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Lincoln Lions Club celebrates 70 years of community service

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

The Lincoln Lions Club celebrated its 70th year of Lionism with their families during a picnic dinner and wagon ride at the Lost Lake Woods Club, last week.

The Lincoln Lions Club was originally sponsored, in February of 1945, by the Harrisville Lions Club, a group founded five years earlier. The group began with about 39 members. The club has about the same number of members it began with, although many of the names have changed.

The Lincoln Lions have always been active and helpful in the community by building access ramps to allow handicapped residents into their home; the kid-sight program - checking four and five year olds for eye disease; two \$1,000 scholarships to high school graduates; and collecting used eye glasses and hearing aids for the indigent. The group has helped residents who have experienced fires and other tragedies, and donates up to \$2,500 a year for extra curricular activities for Alcona

school children.

The group is also heavily involved in town beautification in Lincoln. Members have swept streets, planted trees and built benches. They made a parking area and installed diving platform rafts for Brownlee Lake. They are in charge of highway cleanup on M-72 from Barlow Road to Poor Farm Road, which they perform twice a year, and they provide food, wagon rides and a bonfire during Lincoln's Festival of Lights Christmas Tree lighting event.

The group also supports and contributes to Leader Dogs for the Blind, summer camps for blind children, Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF), and the Michigan Eye Bank, and were the first Lions club in the state to fully fund their pledge to the eye bank.

Over the years the Lincoln Lions have had parades, rodeos, and conducted snowmobile races from 1969 until about 1994. The club still has an Antique Classic, Muscle Car and Motorcycle

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An accident with a semi-truck and trailer and a car leads to a fuel spill which took roughly three hours to clean up last week. The accident occurred on US-23 and F-30 intersection in Greenbush Township at 8 a.m. on July 31. The semi's fuel tank was ruptured in the accident. According to Alcona County Sheriff Sgt. Keith Myers, approximately 10 gallons of diesel fuel spilled onto the highway. The fuel was contained with Floor Dry - a material that absorbs petroleum products and removed with a pump by Rob's Towing. The driver of the car was taken to Alpena Regional Medical Center with minor injuries. Names of the drivers are not being released pending completion of the investigation into the incident, Myers said. *Courtesy photo.*

The past comes alive during Historical Day at Sturgeon Point

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Visitors and residents alike will have an opportunity to take a step back in time and get a glimpse of what life was

like more than 100 years ago during Historical Day at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse.

The Alcona Historical Society will host Historical Day at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse on Saturday, Aug. 8 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The free event will feature fun for the entire family with many museum exhibits on display, tours of the lighthouse and climbing the lighthouse tower. Kids can join in activities with antique toys and toy boat building, while adults may appreciate old time laundry demonstrations, chain saw carving by Jack Ballor and a presentation by Roger Lemons from the Harrisville Institute for Cultural Learning.

The tower will be open to climb for a \$3 fee which includes a guided tour to see the Fresnel light which had a long career guiding ships around the point safely, alerting and guiding lifesavers to ships in distress.

The Alcona Township Fire Department will be putting on a fire house demonstration and the Alcona County Antique Tractor Club will be on hand to show off the hardworking machines which helped farm the area years ago. The Bailey School, a one-room school, will also be open to view, free of charge.

The Chosen Ranch will

provide food from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and music will be provided for the event by the Swollen Fingers String Band.

Linda Klemens, president of the Alcona Historical Society, said the group is proud to host the annual historical day; and this area is rich with opportunities to visit and explore Michigan heritage.

Volunteers from the Alcona Historical Society maintain and operate Sturgeon Point Lighthouse and Bailey School, which are open seven days a week during the summer, and the Lincoln Depot in Lincoln.

These local volunteers received a boost when more than 150 volunteers traveled to the point to help with a variety of projects earlier this summer. "When the Michigan cares for Tourism Organization came we really got a lot accomplished," Klemens said. "Fifteen projects took place that day including taking out a fake wall between the tower and keepers quarters which allows access to the tower from inside. This lightened our volunteer load from having to have four volunteers when the tower is open, to just three."

Other tourism organization projects included putting in cement slabs allowing arti-

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Alair Bergman, holding Pete, the bunny, gives Brooklyn Griffin, 1, and Kari Smith, both of Harrisville, a close up view during a live farm animal visit at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. The Bergmans, a mother and daughter team from Ortonville, Mich., travel Michigan talking about farm animals, 4-H, Michigan history and how to keep the planet green. *Photo by Mary Weber.*

Obituaries

Arleen L. Kohn

Arleen Louise Kohn, 68, of Lincoln, died on Wednesday, July 29, 2015 at home.

She was born August 18, 1946 in Hazel Park, Mich. where she was raised and attended school.

Later, she moved to Barton City and, in 2005, moved to Lincoln.

She married Glenn V. Kohn on April 22, 2001.

She was a member of the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church of Lincoln and a former member of the auxiliary to the Barton City Eagles Aerie No. 4141.

Mrs. Kohn is survived by her husband, Glenn; one daughter, Kathleen (Wesley) Sanders of Lincoln; three sons, Tony (Michelle) Krisan and Tim (Traci) Krisan, both of Harrisville, and Keith (Carrie) Lunn of Tawas; two step daughters, Emily Orlando of Oak Park, Mich. and Mary (Samit) Ghosh of Huntington Woods, Mich.; one step son, Aaron Kohn of Ferndale, Mich.; 12 grandchildren, Skyler Krisan, Anthony Krisan, Mitchell Krisan, Matthew Krisan, Kalene Krisan, Tiffany Gauthier, Miesha Sanders, Zylinda Sanders, Lanore Sanders, Destiny Sanders, Allison Lunn and Chance Taylor; three step-grandchildren, Brooke and Amanda Orlando and Lola Ghosh; one great-granddaughter, Sarah Gauthier; two brothers-in-law, Dean (Pam) Kohn of Auburn, Mich. and Dr. Wayne (Dawn) Kohn of Norton Shores, Mich.; and her faithful doxy, Gracie.

Visitation is from 1 p.m. until the memorial service at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Lincoln on Wednesday, Aug. 5. The Rev. Jacob Schwartz will officiate. Memorials may be made to Trinity Lutheran Evangelical Church, Lincoln and the Alcona Humane Society. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.



Catnip repels mosquitoes

Researchers report that nepetalactone, the chemical in catnip that gives the plant its characteristic odor, is about ten times more effective at repelling mosquitoes than DEET. Mix 25 drops of **catnip essential oil**, 1 tsp. **real vanilla extract** and 4 oz. of **rubbing alcohol** together in a small spray bottle, and shake well before using. Be careful not to spray into eyes.

Brenda Weaver
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Dale A. Mallory

Dale Andrew Mallory, 59, of Harrisville died on Sunday, Aug. 2, 2015 at his home.

He was born on May 13, 1956 in Harrisville to Stanley and Ruth (Schram) Mallory. As a child he participated in 4-H clubs where he learned to ride and show horses. He was also in Cub Scouts, played baseball, was active with the United Methodist Youth group of Harrisville and worked on the family farm.

He joined the U.S. Marine Corps after graduating from high school, then returned to Harrisville where he worked with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and the family business.

Mr. Mallory is survived by three sisters, Constance Kinnee of Harrisville, Marilyn Mallory of Oscoda and Rosalie Pettit of Rogers City, Mich.; four brothers, Richard Mallory of Buffalo, Ill., Keith Mallory of Flint, Mich., Donald Mallory of Del Valle, Texas, and Gary Mallory of Harrisville; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ruth and Stanley Mallory; three sisters, Gloria Dault, Joan Mallory and Vandetta Mallory; and one brother, Stanley Arnold Mallory.

A private family service will be held in the future at the West Lawn Cemetery in Harrisville. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.



Maurice A. High

Maurice A. High, 79, of Lincoln died on Monday, Aug. 3, 2015 at his home.

He was born on January 21, 1936 to Charles and Gladys (Towne) High in Kennebunk, Maine, where he was raised.

After high school, he joined the U.S. Air Force. His first assignment was at Wurtsmith Air Force Base in Oscoda.

He married Mary Jo Hanchett on November 17, 1956 in Lincoln.

Mr. High retired from the Air Force in 1977 and moved to Lincoln. He was an avid supporter of the Burger Wiedbrauk V.F.W. Post No. 8135 of Barton City. He liked hunting and taking pictures of wildlife.

He enjoyed winters in Gulf Shores, Ala. for 15 years.

Mr. High is survived by his wife, Mary Jo; one daughter, Linda Burke of LaVista, Neb.; two grandsons, Warren Burke and Brian (Mandi Simmons) Burke; and one great-grandson, Blake Burke.



