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Local writer, community leader passes away suddenly

By Cheryl Peterson Editor

Family, friends and members of the community are reeling from the sudden death of Kathryn F. Kniep, a Harrisville native and lifelong resident who was a popular columnist, writer and community leader.

Kathryn – "Kay" to her friends and "Katie" to everyone who grew up with her or watched her grow up —was born on November 5, 1951 to Harrisville residents Benno and Ellen (Walraven) Fritz and joined older brothers Patrick and Michael. Her parents owned the local grocery store on Main Street, where she spent quite a bit of time as a young girl and teenager. Through her parents' interaction with their customers Kay developed an appreciation for the diversity of people in the community and fostered a lifelong dedication of speaking out for and helping individuals in need.

She graduated from Harrisville High School in 1969 and attended Saginaw Valley State University. She studied English and received an associate degree from Alpena Community College.

She met Arthur H. Kniep while he was stationed at Wurtsmith Air Force Base in Oscoda. They met on a blind date which was spent at a pizzeria in Alpena. It was a whirlwind romance and after a few months, they were married on October 5, 1975 at their home on Dock Street in Harrisville. Their daughter, Katrina, was born on October 13, 1978.

In the late 1970s and early 1980s Kay worked for the HeadStart preschool program as a teacher. She also spent several years as a staff writer for the Alpena News until the All Alcona Almanac was conceived. Kay, her husband Art, her brother Patrick "Benno" Fritz and her sister-in-law Jane Fritz started the weekly newspaper in 1981. They worked out of the building next to the then Alco Theatre on Main Street in Harrisville. She served as the editor, a writer, office girl and anything else that needed to be done until the paper folded in 1983.

Kay's weekly column, "Puttin' on the Fritz," began appearing in the Alcona County Review in the mid 1980s and included her observations, perspectives and personal experiences in a small town. Through this column Kay wrote about the people, places and events that made life unique. Her personal life was included in the column and everything was fair game - her daughter "the Princess," the antics of family pets, the trials and tribulations of married life, people she loved and the "adventures" that transpired over time.

Periodically, she also used that forum to talk about issues and events that had local, statewide or national implications. Her opinion and were tempered with the understanding that not everyone would agree with her and the encouragement to understand an alternative point of view. Her last column was published on May 7, 2014.

In addition to her weekly column, Kay wrote news sto-

views, while clearly stated, ries for the Review, and also also put to good use in the wrote poetry, short stories and nonfiction in a variety of venues. One of her short stories was published in the first edition of "Voices of Michigan," an annually published book that features writers and poets from around the state.

Kay's writing skills were

public sector during her time at Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency (NEMCSA) from 1986 to 2000. She was a grant writer in the community service division where she worked with

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Fire fighters from Barton City, Lincoln, Alcona Township, South Shore and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources respond to a structure Monday afternoon. According to Barton City Fire Chief Rodney Cordes the home on Trask Lake Road in Barton City was fully engulfed when he arrived at the scene at approximately 12:20 p.m. The building was a total loss, however, no one was home at the time the fire started. Fire fighters were clear of the scene around 4:30 p.m. Cordes said the cause of the fire is undetermined. Photo by Cheryl Peterson.

Camping trip includes eagle encounter

By Cheryl Peterson Editor

A redirected camping trip turned into more of an adventure than a downstate couple had planned last weekend.

Roger and Christine Hayslip of Sumpter Township, Mich. (near Ypsilanti, Mich.) regularly camp at Jewell Lake and were planning to do just that last weekend. However, when they arrived at the campground it wasn't open for the season. Disappointed, they were heading home when they saw a sign for the Horseshoe Lake campground (located just northeast of Alcona Pond) in Millen Township. They decided to check it out.

After deciding that it was a good alternative, they set up camp. On Saturday morning they were hiking with their two black Labrador retrievers when the dogs noticed a large bird on the ground. "It

was an eagle and as one of the door it was sitting on the the dogs ran toward it, it was dragging its wing," Roger Hayslip said.

They took the dogs back to their camper and returned to where the eagle was on the ground. They decided to try to get help for it. They threw a blanket over it and Roger carried it back to their camper. "They are a lot stronger than I thought... I carried it like a chicken," Hayslip

"This was a once in a lifetime experience," Hayslip

Back at their camper they put it in the bathroom and made a call to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Report All Poaching (RAP) line. That triggered a call to Alcona County **DNR** Conservation Officer Warren MacNeill who drove to the campground around noon. "When I first opened

toilet, then it jumped up on hoped way. It couldn't fly. It the sink and was looking at itself in the mirror," MacNeill

> He retrieved a wool blanket from his truck (kept there for recovering bald eagles) and put it over the eagle, "swaddled" it and put it in the passenger seat of his patrol vehicle. "When you swaddle or throw a blanket over them, they go docile," MacNeill said.

> He drove to Rose City, Mich. to meet with a licensed wildlife rehabilitator from Association to Rescue Kritters (A.R.K.) which is based near Houghton Lake, Mich. "It was an uneventful trip and exchange," MacNeill said.

> Ruth Fruehauf, executive director of A.R.K., met Mac-Neill and took the bird to meet up with a veterinarian from West Branch, Mich. that treats wild animals. After the

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This injured bald eagle was recovered by campers at Horseshoe Lake on Saturday. It had a broken wing. Courtesy photo.



Obituaries



Kathryn Faith Kniep, 62, of Harrisville died on Sunday, May 11, 2014 at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw, Mich.

She was born November 5, 1951 in Harrisville to Benno and Ellen (Walraven) Fritz. She was raised in Harrisville and graduated from Harrisville High School in 1969. She attended Saginaw Valley State University and received an associate degree in the English curriculum from Alpena Community College.

She married Arthur H. Kniep on October 5, 1975 at their home on Dock Street in Harrisville.

Mrs. Kniep worked for several years with the HeadStart preschool program in the late 1970s and early 1980s. She was a staff writer for the Alpena News for several years before starting the All Alcona Almanac, a weekly newspaper in Harrisville, with her husband Arthur, brother Patrick Fritz and sister-in-law Jane Fritz. She was a writer and editor for the publication from 1981 to 1983

In the mid-1980s she began writing the column "Puttin' on the Fritz" for the Alcona County Review. She also contributed many news stories, in addition to her weekly column, over the last 18 years writing for the Review. She was an accomplished writer who published fiction, nonfiction and poetry in several venues.

Mrs. Kniep was a grant writer for the community service division of Northeast Michigan Community Ser-

Kathryn F. Kniep

vice Agency (NEMCSA) from 1986 to 2000. She was the administrative assistant for Weiner & Burt Law Firm of Harrisville from June 2000 to 2005, when she retired.

She was a lifelong member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Harrisville and was a member of the vestry, editor of the church newsletter and hostess for coffee hour for numerous years. She was the clerk for the City of Harrisville for many years. Mrs. Kniep was on the Alcona Community Schools Board of Education from 1994 to 2006 and was the president of the board for many years during her tenure.

In 2003 she became board member for the Harrisville **Depot Preservation Group** and published a children's book entitled "The Dragon that Lives at the Depot." She was a board member for Alcona Local Foods Association (ALFA) for several years and was a member of the local chapter of the post-polio support group. She was also the lead singer for the Sunrise Jammers, a group of local musicians who performed in the area for several years in 2000s.

She enjoyed reading, writing, gardening, crafts, singing, walking along the beach of "Lady Huron" and spending time with her family, extended family and numerous friends.

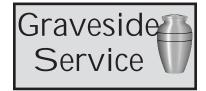
Mrs. Kniep is survived by her husband, Arthur; one daughter, Katrina (A.J.) Wouters of Harrisville; one granddaughter, Phoenix Wouters; one step grandson, Kaiden Wouters; one brother,



Michael (Virginia) Fritz of Harrisville; and one sisterin-law, Jane White of Harrisville

She was preceded in death by her father on November 15, 1978; her mother on July 22, 1980; and one brother, Patrick Fritz, on January 19, 2002.

Visitation will be Friday, May 16 from 2 to 8 p.m. at Gillies Funeral Home, Harrisville. A memorial service will be held Saturday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at St. Andrew'sby-the-lake-Episcopal Church in Harrisville. The Rev. Ron Otto will officiate. Memorial donations may be made to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 52, Harrisville, Mich. 48740; the Alcona Humane Society, 457 W. Traverse Bay, Lincoln, Mich.; or a charity of the donor's choice.



