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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2005

## COMING EVENTS

### FOBR general meeting

The Friends of the Boyne River general meeting will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m., in the Boyne City District Library Community Room.

These meetings are always open to everyone, but this one is a very special meeting. FOBR board member, Suzy Dickow, will be giving a talk and demonstration on foraging for food in the wild. She will discuss which plants are edible and guests should come ready to taste some of the dishes she will have prepared.

For more information, contact Shirley Howie at (231) 582-7087.

### JVDL storytime starting

It's storytime at the Jordan Valley District Library! Parents, grandparents, and day care providers are invited to bring preschoolers to storytime on Thursday mornings from 10:30 to 11 a.m., at the Jordan Valley District Library in East Jordan.

The storytime program begins on Sept. 15, and no registration is necessary. Each storytime has a different theme with a mixture of books and activities that are recommended for ages 3 - 5.

Pick up a schedule at the library or on-line at [jvdl.info](http://jvdl.info) by clicking on library information and programs. For more information, call (231) 5367131.

### Fund-raiser for Katrina's victims

Challenge Mountain's resale store at 01158 M-75 S. in Boyne City, will be holding a one-day fund-raiser, with all proceeds going to the Red Cross to benefit victims of Hurricane Katrina. The sale will be held at the resale location on Saturday, Sept. 17, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

People wishing to donate items for the sale may drop off household items, furniture, clothes or cash donations to the resale store. Donations will be accepted through the morning of the sale.

Donations and shoppers are both needed and greatly appreciated. Come out and shop for a good cause.

### Boyne equestrian team new this fall

New for 2005, the Boyne City High School has formed an equestrian team through the Michigan Interscholastic Horsemanship Association. Grades 9 - 12 from northern Michigan compete in a venue similar to a track meet, with a total of three meets, which started on Sept. 10. The next meet is Saturday, Sept. 17, and the final is Saturday, Sept. 24, all at 9 a.m., and held at the Otsego County Fairgrounds in Gaylord.

The events are: Western; Huntseat; Saddle Seat; Showmanship; Trail; Speed and Action; and Bareback. For more information, call Kecia Freed at (231) 582-9340.

### Friends of the Jordan River celebration

From 2 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 17, the Friends of the Jordan River Watershed will hold its "Visions of the Valley" festival at the Watershed Center adjacent to Sportsman's Park in East Jordan. The get-together is to honor the photographers that will be receiving awards for the winning pic-

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## Muddy waters



Hip deep in muddy water at Charlevoix's ever-popular cross-country mud run, these intrepid runners may have been grateful for a little cool water with this fall's extra-warm temperatures. East Jordan's Kristi Werner follows a competitor through the cattails, but had a strong second-place finish in the event. See story on page 9.

## Boyne Area mobilizes relief effort

In response to the overwhelming disaster in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama caused by Hurricane Katrina, the Boyne community and all of northwestern Michigan has pulled together to provide emergency assistance to those in need. A coalition of local governments, churches, area schools, service organizations, non-profits, businesses and concerned citizens has joined together to provide a unified community response called Boyne Area Hurricane Relief.

The Boyne Area Hurricane Relief efforts will initially be focused on accepting cash contributions as well as contributions of clothes and nonperishable food items.

Cash contributions are being received through a special account established at the Boyne City branch of Huntington Bank located at the intersection of North Lake and River streets. Contributions can be made at any of the Huntington Banks in Boyne City, East Jordan, Charlevoix or Petoskey. Checks should be made out to Boyne Area Hurricane Relief or BARR.

One hundred percent of the contributions received will be provided to the American Red Cross and the Salvation Army equally.

Contributions of clothes and non-perishable food items are also being collected. Two semi trucks have been arranged to take the items to storm victims through the Star of Hope's Katrina Relief Effort in Houston, Texas where many storm victims have been transported. The Star of Hope is a long established, tax exempt 501c3 support agency, verified by City of Houston officials. The trucks are scheduled to leave Boyne City the morning of Monday, September 19, and arrive in Houston on Sept. 21. The items are being collected now through Sept. 15 at various locations around the area. Drop off locations include:

Challenge Mountain Resale Shop, 01158 M-75 S.; Century 21 Up North, 231 East Water St.; Lynda's Real Estate, 112 S. Park Street; Pat O'Brien & Associates, corner of Water & Park streets; Boyne Realty, 311 Water St.; Harborage Real Estate, 500 Front St.; Remax Resort Properties, 111 South Lake St.; Boyne Rehab Center, 197 State St.

In addition, trucks will be stationed in the Glen's parking lots in Boyne City on Sept. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m., in East Jordan from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and in Petoskey from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 15.

Please only drop off items at these locations when there are people present to accept them.

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## East Jordan offers five full-day kindergarten option

This year, parents of students entering kindergarten at East Jordan Elementary have an option previously not available — a 5-day/full-day program.

"East Jordan Elementary School has made great strides in the past five years," said principal Cal Prins.

"We have excellent assessments K-5 in reading, writing, and math to measure each student's growth and help us focus our instruction; a new standardized report card has been developed; extensive staff training has taken place in the areas of reading, assessment and writing; a new discipline plan has been implemented and is delivering positive results; our reading intervention program has taken a huge step forward with the hiring of a reading specialist; and a new program (EXSEL) was implemented to provide additional academic challenges to students who are ready for advanced work," Prins added.

"When school dismissed last June,

one area continued to be a concern," said Prins. He said that there are significant discrepancies displayed in school readiness that are visible every year in kindergarten.

"It is not uncommon for one kindergarten to begin school having had thousands of hours in rich literature experiences while another kindergarten has only a limited exposure to these same experiences," he added. As in many neighboring communities, there are a number of programs available at the elementary school level geared toward minimizing these discrepancies. Programs such as Head Start, Be-Four, and Young 5s have helped many students gain these valuable early childhood experiences.

"Even with the success of these programs, there remains more work to be completed," Prins said.

These concerns, coupled with frequent discussions among staff,

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## Citizen-Journal seeks former campers

In anticipation of Camp Daggett's 80th birthday celebration this fall, the Citizen-Journal is seeking the area's oldest living camper or camp counselor for a feature article.

If you or someone you know was a camper or counselor in Camp Daggett's early years, contact the Citizen-Journal office at (231) 582-6761. Photos and camp memorabilia would be a bonus.

## Haley Jane goes to Manila

Haley Jane Shaw spent most of her childhood in a farmhouse and on its surrounding green hills just outside of East Jordan, attending East Jordan public schools. She didn't dream that at age 19 she would be flying literally halfway around the world, alone, to work in an orphanage in Manila.

Friendly and outgoing, she was never shy on friends, or shy at all. But by the time she was a sophomore in high school her good spirits had overcome her better study habits, and her grades had consequently suffered. And she never wanted to be a missionary.

And then one day, her father, Bill Shaw, told her he had arranged for her to go to Haiti with him, on a short-term working mission trip.

"It opened my eyes to the needs of the world, not just my own needs," she admitted, but it still didn't convince her to take schoolwork seriously. So when her parents' next move was a longer term missionary trip, packing up the family and taking them into the heart of Manila in the Philippines, Haley's, "Can we leave tomorrow?" was based on a desire to escape bad grades, and not genuine missionary zeal.

"I wanted to go to the Philippines because my grades were so bad," she confessed. "Sadly, that was my motivation. But it really opened my eyes and changed my perspective on my

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Haley Jane Shaw is all smiles as she anticipates her upcoming journey to Manila, where she will be a "big sister" to Filipino orphans at New Faith Family Children's Home.

# Events

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tures from those submitted during the organization's photo contest held during July and August. The winning pictures will be displayed during the event, along with many of the other submissions. Attendees will be given a chance to vote on which photo will receive the Viewer's Choice Award. The afternoon's activities will include music by Dale Parsons and Rob Dunne, and food will be available. The annual membership meeting will be held after the photo celebration.