He was preceded in death by one son, Robert High, on November 5, 2011.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln. A graveside service will be held Monday, Aug. 10 at 1 p.m. at the Twin Lakes Cemetery in Lincoln. Memorial Donations may be made to the Burger Wiedbrauk V.F.W. Post No. 8135 of Barton City.

Lillian J. Burke

Lillian J. Burke, 72, of Harrisville, died on Monday, Aug. 3, 2015 at home.

She was born on November 17, 1942, to Roy and Regina (McFarland) Cicotte in Lincoln Park, Mich. She was raised in Lincoln Park, Mich. and Allen Park, Mich.

She married James Burke in Allen Park, Mich. on June 7, 1977. They were residents of Livonia, Mich. and Farmington Hills, Mich.

Mrs. Burke worked as a switchboard operator for the U.S. District Court in Detroit, Mich., as an administrative clerk for the Pretrial Services Agency in Detroit, Mich., and as a receptionist for the Michigan Human Services Agency in Livonia, Mich. before retiring to Harrisville in 2001.

She enjoyed painting landscapes, creating silk floral arrangements and playing the piano.

Mrs. Burke is survived by her husband, James; one daughter, Dawn Wyatt of Troy, Mich.; five grandchildren, Brandon M. Keilman of Grand Rapids, Mich., John Wesley Wyatt, Nathaniel Wyatt, Seth Dixon Wyatt, and Tessa Lillianna Wyatt, all of Troy, Mich.; and one great-grandson, Will Keilman of Grand Rapids, Mich.

She was preceded in death by one half-sister, Joy Conley; and three half-brothers, Roy B. Cicotte, Harry Cicotte and Matthew Harris.

Visitation is at Gillies Funeral Home, Harrisville, on Thursday, Aug. 6 from 11 a.m. until the funeral service at 1 p.m. The Rev. Ernest Ruemenapp will officiate. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery, Harrisville. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the Sunrise Shore.

Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2015						
Weekly Report				Miles Per Hour		
Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
	High	Low				
July 26	77	60	0.00	2.1	12	ESE
July 27	80	62	0.00	1.3	10	E
July 28	79	60	0.00	1.8	9	E
July 29	81	65	0.00	3.8	18	ESE
July 30	87	59	0.00	2.6	23	W
July 31	84	59	0.00	2.1	16	WSW
Aug. 1	78	56	T	1.8	12	S
Precipitation Summary (Inches) 2015						
	2015	2014	Normal Water Content			
Weekly Total	T	0.66	0.77			
Month of July	1.76	2.37	3.17			
August to Date	T	0.00	0.11			
Year to Date	12.37	15.18	15.97			
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.)						

Letters to the Editor



To the Editor,
I am writing this letter to commend Alpena Regional Medical Center emergency department physician, Dr. John Lightfoot, for his recent very professional and compassionate management of a person in psychiatric crisis. I hope others will follow his example.
His soft voice and slow careful movements were very

comforting to the patient. He reassured the patient that it was not her/his fault and was no different than a broken leg; that the brain was not feeling well and needed treatment. His approach was very comforting and reassuring to the patient and family.
Jacqueline Fitzgerald
Director
BayView Center

To the Editor,
As of Friday, July 31, 2015 the Alcona VFW Post No. 6466 in Harrisville no longer exists. Under the manual of procedures, which guides all VFW posts, Post No. 6466 has become Post No. 8135 in Barton City.
A vote by the members, who attended the meeting (quorum) was taken on May 14 to consolidate with Barton City Post No. 8135. On July 31, Barton City Post No. 8135 voted to accept the consolidation.
Since May, VFW Post No. 6466 has been under the control of three trustees who were appointed by the department of Michigan. Since that time, we have been in the process of shutting down our operation in Harrisville. All members of Post No. 6466 will be

contacted by the commander of Post No. 8135, for either their acceptance into the post or selecting another post to be consolidated with or become a member at large of the VFW.
As previous post commander, this has been a very difficult and emotional process. I can only think of the many members who served this post over the past 70 plus years and made it an organization that was closely associated with the residents of Harrisville and surrounding areas.
It was always gratifying to see the support of the community. I want to personally thank all for their past support.
Ron Skiba
Past Post Commander
Harrisville

To the Editor,
My husband and I really enjoyed the article Warren MacNeill wrote about Belle Isle and the children in Detroit. My husband was born and raised in Detroit, Mich. and when he was a small boy his parents would take him to Belle Isle in the summer to sleep on blankets on the open ground. There was no air conditioning in homes and they would go there to get away from the heat. He said it was a safe and a nice place. He always felt bad to see it destroyed and unsafe for people to take their families. Nice to hear it's back.
What a wonderful experience for Warren to give the children of Detroit a chance to hear what living in the north is like. We get to enjoy the woods and the beauty of the countryside. It's a completely different life from the city; they have parks and activities but I'm sure a lot of them have never walked through a woods and seen the beauty of the trees and wildlife.
The 100 years ago articles are really interesting, keep it up.
Elaine Pearcey
Lincoln

To the Editor,
Last week I listened in on a national conference call with Representative John Delaney, D-Md., who has introduced HR 2655, the Open Our Democracy Act.
The call was hosted by Jackie Salit, president of IndependentVoting.org, the largest association of independent voters in the country, of which I'm a part. I am the founder of Michigan Independent Voters which is affiliated with IndependentVoting.org.
The bill does three things: Enacts top two nonpartisan primaries for all Congressional elections in the United States, makes election day a national holiday, and creates a road whereby the practice of manipulating elections could be replaced with a more citizen friendly process of drawing voting maps.
In June the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that states may establish an impartial, independent redistricting commission for the drawing of congressional districts.
In other words, it's a gridlock-fighting package of reform designed to empower voters and give our country

some much needed breathing room from the partisanship that now determines nearly every step of the political process. It's time to let the voters choose the lawmakers, not the lawmakers choose the voters.
Delaney said, "Politicians always make the mistake of underestimating the American people. Three hundred million smart Americans are not going to let some 500 members of Congress stand in their way forever." I couldn't agree more.
Given the vested interest of most politicians in the status quo, it's going to take a grassroots movement of independent-minded voters to pressure our local representatives to support this bill. I have written my congressman, Bill Huizenga, asking him to support it.
Please join me and write your congressman. We can open our democracy and unleash the innovation and creativity needed to solve old problems in new ways. We must free ourselves from the grips of partisanship to do so.
Phil Leech
Spring Lake, Mich.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

The Alcona County Baby Pantry will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 East F-30 in Mikado. Free items for newborns to age five to residents of Alcona County. Diapers, formula, clothing, bedding, et cetera will be available.

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.

Enjoy live music on the edge of Lake Huron with the annual summer concert series at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion. A performance by the Donny Hartman Band will begin at 7 p.m. Seating is on the lawn. For your comfort, bring chairs or blankets. Donations will be accepted. For more information, contact the City of Harrisville at (989) 724-6666.

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Senior Center, 5039 Campbell Road. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

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

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answer
 Because the mathematician needed to use a gripping tool, he grabbed his multi-pliers.

supplies. Items made will be donated to local organizations for distribution.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will meet at 11 a.m. at the VFW Hall, 2900 Connon in Alpena. Bring a can of food for the needy. For more information, call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-4080.

My Brother's Hope will be accepting donations from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). For more information, call (989) 335-3541.

Friends of the Alcona County Library will meet at the Harrisville branch at 1 p.m.

Falconer Jenny Schroeder will present "Raptors of the World" at 1:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6

The Forgotten Eagles will arrive at the corner of US-23 and M-72 in Harrisville at 12:30 p.m.

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

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

Come join your fellow comrades at the veterans coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville.

TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:10 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. Treadmill and exercise bike also available.

A program "Eating Around the World" will be held at noon at the Caledonia branch of the Alcona County Library, 1499 Hubert Road in Hubbard Lake and at 2:30 p.m. at the Mikado branch, 2291 South F-41. This free program is for ages eight to 18 and involves hands-on cooking and crafts. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

"Free Range Crafts", some-

thing new for crafters, will meet from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Bring in your crafts in progress, crafts to do, ideas and questions to share with others. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7

Enjoy popcorn and a movie at 12:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

The Iosco County Firefighters Annual Summertime Music Concert will be held at 7 p.m. at Tawas Area High School. Headlining the show is music legend Billy Joe Royal. Tickets are \$18 in advance or \$23 at the door. A special family ticket is only \$45. For more information, call (800) 205-7174 or (989) 362-2924.

