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Alcona takes district title over Hillman

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity football team had never won a district title entering Friday night's home Division VIII district championship game with Hillman.

The hosting Alcona Tigers ran for over 500 yards on the visiting Tigers as they ran away with the game 56-34,

giving them the district trophy at long-last.

"I'm really excited for the kids, they work really hard in practice and in the off-season so to see the work payoff is really great," said head coach Jason Somers.

Alcona held a lead for most of the night and as the game progressed, the only question was whether or not it

could enforce a running clock before it was over.

"What stood out the most for me was the fact that we were in place to get every player on the field and a chance to play in a playoff game," Somers said. "The effort from each of these young men in practice was able to be rewarded and that was the best part of the night."

Hillman started the game with the ball but after it dropped a third down pass, the Tigers had to punt the ball away, giving Alcona the ball on its own 28-yard line.

Alcona went the 72 yards required to score in eight plays, getting a Jack Hutchinson touchdown run from

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The Alcona varsity football team celebrates winning its first Division VIII District title after the home game last Friday night. For a preview of Friday night's regional playoff game, see page 6. Photo by Ben Murphy.

Lady Tigers claim district title

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

As Thursday night progressed, it was clear that the Alcona varsity volleyball team had one thing on its' mind -- winning a district title. The Lady Tigers did just that and on their home court, as they handled Johannesburg-Lewiston (J-L) in four sets, 25-14, 22-25, 25-15 and 25-19.

This is the first volleyball district title since 2014.

"Winning the district feels incredible," said head coach Kristi Miller. "The girls were very determined, which was evident by their level of play."

Alcona came out and largely dominated the first set of the Class C District final, as they cruised to an 11-point win. The Lady Tigers took a 22-19 on a Lily Sager ace in the second set, but J-L stormed back to take the set with the final six points of the frame.

Aces by Raegan Eller and Jenelle Carpenter helped the Lady Tigers claim an early 6-2 lead in the third set and a Carpenter spike kept them ahead at 11-7 with Taylor
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The Alcona varsity volleyball team defeated Johannesburg-Lewiston at home Thursday night giving the Lady Tigers their first district title since 2014. Photo by Ben Murphy.

Historian writes book on Springport area

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

A passionate interest in the history of Harrisville, specifically the Springport area and its people, past and present, inspired a local man to tell about his findings in print.

The book, "A Brief History of the Springport Area," was written by Robert P. Merkel, PhD, a local man who goes by "Bob" and lives on Springport area land with his wife, Carolyn.

The book discusses historical figures of the Springport area in Harrisville, including a timeline of settlements and historical photos.

It was Bob's grandfather, Milo Johnson, who instilled his love of history for the area. "My grandfather was one of Harrisville's leading citizens and, I believe, he was the first harbormaster in Harrisville in 1961. I grew up in Oscoda and would come in the summer and visit my grandparents," Bob said. History of the area interested Johnson, and Bob, even as a young child took note of that interest.

In 1983, Bob and Carolyn, who lived and taught school near Monroe, Mich., began looking for a summer home on Lake Huron. "We would

come up to visit Grandfather and help him. He was quite old and cranky and in need of some assistance at that point," Bob said.

They found a cottage on Lake Huron Shore Road and each summer they spent time working on their future retirement home while enjoying the lake breezes. It was during this time that Bob became extremely interested in Springport Springs subdivision -- a track of land holding 10 lots with eight homes, one of which was the Merkel's.

While spending time there,
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Recall petitions don't meet statute requisite

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

Three members of the Curtis Township Board and roughly 20 citizens attended a hearing Monday afternoon to determine if wording on recall petitions met the state statute and if the recall process would progress.

After more than an hour of listening to comments from those in attendance including Curtis Township Supervisor Darrell Kenyon, treasurer Teresa Perkins and trustee Paul Grabstanowicz -- the elected officials who are named on the petitions -- and Christopher Clouse, the person who filed the petitions, the Alcona County Election Commission determined the wording did not meet the requirements set by state statute.

The three petitions that Clouse filed with Alcona County Clerk Patricia Truman had the same wording, "misleading the taxpayers with false costs of the township hall; not listening to the will of the people."

The clarity hearing was conducted by three members of the election commission -- Truman, Alcona County Treasurer Cheryl Franks and Alcona County Chief Probate Judge Laura Frawley, election commission chairperson.

The election commission listened to roughly a dozen individuals who spoke about the situation in Curtis Township involving the sale of the former elementary school (by the Oscoda Area Schools Board of Education) which was used as the Curtis Township Hall and community center. Clouse purchased the building when it was put up for auction by the school district.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,
Have you ever known someone who lies when the truth would work? And the nature of those lies is full of self-puffery and rambling tales of exaggerated superiority. If you do, I'll bet you keep them at arms length. You think of them as a con man and someone who will swindle you as soon as he gets the chance. The kind of person your parents warned you about growing up. Consider Donald Trump.

There are simple and seemingly harmless things like "Andrew Jackson was very upset about what was going on with the Civil War," when

in fact, Jackson had been dead for 16 years at the start of the war. He then took the opportunity to declare he would have been a better president than Lincoln in that setting. What? Well, maybe harmless but a lie just the same. More seriously he didn't answer the questions about Niger but took the opportunity to celebrate his efforts to contact all gold star families. And then compares himself favorably and inaccurately to past presidents. He lies about his taxes and yours. He uses his generals like props for photo ops, there is no palace guard and they are our generals not his.

There isn't space here to list them all. Not even a day's worth. So here is a question. Why the lies? If Donald Trump can fuzzy the lines between truth and fiction on all things little and big, he begins to normalize his half truths and fabrications. Everything that is unflattering is fake news. Over time people begin to say, "What's the big deal? It doesn't affect me." His apologists call him unconventional and hyperbolic. As Republican Bob Corker said, "Our president has some problems with the truth." The truth matters. Maybe Mueller will drain the swamp.

Bob Petrovich
Harrisville

To the Editor,
The mainstream media we have today is by far the most subjective group of journalists ever. They are called the "drive-by media" for good reason - they report their opinioned view of the situation without taking time to check the facts, and never go back to correct their mistakes. This is the ultimate "fake news."

These networks (ABC, NBC, CBS, CNN) and newspapers (Wall Street Journal, New York Times) talk about their fair and balance reporting, but are in reality left wing liberals. Many give large financial donations to support the Democratic Party and its candidates.

George Stephanopolus had to apologize to viewers be-

cause he 'forgot' to disclose that he gave \$75,000 to the Clinton Foundation. And during the presidential debates, CNN gave Hillary Clinton the questions that would be asked during the debate. Journalist will always use their position to advance their cause.

Have any of these mainstream news "journalists" reported how the Clinton campaign funneled millions of dollars to a British spy and to Russian sources in order to create the discredited Trump dossier? Or that the U.S. Attorney General is investigating how Hillary Clinton used her office as Secretary of State to influence the sale of 20 per cent of America's uranium supply to Russia in exchange for millions of dollars in donations to the Clinton Foundation and cash to her husband?

You must look elsewhere to get the complete news picture and learn what the mainstream liberal media doesn't what you to know. Fox News is an excellent source to get the other side of the story. Americanthinker.com and polilitico.com are two very good sources for all things political. For a broad-brush of the daily news, drudge-report.com is also a good source.

Richard Kacel
Lincoln

Obituaries

Sandra L. Milholin

Sandra L. Milholin, 61, died on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2017 in Britton, Mich.

She was born December 12, 1955 to Robert and Arbutus (Bell) Milholin in Flint, Mich. She grew up in Curtisville.

She was the treasurer and Sunday school teacher at Curtisville Baptist Church. Ms. Milholin was a homemaker and foster mother. She enjoyed cooking, gardening and caring for her family.

Ms. Milholin is survived by two daughters, Elizabeth Root and Rebekah Milholin; two sons, Matthew Milholin and Benjamin Milholin; one granddaughter, Hailey Root; three sisters, MaryAnn Lowry, Martha Milholin and Ruth Versnick, and one nephew and two nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Arbutus Milholin.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, Nov. 18, at 1 p.m. at the Curtisville Baptist Church. Cremation has taken place.

Arrangements were handled by Purse Funeral Home in Tecumseh, Mich.

Linda J. Klemens

Linda Jo Klemens, 70, of Hubbard Lake died on Saturday, Oct. 14, 2017 at home.

She was born in Harrisville on May 29, 1947 to Walter and Violet (Gerow) Snyder.

