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Volunteer faces felony charges

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

A Harrisville woman has been charged with embezzling from a local nonprofit organization over the course of approximately four years.

Michelle L. Krisan, 47, was arraigned in 81st District court on November 9 on two felony counts – embezzlement over \$1,000 under \$20,000 and computer – using to commit a crime.

According to Michigan State Police Trooper William Brown, his investigation began on July 31 when a report was filed regarding funds missing from the Alcona Athletic Association treasury. Brown explained that according to meeting minutes of the organization dated July 28, 2013 the treasurer at the time “stepped down” and Krisan, who was president of the group, took over the treasurer’s role.

“The definitive point was when there was a change in (treasurers). That’s when there began to be inconsistencies in the account and, what lead to the investigation. It is very clear in reviewing the bank statements that there was a substantial amount that was misappropriated,” Brown said. A total of \$5,243.43 was used as “personal in nature.”

Following his investigation, Brown filed his report with the prosecutor on October 11 and on October 18 an arrest warrant was authorized. Krisan paid a \$1,500 cash bond “to avoid being taken to jail” and was ordered to appear in court for arraignment on Thursday, Nov. 9.

Brown explained that the Alcona Athletic Organization disbanded approximately one year ago, and the bank account has been frozen.

Krisan is scheduled to appear in court on Wednesday, Nov. 22 at 10 a.m. for a probable cause hearing and on Wednesday, Nov. 29 at 11 a.m. for a preliminary examination.

Quilts show love, appreciation for veterans

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Hobbyists and artisans often donate works of art to charity. They spend long hours creating their masterpieces, but many artists time pales in comparison to the long days, weeks and even months quilters, tediously working stitch by stitch with needle and thread, donate when working on a quilt to be awarded to a veteran for their service.

These quilts are called Quilts of Valor, and are provided by a foundation started in 2003 by a veteran’s mom, Catherine Roberts, who decided to make her son a patriotic quilt to honor his long deployment to Iraq.

The initial inspiration was to give a lifetime award, stitched with love, prayers and healing thoughts to wounded American veterans. Since then, Quilts of Valor (QOV), has expanded to allow any service person, wounded or not, whether their time of service was sitting at a desk or in the trenches of war, the ability to receive a quilt.

“Any person who is affected by war can receive a QOV. Over 170,000 Quilt of Valor quilts have been awarded nationally since its inception,” said Dianna Rigato the QOV coordinator for the Quirky Quilters Guild of Oscoda.

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Clairellen McLaughlin (left) and Dianna Rigato show a few of the 150 Quilt of Valor quilts the Quirky Quilters have made and awarded to veterans to thank them for their service. Photo by Mary Weber.

Helping area youth in need stay warm

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Local children in need of winter coats, boots, or other necessary clothing items will be helped again this year thanks to a community organization.

For three years the Alcona Masonic Lodge No. 292 has been annually collecting coats and other clothing items and donations for kids

in Alcona County. All items are distributed through Alcona Community Schools.

John Guynn, chairperson for the project, said the lodge members saw other communities collecting coats for kids and thought it was a good idea and took on the project.

“The first year (in 2015) we collected \$1,000 dollars to donate to the school and 200 items of clothing. The second

year we collected \$1,500 and over 200 items. This year we have about \$2,100 in monetary funds and 175 items to donate,” he said.

Guynn explained during the fundraising process, which is held annually between September and November, fundraised monies are matched dollar for dollar by the Michigan Masonic Charitable Foundation (MMCF). MMCF annually matches up to \$1,500 per year for the different causes the lodge works on.

The monies donated to the coat fund are requested for use by the school success liaison on an as-needed basis. Liaisons may see a child in need of shoes, socks, a coat or other items and if that item is not available out of the clothing items collected, funds are allocated for the item to be purchased. This year the group agreed monetary funds could be utilized for personal hygiene items in addition to necessary clothing purchased.

“We may have about 12 pairs of shoes donated, but if we don’t have the size available the child needs, the school liaison can purchase the right size and get reimbursed through our funding. The success coordinators have a good reputation for

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Members from the Alcona Masonic Lodge No. 292 present coats for kids to Alcona Community Schools. It’s the third year the lodge has given coats and other apparel along with monetary donations for the purchase of items a school child may need. (Front row, from left) Alcona Elementary School success liaison, Mael Fritz with Alcona Masonic Lodge members Chuck Stern and Norm Buckler, (back row) Mark Lewis, John Guynn, Charles Synder, Larry Fink, Mike Sutor, and Tim Lee, Alcona Elementary School principal. Photo by Mary Weber.



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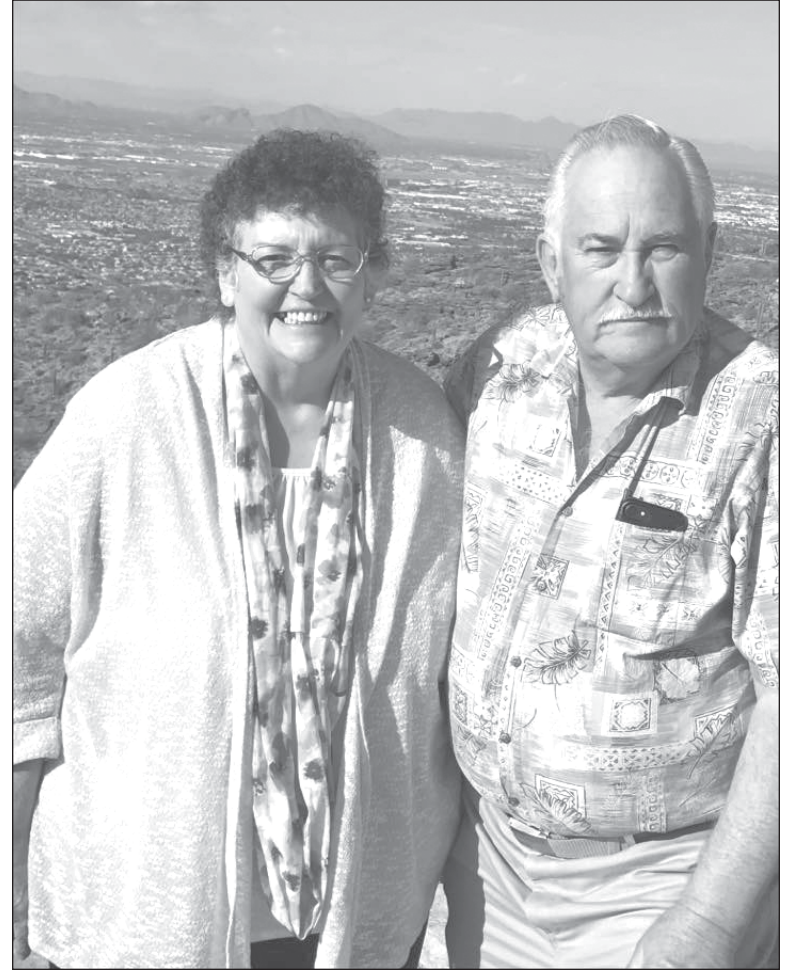
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Thorntons celebrate 50th Anniversary

Allen and Laurel "Esther" (Putman) Thornton of Glennie have enjoyed the blessings of 50 years of marriage. Their journey started on November 18, 1967 at First United Methodist Church in Vassar, Mich.

They have four daughters, Laurie D'Annunzio, Bridget (Earl Lee) Allen, Leah Gorman-Thornton, and Alison (Mark) Beckius, nine grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

The couple has been active members of Lott Baptist Church of Glennie for more than 30 years and consider the congregation their second family. Their home has been the gathering place for family, extended family, and friends during their 50 year marriage. All that visit enjoy the food and fellowship that are always so joyfully given.



Laurel "Esther" and Allen Thornton

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buying economically so the money is well spent and its approved by the lodge before they are reimbursed," Guynn said. He explained any funds leftover at the end of the school year get transferred to the lodge's coat fund for the next school year.

The gently used and new clothing donations typically range in size from small child to adult with mostly adult sizes available. Guynn said all donated items are put out on a table during parent teacher conferences and are free for the taking by anyone at the school in need.