Emery Monroe

There will be a graveside service for Emery Monroe on Saturday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at St. Anne Catholic Cemetery in Harrisville.

Mr. Monroe died on August 29, 2013 in Lincoln.

Alice Harmon

Alice Harmon, 91, of Mikado, died on Tuesday, May 6, 2014 in Prescott, Mich.

She was born November 6, 1922 in Mikado to James and Alexina (Procunier) McGuire.

She married Charles E. Harmon on April 13, 1943 in Mikado where they were lifelong residents.

She was employed for many years in Harrisville in parts manufacturing and was a member of the Community of Christ Church of Mikado.

Mrs. Harmon is survived by two sons, Charles (Mary) Harmon Jr. of Mikado and Warren (Teresa) Harmon of Ft. Gratiot, Mich.; eight grandchildren; and several great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles, on January 15, 1998; one son, Walter Harmon, on April 29, 2991; and one daughter, Dawn A. Hedum on March 17, 2014.

A graveside service was held Saturday, May 10 at the Mikado Cemetery. The Rev. Char McGuire officiated.

Arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Jean A. Davis

Jean Arda Davis, 90, died on Wednesday, April 2, 2014 in Ormond Beach, Fla.

She was born October 9, 1923 to Ellis and Helen Bierbower in Charlotte, Mich. As a child she grew up in the metro Detroit area and graduated from Ferndale High School.

She married Dexter W. Davis on September 14, 1946. In addition to raising their two sons on a strawberry farm

in Heron, Mich., they shared a love of square and round dancing for which they traveled and became accomplished dancers.

Mrs. Davis worked as a dental receptionist/assistant in Alpena until 1964 when they moved to Lansing, Mich., where she also worked as a dental receptionist. Later they lived in Burton, Mich. until she was widowed in April of 1990.

In 1991 she met Elmo Stadler in the Flint, Mich. area and they became life partners. They managed Stadlers Spacious Sands Resort in Greenbush in the summer and spent winters traveling to many areas of the country including Florida, New Orleans, La., Alaska and Hawaii. Their travels resulted in numerous lasting friendships with those they met.

Mrs. Davis is survived by one son, Randall (Keliann) Davis; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; one daughterin-law, Anna Davis; her partner, Elmo Stadler; her partner's daughters, Debbie McKerracher, Donna Stadler and Lori Stadler.

She was preceded in death by one son, Dennis Davis, in March of 2011.

A service will be held on Sunday, May 18 at 1 p.m., at Family Heritage Baptist Church in Harrisville. A luncheon will follow the service. Memorial donations may be made to the Michigan Humane Society.

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<u>Date</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>High</u> <u>Low</u>		<u>Speed</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Direction</u>
May 4	57	33	0.00	2.7	22	N
May 5	44	31	0.00	2.4	11	NNE
May 6	47	32	0.00	3.6	17	NE
May 7	48	38	0.06	3.9	16	ENE
May 8	51	42	0.23	2.9	20	E
May 9	71	48	0.01	7.2	28	SSW
May 10	70	40	0.00	4.3	25	ENE

	Precipitation Sur	mmary (Inches)	2013-2014					
	Water Content	Snow Fall	Normal <u>Water Content</u>					
Weekly Total	0.30	0.0	0.56					
May to Date	0.97	0.0	0.80					
Year/Season to Date	e 8.60	61.5	8.35					

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, MAY 14

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

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 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.

A free seminar on native and invasive plants will be held at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road from 12:30 to 3 p.m. There will be three guest speakers from the U.S. Forest Service and a short video. Doors open at noon. Registration is required. For more information or to register, call Becky Stoddard at (989) 724-5804.

The Barton City Improvement Association will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Trask Lake Road. All residents are encouraged to attend. Discussion will include the July 4th celebration. For more information, call Arlene at (989) 736-3294.

THURSDAY, MAY 15

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

The Iosco Alcona Chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel (MARSP) will meet at noon in the Iosco IRESA board room, located on west M-55, Tawas City. Lunch will prepared and

served as a class project by the Culinary Arts students. Cost is \$5, including drink. Ron Nagy, Area 8 Director will be the guest speaker. Reservations for the meal are requested by May 8 by contacting Nancy Koss at nrkoss@yahoo.com, (989) 739-2648 or Martha MacLeod at (989) 362-8473.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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.

A blood pressure clinic will be held at 3:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Alcona retirees will meet for a potluck lunch and games at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass.

FRIDAY, MAY 16

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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.

Popcorn and a movie at 2 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For details, call (989) 736-

An open house for some of Alpena High School's art and choir students will be held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Thunder Bay Art Council Gallery, 127 West Chisholm Street, Alpena. Several pieces of art from Sarah Bedford's art students will be displayed and music will be presented by some of Jean Baker-Brown's choir students. Refreshments will be served.

SATURDAY, MAY 17

A 5K walk or run will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. to raise funds for the Walk Me Home program which supports foster care in Michigan. Create a team of family members, classmates, friends or business associates and meet at the Duck Park, 1510 West Chisholm Street, Alpena. For more information, call (989) 356-4567.

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road, Lincoln. For more information, call (989) 724-

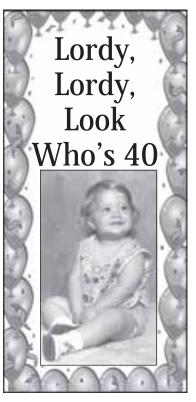
Taco buffet dinner will be held at Maria Hall in Harrisville (behind St. Anne Church) from 4 to 7 p.m. Menu includes taco baskets with traditional Mexican sides, salads, desserts, coffee, tea and fruit drinks. Cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children under 12, \$5 for veterans and active duty personnel. For more information, call (989) 736-7387. Sponsored by the Alcona Humane Society.

Len Procunier will present information and photos of the former Greenbush Inn, during its heyday, at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road, at 5 p.m. Pictures will be shown of what the inn was like in its heyday. Following the presentation, a euchre tournament will be held at 6 p.m. Cost is \$5 per person, refreshments will be provided. These events are sponsored by the Greenbush Historical Society. For more information, call (989) 739-3911.

SUNDAY, MAY 18

A golf event fundraiser for the SFC Mark W. Jackson Memorial Scholarship Fund

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Let your friends know about this great event. We plan on having it again next year. It will be called "Alcona County Spring into Summer"

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Dan Bartley, a member of the Wednesday Night Men's League, made his first holein-one at Springport Hills Golf Course on Wednesday, May 7. It was made on hole number five, a par three, 136 yard shot with a seven iron. It was witnessed by Terry Bush, Steve Ashford and Mark Lueckeman.



Dan Bartley

In the Service

MacKenzie Sims, the son of Gary and Connie Sims of Lincoln, was commissioned into the U.S. Army as a second lieutenant during ceremonies held May 2 in East Lansing, Mich. Sims is a 2010 graduate of Alcona High School. He earned a National Army ROTC scholarship to attend Michigan State University. He graduated from MSU on May 3 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in criminal iustice.

During his four years at MSU and while in the Army ROTC program, Sims completed a Cultural Understanding and Language Proficiency (C.U.L.P.) assignment to Tanzania, Africa where he learned Swahili and taught English and geography to high school students. He also traveled to India for a summer abroad program. During the fall semester of his senior year he attended Hebrew University in Jerusalem, Israel where he studied the Hebrew and Arabic lan-

Sims has branched armor and he will begin his active duty commitment with the Army at Fort Benning, Ga. in October.



MacKenzie Sims

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market will be open Saturday, May 17 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on the Alcona County Fairgrounds (ARA Site) in Lincoln. Bridge cards are accepted. Available this week: Rhubarb, chives, green onions, radishes, salad turnips, lettuce, spinach, arugula, eggs, all cuts of grass-fed and grain-fed beef, assorted white, wheat, and sweet breads, cookies, muffins, cinnamon rolls, pies, cookies, quick breads, cheesy crackers, gluten-free flat bread, jam, lavender sugar, herbal tea, dried and peppers, vegetable and herb plants, hanging baskets, handmade soaps, potholder rugs, lavender sachets, catnip toys, dish towels, watercolor paintings, greeting cards, sun catchers, free spirit wire and bead pins and ornaments, handmade flower pins and headbands, plant sticks, and handmade wooden items. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

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, May 19—Beef pot roast with red potatoes and baby carrots; and fruit.