The major awards that will be presented to the winners are a Grand Prize of \$250 sponsored by Charlevoix State Bank; President's Choice of \$100 given by the Jordan Valley Animal Clinic; Viewer's Choice of \$100 donated by East Jordan Plastics and a Youth Award of \$100 sponsored by the East Jordan Iron Works. \$500 in additional cash prizes (sourced from Bay Winds Federal Credit Union, the Competitive Edge Hair Studio and Dr. Gregory Klinker, DDS), will go to other selected photos. The winning photos will be featured in a 2006 calendar that may be ordered during the get-together.

The celebration will be a great way to spend a late summer afternoon for the whole family, be with friends and be in a beautiful scenic area. The event is free and open to all (members and non-members) including the membership meeting. Questions should be directed to John Richter at (231) 536-3132.

## Memorial golf tournament

The Bay Harbor Foundation is sponsoring a golf tournament at Crooked Tree Golf Club on September 16 to support memorial funds for Justin Conklin and Miriam Behling. Donated funds will assist the Avalanche Preserve Overlook in memory of Justin Conklin and a scholarship fund at North Central Michigan College for Miriam Behling.

The tournament is limited to 36 teams organized as a shotgun scramble at \$195 per player. Players will receive a commemorative Bay Harbor Foundation polo shirt, dinner at the Inn at Bay Harbor, box lunch, golf cart, and be eligible for contests and prizes.

Corporate sponsorships are available and individual donations are encouraged.

For information on being a player or sponsor call (231) 439-2700 or email info@bayharborfoundation.org.

## Historical society classes starting

The Charlevoix County History Preservation Society is sponsoring a series of genealogy classes at the Boyne District Public Library. All classes will be from 7-9 p.m. and the cost will be \$10 for nonmembers and \$7 for CCHPS members. The instructor will be professional genealogist, Carol Goodenough.

The next scheduled class is Monday, Sept. 19, entitled "What Do I Do With All this Stuff?: Organizing Your Genealogical Research." This class helps the beginner or more advanced genealogist organize all the materials they have collected and find ways to keep it organized.

## Golf, cheerleading teams host scramble

The East Jordan golf and cheerleading teams will be hosting a 4-man golf scramble on Sept. 24 at 3 p.m., at the Mallard Golf Course in East Jordan. The cost is \$40

per person and the scramble will benefit the golf and cheerleading teams. Price includes 9 holes golf with cart, a gift for playing, raffled door prizes and dinner.

For more information call Craig DeHoog at (231) 350-1969.

## JRAC Stratford theater trip

The Jordan River Arts Council is pleased to announce details of its annual motor coach trip to Stratford, Ontario. This year's trip will be the weekend of September 23 - 25.

The trip departs East Jordan at noon on Friday and includes a box lunch. Patrons can choose from a list of 10 plays over three days. Stratford also offers unique shopping and dining opportunities.

Seating for all of the plays are located in A or A+ areas, and include the musicals "Hello, Dolly" and "Into the Woods"; Shakespeare productions "The Tempest," "Measure for Measure," and "Edward II"; the comedy "Fallen Angels" by Noel Coward; and dramas, "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," "The Brothers Karamazov," "The Lark," (the story of Joan of Arc), and "Orpheus Descending."

For the seventh year, the accommodations will be at the Festival Inn, with restaurant and pool facilities on the premises.

Pricing for the trip is as follows:

- Bus trip: \$60.
- Hotel: \$60 per person, per night, based on double occupancy.
- Plays: \$58 each, no minimum required.

For additional information, call Barb Worgess at (231) 536-2092. Advance registration required.

## Boyne welcomes ballet

The Grand Rapids Ballet is coming to Boyne City Oct. 7. The performance will be "Toe Jam," an energetic, athletic celebration of dance, featuring many different original pieces from jazz to classical, by world-renowned choreographer Gordon Pierce Schmidt.

Tickets go on sale Sept. 15, and are \$25 for patron seating, \$15 for adults and \$8 for students.

The Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce, working with the Boyne City Foundation for Educational Excellence and the Boyne City Performing Arts program, has secured the only professional ballet troupe in the state of Michigan.

The Grand Rapids Ballet will conduct master classes for students from northwest Michigan for only \$10, Friday, Oct. 7 from 1 - 2:30 p.m. at the Boyne City Performing Arts Auditorium, and then will present a world-class performance at 7 p.m., also in the auditorium, sure to thrill and entertain any dance devotee.

For details on sponsorship opportunities starting at \$50, call Scott MacKenzie at the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce, at (231) 582-6222.

## BDL quilt raffle

There is an ongoing fundraiser raffle of a red, white and blue, handmade quilt for the Friends of the Boyne District Library. The quilt, donated by the Piecemakers Quilt Group, includes matching pillow shams and is on display at the Boyne District Public Library. Tickets are \$1 apiece and the drawing will be held Oct. 8, at 1 p.m. at Veterans Park.

Raffle tickets may be purchased at the Boyne City District Library, Boyne Country Books, Boyne Valley Printing, or by contacting any Friends of the Boyne District Library member.

Need not be present to win.

## Grief support seminars

Grief support seminars for working through death, divorce, heartbreak and other losses are being held the 4th Wednesday of every month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Joseph's Church in East Jordan. Sessions are facilitated by Theresa Prymuszewski, MA, MTS, LPC. All are welcome to attend these non-denominational and free seminars sponsored by the St. Joseph and St. John parishes and the Healing Circle. For more information please contact Theresa at (231) 4994476. Remaining dates are: Sept. 28, Oct. 26, Nov. 23, and Dec. 28.

## Ongoing Events

To have an item included in or removed from the calendar, call (231) 582-6761.

### Every Sunday

• The East Jordan Baptist Church holds a food pantry every Sunday from 3 - 5 p.m. at the church located at 812 Ontario Street. For more information, call (231) 536-7155.

### Every Monday

• The Seventh Day Adventist Community Service Center is open every Monday from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., located on Park Street in Boyne City. For information, call (231) 582-0089.

### First Monday

• The OES Chapter Evangeline Chapter 95 meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Masonic Lodge, 212 N. Lake Street. All OES members are invited. For membership, call (231) 582-6819 or (231) 582-0506.

### First and third Monday

• Boyne Food Pantry pick-up hours are on the first Monday of the month from 10 a.m. to noon and the third Monday from 5 - 7 p.m., or on Tuesday if a holiday falls on Monday. The food pantry is located at 401 State Street.

### Every Tuesday

• A service officer will be at the American Legion Post #228 of Boyne City every Tuesday from 4 - 6 p.m. preceding weekly Bingo. Any veteran seeking assistance may visit the Post at the corner of Lake and Main streets, or call (231) 582-7811 at that time.

### Second Tuesday

• A meeting of the Jordan Valley VFW Post 7580 is held at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the East Jordan VFW Hall. For information, call (231) 544-5312.

### Third Tuesday

• A potluck dinner at the Jordan Valley VFW Post 7580 and Auxiliary is held at 6 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the East Jordan VFW Hall. For more information, call (231) 544-5312.

### Every Wednesday

• The Boyne Valley Lions Club holds weekly meetings every Wednesday from noon until 1 p.m. at the Boyne District Library.

### First Wednesday

• The Alzheimer's Association support group meets the first Wednesday of every month from 3:30 - 5 p.m. at the Charlevoix County Adult Day Center (Senior Center) located at 116 Main St. in East Jordan. For information, call Barb Shooks at (231) 536-5300.

### Thursdays

• The East Jordan Food Pantry is located at 601 Bridge St., in the basement of the health center. Pick up or donation hours are held Thursday between 9 a.m. and noon.

• Interested people are invited to join the Kiwanis of Boyne for coffee, camaraderie and community service every Thursday morning at Robert's Restaurant in Boyne City.

• Al-Anon meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. at St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Avenue, Boyne City.

### Second Thursday

• The Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m., except for the months of January and February, when no meetings are held. For more information, call (231) 582-6278.

### Third Thursday

• Women's Auxiliary of VFW Post #7850 meets at 6:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of every month at the VFW post. For information call Cindy Bennett at (231) 536-2905.

### First and Third Saturday

• Open Door Christian Coffee House meets at the East Jordan Senior Center on Main Street on the first and third Saturdays of the month from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

This is a non-denominational coffee house. Donations are accepted for special musical guests, and refreshments are available. For more information, call Ruth Crain at (231) 547-4152.