On September 2, 1967, she married Craig Klemens at St. Bernard Catholic Church in Alpena.

As an active member of First United Methodist Church of Alpena, Mrs. Klemens enjoyed singing in the Chancel Choir. She also served as a wedding hostess, shut-in gift coordinator for the United Methodist Women, chairperson of the garden guardians and helped with many church activities.

Mrs. Klemens was an avid bird watcher and served as president and newsletter editor for the Thunder Bay Audubon Society for the past 10 years. She served as president of the Alcona Historical Society and was the family genealogist.

In 2005 Huron Pines RC&D presented Mrs. Klemens with an environmental service award. She was president of the Hubbard Lake Lady Learners and was a member of Hubbard Lake Citizens Watch; she received Member of the Year Award in 2007.

Mrs. Klemens is survived



by her husband, Craig; one son, Darren (Molly) Klemens; one daughter, Laura Knaggs; five grandchildren; two sisters, Sidney (William) Oakley and Alexis Werda; a German exchange "sister," Heide Klarmann; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial visitation will take place at the First United Methodist Church of Alpena on Saturday, Nov. 11 from 10 a.m. until time of memorial service at 1 p.m. The Rev. Eugene Bacon will officiate. Inurnment will be in Caledonia Township Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to: Alcona Historical Society, P.O. Box 174, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 or Thunder Bay Audubon Society c/o TBAS treasurer Steve Wagner, 16285 Shubert Hwy., Alpena, Mich. 49707.

The Garden Bug

Agricultural mythology

To the Aztecs, Tlaloc (He Who Makes Things Sprout), was the god of rain, lightning and thunder, responsible for both floods and droughts. He ruled Tlalocan, a green paradise of eternal spring, and was served by rain spirits called the tloaque. In Tenochtitlan (ancient Mexico City), half of the central temple was dedicated to Tlaloc.

- Brenda Weaver

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Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
Oct. 29	46	31	0.00	1.9	15	W
Oct. 30	88	31	0.06	2.3	21	NNE
Oct. 31	44	32	0.00	2.4	26	W
Nov. 1	42	34	0.01	4.6	21	NW
Nov. 2	47	39	0.14	2.2	14	SSW
Nov. 3	45	32	0.00	1.3	23	N
Nov. 4	45	34	0.02	9.2	27	N

Precipitation Summary (Inches) for 2017			
	2017	2016	Normal
Weekly Total	0.23	0.30	0.49
Month of October	3.86	2.88	2.33
November to Date	0.17	0.09	0.28
Year/Season to Date	32.00	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 8

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 9

The Harrisville Business Association will meet at 6 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Open to the public.

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.

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.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10

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.

A fish fry will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville. Take-outs available.

Reformers Unanimous, a faith-based addictions pro-

gram, 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 11

Hope Lutheran Church Bazaar will be held at 5462 West Nicholson Hill Road in Hubbard Lake from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Enjoy a soup and salad luncheon for \$8 per person. Handmade crafts, horseradish, pasties, sauerkraut and much more will be available purchase.

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.

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.

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

Chili and hot dogs will be served from 3 to 7:30 p.m. at the Ossineke Eagles, 6848 US-23 in Spruce in honor of veterans. Donations will be accepted.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13

"The Murder of Albert Molitor", rumored illegitimate son of a German king will be presented by Mark Thompson executive director of the Presque Isle County Historical Society at 6:30 p.m. at the Alpena County George N. Fletcher Public Library, 211 North First Avenue. This event is free and open to the public. Call (989) 356-6188 extension 17 or visit www.alpenalibrary.org for details.

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 your 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 info., 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

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.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing Tuesday, November 14, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at the Alcona Township Hall. The variance is requested by Jean St. Amour, 4313 Black Bear Trail, Lincoln, MI 48742 Property ID #013-420-073-014-00. He would like to build and accessory building in front of his primary building. Written comments will be accepted by Dawn LaLonde, Alcona Township Clerk, 4892 LaVergne Rd., Black River, MI 48721.

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Family Movie Matinee

Everyone is invited to watch the third Disney Pixar movie about turbo-charged vehicles on a racetrack on Tuesday, Nov. 14 at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Free popcorn is available this "no school day" movie event, rated G. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

Christmas Shoe Boxes

The Lincoln United Methodist Church located at 101 East Main in Lincoln will be the Relay Collection Center for the 2017 Operation Christmas Shoe Box Ministry. Collection week will run from Monday, Nov. 13 through Monday, Nov. 20. Collection hours will be from 10 a.m. to noon every day except Monday, Nov. 20 when they will be from 9 to 10 a.m. For more information, call Sandy Ritchie at (989) 736-8316.

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. 13—Beef lasagna, peas, tossed salad, tropical fruit, and garlic bread.

- Tuesday, Nov. 14—Country steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, and mandarin oranges.

- Wednesday, Nov. 15—Pork chop with applesauce, potato lyonnaise, cauliflower, tossed salad, peaches, and a biscuit.

- Thursday, Nov. 16—Chicken mostaccioli, green beans, coleslaw, and mixed fruit.

- Friday, Nov. 17—Breaded chicken breast, buttered rotini, stewed tomatoes, and pineapple.

(Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Recall

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In September, members of the township board signed a lease agreement with Jerome Orefice for office and meeting space in a building located across from the Curtis Township Library. Clouse also proposed lease options on the former school building for consideration by the township board. That meeting was very well attended by more than 100 community members and many spoke during the meeting expressing their opinion.

Several times during the hearing Frawley reminded those in attendance that the hearing was only to determine if the "language on the petition is factually based and clear to the electorate."

In conclusion of the hearing all three members of the election commission agreed that the wording on the petition did not meet the statute's requirement.

Frawley explained that Clouse had the option to appeal the decision in 23rd Circuit Court or to try again with another petition. "I sincerely hope that you all are able to come together as a community and work through this to continue to be a vital community," Frawley said at the conclusion of the hearing.

Vliet/Colorite to pledge vows

Michelle Vliet and Ryan Colorite announce their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Melvin Vliet of Florida and Diane Wheeler of Prescott, Mich. She is the granddaughter of Geraldine Vliet of Lincoln.

The future groom is the son of Steven Colorite and Lanice and Roy Apsey, all of Lincoln.

A November 10, 2017 wedding is planned in Lincoln.



Michelle Vliet and Ryan Colorite

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Livingston getting a tip-kill at 12-7.

Hailee Gordy added a tip-kill at 18-9 as the Lady Tigers pulled away from the Cardinals as the set wore on.

A Sager spike found its way through a block to put the team up 24-15 with a side-out giving the Lady Tigers the 25-15 win.

The Cardinals led the fourth set 9-7, but back-to-back aces by Eller put Alcona ahead 10-9 and a block by Livingston made it 11-9.

Another block by Livingston kept the Tigers ahead 12-11 and a tip kill by Gordy pushed it 20-16.

Courtney Church fired an ace at 22-17 and with the Lady Tigers one point away from the win, Livingston tipped the ball over a block, allowing it to fall to the floor

for the district clinching 25-19 victory.

"We needed everyone to step up, it was key that we play with intensity and fight for every point," Miller said. "We had faced Johannesburg throughout the season and knew it was going to be a battle. They were solid defenders and consistent at the net. Our defense made a strong effort to keep the ball in play, which definitely ignited our offense. The girls saw the court well and utilized our strength at the net to deliver many kills."

Leading the way in the win was Gordy and Carpenter with 10 kills each. Sager and Livingston had nine kills each, with Livingston adding 14 digs and five blocks. Carpenter also had five aces and Abby Franklin had 49 as-

sists.

"I am very proud of our efforts," Miller said. "We played with mental toughness and worked so well together. Franklin did a great job setting up her teammates, which is reflected in our balanced attack totals. We needed to get everyone involved in order to maximize our potential. It was a solid team victory."

On Tuesday, Oct. 31 the Lady Tigers opened up district play with a straight set win over Whittemore-Prescott in the semifinals, 25-13, 25-15 and 25-20.

Gordy led the team with 12 kills; Livingston had 11 digs; Carpenter added five aces; and Franklin had 32 assists.

Alcona opened up regional play in Houghton Lake on Tuesday against Elk Rapids.

The finals are scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 9 with Houghton Lake and Traverse City St. Francis on the other side of the bracket. The regional winner moves on to quarterfinals in Munising on Tuesday, Nov. 14.

