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## At a glance

### Leaf pickup

The City of East Jordan fall pickup of grass, leaves, shrubs and tree branches will take place from Oct. 20 through 30. For instructions and more information call City Hall at 231-536-3381.

### Scarecrow Contest winners

Numerous scarecrows are lining the streets of downtown Boyne City for the harvest season. Thanks to the following winners (and more) for their award-winning creativity:

**Businesses** - first place, Red Mesa Grill; second place, Thick 'N' Juicy; third place, Subway.

**Organizations** - first place, Boyne Valley Garden Club at the corner of Water and Park Streets; second place, Fraternal Order of Eagles; third place, Boyne District Library.

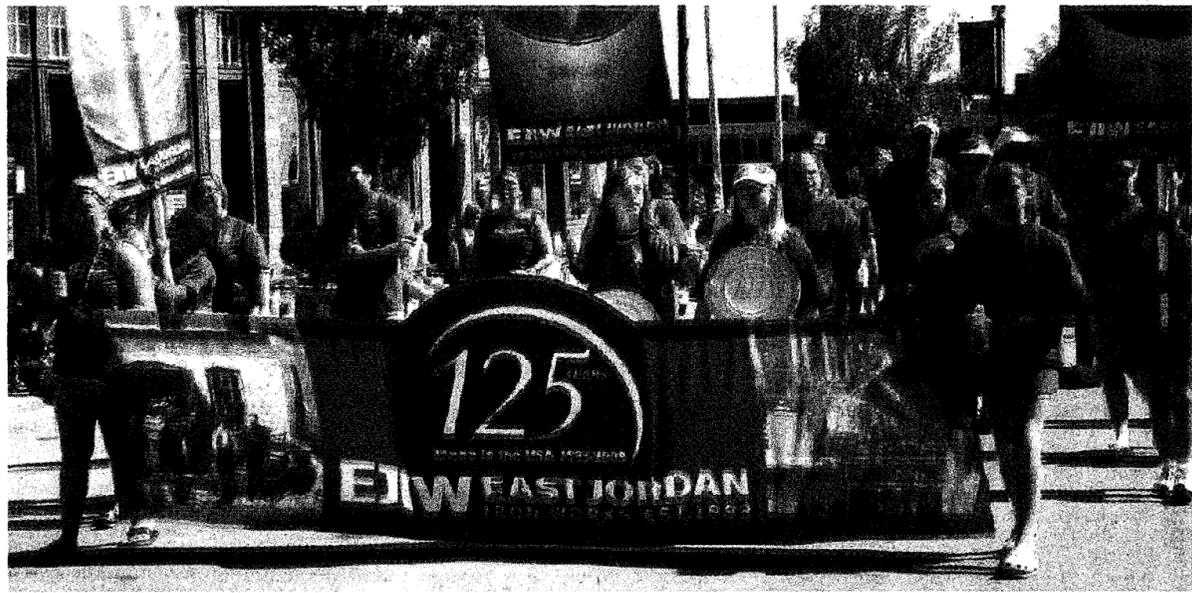
**Individuals** - first place, Keely Frye at the Chamber office.

**Students** - first place, Tyler Wellman; second place, Boyne City High School cheerleaders.

### Staff meetings

Boyne City Public Schools will hold Staff Development meetings all day on Wednesday, Oct. 29. Students will be excused from classes on that day.

School will resume on Thursday, Oct. 30.



East Jordan Iron Works served as the Grand Marshall for the June 21 Jordan Valley Freedom Festival parade. Employees, retirees and family members walked with the company float.

## 1910 Building report out

By B. J. HETLER  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

BOYNE CITY — The 1910 Water Works Building at Division and Park streets received a thorough examination by an architect who concluded that the building is "quite unique," "architecturally significant," and "historically important to the Boyne City community."

"The big challenge will be to identify a use, followed by the hurdle of finding the funds for renovation. But it is worth the effort," architect Richard Neumann wrote in his report to the city on Oct. 10.

The 20-foot wide by 50-foot long brick building was part of the city's water system and was built during the booming lumber days when the city's population grew by 600 percent.

The building has not been used for more than 20 years and city commissioners brought it before the citizens to help the commission decide whether to demolish or preserve it. A public hearing on Sept. 23, resulted in the decision to stabilize the building for the winter and look at the issue again in the spring of 2009.

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## Layoffs at EJIW

By B. J. HETLER  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

EAST JORDAN — A 125-year-old company that is a major lifeblood to the economy of East Jordan and Northern Michigan has laid off 41 employees and reduced some of its production.

"We hung on and hung on, hoping that things would change and we wouldn't have to lay people off, but things just kept getting worse," said executive vice president of East Jordan Iron Works, Inc.'s Tad M. Malpass on Friday, Oct. 17.

On Oct. 2, 26 people were placed on layoff status, along with another 15 employees on Oct. 9. About 450 employees remain with the company.

The company manufactures construction castings, fire hydrants and tree gates, among other products. Its foundry has been operating since the late 1800s. It has 27 stocking branch locations throughout the U.S. and Canada and two distribution centers.

The lay offs are necessary because East Jordan Iron Works has been experiencing a downturn in business, primarily because of a slowdown in both the U.S. housing industry and in the heavy duty truck and trailer business.

"We are in a very competitive business that has been experiencing severe pressures," Malpass said in a prepared statement. "While we are hopeful that this downturn will be short-lived, at

this time we do not see improvements in the housing or truck and trailer markets in the near future."

The lay offs come at a time when the company is celebrating its 125th anniversary. It was founded in November 1883, by William E. Malpass and Richard W. Round to service the area's busy lumber industry, according to its website. When lumbering operations decreased in the 1920s, East Jordan Iron Works shifted to the production of street castings, water works valves and fire hydrants.

During the 1950s and 1960s, the third generation converted the foundry to an automated high-pressure molding line complex.

Since the mid-1980s, the busi-

ness has been led by fourth generation descendants of the Malpass family. They have transformed the Midwest business into a national leader of construction castings by modernizing their facilities, acquiring and establishing additional branch operations and building a world-class foundry and distribution center in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

This summer, East Jordan Iron Works was honored as the National Utility Contractors Association Associate Member of the Year.

Malpass said the company employees are a family and that the decision to layoff was difficult.

## Women's Club contributes to Boyne area

By JEFF BERGREN  
EDITOR

BOYNE CITY — The Boyne Eta Nu Women's Club has been a fixture in the Boyne area since its inception in 1956. Eta Nu members contribute through service projects and fundraisers and recently presented a check for \$2,300 for the Boyne City Fourth of July Festival for fireworks.

"This community service focus along with making friends, developing new interests, and having fun together is what Boyne Eta Nu Women's Club is all about," Mary Servais, Eta Nu Director of Fund Raising said. "Each year, Eta Nu raises funds to support the Boyne City Fourth Fireworks. Members along with family and friends dress up as "Clowns for a Cause" for the July Fourth parade. The clowns hand out patriotic beads, pins, or scarves and collect donations from parade-goers. This year, Eta Nu raised \$2,300 to contribute to the 2009 fireworks."

Servais said another fundraising project is "Lights of Love," a community holiday event to raise funds for the Hospice of Northwest Michigan. In addition, Eta Nu also raises funds for the Boyne District Library, Boyne City school projects, area food banks, Women's Resource Center, along with many other area organizations.

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Eta Nu members present a check for \$2,300 for the Boyne City Fourth of July Festival for fireworks. Liz Kroondyk (r), co-chair of the Boyne City Fourth of July Festival, gets in the spirit as Jan Sturza (center) and June Storm (l) of Boyne Eta Nu Women's Club present Liz the check from Eta Nu's Clowns for a Cause toward the 2009 Boyne City Fireworks. Courtesy Photo

## WEATHER

Wednesday, Oct. 22

Hi: 49 Lo: 27  
Condition: Partly Cloudy

Thursday, Oct. 23

Hi: 51 Lo: 32  
Condition: Partly Cloudy

Friday, Oct. 24

Hi: 54 Lo: 38  
Condition: Partly Cloudy

Saturday, Oct. 25

Hi: 51 Lo: 35  
Condition: Showers

Sunday, Oct. 26

Hi: 46 Lo: 33  
Condition: Rain/Snow Showers

Monday, Oct. 27

Hi: 47 Lo: 34  
Condition: Rain/Snow Showers

Tuesday, Oct. 28

Hi: 45 Lo: 33  
Condition: Showers

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The Boyne City tree planting program started on Oct. 13 and the project was completed the next day. Pictured are workers on South Lake Dr. towards Division Street taking trees off a flat bed to be planted on the street.

## New trees planted in Boyne City

By JEFF BERGREN  
EDITOR

BOYNE CITY — Boyne City is a "Tree City USA" participant, a strong sign that the city is committed to preserving and improving the tree stock in town. In fact, the tree-planting program in Boyne is ongoing and takes place on a yearly basis in the spring or fall.

"This is a very popular program with the residents as is evidenced by the fact we always have a waiting list of residents that would like to participate in the program," Andrew Kovolski, Public Works Superintendent said. "This program allows the city to replace trees that have been removed because they were either distressed in some way or dead. Trees are placed in the road right of way in

front of the participant's home." Kovolski has been employed by the city since Feb. 2004 and said 40 new trees were planted in various locations throughout Boyne City this year.

"We started the tree planting on Oct. 13 and we completed it on Oct. 14," Kovolski added.

Residents who wish to participate in the tree-planting program next spring for a tree planted in the street right of way adjacent to the property can call 231-582-0341 for more information.

According to the Boyne City town website, the city prefers the individual property owner's water the trees after issues surfaced in the past with the city taking on that responsibility.

There is no direct cost to the

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# Elections 2008



## Stem cell debate heats up

By HADLEY ROBINSON  
ACN Editor

With arguments concerning embryonic stem cell research and proposal 2 firing back and forth across the airwaves, editorial pages and commercial breaks, much confusion exists over this 2008 ballot proposal.

This proposal will amend the state constitution in Michigan to allow embryonic stem cell research, which researchers say could help find cures to diseases like Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, juvenile diabetes, heart failure and spinal cord injuries because embryonic stem cells can be converted to almost any type of cell in the body.

Michigan's Public Health Code since 1978 says a live human embryo cannot be used for research if it damages or destroys the embryo. The University of Michigan does have a department that researches stem cells, but cannot create its own em-

byonic stem cell lines and must import them from other states.

In the last 30 years in vitro fertilization therapy has developed. Couples unable to conceive often go to fertility clinics where eggs and sperm are put in a Petri dish, and some are joined and form fertilized eggs.

"A specialist examines fertilized eggs and determines which of those eggs could be implanted because most of them are not capable of sustaining life," said Dr. Mel Lester, retired Charlevoix physician and proponent of Proposal 2.

Many eggs are frozen and stored for the couple to use in the future.

But, according to the University of Michigan stem cell research department, many are discarded for a variety of reasons — because they carry genetic defects, do not develop normally or because parents are done with their fertility treatment.

"The remainder are

### Proposal 08-2 Embryonic stem cell research

Official ballot language:

A proposal to amend the state constitution to address human embryonic and human embryonic stem cell research in Michigan.

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- Expand use of human embryos for any research permitted under federal law subject to the following limits: the embryos -
- are created for fertility treatment purposes;
- are not suitable for implantation or are in excess of clinical needs;
- would be discarded unless used for research;
- were donated by the person seeking fertility treatment.
- Provide that stem cells cannot be taken from human embryos more than 14 days after cell division begins.
- Prohibit any person from selling or purchasing human embryos for stem cell research.
- Prohibit state and local laws that prevent, restrict or discourage stem cell research, future therapies and cures.

thrown in the garbage can," Lester said. "Let scientists use them for research and find out what's wrong with these chronic diseases and how we can fix it."

Couples cannot donate those excess embryos for research in Michigan currently, and that would change if proposal 2 passes in November.

Some opponents have ethical issues with the proposal because they believe the

moment the egg is fertilized, it becomes life and should not be destroyed. Opponents also contend these embryos can be developed into human beings.

Couples can elect to donate unused embryos to others seeking fertility treatment. Snowflakes Embryonic Adoption Program was formed in 1997 and helps coordinate these adoptions, of which 134 have been

successful according to the program's Web site.

But according to the University of Michigan's stem cell research Web site, there is no conflict between embryo adoption and embryonic stem cell research, because each couple can choose what to do with the leftover embryos — donate for adoption, donate for research or discard.

Other opponents of

the proposal say it goes too far and fear the research would be unregulated.

"Whether you vote yes or no, embryonic stem cell research will continue to be legal," said Dave Doyle, spokesperson for Mi-Cause, a group opposed to proposal 2. "But if you vote yes it will be completely unregulated and unrestricted. It would be in our constitution."

But Lester said there will be plenty of oversight if the proposal is passed and he said the research would be done at the University of Michigan, Michigan State University and Wayne State University.

"When you do research at a major university, there is plenty of oversight — there is federal oversight, there is local oversight," Lester said. "Anybody who thinks a major university's board of regents would allow wild kinds of research to go on within those walls is wild."

But Doyle doesn't believe the proposal

specifically addresses

that. "The problem there is the constitutional amendment doesn't say this only applies to universities," Doyle said. "It applies to everybody and anybody."

Doyle's group also contends the language on the ballot is deceptive and that voters should read the fine print.

Proponents like Lester believe having restrictive laws on embryonic stem cell research is not good for the economy of Michigan because it dissuades researchers to come here. Lester said passage of proposal 2 will attract scientists, researchers and support personnel.

"It was estimated by health care economist Dr. Alan Goodman that if we permit embryonic stem cell research in Michigan it could benefit more than 770,000 in Michigan and could save up to \$80 million per year in health care ex-

penses and it would in

fact probably add 10,000 jobs in the state," Lester said.

But, most of all, he said, it can help find the answers to medical problems.

"Embryonic stem cell research offers the best hope of any scientific endeavor known today to find cures for incurable diseases," Lester said. "It's the right thing to do for people that are suffering from diseases that have no cure. This is a pro-life proposal. This will save lives."

But Doyle and his group haven't seen a lot of evidence of development in this area of research. "The implication is you vote for this and cures are right around the corner," Doyle said. "As of today they're using embryonic stem cell research — the are zero treatment zero cures, zero human trials."

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## Nonprofit, law enforcement clash over proposal 1

By STACEY SMITH  
TOWN MEETING EDITOR

BELLAIRE — Supporters of proposal 1, the statewide ballot proposal to make marijuana use legal for medical purposes, say the proposal is a compassionate way to help those with chronic, painful illnesses.

Opponents, though, say the proposal will increase the number of people driving under the influence of marijuana and they say the proposal contains a loophole that would allow people without an illness to defend their marijuana use in court.

According to a summary from Michigan Secretary of State Terri Lynn Land, the proposal would permit physician approved use of marijuana by registered patients with debilitating medical conditions, including cancer, glaucoma, HIV, AIDS, hepatitis C, multiple sclerosis and other conditions as may be approved by the state Department of Community Health.

Additionally, the proposal would permit registered individuals to grow limited amounts of marijuana for qualifying patients in an enclosed, locked facility. The proposal also would require the Department of Community Health to establish an identification card system for patients qualified to use

marijuana and individuals qualified to grow marijuana.

The proposal also would permit both registered and unregistered patients and primary care givers to assert medical reasons for using marijuana as a defense to any prosecution involving marijuana.

It's the last part that troubles law enforcement officials most, Antrim County Undersheriff David Kopkau said.

"The way this law is written, you don't have to have a prescription for it," Kopkau said.

The Michigan Sheriff's Association, the Deputy Sheriff's Association and several other law enforcement organizations oppose proposal 1.

Kopkau said he also expects, if proposal 1 passes, to see an increase in the number of people who are caught driving under the influence. Additionally, he said, the proposal will cause problems for "zero tolerance" workplaces, where employees are expected to undergo random drug screens.

The nonprofit group, Michigan Coalition for Compassionate Care, supports the proposal, as do several newspapers, including the Detroit News, Detroit Free Press, Lansing State Journal, Battle Creek Enquirer and Jackson Citizen Patriot.

Dr. George Wagner, a retired OB/GYN, is

### Medical Marijuana Official ballot language:

A legislative initiative to permit the use and cultivation of marijuana for specified medical conditions.

The proposed law would:

- Permit physician approved use of marijuana by registered patient with debilitating medical conditions including cancer, glaucoma, HIV, AIDS, hepatitis C, MS and other conditions as may be approved by the Department of Community Health.
- Permit registered individuals to grow limited amounts of marijuana for qualifying patients in an enclosed locked facility.
- Require Department of Community Health to establish an identification card system for patients qualified to use marijuana and individuals qualified to grow marijuana.
- Permit registered and unregistered patients and primary care-givers to assert medical reasons for using marijuana as a defense to any prosecution involving marijuana.

a member of the coalition and a supporter of proposal 1.

Wagner, of Manistee, became involved in the medical marijuana issue after his wife of 51 years was diagnosed with ovarian cancer.

"It's a very personal issue for me," he said.

Wagner's wife was diagnosed in January 2007 and between that time and her death six

months later, she endured three surgeries and three rounds of chemotherapy. The chemotherapy left her weak and nauseated, so that she could not keep any food down, Wagner said.