Tuesday, May 20— Breaded pork chops, scalloped potatoes, Brussels sprouts and fruit.

• Wednesday, May 21-Barbecued chicken on a bun, potato salad, mandarin orange fluff and fruit pie.

• Thursday, May 22-Stuffed green peppers, red parsley potatoes, corn and

• Friday, May 23—Fish almandine, sweet potatoes, green beans and fruit.

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(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Outdoor Education Events

The Alcona and Iosco Conservation Districts have two outreach events scheduled for the month of May. Both are free and everyone is encouraged to attend.

The first event is a mushroom identification hike. During this workshop participants will be walking through property in Iosco County and identifying as many species of mushrooms as possible. Participants can expect to learn about edible, medicinal, poisonous and other mushrooms. This workshop starts at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 21 at the Ingalls' property. Directions to the property are provided on the events page at either alconaconservation.org or ioscoconservation.org. This event is free and will be held rain or shine. Contact District Forester Andrew Beebe at (989) 335-1056 or andrew.beebe@macd.org for more details and to register.

The second event is a forest field day. During this event, participants will view three different properties in Alcona County and northern Iosco County. These properties all demonstrate different aspects of forest and wildlife management. Participants can expect to learn about invasive species and control, wildlife habitat, timber harvesting and timber stand improvement, cost share and tax exemption programs and much more. This event will take place on Friday, May 23 and begins at the BP gas station just north of Curran on the corner of M-65 and M-72 at 9 a.m. Participants will follow the speakers in a convoy (using personal vehicles) to each of the three sites and traverse each site. A free lunch will be provided. For more information and to register for this event, contact District Forester Andrew Beebe at (989) 335-1056 or andrew.beebe@macd.org.

Choir Concert

 $The \, University \, of \, Dubuque \,$ Concert Choir, under the direction of Dr. Charles Barland, will perform in Alpena on Wednesday, May 28 at 7 p.m. The University of Dubuque was founded by the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and has developed a strong academic program. Its choir has performed in 38 states

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bald eagle was examined they realized it was in a very weakened state.

"The bone was jutting out... it was an old wound and there was no blood supply to the wing," Fruehauf said.

She and the veterinarian discussed the eagle's situation and the fact that its condition showed it had been without food for about a week or more and considered the guidelines from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Department regarding the threatened species, decided to euthanize the bird.

"It was a difficult decision to make, but this was in the bird's best interest," Fruehauf said. "He was so far down (in weight)... he was starving to death and his body was so drained from the necrosis in the wing... because the bald eagle has been removed from the endangered species list to a threatened status, we no longer amputate," she said.

Fruehauf explained that wildlife rehabilitators are bound by the rules and regulations of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service which oversees bald eagles. "I hate (making) those decisions but, I care enough about the birds to not put them through this (living the rest of its life in a cage if it recovered from the injury and starvation)," she

When asked what could have caused the bird's injury, she thought it might have been from eagle-to-eagle contact. "He had scrapes on his feet. It's odd to see that. He could have been in a fight with another eagle or it could have happened during mating," Fruehauf said.

She explained that bald eagles conduct a mating "dance" in midair by locking talons - during the course of the dance they will release and re-lock talons multiple times. "Sometimes they get dropped," Fruehauf said. It could have also happened, she said, during a territory dispute between two eagles as they fight with their talons. Either scenario could produce scrapes to their feet and cause the predator to fall

Despite the cause of the injury and the good intentions of the Hayslips - both MacNeill and Fruehauf cautioned against anyone trying to capture an injured bald eagle (or any other wild animal). "I don't recommend anyone doing that," MacNeill said. "An eagle has an excellent weapon system... you don't want something (a razor sharp beak or talons) stuck into you. Get a good location and call the RAP line. Let someone who has experience and the right equipment handle it."

Fruehauf agreed. "No one should go after an eagle... they have 1,500 pounds of pressure in each of their feet. They are built to go after warm-blooded mammals and are very effective in that pursuit." She encouraged individuals to look on the DNR's website for wildlife rehabilitators which are listed in alphabetical order according to county. Since Alcona County does not have a licensed wildlife rehabilitator, she also encouraged calling the DNR RAP line. "On a weekend, that is the only way to get a reha-

The DNR RAP line is (800) 292-7800.

Library receives grant for roof improvement

brary has been awarded \$5,000 by trustees of the Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation

According to library director Deb Tacoma, the grant will be used to assist in the funding of an upgrade to the library's roof from asphalt shingle to a metal roof.

Tacoma said this is a onetime only grant. Although Curtis Township falls outside the foundation's geographic emphasis for this program area, the award was approved because the trustees were impressed by the library's ability to budget matching funds for the project.

The Curtis Township Library was built in 1998 with 100 percent grant funds and community donation. In 2005, it was recognized by the American Library Association with the national Excellence in Small and/or Rural Library Service Award.

directors and patrons are conducting fundraising efforts to raise the remaining money needed to complete the project. These efforts have included donations from the community, including "Our Kids Bingo,"quilt auction, hobo dinner, chocolate party and many contributions by patrons.

"Our trustees were pleased to join the people of Glennie in supporting the Curtis

The Curtis Township Li- Township Library," said Macauley "Mike" Whiting, Jr., president and treasurer for the Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation. "Our foundation's founder, Grace A. Dow, was a strong supporter of libraries, as demonstrated by her 50 years of volunteer board service to our local library in Midland. We know the important role libraries play in providing opportunities for residents to meet, learn, and prepare for the opportunities of tomor-

> Individuals wishing to make a contribution should send it to: Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Road, Glennie, Mich. 48737.

Notes

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Barland's direction since 2002. As an organist, Barland has performed throughout the United States and in Germany, Northern Ireland, Scotland and England. The concert at Trinity Episcopal Church, 124 East Washington Avenue, Alpena is open to the public. For more information, contact Margaret Fox at (989) 736-3025 or Dr. Barland at cbarland@dbq.-

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- Harrisville Lady Lions Dustin Yokom and Hannah Terpstra.
- Barton City Eagles Auxiliary Hannah Terpstra and Ryley Mancine.
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Birding BITS_{BY} Cindy Brook

ee to ID

If you can invest in a pair of binoculars, do so. The other day I saw a new bird at my feeder. Because of sun glare, I could not identify it. Grabbing my binoculars, I was delighted when a male painted bunting came into view. He was gorgeous and stayed all day. Wow!

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Smith-Green plan nuptials

Michael and Hope Smith of Spruce announce the engagement of their daughter, Ashley Elizabeth Smith, to Tyler Robert Green.

The bride-to-be is a 2012 graduate of Alcona High School and a 2013 graduate of Alpena Hollywood School of Beauty. She is employed at the JC Penney salon in Alpena.

The future groom is the son of Sandy and Sheryl Green of Comins, Mich. He is a 2010 graduate of Fairview Area Schools and is employed at Cooper Standard.

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How to help seniors with their computer issues from far away

Are there any computer Windows and Macintosh software products that you know of that will let me help my parents with their computer issues from afar? They are in their seventies and frequently call me with their computer questions and problems, but I live across town and don't always have time to get in the car and drive over to help them. What's available that can help

Weary Son

Dear Weary,

Helping an elder loved one with their computer questions or problems over the phone can be frustrating and difficult. Fortunately, there are a number of resources available today that offer remote access software that can easily help you assist your parents with their computer issues from afar.

One of the best is Team-Viewer, which is completely free to use and works with computers.

To get started, you and your parents will need to go to TeamViewer.com and install their free software on each of your computers. Howto videos are available on their site to help with the installa-

Once installed - and with their permission – you will be able to access your parent's computer right from your own computer wherever you are. Both machines must have broadband Internet for this to work.

This software will give you the ability to actually see what's appearing on your parent's computer screen, and will let you remotely take charge of their computer so you can show them how to do something, or you can do it for them while they watch. Almost anything can be done remotely with this software. You can even keep a live video chat open at the same time you're helping them.