### Daily

• The Boyne Valley Group of AA meets in the basement of St. Matthew's, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City. Times: Sunday: 1 p.m.; Monday: noon, 8 p.m. (Big Book study); Tuesday: noon; Wednesday: noon, 8 p.m.; Thursday: noon, 6:30 p.m. (Step study); Friday: noon, 8 p.m. (Grapevine study); Saturday: 10 a.m. Meetings are closed and non-smoking. The first Friday of each month is an open talk and potluck at 7 p.m., with a meeting at 8 p.m.

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**Sunday, September 18**

**1:00 pm POT LUCK**, Chicken furnished  
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**2:00 pm ANNUAL MEETING**  
Officers announced

**WHITE ELEPHANT Vessel Sale**  
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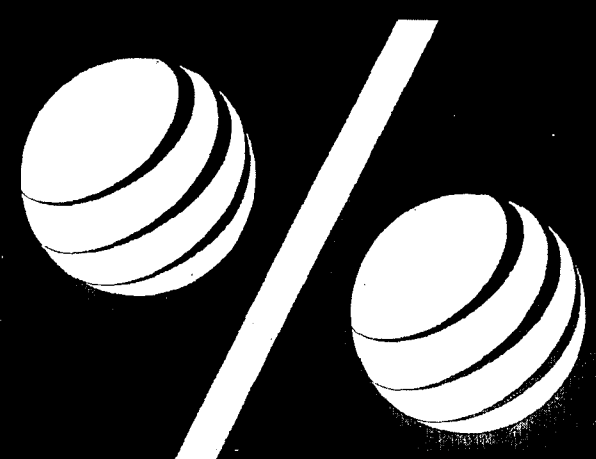
**3:00 pm JAZZ Quartet**  
Roger Lilak, Jim Owens,  
Bing Farrar, Mark Mantel

Jordan River Art Center and Gar Park  
301 Main St., East Jordan, MI 49727  
phone: (231) 536-3385  
jordanriverarts.org

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## Experience Works: the senior work force

National Employ the Older Worker week is Sept. 18 - 24 and it is a quiet celebration of a program that was started by the Lyndon Johnson Administration in 1965. At that time, it was called Green Thumb, and it was formed as a demonstration project of President Johnson's War on Poverty.

The first year it employed 450 men. By 1977, half the Green Thumb workforce was made up of women and in 2002, it was renamed Experience Works, and was serving nearly 30,000 seniors nationwide.

The program, which is funded by a government grant, employs people 55 or older, low-income and currently unemployed. The goal of Experience Works is to provide participants with training, experience and support to help them improve their lives and increase their employability.

They are assigned to nonprofit organizations, and in the case of Tobye Wietzke of Boyne City, this assignment was Camp Quality.

"I have made it my life, it is so much more than just a part-time job," Wietzke said. But it is a long way from where she started her career life.

Graduating from the University of Michigan, Wietzke started work immediately as a reporter with the Daily Tribune in Royal Oak, where she was moved up to be the education editor, before leaving the newspaper business behind to take a marketing position at Hudson's, first as an advertising copy writer, and eventually as the advertising manager, which had her traveling all over and working with a mind-boggling budget.

When the creativity began to fall off, Wietzke and two other women started a business of their own, in which they created advertising cata-

logs for major companies, including Jacobsons, Higby's of Cleveland and a major jewelry store chain.

It was a busy life, and Wietzke enjoyed it. But when her personal life began to unravel, she made a decision she has never regretted, and in 1994, she moved to Boyne City.

She worked in real estate for several years, delving into life in Boyne City and becoming active in the Chamber of Commerce, the Downtown Development Authority and with a fledgling community arts group. She was one of the people who attended the very first Main Street conference in Boston for Boyne City, as well as working toward the construction of a new high school. And then she had a car accident that left her without the ability to drive for four months, and, combined with a financial crisis independent of the accident, Wietzke found herself destitute.

Wietzke found that being at the rags end of a rags to riches story wasn't a terrible thing. She let faith replace fear, she said, and she has never been happier.

Still, she was down and out. She was helped a great deal by the First Presbyterian Church of Boyne City, and Pastor Bob Faulman, and by her friends.

She sold her house and moved into an apartment at Deer Meadows.

"In the apartment, I have everything that makes me happy. It is an oasis of serenity that I have carved out with my little dog, Nike (named for the Greek goddess of victory)," Wietzke said. "She is my beating heart when I go home at night."

But she needed work, and West, who has employed two other senior workers through Experience Works, encouraged her to look into

the program.

"Procrastinate is not in Eleanor's vocabulary, and almost overnight I was interviewed by a woman from Experience Works. I met all the qualifications, and about three weeks after that conversation, I started," Wietzke said. She now spends six hours a day, five days a week, assisting Eleanor: mailings (a lot); E-mailing, taking calls, "go-fering," learning "a ton about grant-writing," basic office work.

"Right down to vacuuming and dusting — anything and everything. Doesn't sound very exciting, but it is exciting. It's very meaningful to me," said Wietzke. "I don't live that insane work-hard, play-hard life any more anymore, and I am genuinely happy. Eleanor has been very supportive and understanding — I owe a lot to her."

Wietzke's commitment to Eleanor and Camp Quality was deepened even more by her first year attending camp.

"Those kids ..." she said, and that was sufficient.

The goal of Experience Works is to get older workers back into the workplace, "so you're marketable again," Wietzke said. But the program and the job at Camp Quality has restored more than just her marketability. It has helped restore her faith, her enthusiasm and her joy. It is, Wietzke said, so much more than a job.

Wietzke's credo has always been, Am I making a difference? Am I moving forward? Am I having fun?

"Those questions are so answered by this program. I can hardly believe my good fortune to be working here, with Eleanor and the children," she said.

For more information on Experience Works, visit [www.experienceworks.org](http://www.experienceworks.org).



Phoebe Wietzke loves her job with Camp Quality, and is grateful for the chance to have a position that allows her to contribute to the community, grow professionally, and have fun at once.

## Local Red Cross chapter encourages citizens to help hurricane victims

The extent of damage and loss of life caused by Hurricane Katrina is still unfolding; however, news reports indicated that the hurricane has left a trail of destruction even as it continues to flood communities far inland. As floodwaters still rose, 80 percent of New Orleans was reported to be under water, and the Gulf Coast communities in Louisiana, Mississippi, and Alabama were awakened to damage that will put thousands of families out of their homes for months.

Officials believe that storm will be more costly than Hurricane Andrew, the previous record-breaking hurricane of 1992. In response, the American Red Cross is launching the largest mobilization of resources for a single

natural disaster, involving thousands of trained disaster relief workers, tons of supplies — and shoulders on which to lean.

The Red Cross anticipates a sustained disaster relief effort, unlike any other in the history of the organization, lasting many months. Already, the Red Cross has provided a safe haven for nearly 70,000 evacuees in more than 230 Red Cross shelters — from the panhandle of Florida, across Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, and Texas. Early estimates indicate that this response could cost as much or more than the sum of the four combined hurricanes last year, which cost approximately \$130 million. As they respond to the devastation they also keep

in mind that the peak of the Atlantic hurricane season is still to come.

The local Red Cross Chapter deployed three trained disaster volunteers in the first few days, and they are expecting several more volunteers to be recruited over the coming weeks.

The American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund enables the Red Cross to provide shelter, food, counseling and other assistance to those in need for this disaster and thousands of other disasters across the country each year.

Citizens can help the victims of Hurricane Katrina by making a financial gift to the American Red Cross Disaster Relief Fund. Online contributions to the Disaster Relief Fund can be made at [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org); by calling (800) HELP-NOW; or through the local Red Cross Chapter in Petoskey (231) 348-7666 (VISA, MC or Discover credit cards are accepted); checks can be made payable to: American Red Cross Northern Lower Michigan and mailed to: PO Box 2478, Petoskey, MI 49770.