Frog Day storytime and crafts for children from 10:15 to 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8

Historical Day at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse is a family event complete with displays, children's activities, special entertainment and the opportunity to climb the tower from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. to celebrate the history of this nautical landmark and Alcona County history. Food and beverages will be available. Call Joan Crick at (989) 724-6546 for details.

The Alcona County Food Pantry will be open from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street (US-23). Proof of residency required.

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) 724-5077 or (989) 724-6546.

The ARA Farm Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. For more information, call (989) 724-5077.

A river drive living history encampment will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Lumberman's Monument, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. Meet the river drivers, also known as river hogs, who drove the logs down the AuSable River during the annual log drive. At 8 p.m. sit around the campfire and listen to tall tales and stories about past drives and logging in north-

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Coming to Visit

Mary Ann (Crumb) Ferguson, 82, of Dickson, Tenn. will be visiting her childhood home on Huron Avenue in Harrisville during the first two weeks in August. She plans on catching up with old friends and visiting with four of her great-grandchildren in Traverse City, Mich. She will also be attending the birthday party of her nephew Michael Albert Crumb at the home on the lake. Her son, Jim Ferguson, spoke with her the other day and she is as "excited as a child getting to open presents at Christmas" to make this journey as it's been almost nine years since she's been "home."

New Arrival

Hudson Gregory Sikes is the new son of Rebecca and Andrew Sikes. He was born on Monday, July 6, 2015 at Cabell Huntington Hospital in Huntington, W. Va. He weighed nine pounds, one ounce and was 20 inches long. He joins one sibling, Harper Lynn Sikes. He is the grandson of Ginger and Louis Campbell of Harrisville and Marty and John Sikes of Charlotte, N.C. He is the great-grandson of Betty and Bruce Campbell of Lincoln and Juanita and John Sikes of Garfield, Ga.

County Fair Triathlon

Fitness enthusiasts and community-minded citizens are needed for the newest event at the Alcona County Fair - a sprint-style triathlon. Organizers Nate Leeseberg and Roger Klukowski are looking for participants in the event which includes a .35 mile swim across Brownlee Lake, a 12 mile bike ride around the Village of Lincoln and a 5K run through the ARA Site and the Village of Lincoln on Saturday, Aug. 22. The event will begin at 9 a.m. with sign up starting at 7 a.m. through 8:45 a.m. at the public beach located at Millen and Church streets in Lincoln.

For more information and registration information, see the Facebook page Alcona County Fair Triathlon, see the Alcona County Fair Board website, stop in at Home Town Fitness in Lincoln during daytime business hours, or call Klukowski at (989) 916-7769. The registration fee for high school students ages 16-18 and adults over age 55 is \$20 and is \$40 for anyone outside of those age groups.

ARA Farm Market

The ARA Farm Market is open Saturday, Aug. 8 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Alcona County Fairgrounds (ARA Site) in Lincoln. Available this week: Hops, Chinese/napa cabbage, onions, turnips, sweet and hot peppers, potatoes, summer squash, kale, beans, cucumbers, garlic, raspberries, tomatoes, beets, lettuce, arugula, Swiss chard, radishes,

eggs, all cuts of grass-fed and grain-fed beef, brats, herbal teas, honey, maple syrup, assorted baked goods, a variety of regular, sugar free, all fruit and hot pepper jams and jellies, soup mixes, salsa mixes, baked goods mixes, five grain hot cereal, gluten free bread mix, gluten free flour blend, salt free dip and dressing mixes and seasonings, homemade laundry detergent, Adirondack chairs, wooden items, and more. Vendors accept bridge cards and Project Fresh coupons and offer Double Up Food Bucks on qualifying purchases. 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, August 10—Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, tossed salad, and pears.

- Tuesday, August 11—Breaded pork chop, baked potato, squash, and mixed fruit.

- Wednesday, August 12—Hamburger on a bun, pasta salad, baby carrots and dip, coleslaw, and cake.

- Thursday, August 13—Chicken salad on flat bread, potato salad, and peaches.

- Friday, August 14—Herb chicken, sweet potatoes, Brussels sprouts, and mixed fruit.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Comedy Club

The American Legion Post in Mikado is hosting an evening of humor during Comedy Club night featuring Jason Cooper on Friday, Aug. 14. The show starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$15 each or \$25 per couple. Cooper, a nationally known comedian, incorporates a barrage of pop culture references, funny stories and off the wall one-liners in his show. He doesn't to sugar coat anything and "tells it the way it is, the way it was, and the way it should be." Opening for Cooper is Dustin Cole - promoted as a "wildman in comedy." His material is fast paced, slightly edgy and he doesn't hold back either. For more information, call (989) 736-9526.

Funds for Meals on Wheels

Through the hard work and dedication of its employees and the generosity of its membership, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union raised \$600.16 in monetary donations for Meals on Wheels of Alcona County. Meals on Wheels is a nationwide program that assists 2.5 million senior citizens annually. The program helps seniors maintain independence by providing a hot meal to them daily, a friendly visit from a volunteer, and a safety check. Alcona Meals

on Wheels volunteers deliver roughly 800 meals a week throughout Alcona County.

The Lincoln office sold candy bars, held a summer tubing raffle, and held a barbecue raffle. Along with member donations, staff members were able to donate \$2 on Fridays to dress down in jeans. AAACU services members primarily in Alpena, Alcona, Montmorency and Iosco counties with eight locations, a main office located in Alpena, branch offices in Ossineke, Lincoln, a Tiger Branch in Alcona Community Schools, Atlanta, Oscoda, Tawas, and an additional branch in Alpena.

Fall Comedy Auditions

The Shoreline Players will hold auditions for its fall comedy "Blithe Spirit" on Monday, Aug. 10 and Tuesday, Aug. 11 from 7 to 9 p.m. Two men and five women able to portray these comedic characters ranging in age from early 30s to late 60s will be cast in this production. "Blithe Spirit" is the story of the fussy, cantankerous novelist Charles Condomine, remarried but haunted (literally) by the ghost of his late first wife, the clever and insistent Elvira who is called up by a visiting "happy medium," one Madame Arcati. As the worldly and un-worldly

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facts which are now resting on the ground to be moved for better preservation, a fresh coat of paint in the ice harvesting room, library and two storage buildings, painted trim on the privy, removing trip hazards with a new pathway of stone between Bailey School and the clearing, and drainage stone around the keeper's quarters and breeze-way.

The volunteers also completely rebuilt the herb gar-

den frame and planted new herbs, removed rotting property markers on Point Road and put in split rail fencing and they were able to build 15 new picnic tables with steel bases as well as a number of bat houses and wood duck houses.

Klemens said several historical society volunteers have been working hard at their historical duties for a number of years, including Arlene Good, who manages Bailey School and assigns workers their time slots and puts together the strawberry pies for Log Cabin Day every year for 22 or 23 years.

Other members like Nick and Sandy Williams and Norma Williams work with a group of quilters that make a quilt to raffle to raise funds for the historical sites each year. She said they also have very successful bake sales and plant sales, offer chili at Lincoln's Trick or Trunk Chili Cook-off and keep the Lincoln Depot open during the Lincoln Lions Car Show in August.

Other members, like Bill

Roorda, volunteer to sit at Bailey School. Klemens said while the older volunteers like Roorda, can't do as much during work bees they are always there to offer moral support and good advice and are a greatly appreciated part of the historical society.

She said the next work bee will be scheduled for September 26 and since the Michigan Cares for Tourism won't be sending any more volunteers, she hopes a lot more local folks will think about coming out to help them get the grounds ready for winter.

The lighthouse is located one and a half miles north of Harrisville, off US-23; turn right on Lake Shore Drive. Turn right (east) on Point Road and the entrance to the lighthouse and Bailey School will be on the left at the last driveway before the lake.

For more information about the Alcona Historical Society visit www.alconahistoricalociety.com, call (989) 724-6297 or visit with any of the members on site during historical day.



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personalities clash, Charles' current wife Ruth is accidentally killed, "passes over," and joins Elvira and the two "blithe spirits" haunt the hapless Charles into perpetuity.

The auditions will be held at the Shoreline Players Theater located at 6000 N. Skeel Ave. in Oscoda next to the Robert Parks Library on the former Wurtsmith Air Force Base. Performance dates for "Blithe Spirit" will be September 25 -27 and October 2 - 4. The production will be directed by Renee Diener and produced by Sue Miller. For more information on this production or any upcoming Shoreline events you can go to www.shorelineplayers.org or call (989) 739-3586.

