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Lady Tigers earn Class C district title at home

By Hope Smith
Sportswriter

With stands packed full of fans, the Alcona girls varsity basketball team stepped onto their home court Friday, Feb. 28 against the Houghton Lake Bobcats with one goal in mind and that's exactly what they got.

The Lady Tigers earned Class C district honors after delivering a 60-40 win over Houghton Lake. Alcona advanced to play Beaverton on Tuesday (at press time) in regional semi-finals action at Sanford-Meridian High School.

In the first quarter of district action both teams struggled offensively to find a rhythm, but Alcona managed to pull ahead 15-11 by the end. The Lady Tigers turned up the intensity in the second quarter outscoring the Bobcats 22-5 to give Alcona some much needed distance heading into halftime with a 37-16 score.

The second half was another story as the Bobcats fought back hard matching Alcona bucket for bucket. But the Lady Tigers held the 49-27 lead to finish the third quarter.

The Bobcats made up some ground in the last quarter, but by then Alcona was clearing the bench to give everyone an opportunity to be a part of the game. Seniors Karina Cole, Megan Quick, Hannah Terpstra and Turner Somers spent the last few minutes of the fourth quarter on the floor together. They were showered with applause and cheers by the crowd when the final buzzer sounded giving Alcona the 60-40 win.

"What an awesome night for our girls. Houghton Lake did not play like a five win team and it took us a little bit to get going. I am so proud of our team," said Coach Brad Cole.

Co-captain Karina Cole delivered a double-double -- 21 points, 10 rebounds, five assists and seven steals. Sydney Pierce had a strong showing with 12 points, three assists and four steals. Co-captain Quick added seven points and snatched three assists. Kendra Cole had seven points, pulled down 18 rebounds, two assists and made two blocks. Nicole Walen added six points and snatched four steals. Torie Harmon added three points and two blocks. Samantha Schopfer and Maddie Feldhiser each added two points for the win.



The Alcona varsity girls basketball team poses with the district trophy after trouncing Houghton Lake in district action last Friday. Photo by Pat Brussel.

Foster grandparent program supports students, helps teachers in classroom

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Sometimes the best jobs are paid with gratitude and appreciation.

Such is the position of Alcona Elementary's foster grandparent, who not only receives appreciation from the teachers, but lots of hugs from the students.

Almost in unison 20 kindergartners shout "Nanny" as Becky Kwilinski of Harrisville enters the classroom. Many of the kids spring from their seats to welcome the smiling grandma with hugs.

Kwilinski, the mother of four and grandmother of six, is a stipend volunteer for the Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, (NEMCSA) Foster Grandparent Program.

She said the kids and teachers call her Nanny because that is what her own grandchildren call her.

NEMCSA's volunteer foster grandparents provide intergenerational opportunities for income eligible seniors 55 years of age and older. The grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and



Becky Kwilinski takes a minute to chat with kindergarten students Rayna Koch (left) and Emily Geddert in their play kitchen during class free time. Photo by Mary Weber.

mentors for school age children in need of special attention and academic support. Volunteers serve 15 to 40 hours (averaging about 20 hours a week) in a school supervised setting including public and faith-based schools, youth centers and Head Start classrooms.

The program pays a non-taxable stipend reimbursement of \$2.65 per hour to its volunteers. The program in-

cludes excess accident and liability insurance, meals on the days of volunteer service, mileage reimbursement to and from the school, stipend paid in-service educational trainings, annual physical exams and a background check, at no charge to the volunteer.

Kwilinski's time is divided between two kindergarten classrooms at Alcona Elementary plus an hour each

week to help fourth and fifth-graders in special education at the school. "The kindergarten classes are large this year with about 22 to 25 kids in each class so the teachers really appreciate the extra help I give. I've been working four days a week with the school since last September. It's the best job I've ever had. Instead of just six grandchildren, I have 60 giving me hugs," Kwilinski said.

Kindergarten teacher John Klinger said it didn't take long for the children to fall in love with Nanny, "She's a huge support and does neat little things on her own like baking healthy treats for the kids. She's brought that extra special touch into the classroom which only a grandma could give."

Kwilinski assists with keeping the children organized and on task and works with the whole class on projects or gives special assistance individually with students on assignments. Klinger said the extra assistance has helped the class

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 Harrisville Township will hold a budget hearing at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at the Harrisville Township Hall at 114 S. Poor Farm Rd. **The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this meeting.** Copies of the proposed budget are available by contacting Tom Stone at (989) 724-6872. The regular March Board meeting will follow at 7 p.m.
 Tom Stone
 Township Supervisor



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NOTICE
 Gustin Township will hold its Annual Budget Meeting for the 2014-15 fiscal year at the township hall at 113 S. Second Street, Lincoln, Mich. on Monday, March 17, 2014 at 6:15 pm. **The property tax mileage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be the subject of this meeting.** The regular township meeting will follow at 7 pm. A copy of the proposed budget is available by contacting the clerk at 989-736-7204.
 Renee LaVergne
 Gustin Township Clerk

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Obituaries


Barbara A. McGarry

Barbara A. McGarry, 86, of Greenbush, died on Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2014 at the Alpena Medical Regional Center in Alpena.

She was born November 22, 1927 to Charles H. and Margaret R. (Poynter) Barker in Lincoln Park, Mich.

She married John M. McGarry on August 22, 1947. They were long-time residents of Lincoln Park, Mich. They moved to Greenbush in 1988.

Mrs. McGarry had been a frequent visitor to Greenbush throughout her life. She enjoyed camping on Cedar Lake prior to her parents building a cabin and living in Greenbush.

She was a member of St. Andrews by-the-lake Episcopal Church in Harrisville. She was a volunteer at St. Vincent DePaul of Mikado and an Alcona County Library volunteer and benefactor.

Mrs. McGarry is survived by one daughter, Kathleen (Robert) Collins of Rochester Hills, Mich.; one son, John C. McGarry of Lincoln Park, Mich.; and three grandchildren, Mallory McGarry of Dalton, Ga., Brent McGarry



Collins of Chicago, Ill., and John Connor McGarry of Dalton, Ga.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John, on October 27, 2009.

A memorial service will be held in the summer at St. Andrews by-the-lake Episcopal Church, Harrisville. Memorials may be made to the church or Hospice of Michigan, 112 W. Chisholm, Alpena, Mich. 49707.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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Just two days before, on Wednesday, Alcona played host to Tawas. In the first quarter the score remained tight as both teams battled for position but Alcona held on to the 11-10 lead. The Lady Tigers distanced themselves from the Braves in the second quarter with some quick buckets from the Cole sisters and tough defensive pressure under the basket to give Alcona the 30-21 lead at halftime.

Alcona came out strong in the second half working together to move the ball on offense and fighting for loose balls and rebounds down low and kept the 51-40 lead at the end of the third quarter.

It was all business in fourth quarter as Alcona went on an offense push dropping basket after basket to extend the lead to 73-51 at the final buzzer.

"We had a very balanced scoring attack tonight against a solid Tawas team. A little slower start than I wanted but our team responded very well. Looking forward to the finals on Friday," Coach Cole said.

Karina Cole scored 18 points, grabbed eight rebounds, five assists and seven steals. Kendra Cole had 14 points and 14 rebounds, three assists and five blocks. Walen added 12 points and grabbed seven rebounds. Pierce made nine points and grabbed five rebounds. Quick put up seven points and made five assists. Alissa Terpstra had four points and eight rebounds.

Writing Letters to the Editor

The Alcona County Review welcomes Letters to the Editor so readers can express their opinion or draw attention to issues.

Letters to the editor must be signed with a first and last name and include an address, also a phone number where the author can be reached for confirmation or questions during regular business hours. Unsigned letters will not be published.

