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## Teacher-coach becomes assistant principal-athletic director

**By Cheryl Peterson** 

Moving from teaching in a classroom into the role of an administrator can be a difficult transition, but for Alcona Community Schools' new assistant principal, this career change is going smoothly thanks to the support from everyone around

On July 1 Dan O'Connor became the assistant principal and athletic director for the school district. "Dan is hard working and he has a lot of creative ideas," said **Alcona Community Schools** Principal Terry Allison. "He's not afraid to share ideas. He

is from our school district and knows the students, teachers and staff so the learning curve is really low."

While he hadn't planned on moving into an administrative role this early in his teaching career, O'Connor has been preparing for this move for several years. He earned a master's degree in administration from Grand Valley State University in

"One passion I've always had was administration," O'Connor said. "I grew more interested while working with Jim Watts (retired Alcona high school principal), who I considered a mentor... This is something I always wanted to do on down the line, not six years into teaching - because I love teaching and coaching kids. That direct contact is something that I really enjoy. But, when an opportunity presents itself you have to seize the advantage and adjust," O'Connor said.

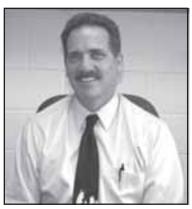
"I'm excited. I've felt welcome in this community from the minute we came here and we are excited to still be a part of it and hope to continue to make Alcona schools a great place to be," O'Connor said.

He began teaching at Alcona Community Schools in the fall of 2006, following



Dan O'Connor

spring graduation from Central Michigan University with a degree in education, majoring in English and minoring in history. During the last six



Terry Allison

years he taught high school English and history and middle school social studies with creative writing mixed in. "It seemed to change each year, which made it fun," O'Connor said. "Change is a good thing. (Change) it keeps it fun and moving in good directions."

He also began coaching girls junior varsity basketball and junior varsity baseball. He was an assistant junior varsity football coach for two years. Following the retirement of girls varsity basketball coach John Katona, O'Connor took over for three years until he accepted the assistant principal position.

Deciding to apply for the position was a "family" decision, O'Connor said. He and his wife, Ashlie, who have an 18 month old daughter, talked it through. "Without her support I could not take this leap," O'Connor said. "It's definitely a position that has time requirements, and with

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#### Boards suspend programs at Sprinkler Lake Education Center

**By Mary Weber** Staff Writer

Educational programs at Sprinkler Lake Education Center have been suspended and the annual autumn community event, Nature Fest, has been cancelled this year.

According to Brian Wilmot, superintendent of Alpena Montmorency Alcona Educational Service District (AMA ESD), the suspension of educational programs is due to economic conditions and shortfalls.

The AMA ESD holds a rolling 30 year lease for the Sprinkler Lake Education Center (SLEC) which is owned by the U.S. Forest Service, Wilmot explained. The 120 acre site, located between Mikado and Glennie in the Huron National Forest, has fully equipped

classroom facilities, five dormitories, a dining hall and was used to enhance handson education in math and science.

Wilmot said he believes the lease is renewed annually, so the term does not diminish, but was working on securing a copy of the lease to verify that information.

According to Wilmot, the decision to suspend use of the facility was made after receiving recommendations from superintendents of Alpena, Alcona and Hillman school districts.

"It is the mission of the AMA ESD to serve and support student achievement. We act as an intermediary fiduciary agent responsible for the best utilization of our resources," Wilmot said. "The AMA ESD would have liked to keep the Sprinkler Lake facility going, but we couldn't go it alone.'

Wilmot said at one time there were many schools participating in the math and science programs offered at the Sprinkler Lake site including schools in Iosco County and Kirtland and Alpena community colleges.

'With state and local funding for education diminishing, schools have had to make some tough choices on programs to enhance education to its fullest potential," Wilmot said. "Cutbacks have included the loss of many programs. Iosco pulled out (of SLEC) last year leaving only the AMA ESD, Alpena, Hillman and Alcona.'

Shawn Thornton, super-

intendent of Alcona Community Schools said, "The superintendents did, unfortunately, have to make that recommendation to the AMA ESD. We are all highly appreciative of the opportunities that Sprinkler Lake Education Center has afforded our students. However, faced with continued declining revenue from the state to support the education of our students, we had to prioritize our areas of immediate need in terms of student achievement and make tough recommendations about programs we support.

"Sprinkler Lake instruction is simply not the most cost effective model to utilize to help our students, so we

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## Varsity volleyball team places third in Oscoda Invitational

By Hope Smith

Volleyball Writer

The Alcona Varsity Volleyball team earned third place in the Oscoda Invitational Tournament on Saturday, Sept. 15 after winning seven out of 12 matches.

The Alcona Lady Tigers joined Hale, Oscoda, AuGres-Sims, Whittemore-Prescott Oscoda Volleyball Championship. The first two games started at 9 a.m. and the last match between Alcona and

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Whittemore finished around

It was a long day but tournaments like this are important as it gives local athletes a chance at a closer look at their competition. Athletes have the opportunity to play and meet a number of experienced seasoned athletes and figure out for themselves who to watch and Tawas to battle for the and how to adjust to be more competitive against them

> During the tournament each team played a total of 12 games. All games were played to 25 points, rally score, win by two, no cap. The championship and runner-up teams were determined by win loss record.

> Alcona started out splitting a match with Oscoda 25-23, 15-25. The next two games against AuGres-Sims didn't go in the Tigers favor as they trailed in both games and couldn't catch up. Plagued by missed serves and poor communication from Alcona, AuGres was able to make some key points when they needed them most. They finished 20-25, 20-25 over Alcona.

> The Tigers went on a four game winning streak against Hale 25-15, 25-14, and Hillman 25-17, 25-16, winning both games in each set.

Tawas was a different story. Alcona had trouble knocking down the ball to score and digging the ball up on defensive. The Braves were unstoppable playing remarkably well on all levels. They defeated the Tigers easily in both matches 11-25, 9-25. However, the Tigers were able to finish the day on a positive note as they defeated Whittemore-Prescott 25-15 25-15 to finish the day

Tawas worked extremely hard to capture the first place trophy with a perfect score of 12-0, Oscoda came in second place with 8-4 and Alcona finished third with 7-5. "Throughout the tournament the girls played hard to compete. They continued to show improvements in all areas of the game as they work together to strive to accomplish our team goals," said Coach Kristi Arnold.

The day was a combined team effort with Alcona's Carly Mitchell and Katelyn Nelson having 10 aces each. Karina Cole and Nelson had two blocks each. Mitchell and Cole each had 16 kills. Nikki Smith had 41 assists and Katelyn Nelson had 13 digs for the day. Alcona junior varsity team split the day with five wins and five losses.

Earlier in the week, the Ti-

gers traveled to Whittemore-Prescott on September 12 for their first Huron Shores Conference game of the season. They captured their first conference win after playing four tough matches against the Whittemore Cardinals.

Alcona led the first match sealing the deal with an ace from senior Tori Keerl. Alcona won 25-23. The second match was little more challenging, Whittemore fought back to

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Tiger Ashley Shutes is in position to score as teammates Karina Cole (12) and Nicole Smith (5) ready for a possible return. Photo by Pat Brussel.



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Abigail Lobaugh

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#### Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,

Closing Sprinkler Lake Education Center? That is so sad and so bad.

Sprinkler is the place where students and families get turned on to science. The spark of interest is so often the beginning of curiosity and the urge to learn more. Outdoor hands-on experiences start many on a life-long path of learning and caring about

portunity to share this spe-

the world around them.

The folks leading the way at Sprinkler have been there because they love nature and children. They see the connection happen and feel the interest growing. These selfless adults have given much of themselves because they are passionate about the opcial place.

We are hoping that the

that just don't get enough to

three (school districts) AMA **Educational Service District** will provide the funds to have Sprinkler open.

Em and Bob Kemnitz Glennie

(Editor's Note: Technically, educational activities at Sprinkler Lake Educational Center have been "suspended." Please see page 1 for more information on the issue.)

for 24 hours and see how you feel. Now, imagine a child going three days with no food

but still has to be at school. We can fix the problem and it's not that hard. That's why the Alcona County Backpack Program has started and thanks to many caring angels we are inching forward toward our goal.

This program will start soon. We need cash donations and any amount will get us there. Currently, \$100 buys enough food for one child the entire school year. However, the program didn't figure three day weekends and extended breaks. Simply picking up an extra jar of peanut butter or a bag of Ramen (noodles) for those times will help.

For information, see outdoorone@hotmail.com or call (989) 724-9333; ask for Marty.

> **Marty Starliper** Greenbush

To the Editor,

As you read this our politicians are plotting to cut the SNAP program which is food stamps for a lot of people. Some have already felt the cuts. President Obama states he will end childhood hunger by 2015. Now we make a problem worse and we're suppose to be fixing it?

Sadly, we have kids right here in our own backyard

Oscoda and Tawas area schools already have the backpack program up and running. Here in Alcona County we are no different. We still face hunger and it's a real issue. You can watch the program "Hunger Hits Home" on the Web. It will change your mind. If you still want proof simply stop eating food

To the Editor, A recent public opinion survey commissioned by Oral Health America revealed that Americans are more likely to take a pain killer for a toothache than to consult a dentist. Of those who don't regularly see a dentist, most (73 percent) give financial considerations as the reason.

In these tough economic times, many of us are looking for ways to cut corners and save money. No amount of money is worth sacrificing your health, however, and that includes oral health. I would like to remind your readers that brushing, flossing and maintaining regular visits to the dentist not only

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#### **Obituaries**

#### Zander C. Roberts

Zander Cage Roberts, infant son of Shawna Roberts and William Jackson, died on Sunday, Sept. 9, 2012 at home in

He was born August 21, 2012 in Ludington, Mich.

He is survived by his two sisters, Madison Roberts and Zoey Combs; his great-grandmother, Darlene Roberts of Allegan County; and his Godparents, Beth Dietlein and Doug

Arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

#### David C. Schwerin

David Charles Schwerin, 65, formerly of Glennie and Royal Oak, Mich. died on Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2012 in Orlando, Fla.

He was born March 1, 1947 in Detroit, Mich. to Ernest and Athleen (Burgess) Schwerin. He was raised in Royal Oak, Mich. and Glennie.

He served with the U.S. Marine Corps in the Vietnam War. Mr. Schwerin retired from General Dynamics Tank Arsenal in Warren, Mich.

He was a member of American Legion Post No. 242 of Orlando, Fla. and the VFW.

