorial Day holiday, the Citizen-Journal will be published one day later next week.

The paper will be available on newsstands and mailed to local subscribers on Thursday morning rather than Wednesday.

Deadlines for the issue will not change except for classified advertising. The deadline for all story submissions, letters to the editor and community events is Thursday at 5 p.m. The display advertising deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. The classified adver-

tising deadline is noon on Tuesday. The Citizen-Journal office will be closed on May 30, Memorial Day. For more information or questions call (231) 583-6761.

Arts council awards East Jordan students

students were honored by the Jordan River Arts Council on May 15 with scholarships.

Sara Vrondran, council chairperson, presented the Betty Ann Osborne scholarship of \$1,000, given in Betty's memory by her family, to senior Stephanie Mills. The scholarship is given to a high school senior planning on attending college for fine arts. Mills has been accepted at Grand Valley State University, and is valedictorian of the East Jordan class of

"I felt Stephanie's work explored a diversity that was sensitively

Two East Jordan High School art handled," said juror Gail Lambert. "There was a clear exploration of ideas, techniques and emotions in her work. I was especially taken by her piece entitled 'Looking Back' - how she handled the figure that reads beautifully up close as well as across the

> The \$500 Huckle scholarship, given by the JRAC to a junior or senior based on the merit of the work submitted, was awarded to junior Andrea Postma.

"As a body of work, Andrea shows that she excels not only in her drafts-

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Plant coming down



H&M, a Holland based company, has contracted to take down the Wolverine Power Plant in Advance.

emolition begins on power plant

The Wolverine power plant in Advance is missing Craig Boor, of Wolverine Power. "It will be on-going a wall, like a huge dollhouse where a giant child once moved engineers up and down the stairs, reading the meters on equipment now exposed to the elements. For some it is a bittersweet dismantling: the power plant was the workplace for many local people over the years.

An era ended when the coal barges ended their trips into Lake Charlevoix; the mountains of coal that once fed the huge hoilers are gone. Even the coal conveyor. once moving coal up from the docks to the plant, is erased from the Advance skyline.

But for many, removal of the long-unused building is a blessing, with another strip of shoreline opened to view, and eventually, perhaps, to private owner-

"We have started to take the structure down," said

for a good portion of the summer. We are trying to get it down as quickly and as safely as possible. By July or August we should be down to the slab.

H & M, a company out of Holland, was awarded the demolition contract.

According to Boor, the coal and fly-ash have been gone for 4 or 5 years, and the dismantling of the building is one of the final steps in readying the site for future sale or development.

Boor does not believe the site is a brownfield and there are no contaminants that he is aware of on the

The power plant property is for sale, and there has been some interest according to Boor.

"You will continue to see people and equipment the rest of the summer," he said.

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— Craig Boor Wolverine Power

Battle rages against **EAB**

The Michigan Department of Agriculture has initiated a detection tree system in northern Michigan to help identify the reaches of the emerald ash borer in this area. and to help contain the insect.

The detection tree is set up, according to John Hill of the MDA. by scraping the bark off an ash tree in about a 6-inch strip all the way around the trunk in the springtime. The removal of the bark stresses and weakens the tree, eventually killing it, but the tree will maintain its leaves throughout the sum-

The weakened tree is not able to resist insects, making it more attractive to parasites. In the fall, the tree will be culled and its bark removed. The tree will be inspected for signs of infestation.

"This will help detect any undiscovered EAB infestations," Hill said. While this system is used for numerous infestation detection programs, the detection trees seen in our area as specifically targeting EAB on ash trees.

According to Hill, the MDA did the same thing last year with lesser density, only four traps per township, as compared to this year's eight to 16 traps per township.

"Oscoda, Manistee, Cheboygan and Antrim counties were all found positive as a result of last year's detection trees," Hill said. "The first step is to go back and do a visual survey, looking for signs and symptoms in a sixteenth-mile grid until we are one and a half miles from the last known positive tree."

At Young State Park, it was discovered that the overall impacted

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Learning to ride ... again

The Boyne City mounted police don't have a lot in common with the Canadian Mounties to the north. They aren't dressed in red, and they don't ride horses. But they are out among the public in a way that their car-

bound counterparts can't be. The two are now cruising around town on a couple of well-equipped Trek mountain bikes, courtesy of Dave and Betty Korthase, owners of the Boyne City Dairy Queen, and North Country Bicycle Club. Both bikes were donated, and the bikes and most of the equipment was sold at cost by North Country Cycle.

Officers Todd McGuire, a threeyear veteran of police work, and Kevin Spate, who has been an officer for six years, went for training in "low speed maneuvers.'

Spate said that he wondered how training was going to help.

"How are they going to teach me to ride a bike?" he said. But both officers were surprised.

"There was a lot of training on extreme low speed technical riding,"

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Police Officers Todd **McGuire** and Kevin Spate will be patrolling the area on their donated Trek bikes.

Boyne City

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Police host drag race fund-raiser

The Boyne City Police Department is looking for car and motorcycle enthusiasts to participate in its drag race fund-raiser over Memorial Day weekend.

The races will be held at the Boyne City airport Sunday, May 29, from noon to 6 p.m. The event raises fund for the airport, with 75 percent of all the proceeds going directly to that facility, and the other 25 percent going to the BCPD.

Cost for registration is \$30, non-refundable. and the races are limited to 125 vehicles.

For more information, call police chief Randy Howard at (231) 582-0352 or (231) 582-6611, or E-mail smrae@boynecity.com.

Lessons offered at EJ pool

The East Jordan Community Pool is offering swimming lessons for toddlers, aged 1 - 2 years at 4:30 p.m., and for preschoolers, aged 3 - 4 years at 5:30 p.m. on June 1, 6, 8, 13 and 15.

The lessons will meet for 45 minutes, and the students must be accompanied by an adult in the water. The cost is \$18.75.

Pre-registration is required. Call the pool at (231) 536-2250.

Boyne City public hearing scheduled

A public hearing has been scheduled in Boyne City regarding the Devlon project, an 111-slip marina at the proposed Boyne Beach

The public hearing will be at 7 p.m. June 2 at the city hall auditorium, to be conducted by the Michigan Department of Environmental

For more information about the Devlon project, call Roxanne Ramirez of the MDEQ at (989) 705-3400.

Hospice hosts fund-raiser

The 2005 Hospice of Northwest Michigan Auction will be held at Castle Farms in Charlevoix on Friday, June 3. Through the generosity of local businesses and patrons, funds will be raised to help offset volunteer and bereavement services provided to Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet and Otsego counties.

Donations will be grouped in package form this year, combining similar themes to showcase unique items from individual and business Hospice supporters. An example of a single item is an original oil painting by artist Martha Landis entitled "New Orleans Flower Shop," or a sit-on-top 11-foot, three-inch Cobra Explorer kayak, donated by Sunburst Marine in Boyne City. The auction's large range of items means there will be something for everyone.

Festivities will begin at 5:30 p.m. with the silent auction. Margaret Thomson, a local pianist, will precede auctioneers Jim White and Jeff McFarlane, who will call the live auction beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$30, and include a beverage, a chance to win one \$300 or one \$200 door prize, and hors d'oeuvres, which will provided by Savre's Catering of Mancelona; Grey Gables of Charlevoix, and Darlene's Restaurant of East Jordan.

Tickets are available at Boyne Country Books in Boyne City; Busy Bridge Antiques in Fast Jordan: The Clothing Company in Charlevoix: Orchard Hills LTD in Bellaire, and at

Call Hospice of Northwest Michigan with questions, at (231) 536-2842.

Trout Unlimited holds two-fly fishing event

Saturday, June 4, the Miller Van Winkle chap ter of Trout Unlimited will hold its second annual "Jordan River Two Fly." It's a great day of fishing with a twist: participants are limited to two flies each of two patterns - once the four flies are gone, the fisherman is out of the contest. Each participant will be partnered with another fisherman.

Register early in the morning and fish until early evening, when there will be a barbecue, fly casting demonstration and a fly casting accuracy challenge.