Dealing with Trauma

Two classes in how to deal with trauma will be held at the United Methodist Church in Oscoda. The first class, Trauma and Its Effects on Children, will be held Wednesday, Aug. 19 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. The second

class, Providing Trauma Informed Care will be held Wednesday, Aug. 26 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. These classes are free for anyone who works with children and their families. Encouraged to attend are foster parents, adoptive parents as well as staff and volunteers in settings such as home visiting programs, recovery services, centers or home-based child-care, protective services, schools, healthcare, shelters and churches.

Class content will define trauma, toxic stress and Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) and will explain how these can affect a child's brain development and behavior. The second class offers practical ways to use this knowledge in caring for children. Register by Monday, Aug. 17 by calling Partners in Prevention at (989) 356-2880 or (800) 354-2880 or Child and Family Services of Northeast Michigan at (989) 356-4567 extension 223. The United Methodist Church is located at 120 West Dwight Street in Oscoda.

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Medicare options for retirees who travel

Dear Savvy Senior,
What are the best Medicare coverage options for retirees who travel a lot?

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Dear Almost,

The best Medicare options for retirees who travel extensively depends on your destination. Let's start with a quick review of the different coverage choices Medicare offers beneficiaries today.

One option is Original Medicare, which has been around since 1966, and covers (Part A) hospital services and (Part B) doctor's visits and other medical services.

If you choose Original Medicare, you may also want to get a Medicare (Part D) prescription drug plan (if you don't already have coverage) to cover your medication costs, and a Medicare supplemental (Medigap) policy to help pay for things that aren't covered by Medicare like copayments, coinsurance and deductibles.

Or, you could get Medicare Advantage (Part C) plan, which is sold through private insurance companies, that covers everything Original Medicare covers, plus many plans also offer prescription drug coverage and extra services like vision, hearing and dental care all in one plan.

To help you evaluate your options, the National Council on Aging offers an online tool at MyMedicareMatters.org, and your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) provides free Medicare counseling - call (800) 677-1116 for contact information.

You can also shop and compare Medicare health and drug plans and Medigap policies at Medicare.gov/find-a-plan, or call (800) 633-4227.

Also note that whatever Medicare plans you choose to enroll in, if you find that they are not meeting your needs or your needs change, you can always switch to a different plan during the open

enrollment period, which is between October 15 and December 7.

If you and your husband are planning to travel domestically, Original Medicare provides coverage everywhere in the U.S. and its territories (this includes all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands and American Samoa) as long as the doctor or hospital accepts Medicare.

But, if you have a Medicare Advantage plan, your coverage may be restricted. This is because most Medicare Advantage plans (which are usually HMOs or PPOs) require you to use doctors, hospitals and pharmacies that are in the plan's network within a service area or geographic region. So if you're traveling outside that area, you may need to pay a higher fee, or your services may not be covered at all.

Before enrolling in a Medi-



Savvy Senior

care Advantage plan, check the benefit details carefully to see what costs and rules apply when traveling outside your service area.

If you're planning to travel abroad, Original Medicare does not provide coverage outside the U.S. including cruising, except in rare cases, and Medicare drug plans will not cover prescription drugs purchased outside the U.S. either.

But, there are some Medigap policies that do provide limited coverage abroad. Medigap C, D, F, G, M, and N plans will pay for 80 percent of medically necessary emer-

gency care outside the U.S., but only for the first 60 days of the trip, and you have to meet an annual \$250 deductible first. There's also a lifetime maximum benefit of \$50,000, so you'd need to cover any costs above that amount.

If you have a Medicare Advantage plan, your coverage outside the U.S. will depend on the plan. Some plans offer emergency care coverage while others don't. You'll need to check your plan for details.

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11 a.m. – Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at our New Cheboygan Campus!
11 a.m. – 3 p.m. New Cheboygan Campus Open House!
10 a.m. to Noon – Management & You! **Cheboygan**
1 to 4 p.m. – Health Coverage Options/Enrollment Assistance **Oscoda**
2 to 3 p.m. – Eating Healthy on a Budget **Alpena**
3 to 4 p.m. – Care Management & You! **Emmet County**
All Day – Summer Sun Health Day **Lincoln**
All Day – Wear Purple for Cancer Awareness Day **Ossineke**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11TH

9 a.m. – Dental Health Class **Oscoda**
10 a.m. – Car Seat Safety Checks by Deputy Brady **Emmet County**
10 to 11 a.m. – Living Healthy with Diabetes **Alpena**
10 to 11 a.m. – Care Management & You! **Ossineke**
10:30 a.m. – Dental Health Class **Lincoln**
11 a.m. to Noon – Eating Healthy on a Budget **Oscoda**
1 p.m. Dental Health Class **Ossineke**
1 to 2 p.m. – Care Management & You! **Alpena**
2 to 2:30 p.m. – From Coverage to Care **Emmet County**
All Day – Summer Sun Health Day **Cheboygan**

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12TH

9 a.m. – Stress Relief Techniques for Children **Oscoda**
10 to 11 a.m. – Healthy Foods for a Healthier You **Harrisville**
11 a.m. to Noon – "Healthy Me!" for Kids' Game **Alpena**
1 to 2 p.m. – Eating Healthy on a Budget **Ossineke**
2 to 3 p.m. – Living Healthy with Diabetes **Emmet County**
3 to 4 p.m. – Healthier Foods for a Healthier You **Lincoln**
All Day – Kids' Health Day **Alpena**
All Day – Kids' Health Day **Cheboygan**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13TH

9 to 11 a.m. – Health Coverage Options/Enrollment Assistance **Harrisville**
10 a.m. – MI Connect Food/Medical Assistance Programs **Oscoda**
10 a.m. to Noon – Health Coverage Options/Enrollment Assistance **Alpena**
10 a.m. to Noon – Health Coverage Options/Enrollment Assistance **Cheboygan**
10 to 11 a.m. – Eating Healthy on a Budget **Lincoln**
11 a.m. to Noon – Living Healthy with Diabetes **Ossineke**
1 to 2 p.m. – Care Management & You! **Alpena**
2 p.m. – Snack Healthy! **Emmet County**

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14TH

10 to 11 a.m. – Care Management & You! **Cheboygan**
10 to 11 a.m. – Health Chat with a Nurse **Oscoda**
10 a.m. to Noon – Health Coverage Options/Enrollment Assistance **Lincoln**
11 a.m. – Women's Resource Center presentation on Domestic Violence **Emmet County**
11 a.m. to Noon – From Coverage to Care **Ossineke**
1 to 2 p.m. – Care Management & You! **Emmet County**
1 to 2 p.m. – Eating Healthy on a Budget **Harrisville**

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ern Michigan. This event is free. Call (989) 362-8961 for details.

the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details.

An off-road-vehicle (ORV) safety class will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Robert J. Parks Library in Oscoda. The class is open to all youth under the age of 16. Any youth under the age of 11 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. The class is free. Space and class materials are limited, registration required. Call David Hanson at (989) 739-4711. This event is sponsored by the AuSable Valley Trail-riders.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program will distribute commodities from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

The Alcona County Alzheimer's Support Group will meet at 2 p.m. at Jamieson Nursing Home, 790 South US-23, Harrisville. Contact Jennifer Hoppe at (989) 358-4605 or e-mail hoppej@nemcsa.org for details.

Hubbard Lake Sportsman and Improvement Association's annual pork roast fundraiser will be held at the Hubbard Lake Lions Park from 5 to 7 p.m. Cost is \$12 for adults, \$5 for youth age 12 and under or \$25 for a family of four.

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

A collage workshop will be held from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. This is a free program for ages 10 to 18 and registration is required. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details and to register.

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). For more information, call (989) 335-3541.

My Brother's Hope Potluck Cafe will be serving a meal from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street (US-23) in Harrisville. For more information, call (989) 335-3541.

Sing a-long to the oldies with Roseanne at 4 p.m. at the Greenbush Senior Center, 5039 Campbell Road. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

The river drive living encampment will continue today from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Lumberman's Monument, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. Call (989) 362-8961 for details.

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.

A free puppet show and community dinner will be held starting at 6 p.m. at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 12365 US-23 South in Ossineke. For details, call (989) 471-5428.

Alcona woodcarvers will meet from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

MONDAY, AUGUST 10

Senior commodities will be distributed from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Call, (989) 736-8879 for details.

The Barton City Improvement Association will meet at 7 p.m. at the Barton City fire hall on Trask Lake Road. All citizens are encouraged to attend.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13

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

There will be a calligraphy workshop for adults, instructed by Jolene Grusecki, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Cost is \$3 and registration is required. Call, (989) 724-6796 for details and to register.

Become a Junior Forest Ranger. Use this opportunity to get involved with the forest in many fun and exciting ways. Earn your Junior Forest Ranger badge and help Smokey prevent wildfires. Recommended for ages six to 12. This event will be held from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at Lumberman's Monument, 15 miles west of Oscoda on River Road. For more information, call (989) 362-8961.