To combat the nausea, her doctor prescribed Zofran, a medication specifically given for the nausea associated with chemotherapy because it can dissolve in the mouth

and does not have to be swallowed, which is important for patients who can't keep anything down, Wagner said.

The medicine, which costs \$47 per pill, did not relieve his wife's nausea, Wagner said.

Next, the doctor prescribed a medication with properties similar to THC, the active ingredient in marijuana, called Marinol.

Although that provided some relief for the nausea, Wagner said his wife had hallucinations and refused to take any more of the medicine.

Finally, in frustration, Wagner said he told friends he would get marijuana if he knew where to find some.

"The next day, a small amount of marijuana in a bag appeared in my kitchen," he said.

Wagner made a pipe and helped his wife smoke the pot.

"She took two breaths of the marijuana smoke and she said, 'the nausea is gone,'" Wagner said. His wife smoked pot every four hours each day from then until her death in July 2007, Wagner said.

He has vowed to help legalize medical marijuana use.

"I vowed after this experience to do everything I can to make sure marijuana is available by prescription to those who could be helped by it," Wagner said.

Still, law enforcement officials say

most people are helped by the prescription medications already available. The portion of the proposal that allows both registered and unregistered patients to use medical reasons as a defense in court for marijuana-related offenses will only allow people who are using marijuana for medical purposes to tie up the courtsystem, they say.

"We hope (the proposal) doesn't pass. We hope people really look at it," Kopkau said.

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### WEEKLY Health Tips

By  
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Pharmacist



### Positive Outlook & Breast Cancer Risk

Researchers studied both healthy woman and woman with breast cancer and compared their mental outlook and life events. They found that those who had an overall positive outlook had a 25% reduced risk of breast cancer. However, those woman who had experienced one or more traumatic life events (i.e. losing a loved one or getting a divorce etc.) had a 60% higher risk of breast cancer. The study concluded that going through one or more negative life events can be considered a risk factor for young woman, while a general feeling of well being and optimism may be protective.

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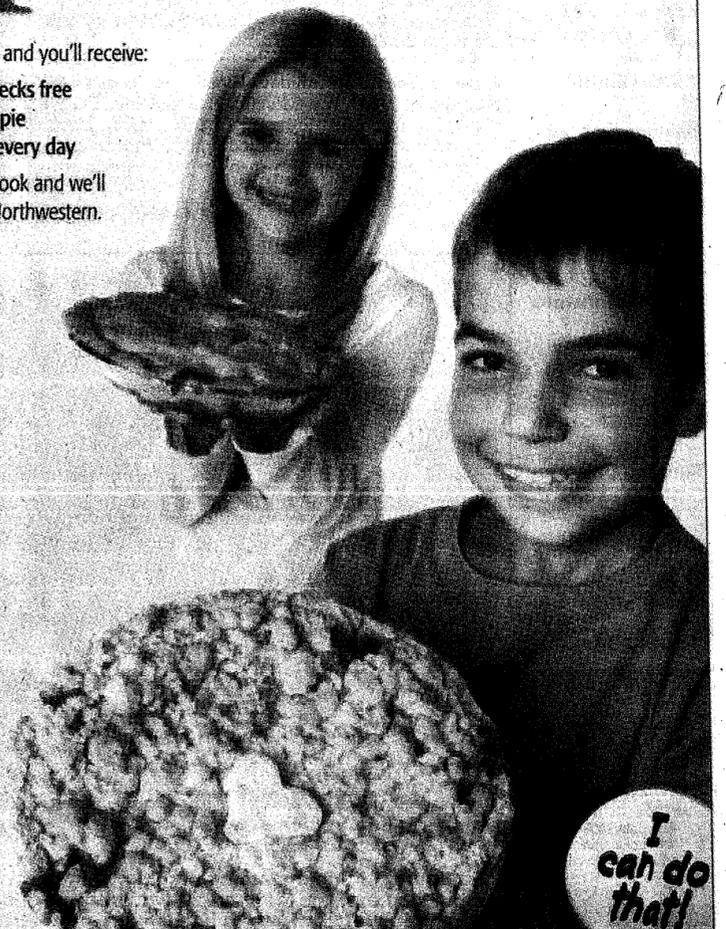
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# Elections 2008

## State candidates talk issues

By B. J. HETLER  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

**EAST JORDAN** — A debate among the candidates for a 105th District House seat in the Michigan Legislature brought out the different views and beliefs they hold.

Candidates Kevin Elsenheimer (R-Bellaire), who seeks reelection, was joined by candidate Connie Saltonstall (D-

Charlevoix) and candidate Greg Dean (L-Elmira) to answer questions and discuss the issues.

The East Jordan High School auditorium was the site of the debate held by the Antrim County News and the Citizen-Journal on Tuesday, Oct. 14.

The statewide proposal known as Proposal 08-1: A legislative initiative to permit the

use and cultivation of marijuana for specified medical conditions, is not advocated by Elsenheimer because of the potential for misuse of the plant, he said.

But Democrat Saltonstall approves of the medical use of marijuana and noted that the pain reliever is injected into the body and not smoked, so there is no "high."

Libertarian Dean fa-

vored the legalization of marijuana for medical use.

Statewide Proposal 08-2: A proposal to amend the state Constitution to address human embryo and human embryonic stem cell research in Michigan was approved of by candidates Saltonstall and Dean, but not by Elsenheimer.

The research would use only those stem

cells created for fertility treatment purposes and that would be discarded if not used for research. Embryonic stem cell research would make great strides in finding cures for Alzheimer's, diabetes, Parkinson's and other diseases, researchers say.

Elsenheimer said he could not support embryonic stem cell research because he believes life begins at

conception.

But Saltonstall said the fertility treatment stem cells researchers would use are cells routinely discarded if they are not used in fertility treatment. Dean favored the ballot proposal.

Roads in many counties in the state are deteriorating while federal and state dollars allocated to the counties for roads are decreasing.

Elsenheimer said that the state is not keeping up with the costs of road construction and repairs.

"We need a reinvention of the way we fund roads," he said.

Currently, funding from East Jordan Public comes from the gas tax. For each gallon of gas that drivers put into their cars, the state takes 19 cents in taxes and 15 cents in tax for each gallon of diesel

Elsenheimer said a bipartisan team is looking at options to fund roads and a report from the team is expected in December.

About 60 students from East Jordan Public Schools attended the debate, along with members of the community. The audience was given the opportunity to question the candidates.

## Absentee voting guide

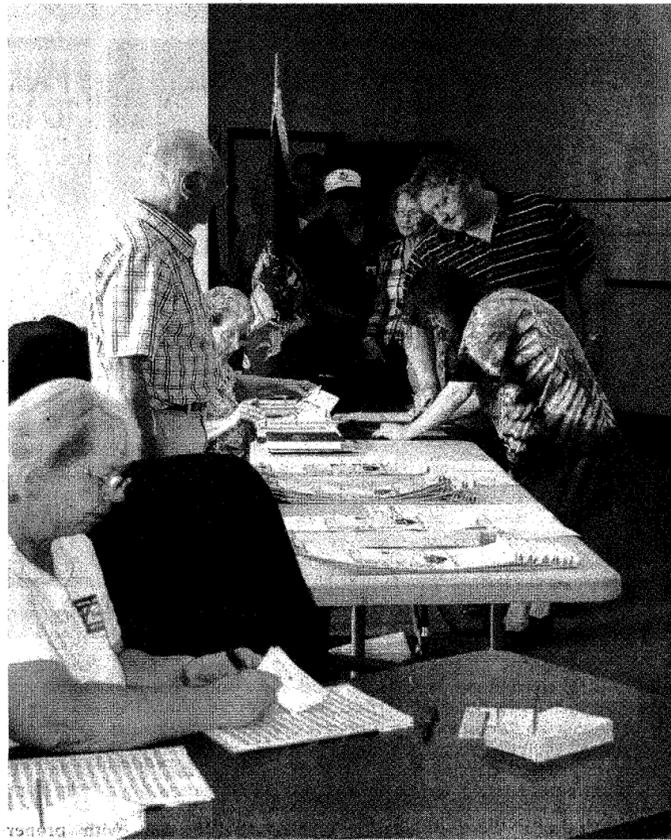
While voters in some states may cast their vote at the polls prior to Election Day, voters in Michigan may do so only if they use an absentee ballot and absentee ballots have restrictions.

Absentee voting is allowed if the registered voter is age 60 or older, physically unable to attend the polls without assistance, the voter expects to be out of town on Election Day, if someone is in jail awaiting arraignment or trial, is unable to vote at a polling place for religious reasons, or is appointed to work as an election inspector in a precinct outside of your precinct of residence.

The request for an absentee voter ballot must be in writing and may be submitted to your city or township clerk. The form may also be downloaded from the Michigan Secretary of State. The request must include one of the six statutory reasons stated above and your signature. Requests to have an absentee voter ballot mailed to you must be received by your clerk no later than 2 p.m. the Saturday before the election.

After receiving the absentee voter ballot, you have until 8 p.m. on Election Day, Nov. 4, to complete the ballot and return it to the clerk's office. Your ballot will not be counted unless your signature is on the return envelope and matches your signature on file. If you received assistance in voting the ballot, then the signature of the person who helped you must also be on the return envelope. Only you, a family member or a person residing in your household, a mail carrier, or an election official is authorized to deliver your signed absentee voter ballot to your clerk's office.

The above information is found on the michigan.gov/sos Web site.



Voters line up at the polls to make their voices heard in August's primary election. Officials expect long lines at the polls Nov. 4.

## State candidates' file campaign finances

By B. J. HETLER  
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

The candidates for the 105th District House seat in the state Legislature are nearing the Nov. 4 Election Day and sprinting for the finish.

Each candidate's campaign committee must periodically file financial information with the state Elections Bureau that shows contributions and expenditures of the campaign.

The Connie Saltonstall for 105th State Representative campaign's latest report shows total contributions and other receipts at \$24,930. Total expenditures

are \$22,504. Saltonstall is running as a Democrat from Charlevoix.

The Friends of Kevin A. Elsenheimer campaign's latest report shows contributions and other receipts at \$71,447. Total expenditures are \$68,527. Elsenheimer is running as a Republican from Bellaire.

The Friends to Elect Greg Dean campaign applied for and received a reporting waiver from the state Bureau of Elections. A reporting waiver is granted only so long as the campaign committee does not spend or receive more than \$1,000 for any election. Dean is running as a Libertarian from Elmira.

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# THE CITIZEN-JOURNAL OPINION

## EDITORIAL

### Domestic violence awareness is critical

Domestic violence is more prevalent in the United States than one would think. Each year numbers have been on the rise in terms of how many individuals have needed help or shelter while living in a violent atmosphere. It is an unacceptable environment to be a part of, especially when children are involved.

In Michigan alone, The Women's Resource Center - Grand Traverse Area, has provided services to more than 1,800 individuals and families in 2007-2008. According to WRC, they sheltered 472 adults and children for nearly 31,000 nights, which is a 26 percent increase from the same time frame in 2006-2007.

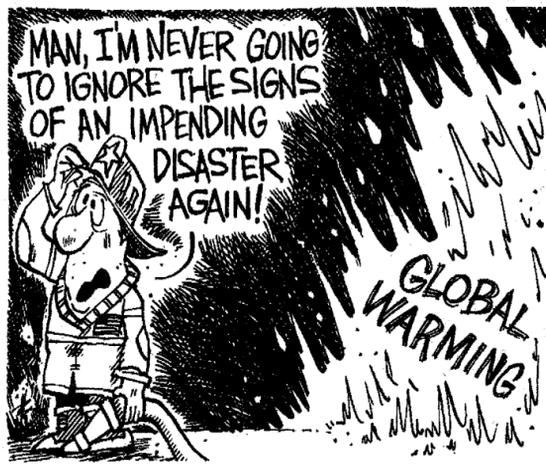
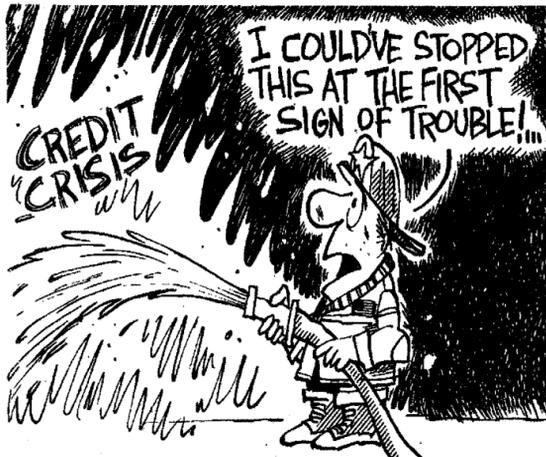
That is a disturbing trend and the only way to bring it to light is awareness. In that vein, October is National Domestic Violence Awareness month, which sees agencies throughout the nation remember those who have gone through the horrible experience of domestic abuse. It also celebrates those who have survived this crime and the goal is to not only raise public awareness but find a way to end this problem.

The WRC has put together several activities to commemorate the month that include a candlelight vigil and educational programs. One program is called Domestic Violence and Fatherhood, which will be held on Oct. 30. This program will be presented in collaboration with Child and Family Services and the Michigan Prisoner Re-entry Initiative and includes information about local efforts to encourage healthier parent/child relationships while preventing domestic violence and enhancing family safety.

This is a problem that has affected almost everyone, if you are not a victim of domestic violence, it's a good bet that you know someone who is. During this month, take the time to learn about the signs of domestic violence and what if anything you can do to help. The WRC will be distributing purple ribbons at all its locations to show support for survivors and their families all month long.

The WRC served 1,298 non-residential programs and need volunteers to serve vital roles in the community, last year volunteers provided nearly 20,000 hours of service. In addition, the M.E.N.S. (Men Exploring Non-Violent Solutions) and A.W.A.R.E. (A Women's Anger Reduction and Empowerment) programs served 345 clients, a 128 percent increase since 2000 when local domestic and violence courts started.

That number is way too high and the only way to combat this crime is to be more educated and contribute in the community. Let's all remember the victims of this horrible act and do what we can for this important initiative. For more information you can call 231-946-1210.



## YOUR VOICE

### An economic war

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There is only one way for the government to get the American people out of the present economic mess created by our elected officials who do not seem to know the difference between price and inflation. Hold your breath. We must declare war. In this instance the war must be against unemployment rather than against other nations. War or massive building projects are, with very few exceptions, the only things in history that have gotten nations out of their self-inflicted economic problems.

Hold your wrath against this statement until you hear what else I have to say. Full employment did not come to America after the twenty-year slowdown between 1919 and 1939 until we declared war against Germany. War put millions of people back to work producing war materials. War-related projects kept America working until about 1971, but this money was spent killing people instead of using it to rebuild and improve our own infrastructure.

The present war in Iraq has dragged on for at least seven years. Unemployment has increased because with modern machinery, we can produce all of the war materials we need leaving millions still unemployed.

Therefore we must declare war against unemployment. Only by putting all able-bodied citizens back to work can we get out of the self-inflicted economic mess.

How do we declare this economic war? It cannot be done by gambling in Las Vegas and the stock market, or with juicy gifts to friends and family, or even with tax breaks. We do it in the same way we did in 1940 by getting contracts to start rebuilding the infrastructure in America. This new war must be paid for, in the same way, by selling economic war bonds and taxes, not by giving the gamblers in the stock market a lot of money. There is no other way.

Fancy juggling of the money will not solve the problem of full employment. Throwing new money at the problem will only make the problem worse and cause prices to go up even faster.

We need to put all unemployed, able-bodied men and women to work building a rapid rail system between every city and airport to get millions of people out of their cars except for short trips or vacations. The recent storms suggest that all power lines should be put underground. There are many other public works that need attention. There is plenty of work for the handicapped in service industries.

To get America back to work will require a bitter pill for some people to swallow. They have fed at the public trough too long to be happy in working to supply their own needs.

Economic war bonds would use only money already in existence. They would not be inflationary like the recent multi-billion dollar giveaway. They must be sold through tightly controlled savings banks or directly from the treasury. These savings banks should under no conditions be able to borrow from fractional reserve banks because fractional reserve banks create new money. They could not make a loan unless someone had deposited enough money in the bank to make the loan. A bond could not be liquidated except by giving at least a thirty-day notice or by the death of the owner.

There is already too much money in circulation, and it would be very easy to raise enough money to do the job.

L. Russell, Professor of Education, Emeritus, Sam Houston State University Huntsville, Texas; was born on a farm near Chilhowee, Missouri, on Easter Sunday, April 16, 1911.

He is founder of The Educational Video Network, Inc. also known as Educational Filmstrips, and producer of best selling titles such as "Understanding Money and Inflation" and "Parliamentary Procedure in Action" used in classrooms across the U.S. and around the world.

Russell, 97, is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Delta Kappa, American Association of University Professors, Who's Who in American Education, President of Alpha Gamma Sigma, University of Missouri, 1933-34. Famous the world over for his publications on Economics, Government, and Parliamentary Procedure, and showing no signs of slowing down, it is obvious that Russell has no intentions of "retiring".