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Date	Temperature (F°)		Precipitation Inches	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Avg. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
Feb. 23	28	14	0.00	3.4	22	WNW
Feb. 24	22	2	T	2.1	22	NW
Feb. 25	23	2	0.00	2.9	23	NW
Feb. 26	14	-10	0.00	6.0	28	SW
Feb. 27	9	-9	0.01	4.0	26	NW
Feb. 28	14	-16	0.02	9.4	34	SSW
March 1	21	6	0.06	3.8	16	NNE

Precipitation Summary (Inches)		2013-2014	
Water Content	Snow Fall	Normal Water Content	
Weekly Total	0.09	3.3	0.36
Month of February	1.00	15.1	1.35
March to Date	0.06	2.6	0.06
Year/Season to Date	1.79	54.0	3.17

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

Calendar of Events

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

Support group for grandparents and caregivers raising children will meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Alcona Elementary School media center, 181 North Barlow Road. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call Kristin at (989) 736-8716.

Food pantry open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Spruce Lutheran Church, 1246 East Spruce Road, Spruce. Clients must be present to receive food and identification is required. For more information, call (989) 471-5013.

Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will hold a membership meeting at 11 a.m. at the VFW Hall, 2900 Connon, Alpena, at the corner of Brooke and Connon, near Diamonds Pointe. Lunch will be served. Bring a can of food for the needy. For more information call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-4080.

Donations will be accepted from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at My Brother's Hope, 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). For more information, call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township hall, 3029 Campbell Street.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Bring necessary supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Ash Wednesday Eucharist service with the imposition of ashes at noon at St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Harrisville. Individual imposition of ashes available at The Flour Garden in Harrisville from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6

Community Walking Club for everyone, meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Veterans join your fellow comrades for coffee from 9 to 11 a.m. at Westminster Pres-

byterian Church, 201 Second Street, Harrisville. All veterans are welcome.

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, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

Retirees meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass. Public is welcome.

The 4-H Archery group of Alcona will meet from 5:30 to 8 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior, 207 Church Street.

A free family fun night will be held at Alcona High School beginning with at 5:30 p.m. with a free dinner. After dinner entertainment will include a magician, a performance from the "Wizard of Oz" and skits by elementary school families. This event is sponsored by the Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Council of Alcona County.

FRIDAY, MARCH 7

Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

A fish fry will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church, Harrisville. Cost is \$9 for adults, \$4 for children and free for ages five and under. Everyone is welcome.

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

SATURDAY, MARCH 8

Recycle Alcona County will hold drop off day from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Lincoln ARA site. Enter and exit through the north gate. For more information, call (989) 724-6546.

My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). Call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365 for more information.

A free meal will be served from 10 a.m. to noon at the Potluck Café located at Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State

Street (US-23). Call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365 for more information.

SUNDAY, MARCH 9

A gospel concert by the Jones Family will be held at 9:45 a.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2430 South State Street. Original and familiar songs will be performed as they sing, play guitar, banjo, mandolin and other instruments. A potluck dinner will follow after the service. The community is invited to attend.

MONDAY, MARCH 10

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

A blood pressure clinic will be held at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 3029 Campbell Road. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

TUESDAY, MARCH 11

The Alcona County Alzheimer's Support Group will meet at 2 p.m. in the commons at Jamieson Nursing Home, 790 South US-23, Harrisville.

Weight loss support group
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The family of Norman Oliver would like to thank Jamieson Nursing Home and staff for the wonderful care given to our father. We have a special thanks also to Hospice, Rev. Mary Sodorholm, and the women of Harrisville United Methodist Church. The prayers, thoughts, calls, cards and food were appreciated.



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Budget meeting for 2014-15 Budget, Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at 6:30 p.m., Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell St., Greenbush, Michigan. For additional information, contact Dave Dailey at (989) 569-3519 or e-mail at davedailey@charter.net.



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Family Fun Night

The Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention Council for Alcona County (CANPAC) is hosting its fifth annual Family Fun Night on Thursday, March 6 at Alcona High School beginning with a free dinner at 5:30 p.m. After dinner, a free evening of entertainment will follow featuring a magician,

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Answers

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Local Notes



a performance from the "Wizard of Oz" and skits by Alcona Elementary school families. This is a free event and there will be many items given away.

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, March 10 — Hawaiian pork with fruit over rice, corn and applesauce.
- Tuesday, March 11 — Goulash, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, garlic bread, fruit and rice pudding.
- Wednesday, March 12 — Baked chicken, red parsley potatoes, winter blend, tropical fruit salad and fruit.
- Thursday, March 13 — Beef roast, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, coleslaw and fruit.
- Friday, March 14 — Baked pollock, sweet potatoes, Prince Charles blend, tossed salad and fruit.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Away at School

- David Schneider II of Harrisville recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science in education degree.
- Lauren Goeller-Ness of Ossineke recently graduated from Central Michigan University with a Master of Science degree.
- Eric Hampton of Harrisville was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honors list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.
- Chad Haneckow of Lincoln was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honor's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.
- Eryn Harvey of Lincoln was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honor's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.
- Shelby Kubbe of Spruce was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honors list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.
- Daniel Finley of Ossineke was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honor's list recognition, students must earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.
- Tyler Hoes of Ossineke was named to the honors list at Central Michigan University for the fall 2013 semester. To achieve honor's list recognition, students must

earn a 3.5 grade point average on 4.0 scale.

Mushroom Cultivation

The Alcona and Iosco Conservation districts, through the forestry assistance program, will host a mushroom cultivation workshop on March 29 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Robert Parks Library. During this workshop participants will learn about the edible mushroom farming and how to set up a small scale operation of their own. This free workshop is designed to give people an entry level understanding of what it means to grow mushrooms at home.

Participants will inoculate oak logs with shiitake mushrooms during this workshop and any participant may purchase an inoculated log for \$10. Everyone will have the chance to listen to the lecture and learn how to inoculate a log with mushroom spawn free of charge. Anyone who would like to purchase a mushroom log must place their order ahead of time by contacting district forester Andrew Beebe. Only 25 logs will be available for purchase.

The library is located at 6010 North Skeel Avenue, Oscoda. See alconaconservation.org or ioscoconservation.org for further details or contact Beebe at (989) 335-1056 or andrew.beebe@macd.org.

How to Run For Office

The nonpartisan League of Women Voters (LWV) of Alpena County wants to encourage citizens to run for office. This group is offering a program for anyone interested in learning about elections, election laws and running for local office on Thursday, March 13 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Fletcher Brewery in Alpena. The LWV has a priority of promoting active and informed participation in government and encourages all citizens, especially young people and women, to attend a panel presentation designed to give "how-to" information.

Sharing their experiences and knowledge will be Karen Hebert, City of Alpena clerk; Cindy Johnson, successful write-in candidate for Alpena City Council; Tim Kuhnlein, political and history instructor at Alpena Community College; Eric Lawson, Alpena County commissioner; and Lynda Van Dusen, Sanborn Township clerk. Alpena County Clerk Bonnie Friedrichs, meeting organizer, will describe election procedures.

Questions from the audience will follow the panel presentation. Anyone interested in public service and elections is urged to come to this meeting and bring friends. The next election date is August 5, 2014 and the registration deadline for candidates is April 22, 2014. For information about the League of Women Voters, check the League website at www.lwv-alpenacounty.org.



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Season ends for boys basketball

By Ron Yokom
Basketball Writer

The Alcona boys varsity basketball team ended its regular season with a downer week -- losing the last two games and finishing with a 10-9 record.

On Monday, Feb. 24 the Tigers traveled to Standish for a make-up game that was originally scheduled to be played at home. They did not put up much resistance and were defeated 63-40.

Standish was bigger, stronger and plays a more difficult schedule than the Tigers. The score after one period was 13-6 in the Panthers' favor.