Local author, J. R. Bacon, of the notable book "The End of Days" will be at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street, from 1 to 2 p.m. There will be a reading, discussion and book signing. Refreshments will be provided by Friends of the Library.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

Drop in Craft for children and teens from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of

Family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn. Call, (989) 724-6796 for de-

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show with a downhill derby for the kids, a fishing tournament and a golf tournament annually.

Al Scully, membership chairman for the Lincoln Lions and one of its longest continual members, said one of the biggest events they ever had with over 10,000 spectators was a professional rodeo held at the high school football field quite a few years ago. "We had to have shuttle busses to bus the people in for the rodeo because there wasn't enough parking for them all," Scully said.

The Lincoln Lions Club was largely responsible for promoting and clearing the Alcona Recreational Area (ARA) Site, according to Scully. "The property, about 120 acres belonged to the state of Michigan and they donated it to the Village of Lincoln for recreational purposes. It then became a dump. When the state eliminated many dumps and landfills, the property sat idle for quite a while, until the Lions club decided they would build a race track," Scully said.

He said the south end of the property had a deep ravine that had to be filled. It would have cost the club a fortune to fill, but the owners of The Old Stove Restaurant, (now the Backwoods Bistro) donated three acres behind their property which allowed the track to be built north several hundred feet, which eliminated having to fill in all of the ravine.

The Lions also built a braille trail on the ARA Site which Scully said was a very nice detailed nature trail with acrylic interpretive signs written in braille open to the public. He said, unfortunately, it was never kept up and has deteriorated over the years.

The Lincoln Lions were also largely involved in the construction of the Flights of Imagination playground. Members recently built a restroom facility for the playground and the baseball diamonds and helped restore the playground.

Most of the funds raised through golf tournaments, raffles and poker weekends aid to help the community. "As a Lion, if we collect money from the public, it must be used for the public and if we collect it within our own club by our own people then we can use it how we see fit," Scully said.

"For a small club we are one of the top donating clubs in our area, basically all of northeast Michigan's Lower Peninsula, and have willingly donated extra to remain so," said Willy Weber, president of the Lincoln Lions Club.

During the 70th anniversary picnic a short ceremony of installation of new officers for the 2015-2016 year was held. Dave James and Roy Somers were recognized for above and beyond service with a Melvin Jones Friendship award. Lincoln Lion of the Year was awarded to Lee Major.

The next Lions club activity will be the 17th annual car show with a parking lot cruise

held on Friday, Aug. 21 at 5 p.m. in the Alcona Motors parking lot. On Saturday, Aug. 22 the car show will feature antique, classic, and muscle cars, antique tractors and motorcycles. All of these machines will be displayed on Second Street in downtown Lincoln starting

at 9 a.m. There will be entertainment and raffles held throughout the day. Food and beverages will also be available.

For more information about the Lincoln Lions, contact Lonnie Crampton at (989) 724-9900.



Lincoln Lion Dave James (left) receives a hand shake from president Willy Weber, after James received the Melvin Jones Friendship Award for going above and beyond service to his club and community.



Lincoln Lion Roy Somers (left) with Lion District Governor Bob Gingerich after receiving the Melvin Jones Friendship Award for going above and beyond service to his club and community. Members of the Lincoln Lions Club celebrated the club's 70th year with a picnic dinner and wagon ride through Lost Lake Woods Club with their families. Members present were: John Baker, Al Scully, Carl "Fid" Kutzli, Roy Somers, Mark MacNeill, District Governor Bob Gingerich, Don Larkin, Willy Weber, John Robinson Richard Schefferly, Ted James, Monty Kruttlin, Dennis Kruttlin, Dave James, Lee Major and Lonnie Crampton. *Photos by Mary Weber.*

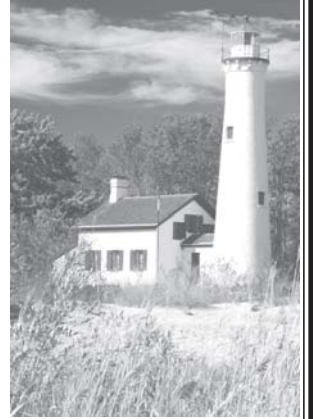
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River Aux Sables Chapter DAR

The River Aux Sables Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution became a commemorative partner of the Vietnam War 50th Anniversary in September 2014.

As a partner, The DAR is honoring veterans, veterans' families and others who participated in the war effort from November 1, 1955 to May 15, 1975. One way of doing this was to welcome the Vietnam Traveling Wall at Tawas City on July 22 and participate in keeping the 24-hour watch over it until it left Oscoda Memorial Park on July 26.

Four chapter ladies and our regent handed out flags to people lining the road from Tawas City to Oscoda and 50th Anniversary buttons to veterans and their families as the wall traveled north on US-23.

During the weekend three members worked as locators and escorts at the Traveling Wall.

We would like to thank all those men and women who fought for our freedom and especially to those who sacrificed their lives. Thank you from the River Aux Sables Chapter DAR.

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Miscellaneous	10	Agency Assist	2
Dog/Animal	11	Traffic	15
Malicious Destruction of Prop.	2	Alarm	3
Domestic	2	Harassment/Threats/Stalking	1
Operate While Intoxicated	1	Trespassing	1
Marine	2	Warrant Arrest	1
Suicidal Person	2	Breaking and Entering	3
Medical	2	Personal Injury Accident	2
Assault & Battery	4	Drive While Lic. Suspended	2
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Fire	1	Suspicious Events	2
Missing Person	1	Gun Shots	3

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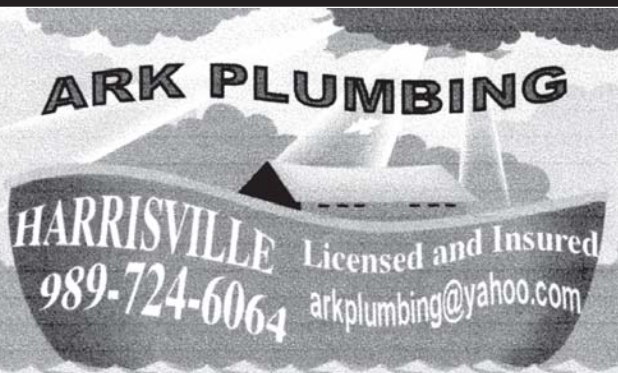
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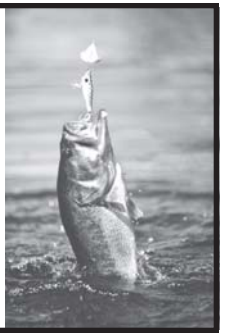
- Manual vs. electric -- making a choice between manual and electric depends on how much you want to spend, how often you fish, and how big the boat is. Manual downriggers are less expensive than electric but require more work on the part of the angler.

- Cannonballs -- this is the weight lowered by the downrigger that is attached to the lure. These weights usually range from four to 14 pounds, make a selection based on how deep you intend to fish (the deeper you go the more weight you need).

- Leads - this is the amount of line between your cannonball and the lure. It also determines how the lure acts in the water. The deeper you fish the shorter the lead needs to be.

Northeast Michigan

Fishing Report



(This tip was adapted from Michigan Outdoor News.)

Northeast Lower Peninsula July 30

- Rogers City: The thermocline has been up high some days and deeper on other days. When cold water is present and up higher a good mix of Chinook, coho, steelhead, lake trout and walleye were caught. The fish are scattered throughout in 170 to 220 feet but the steelhead were in the top 40 feet. They are fishing them with one, two, three, and five colors of lead with orange the hot color.

Those fishing closer to shore also caught fish includ-

ing a few walleye on a regular basis. Spoons worked best in the colors green, blue, orange, yellow, black and white or anything that glows early and late.

- Alpena: Is producing mostly lake trout but some have caught salmon and steelhead in the top 50 feet with orange and blue spoons. Lake trout are near the bottom. Most are fishing around Thunder Bay Island or the "Humps." Walleye fishing continues to be very good with most boats catching fish near the North Shore, Red Can, the backside of Grass Island or between Sulphur Island, Grass Island and

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Shoreline Players youth drama group presents summer musical

The Shoreline Players Youth Drama Association (SPYDA) will be presenting "Curtain Call the Musical" August 6 through August 9.

The show is a family friendly, full scale musical that made its world premiere in Rogers City, Mich. in 2014.

The story is about a group of hometown kids experiencing the fun and foibles and trials and tribulations of putting on a stage show. The audience joins them behind-the-scenes in auditions, at home, hanging out and at rehearsals while each cast member searches for their own place in the spotlight.