Mr. Schwerin is survived by one son, Cameron Schwerin of Shelby Township, Mich.; three daughters, Kim (Dave) Witherspoon of West Branch, Mich., LeAnn Knott of Holt, Mich. and Andrea (Mike) Grimmett of Gladwin, Mich.; seven grandchildren; two brothers, Clay Schwerin and Jack (Simone) Schwerin, both of St. Helen, Mich.; one sister, MonaRae (Truman) Thorton of Glennie; one sister-in-law, Zella Schwerin of Glennie; and his partner, Monica Smith of Orlando, Fla.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Ernest Schwerin Jr., William Schwerin and Jerry Schwerin; one sister, MaryLee Dearing; and one sister-in-law, Dolly Schwerin.

The funeral will be held at Great Lakes Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 4200 Belford Road, Holly, Mich. on Friday, Sept. 21, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.

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September to Date

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#### Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2011-2012 Weekly Report Miles Per Hour Temperature (F°) Av. Wind Precipitation High **Dominant Inches** <u>Speed</u> <u>Speed</u> **Direction** Date <u>High</u> Low Sept. 9 **NNE** 70 48 0.00 3.1 18 Sept. 10 77 49 0.00 1.1 21 Ν Sept. 11 78 0.00 28 SW 52 6.9 Sept. 12 78 0.00 SW 59 5.8 26 Sept. 13 71 49 0.06 4.0 21 Ν Sept. 14 67 Ν 47 0.23 0.9 11 Sept. 15 NE 0.00 5.1 19 **Precipitation Summary (Inches) 2012 2011 Normal** Weekly Total 0.29 0.03 0.68

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.)

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#### 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, SEPTEMBER 19

Spruce Lutheran Emergency Food Pantry, 1246 E. Spruce Rd., will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. Clients must be present to receive food and bring identification. For more information, call (989) 471-5013.

Alcona County needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 2 to 4 p.m. All items will be donated to local organizations. Bring your knitting needles, looms, yarn and patterns. Beginning crafters are welcome. Call (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Sewing with Jennie Anderson from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Music and sing-a-long at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township hall, 3029 Campbell Rd. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Kindle setup and download class from 9:15 to 10 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. Call, (989) 724-6796 to reserve a space.

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

"Cast and Blast" sportsman's night out event sponsored by AuSable Valley Chapter Ducks Unlimited from 6 to 9 p.m. at the VFW hall, 240 Chrysler Rd., Oscoda. Tickets are \$30 a single or \$45 per couple and includes dinner and two free drink tickets per person. For more information, call Paul Thompson (989) 747-0602.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets 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. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 736-6045.

Free Zumba dance class at noon in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., newcomers welcome. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Alcona retirees meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Community Walking Club for everyone meets at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., at 8:30 a.m.

Herbal wreath workshop with Margaret Saxton from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. This is a free program for teenagers and adults. Call, (989) 724-6796 to register.

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

There will be a Swiss steak dinner at the Twin Lakes Masonic Temple, 316 Traverse Bay State Rd., Lincoln from 4:30 to 7 p.m. or until the steak is sold out. Take-out is available. For more information, call (989) 736-8781.

Popcorn and a movie at 2 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., from 10:15 to 11 a.m. For more information, call (989) 7724-6796.

The Barton City Eagles Aerie 4141, 671 Sanborn Rd., will be having a barbecued chicken and ribs dinner from 4 to 7 p.m. Adults \$9, children age six to 12 \$4, under six free. Take out available by calling (989) 736-3050.

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the fairgrounds in Lincoln (across from Kris Mart). For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

The Brownlee Lake Association is hosting a bowling fundraising event for the preservation and restoration of Brownlee Lake located in Lincoln. This event begins at 7 p.m. at Village Lanes, 226 S. US-23, Harrisville. Fore more information, call Jeff Wilson (313) 300-8266.

Free movie matinee "The Hunger Games" at 12:30 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd., Glennie. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call (989) 735-2601.

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Weight Loss Support group will meet at the Lincoln United Methodist Church, 101 E. Main St. at 4 p.m. Visitors are welcome and there is no membership fee. For more information, call (989) 736-8645 or (989) 736-8338.

The Sunrise Gardening Club will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 1 p.m. Louise Shoksnyder will present a program on bulbs. Learn when and where to plant in the garden. For more information, call Becky at (989) 724-6569.

Music and sing-a-long at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. in the dining room.

Alcona County Commis-

sion On Aging board of directors will meet at 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St.

Knitting Klub and Crochet from 10 a.m. to noon at the Harrisville branch of the Alcoan County Library, 312 W. Main St. All levels wel-

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helps keep your smile healthy, but can ultimately save you money as well.

Dental-related illnesses cause adults to lose more than 164 million work hours and children to lose more than 51 million school hours each year. This time and money could be saved by simply brushing and flossing every day, avoiding tobacco use, eating healthy foods and scheduling regular dentist appointments for preventative care.

Children learn best by example, which means that as adults, we need to take care of our teeth in addition to teaching children how to properly take care of their own. Oral health affects a child's ability to learn in school and can impact future employability. By making good oral health a family matter, we can maintain healthy smiles and avoid costly medical and dental bills at the same time.

Paige Will, Registered Dental Hygienist Alcona Health Center Dental Services



A special thanks to everyone that attended my birthday party!

George McIntyre

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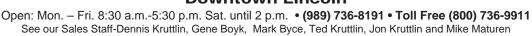
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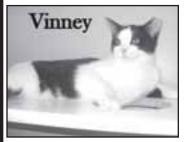


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#### Pet owners please spay or neuter your pets

These pets, and others, are available for adoption!! For more information, call the Alcona Humane Society at 736-PETS! Help give an animal a good home!

#### Local Notes

#### **Planning Class Reunion**

The Alcona High School Class of 1963 will have a 50th reunion planning meeting on Saturday, Oct. 6 at 1 p.m. For more information, contact Carolyn Malaski at (810) 659-6187 or cfmalaski@aol.com or Shirley Gerard at (989)736-3479.

#### **Items Needed**

My Brother's Hope is in urgent need of personal care items - toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo and soap and home cleaning products — dish soap, kitchen and bathroom cleaners. Donations may be taken any time to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 Main Street, Harrisville. All donations are greatly appreciated.

#### **Calling Local Singers**

**Huron Shores Chorus will** be commencing rehearsals for its annual Christmas program on Sunday, Sept. 23. Rehearsals will be held at Tawas Area Presbyterian Church from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. each Sunday through December 2. The theme for this year's program is "Christmas Around the World" and will include traditional numbers from Europe, Africa, the Caribbean and the United States. Choral numbers will

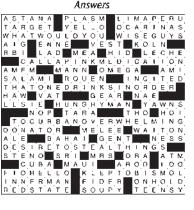


#### Write It, Draw It

Keep a bird journal. Any type of notebook will do, with or without lines. Keep it simple, and log birds according to size, color, date, time of day and what the bird was doing. If you really want to be creative, get some colored pencils and sketch it. Have fun!

E-mail: birdingbits@cfl.rr.com

#### Super Crossword



include "Balloo Lammy" (Scotland), "Betelehemu" with percussion (Nigeria), 'T'was in the Moon of Wintertime" (Michigan Native American), and many others. Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" will conclude the program. Anyone with an interest in vocal music is welcome to attend. There are no auditions. A \$10 membership fee to cover music cost is requested but not mandatory. Huron Shores Chorus is under the direction of Tracee Behnke-Lentz.

#### **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 Friday.

- Monday, Sept. 24—Spaghetti with meat sauce, cauliflower, tossed salad, garlic toast and fruit.
- Tuesday, Sept. 25—Barbecued pork roast, baked beans, corn, coleslaw and
- Wednesday, Sept. 26— Fish, Spudsters, Brussels sprouts, pea salad and fruit
- Thursday, Sept. 27— Meat and cheese pizza, tossed salad, raw vegetables with dip and fruit.
- Friday, Sept. 28— Chicken stuffing casserole, squash, flavored applesauce and fruit crisp.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

#### **New Arrival**

Tommy Lee Belill is the new son of Kenny and Angel (Norton) Belill of Harrisville. He was born Friday, Sept. 7, 2012 at Alpena Regional Medical Center. He weighed eight pounds, one ounce and was 22 inches long. He joins brother Tristen, five. He is the grandson of Jeff and Tish Norton of Lincoln and Tom and Janet Belill of Oscoda. He is the great-grandson of Noreen Belill of Clio, Mich.

#### **ARA Farm Market**

The ARA Farm Market will be open Saturday, Sept. 22 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Campbell Building at the ARA site across from Kris Mart in Lincoln. Available this week: Watermelons, radishes, carrots, raspberries, pumpkins and baby pumpkins, leeks, herbs, onions, lettuce, sweet corn, cabbage, eggplant, sweet and hot peppers, green beans, beets, garlic, cucumbers, acorn, butternut and summer squash, tomatoes,

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#### **Senior Health Fair**

The Alcona Senior Health Fair will be held Thursday, Oct. 4 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, Lincoln. Screenings and services available include free cholesterol, flu shots and pneumonia vaccinations, shingle shots, free blood pressure and diabetes screening, free colorectal cancer screening kits, free bone density, glaucoma and vision screening, plus much more. Some services require preregistration and appointments. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

#### **Fall Festival**

The Oscoda Lions Club will be holding its 12th annual Fall Festival Arts & Craft Show on Saturday, Oct. 6 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Oscoda High School. Events include an old-fashioned hayride, children's bounce house and an outdoor farmers market. Several nonprofit groups will be on hand including the Iosco Animal Shelter ready to adopt out many pets, the Iosco Library used book sale, the Oscoda Fire Department will be selling caramel and candied apples. For more information, call Jane Meyer at (989) 739-3911.

#### **Engineering Award**

Former Alcona resident, Professor John J. Moskwa, Ph.D., P.E., from the University of Wisconsin received the Society of Engineers (SAE) International Edward N. Cole Award for Automotive Engineering Innovation. award is the most prestigious award given by the SAE and Moskwa is the first university professor to receive it in its 34 year history. Moskwa was born in Harrisville and lived on a farm on Walker Road until he was eight years old when his parents, John and Eleanor Moskwa moved from the area.

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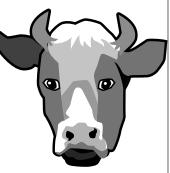


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a young daughter and, hopefully, a growing family, we knew it would be a 'team O'Connor' effort to make it work. I'm very thankful to have the support of my wife."

Over the last six years O'Connor said he has "gained a better understanding of the whole school concept" and feels good about changing from the direct connection with students as a teacher to working to "help kids in (planning) curriculum - so they can do better that way," he said. "Jim Watts, (superintendent) Shawn Thornton and Terry Allison trusted me (over the years) to take on some leadership positions... to trust a young teacher to do these things...

