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Arrest made in last week's school threat

By Cheryl Peterson
Editor

An arrest has been made and arraignment was held in 81st District Court on Monday regarding the threat which was identified at Alcona High School early last week.

Alyssia R. Hancock, 17, of Spruce has been charged with false report or threat of terrorism, a felony, and malicious destruction of a building, a misdemeanor.

According to the Alcona County Sheriff's Department, a handwritten threat "to shoot the school up" was written on a restroom stall in the girls bathroom and found

at approximately 2:50 p.m. Monday, March 26.

"It was found by a student who immediately reported it to a school administrator, who reported it to School Resource Officer Warren MacNeill," said Alcona County Sheriff Doug Atchison. "He called the sheriff's department asking for assistance, and then released the students as usual."

MacNeill explained the objective of a school resource officer is to protect the students and staff. Their safety is the first priority and the investigation begins afterward.

"By the time I responded

to the location and saw the note, it was just a couple of minutes before release. Separating (students) from the threat is the first thing we

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Dan O'Connor
Superintendent, Alcona Community Schools

needed to do. Fortunately for us that was accomplished by school release," MacNeill said.

According to Sgt. Jim McGuire, lead investigator, law enforcement officers from

the sheriff's department, with assistance from the Michigan State Police, began the investigation immediately and conducted interviews

throughout the evening and concluded Tuesday morning when Hancock was identified as a suspect in the case.

School resumed on Tuesday with additional safety measures, according to Al-

cona Community Schools Superintendent Dan O'Connor. "We had an increased law enforcement presence and operated on a soft lockdown for the remainder of the week. This case moved forward so quickly due to the immediate action by the staff, the Alcona Sheriff's Department, and Michigan State Police. The student has been removed from school pending further investigation and action by the board of education.

"The district felt with the heightened security due to the threat that we would try to put students and families mind at ease by finishing the week with another layer of prevention to reassure all involved. Thank you to the students, families, and community for their trust as we worked to address this serious situation in as timely of a manner as possible," O'Connor said.

"The cooperation between all parties involved in this situation was very thorough and smooth," MacNeill said. "The additional security of the soft lockdown while the investigation was underway and afterwards was to protect students and staff from any further possible threat and or any copycat activity." Once the investigation was finished it was forwarded to Alcona County Prosecutor Tom Weichel.

"It's repetitive, but I can't thank law enforcement enough for their assistance with this situation. They were on the scene immediately and there to assist us for the remainder of the week," O'Connor said. "Sheriff Atchison was there not long after officers from the Alcona Sheriff's Department and Michigan State Police to assist. Their attention to the situation and support through the remainder of the week and our gratitude for their support can't be stressed enough."

Hancock is lodged in the Alcona County Jail on a \$750,000 cash surety 10 percent bond. She is scheduled for a probable cause hearing on April 11 at 10 a.m. and a preliminary examination on April 18 at 11 a.m.

New Alcona County Register of Deeds takes office

By Mary Weber
Staff Writer

It's not always easy to find someone to take over a position that was held by someone for a long time.

However, for the Alcona County Board of Commissioners the decision to appoint a new register of deeds was easy.

The commissioners chose Missy Cordes as Karen Healy's successor as register of deeds. Cordes has been deputy register since 2013. A swearing in ceremony, officiated by Judge Laura Frawley, was held last week at the court house making the change official.

Cordes has always liked working with people. "Since I started working in high school, I have always worked

where I have had to interact with the public. Something I truly enjoy is seeing people, meeting them, talking to them. I find it gratifying to help people, whether that's researching their documents or answering any questions they may have," Cordes said.

She explained that being deputy register for the last five years has prepared her well to take on the register duties. "There will be a few things that I'll encounter that may be different, but I'm doing pretty much everything I can to make this an easy transition. I know where documents are located and where the information can be found. I think customer service is a huge part of this job and my priority is to place people who own property in

Alcona County first," Cordes said.

As register she hopes to institute some changes in the deeds office, such as bringing convenience to customers by providing them the opportunity to pay by credit or debit card, something the office does not have the ability to do now.

Cordes takes pride in her moral integrity and said while all the information she handles is public knowledge, she feels a strong duty to be respectful of that information and doesn't openly divulge property information. "There is certain information which should not be shared socially. If someone comes into the office and asks about a specific piece of property, that (documented) informa-



Missy Cordes

tion is public knowledge and is given, but I don't share that knowledge when I go out to a dinner party," she said.

Cordes also takes pride in her civic duties. In addition to working for the county, she is involved with the Barton City Improvement Association, which puts on the Barton City Parade annually and is secretary for the Barton City Fire Department.

Since the Register of Deeds is a two-person office, and will remain such, Cordes explained that taking time off puts a burden on the remaining staff person. "It's imperative to be here. I do take days off, but no more than necessary," she said. Over the last month she has been interviewing for deputy position and has chosen Nancy Somers for the job.

Prior to working for the county, Cordes was employed by Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union for 13 years as a teller and supervisor for the Tiger Branch of the credit union which operates out of Alcona High School.

Cordes grew up in Burton, Mich., and moved to Alcona County in 1997 to be closer




Eight Alcona athletes celebrate signing with colleges as they move toward the next level of competition (front row, from left) Jack Hutchinson, Luke Loyer, Devon Mills, Alex Stephenson, (back row) Taylor Livingston, Jordan Steiner, and Conner McCoy. Missing from photo: Jenelle Carpenter. See the story on page 3. Courtesy photo.

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Alcona Community Schools Kindergarten Round-Up

For the 2018-2019 school year
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Obituaries

Rodney G. Frasher

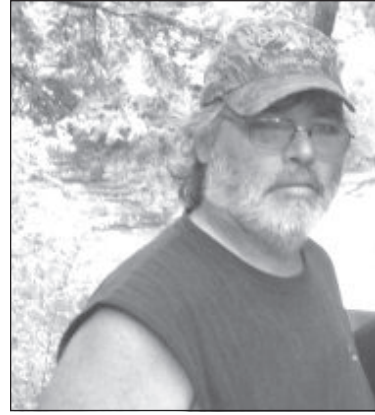
Rodney G. Frasher, 59, of Glennie, died on Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at home.

He was born on February 25, 1959 in Hale to Freeman and Myrtle Joann (Parent) Frasher.

He worked as a park attendant and caretaker for Alcona County.

He liked enjoyed fishing and snowmobiling. He liked to play horseshoes, cards and dominoes.