There is a \$50 entry fee for the event, which makes participants eligible for prizes. Or for just the barbecue, the cost is \$10. Day and evening events are open to all. For more information, call Dale Parsons at (231) 582-2198 or Jim Howell at (231) 582-7751.

Main Street town hall meeting

The Boyne City Main Street Program is having its first town hall meeting on Tuesday, June 7 from 6 - 8 p.m. in the Boyne District Library's community room.

There will be an open house at 5 p.m., during which each committee will display projects and photos so that citizens can come and see what's being accomplished. The meeting will give people a chance to express their view of the program, and will allow a forum to report on progress and the challenges Main Street

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Legion holds flag disposal ceremony

The American Legion Post #228 of Boyne City will be having a flag disposal ceremony on June 11, at 7 p.m. at Veteran's Park. People are encouraged to bring unserviceable flags to the Post anytime, or to the ceremony.

There will be an opportunity for people to learn how to dispose of unserviceable flags properly, or the Post will dispose of the flags

Third annual ride for cancer research

The third annual Charlevoix/Emmet County Pink Ribbon Ride will be held at Veteran's Park in Boyne City on Saturday, June 18, beginning at 7 a.m.. There are seven, 20 and 42-mile rides along and around beautiful Lake Charlevoix. Advance registration is \$25 for individuals, \$40 for families.

Coffee, doughnuts and bageIs will be available at sign-in; lunch will be provided after the

There is a bike raffle and prizes for the cyclists who raise the most donations. All proceeds will benefit local programs in the fight against breast cancer.

For more information, log onto

www.bike4breastcancer.org, or call Sue Morris at (231) 536-7066.

Boating Safety classes starting in June

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's office will be offering boating safety classes at the following dates and times.

June 18, 9 a.m at the Charlevoix Middle School; June 25, 9 a.m at the Walloon Lake Country Club (Grandma's); July 12, 4 p.m. at Boyne City Middle School; July 19, 4 p.m. at East Jordan District Library; July 30, 9 a.m. at Charlevoix Middle School, and August 6, 9 a.m. at Walloon Lake Country Club (Grandma's).

There will be a proctored exam at 10 a.m. on Friday, June 17 at the Charlevoix city park pavilion for those who have an on-line boating safety certificate.

Minimum age for the classes is 12 years. Students should bring date of birth information with them for registration purposes.

This course is mandatory for some ages to engage in certain boating activities. For more information, call the Sheriff's office at (231)

Stroll the streets of Boyne

Spring is here which means summer and Stroll the Streets of Boyne are right around the corner! People who were in downtown Boyne City on Friday nights last year know how nice these events were. Those who weren't missed great evenings filled with entertainment and activities for everyone - but it's not too late to start strolling.

This year, the Main Street Promotions Committee is making the event bigger and better, but we need your help. There are many levels of sponsorship and entertainment opportunities available. Local businesses should be receiving details in the mail soon and Main Street volunteers will try to follow up with a personal visit. Don't miss out on this opportunity to help make 2005's Stroll the Streets of Boyne awesome

If you know someone who might be interested in entertaining or sponsoring entertainment, contact either Karen Guzniczak at (231) 582-2355 or Leslie Neilson at (231) 582-0542.

Treats for troops returns

The "Treats for Troops" program is returning this summer. Kilwin's of Boyne and American Legion Post #228 Boyne City are again working together to send boxes of fudge to Boyne area troops. Kilwin's offers a free box of fudge for every two boxes of fudge purchased. The free box of fudge may be designated for our troops. Because so many of our Boyne area troops have returned from overseas, there will be at least two special mailings of fudge to them thanking them for their service to our country.

One mailing is planned for before the Fourth of July and the other for before the Polish Fes-

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O'Brien Real Estate opens Water Street office

Water Street is sporting a new business, as Pat O'Brien has opened O'Brien and Associates Real Estate next to Kiss Carpet.

O'Brien is excited about his new offices

"I wanted it to look professional," he said. "I didn't want to cut any corners when I knew we would be so visible here."

There is room for five agents in the new offices, but O'Brien isn't in a hurry to add staff just yet.

"We want to make sure we have our feet firmly on the ground first,"

O'Brien has lived in Boyne City for 29 years, the first 14 of which were spent driving a beer truck, before he began to make a name for himself as a real estate agent.

"It's hard work," he said, and laughed. "Some days I think driving a beer truck wasn't a bad deal.'

He worked for a real estate franchise for 15 years before opening his business as an independent.



"I think people are more interested in the individual than the franchise," he said. "In retail, franchises mean lower prices, but that's not true in real estate."

Still be doesn't want to have an adversarial relationship with other local real estate offices, he said.

"Other brokers have been very en-

Toffolo, left, and Pat O'Brien soak in the morning sun outside their new office on Water Street.

that's important," said O'Brien. O'Brien said that what he brings to the marketplace is experience and customer service. What it brings to him is satisfaction.

"I have always wanted to own my own business. It's not an ego thing,' he said: more the realization of a dream. "Having Don Toffolo made my decision to do this easier. He's a great rep - a great guy."

Home builders provide scholarships

The Little Traverse Association of Home Builders provided scholarship funds to students enrolled in the schools' construction trades programs, thanks to proceeds from the annual garage build.

Carl Wager and Myron Matz of the association presented checks for \$1,875 to Boyne City, Charlevoix, and Petoskey at the Career and Technical Education Recognition Dinner on May 3, hosted by Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District.

Proceeds from sponsors and the garage build auction allow the Home Builders Association to make the donation toward student scholarships. Annually, students from the Construction Trades programs team up with LTAHB to build and auction a garage.

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couraging. I think my rapport with other agents is good and I think

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Patrol

The officers were taught the proper way to fall (they were pushed off their bikes for this exercise); the proper way to ride up and down stairs; firearm tactics and how to incorporate a bicycle into law enforcement situations.

The officers were also trained on obstacle courses at very low speeds so that they will be able to maneuver through large crowds of pedestrians. Their duties will involve mostly downtown and parks areas, where they may expect to encounter crowds.

In addition, they learned about traffic safety. Police officers on bikes are at greater risk for injury due to their constant movement, as well as more vulnerable interaction with traffic.

They were also trained in their different nutritional needs with the level of energy expended on a bike beat: "more carbs, more water." Spate said.

And their training included a significant amount of bicycle maintenance.

"We can take care of most problems," they said. An aspect of police work unique to bike police is their increased role in public relations.

"It gets us out where we can actually be seen as people," Spate said. "People will be able to meet us and learn who we are instead of just a car. Maybe people will come to us more with

their concerns instead of having to dial 9-1-1 after hours.

"Our main focus will be the business district and parks. Last year there were several instances of vandalism inside and outside businesses," said Jeff Gettel, assistant chief of police. "They'll have closer contact with young folks downtown.

Quiet approaches will give law-breakers less opportunity to leave the scene, and should mean an increase in arrests, and - hopefully - a decrease in criminal activity, but the police department hopes that it does more.

"We hope it will create a bond with some of the youth that run downtown and the officers." Gettel said. Spate agreed.

"It'll be harder to keep from getting caught. but I think a lot of the kids are going to like it. too. We are doing what they are doing - riding around having fun," he said.

Besides creating a safer downtown and parks system, the bike police hope to be able to educate kids about where it is appropriate to ride bicycles and skateboards, and also they plan to hold a "bike rodeo," to teach bicycle safety.

"It will promote bicycling in the community." Gettel said.

The officers volunteered for the job, which will add increased hours, as they work both on bikes and in their normal schedules. The increased hours will require overtime pay, and the Main Street Program has pledged to set aside \$6,000 to help pay for that overtime, if it is needed.

Officially in use for a week already, the bike patrol enjoyed their first Mushroom Festival.

"It went well. We got all positive comments from the public." Gettel said. Spate said that he could "hardly move" through the crowd, so many people stopped him to talk about the new program.

They will be very visible at special events - Mushroom Festival, Fourth of July, car shows," Gettel said, "These two guys volunteered to do the bikes. Each of them have personalities that interact well with the public.

"The bike police are here to stay," Gettel

"It's going to be fun --- the whole thing will be fun," Spate said. "We will get to patrol areas we don't normally get to. It will be nice to deal with people in a more friendly level instead of just when something's going wrong."