Allison said the decision to change from having a principal in the high school/middle school and a principal in the elementary school to a principal and assistant principal for the district was made last school year. This change is

an effort to streamline responsibilities. "If I'd been in the high school and Dan was over at the elementary school we'd both be doing the same thing – curriculum, discipline, evaluations, et cetera. By doing it this way it's fewer hats, but bigger hats," Allison said.

He said O'Connor will be handling athletics, discipline and curriculum for English and language arts for the district. He will be doing teacher evaluations, handling special education, parental concerns and math and science curriculum for the district.

This division of responsibilities puts both Allison and O'Connor in each building several days a week. "I think it's going well," Allison said. "It's been busy, but that is expected. We are modifying things as we go along to make it better. The staff in both buildings is great. The kids are great (in the elementary) too. They are eager to learn,

inquisitive and like lots of hugs," he said.

Allison, who also came into administration at Alcona Community Schools by way of teaching, was the middle school principal for nine years. Two years ago he took over as the high school/ middle school principal when Watts retired. This is his first year as the K-12 principal. "It's a learning process," Allison said. "I'm learning the difference between the needs of students and teachers in each building - and they are completely different.'

When Allison is in the elementary school he has lunch with students. "I talk to them and ask them what their interests are and get to know them and they get to know me so they can feel like they can talk to me," he said.

O'Connor said he has a lot to learn, but the familiarity of being in a district where he knows students, teachers, staff, parents, and procedures and policies is extremely helpful. "I think it's gone very well so far. It's a big learning curve for me so far. I feel like a sponge. My goal is to stay on my toes and educate myself on what we are doing. We have such an awesome staff that does everything very well and I'm sure breaking in a rookie principal hasn't been that bad... I'm pretty lucky in that regard.

"I'm getting to know the 350 kindergarten through sixth grade students better... that has been one of the rewarding aspects of this position - to see that part of the education process up close. Here, at the high school, we see the 'end product' so to speak. The elementary school is the beginning of the process," O'Connor said. "I think having Terry and I involved in (all of the aspects of) the K-12 system is good for the school district. We will have the whole picture of a student's academic career."

Both Allison and O'Connor encourage parents and guardians to attend Family Night, which will be held each month throughout the school year. This month's event is Wednesday, Sept. 26. It will start with a free pasta dinner for parents and students in the high school cafeteria at 5 p.m. At 6 p.m. there will be a discussion on standard based learning and at 7 p.m. there will be a district parent involvement meeting. Daycare services will be available for younger children. For more information, call (989) 736Happy 50th Birthday Mom, Grandma & Gerti



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looked at alternative models to provide the same educational experiences and support," Thornton said.

Brenton Holcomb, superintendent of Alpena Public Schools echoed Thornton's assessment. "We've been talking about this for a year or two. Our main focus is on student achievement. Field trips to Sprinkler Lake ran \$250 to \$300 per day. Last year (Alpena schools) took 16 field trips to Sprinkler Lake. It also took time away from the classroom. We are being graded by legislature on things done in the classroom. I love Sprinkler Lake, but more support in math was needed inside the classroom."

Wilmot stated last year expenditures at Sprinkler Lake were just under \$54,000, and due to continued decline in utilization of the facility, that figure was the smallest annual expenditure since AMA ESD became the fiscal agent.

"At least \$1 million has been spent over the last 10 years to repair the physical facility and update dorm rooms with thousands being spent on educational materials such as microscopes," Wilmot said.

The Friends of Sprinkler Lake Education Center, a diverse group of 54 volunteers and educators, developed a nonprofit organization about three years ago to promote and support SLEC for students and the community.

"We've invested immense hours maintaining the property and have held fundraising auctions to help support transportation and youth summer camp scholarships. It is very sad and we are disappointed the facility has been suspended," said Jack Guy, a member of Friend of SLEC.

Each spring Friends of SLEC gather to dust off displays, rake leaves, pick up fallen branches, and dig out beaver dams to ready the grounds for nearly 8,000 students.

The Friends group is also instrumental in keeping Na-

ture Fest, an annual open community day of educational speakers with handson instruction to reach all age groups. "We no longer have access to the facility without supervision provided by the AMA ESD," Guy said. "Due to restrictions on time when the (volunteer) supervision is available we have made the decision not to have Nature Fest this year."

Wilmot said, "It is unfortunate for Friends of Sprinkler Lake to decide against holding Nature Fest this year. We did try to work with them. There is no district resources available for funding community events at the site and the district must make sure the contents are secured."

The AMA ESD is planning alternate solutions to provide students and teachers with curriculum instruction and programs similar to those held at the Sprinkler Lake site without children leaving their classroom. "We are excited the revised instructional delivery will allow Sprinkler Lake staff to travel to each of our districts to provide instruction on a more regular basis. Not only will this be more cost effective, it will preserve instructional time by eliminating lost time due to travel and increase the Sprinkler Lake faculty's ability to reach the maximum number of learners," Thornton said.

According to Wilmot, the AMA ESD's primary focus is to serve and support student achievement in districts including Alcona Community Schools, Alpena Public Schools, Atlanta Community Schools, Hillman Community Schools and the Bingham Arts Academy.

"It is our intention to maintain the integrity of the structures at the site. It is yet another unfortunate casualty of lack of educational funding. We will be evaluating the suspension annually. We would love to see the state or even find local funding to keep it open, but we must address the direct needs of our schools first," Wilmot said.

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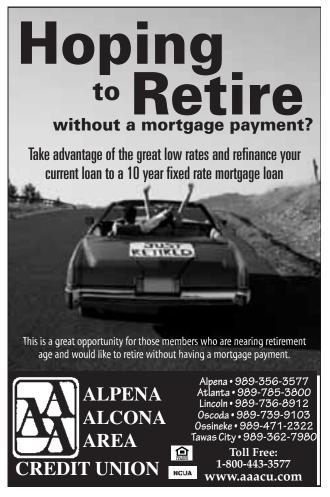
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#### **Early Bloomers**

September 11

Violets	37.5	10.5
Daffodils	31	17
Bluebells	27.5	20.5
Buttercups	25.5	22.5
Mums	25	
Marigolds	12	36
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High individual game and series: Becky Kwilinski, 172 and 470.

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take the win 21-25; the third and fourth match both went to Alcona 25-15.

The Lady Tigers ended the night with Nelson having five digs. Keerl had six aces and Smith had nine kills and 26 assists. The JV volleyball team lost 25-21 and 15-13 against the Cardinals.

On September 11 the Tigers played host the Rogers City Hurons, who swept the night winning 3-0. Alcona took the lead early in the first game but their efforts were short lived as the Hurons capitalized on the young Alcona team.

The Tigers struggled to set things up under the constant pressure allowing the Hurons to score nine straight points. Alcona never seemed to gain composure, struggling to work together. Rogers City had a number of strong hitters and passed the ball well allowing them to dominate the game.

Alcona ended the night with senior Ashley Shutes having three aces. Cole had six kills, Kalie Zerbst had four digs, Smith had 17 assists and Nelson had one block. Set scores for the night were 11-25, 13-25 and 16-25. The JV team also lost all three matches 13-25, 9-25 and 8-25

Earlier in the season, the Tigers traveled to Birch Run High School to participate in the Subway Slam Varsity Volleyball Tournament.

On September 8 the Tigers spent the day with volleyball players from 12 area schools. This pool play tournament

consisted of three pools A, B and C, with four schools in each pool. Winners in each pool played the championship bracket and losing teams played in the consolation bracket. Alcona was in pool C with Houghton, Whlie Groves and Pioneer.

The Tigers came across many seasoned athletes that were bigger and knew how and where to place the ball. Throughout the day the Tigers struggled returning the ball but did a good job serving and passing. As the day progressed, the Tigers kept working hard but the size and strength of the competition proved to be too much as their opponents swept the Tigers: Houghton 25-12, 25-11; Whlie E. Groves 25-13, 25-14; and Pioneer 25-21, 25-13.

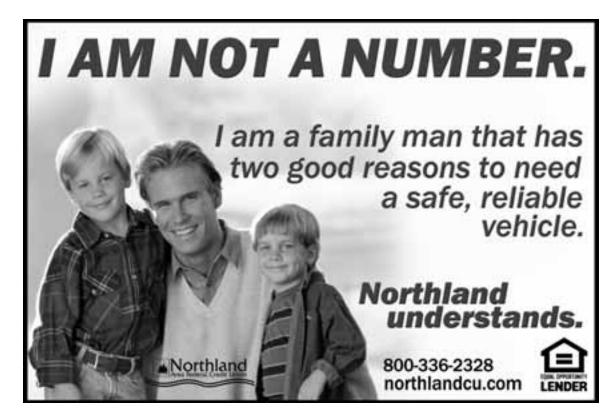
Alcona played the consolation game against Tawas and lost 25-8 and 25-11 to end the

"It was a great experience playing some of the toughest competition in the state," Arnold said.

Smith and Ashley Shutes adding had aces. Cole had three blocks and 11 kills. Zerbst had 14 digs and Smith had 47 assists.

The varsity volleyball team is 2-1 for the regular season and 1-0 in the Huron Shores Conference. The JV team is 0-

The Lady Tigers traveled to Standish on Monday and Posen on Tuesday. They will host Atlanta at home Thursday; the game starts at 6 p.m.





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Or, if you're a current or soon-to-be Medicare beneficiary, you may want to consider a Medicare Advantage plan. These are government approved, private health plans (usually HMOs and PPOs) sold by insurance companies that you can choose in place of original Medicare - which does not cover eyeglasses (unless you've just had cataract surgery) or routine eye exams. Many Advantage plans offer vision care, in addition to their health care coverage. See www.medicare.gov/find-aplan to research this option.

Shopping and comparing prices from discount retailers and eye doctors' offices in your area that sell prescription glasses is another key way to save.

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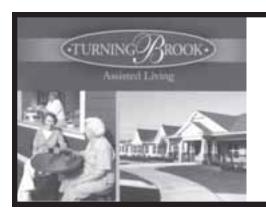
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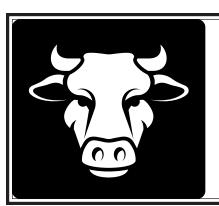




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### Soccer team gets big win at Oscoda

**By Jared Steiner** 

Soccer Writer

There was drama under the lights Wednesday, Sept. 12 as the Alcona Varsity Soccer team traveled to Oscoda for a Huron Shores Conference match up.

The Tigers and the Owls had split the four games they played last year with the first two wins going to the Owls and the last two going to the Tigers. One of Alcona's victories came in the Huron Shores Conference tournament where the Tigers won a dramatic penalty kick shoot-out to take the conference crown.