Mr. Frasher is survived by his mother, Myrtle (Ernest) Sanborn of Lincoln; his girlfriend, Ruth Musil of Glennie; five brothers, Ronald Frasher of Hale, Roger (Joan) Frasher of Glennie, Glen (Lisa) Sanborn of Lincoln, Roy (Denise) Sanborn of White Lake, Mich., and Walter (Vicki) Sanborn of Tawas City; three sisters, Brenda (Darrell) Busch of Glennie, Kathy (Tom) Inman of Glennie, Cindy Lawrence of Glennie; one sister-in-law, Irma Frasher of Auburn, Mich.;



many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews; and his girlfriend's two children, three grandchildren and one great-granchild.

He was preceded in death by his father, Freeman Frasher; one brother, Roy Frasher; one sister, Linda Main; one sister-in-law, Jean Frasher; and one niece, Rebecca Busch.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held at a later date. Arrangements were handled by Buresh Funeral Homes.

Gary A. Valent

Gary Albert Valent, 72, of Barton City, formerly of Harrison Township, Mich. died on Saturday, March 31, 2018 at Jamieson's Nursing Home in Harrisville.

He was born August 8, 1945 in Highland Park, Mich. to Albert and Irene (Coltz) Valent.

He married Sue Reavis on April 22, 1977.

Mr. Valent worked in the automotive industry for over 40 years.

He served in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserves from 1966 to 1971.



Mr. Valent is survived by his wife, Sue; one son, Scott (Michelle) Valent of Macomb Township, Mich.; one daughter, Andrea (Barry) Selweski of China Township, Mich.; five grandchildren, Chadd Valent, Kimberley Valent, Stephanie Valent, Chelsea Selweski and Trevor Selweski; and one brother, Thomas Valent.

He was preceded in death by his dog, Tiffany, on March 13.

A memorial service will be held later. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Debra A. Williams

Debra A. Williams, 57, of East Tawas, formerly of Lincoln, died on Sunday, March 25, 2018 at home.

She was born Debra A. Bowers in Lincoln on March 14, 1961 to Esther Bowers. She was a lifelong resident of the area and graduated from Alcona High School in 1979.

Mrs. Williams worked in Home Health Care, with the DNR office, also as a supervisor and bartender.

She enjoyed puzzles, arts and crafts, books, drag racing, fishing and her grandchildren.

Mrs. Williams is survived by two daughters, Melissa (Troy Wyman) Johnson and Cassandra (Tim) Lambert; one son, Jeremy (Nicholle Soulliere) Forton; nine grandchildren, Gavin Johnson, Trent Johnson, Braiden Wyman, Zoey Wyman, Logan Forton, Jasmine Ortiz, Jayden Dohring, Brooklynn Lambert, and Matthew Lam-



bert; her partner, Joe Dupuis; one step daughter, Sydney (Kevin) Knafla; one step son, Michael Dupuis; one sister, Vivian Simpson; and one brother, Kevin Bowers.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Esther Reynolds.

Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home in Lincoln.

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Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2018

Date	Temperature (F°)		Water Content	Miles Per Hour		
	High	Low		Av. Wind Speed	High Speed	Dominant Direction
	March 25	33		26	0.00	10.4
March 26	37	30	0.00	8.6	21	S
March 27	40	31	0.12	5.4	16	S
March 28	36	28	0.00	3.8	12	W
March 29	39	28	0.00	3.4	17	SW
March 30	36	24	0.00	6.3	22	NNE
March 31	39	24	0.12	5.4	27	E

Precipitation Summary (Inches) for 2017-2018 Season			
	Water Content	Snow Fall	Normal Water Content
Weekly Total	0.24	0.0	0.53
March to Date	0.71	11.8	2.13
Year/Season to Date	4.18	43.2	5.24

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.)

Obituaries

Robert A. Caretti Sr.

Robert A. Caretti Sr., 81, of Barton City on Monday, March 26, 2018.

He was born June 11, 1936 to Joseph and Anna Madeline (Donahue) Caretti in Patton, Pa.

Mr. Caretti served in the United States Navy aboard the destroyer U.S.S. Willard Keith (DD-775).

He was a retired engineer and supervisor for Chrysler Corporation. He was a member of St. Pius Catholic Church in Hale.

Mr. Caretti is survived by two sons, Robert Jr. (Joan) of New Baltimore, Mich. and John (Lori) Caretti of Warren, Mich.; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; two brothers, Joseph "Merle" (Jean) Caretti of St. Benedict, Pa. and Kenneth (Rita) Caretti of Ebensburg, Pa.; and dear friend, Joann Katona of Barton City.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Nancy (Crooks) Caretti on September 18, 2013; and his parents, Joseph and Anna Caretti.

The funeral Mass was held on April 3 at St. Rene Goupil Church in Sterling Heights, Mich. Memorial donations may be made to Shriners Hospitals at www.shrinershospitals.org/Donate or St. Jude Children's Hospital at www.stjude.org.

Elaine Sands

Elaine Sands, 97, died on Friday, March 23, 2018 at Medilodge in Alpena.

She was born Elaine Dix on August 27, 1920 to Ina Emerson in Mikado.

She was employed by Alcona Tool and Die for many years. She enjoyed reading, needlework and embroidery and volunteering at bingo.

Mrs. Sands is survived by three daughters, Lillian Kinney of Oscoda, Jean Sharpley of Greeley, Colo. and Betty (Jim) Masters of Alpena; one son, Melvin Sands of Mikado; 12 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl Sands, in 1984; one son, Marvin Sands; one daughter, Carol



Sands; and one sister, Laverne Dix.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held at a later date. Interment will take place in Mikado Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home.

Paul L. Krause

Paul L. Krause, 87, of Greenbush died on Monday, March 26, 2018.

He was born August 1, 1930 in Detroit, Mich. to Paul E. Krause and Kathleen (Paterson) Krause.

He graduated from high school and attended the University of Arizona and Michigan State University.

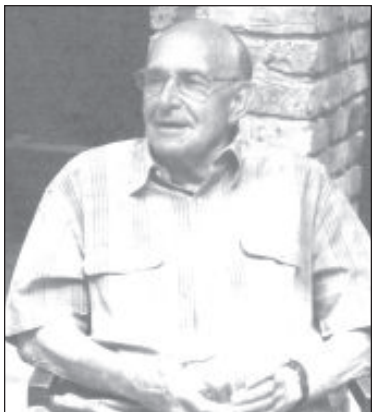
He was division manager of recorder's court in the City of Detroit, Mich. when he retired in 1984.

Paul enjoyed his family. He also enjoyed attending Red Wing hockey games with his family and watching gamed on TV.

From the time he was a young boy, he never tired of watching the ever-changing view taking place on Lake Huron. Many young hockey and baseball players benefited from his years of coaching which resulted in many championships for their teams.

He was a member of the Greenbush Chamber of Commerce and the Greenbush Historical Society. He was a former member of the Oscoda Yacht Club, and was volunteer member of the Oscoda Fire Department.