### COMBINED NOTICE NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

September 14, 2005

#### Notice of Intent to Request a Release of Funds

Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA)  
735 East Michigan Avenue  
Lansing, Michigan 48912  
Phone: (517) 241-7207  
TTY: (800) 382-4568

On or about September 30, 2005, the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release Federal funds under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, as amended, and the Risk-Sharing Program pursuant to Section 542(c) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 for the following development:

Lake View, #3032 - Boyne City / Charlevoix County  
24 Family Units of New Construction

\$403,200 MSHDA HOME Funds  
\$1,352,765 MSHDA Mortgage  
\$610,926 Equity Contribution  
\$2,366,891 Total Development Cost

MSHDA intends to award to Boyne Lake View Limited Dividend Housing Association Limited Partnership up to \$403,200 of HOME funds. The funds will be used to construct a 24-unit family community, located at 660 Court Street in Boyne City. The proposed development will contain eight one-bedroom, and 16 two-bedroom units. Unit amenities will include mini-blinds, dishwashers, frost-free refrigerators, central air conditioning, individual washer and dryers, cable TV hook-ups, central TV antennas and balconies.

#### Notice of FONSI

MSHDA also gives notice that it has been determined that the release of funds for the above-mentioned development will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly MSHDA has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA, 42 USC 4321). The reasons for the decision not to prepare such a Statement are as follows:

No significant environmental adverse impacts or hazards were identified in the course of the environmental review.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the proposed development has been made by MSHDA, which documents the environmental review of the proposed development and more fully sets forth the reasons why such a Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at MSHDA, 735 E. Michigan, Lansing, Michigan 48912. The records are available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Please contact John Hundt of MSHDA at (517) 241-7207 or TTY (800) 382-4568 for further information.

No further environmental review of such development is proposed to be conducted prior to the request for release of Federal funds.

#### Public Comments on Finding

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration. Such written comments should be received at MSHDA's address listed above on or before September 29, 2005. All such comments so received will be considered and MSHDA will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the proposed project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

#### Release of Funds

Boyne Lake View Limited Dividend Housing Association Limited Partnership will undertake the development described above with HOME Program funds allocated to the State of Michigan (MSHDA) under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, and the Risk-Sharing Program pursuant to Section 542(c) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992. MSHDA is certifying to HUD that MSHDA and Bruce Jeffries, MSHDA's Certifying Officer, are consenting to accept the jurisdiction of Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval Boyne Lake View Limited Dividend Housing Association Limited Partnership may use the HOME and Risk-Sharing funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

#### Objections To State and HUD Release of Funds

HUD will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the certifying officer or other officer of the applicant approved by HUD; or (b) that applicant's environmental review record for the development indicated omission of a required decision, finding or step applicable to the development in the environmental review process; or (c) other specific grounds in HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58.75. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to: Bill Osis, HUD Detroit Area Office, 477 Michigan Avenue, Detroit, MI 48226.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objections received after October 18, 2005 will be considered by HUD.

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# OPINION

## On being honest

My stepson, named Neil after his father, and called Neil Allen by much of his family (to help distinguish the two) lives in Boyne City and is a lifeguard at Avalanche Bay. He seems to love his job, helping guests with both safety and decorum, reminding them that the flurry of water in some of the rides will relieve them of their bathing suit bottoms — and tops — unless adequately secured.

Other things may be relieved as well, and one day a guest motioned to Neil and pointed out an item in the drain of the Flow Rider. Neil dutifully retrieved the item, which proved to be a \$10 bill. His next step was to ask the waiting guests if they had lost any money. Getting no affirmatives, Neil

### LAST CALL

Jane Booze



turned the money in at the office, according to company policy.

The guest observed his actions and rewarded him with further conversation, during which he revealed that he was the marketing director for Dale Earnhardt, Inc.

I am no race fan. I have a friend who perfectly described my response to NASCAR when he said, "Why not just paint numbers on your ceiling fan in the off-season and watch that go around and around?" But there are NASCAR fans in abundance, leaning eights and haloed threes everywhere you look, and my stepson is one of the biggest fans of all. You know, NASCAR decor at home, and stickers on the car — it's that important. So when he realized he was talking to someone who sometimes talks to Junior, Neil was pretty excited.

The fellow wondered if he'd ever been to a race; yes. Ever had a pit pass? Yes. Ever had a garage pass? By this time, Neil almost doesn't know what to say — but the answer was no.

The long and short of it is, Neil got a garage pass for himself and his girlfriend, Sally Gregware. And so they went to the Gordon Marketplace 400 at Brooklyn, and got snapshots of famous people walking by like regular folks, cars in bright garages with Tide and Dupont and Viagra sponsorships emblazoned across raised hoods while crews worked feverishly before the race.

They watched the race behind Junior's pit, and got to make souvenirs of discarded lugnuts, got to hear that screaming zzzzzt, zzzzzt up close and personal as those lugnuts were dislodged and replaced in record time. He got to see Junior through the window of that famous red car.

Neil doesn't really know if he ended up in that heaven just because he didn't pocket a soggy ten-dollar bill, but he would have turned in the money with or without an audience. For one thing, if unclaimed, he gets the money back after a time (that time has passed, and he is \$10 richer). For another, Boyne USA policy says employees turn in lost items, including hard to trace cash.

But it's an argument for honesty, isn't it? If he had kept the money, he would be — \$10 richer. If he turned it in, he would fairly likely be — \$10 richer. But in this case, he was richer by far more than ten bucks. He made a friend, got to go on a dream adventure, and got to maintain his integrity all in one.

Everything brings me back to Katrina, because that devastation hit hard and will not be over in a couple weeks. People's faces on my television screen still register shock and disbelief. Families still seek missing members, clinging to hope.

Dishonesty has also ravaged the land. Dishonesty promises much, but it never pays up.

Neil is a lifeguard. His job requires that he secure the safety of hundreds of people who file past him to be entertained by the sheer force of rushing water.

Some in Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and southern Florida are familiar with the force of water, only their experience has been crippling.

Those states have also been flooded with Neils. Men and women who are willing to dedicate themselves to the saving and reconstruction of lives.

They don't do it for glory or reward. They do it because it is the job they have undertaken.

Good jobs well done have their own rewards — doing the right thing never promises what it can't pay, and in the end, it always pays in full and more.

Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over.



## Finding your way through the gray

### Sometimes I think my head is going to explode

BY MICHAEL HAYNES  
Contributing writer

The "gray area" is about finding connections where ones are not readily apparent and turning challenges into opportunities. It is about using the power we are all born with in order to harness our potential. It is also about finding solutions to life's stresses so that we can have a profound effect on the quality and richness of our years.

Have you ever wondered how you could possibly remember another telephone number? Or remember another street address? Another personal identification number? How about web addresses, e-mail addresses, usernames and passwords? Have you ever wondered if your head was going to explode? I have. Before I go any further into my rant, and before we get onto what really is the matter and the possible solution, let me explain what happened to me the other day.

On the way to work, I decided to get a cup of coffee at the local coffee shop. Before doing so, however, I had to withdraw cash from the ATM. That required the use of my personal identification number. After retrieving the money, I stopped at the coffee shop and then headed to work. When I arrived, I had to use my electronic authentication system and another PIN to enter the school door.

In my office, I turned on the computer and logged onto the network, using a username and password. Another password was required to access the client server so that I could read E-mail without having to go back and forth to the web. After checking my work e-mail, I ventured out to the world wide web to get an update on a few other things: our bank account, credit cards, my AOL mail, voicemail and the site statistics for my web page — all requiring a username and password or PIN.

After all of that, I was exhausted. My brain was fried and it was only 7:30 a.m.! It was also after doing all of the above the other day that I realized "my cup" was

about to overflow.

So what is it about this "overflow problem" that is — well, a problem? I'll tell you: just like an overflowing cup of coffee, all of this data makes a mess of things. And it is counterproductive to getting on with our rich and robust lives.

There are other causes for the overflow problem. Have you ever been waken by a startling thought about something you have to do? Had a difficult time going back to sleep, for fear that you would forget "it" and the world would surely come to an end? Or have you ever had a groundbreaking, best-idea-in-the-world moment, and because you didn't want to lose it you thought about it over and over again until you were numb and sick of it?

