

## State Representative Pettalia visits with residents, officials

By Cheryl Peterson  
Editor

Peter Pettalia, (R), 106<sup>th</sup> District State Representative, spent the day in Alcona County on Monday holding public office hours, visiting county officials and speaking

to FFA students at Alcona High School.

Pettalia, 55, of Presque Isle, Mich. took office in January 1. He has been appointed to four committees - Natural Resources, Tourism and Outdoor Recreation (which in-

cludes the subcommittee of Forestry and Mining); Local and Intergovernmental Affairs, in which he serves as the vice chairman; Banking and Finance; and Judiciary.

Despite the recent economic downturn, Pettalia

said he is optimistic about the future of Michigan and he believes that Governor Rick Snyder and his administration has a good handle on the situation and is working positively to improve the economy.

In the month and a half in office he is already working on several bills he hopes will become law. "The biggest and most complex bill is an amendment to Proposal A - the property tax bill," Pettalia said. "When it came into place we needed Proposal A." However, he explained, 20 some years later, with the current economy, it isn't working.

He is planning on introducing a bill that will allow 10 year olds to hunt with someone who is 18 years old or older and who have received the necessary hunters safety training.

He is also looking into drafting a bill that will change the requirement for motorcyclists to wear helmets. "The motorcycle helmet law is a deterrent to traveling in Michigan," Pettalia said. He explained that it is a tourism issue. Surrounding states do not require helmets and motorcyclists don't travel to Michigan from these states because of the helmet law. He is not the only legislator looking at this issue. "A hel-

met law will be passed this year - either mine or someone else's," Pettalia said.

One bill he plans to introduce by month end has a direct connection to Alcona County. In the drafting stage, "Kecia's Law" will require individuals with personal protection orders (PPOs) against them (which are court ordered) to be on a registry available to the public. The draft is being created by Alcona County Probate Judge Laura A. Frawley and Alcona County Prosecutor Thomas Weichel.

The bill is named after Kecia Gauthier of Hubbard Lake who was murdered on July 22, 2010 by her former boyfriend, Kelby Skiba, who had stalked her for several days before shooting her. He had one personal protection order against him from someone else.

Pettalia is also planning to co-sponsor several other bills and fully supports the recently approved Pure Michigan bill that supports tourism in Michigan.

Anyone interested in contacting Pettalia about these bills or any other issue can reach him by calling (517) 373-0833; by writing to: P.O. Box 30014, Lansing, Mich. 48909-7514 or by e-mailing: peterpettalia@house.mi.gov.



State Representative Peter Pettalia speaks to FFA students at Alcona High School. He spent the afternoon answering questions and listening to student presentations. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.

## Curtis Township Library plans improvements with grant funding

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep  
Special to the Review

A line item within the upcoming federal budget currently before the United States Congress could have a significant impact on the 1,378 patrons of the Curtis Township Library.

That's because one of two grants recently received by the library is funded through the American Reinvestment and Reconciliation Act, overseen by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The grant process began when a request for applica-

tions literally "fell into our lap" said Curtis Township Library Director Moira Maus. "Last March," she explained, "we received a big old envelope from a law firm I had never heard of (Currie, Kendal, Midland, Mich.). I thought it was an advertisement. When I opened it, it turned out to be a request for grant applications from the Robert C. Reinhardt Library Trust."

The Reinhardt Trust was funded in memory of Robert Reinhardt, a chemical engineer for 30 years with Dow Chemical Company in Midland, Mich. Reinhardt believed library materials should be available to everyone and the trust targets isolated, rural, less populace libraries in full control of the building which houses the library.

Maus was particularly pleased to note that Reinhardt funds could be used as matching funds to other grants.

"Almost every construction grant has a matching fund requirement," Maus said. "In the case of the USDA grant, it was 45 percent. The Reinhardt Trust not only allows its funds to be used as matching funds, but agreed that if the USDA grant was

not funded, we could go ahead and use their \$25,000 grant award alone toward our construction project."

In August, the USDA awarded the Curtis Library \$28,000 in Reinvestment Funds with a \$27,000 match.

However, in only a few weeks a second letter arrived, rescinding the funding until the 2012 federal budget determined USDA funding for fiscal year 2011-2012. The government's fiscal year begins on October 1, but the budget is currently operating on a continuing resolution in order to allow new congresspeople, taking office in January, to participate in the process.

While the \$28,000 in USDA funds are a tiny fraction of the federal budget, they represent almost 70 percent of the library's 2010 budget of \$39,772. Utilizing both grants, the \$51,000 construction project would include expanding the parking area to allow drivers a turnaround area, add a third row of parking and widen the existing driveway, renovation to weatherproof entrances, which currently allow snow to build up in the entry area, and purchase of eight shelving units.

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Dr. Susan Maves and Dr. Hal Schott, veterinarians with Michigan State University's Animal Clinic, prepare a cat for surgery at Saturday's volunteer spay and neuter clinic held at the Alcona Humane Society's animal shelter in Lincoln. Four veterinarians and four vet technicians traveled from downstate and volunteered their time to hold the clinic where approximately 60 cats and dogs were spayed or neutered. According to Alcona Humane Society President Bill Hartman, residents who frequently surrender animals to the shelter were encouraged to take part in the clinic for no charge. This is an ongoing attempt to keep the county's pet population under control. Dr. Tom Maves, a veterinarian who owns Village Animal Clinic in Dexter, Mich. coordinates the annual spay neuter clinic. He has been volunteering in this capacity at the shelter since 2004. This is the third year it has involved multiple veterinarians and technicians. He hopes to be able to coordinate two clinics a year in the future. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.

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## Obituaries

### Gloria M. Lee



Gloria Mae Lee, 81, of Greenbush, died on Monday, Feb. 7, 2011 at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, Mich.

She was born October 22, 1929 to Charles and Lee Amanda (Babcock) Scheel in Ontario, Canada. She was raised in St. Clair Shores, Mich.

On May 7, 1949 she married Charlton Lee in St. Clair Shores, Mich. where they resided until moving to Oscoda, and retiring to Greenbush.

Mrs. Lee was an active member of Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado. She was a devoted homemaker and worked as the food service director for Camp Nissokone in Oscoda.

She enjoyed sewing, knitting and genealogy.

Mrs. Lee is survived by her husband, Charlton; two daughters, Vicki (Charlie) Huffman of Cadillac, Mich. and Sandy (Ron) Hohrein of Dover, Del.; four sons, Ron (Janet) Lee of Greenbush, Mick (Sherry) Lee of Greenbush, Tim (Nancy) Lee of Greenbush, Tom Lee of Mikado; 11 grandchildren, Tammy (John) Buffington of Lainsburg, Mich., Becky (Nick) Gomez of Cadillac, Mich., Matt (Julie) Huffman of Rib Lake, Wisc., Jerry (Jen) Lee of Greenbush, Willie Lee of Aurora, Colo., Casey (Sara) Lee of Mikado, Donnie (Wendy) Lee of Mikado, Andi Lee of Littleton, Colo., Brandon Hohrein of Colledgeville,

Pa., Justin (Sami) Hohrein of Smyrna, Del. and Crystal (Eric) Beck of Knotts Island, N.C.; 12 great-grandchildren, Emily and Savannah Buffington, Austin, Patrick, and Connor Lee, Carlos Gomez, Kendal Lee, Simon, Hudson, and Alivia Huffman and Ryan and Zach Lee; brothers and sisters-in-law, Hershel (Norma) Lee of Greenbush, Millie Lee and Clara Atchison of Lincoln, Teresa Rudolph of Oscoda and Shirley Larson of Oscoda; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one sister, June Mason.

There was a memorial service on February 10 at Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado. Memorial donations may be made to Gideon's Memorial for Gloria M. Lee, or to Calvary Baptist Church, memorial fund for Gloria Lee. Cremation arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

### Gloria J. Kendall

Gloria Jean Kendall, 59, died on Monday, Feb. 7, 2011 at Manor Care Health Center in Appleton, Wisc.

She was born January 15, 1952, in Alpena to Howard and Hazel (Bauder) Barlow Sr.

She was a graduate of Oscoda High School.

She was a member of Eternal Love Lutheran Church in Appleton, Wisc.

Mrs. Kendall is survived by one daughter, Tressa (Justin) Lickfelt of Tawas City; one son, Christopher Kendall Sr. of Ripon, Wisc.; six grandchildren, April, Chris Jr. and Michael Kendall, Austin Papas and Benjamin and Connor Lickfelt; five sisters: Teresa Staggs, Isabel (Frank) Bannon, Janet (Rich) Eberhart, Marjorie Lucas and Marilyn Lang; three brothers, Neil (Caroline) Barlow, Roger (Shelley) Barlow and Herbert (Marcia) Barlow; one brother-in-law, Dale (Bonnie) Kendall; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother and sister-in-law, Howard Jr. (Sharon) Barlow; and former husband, Michael Kendall.

The funeral was held on February 14, at Buresh-Kobs Funeral Home in Tawas City. Pastor Steven Mahlburg officiated. Interment will be in Emmanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Tawas City.

### Grady B. Greathouse

Grady B. Greathouse, 84, of Oscoda died on Sunday, Feb. 6, 2011 at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, Mich.

He was born July 14, 1926 in Andalusia, Ala. to Henry and Gussie (Palmer) Greathouse.

He married Roberta Mae Hart on May 30, 1949.

He served in the U.S. Navy from 1944 to 1946 on a L.S.T. ship. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1946 to 1966. He served on crash boats, as a rescue skipper, missile recovery skipper and as a training instructor in San Antonio, Texas.

After retirement in 1966 he moved to Oscoda where he worked in civil service for the U.S. Post Office for 13 years.

He enjoyed golfing and spending time with his family.

Mr. Greathouse is survived by his wife, Roberta "Bobbie"; one son, David (Robin) Greathouse of Greenbush; one daughter-in-law, Patte Greathouse of Oscoda; two



sisters-in-law, Gen Kennedy of Oscoda and Carol Hart of Ossineke; one sister and brother who both live in Florida.

He was preceded in death by one son, William G. Greathouse.

A graveside service, along with military honors, will be held at 1 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 24 at the Pincrest Cemetery Chapel in Oscoda. Arrangements are being handled by the Oscoda chapel of the Buresh Funeral Home.

## Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,  
This is in reply to the letter to the editor, February 9, by Marissa Mullison of Farmington, Mich. in which she lauds gender change caused by women leaving their families to work outside the home, stating "it is important to find meaning for oneself outside the home." She goes on to say, "some people still look at the family with the 'Leave it to Beaver' concept in mind."

As a woman who, as a household executive, chose to nurture her family until school age, and with that management training, developed a small business corporation, may I suggest, there wasn't much wrong with America, American industry, American families, American public schools and especially American television in the day of "Leave it to Beaver," mentality.

Helen Roberts  
Harrisville

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Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
	Feb. 6	37		27	0.03	1.3
Feb. 7	27	12	0.01	1.4	14	NNE
Feb. 8	18	2	0.00	2.1	20	N
Feb. 9	20	-1	0.00	1.5	25	W
Feb. 10	19	-5	0.00	1.3	19	WSW
Feb. 11	22	0	0.00	4.5	26	SW
Feb. 12	30	20	0.00	0.8	21	WNW

	Precipitation Summary (Inches)		
	2010 - 2011		Normal
	Water Content	Snow Fall	Water Content
Weekly Total	0.04	1.3	0.31
February to Date	0.21	11.3	0.56
Year/Season to Date	0.77	40.8	2.32

Climatological Observations taken by Stanley L. Darmofal at the Harrisville National Weather Service Coop Station located 1.8 miles NNE of Harrisville Post Office. Observations for each day are from midnight through 11:59 p.m. T=Trace (less than 0.005" Water Content.)

## Calendar of Events

*(Editor's Note: Entries for Calendar are always welcome. They will be published in chronological order as space allows. Entries should be turned in at least two weeks prior to the date of the event. Events sponsored by businesses or individuals to make a profit or governmental units for meeting notification are not eligible for this free public service. Sorry, "bingo," "garage sales" or "raffle ticket sales" information is also not eligible.)*

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Sewing with Jennie at the Lincoln Senior Center from 2 to 4 p.m. Bring your sewing machine and project. Questions, ask for Jennie at (989) 736-8879.

Spruce Lutheran Church, 1265 E. Spruce Rd., will have a food pantry from 1 to 3 p.m. There is no qualification requirements but you must show I.D., be present to receive food and can only pick up food once a month.

A contact list and mail merge class will be offered at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

Music with Roseanne Armstrong at the Greenbush Township Hall at 4 p.m. Stay for dinner - call (989) 736-8879 for reservations.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado will meet at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

The East Shore Art Guild & Gallery Inc. will host a free open art work session from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the EMS building on M-72. Bring your own art supplies. For more information, call Bernie at (989) 724-6347.

Women undergoing treatment and battling cancer are welcome to attend the Look Good Feel Better seminar from 6 to 8 p.m. at St. Joseph Hospital, classroom C, Tawas City. This seminar will provide information and cosmetic advice with hands-on instruction on makeup, skin care and wig, turban and scarf usage. This program is free. Call 1-800-227-2345 to register. Registration must take place two weeks prior to the class. There will also be a class on April 14, June 16, August 11, October 13 and December 15.

The Community Walking Club begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome, walk at your own pace.