Russell and his late wife of 72 years, Marjorie, have three children. Together Kenneth and Marjorie co-founded the Universal Ethician Church and the Ethician Family Cemetery with their son George and his wife Sue.

### We can reclaim the dream

To the editor:  
The 2008 election may well be the most important of our lifetime. At stake is the future of marriage and other core values that have provided a sure foundation for our nation since its founding and our very culture hangs in the balance. This Nov., we all have a moral duty to elect leaders who will advance our shared core values. If one candidate will appoint judges who will undermine our faith, destroy innocent human life and deconstruct marriage, while another candidate will appoint judges who will carefully deliberate and not legislate from the bench, then our mandate is clear. We don't need a pundit to lead us on such issues, nor should we follow a modern-day Pied Piper because he's "cool" or can wow a crowd. And we must never get discouraged because discouragement is the precursor of defeat. The tactics of spiritual warfare have not changed since the dawn of time and our adversary can be counted upon to try to mentally intimidate us into submission. Never listen to someone who says, "give up!" The dream of the founders was an experiment in self-government that presumed the governed

would be moral people. That morality, the founders felt, would spring from shared Christian values and was the reason why George Washington called "religion and morality" the twin pillars of American government. We all have clear choices when voting our values, and in reality, there are just four choices available to us in any election. We can: (1) vote for the person who will best advance our values, (2) vote for a person who will destroy our values, (3) vote for a person who cannot win, or, (4) not vote at all. When we consider these choices, we must concede that choices (3) and (4) are not really viable and are actually equivalent to a vote for the person who will destroy our values. The conclusion is inescapable: Our shared values compel us to vote for the person who will best advance them and we must stop halting between two opinions. With unshakable faith, we can reclaim the dream.

Duty & Honor For God & Country

Jerry Evans  
East Jordan

### Tourist Park

To the editor:  
The following letter was sent to the East Jordan City Commissioners and was not discussed at their last meeting. I would like to share this with the East Jordan Community.

October 6, 2008  
Mayor and City Commission Members,  
I have worked for the City of East Jordan for the past three years as host for the Tourist Park. During the past three seasons, other than Mr. Bennett, I have not seen a Commissioner or the City Manager visit the park.

I have been a plumber, electrician, tree trimmer, policeman, and a P.R. to all of the campers that visited the park. While serving as the campground host, the staff and I have completed numerous jobs in the park. All of the trees were trimmed, 36 dump truck loads were hauled away. We pulled old site markers, which were replaced with new treated posts, put up a new fence by the restrooms, and painted all of the buildings. The old beach changing building was gutted and turned into a storage building for the maintenance equipment. This fall we installed a new countertop and the toilets in the men's restroom. We mowed, trimmed, planted and weeded flowers, painted picnic tables, worked in the office and handled many other jobs too numerous to mention. Due to staffing cuts, the staff and I also maintained the Community Park and Skate Park this season.

The staff at the Tourist Park has also taken over the entrance flower garden responsibilities that were previously handled by the E.J. Garden Club. All of our help here worked to keep the park looking good. We have had many compliments on how nice the park has looked over the past few years.

I would like to air some of the things that we hear from campers and some of the local public. Why isn't anything being done with the docks? They should have been dredged some time ago and replaced with floating docks, which would bring in some major revenue to the park. Next is the log building. The fireplace is pulling

away from the wall and one day will fall. The roof is in desperate need of replacement. Finally, the office and restroom facility is a disgrace and the Commission needs to make it a priority to replace this ASAP. When it rains, we have buckets placed all over the floor as the entire roof structure is deteriorated. There is black mold in the walls and the ceiling is falling down. The current condition of this building is not because of recent neglect but due to its age.

The Police Department did not patrol the park this past year after 9 p.m. Even though I may not be up late each night, numerous seasonal campers have kept an eye on this and notified me that the police are not making enough of a presence. The only officer I worked well with was Officer Dale. When there was a problem, the officer on duty would not get out of their vehicle and would tell me that's my job. I think they should check into this and see what their job is and notice that other City Police Departments issue tickets for disturbances.

I have also worked well with Butch from the DPW, he knows and does his job well and I have never had a problem with him. Being an employee for three seasons, I have felt that there is a lot of animosity among employees in that department and it affects the work efficiency in the city.

If city employees and/or department heads have a problem that can't be resolved with the City Manager, they should be able to go to a City Commissioner to help get it resolved.

I've enjoyed working for Tom Cannon and he is a good man to work with. He is doing a good job for the Parks Department.

Each year since the staff and I have been with the city, the revenue in the park has gone up. Despite the poor economy and high gas prices, the park had a very successful year.

My wife Nancy and I worked to keep the park looking good. We have had many compliments on how nice the park is and enjoyed working here.

Chuck and Nancy Schwartz  
East Jordan

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**NEIGHBORS**

A memorable family outing to share came in from Hylon Heaton II, and I quote, "The Heaton Family got together 'over East' this past weekend. Over East is near the old and long dismantled Blue Lakes Ranch. Hylon Senior (just a bit over 95 years young) provided the history and stories as we traveled to the area called the High Banks. The Hales, Tulleys and the Heaton's used to bow hunt in that area when one would see 40 to 50 deer in a day, back when a white horse was running wild with the elk herd. Young Erica liked to hear the elk as they bugled to one another but didn't care for the cries of the coyotes. Douglas Heaton and Wendell Heaton, better remembered as Chip, provided the more recent stories of the daily hunt and Hylon was along to do the cooking. There would have been starvation in the ranks if we had to eat what we worked so hard to harvest. All agreed that this was one of the most beautiful autumns we had ever experienced. Thank you Lord."

The Garlock family got together for a trip to "Just a Plain Farm" in Levering for their annual pumpkin patch picking. They went on a hayride, picked their own pumpkins, gourds, and popcorn. The kids all went through the Corn Maze. Connie and Joe Dzedzie arrange this trip every year. Attending were Bunny, Kathie and Mike Handy, Molly and Antwan Moore, Rich, Reece, and Masin Kwiatkowski, Libbie Talboys and Shyla Green, Patti Hausler, Laura and Ayrianna Crumpler, Jennie (Laura's sister), and Jamie and Thomas Mayhew. Apple cider and doughnuts were also a highlight of the day. Bunny's son, Tom, is working in China for the next month

and all his sisters would like to say, "We love you little brother and miss you."

An interesting note came in from former Boyne City/East Jordan resident, Nancy Steuer, now living in Alaska, who wanted to pass this data on to let everyone know that the Discovery Channel is running a 5 part series about the "Iditarod" sled dog race.

One of the mushers featured throughout is none other than Lance Mackey, "The Toughest Outdoor Sports Person in the country" who just won that title. He is also a throat cancer survivor. Nancy also sent a great picture of her and Lance.

Belated heartfelt sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Bud Bates who passed away last week. The same sentiment goes out, on behalf of Barbara Ross, both well-known around Boyne City.

A warm "Welcome Neighbor" goes out to Jim Cooper, the newest tenant at Litzenburger Place.

Mabel Knapp, Mary Smith, Meta Zinck, Mae Horn, Myrtle Wasylewski, Donna Hamilton, and Flo Kuzmik, all of Litzenburger Place, were among those from Charlevoix County attending the annual RSVP luncheon at the Perry Stafford Hotel in Petoskey on Tuesday. This annual event and award ceremony is held in recognition of the many who

volunteer hours of service, energy and talent in a variety of ways to help others.

Donna Hamilton, a new volunteer, received a 1st year pin.



By Nancy Northup

Litzenburger residents held their first potluck dinner of the fall season on Tuesday night with approximately 20 residents in attendance. The new kitchen committee consisting of Regina Coon and Dorothy Daniels prepared roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans and carrots. Residents furnished salads and desserts. Mary Ellen Colyer won the fifty-fifty drawing. Everyone pitched in and helped clean up afterwards and appreciated the wonderful meal ... Good job ladies.

The BCHS class of '47 had a great time this past Thursday at their 4 p.m. late lunch gathering at the BRI. There was a turnout of 12 former class members, which is pretty good, after 61 years. Their next meeting will be an 11:30 lunch, at the Water Street Café on Thursday, Nov. 4. It is hoped that more former class members will try to attend these good times.

Judy (Hartlep) Owen and Janice (Koepeke) Judy traveled to Elk Rapids Wednesday to join up with former beauty school classmates (all from different areas around the state) for lunch at C.J. Charles Restaurant. This was the first get together in several

years and plans were made to meet again next summer for lunch in Traverse City and discuss plans for a 50th reunion in 2010.

Marilyn and Bill Purdy, accompanied by their little dog, Levi, recently returned from a fabulous five-week trip, covering nineteen states and 8,000 miles. This adventure began visiting families in the Upper Peninsula then on to viewing awesome sights in the Badlands, Mt. Rushmore, Yosemite, Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks. Walked the beach on the Pacific Ocean, and sighted a seal frolicking in the surf. Viewed a variety of huge farming operations in the northwest and hundreds of windmills creating alternative energy. On they went to Grand Canyon, Painted Desert, and Hoover Dam. Caught glimpses of buffalo (one almost gave Bill a kiss through the car window), antelope, deer, mountain goats, wild horses and range cattle on and along the roads. Driving the "switch backs" in the mountains was a hair raising experience but what sights were seen. The trip continued on, making contact with family in Phoenix, Ariz., and spending a few days with Marilyn's sister and husband in Shreveport, La. Heading back they stopped in Twining, Mich., to visit with Bill's daughter and family and then home at last to witness the beautiful colors in and around Boyne City. What a "welcome home."

Items of interest for the Neighbors Column, including TDTH corner, may be called into Nancy's home phone, 231-582-9174, or send e-mail to neighbors@gtlakes.com before the Friday noon deadline.

**CHURCH EVENTS**

**Horton Bay United Methodist Church**  
Sunday School classes will be held at 9:15 a.m. for all ages. Worship service will be held at 10:30 a.m., with children's church available during the service. After the service there will be a time of fellowship. Everyone is invited to the Horton Bay United Methodist Church.

**Church of the Nativity**  
Reverend Peggy Nattemann will celebrate the 10 a.m. Eucharist service at Episcopal Church of the Nativity on Sunday, Oct. 26. Coffee hour will immediately follow the service in the church basement.  
Thursday, Oct. 23, Nativity will begin a 'soup, sandwich and study' seminar based on Dr. Gerald Mann's audio-tapes entitled "A Pearl of Great Price." The sessions will begin at 5:30 p.m. in the church basement. These free studies are open to the public.  
A dozen congregants surprised Reverend Nattemann with a birthday party at the 220 Main Street restaurant, preceding the monthly vestry meeting, on Tuesday, Oct. 14.  
Church of the Nativity is located at 209 Main Street, Boyne City. To obtain information about the church, please call 231-582-5045, leaving your name and telephone number. A member of the church will return your phone call.

**Lakeshore Community Church**  
Lakeshore Community Church is located at 624 State St. in Boyne City. It is a charismatic congregation and a 'Resurrection Life' Affiliate.  
Services are Sunday morning at 10 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. Children's church is available for ages 2 through 12. For more information, you can call Pastor Dave Crumbaugh at 231-582-7440.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
First Presbyterian

Church of East Jordan worships at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. A time of refreshment and friendship is held at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The church building is accessible and is located at 207 Williams St. in East Jordan (corner of Third and Williams). 231-536-2941.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
We invite you to visit our weekly Sunday morning services. The service time is Sunday at 11 a.m. Children's church is provided for children ages 4-12. For more information call the office, 231-582-9611, from 10 a.m. to noon, or the pastor, 231-582-2635, or visit our website at www.boyne-city-naz.org.  
The church is located at 225 W. Morgan Street, on the corner of West and Morgan.

**Walloon Lake Community Church**  
Thursday, Oct. 23, the Cozy Quilters will meet at 9 a.m.  
Sunday, Oct. 26, Word and Worship start at 9 and 10:45 a.m. Children Groups will meet at 9 and 10:45 a.m. Infant and toddler nursery is available. Junior and senior high youth meet at the youth center at 10:30 a.m. Adult foundation and small groups meet at 9 and 10:45 a.m.  
Tuesday, Oct. 28, the Women's Bible Study will start at 9:15 a.m.  
Wednesday, Oct. 29, the dinner is from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. with programs starting at 6:30 p.m.  
Contact the church for more information at 231-535-2288 or visit

the website at www.walloon-church.com. Sermons are available online.

**Boyne City, Boyne Falls United Methodist Church**  
Services in Boyne Falls are at 9:15 a.m. at 3057 Mill Street. Children's programming is held during the service. In Boyne City, worship is at 11 a.m. at 324 S. Park St., with Sunday School during the service.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
First Presbyterian Church, 401 South Park Street, Boyne City, offers two "come as you are" services with nursery provided and coffee fellowship following each.  
The 9 a.m. contemporary service features praise and worship songs, weekly Communion, and quiet activities in the loft for children. The 10:30 a.m. traditional service features a choir and congregational hymns with monthly Communion on the first Sunday. Following the children's message, during the 10:30 service, 4 to 11 year old kids are dismissed for KidsOwn Worship, an interactive worship experience led by teens and adults.  
Adult Bible Class meets. Sunday mornings, 10 to 10:30 a.m., to discuss scripture from the lectionary readings. The community is also invited to Bible Study, 9 a.m. Tuesdays, in the Hill House and to Prayer and Fellowship (bring a lunch), noon Wednesdays, in Faulman Hall.  
Beginning Nov. 2, the traditional service will begin at 11 a.m.

with Youth Bible Study and Adult Bible Study from 10:10 to 10:55 a.m.

**Christ Lutheran Church**  
Sunday services start at 8 a.m. for early service, and late service starts at 10:30 a.m., with a Bible school for all ages at 9:30 to 10:30 a.m.  
A study on the book of Revelation is held in the parish hall every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.  
Thursdays, a Bible Study on the Gospels starts at 10 a.m.

Are you in the need of transportation to church, grocery store, appointments or to run errands, or do miscellaneous helpful jobs? Call the "Catch-all" caring group, Nan Polleys, 231-582-7010, or Nancy Lawson, 231-582-9884. We also have a group that provides meals for people in temporary need. If you know someone contact Barb Albrecht at 231-582-5841.  
A Men's Fix-it group is being formed to do odd jobs for folks who need help. To volunteer, call Christ Lutheran Church.  
Oct. 26, the Harvest Festival starts with the meet and greet at 4 p.m., with the Chili Cook Off at 4:30 p.m. After dinner there are games and trunk and treat (bring costumes and candy).

**Community of Christ**  
The theme for this week's service is Commanded to Love and will be presented by Priest Sandi Ecker.  
Sunday services begin with Church School at 9:45 a.m. and service will begin at 11 a.m., with a fellowship following. All are welcome to attend.  
Wednesday Evening Gatherings start at 7 p.m., and are held at the address below.  
Our campground, Park of the Pines, is located on Boyne City Road about 3 miles from town. For more information on our activities and upcoming retreats and the Park of the Pines visit: www.BoyneCity-CofChrist.com.  
We look forward to seeing you soon, at 777 Vogel Street, Boyne City.



**Dr. McMillian's Mental Health Corner**  
**The Personality**  
Our personality influences our thinking, feeling, and behavior. The personality guides our view of self, worldview, and typically, how we interact with the world to get our needs met. Personality is not an empirical conclusion but an inferred view from data collected when observing behavior. "Healthy" adult personality functioning is a pattern of autonomy, competency, flexible to changing demands of life, a sense of contentment, satisfaction, and the desire to maintain relationships. In comparison, personality patterns that are less effective are likened to traits and habits that are inflexible, rigid, and ultimately damaging to relationships. This inflexibility interferes with the person's ability to work, love and quite often, the damaging patterns affect the individuals around them. Most important, personality patterns that become problematic are not viewed in a vacuum. Personality patterns are understood in context over time, across situation, and across relationships. Next week I will discuss the three foundations for which personality patterns are understood to derive from. Dr. McMillian 582-0553

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**YOUR VOICE**

**Qualifying questions**

To the editor:  
RE: Charlevoix, District 3 Elections  
I strongly support Ron Reinhardt's re-election as Charlevoix County Commissioner for District 3.  
Ron Reinhardt is a home-grown dedicated native of Charlevoix County. His political concerns and ambitions are solely directed to improving life and government in Charlevoix County.  
When I vote for my County Commissioner my decision is based on several very simple questions.  
• Do I know this person?  
• Do I respect this person?  
• Does this person care about control growth in Charlevoix County?  
• Does this person support open land and the natural beauty of our county?  
• Most of all, I want a person with experience, that is level headed and a logical analytical thinker. He or she must possess the ability to work with a group and help bond a team together.  
When you look at Ron Rein-

hardt's record in county activities both in business and political experience, it is clear he understands what the county needs. Ron scores an absolute "yes" to all five of my qualifying questions. His legacy includes proactive participation in the Road Commission meetings and being a pinnacle member of the county-wide conservation program. He is the liaison for the Humane Society. A member of the Charlevoix Transit Committee, he has supported the Commission on Aging by making sure that transportation is available for our seniors. Finally, he was a cornerstone in the Wilson Township Planning Commission.  
Ron stays in contact with his constituents. He has made sure that I know he is my representative for District 3 of the County Commission. He is receptive to questions and inputs from his constituents.  
We need experience on the County Commission. We need Ron Reinhardt to be re-elected.  
Gail O. Fox  
Lt Col, USAF (retired)  
Boyne City

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# The retribution of bling

I like a shiny bauble as much as the next gal. Maybe that's an overstatement. Strike that. It's an outright lie. When I reach for that piece of jewelry to pull together an ensemble and preview the result, more often than not, I will return it to the box from whence it came. For some reason, it's just never worked for me.