"People are very generous

in this community. Some will go through their closets and donate, others go to second hand or thrift stores, or shop sales and purchase items. Many items come in with price tags still on them," Guynn said.

"The need is here. If you talk to the principal, teachers or the success liaisons you will hear about kids coming to school with wet feet because their shoes or boots have holes in them or their feet are ice cold because they don't have socks. Sometimes they come in with coats two sizes too small because that's all they have. Sometimes

their socks get wet and they just need something to get them through their school day," Guynn said.

The Alcona Masonic Lodge is still accepting donations for coats and other necessary items as well as monetary donations, but the monetary donations will not be matched by MMCF until fundraising begins again next September 2018.

For more information on where to make a donation or when and where to drop off clothing items, contact Guynn at (989) 736-6545 or email him at johnrguynn@gmail.com.

Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2017

Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
Nov. 5	50	40	0.07	4.0	16	SW
Nov. 6	41	29	0.00	1.4	18	N
Nov. 7	43	26	0.00	1.3	14	N
Nov. 8	44	23	0.00	2.4	16	W
Nov. 9	39	18	0.02	4.1	29	W
Nov. 10	24	13	0.00	3.0	19	NNE
Nov. 11	33	15	0.00	5.0	31	NNE

Precipitation Summary (Inches) for 2017-2018 Season			
	Water Content	Snow Fall	Normal Water Content
Weekly Total	0.09	0.30	0.49
November to Date	0.26	0.09	0.28
Year/Season to Date	32.09	24.68	24.77

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, NOVEMBER 15

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 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

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

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General Motors Sunrise Side Salaried Retirees of Northeast Michigan will hold their regular monthly luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m. at the Ramada Inn, 1000 US-23 North in Alpena. Guest speaker will be Brad Mousseau from the Alpena Resource Recovery Program. Reservations and payment in advance. Contact Chuck Griffin at (989) 727-3350 or David Dionne at (989) 736-6473 for details.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Join fellow comrades at the veteran's coffee hour from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville. All veterans are welcome.

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. First meeting is free, handicap accessible. For more information, call (989) 464-3526.

"Free Range Crafts" 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 your crafts in progress, ideas and questions to share with others. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Alcona retirees will meet for a potluck lunch at noon at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. Bring a dish to pass. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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.

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 (six miles west of Harrisville). Free refreshments will be served. Call Stan Darmofal at (989) 724-5550 or visit www.alconaradio.org for details.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

The Great Start Playgroup will meet from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. This program is for children six months to four years of age. Families participate with their children in storytime, crafts, music and movement, and social, play and math activities. Snacks provided. For more information, call Angie Bruning at (989) 354-3101 extension 124.

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions program, will meet at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2480 South State Street. For more information, contact Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

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

Classic movie night at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 5:45 p.m. Free popcorn. Co-sponsored by Inspiration Alcona.

Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Trinity Lutheran Church, 5625 North US-23, Oscoda, will hold their annual bazaar from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. A luncheon will be served from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Spruce Lutheran Church Holiday Bazaar will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Homemade soup and dessert lunch, cookie walk, baked goods, crafts, handmade items and much more. The church is located at 1246 East Spruce Road, three miles west of F-41 in Spruce.

A Holiday Bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Spruce Presbyterian Church, 6230 Gillard Road in Spruce. There will be a tin can raffle, 16 themed baskets, a bake sale featuring home canned goodies decorated for gift-giving, evergreen balls and much more.

A deer widows shopping event will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Tri-Point Church of God located at 500 South Brook Street in Alpena. There will be crafters and vendors. Something for everyone.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

A community Thanksgiving service will be held at 6:30 p.m. at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church located at the corner of US-23 and Medor Road north of Harrisville. All are welcome.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

White Pine Quilt Guild will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville. Join them for fellowship, inspiration and quilting ideas. For more information, call Joanne at (989) 255-7880.

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. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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The Caledonia Township Planning Commission will hold a **Public Hearing** during its regularly scheduled meeting on **December 7, 2017, at 7:00 p.m.**, Caledonia Township Hall, Gillard Road, Spruce, MI regarding the revision of the Planning Commission Ordinance #09-02 to reduce the number of Planning Commission members from seven (7) to five (5). The revision will also be updated to make it easier to locate specific sections in the Ordinance. A copy of the full text can be obtained from the Caledonia Township Clerk, Kerry Scott, at (989) 471-5377 or via email at kerryscott@caledoniatwp.net. The public is welcome and invited to attend. Call the Chair, Kathleen E. Vichunas, at 727-2300, if more information is needed or send written comments to 6024 Cedar Drive, Hubbard Lake, MI 49747. The Caledonia Township Hall is handicap accessible. If additional accommodations are required, please contact the Chair at least two days prior to the Public Hearing.



CLASSIC MOVIE NIGHT

5:45 p.m. Friday, November 17, 2017
Alcona County Library, Harrisville

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Local Notes



Correction

The residence that was damaged by a fire on Sunday, Nov. 5 was owned by the Sanders family of Lincoln.

The Review apologizes for the incorrect name being published and any misunderstandings and inconveniences that may have resulted.

Classic Movie

Everyone is invited to this 1939 classic movie satire on Friday, Nov. 17 at 5:45 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. A no-nonsense diplomat of the Soviet Union, Nina (Greta Garbo) arrives in Paris to ensure the sale of jewels seized during the Russian Revolution, meeting up with carefree bachelor Count d'Algout (Melvyn Douglas) who attempts to intercept the valuables. This program is cosponsored by Inspiration Alcona and the Alcona

County Library. Free popcorn and beverages will be available. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served at 4:30 p.m. 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 7:30 a.m. Monday through Friday.

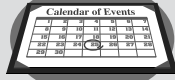
- Monday, Nov. 20—Pork roast, red bliss potato, cooked baby carrots, and applesauce.
- Tuesday, Nov. 21—Bourbon chicken breast, rice pilaf, peas, tossed salad, mixed fruit, and a dinner roll.
- Wednesday, Nov. 22—Beef tips in gravy over brown rice, mixed vegetables, pickled beets, and pineapple.
- Thursday, Nov. 23 and Friday, Nov. 24—All centers closed for the holiday.

Christmas in the Village

The annual event, Christmas in the Village will be held on Saturday, Dec. 2 throughout downtown Harrisville. The Alcona County Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the day's events - Children's activities and a visit from Santa at the library, hay rides through Harrisville and the bazaar at Maria Hall. Other events like craft bazaars and a cookie walk are also held during Christmas in the Village.

Harrisville businesses are also invited to get involved by offering in-store drawings, gift wrapping, refreshments, anything else they would like to do. They may also provide a door prize for the chamber drawing at Maria Hall that afternoon. Any business interested in participating is asked to let the chamber know so it can add it to publicity for the event. Call the chamber office at (989) 724-5107 before November 30.

Calendar of Events



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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Knitting Klub and Crochet will meet from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. All levels welcome. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

The Alcona Book Club will meet from noon to 1 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. The selection for November is "The Last Farmer: an American Memoir" by Howard Kohn. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Sunrise Community Food Pantry will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church, 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Clients are asked to come only one time per month and must be present to receive food. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county of residence. Identification is required. For more information, call (989) 727-3606.

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 4 p.m. in the upstairs hall at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. All levels of woodcarvers including beginners are welcome.

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). Call (989) 335-3541 for details.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23

A free Thanksgiving Dinner with turkey and all the trimmings will be served at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 Second Street in Harrisville. Come and eat anytime between 2 and 4:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. To reserve a place, call (989) 724-6834 or (989) 724-7165. If no answer, leave a message.

Thanksgiving dinner from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Mikado American Legion, 2205 Alger Street. Everyone welcome. Call (989) 736-9526 for details.

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. First meeting is free, handicap accessible. For more information, call (989) 464-3526.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions program, will meet at 7 p.m. at the Greenbush Community Baptist Church, 2480 South State Street. For more information, contact Wayne Whitten at (989) 335-0172.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25

My Brother's Hope will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 76 North Barlow Road (across from the high school). Call (989) 335-3541 for details.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Republicans will meet at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall. Open to the public.