When the show's lead actor is injured only hours before opening night and plans don't work as expected, the fate of her fellow cast members and the whole production hangs in balance.

Cast in the show are Jaden Gardyszewski as Mrs. Collins; Taylor Rowden as Ms. Albertson; Sydney Lopez as Ms. Mathews; Katie Wimmer as Margie; Jenalee Kotula as Katie; Jaidalyn Kotula as Susanne; Avery Lopez as Ann; Delaney Ellis as Mary; Lexie

Ellis as Amy; Hannah Gallahar as Lucie; Kylie Gallahar as Sarah; Kaydence Sexton as Sophie; Alex Wilson as Chris; Rose Wilson as Kylee; Sarah London as Katt; James London as Andrew; Kevin Kleinert as Toby; Ashlyn Martinez as Morgan; Alysa Raticczk as Susan; Grace Atkinson as Ashley; and Adreana Aldridge as Krista.

The Shoreline production is directed by Heather Tait working with assistant director Diana Smith, who is the SPYDA coordinator. Sue Miller is serving as producer, Eric Joseph is the technical director and sound and light designer, and Nathan Thomsen is the student stage manager.

The show is provided by Maggie Gautier who is the author of the book, music and lyrics. The music is arranged and performed by David Vasquez.

This SPYDA production is set to open this Thursday, Aug. 6 with additional performances on August 7, 8 and 9. The Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances start at 7 p.m. and the Sun-

day matinee is at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$8 for general admission and will be available at Gilbert's Drug Store in Oscoda and at the door. Patrons can also call the box office to reserve tickets for guaranteed seating.

On Friday, Aug. 7 theatergoers will have an opportunity to ask questions of the musical's creator Gautier along with director Tait and SPYDA coordinator Smith. Those interested in attending the question and answer session with Gautier, can purchase tickets for the Friday performance and stay afterward for the 45 minute session. Refreshments will be served and the interview will be recorded for future use. Tax deductible donations to support the SPYDA program will be accepted; however the event itself is free.

Shoreline Theater is located next to the Robert Parks Library on the former Wurtsmith Air Force Base in Oscoda. For more information on this production or any upcoming events, go to www.shorelineplayers.org or call (989) 739-3586.



Members of the cast of Curtain Call the Musical rehearse for opening night. Courtesy photo.

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The outdoor setting of Sprinkler Lake Education Center near Glennie was the location for a youth day camp held during the last two weeks of July.

Ninety campers in second through seventh grades were able to attend this free camp sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service. Split into one-week sessions, campers attended educational presentations about local wildlife including black bears, bats, birds of prey and macro invertebrates. A forest service archeologists taught students about their jobs and campers were able to practice looking for artifacts. Campers learned also learned about geocaching, using GPSs and compasses, went canoeing and wildlife observation hikes throughout the week. Craft activities ranged from paper bag puppets to making paper-mache animals to making hiking sticks.

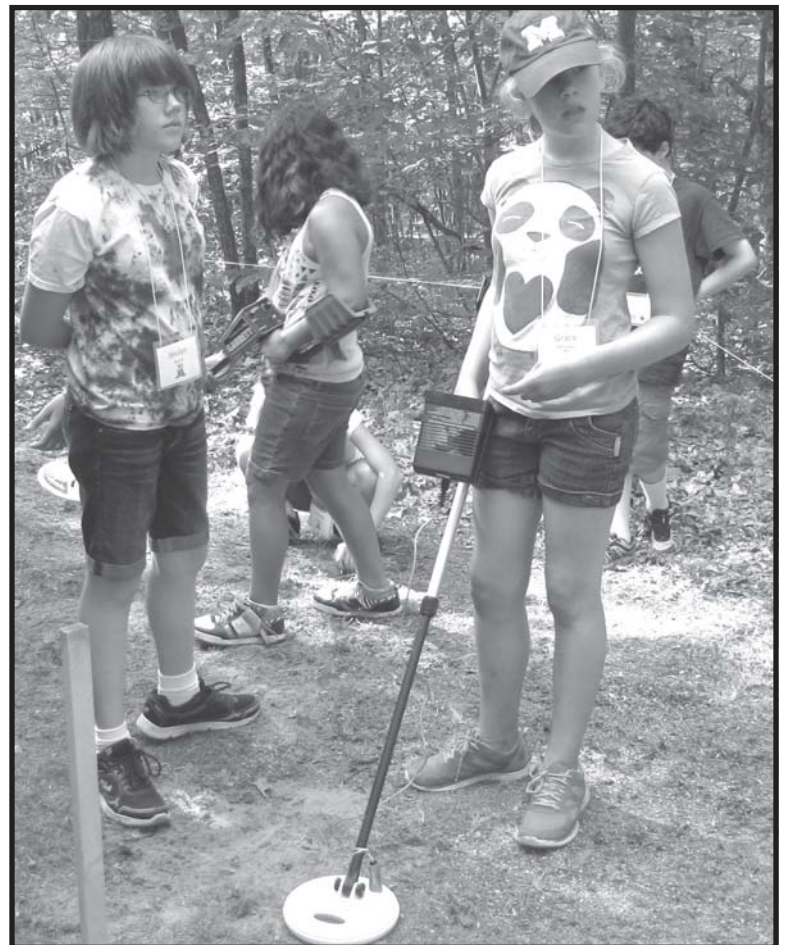
The camp was made possible due to donations, volunteers and grants from local community members and organizations. A total of \$25,200 was received in grants and donations. This money was used to help refurbish the camp, food, pay for counselors and transportation. Breakfast and lunch were served daily. Daily transportation was provided by two busses.

The Friends of Sprinkler Lake has provided over 400 volunteer hours. Local teenagers volunteered by assisting campers canoeing, hiking and making crafts. The teenagers logged over 500 volunteer hours.

For more information about the Friends of Sprinkler Lake or to make a donation to the group, the e-mail address is Fofslec@gmail.com. The mailing address is: Friends of Sprinkler Lake, P.O.Box 371, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.



Campers Audrey Alexander, Sadie Johnson, Alexis Timmreck and Rick MacGregor view water samples from the pond to look for macro invertebrates as part of their study on ecosystems. *Courtesy photos.*



Campers Grace Mitchell, Jesslyn Harris and Alannah Reno learn to use metal detectors as part of a program about archeology.



During the Friday presentation to parents, campers Kendal McLaughlin, Timothy Swager, Alexis Lang, Brenden Hudgins, Brooklyn Henderson, Hannah Hinkley, Hannah Tanner, Jackie Stockemer, Matthew Good, Paige Timmreck and Ryan Voltz present the walking sticks that they made.



Sprinkler Lake Teachers for 2015 Elizabeth Stocker, Charlie Giordano, Mike Baarlear, Rick MacGregor, Mike Stoll, Abigail Seamon and Brittany Giordano. Not pictured: substitute teacher Tom Anderson.

Fishing Continued from page 12

Thunder Bay Island. Most are using crank baits, body baits and crawler harnesses about halfway down in 20 to 40 feet.

• Thunder Bay River: Had warm water temperatures and slow catch rates.

• Harrisville: The lake trout are moving in and out. Start shallow in the morning, fishing 60 to 70 feet, follow the fish to deeper water then reverse in the evening.

Steelhead and a few Chinook seem to be in the same area as the lake trout. Spoons are working best behind flashers. Use dark colors for the lake trout and orange or blue for steelhead, Chinook and Atlantic salmon. Walleye are north of the harbor between Sturgeon Point and the Black River in 12 to 35 feet. Anglers are trolling body baits and crawler harnesses.

• Oscoda: Pier fishing has finally picked up with anglers catching mainly channel cats, smallmouth bass and few walleye. Late evening, throughout the night and early morning were best. The bass and catfish were hitting on crawlers and minnows. Walleye were hitting on body baits off the end of the pier. Boat anglers caught lake trout in 150 to 200 feet with spoons, wobble glows, and body baits.

• Higgins Lake: Has lots of rock bass throughout the lake. This is an excellent fishery especially for kids. A few perch were caught off Big Creek and the Sunken Island. Anglers are using minnows out of the lake or wax worms in 30 to 40 feet or deeper. Lake trout were caught by those trolling just off the bottom in 100 to 120 feet with spoons or body baits. Gold was the hot color.

• Houghton Lake: Is producing some bigger bluegills and some walleye. Anglers are using a jig with a leech or trolling along the weeds in 11 feet. A good number of pike have also been caught.