Whether wrought in plastic or platinum, jewelry has enjoyed a prominent place in the world's heart and history. From pterodactyl talons tied with animal gut to the Hope diamond, man and woman-kind have adorned themselves with their age's version of bling. And I do enjoy a good display on someone else. I just can't support

## MORE OR LESS

By Christine Gwidt



the weight myself. Culturally, we have been conditioned to lust for the lavish. When Julia Roberts reaches for the contents of Richard Gere's proffered velvet box in "Pretty Woman," I am disappointed that he misses snapping the lid down on her fingers and possibly popping off a press-on nail or two. Her horsey burst of laughter - ostensibly calculated to convey her character's winsome earthy charm - spikes the aspirations of pre-teen girls while simultaneously braying a death knell for the self-respect of heart-of-gold hookers everywhere.

With the advent of the urban music scene, bling has become a badge of honor. The bedecking of every limb and digit that will support swag is now de rigueur. For the trendsetters and their crew, opulence is no longer optional. Glittering gems imbedded in chunky gold pendants, rings and teeth confirm the solid financial status of the host, often from a great distance.

I am further mystified by the popularity of necklaces that proclaim the wearer's name. Most recently revived by the Carrie Bradshaw character in "Sex and the City," the look seems like something that would appeal more to schoolchildren than to fashion-forward career women. Anyone who has ever had a job requiring a nametag would probably agree that the disadvantages of strangers having easy access to one's name far outweigh the benefits. Displayed in elegant, 24-karat script or scrawled felt pen, the effect is the same. Unless one falls victim to amnesia, what's the point?

I concede that I have an unusually low threshold for bling. When I do drape myself in something or other, I feel fettered. I don't wear rings. I know this sounds crazy, but my fingers are claustrophobic. The same goes for choker necklaces, earrings, bangle bracelets and wristwatches. If pushed to the wall by a special occasion, I can work with pins and brooches and the occasional locket. At times, the delusion that I have evolved beyond garish all the way to chic will prompt a hopeless purchase. But too often I've been buffaloeed into selections that seemed like a good idea at the time, only to fall short when pressed into service.

While many may compliment their appearance with glittering accoutrements, it doesn't take much to transform me into a sparkling eyesore. I don't wear jewelry so much as it wears me. I somehow always feel that it may jump ship, mid-soiree, to the throat or wrist of someone with a more highly developed fashion sense.

In fact, this has happened more than once. If someone admires an item that is awkwardly straddling my appendage, I will most likely take it off and hand it over as a gift. My sense of relief and freedom is at least equal to the surprise of the recipient. (Although, interestingly enough, none of them have whinnied like show ponies). And any subsequent remorse that may arise due to the inappropriate dispensing of pricey trinkets to someone with whom I have only a vague, nodding acquaintance is fleeting.

So if you have a hankering to add to your collection, come and sit by me. You may preface our conversation with unrelated subjects such as travel, dogs or music to put me into a generous frame of mind. When you notice that I am tugging at the chain around my neck and gasping slightly for air, make your move. Something as simple as "What a lovely necklace," will suffice. It will only take a moment for me to unclasp the thing and drop it into your hand before I head for the buffet, free at last.

Christine Gwidt welcomes reader's comments. Email her at [moreorlesschristine@gmail.com](mailto:moreorlesschristine@gmail.com).



Pellston students, Breanna Wagner and Todd Belman, make close observations of an owl as they work on drawings and poetry in "The Art and Science of Birds" class taught by Sara Tisdell. The program is offered through Crooked Tree Arts Center as part of the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Grant. The barn owl, Belfry, is one of SEE-North's NorthWings education birds.

# Arts center works with local schools

Crooked Tree Arts Center has partnered with Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District through their 21st Century Community Learning Centers Grant to provide outreach opportunities for students in five qualifying Northern Michigan communities. The 21st Century Grant is a federally funded multi-layered program designed to provide opportunities for students through expanded after-school programming. This grant provides tutorial services, academic enrichment in literature, science and math, programs in character development, counseling, and exposure to the arts. "One of the most important aspects of the program is that the 'whole child' is considered. The program addresses the needs of the students in many areas," says Marty Samson, Crooked Tree Art

Center's 21st Century Grant Arts Program Coordinator. Crooked Tree Arts Center's role is to provide outreach programming in the arts to these schools. A visual artist, writer, dance instructor, musician, or theater teacher will create and present a program designed to bring something unique to the students in these after school programs. "Our goal is to find artisans from these and nearby communities and pay them to share their talents and skills with the students. Students will benefit not just through exposure to the arts but also by meeting people in their own communities who's skills and love of the arts will be reflected by the programs they present," states Samson. In Pellston, middle school students participating in the program are experiencing

the arts through a program designed by Sara Tisdell called "The Art and Science of Birds." Students will create works of art from watercolor paintings of feathers to poetry to papier-mache masks all inspired by birds. As part of the program, SEE-North's, NorthWings raptors will visit the class as inspiration for their art. Boyne City students in the Crooked Tree Arts Center's program will be guided through an exploration of the life and art of Pablo Picasso by Martina Hahn. Students will create their own original works of art including self-portraits, a "cubism" project, and a one-color art project. As a culmination to the class, the students will have one of their works of art matted, framed and displayed. Students in East Jordan are discovering "The Artist In Me" under the guidance

of Sara Vrondran. Each week the students will be introduced to artists that have influenced the art world and then have the opportunity to explore this influence through projects ranging from print making to graphic art to fashion design. Through "Let's Move," a Creative Movement Class led by Becky Palmiter, East Jordan K-2nd grade students will have the opportunity to explore music, rhythm, and simple dance moves in imaginative ways. Littlefield students, taught by Maggie Van Wagoner, and Ellsworth students, taught by Lori Bolt, will be participating in "Art Exploration." Students in these programs will explore mixed media in two and three dimensions. They will practice book making by creating a decorative journal using their own completed projects

in marbled paper and block prints and assorted collage materials and create a sculpture piece. The arts programs offered in each of the schools will vary depending on what the local artists develop. The current programs continue through November and a new assortment of offerings will begin again in January. "The 21st Century Grant Program allows Crooked Tree Art Center to provide arts programming to students who may not otherwise have an opportunity to participate. This program benefits both the students and local artisans with talents to share," said Marty Samson. If you would like further information about the program, please contact Marty Samson at Crooked Tree Arts Center 231-347-4337 or [www.crookedtree.org](http://www.crookedtree.org).

# Improvements

LANSING — Income eligible homeowners with no equity may borrow up to \$25,000 from the Michigan State Housing Development Authority to make energy-efficiency improvements to their home. With equity, homeowners can borrow up to \$50,000.

"Making simple improvements like increasing insulation or replacing an inefficient furnace or old windows can reduce your energy costs by up to 50 percent," said MSHDA Executive Director Keith Molin.

There are Property Improvement Program loans, of up to \$50,000 for single-family homeowners and \$100,000 for landlords (up to \$25,000 per unit). There are no income limits for landlords.

Eligible homeowners may have household incomes of up to \$74,750, depending on the location of the home. Interest rates, which range from 4 to 8 percent, are based on household income.

"There is no home equity requirement for loans up to \$25,000, so even new homeowners can take

advantage of this opportunity," Molin said. "There also are no points or annual fees."

"People are looking for ways to save money in the current economy," Molin added. "Home energy costs can be a significant part of a household budget, particularly in the winter."

Visit [www.michigan.gov/mshda](http://www.michigan.gov/mshda) and click on Home Improvement to see the full list of eligible home improvement projects and learn more about the free application process, or call 517-373-8017, or (TTY) 1-800-382-4568.

## HAPPENINGS

### Garden club to meet

The Boyne Valley Garden Club will meet on Thursday, Oct. 23, at 1 p.m., at the Boyne City Library community room. Yoga instructor Suzi Blanckaert will be speaking on yoga tips for gardeners. Learn simple stretches to do before, during, and after gardening. Hostesses are Carol Book, Judy Grimes, and Nan Polleys.

### Pancake supper

Peninsula Grange will hold a Pancake and Sausage Supper on Saturday, Oct. 25, from 5 to 7 p.m. Donation: adults, \$6; children 6-12, \$3; 5 and under, free. Peninsula Grange is located at the corner of Looze and Advance Roads, 2 1/2 miles north of East Jordan. Come join your friends and neighbors.

### EJ gun show

The Jordan River Sportsmen's Club will hold its gun show on Saturday, Oct. 25, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday, Oct. 26, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the East Jordan Civic Center.

### Give the gift of life

There will be a Red Cross blood

drive on Tuesday, Oct. 28, at Boyne City High School, 1035 Boyne Ave., Boyne City, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. The need is constant. The gratification is instant. Give blood. Blood donors must be at least 17-years-old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good general health. For information on a blood drive in any of the 65 counties served by the Great Lakes Region, call 1-800-GIVE LIFE or visit [www.redcrossmichigan.org](http://www.redcrossmichigan.org). Blood drive times and locations are subject to change.

### The Nightmare continues

The Nightmare at Challenge Mountain will run each Friday and Saturday in October, including Halloween, from 7 to 10 p.m., at 2205 Springbrook Rd., Boyne Falls. Admission is two children for \$5 when accompanied by an adult; adult tickets are \$10. Each ticket is a season pass. For details and driving directions go to [www.challengemtn.org/nightmare\\_at\\_Challenge\\_Mountain.htm](http://www.challengemtn.org/nightmare_at_Challenge_Mountain.htm) or call 231-582-1186.

### Explore the sciences

Boyne District Library is offering a science program to home schooled

children to be held in the community room at the library on Tuesdays, starting Oct. 7 through Nov. 25. Children ages 6-9 will meet at 11 a.m. and ages 10-13 will meet at noon. Participate in kitchen chemistry experiments, and fill out reading logs for prizes. Space is limited. Sign-up is required.

### Fall Mushroom Mania

For lovers of nature, the outdoors and good eating, Joe Breidenstein of Springbrook Hills is offering Fall Mushroom Mania Outings on weekends this month. Joe describes the outings as "a casual, informal, informative good time enjoying Michigan's outdoors and some great food and wine that produce lasting memories." Expert mushroom guides lead participants on mushroom hunts to identify a multitude of exotic fungus - including many delicious edibles. For details call Breidenstein at 231-535-2227.

### Fall storytime

Walloon Lake Library will offer Preschool StoryTime on Wednesdays, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. This year we have planned some great fall reading adventures. The themes in-

clude the alphabet, fall holidays and animals. The special events with animals will include a morning with owls put on by NorthWings. StoryTime is geared to ages 2 - 6. Parents and other age siblings are invited to attend. Join us this fall at the Walloon Lake Library for stories, songs, crafts and reading fun. Please call the Library at 231-535-2111 for more information.

### Civil Air Patrol meets

The Gaylord Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol meets every Thursday at 7 p.m., at the Otsego County Airport Terminal Bldg. Inquiries welcome.

### Overeaters Anonymous meet

Overeaters Anonymous meets Monday evenings, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., at the new Alano Club, 509 N. East St. in Boyne City. For information, call Maggie at 231-582 2360.

### Food pantry hours

Boyne City Seventh-day Adventist Community Services Center/Food Pantry is open every Monday from 10 a.m. until noon. Call 231-582-0151 for additional information. Emergency service is available.

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# Public invited

Opponents of the proposed Alba industrial waste injection well invite the public to an informational meeting at the North Central Michigan College library on Sunday, Oct. 26, from 2 to 5 p.m. CMS is proposing to transfer cement kiln dust leachate from Bay Harbor to Alba. The proposed injection well is slated to take a million gallons of Bay Harbor industrial waste a week. The Alba/Mancelona plain, 36 miles from Bay Harbor, is headwaters to the Boyne, Jordan, Manistee, AuSable, Elk River, Cedar and other northern Michigan watersheds.

The meeting, sponsored by POWER Coalition and Friends of the Jordan River Watershed will feature experts:

Dr. Edward Timm, retired professional chemical engineer;

Dr. Jim McClurg, geologist, professor emeritus;

Dr. John Richter, President Friends of the Jordan River;

Randy Stewart, diver, Bay Harbor underwater construction worker;

State Senator Basham, who fought the failed Romulus injection well.

Experts will cover topics relating to:

The history of toxic waste at Bay Harbor.

Secrecy and cronyism in environmental regulation agencies.

Leachate... What is it, where does it come from, where does it go?

Failures of state and federal agencies, past and present.

Petoskey drinking water wells and Cement Kiln Dust.

Environmental Justice.

Geological science, confining layers and injection well sites.

Residents of Antrim County, conservationists and opponents of the proposed Alba industrial waste injection well support clean-up at Bay Harbor and support the EPA in requiring that CKD be isolated and contained to stop the production of toxic leachate at Bay Harbor forever. Well opponents contend that irrigating the grounds and golf courses of the Bay Harbor Resort contributes to the production of toxic leachate.

Star Township, An-

trim County and Friends of the Jordan have a request pending to challenge the state DEQ permit for the well. Earlier, the EPA Appeals Board denied a petition from Antrim County, Star Township and Friends of the Jordan to review the permit issued by Region 5 EPA staff for the injection well.

Friends of the Jordan River and POWER invite all persons interested in conservation, clean water, protecting rivers, and responsible Brownfield clean-ups to attend.

## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



**Boyne Falls Public School**  
**NAME:** William Canfield  
**PARENTS:** Tim & Tina Canfield  
**GRADE:** 7th  
**FAVORITE CLASS:** English  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** Playing video games  
**FAVORITE SPORT:** Basketball  
**FAVORITE COLOR:** Blue  
**FAVORITE FOOD:** Pizza  
**FAVORITE BOOK:** "Hoop City"  
**FAVORITE MOVIE:** "The Pursuit of Happiness"  
**FAVORITE TV SHOW:** NBA TV  
**STAFF COMMENTS:** "Willy is a kind, thoughtful and conscientious student. He is a hard worker both in and out of the classroom. He works hard to have good grades and play basketball. Willy is an all around great student and I am really glad I have him in class."  
 Mrs. Gregory

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend college to study art and history  
**COMMENTS:** "Ashley is an inquisitive young woman who loves to learn. She loves to talk about books and debate topics, and she always brings a unique perspective to our class discussions."  
 Mrs. McPherson  
 "Ashley is a bright and creative student. She is an active member of Student Council and always plays a leadership role in any activity we organize. She attends weekly 7:30 a.m. meetings with a smile on her face. Ashley is kind and considerate to all her peers." Mrs. Stangis  
 "It has been great to have Ashley in class so far this year. She adds excellent insights to our class discussions, and always seems to go that extra mile on assignments and projects. She's a great kid with a bright future ahead of her." Mrs. Richardson  
 "Ashley is an upbeat, creative and intelligent young woman. She has worked hard to create a portfolio of art works that have already received awards. Her ability to express herself is a very mature level for a student so young. She is caring and is always encouraging others to do their best. She is a pleasure to work with." Mrs. Tinney

**Boyne City High School**  
**NAME:** Ashley Lockery  
**PARENTS:** Darlene and James Lockery  
**GRADE:** 12th  
**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** Band, National Honor Society, P.A.L.'s, Drama  
**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:** Friends, family, and animals  
**FUTURE PLANS:** I plan to go to college to be a veterinarian. Then I want to have my own shelter and clinic.  
**STAFF COMMENTS:** "Ashley is doing an awesome job as the Senior Class President. She is very conscientious about her responsibilities and is also very good about making sure everyone's opinions and ideas are included in class activities and decisions. Great job, Ashley." Cindi Place, Advisor  
 "Ashley is a senior band member and a fantastic student. She is always willing to serve others and help out. She is a leader by example and a great citizen of our community." Brandon Ivie, Band Director  
 "Ashley is extremely positive and demonstrates a cheerful attitude on a consistent basis. She is also a serious student who pays attention to the specific details of assignments. She is a deserving winner of the Student of the Week Award." John Hertel, English Teacher

# Celebrating 125 years

The Charlevoix County History Preservation Society will meet on Monday, Oct. 27, at 7 p.m., at the East Jordan Iron Works Corporate Office, 301 Spring St., East Jordan. Please meet in the front

lobby. The program will be "A Celebration of 125 Years - History of the East Jordan Iron Works." This very informative program will reflect on the last 125 years of manufacturing in Northern

Michigan and allow individuals an interesting look into EJW history and progress through the years. Friends of The East Jordan Iron Works and the East Jordan Community are invited to this special evening.