This seasons' game against the two rivals proved to be as exciting.

In a completely defensive and intense first half, the Owls and Tigers played to a scoreless draw at halftime. Both teams were unable to find their offensive gears as both defenses were rock solid.

But after rest and a halftime speech by Alcona's coach Tim Munro, the Tigers came out with a fire lit underneath them and took control of the game.

Seven and a half minutes into the second half, Jared Steiner scored the lone goal of the match off an assist by Schuyler Bates. Bates was carrying the ball down the middle of the field when he passed the ball to the left of an Oscoda defender to Steiner who controlled the pass and then drilled the shot past the Owls keeper.

With over 30 minutes to play Oscoda had plenty of time to tie things up, but the Tiger defense was unrelenting all night in the best game they have played all year. Aaron Ritchie had 13 saves in goal for Alcona.

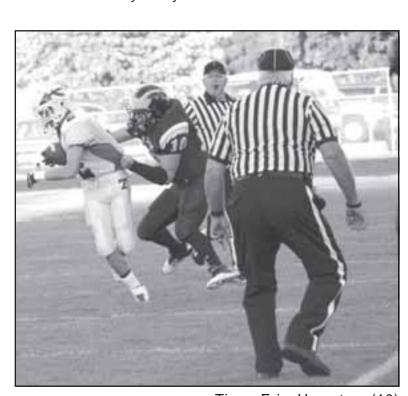
In the earlier game of the week for the Tigers, they welcomed Whittemore-Prescott to their home field but did not send them home happy as Alcona was victorious with mercy win 8-0. Scoring for the Tigers were Carson Jamieson and Jason Steiner with two goals apiece. Benjamin Dubuque, Jordan McCoy, Aaron Ritchie, and Jared Steiner accounted for four more goals. Ritchie also

had three saves in net.

This week the Tigers will play two games. The first against Standish-Sterling at home on Monday and away at Tawas on Wednesday as they look to continue their three game winning streak.

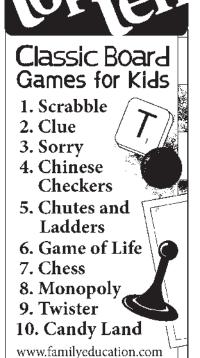


Tiger Jeffery Schram races to the ball ahead of the W-P defender. *Photo by Kathy Steiner.* 





(989) 569-3660 www.bikergarage101.cow Tiger Eric Hampton (10) brings down a Tawas receiver to stop a run in last week's game. Tiger defense kept the Braves from scoring and gave the Tigers a 36-0 win. *Photo by Pat Brussel.* 



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The 4-H Club Prime Cuts won the Best Display Award at the Alcona County Fair. Some of the members of the club are (from left) Rebecca McGuire, Ryan Brittian, Hannah Riggs, Maire MacMaster and Advisor John MacMaster. While not everyone in the beef barn at the Alcona County Fair was in the Prime Cuts club, they all participated in decorating for the award of Best Display. Prior to the fair, youth costumed themselves in lumberjack-theme clothing and brought implements (axes, double-handle saws, et cetera) to the Richard McGuire farm and had their photos taken. The photos were then printed in Sepia tone and attached to slabs of cross-cut logs (courtesy of the McGuire family) along with short biographies of each youth. The wood markers were mounted on each cattle barn exhibit. Richard McGuire and family provided a tour of the mill following the photo session. Photo by Mary Weber.



The the 4-H Club Community Service Award was given to the Rolling Hills Variety Club for two local projects they supported in 2012. During Relay For Life members of the club had a team and helped out at the event handing out pamphlets and setting up luminary bags. Club members also helped prepare the fairgrounds prior to the Alcona County Fair by cleaning all of the barns, putting sawdust down and cleaning up brush. (Front row, from left) Kayla Terpsta, Lilly Manning, Emily Lobaugh, Hannah Terpstra, (back row) Alissa Terpstra, Katelyn Kline, Abby Lobaugh, Layla Carriveau, Advisor Sandie Labeau and Victoria Burns. Photo by Mary Weber.





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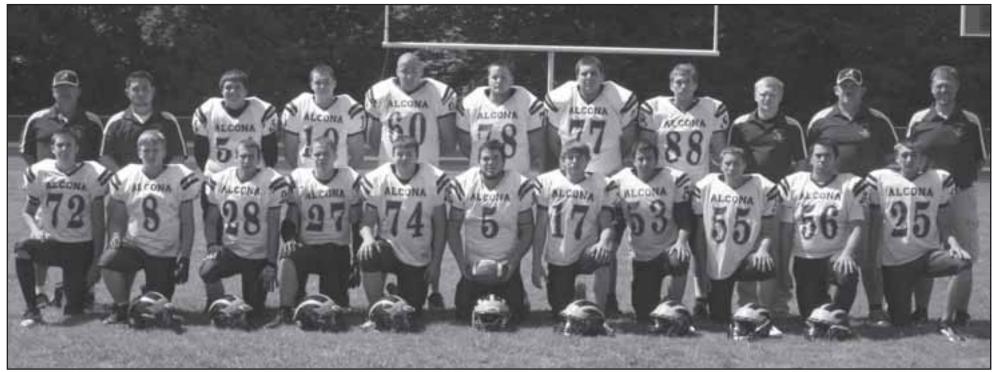
Asphalt: Hot mix Asphalt is to be used and must meet Michigan State Highway Department Specifications. If needed 22A Limestone shall also be used.

Bids will be accepted until September 28, 2012. Bids will be opened at the October 1st meeting of the Lincoln Village Council. The Village of Lincoln reserves the right to reject any and all bids for any reason.

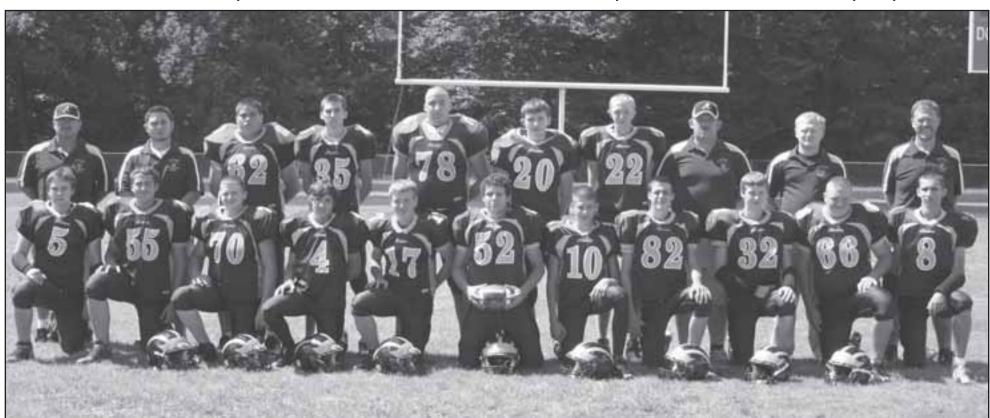
Questions may be directed to Phillip S. Jordan, Village President at 989-736-7583 or Richard Somers, Street Administrator at 989-736-8565. Interested parties may submit bids to: Village of Lincoln, Road Bid, P.O. Box 337. Lincoln, MI 48742.



## Alcona High School Fall Sports Teams



Varsity Football Team (front row, from left) Chad Haneckow, Cody Franklin, Austin Cole, Garrette Norling, Bryce Franklin, Nathan Fettes, Joshua Mead, Joseph Carrasco, Kyle Good, Tony Dubay, Alec Neumann, (back row) Assistant Coach Terry Franklin, Assistant Coach Dave Schnieder II, Adam Somers, Eric Hampton, Dan Allen, Sean Smith, Austin Richarson, Dawson Forsythe, Assistant Coach Ed Palmer, Assistant Coach Scott DuBay and Coach Dave Schneider I. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.



Junior Varsity Football Team (Front row, from left) Tristin O'Neill, Arron Carrasco, Noah Kenworthy, Hunter Sullivan, Jacob Gombos, Trevor Joslin, Tristan Gordy, Mitchell Krisan, Steven Rizzotto, Trevor Schrader, Leigh Gibson, (back row) Assistant Coach Terry Franklin, Assistant Coach Dave Schnieder II, Quade Arenson, Brandon Ritchie, Dan Allen, Phillip Bouchard, Jesse Schram, Assistant Coach Scott Dubay. Assistant Coach Ed Palmer, Coach Dave Scheider I. Not pictured: Seth Tulgetske. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.







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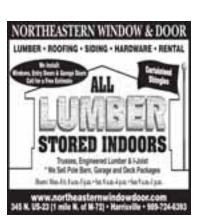






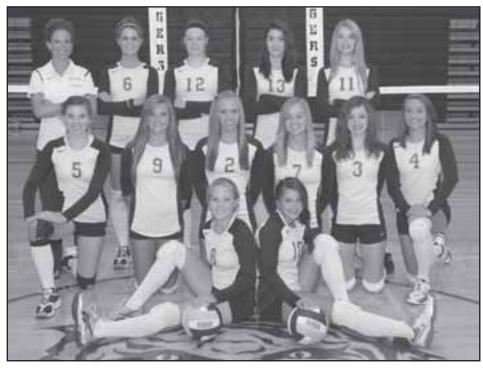


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Varsity Volleyball Team (front row, from left) Hannah Terpstra, Samantha Zerbst, (middle row) Nicole Smith, Kalie Zerbst, Katelyn Nelson, Cheyenne Parkinson, Ashley Shutes, Sierra Forsythe, (back row) Coach Kristi Arnold, Carly Mitchell, Karina Cole, Cassandra Carpenter and Victoria Keerl. Not pictured: Samantha Mier. *Photo courtesy of Julie Emington.* 



Junior Varsity Volleyball Team (front row, from left) Sydney Pierce, Ashley Pyle, Katey Golbeck, Kayla Hampton, (middle row) Mykala Basner, Harlie LaFond, Sara Blohm, Lauren Yokom, (back row) Coach Ann Kramer, Alli Lask, Alissa Terpstra, Jenna Peterson, Kaitlin Schellie and Samantha Schott. *Photo courtesy of Julie Emington.* 





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Varsity Soccer Team (front row, from left) manager Turner Somers, Morgan Stewart, Jeffery Schram, Jesse Collins, Jordan McCoy, Jared Steiner, Aaron Ritchie, Nicholas Lamantia, Cody Collins, Schuyler Bates, manager Megan Quick, (back row) Assistant Coach Dave Dubugue, Isaac DuBuque, Benjamin Dubuque, Jason Steiner, Mitchel Havercroft, Trenton LaVergne, Andrew Cammack, Carson Jamieson, Ryan Schultz, Brandon Smigelski, Ryley Mancine and Coach Tim Munro. *Photo by Cheryl Peterson*.

