• Tawas: Had a lot of fishing activity but many of those trolling are crossing the bay and fishing northeast of Big Charity Island in 25 to 45 feet. Boats fishing deeper waters outside of Tawas Point are picking up a few lake trout and the odd steelhead or Chinook. Pier and river fishing continue in the slow summer mode with only the odd bass, freshwater drum or catfish.

• AuGres: Fishing pressure slowed but there are boats fishing north of Big Charity Island and between Point Lookout and Pointe AuGres in 35 to 45 feet. They're still getting fish out there, but they are working to get them.

• AuGres River: Remains slow with shore anglers getting a few catfish, freshwater drum, rock bass, smallmouth bass and lots of gobies.

(The Weekly Fishing Report is intended to give anglers an

"idea" of what is going on around the state. Updates for the report come from DNR Fisheries creel clerks and field staff as well as DNR conservation officers working in the field. For those looking for specific information on a certain body of water or port, it is safe to say if a certain species is being caught in some waters in the area, more than likely they are being caught in all waters in that section of the state that have that species.)

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Cindy Brook

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Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



100 Years Ago
August 5, 1915

Knocker vs Booster (Editorial)

Knocker
When the creator had made all good things, there was still more work to do, so he made the beasts and reptiles and poisonous insects, and when he had finished, he still had some scraps that were too bad to put into the Rattle Snake, the Hyena, the Scorpion and the Skunk, so

he put these together, covered it with suspicion, wrapped it in jealousy, marked it with a yellow streak and called it a Knocker.

Booster
This product was so fearful to contemplate that he had to make something to counteract it, so he took a

sunbeam and put in the heart of a child, and the brain of a man, and then wrapped these in civic pride, covered it with brotherly love, gave it a mask of velvet, and a grasp of steel, made it a lover of fields and flowers and manly sports, a believer of equality and justice and called it a Booster. And ever since these two

were, mortal man has had, the privilege of choosing his associates.

Knocker's Creed
I believe that nothing is right. I believe that everything is wrong. I believe that I alone have the right idea. The town is wrong, the editor is wrong, the teachers are wrong, the people are wrong,

the things they are doing are wrong and they are doing them in the wrong way anyhow. I believe I could fix things if they would let me. If they don't I will get a lot of other fellows like myself and we will have a law passed to make others do things the way WE want them done.

I do not believe that the town ought to grow. It is too big now. I believe in fighting every public improvement and in spoiling everybody's pleasure.

I am always to the front in opposing things and never yet have I advanced an idea or supported a movement that would make people happier or add to the pleasure of man, woman or child. I am opposed to fun and am happiest at a funeral. I believe in starting reforms that will take all the joy out of life. It's a sad world and I am glad of it. Amen.

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Alcona Review Weather Report

Seven Day Forecast

- WEDNESDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 70 Low: 52
- THURSDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 69 Low: 57
- FRIDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 72 Low: 57
- SATURDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 71 Low: 58
- SUNDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 73 Low: 56
- MONDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 73 Low: 55
- TUESDAY**
Mostly Sunny
High: 78 Low: 56

Today's Regional Map

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 70°, humidity of 60%. Northwest wind 10 mph. The record high temperature for today is 93° set in 1955. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 52°. The record low for tonight is 37° set in 1951. Thursday, skies will be mostly sunny with a high temperature of 69°.

***Last Week's Almanac**

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Monday	91	58	79/55	0.00"
Tuesday	92	61	79/55	0.00"
Wednesday	91	63	79/55	0.00"
Thursday	85	58	79/55	0.00"
Friday	84	56	79/55	0.02"
Saturday	82	57	79/55	0.00"
Sunday	78	59	79/55	0.36"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	6:24 a.m.	8:53 p.m.	11:58 p.m.	12:43 p.m.
Thursday	6:25 a.m.	8:52 p.m.	No Rise	1:53 p.m.
Friday	6:27 a.m.	8:50 p.m.	12:36 a.m.	3:00 p.m.
Saturday	6:28 a.m.	8:49 p.m.	1:17 a.m.	4:03 p.m.
Sunday	6:29 a.m.	8:47 p.m.	2:02 a.m.	5:02 p.m.
Monday	6:30 a.m.	8:46 p.m.	2:52 a.m.	5:54 p.m.
Tuesday	6:31 a.m.	8:44 p.m.	3:45 a.m.	6:41 p.m.

Local UV Index

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 mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today and Thursday, isolated showers and thunderstorms Friday, with the highest temperature of 90° in Baltimore, Md. The Southeast will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies with scattered thunderstorms today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 100° in Columbia, S.C. The Northwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 92° in Ontario, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear skies today through Friday, with the highest temperature of 115° in Palm Springs, Calif.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	7:31 a.m.	9:35 p.m.
Venus	8:04 a.m.	8:56 p.m.
Mars	5:03 a.m.	8:13 p.m.
Jupiter	7:48 a.m.	9:36 p.m.
Saturn	3:34 p.m.	1:15 a.m.
Uranus	11:20 p.m.	12:27 p.m.

Weather History

Aug. 5, 1843 - A spectacular cloudburst near Philadelphia turned the small creeks and streams entering the Delaware River into raging torrents. As much as 16 inches of rain fell in just three hours. Flooding destroyed 32 county bridges and caused 19 deaths.

Weather Trivia

Who coined the term "forecast"?

?

Answer: The Army Signal Corps changed the word "indicator" to "forecast" in 1948.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Perseid Meteors Flying Now!

As we enter August, the moon is waning and will be at last quarter late on Thursday evening. This is great if you are an aficionado of viewing shooting stars, because August touts one of the most reliable annual meteor showers, the Perseids. The US is in the sweet spot this year, with the East Coast especially favored. The highest rates are forecast for 2 a.m. on the morning of Thursday, August 13, but after last quarter moon, most of the meteors seen will be Perseids. Meteor activity picks up after midnight and is usually highest near dawn because the Earth rotates into the dross released by Perseid precursor, Comet Swift-Tuttle, from its numerous passages around the sun. It is similar to the front windshield of a moving vehicle picking up more raindrops than the rear window. When a piece of cometary dust, smaller than a grain of sand, rams the Earth's atmosphere around 70 miles up, a cylinder of air about a half mile wide is made to fluoresce (glow), causing the meteor phenomenon. Brighter meteors may descend to an altitude of 50 miles or lower before they are completely ablated. Perseid meteors will not be hard to spot. These shooting stars are fast, often leaving a trail of glowing atmosphere behind them called a wake or a train which may persist for several seconds. Perseids will look as if they are diverging from a location near the head of the constellation of Perseus the Hero, a phenomenon attributed to perspective. Straight sections of road or railroad tracks will appear to have a vanishing point in the distance, even though the sides of the roadway and tracks are parallel to each other. Likewise, the meteoroids in space are traveling parallel to each other in their individual orbits around the sun, and as they approach an observer, they will appear to diverge or radiate away from a vanishing point. All of these attributes will make it easy to identify Perseids against the background of other meteor activity. More next week... www.astronomy.org

75 Years Ago
August 1, 1940

Sid Townsend honored at public meeting here

Sidney Townsend, local World War Veteran, was paid perhaps the highest honor bestowed upon a soldier in Alcona County, when he was presented with the "Purple Heart Medal" at a public gathering in his honor, at the City Hall on Monday evening.

Sidney enlisted at Alpena in the 125th. Infantry, Company F, on August 1, 1917, and was stationed at Fort Brady, Michigan. He left for overseas on February 10, 1918 and served over there until April 23, 1919. He was engaged in the battle of Alsace Lorraine and Chateau Thierry. It was in the latter battle that he received a gunshot wound in the right thigh, for which he received the medal of the Purple Heart.

The presentation was made by Lieutenant Burket, Commander of Dept. of Pennsylvania, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Members of the Oscoda American Legion, and Camp Skeet were present at the meeting.

Judge of Probate George Freer acted as toastmaster. John Haley, V. V. Hill and Robert Young, of the Alcona County Veterans of Foreign Wars post were in charge of the meeting.

Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **LITERATURE:** Who wrote the 20th-century novel "The Sea Wolf"?
2. **GEOGRAPHY:** The island of Bali is province of what nation?
3. **HISTORY:** Which was the only American colony not represented at the first Continental Congress of 1774?
4. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** Where is the Mount Palomar Observatory?
5. **BIBLE:** What Bible verse begins with the words: "The Lord is my shepherd ..."?
6. **PERSONALITIES:** What is Tiger Woods' real first name?
7. **MEASUREMENTS:** How many square inches are in a square foot?
8. **INVENTIONS:** Who is credited with inventing potato chips?
9. **LANGUAGE:** What kind of animal does the adjective "porcine" refer to?
10. **MEDICINE:** What causes chilblains?