If you are interested in shopping around, some other free remote access programs worth a look include Chrome Remote Desktop (go to chrome.google.com/ webstore and type in "Chrome Remote Desktop" in the "Search the store" box to find it), and SkyFex (skyfex.com), which works only with Win-

Skype also has a screen share feature (see skype.com-/en/features/screen-sharing) that lets you share your screen and video chat at the same time, but you can't actually take control of the other person's computer. You can only show them what they should be doing by demonstrating it on your own desk-

If your parents need more tech support than you are able to manage, another option to consider is to sign them up with a tech support company like Geek Squad



Savvy Senior

(geeksquad.com, (800) 433-5778), which also offers remote access capabilities to help your parents with almost any computer issue.

Whenever they would need assistance, they could call the Geek Squad toll free number anytime, 24 hours a day, or log in to their website. A Geek Squad representative would then help them initiate a remote access session, so they could remotely show them how to do something, or make repairs or adjustments to their computer. Once the call is completed, the remote control access would be disconnected from your parent's computer.

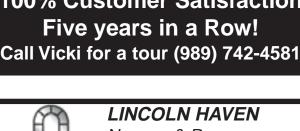
In addition to the remote access help, Geek Squad tech support also offers free antivirus software, they cover up to three computers (or other devices), and provide unlim $ited\,phone\,and\,in\text{-}person\,tech$ support at any Best Buy store. Costs range from \$200 for one year, \$280 for two years or \$350 for three years, with a 15 percent discount available to AARP members.

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









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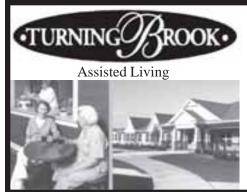
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communities throughout northeast Michigan on development and improvement projects.

"Kay held several positions while she was here – grant writer, associate director and acting director for a time. She was an excellent writer and researcher, very dedicated," said NEMCSA director John Swise. "She was very helpful to everyone she worked with."

That helpfulness and interest in people carried through to Kay's employment with Weiner & Burt Law Firm in Harrisville where she was the administrative assistant from 2000 to 2005. "She ran the place," said Pam Burt, an attorney and part-owner of the firm. "We have clients all around the world and Kay had relationships with them... They loved talking to her," Burt said.

Kay retired from the "working world" in 2005, but did not stop working in the community. She had varied interests and that showed in her community involvement. Kay was a lifelong member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Harrisville and spent many years on its vestry (the governing board) and as the editor of the church newsletter. She also enjoyed her role as hostess of the coffee hour each Sunday.

The love and commitment Kay had for her community showed in the many positions she held throughout her adult life. She was the clerk for the City of Harrisville for many years. She was a member of the Alcona Community Schools Board of Education from 1994 to 2006 and was the president of the board for many years during her tenure. The fact that she was the first female board president was something in which she was very proud.

In 2003 Kay joined the Harrisville Depot Preservation Group's board of directors – an effort that was not only close to her heart, but literally close to her home – she lived next to the historic building and shared a made-up tale of a dragon that lived



Kathryn Kniep sings with the Sunrise Jammers in 2008 at the Farm Market that summer. *Review file photo.*

there with her young god daughters when they came to visit. This story about a good dragon that ate pickles and ran with the train each night roaring when the train whistle sounded, grew over the years and was eventually published as "The Dragon that Lives at the Depot," a self-published children's book.

Kay's love of watching things grow from the soil was put into her involvement with the Alcona Local Foods Association (ALFA), an organization that promoted growing food locally. She was a board member and instrumental in obtaining a federal grant to fund the group and build hoop houses to extend the growing season. Through her participation with the Sunrise Jammers, a group of lo-

cal musicians that performed at various venues in the community, she realized a lifelong dream of being a lead singer in a band.

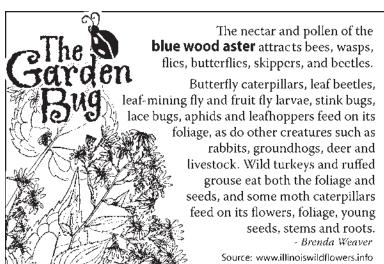
In her "down" time Kay enjoyed reading, writing, poetry, gardening, drawing and making various "craft" projects including greeting cards, singing, walking along the beach of "Lady Huron" looking for beach glass and spending time with her family – especially the newest additions, extended family and numerous friends.

One of the newest "projects" in Kay's life was reading poetry on air at the local radio station WXTF-LP based in Harrisville. The station is "just days from being ready to go on air," according to Dave Morey, operations manager. He said Kay was "a spiritual influence on the station to expand the boundaries beyond playing great music. Her vision was to expand the arts and explore and promote the beauty of this side of the state... When Kay spoke, people really listened.

Bridget - the Celtic Goddess was Kay's radio name and she had recorded several poetry readings that will be aired once the station is officially operational. "If we can't have her in person, we have her voice (on recordings) and we can take a cue from her ideas and concepts," Morey said. One of Kay's most recent poems can be found on the station's website 979harrisville.org.

Kay is survived by her husband, Arthur; one daughter, Katrina (A.J.) Wouters of Harrisville; one granddaughter, Phoenix Wouters; one step grandson, Kaiden Wouters; one brother, Michael (Virginia) Fritz of Harrisville; and one sister-in-law, Jane White of Harrisville. (See page 2 for service information.)





Art gallery to feature primitive wilderness craftsmanship

By Mary Weber Staff Writer

His art evokes a story of brave, strong people equipped to survive in harsh climates with just a few handmade tools to hunt and pros-

It is the story of America's ancestry during its primitive beginnings as only a local artist, savvy in traditional wilderness skills and crafts, can tell it.

Through his art, Jim Miller will be sharing the story of his love of outdoors and primitive wilderness craftsmanship at the Dragon Fly Gallery in Harrisville. The gallery has chosen Miller as its feature artist for the month.

Miller's art, a display of hand carved paddles, natural fiber bags, string made of plant fibers and tree bark, stone and bone tools, arrowheads, birch bark boxes and baskets with decorative etched designs, give a sense

Miller, a Michigan native, said he loved running through forests and streams as a child near his home in Port Huron. Although Miller admits his American Indian ancestry is quite diluted, his interest in the subject is not and he spent many hours as a teenager and young adult studying traditional survival skills and crafts.

"It really began when I got interested in hunting deer. My dad worked on the railroad and never hunted, but I had a grandfather who fished and hunted a bit. Traditional wilderness skills and crafts was just something that always piqued my curiosity, these are the skills of our ancestors," Miller said.

Before long Miller began crafting a career with his knowledge, he is now known as a skilled speaker, instructor, writer, survival outdoorsman and considered an expert in primitive traditional skills and crafts.

Own." He has made television appearances on "Michigan Magazine, "Outdoor Magazine," "Michigan Out of Doors" and news stations across the state.

Featured at many museums and cultural centers around Michigan, his woodland designs add interest and depth to displays around the state and across the United

He spends his winter months bringing his expertise and demonstrations to school children across the state. He begins his summer season by first visiting lumbermen he has befriended in the Upper Peninsula where he gets most of his birch bark and then makes a trip to Alaska to demonstrate for the Alaska Center for the Environment in Anchorage.

In addition to traveling, he typically runs a week long Michigan Outdoors Skill School (MOSS) from his home in Mikado where students set up tents or stay in the rustic log cabin Miller built on his property with his wife, Cheryl, to learn traditional survival skills.

Miller cautioned this year's MOSS classes may be cancelled though due to an interest the History Channel has in Miller.

"The History Channel is going to produce a show on wilderness skills and survival. I've been on four interviews so far to see if they want me on the show. It's a serious commitment for at least two months, so the MOSS week may be cancelled. I should know by the end of this week if they are interested in my skills or not,"

All are invited to a reception open house to meet Miller at the Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main Street in Harrisville on Saturday, May 17 from 4 to 7 p.m. To find out more about Miller's passion for wilderness skills, visit jmwillow-winds.com.



Jim Miller of Mikado works on baskets at a recent exhibit. His wilderness craftsmanship will be featured this month at the Dragonfly Art Gallery in Harrisville. Courtesy photo.

of what life was like for native Americans many years ago.