Reservations are not required but in order to make sure we have room for everyone please pre-register as soon as possible at 231-536-3530 or 231-582-7042. We will move the program to the East Jordan High School if pre-registration indicates we need to. Refreshments will be served by the East Jordan Iron Works. For more information contact CCHPS Secretary, Mary Jane Jewell at 231-536-3530.

## EJ SENIOR CENTER

Everyone is welcome for lunch at the East Jordan Senior Center.

Wednesday, Oct. 22, meatballs, cheesy potatoes, European-blend vegetables and fruit will be served for lunch.

Thursday, Oct. 23, chicken pastie, bean salad, cauliflower and

fruit are planned for lunch.

Friday, Oct. 24, the Jordan Valley Duo plus 1 will entertain beginning at 11 a.m. Lunch will be cheeseburger meatballs, scalloped potatoes, far-east blend vegetables and fresh fruit.

Monday, Oct. 27,

garlic chicken, peas, corn and fruit mix will be served for lunch.

Tuesday, Oct. 28, line dancing begins the day at 10:30 a.m. Soup and salad bar begin at 11:30 a.m. Bingo follows lunch, and the paint class begins at 1 a.m.

Wednesday, Oct. 29, is the progressive

lunch. The East Jordan center is closed to the public that day, but will be doing carry-out meals.

Enjoy lunch for a \$2 donation if you are age 60 or over; \$4 if you are under the age of 60. The menu is subject to change so please feel free to call the center at 231-536-7831 with any questions. The Adult Day Center, located at the East Jordan Senior Center, is open Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., or by appointment. The Charlevoix Commission on Aging can be reached at 231-237-0103 or toll-free at 1-866-428-5185.

## BOYNE AREA SENIOR CENTER

Join your friends and neighbors at the Boyne Area Senior Center this week for lunch and fun activities.

Wednesday, Oct. 22, meatballs, cheesy potatoes, European-blend vegetables and fruit will be served for lunch. Line dancing begins the day at 10 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 23, chicken pastie, bean salad, cauliflower and fruit are on the menu. Bingo follows lunch on Thursday.

Friday, Oct. 24, plan to arrive at 11 a.m. to enjoy music with Gail and the Black Box Band. Lunch will include cheeseburger

meatballs, scalloped potatoes, far-east blend veggies and fresh fruit.

Monday, Oct. 25, garlic chicken, peas, corn and a fruit mix is planned. Bingo will follow lunch on Monday.

Tuesday, Oct. 28, hamburger with a bun, green beans, tater tots and apricots are on the

menu.

Wednesday, Oct. 29, a progressive dinner is planned for Charlevoix County Seniors. You need to call the senior center to make a reservation for this day.

Bread, butter, milk and other hot drinks are served each day with lunch. The suggested donation for lunch is \$2 if you are age 60 or over; \$4 if you are under age 60. To contact the senior center, call 231-582-6682. To contact the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging, call 231-237-0103. The toll free number is 866-428-5185.

## COUNTY RECORDS

The following cases were recently decided in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Luther Brent Clyburn, 42, Mancelona. Possession of marijuana. Sentenced to pay \$500 in fines and costs and to perform five days of community service work.

Mary Kathleen Bradley, 23, Lansing. Driving while impaired. Sentenced to pay \$830 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 36 days in jail with credit for one day, 30 days held in abeyance, five

days of community service work; six months on probation.

John Carl Baumann, 58, West Bloomfield. Driving while impaired. Sentenced to pay \$1,230 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 45 days on electronic monitor, 62 days held in abeyance, 15 days of community service work; one year on probation.

Gregg William Whitley, 44, Charlevoix. Driving while intoxicated, 2nd of-

fense. Sentenced to pay \$1,180 in fines and costs. Sentenced to 365 days in jail with credit for one day, 334 days held in abeyance, 30 days of community service work; two years on probation.

Jeffrey Bruce Bachelor, 44, Boyne Falls. Driving while license suspended, two counts. Sentenced to pay \$395 in fines and costs. Sentenced to four days in jail with credit for four days.

Jeffrey Bruce Bachelor, 44, Boyne Falls. Driving while license

suspended, three counts. Sentenced to four days in jail with pay \$400 in fines and costs. Sentenced to credit for four days.

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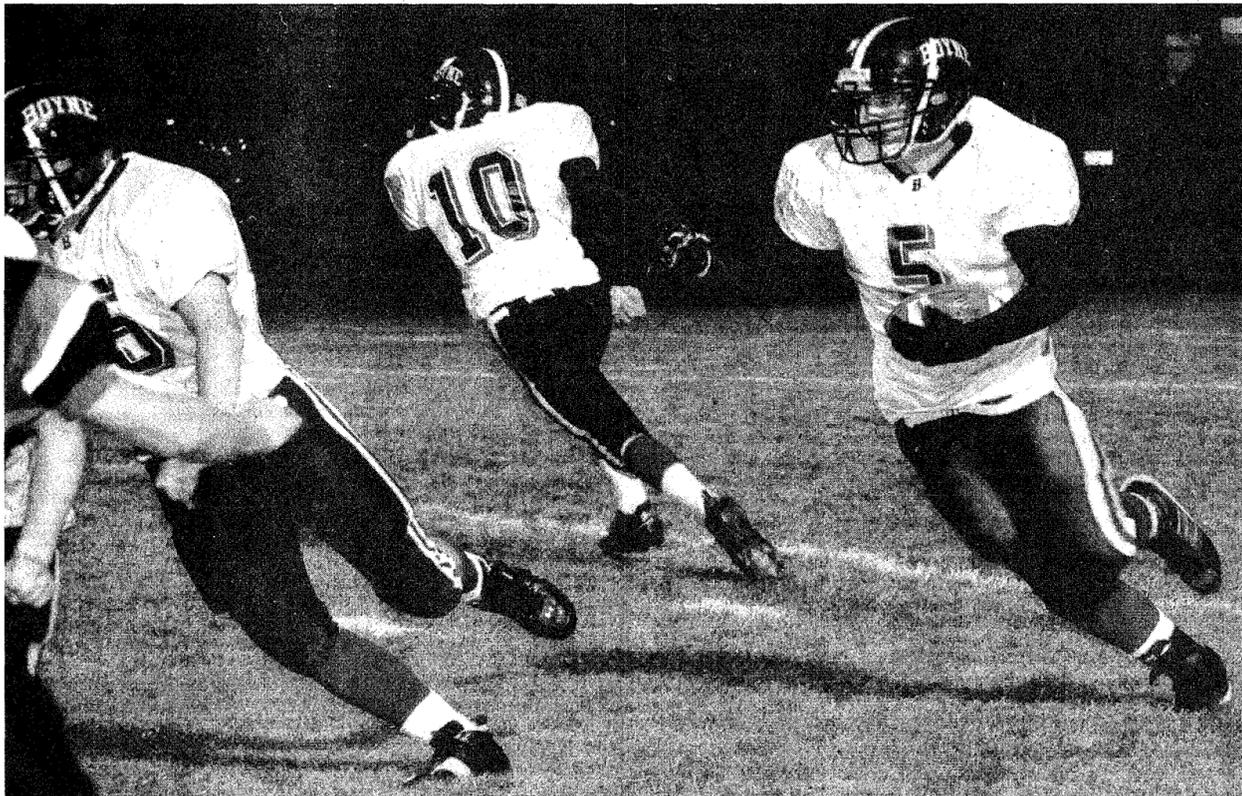
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Boyne City running back Drew Nohel (5) cuts inside against Elk Rapids as quarterback Nick Young (10) carries out his fake.

Photo by Greg Gielczyk

**EJ ballers  
scrap with Elks**

*Five-set brawl leaves  
Red Devils down, 2-3*

By CHRIS TREDWAY  
SPORTS EDITOR

EAST JORDAN — Trying to mirror the junior varsity's triple-set thumping of Elk Rapids Thursday, Oct. 16, the varsity Red Devils took the floor against the Elks' top players and dominated the first two games.

The junior varsity's 25-18, 25-13 and 15-8 victories looked to be repeated in the varsity match as East Jordan pulled out to the two-set lead. Final scores of 25-14 and 25-21 showed evidence that the Red Devils' offense was in full swing, pounding the court with kills against a capable Elk Rapids defense.

"Offensively we got most of our kills in the first three games," East Jordan coach Jackie Haley said. "I thought we played three games really well, but four and five we didn't step out to play."

Either side refused to yield in the third set, which stretched to a score of 27-25 and gave Elk Rapids their first win of the night.

"Defensively we did really good," Haley said. "Andrea Chew and Randi McFall stepped up really well from in the back row."

The tide changed in that third set and carried over into the fourth with another Elks win, 25-22. East Jordan suffered an injury in the third set, which was accompanied by an increase in energy on Elk Rapids' side of the net.

The match now tied two apiece with momentum belonging to the Elks, East Jordan folded in the fifth and went down 5-15 to give up a win at home.

"Elk Rapids' players are pretty strong hitters," Haley said. "Defensively they're a pretty scrappy team. They dug up everything. Nothing was hitting the floor."

Megan Jermain found holes in the Elks' defense well enough to accumulate 10 kills on the night, adding three blocks and nine digs.

Alex Snowden popped down five kills and had 14 digs defensively, while Shanna Peters killed five, blocked three and dug 10.

Andrea Chew contributed four kills and eight digs.

The junior varsity posted impressive numbers in their victory against Elk Rapids, with Grace Howes serving five aces and killing once. Howes served 100 percent and generated five digs as well. Stephanie Holm put down three aces and six kills, Kara LaVanway had a pair of aces and eight kills, serving 100 percent, and Morgan Skop offered up seven assists.

East Jordan's varsity went on to pound through the Harbor Springs Invitational over the weekend, finishing at the top of their pool play with a 9-1 record, Oct. 18, with pool wins over Charlevoix, Elk Rapids, Harbor Springs, Boyne City and Cedarville, the Lady Devils advanced to bracket play and lost to the host team 25-23, 24-26 and 9-15, finishing in third place overall.

Holm punished opposing teams with 30 aces, 25 kills, a pair of blocks and four assists on the day. Monica Capelin held off attacks on defense with 22 digs.

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**Boyne blemishes Elk Rapids**

*Defense  
denies Elks  
in overtime*

By GREG GIELCZYK  
SPORTSWRITER

ELK RAPIDS — Boyne City's football team hadn't really been tested since losing to Traverse City St. Francis last month.

Coach Dave Hills had a nagging question in the back of his mind about just how his team would react when facing strong adversity.

Last Friday night, he got his answer.

The Ramblers trailed previously unbeaten Elk Rapids 20-12 with 5:33 remaining in the fourth quarter, but rallied to tie it at the end of regulation and then stopped the Elks' two-point conversion attempt in overtime to secure a thrilling 28-26 victory.

In snapping the Elks' winning streak at seven consecutive games, the Ramblers improved their own record to 7-1 and kept their hopes for a share of the Lake Michigan Conference title alive with a 5-1 mark.

Boyne City, which like Elk Rapids had already qualified for the playoffs coming into the game, has to win its regular season finale against Harbor Springs and then need the Elks to beat Traverse City St. Francis (7-1, 6-0).

"Isn't that fun?" Hills said about the overtime period. "It's nice at the end of the year to have meaningful games against good football teams."

"So for us going in we were just trying to enjoy the moment, and see what we were made of. I thought we came out and were real poised in executing our game plan, and controlling them (the Elks) on both sides

of the ball, as much as you can."

Elk Rapids threatened to score on its first offensive possession of the game after receiving the opening kickoff.

But the Ramblers stopped the Elks on downs at their own 36, forcing an incomplete pass on fourth-and-5.

The Ramblers then rocked the Elks with a 14-play, 74-yard drive that was capped by Drew Nohel's 8-yard touchdown run with 3:51 left in the first period for a 6-0 lead.

Nohel also caught a 7-yard pass from quarterback Nick Young to give the Ramblers a first down at the Elk Rapids 41 to keep the drive alive.

Young fired a 15-yard scoring strike to Nohel with 2:10 left in the second quarter to extend the Ramblers' lead to 12-0, which is how it stayed at halftime.

"We lost some momentum there in the second half,"

Hills said. "I thought we got a little tentative, and a little hesitant."

"Once (the Elks) got momentum, I thought the kids were trying to do too much. I thought we settled down there at the end of the third, and early into the fourth."

"The drive at the end of the game was just tremendous. That's tremendous character and heart by our kids."

Elk Rapids shaved the Ramblers' lead to 12-6 on a 17-yard run by Tyler Smith, who rushed for 110 yards on the night, at the 4:25 mark of the third period.

Smith's 8-yard run and 2-point conversion vaulted the Elks into a 14-12 lead with 14.1 seconds remaining in the third.

Boyne City's deficit grew to 8 points as Derek Sentieri hit Smith with a 7-yard touchdown pass with only 5:33 to play in the fourth.

The Elks' successful 2-

point conversion was nullified when they were penalized for an illegal block below the knees, and were pushed back to the Boyne City 23. Smith was tackled far short of the goal line on the re-try.

It would come back to bite the Elks as the Ramblers tied the game at 20 on Trevor Krugel's 5-yard run and 2-point conversion with only 47 seconds on the clock.

Nohel's 10-yard run on a fake punt, and a couple of big passes by Young kept the drive alive.

Boyne City had the first possession in the overtime and capitalized on it with a 7-yard run by Krugel (100 yards on 25 carries) and Nohel ran in the 2-point conversion for a 28-20 lead.

On Elk Rapids' final try, after two running attempts netted zero yards, the Elks got a break when the Ramblers were flagged for pass

**Wilson, Westbrook  
scorching at state**

By PHIL TROMBLEY  
SPORTS WRITER

MT. PLEASANT — Kaylee Wilson continues to make her presence known among the area's top Class D high school cross country ranks as an eighth grader at Boyne Falls.

The young talent handed in a commanding performance in Mount Pleasant Saturday afternoon, closing through the final meters of the Class D State Championship to claim a spot in the top 10.

Wilson finished 10th in a time of 20 minutes, 16.8 seconds to lead the Lady Loggers to a 13th place team finish among 34 schools at the Bucks Run Golf Course. The championship is not sponsored by the MHSAA and features the state's smaller schools, which are often paired against much larger opponents in the MHSAA-sponsored Division 4 events.

The first half-mile unraveled quickly and left Wilson running with or trailing runners from Ells-



Photo by Chris Tredway

Entering the final half mile of the Class D State Championship in Mount Pleasant Saturday, Oct. 18, Boyne Falls' Kaylee Wilson picks up the pace en route to a top 10 finish

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Photo by Vic Ruggles

The Red Devils hold their helmets up following their first win of the season, picking off Harbor Springs on the road, Oct. 17.

**EJ takes first win at Harbor**

By PHIL TROMBLEY  
SPORTS WRITER

HARBOR SPRINGS — Quarterback Ted Snowden threw for one touchdown, while running back Michael Hines rushed for a second score to highlight

East Jordan's first varsity football win of the season.

The Red Devils, now 1-7 on the season, edged out Harbor Springs 14-12 in a Lake Michigan Conference match up in Harbor Springs Friday, Oct. 17.

Michael Mumich paced the Red Devil running game with 74

Snowden completed seven of nine passes for 119 yards and added 48 yards rushing on eight carries. Hines hauled in five catches for 114 yards.

James Brown, Luke

yards on 17 totes.

Murphy and Michael

Darryl Bingham led

Becker all recovered

the defense with 14

tackles, while Neil

Schneider, Hines and

picked up another win

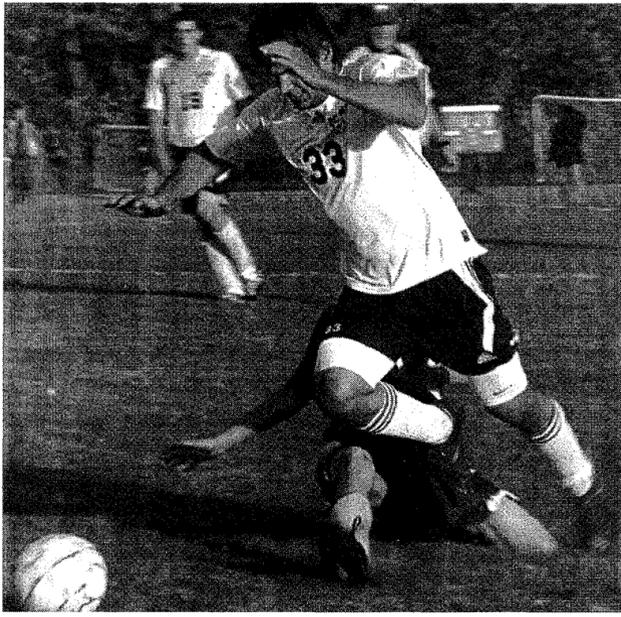
over the Rams last

seven tackles. Werner

Thursday, with Jacob

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# Kalkaska edges Ramblers, 2-1 in semis



Boyerne City's Aaron Anzell avoids a tackle, moving the ball down field against Buckley during the district opening match last week.