Alcona retirees are invited to a potluck lunch and card game at the Lincoln Senior Center at noon. Anyone 50

and over is welcome to join the senior center.

The Northeast Michigan Genealogical Society invites their members and the public to a meeting at 7 p.m. at the Besser Museum in Alpena. Local Lutheran church records will be discussed and the new policies concerning the Diocese of Gaylord's Catholic record holdings.

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18

The Barton City Eagles Auxiliary 4141 will have a barbeque chicken and ribs dinner from 4 to 7 p.m. Menu includes chicken, ribs, potatoes, coleslaw, baked beans, rolls and dessert. Cost is \$8 for adults, \$4 for children six to 12 and free for under six.

There will be a family movie matinee and candy making at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 1 to 4 p.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

A story and craft project will be offered to children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 10:15 to 11 a.m.

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

The Don McEwen Kid's Ice Fishing Tournament will be held today on Jewell Lake in Barton City. Kids and young adults 15 and under are invited to attend. Bait, poles, holes and adult mentors provided. Ice skating, hockey puck shoot out, hot dogs and hot cocoa available. For more information, call Jim at (989) 736-3401.

There will be a hands-on workshop at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library on tracing your family lineage to find Civil War veterans from 1 to 3 p.m. Individual assistance will be provided by Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War and the Huron Shores Genealogical Society.

There will be an AuSable Valley Audubon outdoor activity featuring at noon. Meet at the Harrisville Sate Park. A vehicle park permit is required at this park. Membership is open to all person interested in wildlife and environment. Annual dues are \$10 per person or \$15 per family payable by mail or at meetings. For more information, visit AuSableValley-Audubon.com.

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Blood pressure readings will be taken at 4 p.m. at the Curtis Township Hall.

There will be a foot clinic at the Lincoln Senior Center from 1 to 5 p.m. Call (989) 736-8879 for appointment.

All ladies are invited to play bunco, an easy-to-learn game, at the Greenbush Township Hall at 2:30 p.m. First timers are always welcome.

The Weight Loss Support Group will meet at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln United Method-

ist Church. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

The Harrisville Arts Council will meet at 7 p.m. at their building, 112 N. Third Street, Harrisville. The public is welcome to attend.

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

The public is welcome to hear speaker Rose Kuhlman on Oscoda Senior Living at the Curtis Township Hall at 4 p.m.

The Knitting Klub & Crochet will meet from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. All levels welcome.

Kids age five-12 are welcome to attend the Good News Club after school at 4:30 p.m. in the Alcona Elementary School cafeteria. Parents are welcome to attend with their children. This is a free, one-hour session including Bible lessons, learning activities, stories and songs.

There will be an AARP income tax service at the senior center in Lincoln from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. No appointment necessary, first come first served for seniors 60 and older.

Alcona High School girls home basketball games will be played at 6 p.m., junior varsity, and at 7:30 p.m., varsity, against Posen High School.

Join the Sunrise Gardening Club for an informal get-together to discuss gardening projects at 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome from new to gardening or experienced.

The Alcona County Commission on Aging Board of Directors will meet at 11 a.m. at the senior center in Lincoln.

The Thunder Bay Island Preservation Society will meet at 7 p.m. at the Alpena Yacht Club on Prentiss Street.

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

A laptop personalization and customization class will be offered at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 9:15 to 10 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

The Glennie Book Club will meet at the Chat 'n' Chew at 7 p.m. Call Emily at (989) 735-2981 or the Curtis Township Library at (989) 735-2601 to sign up. Come with title suggestions.

The Alcona County Library Board will meet at the Harrisville branch at 2 p.m.

Sewing with Jennie at the Lincoln Senior Center from 2 to 4 p.m. Bring your sewing machine and project. Questions, ask for Jennie at (989) 736-8879.

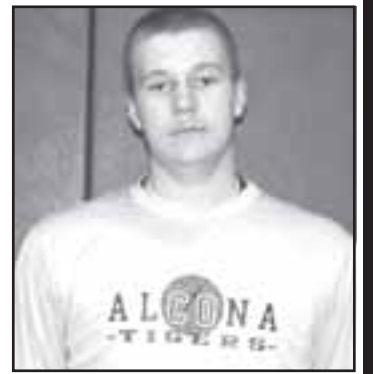
### NOTICE

The Alcona Township Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed township budget for the fiscal year 2011-2012 at the Alcona Township Hall at 5576 US-23 on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 during its regular monthly meeting starting at 7 p.m. **The proposed tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.**

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection at the clerk's office. Please call (989) 471-2948.

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Alex Cole

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NOTICE OF BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING**

The Harrisville Township board will hold a public hearing on the proposed township budget for fiscal year 2011 at the Harrisville Township Hall on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. A copy of the proposed budget is available by contacting the township supervisor at (989) 724-6872.

**The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.**

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**NOTICE**

Caledonia Township will hold its annual budget meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, March 9, 2011, at Caledonia Township Hall, 6461 Gillard Rd., Spruce, MI.

**The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this meeting.** Regular meeting immediately following. A copy of the budget is available for public inspection by contacting the clerk, at 1435 E. Spruce Rd., Spruce, MI. or calling (989) 471-2390.

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**Chorus Begins Rehearsal**

The Huron Shores Chorus will begin rehearsal on Sunday, Feb. 27 for the upcoming spring program. Rehearsals will be held at the Tawas Area Presbyterian Church from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Performance dates have been set for April 29 and May 1. The theme of the spring program will be a commemorative of the 10th anniversary of the September 11, 2001 disaster. Selections will be a mixture of patriotic and spiritually uplifting pieces which will include "Seasons, A Choral Song Cycle," "Al Shlosha D'Varim," "Folk Hymn Suite," and "American Anthem." Anyone with a willingness to sing and learn is welcome. There are no try-outs. Membership dues of \$10 per session are welcomed but not required.

**Snowmobile Races**

There will be snowmobile racing again this year in Lincoln. The big weekend will be February 26 and 27 at the ARA Site in Lincoln. The weekend admission gate fee is \$15 per person, ages 12 and under get in free. On Saturday, Feb. 26 there will be all sprint type racing; three lap heats and five lap finals. On Sunday, Feb. 27 the featured event is the 500-lap Michigan Cat 500 Pro Enduro race sponsored by Michigan Cat of Michigan, which will start at noon. There will also be Kitty Cat and 120cc racing classes for small kids on Sunday at 11 a.m. just before the big race.

There is reserved front-stretch trackside parking

**BUDGET HEARING  
MILLEN TOWNSHIP**

Millen Twp. will hold a budget hearing on Monday, Mar 7, 2011 at 6:30 p.m. at the Eagles Club in Barton City. The regular meeting will follow at 7 p.m. **The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this meeting.**

available for \$25.00 per spot. To reserve a spot, contact the Lincoln Outdoor Center in Lincoln at (989) 736-6150. Backstretch trackside parking will be available as well but as general parking, no reservations in advance, for \$6 per day. Ken Manning is the promoter. For more information on the race, call (989) 736-9943.

There will also be a Vintage Snowmobile Race again this year as well, also at the ARA site in Lincoln. This year it will be the 3rd Annual Old Man's Iron 150 on Saturday, March 5. It will feature 1975 or older machines racing on a groomed snow course track. For more information, call (989) 736-9943. Trackside parking will also be available, in advance, through the Lincoln Outdoor Center of Lincoln, by calling (989) 736-6150.

**New Arrival**

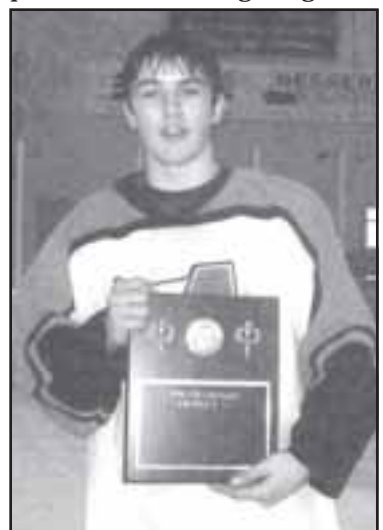
Lawrence Charles Eschenweck Jr. is the new son of Amber (Fuhr) and Lawrence Eschenweck of Glennie. He was born on Friday, Feb. 11, 2011 at Tawas St. Joseph Hospital. He weighed six pounds, six ounces.

**In the Service**

Air Force Airman Cory J. Rick graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. He completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills. He is the son of Debra Rick of Oscoda. He graduated in 2007 from Oscoda Area High School, and received an associate degree in 2009 from Alpena Community College.

**Hockey Award**

Austin Scott, a junior at Alcona High School, holds the District 7 Champion plaque after the Alpena Flyers Midget AA travel team captured the title, defeating St. Ignace 4-2 in the game. The Flyers advance to the state tournament in Lansing, Mich. on March 11, 12 and 13. Scott has been invited to play with the Red Wings Aumni game February 19 at Northern Lights Arena. The Stanley Cup will be arriving at Northern Lights and displayed in the lobby at the arena for the public to see during the game.



Austin Scott

**Senior Menu**

The following meals will be served at various times during the week at senior centers in Glennie, Greenbush and Lincoln. Anyone planning to attend a meal is asked to reserve a place by calling (989) 736-8879 by 10 a.m. Monday through Thursday and by 9:30 a.m. on Friday.

- Monday, Feb. 21—Pot roast, red potatoes, baby carrots, tossed salad and fruit.
- Tuesday, Feb. 22—Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garlic bread sticks, coleslaw and fruit.
- Wednesday, Feb. 23—Chicken steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, squash, carrot raisin salad, cake and ice cream.
- Thursday, Feb. 24—Bourbon pork chop, scalloped potatoes, peas, tropical fruit salad and orange.
- Friday, Feb. 25—Boiled dinner with sausage, red potatoes, carrots and cabbage, pineapple cheddar salad and fruit. (Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

**Ronald MacDonald Visits**

The Oscoda Athletic Department is hosting the McDonald's Game of the Week program on Tuesday, Feb. 22 where the junior varsity and varsity boys basketball teams will be taking on the Hale Eagles. The McDonald's Street Team and Ronald McDonald himself will attend the game to meet and greet attendees. In addition, the street team will be distributing all sorts of give-a-ways. Only six high schools throughout the state are selected each season to participate. Each McDonald's restaurant is locally owned and operated, and this program gives the owners an opportunity to get involved with the community and the schools.

**Table Tennis Tournament**

The Oscoda Community Center (OCC) will hold its second annual table tennis tournament on Sunday, Feb. 27, beginning at 1:30 p.m. in the front gym. Recent donations of three portable tables by the Haley Family and Oscoda Area United Way sparked increased interest and participation in the sport. Free instruction clinics at the center during January introduced rules, techniques and practice skills to adults and students. "We've noticed a definite increase in this activity, and hope to draw lots of competitors," said Peggy Ridgway, tournament organizer. A special two hour block of time every Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday are set aside for individuals to practice. The event is open to anyone interested in competing. Membership at OCC is not required, but there is a \$5 entry fee for each person entering the competition. Prizes will be awarded in both the A and B categories. The sign up deadline is Tuesday, Feb. 22. Spectators are welcome during the tournament play and there is no charge. For more information contact the center at (989) 739-2251.

**Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce Announcement**

2011 is well underway and Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce has started their planning for their annual events.

The first order of business is for the Chamber Board to thank the community and its members for their input concerning the future of Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce. Several members have stepped forward to address the need for new leadership, i.e. officers for 2012. The current board will work with these members throughout 2011 so the election process and transition of officers will be transparent.

**AS FOR 2011 THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ARE PLANNED:**

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|---|---|
| July 4 <sup>th</sup>                          | Fireworks to be held July 2 <sup>nd</sup>   |
| July 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup>       | Antique and Collectible Show                |
| July 16 <sup>th</sup>                         | Sunrise Side Wine and Food Festival         |
| August  | Downtown Street Event DTBD                  |
| September 15 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup> | Texas Hold'em Fund Raiser                   |
| October                                       | Oktoberfest — still in early planning stage |
| December 2 <sup>nd</sup>                      | Christmas in the Village                    |

The board is very excited about this year's events and look forward to their continued success.

**Thank you again for all of the support provided by the community and chamber members.**

**Huron Shores Chamber of Commerce Board Members**

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## High School Honor Roll

The following students were named to the Alcona High School Principal's List and Honor Roll for the second marking period.

### Ninth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Karina Cole, 4.00; Benjamin Dubuque, 3.95; Madeline Feldhiser, 3.90; Brian Finn, 3.85; Logan Friddle, 4.00; Walker Kelly, 4.00; Ryley Mancine, 3.73; Rachel Schellie, 3.77; Basil Schuman, 3.95; Turner Somers, 3.73; Hannah Terpstra, 4.00.

#### Honor Roll

Cody Franklin, 3.05; Kyle Harmon, 3.43; Nicholas Harris, 3.00; Kimberly Lindsay, 3.07; Justin Miltz, 3.23; Garrette Norling, 3.62; Errin O'Leary, 3.10; Megan Quick, 3.57; Jacob Riggs, 3.05; Lilly Rodgers-Manning, 3.32; Dustin Yokom, 3.50.

### Tenth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Nicholas Bouchard, 3.78; Vanessa Bowman, 3.72; Eric Hampton, 3.73; Marisa Hirschfeld, 4.00; Victoria Keerl, 3.95; Taylor Orefice, 3.78; Nicole Pawloski, 3.95; Rose Powierski, 3.95; Aaron Ritchie, 3.80; Kelsey Sullivan, 3.95.