So when you see the guys, ask McGuire how his daughter is coming on her T-Fal and wooden spoon drum, or whether Spate's two-year-old has found any more morels, or how they like their bikes. They are a couple of Boyne City family men, and full-fledged police officers on bicycles, as well.

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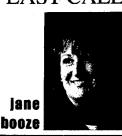
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Dangers of anonymity

Last week I received a call complaining that we had recently misidentified a couple of students.

I don't like to quibble with those complaints. I know that we are entrusted with your children and grandchildren's names, and printing them correctly is important. I think - and hope - that students enjoy seeing their names in the paper, and it matters that we get them right.

LAST CALL



It also matters that we get the facts of the news right, and that direct quotes are word-forword.

To tell the truth. I am pretty darn conscientious about word-for-word accuracy, but when my notes say something like, "not comm intention...." I wonder if the actual quote was, "It is not the ..." etc., or

whether "comm" stands for commission, community, commiserator, common-law, commode, Communist, or what.

Usually context helps me with the latter dilemma, and sometimes I fudge on the "It is not" part. In spite of that, I think that we are able to maintain a pretty high level of accuracy. We strive to write just what we see and hear and no more than that - or when we rely on another source, we make sure that we identify that source and quote it accurately.

It's very important

But nobody dies if we get it wrong.

So I am wondering about the Newsweek story that cost at least 16 lives.

Personally, I love my Bible. It's got a soft leather cover, and I have lots of underlined things in it that personalize it for me. But the Word became flesh, not bound paper, so I don't idolize the book. If someone flushed it down the toilet, I think I would remember that the Bible itself says to hide its words in your heart — insurance against such an occasion of loss.

Muslims do not feel the same way about their holy book, the Ouran. It is a sin and a crime to desecrate it. It is punishable by death, as we have seen.

I don't think it's clear whether anyone actually flushed a Quran. I personally have yet to encounter the toilet up to the task, but I suppose it could have happened. If it did, it was wrong, and the person or persons involved should be reprimanded and retrained, at least,

But the reporter who told the story should have been able to guess the consequences of his words. Blood would run.

In our world, blood is not a fair exchange for disrespect, however holy the object. We know this: take the manure-encrusted Virgin, or the crucifix submerged in urine as art, for instance. Christians may not like the barrage of insults to our faith, but we don't take up arms against it. In the world of Islamist extremism, blood is a fair exchange for many things: disrespect, impertinence. adultery, and more. And these same reactors will destroy an ancient Buddhist temple without a second thought, or carve the lips off Christians to prevent evangelism.

I think the reporter and his editors should be held accountable for lack of restraint, regardless of the veracity of the claim - the extremists are the culprits, but Newsweek was complicit.

People in the media are in an odd position of power. Even I could say, "... the source, a high level official at the city hall, spoke on condition of anonymity," - with or without the actual benefit of such an esteemed official.

I do not believe the Newsweek reporter created his source out of whole cloth. I believe he had a source who has some culpability of his or her own, but ah, the beauty of anonymity. (I would guess, however, that source will no longer have the distinction of being deemed "reli able.")

There is one more element: Sometimes, even in a small town, people say things that I just don't print. Sometimes I make the judgement call that a comment is unnecessarily divisive or merely impulsive, and that it is in the overall best interest not to publish it. Is that censorship or common sense?

In telling the truth, am I obligated to include details that may injure people without adding value to the story, or even adding truth?

Could it be that in wartime, regardless of a journalist's independent view on that war, some things are better left unreported - whether or not they are true - in the interest of protecting innocent lives from people too easily inflamed to murderous wrath?

We welcome your comments. Please write to Jane Booze at citizen@voyager.net,



MANY THANKS

TO THE EDITOR:

I wanted to write to express my heartfelt appreciation to the community members of the Boyne City area. I am moving to the Lansing area at the end of the month, and will always treasure the warmth, friendliness and commitment I have encountered from the people in Boyne, both those patients and those citizens of a wonderful small town.

After much contemplation, my husband has decided he wants to pursue his professional dreams in higher education administration. And, he therefore, needs to be surrounded by colleges and universities. Because I have such fulfillment in my career as a dentist, I want him also to enjoy that feeling in his career. It was a difficult decision, and one I hated to make knowing I will be leaving northern Michigan and all its beauty, but I do want what is best for my entire family.

And to my patients I cannot thank you enough. You have contributed to much of my contentment and fulfillment in Boyne City. And, much gratitude to the Kirkby's for providing this opportunity originally. Dr.

TO THE EDITOR:

The Mushroom Festival is officially over and, although the weather was less than perfect, many residents and visitors spread enough warmth to make up for it. On behalf of the Boyne Valley Garden Club, I would like to thank all who participated in the 50-50 raffle, the proceeds of which go to buy flowers that we plant around town. Each year the townspeople are especially generous in purchasing our raffle tickets and we owe a major part of our success to you.

Kirkby has been a great mentor and gave me much flexibility with my style and approach to dentistry. For that. I thank him for taking that risk and hopefully the results were positive. I have, also, grown so attached to the caring staff in the practice and wish them all

I will miss my trips to the library, my "Girls Play Hockey" sandwich from Lake St. Market, my quiet lunches at Robert's or the Thai restaurant, my serene views of Lake Charlevoix, my haircuts with Deonna, my scrumptious coffee cakes from the bakery, football Saturdays at Garrett's, birthday parties with "Woody", Kilwin's caramel apples, my last-minute shopping sprees at Mary's of Boyne, BC's special sub, salsa (and Barb) from the Mesa, and the many interactions with friendly store clerks, owners, and chamber staff . You have all made my time in Boyne very special.

Thank you again, and many regards to all of you!

Lisa L. Knowles, D.D.S.

And, as luck would have it, all three winners are from Boyne City. The first drawing for \$133 was won by Lou Awodey of Connections North; the second drawing for \$152.50 was won by Cub Scout Troop 49, and the third drawing for \$186.50 was won by Ralph Gillett.

> Jan Ruback, Member Boyne Valley Garden Club

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. Comments can be sent to Jane Booze at citizen@voyager.net or janeellen@voyager.net.

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Next stop Mexico!

BY BRITTANY MOODY Contributing Writer

Fifteen BCHS students who are a part of the Spanish club took a 10-day vacation to Mexico, from March 28 to April 6. These lucky travelers included sophomores Jennifer Sisson, Leanna Roberts, and Annie Bricker; juniors Allison Bingham, Haili Friedrich, Kayla Massey, Megan Bascom, Armen Karaptian, and Evan Conklin; seniors Kathleen Adkison, Kim Foster, and Dillon Olmstead. The

chaperones devoting their time to travel to this warm weathered country were Jodi Barriger, who also organized the trip, Jeanne Heath and principal Karen Jarema.

Their first day in Mexico, the Boyne City group landed in Mexico City and spent their day touring its grounds, followed by the next day going to the Teotihuacan pyra-

Chaperon Heath summarized, saving, "We didn't just see the resort Mexico we saw a real piece of Mexico.'

I just think that it was a great cultural and language opportunity for my students. I think everyone, chaperones included, had a really good time.

> — Jodi Barriger trip organizer

The most interesting part of this trip was that the students really got to get inside the culture by relating with host families who took them in. Amongst the houses, there were two houses with three students, and three houses with two students. Although it was a bit scary for most, they ended up having a good time.

Although there were some language difficulties with students and chaperones both, Barriger thought

"I was proud of the way they handled the culture and language barriers. It was difficult for them at first, but once they were accustomed to what was expected they adapted much better," she said.

The food happened to even be bearable, which was different to some students' expectations before they

"Some was good, some of it was really bad. We mostly just ate breakfast food like fruit. Our family had like ham and cheese in all their meals," Adkison

Many of the students described their host families to be very family-oriented, either by saying that their many branches of immediate and removed relatives lived in the same house, no matter the age or if they were married, or that they were very formal about sitting down and eating as a family.

'Their whole family lives together and they're very private people," Foster said. "Their mom, all the daughters, and son — even though they're in their high twenties - and the grandma lived there."