"In regional play, it is key that we continue our momentum from districts," Arnold said. "Defense will be a huge factor. If we protect our court and continue to play with power and control at the net, we will keep fighting."

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Tigers head to Nouvel for regional finals

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

If you are still playing football games at this point in the season; chances are you are a pretty good football team.

The Alcona varsity football team knows this is true because it is a very good football team; but it also knows that Friday's opponent, Saginaw Nouvel, is a very good squad as well.

"When you actually take a look at this, there is only seven other teams in our division preparing to play this week," said Alcona head coach Jason Somers. "So, looking at it that way, this is very exciting and speaks volumes about our athletes."

The Panthers are ranked fourth in division eight and are traditionally one of the strongest small-school programs in the state. They won a state championship in 2011 and have made the post-season in all but six seasons since their first year playing in 1984.

This year's Nouvel team has averaged 31 points a game in its' high-powered spread offense and has given up an average of nine points

a game. Alcona conversely has scored an average of 48 points a game and given up 22.

Despite their gaudy resume, Somers doesn't feel his team should be intimidated in the slightest by the Panthers.

"Of course they have a good

"My hope for them is that they compete hard, enjoy each other and enjoy the moment of playing for a regional title. I hope they have fun doing what they love."

Jason Somers

Head Coach, Alcona Varsity Football

tradition and you don't play in these games by mistake," he said. "I don't think this (playing well) will be a problem. Our boys just like to play football and it doesn't matter to them who they play, they are always up to the challenge. Also, we played this team a couple of years ago and many of the players played in that game."

The game Somers mentioned was the 2015 playoff 38-22 loss to the Panthers. Despite being on the winning end of that score, Mike Boyd, 18th year Nouvel head coach, remembered the team that Alcona can bring to the table very well.

of seniors who work hard and believe in themselves and one another though, so it should be one heck of a game."

The Tigers may enter the game un-ranked, but come kick-off time, that matters little to them.

"I think we will have to play our best and knowing these guys, they will give it their all and will not back down from the challenge," Somers said. "My hope for them is that they compete hard, enjoy each other and enjoy the moment of playing for a regional title. I hope they have fun doing what they love."

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five yards out to cap the drive with a score. J. Hutchinson also ran in the two-point conversion to make it 8-0.

Hillman responded with a scoring drive of its own and faked an extra point to convert a two-point pass to knot things up at 8-8 with 1:53 to play in the first quarter.

Early in the second, Tim Hutchinson broke free on a pair of big runs, the second of which was a 33-yard touchdown run. T. Hutchinson also tacked on the two-pointer, making it 16-8.

Hillman moved the ball down the field on its next drive as well, and appeared to be headed for a potential game-tying score as it reached deep inside Alcona territory.

On a second-and-11 from the Alcona 24-yard line, Hillman completed a pass that allowed the receiver to reach the 10-yard line, but a hit by the defense caused a fumble, allowing Alcona's Damion Stewart to recover for a key turnover at the seven yard line.

The Tigers cashed in on the extra possession on a T. Hutchinson run from 40-yard out, allowing them to take a 22-8 advantage.

"We knew that Hillman was going to be good and this was huge for us to get that turnover and then turn it into points to give ourselves a little bit of breathing room," Somers said.

Later in the half, T. Hutchinson converted a fourth-and-two on the 37-yard line into a touchdown, staking the Tigers to a 30-8, before settling for a 30-16 lead at the half.

"All year our offensive line has done a remarkable job of giving our backs good places to run," Somers said. "On this night, the backs finished the blocking and then also finished their runs really

well." Just two plays into the second half J. Hutchinson exploded for a 60-yard touchdown run, with an Alex Stephenson quarterback-keeper on the two-pointer making it 38-16.

Early in the fourth, Stephenson raced his way down the right sideline on a keeper for an 18-yard touchdown run and a one-yard plunge by Kyle Haeger midway through the frame made it a commanding 50-16 lead.

Jon Hudgins added another short touchdown run, and though Hillman scored three touchdowns in the game's final few minutes, Alcona was able to comfortably run out the clock. All this against a red-hot Hillman team that upset number one seed AuGres the week before.

"I think this win shows our team got better and it shows how much they have grown together, making things like winning playoff games possible," Somers said.

The potent ground-game was led by T. Hutchinson with 243 yards and three touchdowns on 25 carries. J. Hutchinson ran 17 times for 157 yards and two scores. Stephenson added 138 yards and one score on nine attempts. Haeger and Hudgins rounded out the scoring with one touchdown each.

On defense, the Tigers were led by Cody Schram with eight tackles. Stewart had seven and Devon Mills and Stephenson had six apiece. Stewart and Travis added one fumble recovery each.

Alcona (9-2 overall) heads to fourth ranked Nouvel (11-0) on Friday for a chance at its first regional championship. The Panthers are coming off a come-from-behind 27-26 win over Harbor Beech last week.

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SENIOR LIFESTYLES

When will Medicaid pay for nursing home care?

Dear Savvy Senior,
What are the eligibility requirements to get Medicaid coverage for nursing home care?

Caregiving Daughter

Dear Caregiving,

The rules and requirements for Medicaid eligibility for nursing home care are complicated and will vary according to the state where your parent lives. With that said, here's a general, simplified rundown of what it takes to qualify.

Medicaid, the joint federal and state program that covers health care for the poor, is also the largest single payer of America's nursing home bills for seniors who don't have the resources to pay for their own care.

Most people who enter nursing homes don't qualify for Medicaid at first, but pay for care either through long-term care insurance or out-of-pocket until they deplete their savings and become eligible for Medicaid.

To qualify for Medicaid, your parent's income and assets will need to be under a certain level that's determined by their state. Most states require that a person has no more than about \$2,000 in countable assets that includes cash, savings, investments or other financial resources that can be turned into cash.

Assets that aren't counted for eligibility include their home if it's valued under \$560,000 (this limit is higher - up to \$840,000 - in some states), their personal possessions and household goods, one vehicle, prepaid funeral plans and a small amount of life insurance.

But be aware that while your parent's home is not considered a countable asset to determine their eligibility, if he or she can't return home, Medicaid can go after the proceeds of their house to help reimburse their nursing home costs, unless a spouse or other dependent relative lives there. (There are some other exceptions to this rule.)

After qualifying, all sources of your parent's income such as Social Security and pension checks must be turned over to Medicaid to pay for their care, except for a small personal needs allowance - usually between \$30 and \$90.

You also need to be aware that your parent can't give away their assets to qualify for Medicaid faster. Medicaid officials will look at their financial records going back five years to root out suspicious asset transfers. If they find one, their Medicaid coverage will be delayed a certain length of time, according to a formula that divides the transfer amount by the average monthly cost of nursing home care in their state.

So if, for example, your parent lives in a state where the average monthly nursing home cost is \$5,000 and they gave away cash or other assets worth \$50,000, they would be ineligible for benefits for 10 months (\$50,000 divided by \$5,000 = 10).

Medicaid also has special rules for married couples



Savvy Senior

when one spouse enters a nursing home and the other spouse remains at home.

In these cases, the healthy spouse can keep one half of the couple's assets up to \$120,900 (this amount varies by state), the family home, all the furniture and household goods and one automobile. The healthy spouse is also entitled to keep a portion of the couple's monthly income - between \$2,030 and \$3,022. Any income above that goes toward the cost of the nursing home recipient's care.

Medicare, the federal health insurance program for seniors 65 and older, and some younger people with

disabilities, does not pay for long-term care. It only helps pay up to 100 days of rehabilitative nursing home care, which must occur after a hospital stay.

For more detailed information, contact your state Medicaid office (see Medicaid.gov for contact information). You can also get help from your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see ShiptaCenter.org), which provides free counseling on all Medicare and Medicaid issues.

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Putting the time in: Steiner is Alcona's all-time goal leader



Alcona senior Jordan Steiner, in a district game this season, set the soccer program's career goals, 131, and season goals, 51, records this fall. *Photo by Ben Murphy.*

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

Alcona senior Jordan Steiner was a big piece of the puzzle to the soccer team's success over the last four years. The fleet-footed forward scored 51 goals and had 20 assists in his final high school season. His 51 goals was a single season school record -- a record he set twice before and it also gives him 139 career goals, also a school record.