The Tigers scored only one field goal in the second period. Standish built a 29-8 lead before Alcona finished the quarter with four straight free throws. The score at half-time was 29-12. The Tigers fared better in the third quarter outscoring Standish 15-13 but still trailed 42-27 heading into the final period. The Panthers finished the game with a 21-13 fourth quarter.

Trent LaVergne led Alcona with 18 points. Jason Steiner added nine points. Carson Jamieson made seven points. Dawson Forsythe made four

and Garrette Norling made two points.

The junior varsity team had no better success, falling 74-55. Hunter Sullivan led with 16 points.

On Thursday, Feb. 27 Alcona faced Hillman for the third time this year, which is unusual. Normally, in basketball, teams face each other twice in the regular season. This third game was a fill in for a game canceled with Whittemore-Prescott because of weather. Alcona lost to Hillman for the third time, 65-53. The first quarter was a good battle with four ties and five lead changes. LaVergne hit a three-pointer at the buzzer to give the Tigers an 18-16 lead. Alcona continued to stay with Hillman for most of the second period, but faltered toward the end and trailed 34-28 at halftime.

Alcona tried hard but could not catch Hillman. The Tigers trailed 50-41 at the end of three quarters and lost by 13 points. LaVergne led Alcona with 27 points. Jamieson added 10 points. Forsythe and Steiner scored seven points each and Alec Link had two points.

Alcona was able to defeat the teams on their schedule that they should, with the possible loss to Atlanta to begin the season. But, they could not beat any of the better teams, losing twice to Mio and Tawas, three times to Hillman and once to Standish. They will lose seniors Carson Jamieson, Dawson Forsythe and Garrette Norling, but there will be a lot of competition for a varsity spot next season with possibly as many as 16 players trying out for the team.

The JV team won a tight game, 44-41, on a three-pointer by Nate Swinson at the buzzer. Swinson and Havercroft led them with 12 points each. They finished with a fine 16-3 record.

(Editor's Note: This is the last basketball season that Ron Yokom will cover for the Review. He has decided to hang up his press pass. His time and dedication during the many years he has covered the boys varsity basketball team is appreciated by the Review, its readers and student athletes.)

Bowling

Early Bloomers

February 25

Violets	311	241
Buttercups	305	247
Marigolds	288.5	263.5
Daffodils	270.5	281.5
Mums	246	306
Rosebuds	235	317

High game and series: Lori Miller, 206 and 476.

High team game and series: Marigolds, 472 and 1,332.

He's & She's

February 14

Part Timers	82	38
Wine or Busts	81	39
Up Your Alley	72	48
Wild Ones	67	53
Bowler Up	55.5	64.5
3 Chix & Stud	46	74
Family Affair	41.5	78.5

Men's high game and series: Bill Cordes, 246 and 666. Men's high handicap game: Alan Shillair, 247.

Men's high handicap series: Stephen Weichel, 692.

Women's high game and series: Gale Buchner, 254 and 587.

Women's high handicap game and series: Gale Buchner, 296 and 713.

Majors

February 22

Kingpins	90.5	59.5
Team 2	89	61
Broken Lane	68.5	69.5
Destroyers	40	98

Boy's high game: Jay Nordstrom, 181. Boy's high series: Cory Hoffman, 469.

Boy's high handicap game: Jay Nordstrom, 235. Boy's high handicap series: Cory Hoffman, 655.

Girl's high game: Emily Hoffman, 172. Girl's high series: Raegen Eller, 453.

Girl's high handicap game and series: Emily Hoffman, 281 and 750.

Minors

February 22

Harris. Tigers	36	24
Tigers	34	26
Scorpions	33.5	26.5
Pin Busters	16.5	43.5

Boy's high game and series: Brenden Hudgins, 179 and 277.

Boy's high handicap game and series: Brenden Hudgins, 269 and 457.

Girl's high game: Emily Hanson, 93. Girl's high series: Hannah Tanner, 156.

Girl's high handicap game: Emily Hanson, 227. Girl's high handicap series: Hannah Tanner, 426.

Huron

February 25

Back Alley Bar	147	63
B & D Sales	125.5	84.5
Gary Oil	104	106
Robert's Floor.	100	110
Rob's Repair	85	125
Shotmakers	66.5	143.5

High game and series: Ray Medore, 264 and 690.

High handicap game: Michael Baird, 286. High handicap series: Pat Gonyea, 769.

Sportsman

February 27

M&Monnier	147	93
Phil's Barber	136.5	103.5
Morgan Electric	122.5	117.5
Cole's Appl.	108.5	131.5
LLW Club	104.5	135.5
Village Lanes	101	139

High game and series: Ray Medore, 267 and 709.

High handicap game and series: Kiel Rice, 307 and 829.

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Hawes Township will hold its annual budget meeting at 6:45 p.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at the Barton City VFW Hall, 2120 Trask Lake Rd. **The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this meeting.** Regular meeting to follow at 7 p.m.

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Quitting smoking is the single best thing that you can do for your health."

According to Bryan, there are numerous proven and effective methods available to help Michigan residents quit tobacco, including:

- The Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) Tobacco Quitline, 1-(800) 784-8669, which provides free telephone coaching for the uninsured and those with Medicaid and Medicare, and free nicotine replacement medications for those who qualify. The Quitline includes extra help for pregnant women. Information on quitting smoking and a free printable Michi-

gan Smoker's Quit Kit are available through MDCH by visiting: www.michigan.gov/tobacco.

- BecomeAnEX.org, which is a free, interactive website that shows smokers how to relearn life without cigarettes. The site, developed by the American Legacy Foundation in partnership with Mayo Clinic, offers a free, personalized quit plan and an online support community to help people prepare to quit and stay quit.

- Tools from the American Cancer Society, which are available to help with quitting. For more information contact the American Cancer Society at (800) 227-2345.

- An individual's health care provider, who can provide counseling, nicotine replacement medication, and referral to services.

- The website www.smoke-free.gov provides free, accurate, evidence-based information and professional assistance to help support the immediate and long-term needs of people trying to quit smoking.

- Quit Tobacco: Make Everyone Proud, available at www.ucanquit2.org/ is a Department of Defense-sponsored website for military personnel and their families.

According to the American Cancer Society, the benefits of quitting smoking are immediate. Within 20 minutes blood pressure drops, and within 24 hours a person's chance of heart attack decreases. The benefits continue for years, including reduced risk of lung cancer, stroke, and heart disease.

"New Year's Day is the most popular day for giving up unhealthy habits. Planning ahead, letting others help, and talking to your health-care provider are great steps to take in preparation for quitting," Bryan said. "Using the available resources can help people to make 2014 tobacco-free, yielding a lifetime of health benefits."

For more information, contact District Health Department No. 2 at (800) 504-2650 or call the Michigan Tobacco Quitline at (800) 784-8669.

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Dear Savvy Senior,
Can you recommend any products that can help older drivers with their vehicles? My 84-year-old mother is still a pretty good driver, but she has arthritis, which limits her range of motion and hinders her driving.

Searching Son

Dear Searching,
To help keep older drivers safe and extend their driving years, there are a number of affordable products you can purchase today that can easily be added to your mom's vehicle to help with many different needs.

Entry and Exit

If your mom's limited range of motion is hampering her ability to get into and out of her vehicle, consider these products:

- **Standers Metro Car Handle:** This is a small portable support handle that inserts into the U-shaped striker plate on the doorframe

that helps with getting out of a car.

- **CarCaddie:** This is a nylon strap handle that hooks around the top of the door window frame for entry and exiting help.

- **Swivel Seat Cushion:** A round portable cushion that turns 360 degrees to help drivers and passengers rotate their body into and out of their vehicle.

Vision Helpers

If your mom has a difficult time looking over her shoulder to back-up or merge into traffic, or struggles with sensitivity to glare, these products can help.

- **AllView mirror:** This is an oversized rear view mirror that attaches to the existing rear view mirror to widen her rear visibility and eliminate blind spots so your mom can see traffic without significant neck or body rotation. It also helps during parking.