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## NASCAR REPORT

## Handicapping the chase

NASCAR This Week **By Monte Dutton** 

Attempting to pick the winner of the Chase for the Sprint Cup is a hazardous proposition. The format is designed more to create an exciting process than to produce a just winner.

No one would suggest that Tony Stewart's spectacular 2011 championship — not to mention the breathtaking competition with Carl Edwards — was undeserved, but Stewart somehow managed to step up his game in a way that few, including him, could have anticipated. After going winless in the season's first 26 races, Stewart won five of the final 10. Edwards lost by a tie-breaker after compiling the best average finish (4.9) in the history of the Chase. Edwards finished second in each of the final three races. Stewart won three of the final four and was third in the other.

year," Stewart said. "I wasn't good enough to predict it then. I'm not sure I'm going to be any better at predicting it now.

"All 12 guys have a shot, and a good shot, I think."

Here's one modest attempt to set the odds. Each driver has a one-in-12 shot.

Just kidding.

-Jimmie Johnson 4-1. Given his history, it's impossible to pick anyone else.

-Denny Hamlin 8-1. He's tried and failed before, and he now has Stewart's 2011 crew chief, Darian Grubb, in his corner.

-Dale Earnhardt Jr. 10-1. He needs to win a few more races. If he can maintain his consistency, though, he's still got a decent shot.

—Brad Keselowski 10-1. He's poised to give Dodge its last hurrah.

—Tony Stewart 10-1. He pulled out of his slump at

"I couldn't predict it last Richmond with a fourth-place finish.

-Greg Biffle 12-1. He doesn't lead the points now because he has only two victories, but winning the regular season counts ... a little.

-Jeff Gordon 12-1. He made it, and now he's going to have to be reckoned with. His average finish in the past three races is 2.33.

-Clint Bowyer 15-1. The most recent winner must avoid the occasional disaster. He finished outside the top 25 four times during the first 26 races.

-Matt Kenseth 20-1. In spite of claims to the contrary, he's slipped since he announced he was leaving Roush Fenway at season's end.

-Kasey Kahne 20-1. Oh, he could win the championship, but it's hard to see him as better than the fourth seed at Hendrick Motorsports.

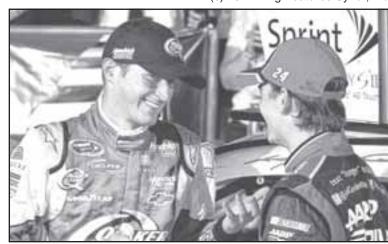
-Martin Truex Jr. 30-1.

Maybe it won't require a victory, but his most recent one was in 2007.

-Kevin Harvick 35-1. In the last 13 races, he has two finishes better than 10th. That won't cut it.

Monte Dutton covers motorsports for The Gaston (N.C.) Gazette. E-mail Monte at nascarthisweek@yahoo.-

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Jeff Gordon, right, joined Kasey Kahne in the Chase for the Sprint Cup championship with a strong finish at Richmond. With 12 drivers ready to take on 10 races, it's still safe to say Jimmie Johnson has the best odds to win it all again. (John Clark/NASCAR This Week photo)



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Bob Hines and George Radetka were the winner and runner up of the annual Sweet 16 competition held at the Greenbush Golf Course on September 8. Competition began with 16 men teeing off in two waves of eight. On each hole one contestant is eliminated until the seventh hole when the remaining four men golf the last three holes together. Player eliminations still occur on each hole until the nineth hole with the resultant winner and runner up. *Courtsey photo*.

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The Hardwoods family stopped into the Caledonia branch of Alcona County Library to make a donation toward the building of a new facility. They worked through the summer selling lemonade and cookies to give to a charity or cause. The children all agreed to give the \$51.50 they raised to the Hubbard Lake Library and Community Building Fund. Jason, Ethan, Brendan and Emma Butler-VanderLinden (in photo) and their cousins, Emily, Courtney and Caroline Cates raised the funds. The card says "Thanks from the Hardwoods" with a note inside saying, "Thank you for all that you do for the Hubbard Lake community." Courtesy photo.

Peoplegettheircats in many ways: shelters, rescues, breeders, gifts and over 52 percent say one of their current cats was a stray.

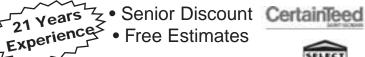
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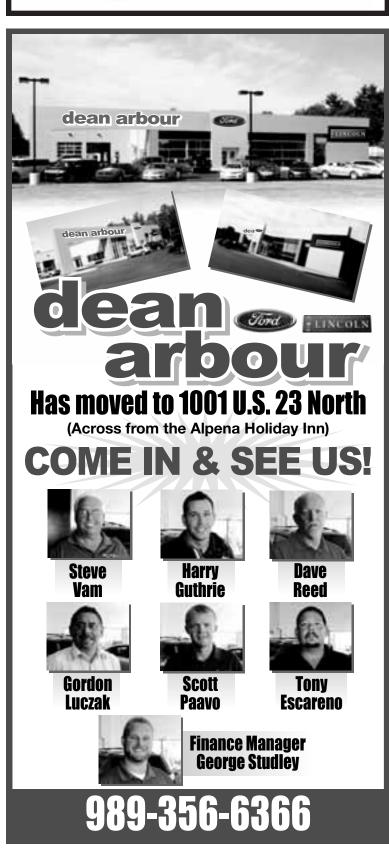
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Four young ladies show off their equestrian skills at a Musical Kur performed for family and friends Saturday, Sept. 9. The girls have been riding under the direction of Andrea Younk, who helped them choreograph their routines. (From left) Olivia Loucks of Oscoda, who rode Visual, performed to "Stronger" by Kelly Clarkston; Andrea Younk, trainer; Anna Yates, (back) who rode Pattycake, performed using a vaulting girth to "Chicken Fried" by The Zac Brown Band; Brynn Diehl of Waterford, Mich., who also rode Pattycake, performed to "Dynamite" a remix; and Kalley Yates of Oscoda, who rode Timmy, performed to "Payphone" by Maroon 5. The girls have riding experience varying from two months to five years. Anna Yates and Kalley Yates also competed in the Alcona County Fair in the Open Horse Show and brought home several ribbons each for their performances. *Couresty photos*.

#### Houston/Bielusiak pledge vows

MaryAnn Houston and Brian J. Bielusiak of Clinton Township, Mich. were married on May 12, 2012 at Unity Church in Clinton Township, Mich.

The bride is the daughter of Bertha and the late Joseph Houston of Warren, Mich.

The groom is the son of Zenet and Leon Bielusiak of Lincoln.

A reception was held at the VFW Hall in Fraser, Mich. with family and friends attending from Lincoln, Harrisville and southeast Michigan.



MaryAnn and Brian Bielusiak



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Please bring: Proof of last 12 month's worth of income (2011 tax form or 3 recent check stubs, unemployment statement, DHS statement, etc.), child's certified birth certificate, child's immunization record, health insurance card.

\*Note: Children need not attend registration.

To schedule a different time, or if you have questions, please call Robyn Hart at: (989) 358-4641. Website: www.nemcsa.org/headstart

#### District Court

The following individuals were sentenced in 81<sup>st</sup> District Court in August by the Honorable Allen C. Yenior and the Honorable Laura A. Frawley.

- David Theodore Dunigan, 22, of Harrietta, Mich. was sentenced to seven days in jail and \$615 in fines and court costs for retail fraud, third degree, under \$200.
- David Anton Vance, 33, of Hale was sentenced to 30 days in jail and \$580 in fines and court costs for assault or assault and battery.
- Michael Anthony Cruson, 23, of Greenbush was sentenced to 14 days in jail and \$715 in fines and court costs for permitting an unlicensed person to drive.
- Marjorie Frances Cordes, 46, of Ossineke, was sentenced to one day in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,280 for domestic violence.
- Gerald Frank Collins, 44, of Oscoda was sentenced to 30 days in jail, two years of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,175 for child abuse, fourth degree.
- Shannon Sue Stailey, 33, of Brighton, Mich. was sentenced to one day in jail, six months of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,240 for operating while visibly impaired.
- Gene Raymond Palmer, 45, of Harrisville was sentenced to six months of probation and \$725 in fines and court costs for assault/aggravated.
- Kelsey Lou Hale, 19, of Lincoln was sentenced to 10 days in jail, one year of probation and fines and court costs of \$1,440 for assault or assault and battery and minor purchase/consume (alcohol), second offense.
- Angela Marie LaFountain, 24, of Harrisville was sentenced to fines and court costs of \$325 for no valid license in possession.

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#### Calendar of Events

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The Harrisville Lady Lions will meet at 5:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Golf Course. For more information, call Fran at (989) 739-8735 or e-mail fbarber@charter.net.

#### WEDNESDAY, **SEPTEMBER 26**

Alcona County needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., from 2 to 4 p.m. All items will be donated to local organizations. Bring your knitting needles, looms,

yarn and patterns. Beginning crafters are welcome. Call (989) 736-8879 for more information.

Sewing with Jennie Anderson from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Music and sing-a-long at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township hall, 3029 Campbell Rd. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

There will be an oil painting workshop for teens at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W.

Main St., from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. This is a free program provided by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Kirtland Community College Foundation. For more information and to register, call (989) 724-6796.

#### THURSDAY, **SEPTEMBER 27**

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets 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. All are welcome. Handicap accessible. First meeting is free. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 736-6045.

Free Zumba dance class at noon in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St., newcomers welcome. Call, (989) 736-8879 for more information.

**Community Walking Club** for everyone meets at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., at 8:30 a.m.

The Alcona County Amateur Radio Group will meet at the EMS/EOC building, 2600 E. M-72 at 6:30 p.m. Anyone interested in amateur radio, emergency and public service communications is invited to attend. Free refreshments will be served. For more information, call Stan Darmofal (989) 724-5550 or visit www.alconaradio.org.

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Popcorn and a movie at 2 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church St. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Storytime and craft for children at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., from 10:15 to 11 a.m. For more info., call (989) 7724-6796.

My Brother's Hope Potluck Café Take 2 will serve a free meal and offer free haircuts from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Raphael's Catholic Church, 2531 E. F-30, Mikado. For more information, call Susan Armstrong (989) 724-6365.

#### SATURDAY, **SEPTEMBER 29**

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**In-Depth Local Forecast** 

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a high

temperature of 61°, humidity of 58%. West wind

10 mph. The record high temperature for today is

88° set in 1955. Expect mostly cloudy skies

tonight with a 50% chance of showers, overnight

low of 50°. South wind 15 mph. The record low

\*Last Week's Almanac

**Normals** 

69/47

69/47

69/46

68/46

68/46

68/45

67/45

<u>Lo</u>

41

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for tonight is 30° set in 1959.