Mr. Krause is survived by his wife, Margaret (Matthews)



Krause; one daughter, Cheryl A. (Brian) Purnell; two sons, Patrick T. Krause and Michael P. (Lynda) Krause; five grandchildren; Sara Purnell, Christine Purnell, Paul S. (Sarah Jane Hearn) Purnell, Kathryn Krause and Patrick R. Krause; and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Patricia Krause Harkness; and one nephew, Luke Harkness.

Cremation has taken place. No funeral is planned.

Memorial donations may be made to Hope St. John's Parish, P.O. Box 338, Oscoda, Mich. 48750 and/or The Salvation Army.

Arrangements were handled by Buresh Funeral Homes.

Alcona athletes sign with colleges

By Ben Murphy
Sports Writer

Last Tuesday was a landmark day for Alcona High School athletics.

Eight seniors celebrated their signing with college programs in various sports, as they will continue their careers at the next level.

Taylor Livingston has signed to play basketball and volleyball at Alpena Community College (ACC). Jenelle Carpenter will also join ACC's volleyball program.

Livingston and Carpenter were key cogs of the Alcona girls varsity volleyball team's district title in the fall and helped the girls varsity basketball team claim a district crown as well.

Jordan Steiner finished as the varsity soccer team's all-time leading scorer, and he will move on to play at Appalachian Bible College. He finished his Alcona career with 139 goals and 54 assists.

Conner McCoy, the state's all time leader in career saves, will move on as a part of Finlandia's soccer program. He finished with 1,267 career saves and also holds the state's single season saves record with 401, a mark he set as a junior.

Jack Hutchinson signed to play with Olivet while Luke Loyer, Devon Mills and Alex Stephenson will all join Alma College's program. They were all huge pieces of the Tigers' first district championship in program history. Hutchinson was a key running back while Mills was a big force on the lines. Loyer was a threat at tight end while Alex Stephenson was the team's solid quarterback.

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Calendar of Events

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4
 There will be a Pompop Party from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Kids ages nine through 18 are invited to make oodles of yarn pompoms and enjoy a snack at this free program. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

The Alcona County Baby Pantry will be open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Raphael Church, 2531 East F-30 in Mikado. Formula, diapers, toys, new and gently used shoes and clothing will be available to residents of Alcona County with newborns through age four. Layettes are available in the eighth month.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5
 TOPS MI 1502 Mikado meets at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 F-30, Mikado. Weigh-in starts at 9:15 a.m. and meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome. First meeting is free, handicapped accessible. For more information, call (989) 464-3526.

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.

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

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

Enjoy a newly released DVD and theater-style popcorn at the family movie matinee at 2 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6
 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.

Coloring for Adults at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Coloring pages from books designed especially for adults as well as colored pencils will be provided. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

For all musicians and those who love listening to acoustic, here is a great way to enjoy folk and traditional music. First Friday Folk will be held from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Harrisville United Methodist Church, 217 North State Street. There will be opportu-

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to family. She has always loved the outdoors and felt this was a good place for her children to grow up and attend school.

She has two sons, Jeremy and Zachary Stoner, both are now graduates of Alcona High School. She is married to Rod Cordes, who retired from being director of transportation at Alcona Community Schools a few years ago.

In her spare time, Cordes enjoys being outdoors. She enjoys keeping physically fit and is a member of the Alcona Fit Club which meets six times per month. She is a NASCAR fan, and twice a year she camps and attends the Michigan International Speedway.

Cordes is planning to officially run for election to the seat this November, when her appointed status will expire.

Little Lambs story and play time for children ages one to five and their caregivers will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 301 Church Street in Lincoln. Call (989) 724-6027 for details.

Northeast Michigan UAW Retired Workers Alpena Council will meet at 11 a.m. at the Ramada Inn on US-23 North in Alpena. A representative from Blue Cross Blue Shield will be available to answer questions. Lunch will be served at noon. Bring a can of food for the needy. Call (989) 356-4959 or (989) 727-4080 for reservations and information.

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

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

A seminar on brain health will be held at 3:45 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall, 5039 Campbell Road. Call (989) 736-8879 for details.

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

Kids come and learn how to make, bake and enjoy eating chocolate chip cookies from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Chosen Ranch Community Center located on Traverse Bay and Barlow roads in Lincoln. For more information, call Pat at (989) 724-3150.



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Local Notes



Keeping Children Safe

Anyone working with children in any capacity is encouraged to attend "Stewards of Children" training sponsored by the Children's Advocacy Center of Northeast Michigan. "Stewards of Children" is a prevention training that teaches adults how to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse.

This program is designed for organizations that serve youth and for individuals concerned about the safety of children. It is the only nationally distributed, evidenced-informed program proven to increase knowledge, improve attitudes and change child protective behaviors.

The training, which is free to anyone who works with children or volunteers for youth organizations, will be held at the Alcona High School media center in Lincoln on Tuesday, April 10 from 5 to 7 p.m. For more information, contact Sara Hefele by calling Alcona Health Center at (989) 358-3564 or by email: shefele@alconahc.org.

Grant Recipients

The Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) recently awarded a new round of community grants covering a four-county area that includes Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency and Presque Isle counties. The Board of trustees recently approved 68 new grants totaling \$104,331. Of that amount, \$74,384 was awarded in Community Impact Grants, and \$29,947 was awarded in grants from the Northeast Michigan Youth Advisory Council (NEMYAC).

New Community Impact Grants were awarded to the following Alcona County organizations:

- Friends of Negwegon was awarded \$800 toward the Exploring Negwegon through Journaling project.
- Inspiration Alcona was awarded \$1,000 toward the Alcona County Quilt Trail project.
- Alcona St. Vincent de Paul was awarded \$5,000 for the new roof 2018 project.

Meeting Day Change

Alcona County Republicans will meet on April 10 at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall, 114 S. Poor Farm Road, Harrisville to kick off the 2018 mid-term elections. Presentation and discussion will center around how local Republicans can contribute in this year's mid-term elections.

A new vice chairman will also be elected to replace the seat vacated by Jaynee Germond when she was elected to county chair. Members will also be signing up new precinct delegates.

The Alcona County Republican meetings are open to all Republicans. Contact Jaynee Germond at (541) 530-5294 or arp.jlgermond-

@gmail.com for further information.

Senior Menu

The following meals will be served during the week at 4 p.m. in Glennie at Lott Baptist Church; at 4:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center; and at 4:30 p.m. at the Greenbush Township Hall. No reservations are required at the Lincoln Senior Center, however call (989) 736-8879 by 7 a.m. for meals served in Glennie or Greenbush. No membership is required. Suggested donation of \$3 per meal is welcome.