By GREG GIELCZYK  
SPORTS WRITER

**ELK RAPIDS** — Boyne City had never lost to Kalkaska in boys soccer. Ever.

The Ramblers had dominated the Blazers in their only regular season meeting this year at Kalkaska, and had to feel confident of enjoying similar success in their Division 3 district tournament match at Elk Rapids last week.

Someone forgot to tell the Blazers that, though, and they pulled a stunning 2-1 upset over the Ramblers to reach the district finals against Traverse City Christian.

Kalkaska had never even so much as won a district match before, and the Sabers no doubt were surprised to see them battle their way into the finals.

But that's where it

ended for the Blazers, as Traverse City Christian spotted them a 1-0 lead off a penalty kick in the first five minutes and then scored seven unanswered goals in a 7-2 win to take the title.

Christian had knocked off defending district champion Elk Rapids, 3-2 in a shootout in the second game of last Thursday night's doubleheader following the Blazers' shocker over Boyne City.

Kalkaska has only two seniors on the team, but played with great emotion over the course of the district tournament.

The Blazers squandered a 4-0 lead against Benzie Central in the first round, but won the game in overtime, 5-4.

"What we have is kids who want it," Kalkaska coach Andy Urquhart said after the Blazers had eliminated the Ram-

blers. Both of the Blazers' goals came in the first half, and were scored by their leading scorer for the season, Mason Moses.

Sterling Adgate, who has been the Ramblers' leader up front all year, tallied the only Boyne City goal on an assist from Dean Hague.

The Ramblers defeated Buckley 3-2 in double overtime to reach the district semifinals.

Buckley had 9 shots on goal in the first half, compared to just 3 for the Ramblers, and took a 2-0 lead at the 21-minute mark of the second half.

With Aaron Anzell leading the way with tremendous hustle, the Ramblers' Ethen Mapes scored with five minutes left in regulation on an assist from Brendan Baic and Tevin Lar-

mond. Just over two minutes remained in the match when Sterling Adgate scored the equalizer for the Ramblers.

Each team had two shots on goal in the first overtime, which ended with the match still tied at 2-2.

Adgate put in the match-winner on an assist from Mapes with three minutes remaining in the second overtime.

Buckley had an 18-17 advantage in shots on goal for the match.

"Nathan Clubine, Blake Kroondyk, Lucas Hoaglund, Zac Knott and Baic played well in

midfield," coach Baic said.

"Aaron Anzell, Tyler Urman, Jesse Place and Tom Halstead played well against Buckley's speedy forwards. Harmon Grubbs got the win in goal."

The Ramblers finished their season with a 10-5-3 record overall.

Coach Nick Baic certainly had reason to be proud of the effort his players showed in the districts, and enthused about next year's team.

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## Ramblers

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interference.

That gave the Elks a first-and-goal from the 2-yard line, and Smith burst up the middle for a touchdown on the next play.

But the Ramblers stuffed Sentieri on the 2-point conversion attempt to clinch the win.

"You never know with overtime how your kids are going to react to things," Hills said.

"They score and you worry about the kids getting down because the ball game is the next play.

"I thought our kids were well in control of themselves, and they settled down and played their positions the way they were supposed to.

"We were just fortunate to spill (Sentieri) out of there and get the tackle before he went into the

end zone. That's team defense, and that's what our kids are good at."

Boyerne City's offensive line came in for high praise after its performance against the Elk Rapids defense.

Zac Trafelet is a three-year starter at tackle, Mitchell Chipman plays at guard, Ryan Musser is a three-year starter at center, Parker Ameel is at the other guard and Corey Busch plays at the other tackle.

"Hats off to Boyne, because they run a great program," Elk Rapids coach Ed Schindler said. "It was a great football game."

Boyerne City ends the regular season at home against Grayling this Friday night, and then waits to see who and where it plays for playoffs.

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## Devils downed by TC Christian

District run ends early, 6-1

By PHIL TROMBLEY  
SPORTS WRITER

**ELK RAPIDS** — Traverse City Christian put a close on the East Jordan soccer season when the

Sabers defeated the Red Devils 6-1 in the first round of the Division 3 district tournament in Elk Rapids last week.

TC Christian scored 15 minutes into the first half and then added a goal ten minutes later to jump in front, 2-0. East Jordan cut the margin to one goal with seven minutes remaining in the half.

Joshua Force got the

Red Devils on the board as he stole the ball and found the net after breaking away from the Christian defensive front.

The Sabers countered Force's marker by tallying two more scores before halftime to make it a 4-1 game going into the intermission.

The Sabers scored early in the second half and added one more with

a minute and a half left to seal the win and advance to the second round of play.

"The guys finished well, playing hard all the way to the end of the game," East Jordan coach Pete Elliott said.

"They came a long way from the beginning of the season. This was the last game for eight seniors on the team and one

exchange student, so the team will be very different next year. The seniors did what they were supposed to do — they led the team in every aspect of the game."

Force, Felipe Naranjo, Dustin Miller, Tailce Fick, Andrew Lacount, Alex Hagen, Jordan Hagen, Andrew Boyer and Levi Warnos all made their final appear-

ance for the Red Devils.

Tyler Force led the Red Devils in steals and intercepts and did a nice job of initiating the transition game against the Sabers. Warnos also contributed with two non-keeper saves to keep East Jordan in the game in the first half.

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## Moore, Beek lead Ramblers in LMC

By PHIL TROMBLEY  
SPORTS WRITER

**HARBOR SPRINGS** — Boyne City cross country standout Joslyn Moóre ran a time of 20:42 and earned a spot on the all-conference team with her seventh place finish at the Lake Michigan Conference Championships held in Harbor Springs Tuesday, Oct. 14.

Harbor Springs made it a sweep on top of the

team standings, taking both the girls and boys championships on its home course.

The Rams won the boys race with 31 points followed by Elk Rapids with 51 points, Charlevoix with 62, Traverse City St. Francis with 85 and Boyne City with 142.

The Rams also took the girls race with 31 points followed by Elk Rapids with 44, Traverse City St. Francis with 79, Charlevoix

with 105, Boyne City with 134 and East Jordan with 177.

Other results for the Boyne City girls included Erin Haley (24th, 22:46), Morgan Harding (32nd, 24:21), Mackenzie Macksey (35th, 25:39), Lexie Harding (36th, 25:39), Allyssa Kasper (38th, 26:38) and Sarah Hufford (39th, 28:01).

Brady Brennan led East Jordan with a 31st place finish in a time of 23:53. Brennan was fol-

lowed by Liz Hofweber (24:36) in 33rd, Lacey Hofweber (24:59) in 34th, Kim Sewell (29:39) in 41st, Ellie Hague (31:05) in 43rd, Elissa Weerstra (31:24) in 44th and Tess Weerstra (33:54) in 45th.

In the boys race, Boyne City was paced by Zeek Beek with his 24th place time of 19:01. Beek was followed by Jesse Place (26th, 19:37), Spencer Caverly (32nd, 20:53), Caleb Fair (33rd, 21:00) and Josh

Burns (38th, 25:50).

"Our kids had run here earlier in the year and almost all of them ran better times this time," Boyne City coach Andy Place said. "It was a great day to run."

East Jordan was led by Luke Hawley (20:19) in 30th place followed by Rob Nemecek (23:28) in 36th and Alex Hanson (25:52) in 39th.

"Everyone's times are peaking, which is what you like to see going into

the regionals," East Jordan coach Chris Bacon said. "Luke Hawley and Rob Nemecek ran with a lot of confidence. They both ran their best times of the year."

Boyerne City will run at the Division 3 regional meet at Benzie Central Saturday, Oct. 25.

East Jordan will host its Division 4 regional at Community Park Friday, Oct. 24.

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## Cross country

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worth, Central Lake and Bellaire. But holding composure, Wilson began making moves past her local competition and crossed just behind Hudsonville Freedom Baptist's Abbie Chanski (20:14.2) and Battle Creek St. Philip's Patricia Morel (20:13.9).

"Kaylee followed her game plan and one half mile into the race she began to make her move," Boyne Falls coach Dan Kuhn said.

"She picked them off one at a time. She's got real good pace and she knows what to do and when to do it. She's just a natural runner."

Erica Westbrook, the other eighth grade standout in Logger country, finished 39th in 21:33.8 at the meet.

The Boyne Falls scoring five included Wilson, Westbrook, Rianne Coale in 87th with a time of 23:23, Ali Bearse in 106th with a time of 24:12 and Katie Fraser in 115th with a time of 24:31.

Boyerne Falls did not field a full team to score in the boys race, but Jared Mathers led the Red Devils in 85th place with a time of 19:20.4.

Last Wednesday, Oct. 15, Wilson was the girls overall winner at the final Northern Lakes Conference Jamboree hosted by Alba, running a time of 22:37 and earning a spot on the NLC all-conference team.

Westbrook joined Wilson on the all-conference team with her 10th place time of 23:58.

"For both of our eight graders to do that well — it was fantastic," Kuhn said. "It was a tough course on a new layout."

The season's fourth jamboree was also a run for individual honors as the first ten finishers were named all-conference and the next five were named second team all-conference.

The team conference champions were also crowned based on the results from all four jamborees.

Wolverine won the

boys championship with four first place finishes, while Ellsworth won the girls title with three wins and one second place finish.

Wilson and Westbrook were followed by Coale (26:53), who came in 21st, Fraser (27:34) in 22nd, Bearse (28:34) in 25th, Taylor Puroll (30:13) in 30th and Savanna Matelski (32:27) in 36th.

"It was fantastic," Kuhn said. "The girls are keeping it going and they did a great job. I'm really

happy for them."

Mathers came within nine seconds of a second team selection in the boys race, placing 16th in a time of 21:18. Travis Lange placed 18th in a time of 21:25, Steven Hart (21:26) was 19th, Justin Aytes (22:25) was 25th and Justin Savory (23:35) was 29th.

Boyerne Falls will travel to the Division 4 regional at East Jordan Friday, Oct. 24.

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## Volleyball

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The varsity's Lake Michigan Conference record stood at 18-21 going into Tuesday's match against Traverse City St. Francis, a team reported by Haley to have a quick offense, making it difficult to

keep the ball from finding the floor on the other side.

East Jordan travels to Boyne City tomorrow (Thursday) for a tri-meet against the Ramblers and Charlevoix.

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## Devils

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touchdowns and kicking two extra points to lead the Red Devils offensively.

Dustin Mellios also chipped in with one touchdown rushing and one touchdown receiving as East Jordan improved its record to 4-4.

Wesley Petrie added to the offense with 117 yards passing, Chris Yettaw chipped in with 78 yards rushing and Mellios totaled 62

yards receiving.

On defense, Yettaw had 11 tackles and John Monkman had eight tackles and recovered a fumble. Hunter Sarasin, Matt Warrington and Casey Combest contributed with eight tackles each. Skyler Gibson and Wyatt Werner each had an interception.

East Jordan's varsity will travel to Kalkaska Friday, Oct. 24.

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**MORTGAGE SALE -** Default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made the 1st day of November, 2002, by Earl Williams, a single man, as Mortgagor, to Bay Winds Federal Credit Union, and recorded on November 15, 2002, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, in Liber 499, Page(s) 333, et. seq. There is claimed to be due on such Mortgage at the date hereof the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-three and 61/100 (\$24,923.61) Dollars, including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statutes in such case made and provided,

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State Street, in Charlevoix, Michigan, at 11:00 a.m. on **November 21, 2008**, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said mortgage, together with interest thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, and also any such sums which may be paid by the Mortgagee to protect its interests in the premises.

Said premises are located in the Township of Wilson, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and described as: PARCEL "I" - Part of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section 36, Township 32 North, Range 6 West, more fully described, to-wit: Commencing at the east quarter corner of Section 36, Township 32 North, Range 6 West, thence north 00°28'41" east 986.24 feet along the east line of said Section 36 to the point of beginning; thence south 89°29'46" west 1324.56 feet; thence north 00°05'35" west 324.80 feet to a point on the north eighth line of said Section 36; thence north 89°09'32" east 1327.76 feet along said north eighth line to a point on the said east section line; thence south 00°26'41" west 332.52 feet along said east section line to the point of beginning. **TOGETHER WITH** all

the improvements now or hereafter erected on the premises, and all easements, appurtenances, and fixtures now or hereafter a part of the premises.

The redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

**ATTENTION PURCHASERS:** This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing Mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

DATED: Oct. 15, 2008

**ROBERT A. BANNER, P.C., Attorney for Bay Winds Federal Credit Union**  
By: Robert A. Banner (P44709)  
213 South Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712  
PH: (231) 582-1710

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**  
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**LECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.**

**ATTN PURCHASERS:** This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

Default has occurred in the conditions of a Mortgage made by James Wilson a/k/a James L. Wilson, married, and Joy Wilson a/k/a Joy A. Wilson, married, Mortgagor(s), to Fifth Third Bank, Mortgagee, dated December 2, 2005, and recorded on December 22, 2005, in Liber 723, Page 272, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, on said mortgage there is \$854,077.89 due at the date of this notice. There is no suit proceeding at law or in equity to collect the sums due under the Mortgage described above.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the above-described Mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Friday, November 14, 2008 at 11AM, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, Charlevoix,

MI, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public venue, in order to satisfy the unpaid portion of said Mortgage, together with interest at a rate of 12.00% (adjustable), all costs of sale permitted by law, and taxes, the property situated in the Township of Eveline, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, described as:

That part of the Northwest fractional quarter of fractional Section 8, being a part of government Lot 1, Township 33 North, Range 7 West, Eveline Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan, described as: Commencing at a 1 1/4 inch iron pipe at the Northwest corner of fractional Section 8, also being the Northwest corner of Government Lot 1; thence South 0 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds East (recorded as South 0 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds West) on said West Section line a distance of 245.76 feet to a 1/2 inch iron rod at the true point of beginning of the land herein described; thence North 86 degrees 08 minutes 46 seconds East 548.84 feet to a 1/2 inch iron rod meander point on the shore of Lake Charlevoix; thence South 24 degrees 45 minutes 29 seconds East (recorded as South 24 degrees 45 minutes 36 seconds East) on a meander line along said

shore a distance of 74.92 feet to a concrete monument meander point; thence South 0 degrees 37 minutes 43 seconds East on a meander line along said shore 58.24 feet (recorded as South 0 degrees 26 minutes 36 seconds East 58.30 feet) to a concrete monument meander point; thence leaving said shore South 88 degrees 34 minutes 56 seconds West (recorded as West and South 88 degrees 32 minutes and 10 seconds West) a distance of 580.72 feet to a 1/2 inch iron rod on the West line of said fractional Section 8; thence North 0 degrees 00 minutes 35 seconds West (recorded as North 0 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds East) on said West Section line 122.88 feet to the point of beginning. All rights of redemption shall expire six (6) months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned as defined by MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of sale.  
Dated: October 15, 2008

Attorney for Fifth Third Bank, Mortgagee  
Likens & Blomquist, P.L.L.C.  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

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**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by MARK A. KORKUS, A SINGLE MAN, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated February 21, 2002, and recorded on March 1, 2002, in Liber 460, on Page 517, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Twenty Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-Nine Dollars and Fifty-One Cents (\$320,229.51), including interest at 8.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan at 11:00 AM o'clock, on November 7, 2008.

Said premises are located in Charlevoix County, Michigan and are described as:

LOTS 167 AND 168, VILLA DE CHARLEVOIX, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN LIBER 2 OF PLATS, PAGES 174 THROUGH 178, INCLUSIVE, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY RECORDS.