The solution to all of the examples above and the "overflow problem" is simple: Write it down. That's right... get it out of your head so your head can do what it was doing before it was interrupted.

I keep a tablet in the bedroom and in the office. Whenever I wake up with a thought or worry, I write it down on the tablet on the nightstand. The same applies to those great ideas that pop up out of nowhere when I am at work. In both cases, writing the idea or thought down is a perfect way to preserve it without wasting energy or stress trying to recall it later.

My second suggestion is to make a list of all your PINs and e-mail addresses and usernames and passwords, and it is also beautifully simple. Keep your list near your computer or wherever you need it the most. A few years ago I encountered someone who had made a list and condensed it to the size of a business card, laminated it, and kept it in her wallet. Unlike asking for road directions, lists are helpful and cool.

So what's the point? The "gray area" in the realm of the problem I've described above has more to do with simplification and organization. Stop the madness! Get a grip! Find your way through the gray and enjoy life!

## The bittersweet price of survival

BY MAXINE HOUGH

Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom have produced some changes in the treatment of injured soldiers. The most seriously injured are airlifted out of the war zone as soon as possible and flown to treatment centers that specialize in certain types of traumatic injuries. Both Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C. and Brooke Army Medical Center, in Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, have facilities for amputees. But Brooke Army Medical Center has the burn unit. Wounded personnel are flown directly to these hospitals for treatment. Both have helipads to receive the injured. That flight is free, but after that, if the soldier travels to and from a treatment center to home, the flights are not free. The latest statistics of injured soldiers is close to 12,500, of which over 6,000 of those have been medically evacuated. All of these seriously wounded are hospitalized for many months while receiving treatment and rehabilitation, returning home occasionally on leave, then back to the hospital. Meanwhile, their families are flown to these hospitals and stay in Fisher Houses, which are on the military bases, so they can be near their loved ones.

Operation Hero Miles, which is managed by the Fisher House Foundation, accepts donations of Frequent Flyer Miles and makes them available to the soldier and the families. To donate Frequent Flyer Miles, call or E-mail your airline and tell them how many miles you want to donate. You will be sent a confirmation from your airline and a letter of thanks from the Fisher House Foundation.

This summer's program of Treats for Troops, sending fudge to the patients at Brooke Army Medical Center, will come to a close after the Labor Day week-end. This week's generous people who donated their free boxes of fudge when they bought two boxes at Kilwin's of Boyne, were Elizabeth O'Donnell, the Bernhards, Maxine Hough, three, the Jones family, Bev Gross, Chris Stieler, Cpt. Molly Maguire, and from frequent shopper "anonymous", five boxes.

The Veterans at American Legion Post #228 in Boyne City thank you for your support of the troops, wherever and wherever they are, and especially for our fudge program for the seriously injured at BAMC. Freedom is not free!

Maxine Hough is the Troop Support Officer 2, American Legion Post #228, Boyne City.

## NEIGHBORS

• **THE HOWARD FAMILY REUNION** was held August 13 at the Chandler Township Hall east of Boyne Falls with over two hundred attending. Music was provided by Judy Slocum and band. Herb Howard Jr. played his guitar. Special thanks also to Ken Alto for his extended help in the kitchen. Sheldon Buckmaster was the auctioneer for the auction, and another special attraction was the Howling Hills Ranch Petting Zoo by Pat and Amy Howard and children. The oldest attending were George Raub and Pauline Smith. The youngest was Owen K Howard. Married the longest George and Shirley Raub. Traveling the farthest was Vera Hickock from Calif., Jessie Maddix from Oregon and Robert and Virginia Stephenson, Florida. A family book arranged by Karla Buckmaster and printed by Ed Sumner of Seeley's Printing Service was given to each family. A luncheon was served.



Nancy Northup

• **THE BCHS CLASS OF '47** will meet at the Dilworth Hotel on Thursday, Sept. 15 for lunch and a business meeting.

• **CAL AND HELEN DEMING THOROUGHLY ENJOYED** the celebration of their 50th anniversary on Sept. 10. An open house in their honor was given by their children, Kevin and Oreen Deming, Craig and Darlene Deming, and Lynn and Mike Shaw, at Lynn and Mike's home. Even a rainstorm in the afternoon didn't dampen the joy of sharing this happy occasion with around 50 friends and relatives. Cal and Helen wish to thank all those who came to wish them well. And I quote, "You made our day very special!"

• **MAXINE HOUGH REPORTED** that Boyne City's American Legion Post #228 and Kilwin's of Boyne have shipped 69 boxes of fudge to the injured soldiers at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

• **WHITING PARK WAS THE PICNIC LOCATION** on Saturday for Caroline McCleary and great-granddaughter, Riley McCleary of Boyne City; her son, Patrick McCleary of Alanson; Terri Tompkins Barnes of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. Don Moses; and Carol Rowell of Spring Lake. Even the rain couldn't spoil the day!

• **JAMES MARVIN HOWE OF WYOMING**, and well-known in this area, was honored for his 80th birthday on Saturday at the John Ball Park in Grand Rapids. Attending the special gathering were his children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, his only living sibling, Shirley Peterson of Lake City, and other area friends, including Anne Jenkins of Ionia.

• **JOIN YOUR FRIENDS** at the Boyne Area Senior Center on Thursday, Sept. 15, for lunch and bingo. For lunch Cod Almandine will be served. Bingo will follow lunch. Come and enjoy the fun. Everyone wins grocery items. Sept. 16, Friday, is music day at the senior center. The Boyne River Boys will be playing at 11 a.m. Remember to come early. This is a busy day. For lunch, they will serve Lemon Pepper Chicken and red skin potatoes. Monday, Sept. 19, is bingo day again. Lunch will include beef stew and mixed fruit. September 20, Tuesday, Lemon Pepper Cod and scalloped potato will be served. Meat loaf and baked potato will be served. For dessert enjoy pumpkin pie. Each day, you will find someone playing cards.

• **LEONA AND CHARLIE STANEK**, Barbara Imel, Bonnie, Betsy and Candice Olund drove to Jackson on Sunday and picked up Charlie's sister, Lucille Stanek Jenkins Dodge and took her to the Henrietta fire department's annual barbecued chicken dinner at their fire hall. They presented Lucille with a dozen red roses and a framed letter appreciating her donation of \$30,000 for a new well for their fire department.

**WE WELCOME YOUR LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.**  
The best read letters are brief and on a topic of local interest. Our deadline is Thursday at 5 p.m. Letters will be printed on a space-available basis. Comments can be sent to Jane Booze at [citizen@voyager.net](mailto:citizen@voyager.net) or [editor@voyager.net](mailto:editor@voyager.net).

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American Red Cross chapter update

BY BETSY HANSON
Contributing writer

Since Hurricane Katrina made land early in Sept., Red Cross chapters across the country have been active in working toward relief and rescue efforts.

We have been blessed by an outpouring of offers to help in the office. Since our daily routines (CPR & First Aid classes, Armed Forces Emergency Communications, local disasters, etc.) still need to be covered, this has been a tremendous assistance to us.

You may be wondering what type of assistance we are able to provide. Well, other than just a shoulder to lean on, the American Red Cross is able to provide temporary housing if needed, financial assistance for transportation, financial assistance to purchase new clothing and food, and replacement of prescription medi-

cations if needed. In addition, we are able to provide mental health support and a link to the other governmental agencies to get people registered for the additional benefits they are entitled to receive.

So far our chapter has sent out eight volunteers to Louisiana and Texas. Yesterday, Bill Blackburn (Disaster Services coordinator) and our volunteer trainers: Janice Smith, Marcia Varble and Jean Beckley trained 16 health volunteers (physicians & nurses) and another 15 mental health and shelter operation volunteers who have all confirmed their availability and willingness to be deployed wherever their assistance is needed.

Our local community banks have once again offered their support by being a local depository for American Red Cross donations. Alden State Bank will cover Antrim County; Charlevoix State Bank will cover Charlevoix County; First Community Bank in Emmet County; and Citizens National Bank in Cheboygan County.