"It is definitely pretty special," Steiner said. "I had older brothers (Jared and Jason) that played before me so I had a lot to live up to. They both played all four years and started all four years and were a big part of the program. I may have had big shoes to fill so I have to give a lot of credit to my family, my teammates and the glory to God for my career and not

having any major injuries or anything like that."

As the younger brother of two solid soccer players in their own-right, Jordan's fondness for the game seemed natural from day one.

"From a young age I started playing," he said. "My parents (Tim and Kathy Steiner of Mikado) got me involved and they, along with my older brothers, really pounded it into me. We would be in the backyard every evening in the summer and we would kick the ball around, working on drills. A lot of credit goes to them for all of this."

All those drills and endless nights in the backyard paid off in a big way for Steiner, as he easily eclipsed the previous career record of 64 goals, set by Trent LaVergne.

The Tigers are one of the smallest schools to carry soc-

cer in the area, meaning they had to play some much bigger programs. That didn't seem to slow down Steiner and his team much however.

"We have a lot of team chemistry with each other, we play for each other and our coach (Tim Munro) and our fans that show up to our games," Steiner said. "The win over Alpena this season was huge for us. We just went out there, played hard and went after it and we won it."

Alcona had won back-to-back district titles entering this season, but came up just short this year in a shoot-out loss to eventual district champ Roscommon this year.

"That was definitely hard," Steiner said. "We beat them last year in districts, so they were after us. Last year we

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Hunting the peak of the rut

By **Gregg Schefferly**
Outdoor Writer

The silence was broken by the sound of running feet; suddenly, right in front of me a doe burst out of the cover, and squatted to urinate. Her head snapped back to look behind her before she ran off.

I heard grunting and, in the blink of an eye, he was standing exactly where the doe had urinated moments earlier. The buck, a spike-horn, put his nose into the ground inhaling and analyzing the scent just deposited by the doe. He stood there momentarily before tearing off grunting in pursuit of the doe.

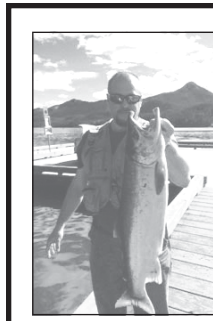
In a span of 20 minutes I heard and saw a fork-horn and a small six-point follow the same trail grunting as they moved through.

This was just one of a few experiences I had with rutting bucks last year.

Over the 30 years I've been hunting I've been blessed to have experienced hundreds of rutting bucks chasing does past me.

During one opener, over the course of four or five hours, I had the same buck chase a doe past me twice, with the third time being the "charm;" I had the good fortune of watching them breed.

I believe you can discern the difference between a younger and a mature buck grunt. On two occasions I've heard a buck grunt that was unlike any I've ever heard. Unfortunately, these bucks



Exploring the Outdoors

By **Gregg Schefferly**

never showed themselves, but the sound they made left me without a doubt they were both mature, trophy whitetail bucks.

Hunters want nothing more than to have the rut peak on the firearm opener. Nothing can bring to life the woods more than the rut. Bucks, normally nocturnal, are suddenly found moving about in broad daylight. As a result, there are many different opinions as to what determines the timing of the peak of the rut. Deer biologists have done many studies to try and unlock the secret of the timing of the rut. Some believe the weather can affect it, others believe it's tied to the full moon in November, which is known as the hunter's moon.

Many biologists believe the rut is tied to the length of daylight; somehow the shorter days trigger the does to come into season. I was told of a whitetail biologist who studies both deer in the wild and pen-raised deer. His studies showed that his pen-raised does drop their fawns every year within a three day period; which, he believes, regardless of the weather or moon phase proves that the rut is triggered by the length of daylight.

Based on my experiences the last 38 years, I have to agree with him. I believe that the moon and weather do affect hunting in regard to daytime deer movement, but the rut in Michigan peaks mid-November. It's long been understood that during periods of a full moon deer will move less during the day and move more at night.

The same can be said when it's warmer. I believe deer in mid-November move less during the day when the temperatures are above normal. I recall a hunting buddy who had a tremendous amount of deer sign around his stand, yet on the opener he didn't see a deer. They pulled the card on the game camera and had well over a hundred pictures of deer overnight between the 15th and 16th. The full moon that year landed on November 14.

With the firearm opener only a week away, I've been hearing reports that some of the nicer bucks are showing up while it's still daylight and that they are starting to chase. The key word is chase; everything I've heard indicate that while they are in the mood, the does are not ready.

Halloween, for me, is the time when there's a transformation in the woods. Late October is when the does start getting harassed. Up until then they would feed alongside one another on the food-plots. Late October is traditionally when bucks start harassing the does. This is the

time when seeing or smelling a buck is all it takes for the does to scurry off to avoid being harassed.

It's long been known that monitoring scrapes is the perfect indicator of when buck's start finding does in heat. Before the time when does come into heat bucks take their frustrations out on rubs and scrapes and leave their scent. When they encounter does in heat they are too busy chasing to pay attention to scrapes.

Fresh scrapes will reek of the pungent scent of a rutting buck and around the them will be fresh urine stains and tracks. Once the rut kicks in they go cold. In my experience, this seems to occur within a week of the gun season.

Late October archery hunting is so much fun because you can see this transformation in deer behavior firsthand. This magical time is when some of the nicest bucks are taken with a bow as the mature bucks are on the move looking for the first does to come into heat. The pre-rut is when grunt calls, rattling and bleat cans tend to work the best to lure in those rut-crazed bucks.

As the firearm opener approaches this year, it looks to be a good one. Based on reports, it would seem we have a large number of trophy bucks out there. Buck poles this year should see some real bruisers hanging on them.

Patience is the key -- hang tough, and stay the course. Some of the nicest bucks show up later as the woods quiet down after the first few days.

I'd like to encourage hunters to pick up a doe tag and to take some does. During the last few years the deer population has exploded and it's our responsibility to help manage the herd. Based on the numbers of deer observed in the fields the last couple of years, we need to harvest a lot of does. If we don't Mother Nature or the state will take care of the problem, either way the hunters lose.

When the state reduces deer numbers they care not about the sex or age of the animal and they shoot a lot of mature bucks. If Mother Nature does it we could see the deer herd wiped out. Hunters are stewards of the land and it's our responsibility to manage the herd, so please let's do our part. I hope the 2017 firearm season is a good one. Good luck, and be safe.

(After spending the last several years in Afghanistan, Alaska, North Dakota, and Wisconsin, Gregg Schefferly has recently returned to writing and Lincoln where he grew up hunting, fishing, and trapping.)

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Bob began to notice items of interest in the ground and the water with historical value. This was before the mandatory marine sanctuary law came into place where historical artifacts became wards of the state and could not be moved.

Tools used to make barrels, net stones to hold fishing nets in place and even 270 feet of anchor chain appeared on or just off his property in the lake. He and his young sons worked long and hard in cold waters to retrieve the heavy anchor chain, knock off the thick crustacean formed on it and with the help of a bull dozer, dragged the chain up to their home, which decorates the perimeter of their lot.

It was also during this time Bob began to talk to families and historians about the area, to learn exactly what took place there and who cared for the land.

"I gathered huge amounts of information interviewing second and third generation family members who were involved in Springport history over a 10-year period from 1983 to 1993. Unfortunately, I made an error when collecting the data. I failed to record the dates when the interviews took place. All the people I interviewed, except for one, are now deceased, so they can't contradict me," Bob said.

The book contains the abstract of the original 10 lots in the subdivision which Bob wanted to document because he was the only one with an abstract, saying it was no longer available at any abstract office.

The book focuses on three individuals, Simeon Holden, Joseph Van Buskirk and Carl E. Schmidt, although there were other notable figures owning or working the land at one time or another.

According to what Bob found out, Holden was a fisherman in the 1840s who was blown ashore in a storm with a crew of two. Since weather prohibited the men from re-launching, they explored the area. Holden liked it and its abundant supply of white pine. A wood high in demand to make fish-shipping barrels.

Starting a barrel business on the land, Holden moved his wife, two children and his wife's sister to the area, becoming the first white settlers in what would become Alcona County.

One of the most interesting figures to Bob was Carl E. Schmidt. He owned 10,000 acres of land with 12 miles of Lake Huron frontage around 1929. "From what I could find out, Schmidt deeded the road access free of charge to the State of Michigan to build US-23. That's huge. He was

quite a fellow," Bob said.

Another interesting story in the book is about Bob himself, just after purchasing his lake front cabin. While walking around the Springport land he happened upon a depression in the ground on his neighbor's property which he thought was a grave.