- Monday, April 9—Baked chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, Brussels sprouts, and peaches.
- Tuesday, April 10—Stuffed green pepper, buttered noodles, wax beans, pea salad, and pears.
- Wednesday, April 11—Pork chop bake with sweet potatoes and apples, Prince Charles blend vegetables, and an orange.
- Thursday, April 12—Goulash, peas and carrots, tossed salad, and mixed fruit.
- Friday, April 13—Baked fish, red bliss potato, winter blend vegetables, and tropical fruit. (Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

Pushing the Boundaries

Join the researchers at NOAA's Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary as they go on a "deep dive" into an archaeological expedition during the summer of 2017. This big-screen program will be held on Wednesday, April 18 at 5:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library.

Using cutting edge technology through partnerships with the University of Delaware, Michigan Technological University, and Northwestern Michigan College, two historic shipwrecks were discovered and documented 300 feet below the surface of Lake Huron, in the waters just off Presque Isle County. All are welcome to this free program. For more information, call (989) 724-6796 or visit the web at library.alcona.lib.mi.us.

Board Basics Workshop

A new partnership between conservation nonprofit Huron Pines and the Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) will

bring new training opportunities to nonprofit organizations in the Alpena area. The first session being hosted is "Board Basics" on Thursday, April 19 in Alpena which will include an introduction to the roles and responsibilities of board members and provide a strong understanding of board governance and the skills necessary to lead an organization to success.

Current or prospective board members and executive directors from across northeast Michigan can take advantage of this training session led by NorthSky Non-profit Network's Julie Ann Rivers-Cochran. Board Basics is an interactive learning and networking event which will provide attendees of all experience levels the opportunity to explore and understand roles and responsibilities of board members; discuss and understand the different phases of an organization's lifecycle and identify their organization's current phase; and provide practical tools to keep the board excited about their work and motivated to plan for the future.

The Board Basics Workshop in Alpena is from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Alpena Community College in Alpena in CTR No. 106. Preregistration is required by contacting Huron Pines at rsvp@huronpines.org or (989) 448-2293 ext. 21. Tickets are \$20 per person.



NOTICE

The Curtis Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hear a request for a setback variance on the property located at 5012 Lake Street, Glennie, Michigan. The property is owned by Martin and Kimberly LeFranc. The hearing will be held on **April 23, 2018 at 7 p.m.** at the Curtis Township Offices; 4875 F-30, Glennie, MI. Teresa Perkins, Curtis Township Clerk

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Complaint Statistics

Car/Deer Accidents	5	Traffic/Traffic Stop	36
Medical	19	Warrant Arrest	7
Property Damage Accident	2	Animal/Dog	3
Fraud	1	Miscellaneous	4
Patrol Check	1	Suspicious Event	5
Malicious Destr. of Property	1	Threats	3
Open Door	2	Suicidal Person	1
Missing Person	1	Larceny	1
Civil	1	Salvage Vehicle Inspection	1
Assault	1	Violation of Public Hlth. Code	1
Fire	1	Alarm	1
Drive While License Susp.	1	Domestic	1

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Dear Savvy Senior,
What can you tell me about the new Medicare cards? I've heard there are a lot of scams associated with these new cards and I want to make sure I protect myself.

Leery Senior

Dear Leery,

The government will soon be sending out brand new Medicare cards to 59 million Medicare beneficiaries. Here's what you should know about your new card along with some tips to help you guard against potential scams.

Starting this month (April 2018), Medicare will be removing Social Security numbers from their new Medicare cards, and begin mailing them out to everyone who gets Medicare benefits. The reason for this change is to help protect your identity and reduce medical and financial fraud.

The new cards will have a

randomly generated 11-character Medicare number. This will happen automatically. You don't need to do anything or pay anyone to get your new card.

Medicare will mail your card, at no cost, to the address you have on file with the Social Security Administration. If you need to update your official mailing address, visit your online Social Security account at SSA.gov/myaccount, or call (800) 772-1213. When you get your new card, your Medicare coverage and benefits will stay the same.

If you have a relative or friend who lives in another state and gets their card before you, don't fret. The cards will be mailed in waves, to various parts of the country over a 12-month period starting in April 2018, and ending next April 2019. Medicare beneficiaries in Alaska, California, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Oregon,

Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia will be the first to receive the mailings, between April and June.

The last wave of states will be Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio and Tennessee, along with Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

When you get your new Medicare card, don't throw your old one in the trash. Instead, put it through a shredder or cut it up with a pair of scissors and make sure the part showing your Social Security number is destroyed.

If you have a separate Medicare Advantage card, keep it because you'll still need it for treatment.

As the new Medicare cards start being mailed, be on the lookout for Medicare scams. Here are some tips:

- Don't pay for your new card. It's yours for free. If anyone calls and says you need to pay for it, that's a scam.



Savvy Senior

- Don't give personal information to get your card. If someone calls claiming to be from Medicare, asking for your Social Security number or bank information, that's a scam. Hang up. Medicare will never ask you to give personal information to get your new number and card.

- Guard your card. When you get your new card, safeguard it like you would any other health insurance or credit card. While removing the Social Security number cuts down on many types of identity theft, you'll still want to protect your new card because identity thieves could

use it to get medical services.

For more information about changes to your Medicare card go to Go.medicare.gov/newcard. And if you suspect fraud, report it to the FTC (FTC.complaintassistant.gov), AARP's fraud help line, (877) 908-3360, or your local Senior Medicare Patrol program. Go to SMPresource.org for contact information.

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nities to play with other musicians, learn new and old music, sing songs or listen and join in. Inspiration Alcona will be providing refreshments, and everyone is welcome to come and share their music either by playing or singing. Songwriters are encouraged to attend and share their original music.

Plant a pinwheel in honor of Child Abuse Prevention month at noon on the Alcona County courthouse lawn. Sponsored by CANPAC and Child and Family Services of Northeast Michigan.

Little Lambs story and play time for children ages one to five and their caregivers, will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 301 Church Street in Lincoln. Call (989) 724-6027 for details.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7

Spaghetti dinner fundraiser from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall in Lincoln. Cost is \$10 per person. All proceeds will go to the Alcona Close Up program to send 10 students to Washington D.C. in June. Silent auction and raffles also available.

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

The Grand Rapids Guitar Quartet will perform traditional and modern classical music at Art in the Loft, 109 North Second Avenue in Alpena at 4 p.m. The quartet includes four award-winning musicians who have mastered twelve-string guitar. They offer audiences a variety of transcriptions, masterworks and original compositions. Tickets in advance are two for \$25 or \$15 each at the door. Children and students are admitted free of charge. For advance tickets, visit www.thunderbayarts.org or Thunder Bay Arts Council office at 127 West Chisholm Street in Alpena.