Ray and Sidney Roth coordinated a collection in Mackinaw City. So far we raised over

\$10,000 at the Bridge Walk on Labor Day weekend.

We have had several young children come in and donate the funds they've collected from lemonade stands, door to door collections, bake sales, etc. One amazing 6 year old girl from Harbor Springs has been on a mission selling hurricane ribbons — she has collected over \$4,000 for the Red Cross and her goal is to reach \$12,000.

As of this morning, we have collected \$52,000 through the office for the relief effort. As I'm sure you're seeing on the news, several organization and businesses have made extremely generous donations to the Red Cross. Locally, many employers are offering matching gifts, and direct donations.

More than \$400 million has been pledged to the American Red Cross nationally, but there is no estimate as to how much is needed to respond to this relief effort.

The latest statistics are encouraging, and more is being done every day:

588 shelters open; 145,711 clients housed in shelters; 3,907,278 meals and 4,562,203 snacks served; 94,000 people have registered on the "Family Link Registry" to assist evacuees separated from loved ones be reunited.

I hope this has been helpful. Thanks for your support! Together We Can Save a Life...

Editor's Note: Betsy Hanson is the executive director of American Red Cross of Northern Lower Michigan. She can be reached at betsy@arcnlm.org.

VETERAN OF THE MONTH

Eugene Ignatowski

The Veteran of the Month for September is Eugene Ignatowski. Born May 21, 1930 in Hamtramck, Ignatowski graduated from Saint Rita's High School in Detroit on June 15, 1948.



On June 16 of that same year he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and after basic training at the U.S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., he was assigned to his Port of Duty in Key West, Fla. where he served aboard the submarines U.S.S. Marlin (sst-2) and the U.S.S. Grenadier (ss-525).

On June 16, 1951, Ignatowski reenlisted in the Navy and on May 16, 1955 was promoted to Electricians Mate Second Class. On June 14, 1957, while aboard the submarine tender U.S.S. Howard W. Gilmore, he reenlisted and from

May 22 to June 16, 1961 Ignatowski attended Instructor and Leadership School at the U.S. Naval Training Center. On Sept. 9, 1961, he married Donna Marie Tierke, at Our Lady of LaSalette Parish, in Berkle.

While stationed at Great Lakes he instructed at the Electrical & Engineering Propulsion School and Electricians Mate "A" School and was promoted to Electricians Mate First Class on May 16, 1962. He was transferred to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii and served aboard the submarines U.S.S. Wahoo (ss-565) and U.S.S. Pickrel (ss-524). He re-enlisted on June 13, 1963 at the U.S. Naval Training Center, and attended Electricians Mate "B" School from May 4 to Oct. 9, 1964. On Oct. 16,

1965, Ignatowski was promoted to Electricians Mate Chief. Later he was transferred to the submarine U.S.S. Promfret (ss-391) with a Port of Duty in San Diego, Calif. His last assignment was aboard the submarine tender U.S.S. Sperry (as-12) and on June 17, 1968, he completed 20 years of service in the Navy and was transferred to the U.S. Naval Fleet Reserve Manpower Center, Bainbridge, Maryland. During his assignments, throughout his career, he had duty that took him to Korea, the Bay of Pigs and Vietnam, for which he received the following decorations and awards: the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, the National Defense Medal and the Good Conduct Medal with six Bronze Stars. On June 12, 1969, Ignatowski received an Honorable Discharge from the Navy.

Returning to civilian life he went to work for General Motors Parts in Pontiac and attended college and received several Associate Degrees and an Electrical Engineering Degree. He also taught electrical classes at Macomb Community College and Oakland Community College, besides operating his own electrical business, A.C. Electric. Ignatowski retired from General Motors in 1995 and moved north to West Branch, bringing his business with him, and enjoyed semi-retired life which included fishing, spending time with his family and more especially his granddaughter Autumn. He answered the final call Jan. 10, 2005, and is being honored by his wife Donna and son Joe.

To honor a veteran, call the program chairman at (231) 588-6067 or on Tuesdays call (231) 582-7811 between 4-6 p.m. The ceremony may be witnessed on the first Thursday of each month in front of The American Legion Post located on the corner of Lake and Main in Boyne City at 6:15 p.m.

ENGAGEMENT



Ohlrich-Price

Ronald and Connie Ohlrich of Rogers City, Patrick and Linda Price of Boyne City, and Dennis and Yvonne Looze of Boyne City, announce the engagement of their children, Jamie Lynn Ohlrich to Derek William Price, both of Sparta.

The bride-elect is a 2004 graduate of Central Michigan University in education with a double major in business education and English. She is currently employed as a business and computer teacher at Grant High School.

Her fiancé is a 2003 graduate of Central Michigan University in business administration with a major in accounting. He is currently employed as assistant controller at Steeltech, Ltd. in Grand Rapids.

The couple is planning a July 22, 2006 wedding in Rogers City.

DEATH NOTICE

James P. Bennett, 89, died Thursday, Sept. 8, surrounded by his loving family at his home in East Jordan.

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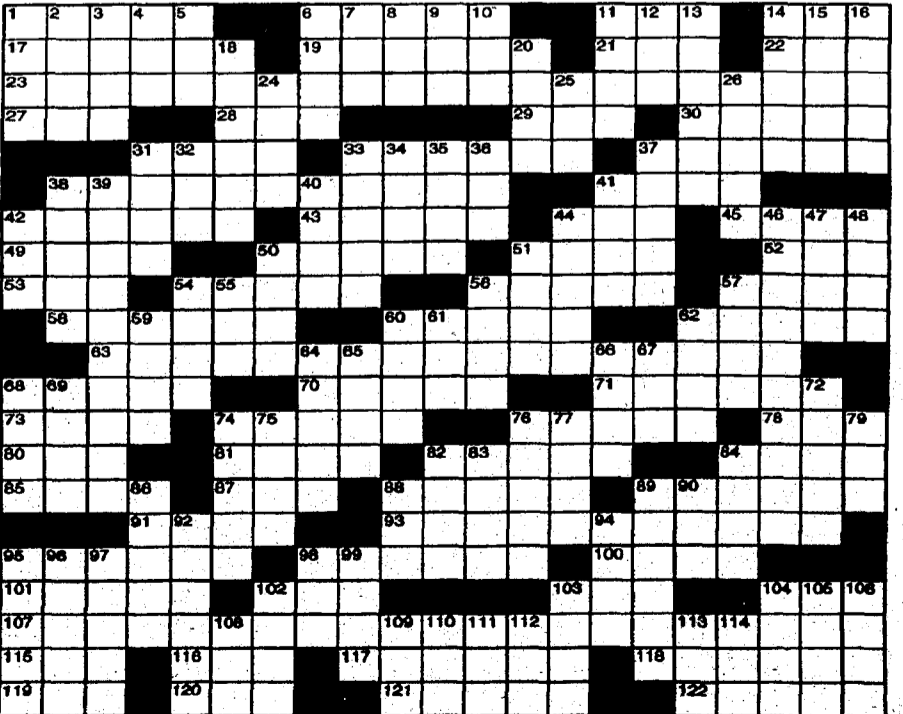
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# Manila

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needs and what's important."

Two years later, the family returned to East Jordan from Manila. None were unchanged by the experience, and Haley, who had initially insisted that the trip be limited to one year so that she could graduate from East Jordan High School with her class, had relented and graduated instead from Faith Academy in Manila. There she had developed as both a student and an athlete, and she left school with the goal of going to college to play college sports, particularly basketball and volleyball.

An accident changed all that. Just before the Shaw family left Manila, the ever-exuberant Haley, attending Faith Academy's end-of-year party, dove head first down a giant blow-up slide set up on concrete — racing another student to the bottom.

"I wasn't thinking about whether I'd get hurt — I was just thinking about winning," Haley said, laughing. Getting to a doctor in Manila is always an adventure, and when Haley got to one, he said her wrist was broken (having x-rayed one). Back in the States, it was determined that her other wrist was broken as well, but by that time it had begun healing wrong, and surgery was required. In any event, her college plans were necessarily altered.