Bob got his neighbors permission to dig up what was there. "My uncles and mother were here, and we set out lawn chairs. Carolyn made ice tea and my son and I started digging. We got down two feet and ran into some chicken wire, plate pieces and a bent pewter fork. We got down three and a half feet and started finding what I thought were finger bones. We slowed things down and meticulously began putting the bones out on sheets. We got down a bit further and found beef roast bones. We finally hit the bottom of the

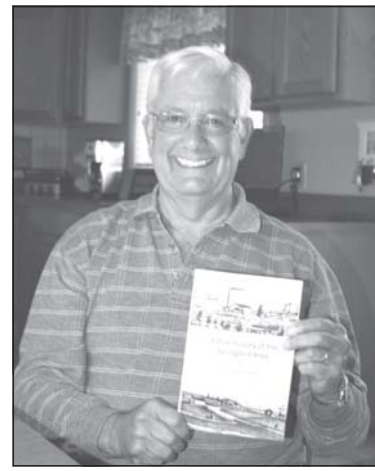
hole where the dirt was hard panned," Bob said

After some thought and examination of what had been dug up, the conclusion was it was not a gravesite, but the remains of what was once an outhouse dating back to about 1870s during the Van Buskirk days. What Bob thought were finger bones, were actually chicken and rabbit bones.

Bob accredited many people who helped him with the research of his book and with interviews, including the late Doris Gauthier, a local historian, who not only helped him with his research but encouraged him to write the book.

The book is paragraphically documented, listing sources and publications of where Bob secured the historical data.

Photographs in the book were collected from several



Bob Merkel with his book, sources, including Bob's own photograph of his great-great grandparent's log cabin in Haynes Township. He explained that while it was not a photograph of Holden's log cabin, it was what it would have most likely looked like, as most log homes of the 1800s looked similar.

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Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



All nimrods off for "the front"

Twenty of Harrisville's Eagle-Eyed Hunters in Flynn Valley

November 8, 1917 ~ Kaiser Bill and his 42-centimeter guns have nothing on the bunch that are leaving this week to stalk the deer in the Flynn Valley region. As a noise-making aggregation the Nimrods probably have the best of the argument, for a combined discharge of their complete armament would make the earth tremble for miles around, and the poor

deer have about as much chance of escaping as old Bill himself when the Khaki lads get across.

Three parties are going, composed of twenty or more men, all more or less celebrated locally for quick eye and active trigger finger. The largest party embraces Mayor A. R. Miller, Cleve Noyes, Senator Duncan McRae, Judge Geo. W. Burt, "Dad"

Beever, Will Elmer, Win Chapelle, A. T. Swarouth and David Green. The last two named a re from Laingsberg and are hunters of good repute.

Wilbur Monroe heads the next party with such able lieutenants as Chas. Conklin, Jeff Waters, Frank Chapelle, Capt. J. E. Henderson, Joey Miller and George Benson—the latter from Port Huron.

The third bunch, though fewer in numbers, never fail to bring home the venison. They are Bert Noyes, Stewart Conklin, F. L. Tibbies, and John Dunn.

Now, will some one tell us just what chance there is for the game out in the Flynn Valley section?

Finest physically trained troops

Wm. Armstrong Says That's What is Making at Camp Sheridan

November 8, 1917 ~ Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 2, 1917.

Dear Editor:— I just decided to write you a few lines and tell you that Kaiser Bill hasn't got me yet and that as long as I feel as good as I do now he'll have to hustle some to get me.

I have been here in camp with the 37th division since Sept. 18th and have been working hard ever since. At first it kind of went against my nature for you know by experience I have a natural aversion for work, but I soon got used to it and now I enjoy the exercise. We turn out every morning at 5:30 except Sunday. At 5:45 we line up for reveille and exercises and exercise until 6:50, then breakfast, At 7:50 we line up for drill and drill until 11:45, have dinner at 12 and fall in for drill at 1, and drill until 4:30, stand retreat at 4:45. At 5 mess and have the rest of the time for study and play.

We have a fine physical instructor and he is trying to make us the finest physically trained troops in America, and by the way most of us feel I think he is succeeding. I never felt so fine and so able to take care of myself as I do now and most of the other boys feel the same.

We were given the tubercular and heart test a week ago and out of my company there were just three men who were found defective. There are 147 men in the company.


I wish we were in France now. We might help to make Kaiser Bill sick of his job much sooner than he thinks of it. A great many people think we should have waited until the Germans attacked us over here. Great Guns, they attacked us enough and in the most cowardly and dastardly manner ever known to civilization.

We call them Huns but Attila and his hordes were gentlemen compared with Bill Kaiser and his Kultur Krew. Who ever heard of Attila attacking a lot of peaceful and harmless women and children and ruthlessly murdering them. Who ever heard of the Huns of his time grinding their dead comrades up for fertilizer.


I tell you they would never have thought of being so filthy or cruel, and that is only a little of the reality. The world will never know all the horrors of this war for the spread of Bill's Kultur.

Well I must close before I get rough and say things. So good bye.

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Nov. 8, 2017

Seven Day Forecast

WEDNESDAY
Mostly Sunny
High: 42 Low: 30

THURSDAY
Snow Showers Likely
High: 36 Low: 15

FRIDAY
Mostly Cloudy
High: 26 Low: 19

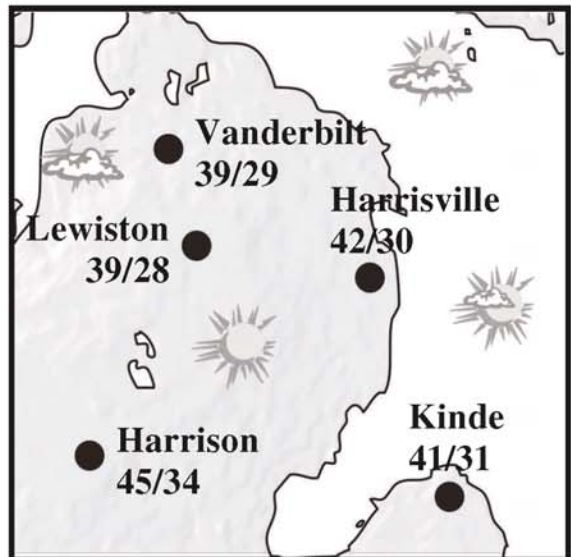
SATURDAY
Rain & Snow Possible
High: 35 Low: 29

SUNDAY
Snow Showers Likely
High: 42 Low: 31

MONDAY
Mostly Cloudy
High: 43 Low: 32

TUESDAY
Cloudy
High: 46 Low: 35

Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly sunny skies, high temperature of 42°, humidity of 48%. West southwest wind 8 to 13 mph. The record high temperature for today is 69° set in 1931. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight, overnight low of 30°. Southwest wind 9 to 13 mph. The wind chill for tonight could reach 21°.

*Last Week's Almanac

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Tuesday	45	34	50/32	0.05"
Wednesday	44	30	49/32	Trace
Thursday	47	36	49/32	0.15"
Friday	46	32	48/32	Trace
Saturday	45	32	48/31	0.22"
Sunday	52	39	48/31	0.04"
Monday	41	30	47/31	Trace

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	7:22 a.m.	5:12 p.m.	9:42 p.m.	12:02 p.m.
Thursday	7:24 a.m.	5:11 p.m.	10:49 p.m.	12:53 p.m.
Friday	7:25 a.m.	5:10 p.m.	11:58 p.m.	1:36 p.m.
Saturday	7:27 a.m.	5:09 p.m.	Prev Day	2:13 p.m.
Sunday	7:28 a.m.	5:08 p.m.	1:06 a.m.	2:45 p.m.
Monday	7:29 a.m.	5:06 p.m.	2:12 a.m.	3:14 p.m.
Tuesday	7:31 a.m.	5:05 p.m.	3:17 a.m.	3:41 p.m.

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UV Index
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National Weather Summary This Week

The Northeast will see partly to mostly cloudy skies with isolated rain Wednesday and Thursday, mostly clear skies Friday, highest temperature of 54 in Southampton, N.Y. The Southeast will experience partly cloudy skies through Friday with isolated showers and thunderstorms, highest temperature of 86 in Ocala, Fla. In the Northwest there will be partly to mostly cloudy skies through Friday with scattered rain and snow, highest temperature of 54 in Roseburg, Ore. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies through Friday with isolated rain, highest temperature of 81 in Phoenix, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	9:03 a.m.	5:52 p.m.
Venus	5:59 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
Mars	4:11 a.m.	3:52 p.m.
Jupiter	6:26 a.m.	4:49 p.m.
Saturn	10:33 a.m.	7:27 p.m.
Uranus	4:15 p.m.	7:00 p.m.