<u>Hi</u>

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\*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

**Date** 

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Saturday

Sunday

Friday

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# 356 1238

#### Alcona Review Weather Report

#### Today's Regional Map **Seven Day Forecast**

60/45

Simplicity

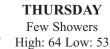
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Panasonic

Belts/Bags/Parts

#### WEDNESDAY Partly Cloudy High: 61 Low: 50





**FRIDAY** Mostly Cloudy High: 63 Low: 49



**SATURDAY** Partly Cloudy High: 58 Low: 47



**SUNDAY** Partly Cloudy High: 59 Low: 48



#### **MONDAY**

Mostly Sunny High: 64 Low: 50



#### **TUESDAY** Mostly Sunny

High: 67 Low: 51

## Harrison 59/47

Vanderbilt

Harrisville

Kinde

59/50

60/46

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week						
Day	<u>Sunrise</u>	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset		
Wednesday	7:17 a.m.	7:36 p.m.	11:39 a.m.	9:31 p.m.		
Thursday	7:18 a.m.	7:34 p.m.	12:50 p.m.	10:20 p.m		
Friday	7:19 a.m.	7:32 p.m.	1:55 p.m.	11:17 p.m		
Saturday	7:20 a.m.	7:30 p.m.	2:52 p.m.	Next Day		
Sunday	7:22 a.m.	7:28 p.m.	3:41 p.m.	12:20 a.m		
Monday	7:23 a.m.	7:26 p.m.	4:21 p.m.	1:27 a.m.		



Last 10/8

**Precip** 

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New 10/15

#### **National Weather Summary This Week**

## 0 - 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11+

**UV** Index 0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High 11+: Extreme Exposure

Local UV Index

#### **Tonight's Planets**

	<b>Rise</b>	<u>Set</u>
Mercury	7:56 a.m.	7:55 p.m.
Venus	3:34 a.m.	5:53 p.m.
Mars	11:49 a.m.	9:27 p.m.
Jupiter	10:58 p.m.	2:14 p.m.
Saturn	9:57 a.m.	8:52 p.m.
Uranus	7:51 p.m.	8:16 a.m.

Full

9/29

The Northeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with scattered showers today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 79° in Kingston, R.I. The Southeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 92° in Perry, Fla. The

7:24 a.m. 7:24 p.m. 4:56 p.m. 2:35 a.m.

Northwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 91° in The Dalles, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 105° in Bullhead City, Ariz.

#### Weather History

Tuesday

Sept. 19, 1947 - The eye of a hurricane passed over New Orleans and the barometric pressure dipped to 28.61 inches. The hurricane killed 51 people and caused 110 million dollars in damage. It produced wind gusts to 155 mph at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. two days earlier.

#### Weather Trivia

A F-1 tornado has wind speeds of?

**Answer:** 73 to 112 mph.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Goodbye Summer, Hello Fall

As much as I hate to admit it, autumn is not just around the corner, but it officially arrives on Saturday, September 22, at 10:47 a.m. Already I have seen that first big push of cooler, drier air heralding the fall season invade the mid-Atlantic. Saturated turquoise skies by day have given way to crisp, chilly evenings after sundown. Astronomically, we are in the biggest downward shift of the year with the sun headed southward at an accelerated pace causing the days to shorten and the nights to lengthen at their fastest rate. Depending upon where you live in the continental US, the amount of daytime lost since the high solstice sun of June 20 has been between two and three hours. Currently at the autumnal equinox, when the days and night are of equal length, we are in the middle of that

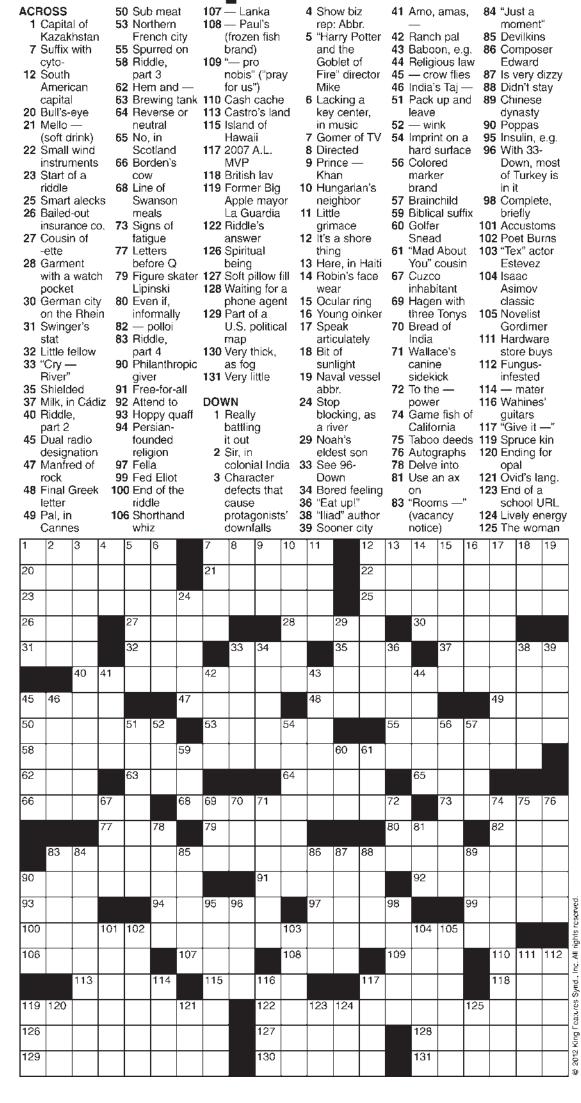
downward spiral with another two to three hours of sun to lose before the long nights surrounding the time of the winter solstice on December 21. My Moravian College students are watching this transition right now, by climbing to the third floor rooftop observatory of the Collier Hall of Science and watching the sun set against the jagged horizon of trees visible from that vantage point. What they are noticing is a sun that is setting ever farther to the south in a relentless march towards the other extreme of winter solstice when the sun touches the zenith along the Tropic of Capricorn. In June the sun strode over the Tropic of Cancer, 23.5 degrees north of the equator. Now it is on the equator, and six months from now, Sol will be over the Tropic of Capricorn at 23.5 degrees south latitude. That is a 47 degree change in the position of the sun over the course of a year, a condition attributable to the 23.5 degree axial tilt of our planet's axis to the perpendicular of its orbital plane. So say goodbye to summer and hello to fall, and just for the record, I'm not looking forward to the winter's snows. www.astronomy.org

#### TRIVIA TEST ~ By Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. LITERATURE: Who was England's first, unofficial poet laureate?
- 2. MUSIC: Which musical group had a hit with "Penny Lane"?
- 3. MEASUREMENTS: How many meters are in an "are." a unit of land measurement?
- 4. INVENTIONS: Who invented frozen food in 1923?
- **5. GEOGRAPHY:** Which countries share the region of Patagonia?
- 6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the traditional birthstone associated with July?
- 7. ASTRONOMY: The moon called Titan orbits which planet in our solar system?
- 8. HISTORY: In what year did Ohio's National Guard kill four war protesters at Kent State University?
- **9. MOVIES:** Which Disney movie featured a character named Dory?
- **10. RELIGION:** Who is the patron saint of carpenters?

Answers: 1. Ben Jonson; 2. The Beatles; 3. 100 square meters; 4. Clarence Birdseye; 5. Argentina and Chile; 6. Ruby; 7. Saturn; 8. 1970; 9. "Finding Nemo"; 10. St. Joseph. (c) 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

#### **RELIEF FOR** Super Crossword THE TAKING



#### MOMENTS IN TIME The History Channel

• On Oct. 6, 1847, "Jane Eyre," a book about the struggles of an orphan girl who grows up to become a governess, is published. Charlotte Bronte, the book's author, wrote of her experiences at being sent to a boarding school at the age of 5.

• On Oct. 1, 1920, Scientific American magazine reports that the rapidly developing medium of radio soon would be used to broadcast music: "Experimental concerts are at present being conducted every Friday evening from 8:30 to 11:00 by the Radio Laboratory of the Bureau of Standards."

 On Oct. 5, 1930, a British dirigible crashes in Beauvais. France, killing all 56 people aboard. The R-101, Great Britain's biggest blimp, was flying only 250 feet above the ground, unbeknownst to the pilots because of the dark night. The blimp skimmed treetops before hitting a ridge, igniting the hydrogen supply.

• On Oct. 4, 1944, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower distributes to his combat units a report by the U.S. Surgeon General that reveals the hazards of prolonged exposure to combat. Based on this evaluation, American commanders judged that the average soldier could last about 200 days in combat before suffering serious psychiatric damage.

• On Oct. 2, 1968, St. Louis Cardinals pitcher Bob Gibson strikes out 17 Detroit Tigers in the first game of the World Series, breaking Sandy Koufax's record for the most strikeouts

in a Series game.

• On Oct. 7, 1975, a New York State Supreme Court judge reverses a deportation order for John Lennon, allowing him to remain legally in the U.S. The judge wrote that "The courts will not condone selective deportation based upon secret political grounds." An FBI investigation of Lennon had turned up no evidence of involvement in illegal activities.

• On Oct. 3, 1995, Heisman Trophy winner O.J. Simpson is acquitted of the double murder of his estranged wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman, despite a DNA match, a wound on Simpson's hand, the recent purchase of a "Stiletto" knife and matching shoeprints at the

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#### STRANGE BUT TRUE by Samantha Weaver

• It was American actress, screenwriter and notorious sex symbol Mae West who made the following sage observation: "You only live once. But if you do it right, once is enough."

• At the 2012 USA Memory Championship, Nelson Dellis set a new record for the memorization of random digits. At the annual event in New York City, Dellis accurately recalled a whopping 303 numbers in sequence.

 The Rose Parade, popularly known as America's New Year Celebration, was originally started in 1890. These days, hundreds of thousands of people crowd the parade route each year, and millions more view the television broadcast worldwide. The amount of work that goes into the display is astonishing: Each float has anywhere from 30,000 to 150,000 flowers on it, which are applied during the 700 to 900 hours spent on preparing each float.

 Beloved film icon James Dean was missing his front teeth; he had to wear a bridge to fill the gap in his smile.

• If you're like the average American, at least one-tenth of the garbage you produce is made of plastic.

 The first sound recording ever made was created in 1877 by Thomas Edison. It was a musical selection: "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

 Those who study such things say that American English has roughly 20 swear words (depending, of course, on how one defines swearing). In contrast, residents of ancient Rome had a lexicon of about 800 "dirty" words to draw upon.