So Haley joined her older brother, Corban, at Bible college in Holsby Brunn, Sweden, a school which focuses, Haley said, on in-depth Bible study and related ministries, and "getting real in your relationship with Christ."

Haley loved that all her skills, her gifts, and the things she was passionate about, involved working with people, and traveling.

"I started praying for opportunities," Haley said. "That week our church called wondering if I would want sup-

port for future mission trips. Then Jeff Long (director of Faith Academy) called to see if I would want to work at the children's home for a year."

Haley accepted both offers, and on the twentieth of Sept., she flies out of Traverse City, to land, 24 hours later, in Manila.

She will be working at New Faith Family Children's Home, a home for orphaned or abandoned children in a city of 15 million. Unlike most orphanages, it is designed to permanently house children in a family-like setting. The children will be assigned "parents," with each parenting couple having 16 adopted children, whom they will raise to adulthood. When the adopted children reach adulthood, their parents will continue to be instrumental in finding jobs, or education opportunities for the children. Because of the number of children per parental couple, the home will also employ people to act as companions, playing the role, Haley said, of older sister or aunt to the children.

Haley's job will be to arrive in the morning in time to help with breakfast, and also be there in the evening for dinner. In the meantime, she will drive children to school, to appointments, help with homework and Bible studies, as well as help teach art class and give swimming lessons. She will be kind of a member of the family, she said.

And, near to her heart, she will be helping with girls basketball at Faith Academy.

One family is already established, with 16 children ranging in age from three weeks to 15 years. The New Faith Family Children's Home has been open for just a little more than three months.

Haley is not afraid to go alone to Manila. For one thing, she is going to an area and to people that she already

knows.

"I know the area, I know the people — I am secure about where I am living," she said, adding, "Traveling alone (in Manila) is always a risk, but I will take precautions. I know that I'll be okay. I know that my Lord is watching over me, and that he'll protect me while I'm there."

She laughed — laughing is Haley's natural state — and admitted that while it is not in her plans to be hurt or abducted, or any other sinister scenario, she knows something unexpected could occur.

"Anything could be a chance for ministry," she said.

Haley's desire to be in ministry does not end with a year in the Philippines. She hopes to return to the States and attend Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, but also realizes that it is hard to get into Moody. She would like to go into foreign missions as a life-long vocation, but believes that her projection into the future and God's plan may not be the same thing.

"You can do missionary work anywhere," she said. During their stay in the Philippines, Haley said, "My parents worked with kids whose parents were working with tribes. Or like Crossroads in East Jordan is a mission.

"I would be happy and content to do missionary work anywhere in the U.S., but my passion is for people who have no access to the written word."

She also brings it back to the present: "I want my actions to drive my influence," she said. "I want to practically show God's love. In the home, (I will do this) just by showing kids there's someone who loves them, by being there for them, for teaching them, caring for them — showing them mercy like Jesus would."

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# Option

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his staff to the decision to establish several sections of 5-day/full-day kindergarten beginning this fall.

According to Prins, "The research on 5-day/full-day programs is very positive. Among the many benefits to students who participate in 5day/full-day kindergarten programs are additional time and opportunities to play with language, increased time to explore subjects in depth, and the benefits in regards to increased opportunities for social interactions." Prins added.

A single section of half-day kindergarten will continue to be offered at East Jordan Elementary School, providing parents with a choice in their selection of kindergarten programming. Superintendent Chip Hansen reported that 80 percent of the parents surveyed over the summer months favored the full-day concept, and the district was pleased to be able to fill such a clear need in the community. Hansen indicated that he was delighted to be able to include a 5-day/full-day kindergarten program at the school.

"The new option will be terrific for the kids and will be a big benefit to parents and families," Hansen said. "This change is an example of the commitment our community and school has to work together to create opportunities for children."

"We've got to be pleased with the effort that has gone into making this program a reality," said Board of Education president Kevin Keane, adding, "To be able to manage such a substantial educational improvement in tough economic times is not only a credit to our teachers and our business staff, but also indicative of our desire to always look for ways to improve the way that we serve our students and families."

**Five generations**  
Juanita Somerville of Boyne City presides over five generations. Seated between great-great-grandsons, Quinn Heath, left, and Aldan Stanton, Juanita is backed by, from left, daughter Sue Somerville Arner of Boyne City, granddaughter Shari Arner, and great-granddaughter Denise Riley-Cowden, both of Higley, Ariz.

# Relief

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Items needed include: bottled water, diapers, sanitary wipes, formula, over-the-counter medicines, toiletries (soap, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, hair care, etc.), feminine hygiene products, school supplies and clothes (underwear, shoes, shirts, pants, etc.).

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17, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. All proceeds from the event will go to hurricane relief.

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# Boyne City rolls by Bellaire

The Boyne City varsity basketball team started fast, taking a 16-8 first quarter lead over Bellaire, and the Lady Ramblers never let up to gain a 57-28 non-conference victory over the Lady Eagles on Sept. 6.

Boyne City, which moved its record to 3-0, led the contest 26-14 at the intermission and 46-17 after three periods.

"The girls are coming to practice and working hard and they are improving every day," said Boyne City coach Scott Hausler. "We continue to get better, but we still need to put two halves together and finish strong."

Trisha Tomkins led the Lady Ramblers with 13 points, Holly Stanek scored 12 points and Haili Friedrich chipped with 11 points.

Molly Poel and Ashley Smith paced Bellaire with seven points each.

Boyne City will open Lake Michigan Conference play tomorrow at Elk Rapids and travel to Petoskey next Tuesday.



Sneaking under the defense for a shot at the basket, a Boyne City player helps her team to victory over Bellaire last week.

# East Jordan dominates Mancelona

The East Jordan varsity basketball team turned in a dominating performance on both ends of the court to gain a 69-29 non conference victory over Mancelona on Sept. 6.

On offense the Lady Devils hit for 16 two point shots and seven three pointers to forge leads of 28-5, 44-11 and 62-23 at the quarter breaks.

On the defensive end of the court East Jordan held Mancelona to just 12 baskets and five free throws.

"Our defensive pressure led to

many Mancelona turnovers, which we were able to convert tonight. Kayla Brock was much more physical inside and she did a great job for us," said East Jordan coach Sean Ferguson.

Ferguson also cited the guard play of Jessica Roberts, Kayla Hines, Kristi Werner and Jaessa Baier for controlling the tempo and getting the ball to the right players in the right spots.

Sierra Roberts led the Lady Devils with 15 points and four steals, Hines chipped in with 14 points and Meghan

Thomas added nine points, four assists and three steals.

Werner led the rebounders with seven boards, while Brock and Thomas grabbed six each.

"It was a total team effort," said Ferguson. "Everyone played and scored. We look forward to opening the conference play this week."

East Jordan will begin the Lake Michigan Conference schedule tomorrow at home against Charlevoix and play host to Ellsworth next Tuesday.



East Jordan's Justin Wilson evades would-be Rayder tacklers during last week's Lake Michigan Conference game.

# Rayders down Red Devils, 24-6

BY PHIL TROMBLEY  
Sports Writer

Russell Williams scored on a 40-yard run, kicked the extra point and added a 22 yard field goal to lead Charlevoix to a 24-6 Lake Michigan Conference victory over East Jordan on Friday.

Red Rayder quarterback Matt Kautz chipped in with a 15 yard scoring pass, while running back Matt Kanine scored on a one yard run to give the Red Devils more than they could handle in the league opener for both teams.

East Jordan's Justin Wilson connected with Chad Kraemer for a 35 yard scoring strike in the first period to account for the six Red Devil points.

"It was a pretty hard fought game, especially in the second half. Both teams played with a lot of emotion," said East Jordan coach Kris Ernst.

Charlevoix tallied two TD's in the second quarter and added two more in the third to pull away.

Wilson (five of nine passes, 77 yards) and David Marr

(ten rushes, 29 yards) paced the Red Devils on offense.

Defensively Josh Cooper (13 tackles), Kraemer (ten tackles) and Matt Pater (nine tackles) led East Jordan.