#### Honor Roll

Miranda Ankner, 3.35; Victoria Ankner, 3.22; Keturah Ashford, 3.12; Bethany Dunn, 3.67; Natalie Goldstrom, 3.57; Haley Gombos, 3.28; Chad Haneckow, 3.67; Joseph Hudgins, 3.50; Sydney Jerome, 3.67; Brittany Joyce, 3.07; Kaitlynn Keesler, 3.35; Joshua Lickey, 3.17;

Catherine McNeill, 3.00; Samantha Mier, 3.18; Hannah Mikazes, 3.07; Megann Ridgewell, 3.57; Karaline Sager, 3.40; Cassidy Skurda, 3.05; Jared Steiner, 3.38; Allen Vandenboom, 3.45; Elizabeth Wheaton, 3.30.

### Eleventh Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Ryan Bumgardner, 3.75; Alexis Cook, 4.00; Cassandra Gansen, 3.86; Brandon Gibson, 3.73; Rachel Hefferon, 3.94; Alexandra Keerl, 4.00; Kathleen Kramer, 3.74; Kaylee LaFave, 3.86; Gregory LaVigne, 3.85; Melissa Lindsay, 3.83; Amy Nowak, 4.00; Emily Nowak, 3.95; Kevin Pagels, 3.85; Nicole Quick, 3.80; Julia Rice, 3.72; Austin Scott, 4.00; Sydney Sefernick, 3.75; Betsy Smith, 3.90; Audrey Warner, 4.00; Tiffany Younk, 3.83.

#### Honor Roll

Andrew Chamberlain, 3.67; Nicholas Garner, 3.05; Nathan Geiersbach, 3.68; Austin Gerard, 3.28; Megan Griffith, 3.65; Denelle Havercroft, 3.45; Melissa Hayes, 3.54; Ashley Kenworthy, 3.52; Alexandra Kramer, 3.68; Brock LaVergne, 3.28;

Bryan Layton, 3.12; Clayton O'Neal, 3.50; Amber Schrader, 3.40; Alleigh Sexton, 3.07; Amanda Swinson, 3.68; Stephen Turpen, 3.54; Nicole Wilt, 3.66.

### Twelfth Grade

#### Principal's Honor Roll

Samantha Allen, 4.00; Alexander Cole, 4.00; Kristin Doucette, 4.00; Taylor Gillespie, 3.85; Sarah Hart, 4.00; Anthony Herman, 3.85; Morgan Higgins, 3.77; Kristopher Kubbe, 4.00; Caitlin McNichols, 4.00; Adam Neveu, 4.00; Zachary Palmer, 4.00; Joanna Plamondon, 4.00; Jessica Purcell, 3.94; Andrew Schram, 3.86; Adam Weidner, 4.00; Braden Yokom, 3.80.

#### Honor Roll

Nikki Brueggeman, 3.20; Erin Bumgardner, 3.65; Kaitlynn Buresh, 3.08; Andrea Caraher, 3.62; Carley Cooper, 3.15; Danielle Gauthier, 3.06; Geoffrey Gerard, 3.00; Tanner Gerard, 3.15; Anna Griffin, 3.67; Alexa LeCureux, 3.00; Mallory Martin, 3.50; Megan McKay, 3.40; Jennifer McNabb, 3.48; Kayla Norton, 3.68; Laura Riegle, 3.65; Kaleb Sager, 3.23; Miranda Smith, 3.58; Ashley Whitford, 3.57; Emily Wojcik, 3.18.

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**Dates: Mon-Fri, May 23-27, 2011**  
**Time: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**  
Location: Harrisville Arts Council Building and several outdoor locations.  
**Cost: \$175 per student with a \$50 deposit.**  
*The balance to be paid the first day of the workshop.*  
**Contact: Judy Pyne, President of the Harrisville Arts Council (989) 724-6967 or Bernie Blaszak (989) 724-6347.**

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## Library Continued from page 1

The shelving units will make use of the library's "vertical real estate" Maus said, and the new shelves allow two extra shelves in the current shelf footprint.

"Our old shelves hold 1,400 books per unit," Maus said. The new shelves hold 2,000 books within the same shelving space increasing our overall available shelving by 43 percent."

Should the USDA grant funds not be awarded, the project would use the Reinhardt funds alone to renovate the driveway and doorways and continue its current process of purchasing one set of shelves per year.

At present, many of the library's shelves are sturdy, but 50 years old and mismatched, shelves donated by the Alcona County Library.

The township library is funded with a .5 mill township millage along with around \$9,500 in penal fines annually and state aid of \$272. The Friends of the Curtis Township Library raise about \$1,000 additionally through an annual book sale, Maus said.

Library use has increased significantly since the current building, located on Bamfield Road near the former elementary school,

was created in 1998, Maus said. Prior to that time, the library was housed in a 600 square foot, unheated, un-air-conditioned room behind the township fire hall. "The current building is 3,000 square feet and allows us to broaden the programs we offer to patrons," she said.

As examples of the library's growth, Maus explained that in 2004, 3,485 items were in circulation. In 2010, that number had grown to 11,764 items. In that same time period, the number of active patrons - defined as having used their library card in the last three years - has grown from 901 to 1,378. The facility has added wireless Internet services and participates in the state and regional interlibrary loan program, Maus said.

"We try to be as free - without fees - as possible," Maus said, "to encourage library use. That's working out. Our budget basically supports overhead and staff salaries so to do anything extra, we have to go out of area. We've been extremely fortunate in the past, receiving grants from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, the Detroit Tigers, the Broadband Activity Opportunity Grant and the Northeast Michigan Community Foundation."

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
**ALCONA TOWNSHIP**  
**OUTDOOR FURNACES**

The Alcona Township Board of Trustees has scheduled a public hearing at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 at the Alcona Township Hall, 5576 US 23.

The proposed Ordinance will regulate the installation and use of outdoor furnaces.

A draft copy of the ordinance is available for inspection by contacting Dawn LaLonde, Alcona Township Clerk, at 471-2948 or by email at [kuffertd@yahoo.com](mailto:kuffertd@yahoo.com).



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## Calendar of Events

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The GM Sunrise Side Salaried Retirees will hold their monthly luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Alpena Holiday Inn. Spouses and guests are welcome. Topic will be the work of the Huron Humane Society. Reservations and payment in advance by calling Chuck at (989) 727-3350 or Frank at (989) 595-2789.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24**

The Alcona County Amateur Radio Group will meet at the EMS/EOC building on M-72 at 6:30 p.m. Anyone

interested in emergency and public service communications is invited to attend. Free refreshments served. For more information, call Stan at (989) 724-5550 or visit [www.alconaradio.org](http://www.alconaradio.org).

The Community Walking Club begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Everyone is welcome, walk at your own pace.

The East Shore Art Guild & Gallery Inc. will host a free open art work session from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the EMS building on M-72. Bring

your own art supplies. For more information, call Bernie at (989) 724-6347.

Tops No. MI 1502 Mikado will meet at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-4483.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25**

A story and craft project will be offered to children at the Harrisville branch of the

Alcona County Library from 10:15 to 11 a.m.

Enjoy a free lunch provided by the Friends of the Library at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. This is the conclusion celebration of "Love Your Library Month" and there will be a drawing for prizes at 1 p.m.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

A seminar entitled "How to Select, Plant and Grow Fruit in Cool Climates" will be presented from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Town-

ship Hall by MSUE educator Steve Fouch. Registration fee is \$20 and includes lunch. Register before February 17 and receive a \$3 discount. For further information, call Janet Reins at (989) 724-5272.

Spruce Lutheran Church, 1265 E. Spruce Road, will have a food pantry from 1 to 3 p.m. There is no qualification requirements but you must show I.D., be present to receive food and can only pick up food once a month.

# SENIOR LIFESTYLES

## Hospice care: A peaceful way to go

Dear Savvy Senior,  
Can you give me some information about hospice? My aunt has terminal cancer and wants to stay in her own home as long as possible.

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According to a Gallup Poll, 90 percent of Americans, if faced with a terminal illness, want to be cared for and die in their own home, free of pain, surrounded by their loved ones. Not a bad way to go. Hospice can help make that happen.

Hospice is a unique type of care that provides medical care, pain management, emotional and spiritual support to people who are in the last

stages of a terminal illness – it does not speed up or slow down the process of dying. Hospice's goal is to simply keep the patient as comfortable and pain-free as possible, with loved ones nearby until death.

The various services provided by a hospice program comes from a team of professionals that works together to accommodate all the patients' end-of-life needs. The team typically includes hospice doctors that will work with the primary physician and family members to draft up a care plan. Nurses who dispense medication for pain control. Home care aids that attend to personal needs like eating and bathing. Social

workers who help the patient and the family prepare for end of life. Clergy members who provide spiritual counseling if desired, and volunteers that fill a variety of niches, from sitting with the patient to helping clean and maintain their property.

Some hospices even offer massage or music therapy, and nearly all provide bereavement services for relatives.

Most hospice patients receive care in their own home. However, hospice will go wherever the patient is – hospital, nursing home or assisted living residence. Some even have their own facility to use as an option. To receive hospice, a patient must get a referral from their physician stating that their life expectancy is six months or less. It's also important to know that home-based hospice care does not mean that a hospice nurse or volunteer is in the home 24 hours a day. Services are based on need and/or what you request. Hospice care can also be stopped at anytime if the patients' health improves or if they decide to re-enter cure-oriented treatments.

The best time to prepare for hospice and consider your options is before it's necessary, so you're not making decisions during a stressful time. There are around 4,700 hospice programs in the U.S., so depending on where you live, you may have several programs to choose from.

Ask your doctor, nurse or local hospital social worker for a referral or call your Area Aging Agency (call (800) 677-1116 to get your local number) or state hospice organization to locate programs in your area.

When choosing, be sure to select a hospice that can provide the care you need (services can vary) and make sure they accept Medicare – most do. Two other resources to help you search are the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization ([nhpco.org](http://nhpco.org), (800) 658-8898) and [hospicedirectory.org](http://hospicedirectory.org). Both provide hospice directories, along with a list of questions you can ask to help you make your decision.

If your aunt has Medicare, hospice will be paid for through the Medicare hospice benefit (Part A). This covers

Savvy Senior

virtually all aspects of care with little out-of-pocket. In addition, most private health plans and Medicaid in most states cover hospice.

Savvy Tips: If possible, help your aunt draw up a living will and healthcare power of attorney that spell out her wishes for end-of-life medical treatment when she can no longer make decisions for herself. To create one, visit [caringinfo.org](http://caringinfo.org) where you can download state-specific advance directive forms with instructions.

And for more information on hospice, Medicare offers a free booklet called "Medicare Hospice Benefits" (publication No. 02154) that you can order at (800) 633-4227.

(Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit [SavvySenior.org](http://SavvySenior.org).)

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# Lady Tigers dispatch Mio and Fairview

**By Dan O'Connor**  
Sports Writer

The Alcona girls varsity basketball team faced the highs and lows of a busy week defeating Mio and Fairview but falling to Tawas.

Against the Mio Thunderbolts on Monday, Feb. 7, the Lady Tigers battled a slow start and the excitement in Mio as Kelsie Blamer notched her 1,000 career point midway through the second quarter.

Blamer nearly single-handedly buried the Lady Tigers in the first half scoring 16 of her game high 28 points. Mio led 27-20 at the break. Alcona chipped into the lead in the third quarter and eventually lead 40-37 early in the fourth.

The entire last frame was

## Girls Varsity Standings in Huron Shores Conference

	Conference	Overall
Alcona	3-2	12-3
Tawas	5-0	13-2
Oscoda	0-5	5-10
Whittemore Prescott	2-3	9-7

a back and forth battle as the Lady Tigers, who led by three points with 40 seconds to go, could only watch as Mio tied the game with 19 seconds left. The Lady Tigers hustled down the floor. Kayla Rasmussen battled a Thunderbolt for a loose ball and was able to collect herself and knock home the basket as time expired for the 55-53 victory.

Ashley Smith led the Lady Tigers with 16 points while Karina Cole added 11. Amy Nowak also helped the cause with nine points and Alexa LeCureux chipped in eight points.

The Lady Tigers again suffered a slow start against the Fairview Eagles two days later but still leading 12-8 after the first quarter and 23-15 at the half. Alcona put the game away in the third quarter though with a 16-5 run and settled for the 49-27 victory. The Lady Tigers put nine players in the score column with Smith leading the way with 13 points and Cole adding 10. Lindsay Morang and Rasmussen added five points each.

Alcona traveled to Tawas on February 10 to play the Braves for the chance to move into a first place tie. The Lady Tigers though were down 10-0 early and trailed 37 to 14 at the break. Alcona made a run and cut the lead to 14 late in the third quarter but had no answer for another big Tawas fourth quarter which sealed the 58-36 victory. Alcona was led by Cole with 14 points and Amy Nowak with 10 points.

The junior varsity team suffered losses to Mio and Tawas last week but was able to defeat Fairview. They are 10-5 on the season.

Alcona junior varsity and varsity teams will travel to Whittemore Prescott on Feb. 17 Thursday to face the Cardinals in one semifinal game of the Huron Shores Conference Tournament. Tawas will host Oscoda in the other semifinal. Friday, Feb. 18 will be a varsity showcase in Oscoda where the consolation game will take place at 6 p.m. and the championship game will follow. The Lady Tigers will then host Posen on Tuesday, Feb. 22.