"The family would always eat together, which is something that we've grown away from in the United States," Olmstead said.

Although the students spent their night lives with their host families, they traveled as a group throughout their visit to Merida, Mexico. On their trip they went to many assortments of grounds, pyramids, and museums. They visited such things as the Chichen Itza ruins and the temple of Uxmal, among many more historical pieces. When they had some downtime the students took the opportunity to shop and

Even though, as Foster said, "We saw a lot of interesting things, and went to a lot of different places," many students agreed that, although it was a trip for educational purposes, there were too many museums, and hoped that in the future the trip would not revolve around stopping at least one per day.

"It was a huge eye-opener to be able to experience some of the cultural things we did in Mexico, meeting Mexican families, touring ancient ruins, and (in her case) losing money because of less than adequate language skills for bargaining," Heath said.

Upon leaving their host families, to spend their last two full days in Mexico in Cancun, the students had a fiesta to celebrate their time with their host families and bid them farewell. Their fiesta included going to Barriger's host family's house, eating pop and pizza, watching the MSU game, taking final pictures, and learning the salsa.

"It (the salsa) was fun, I guess. Not the entire group participated, so it was funny dancing," said Adkison.

After departing from their host families, they • traveled to Cancun to visit Isla Mujeres, and shopped, swam, and snorkeled. Similarly, their last day was spent relaxing with many water activities. They even embarked on deep sea fishing.

"The ocean was awesome," Foster said. "We went snorkeling and deep sea fishing. The markets were cool, we bargained and bought a lot of cheap stuff."

The students really seemed to enjoy the opportunity. Many felt that it helped to improve their language capabilities and get a better grasp of the Mexican culture.

"I just think that it was a great cultural and language opportunity for my students," Barriger said. "I think everyone, chaperones included, had a really good time."

Brittany Moody is a senior at Boyne City High

William Saxton WW2

Each Memorial Day, The Citizen-Journal is pleased

to run the names of deceased area veterans to honor their service to the country. The lists are complied in Boyne City by Dean Kleinschrodt and in East Jordan by Ken Richards. Anyone with additions to or questions about the lists are asked to contact Kleinschrodt

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Memorial Day services

A number of services and special activities are scheduled throughout the local area to honor the memories of those who served, on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30.

IN BOYNE CITY, members of the American Legion and auxiliary, and VFW and auxiliary who are taking part in early morning cemetery visitations are invited to the Boyne City Boosters breakfast at Boyne City High School, at 7 a.m.

Cemetery services will be held at the following locations:

8 a.m.: Memorial Park, Boyne Falls 8:15 a.m.: Memorial Park, Walloon Lake

8:35 a.m.: Evangeline Cemetery, Evangeline Township

8:55 a.m.: Dyer Cemetery, Bay Township 9:20 a.m.: Advance Cemetery, Eveline Township

9:35 a.m.: Wilson Cememtary, Wilson Twp.

9:50 a.m.: Maple Lawn Cemetary, Boyne City

At 11 a.m., the Memorial Day Parade will follow a route from the American Legion Hall on Lake Street to the Boyne River, where a Memorial Service will be conducted for those lost at sea. The parade will then continue to Veterans Memorial Park, for Memorial Services to be held at the

IN EAST JORDAN, the day will begin with coffee and rolls at the American Legion #227, served by the American Legion Auxiliary, at 6:30 a.m. The veteran's breakfast will be held at 9:30 a.m. Cemetery services will be held as follows:

7:30 a.m.: Calvary 8 a.m.: Pesek

8:15 a.m.: Bohemian

8:35 a.m.: Dunsmore

9 a.m.: Sunset Hill

Parade lineup will begin at 10 a.m. at GAR Park, on the corner of Main and Williams streets. Scouting groups, girls and boys little league players and entries pertaining to decoration day are encouraged to participate. The parade will be at 10:45 a.m., rain or shine, traveling down Main Street to Memorial Park for services, to begin at 11 a.m. Military services will be held under the auspices of the American Legion Rebec Hosler Sweet Post #227, the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #7580, and their auxiliaries.

Paul Bowen of East Jordan will be the guest speaker.

Following the Memorial Park services, troops will march to the Christopher Taylor Memorial Bridge to conduct a service for those who have died at sea. Services will conclude with the parade arching back to GAR Park for a flag-raising and dismissal.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Boyne City High School

NAME: Bridget N. Hecker PARENTS: John and Theresa Hecker GRADE: 11th

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: "I like to have a good ol' time!'

FUTURE PLANS: "My goal in life is stay cool and be happy. I want to thank Mrs. Belford for being such a wonderful teacher." STAFF COMMENT: "Bridget is a great visual arts student and her creativity is evident in her work. She has a great sense of humor and is just very kind-hearted. Bridget is well respected by her peers," said Nancy Belford, fine arts teacher.



Boyne Falls High School

GRADE: 11th FAVORITE CLASS: Art HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: Play sports. **FAVORITE SPORT: Soccer FAVORITE COLOR: Black FAVORITE FOOD:** Pasta FAVORITE AUTHOR: Tamora Pierce FAVORITE MOVIE: "The Notebook" STAFF COMMENT: "Transferring to a new school is never easy, but Heather Jordan made it look easy when she joined us at the halfway point of the second trimester. Heather jumped into an unfamiliar unit and established herself as one of my top students in just a few days. She has worked conscientiously to main-

PARENTS: Tammy Leazier



Heather Jordan

Liz Crawford

tain an A average since her arrival. Heather's insights regarding literary selections, her high quality written work and her enjoyable personality have been a valued addition to my U.S. Literature class. said Mr. Garver.

East Jordan High School

NAME: Liz Crawford

PARENTS: Brian and Beverly Crawford GRADE: 10th

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES: National Honors Society, Fellowship of Christian Students. HOBBIES AND INTERESTS: 4-wheeling,

snowmobiling and camping. FAVORITE CLASSES: English and U.S. History

FUTURE PLANS: Pediatric nurse.

STAFF COMMENTS: "Liz is such a positive person. She gives her best in class on a daily basis, and always comes in with a smile on her face. She's been working extra hard the last few weeks and her efforts really show,' said Mrs. McPherson.

"Liz is great to have in class. She is kind, helpful and very bright," said Mrs. Richardson. "Elizabeth is working very hard in chemistry.

She has a great attitude and, even when she struggles, she does not give up,"

"I have enjoyed Elizabeth's continual optimism and focused effort throughout the year. Keep up the good work!" said Mr. Essenberg.

BY NANCY NORTHRUP

KATY (BERNTHAL) GAISER, daughter of Ken and Jan Bernthal of Boyne City, will be coming home on a two-week leave in June. Katy, who is in the U. S. Army's National Guard, has been in Iraq for the past six months. The family will be giving her a welcome home party at the Christ Lutheran Church on June 11, from 2-5 p. m. All are welcome to attend. Stop in and say hello to the lady soldier, as she is hoping to see everybody she can while she is home.

ON SATURDAY NIGHT, May 14, a group of girls went to dinner and a movie. First Applebee's then to see "Monster-In-Law" at the show. Attending were Kris Grice, Cathy Wonski, Lisa Caverly, April Caverly, Michele Hoth and Kristin Hoaglund. It was a fun night for the moms to get out and enjoy themselves.

KATHIE HANDY was surprised last week with a 50th birthday party! Hosted by family members and friends, all had a great time, in spite of the cool weather. Sisters Debbie Riddle and Pennie Garlock came from Florida, along with grandniece Zemirva Miller. Brother Tom Garlock Jr. of Texas, aunt and godmother, Jean Garlock, and cousin Mike of Ohio. Cousins Judy Hughes and Tracey Garlock, and friend Bob were also there, joining the many more attending, Kathie received a new "fairy godmother" dress, made by her sister Debbie and worn to the carnival downtown, as she rode the Camel - which showed that she's not too old to have fun!

JOHN HOLOWASKO of New Mexico will be in Boyne City June 14 to 21. Always looking forward to making the trip back to his hometown and old friends, he'll surely be warmly welcomed!