Miller is delighted the gallery chose him as the featured artist and is excited about sharing his passion through this type of exposure. "A few people I know said I should try this, I really don't consider myself an artist, my sister was the artist in the family, I just etch a little. I really enjoy working with bark, making baskets and other tools like snowshoes, bows and canoes, I enjoy sharing wilderness skills many people have never seen," Miller said. In addition to the Dragonfly Gallery his artistry can also be viewed and purchased at the Tawas Bay Art Gallery.

He has written a self published 40 page booklet "Brain Tan Buffalo Robes, Skins and Pelts" as well as many other articles on traditional skills which have appeared in publications such as "Wilderness Way," "Michigan Wilderness Journal," "Michigan Out of Doors," "Woods and Water News," "Whispering Winds Magazine," and the "Bulletin of Primitive Technologies."

In a professional video Miller produced, he demonstrates step by step birch bark canoe construction. His craftsmanship can also be seen in many movies including "Thunderheart," "The Indian in My Cupboard," "Last of the Dogman" and in a NBC mini series, "A Will of Their



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Johnathan Rand, author of over 60 children's chiller books, visits the students of Alcona Elementary School last Wednesday. Rand (left) explained to students how the cover of every book is really a door to a new adventure. He also demonstrated one of the first things he does in order to set the mood to write a scary book -- to begin with a scary laugh. Students (from left) Miah Schopfer, Keegan Payne and Mason Clark help Rand by performing their scary laugh (mawahahahah). Photo by Mary Weber.

Alcona track gears up for regionals

By Hope Smith

Sportswriter

Like many athletes around the state, members of the Alcona track team (Division 4) are looking to make their mark at regional competition on Saturday, May 17 at Marion High School.

Last week Alcona had a busy schedule competing in Tawas, at home and at Johannesburg Lewiston area high school. Alcona hit the road on Friday, May 9 traveling to Tawas Area High School. Alcona girls brought home second place while the boys finished fourth. Official meet results from Tawas were not available at the time of publication.

On Tuesday, May 6 Alcona played host during a North Star match up against teams from Rogers City, Oscoda and Posen area schools. Both Alcona's boys and girls teams came out strong picking up first place to honor graduating seniors at their last home track meet of the 2014 season. The boy's team scored 91 points in the victory while the girl's team scored 71

Top finishers for Alcona girls at North Star match-up include:

Discus: Third place-Harley Lafond, 63 feet, 3 inches; eighth place - Sam Bosley, 50 feet, 3 inches.

High Jump: First place -Sydney Pierce, 4 feet, 4 inches.

Long Jump: Fourth place-Brooke Shultz, 1 foot, 4 inches.

Pole Vault: First place-Shultz, 6 feet.

Shot Put: Eighth place-Bosley, 20 feet, 1.50 inches. 4x800 Relay: First place -11:20.87, Karina Cole, Tori Harmon, Katelyn Nelson and

Megan Quick. 100 Meter Dash: Third place - Miranda Schalk, 14.76.

4x200 Relay: Second place 2:02.66, Schalk, Katy Edwards, Rachel Warner and Pierce.

1600 Meter Run: Second

place - Nelson, 6:25.91.

4x100 Relay: First place-57.10, Schalk, Edwards, Warner and Pierce.

400 Meter Dash: First place - Quick, 1:03.33; fifth place- Edwards, 1:14.09.

800 Meter Run: First place-Quick, 2:43.19; second place Cole, 2:44.42; fifth place-Shultz, 3:13.43. 3200 Meter Run: Third

place- Lafond, 15:38.68. 4x400 Relay: First place-

4:39.29, Quick, Harmon, Nelson and Cole.

Top finishers for Alcona boys at North Star match-up include:

Discus: Second place-Jeffery Schram, 93 feet, 3 inches; 10th place - Isaac Dubuque, 63 feet, 11 inches.

High Jump: Second place-Mitch Havercroft, 5 feet, 4 inches; third place - Brandon Ritchie, 5 feet, 2 inches.

Pole Vault: First place-Garrette Norling, 10 feet.

Shot Put: Second place-Avery Perez, 35 feet, 5.50 inches; fifth place - Dubuque, 28 feet, 9.50 inches.

4x800 Relay: First place-9:55.81, Bates, Ryan Shultz, Brandon Smigelski and Schram.

100 Meter Dash: Third place - Nicholas Lamantia, 12.65; fourth place - Perez,

4x200 Relay: First place-1:39.47, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Norling.

1600 Meter Run: Second place- Thum, 5:14.22; seventh place - Ryan Shultz, 5:50.94 - Jacob Stelmachowske, 6:20.53.

4x100 Relay: First place-47.73, Lamantia, Sullivan, Ritchie and Havercroft.

400 Meter Dash: First place-Havercroft, 55:89; second place - Ritchie, 57.04, - Lamantia, 57.93; fifth place-Smilgelski, 58.38; sixth place-Sullivan, 1:00.64; seventh place - Perez, 1:01.40.

800Meter Run: Fifth place-Shultz, 2:40.85; sixth place-Stelmochoske, 2:45.56.

200 Meter Dash: First place-Norling, 24:36; fourth

place - Cole, 6:04.44; fourth place- Perez, 26.84; sixth place- Sullivan, 27.28.

3200 Meter Run: First place - Thum, 11:24.69; fourth place- Dubuque, 13:44.29.

4x400 Relay: First place-3:56.79, Norling, Schram, Smigelski and Havercroft.

On Monday, May 5 the Alcona track team traveled to Johannesburg Lewiston to compete in their varsity invitational. The competition was fierce with athletes from 13 schools competing. Alcona girls finished the day in fourth place scoring 65 points and Alcona boys picked up fifth place scoring 56 points.

Top finishers for Alcona girls include:

High Jump: Fourth place-Tori Harmon, 4 feet, 8 inches.

Pole Vault: Third place-Brooke Shultz, 6 feet, 6.10 inches.

4x800 Relay: First place-10:40.28, Karina Cole, Harmon, Katelyn Nelson and Megan Quick.

100 Meter Dash: Seventh place- Miranda Schalk,

4x200 Relay: Fifth place-2:02.315, Schalk, Katy Edwards, Rachel Warner and Pierce.

4x100 Relay: Fourth place-57.646, Schalk, Edwards, Warner and Pierce.

400 Meter Dash: Third place- Quick 1:05.94; fourth place- Harmon, 1:07.008.

300 Low Hurdles: Fourth place- Pierce, 53:277.

800 Meter Run: Second place-Quick, 2:41.045; third place- Cole, 2:42.68.

200 Meter Dash: Seventh place-Schalk, 30.278.

3200 Meter Run: Eight place-Lily Manning. 14:25.808.

4x400 Relay: First place-4:29.443, Quick, Harmon, Nelson and Cole.

Top finishers for Alcona boys include:

High Jump: Sixth place-Brandon Ritchie, 5 feet, 2

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Pole Vault: Fourth place-Garrette Norling, 9 feet, 6.30 inches.

4x800 Relay: Fifth place-9:59.942, Schram, Ryan Shultz, Brandon Smigelski and Kyle Thum.

4x200 Relay: Fourth place-1:42.507, Lamantia, Norling, Havercroft and Ritchie.

4x100 Relay: Fourth

place- 48.568, Lamantia, Sullivan, Perez and Ritchie.

400 Meter Dash: Second place- Havercroft, 55:075; seventh place-Sullivan, 59.479; eighth place- Smilgelski, 59.544.

800Meter Run: Fifth place-Schram, 2:17.492; seventh place- Bates, 2:19.661.

200 Meter Dash: Fifth place-

Garrette Norling, 24:735; seventh place- Ritchie, 25:236. 3200 Meter Run: Fourth

place- Thum, 11:36.873. 4x400 Relay: Third place-3:53.658, Norling, Schram, Smigelski and Havercroft.



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Northeast **Lower Peninsula** May 8

• Ocquoec River: Is start-

ing to see some steelhead. Fish were caught by those drifting a spawn bag in the deeper holes.