## 2011 BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE MIKADO TOWNSHIP Mikado Civic Center 2291 N. F-41 Mikado, MI 48745

2011 Board of Review Meeting Schedule  
Tuesday, March 8, 2011 at 7 p.m.

### Organizational Meeting

No appeals will be taken at this meeting.  
Wednesday, March 16, 1:30 to 7:30 p.m.  
Friday, March 18, 1:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The Board of Review will meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests and to equalize the 2011 assessments.

**By board Resolution, residents are able to protest by letter, provided** protest letter is received prior to March 16, 2011.

The tentative ratios and estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

	Ratios	Multipliers
Agricultural	55.36	0.9032
Commercial	49.58	1.0085
Industrial	N/A	N/A
Residential	51.26	0.9754
Timber Cutover	N/A	N/A
Development	N/A	N/A
Personal Property	50.00	1.0000

### American With Disabilities (ADA) Notice

The Township will provide necessary reasonable services to individuals with disabilities at the Board of Review meetings upon 7 days notice. Contact Jesus "Yogi" Yruegas or Rita D. Sands at 2268 Hamilton or call (989) 736-7721.  
**Board of Review Members:** Warren Everett, Betty Wissmiller, Earl Dettmer, Susan Barwick

Jesus "Yogi" Yruegas  
Board of Review Secretary  
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## Youth Wrestling

The Oscoda Youth North-east Michigan Wrestling Association (NEMWA) wrestling team went to Gladwin, Mich. on February 12. This meet consisted of those wrestlers from NEMWA Divisions A and D, Oscoda being apart of the A Division.

Wrestlers not only competed for medals but also as an extra "fastest pin." Those who wrestle and pin the fastest were given a special award. None of the 17 Owl wrestlers won this award, although many did pin their opponents.

This meet also marks the

last meet before regionals; which is being held on Saturday, Feb. 19 in Standish, Mich. Wrestlers that place fourth or above at the regional tournament will compete at the state finals.

Many wrestlers wrestled in different weight classes that were above their normal weight class. Those that placed were:

- Five-six year olds: Second place, Carson Gooch, 43 pound weight class; fourth place, Alden McShane, 43 pound weight class; second place, Hanna O'Rourke, 64 pound weight class; second place, William Collier, heavy weight class; first place, Robert Shock, 40 pound weight class; and first place, David Williams-Schott, 55 pound weight class.

- Seven-eight year olds: Matt Johnson, although not placing in his weight class, did wrestle in one match to over time. He and his opponent wrestled hard to go on for placings.

- Nine-10 year olds: second place, Jacob Dettmer-Schott, heavyweight class placing; and first place, Anthony Johnson, 95 pound weight class.

- 11 -12 year olds: Fourth place, Harry Samotis, 133 pound weight class; and third place, Knesley Johnson, 133 pound weight class.

- 13-14 year olds: Second place, Robert Ellman, 170 pound weight class; second place, Nicholas O'Rourke, 110 pound weight class; and first place, Austin Marks, 95 pound weight class placing.

## United Way of Northeast Michigan (UWNM) Funding Applications Available

The United Way of Northeast Michigan is currently accepting letters of intent for funding in 2012.

### Eligibility guidelines are as follows:

- Agencies/organizations must be non-profit and have a 501(c)(3) status from the IRS
- Agencies/organizations must provide human service programs/projects
- Agencies/organizations service area(s) must be Alpena, and/or Alcona, and/or Montmorency counties
- Agencies/organizations must be incorporated under the laws of the State of Michigan, or other jurisdictions meeting Michigan standards, as a non-profit entity for a period of no less than two (2) years.
- Consideration will be made for funding programs of schools and governmental organizations, as long as they are specific and discreet programs/projects and not covered by tax funds
- New or existing programs can receive funding as long as they meet UWNM criteria
- Programs/projects meet one of the four (4) funding areas:
  1. Basic Human Needs-addressing basic, temporary and urgent needs including food, shelter, utility services.
  2. Family Services-assisting individuals and families to become self-sufficient.
  3. Health Services-promoting health & healing through prevention skills to maintain healthy lifestyle.
  4. Youth Services-preparing children and youth to become responsible adults who are emotionally, cognitively and physically prepared to succeed in school, work and their community.

### The UWNM does not fund the following:

- Political campaigns
- Sectarian programs) we will fund program(s) of a religious organization a so long as the program does not include religious content and is open to all)
- Loan Payments or deficit spending
- Services normally supported by tax dollars
- Capital campaigns for buildings

Letter of intent applications can be requested by contacting United Way of Northeast Michigan at 989-354-2221 or via email at uwnemi@unitedwaynemi.org with the subject Letter of intent.

**Letters of Intent are due by 4 p.m., Monday, February 28, 2011.**

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# Tigers take easily Rogers City, Tawas

**By Ron Yokom**  
Basketball Writer

The Alcona boys varsity basketball team had another busy week of three games in five days. They came close to taking all three games, but could not keep up the intensity to upset the undefeated, and fifth ranked class D, Posen Vikings.

They played Posen even for three quarters before being outscored by 10 and losing 61-51.

As in the first game with Posen, Alcona could not stop the Vikings' fast break and fell behind 12-8 after one quarter of play. After two free throws gave Posen a six point lead, to start the second period, Jared Steiner hit a three-pointer that started Alcona's surge. They finally took the lead, at 18-17, on another three by Steiner. When Alex Cole hit a jumper to end the second quarter Alcona had a 24-19 lead at halftime.

The Tigers continued to battle Posen in the third quarter. The game was tied twice and there were four lead changes before Alcona went on a 7-0 run to take a 38-32 lead. Shane Kentkowski then took it upon himself to bring Posen back. He hit two three-pointers in the final minute to tie the game at 38. That changed the momentum in Posen's favor as they cranked up their intensity and went on to outscore Alcona 23-13 in the final period.

That is what good teams do. They find a way to win. Alcona played well and should be proud of the way they battled the undefeated Vikings.

Cole led Alcona with 12 points and five rebounds. Brock LaVergne and Steiner had 11 points each. Bryan Layton added six points, Andrew Chamberlain had five points, Braden Yokom had four, and Brandon Gibson had two. LaVergne pulled down 11 rebounds, while Yokom had seven rebounds and three blocked shots.

The junior varsity Tigers lost a close contest 36-34. Aaron Ritchie scored 10 points.

On Tuesday, Feb. 8 Al-

## Boys Varsity Standings in Huron Shores Conference

	Conference	Overall
Alcona	6-0	10-4
Tawas	0-6	2-13
Oscoda	3-3	9-7
Whittemore Prescott	2-4	8-7

Alcona traveled to Rogers City for a contest with the Hurons who had upset Hillman the night before.

It is hard to figure high school basketball sometimes. Rogers City beat Hillman and Hillman beat Alcona. So, logic assumes an Alcona/Rogers City game would be a close battle. Not the case. It started out as a close game with Alcona leading after one quarter 14-10. Steiner hit back-to-back threes to score six of the Tigers' points.

The second period was a different story. At one point the Tigers hit 13 consecutive points on their way to a 34-14 halftime lead. LaVergne and Cole scored six points each during this run.

The third quarter was the LaVergne show as he hit for 12 points and Alcona built their lead to 26 at 50-24. With the starters watching from the bench much of the final period Rogers City managed to outscore Alcona only 13-11 to make the final score 60-37.

Alcona is playing better and better. They should to continue to improve as the state tournament approaches in March.

LaVergne had a monster game with 22 points and 13 rebounds. Steiner had nine points and six assists. Cole added nine points and five rebounds. Layton added seven points and eight rebounds. Chamberlain and Yokom added four points each. Roddy Forsythe had three while Gibson, Nick Garner and Zach Harmon had one point each.

The junior varsity team roared to an 85-37 victory with 14 players getting into the scoring column.

In the third game of the week Alcona traveled to Tawas to take on the Braves on Friday, Feb. 11. Tawas usually has a competitive team and is tough to beat on their

own court. Again, not the case. Alcona roared out to a 22-2 lead scoring the first 17 points of the first quarter. Cole scored 10 points.

In the second period Alcona held a 35-12 lead halfway through the second period at which point Coach Seth Coffing substituted freely. Tawas controlled the boards the rest of the quarter and outscored Alcona 11-7 but still trailed 39-23 at halftime. It was LaVergne's turn to score, hitting eight of Alcona's points.

Then Tigers came out blasting in the third quarter building a 56-27 lead. At one point they scored 12 consecutive points. After a three pointer by Tawas, Alcona had a 56-30 lead heading into the final period. Chamberlain and Layton scored six points each. The final period was also controlled by Alcona as they built a 71-41 lead before Coffing substituted freely and the starters watched from the bench. Tawas closed out the game on a 12-1 run to make the final score 72-52.

Layton had a strong game with 16 points and seven rebounds. LaVergne scored 14 points and 15 rebounds. Cole added 11 points, six rebounds and four assists. Steiner also had 11 points, with eight assists and seven rebounds. Yokom had nine points, five rebounds and three blocked shots. Chamberlain added six, Gibson two, Forsythe two and Tyler Peterson scored one point.

Alcona now has a 10-4 record and finished the season with a perfect 6-0 record in the Huron Shores Conference.

The junior varsity team lost a heartbreaker 52-49. Nathan Fettes scored 19 points with five three-pointers. Aaron Ritchie added 12 points.



Andrew Chamberlain shoots a free throw during the Posen game. Photo by Kathy Steiner.

The Harrisville Arts Council will sponsor the Wine & Food Festival Poster contest.

All original art will be accepted before judging by the deadline date of April 30, 2011. Entries can be sent to Harrisville Arts

Council, P.O. Box 102, Harrisville, MI 48740. Entries not chosen will be returned. \$200 will be given to the artist whose poster is chosen.



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## Cue for A Cure

It's that time of year when pool players cue up to raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) in the 14th Annual Cue for a Cure by participating in a pool tournament. All proceeds will go to support patients from the area who are affected by a neuromuscular disease.

Winners will advance to represent their team in the playoffs. Players earn prizes and there are drawings and auctions for everyone to participate in. All are welcome for a day of entertainment, fun and food.

Dates of events are listed below.

- Saturday, Feb. 26: Mikado Tavern
- Saturday, March 5: Chief's Bar & Grill, Alpena
- Saturday, March 12: Glennie Tavern
- Saturday, March 19: Edelweiss Tavern, Oscoda
- Sunday, March 20: Oscoda Eagles Club
- Saturday, March 26: Dry Dock, Alpena
- Sunday, March 27: Hilltop, Oscoda
- Playoffs: Saturday, April 2 at the Glennie Tavern at 11 a.m. where all of the

winners, runners up, top fund raisers and totals raised will be announced. More information is available at the above listed locations.

## Pool League

**Alcona Women's**  
 February 10

Mikado Tavern	109
BC Bar	102
Back Alley	97
Glennie Tavern	89
Shotmakers	85
Oasis	69
Buck Stop	67

## Men's Bowling Tournament

Members of the Alcona USBC Men's Bowling Association participated in the annual tournament the week of January 25-30 at Village Lanes in Harrisville. A total of 16 teams competed in the team division with the B & D Sales team taking first place with a total score of 3,272. The team was led by John Wilson with a fine 710 handicap series, with excellent support provided by Jaime Witek with 682, John Witek with 619, Ben Smith with 617, and Dennis Barton with 614.

Last year's champion, Coles Appliance, nearly repeated. Their total of 3,271 missed first place by one pin. Ed Schmitz led a balanced scoring attack 679, closely followed by Tom Sharboneau with 664, Larry Yingling with 658, Arnie Dellar with 638 and Larry Elmer with 629.

Morgan Electric totaled 3,248 for third place. Andy Budreau led with a 679 actual series good for 751 handicap. He was ably supported by Jim Armstrong (650), Ray Medore (647), Kyle Catarino (622) and Tom Morgan (578).

Fourth place, and last in the money, went to Phil's Barber Shop with a team score of 3,214. Dave Glazer led the way with 668, followed by Rod Travis (665), Phil Naylor (660), Randy Sokolak (616) and Jerry Blaszak (605).

Andy Budreau's 679 was the highest actual series and the highest actual game was thrown by Jim Armstrong with 259.

In singles competition, there were 49 entrants. Roger Klukowski Sr. bowled a nice actual series of 609 and took advantage of his handicap, emerging the winner by five pins 741 to 736 over Josh Brueggeman who had 628 actual.

A total of 12 bowlers shared in the prize fund. Their scores were: Roger Klukowski Jr. (716), Jon Klukowski (710), Larry Yingling (700) Ed Hart (692), Dave Glazer (688), Andy Budreau (674), Ray Trotter (671), Tom Morgan (671), Dennis Barton (665) and Bill Stacey (664).

Fifty bowlers competed in doubles with six teams finishing in the money. The team of Kevin Rice (727) and Dan Somers (673) with 1,400 took first place by a substantial margin. Second was

the brother team of Roger Klukowski Jr. (719) and Jon Klukowski (634) with 1,353 followed closely by Tom Sharboneau (704) and Lonnie Crampton (647) with a total of 1,351. Next were Frank Belloli and Bill Peterson (1,327), Kyle Catarino - Tom Morgan (1,314) and Jaime Witek - John Wilson (1,314)

The All-Events crown went to Andy Budreau with a total

score of 2,068. He totaled (674) in singles, (643) in doubles and (751) in the team event. Roger Klukowski Sr. finished second with 2,065 edging out his son, Roger Klukowski Jr., who had 2,050. They were followed by Ray Trotter (1,989), Tom Morgan (1,989), Kevin Rice (1,987), John Wilson (1,982) and Jeremy Glomski (1967).