Weather History

Nov. 8, 1989 - Afternoon and evening thunderstorms developing along and ahead of a cold front produced severe weather from northern Louisiana into central Georgia. Thunderstorms spawned three tornadoes and there were 64 reports of large hail ordamaging winds.

Weather Trivia

Which time of day is the best for tornado development?

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Answer: In the afternoon between 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm.

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StarWatch By Gary Becker - Action Figures Dominate Fall Sky

A few weeks ago when the moon was near its new phase, I wrote about how to find the Andromeda Galaxy. The star pattern of the teenager, Andromeda, the daughter of evil Cassiopeia, Queen of Ethiopia, hangs onto Pegasus the Flying Horse as she is being conveyed to the kingdom of Polydectes, on the island of Seriphos, and away from imminent death. There, Perseus the Hero, rescuer of Andromeda, will change Polydectes and his court into stone with the head of the Medusa who he has just slain. The "snake-beheaded" Medusa, one of three Gorgon monsters, was so scary that simply looking into her eyes metamorphosed the viewer into stone. Perseus then assumes his rightful place as king, marries Andromeda, has lots of kids, and lives happily ever after. Sounds like the making of a Hollywood blockbuster, and indeed the story has been told several times on the big screen in two versions of Clash of the Titans (1981 and 2010). The perpetrator of these malevolencies in the mythology is Cassiopeia who plays the old "mirror, mirror on the wall" game and truly believes that she is the fairest of them all. This starts a whole sequence of events that first infuriates Nereus, who is the father of the Sea Nymphs. The Nereids are considered by man and god to be the most beautiful women in existence. A storm and tidal wave sent by Nereus does little to persuade Cassiopeia to quit her offensive behavior and that sets Nereus to ask his good friend Poseidon, God of the Oceans, to take care of the matter once and for all. Poseidon conjures up a sea monster called Cetus the Whale to ravage Ethiopia. Hollywood ramped up the excitement by substituting the Kraken for Cetus, a really hideous creature. The Kraken does get Cassiopeia's attention. The oracle that she consults to vanquish the monster declares that she should offer Andromeda as a sacrifice. Cassiopeia complies without hesitation. Meanwhile another mythology is unfolding with Perseus trying to slay the Medusa, a ploy that Polydectes has devised to get rid of Perseus permanently, so that he can marry Perseus' beautiful mother, Danae. Perseus decapitates the Medusa with the help of Hermes (Mercury) and Aphrodite (Venus), putting her head into a sack; but on the way home, airborne Perseus gets blown off course by the terrible storm Nereus has wrought against Cassiopeia. The skies clear for Perseus just as Cetus is about to devour Andromeda. You've got to know what happens next. Cetus is "stoned," Andromeda rescued; Perseus and Andromeda return to Polydectes' court where a lot of limestone statues are created. All of these action figures are on display this week in the NE right after it gets dark. Good observing! www.astronomy.org

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. 19, 1824, a flood on the Neva River near St. Petersburg, Russia, claims an estimated 10,000 lives after an ice jam broke apart and the water overwhelmed the city's dam. The surge was so powerful that several ships were thrown into the city's marketplace.
 - On Nov. 15, 1956, the movie "Love Me Tender," featuring Elvis Presley in his big-screen debut, premieres. Originally titled "The Reno Brothers," the movie was renamed after a song that Presley sings during the film.
 - On Nov. 17, 1968, the Oakland Raiders score two touchdowns in nine seconds to beat the New York Jets -- and no one sees it. With just 65 seconds left to play, NBC switched off the game in favor of its previously scheduled programming, "Heidi," a children's movie about a young girl in the Alps.
 - On Nov. 14, 1970, a chartered jet carrying most of the Marshall University football team crashes in West Virginia. All 75 passengers were killed, including 37 football players, the coach, doctors, the athletic director and 25 team boosters.
 - On Nov. 13, 1982, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial is dedicated in Washington, D.C. The memorial is a simple V-shaped black-granite wall inscribed with the names of the 57,939 Americans who died in the conflict, arranged in order of death, not rank.
 - On Nov. 18, 1991, Muslim kidnappers in Lebanon free Terry Waite after more than four years of captivity. Waite, special envoy of the archbishop of Canterbury, had secured the release of detained missionaries before being captured himself. He spent most of the four years chained to a radiator.
 - On Nov. 16, 2001, "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" opens in movie theaters. The film, which starred Daniel Radcliffe in the title role, went on to become one of the highest-grossing movies in history.
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Super Crossword

SPIRITUAL ADVANCEMENT

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Carried, as a load</p> <p>6 University in Druid Hills, Georgia</p> <p>11 Old TV's "Mayberry —"</p> <p>14 Mythical man-goat</p> <p>19 Sub in WWII</p> <p>20 Coloratura Callas</p> <p>21 The "E" of REO</p> <p>22 Milo of films</p> <p>23 Toot one's own horn</p> <p>24 Tidy up</p> <p>25 Seoul soldier</p> <p>26 Bridle straps</p> <p>27 Start of a riddle</p> <p>31 Volcano stuff</p> <p>32 Basilica seat</p> <p>33 — Lorraine (region of France)</p> <p>34 Break bread</p> <p>37 Riddle, part 2</p> <p>44 Made up for</p> <p>46 Cupid's counterpart</p> <p>47 Mello — (drink brand)</p> <p>48 Paint type</p> | <p>49 Trembly tree</p> <p>51 Pepsi or Tab</p> <p>55 Picnic spoiler</p> <p>56 Pitching star</p> <p>57 Clog or pump</p> <p>58 Skylight?</p> <p>60 No-frills shirt</p> <p>61 Riddle, part 3</p> <p>67 Actress Long or Vardalos</p> <p>68 Hurry-scurry</p> <p>69 People with power</p> <p>70 Riddle, part 4</p> <p>82 Lac liquid</p> <p>83 Bumper finish</p> <p>84 Assistant</p> <p>85 Man-mouse connector</p> <p>86 eBay offers</p> <p>88 Stitches</p> <p>89 Signed one's name to</p> <p>91 Up and about</p> <p>93 Weeps</p> <p>95 Slushy drink</p> <p>96 Gave in exchange</p> <p>97 End of the riddle</p> <p>104 Me, in Lyons</p> | <p>105 Old game consoles</p> <p>106 Near-infinite time span</p> <p>107 Shiny stone</p> <p>110 Riddle's answer</p> <p>117 Student</p> <p>119 Hill VIP: Abbr.</p> <p>120 Sky hunter</p> <p>121 Feel jubilant</p> <p>122 Beneficial</p> <p>123 Ending for Sudan</p> <p>124 "Pippin" Tony winner</p> <p>125 Lamp spirit</p> <p>126 Overly fond type</p> <p>127 Old JFK flier</p> <p>128 Paid to play</p> <p>129 Braying ones</p> <p>DOWN</p> <p>1 Friend of Forrest Gump</p> <p>2 Some double reeds</p> <p>3 Household insect trap</p> <p>4 Curiosity org.</p> <p>5 Caesar's dying words</p> | <p>6 Was a roast host, say</p> <p>7 African land</p> <p>8 Russian city</p> <p>9 Iranian coin</p> <p>10 Yin's partner</p> <p>11 Throw again, as dice</p> <p>12 Like silky down</p> <p>13 Authoritarian decree</p> <p>14 Black magic</p> <p>15 On a cruise</p> <p>16 Sleeping bag fabric brand</p> <p>17 Osaka coin</p> <p>18 Coll. dorm supervisors</p> <p>28 Barreled</p> <p>29 Fezzes, e.g.</p> <p>30 Learning loc.</p> <p>35 More homely</p> <p>36 Gives a call</p> <p>38 "Liftoff!"</p> <p>39 Really annoy</p> <p>40 Ward off</p> <p>41 Prior to, to a bard</p> <p>42 Swindle</p> <p>43 Beyond, to a bard</p> <p>44 "Woe!"</p> <p>45 Tijuana nosh</p> <p>49 "I caught ya!"</p> <p>50 Fa-la link</p> <p>51 Bovine chew</p> | <p>52 Eye, to a bard</p> <p>53 Mauna —</p> <p>54 Make it</p> <p>57 Mown paths</p> <p>58 Before long, to a bard</p> <p>59 Ex-governor Carlson</p> <p>62 Savings acct.</p> <p>63 Blu-ray —</p> <p>64 Unvarying</p> <p>65 Suffix with block</p> <p>66 Suffix with balloon</p> <p>70 Skype setup</p> <p>71 Coiffure</p> <p>72 An amplifier receives it</p> <p>73 "— you in?"</p> <p>74 Drag</p> <p>75 Ambulance inits.</p> <p>76 "Star Trek" actor George</p> <p>77 Rush along</p> <p>78 Mix in</p> <p>79 Holders of frankfurters</p> <p>80 Maumee Bay's lake</p> <p>81 36 inches</p> <p>87 Month no. 9</p> <p>89 German "I"</p> | <p>90 Born, in Lyons</p> <p>91 Klee's forte</p> <p>92 Took a chair</p> <p>94 Waldorf's Muppet partner</p> <p>95 Formal reply to "Who's there?"</p> <p>96 Scads</p> <p>98 Biblical verb suffix</p> <p>99 Lectern platforms</p> <p>100 "Hondo" actor James</p> <p>101 Official seal</p> <p>102 Lie at rest</p> <p>103 Bewailed</p> <p>108 "The Office" actress Kemper</p> <p>109 Deals (out)</p> <p>111 Belgian/ French river</p> <p>112 Den fixture</p> <p>113 Pressing tool</p> <p>114 Nasal spray, e.g.</p> <p>115 Dreamcast company</p> <p>116 Firewood splitters</p> <p>117 Peas' place</p> <p>118 ET carrier</p> |
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Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