An ecumenical service celebrating Easter with Orthodox Christians will be held at 11 a.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 201 North Second Street in Harrisville. Rev. Margaret Fox will be leading this service and will be explaining both before and during the worship to enable everyone to participate fully. This service is open to everyone.

MONDAY, APRIL 9

A community charity project involving the making of plarn (yarn from plastic bags) at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Bring your own scissors. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

Play pinochle at the Greenbush Township Hall at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited. Call Barb Taylor at (989) 739-7029 for details.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

The AuSable Valley Audubon will meet at 7 p.m. at the Camp Inn Lodge, 3111 US-

23 south of Oscoda. The guest speaker will be Sue Malski.

Play euchre at 12:30 p.m. at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 Church Street. For more information, call (989) 736-8879.

Alcona County Republicans will meet at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Township Hall, 114 South Poor Farm Road. Presentation and discussion will center around how local Republicans can contribute in this year's midterm elections. A new vice chair will also be elected. For more info., call (541) 530-5294.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

Sunrise Community Food Pantry will be open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church, 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county of residence. Identification is required. Call (989) 727-3606 for details.

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Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



Letters from "The Boys"

John L. McDonald, member Aero Construction Squad

VanCouver Barracks, Wash., Sunday eve, March 17 1918.

Dear Folks:—

I suppose you folks will never forgive me for not writing sooner and letting you know where I am located, but you probably know that this writing is a hard proposition for some people. But nevertheless I hope this will bring back a nice long letter from the good home folks.

I received a nice long letter from Uncle Alex and Aunt Metta last week and am going to try and call and see them some time in the near future, for they are only about 150 miles from here.

Well, I belong to a military squad and all we do is drill,

no working in the woods or mills. We get up at 6:20 and stand reveille at 6:40, then we get our barracks cleaned up after breakfast and from 8:00 to 8:45 we have physical exercise, or "physical torture" as we call it. Then we leave for the drill field at 9:00, returning at 11:00, have dinner at 12:00 and go back to the field from 1:00 to 3:45, getting back at 4:00 and stand retreat at 5:00. That is our regular day of army life—now what do you think of it.

We have a show here at the Y. M. C. A. three times a week and all the other nights there is speaking, singing and stunts of every sort, so always have some place to go. We are just fifteen minutes

walk from the heart of VanCouver and one-half hour's ride from Portland Oregon. Where we drill we can look one way and see Mount Hood which looks to be about 3 miles away, but it is 65 miles, and we can look the other way and see Mount Rainer, which looks to be about 4 miles away and it is over 100, so you can see how clear the air is. Of course the sun has to be shining to see these mountains. I have all of my army clothes now except my blouse and don't know when we will get them.

Who did I run into today but Willie Flemming, from Haynes. Had a dandy visit with him and he sure is the same old Bill as always.

Well, hoping I will get a long, long letter in return I will close now. Hoping this finds you all well. I sure feel fine, and the West is my home.

Best regards to all.

Lovingly,

John Leroy Mac.

409 Aero Construction Sqd. A.S.S.C.

Van Couver Barracks, Wash.

Black River private has rough passage across seas

April 4, 1918 ~ "Over There."

Dear Father:—

Well father, I arrived safe and sound overseas, and am feeling fine. We had pretty rough weather all the way but I didn't get sea sick one

day.

Have gone through a little of the country and it is Spring here now and the weather is fine. Write and let me know if you have heard anything about Arthur and send me his address.

I get along pretty good with the Frenchmen here, but they talk a little bit too fast and sometimes I don't understand all they say.

I suppose it is pretty cold home now. but it ought to be coming around Spring when you get this, then I suppose Josephine will be getting back again.

Hope all the folks are well and give my best regards to anyone who may ask for me. With love from your son.

Pvt. Eugene Ranger.

Co. C. 107th U. S. Engineers A. E. F. Via New York.

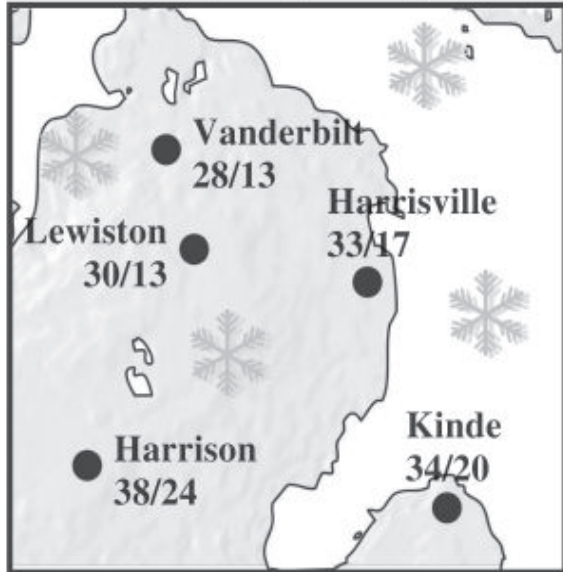
Alcona Review Weather Report

April 4, 2018

Seven Day Forecast

	WEDNESDAY Snow Likely High: 33 Low: 17
	THURSDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 35 Low: 23
	FRIDAY Few Snow Showers High: 33 Low: 19
	SATURDAY Mostly Cloudy High: 32 Low: 18
	SUNDAY Partly Cloudy High: 34 Low: 25
	MONDAY Rain & Snow Possible High: 38 Low: 29
	TUESDAY Cloudy High: 34 Low: 25

Today's Regional Map



In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with a 100% chance of snow, high temperature of 33°, humidity of 58%. Northwest wind 23 mph. New snow accumulation between four to five inches possible. The record high temperature for today is 79° set in 1921. Expect mostly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 17°.

*Last Week's Almanac

Date	Hi	Lo	Normals	Precip
Tuesday	47	33	43/24	0.40"
Wednesday	45	23	43/24	0.00"
Thursday	48	26	44/24	Trace
Friday	44	24	44/25	0.00"
Saturday	39	22	45/25	0.19"
Sunday	35	19	45/26	Trace
Monday	44	14	46/26	0.00"

*Data as reported from Alpena, MI

Local Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Wednesday	7:09 a.m.	8:05 p.m.	Prev Day	9:44 a.m.
Thursday	7:07 a.m.	8:07 p.m.	12:36 a.m.	10:21 a.m.
Friday	7:05 a.m.	8:08 p.m.	1:33 a.m.	11:02 a.m.
Saturday	7:03 a.m.	8:09 p.m.	2:26 a.m.	11:49 a.m.
Sunday	7:01 a.m.	8:10 p.m.	3:13 a.m.	12:39 p.m.
Monday	7:00 a.m.	8:12 p.m.	3:55 a.m.	1:34 p.m.
Tuesday	6:58 a.m.	8:13 p.m.	4:33 a.m.	2:32 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 with scattered showers and snow, partly cloudy skies Thursday with scattered snow, mostly cloudy Friday with scattered rain and snow, highest temperature of 65 in Washington, D.C. The Southeast will experience partly cloudy skies through Thursday with isolated rain, partly to mostly cloudy skies Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, highest temperature of 88 in Kissimmee, Fla. In the Northwest there will be mostly cloudy skies through Friday with scattered rain and snow, highest temperature of 70 in Medford, Ore. The Southwest will see partly to mostly cloudy skies through Friday with isolated rain, highest temperature of 90 in Phoenix, Ariz.