- **Blind spot mirrors:** These are small convex mirrors that

stick to the corner of the side view mirrors to improve side and rear vision.

- **Backup camera:** To eliminate blind spots and avoid turning around when backing up, this device (which costs around \$100) comes with a wireless night vision camera that attaches to the license plate and a small monitor that mounts to the dash or windshield.

- **Sun zapper glare shield:** This plastic tinted visor clips on to the existing sun visor to remove sun glare without obstructing vision. It also has a special sliding shield that lets you block extra-bright glare spots.

Arthritic Hands

If your mom's arthritis makes turning the ignition key, twisting open the gas cap, or gripping the steering wheel difficult and painful, consider these devices:

- **Key turner:** This is a small plastic handle that attaches to the car keys to provide



Savvy Senior

additional leverage making it easier to turn the key in the ignition or door.

- **Gas cap removal tool:** To help at the pump this long handled device works like a wrench to make loosening and tightening the gas cap much easier and it fits most gas caps.

- **Steering wheel cover:** It fits over the steering wheel to make it larger in size and easier to grip.

Short Drivers

If your mom has shrunk a little over the years to the point she needs help seeing over the steering wheel or

reaching the pedals, consider a "wedge seat cushion" which is an orthopedic cushion that supports the back and elevates her a few inches. Or, "foot pedal extensions," (see pedalexten.com, drive-master.com or summiteasy.com) that allow her to reach the pedals while keeping her 10-to-12-inches from the steering wheel.

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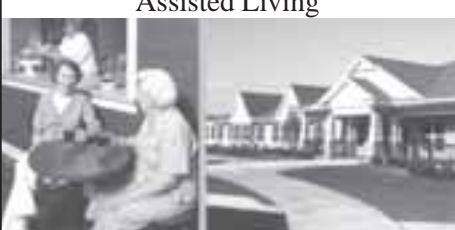
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Grandparent

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immensely to reach learning goals quicker and easier.

Her work with the students goes far beyond academic support, "I'm someone here to listen to the kids. They know they can talk to me about anything; I'm here to help them. Five year olds are the most honest people I know and they tell me about everything," Kwilinski said.

The foster grandparent also goes with the children to their special classes such as gym, media center or library and offers those teachers an extra pair of hands, eyes and support.

As Kwilinski watched Marylynn Mullen's kindergarten class moving about she explained the weather had been too cold for several weeks for the little ones to have recess outside, so they were allowed to play inside during free time instead.

It was obvious the children enjoyed their foster grandparent's assistance as much as Kwilinski enjoyed being there. A young student shyly handed Nanny a raggedy cut piece of paper with five year old hieroglyphics scratched across it. Kwilinski immediately bent down to see what the student had printed. The child beamed as Kwilinski commented on her work, "Look at how good you are writing. I can read two words you wrote on here. What nice writing. I'm not sure what the third word is, but I'm sure it's important, we'll have to figure out what that third word is later."

Encouraging each child to feel special and to do their best is where Kwilinski excels even though she's never worked in a classroom before. Kwilinski owns Ark Plumbing and is also the inventor of a unique pillow called the Nappernoo designed for toddler and school age children to safely rest their heads on while sitting in car booster seats. She said the pillow was created from necessity after she got tired of seeing her grandchildren napping uncomfortably during long drives and almost falling out of their seats. Kwilinski has patented the design and sells the pillow on-line.

In her spare time she enjoys bowling and said it was through a friend at bowling where she first learned about the NEMCSA's foster grandparent program.

Kwilinski was hard pressed to find any negatives about the volunteer position. "It's all good. I love interacting with the children. The first month I caught a few colds and was pretty exhausted, but after my body adjusted I haven't had any problems. I don't do any grading or lesson plan making, I'm just there during the day to help the kids in any way I can. Sometimes with the special education kids just having me sit next to them while they read or work on comprehension questions really helps," Kwilinski said.

About the only draw back to her job is there isn't enough time for her to work with all the kids in the school. She is the only foster grandparent



Kwilinski encourages Alcona Elementary kindergarten student Rickie Cheatum III while he works on his snowman assignment. Kwilinski is part of NEMCSA's foster grandparent program which provides stipend volunteers, age 55 and over, an opportunity to volunteer with school classrooms needing extra assistance. Photo by Mary Weber.

at the school and said the need for more is very high.

She wasn't sure why more seniors aren't involved with NEMCSA's program which welcomed her with open arms. "I've already seen a lot of progress in my students which is just awesome. My students mean the world to me. The teachers are just as great; they really appreciate and trust the additional help. NEMCSA treats their volunteers well.

"We get recognized for our service with a nice Christmas party and they have great luncheons during in-service training seminars. We also get paid to attend the training and mileage reimbursement and there is vacation and sick pay too. They have the funds available to hire more volunteers.

"If you want your life a little more fulfilled and like volunteering, this is the best. Don't let the income eligibility stop you from calling; it's a lot higher than you may think," Kwilinski said.

NEMCSA volunteer administrative assistant, Wanda Gougeon, said the income eligibility is based on 200 percent of the poverty guideline, but anyone interested should give them a call and talk confidentially to either herself or program director Barb Dault, because sometimes they can include certain expenses for seniors to meet the eligibility guideline.

For more information call NEMCSA's volunteer program director, Barb Dault or volunteer program administrative assistant, Wanda Gougeon toll free at (877) 222-9043 or (989) 358-4639.

It must be spring; road weight restrictions are on

Seasonal weight restrictions on roads have returned. According to the County Road Association of Michigan (CRAM) Michigan law seasonal weight restrictions are in effect March, April and May of each year.

"State and local road agencies have the ability to implement weight restrictions earlier if conditions warrant, or to suspend restrictions if frost is not leaving the ground during the restricted period," said CRAM director Denise Donohue. "The extreme cold temperatures this year have pushed the time lines back. Typically restrictions are wide spread by this time of year."

Seasonal weight restrictions protect Michigan's local roads from excess weight at times when they are most susceptible to damage.

"We don't think of concrete and asphalt being vulnerable to damage," Donohue said. "But when retreating frost leaves an air pocket or water, a heavy vehicle can crack or pulverize that pavement."

Eighty percent of the lo-

cal road network is in poor or fair condition, according to the Michigan Transportation Asset Management Council.

For those driving trucks, heavy equipment or farm apparatus, the CRAM's website lists all county seasonal weight restrictions as they become available. Visit <http://www.micountyroads.org/weight.php>. The website provides commercial truck operators all information needed to comply with these temporary restrictions.

Three facts about Michigan's "Frost Laws:"

- Most local agencies restriction period is significantly less than the 13 week period in Michigan law.

- During the weight restriction period trucks traveling on "posted/restricted" roads must reduce speeds to 35 m.p.h. and carry lighter loads. Those using "all season" roads can haul normal legal loads.

- Most northern states and all Canadian provinces also utilize road seasonal weight restrictions on their roads.

The short program

By Kathryn Fritz Kniep
Columnist

I told you early in January that my New Year's resolution involved hibernating my way through the winter, and so far, I've done a pretty decent job of it. Although it's pretty easy to stay inside when the temperature is negative 10, as we approach March it's resulted in a walloping case of cabin fever.

What got me through February was largely a bag of Kit Kat miniatures and the televised Olympics. I'm not much of a fan of hockey and I don't understand curling, but I do enjoy the skiing, snow boarding and my two favorites - the ice dancing and figure skating. Those represent the closest thing I've ever done to an outdoor winter sport, although I have to say there weren't many figures in my skating other than the occasional large, crooked figure eight.

That said, it is true that from about third through eighth grade, I spent almost all of the free time between after school and dinner on my skates.