• If you're planning a trip by air anytime soon, you might want to keep in mind that the busiest day in airports is Thursday.

Thought for the Day: "The

trouble with having an open mind, of course, is that people will insist on coming along and trying to put things in it. Terry Pratchett

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#### Weekly **SUDOKU** by Linda Thistle 9 3 1 4 2 7 9 5 8 7 2 3 4 6 5 1 5 3 9 1 7 6 8 1 6 8 2 8 1 Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine **DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★** ★ Moderate ★★ Challenging \*\*\* HOO BOY! © 2012 King Features Synd., Inc.

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#### CITY OF HARRISVILLE MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on September 10 at the city office. The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Mayor Dobis and the "Pledge of Allegiance" was said. Present: Mayor Dobis, clerk Pierce, council members Tartaglia, Sanderson, Kaiser, Crick, Lemere and Baird, and city attorney Cook. Absent: Treasurer Keerl.

Motion by Crick, support by Lemere, to approve the August 13 minutes. Motion carried 6-0. Motion by Lemere, support by Kaiser, to pay the bills in the amount of \$14,569.81. Motion carried 6-0. Mayor Dobis shared a letter from the Alcona girl's volleyball team thanking the city for its cooperation which helped to make the 5K run on August 18 a success. The team is looking forward to holding the 5K run again next year.

The bid selection for the mapping of the city water and sewer utilities, to meet state DEQ requirements, was presented by council members Baird and Lemere. Eight bids were reviewed by Baird, Lemere and Mayor Dobis and presented to city council. The City of Harrisville requested that all bidders submit separate bids for the mapping of the water and sewer System, separate bids for the mapping of sewer lines and storm sewers and separate bids for the evaluation work on the drainage problems, together with a single bid to perform all of the work addressed above. Bidders were also requested to evaluate the drainage issues on Adams Street as well as a suspected, existing, drainage problem on Church Street, from US-23 to Lake Street and down the adjacent southerly flow of First and Second streets.

The bids ranged in price from \$18,300 to \$48,400. Council members Baird and Lemere recommended council accept the proposal from Wilcox Engineering for \$28,000. Motion by Baird, support by Lemere, to approve

#### HARRISVILLE TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The Harrisville Township monthly board meeting was held September 11 at 7 p.m. at the township hall. Four board members and eight guests opened the meeting with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Absent Supervisor Stone. Trustee Pyne was appointed to chair the meeting. No comments from the floor. Clerk's minutes approved as read. Treasurer gave her report and it was reconciled with the clerk.

Young/Pyne: To accept the treasurer's report and put on file pending the audit. Motion carried. Ordinance enforcer Ron Beyer gave a detailed report of the six inspections he was involved with last month. The meeting then turned to the problem of the hoop house at the HTRA site. A long discussion followed with input from the floor with the outcome being a meeting to be set up with all persons involved.

Young/Johnston: Pay the bills. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Roger D. Jamieson, Township Clerk Published prior to board approval.

#### RASPBERRIES

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the selection of Wilcox Engineering as the contractor to do all work per the advertised bid. A roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Six. Nays: Zero. Motion carried 6-0.

The Labor Day weekend appears to have been a huge success with reports that many vendors had a very profitable weekend. "Let's Move Initiative" was introduced by KiAnn Kruttlin and Judy Mac-Neill. "Let's Move" is part of a nation wide initiative, proposed by First Lady Michele Obama, to raise our children to be as healthy as possible. Kruttlin and MacNeill asked that the City of Harrisville agree to accept the initiative and with support from council, become a designated "Let's Move" city. Motion by Baird, support by Lemere, to approve the City of Harrisville as a "Let's Move" city. Motion carried: 6-0. Council member Crick will be the liaison from the city. Fall cleanup and hydrant flushing schedule is as follows: Hydrant flushing: October 2-5. Fall cleanup: September 28 and October 26.

Reports: Mayor Dobis reported that five concerts were scheduled for the Summer Concert Series. Each concert cost \$500. The total cost of the series, with one weather cancellation, was \$2,000.00. With generous, private contributions and audience free will donations, the total amount collected was \$1,349.17 for the series. The city posted a loss of \$650.83. Council member Tartaglia, harbor com-

mission representative, reported that cash revenue is up and the budget of the harbor is on schedule for the loan payment to the city. Expenses are down and dockage reservations are down 70 percent.

Council member Baird reported that the planning commission will meet the first Tuesday of October and that the remaining chapters of the draft of the new zoning ordinances are scheduled to be reviewed. Airport commissioner Boucher reported that the party flying model airplanes at the airport was informed that flying model planes is not legal at the airport. Party was notified of a model airplane club in Mikado. Beautification Committee chairperson Trimmer discussed the need for repair and access to the city water fountain at Lake Street and Main Street. The city will look into future plans for the foun-

Council last comments: Council member Kaiser expressed concerns regarding use of the city maintenance yard. A private contractor may use the yard to dispose of yard waste from a city resident who has hired the contractor, and then only if said contractor has received permission from the city to do so. Lemere moved the meeting to be adjourned. Meeting adjourned at 8

THE FAILED PATH

The keynoter of the Republican convention,

Governor of New Jersey, Chris Christie, recently said,

"The war on drugs, while well-intentioned, has been a failure.

We're warehousing addicted people everyday in state prisons

in New Jersey, giving them no treatment."

In a survey by the National Association of Chiefs of Police,

82 percent of police chiefs and sheriffs said the 40 year "war on drugs"

has not been successful in reducing drug use.

(National Association of Chiefs of Police - 2005)

Tens of billions of dollars wasted on interdiction efforts.

Millions of young Americans incarcerated and

labeled for life, costing our economy billions more.

Despite over \$7 billion spent annually toward arresting and prosecuting nearly

800,000 people across the country for marijuana offenses in 2005 (Uniform

Crime Reports), the federally-funded Monitoring the Future Survey reports

about 85% of high school seniors find marijuana "easy to obtain."

That figure has remained virtually unchanged since 1975,

never dropping below 82.7% in three decades of national surveys.

Barbara Pierce, clerk

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Experienced breakfast cook, apply in person at the Flour Garden, 105 S. State St. (US-23), Harris-

#### ALCONA TWP. SYNOPSIS

Alcona Township's September 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, Mead and MacNeill. Clerk's minutes and treasurer's report was filed. Motion to pay bills. Motion passed. It was decided to not sign the contract with the county concerning master file maintenance and printing services at this time. The board does not feel the county should raise their cost every year while the township revenue is decreasing. The township board will look into other options.

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

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#### **SALES**

Alcona Humane Society annual garage sale, Friday, September 21 and Saturday, September 22 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Alcona Recreation Area (ARA site) located on Barlow Road in Lincoln (one and a half miles north of M-72).

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#### **BINGO**

Knights of Columbus No. 6851, Spruce-Sunday 6:30 p.m. Papers and hard cards, two progressive jackpots and one jackpot that could be worth \$300-\$500 each week and much more.

Mikado Goodfellows Bingo every Monday 6:30 p.m. at Mikado Civic Center. Winner take all game and cookie jar. All proceeds to charity.

Bingo - Every Wednesday in Mikado Civic Center. Early bird at 6:30 p.m., air conditioned. Mikado Area Development.

A.C.C.O.A. Bingo - Tuesday 6:30 p.m., Lincoln Senior Center. All paper games, Michigan Progressive, two jackpots, cookie jar. Non-smoking area provided. New players are always welcome. Proceeds to ACCOA senior programs. A239401C.

Bingo-Every Saturday at the Barton City Eagles from 5:30 to 11 p.m.

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Elected leaders and law enforcement officials around the country are recognizing that multi-jurisdictional narcotics teams have not solved the problem. This is why the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office recently pulled out of SANE (Straits Area Narcotics Team). Undersheriff Chuck Vondra told the press, "We don't want to fill our jail with drug dealers. We want to fix the problem.

That starts in the family and the community."

What does work, as we know from our economic system, is focus on the demand side. An effective war on drugs seeks to change the behavior of the consumer through education and rehabilitation. Sadly, according to the federal government, 23.5 million Americans are in need of substance abuse treatment, but only 1 in 10 receive it.

In Alcona County, the path to a better way starts with reallocating our resources to support Local Police, a Youth Outreach Officer, and our Drug Court by again defeating the HUNT tax.

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Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Allen L. Hoeft and Pamela A. Hoeft, his wife, to Metropolitian Capital Group, Inc., mortgagee, dated January 20, 1999 and recorded January 26, 1999 in Liber 328, page 738, Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. fka Wells Fargo Bank

Minnesota, N.A. as Trustee for Reperforming Loan REMIC Trust, Series 2002-2 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-eight thousand three hundred three and 44/100 dollars (\$58,303.44) including interest at five 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 west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville in Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on September 26, 2012. Said premises are located in the township of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Township of Harrisville, county of Alcona, state of Michigan. The west 1/2 of Lot 4 and entire Lot 5, Assessor's Plat of Dorr's Rolling Acres, as per plat thereof recorded in Liber 2 of Plats, page 84 of Alcona County records. The redemption period shall be six

part of them, at public vendue, at the

place of holding the circuit court within

Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on October

Said premises are situated in township

of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan,

and are described as: Part of Govern-

ment Lot 2, Section 27, Town 28 North,

Range 7 East Alcona County, Michi-

gan, more particularly described as;

Commencing at the northwest corner of

Section 27; thence south 04 degrees 33

minutes 47 seconds west 2657.70 feet

to the west one-quarter corner or said

Section 27; thence south 85 degrees 02

minutes 00 seconds east along the east-

west one-quarter line of said section

1,051.74 feet to the point of beginning;

thence north 04 degrees 58 minutes 00

seconds east 233.00 feet; thence south

85 degrees 02 minutes 00 seconds east

190.00 feet; thence south 04 degrees

58 minutes 00 seconds west 233.00

feet to said east-west one quarter line;

thence north 85 degrees 02 minutes 00

seconds west along said east-west one-

quarter line 190.00 feet to the point of

beginning. Declaration of easements,

covenants and restrictions for common

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.

To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights.

Dated: August 29, 2012 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File No. 326.9289

8-29, 9-5, 9-12, 9-19 areas and road. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, un-

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Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-2525 File #408979F01 9-12, 9-19, 9-26, 10-3

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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 Linda A. Walker, unmarried woman, original mortgagor(s), to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc., mortgagee, dated June 5, 2003, and recorded on August 10, 2012 in Liber 490 on page 55, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred ninetysix thousand two hundred sixty-nine and 60/100 dollars (\$196,269.60).

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

As a debt collector we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Notify us at the number below if you are in active military duty.