ON TUEŞDAY, May 10. Patti O'Malley of Boyne City, activities director for Independence Village of Petoskey. decided to take 13 ladies of the Village to lunch in Boyne City, followed by a trip to Grandvue to visit Irene Rickard (former resident of both places). The trip to Boyne and the Water Street Cafe became quite a challenge, as Patti had to maneuver the bus through newly painted strips and pylons on the street to unload the women in front of the Cafe. Needless to say, traffic was held up several moments, but none of the orange cones were disrupted and the deed was soon done. All enjoyed a delicious lunch provided by owners Val and Larry, and the group was soon on its way to Grandvue where the ladies visited with Irene and were treated to ice cream cones in one of the large dining rooms. Irene enjoyed seeing and visiting with her former friends and neighbors from the Village: Patti, Delores Carson, Rose Swhem,

Eleanor Dery, Sara Tobey and Esther Buskirk, as well as meeting the other ladies for the first time.

LEONA STANEK sure appreciated all the cards, flowers, calls and food sent while she is recuperating from her major surgery

ON THURSDAY at the Boyne Area Senior Center we will be serving salisbury steak as the entree. Dessert will be pumpkin pie. Bingo will follow lunch. On Friday BBO chicken will be served. On May 30 we are closed for Memorial Day so lunch will not be served. On Tuesday the menu will include baked cod. Next Wednesday we will be serving chicken parmesan. Dessert served will be orange sherbet and a cookie. Wednesday is also the Boyne Area Senior Center, Inc. advisory council meeting at 10 a.m. Following lunch join us for cards.

FUNERAL SERVICES were held at Brown Cemetery on Saturday for Donnie Courtright, son of Judy Courtright of Novi and Gerry Courtright of Atlanta. Donnie passed away on Jan. 23 in Sault Ste Marie. Lunch was served to the many people attending at Fall Park.

PAMELA, THE DAUGHTER OF JUDY PLANCK of Walloon Lake, and Judy's granddaughter, Kim, were the birthday honorees of a family dinner party and fun time at Petoskey's LaSenorita Restaurant on Saturday night.

LOU FOX WAS REMEMBERED well at her memorial service on Saturday. Held at the Dilworth Hotel and hosted by her daughter and son in law, Donna Lou and Larry Manthei of Traverse City, the well-attended service brought back many wonderful memories for all, of Lou and her husband Don, who owned and operated the Fox Variety Store for many years.

SEVERAL RESIDENTS of Litzenburger Place attended the impressive dedication and ribbon cutting ceremony of the "new" Grandvue on Thursday.

THE BCHS CLASS of 1947 met Thursday May 19 at the BC Pizza for lunch and visiting. Those present were Peg Crozier, Leona Stanek, Helen Chapell, Arlene Moore, Arlene Skopand, and Cleo Huffman. Other guests were Shirley Mathers and Wendy Reidel. Next meeting

MICHELLE, KEITH and Dustin Ellison of Clio spent the weekend at the Dan Wilson's on Stanek Road.

To submit an item, call Nancy at (231) 582-9174 or email to neighbors@ gtlakes.com.

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Rolland Grubaugh

Rolland L. Grubaugh, 91, of Trenton, Florida, and formerly of Boyne City and Pellston, died Oct. 17, 2004 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

A graveside memorial service will be held in his honor at 11 a.m. on June 4, at the Littlefield Cemetery on Valley Road in Alanson. The service will be officiated by the Rev. Elizabeth Holowasko of St. Joseph.

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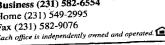
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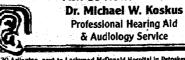


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BOYNE FALLS Top Students

Brittany Matelski, Valedictorian and Ashley Mauchmar, Salutatorian, along with honor students Adam Raphael, Jessica Ann Massey and Josh Jarema, are looking forward to Sunday's Boyne Falls High School graduation ceremonies.

All of them plan on attending college in the fall, but not all of them have decided on a major — just that they know that life as they know it is over, and a new adventure is around the corner.

The past few years have flown by," said Mauchmar. "I am anxious and excited to see what the future has in

As in every senior class, some students can't wait to toss that cap in the air, and some face it with a little bit of anxiety.

Massey, who plans to earn a nursing degree from North Central Michigan College, said, "Graduation is very serious. It's a time when you have to step ahead of everything you knew."

"I'm excited about graduation and about attending college in the fall, but it's going to be hard to leave all

my friends," Matelski said. Her future career is undecided, but she will be enrolled at the University of Michigan. Jarema is also excited to graduate, and enter the next phase of his education. He plans to attend Kirtland College. "Graduation is an exciting time," he said. "I am sad-

dened that high school is over, but I am eager to pursue graphic design while having the opportunity to continue my basketball career. Over the years, I have made many great memories that I will look back on and laugh. Raphael, who is going to Northwestern

Michigan College, employed spare and eloquent prose when asked how he felt about graduating. "Ecstatic!"



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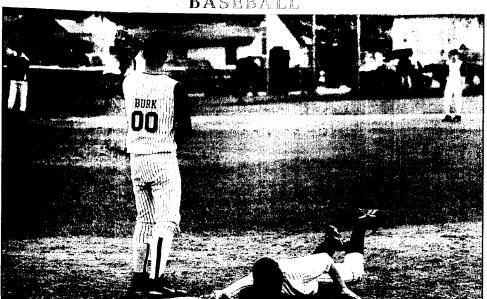
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Red Devils roll past Lancers

■ EJ takes two from conference foe Kalkaska

> BY PHIL TROMBLEY Sports Writer

East Jordan's Kaleb Brown threw a four inning one-hitter in the opening game and his teammate Shane Gardner threw a five inning one-hitter in the second game as the East Jordan varsity team earned a pair of non-conference wins defeating Ellsworth 15-0, 11-1 on Thursday.

Brown struck out eight batters without a walk, while Gardner fanned seven with three base on balls. Justin Roberts belted two home runs, while Andrew Streufert and Ian Sibinic chipped in with one round-tripper each to highlight the East Jordan hitting for the day.

Streufert was 3-4 in the first game and Josh Cooper went3-3. Brown, Roberts and Gardner all went 2-3. In the second game Roberts, Tyler Spence, Brown, Sibinic and Kyle Peters were all 1-2 at the plate.

East Jordan 4, 6 Kalkaska 2, 1

The Red Devils earned a pair of conference victories on May 16 downing Kalkaska 4-2, 6-1.

For East Jordan, Tom Krause was the winning pitcher in the first game, while Dallas Dougherty (2-3), Cooper (1-1), Brown (1-3) and Eric Hansen (1-2)

The Red Devils scored two runs in the second and fourth innings, while the Blazers scored one in the first and one in the fourth.

In the nightcap, Roberts got the win while Spence (2-3), Brown (2-3) and Dougherty (1-3) led the hit-

East Jordan took a 6-0 lead after four innings with a run in the second, four in the third and one in the fourth. while Kalkaska scored its run in the top of the fifth.

East Jordan (17-3 overall, 9-3 LMC) will host a Division III district tournament on Saturday, June 4.

SOCCER BC drops two games; defeats Graying, 4-0

BY PHIL TROMBLEY

Harbor Springs scored three times in the first half and added one after the intermission to hand the Boyne City varsity soccer team a 4-0 loss on Thursday.

Boyne City goalkeeper Liz Zettel entered the game in the second half and stopped six shots to shut down the Lady Rams in the final 35 minutes of the game.

Boyne City 4, Grayling 0

The Lady Ramblers earned a Lake Michigan Conference victory on May 16 downing Grayling 4-0.

Sam Dunwoody opened the scoring at the three minute mark of the first half with Kyle Barden getting the assist. Lindsay Baic scored 12 minutes later on a free kick from 30 yards out to close out the first half.

Melanie Higgins scored on a penalty kick at the 18 minute mark of the second half, while Candice Olund scored on an assist from Higgins with five minutes remaining to close out the victory.

Lindsay Baic stopped six shots on goal to get the shut out.

Cheboygan 2, Boyne City 1

The Lady Ramblers played even with the Lady Chiefs throughout a scoreless first half on May 18, but Cheboygan tallied two second half goals to defeat Boyne City 2-1. Amy Anderson scored for Boyne City assisted by Baic.