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: October 2, 2008

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns, Mortgagee / Assignee

Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C.  
23100 Providence Drive, Suite 450  
Southfield, MI 48075

**FORECLOSURE NOTICE**  
(Charlevoix County)

SHAHEEN, JACOBS & ROSS, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT THIS DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Attention Purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Shauna A. Korn, a single person of Charlevoix County, Michigan, original mortgagor(s), to Standard Federal Bank, N.A. n/k/a LaSalle Bank Midwest, N.A., mortgagee, dated the 3rd day of September, A.D. 2003, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, on the 10th day of September, A.D. 2003, in Liber 570, Charlevoix County Records, on page 505, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal, interest and late charges, the sum of One Hundred Forty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Eight and 76/100 Dollars (\$148,278.76).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 5th day of October, 2008 A.D. at 11:00 o'clock A.M. said mortgage will be

foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, Charlevoix, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at Four and Seventy-Four Hundredths percent (4.74%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Evangeline, in the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan as described as follows, to-wit:

That part of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 22, Township 33 North, Range 6 West; Commencing at a 1 inch square boat spike at the North one-quarter corner of said section 22; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East on the North and South one-quarter line of said Section 22, a distance of 1,097.66 feet to the centerline of Old Horton Bay Road; thence Northwesterly on said centerline 154.74 feet around a 445.98 foot radius curve to the left whose chord bears North 72 degrees 24 minutes 06 seconds West 153.96 feet; thence North 82 degrees 20 minutes 30 seconds West on said centerline 1,011.43 feet; thence Northwesterly on said centerline 684.97 feet around a 969.76 foot radius curve to the right whose chord bears North 52 degrees 06 minutes 25 seconds West 670.82 feet; thence North 41 degrees 52 minutes 21 seconds West on said centerline 508.83 feet; thence Northwesterly on said centerline 102.27 feet around a 1,331.11 foot radius curve to the right whose chord bears North 39 degrees 40 minutes 17 seconds West 102.25 feet to the North line of said Section 22; thence leaving said road North 85 degrees 08 minutes 25 seconds East on said North line 122.85 feet to an established fence line; thence along said fence line the following courses and distances: South 08 degrees 32 minutes 18 seconds East 16.39 feet to a fence post; thence South 88 degrees 17 minutes 06 seconds East 17.21 feet to a fence post; thence south 89 degrees 56 minutes 10 seconds East 13.95 feet to a fence post; thence South 88 degrees 05 minutes 58 seconds East 38.45 feet to a fence post; thence South 89 degrees 32 minutes 29 seconds East 16.25 feet to a fence post; thence North 88 degrees 21 minutes 44 seconds East 14.35 feet to a fence post; thence North 85 degrees 08 minutes 26 seconds East 74.19 feet to a fence post; thence North 87 degrees 08 minutes 22 seconds East 48.79 feet to a fence post; thence North 85 degrees 52 minutes 57 seconds East 53.20 feet to a fence post; thence North 85 degrees 38 minutes 59 seconds East 59.98 feet to a fence post; thence North 86 degrees 15 minutes 56 seconds East 48.36 feet to a fence post; thence North 85 degrees 24 minutes 21 seconds East 27.53 feet to a fence post; thence North 83 degrees 10 minutes 59 seconds East 34.84 feet to a fence post; thence North 82 degrees 46 minutes 10 seconds East 88.55 feet to a fence post; thence North 82 degrees 34 minutes 00 seconds East 54.53 feet to a fence post; thence North 82 degrees 26 minutes 40 seconds East 28.06 feet to a fence post; thence North 83 degrees 10 minutes 55 seconds East 55.47 feet to a fence post; thence North 85 degrees 50 minutes 57 seconds East 52.91 feet to a fence post; thence North 84 degrees 36 minutes 16 seconds East 55.30 feet to a fence post; thence North 84 degrees 18 minutes 24 seconds East 49.24 feet to a fence post; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East along an existing fence line 4.76 feet to its intersection with the North line of said Section 22; thence leaving said fence line North 86 degrees 08 minutes

25 seconds East on said North line 1,197.04 feet to the point of beginning. Parcel Identification No. 005-022-007-10

The redemption period shall be twelve (12) 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 of such sale or when the time to provide the notice required by MCLA 600.3241a(c) expires, whichever is later.

Dated: October 10, 2008

LaSalle Bank Midwest, N.A. f/k/a Standard Federal Bank, N.A., Mortgagee

SHAHEEN, JACOBS & ROSS, P.C.  
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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Benjamin G. Matelski aka Benjamin George Matelski and Kimberly K. Matelski, husband and wife as joint tenants, to Option One Mortgage Corporation, a California Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 21, 2003 and recorded February 7, 2003 in Liber 516, Page 670, Charlevoix County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2003-2, A s e t - B a c k e d Certificates, Series 2003-2 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-Nine and 70/100 Dollars (\$142,439.70) including interest at 13.5% 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 at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 14, 2008.

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

Commencing at a five-eighths inch rod at the North quarter corner of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West; thence South 0 degrees 39 minutes 47 seconds West 791.34 feet along said quarter line to a one-half inch rod; thence North 89 degrees 13 seconds West 75.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, being a part of the North half of the Northwest quarter of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West. Also: commencing at the North quarter corner of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West; thence South along the quarter line 1187.34 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 396.00 feet; thence East 219.75 feet; thence South 396.00 feet; thence West 219.75 feet to the point of beginning. Together with: A non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress for pedestrian and motor vehicles and public utilities, described as follows: A 20 feet private roadway easement, the center line of which is described as follows: commencing at a five-eighths inch rod at the North one-quarter corner of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West; thence North 89 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds

Dated: October 15, 2008

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West 550.00 feet along the North line of said Section; thence South 0 degrees 39 minutes 47 seconds West 879.65 feet along the West line of the East 550 feet to the North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of said Section to a point in the center line of said easement, being the point of beginning of this description; thence along said easement center line the following described courses in sequence: South 59 degrees 34 minutes 35 seconds East 16.74, South 78 degrees 37 minutes 00 seconds East 135.51 feet, North 81 degrees 26 minutes 40 seconds East 74.15 feet, North 67 degrees 39 minutes 28 seconds East 109.77 feet, North 66 degrees 56 minutes 59 seconds East 56.83 feet, North 85 degrees 38 minutes 22 seconds East 58.68 feet, South 70 degrees 18 minutes 58 seconds East 62.56 feet, and South 46 degrees 23 minutes 35 seconds East 79.85 feet to a point on the North and South one-quarter line of said Section which is South 0 degrees 39 minutes 47 seconds West 906.75 feet of said North one-quarter corner being the point of ending. Also together with: A non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress for pedestrian and motor vehicles and public utilities, described as follows: A 20 feet private roadway easement, the center line of which is described as follows: commencing at a five-eighths inch rod at the North one-quarter corner of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West; thence North 89 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds West 1401.08 feet along the North line of said Section to a point in the center line of Cherry Hill Road, being the point of beginning of this description; thence along the center line of said 20 foot wide easement the following courses in sequence: South 14 degrees 48 minutes 31 seconds East 143.49 feet, South 30 degrees 07 minutes 04 seconds East 199.45 feet, South 29 degrees 22 minutes 14 seconds East 192.19 feet, South 40 degrees 29 minutes 05 seconds East 167.93 feet, South 54 degrees 03 minutes 40 seconds East 91.49 feet, South 62 degrees 32 minutes 30 seconds East 395.99 feet and South 59 degrees 34 minutes 35 seconds East 87.40 feet to a point on the West line of the East 550 feet of the North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of said section, being the point of ending; being a part of the North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West. Assessed as:

Commencing at the North one quarter corner of Section 22, Town 32 North, Range 5 West, thence South 00 degrees 39 minutes 47 seconds West along the North and South one quarter Line 791.34 feet for a point of beginning; thence East 219.75 feet; thence South 396.00 feet; thence West 294.15 feet; thence North 00 degrees 39 minutes 47 seconds East 396.00 feet; thence South 89 degrees 20 minutes 13 seconds East 75.00 feet to a point of beginning. Being a part of the North one-half of the North one-half of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 7, Town 32 North, Range 7 West.

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

Dated: October 6, 2008

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File No. 1073-003

**Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale**  
THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

ATTN PURCHASERS: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

**MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Thomas C. Miller and Denise M. Miller, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to TCF National Bank, a national banking association, Mortgagee, dated May 2, 2006, and recorded on July 5, 2007 in Liber 809 on Page 878, in Charlevoix county

records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Ninety-Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five And 91/100 Dollars (\$296,285.91), including interest at 8.24% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Charlevoix County, at 11:00 AM, on November 21, 2008.

Said premises are situated in Township of Hayes, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 18, Town 34 North, Range 7 West; thence along the West line of said Section North 00 degrees 06 minutes 27 seconds West, 97.71 feet (recorded as North 00 degrees 02 minutes 53 seconds West, 96.95 feet) to a concrete monument on the Northwesterly line of Highway U.S. 31; thence along said highway line, North 57 degrees 19 minutes 07 seconds East (recorded as North 57 degrees 19 minutes 12 seconds East) 1589.72 feet, being the point of beginning of this description; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East, 147.98 feet to the construction centerline of said highway; thence along said centerline, North 57 degrees 19 minutes 07 seconds East, 864.70 feet to the Southerly extension of easement described in Liber 264, Page 491, Charlevoix County Records; thence along the centerline of the aforementioned easement and Southerly extension thereof, North 02 degrees 12 minutes 10 seconds West (recorded as North 02 degrees 08 minutes 49 seconds West) 145.04 feet the Northwesterly line of said highway; thence along the centerline of said easement, North 02 degrees 12 minutes 09 seconds West, 42.16 feet (recorded as North 02 degrees 08 minutes 49 seconds West) 41.56 feet; thence continuing along the last described course, North 00 degrees 13 minutes 50 seconds West (recorded as North 00 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds West) 958.29 feet, being the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing along said centerline North 00 degrees 13 minutes 50 seconds West, 20 feet to the South line of the future development area depicted on "The Bungalows" condominium, Charlevoix County Records; thence along the centerline of the aforementioned easement and Southerly extension thereof, North 02 degrees 12 minutes 10 seconds West, (recorded as North 02 degrees 08 minutes 49 seconds West) 145.04 feet to the Northwesterly line of said highway; thence along the centerline of said highway, North 57 degrees 19 minutes 07 seconds East (recorded as North 57 degrees 19 minutes 12 seconds East) 333.65 feet to the centerline of Stonebridge Drive, as existing; thence along the centerline of said drive the following 5 courses: South 36 degrees 31 minutes 01 seconds West, 149.15 feet, Southwesterly along the arc of a curve to the Right 92.73 feet (radius of said curve is 100.02 feet and the chord bears South 63 degrees 04 minutes 41 seconds West 89.45 feet), South 89 degrees 38 minutes 21 seconds West, 519.89 feet, Southwesterly along the arc of a curve to the left 143.65 feet (radius of said curve is 131.03 feet and the chord bears South 58 degrees 14 minutes 00 seconds West 136.56 feet) and South 26 degrees 49 minutes 38 seconds West, 94.34 feet; thence leaving said centerline, South 40 degrees 28 minutes 28 seconds East, 901.30 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence North 73 degrees 17 minutes 17 seconds East 67.64 feet; thence South 28 degrees 56 minutes 45 seconds East 150.59 feet; thence South 34 degrees 01 minutes 41 seconds East 78.41 feet; thence North 55 degrees 05 minutes 40 seconds East, 209.36 feet; thence North 34 degrees 54 minutes 20 seconds West, 35.21 feet; thence along the arc of a curve to the left 349.24 feet (radius of said curve is 220.00 feet, the central angle is 90 degrees 57 minutes 19 seconds and the chord bears North 10 degrees 29 minutes 40 seconds East 313.71 feet) thence North 34 degrees 59 minutes 00 seconds West, 127.37 feet; thence along the arc of a curve to the right 81.37 feet (radius of said curve is 180.00 feet, the Central Angle is 25 degrees 54 minutes 06 seconds and the chord bears North 24 degrees 51 minutes 41 seconds West, 158.41 feet; thence South 08 degrees 43 minutes 50 seconds East, 99.90 feet; thence South 27 degrees 43 minutes 41 seconds West; 101.81 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East, 463.49 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 18, Town 34 North, Range 7 West; thence along the West line of said Section, North 00 degrees 06

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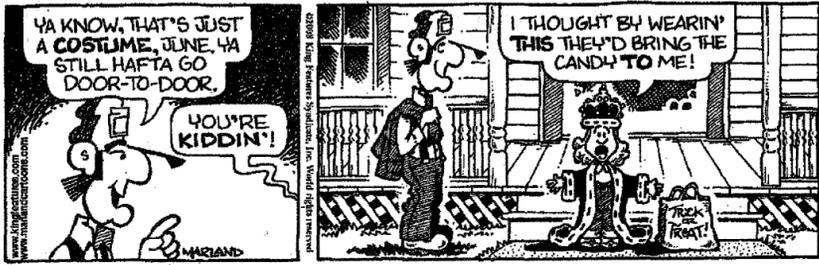
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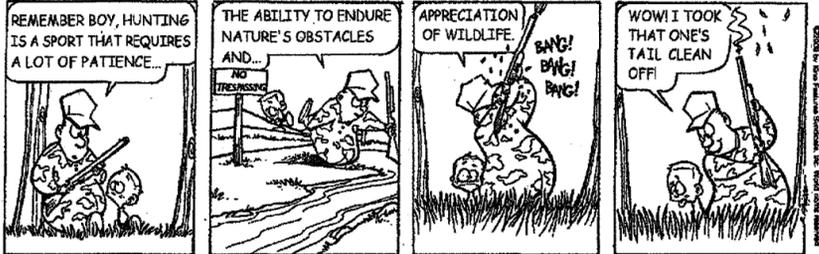
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## TOP 10 MOVIES

1. Beverly Hills Chihuahua ..(PG) animated
  2. Eagle Eye .....(PG-13)
  3. Shia LaBeouf, Michelle Monaghan
  3. Nick & Norah's Infinite Playlist .....(PG-13)
  5. Michael Cera, Kat Dennings
  4. Nights in Rodanthe .....(PG-13)
  - Richard Gere, Diane Lane
  5. Appaloosa .....(R)
  - Robert Jauregui, Jeremy Irons
  6. Lakeview Terrace .....(PG-13)
  - Samuel L. Jackson, Patrick Wilson
  7. Burn After Reading .....(R)
  - George Clooney, Frances McDormand
  8. Fireproof .....(PG)
  - Erin Bethea, Ken Bevel
  9. An American Carol .....(PG-13)
  - Trace Adkins, Brandon Alter
  10. Religulous .....(R)
  - Bill Maher, Tal Bachman
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## TOP DVD RENTALS AND SALES

- ### Top 10 Video Rentals
1. Made of Honor .....(R) Patrick Dempsey (Sony Pictures)
  2. Speed Racer .....(PG) Emile Hirsch (Warner)
  3. Baby Mama .....(PG-13) Amy Poehler (Universal)
  4. 88 Minutes .....(R) Al Pacino (Sony Pictures)
  5. The Forbidden Kingdom .....(PG-13) Jet Li (Lionsgate)
  6. The Love Guru .....(PG-13) Mike Myers (Paramount)
  7. What Happens in Vegas (PG-13) Cameron Diaz (Fox)
  8. Street Kings .....(R) Keanu Reeves (Fox)
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  7. Barbie & The Diamond Castle .....(NR) (Universal)
  8. The Office: Season Four ..(NR) (NBC)
  9. The Little Mermaid: Ariel's Beginning .....(G) (Walt Disney)
  10. What Happens in Vegas .....(PG-13) (20th Century Fox)
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Sudoku Answers

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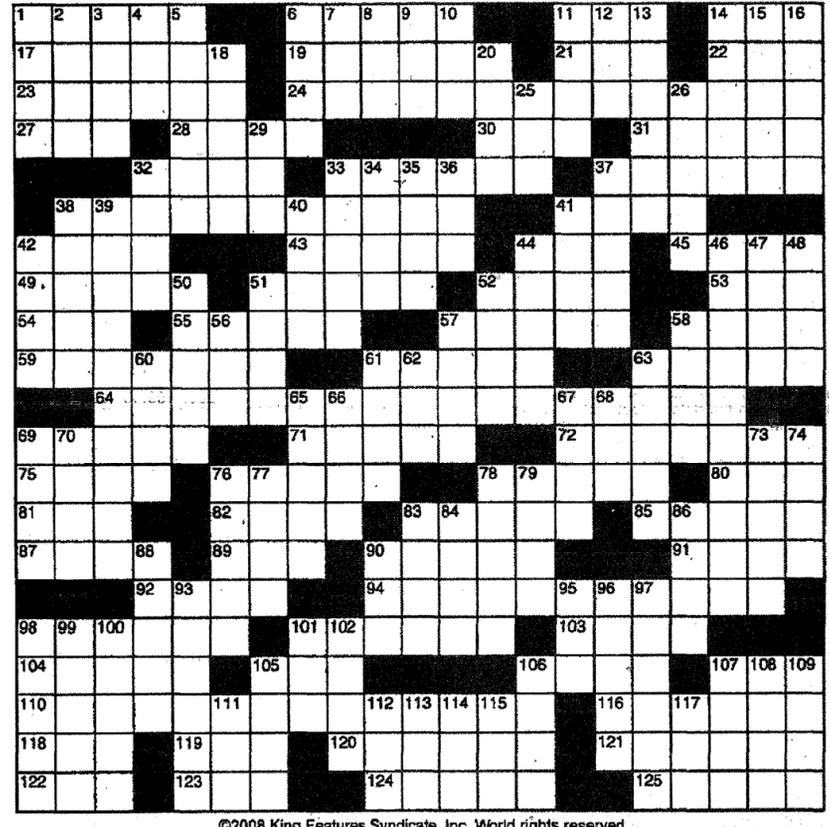
Super Crossword Answers

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VANE	ELMAN	BOZ	SLAW
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LOTT	ITGHY	BUNNY	SWEAT
DELILAH	BREAK	CROSS	
EVERYTHING	YOU	HEAR	
PIRAT	RULAS	BOLYWAR	
ELAN	JORGE	GRUEL	UMA
LEN	DEW	SARAH	STRIP
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LONGED	OBERON	NIRI	
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GINA	TEC	RETELL	TUPINO
YSL	OAK	ADELE	SENIOR