Money Sense for teens and young adults presented by Mike Cocoran from Northland Credit Union from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Chosen Ranch Community Center, 483 East

Traverse Bay Road in Lincoln. Learn money basics, how to balance a checkbook, create a budget and understand the benefits of having a savings account. For more information, call (989) 335-4673.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

The Sunrise Gardening Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Guests welcome to attend. Call Becky Bean at (989) 724-6569 for details.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

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If you have experience as a teacher or medical person and would like to see Africa and make a difference, you are invited to attend an informative presentation by Rev. Jan. L. Belderstadt. She has volunteered at the South Ruwenzori School of Nursing and Midwifery in Kasese, Uganda and will share a wealth of knowledge. This event will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. at the IRESA building located at 27 North Rempert Road in Tawas City. It is free and open to public. To register, call (989) 362-3006 extension 168 or e-mail ssll@sunrisesidell.com.

CEO of Alcona Health Centers set to retire

During her tenure, Christine Baumgardner, CEO of Alcona Health Centers, directed the expansion of Alcona Health Centers from one medical and dental clinic site in Lincoln with two providers, to 12 clinic sites and 20 school behavioral health sites in eight counties of northern Michigan and the Upper Peninsula.

Alcona Health Centers (AHC) has 320 employees, 76 of whom are medical, dental, pharmacy and behavioral health providers.

"AHC has thrived under Chris' leadership," said Carolyn Brummund, chairman, AHC Board of Directors. "She and her team have built an organization that is a health care leader within the region, with a strong patient focus, sound business practices and clear emphasis on serving communities in the region. She leaves our organization well-positioned for the future, and we thank her for her many years of outstanding service."

"During my career, I have had the good fortune to work with outstanding staff and board members. Delivering health care to a rural population requires solid team work, and AHC can be proud of the continuous, stable leadership team it has had over the years," Baumgardner said. "I also had the honor of watching AHC develop into one of the region's leading health care organizations. I am truly grateful for a very rewarding career."



Christine Baumgardner

"Today, the organization is positioned to continue to meet the needs of our patients well into the future. The AHC board has selected our long term COO, Nancy Spencer, to fill the role of CEO January 1, 2018. They could not have made a better choice. Nancy has the education, experience, and, most importantly, the passion for AHC that this position requires. Nancy's selection makes it much easier for me to transition from this leadership role. I know that under Nancy's leadership the mission and vision of AHC will continue to be upheld," Baumgardner said.

Following her retirement, Baumgardner will continue working on some state and national initiatives in which she is currently involved. Those activities include retaining a board seat as a

founding member of the National Rural Accountable Care Consortium and the Greater Michigan Accountable Care Organization, entities approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for participation in the Medicare Shared Savings program.

She will also continue to serve the Northern Michigan State Innovation Model as a steering committee member as well as serve on the board of the Northern Health Plan. At the state level, Baumgardner will chair the Alternative Payment Reform initiative with the Michigan Primary Care Association and the State of Michigan Medicaid office.

When not engaged in the above activities, Baumgardner and her husband, Roger, have planned travel, visiting grandchildren and touring the U.S. and abroad. Both intend to stay active in their church and various community organizations.

Natives of Chicago, Ill., the Baumgardners moved to Michigan in 1970. Baumgardner has a Master of Arts degree from Southern Illinois University, and, prior to accepting her position at AHC in 1985, served for seven years as director of a nine-county Area Agency on Aging and taught English at Alpena Community College for three years. After a five year hiatus when she chose to stay home with her three young children, she accepted the position with AHC.

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The Three Sisters

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Nick Somers, (far left) and Jacob Sytek (far right) stand with Alcona Middle School boys basketball team members (from left) Johnathan Hebert, Ashton Tracy, and Gavin Walker who are wearing the new basketball uniforms that Somers, Sytek and their friend, Nick Rasmussen (not in photo) raised funds for as part of their Make a Difference program last school year. *Courtesy Photo.*

Student fundraising effort helps secure new uniforms

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

Three Alcona High School freshmen witnessed a well-achieved goal when the Alcona Middle School's boys basketball team opened their season in new game uniforms last Monday.

Jacob Sytek, Nick Rasmussen and Nick Somers began a "Make a Difference (MAD)" campaign last spring when they were in the eighth grade to raise money for the new uniforms, even though their basketball season in middle school had long been over and they would never benefit from their efforts.

When presenting their program to the public about what they wanted to achieve and why, they described the old uniforms as "disgusting" and the shirt numbers were cracking and peeling. "Other

schools have nice uniforms and we believe we should have those too," Somers said.

Coach Ryan Bilby said the boys earned about \$500 selling cookie dough. Sytek wasn't satisfied with ending the fundraising there. So, on his own he decorated a trailer with Alcona basketball signs and took it to Alcona Park in Glennie this summer for a bottle drive raising another \$350.

Still a long way to the total goal of \$2,000 for the uniforms, Bilby said he couldn't let their dream fail and ordered the new uniforms. "We will still do a little more fundraising but with three kids raising almost half, we'll take it. When I showed them the new uniforms, their eyes lit up. They were pretty excited to see the fruits of their labor come to reality," Bilby said.

Bilby, who graduated from Alcona Community Schools in 1994, said the previous uniforms were so old they were probably the same ones used when he was in the eighth grade.

He was proud of the boy's efforts saying it showed a great deal of maturity. "This is the kind of thing I like to see. I like to see kids get a pat on the back. There are so many bad stories you hear about kids getting into trouble and struggling families. When you see kids doing something like this for someone other than themselves, you want to make sure that gets recognized," Bilby said.

Sytek, Rasmussen and Somers received certificates of appreciation for the school for their efforts.

Bilby said the boys teams was doing well, "Both the seventh and eighth grade teams have progressed quickly. Every day they work very hard to improve their fundamentals and are looking forward to a successful season this year. The students love their new Nike uniforms, they have worn them proudly each game."

The next two middle school games will be held at home on Thursday, Nov. 16 against Tawas Area Schools and Monday, Nov. 20 against Rogers City Schools. Both games start at 6 p.m.

For more information on Alcona Community Schools' athletic schedule visit its website at alconacomcommunity-schools.org.

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If your sister is interested in getting a service dog, contact some assistance dog training programs. To find



Savvy Senior

them, Assistance Dogs International provides a listing of around 65 U.S. programs on their website that you can access at AssistanceDogs-International.org.

After you locate a few, you'll need to either visit their website or call them to find out the types of training dogs they offer, the areas they serve, if they have a waiting list, and what upfront costs will be involved. Some groups offer dogs for free, some ask for donations and some charge thousands of dollars.

To get an assistance dog, your sister will need to show proof of her disability, which her physician can provide,

and she'll have to complete an application and go through an interview process. She will also need to go and stay at the training facility for a week or two so she can get familiar with her dog and get training on how to handle it.

It's also important to understand that assistance dogs are not for everybody. They require time, money, and care that your sister or some other friend or family member must be able and willing to provide.

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Slow start dooms Alcona in regional game

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

With temperatures dropping well below freezing last Friday night, the Alcona varsity football team came out cold. Host Saginaw Nouvel came out red hot in the division eight regional championship contest however, as it staked itself to an early 28-0 lead, forcing the Tigers to play catchup the rest of the night.

Despite better play as the night went on, Nouvel ended Alcona's season, 54-34.

"Every year only eight teams get to end with a win. However these young men played with a lot of heart and passion," Alcona head coach

Jason Somers said. "I was very proud of their effort. Nouvel was a very good team with many athletes that could play."

The game, unfortunately for the Tigers, spiraled in the wrong direction early on.

The Alcona offense couldn't gain its usual yardage on the ground and gave up scores on the Panthers and their quick-strike spread offense on their first three possessions, falling behind 21-0 after the first quarter.

Early in the second quarter, a miscue on an Alcona punt attempt allowed Nouvel to take over on the Tiger five yard line. Nouvel punched it

into the endzone one play later, making it 28-0 with 11:04 to play in the half.