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Ramblers sweep St. Francis

■ BC splits with Rayders, dominates Inland Lakes

> BY PHIL TROMBLEY Sports Writer

Caleb Helsley and Drew Mittig both earned complete game victories as the Boyne City varsity baseball team defeated Traverse City St. Francis 8-7, 4-3 on Friday.

Helsley struck out six batters and scattered four hits in the opener when the Ramblers took an 8-2 lead into the fifth inning and then held off a late rally that saw the Gladiators score five runs in the bottom half of the inning.

Mittig laced three singles to lead the Rambler hitters, while John Mosley chipped in with two singles and Helsley, Josh Aown and Tyler Kruzell added one single each.

Mittig fanned six in the nightcap and held St. Francis to three hits.

Boyne City scored all of its runs in the top of the fourth inning, while St. Francis

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got its three runs in the bottom of the fourth.

"Caleb and Drew both pitched excellent gall games," said Boyne City coach Beano Archey. "St. Francis is a good ball-club and they made comebacks in both games. Caleb and Drew hung tough and our defense came through to get two big wins."

Mittig (two singles), Ryan Hennessy (two singles) and Sean Mills (double) led the hitters in the second game. Helsley, Kruzel and Mosley contributed with one single each.

Charlevoix 1, 2 Boyne City 0, 3

Charlevoix took advantage of a couple of Boyne City mistakes in the first inning and scored the only run of the game defeating Boyne City 1-0 on May 16.

In the second game the Ramblers came back to score two third inning runs and add one in the fifth to edge out the Red Rayders 3-2.

Mittig got the win on the mound striking out four and giving up six hits.

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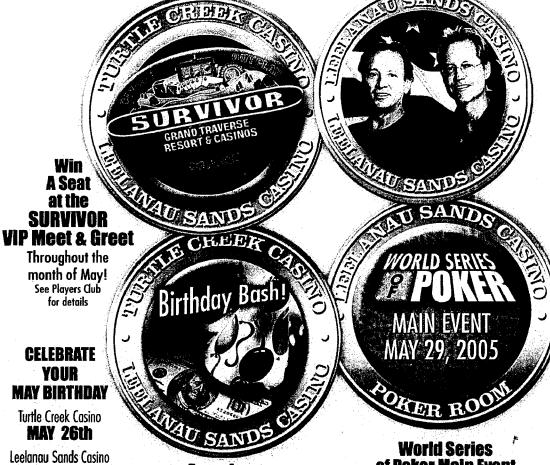
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East Jordan's Mary Shaw captured the Division III regional long jump crown with her leap of 15-4.



Lady Red Devils capture honors

Mary Shaw captured the long jump with a leap of 15-4 and the 800M relay team of Jessica Skop, Sarah Kupovitz, Shaw and Jaleesa Baier won in a time of 1:49.9 to lead the East Jordan girls track team to a first place finish at the Division III regional meet held in East Jordan on Saturday. Boyne City's Taylor Voice cleared 12-2 to grab the other

local top finish in the boys pole vault. East Jordan took the girls title with 86 points beating out Kingsley (71), Benzie Central (62). Suttons Bay (61),

Charlevoix (57.5). "This win comes from a team with only one senior. No one gets singled out in this meet," said East Jordan coach Dennis Snarey. "They all performed as they were expected.

We are very proud of what these girls have accomplished." Charlevoix won the boys meet with 80.2 points followed by Kingsley (71.5), Harbor Springs (62), Roscommon (51), Suttons Bay (45.7).

The top two finishers in each event, plus those meeting state qualifying marks during the season, advance to the final meet in Grand Rapids on Saturday, June 4.

Other local qualifiers were: Jessica Skop (EJ, 2nd 100 hurdles 16.1), Chelsey Poindexter (EJ, 2nd 800 2:27), Jaleesa Baier (EJ, 3rd 400 1:00), East Jordan (2nd 400 relay 53.20). East Jordan (2nd 3200 relay 9:52).

SOFTBALL

Loggers grab four conference wins

in the opener and four hits in the nightcap as the Boyne Falls varsity softball team downed Alba 11-1, 6-4 for a pair of Northern Lakes Conference victories at home on Friday.

Pernicano struckout six batters in the first game when the Lady Loggers hit for three runs in the first inning, one in the third and seven in the fourth, while the Lady Wildcats scored their only run in the third inning.

Pernicano fanned seven batters in the second game as Boyne Falls tallied three in the first frame and added single runs in the second, third and fifth. Alba scored three in the first and one in the fifth.

Pernicano also struck for six singles in the two games. Ashley Mauchmar had three singles, Terra Wasylewski had two singles and Melissa Suttle and Katie Grubaugh had one single each.

Boyne Falls 6, 9 Vanderbilt 5, 8

The Lady Loggers earned two one run victories at home on May 16 edging out Vanderbilt 6-5, 9-8.

Boyne Falls scored four runs in the sixth inning to get the win in the first game. Vanderbilt took a two run lead after two innings before Boyne Falls tied the contest with a run in the fourth and fifth innings.

Boyne Falls held a 4-3 lead after one inning in the second game before Vanderbilt tied the game at 7-7 with three runs in the fourth inning. Both teams scored one in the fifth before the Lady Loggers pulled out the win in the final frame.

Pernicano earned both wins striking out seven batters in each game. Mauchmar had six hits to lead the Boyne Falls hitting for the day.

Boyne Falls (10-8 overall, 6-4 NLC) will travel to Mackinaw City today.

Boyne City offense struggles in two losses

The Boyne City varsity softball team managed to push just one across the plate on Friday when Traverse City St. Francis downed Boyne City 5-0, 5-1 to sweep the Lake Michigan Conference doubleheader.

Molly Hausler pitched five innings in the opener giving up four runs on six hits to take the loss. Haulser struck out five batters. Jenna Raber struckout 1-3 batters she faced in the final inning.

Haili Friedrich, Amanda Westrick and Stephanee Woodward had one hit each for Boyne City. The Lady Gladiators took

advantage of six Boyne City errors to build a five run lead in the nightcap. Stephanie Vroman drove in Boyne City's lone run in the top of the sixth inning.

Woodward and Tori Crum had two hits apiece to lead the Lady Ramblers, while Allison Aown and Sydney Fish added one hit each.

Boyne City 6, 7 Inland Lakes 3, 10

Boyne City took the first game 6-3 and lost the second game 10-7 to split with Inland Lakes on May 18.

Hausler went the distance to earn the win in the opener striking out two, walking three and surrendering four hits.

Westrick and Paige Smith paced the Boyne City bats with three hits each, while Crum chipped in with two hits and Emily McLane and Aown added one hit each.

In the second game Westrick, Woodward and Aown had two hits each and Crum, Emma Clemens, McLane and Vroman added one hit each.

Boyne City (12-16 overall) will travel to East Jordan for the Division III district tournament on Saturday, June 4.

SOCCER

Ramblers

Mittig had a double and a single to lead

the hitters. David Austin and Mills had two

singles each and Helsley, Brad Erickson and

The Ramblers defeated Ski Valley Con-

Hennessy started the opener and got the

Austin (two doubles, two singles), Kruzel

(double, two singles), Helsley (double,

single) and Mosley (double) paced the hit-

Austin started the second game and tossed five and one third innings to get the win,

while Hennessy finished the game in relief. Will Brown (double, single), Hennessy

(two singles), John Eastwood (two singles)

Boyne City (20-8 overall, 10-4 Lake

Michigan Conference) will compete in the

Division III district tournament in East Jor-

and Kruzel (double) led the hitters.

dan on Saturday, June 4.

ference foe Inland Lakes 19-9, 10-5 on May

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Kruzel had one single each.

Boyne City 19, 10

Inland Lakes 9, 5

win as the Ramblers.

ting for Boyne City.

EJ drops two

Elk Rapids scored two goal in the first half and added one goal in the second half to defeat the East Jordan varsity soccer team 3-0 on Tuesday, May 17.

Goalkeeper Amanda Arreguin made 21 saves in the East Jordan net, while Melanie Hillaker, Kelsey Poineau and Katherine Rowley turned in good games in the midfield

"This was a good game for the ladies. They played hard all game and though they didn't score they did press the attack several times," said East Jordan coach Pete Elliott.