We skated on the ponds behind the vet's club on Lake Street and it was the after-school activity of choice for virtually all of the kids in Harrisville. A group of older boys usually claimed the upper rink for hockey, while the rest of us commandeered the lower pond.

Given the vagaries of northern Michigan winters, said pond was hardly a pristine mirror of perfect ice. After a big storm, one of our kind-hearted fathers usually cleared it off for us. Following lighter snows, we took turns pushing a snow shovel brought from home in half-hearted circles to clear an area. Nobody had a Zamboni to bring from home, but we knew where the worst of the bumps and bubbles were and we slowed down to coast over them.

I'm not sure what the temperatures were (kids don't pay much attention to such things) and I don't think the concept of wind chill had been invented yet, but generally it was cold and worse when the wind was off the lake. I dreamed of owning a real "skating costume." Instead I set off, most days, in clothing that met my mother's requirements.

That included a pair of lumpy tights covered by a pair of flannel pajamas, corduroy pants and the itchy wool snow pants I hated with all my heart, a sweater and my jacket. Over the tights, I wore a pair of socks and a second pair of my dad's socks and on my hands a pair of gloves covered by a pair of mittens. Topped off with a stocking cap and a scarf, I rather resembled the younger brother in "A Christmas Story" as I trudged the couple of blocks to the rink - roasting on the way there and freezing on my return.

You'd think, in all that time on the ice, I'd have developed some expertise at it, but I never really did. Despite the fervent efforts of several friends to teach me, I never



Puttin' on the Fritz By Kathryn Kniep

did learn to skate backwards. It became clear early on that I was destined to be a forward-only skater, chugging in happy circles around the perimeter of the pond like the little engine that could.

In those loosely-supervised and far less safety conscious days, we were normally on our own and no one ever wore anything resembling a helmet. I don't remember any injuries. Most often if we fell, the bottom-heavy aspect of our ensemble resulted in a boom onto our caboose resulting in much hilarity and lots of jokes about cracking the ice.

On one memorable occasion, a friend actually skated too close to the thin ice near the intake pipe, leaving her standing hip high in the water. We quickly fished her out and a passing mom drove her home to warm up before her snow pants froze.

I longed, in those days, for a real skating costume - and in my head, I knew exactly what it would be. The palest ice green leotard, covered in sequins, a flippy skirt and sparkly tights and - oh epitome of sophistication -- colored skates to replace my scuffed up white ones. My stocking cap, with its stupid pom-pom would be replaced with a single fluffy feather, my hair would be transformed into a sleek straight pixie cut and through some miracle on ice, my nose and cheeks would lose their cherry red color which would appear only in a slip of Tangee Natural lipstick.

What I saw in my head (and what I suspect the others saw in their heads) as we chugged counterclockwise around the pond, was a swan. A swan that leaped and twirled and glided gracefully - sometimes even backwards - across the polished surface. A swan who, as the music reached a crescendo, reached behind her, grasped her skate blade, lifted her leg high into the air and twirled so fast that you could see the front and back of her at the same time.

It wasn't to be, anywhere but in my head. As I moved on to high school, I skated less often, but I still went occasionally, even in my college days. After that, as my ankles began to resemble overcooked linguine, I retired on my laurels and waited for the endorsement offers.

Until last week, that is, when I actually set out into the cold on a non-negotiable trip to the grocery store. The temperature had warmed up to the high 20s a few days before, resulting in some melting and some sleety rain.

The distance between our front door and our driveway has a slight downward slant and clearly, I'd chosen the

wrong shoes for my trek. I was about two steps into it when I lost my purchase on the walkway. Arms flailing, I slid slowly down the incline, spinning around once - actually going backwards for a few seconds - and landing with a significant boom on my caboose next to the car.

Fortunately, I survived it relatively unscathed. When Art came to my rescue a moment later, I was already on the wet knees of my jeans (where are your snow pants when you need them?) pulling myself up by clinging to the car tire.

I grinned up at him. "Well," I told him, "I did okay on the compulsories, but I messed up on my triple salchow."

The boom hurt then, and it hurt for a couple days thereafter. But you know what? There was a moment there when it was worth it for the memory of the glide and grace of the swan.

And if it hadn't been for the German judge, I'd have taken the bronze.

(Kathryn Kniep has contributed to the Alcona County Review for more than 30 years. She has published fiction, nonfiction and poetry in several venues. She and her husband, Art, live in Harrisville.)

Savvy

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to make it easier to reach for seniors with mobility loss. And a "seat belt shoulder pad" that fits around the shoulder strap protects the neck and shoulder from rubbing and chafing.

Where to Buy

All of these items (except the pedal extensions and backup camera) cost under \$50, and can be found online at amazon.com. Type the product name in the search bar to get a variety of options.

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East Shore Art Guild

The February 11 general meeting of the East Shore Art Guild (EASG) started at 1 p.m. with president Bernie Blaszk

welcoming all to the meeting. There were five members in attendance for this informal meeting at the Harrisville library. The ESAG has 21 paid members so far this year. Members who haven't paid their dues are asked to do so.

Minutes were not read because secretary Rose Blaszk was ill. Gerry Strenk gave the treasurer's report. Terry Lipscomb gave an update on the I.C.E. Challenge Program starting March 4 -- Tuesdays from 4 to 5:30 p.m. at the EMS Building.

Spring dates for the I.C.E. Challenge Program: March 4, 11, 18, and 25. April 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29. Summer dates for the I.C.E. Challenge Program: June 17, 24, July 1, 8, 22 and 29.

We could use donations: Of paper towels, wax paper, small paper plates, sponges for cleaning, Fabuloso for cleaning and garbage bags.

We have received a grant of \$600 from the Community Foundation of Northeast Michigan.

The Sunrise Side Wine &

Food Festival is celebrating its 20th year anniversary this year. If interested in entering, a poster it is due by April 1. A form can be obtained at the Harrisville Arts Council. On the fourth Tuesday of each month from noon to 2 p.m. there is a group of people meeting to learn how to crochet or knit. Everyone is welcome to join at the Harrisville library.

There will be a workshop with Sharon Griffes Tarr June 2-6. Anyone interested in this year's workshop should let

Bernie know. It was discussed that the general meetings be changed to Thursdays when we have our open workshop either, before, during or after our work sessions. We need to vote on this motion at the next meeting.

The next meeting is April 8 at 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County library. There is a NEMAG reception at 2:30 p.m.

Barbara Wasserman will be having classes on Tuesday mornings from 9 a.m. to noon at the EMS Building.

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

Exercise indoors, walk upstairs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). For more information, call Susan Armstrong at (989) 724-6365.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center 207 Church Street.

Play euchre from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

The AuSable Valley Audubon will meet at 7 p.m. at Tawas Area High School, M-55, Tawas City. The program will consist of bird sightings, bird identification practice, planning for the May birding festival and a short program about Michigan geology and history. Free and open to the public. For more information, call Larry VanWagoner at (989) 362-2522.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12
The Alcona County Chamber of Commerce will meet at 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 3029 Campbell Road.

Needle crafters are making hats, scarves and more at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Bring necessary supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

THURSDAY, MARCH 13
Community Walking Club for everyone, meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

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, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

Any citizen interested in public service, elections and election processes is encouraged to hear a panel of experienced candidates and public officials from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Fletcher Brewery, 124 West Fletcher Street, Alpena. This event is sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Alpena County.

The 4-H Archery group of Alcona will meet from 5:30 to 8 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior, 207 Church Street.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14
Storytime and craft for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

A fish fry will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church, Harrisville. Cost is \$9 for adults, \$4 for children and free for ages five and under. Everyone is welcome.