• Rogers City: When anglers can get out they have caught Atlantic, brown trout and lake trout when using stick baits. Bright colors were best like orange, fire-tiger or orange and yellow. Swan Bay and Calcite Harbor should be good as lake trout start to

Northeast Michigan

Fishing Report



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• Rockport: A limit of lake trout were caught around

Alpena: The docks are in

eye fishing was very good day

• Harrisville: The water is up, the docks are in and the fish are in. Atlantic salmon, lake trout, steelhead and walleye are in and around the harbor. Fish are being caught day and night on spawn, body baits, small spoons or spinners in 20 to

 Oscoda: The pier has been productive early morning or late evening. Walleye are coming in limited numbers. They are good size and healthy.

have worked best. AuSable River: Steelhead

Houghton Lake: Cold,

Thunder Bay River: Wall-

or night for those drifting and jigging. Most were averaging three to four fish per boat but some had limit catches. Fishing up near the dam was difficult because of high water levels and dealing with suckers constantly hitting

Crawlers, jigs and body baits

are now moving into the river in good numbers. A lot of anglers are hooking up but some are having a hard time landing them. From the mouth to the dam, the river is high and the current is fast. New snags have moved into some of the areas holding fish.

Middle Island.

and the fish cleaning station is open however, the restrooms were still closed. A few anglers fishing just outside the river mouth picked up the occasional walleye day or night.

their lines.

gusty winds have kept anglers off the lake. Those fishing the canals have caught a few crappie or the occasional bluegill.

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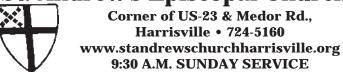
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Calendar of Events



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will be held at Eagle Ridge Golf Club, 3501 M-65, Glennie. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m., shotgun start at 9 am. For more information, reservations and sponsorship opportunities, call (989) 305-5378.

MONDAY, MAY 19

The Alcona County Republican Party will meet at 7 p.m. at the Curtis Township Hall, 4932 F-30, Glennie.

Computers, Wi-Fi and Wii are available for use from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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.

All ladies are invited to play bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road at 2:30 p.m. Bunco is an easy game to learn, first-timers are always welcome.

TUESDAY, MAY 20

Weight loss support group 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.

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Sing-a-long with Roseanne at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

Play euchre from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street.

The Harrisville Lady Lions will meet at 5:30 p.m. for a buffet dinner at the Old Place Inn, 309 East Main Street in Harrisville. Call Fran Barber at (989) 739-8735 or e-mail fbarber@charter.net, for reservations.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

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.

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.

Sing-a-long with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 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, MAY 22

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.

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



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In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see partly cloudy skies with a 30%

chance of rain, high temperature of 54°, humidity

of 44%. East wind 5 mph. The record high

temperature for today is 87° set in 1958. Expect

cloudy skies tonight with a 50% chance of rain,

overnight low of 40°. North wind 5 to 15 mph. The

*Last Week's Almanac

Normals

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Moonset

record low for tonight is 28° set in 1953.

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*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Moonrise

Alcona Review Weather Report

Today's Regional Map

59/39

Seven Day Forecast



WEDNESDAY Isolated Rain High: 54 Low: 40



THURSDAY

Few Showers High: 50 Low: 38



FRIDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 48 Low: 36



SATURDAY Partly Cloudy High: 51 Low: 39



SUNDAY

Partly Cloudy High: 55 Low: 43



MONDAY

Sunny High: 59 Low: 41



TUESDAY Mostly Sunny High: 65 Low: 44

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Full 5/14



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<u>Day</u> Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

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Harrisville

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The Northeast will see scattered showers and thunderstorms today through Friday,

with the highest temperature of 82° in Baltimore, Md. The Southeast will see

mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with a few showers and thunderstorms today

through Friday, with the highest temperature of 91° in Tampa, Fla. The Northwest

Date

Monday

Tuesday

Thursday

Saturday

Sunday

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Sunset

National Weather Summary This Week

will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with isolated showers today through Friday, with the

highest temperature of 95° in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today

Friday

Wednesday





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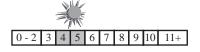
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UV Index 0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	<u>Set</u>				
Mercury	6:56 a.m.	10:41 p.m.				
Venus	4:39 a.m.	5:13 p.m.				
Mars		4:33 a.m.				
Jupiter	9:38 a.m.	1:01 a.m				
Saturn	8:14 p.m.	6:18 a.m.				
Uranus	4:37 a.m.	5:22 p.m.				

through Friday, with the highest temperature of 106° in Ontario, Calif. **Weather History**

May 14, 1898 - A severe thunderstorm, with some hailstones up to 9.5 inches in circumference, pounded Kansas City, Mo. Windows were broken in nearly every house in central and eastern parts of the city, and several people were injured.

Weather Trivia

How are the hot Santa Ana winds of California formed?



through the mountains. Answer: They form when pressure forces air downslope

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StarWatch By Gary Becker - Moravian Hounds Build a Comet

It's hard to get students to read assignments, so when senior Anika Riaz came to me last month asking if we could make a comet, I asked her the origins of her wish. "Why from your book in the section on comets," she retorted. I hadn't even assigned that material, so how could I refuse her? On May 2 Anika and friends gathered in the commons area between PPHAC and Collier, and we did it. Comets were formed from the primordial leftovers of the solar system, far from the sun's heat where ices, mainly water, but including carbon dioxide, ammonia, and methane, along with silicate grit, and even complex organic compounds existed. So the basic recipe wasn't very complicated: 1/3 gallon of water, a dapple of ammonia, a fistful of sand, a handful of dirt for the organics, and about

five pounds of pulverized dry ice (frozen carbon dioxide). The dry ice at -1100 F. was the toughest commodity to acquire and maintain, so thank you, Dr. Carl Salter, for providing helpful suggestions and a storage container. A large bowl lined with insulating newspaper and layers of plastic from a garbage bag helped to form the general round shape of the comet. We added the water, ammonia, sand, and dirt and mixed the contents through the plastic bag. Another interesting aspect was pulverizing the pellets of dry ice. This was a task that the females of the group seemed to relish the most. In fact no guy volunteered. It just seemed to be too dangerous as mallets came smashing down on the towel covering the dry ice. Once the women were pulled away, the dry ice was slowly poured into the water, and quickly kneaded to mix all of the contents. Amid the hissing sounds and vapors spewing from the bowl, an icy, sputtering ball emerged. A little more water to form a crust, and voila, Comet Anika was born. Complete photo documentation can be found at www.astronomy.org. Click on the comet banner and enjoy the photos.



Trivia Test By Fifi Rodriguez



- 1. GEOGRAPHY: Where is the Kenai Peninsula?
- 2. MEDICINE: Bright's disease affects what human organ?
- **3. FAMOUS QUOTATIONS:** What famous Russian novelist once said, "Everyone thinks of changing the world, but no one thinks of changing himself"?
- 4. MOVIES: What famous 1960s movie featured the character Benjamin Braddock?
- **5. HISTORY:** Which nation established the first permanent European settlement in North America?
- 6. TELEVISION: What is the name of Sheldon Cooper's girlfriend on "The Big Bang Theory"?
- 7. FOOD & DRINK: What is sorrel?
- **8. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** Who was the founder of the Salvation Army?
- **9. AD SLOGANS:** What brand of detergent advertised its effectiveness against "ring around the collar"?
- 10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of peacocks called?

Answers: 1. Southern Alaska; 2. Kidneys; 3. Leo Tolstoy; 4. "The Graduate"; 5. Spain; 6. Amy; 7. An herb; 8. William Booth; 9. Wisk; 10. An ostentation or muster (c) 2014 King Features Synd., Inc.