A total of 34 members entered all-events.



Andy Budreau was the winner of the all events category.



Roger Klukowski Sr. was the winner of the singles event.



The doubles winners were Kevin Rice (left) and Dan Somers.



The team of B & D Sales was the winner of the team event in 2011 the Alcona Bowling Tournament. (From left) Dennis Barton, Ben Smith, John Witek, Jaime Witek and John Wilson. Courtesy photos.

# Bowling

### Early Bloomers

*February 8*

Bluebells	90	54
Violets	81.5	62.5
Marigolds	79.5	64.5
Buttercups	71.5	72.5
Rosebuds	69	75
Mums	64	80
Tigerlilys	63.5	80.5
Daffodils	57	87

High game: Anne Hogan, 179.  
High series: Gina Broadwood, 489.  
High team game and series: Tigerlilys, 481 and 1,342.

### Huron

*February 8*

Rob's Repair	10	114.5
Big Joe's Motel	20	102
Back Alley Bar	19	101
Carpet One	11	97.5
Gary Oil	15	92
Lincoln Prec.	15	83.5
Haglund's	19	72.5
B & D Sales	11	54

High game: Gary Childers, 232.  
High series: Jim Armstrong, 682.  
High handicap game and series: Josh Brueggeman, 272 and 786.

### Sportsman

*February 10*

Cole's Appl.	27	96.5
Balls On Ya	13	93.5
Baymoor	13	88
L.L.W. Club	25	86
Top O Mich.	17	72.5
Morgan Elec.	17	69
Phil's Barber	5	63.5
Ghost Busters	3	31

High game and series: Jimmy

Armstrong, 258 and 696.  
High handicap game: Dan Somers, 274.  
High handicap series: Jimmy Armstrong, 705.

### Wednesday Nite Women's

*February 9*

Stoney Acres	130	50
Alcona Tool	123	57
Alcona Abstract	106.5	73.5
Cole's Appl.	102	78
Other Team	99	81
Ark Plumbing	78.5	101.5
JB's Auto	76	104
Animal Clinic	73.5	106.5
Back Alley Bar	71.5	108.5

High game: Karen Godi, 231.  
High series: Lynn Gibson, 593.  
High handicap game: Karen Godi, 264.  
High handicap series: Cheri Murphy, 687.

### Minors

*February 12*

Pink Butterflies	15	0
Lions	10	5
Pin Busters	10	5
High Strikers	8	7
Strike Bandits	7	8
Headpins	5	10
Team 3	3	12
Trappers	2	13

Boy's high game and series: Kyle Haeger, 130 and 249.  
Boy's high handicap game and series: Brenden Hudgins, 245 and 486.  
Girl's high game and series: Raegen Eller, 109 and 173.  
Girl's high handicap game: Olivia Baird, 238.  
Girl's high handicap series: Sadie Johnson, 435.

### Majors

*February 12*

Team 4	61.5	28.5
Ghostbusters	58	32
Better Than	50	40
Hammers	47	43
8 Ball	37	53
Team 3	16.5	73.5

Boy's high game: Ryan Somers, 188.  
Boy's high series: Jeremy Maturen, 523.  
Boy's high handicap game and series: Josh Lickey, 252 and 651.  
Girl's high game: Tiffany Younk, 163.  
Girl's high series: Megan Griffith, 430.  
Girl's high handicap game and series: Tiffany Younk, 236 and 643.

### ACCEPTING BIDS

Harrisville Township is accepting bids for spring clean up and mowing the township cemeteries for the summer. Details of work to be done are available by contacting Roger Jamieson at (989) 724-6388 or Jim Pyne at (989) 724-6967. All bids must be in to Roger or Jim by April 11, 2011.

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### NOTICE

Haynes Township will hold its annual budget meeting at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, March 2, 2011 at the Haynes Township Hall, 3930 E. McNeil Rd. The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this meeting. Regular meeting to follow at 7 p.m.  
Sharon Schefferly, Haynes Township Clerk

### PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Village of Lincoln Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing to adopt their proposed Master Plan on Thursday, March 3, at 7:00 p.m. at the Lincoln Village Offices at 117 W. Fiske Street. The draft Master Plan can be accessed at [www.nemcog.org](http://www.nemcog.org). Written comments may be mailed to Phil Jordan, 117 W. Fiske Street, Lincoln, MI 48742.

## Organization Notes

### VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post No. 6754

The February 2011 meeting was held with 10 members present. Sandy Light filled in as treasurer, conductress and chaplain due to absences. Frances Ziesman read a note from Dottie Mousseau thanking the auxiliary for the fruit basket she received just before the holidays. She said that she has received fruit baskets over many years and, in thanks, she gave the auxiliary a substantial donation. The charter was draped for our dear departed sister, Otilie M. Kubbe, who went to her heavenly home on January 27 and a donation was made to Hope Lutheran Church for the funeral luncheon.

District dues in the amount of \$23 were paid. President Kathy Vichunas stated that she was contacted by Judy Johnson, a woodcrafter in Alpena, about the patriotic "Uncle Sam" pins that she makes and sells for \$2 each. Johnson donates 25 cents from the sale of each pin to the Alpena VA Clinic through the Am. Vets Post No. 2497. As a result, the members authorized the purchase of 24 pins.

President Vichunas advised the District 11 meeting was scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 6, in Harrison, Mich. and reported that Marie Rhines asked her to "interview a veteran." To be timely, President Vichunas interviewed her husband, Al, who served in the U.S. Air Force. The next auxiliary meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 1.

# Area Church Directory

## St. Andrew's Episcopal Church



Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd.,  
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9:30 a.m. Sunday service

## GREENBUSH COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

**2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross**  
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Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

## Family Heritage Baptist Church

4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light)  
Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • [www.church72.org](http://www.church72.org)  
Sunday Worship Services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
• Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Wed. 6:30 p.m. Patch the Pirate Club  
Wed. 7 p.m. Midweek Service (Bible Study & Prayer Service)

## New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)

**Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.**  
Hubbard Lake Rd.,  
¾ mile south of White Pine National Golf Course  
Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816

## Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)

Church Street at Traverse Bay Road  
Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227  
Pastor Michael Sheppard ~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

## ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6891 Nicholson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747  
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m.  
Pastor Robert L. Mikkelsen • (989) 727-2496

## Our Savior Lutheran Church

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## Haynes Community Church

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## Lincoln United Methodist Church



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Pastor Tracy Brooks  
Parsonage 724-6266 ~ Church 736-6910

## First Baptist Church of Lincoln



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### For the Week of February 6-12, 2011

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#### Complaint Statistics

Traffic	8	Car/Deer	4
Property Damage Accident	3	General Assistance	3
False Alarm	3	Domestic	1
Animal	2	Patrol Check	2
Found Property	1	Larceny	2
Mal. Destruction of Property	2	Personal Injury Accident	1
Threats	3	Warrant Arrest	3
Assault	1	Kenel Inspection	1
Miscellaneous	2	Illegal Burn	1
Lost Property	1		

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#### Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	4	Caledonia	1	Curtis	5
Greenbush	7	Gustin	3	Harrisville	5
Hawes	2	Haynes	1	Mikado	6
Millen	1	Mitchell	1		
City of Harrisville 8		Village of Lincoln 0			

#### Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

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#### Super Crossword

Answers

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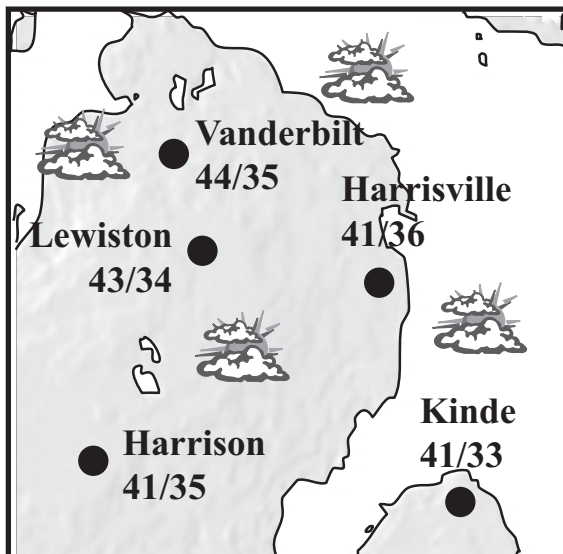
## Alcona Review Weather Report

Feb. 16, 2011

#### Seven Day Forecast

	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 41 Low: 36
	<b>THURSDAY</b> Cloudy High: 44 Low: 42
	<b>FRIDAY</b> Few Showers High: 44 Low: 21
	<b>SATURDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 29 Low: 11
	<b>SUNDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 28 Low: 22
	<b>MONDAY</b> Mostly Cloudy High: 28 Low: 21
	<b>TUESDAY</b> Partly Cloudy High: 24 Low: 15

#### Today's Regional Map



#### In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a high temperature of 41°, humidity of 81%. South wind 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 50° set in 1981. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 36°. South wind 5 mph. The record low for tonight is -25° set in 1963.

#### \*Last Week's Almanac

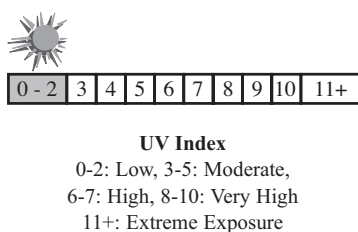
Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	25	10	27/8	0.02"
Tuesday	17	4	27/8	0.00"
Wednesday	18	4	27/9	0.01"
Thursday	19	-2	27/9	0.00"
Friday	24	-10	27/9	0.00"
Saturday	28	19	27/9	0.02"
Sunday	44	24	28/9	0.00"

\*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

#### Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

	Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	
Full 2/18	Wednesday	7:32 a.m.	6:03 p.m.	4:20 p.m.	6:12 a.m.	
	Thursday	7:30 a.m.	6:05 p.m.	5:40 p.m.	6:45 a.m.	
	Friday	7:29 a.m.	6:06 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.	
	Saturday	7:27 a.m.	6:07 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	7:43 a.m.	
Last 2/24	Sunday	7:26 a.m.	6:09 p.m.	9:40 p.m.	8:11 a.m.	
	Monday	7:24 a.m.	6:10 p.m.	10:58 p.m.	8:40 a.m.	
	Tuesday	7:22 a.m.	6:11 p.m.	No Rise	9:13 a.m.	

#### Local UV Index



#### National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies with scattered rain and snow today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 62° in East St. Louis, Ill. The Southeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 78° in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The Northwest will see widespread rain and snow today and Thursday, isolated rain and snow Friday, with the highest temperature of 45° in Billings, Mont. The Southwest will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies with scattered showers today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 85° in Artesia, N.M.

#### Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	7:28 a.m.	5:20 p.m.
Venus	5:14 a.m.	2:24 p.m.
Mars	7:33 a.m.	5:44 p.m.
Jupiter	9:02 a.m.	9:14 p.m.
Saturn	10:05 p.m.	9:41 a.m.
Uranus	8:46 a.m.	8:41 p.m.

#### Weather History

**Feb. 16, 1989** - A surge of arctic air produced all-time record high barometric pressure readings of 31.08 inches at Duluth, Minn., 30.97 inches at Chicago and 30.94 inches at South Bend, Indiana. Unseasonably warm weather prevailed across the southeastern United States.

#### Weather Trivia

What is the blinding effect of a blizzard called? ?

**Answer:** White out.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - High Winter Sky Upon Us

Have you noticed the days lengthening and that extra bit of afternoon warmth trapped in your car by the time you leave work? The next 60 days are going to see some major changes—nearly 2-1/2 hours more daylight, and the sun climbing over 20 degrees higher in the sky at noon. It is also that transition period when we can get some of our biggest snowfalls; so don't think that this is any prognostication for an early spring even though Punxsutawney Phil predicted the end of winter was near. I call this the time of high winter because, if you venture out of doors right after dark, the winter group of constellations will be spread out before you like a splash of bright glitter high in the south. Orion, the Hunter, is the centerpiece with its three tipped belt stars, Mintaka (top), Alnilam (middle), and Alnitak (bottom) pointing downward towards Sirius, the brightest luminary of the night and upward to Aldebaran, the reddish eye of the Bull. Continue past the eye to the Pleiades nestled on Taurus' shoulder like a tiny patch of frozen breath in the cold night air. Orion's red shoulder star, Betelgeuse, and diamond blue, Rigel, sling you upward to mortal Castor and immortal Pollux, the two faithful Gemini Twin brothers. Amidst all of this brightness will also be the moon in the Winter Group during the first half of the week and to its left after Wednesday. Above Orion and nearly scraping the zenith is Capella of Auriga, the Charioteer. They won't be around for too much longer. Not only does the daily plodding of earth's position around the sun cause these star patterns to set four minutes earlier each night, but the later sunsets also bring these same stars into visibility later each evening. The rapid changes that will herald the onset of spring will also be manifested in just as rapid an exiting of the old guard. See a map of winter's finest in this week's web edition of StarWatch at [www.astronomy.org](http://www.astronomy.org)

## Middle School Honor Roll

The following students were named to the Alcona Middle School Principal's List and Honor Roll for the second marking period.