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

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March 5, 2014

Seven Day Forecast

	WEDNESDAY Snow Possible High: 21 Low: 4
	THURSDAY Mostly Sunny High: 22 Low: 12
	FRIDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 29 Low: 15
	SATURDAY Mostly Sunny High: 26 Low: 9
	SUNDAY Partly Cloudy High: 26 Low: 18
	MONDAY Cloudy High: 34 Low: 25
	TUESDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 32 Low: 21

Today's Regional Map

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 30% chance of snow, high temperature of 21°, humidity of 68%. Light winds. The record high temperature for today is 49° set in 1974. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 4°. Northeast wind 5 to 10 mph. The record low for tonight is -3° set in 1978.

*Last Week's Almanac

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	17	3	30/12	0.00"
Tuesday	19	0	31/12	0.00"
Wednesday	14	-7	31/12	0.00"
Thursday	9	-13	31/13	0.03"
Friday	12	-23	32/13	0.06"
Saturday	17	2	32/13	0.03"
Sunday	12	-4	32/14	0.00"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	7:01 a.m.	6:27 p.m.	9:17 a.m.	11:48 p.m.
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	6:28 p.m.	9:56 a.m.	Next Day
Friday	6:58 a.m.	6:29 p.m.	10:38 a.m.	12:48 a.m.
Saturday	6:56 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	11:24 a.m.	1:43 a.m.
Sunday	6:56 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	1:13 p.m.	3:32 a.m.
Monday	7:52 a.m.	7:33 p.m.	2:06 p.m.	4:16 a.m.
Tuesday	7:51 a.m.	7:34 p.m.	3:01 p.m.	4:56 a.m.

Local UV Index

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

National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies today and Thursday, isolated showers Friday, with the highest temperature of 45° in Baltimore, Md. The Southeast will see partly cloudy to cloudy skies with a few showers today, scattered showers and thunderstorms Thursday and Friday, with the highest temperature of 85° in Marathon Key, Fla. The Northwest will see scattered rain today and Thursday, mostly clear to partly cloudy skies Friday, with the highest temperature of 64° in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 86° in Yuma, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:01 a.m.	4:11 p.m.
Venus	4:49 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
Mars	9:52 p.m.	8:58 a.m.
Jupiter	12:41 p.m.	4:11 a.m.
Saturn	12:12 a.m.	10:02 a.m.
Uranus	8:04 a.m.	8:38 p.m.

Weather History

March 5, 1988 - While snow blanketed eastern Kansas and northern Oklahoma, eight cities in North Dakota reported new record high temperatures for the date. The afternoon high of 61 degrees at Bismarck, N.D. was 27 degrees warmer than that at Chanute, Kan.

Weather Trivia

Can tornadoes rotate in the wrong direction?

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Answer: Some tornadoes rotate clockwise, opposite of the normal rotation.

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StarWatch By Gary Becker - Rigel: Blue Jewel of Orion

The winter constellations are some of the finest that you will encounter, and with the icon of the season, Orion the Hunter, due south after dark, its stars beg investigation. There is no other pattern that has as many blue giant stars in it, and the best of them all is Rigel, not just a giant, but a blue supergiant. Rigel, "rijl al-jauza," Arabic for the foot of the "Central One," can be found as the blue-white scintillating diamond beneath Orion's three straight belt stars. It is the brightest luminary of the constellation, but listed as the Hunter's beta star, opposite to red Betelgeuse with the three belt stars in between. What makes Rigel so special? Put it in the center of our solar system, and this star would extend to nearly the orbit of Mercury. Rigel is a staggering 63 million miles in diameter and produces the energy of 85,000 suns. We'd simply be "toast" in a second or two. Thank goodness, it lies at a respectable distance of 860 light years; that's traveling at 186,000 miles per second for all of the seconds contained within that time span. Unlike our much slower paced sun which will be around for at least 10 billion years, stars like Rigel measure their lives in millions of years. In fact, at an estimated age of 10 million years, Rigel is definitely feeling the pangs of old age rapidly creeping upon itself. Astronomers, however, are still unsure of Rigel's eventual fate. Will it become a red supergiant and ultimately detonate in a spectacular supernova event, brightening to the luminescence of the quarter moon, or has Rigel already seen its red giant days, and now has contracted back into a more compact, hotter star. If we knew its mass, the problem would be solvable, but even though Rigel has its share of companion stars, four in total, their great distances have made it impossible to glean any orbits, even from the closest one. Still shrouded in mystery, Rigel remains one of the jewels of the heavens. See it for yourself tonight! www.astronomy.org

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Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **GEOGRAPHY:** Where is the island of Cyprus located?
2. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is a group of adult alligators called?
3. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What is the Koh-i-noor?
4. **LITERATURE:** What was the name of the monster in Mary Shelley's novel "Frankenstein"?
5. **RELIGION:** Which religion espouses the Eightfold Path?
6. **OLYMPICS:** A "Salchow" jump is employed in which winter sport?
7. **HISTORY:** How many banks of oars were used in an ancient warship called the trireme?
8. **SYMBOLS:** What is the shape of a trefoil?
9. **SCIENCE:** What is phototropism?
10. **LANGUAGE:** What does the acronym BTU stand for?

Answers: 1. Mediterranean Sea; 2. A congregation; 3. A large and famous diamond in the British crown jewels; 4. It had no name but referred to itself once as "Adam"; 5. Buddhism; 6. Figure skating; 7. Three; 8. Clover, or three-leafed; 9. An organism's growth in response to light; 10. British Thermal Unit. (c) 2014 King Features Synd., Inc.

Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On March 17, 1834, Gottlieb Daimler, who in 1890 founded an engine and car company bearing his name, is born in Germany. In 1885, he and Wilhelm Maybach developed a new version of the four-stroke internal-combustion engine, which they attached to a wooden bicycle, creating what has been referred to as the world's first motorcycle.
- On March 19, 1842, French writer de Balzac's play "Les Ressources de Quinola" opens to an empty house, thanks to a failed publicity stunt. Hoping to create a buzz, the writer circulated a rumor that tickets were sold out. Unfortunately, most of his fans stayed home.
- On March 20, 1852, Harriet Beecher Stowe's anti-slavery novel, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," is published. The book was so widely read that when President Abraham Lincoln met Stowe, he reportedly said, "So this is the little lady who made this big war."
- On March 22, 1933, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signs the Beer and Wine Revenue Act. The law levied a federal tax on all alcoholic beverages to raise revenue for the federal government and gave individual states the option to impose further regulations.
- On March 18, 1942, the War Relocation Authority is created to "take all people of Japanese descent into custody." Earl Warren (who would go on to become chief justice of the Supreme Court) claimed that a lack of evidence of sabotage among the Japanese population proved nothing, as they were merely biding their time.
- On March 21, 1963, Alcatraz Prison in San Francisco Bay closes down and transfers its last prisoners. At its peak use in 1950s, "The Rock," or "America's Devil Island," housed more than 200 inmates at the maximum-security facility.
- On March 23, 1983, Barney Clark dies, 112 days after becoming the world's first recipient of a permanent artificial heart. The 61-year-old dentist spent the last four months of his life at the University of Utah Medical Center attached to a 350-pound console that pumped air in and out of the aluminum-and-plastic implant through a system of hoses.

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Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was celebrated Russian novelist Fyodor Dostoyevsky who made the following sage observation: "Talking nonsense is the sole privilege mankind possesses over the other organisms. It's by talking nonsense that one gets to the truth! I talk nonsense, therefore I'm human."
- If you can foretell the future by looking at fingernail clippings, you're practicing onychomancy.
- The name of the islands of Hawaii is thought to come from a word in an early Polynesian language meaning "place of the gods."
- You might be surprised to learn that before novelist Salman Rushdie wrote "The Satanic Verses" and had a fatwa issued against him by the Supreme Leader of Iran, he worked in advertising, coming up with slogans for candy companies.
- If you're like the average woman, you will kiss 15 men, go on four disastrous dates, be stood up once and suffer heartbreak twice before you meet the man you want to settle down with.
- In 2009, Japanese scientists revealed that the human body emits a very slight, yet perceptible, glow. After using a special camera to study a sample of men in their 20s, they found that intensity of the glow varies, with the lowest point at around 10 a.m. and the brightest at 4 a.m.
- Horses can tell each other apart just by the sound of their whinnies.
- It is traditional in Scotland to "blacken the bride." In this process, a soon-to-wed woman is abducted by friends, covered in honey, eggs, sauce and feathers, then taken around town on a pub crawl.
- In ancient Rome, slaves with red hair commanded a higher price from buyers.