- It was 20th-century American journalist, editor and writing teacher Brenda Ueland who made the following sage observation: "Inspiration does not come like a bolt, nor is it kinetic, energetic striving, but it comes into us slowly and quietly and all the time, though we must regularly and every day give it a little chance to start flowing, prime it with a little solitude and idleness."
- If you heard the word "pantophobia," you might (logically) assume that it means a fear of pants. You'd be only partially correct, however; those who suffer from pantophobia are, presumably, afraid of pants -- but that's just because they're afraid of everything.
- You might be surprised to learn that the first Model T Fords weren't black -- they were green with red stripes.
- If you're thinking of starting a business and want to get up and running right away, there's a company ready to help you get started. Novanym, a branding firm based in Farnborough, England, can provide you with a unique name and its matching .com domain -- even your choice of three logos for your fledgling venture. For less than \$700 you can brand your company as Aquinique, Spiranti or Fenmarch. Have a more generous budget? Try Mupkin, Cubexis or Zeqon, all in the \$5,000 range. If you really want to go all-out -- and are in the right industry -- try Motaway for \$25,727, or even InvestmentEtc, which is going for nearly \$40,000.
- You might be surprised to learn that if you add up all the deaths that are caused worldwide by tuberculosis, malaria and AIDS, the total would be less than a third of those attributable to pollution, which accounts for 16 percent of all global deaths.

Thought for the Day: "Truth-tellers are not always palatable. There is a preference for candy bars." -- Gwendolyn Brooks

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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: E equals C

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Hope Lutheran Church Bazaar, Saturday, November 11, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Soup and salad luncheon; homemade chicken noodle or cream of broccoli soup, assorted salad, dessert, beverage \$8. Raffle: Beautiful queen-size quilt, cross-stitched wall hanging and Christmas tree skirt. Hope's famous homemade horse-radish, pasties, sauerkraut, pickled beets, pickles, jams, jellies, canned fruits and vegetables, noodles and breads. Hope Lutheran Church, 5462 West Nicholson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake. Wheelchair ac

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Classified ad Deadline is Monday at 5 p.m.

HUGE ESTATE SALE

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Saturday, Nov. 18th - 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Homemade soup/dessert lunch
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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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beat them on their home field and this year they beat us on ours. That was especially tough for Conner McCoy (the team's other senior), we won't be able to put an Alcona soccer jersey ever again."

With all of those goals coming off his feet, Steiner admitted that there is one in particular that stands out above the rest; when he scored a game-winning goal against Roscommon for the district championship in 2016.

"Putting in the last second goal against Roscommon was a favorite," he said. "That doesn't happen very often in

soccer for anybody, so for it to be able to happen to me, I felt pretty blessed to be able to do that. That's probably my biggest memory, that and just all the time spent with teammates and this great group of guys."

Steiner, who is also a point guard on the Alcona varsity basketball team, hopes to continue playing on at the next level.

"I plan on going to college to play soccer," he said. "I'm still undecided on where, but I've narrowed it down to a couple of schools but wherever I go, I am going to see if I can play for them."



Organization Notes

Alcona Lodge No. 292

Awards night at the September meeting of Alcona Lodge No. 292 included presentation of a 50-year membership pin to Richard Bailey of Oscoda. He joined Genesee Lodge No. 174 in Flint, Mich. on February 23, 1967 and maintained his Masonic affiliation during his lifetime as he moved about. He was a member of Portage-Brady Lodge in Schoolcraft, Au-Sable Lodge in Oscoda, Monitor Lodge in Hampton, Va., and Oriental Lodge in Matthews, Va., before retiring to the area and joining Alcona Lodge.

Alcona Lodge recognizes that so many men and women in the Alcona County community work to make this a better place in which to live. These volunteers share a great deal of time and energy to help in many ways.

Of particular importance to the lodge was recognizing the efforts and contributions made by Stanley Darmofal of Harrisville. He was honored with the Grand Lodge Free and Accepted Masons of Michigan's "Edgar A. Guest" award.

The Edgar Guest award is given to a non-Mason who distinguishes him or herself through outstanding service to the community. The award was presented by way of resolution earlier in the year and shared the following information:

A former resident of Livonia, Michigan, Darmofal is a retired engineer from Ford Motor Company. He retired to Harrisville with his wife, Sandy, and became involved in the community. His accomplishments and record of service are unparalleled, and follow in part:

- Organized the 40-plus amateur radio operators in Alcona County into a viable, functional and effective communications group for the purpose of providing emergency service and communications during civic events in addition to promoting amateur radio as a hobby.
- Spearheaded the drive to raise \$8,200 to purchase and outfit the Alcona County Emergency Communications Trailer.
- Joined and became a dedicated worker, organizer and, eventually, a member of the Alcona County Fair Board.

- Teaches basic radio theory to assist those interested in obtaining their FCC amateur radio license.

- Teaches basic radio theory to assist Alcona High School students in obtaining their Federal Communication Commission amateur radio licenses and mentors them once they have received their license. To date, over 50 students received their first license and are now an active part of the worldwide emergency communications network.

- Organizes the semiannual National Weather Service programs put on in Alcona County.

- Darmofal has received recognition for his outstanding contribution and exceptional service to Alcona County from the Alcona County Board of Commissioners; has been recognized for his programs and service by QST, the official publication of the American Radio Relay League; and has received recognition for his commitment to students interested in amateur radio by Alcona High School and contributions to Alcona Community Schools; and has been recognized for continued public service by Senator Walter H. North, and the American Red Cross

He was honored as Volunteer of the Year by the offices of Emergency Management in District Three (Northern Lower Michigan). Darmofal is the Alcona County Emergency Management Coordinator under the Michigan Office of Emergency Management and is an official Volunteer Exam Coordinator for FCC amateur radio license testing - a group of specialized licensees authorized to proctor and conduct license examinations for the FCC

Darmofal is also a member of St. Anne Catholic Church and still manages to spend quality time with his wife, Sandy, their children and grandchildren.

Darmofal's commitment to the community has made it a better and safer place in which to live. His activities rival full time employment. It therefore becomes our privilege and responsibility to accord citizens like him all the recognition they so richly deserve.