From there Alcona largely played with the Panthers, and one could argue the Tigers outplayed them, as it outscored Nouvel 34-26 the rest of the way. Unfortunately, the damage had been done however.

"Getting behind early really tested the team's ability to fight through adversity, but we were able to play with them after that first quarter and did not give in to the temptation of giving up," Somers said. "I think that effort shows who they really are."

The Tigers began their next possession on their own 33-yard line and used a big run by Alex Stephenson on a quarterback keeper to the Panther 33 to set up their first score of the night, on a three yard run by Stephenson.

After another Nouvel score, Alcona answered with a 42-yard touchdown run by Jack Hutchinson, pulling within 34-14.

Alcona stopped Nouvel on fourth down on its next drive and nearly found the endzone again, as a big run by Tim Hutchinson brought the Tigers deep into Nouvel territory, but a fourth down attempt inside the Panther's 20-yard line came up short, leaving the score 34-14 at the half.

The Tigers recovered Devon Mill's onside kick attempt to start the second half and quickly found the end zone again, pulling to within 34-20 after a Stephenson three-yard score.

Nouvel regained control of the game with a pair of scores on its next two possessions, pulling ahead 48-20.

Alcona did add another short Stephenson touchdown run at 48-26 and Stephenson also broke free for a 40-yard score in the game's final minute, bringing the final to 54-34.

"I thought our senior leadership showed up big in this game," Somers said. "I was pleased with the messages of encouragement I was hearing from within the team."

Leading the way in the loss was Jack Hutchinson with 186 yards on 24 carries. Tim Hutchinson had 130 yards on 20 carries and Stephenson finished with 96 yards on 14 attempts.

On defense, Mills led the way with 12 tackles. Mason Clark took down seven and Cody Schram had six.

"This is a group of very dedicated young men who represented themselves, their school, their community and their team with great class," Somers said. "Not only did this group get it done on the field, but they were very active in the community, proving that not only did they care about the game of football, but they also held their community in high regard. That is what I will remember most about this group. Next year we will have a younger group of players, however they all have had the experience of playing playoff football and we will prepare to make this run again."



Alcona quarterback Alex Stephenson gets off a contested pass during Friday's loss to Nouvel in the regional championship. Photo by Ben Murphy.

Alcona volleyball season ends in regional

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity volleyball team could not quite get going in its Class 'C' regional game with Elk Rapids on Tuesday, Oct. 6. The Lady Tigers, battling the Lady Elks at Houghton Lake, came up short in three sets, ending their season with scores of 25-9, 25-13 and 25-18.

"Elk Rapids was excellent at covering the court and had an explosive and very consistent offense," head coach Kristi Miller said. "We struggled to find any gaps in their defense, which led to a few good volleys, but it was challenge to keep up with their hitters."

Leading the way for the Lady Tigers was Taylor Livingston with six kills and eight digs. Hailee Gordy had six blocks.

"We kept fighting until the

final point. The girls should be proud of their efforts and accomplishments throughout this season," Miller said. "Our seniors stepped up in many ways to display solid leadership. They definitely finished their career with much success to celebrate. I am forever grateful for what they contributed to our Alcona volleyball family and am hopeful many of our younger athletes learned from their efforts."

Miller is hoping the Lady Tigers can make a similar showing next fall.

"Next season, we will have six returning players and I am anxious to get things started up again," she said. "After experiencing regional play, I am hopeful the girls are fired up to work hard to get there, knowing what it will take to compete at that level."

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The Quirky Quilters heard about the program through one of its 70 members, Clairellen McLaughlin of Harrisville, who approached her group about it in 2008. "I had heard about this mom and found out other moms and people felt the same way," Clairellen said.

"These are not charity quilts. They are an award to thank veterans for their service. I had a son in the Navy at that time and felt related to the story, so I brought it to the (Quirky Quilter's) guild to see what they thought," she said.

When Clairellen approached the group, the Quirky Quilters requested that each member, in addition to the \$20 annual dues they paid, also commit to making at least one baby quilt annually to donate to a baby pantry, hospital neonatal intensive care unit or other deserving pregnancy/infant charity.

Since Clairellen's presentation to the group, the charitable requirement expanded to include at least one quilt to give for a charitable purpose, such as the baby quilt, a lap quilt for a cancer patient or a QOV quilt to be awarded to a veteran.

What surprised Clairellen is there seemed to be more QOV quilts being made by the group than any other type of quilt. She was thrilled, especially since QOVs are larger than baby and lap quilts, taking a lot more material, which many quilters donate themselves, and take longer to make.

"The (Quirky Quilters) guild was very receptive. We now have an annual session in January just for members to sew on their QOV project. You can't make a quilt in a day, but it's a nice time just to sew and talk about our projects. We encourage each other," Clairellen said.

She explained several members make more than one QOV a year and thought the interest by the group was because most of the members had already made quilts for everyone in their family.

The Quirky Quilters have made 150 QOV quilts with many of them awarded to veterans locally or in Michigan. A few have gone out of state and about 10 quilts were sent to a military hospital in Germany for wounded American soldiers.

Quite often quilts are awarded at ceremonies in which the veteran has no

knowledge about since it is typically planned by family or a friend of the veteran. "We often surprise the veteran because so many of them feel there are many more deserving veterans out there other than themselves. I've awarded quilts to veterans

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~ Dianna Rigato, QOV Coordinator
Quirky Quilters Guild

with no arms or legs and they still feel they don't deserve it, saying so many others gave their all for their country," Dianna said.

She has not made it through an award ceremony yet without tearing up. "I'm tearing up right now just thinking about it. They always say 'thank you,' 'thank you,' 'thank you,' and I tell them it is an honor that I'm doing. I can't explain it. It just fills my heart that I can pay them back for what they did to allow us to live where we do," Dianna said.

Veteran quilt recipients are often told by family they are going to a party or friends are coming over for a get-together to keep the recipient unaware

of the surprise. Quite often Dianna enters the room nonchalantly acting like any other guest or a friend of the family. She locates the veteran and begins a small dialog with them about their service.

"I tell them I'm thankful for their service, that they left

show them the label on the quilt containing the name of the quilter(s) who worked on it.

According to Dianna, sometimes the quilters will add a note of thanks to the veteran, a poem or a small journal of what their life or thoughts were when they made the quilt, giving the recipient a more personal bond with the quilt creator.

Occasionally, opportunities to present a quilt come without much notice as Clairellen and Dianna recalled a ladies group informational luncheon meeting which they were invited to speak at about the QOV program at a local restaurant.

They brought a few of the quilts to display and while they were being served lunch they found out their waitress was a veteran. While the waitress was busy in the kitchen they decided to surprise her with one of the quilts.

QOV's are typically 60 x 80 inches in dimension, making them a little bigger than a twin blanket. Each quilt must be made of high quality, new fabric and stitched carefully to hold up for many washings.

Most of the Quirky Quilters

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are called quilt "toppers." Toppers are individuals who choose the pattern, or creates one of their own, and decides on the materials for the overall look of the quilt. Most QOVs are patriotic looking with a red, white and blue color pallet and can contain stripes, stars, eagles or other symbols.

Like a mosaic, each individual piece of material is meticulously coordinated and sewn together by the topper to give the quilt its color, depth, warmth and an overall feeling the creator wants to portray to the veteran. Once the top piece is complete it is shipped, with matching fabric for the bottom piece, to a long-arm quilter who volunteers to add the batting, at their expense, and quilts it on a special long-arm machine. The finished

product is then shipped back to the topper to be awarded.

It takes the quilters several days, to weeks or even months to complete a quilt depending on how difficult the pattern is and the skill level of the quilter. Currently, the Quirky Quilters have about 16 quilts on hand to give and approximately 15 or more requests for QOV quilts.

"A Quilt of Valor is the highest civilian award that a soldier or service person can get, it is equivalent to a civilian purple heart. It is an honor we can do this for a veteran's service, sacrifice and valor," Dianna said.