Tonight's Planets

	Rise	Set
Mercury	6:47 a.m.	7:36 p.m.
Venus	7:58 a.m.	9:52 p.m.
Mars	3:03 a.m.	11:47 a.m.
Jupiter	11:06 p.m.	8:55 a.m.
Saturn	2:53 a.m.	11:48 a.m.
Uranus	7:41 a.m.	9:07 p.m.

Weather History

April 4, 1989 - Thunderstorms produced severe weather from the Lower Mississippi Valley to the southern Appalachians. The thunderstorms spawned 17 tornadoes, including one that caused two million dollars in damage at Baldwin, Ala.

Weather Trivia

How far is the sun from the Earth?



Answer: 93 million miles.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

StarWatch By Gary Becker - What a Night!

As conditions have become a "little warmer," it is that time of the semester when my students begin to learn the operation of our computer driven telescopes, as well as to start to make observations through them. Actually, these instruments were produced by the International Astronomical Union (IAU) for the celebration of the 400th anniversary (1609-2009) of Galileo's first observations made through a telescope of his own construction. Galileo did not invent the telescope, nor was he the first to make astronomical observations using a telescope, two big misconceptions that people carry along with them about the Italian physicist and entrepreneur. Galileo was, however, the first to publish his observations in the Sidereus Nuncius (Sidereal Messenger or Starry Messenger) in 1610, and that brought him fame, fortune, and eventually the Inquisition to his doorstep. The night my Monday/Wednesday crew was on the Collier Sky Deck, March 19, was extraordinarily clear and relatively mild. Two days later, we were experiencing nor'easter number four, and the college closed at noon. As the sun set nearly due west, you could turn around and see the Earth's gray shadow distinctly rising in the east. It looked as if there was an imminent storm approaching. Above the gray was a diffuse line of pink, the projection of sunlight, reddened by its passage through Earth's atmosphere (Rayleigh scattering) from the point below the horizon where the sun was setting. About five minutes before sundown, through binoculars I was able to spot Venus, Mercury, and the ultra-thin crescent moon. My students easily caught Venus, as well as the moon about five minutes after sundown, but it took a little more time, perhaps about 15-20 minutes before Mercury revealed itself against the deepening twilight. As it got darker and my students began to use their smartphone flashlights to complete their drawings, I turned one of our smaller, very portable telescopes towards the moon to reveal a better view of earthshine to my students. Earthshine is the light from a nearly full Earth, which appears about 80 times brighter from the moon than the moon appears from Earth, illuminating the part of the moon which is not getting direct sunlight. It looks ghostly to the unaided eye, but through the eyepiece of a telescope gulping in hundreds of times the amount of light that the normal eye sees, my students saw the darker seas (basins) against the brighter highland regions in the earthshine portion of the moon. It was one of the best earthshine views that I have ever witnessed all in one night, ironically all from light polluted center city Bethlehem. www.astronomy.org

Chris Fontain loses leg in a hunting accident

April 4, 1918 ~ Black River, April 2.—Chris Fontain, farmer, one mile west of here, met with a serious accident Thursday, March 28th. He was out in the woods about a mile from home hunting and wished to cross the river. After getting across he was pulling his boat up on shore when the gun which was in the boat discharged, the shot striking him below the knee. His call for help was heard by Tellis Gauthier, who with other neighbors, hastened to his assistance. He had been some time before assistance came and lost considerable blood and when Dr. Cowie arrived Chris was in a very weakened condition. Dr. Cowie dressed the wound and the unfortunate man was taken to Mercy Hospital, Bay City, where the leg was amputated below the knee. Word was received last night (Monday) that a second operation will be necessary to amputate the leg above the knee. Although his condition is serious there is good hope for recovery.

Search for man lost in storm in Mithcell Township

April 4, 1918 ~ Men from Mio were at Curran last week renewing the search for the missing man, supposed to have been lost in the snow storm last January.

There was still considerable snow in the woods and no new discoveries were made, except the finding of a horse blanket from his sleigh.

Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **U.S. CITIES:** Which U.S. city is popularly known as "Beantown"?
2. **MUSIC:** What was the best-selling music single of all time?
3. **MYTHOLOGY:** In Greek mythology, how many graces are there?
4. **TRANSPORTATION:** Which major airport is known by the three-letter code DCA?
5. **TELEVISION:** What are the names of the two Muppet characters that heckle the cast from their balcony seats?
6. **LITERATURE:** What is the first name of Agatha Christie's detective Miss Marple?
7. **PSYCHOLOGY:** What is triskaidekaphobia?
8. **GEOGRAPHY:** What is the largest freshwater body in Africa?
9. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What was the strongest earthquake recorded?
10. **TOYS & GAMES:** What is the main ingredient of Silly Putty?

Answers: 1. Boston; 2. "Candle in the Wind" (1997, Elton John); 3. Three: Aglaia, Euphrosyne and Thalia; 4. Washington National Airport; 5. Statler and Waldorf; 6. Jane; 7. Fear of the number 13; 8. Lake Victoria; 9. 9.5 magnitude, near Valdivia, Chile, in 1960; 10. Silicone (c) 2018 King Features Synd., Inc.

Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On April 15, 1783, the Continental Congress of the United States officially ratifies a preliminary peace treaty with Great Britain. Five months later, the Treaty of Paris was signed, bringing an end to the Revolutionary War.
- On April 9, 1859, a 23-year-old Missouri youth named Samuel Clemens receives his steamboat pilot's license. Clemens is better known by the pseudonym "Mark Twain," a boatman's call noting that the river depth was two fathoms (12 feet) and safe for travel.
- On April 14, 1912, the luxury liner RMS Titanic, on its maiden voyage, fails to divert its course from an iceberg, ruptures its hull and begins to sink. Of the estimated 2,224 passengers and crew aboard, some 1,500 were killed.
- On April 12, 1945, while on a vacation, President Franklin Roosevelt suffers a stroke and dies. FDR had been elected president four times and had served for more than 12 years, the only president ever to serve more than two terms.
- On April 11, 1951, President Harry Truman relieves the flamboyant and egotistical Gen. Douglas MacArthur of command of U.S. forces in Korea. The firing set off a brief uproar among the American public, and he returned home to a hero's welcome.
- On April 10, 1963, the atomic submarine USS Thresher sinks in the North Atlantic during deep-diving tests, killing the entire 129 man crew. An investigation found that a silver-brazed joint in the engine room had caused a short in critical electrical systems.
- On April 13, 1970, disaster strikes 200,000 miles from Earth when oxygen tank No. 2 blows up on Apollo 13. Commander James Lovell reported to mission control on Earth: "Houston, we've had a problem here." Using dramatic and untested maneuvers, Apollo 13 touched down safely in the Pacific Ocean four days later.

Super Crossword

SILENT DUO

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| <p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 Watchful</p> <p>8 Abjectly submissive</p> <p>15 Floral shop receptacles</p> <p>20 More candid</p> <p>21 Fingernail surrounder</p> <p>22 Novelist Munro</p> <p>23 Bands of fibrous tissue enclosing muscles</p> <p>24 Inept warrior in armor?</p> <p>26 Like escaped convicts</p> <p>28 See 17-Down</p> <p>29 Slaughter of the diamond</p> <p>30 Member of a certain antelope fraternity?</p> <p>34 Plasma particle</p> <p>36 "Hurlyburly" playwright David</p> <p>37 Med. drips</p> <p>38 Certain book of liturgy</p> <p>43 Anti-DUI ad, e.g.</p> <p>46 Ending for Alp or salt</p> <p>47 Concept, to Jean-Luc</p> | <p>49 Activity when shopping for sweaters?</p> <p>51 Person who repositions tiny flies?</p> <p>54 "Life of Pi" novelist Martel</p> <p>55 Something easy-peasy</p> <p>56 Apia resident</p> <p>57 "Nothin' —!" ("Easy-peasy!")</p> <p>59 In the dossier, e.g.</p> <p>60 First-class</p> <p>63 Sword stopper</p> <p>67 Bireme tool</p> <p>68 Shoelace snarl of note?</p> <p>73 Young male, urban-style</p> <p>74 Like many offshore rescues</p> <p>75 Outdoor enclosure for tabbies</p> <p>76 In a mischievous way</p> <p>79 Inside: Prefix</p> <p>81 Beautiful guy</p> <p>85 Persian-founded faith</p> <p>86 "That feels go-o-od!"</p> | <p>DOWN</p> <p>89 "One-lama" poet, grind your teeth!?"</p> <p>92 Had some friends south of the border?</p> <p>95 Poker cost</p> <p>96 Norma — (Field role)</p> <p>97 Horse's kin</p> <p>98 Call halfway to a walk</p> <p>99 "Delish!"</p> <p>100 Wound, after a few days</p> <p>101 Twisty letter</p> <p>102 Far northern city inhabited by trolls?</p> <p>106 Sheep's hair</p> <p>109 Wear down</p> <p>114 Convenient kind of shopping</p> <p>115 Confession after hitting your physician with your leg joint?</p> <p>118 Angel, musically</p> <p>122 Big rig, e.g.</p> <p>123 Lava spewer</p> <p>124 Automaker Maserati</p> <p>125 Impetuosity</p> <p>126 Very vivid</p> <p>127 Totally faded</p> | <p>41 Maya of architecture</p> <p>42 Cable TV's Spike, once</p> <p>43 Rack-and- — steering</p> <p>44 Camp for Colonel Klink</p> <p>45 According to</p> <p>47 "But is —?"</p> <p>48 Faye of films</p> <p>49 NBAer, e.g.</p> <p>50 Rubber check abbr.</p> <p>52 Food-order option</p> <p>53 French political units</p> <p>58 "What a piece of work —"</p> <p>59 Aromatic substance</p> <p>61 "Where — start?"</p> <p>62 Bungle</p> <p>64 Wearing a disguise, informally</p> <p>65 Airport info</p> <p>66 Illuminated</p> <p>68 Holy books of Islam</p> <p>69 Cubbyholes</p> <p>70 Bray sound</p> <p>71 Slight push</p> <p>72 A party to</p> <p>73 Easter cake</p> <p>77 Hem and —</p> <p>78 Bird perches</p> | <p>80 Toledo "two"</p> <p>82 User busters</p> <p>83 Rockabilly singer Chris Little —"</p> <p>84 "Come Back, Little —"</p> <p>86 Rocker Rose</p> <p>87 Be laid up</p> <p>88 Drama unit</p> <p>90 See 15-Down</p> <p>91 Got tangled</p> <p>93 Slacked off</p> <p>94 Egg y quaff</p> <p>99 Marilyn of "The Misfits"</p> <p>100 Depleted</p> <p>101 Opt</p> <p>103 Lunchtimes, often</p> <p>104 Early name in arcades</p> <p>105 "Bonanza" star Greene</p> <p>106 Among</p> <p>107 Creole pod</p> <p>108 Difficult task</p> <p>110 Shankar of Indian music</p> <p>111 Take too much, briefly</p> <p>112 Knucklehead</p> <p>113 Nero's "Lo!"</p> <p>116 Stretch (out)</p> <p>117 Almond-hued</p> <p>119 Prefix for "equal"</p> <p>120 Erwin of films</p> <p>121 Young kid</p> |
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SPRINKLER LAKE EDUCATION CENTER

The U.S. Forest Service will not be hosting the two week summer camp this year. We are in the process of putting together a special use permit for someone to operate the camp, however it will not be in place this coming season. The Forest Service appreciates all of the Community support it has received over the last three years and hope that it continues with the new permit.

REQUEST FOR BIDS

City of Harrisville, Michigan

The City of Harrisville, Michigan is requesting bids for the purchase of a new 2018/2019 work truck. Requirements include: 1 ton V8 gas engine, Single rear axle, Complete Western Wide-out plow package-10' which includes plow on truck. Standard or extended cab, 8-foot bed with permanent bed liner, auto transmission, trailer tow package to include hitch, Extendable Camper mirrors, running boards (from rear wheels to front wheels), spot light with remote, emergency light package. Bids are required to be submitted by 12:00 p.m. (noon) 1 May 2018, to City of Harrisville. P.O. Box 278, 200 N. Fifth Street, Harrisville, Michigan, 48740. The City of Harrisville, Michigan, reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

3/28 thru 4/11

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Brownlee Lake Boat Launch

Grant #16-0048

Sealed bids for re-construction of the Brownlee Lake Boat Launch will be received by the Village of Lincoln, at the office of the Village of Lincoln until noon (12 p.m.) local time on April 6th, 2018. The bids received will be publicly opened and read at the Village Council meeting on Monday April 9th, 2018 at 7 p.m.