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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 6, 2017: Name(s) of the mortgagor(s): William T. David and Ann Marie David, husband and wife. Original mortgagee: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. Foreclosing assignee (if any): U.S. Bank, National Association, as trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of

March 1, 2007, GSAMP Trust 2007-HE2, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-HE2
 Date of mortgage: January 12, 2007. Date of mortgage recording: February 28, 2007. Amount claimed due on date of notice: \$96,362.55.
 Description of the mortgaged premises: Situated in township of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan, and described as: Lot 20, Hardwood Point, township of Alcona, Alcona County, Michigan as recorded in Liber 1, page 41, Alcona County records. The redemption period shall be one year from the date of such sale, un-

less determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a. 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 8, 2017
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State of Michigan Family Court County of Alcona Publication of Notice of Hearing File No. 17-2911 NC

In the matter of Suzan Marie Tackett
 To all interested persons including: Take Notice: A hearing will be held on Thursday, December 14, 2017 at 10 a.m. at courthouse, Harrisville, Mich. before Judge Laura A. Frawley P39644 for the following purpose: To change the name of the petitioner, Suzan Marie Tackett, an adult, to her maiden name Suzan Marie Olin. Date: November 2, 2017
 Suzan Marie Tackett
 4210 Wilcox Road
 Mikado, Mich. 48745
 (734) 788-0745

State of Michigan Probate Court County of Alcona Notice to Creditors Decedent's Estate File No. 17-5772 DE

Estate of Ronald L. Bellman
 Date of birth: July 17, 1942
 To all creditors: Notice to creditors: The decedent, Ronald L. Bellman, died July 14, 2017. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Lisa M. Hurley, personal representative, or to both the probate court at P.O. Box 328, Harrisville, Mich. 48740 and the personal representative within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.
 Date: November 1, 2017
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Bingo-every Saturday at the Barton City Eagles from 5:30 to 11 p.m.

Bingo Ossineke Eagles, Wednesday at 6 p.m. Jackpot this week \$450, maximum \$500. Public welcome.

BIDS WANTED

The Alcona County Road Commission is seeking bids for one or more new three-quarter ton, 4x4, four door, crew cab, pickup, six foot box. Specifications and bid forms may be requested at the office of the Alcona County Road Commission, 301 North Lake Street, Lincoln, Mich. 48742, by phone (989) 736-8168, e-mail roads@alconacrc.com or online at alconacrc.com.



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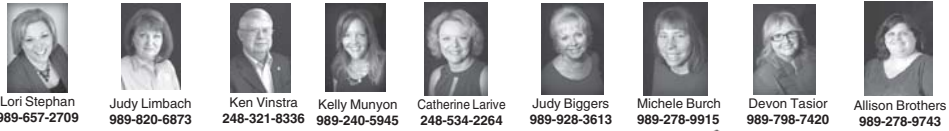
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- 2438 S. Coville Rd
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 • 1,050 sqft
 • 9.8 Acres
 MLS # 1827384 \$57,900
- 3891 E. Cedar Lake Dr.
 • 4 BR, 1.5 Bath
 • 1,120 sqft
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 • 1,344 sqft
 • Attached garage
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- 2535 W. Cedar Lake Rd.
 • 3 BR, 2 Bath
 • 2,250 sqft
 • 3 Acres
 MLS # 1834986 \$129,000
- 1089 N. F-41
 • 2 BR, 1 Bath
 • 1,000 sqft
 • 60' on Brownlee Lake
 MLS # 1834539 \$82,000
- 4925 W. Cedar Lake Rd.
 • 2 BR, 1 Bath
 • 672 sqft
 • 75' on Cedar Lake
 MLS # 1835282 \$94,000



REAL ESTATE ONE OSCODA (989) 739-9129
 406 S. State Street, Oscoda, MI 48750
 Website: www.reomich.com/oscoda
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 Mon. - Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
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 430 S. US-23 Harrisville (989) 724-5711
 23 Years Experience
 Bringing People and Places Together!
Steal of the Week
 A Lost Lake Woods Cutie!! This 4 bedroom home is move in ready. Sitting on 3 lots at the end of the street, this is well wooded and semi private. Spacious, there are 2 bedrooms on the first floor, one being the master bedroom w/private access to the bath/laundry room combined, a family room w/access to the garage, large living/dining area and kitchen. Upstairs features an additional 2 bedrooms and full bath. Exterior features a wrap-a-round deck to enjoy the wildlife. 1 Membership included. **\$119,900**

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 430 S. US-23 Harrisville (989) 590-0238
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SPORTSMAN'S DREAM
 84 acres – Upland with abundant oak, maple, poplar. Lowland has cedar, pine spruce, hemlock, balsam fir, tamarack. A portion of the property is under shallow Sanborn Lake which has excellent duck and goose hunting and pike fishing. All of that includes a 1,344 sq. ft. raised ranch home with 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, 2 car garage and partial basement. 1745 Shady Ridge Trl., Barton City. Call Barbara Bartlett for more details or to schedule a visit to the property. **\$239,900**

Come rescue me, I need a nice home too!
 Alcona Humane Society
 457 Traverse Bay Rd.
 Lincoln, MI
 (989) 736-7387
 Rescue, not Retail.

THANK YOU

Our hearts are filled with gratitude when we say many thanks to family members, friends and neighbors for all acts of kindness and sympathy; food, flowers, donations, cards, visits and kind words spoken to our family regarding the recent passing of a wonderful husband, father and grandfather, Kevin Michaud. We want to express special appreciation to the Mikado Goodfellows, Reverend Al Pillarelli for his many words of comfort and to Buresh Funeral Home for their professional arrangements and caring service.



The Family of Kevin Michaud



Fire fighters respond to a house fire on Main Street in Lincoln Sunday afternoon. According to Lincoln Fire Chief Mike Serafin, from initial indications the fire may have originated in the kitchen. Fire fighters from the Lincoln, Mikado, South Shore and DNR departments helped in extinguishing the fire and protecting neighboring homes. No one was injured during the incident, and the American Red Cross has been asked to assist the Wesley Black family, residents of the home. Serafin said there was plenty of manpower and water to assist in suppression of the blaze. Courtesy photo.

Hunting for a Deal?

'15 CHEVY SILVERADO DBL CAB LT1	\$29,995
'13 CHEVY AVALANCHE BLACK DIAMOND 4X4	\$30,995
'11 TOYOTA TACOMA EXT CAB	\$12,995
'09 CHEVY SILVERADO LT EXT CAB With trailer pkg.	\$16,995
'07 GMC SIERRA 1500 SLT	\$15,995
'06 CHEVY COLORADO CREW CAB Trailer pkg. with bed liner	\$10,995
'05 FORD F150 XLT Trailer pkg. and topper	\$16,500
'04 DODGE DAKOTA SLT QUAD CAB 4X4	\$ 8,995

2018 Keith Kruttlin Annual Buck Pole

November 18th ~ 5 - 8 p.m. at the Backwoods Bistro.
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Alcona County Sheriff's Report

For the Week of October 30-November 5, 2017

105 complaints were handled resulting in the following arrests: 2 Arrests;
2 Warrant Arrests.

Complaint Statistics

Car/Deer Accidents	19	Traffic/Traffic Stop	29
Medical	14	Warrant Arrest	2
Property Damage Accident	2	Assist	2
Animal/Dog	7	Miscellaneous	4
Well Being Check	1	Suspicious Event	5
Burglary	2	Lost/Found Property	3
Domestic	2	Open Door	1
Threat/Harassment	2	Alarm	3
Larceny	1	Suicidal Person	3
Assault	1	Fire	1
Sex Offender Violation	1		

Complaints taken by City, Township or Village

Alcona	11	Caledonia	7	Curtis	4
Greenbush	10	Gustin	6	Harrisville	19
Hawes	13	Haynes	6	Mikado	9
Millen	2	Mitchell	4		
Harrisville City	6	Village of Lincoln	8		

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

GIFTS FOR EVERYONE ON YOUR LIST

November 11th - 19th

AT BOTH LOCATIONS

MALL Hours:
Monday - Saturday
10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sunday
Noon to 5 p.m.

MILL Hours:
Tuesday - Saturday
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

PRATTscape's Gift Shops

(989) 354-3200

Do You Have News We can Use?

Call the Alcona Review at 724-6384 or e-mail to: editor@alconareview.com

CryptoQuip answer

New comedy show concerning a household that produces certain parts for firearms: "The Cartridge Family."

Super Crossword

Answers

BORNE	EMORY	RFD	SATYR
UBOAT	MARIA	ELI	OSHEA
BOAST	CLEAN	ROK	REINS
BECAUSE	ALL	GHOST	SCAN
ASH	PEW	ALSACE	SUP
MOVED	DIRECTLY	THROUGH	
ATONED	EROS	YELLO	
LATEX	ASPEN	COLA	RAIN
ACE	SHOE	AURORA	TEE
SOLID	WALL	SAND	BARRIERS
NIA	ADO	TNS	
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