All material costs, which can be anywhere from \$80 to \$250 per quilt, are usually donated by the quilter, although some monetary donation do come in which are mostly used for shipping fees.

QOV quilts are awarded to veterans free of charge. Veterans, family and friends of the veterans are never asked for a donation.

The Quirky Quilters meet on the third Tuesday every month at 6 p.m. in Oscoda at the United Methodist Church on River Road. The group also makes mammogram heart-shaped pillows for breast biopsy patients. Every other year they hold a large exhibit of their finished quilt products, their next show will be in September 2018.

Monetary donations for QOV materials are accepted and appreciated and can be directed to the QOV quilt guild of the donor's choice. For more information, visit the website QOVF.org, or email Dianna Rigato at jtrigato@att.net or call her at (989) 724-5416.

Americanisms



"A man who is good enough to shed his blood for his country, is good enough to be given a square deal afterwards."

—President Teddy Roosevelt

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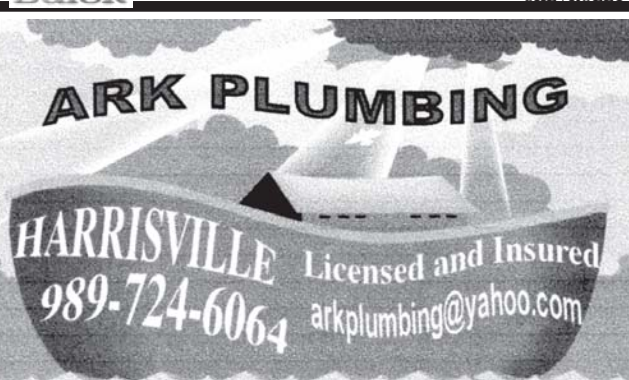
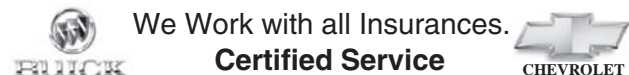
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Cook Ins. property changes hands

November 16, 1967 ~ A business transaction took place last week whereby a Detroit couple became the owners of the former Thomas B. Cook Insurance office on Lake Street in Harrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge of Detroit have purchased the building from Mrs. Ruby Cook Crawford. They plan to remodel the building for temporary living quarters and later a business establishment.

The building was erected in 1913 by the late Thos. B. Cook. He operated an insurance agency there until his death on December 21, 1934. His son-in-law continued the business until January,

1948, when he also passed away. The Otis Goodwin Agency was located there prior to Mr. Goodwin moving to his present location on State Street, and for a period of time the building was rented by Len Holmes, of Holmes Heating.

Receives trophy in area contest

November 16, 1967 ~ Miss Judith Potter, daughter of (Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Potter of Harrisville, a senior at Alcona High School, received (the Scholastic Achievement Trophy at Alpena's first Junior Miss pageant Saturday

night, following two days of competition with thirty-three other high school senior girls from Alcona, Atlanta, Hillman, Posen and Alpena.

The girls were interviewed privately by a panel of judges, they modeled casual fashions and formals, appeared in a physical fitness drill, presented individual talent numbers, and were judged on youth fitness.

Miss Donna Yedinak of Alpena received the Junior Miss crown. Pat Bray of Alpena was first runner-up and Shellie Lee Thompson of Alpena, second runner-up. Korliss Noyes, Carol Bates, Sharon Gillies, Elaine Holmes, Diane Jacobs and Kay Leonard were other Alcona High School seniors participating. Korliss, Carol and Kay were among the ten finalists.

Good crowd at Greenbush party

November 16, 1967 ~ Greenbush - The Greenbush Township Hall was alive with activity Saturday night when more than fifty folks gathered at a potluck supper to honor Mr. Henry Prince, Greenbush Township Supervisor since 1955.

The tables with their gay Thanksgiving decorations gave a festive air to the affair.

After all had eaten way too much, Mr. Edgar Havorcroft, The Master of Ceremonies spoke briefly on Supervisions and Mr. Prince's retirement and all here in the township wish him well and sorry

to have him leave. Mr. and Mrs. Prince plan to take a short trip - somewhere - sometime.

Mr. Lynn Procnier, the Fire Chief was introduced and presented Mr. Prince with a beautiful piece of luggage.

Mrs. Ruth Dobbs, the township treasurer spoke and told what a pleasure it had been to work with Mr. Prince.

Mrs. Ruth Parschon, the new Clerk also spoke and thanked all those who had worked and helped her make the evening a success.

Mrs. Fred Wilcox, who helped in the kitchen, Mrs. Lynn Procnier and Mrs. Oscar Martin who decorated the tables and helped serve, Leonard and Greg Aten, Mike Procnier and David Martin who helped pour coffee.

The new supervisor and his lovely wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson were introduced and he spoke very briefly. "We love Greenbush and feel like we are at home."

Mrs. Prince was also introduced and stood and said only a "Thank you" to the group.

Mr. Ron Gamble showed a movie, "This is Michigan," winter scenes, very beautiful pictures. This ended the evening in honor of Mr. Henry Prince and everyone present wished him the best in health and happiness.

Kramers render emergency service

November 16, 1967 ~ Continuing their 20 years courtesy service to hunters and tourists, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Kramer, of the north end of Hubbard Lake, are again offering 24 hour free emergency service to all hunters in the area - including the hunting camps. Registration for such services may be made with them.

They have and will continue to work in close cooperation with the Michigan State Police, Michigan Department of Conservation, and local authorities.

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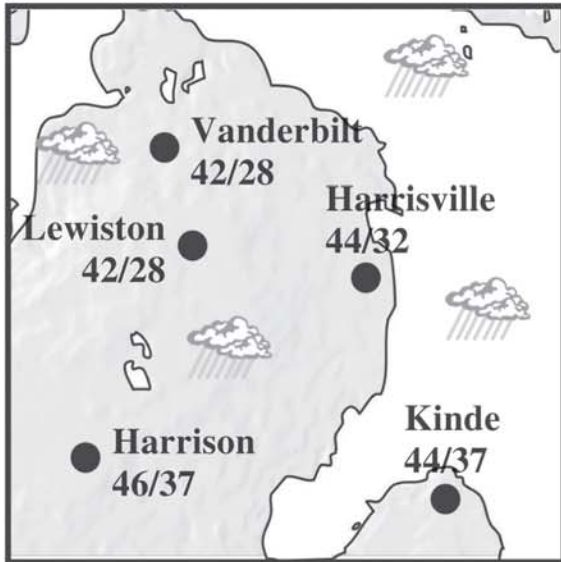
Alcona Review Weather Report

Nov. 15, 2017

Seven Day Forecast

	WEDNESDAY Showers Likely High: 44 Low: 32
	THURSDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 36 Low: 24
	FRIDAY Showers Likely High: 39 Low: 31
	SATURDAY Showers Likely High: 42 Low: 26
	SUNDAY Few Snow Showers High: 32 Low: 24
	MONDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 37 Low: 29
	TUESDAY Partly Cloudy High: 35 Low: 27

Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see cloudy skies with a 95% chance of showers, high temperature of 44°, humidity of 84%. South southwest wind 14 to 18 mph. The record high temperature for today is 65° set in 2001. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with a 95% chance of showers, overnight low of 32°. West wind 11 to 17 mph.