Answers: 1. Jack London; 2. Indonesia; 3. Georgia; 4. California; 5. Psalm 23; 6. Eldrick; 7. 144; 8. George Crum; 9. Pigs; 10. Inflammation from exposure to cold, then sudden warming
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Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On Aug. 18, 1590, John White, the governor of the Roanoke Island colony in present-day North Carolina, returns from a trip to England to find the settlement deserted. No trace of the 100 colonists has ever been found.
 - On Aug. 23, 1784, four counties in North Carolina declare their independence as the state of Franklin. In defiance of Congress, Franklin survived as an independent nation for four years with its own constitution, Indian treaties and legislated system of barter.
 - On Aug. 22, 1950, the United States Lawn Tennis Association accepts Althea Gibson into its annual championship at Forest Hills, New York, making her the first black player to compete in a U.S. national tennis competition.
 - On Aug. 19, 1960, in the Soviet Union, downed U.S. reconnaissance aircraft pilot Francis Gary Powers is sentenced to 10 years imprisonment for espionage. Eighteen months later, the Soviets agreed to exchange him for a KGB spy.
 - On Aug. 17, 1978, the Double Eagle II completes the first trans-Atlantic balloon flight when it lands near Paris, six days after lifting off from Presque Isle, Maine. The helium-filled balloon covered 3,233 miles.
 - On Aug. 20, 1989, Lyle and Erik Menendez shoot their parents to death in family's California home. Although the brothers were not immediately suspected, Erik confessed his involvement to his psychotherapist, who taped the sessions to impress his mistress, who ended up going to the police. Lyle, 22, and Erik, 19, were arrested.
 - On Aug. 21, 1991, just three days after it began, a coup against Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev collapses. The Soviet Union would soon cease to exist as a nation and as a Cold War threat to the United States. Gorbachev resigned as leader of the Soviet Union in December 1991.
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Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was noted 20th-century British dystopian author George Orwell who made the following sage observation: "The nationalist not only does not disapprove of atrocities committed by his own side, he has a remarkable capacity for not even hearing about them."
- If you're like the average 75-year-old American man, you've spent a total of 37.5 days in the act of shaving.
- According to the World Health Organization, the United States ranks 48th in the world in alcohol consumption per capita, with the average adult drinking the equivalent nearly 2.5 gallons of pure, undiluted alcohol per year. You might be surprised to learn that Russia didn't top the list; Moldova and Lithuania beat out the Russians, and Belarus scored the world's biggest drinkers, with the average adult consuming a whopping 4.6 gallons annually.
- Actors Kevin Spacey and Val Kilmer were classmates in high school.
- In a 2014 survey conducted by Nutrisystem, 32 percent of respondents said that they hadn't worn a bathing suit in public in the past five years, 20 percent said it had been 10 or more years, and 5 percent said they had never worn a swimsuit in public.
- In ancient Egypt, there was a ban on the export of cats, which, by the law of supply and demand, increased the value of the pets in the rest of the known world. This situation was an irresistible invitation to smugglers, of course; once Phoenician sailors managed to surreptitiously bring some felines to buyers around the Mediterranean, breeders took over and ruined the business.
- The vast nation of Canada got its name from the Iroquois word "Kanata," which means "village."

Thought for the Day: "A book must be an axe for the frozen sea inside of us." Ⓓ Franz Kafka
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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: J equals T

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Veterans Post By Greddy Groves

Cemetery thief gets slap on the wrist

When you look up "lowlife scum" in the dictionary, the corresponding picture you see next to the definition might well be one Kevin Maynard of Rhode Island.

Maynard worked at the Rhode Island Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Exeter where, over the course of many years, he stole veterans' grave markers, which he took home for backyard projects.

Projects such as the floor under his makeshift garages (think: tarps on poles) and a shed. When finally caught, investigators found over 200 grave markers. Most were inscription-side down in the mud, some under Maynard's

vehicle. (He stole full boxes of flags, too, also dumped in the mud.)

Granted, the grave markers were slated to be replaced because they were worn. Markers such as these are ground into dust -- an honorable ending -- before they are replaced. The National Cemetery Administration website says, "Marble and granite headstones or markers that are permanently removed from a grave must be destroyed, ensuring that the inscription is no longer legible." Destined for dust or not, Maynard had no right to take them. It was theft, among other things.

On learning that he could

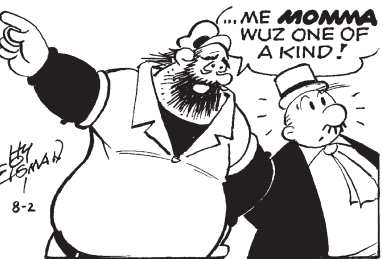
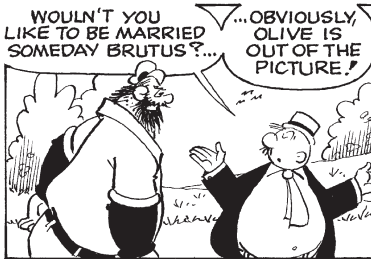
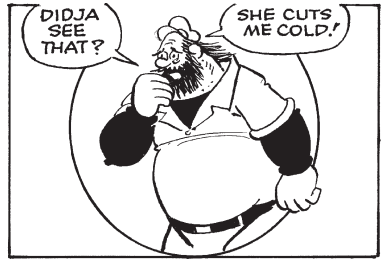
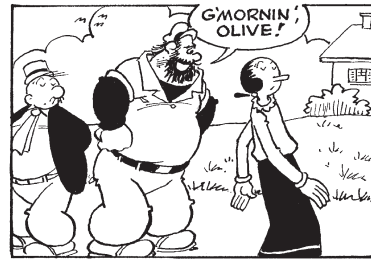
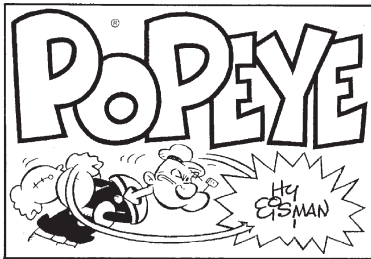
get 10 years in the prison and be fined \$250,000, Maynard agreed to a plea deal in exchange for a more cushy sentence: a year of probation and 500 hours of community service.

What happened, one wonders, to the Let Our Veterans Rest in Peace Act of 2008? It provides sentencing guidelines for any offense involving theft (as well as other desecrations) of any object that marks a veteran's grave. Sentencing is supposed to be "appropriately severe ... so that potential thieves will be deterred."

Where's the deterrent in a slap on the wrist?

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"In that case, open the door to a home built with concrete reinforced walls, instead of wood, and see how you will receive greater safety, comfort, investment value, and energy efficiency," says Todd Blyth at Nudura, a leading name in building technology.

Concrete is a major solution for weather extremes, and for more than a decade now, the building system using ICFs (insulated concrete forms) has proven to deliver the most durable building frame. The ICF principle is simple, Blyth says.

The walls are constructed with pre-assembled, interlocking units (similar to Lego), so they're easily transported to any building site. Each form consists of two panels of thick foam (expanded polystyrene) connected with a patented web system. Guided by the architectural design and beauty aspects you request, the ICFs are stacked, steel reinforced, and filled with concrete until the entire building envelope is complete.

Here's a snapshot of additional building benefits:

Disaster-resilient: ICF walls withstand winds of up to 402 kilometers per hour and give you a fire protection rating as long as four hours.

Energy efficiency: Premium insulation delivers an energy-efficiency rating as high as R-50 due to the thermal mass of the concrete (compared to an average R-20 in wood structures), and that equates to reducing household energy bills by as much as 70 percent. And if optional inserts are added to the ICF forms, this efficiency is improved even more.

Occupant comfort: Outside cold can easily travel through the typical wood-framed wall, causing uneven temperatures inside your home. However, the monolithic ICF wall eliminates drafts and cold spots and it is an effective sound barrier, filtering out unwanted noise.

Green living: Concrete is a sustainable material; trees are not needed; the system uses only recycled polymers and steel; the building process creates less waste than traditional methods; and the occupants use fewer fossil fuels for a much smaller carbon footprint.

Short- and long-term value: A concrete home is built to last and retain its value longer. In the short-term, the superior durability of concrete walls require less maintenance, repair and money to maintain than wood structures. SH152953

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FEATURED PROPERTY OF THE WEEK

New listing Trask Lake Road Harrisville. Two bedroom, one bath. Open concept kitchen-dining-living. Propane wall furnace & wood heat. Sunroom, enclosed porch. Pole Barn, pond, mature beautiful woods, groomed trails, deer blinds with 40 acres **\$124,900**



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