On Thursday, May 17, the Traverse City Liberty downed East Jordan 10-0.

Ellsworth hands Lady Devils pair of losses

held the East Jordan varsity softball team to six hits in two games as the Lady Lancers swept the Lady Devils 10-5, 5-1 on Thursday.

Ellsworth held a 7-2 lead after two innings in the opener and added a run in the third and two in the fifth. East

Jordan scored two in the second, one in the fourth and two in the fifth.

Jessica Roberts had a triple, while Kayla Hines, Sarah Lorne and Sierra Roberts all had one single for the Lady

The Lady Lancers scored single runs in all five innings to take the second

game, while the Lady Devils scored one run in the second frame.

Tabatha Grover tripled and Christine Vincent singled for the two East Jordan

East Jordan will host a Division III district tournament on Saturday, June 4.

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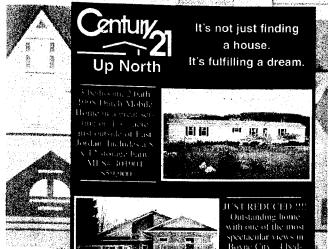


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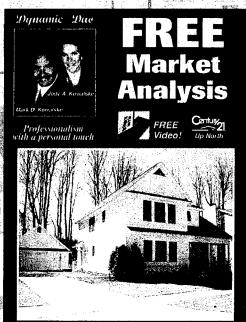
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Real Estate

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has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Riki S. Cousineau, a married woman and William Cousineau, her husband, original mortgagor(s), to Ameriquest Mortgage Cor Mortgagee, dated July 8, 2004 and recorded on July 28, 2004 in Liber 628 on Page 525, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Wells Fargo Bank N.A., for the benefit of the certificateholders of Asset-Backed Pass through Certificates Series 2004MCW1 as assignee by an assignment, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-One Thousand Eight Hundred One And 80/100 Dollars (\$61,801.80), including interest at 10.7% 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 vendue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix at 11:00 AM, on Said premises are situated in

Village of Boyne Falls, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: The East 72 leet of Lots 1 and 2, Block 11, Addition 2, to the Village of Boyne Falls, excepting the West 8 feet thereof, according to the recorded Plat thereof. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date

Dated: May 4, 2005

FC X (248) 593-1302 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Wells Fargo Bank N.A., for the benefit of the

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File #054746F01

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default

has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Joseph H Kulisz and Carol A Kulisz, husband and wife to Ameriquest Mortgage Company, A Delaware Corporation Mortgagee, dated August 5, 2004 and recorded Aust 16, 2004 in Liber 631 Page Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was subsequently assigned to: WM Specialty Mortgage LLC, Without Recourse, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand Two Hundred Eleven Dollars and Forty-Three Cents (\$139,211.43) including interest 7.9% 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, in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, MI at 11:00AM. on Friday, May 27, 2005.

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

Commencing 20 chains North of Center 1/4 post; Section 19. Town 33 North, Range 5 West; thence West 330 feet; thence South 198 feet; thence South 68 degrees 10 minutes East 352.2 feet; thence North 330 feet to place of beginning; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4, Section 19, Town 33 North, Range 5

Being the same property conveyed to Joseph H. Kulisz and Carol H. Kullsz, husband and wife by deed dated 6/27/94 and recorded 6/29/04 in Deed Book 354, page 193, in the office of the Recorder of Charlevolx

County, Michigan. Commonly known as 2749 N M 75, Boyne City MI 49712 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which ase the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale

Dated: APRIL 21, 2005 WM Specialty Mortgage LLC, Without Recourse Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C.

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MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Duane R. Skop, a single person, to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., successor by merger to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc., mortgagee, dated April 30, 2002 and recorded May 2, 2002 in Liber 468, Page 895, Charlevoix County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand One Hundred Fourteen and 67/100 Dollars (\$110,114.67) including interest at the rate of 4.00% per

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 in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. on June 3, 2005. The premises are located in the

Charlevoix County, Michigan and are described as: Beginning at a 3/4 inch rod at

the East quarter corner of Section 5, Town 32 North, Range 7 West; thence South 0 De grees 20 Minutes 35 Seconds ast along the East line of said Section and along the center line of Ranney Road 497.18 feet; thence North 71 Degrees 53 Minutes 00 Seconds West 34.79 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the Westerly line of said road; thence continuing North 71 Degrees 53 Minutes 00 Seconds West 1346.87 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the East eighth line of said section; thence North 0 Degrees 11 Minutes 58 Seconds West along said East eighth line 111.37 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the East and West quarter line of said Section; thence North 0 Degree 01 Minutes 01 Seconds West along said East eighth line 661.19

feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the North line of the South half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast fractional quarter of said section; thence South 88 Degrees 06 Minutes 49 Seconds East along the last mentioned line 51.05 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the Southwesterly line of Flagg Road; thence continuing South 88 Degrees 06 Minutes 49 Seconds East along said last mentioned line 3d 61 feet to the center line of Flagg Road; thence South 31 es 42 Minutes 06 Sec onds East along said center line 663.61 feet; thence continuing along said center line on a curve to the left 238.67 feet (radius of said curve is 242.54 feet and the chord bears South 59 Degrees 53 Minutes 35 Seconds East 229.16 feet) to a point on said East and West quarter line; thence South 88 Degrees 05 Minutes 05 Seconds East along said East and West quarter line and along the center line of Flagg Road

tion 5, Town 32 North, Range 7 West Excepting Therefrom: Commencing at a 3/4 inch rod at the East 1/4 corner of Section 5. Town 32 North, Range 7 West; thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said section North 88 Degrees 05 Minutes 05 Seconds West 599.04 feet to a point in the centerline of Flagg Road; being the Point of Beginning of this description; thence South 05 Degrees 08 Minutes 22 Seconds West 33.05 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the Southerly line of said road; thence continuing South 05 Degrees 08 Minutes 22 Seconds West 279.39 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence North 71 Degrees 53 Minutes 00 Seconds East 719.14 feet to a 1/2 inch

rod on the East 1/8 line of said

673.56 feet to the point of be-

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Section: thence along said East 1/8 line North 00 Degree 11 Minutes 58 Seconds West 111.37 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on said 1/4 line; thence continuing along said East 1/8 line North 00 Degree 01 Minute 01 Second West 661.19 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the North line of South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast fractional 1/4 of said Section; thence along aforementioned line South 88 Degrees 06 Minutes 49 Seconds East 51.05 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the Southwesterly line of said road; thence continuing along aforementioned line South 88 Degrees 06 Min-utes 49 Seconds East 34.61 feet to the centerline of said road; thence along said centerline South 31 Degrees 42 Minutes 06 Seconds East 663.61 feet; thence continuing along said centerline on the arc of a curve to the left 238.67 feet (radius of said curve is 242.54 feet and the chord bears South 59 Degrees 53 Minutes 35 Seconds East 229.16 feet) to a point on said East and West 1/ 4 line; thence along said 1/4 line and along said centerline South 88 Degrees 05 Minutes 05 Seconds East 74.52 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2 of fractional Section 5. Town 32 North, Range 7 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

party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale. Dated: May 4, 2005 ORLANS ASSOCIATES PC Attorneys for Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., successor by merger to Wells Fargo Home

days from the date of the sale

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William R. Rock, a married man and Susan BowersRock, his wife and Donald P. Bowers, a married man and Shirley J Bowers, his wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc. as nominee for lender. Mort gagee, dated July 20, 2000, and recorded on July 21, 2000 in Liber 392 on Page 809, in Charlevoix county records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the hereof the sum of Severit Two Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-One And 82/100 Dollars (\$72,381.82), including interest at 8.5% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue. at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix at 11:00 AM, on June 17, 2005.

Said premises are situated in City of East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 1, Block 19, Nicholl's Second Addition to the Village of South Lake, (now city of East Jordan), according to the recorded plat thereof Charlevoix County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined aban doned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date

of such sale Dated: May 16, 2005 For more information.