*Last Week's Almanac

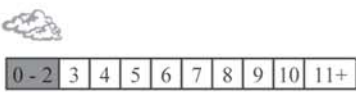
Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Tuesday	42	22	47/31	0.00"
Wednesday	45	19	46/30	0.00"
Thursday	38	18	46/30	0.04"
Friday	25	9R	46/30	0.05"
Saturday	32	9	45/30	0.01"
Sunday	36	29	45/29	Trace
Monday	39	33	44/29	0.00"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	Phase
New 11/18	Wednesday 7:32 a.m.	5:04 p.m.	4:21 a.m.	4:08 p.m.	Full 12/3
	Thursday 7:33 a.m.	5:03 p.m.	5:24 a.m.	4:36 p.m.	
	Friday 7:35 a.m.	5:02 p.m.	6:26 a.m.	5:05 p.m.	
	Saturday 7:36 a.m.	5:02 p.m.	7:26 a.m.	5:38 p.m.	
First 11/26	Sunday 7:37 a.m.	5:01 p.m.	8:25 a.m.	6:14 p.m.	Last 12/10
	Monday 7:39 a.m.	5:00 p.m.	9:21 a.m.	6:54 p.m.	
	Tuesday 7:40 a.m.	4:59 p.m.	10:13 a.m.	7:39 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 cloudy skies Wednesday and Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, partly cloudy skies Thursday, highest temperature of 58 in Belleville, Ill. The Southeast will experience mostly clear to partly cloudy skies through Friday with isolated showers, highest temperature of 81 in Kendall, Fla. In the Northwest there will be mostly cloudy skies through Thursday with scattered showers, partly cloudy skies Friday, highest temperature of 54 in Boise, Idaho. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies through Friday with isolated showers Wednesday, highest temperature of 85 in Tucson, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	9:27 a.m.	5:56 p.m.
Venus	6:18 a.m.	4:33 p.m.
Mars	4:07 a.m.	3:33 p.m.
Jupiter	6:07 a.m.	4:25 p.m.
Saturn	10:09 a.m.	7:02 p.m.
Uranus	3:47 p.m.	7:00 p.m.

Weather History

Nov. 15, 1987 - Thunderstorms spawned 22 tornadoes in eastern Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma. A tornado moving out of northeastern Texas killed one person and injured 96 others around Shreveport, La. This tornado also caused more than five million dollars in damage.

Weather Trivia

How far did the radioactive cloud from Chernobyl travel?
Answer: A cloud of radioactive debris circled the Earth several times.
 www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - Leonid Meteors Fly this Week

November traditionally represents the transition period from tolerable warmth to the chill of winter. By the time of Thanksgiving, accumulating snows can already be in the forecast. Some of the best meteor observing occurs during the long dark nights of late fall and early winter, and with a cooperating moon, these events can be impressive. If the sky is clear, the morning hours of November 18 (Leonids), December 13 (Geminids), and 22nd (Ursids) all promise to deliver a plethora of shooting stars. The moon certainly will not pose any problems. It was the Leonid shower of November 12-13, 1833 that gave birth to meteor science. During the four hours preceding dawn on the 13th, meteors rained down on the eastern and central US, with as many as 15-50 shooting stars visible each second, radiating away from the head of Leo the Lion. Screams of hysteria as well as the bright, but silent explosive flashes of light from fireballs illuminating bedroom interiors awakened most people in the regions of greatest activity. A 24-year old Abraham Lincoln was an eyewitness to the Leonid storm that morning. The Leonids are cyclical in nature with increased activity occurring every 33 years or so. The last interval of enhanced activity was between 1998 and 2002, but the Leonid meteor shower of 1966 was also a banner year in the Southwestern US with rates as high as 40 to 50 meteors per second visible over a 10 to 15-minute time interval. Leonid meteors result from the abundant dust which is released by Comet Tempel-Tuttle, discovered December 19, 1865 by E. Tempel (French) and independently on January 6, 1866 by H. Tuttle (American). As the short period comet swings around the sun every 33.17 years, dense corridors of debris are released from sublimating (vaporizing) ices that compose most of the comet. Earth intersects the denser swarms of powdery dust near to Tempel-Tuttle in enhanced periods of activity when the comet is close to the sun. Particles in these debris streams rapidly disperse so that in an average year like 2017 about 10-15 Leonids will be seen each hour after midnight on maximum morning. Want to be a part of meteor history? Then be outside, warmly dressed around an hour or two before dawn on November 18. Leo will be high in the sky, just west of south. Leonid meteors are the swiftest of the major showers, entering the Earth's atmosphere at slightly over 43 miles per second. They will appear to be radiating from the sickle of Leo the Lion, a backwards looking question mark which forms the Lion's head and lower torso. The bright star Regulus forms the dot of the question mark. Leo can be bisected by taking the two stars of the Big Dipper that point to the North Star, Dubhe and Merak, and going in the opposite direction about an equal distance. A Leonid meteor will appear to be radiating swiftly away from the head of the Lion every five minutes or so. A map is online at astronomy.org. www.astronomy.org

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Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **MEDICAL:** What is a more common name for hypobaropathy?
2. **MYTHOLOGY:** What area of life did the Greek goddess Hygeia preside over?
3. **U.S. PRESIDENTS:** Who was president when Vice President Alben Barkley was in office?
4. **PSYCHOLOGY:** What are people who suffer from ophidiophobia afraid of?
5. **MUSIC:** What was the stage name of the 1950s rocker who was born Charles Hardin Holley?
6. **GEOGRAPHY:** What is generally considered the world's longest river?
7. **MONEY:** What is the basic currency of Argentina?
8. **MOVIES:** What is the name of the royal lemur in the animated movie "Madagascar"?
9. **LITERATURE:** Who was the author of "The Blind Assassin," which won the Man Booker Prize in 2000?
10. **ANATOMY:** About how many times does the average person blink in a minute?

Answers: 1. Altitude sickness; 2. Goddess of health; 3. Harry Truman; 4. Snakes; 5. Buddy Holly; 6. The Amazon River, at 4,300 miles; 7. The peso; 8. King Julien; 9. Margaret Atwood; 10. 15-20 times (c) 2017 King Features Synd., Inc.

Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On Nov. 25, 1783, nearly three months after the Treaty of Paris was signed ending the American Revolution, the last British soldiers withdraw from New York City. Four months later, the city was declared the capital of the United States. In 1790, the capital was moved to Philadelphia.
 - On Nov. 24, 1849, John Froelich, inventor of the tractor, is born in Iowa. To replace dangerous steam-powered threshers that tended to start fires, Froelich created a one-cylinder gasoline machine. It could thresh more than 1,000 bushels of grain a day without starting a single fire.
 - On Nov. 21, 1927, Time magazine puts the new Holland Tunnel on its cover. The tunnel runs under the Hudson River between New York City and Jersey City, New Jersey. On the first day, 51,694 vehicles paid the 50 cent toll.
 - On Nov. 26, 1931, a cloverleaf interchange in Woodbridge, New Jersey, is featured on the cover of the Engineering News-Record. Circular ramp interchanges proliferated, with historian Lewis Mumford declaring that "our national flower is the concrete cloverleaf."
 - On Nov. 20, 1945, 24 high-ranking Nazis go on trial in Nuremberg, Germany, for atrocities committed during World War II. Trials of lesser criminals resulted in the conviction of 5,025 defendants and the execution of 806.
 - On Nov. 22, 1963, President John F. Kennedy is shot and killed as his motorcade drives through Dealey Plaza in Dallas. The Warren Commission report on the assassination was released in November 1963, but has always been considered flawed. Nearly 3,000 once-secret documents were released in October 2017.
 - On Nov. 23, 1981, President Ronald Reagan signs off on a top-secret document, giving the Central Intelligence Agency the power to recruit and support a 500-man force of rebels in Nicaragua, loosely known as the Contras.
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Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was 20th-century American author and social critic James Baldwin who made the following sage observation: "Ignorance, allied with power, is the most ferocious enemy justice can have."
- Have you ever wanted to test yourself against international competitors, but you're not an athlete? If so, you might want to check out the WorldSkills Competition. Every two years, competitors from 75 WorldSkills member countries compete to find out who is the best at a variety of skilled trades, ranging from bricklaying, plumbing and cabinetmaking to auto body repair, die-making and electronics. Personal services contests include hairdressing and restaurant service, while florists and jewelry-makers compete in the creative arts and fashion category. IT folks can get in on the action, too, with awards for skills such as web design, information network cabling and IT software solutions for business.
- One of every six Supreme Court justices who have served in the history of the United States have been graduates of Harvard Law School.
- The 1926 Warner Brothers film "Don Juan" may hold the record for the most kissing in any movie. It's been calculated that the star, John Barrymore, kisses a woman an average of every 53 seconds throughout the film.
- Those who study such things say that in ancient Maya culture, only men in the upper classes were permitted to grow beards.
- If you're looking for an American-made car, your best bet is ... Tesla? Yep. Tesla is the only car manufacturer that is 100 percent American-made. Other auto manufacturers assemble their vehicles in the United States, but Tesla is the only one that also uses American-made parts in their cars.