#### Seventh Grade

##### Principal's Honor Roll

Sara Blohm, 4.00; Catilynn Dzuris, 3.95; Jessica Grove, 3.78; Alexandra Lask, 3.95; Sydney Pierce, 3.83; Ashley Pyle, 3.80; Kaitlin Schellie, 3.90; Nathaniel Swinson, 3.78; Alissa Terpstra, 3.72.

##### Honor Roll

Jewel Beveridge, 3.00; Piet Botha, 3.23; Jesse Collins, 3.05; William Collins, 3.00; Claire Feldhiser, 3.27; Coda Gallagher, 3.62; Jacob Gombos, 3.07; Brooke Harmon, 3.43; Torie Harmon, 3.38; Mitchel Havercroft, 3.62; Noah Kenworthy, 3.38; Harlie Lafond, 3.55; Jenna Peterson, 3.02; Jeffery Schram, 3.12; Elaina Thomas, 3.68; Kyle Thum, 3.00; Isaak VonFintel, 3.12; Lauren Yokom, 3.68; Samantha Zerbst, 3.40.

#### Eighth Grade

##### Principal's Honor Roll

Victoria Burns, 3.83; Jacob Campbell, 3.73; Kayla Hampton, 4.00; Alexis Higgins, 4.00; George Hirschfeld IV, 3.88; Trenton LaVergne, 3.83; Maire MacMaster, 4.00; Sage McDermott, 3.83; Katelyn Nelson, 3.83; Shannon Oliver, 3.95; Hannah Riggs, 3.95; Samantha Schopfer, 3.95; Morgan Stewart, 3.85; Nicole Walen, 3.95; Kalie Zerbst, 3.73.

##### Honor Roll

Dan Allen, 3.05; Mykala Basner, 3.33; Alexis Bloomfield, 3.67; Aaron Carrasco, 3.28; Kendra Cole, 3.62; Leigh Gibson, 3.28; Sabrina Hayes, 3.22; Martha Johnson, 3.18; Skyla Krcmarik, 3.40; Chase Matthews, 3.03; Cheyenne Parkinson, 3.28; Alan Pawloski, 3.40; Jacob Radermacher, 3.18; Brandon Ritchie, 3.62; Ryan Shultz, 3.50; Brandon Smigleski, 3.23; Brandon Sweet, 3.52; Seth Tulgetske, 3.20.

# TRIVIA TEST

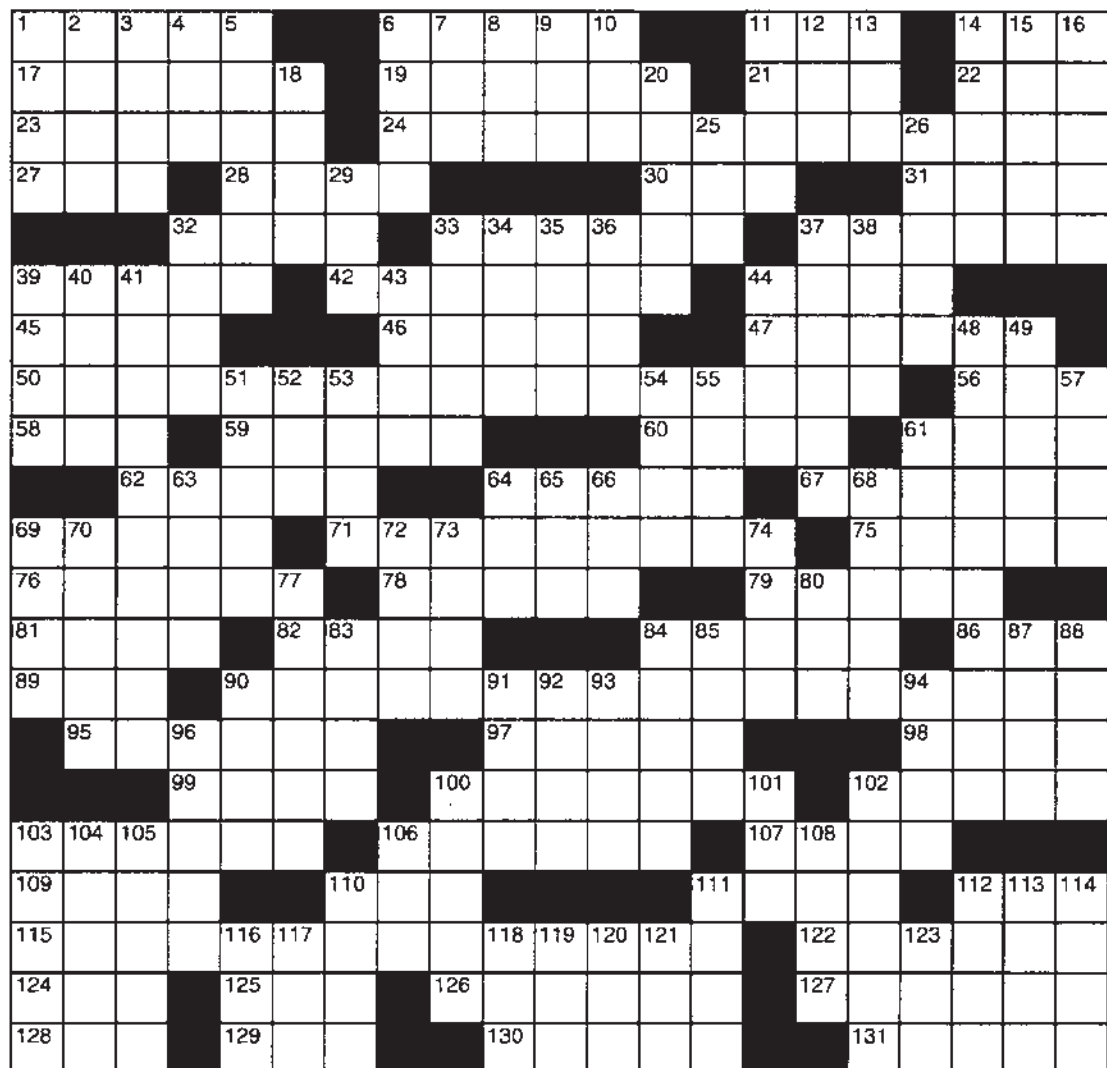
By Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. GEOGRAPHY:** The North Sea is a part of what larger body of water?
- 2. MOVIES:** Who directed the movie "Nashville"?
- 3. COMICS:** What was the name of Clark Kent's boss at "The Daily Planet"?
- 4. THEATER:** How many Pulitzer Prizes did Eugene O'Neill win in his lifetime?
- 5. BIBLE:** What was the name of Abraham's wife?
- 6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What was the name of the apartment building where John Lennon lived before he was murdered?
- 7. ANATOMY:** Where are the adrenal glands located?
- 8. HISTORY:** What revolution did Ernesto "Che" Guevara helped lead?
- 9. U.S. PRESIDENTS:** Which U.S. president helped organize the Rough Riders cavalry?
- 10. BUSINESS:** Which company has the nickname "Big Blue"?

Answers: 1. Atlantic Ocean; 2. Robert Altman; 3. Perry White; 4. Four; 5. Sarah; 6. The Dakota; 7. On top of the kidneys; 8. Cuban Revolution; 9. Teddy Roosevelt; 10. IBM (c) 2011 King Features Synd., Inc.

## Super Crossword BLUE GENES

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| <p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1 Plot</p> <p>6 Philanthropist</p> <p>11 Send out a page</p> <p>14 Highlander's headgear</p> <p>17 Vision-related</p> <p>19 Likes a lot</p> <p>21 Barcelona bravo</p> <p>22 "I — Rock" ('66 song)</p> <p>23 A few words</p> <p>24 Start of a remark by Laurence J. Peter</p> <p>27 Itch</p> <p>28 Loaf part</p> <p>30 Dram</p> <p>31 Emcee</p> <p>32 Swiss sharp-shooter</p> <p>33 Like feta</p> <p>37 Feta</p> <p>39 Oscar or Tony</p> <p>42 Fragrant plant</p> <p>44 Mets' milieu</p> <p>45 Isolated</p> <p>46 Spud state</p> <p>47 97 Across singer</p> <p>50 Part 2 of remark</p> <p>56 Seal school</p> <p>58 Actress Massen</p> | <p>59 TV's "The — Limits"</p> <p>60 Animosity</p> <p>61 Nimble</p> <p>62 Printer's proof</p> <p>64 Be buoyant</p> <p>67 Hindu duty</p> <p>69 Word form for "milk"</p> <p>71 Invalidated</p> <p>75 City on the Allegheny</p> <p>76 Storm</p> <p>78 Bounded</p> <p>79 Smiley's "A Thousand —"</p> <p>81 Medical suffix</p> <p>82 Spirit</p> <p>84 Gogol's "— Butba"</p> <p>86 Jack of "Barney Miller"</p> <p>89 Ocasek of The Cars</p> <p>90 Part 3 of remark</p> <p>95 Principles</p> <p>97 "Here You Come —" ('77 hit)</p> <p>98 Hellman's "The Children's —"</p> <p>99 Duel tool</p> <p>100 Desk accessory</p> <p>102 On edge</p> <p>103 Stick-in-the-mud?</p> | <p>106 Free tickets</p> <p>107 Pavarotti piece</p> <p>109 Third-rate</p> <p>110 Halloween decoration</p> <p>111 Yogi or Smokey</p> <p>112 Political abbr.</p> <p>115 End of remark</p> <p>122 Dolphin Dan</p> <p>124 Kind</p> <p>125 Flagon filler</p> <p>126 Proof-reader's list</p> <p>127 Leisurely, to Liszt</p> <p>128 Singer Brenda</p> <p>129 Literary pseudonym</p> <p>130 Sotti's stick</p> <p>131 Wharton or Sitwell</p> | <p><b>DOWN</b></p> <p>1 Duplicate</p> <p>2 Want badly</p> <p>3 Overdo a tan</p> <p>4 — carte</p> <p>5 Tied tightly</p> <p>6 "The Witches" author</p> <p>7 Horatian creation</p> <p>8 Neither's partner</p> <p>9 Vein contents</p> <p>10 Word with carpet or cabbage</p> <p>11 Racing legend</p> <p>12 Boxing legend</p> <p>13 Makes one's mark</p> <p>14 Resort lake</p> <p>15 Pile up</p> <p>16 Lusterless</p> <p>18 Virginia —</p> <p>20 Alaskan city</p> <p>25 Italian greyhound, e.g.</p> <p>26 Bread ingredient</p> <p>29 Wee one</p> <p>32 "— bien!"</p> <p>33 Chest material</p> <p>34 Get wind of</p> <p>35 Tennis legend</p> <p>36 A roaring success?</p> <p>37 Rubbed the wrong way?</p> <p>38 Juno, in Greece</p> <p>39 Pius</p> <p>40 Troubles</p> <p>41 Penguins' place</p> <p>43 Ready to eat</p> <p>44 Detect</p> <p>48 Tyranny</p> <p>49 With 101 Down, '79 Sally Field film</p> | <p>51 Subject matter</p> <p>52 "Ben—" ('59 film)</p> <p>53 School founded by Henry VI</p> <p>54 Siamese</p> <p>55 Fill to the gills</p> <p>57 Actress Cannon</p> <p>61 Mall event</p> <p>63 Homeric characters</p> <p>64 So. state</p> <p>65 Mouth piece?</p> <p>66 Habitually, to Herrick</p> <p>68 Neighbor?</p> <p>69 Den</p> <p>70 Upstairs basement?</p> <p>72 — Bator</p> <p>73 Singer Horne</p> <p>74 Irritated exclamation</p> <p>77 More enthusiastic</p> <p>80 Scoundrel</p> <p>83 — majesty</p> <p>84 Ridicules</p> <p>85 Superior</p> <p>87 Burden of proof</p> <p>88 Brute</p> <p>90 "— the mornin'"</p> <p>91 Guys' counterparts</p> | <p>92 Corporate clashers</p> <p>93 Bank statistic</p> <p>94 Big bird</p> <p>96 Indira Gandhi's father</p> <p>100 Enjoy the beach</p> <p>101 See</p> <p>102 Diatribe</p> <p>103 "To fetch — . . ."</p> <p>104 Clavell's "— House"</p> <p>105 Alistair or Sam</p> <p>106 Part of PST</p> <p>108 Sita's husband</p> <p>110 Dylan's colleague</p> <p>111 Fiber source</p> <p>112 Leslie Caron role</p> <p>113 Step — (hurry)</p> <p>114 Cry of contempt</p> <p>116 Check</p> <p>117 Jeff Lynne's grp.</p> <p>118 Sphere</p> <p>119 Singing syllable</p> <p>120 It may be tipped</p> <p>121 WWII area</p> <p>123 "Great!"</p> |
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### MOMENTS IN TIME

#### The History Channel

• On March 3, 1887, Anne Sullivan begins teaching 6-year-old Helen Keller, who lost her sight and hearing after a severe illness at the age of 19 months. Under Sullivan's tutelage, Keller flourished, eventually graduating from college and becoming an international lecturer and activist.

• On March 6, 1899, the Imperial Patent Office in Berlin registers Aspirin (acetylsalicylic acid) on behalf of the German pharmaceutical company Friedrich Bayer & Co. The brand name came from "a" for acetyl, "spir" from the spirea plant (a source of salicin) and the suffix "in," commonly used for medications.