Super Crossword

MOVIE HEADS



Moments I n Time By The History Channel

- On May 30, 1593, playwright Christopher Marlowe, 29, is killed in a brawl over a bar tab. Marlowe was nearly denied his master's degree in 1587 until advisers to Queen Elizabeth intervened, recommending he receive the degree. Marlowe's activities as a spy for Queen Elizabeth were later documented by historians.
- On June 1, 1779, the court-martial of Benedict Arnold convenes in Philadelphia. After a clean record in the early days of the American Revolution, Arnold was charged with 13 counts of misbehavior. Arnold's resentment and his perceived mistreatment by the American Army would fuel his coming traitorous defection.
- On May 31, 1889, the South Fork Dam collapses, causing a flood in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, that kills more than 2,200 people. At 900 feet by 72 feet, it was the largest earth dam (made of dirt and rock) in the United States, and it created the largest man-made lake of the time, Lake Conemaugh.
- On May 29, 1922, the United States Supreme Court rules that organized baseball did not violate antitrust laws as alleged by the Baltimore franchise of the defunct Federal League in 1915. The Supreme Court held that organized baseball is not a business, but a sport.
- On May 28, 1937, the government of Germany -- then under the control of Adolf Hitler -- forms a new state-owned automobile company, later named Volkswagenwerk. After World War II ended, with the factory in ruins, the Allies would make Volkswagen the focus of their attempts to resuscitate the German auto industry.
- On May 27, 1941, the British navy sinks Germany's largest battleship, Bismarck, in the North Atlantic near France. Three days earlier, Bismarck had destroyed HMS Hood, the pride of the British fleet. The German death toll was more than 2,000.
- On May 26, 1959, Harvey Haddix of the Pittsburgh Pirates pitches 12 perfect innings against the Milwaukee Braves, only to lose the game on a two-run double by Braves' first baseman Joe Adcock in the 13th inning.

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Strange But True By Samantha Weaver

- It was Spanish philosopher George Santayana who made the following observation: "Sanity is a madness put to good uses."
- On a per-pound basis, your brain uses 10 times the calories as any other part of your body.
- You might be surprised to learn that the U.S. state that is closest to Africa is Maine.
- · Those who purport to predict the future usually have pretty poor track records. You might be surprised to learn, then, that in 1900, a journalist named John Watkins successfully predicted a number of significant developments that came to pass in the 20th century. In an article in the Ladies' Home Journal, Watkins wrote that within the following 100 years, "Man will see around the world. Persons and things of all kinds will be brought within focus of cameras connected electrically with screens at opposite ends of circuits, thousands of miles at a span." Also, "Hot or cold air will be turned on from spigots to regulate the temperature of a house"; "ready-cooked meals will be bought from establishments similar to our bakeries of today, É equipped with electric stoves, coffee-grinders, egg-beaters, stirrers, meatsaws, dishwashers and the like"; and "wireless telephone and telegraph circuits will span the world."
- If you listen to the radio for one hour, you will hear approximately 11,000 words spoken (or sung).
- It was beloved British author (and, of course, creator of Sherlock Holmes) Sir Arthur Conan Doyle who introduced the sport of skiing to Switzerland, thereby transforming that snowy country into a premier tourist destination.
- Those who decide to go into goat farming should know that the group of goats they're raising could be called a flock, a herd, a tribe or a trip.

Thought for the Day: "An ounce of mother is worth a pound of clergy." -- Spanish proverb

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Top Ten Movies



- 1. The Amazing Spider-Man 2 (PG-13) Andrew Garfield, Emma Stone
- 2. The Other Woman (PG-13) Cameron Diaz, Leslie Mann
- 3. Heaven Is for Real (PG) Greg Kinnear, Kelly Reilly
- **4.** Captain America: The Winter Soldier (PG-13) Chris Evans, Samuel L. Jackson
- 5. Rio 2 (G) animated
- 6. Brick Mansions (PG-13) Paul Walker, David Belle
- 7. Divergent (PG-13) Shailene Woodley, Theo James
- **8.** The Quiet Ones (PG-13) Jared Harris, Sam Claflin **9.** God's Not Dead (PG) Shane Harper, Kevin Sorbo
- 10. The Grand Budapest Hotel (R) Ralph Fiennes, F. Murray Abraham (c) 2014 King Features Synd., Inc.

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PUBLIC NOTICES

Public Hearing Notice Gustin

Township Zoning Ordinance Adoption: The Gustin Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on June 3, 2014 at 7 p.m. to recommend adoption of a new zoning ordinance to the township board. The public hearing will be held at the Gustin Township Hall, 113 South 2nd Street, Lincoln, Michigan. The full text of the new zoning ordinance is available at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street, or request by e-mail to gustinzoning@gmail.com. Written comments may be sent to (Gustin Township Zoning Administrator, 155 Sunday Drive, Lincoln, Michigan 48742) prior to the meeting. The public may appear at the public hearing in person or by counsel. The new zoning ordinance includes the rezoning of adjacent blocks of parcels in sections 1, 12, 13 and 14 from R-1 to Forest Recreation and one parcel in section 11 from Economic Development to Indus-

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LEGAL NOTICE

Mortgage Sale

This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. 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 \$118,753.70, 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 May 28, 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 Shalf 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 property at the foreclosure sale, or to the mortgage holder, for damage done to the property during the redemption pe-

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: April 17, 2014 By: Henry L. Knier Jr. (P46393) Attorney for Huron Community Bank

Mortgagee 900 Washington Ave., P.O. Box 219 Bay City, MI 48707 (989) 892-4574 4-23, 4-30, 5-7, 5-14

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 inter-

Mortgage sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Gary Lane Hudgins, an unmarried man, original mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., mortgagee, dated December 12, 2006, and recorded on January 11, 2007 in Liber 438 on page 780, and assigned by mesne assignments to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust

2007-4, asset-backed certificates, series 2007-4 as assignee as documented by an assignment, in Alcona County records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand four hundred eighty-six and 80/100 dollars (\$171,486.80).

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 May 21, 2014.

Said premises are situated in township of Caledonia, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: The W 1/2 of the SW 1/ 4 of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 6 T28N, R8E

The redemption period shall be six months

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

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: April 23, 2014 For more information, please call: (248) 593-1301

Trott & Trott, P.C. Attorneys For Servicer 31440 Northwestern Hwy. Ste. 200

Farmington Hills, Michigan 48334-5422 File No. 232636F03 4-23, 4-30, 5-7, 5-14

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: Steven M. Espinoza, husband to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Strategic Home Loans, LLC, its successors and assigns, mortgagee, dated July 9, 2003 and recorded July 18, 2003 in Liber 386, page 228 and mortgage assumed by assumption agreement with release of liability dated March 7, 2012 and recorded March 26, 2012 in Liber 486, page 620 Alcona County records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC, by assignment dated October 15, 2013 and recorded November 1, 2013 in Liber 502, page 1,332, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred forty-six thousand one hundred eighty-four dollars and nineteen cents (\$146,184.19) 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, circuit court of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on May 28, 2014.

Said premises are situated in township of Curtis, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 1: The west one-half of the west one-half of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 25 North, Range 5 East, less and excepting parcels described as beginning 20 feet east of northwest corner of said northwest one-quarter of northeast onequarter; thence east 209 feet; thence

south 209 feet: thence west 209 feet: thence north 209 feet to place of beginning; and excepting beginning 418 feet north and 20 feet east of the southwest corner of said northwest one-quarter of northeast one-quarter: thence north 209 feet; thence east 209 feet; thence south 209 feet; thence west 209 feet to place of beginning; and also excepting beginning at the southwest corner of said northwest one-quarter of northeast one-quarter; thence north 627 feet, east 20 feet to place of beginning, thence east 209 feet; thence north 209 feet; thence west 209 feet; thence south 209 feet to place of beginning.

Parcel 2: The east one-half of the west one-half of the northwest one-quarter of the northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 25 North, Range 5 East, Commonly known as 6160 Bamfield Road, Glennie, Mich. 48737.

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: April 30, 2014

Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC, Assignee of Mortgagee

Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd., Suite 100 Rochester Hills, Mich. 48307 (248) 844-5123 File No: 14-95486 4-30, 5-7, 5-14, 5-21

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Mortgage Sale -- Default has been made in the terms and conditions of a mortgage made by Donald Fisher and Linda Fisher, husband and wife, mortgagors, to Cornerstone Community Financial Credit Union f/k/a United Christian Community Credit Union, mortgagee, dated May 2, 2003, and recorded on May 5, 2003, in Liber 381 on page 1,171, Alcona County records, Michigan, and which mortgage was modified by agreement recorded in Liber 452 on Page 345, Alcona County records, Michigan, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of thirty-four thousand six hundred seventy-three and 79/100 dollars (\$34,673.79) including interest at 0.000

percent per annum. Mortgage Electronic Registration System (MERS) is not the foreclosing party. 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 the place of holding in the circuit court within Alcona County, Michigan, at 10 a.m. on June 4, 2014.