FC S 248,593,1304 Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nomines for lender 30400 Telegraph Rd Ste 200 Bingham Farms, Michigan 48025-5822 File #005386F03

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Greg Gura, a married man and Haizel Gura, husband and wife to Argent Mortgage Company, LLC, A Delaware Limited Liability Company Mortgagee, dated July 30, 2004 and recorded August 6, 2004 in Liber 630 Page 296 Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was subsequently assigned to: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company as Trustee of Argent Mortgage Securities, Inc. Asset-Backed Pass Through Certificates Se ries 2004-W11. Under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement Dated as of October 1, 2004. Without Recourse, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Dollars and Eighty-Eight Cents (\$299,450.88) including interest 8.5% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Court-house, MI at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 17, 2005.

Said premises are situated in Township of Boyne Valley, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as Unit 47, Village At Disciples

Ridge Condominium, a condominium project according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 381, Pages 34 through 98, and First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 394. Page 338 through 353, and Restated First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 394, Page 869 et seq., and Second Restated First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 395, Page 615 et seq., and Second Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 404, Page 935, and amended in Third Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 411 Page 594, and amended in Fourth Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 427 Page 812, Charlevoix County Records and designated as Charlevoix County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 97. 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

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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: MAY 12, 2005

Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee of Argent Mortgage Securities, Inc. Asset-Backed Pass Through Certificates Series 2004-W11, Under the Pooling and Servicing ber 1, 2004, Without Recourse, Assignee of Mortgagee Attornevs: Potestivo & Associ ates, P.C.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

May 17, 2005, at 7:30 p.m.; Mayor Mark Postma presided with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgement was given to paid bills in the amount of \$198,023.08.

Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of Zoning Activity Report, April 2005; acknowledged Funds on Hand Report, April 2005; acknowledged receipt of an Introduction to Ordinance #196; acknowledged receipt of the Police Department monthly report; April 2005; approved Tourist Park rental request; approved Elm Pointe request authorized water billing adjustment; approved fireworks permit application for the Jordan Valley Freedom Festival awarded playground equipment bid and endorsed the Friends of the Jordan grant application.

A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in regular session May 3, 2005, at 7:30 p.m.; Mayor Mark Postma presided with all members of the City Commission present. Minites were approved and acknowledgeme paid bills in the amount of \$141,678.29

urther Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of Monthly Public Safety Report: adopted Ordinance #195: approved Tourist Park rental request and authorized water billing adjustments.

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CITY OF BOYNE CITY CITY COMMISSION MINUTE SYNOPSIS

May 10, 2005 Regular Meeting - The City Commission approved the minutes from the April 26, 2005 special work session to review the alternate city marina plan and the April 26, 2005 regular meeting; reappointed Shirley Howie and Colleen Smith to the Historical Commission each with a three year term expiring in June of 2008; adopted the MDOT Performance Resolution for the purpose of an annual application and permit for miscellaneous operations within state trunkline right of way; adopted the MERS Revised Uniform Defined Contribution Program Resolution for new employees; adopted the MERS Revised Uniform Defined Contribution Program Resolution for current employees; approved the amendment to the Grant Administration agreement between Northern Lakes Economic Alliance and Boyne City for the Air Industrial Park Expansion project; denied a request to sell lot 18, 19, and 20 of Painter & Mclean's Addition to Boyne; adopted the EMS Week Proclamation designating May 15 - 21, 2005 as Emergency Medical Services Week; added the wave attenuator option to the proposed marina plan number 3 (Commissioner Douglas' Plan) for the purpose of conducting a wave study; denied the marina moratorium recommendation from the Planning Commission as it is not an appropriate time for a moratorium; approved the request from Crooked Tree Arts Center that the City participate in the Art in Public Places project; approved the purchase of the 1999 Ford F-150 from Bob Mathers Ford in the amount of \$8,515.00 for the City Marina; approved the Mushroom Festival banner to be placed in Veteran's Park from May 12th through the morning of May 15th at another location other than the flag pole memorial area. The next regular City Commission meeting is scheduled for 12 noon on May 24, 2005 at City Hall, 319 N. Lake Street Sara McRae, Deputy City Clerk



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EAB

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area is around 2,000 acres - the largest site in northern Michigan.

"We are looking at the fact that the EAB is a serious environmental threat to ash trees nationwide," Hill said. "We didn't want this, but we have this pest. We are using all our resources to try and combat this. The Department of Agriculture, the DNR, MSU, the U.S. Forest Service, and the USDA Animal/Plant/Health Inspection Service are all working together to try and combat the EAB."

The greatest obstacle, Hill said, is the unknown. The emerald ash borer is an exotic Asian beetle, according to the MDA, responsible for the death of 15 million ash trees in Michigan. It was discovered in 2002, and, Hill said, little was known about the insect.

"A page and a half was found -- in Chinese," Hill said. "Since that time, we've had to learn everything new - biological controls, life cycle.'

And funding is a challenge.

"We didn't have enough to finish eradication cuts, so we're working on containment cuts and establishing detection trees within a 200-year radius of affected trees, as well as up to 200 more trees are established within the area of known positive trees," Hill said. At the Young State Park site, work is ongoing.

"We have identified the perimeter of infested trees, and will go back and survey the middle in the next couple weeks to identify all the positive ash trees," he said. "We have discovered that there are at least 31 trees within that site or grid that are positive, but we don't know how

many in Young State Park."

Homeowners with positive trees will have those trees targeted for removal, and the wood will not be allowed to leave the site. There will be a quarantine boundary established, although Hill said the MDA will work with property owners so that the wood could be cut into logs in a restricted, permitted and controlled environment to return value to the landowner. The parasite lives directly under the bark, and the interior of the tree remains unaffected. Bark and slabwood with the bark on will have to be chipped and burned according to the conditions of the quarantine.

"It is quite a challenge in many ways, and the potential to be an environmental disaster as we face losing our ash resources," Hill said. "Moving firewood and logs is the largest means (of artificial spread of the EAB). This did not spread naturally from lower Michigan. People can not move ash firewood, logs, bark, slabwood. They should use local sources of firewood. That's how this happened."

According to a May 20 press release from the MDA, a ban has been imposed in the movement of untreated hardwood out of Michigan's lower peninsula.

Dan Wyant, MDA director, stated in the release that the ban will result in a strengthened ability to "restrict firewood movement, seize any wood illegally moved and impose penalties for unlawful movement of firewood." These measures, Wyant said, are "crucial to preventing the artificial spread of EAB into the U.P. and other states."

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was awarded

to junior

Postma.

Andrea



Art

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manship, but also in sculpture," Lambert said. "Andrea's 'Self-Portrait' intrigued me by the grid-like presentation in form and her sensitivity to line."

Postma will be studying at Pratt Institute this summer,

having earned a full scholarship to the program based on All of the awards were given at the discretion of Lam-

bert, the visual art director of the Crooked Tree Art Center, based on creativity, originality and craftsmanship. Five works of art were required in any medium. The top winner's name will be added to the memorial

scholarship plaques displayed permanently at the Arts Council.

Honorable mentions were Dorian Zitifylof East Jordan; Wesley Eggebrecht of Ellsworth; Joseph Haney of East Jordan and Jeff Cerica of Bellaire

Other students that participated in the scholarship event, earning a certificate of merit, were, from Ellsworth, Alice

Neer, Andrea Earle, Pedro Oviedo and Michelle Hizelberger. From Concord Academy Boyne, Hope Blanshan and Mary Chasse. From Boyne City, Skylar MacNaughton, and from East Jordan, Tina Kirby, Krista Nichels, and Rebekah Grutsch.

Lambert said, " ... No student represented here stands entirely alone. I would like to say 'bravo' to the teachers that support and encourage our future sculptors and painters. I would also like to mention that I feel fortunate to live in a community that places a strong emphasis on the arts in all its various forms."

Lambert also thanked the scholarship benefactors for their generosity in helping to keep the "arts alive for all of us.

The exhibit runs until May 30, at the JRAC, 301 Main St., East Jordan. The center will be open daily from 1 - 4 p.m. For more information, call Sara Vrondran at (231) 536-0918 or the art center at (231) 582-6399.

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