• On March 2, 1904, Theodor Geisel, better known to the world as Dr. Seuss, is born in Springfield, Mass. Geisel's first book, "And to Think That I Saw It On Mulberry Street," was rejected by more than two dozen publishers before making it into print in 1937.

• On March 1, 1932, Charles Lindbergh III, the 20-month-old son of aviation hero Charles Lindbergh, is kidnapped from the family's new mansion in Hopewell, N.J. Days later the baby's lifeless body was discovered near the Lindbergh home.

• On Feb. 28, 1940, Mario Andretti, whose name will become synonymous with American auto racing, is born in Montona, Italy. His long list of achievements includes a Formula One World Championship and wins at the Indianapolis 500, Daytona 500 and Pikes Peak Hill Climb.

• On March 4, 1966, a John Lennon quotation that was ignored in England sets off a media frenzy in America: "We're more popular than Jesus now." Bible Belt disc jockeys declared Lennon's remarks blasphemous and vowed an eternal ban on all Beatles music, past, present and future.

• On March 5, 1977, the Dial-a-President radio program, featuring President Jimmy Carter and CBS news anchorman Walter Cronkite, airs for the first time. Carter answered calls from all over the country from his desk in the Oval Office. Some 9 million calls flooded the CBS radio studio during the two-hour broadcast.

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### STRANGE BUT TRUE

#### By Samantha Weaver

• It was British author and publisher Ernest Benn who made the following observation: "Politics is the art of looking for trouble, finding it whether it exists or not, diagnosing it incorrectly, and applying the wrong remedy."

• If you live in Michigan, make sure you keep this in mind: If you want to hunt with a slingshot, you'll need a special license.

• If you took all the other planets in our solar system and rolled them into one big ball, that ball would fit inside the gas giant Jupiter.

• The next time you're heading to Chicago, plan a stop in the nearby town of Niles. While there you can visit the Leaning Tower of Niles, a recently renovated half-size replica of the somewhat more famous Leaning Tower of Pisa. The attraction was built in 1934 by industrialist Robert Ilg as part of a recreation park for employees of his Hot Air Electric Ventilating Company of Chicago.

• Although Billy the Kid was a notorious 19th-century outlaw, he never robbed a store, a stagecoach, a bank or a train.

• A flea can jump 13 inches in a single leap. That may not seem like much, but to achieve a comparable feat, you would have to make a 700-foot jump.

• Those who wish to cut federal spending today might want to take note of this historical fact: In 1790, United States senators earned a grand total of \$6 per day — and only when Congress was in session.

• The ancient Romans appreciated smooth, hairless skin — but to get that look they used pumice stones to sand off the hair. Ouch.

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Thought for the Day: "It is absurd to divide people into good and bad. People are either charming or tedious." — Oscar Wilde

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★**

★ Moderate    ★★ Challenging  
★★★ HOO BOY!

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To: John E. Sluka and Carolyn B. Sluka, 1747 West M-72 Barton City, MI 48705, County Alcona. State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orleans Associates, P.C Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041, (248) 502-1331.

You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: ([www.mshda.info/](http://www.mshda.info/)

counseling\_search/), telephone (517) 373-8370, TTY No. (800) 382-4568. If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is (800) 968-0738. Dated: February 16, 2011  
 Orleans Associates P.C Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 280.5609 ASAP No. FNMA3911694 2-16

## State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 11-4918 DE

Estate of Emerson Otto Savage  
 Date of birth: December 16, 1928  
 To all creditors:  
 Notice to creditors: The decedent, Emerson Otto Savage, who lived at 3650 Bissonette Road, Glennie, Mich. died December 27, 2010. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the

estate will be forever barred unless presented to Steven M. Savage, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at P.O. Box 328, Harrisville and the named/proposed personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.  
 Date: February 9, 2011  
 Steven M. Savage  
 3650 Bissonette Road  
 Glennie, MI 48737  
 (989) 735-0072

## CALEDONIA TWP. MINUTES

The regular Caledonia Township Board meeting on February 9 was called to order by supervisor Brown with the pledge to the flag. Present: Brown, Timm, Thornton, Ott and Scott and zoning administrator Nancy Beck. Also present seven citizens. Motion to approve agenda with additions. Motion to approve the minutes of January 12. Correspondence: MTA Training, Truth and Taxation. Motion to pay the bills. Motion to place treasurer's report on file.

Planning Commission report: They are working on the rewrite of Outdoor & Open Burning Ordinance to comply with the April 1, law change. They will review the Right to Farm Act for discussion at the next meeting. Next Tri-Township meeting is February 24.

Zoning administrator report: Nancy took pictures and sent letters for all the signs in township, some will be removed others will be painted. Thunder Bay Power: Our attorney suggested some changes in their proposed parking agreement and they were accepted. Motion to sign parking agreement with Thunder

Bay Power Company as presented and to allow access from our Northend Park through Walden Properties to the dam. Motion that we have 25 copies of edited ordinance printed at Model Printing and also to reimburse K. Vichunas \$200, for compiling and typing. Motion to appoint Ken Hubbard to the zoning board of appeals. Motion to adjourn at 7:30 p.m.

All motions at the meeting were passed. This synopsis published prior to board approval. Planning commission meets March 7. Our website is [Caledoniatwp.net](http://Caledoniatwp.net).

Helen Timm, Clerk

## ALCONA TWP. SYNOPSIS

Alcona Township's February board meeting was called to order by Supervisor Carlin at 7 p.m. with a pledge to the flag. Roll call was taken. Present: Carlin, LaLonde, Gauthier, MacNeill and Mead. Clerk's minutes and treasurer's report was filed. Motions to pay bills as presented; to appoint Jack Bare and Dave Tacia to a two year term on the planning committee and Doug Kuffert to a two year term on the zoning board of appeals. All motions passed.

Dawn LaLonde, Clerk  
 This synopsis published prior to board approval.

## FOR RENT

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## FOR SALE

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 & Monuments  
 Call Rich Gillies  
 in Lincoln  
 736-8195**

## SALES

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## THANK YOU

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### Notice of Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Andrew T. and Andrea E. Chodorowski, husband and wife, of 39237 Della Rosa Drive, Sterling Heights, Mich. 48313 to First Federal of Northern Michigan, 100 South Second Avenue, Alpena, Michigan 49707, dated February 12, 1999 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona, and state of Michigan, on February 19, 1999 in Liber 329, pages 250-255, on which there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal, interest and late fees, the sum of \$97,430.76.

As no suit or other legal proceedings have been filed to recover the debt secured by the mortgage; Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the state of Michigan, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2011 at 10 o'clock a.m. the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the west entrance to the county building in the city of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan of that premises described in

the mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, on the mortgage, with interest thereon at the contract rate and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises are described as follows: Situated in the township of Hawes, county of Alcona, state of Michigan, described as:

East ½ of the northwest ¼ of Section 33, T27N, R8E, excepting that portion of the captioned property deeded in highway deed recorded in Liber 20 of deeds, page 403, Alcona County records. The redemption period shall be one (1) year from the date of the sale unless the property is determined to be abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a.

Bodman PLC  
Dated: January 26, 2011  
By: Sandra L. Jasinski (P37430)  
Debt Collector for First Federal of Northern Michigan  
229 Court Street, P.O. Box 405  
Cheboygan, MI 49721  
(231) 627-8000  
1-26, 2-2, 2-9, 2-16, 2-23

#### Case No. 10-1577-CH

Notice of Judicial Foreclosure Sale on a Monetary Judgment, Judgment of Foreclosure, and Other Relief Against Defendant Estate of Betty Jo Gilmore

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of a monetary judgment, judgment of foreclosure, and other relief of the circuit court for the county of Alcona, state of Michigan signed and filed on January 4, 2011, in the case of First Federal of Northern Michigan, Plaintiff v Estate of Betty Jo Gilmore, Defendant, Case No. 10-1577-CH, wherein, among other things, the court allowed the foreclosure of a mortgage granted by Betty Jo Gilmore (mortgagor) to First Federal of Northern Michigan on December 22, 2005 and recorded January 23, 2006 in Liber 427, page 290, Alcona County records, in an attempt to satisfy a monetary judgment in the amount of \$104,718.14 against the estate of mortgagor, through the date of first publication of this notice.

Pursuant to the default judgment and judgment for foreclosure, the mortgaged premises shall be sold at a public auction

by or under the direction of clerk/sheriff for the county of Alcona to the highest bidder at the Alcona County Courthouse, 106 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 on Wednesday, March 23, 2011 at 10 a.m., local time. The following described mortgaged premises: Lots 13 and 14 of Block 32 of Lost Lake Woods Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, pages 59, 61 and 63, Alcona County records.

The mortgaged premises, whose address is 4175 N. Ash Road, Lincoln, Michigan 48742, also include all right, title and interests held by Betty Jo Gilmore as of December 22, 2005 in the mortgaged premises.

The premises may be redeemed during the six months following the date of sale.  
Bodman PLC  
By: Sandra L. Jasinski (P37430)  
Attorneys for First Federal of Northern Michigan  
229 Court Street, P.O. Box 405  
Cheboygan, Michigan 49721  
(231) 627-8000  
Date: February 2, 2011  
2-2, 2-9, 2-16, 2-23, 3-2, 3-9, 3-16

#### 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.

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 has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kristin Heather Lask a married woman, original mortgagor(s), to Mac-Clair Mortgage Corporation, mortgagee, dated May 8, 2003, and recorded on May 9, 2003 in Liber 382 on page 261, and assigned by said mortgagee to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty thousand three hundred fourteen and 82/100 dollars (\$50,314.82), including interest at 6.375 percent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such

case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on March 9, 2011.

Said premises are situated in Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: South 99 feet of Lot 10 of Block 27 of the Village of Lincoln, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 17, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six 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.

Dated: February 9, 2011  
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1304  
Trott & Trott, P.C.  
Attorneys For Servicer  
31440 Northwestern Highway,  
Suite 200  
Farmington Hills, Michigan  
48334-2525  
File No. 359369F01  
2-9, 2-16, 2-23, 3-2

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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 has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Mark A. Davis and Patricia L. Davis, husband and wife, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, mortgagee, dated December 28, 2005, and recorded on May 1, 2006 in Liber 430 on page 401, and assigned by said mort-

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Mortgage sale - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by David A. Witt, husband and wife as joint tenants, mortgagors, to Long Beach Mortgage Company, mortgagee, dated the 11th day of May, 2005 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on the 18th day of May, 2005 in Liber 416 of Alcona County records, page 1, 101, said mortgage having been assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2005-WL2 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of thirty seven thousand twenty five and 71/100 (\$37,025.71), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

#### 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.

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 has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Bradley R. Daggett, a single man and Melissa L. Daggett, a single woman, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., mortgagee, dated October 27, 2003, and recorded on November 24, 2003 in Liber 393 on page 1,143, and assigned by said mortgagee to BAC Home Loans Servicing, L.P. as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred

#### Case No. 10-1552-CH

Notice of Judicial Foreclosure Sale on a Stipulated Judgment of Foreclosure and for Other Relief Against Defendant Albert E. Sparling.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of a Stipulated Judgment of Foreclosure and for Other Relief of the Circuit Court for the County of Alcona, State of Michigan signed on January 14, 2011 and filed on January 20, 2011, in the case of First Federal of Northern Michigan, plaintiff v Albert E. Sparling, defendant, Case No. 10-1552-CH, wherein, among other things, the court allowed the foreclosure of a mortgage granted by Albert E. Sparling (mortgagor) to First Federal of Northern Michigan on August 3, 2007 and recorded August 13, 2007 in Liber 444, pages 963-981, Alcona

County records, in an attempt to satisfy a monetary judgment in the amount of \$262,442.47 against the mortgagor, through the date of first publication of this notice.

Pursuant to the Stipulated Judgment for Foreclosure, the mortgaged premises shall be sold at a public auction by or under the direction of clerk/sheriff for the county of Alcona to the highest bidder at the main entrance to the Alcona County Courthouse, 106 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 on Wednesday, March 30, 2011 at 10 a.m., local time. The following described mortgaged premises: Situated in Caledonia Township, in the county of Alcona, state of Michigan, and more particularly described as: Lot 8 of Supervisor's Subdivision of Kroupa property, according to the recorded plat

located thereon, situated in the township of Greenbush, county of Alcona, state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 30 of Huron Cedar Lake Subdivision according to the recorded plat thereof as found in Liber 1 of Plats pages 83-84, Alcona County records.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed, except that in the event that the property is determined to be abandoned pursuant to MCLA 600.3241a, the property may be redeemed during 30 days immediately following the sale. Dated: 2-2-2011  
Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2005-WL2  
Mortgagee  
Fabrizio & Brook, P.C.  
Attorney for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2005-WL2  
888 W. Big Beaver,  
Suite 800  
Troy, MI 48084 (248) 362-2600  
2-2, 2-9, 2-16, 2-23

Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land, including any and all structures, and homes, manufactured or otherwise,

sixteen thousand eighty-seven and 56/100 dollars (\$116,087.56), including interest at four percent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on March 9, 2011.