Said premises are situated in the township of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the east 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said Section 14, according to the survey dated April 14, 1994, recorded June 16, 1994 in Liber 275, pages 923 and 924, Alcona County records, prepared by Northeast Land Surveys, and described as: Commencing at the northeast corner of Section 14, Town 26 North, Range 9 East; thence south 00 degrees, 32 minutes, 47 seconds east along the east line of said section 1,315.89 feet; thence south 89 degrees, 21 minutes, 47 seconds west along the north 1/8 line of said section 282.18 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing south 89 degrees, 21 minutes 47 seconds west along said north 1/8 line 380.43 feet; thence north 00 degrees, 33 minutes, 39 seconds west along the west line of the east 1/2 of the northeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of said section 212.56 feet; thence south 83 degrees, 15 minutes, 04 seconds east 117.11 feet; thence north 77 degrees, 37 minutes, 36 seconds east 269.98 feet; thence south 00 degrees, 33 minutes, 39 seconds east 252.42 feet to the point of beginning. Commonly known as: 5460 Marvs Lane, Harrisville, Mich, 48740 (assessed as Vacant E. Dunn Trail) Property Id No.: 060-014-100-006-00.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, under Section 600.3278 of the Michigan Compiled Laws the mortgagor will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Dated: April 23, 2014 Cornerstone Community Financial Credit Union, Mortgagee Holzman Corkery, PLLC By: Charles J. Holzman Attorney for Mortgagee

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<u>SPEECH</u>: Speech courses, Interpersonal Communication, Public Speaking, and Oral Interpretation of Literature. Qualifications: Master's degree in Speech Communication or equivalent experience.

VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, May 5 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those in attendance included: President Jordan, treasurer Kossa, clerk Somers and council members Gauthier, Healy, Naylor, Phillips, Somers and Stutzman. Also present were attorney Cook and several guests.

The minutes of the April meeting were approved on a motion from Gauthier with support from Healy. The treasurer's report was approved, subject to audit, on a motion from Gauthier with support from Stutzman. Somers questioned the \$7,000 that was taken in from the sale of lawn mowers. Mary provided him with documentation that shows it is in the equipment rental fund.

Jeff Allen from Team Elmer's, the winning bidder for the Main Street project, appeared before the board. He stated that since there has been a possible change in what was originally bid out, he would suggest that we consider doing the project differently. He would like to put a drain underneath the roadway and the new bid price would be \$130,050. If we wait until after Labor Day they are willing to do it for \$123,400, a savings of \$6,650. Jeff explained that since their excavators are currently tied up it would help his company and also save us quite a bit of money.

Gauthier said she believes that we should accept the three proposals as suggested by Jeff and have the work completed by September 30. A motion was made by Gauthier to amend the proposal to redo Main Street and to add the necessary storm drain and have the deadline pushed to September 30. Somers offered support. Motion carried. Jeff also turned in a bid for paving of a small section of Millen Street at a price of \$2,500 as well as a bid for Sherman Street that includes the road to the boat launch would cost \$6,700. It is possible to get a quote for slide in ramps for use at the boat launch. These issues will be addressed at a later date.

Fire chief Leroy Hall stated that the fires have been kept down with the recent rains. He stated that he received a large bill for radio programming from the state police. The Downtown Development Authority pays a portion and it appears we will be responsible for half of the bill. He will be contacting them to find out why we aren't receiving the billings in a timely manner.

Bids were opened for the lawn mowing contract that will include 2014, 2015 and 2016. A bid received from Stout's Lawn Mowing in the amount of \$885 per cut. A bid was received from Monnier's Maintenance at \$1,600 per cut. A motion was made by Stutzman, with support from Gauthier, to accept the bid from Stout's Lawn Service for the years of 2014, 2015 and 2016. Motion carried.

Two bids from the village audit were received. A motion was made by Gauthier to award the bid for audit to Stephenson and Gracik. Healy offered support. Stutzman abstained. Motion carried.

A request was made by Richard Somers to go into closed session to discuss an employee issue. A motion to amend to allow the attorney, president, clerk and treasurer to stay for the meeting was made by Gauthier, with support from Healy. Carried. Closed session held in fire department area. Motion made by Gauthier, with support from Healy, to reopen the regular meeting. Motion carried. A motion was made by Gauthier, with support from Naylor, to take the HR committee recommendations to terminate Dick Somers' position with the village. Phillips abstained. Somers left the room. Motion carried. Virginia Hart read a letter regarding Dick's job performance and comments

Kathy Putsky presented a new American flag to the council from state representative Peter Pettalia. It hung at the state capital and comes complete with a certificate. Debbie Shaneour said the beautification committee is out in full force. They have taken down lights from trees in the downtown area and are in the midst of preparing to plant flowers. Virginia Hart asked about having the street lights turned down late at night. President Jordan stated that it is a safety issue, although they are turned down drastically during the late night hours. Virginia commented that the Christmas lights are beautiful every year. Debbie stated that Pat and Jesse Scott, members of the beautification committee, are moving out of the area. They will be missed for all their help and contributions. Eric Monnier asked about homeowners that approached him regarding leaves that blew into the water on Brownlee Lake. He had to have his crew leave the area because of a possible confrontation. Attorney Cook advised him to talk

were heard from several others.

what needs to be done. The street report was given by president Jordan. Lots of potholes need to be taken care of. There is a sinkhole on Hawley Street that will need to be attended to immediately. Several roads need to have crack sealant this year due to the harsh winter. A motion was made by Gauthier, with support from Stutzman, to put crack sealant out for bids. The sewer report was turned in by Richard Gillespie of Alpena Septic Service. Things are doing very well there.

to officer MacNeill from the DNR about

In old business, Stutzman stated that the locks on the bathrooms at the ball fields are smashed. Jordan will check into it. John has been looking into playground equipment for the little park by the hall. A cleanup of Barlow Road from the hardware corner to the village limits will be held. It will be on Tuesday, May 20 at 6 p.m. Council members are asked to help in this endeavor. He inquired about having the towers painted on the play structure. If necessary we may need to have it put out for bids.

President Jordan gave his report. A letter was received from the Barton City Improvement Association. They are requesting help with funding for fireworks. Attorney Cook stated that since the council gives money to the Harrisville fireworks and they are a 501(c) 3 organization that is okay. The Barton City group is not under that classification so we can't legally donate to them. It has been requested that the water be turned on at the ball fields, Jordan will do it this week. The post office parking lot will be restriped and revamped sometime this summer

President Jordan had a visit from one of the boys that was banned from the play-ground last year. He asked to be allowed to go back there and promised not to cause any more trouble. Following a brief discussion council members agreed that he would be allowed to return after the Fourth of July. He needs to be reminded that he will be prosecuted if he causes any damage in the future. President Jordan spoke with Jesse Campbell of the road commission recently regarding road salt for next winter. Currently, we have about 40 tons still available and it will be necessary to order soon for the next season.

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

Linda K. Somers Village Clerk

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Also growing amidst the mushrooms and soon to sprout fiddle heads are trout lilies (bottom) which is also called the yellow adders tongue or the dog tooth violet.

Photos by Cheryl Peterson.

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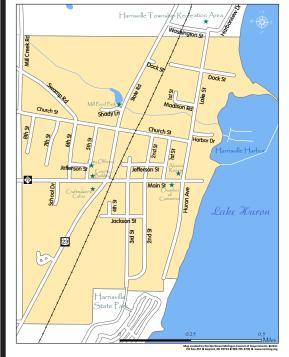
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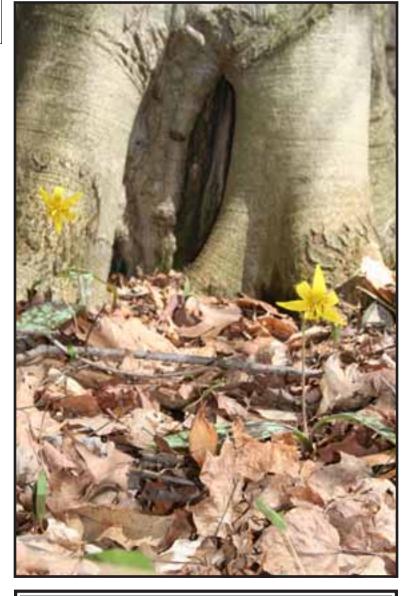


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