East Jordan (1-2 overall, 0-1 LMC) will host Elk Rapids (1-2 overall, 0-1 LMC) this Friday.

"We have to keep improving. Every game in our conference is a tough game and Elk Rapids is no exception," said Ernst.

### JV'S WIN

Quarterback Scott Hansen threw for two touchdowns and ran in another to lead the East Jordan junior varsity to a 22-15 victory over Charlevoix.

Hansen passed for 102 yards and rushed for 69 yards as the Red Devils moved to 3-0 for the season. Anthony Castle ran for 70 yards and scored two point after touchdown conversions.

Nick Bourdo led the defense with 15 tackles, Lucas Spence had 12 tackles and Duane Skrocki and Darryl Bingham both had ten.

# Boyne Falls falls to Lancers, Trojans

Ellsworth had five players score in double figures and the Lady Lancers topped the 20 point mark in three out of four quarters to hand Boyne Falls a 76-37 Northern Lakes Conference defeat on Sept. 8.

Ellsworth led the contest 23-8 after one quarter, 29-17 at the half and 54-27 after three quarters before outpointing Boyne Falls 27-10 down the stretch.

Anna Eggebrecht led Ellsworth with 14 points, while Andrea Hoeksema and Liz Peterson added 12 points each. Hannah Boss and Karin Diebold chipped in with 11 points each.

The Lady Loggers were led by Tiffany Burks (13 points, nine rebounds, two steals) and Annie Pernicano (12 points, three rebounds, two steals).

Ellsworth downed Boyne Falls 46-19 in the junior varsity game.

### CENTRAL LAKE 52

### BOYNE FALLS 21

Central Lake jumped to a 26-16 half time lead and held Boyne Falls to just five points in the second half to gain a

52-21 non conference win on Tuesday, Sept. 6.

Bria Patton led the Lady Trojan offense with 14 points.

Boyne Falls was led by Pernicano with nine points, three rebounds and ten steals and Maggie Knight contributed with four points, seven boards and three steals.

Central Lake won the junior varsity game by a 38-34 score.

Boyne Falls will be home for its next two games against Harbor Light tomorrow and Vanderbilt next Tuesday.

# EJ takes third at Mud Run

East Jordan's girls cross country team ran a combined team time of 1:52:44 to place third at the annual Charlevoix Mud Run held on Saturday, Sept. 10.

This unique event, which is run through mud puddles, over hay bales and around other course obstacles, utilizes a combined time scoring clock and it is run in separate 11-12 grade and 9-10 grade races.

Kristi Werner placed second overall in the 11-12 race with a time of 20:28 followed by Chelsey Poindexter (8th, 23:03), Sierra Roberts (23rd, 24:01) and Amanda Thomas (42nd, 25:17).

Meghan Thomas led the Lady Devils in the 9-10 race with her sixth place time of 21:45 followed by Alicia Oliver (13th, 23:37), Katherine Rowley (18th, 24.11) and Liz Hasseld (46th, 26:48).

"We are very proud of how the girls placed," said East Jordan coach Dennis Snarey. "Taking third behind these larger schools is very good. Kristi is really coming along and Chelsey is beginning to heal from her wounds."

Gaylord won the girls title with a time of 1:48:46 followed by Troy Athens (1:49:02), East Jordan (1:52:44), Charlevoix (1:56:10) and Cadillac (1:57:19).

Dustin Hill (19:46) placed tenth in the boys 9-10 race to post the top finish for the Red Devils, while Nick Zell (22:30) placed 45th.

In the 11-12 race Josh Pung (29th, 20:03), Bruce King (40th, 21:07) and Drew Oliver (23:18) paced the Red Devils.

Kalkaska won the title with a time of 1:31:52 followed by Troy Athens (1:31:58), Petoskey (1:32:11), Charlevoix (1:34:13) and Gaylord (1:36:04). East Jordan (1:46:50) finished tenth.

"The boys are definitely starting to improve. We just need to keep a positive attitude while racing," said coach James Conlin. "Dustin, Josh and Nick all had good races, while Drew ran injured as our fifth runner."

East Jordan will run at the Ludington Invitational this Saturday.

# Devils rout Northwest

Jeff Keyser and Brandon LaCount scored two goals apiece as the East Jordan varsity soccer team scored four goals in the first half and four more in the second half to defeat Northwest Academy 8-0 for its first victory of the season on Wednesday, Sept. 7.

R.J. Green, Drew Oliver, Joshua Force and Peter Sladick all added a goal each to bolster the Red Devil scoring attack.

Keyser two assists to go with his goals, while LaCount, Dustin Miller, Tanvir Hakim and Green all had one helper each.

East Jordan will travel to Kalkaska tomorrow and visit Harbor Springs next Monday.

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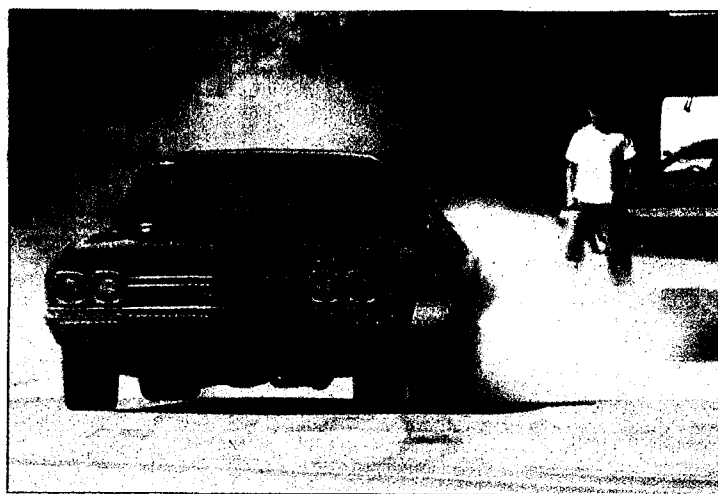
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## St. Francis hands Ramblers 35-13 loss on gridiron

The Boyne City varsity football team busted for a couple of big plays, but the Ramblers did not have an answer for the sustained drives from the Gladiators when Traverse City St. Francis handed Boyne City a 35-13 defeat in the opening Lake Michigan Conference game on Friday, Sept. 9.

Rambler running back Joe Robert broke an off tackle play into a 70 yard touchdown dash in the first quarter, while Rambler quarterback Grant Ameel tossed a 77 yard scoring strike to Robbie Jensen in the final quarter to account for the two Boyne City touchdowns.

The rest of the game seemed to be a large dose of frustration as St. Francis built a 14-0 lead before Robert's run and then stretched the margin to 28-7 before Ameel connected with Jensen.

"We were not executing well on either side of the ball, so we were happy to get any positive yardage," said Boyne City coach Dave Hills about the big plays.

The Ramblers were hurt by some poor field position early on starting their first three drives from the 23, 16 and 15 yard lines.

The Ramblers took the opening kickoff, but they were forced to punt after just three plays in their first possession. Patrick Giscard d'Estaing was wide with a 23 yard field goal attempt in the Gladiator opening drive and Boyne City followed with another three and out possession.

St. Francis got on the board when Hunter Norstrant dove in from one yard out with 45 second remaining in the first quarter. Ben Wheelock made it a 14-0 lead on a quarterback keeper midway through the second period. Wheelock also ran in the two point conversion.

The two teams went to the locker room with the Gladiators holding a 14-7 advantage.

St. Francis tacked on 14 more points as Wheelock threw 24 yards to Patrick Rigan on the opening drive of the second half and then Chad Biggar scored on a one yard run

at 7:21 of the fourth period.

Dan Fisher capped the scoring with a 13 yard run with 3:05 on the clock.

Ameel led the Rambler offense with 128 yards and one touchdown in four completions. Robert had 72 total yards rushing on six carries, while Jensen had 113 yards on three receptions.

Wil Brown led the defense with 16 tackles, Tyler Krugel had 12 tackles and Jensen had nine.

Boyne City (2-1 overall, 0-1 LMC) will host Charlevoix (3-0 overall, 1-0 LMC) this Friday.

"They are on a roll and they are playing pretty good football right now," said Hills about the Red Rayders.

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