Said premises are situated in township of Gustin, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 2 commencing at the southwest corner of Section 2, Town 26 North, Range 8 East, thence north 01 degrees 53 minutes 55 seconds west along the west line of said section and the centerline of McConnell Road 669.06 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing north 01 degrees 53 minutes 55 seconds west along said west line and said centerline 324.71 feet; thence north 89 degrees 44 minutes 47 seconds east 1,343.15 feet; thence south 01 degrees 50 minutes 58

seconds east along the west 1/8 line of said section 324.70 feet; thence south 89 degrees 44 minutes 47 seconds west 1,342.87 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the southwest 1/4 of the southwest 1/4 of Section 2, Town 26 North, Range 8 East. According to the survey dated December 8, 1997, prepared by John Oliver, R.L.S.

The redemption period shall be 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.

Dated: February 9, 2011  
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1302  
Trott & Trott, P.C.  
Attorneys For Servicer  
31440 Northwestern Highway,  
Suite 200  
Farmington Hills, Michigan  
48334-2525  
File No. 359392F01  
2-9, 2-16, 2-23, 3-2

thereof, as recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, page 26 of the Alcona County records. The mortgaged premises, whose address is 581 Oak Street, Hubbard Lake, Michigan 49747, also include all right, title and interests held by Albert E. Sparling as of August 3, 2007 in the mortgaged premises.

The premises may be redeemed during the six (6) months following the date of sale.  
Bodman PLC  
By: Sandra L. Jasinski (P37430)  
Attorneys for First Federal of Northern Michigan  
229 Court Street, P.O. Box 405  
Cheboygan, Michigan 49721  
(231) 627-8000  
Date: February 9, 2011  
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## VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, Feb. 7 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting was opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those in attendance included president Jordan, treasurer Kossa, clerk Somers, deputy clerk/treasurer Stutzman and council members, Gauthier, Gillies, Lask, Naylor and Stutzman. Council member Somers was absent from the meeting. Also present were several guests and attorney Cook. The minutes of the January meeting were approved on a motion from Lask, with support from Stutzman. The treasurer's report was approved subject to audit on a motion from Gauthier with support from Gillies.

Ron Kennard appeared before the council on behalf of the Brownlee Lake Association. They are requesting a letter of support from the village council. The group has applied for several grants for funding to help defray costs of installation of an aeration system on the lake. President Jordan read a letter of support that he has drafted on behalf of the village council. The letter will be placed on village letter head and turned over to Ron for submission. Ron stated that they are currently waiting for news about how much money will be given from Washington, they have done all they can and now it is a waiting game.

Leroy Hall, fire chief, stated that he has received two letters of resignation from Roger MacNeill, medical first responder chief and Paul Kramer, assistant fire chief. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Gauthier, to accept the resignations effective immediately. A motion was made by Lask, with support from Naylor, to accept Scott DuBay as the new assistant fire chief. Leroy stated that he and Scott will work together to handle the duties of medical first responder chief. A motion was made by Gillies, with support from Stutzman, to allow Leroy Hall and Scott DuBay to work together to assume the duties of medical first responder chief jointly. Leroy presented village council members with information regarding the costs necessary to complete work on the new brush rig. Jordan stated that he would like to have the group look over their budget and see what can be done to fund the remaining portion that is necessary. Leroy gave an update on issues with equipment that needs work and also on activity within the department.

Old business: Stutzman stated that the snowmobile races will be held on February 27 and 28 at the ARA site. The following weekend will see vintage snowmobile races also at the ARA site. Jordan stated that he has been contacted by Pat Nelson regarding work on the new ball diamonds. Pat will appear at the next council meeting to discuss details of what is needed. Stutzman stated that there is a list of needs for the Civil War reenactment ceremonies that are hopefully going to be brought to the village. A discussion was held regarding the streetscape project that is upcoming. Jordan stated that it will be beautiful when it is completed. Work is slated to begin in mid April.

Individual reports were given by council members. Jordan asked each person what they have intentions of working on during this year. Stutzman stated that he would like to work to make a flower bed under the quilt sign at the Flights of Imaginations playground area. He also stated that he would like to see about putting in drinking fountains at the play area and ball diamonds. Jordan suggested that John get prices together and bring it back to the full council next month. Gauthier stated that she is currently work-

ing on the Everett Schram memorial ball field dedication. She also intends to get further involved in the Streetscape project. Gillies stated that she would like to work on putting together a map for businesses in the community. Naylor stated that he would like to get more involved in all areas involving community projects. Lask stated that she would like to get more involved in the LAMP project that she is to spearhead. Jordan stated that perhaps new signs need to be ordered to signify the starting and ending points for the project. Jordan stated that the village of Lincoln belongs to everyone here and we need to all work together to improve it. He challenged council members to work together to make good decisions and be involved in their community. Mary Kossa, village treasurer has taken on the job of helping to organize the Civil War reenactment. Mary has been working with Marcia Simmons to invite the reenactors to Lincoln. Letters were read that will be submitted on behalf of the village. She stated that people will be scouting the area to see if they are interested in coming here. A motion was made by Lask, with support from Gillies, to support Civil War reenactment ceremonies being brought to the Village of Lincoln. Carried.

An ordinance to amend the original sewer ordinance was presented by President Jordan: The ordinance follows:  
Resolution to Amend  
Village of Lincoln  
Sewer Ordinance No. 87-2  
Whereas: The Village of Lincoln adopted the sewer connection Ordinance No. 87-2 on April 7, 1987, and amended the same on July 5, 1994 and,

Whereas, said ordinance governs sewer use within the Village of Lincoln and said ordinance originally assigned the number of units applicable to each user based upon the usage anticipated when the ordinance was adopted in 1987 and,  
Whereas, the character and nature of the users in the Village of Lincoln has changed and the Village of Lincoln is now desirous of amending the number of units paid for each user to conform with current usage of property within the Village of Lincoln, and to eliminate user fees for those buildings which have been removed from the property, and

Whereas, the Village of Lincoln retained the right to amend the number of units assessed to each year by resolution to reflect changes in the actual use being conducted by said user on the system, now therefore: It is hereby resolved that the Village of Lincoln connection ordinance No. 87-2 is hereby amended to modify the number of units being assessed to each user and to eliminate those owners which are no longer using the system as set forth on the attached list which also incorporates the number of units to be assessed to each user, effective April 1, 2011.

All other provisions of this ordinance including the per unit charges as passed and amended by the Village of Lincoln are hereby ratified and shall remain in full force and effect.

This resolution passed by the Village of Lincoln Council this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 2011.

A motion to pass a resolution to amend the Sewer Ordinance No. 87-2 was made by Gauthier with support from Lask. Roll call vote: Gauthier, aye; Gillies, aye; Lask aye; Naylor aye; Stutzman aye. Absent was Somers. Resolution adopted. Following is the updated list of customers on the sewer system for the Village of Lincoln

Name	No. of Units
1. Scott Latham	1
2. Kirk Belt	1
3. Lincoln Truck/SUV	1
4. Bobick/Jack's Garage	1

5. B & M Bldg/gone	0
6. Gustin Township	1
7. David Fialkowski	1
8. Ralph Diamond	1
9. Durfee's Restaurant	3.6
10. Mary Ross	1
11. John McClellan	1
12. Bradley Cole	1
13. DDA/Autoparts/ gone	0
14. Gary Becker	1
15. No Number 15	0
16. Dick Shepard	3.6
17. DDA/Ctry Inn/gone	0
18. DDA/Stephens/gone	0
19. Ralph Diamond/gone	0
20. Jeff Erickson	1
21. Lisa Bolam	1
22. Scott Ankner	2
23. John Budreau	1
24. Craig Kilbourn	1
25. HBDA/Joe James	1
26. Post Office	1
27. Gary Becker	1
28. Verizon North	1
29. Kristin Lask	1
30. Mary Rivera	1
31. David Snyder/store	1
32. David Snyder/shop	1
33. Somers Service bldg/gone	0
34. Alcona Motors/main bldg	4
35. Lincoln Outdoor Ctr.	2
36. Heather's House of Hair	1
37. Lincoln Laundromat	5.5
38. DDA/Twin Lakes/gone	0
39. Kohler's Flowers	1
40. Alcona Motors/bodyshop	0
41. Alcona Auto	2
42. Village of Lincoln/Skiver	0
43. Methodist Church	1

President Jordan noted that there were only a few customers who would see an increase in the number of units being charged. The bulk of changes will be in removing the properties on the system where there are no longer buildings supporting the sewer system.

Jordan stated that he has been in contact with Ernie Delgado to make some new signs for the village. He received a quote for \$450 to fix a sign for Barlow Road Park and also create a sign for the ball field. A motion was made by Lask, with support from Gauthier, to accept the quote and get the signs made. Jordan reminded council members about the upcoming meeting on March 3. This is a public meeting regarding the master plan. He further stated that he would like to see us have Denise Cline from NEMCOG help us to rewrite our ordinances. He said the cost of approximately \$10,000 could be paid for over a two year period.

A class for zoning and planning essential will be held in Glennie on February 15. Four people will be attending on behalf of the village. President Jordan applauded the efforts of Dick, Ray and Leonard during the recent storm. Jordan stated that the fire department will be taking the ladder from the old dock out of Brownlee Lake. Jordan asked about putting the village insurance out for bids this year. Mary will contact other agencies in the area about a price quote. A check was received from a property owner to say thanks for help in removing a tree that was cut down by Consumers Power crews. Bonny Gauthier will be taking over for president Jordan during his upcoming vacation.

A motion was made by Gauthier, with support from Stutzman, to pay the bills as presented. A motion to adjourn was made by Gauthier with support from Lask. Carried.

Linda K. Somers  
Village Clerk

## BOARD OF REVIEW

### 2011 Board of Review Public Notice March 2011 Board of Review, Alcona Township

Alcona Township Hall, 5576 US-23, Black River, MI 48721, March 14, 1-4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. and March 15, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. An organizational meeting will take place March 8. No appeals will be heard at this meeting. By board resolution residents and non-residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 14, 2011. American with Disabilities (ADA) notice. The township will provide necessary reasonable services to individual with disabilities at the board of review meeting upon seven days notice. Contact Supervisor Carlin at (989) 471-5606.

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### 2011 Board of Review Notice CITY OF HARRISVILLE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, 200 FIFTH STREET HARRISVILLE, MI 48740

The City of Harrisville Board of Review for 2011 will be held at the city clerk's office, 200 Fifth Street on the following dates:  
March 15, 2011 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
March 17, 2011 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
An organizational meeting will be held March 8, 2011 at 10:15 a.m. to examine the assessment roll. No appeals will be taken at this meeting. The board of review may meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests, and to equalize the 2011 assessments. Residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 15, 2011. The tentative ratios and the estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

Commercial	49.86	1.00000
Industrial	49.40	1.00000
Residential	9.87	1.00000
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

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### 2011 BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE Harrisville Township 114 S. Poor Farm Road Harrisville, MI 48740

The Harrisville Township Board of Review for 2011 will be held at the Harrisville Township Hall, 114 S. Poor Farm Road on the following dates:

March 15, 2011 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
March 17, 2011 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
An organizational meeting will be held March 8, 2011 at 8:00 a.m. to examine the assessment roll. No appeals will be taken at this meeting. The board of review may meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests, and to equalize the 2011 assessments. Residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 15, 2011.

The tentative ratios and the estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

Agricultural	49.74	1.00000
Commercial	49.90	1.00000
Industrial	50.00	1.00000
Residential	50.00	1.00000
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

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### 2011 Board of Review Notice Hawes Township VFW Post 8135, 2120 Trask Lake Road Barton City, MI 48705

The Hawes Township Board of Review for 2011 will be held at the VFW Post, 2120 Trask Lake Road on the following dates:  
March 14, 2011 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
March 18, 2011 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

& 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

An organizational meeting will be held March 8, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. to examine the assessment roll. No appeals will be taken at this meeting. The board of review may meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests, and to equalize the 2011 assessments. Residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 14, 2011.

The tentative ratios and the estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

Agricultural	50.00	1.00000
Commercial	49.85	1.00000
Industrial	49.65	1.00000
Residential	50.00	1.00000
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

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### 2011 Board of Review Notice Millen Township Barton City FOE 4141, 671 N Sanborn Road Barton City, MI 48705

The Millen Township Board of Review for 2011 will be held at the Barton City FOE, 671 N Sanborn Road on the following dates:

March 15, 2011 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
March 19, 2011 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

An organizational meeting will be held March 8, 2011 at 4:30 p.m. to examine the assessment roll. No appeals will be taken at this meeting. The board of review may meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests, and to equalize the 2011 assessments. Residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 15, 2011.

The tentative ratios and the estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

Agricultural	49.99	1.00000
Commercial	49.86	1.00000
Residential	49.93	1.00000
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

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### 2011 Board of Review Notice Mitchell Township 6849 W Tower Road, Curran, MI 48728

The Mitchell Township Board of Review for 2011 will be held at the Mitchell Township Hall, 6849 Tower Road on the following dates:

March 14, 2011 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
March 16, 2011 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
and 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

An organizational meeting will be held March 8, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. to examine the assessment roll. No appeals will be taken at this meeting. The board of review may meet as many more days as deemed necessary to hear questions, protests, and to equalize the 2011 assessments. Residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 14, 2011.

The tentative ratios and the estimated multipliers for each class of real property and personal property for 2011 are as follows:

Agricultural	50.00	1.00000
Commercial	49.99	1.00000
Industrial	49.87	1.00000
Residential	49.95	1.00000
Personal Property	50.00	1.00000

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