Thought for the Day: "Don't be seduced into thinking that that which does not make a profit is without value." -- Arthur Miller

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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: **Q** equals **E**

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Veterans Host By Freddy Groves

A veteran died alone

In July 2016 a veteran died alone in a Department of Veterans Affairs hospital, unattended and unchecked for many hours while a nurse played video games at the nursing station ... for her whole shift. Doctor's instructions had been to check the patient once or twice an hour. No one even knew the veteran had passed away until the next shift took over.

The nurse only admitted

to playing computer games because the hospital cameras caught her. She was transferred to work in the cafeteria, but once the truth came out, investigations began, pushed forward by U.S. Sen. Elizabeth Warren.

VA chief David Shulkin takes the allegations seriously ... OK. But here's a suggestion: If you have a friend or relative in a VA hospital who is in such serious

shape that they aren't able to press the call button, don't leave. Schedule watchers around the clock. Run shifts of friends, relatives, church members, American Legion or VFW members, or others. When nursing staff comes in, ask questions.

If you're told that "visiting hours" are over, refuse to leave until a doctor reads the chart in front of you and tells you that staff has indeed been

doing what's required to care for the patient. Take notes and get names. In other words, make waves and get attention. Let them know someone is watching. Yes, the patient might be so ill that death is inevitable, but do everything you can to ensure that proper care is being given.

William Nutter, the veteran who died alone at the Bedford VA Medical Center in Massa-

chusetts, was a two-tour Vietnam veteran who later completed 21 years in the Reserves. In Vietnam, he was a door gunner who got drenched with Agent Orange too often. He left a wife and family.

We owed him more than this.

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VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, Nov. 6 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those in attendance included president Jordan, treasurer Hussain, clerk Somers and council members Healy, Gauthier, Mahalak, Putsky, Somers and Zielinski. The minutes of the October meeting were approved on a motion from Mahalak with support from Zielinski.

The treasurer's report was approved, subject to audit, on a motion from Healy with support from Zielinski. A motion was made by Zielinski, with support from Mahalak, to make the following budget adjustments. General fund: Move \$2,000 from street lights to utilities; move \$1,000 from rec. improvement to lawn mowing; move \$2,000 from public works EQR to parks & rec-

reation EQR. In the EQR fund: Move \$200 from utilities to insurance. In village raised streets fund: move \$10,750 from village raised to major streets construction and \$19,500 to local streets construction. In major streets: move \$700 from equipment rental RM to lawn mowing. In local streets: move \$60 from equipment rental RM to administration and \$400 from equipment rental RM to lawn mowing.

Fire chief Serafin gave his report. There were 11 medical runs and one structure fire. One new applicant was introduced for the fire department. A motion was made by Mahalak, with support from Gauthier, to accept Ryan Stewart as a new fire fighter. A training was held this past month at the Lincoln Haven Nursing Home. Mikado fire department joined

in the training. The department also visited the Head Start class recently. Lincoln Fire Department participated in the Trick or Trunk event on October 28. Jason Ogden from the Alpena News announced that this is his last meeting. He will be joining the team at the Oscoda Press as the new editor. Congratulations Jason and best wishes.

President Jordan gave the street and sewer reports. He stated that since we have been working on the SAW Grant it has been discovered that we actually have a total of 110 storm drains. They will now be included on a map for use in the future. The ditch on West Main Street has been plugged for a long time. It has now been fixed. Our auditor has stated that we can use funds from our major streets, local streets and village raised funds.

The sewer report was also given. There isn't much to report as the SAW grant is in progress and many items are being worked on. A letter was read from Mr. Walters of the DEQ. From this point forward, the reports to the DEQ will be due yearly. This is due to the groundwater discharge permit that has been granted from the DEQ. We will still require monthly reports with our own files but our administrator will not be required to file further.

In old business, Gauthier asked about the buildings that are in need of clean up. He will be meeting with zoning administrator Troy Somers to have him start pushing things through the process to get things done.

Healy stated that she has managed to get new people to join the planning commission. Putsky stated that the DNR grant process is still going along. He had to put the information together and get it to Becky Rivard from Huron Engineering for submission as a final step. Zielinski stated that the chili cook-off was a huge success. Lincoln Pharmacy took first place; Farmers Market was second place; Cox Plumbing was third; Alcona Motors took first place for soup. Lori Wilkins took first place for best decorated vehicle. Thanks to the Chosen Ranch for its help.

In new business, Putsky stated that the Christmas lights will be put up by the Beautification Committee within the next few days. He stated that one of the compressors on one of the motors was broken down for the Brownlee Lake Association. Over the winter months the group plan to redo the other 13 compressors.

The light poles have all been decorated for the holiday season. A meeting was held with the HR committee regarding the village maintenance workers contract. It will be presented at the December meeting for approval. A meeting with the HR committee will be held following an advertisement in the local paper for part-time/as needed help with Steve Slater.

President Jordan gave his report. At last months' meeting a decision was delayed regarding the bid approval/agreement for sidewalk work on West Main Street. Bids were received from Environmental Excavating & Contracting and Lincoln Sand & Gravel. It is a possibility that we can pay part of the bid price from the 2017-2018 budget and part from the 2018-2019 budget. A motion was made by Healy to award the bid to Environmental Excavating & Contracting in the amount of \$19,909.86. President Jordan will talk with the company about paying in two installments. Dave James, Steve Slater and Phil installed the new light that had been broken on 2nd Street. Thanks Dave! The water system has been shut off for the winter season. The SAW grant project is going very well. The Festival of Lights will be held on

Friday, Dec. 1. There will be a decorating contest for businesses and homes; hayrides with the Alcona High School athletes who will be present; hot dogs and drinks at the fire hall; and a visit from Santa.

Holly Hussain, Sara Healy and Phil attended a meeting with members of the DDA and attorney Cook to explore the possibility of having a Redevelopment Ready Community committee. This would require a commitment by all members of the village council and the DDA. After discussing the issue, a motion was made by Healy, with support from Zielinski, to adopt the resolution for the Redevelopment Ready Communities. The Resolution follows.

Village of Lincoln Resolution 17-4 Resolution of Participation in the MEDC Redevelopment Communities Program Whereas, the Village of Lincoln became engaged in the MEDC Redevelopment Ready Communities (RRC) Program: and

Whereas, participating in the program will ensure that the Village of Lincoln is following best practices related to community plans and public outreach, zoning regulations, development review process, recruitment and education, redevelopment ready sites, and community prosperity, and

Whereas, the Village of Lincoln believes that following these best practices will ensure transparency, predictability, and efficiency into its daily development practices, and

Whereas, the one of the requirements to becoming engaged in the RRC program is the adoption by a community's governing body of a resolution of intent to participate in the program;

Therefore be it resolved, that the Village of Lincoln Council hereby resolves to participate in the Redevelopment Ready Communities program administered through the Michigan Economic Development Corporation and intends to achieve RRC certification and Be it further resolved, that the Village of Lincoln will complete the self-evaluation associated with the program and will attend the training necessary to understand and assist in implementing the six best practices described therein. Ayes: Healy, Gauthier, Mahalak, Putsky, Somers and Zielinski. Nays: None. Absent: None. Adoption approved. I hereby certify, that the foregoing is a resolution duly made and passed by the Lincoln Village Council at a meeting held on November 6, 2017 at 7 p.m. at the Lincoln village offices, with a quorum present.

Linda K. Somers, Village Clerk Dated: November 6, 2017

A motion to pay the bills as presented was made by Gauthier with support from Mahalak. A motion to adjourn was made by Zielinski with support from Healy.