Thought for the Day: "What is laid down, ordered, factual is never enough to embrace the whole truth: life always spills over the rim of every cup." -- Boris Pasternak

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Top Ten Movies

1. The Lego Movie (PG) animated
 2. 3 Days to Kill (PG-13) Kevin Costner, Hailee Steinfeld
 3. Pompeii (PG-13) Kit Harington, Emily Browning
 4. RoboCop (PG-13) Joel Kinnaman, Gary Oldman
 5. The Monuments Men (PG-13) George Clooney, Matt Damon
 6. About Last Night (R) Kevin Hart, Michael Ealy
 7. Ride Along (PG-13) Ice Cube, Kevin Hart
 8. Frozen (PG) animated
 9. Endless Love (PG-13) Shana Feste, Joshua Safran
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GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP MINUTES

Greenbush Township Clerk D. Dailey called the meeting to order on Tuesday, Feb. 11 at 7:05 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall. Two guests were present who joined in the "Pledge of Allegiance." Roll call was taken. Present: Clerk D. Dailey, treasurer, P. Dailey, trustee Sally Olin. Absent: Supervisor Ed Roddy and trustee Gary Abraham. Added to agenda per supervisor Roddy -- salary resolution and ACCOA kitchen concerns to new business. Motion Olin/P. Dailey: To approve the agenda as amended. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

Motion Olin/P. Dailey: To approve the minutes. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried. No public comments.

Financial report: Treasurer P. Dailey -- \$39,543.37 general fund; \$92,423.34 road fund; \$84,391.46 fire fund; \$24,567.06 Prince Road; \$481.05 GRAC. Reported on the class that was attended at the MTA meeting about Internet solutions. Will attend the public meeting being held in April. Much discussion. Motion D. Dailey/Olin: To approve the financial report and place on file for audit. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

Presentation of bills: Clerk D. Dailey -- payroll check numbers 15315-15323 - \$4,410.14, and bills check numbers 15266-15344 - \$11,586.47. Motion Olin/P. Dailey: To approve the bills as presented. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

Miscellaneous reports: Constable Parent: Red Rooster closed and license still in escrow. Lakewood Shores in seasonal escrow. Other two are inspected and okay. County commissioner Brummund: February is Love your Library month, Harrisville library has many things going on. First week of March is Agricultural and Natural Resources Week. The last week of February

is the snowmobile races at the ARA Site. On April 26, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. is Spring to Summer Expo and opening of farm market. Thunder Bay Transit has new green fuel efficient trolleys that should be running in late May. Homeland Security update on grants. One hundred eighty-five homes are up for forfeiture. Governor's budget, if passed, will not affect us. Spring tree sale fliers are out. Pick up will be the weekend of the Spring to Summer expo. First and third Thursdays is veterans coffee hour at Harrisville Presbyterian Church from 9 to 11 a.m.

Fire Chief Franks: Two fires and eight first responder calls. Four people took first responder class; one is complete in training now. Looking for a new first responder vehicle. In 2013 the department had a total of 26 fire calls and 135 first responder calls. Pagers are still not coming through very well. Light at the fire hall is up and working.

Zoning administrator Major: December 2013 and January 2014 zero permits issued and zero complaints. Giles is still with attorney Cook. Homes responded to papers served and has stated they will be cleaning up. Update on the home that had a fire that was reported occupied. Hall rental -- clerk D. Dailey said no inquiries. Assessor Schwickert: Millage estimate; March 4 organizational meeting. GRAC -- Olin: No report. Planning commission -- Milwrick: (Report given by clerk D. Dailey) been meeting first Thursday of each month at the Greenbush Township Hall with Richard Ducall and has started on the master plan and ordinances. Road commission -- Campbell: No report. Correspondence-none.

Pending business: Update on IRS situation, no change. Millage decisions -- operating millage for the township is \$47,046.05. Fire department is \$48,541.83. Motion Olin/P. Dailey: To renew millage for the same for the Greenbush Fire Department. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

Road fund \$72,812.75. Motion Olin/D. Dailey: To renew the millage the same for the Greenbush Road Commission. Roll call vote:

Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

New business: Salary resolution 2014-1, 2014-2, and 2014-3 went through budget report and much discussion. Resolve to renew salaries of the Greenbush Township Board members as is for the 2014-15 budget year by Olin, second clerk D. Dailey. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

Alcona County Commission on Aging is asking for filters and a water softener. Millages are \$11,942.10 and \$35,847.07. Paid in \$670 for hall rental. Some discussion; table discussion until the reps for this committee can attend the March monthly meeting. Motion Olin/D. Dailey. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

No comments from the floor. Motion Olin/D. Dailey: To adjourn at 8:25 p.m. Roll call vote: Roddy - absent, clerk D. Dailey - aye, treasurer P. Dailey - aye, Abraham - absent, Olin - aye. Motion carried.

David W. Dailey
 Greenbush Township Clerk
 Note: Published prior to board approval. Next regular scheduled meeting Tuesday, March 11 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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HELP WANTED

Alcona Health Center, Harrisville clinic, has an opening for a part time 30 hours per week medical record/receptionist. For more information and the application go to www.alconahhealthcenters.org. The deadline to apply is March 14, 2014. Equal opportunity employer.

Cattails Bar & Grill in Ossineke is now taking applications for a few smiling faces. Line cook, waitress, bartender, (989) 657-2048 for an appointment or apply in person.

Laborers and experienced roofers needed. Apply in person Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. John's Home Maintenance, 574 South Second Street, Lincoln, Michigan 48742.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Foreclosure Notice

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Mortgage sale—Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Sally Fisher, a single woman to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for BNC Mortgage, Inc., its successors and assigns, mortgagee, dated February 24, 2003 and recorded March 4, 2003 in Liber 378, page 396 Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as trustee for the registered holders of CDC Mortgage Capital Trust 2003-HE2, mortgage pass-through certificates, series 2003-HE2, by assignment dated September 9, 2010 and recorded November 5, 2010 in Liber 474, page 750 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred sixty thousand three hundred thirty-five dollars and nine cents (\$160,335.09) including interest 9.4 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, circuit court of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on March 19, 2014. Said premises are situated in township of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: The north 548.61 feet of the following described parcel of land, less and excepting M-72 right of way: Commencing at the north one-quarter corner of Section 15, Town 26 North, Range 9 East; thence south 87 degrees 44 minutes 06 seconds east along the north line of said section 804.64 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing south 87 degrees 44 minutes 06 seconds east along said north line 340.18 feet; thence south 01 degree 15 minutes 30 seconds east 1315.19 feet; thence north 88 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds west along the south line of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of said Section 345.68 feet; thence north 01 degree 23 minutes 19 seconds west 270.00 feet; thence south 88 degrees 17 minutes 00 seconds east 8.70 feet; thence north 01 degree 23 minutes 19 seconds west 1048.61 feet to the point of beginning. Less and excepting the west 20 feet thereof part of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Section 15, Town 26 North, Range 9 East, subject

to any part thereof that may be used for road right of way purposes. Commonly known as 4846 East M-72, Harrisville, Mich. 48740.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later; or unless MCL 600.3240(17) applies. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, under 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 damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: February 19, 2014
Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as trustee for CDC Mortgage Capital Trust 2003-HE2, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2003-HE2, Assignee of Mortgagee
Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123
File No: 13-91247
2-19, 2-26, 3-5, 3-12

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Please contact our office at the number below if you are in active military duty.

Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Anna M. Miracle, a married woman, original mortgagor(s), to Mac-Clair Mortgage Corporation, mortgagee, dated July 28, 2009, and recorded on July 29, 2009 in Liber 464 on page 279, and assigned by said mortgagee to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of forty-five thousand two hundred fifty-two and 30/100 dollars (\$45,252.30).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the place of holding the circuit

court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m. on April 2, 2014.

Said premises are situated in township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 41, 42, 43, 44 of Huron Pines, a subdivision recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 187, Alcona County records.

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

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, 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 damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: March 5, 2014
For more information, please call: (248) 593-1304
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys For Servicer
31440 Northwestern Hwy, Ste. 200 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-5422
File No. 437706F01
3-5, 3-12, 3-19, 3-26

Mortgage Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

MORTGAGE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has occurred in a mortgage given by Larry K. Lyle and Betty Jo Lyle, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Huron Community Bank, mortgagee. The mortgage is dated April 15, 2011 and was recorded on April 25, 2011 in Liber 478, on page 678 of the Alcona County records. The balance owing on the mortgage as of the date of this notice is \$117,435.66, including interest at 6.25 percent per year variable. The mortgage contains a power of sale clause and no proceedings have been instituted to recover any part of the debt owing.

The mortgage will be foreclosed by selling the property described below at a public auction to the highest bidder. The

sale will be held on March 26, 2014, at 10 a.m. local time at the main entrance to the Alcona County court facility, 106 Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan, that being the place of holding circuit court for Alcona County, Michigan. The property will be sold to pay the amount then due on the mortgage, including interest, legal costs, attorney fees and any taxes or insurance which may be paid by the mortgagee before the sale.

The property to be sold is located in the City of Harrisville, county of Alcona, Michigan and is described as: The S half of Lots 3 and 4 and entire Lots 5 and 6 of Block 24 of the City of Harrisville, as found in Liber 1 of Plats, page 1, Alcona County records. Commonly known as 201 S. Fourth Street, Harrisville, Mich.

If the property described in this notice is sold at a foreclosure sale, then under MCL 600.3278, the mortgagor(s) will be held responsible to the buyer of the prop-

erty at the foreclosure sale, or to the mortgage holder, for damage done to the property during the redemption period.

The redemption period will expire six (6) months after the date of the foreclosure sale, unless the property is determined abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period will expire 30 days after the date of the foreclosure sale, or when the time to provide notice under MCL 600.3241a(c) expires, whichever is later.

Smith, Martin, Powers & Knier, P.C.
Dated: February 12, 2014
By: Henry L. Knier, Jr. (P46393)
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Bay City, MI 48707
(989) 892-4574
2-19, 2-26, 3-5, 3-12

Foreclosure Notice

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Mortgage sale—Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Catherine M. Soltysiak, a single woman to Citizens Bank, mortgagee, dated August 14, 2003 and recorded August 22, 2003 in Liber 388 page 753 Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to: EverBank, by assignment dated July 15, 2013 and recorded August 12, 2013 in Liber 500, page 839, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of eighty-five thousand one hundred twenty-five dollars and forty-nine cents (\$85,125.49) including interest 5.375 percent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, circuit court of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on March 26, 2014. Said premises are situated in township of

Hawes, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: The north one-half of the north one-half of the southeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of Section 2, Township 27 North, Range 8 East, township of Hawes, Alcona County, Michigan. Commonly known as 3635 Somers Road, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later; or unless MCL 600.3240(17) applies. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, under 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 damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: February 26, 2014
EverBank, Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys:
Potestivo & Associates, P.C.
811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123
File No: 14-98374
2-26, 3-5, 3-12, 3-19

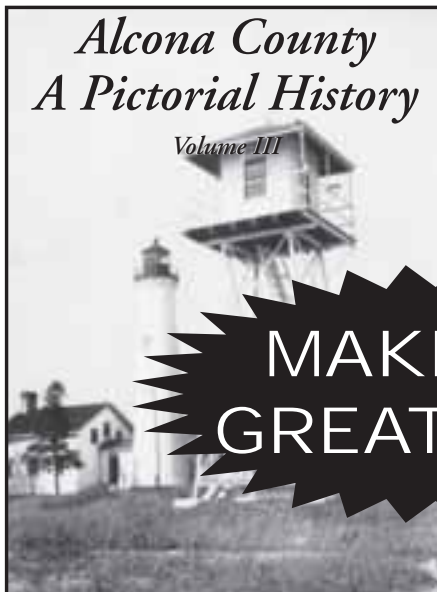
State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 14-5295 DE

Estate of Donald Lee Lambert
Date of birth: January 29, 1964
To all creditors:

Notice to creditors: The decedent, Donald Lee Lambert, died July 16, 2013. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Ashlee Lambert, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 106 Fifth St., Harrisville, Michigan 48740 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: February 25, 2014
Kirk, Huth, Lange & Badalamenti, PLC
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Alcona County Sheriff's Report

47 complaints were handled resulting in the following: 7 Arrests; 3 Warrants; 2 Operating While Intoxicated; 1 Parole Violation; 1 Driving While Intoxicated.

Complaint Statistics

Car/Deer Accidents	4	Property Damage Accidents	5
Message/Well Being Check	2	Miscellaneous	2
Dog/Animal	5	Traffic	4
Malicious Dest. of Property	1	Alarm	3
Domestic	2	Harassment/Threats/Stalking	2
Patrol Check	1	Operate While Intoxicated	2
Warrant Arrest	3	Breaking & Entering	2
Assault & Battery	1	Drive While License Susp.	1
Larceny	3	Suspicious Events	3
Parole Violation	1		

Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	3	Caledonia	5	Curtis	3
Greenbush	8	Gustin	5	Harrisville	9
Hawes	1	Haynes	0	Mikado	1
Millen	1	Mitchell	1		
Harrisville City	7	Village of Lincoln	3		

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Northeast Michigan Fishing Report





- **Van Etten Lake:** Ice conditions remain good. Access sites at the park and Air Force Beach are clear of snow. Perch, bluegill and crappie were caught in good numbers.
- **AuSable River:** Fishing is good in the areas that are accessible. Steelhead were caught on spawn, wax worms or small spoons. Rea Road, Foot Dam, High Banks and Whirlpool were in good condition. The snow has been cleared but ice still remains and there is ice along the banks. The snowmobile trail is the easiest to travel however, watch for snowmobile traffic.
- **Lake Margrethe:** Is producing some muskie for those spearing.
- **Higgins Lake:** Lake trout were caught on grays in 85 to 100 feet. Those chumming have done the best for whitefish. Catch rates for northern pike have slowed. A decent number of perch were caught in 20 to 70 feet by those using minnows, wigglers and wax worms.
- **Houghton Lake:** Some are catching the occasional wall-eye along the weed beds.
- **Tawas:** Overall fishing was slow. A few small perch were caught inside the harbor and off Jerry's Marina. Few pike have been speared and walleye fishing near the tip of Tawas Point was slow.
- **AuGres:** Also had slow fishing with only a couple OF anglers sighted off Booth Road. At Palmer Road, wall-eye anglers had mixed results at the Catfish Hole. Perch fishing there was very slow.

(This report has been provided by the DNR Fisheries Division; (517) 284-5830; located in Constitution Hall, 525 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, Mich. 48933.)

The Garden Bug

Terracotta ("baked earth") has been used throughout history for sculpture, pottery and building materials. In ancient times, clay was dried in the sun after being formed, but eventually kilns were used to bake the clay, and this is still done today. The clay's iron content gives the terracotta a yellow, orange, red, pink, grey or brown color. Fired terracotta is not watertight, but can be glazed to make it so.

- Brenda Weaver
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