## Super Crossword

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

- ACROSS**
- 1 "Dracula" prop
  - 6 — mignon
  - 11 Roast beef au —
  - 14 Enjoy the Alps
  - 17 Tropical treat
  - 19 Classical hunk?
  - 21 A Turner
  - 22 Another Turner
  - 23 Toed the line
  - 24 Start of a remark by 38 Across
  - 27 Prom wear
  - 28 Idle
  - 30 Fury
  - 31 "Garfield" cartoonist
  - 32 Shallit or Siskel
  - 33 Ned of "Deliverance"
  - 37 Stir up
  - 38 Speaker of remark
  - 41 Carrey title start
  - 42 Windmill part
  - 43 Violinist
  - 44 Singer
  - 45 Cabbage concoction
  - 49 Aquatic animal
  - 51 Bodybuilder
  - 52 "— Show" (94 film)
  - 53 Private pension
  - 54 Robert of "Quincy, M.E."
  - 55 Restive
  - 57 Trumpeter
  - 58 Explorer
  - 59 '68 Tom
  - 61 Shatter
  - 63 — suit
  - 64 Part 2 of remark
  - 69 Raid
  - 71 Sinuous dances
  - 72 Jihad
  - 75 Verve
  - 76 Posada of baseball
  - 78 Thin porridge
  - 80 Thurman of "The Avengers"
  - 81 Deighton or Dawson
  - 82 Blows away
  - 83 Isaac's mom
  - 85 Remove
  - 87 Lug
  - 89 Morning moisture
  - 90 Comic Sherman
  - 91 "— It a Pity?" (70 song)
  - 92 Got older
  - 94 Part 3 of remark
  - 98 Yeamed
  - 101 Titania's hubby
  - 103 "Java" man?
  - 104 Tom of "Adam's Rib"
  - 105 Woody herb
  - 106 With 107 Down, "Chocolat"
  - 107 Kimono closer
  - 110 End of remark
  - 116 Like some recordings
  - 118 Out — limb
  - 119 Gumshoe
  - 120 Update a story
  - 121 Ida of "The Sea Wolf"
  - 122 Fashion monogram
  - 123 Symbol of sturdiness
  - 124 "Jane Eyre" character
  - 125 Murcia mister
  - 4 Kyser or Starr
  - 5 Ornamental opening
  - 6 Comic Joey
  - 7 Wedding words
  - 8 "Hulk" Ferrigno
  - 9 SASE, e.g.
  - 10 Mowry of "Sister, Sister"
  - 11 Be in accord
  - 12 Luau instrument
  - 13 Rarely
  - 14 Martin or McQueen
  - 15 Actor Sorbo
  - 16 What i.e. stands for
  - 18 Hersey setting
  - 20 Tizzy
  - 25 Strive
  - 26 Whittier's feat
  - 29 Buddhist movement
  - 32 Merriment
  - 33 Beer storage?
  - 34 Humorist
  - 35 Cry of concern
  - 36 Dress size
  - 37 Like a peach
  - 38 Photo finish
  - 39 Narrow-minded
  - 40 One of the Marches
  - 41 Rub out
  - 42 Nullify
  - 44 Swindle
  - 46 Sausage type
  - 47 Precinct
  - 48 Lack
  - 50 Bendix role
  - 51 "— Breaky Heart" ('92 hit)
  - 52 Wharf
  - 56 Prepare to feather?
  - 57 Seeks change?
  - 58 Fluctuate
  - 60 Tenor
  - 61 Peevishness
  - 62 Genetic info
  - 63 Vends
  - 65 Flung
  - 66 Warm embraces
  - 67 "No dice!"
  - 68 Farm tool
  - 69 Crafter's cloth
  - 70 Toast topper
  - 73 — acid
  - 74 All ears
  - 76 Too experienced
  - 77 Had bills
  - 78 Bit of a beach
  - 79 Be bombastic
  - 83 Disparage
  - 84 Palo —, CA
  - 86 Cast
  - 88 Scout rank
  - 90 Presidential nickname
  - 93 Trattoria treat
  - 95 Heifer or hen
  - 96 Last
  - 97 Telescope sighting
  - 98 Croce's Mr. Brown
  - 99 "Hee Haw" host
  - 100 Mount Everest's locale
  - 101 Absent
  - 102 Grumpy guy
  - 105 Singer
  - 106 Alzado of football
  - 107 See 106 Across
  - 108 Pro — (free)
  - 109 Perpetual lab assistant
  - 111 Soho snack
  - 112 PBS benefactor
  - 113 Accounting abbr.
  - 114 Tiny
  - 115 "— of You" ('84 hit)
  - 117 "Tarzan" extra



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## Moments in time

- On Oct. 27, 1904, the New York City subway opens. The first line, operated by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (IRT), traveled 9.1 miles through 28 stations. More than 100,000 people paid a nickel each to take their first ride under Manhattan.
- On Oct. 31, 1926, Harry Houdini, the most celebrated magician and escape artist of the 20th century, dies of peritonitis in a Detroit hospital. Houdini's appendix ruptured when he was punched in the stomach by a student after a lecture in Montreal.
- On Nov. 2, 1947, the Hughes Flying Boat — the largest aircraft ever built — is piloted by designer Howard Hughes on its first and only flight. The massive wooden aircraft had a wingspan longer than a football field and was designed to carry more than 700 troops into battle.
- On Nov. 1, 1959, Montreal Canadian Jacques Plante becomes the first NHL goaltender to wear a full face-mask. Once it caught on, most goaltenders wore Plante-designed masks until the end of the 1960s, when Soviet goalies introduced cage-style masks that made it easier to see.
- On Oct. 28, 1965, construction is completed on the Gateway Arch, a spectacular 630-foot-high parabola of stainless steel on the waterfront of St. Louis, Mo. The Gateway Arch was erected to commemorate President Thomas Jefferson's Louisiana Purchase of 1803.
- On Oct. 30, 1974, 32-year-old Muhammad Ali becomes heavyweight champion of the world for the second time when he knocks out 25-year-old champ George Foreman in the eighth round of the "Rumble in the Jungle," a match in Kinshasa, Zaire. Seven years earlier, Ali was stripped of his title when the government accused him of draft-dodging.
- On Oct. 29, 1998, nearly four decades after he became the first American to orbit the Earth, U.S. Sen. John Glenn Jr., is launched into space again as a payload specialist aboard the space shuttle Discovery. At 77 years of age, Glenn was the oldest human ever to travel in space.

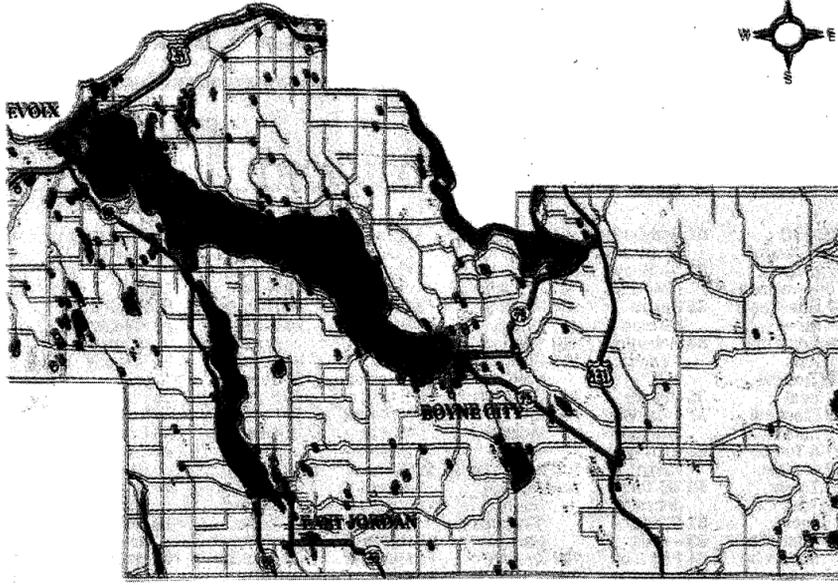
## Salome's Stars

- **ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) The high standards you set for yourself don't always translate into the behavior you expect of others. That relationship problem can be resolved if you're more flexible and less judgmental.
- **TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) Not enough party bids to satisfy the Bovine's fun-loving side this week? Go ahead and throw one of your own. Then prepare for some serious work coming up early next week.
- **GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) A new and intensely productive cycle is about to kick in. Be careful not to get too stressed out, though. Make time to restore your energies by relaxing with family and friends.
- **CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) This could be a good time to share some of your plans with those closest to you. Their comments could give you some added insight into how you might accomplish your goals.
- **LEO** (July 23 to August 22) An attack of self-doubt might be unsettling for the usually super-assured Feline. But it could be your inner voice telling you to hold off implementing your plans until you've reassessed them.
- **VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) This is a great time for you to reward yourself for all your hard work by taking a trip you haven't spent months carefully planning, to somewhere you never thought you'd be

- going.
- **LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) Some misunderstandings resist being resolved. But your sincerity in wanting to soothe those hurt feelings wins the day. By month's end, that relationship should begin to show signs of healing.
- **SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) A hectic job schedule begins to ease just in time to blow off all that work-generated steam on Halloween. A family situation runs into an unexpected complication.
- **SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) A cutting remark in the workplace needs to be handled with finesse. Remember: How you respond could determine the depth of support you gain from colleagues.
- **CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Once again, that Capricorn stubborn streak sets in and could keep you from getting much-needed advice. Fortunately, it lifts by week's end, in time to make an informed decision.
- **AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) A surprise trip early in the week could lead to other unexpected offers when you return. Word to the wise: Avoid talking too much about this until you've made some decisions.
- **PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Learning dominates the week for perspicacious Pisceans, who are always looking to widen their range of knowledge. A series of important job-linked commitments begins late in the week.
- **BORN THIS WEEK:** Your sense of humor generates good feelings and good will everywhere you go.

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## CHARLEVOIX COUNTY RADON OCCURANCE 1993 - 2007



\*\*Circles in red indicate radon values above the EPA action level of 4 pCi/L. Elevated results range from 4 to over 20.

## Free radon test kits available

Health Department of Northwest Michigan is distributing radon test kits at no charge in observance of National Radon Action Week, Oct. 19-25. Scott Kendzierski, Director of Environmental Health, encourages residents of Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet, and Otsego counties to pick up a radon kit and test their homes during the coming heating season.

Radon is a tasteless, odorless, colorless radioactive gas. According to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer in the country, surpassed only by tobacco use.

"Fortunately, exposure to radon gas can be easily detected with a radon testing kit," said

Kendzierski. "If homeowners discover elevated radon levels in the home, Health Department staff is available for consult to help homeowners resolve the problem," he said.

Radon occurs naturally in soil and rock, but being a gas, it can move upward through the soil and enters buildings through cracks and openings in the foundation floor or walls. Typical entry points include floor/wall joints, sump openings, crawlspaces, cracks in the floor, and other penetrations caused by plumbing, wiring, or ductwork.

"Radon is diluted outdoors by the atmosphere, but indoors it tends to be more concentrated and can accumulate to unhealthy

levels," Kendzierski said. "Because it is invisible and can't be smelled, radon is easy to ignore—it doesn't cause headaches, nausea, fatigue, skin rashes, or other warning symptoms."

Testing is easy and, during National Radon Action Week, free. The do-it-yourself kits are available at Health Department offices in Bellaire, Charlevoix, Petoskey/Harbor Springs, and Gaylord. After National Radon Action Week, test kits are \$15 including postage to an out-of-state laboratory as well as the lab testing and report mailed back to the homeowner.

According to Kendzierski, 20.4 percent of the samples tested throughout the Health Department's four-

county health district over the past year indicate results above the EPA recommended action guideline of four picocuries per liter. Maps of radon results by county are posted on the agency's website. But Kendzierski is quick to add, "the only way to know if your home has an elevated radon level is to test your home."

Radon Action Week is an annual commemorative event initiated in 1990 by Congressional Resolution and later incorporated into National Indoor Air Quality Month, which takes place every October. Radon Action Week serves to encourage Americans to test their homes for radon, and if necessary, take action to reduce their exposure.

## Clowns

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"Over the past 18 years Eta Nu has contributed a total of over \$130,000 to 30 different organizations in the Boyne Area," Servais added.

Liz Kroondyk, co-chair of the Boyne City Fourth of July Festival, recently accepted the check from Eta Nu's "Clowns for a Cause" toward next year's fireworks. Kroondyk said she was grateful for the generosity of the community in honoring the nation's birthday with

contributions that help make Boyne City's July Fourth Festival a special celebration. Kroondyk also said the fireworks have gotten more expensive each year and the cost has risen as high as \$18,000 in 2008. Last July, over 1,200 people attended the parade.

"Eta Nu members actively lend their time and services to area organizations as well. Litzemberger Place residents are happy recipients of several ongoing projects," Servais said. "Eta Nu members pre-

pare and serve yearly dinners and breakfasts at Litzemberger, drive residents to medical appointments and take interested residents on holiday shopping trips."

According to Servais, Eta Nu's service projects change based on the needs in the community. This year, Eta Nu is trying to expand its volunteer activities to assist other organizations that need many different volunteers.

"In past years, members participated

in building the playground at Veteran's Park, helped out in Boyne Falls classrooms, and created Lina's Garden at Veteran's Park in memory of Lina Wortman," Servais explained. "As you look around the Boyne vicinity, you will see and hear about many contributions from these active women, who help make Boyne a great place to live."

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## Trees

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property owner if they choose to participate. According to the city, the street trees are defined as deciduous trees capable of reaching a maturity level which will provide shade on

approximately half the street and the corresponding sidewalk area, if there is a sidewalk in that location.

With the implementation of the program, the city set certain requirements for partic-

ipants to follow in order to take full advantage of the program. It is open to all residents of the community as well as owners and tenants of residential property located within the city.

The city typically budgets funds each year

for the tree replacement program and it is available on a first come, first served basis.

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## Report

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The public hearing showed that a significant number of citizens want the building preserved for historical reasons.

The two major deficiencies that need to be addressed are the roof and the brick masonry,

Neumann said. The foundation and basic brick structure are sound. The doors and windows require some repair, and the heating, plumbing and electrical systems require extensive replacement.

The 1910 Building will be protected from further deterioration

from winter winds and snow by a tarp that will cover the roof.

A citizens' group that formed to save the historic building meets once a month to create a plan for the use of the building. Ideas include using the building as a recreational respite spot for bicyclists and others

or for use by the fire or EMS department.

The cost of preserving and renovating the building cannot be determined until the use is known, Neumann said.

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### BCPD REPORT

Boyer City Police Department Weekly Report	Oct. 10 - 16	Liquor Violations	1	Lost/Found Property	4
Operating While Intoxicated	1	Driving Violations	4	Assist other Agency	4
Assault	1	Larceny	2	Road Hazard	2
Fraud-Bad Checks	3	Noise Complaint	9	Suspicious Situations	9
Fraud-Other	1	Vehicle Unlocks	4	911 Hangup	1
Juvenile Complaint	1	Parking Violations	5	General Assistance	5
		Burglary	1	Car/Deer Accident	1
		Traffic Violations	7	Non-Traffic Accident	4

## Off-road vehicle class

Sheriff George T. Lasater announces an off-road vehicle class being held, free of charge, on Oct. 25, in anticipation of changes to the ATV laws. Class will be conducted in the training room at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office at 8 a.m. and will take approx-

imately 4 hours. The class is available for all ages accompanied by an adult.

The objective of the off-road vehicle class will teach the basics such as:

- Common ATV & motorcycle parts
- Items to check during a pre-ride inspection

- Gear to take along on an ORV trip
- Proper gear to wear when operating an ORV
- Upon completion, the student will receive a(n):
  - Michigan ORV safety course manual
  - Certificate of completion from the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office

iff's Office

Off Road Vehicle Safety Certificate that should be carried while riding

If you have any questions or are interested in signing up, please contact Deputy Genna Gauthier at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, 231-547-4461.

## CHARLEVOIX COUNTY VOTERS Please Vote November 4, 2008

President John McCain • Vice President Sarah Palin

- Jack Hoogendyk Jr. United States Senator
- Tom Casperson First Congressional District
- Kevin Elsenheimer 105th District State Representative

### Charlevoix County Officials

- Charlene Novotney Register of Deeds
- John Jarema Prosecuting Attorney
- Marilyn Cousineau Treasurer
- Charrie Brau Clerk
- Lawrence R. Feindt Surveyor
- Marc Seelye Drain Commissioner
- Shirlene Trip County Commissioner District 1
- Chris Christensen County Commissioner District 2
- Ronald Reinhardt County Commissioner District 3
- Joel Evans County Commissioner District 4
- Robert Drebenstedt County Commissioner District 5
- Shirley Roloff County Commissioner District 6
- Marlene Golovich Hayes Township Clerk
- John Works, Jr. Peaine Township Supervisor
- Paul Welke Peaine Township Trustee
- Pete LoDico Peaine Township Trustee
- Pam O'Brian St. James Township Clerk
- Lynn Sparkes Boyne Valley Township Supervisor

### Statewide Races

- Scott Jenkins State Board of Education
- Richard Zelle State Board of Education
- Susan Brown University of Michigan Board of Regents
- John G. LaFond University of Michigan Board of Regents
- Lisa Bouchard Michigan State University Board of Trustees
- George Scott Romney Michigan State University Board of Trustees
- Torion J. Bridges Wayne State University Board of Governors
- Danialle Karmanos Wayne State University Board of Governors

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- Paula Manderfield District Judge, Court of Appeals

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