Linda K. Somers
Village Clerk

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Executive Director Position

The United Way of Northeast Michigan is seeking candidates for the position of Executive Director. The director is accountable to the Board of Directors and serves as the general manager and fiscal agent and is employed by the Board of Directors. The director, in conjunction with the Board of Directors, represents and promotes the United Way to all components of the communities served.

Skills, knowledge and abilities for the position are as follows:

- Effective personal impact and verbal communication skills, making the United Way and its objectives understandable and attractive to all facets of the cultural, educational, social and economic diversity of the area;
- Ability to work effectively with community leaders, donors and applicants demonstrating a blend of leadership presence and cooperative work style;
- Capacity to help determine community needs;
- A compelling commitment to the philanthropic sector and to the betterment of the quality of life for the residents of the area;
- Experience with health & human care charitable organization management, educational administration and business management;
- Professional experience in administration, communications, development, fundraising, fund distribution and volunteer recruitment;
- Strong administrative, organizational, written and oral communication skills;
- Initiative, self-discipline and the ability to work without supervision while serving and motivating others;
- A high level of analytical ability required in order to monitor and refine United Way systems and procedures and ensure compliance with governmental rules and regulations;
- Be proficient in the use of a computer, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint and be willing to learn and work with other software technology required for the position;
- Experience in the non-profit field is preferred.

This is a salaried position with a salary range of \$33,000 - \$36,000. The position also offers a health insurance stipend, retirement and life insurance benefit package. Applicant must agree to a background check.

Submit a cover letter and resume with business & personal references via email to gpstoppa@unitedwaynemi.org with subject line of resume or mail to United Way of Northeast Michigan, 701 Woodward Avenue, Alpena Michigan 49707, before November 27, 2017. United Way of Northeast Michigan is an equal opportunity employer.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Foreclosure by Advertisement

Notice is hereby given pursuant to MCL 600.3212, that the following will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public auction at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, at 10 a.m., on December 13, 2017: Name(s) of the mortgagor(s): Betty L. Kelly, a single woman. Original mortgagee: Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation. Foreclosing assignee (if any): JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association. Date of mortgage: September 29, 2003. Date of mortgage recording: October 1, 2003. Amount claimed due on date of notice: \$60,263.68.

Description of the mortgaged premises: Situated in Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan, and described as: Lot 6, Block 24 of Village of Lincoln, formerly West Harrisville, a subdivision recorded in Liber 11 of Plats, page 17, Alcona County records.

The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a; or, if the subject real property is used for agricultural purposes as defined by MCL 600.3240(16).

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.

This notice is from a debt collector. Date of notice: November 15, 2017.

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WANTED

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BUYING TIMBER

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SALES

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CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS

The Caledonia Township Board met November 8. All board members were present. Motions to approve the agenda, October minutes, pay bills and place treasurer's report on file, per audit. Motion to put township board vacancies in paper.

The Caledonia Township Planning Commission (PC) met Monday, Nov. 6. Public hearing on December 4 to reduce the PC from seven to five members. Finishing the revised sign ordinance regulations, Medical Marijuana regulations. The Tri-Township Planning Commission met on October 19. Discussed a variety of ongoing topics including Tri-Township Master Plan, cell tower, noise ordinance, medical marijuana facilities, etc. Zoning administrator (ZA) had five liquor inspections; three land use permits; two land splits; assessor report; slight increase in assessments for 2018; no new tax tribunals; one hardship exemption.

Commissioner's update: Vichunas -- negotiating union contracts. Public comments: Concerns about township board resignations. Township hall: Three outlets had to be replaced. Motion to order chair racks not to exceed \$1,000. Motion to fix hall door. Township dumpster being used for non-hall use.

Motion to appoint deputy treasurer Rebecca Abend as the township treasurer. Motion to remove township treasurer Gail Thornton from bank accounts. Motion to add township treasurer Rebecca Abend to bank accounts. Motion to send the township treasurer, and township clerk to the audit and payroll workshop.

Township hall rental contract to be revised. Motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. All motions were passed This synopsis published prior to board approval.

Next regular township board meeting is December 13. PC meets December 4.

Tri-Township PC dates for 2018: Alcona, April 18; Caledonia, July 19; Hawes, October 8;. All meetings are at 7 p.m. www.caledoniatwp.net.

Kerry Scott
 Township Clerk

BINGO

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

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CHURCH BAZAAR

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CryptoQuip answer

The stag, which had recently been badly hurt, was found in the woods hanging on for deer life.

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Waterfront

• 4525 Evergreen
 • 4 BR, 3 Bath
 • 2,850 sqft
 • 65' on Cedar Lake
 MLS # 1818972 \$199,900



REDUCED!

• 4668 E. Cedar Lake Dr.
 • 1,875 sqft
 • Lake Access
 MLS # 1833918 \$83,000



Acreage

• 170 Webster Rd.
 • 3 BR, 2 Bath
 • 1,532 sqft
 • 40 Acres
 MLS # 1838929 \$184,900



Waterfront

• 5026 Lake St.
 • 2 BR, 1 Bath
 • 1,600 sqft
 • 67' on Vaughn Lake
 MLS # 1836994 \$209,900



Vacant Waterfront Land

• 0 E. Cedar Lake Dr.
 • 100' on Cedar Lake
 • Lot 100x272
 • Nicely wooded
 MLS # 1834536 \$59,900

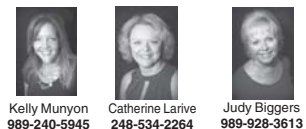


Waterfront

• 5842 Cedar
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Organization Notes



VFW Post No. 6754 Auxiliary

The October meeting was held with eight members present and two visitors, District 11 President Denise Arnold and District 11 Se-

nior Vice President Vickie Bushong. Arlene Lay served as the chaplain in Donna Bushey's absence. The regular business meet-

ing was held. Secretary Kathy Carriveau read the minutes from the previous meeting and treasurer Sandy Light, gave the financial report and advised that the 20 annual dues notices were mailed September 30. A National Home Life membership was purchased for Mary Ann Seymour.

District 11 President Arnold advised that the quarterly audits must be completed before the meeting and must be accepted at the same meeting. This procedure presents problems for auxiliaries who have meetings very early in the month. President Arnold will contact national to see if a grace period can be obtained.

She also advised that the bimonthly bulletins should be read and discussed during the first month and then the chairmen provide reports of any participation during the second monthly meeting. Operation HELP will be held at 7 p.m. at the Standish Post on November 4 and tickets are in the mail to each auxiliary. The ticket sales provide funds for District 11 use only. The District 11 meeting will be held November 5 at the Standish post.

The post advised the auxiliary that the November meeting will require a change in date due to the Alpena County election for the new jail millage. Therefore, the auxiliary and the post will hold their meetings on Thursday, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. at the Sanborn Township Hall.

It was recommended that President Vichunas advise department secretary Peto of this date change. Arnold provided a brief summary of her inspection of the auxiliary and noted that the president, secretary and treasurer's books were up to date.

Norma Alstrom provided the suggestion for the Good of the Order that it is permissible to wear a flag button or pin.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, Nov. 9 at the Sanborn Township Hall.



Ashley Flowers of Oscoda (left) and Victoria Otto of Sterling Heights, Mich. are the newly crowned Miss Sunrise Side 2017 and Miss Sunrise Side Outstanding Teen 2017. They were crowned during the Miss Sunrise Side pageant held at Alcona High School Saturday evening. The following contestants also received awards during the program for Miss Sunrise Side: Grace Newlin of Farmington, Mich., first runner-up; Emily Birgy of Fife Lake, Mich., second runner-up; Jenna Holt of Davison, Mich., third runner up; and Grace Murphy of Northville, Mich., fourth runner up. Outstanding Teen contestants received the following awards: Kristen Kruzel of Ida, Mich., first runner up; Marissa Carson of Livonia, Mich., second runner up; Stephanie Kosmalski of Bay City, Mich., third runner up; and Courtney Winter of Spruce, fourth runner up. The Spirit Award was presented to Miss contestant Linnea Hentkowski of Rogers City, Mich. and Teen contestant Mikaela Erickson of Oscoda. Photo courtesy of Amy Elisabeth Photography of Alpena.

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