Mortgage sale - Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Matthew Niemann and Tami Niemann, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Argent Mortgage Company LLC, mortgagee, dated the 28th day of February, 2006 and recorded in the office of the register of deeds, for the county of Alcona and state of Michigan, on the 10th day of March, 2006 in Liber 428 of Alcona County records, page 921, said mortgage having been assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as trustee for Argent Securities Inc., asset-backed pass-through certificates, Series 2006-W4 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of one hundred eighteen thousand nine hundred twenty-two and 71/100 (\$118,922.71) 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.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to statute of the state of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of October, 2012 at 10 a.m. o'clock local time, said mortgage will be fore-

closed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the west entrance to the Alcona County Building in Harrisville, Mich. (that being the building where the circuit court for the county of Alcona is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at 2.0 percent per annum and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

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, located thereon, situated in the township of Greenbush, county of Alcona, state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: Lot 46, Huron Pines Subdivision, as per plat thereof recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 187 of Alcona County records. During the six (6) 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. Pursuant to MCLA 600.3278, the mortgagor(s) will

be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption pe-

Dated: September 19, 2012 Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Argent Securities Inc., Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-W4 Mortgagee Fabrizio & Brook, P.C. Attorney for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Argent Securities Inc., Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-W4 888 W. Big Beaver, Suite 800

Troy, MI 48084 (248) 362-2600 9-19, 9-26, 10-3, 10-10

> State of Michigan **Probate Court County of Alcona Publication of** Notice of Hearing File No. 12-1925 NC

In the matter of Rino Vittorio Nave To all interested persons:

Take Notice: A hearing will be held on October 25, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Alcona County Building before Judge Laura A. Frawley for the following purpose: My legal name Rino is Italian. The I in Italian is pronounced E. I want to change it to Reno. I never had a problem until I flew to California after 9/11. My driver's license says "Rino", but my ticket was ordered "Reno."

Date: September 11, 2012 Rino Vittorio Nave 6110 Cedar Drive Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747 (989) 727-3029

#### State of Michigan **Judicial District** 23rd Judicial Circuit **County Probate**

Order Regarding Alternate Service Case No. 12-1914-CH Hon. Ronald M. Bergeron Court address: P.O. Box 308. Harrisville, Michigan 48740-0308 Court telephone no. (989) 724-9410 Plaintiff's name(s), address(es) and telephone no(s).

The Bank of New York Mellon, f/k/a The Bank of New York, as Trustee for the Certificate holders of CWALT, Inc., Alternative Loan Trust 2005-3CB, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-3CB, by its servicer Bank of America, N.A.

Plaintiff's attorney, bar no., address, and telephone no.

Trott & Trott, P.C. Melissa A. Schmitz P75190 31440 Northwestern Highway, Suite 200 Farmington Hills, MI 48334-2525 (248) 642-2515 T&T 387689L02

Defendant's name(s), address(es) and telephone no(s). Anthony W. Clayton 8440 Bamfield Rd. South Branch, MI 48761-9715 Filed Sept. 4, 2012 Alcona County Clerk

Harrisville, Michigan 48740 In the matter of The Bank of New York

Mellon, f/k/a The Bank of New York, as Trustee for the Certificate holders of CWALT, Inc., Alternative Loan Trust 2005-3CB, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates; Series 2005-3CB, by its servicer Bank of America, N.A. v. Anthony W. Clayton, et. al.

"Complaint for Judicial Foreclosure, Interested parties must file an answer with the Alcona County Circuit Court within 28 days of last publication date of 9/26/ 2012\*

The Court Finds:

1. Service of process upon the defendant, Anthony W. Clayton cannot reasonably be made as provided in MCR 2.105, and service of process may be made in a manner that is reasonably calculated to give the defendant actual notice of the proceedings and an opportunity to be heard.

It Is Ordered:

2. Service of the summons and complaint and a copy of this order may be made by the following method(s).

a. First-class mail to 8440 Bamfield Rd., South Branch, MI 48761-9715 and 5822 F-30, Glennie, MI 48737-9515.

b. Tacking and firmly affixing to the door at 8440 Bamfield Rd., South Branch, MI 48761-9715 and 5822 F-30, Glennie, MI 48737-9515.

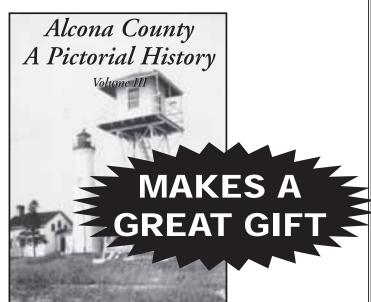
d. Other: publish three (3) consecutive weeks in an Alcona County newspaper. Date: Sept. 4, 2012

Judge: Hon. Ronald M. Bergeron 9/12, 9/19 & 9/26

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#### CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The regular Caledonia Township board meeting on September 12 was called to order by Clerk Timm with pledge to the flag at 7 p.m. Present on the board: Thornton, Timm, Ott and Scott. Absent: Supervisor Brown. Also in attendance Nancy Beck, zoning administrator and 10 citizens. Motion to accept the agenda with additions. Motion to approve the minutes of August 8, adding Mr. Marrier requested to see FEMA Maps.

Correspondence: PIE&G hearing notices. Contract with county for taxing services. Motion to pay the bills. Motion to place treasurer's report on file. Plan-

Z.A. report: Attended several meetings in August. Excavation at Smokey's has begun with a one lane pass through. Compliant at Northend was looked into by health department, they found nothing wrong. ZBA report: Mrs. Voss variance request denied as it would have created two nonconforming lots. Citizen comments: H. Freigruber, why does the township need new zoning maps? Planning commission doesn't have a good balance with lake owners and non-lake owners on the board. Burke fence down. The sign ordinance issue with Churchill

Northend Park report: Thornton attended

Motion to approve the Michigan community resolution of intent for Caledonia Township to participate in the National

Flood Insurance Program. Ayes: Four; Absent: One. Motion to pass the resolution and intergovernmental agreement to manage floodplain development for the National Flood Insurance Program between the county and the township. Ayes: Four; Absent: One.

Resolution to adopt State Safety Fund Mich. Motion to adjourn at 8:25 p.m.

#### CALEDONIA TWP. **ORDINANCE**

Caledonia Township Ordinance No. 2012-01

Ordinance Addressing Floodplain Management Provisions of the State Construction Code

Community Name: Caledonia Township. County: Alcona

Ordinance number: 2012-01

An ordinance to affirm an enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the township of Caledonia located in Alcona County, and to designate regulated flood hazard areas under the provisions of the State Construction Code Act, Act No. 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended.

The township of Caledonia ordains: Section 1. Agency designated. Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the building official of the county of Alcona is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibility of the township of Caledonia under Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, state of Michigan. The county of Alcona assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said act through out the corporate limits of the community adopting this ordinance.

Section 2. Code appendix enforced. Pursuant to the provisions of the state construction code, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of Act 230, of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, Appendix G of the Michigan Building Code shall be enforced by the enforcing agency within the township of Caledonia.

Section 3. Designation of regulated Flood Prone Hazard Areas. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Entitled Alcona County, MI-All jurisdictions and dated September 28, 2012 and the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRMS) panel number(s) 26001C, 0050D, 0075D, 0100D, and 0125D and dated September 28, 2012 are adopted by reference for the purposes of administration of the Michigan Construction Code, and declared to be a part of Section 1612.3 of the Michigan Building Code, and to provide the content of the "Flood Hazards" section of Table R301.2(1) of Michigan Residential Code

Section 4. Repeals. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Publication. This ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and in accordance with the provisions of the act governing same.

Adopted this  $12^{th}$  day of September, 2012. This ordinance duly adopted on September 12, 2012 at a regular meeting of the Caledonia Township Board and will become effective October 12. 2012.

Signed on September 12, 2012 by Helen Timm, clerk of the township of Caledonia, county of Alcona. Attested on September 12, 2012 by Ronald Ott, trustee of the township of Caledonia, county of Alcona.

ning commission: Meeting for Septem-

Point Inn was tabled again for planning

Phase II meeting before the Trust Fund Committee. The Phase I project is waiting on Consumers Energy before it can get underway. Ron Ott worked on the FEMA papers filling them all in and checking with the FEMA representative for approval. Board made resolution to adopt an ordinance addressing floodplain management provisions of the State Construction Code. Ayes: Four; Absent:

program supporting the Alcona County Road Commission. Motion to sign contract with Alcona County for tax servicing. Motion to reimburse G. Thornton mileage and expenses for attending DNR Trust fund grant meeting in Lansing,

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#### St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd., Harrisville • 724-5160 Bible Study every Thursday 3 p.m

#### Family Heritage Baptist Church

9:30 A.M. SUNDAY SERVICE

4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light)

Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • www.church72.org. Sunday worship services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Sunday school 10 a.m. Wednesday 6 p.m. Patch the Pirate
Club, children's ministry. Wednesday 6 p.m. midweek service

(preaching and prayer service). **New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)** 

Hubbard Lake Rd., 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course Along Crusty Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816

Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m.



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Pastor Jacob Schwartz~ 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. Mikkelson • (989) 727-2496

#### **Our Savior Lutheran Church** 3639 South M-65, Glennie, Michigan

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ST. RAPHAEL, Mikado, Saturday 4:30 p.m. ST. GABRIEL, Black River Saturday 6:30 p.m. ST. CATHERINE (Ossineke) Sunday 9 a.m. ST. ANNE, Harrisville Sunday 11 a.m. Pastor: Fr. Robert Bissot • (989) 724-6713

#### Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A. 201 N. Second at Jefferson, Harrisville Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids 9:45 a.m. Adult Class • Worship & Sunday School ~ 11 a.m. Thursday office hours 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Thomas J. Welscott. Pastor ~ 724-6734

#### **Spruce Lutheran Church (ELCA)**

Sunday Worship Service 9 a.m.

**1246 E. Spruce Road, Spruce • 471-5013** (3 miles west of F-41 & US-23) • Handicap Assessible

#### Haynes Community Church

4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. 989-724-6665 • 989-724-6578 Pastor Claire Duncan • haynescommunitychurch.org

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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 2902 E. F-30, Mikado, MI 48745 • (989) 736-8345

Pastor Tim Steiner, Pastor Emeritus Larry Richmond Sunday School: 10 a.m. • Sunday Worship Services: 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Monday: 6:30 p.m. \*Teen Program (Grades 7-12) Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study & Youth Programs (Grades K-6th) \*Fall-Spring programs • Website: www.cbcmikado.com

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Thomas J. Welscott, Pastor Wednesday office hours 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

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158 N. Barlow Road., Harrisville • (989) 736-6350 Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

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