The project consists of reconstruction of the boat launch at Brownlee Lake in the Village of Lincoln, the project is funded through a Michigan Department of Natural Resources Trust Fund (MNRTF) development grant and relevant state and federal requirements apply.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis.

Bidding documents are available electronically via e-mail to the Village Clerk at: lindasomers74@yahoo.com or via US Mail at Village of Lincoln, P.O. Box 337 Lincoln, MI 48742. Include your name, company name, address, phone number, and email address.

Owner: The Village of Lincoln
 By: Mr. Phillip S. Jordan
 Title: Village President

3/28 & 4/4

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LEGAL NOTICE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Scott A. Haeger and Cheryl Haeger, husband and wife, to Fifth Third Mortgage - MI, LLC, mortgagee, dated February 15, 2008 and recorded February 22, 2008 in Liber 450, page 161. Said mortgage is now held by Fifth Third Mortgage Company, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-eight thousand seven hundred ninety-eight and 13/100 dollars (\$58,798.13), including interest at 7.5 percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained

in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on April 18, 2018. Said premises are located in the city of Greenbush, Alcona County Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at the west 1/4 corner of Section 3, Township 25 North, Range 9 East; thence north 00 degrees 03 minutes 00 seconds

west along the west line of said Section, 380.17 feet; thence north 89 degrees 50 minutes 03 seconds east, 572.89 feet; thence south 00 degrees 05 minutes 25 seconds east, 380.17 feet; thence south 89 degrees 50 minutes 04 seconds west along the east-west 1/4 line of said section and centerline of county road F-30 so-called, 573.15 feet to the point of beginning. The above described parcel being a part of the southwest 1/4 of the northwest 1/4 of said Section 3. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such

sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, 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 damage to the property during the redemption period. Dated: March 21, 2018 File No. 18-003584 3-21, 3-28, 4-4, 4-11

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Sandra J. Wickens, an unmarried woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, mortgagee, dated November 20, 2015 and recorded December 7, 2015 in Liber 519, page 1262. Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of fifty-one thousand six hundred forty-seven and 86/100 dollars (\$51,647.86), including interest at 4.5 percent per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the

statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the place of holding the circuit court within Alcona County, Michigan at 10 a.m. on April 25, 2018. Said premises are located in the City of Harrisville, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: That part of Lots 6 and 7 of block 8 of the City of Harrisville, according to the recorded plat thereof, as found in Liber 1 of plats, page 1, Alcona County records, described as commencing at the southwest corner of block 8, which is also the southwest corner of Lot 7 of said block

8; thence north 09 degrees 04 minutes 03 seconds east along the westerly line of said Lot 7, 23.17 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing north 09 degrees 04 minutes 03 seconds east along the westerly line of Lots 7 and 6 of said block 8 135.87 feet; thence south 80 degrees 54 minutes 11 seconds east 140.49 feet; thence south 09 degrees 06 minutes 10 seconds west along the easterly line of said Lots 6 and 7, 135.87 feet to the southeast corner of said Lot 7; thence north 80 degrees 54 minutes 11 seconds west 140.41 feet to the point of beginning. Description taken from survey recorded in Liber 189, pages

645-6, 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, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, 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 damage to the property during the redemption period. Dated: March 28, 2018 File No. 18-003895 3-28, 4-4, 4-11, 4-18

Case No. 17-2861-CH Circuit Court Sale In pursuance of and virtue of a judgment of the circuit court for the county of Alcona, state of Michigan, made and entered on November 21, 2017, PNC Bank, National Association successor by merger to National City Bank in a certain cause therein pending, wherein PNC Bank, National Association successor by merger to National City Bank was the plaintiff and Daniel R. Riso and the Northern Michigan Bail Bond Agency, LLC were the defendants. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at public venue, at the west entrance to the Alcona

County Building in Harrisville, Mich., that being the place of holding the circuit court for Alcona County, on the 16th day of May A.D., 2018, at 10 a.m. o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the following described property, to-wit: All certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Haynes, county of Alcona and state of Michigan, described as follows: Situated in the township of Haynes, county of Alcona, and state of Michigan, to-wit: Part of northeast 1/4 of northwest 1/4 Section 25, Township 27 North, Range 9 East, described as: Parcel C, commencing at northwest corner of said Section 25; thence south 88 deg. 36' east,

along the north section line 1320.80 feet to the northwest corner of SD 40 acres; thence south 1 deg. 47' 57" west, along the west line of SD 40 acres, 630.93 feet to point of beginning; thence south 88 deg. 36' east, 1022.58 feet; thence south 4 deg. 46' 03" east, 317.30 feet; thence north 88 deg. 36' west, 1058.87 feet to a point on said west line; thence north 1 deg. 47' 57" east along said west line, 315.46 feet to point of beginning; together with and subject to the right of ingress and egress over and across a 75 foot easement as described on plat which will allow access to US-23 Highway, and also subject to a continuation of this 75 feet, easement

running in a northerly direction over and across the west edge of captioned Parcel C which allows others access to Parcels A and B per plat. Commonly Known as: 1930 North US-23, Harrisville, Mich. 48740. Parcel Number: 080-025-200-015-00. This property may be redeemed during the six months following the sale. Dated: March 28, 2018 Alcona County, Deputy Sheriff Michael P. Herzoff (P-41662) Attorney for Plaintiff Weltman, Weinberg & Reis Co., L.P.A. 2155 Butterfield Drive, Suite 200-S Troy, MI 48084 No. 10142960 3-28, 4-4, 4-11, 4-18, 4-25, 5-2, 5-9

Notice of Foreclosure by Advertisement Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee for any reason. In that event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest, and the purchaser shall have no further recourse against the mortgagor, the mortgagee, or the mortgagee's attorney. Notice is hereby given that the below mortgage 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

of Alcona County at 10 a.m. on May 2, 2018. Name(s) of the mortgagor(s): Jimmie Bean and Delores Bean, husband and wife, original mortgagee: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Oak Street Mortgage LLC, its successors and assigns foreclosing assignee (if any): REO Trust 2017-RPL1 Date of Mortgage: July 28, 2006. Date of mortgage recording: August 17, 2006. Amount claimed due on mortgage on the date of notice: \$75,846.68. Description of the mortgaged premises: Situated in the township of Mikado, Alcona County, Michi-

gan, and are described as: Commencing from a point 40 rods east of the southwest corner of the south one-half of the south one-half of the northwest one-quarter of Section 3, Township 25 North, Range 7 East; thence North 40 rods; thence east 12 rods; thence south 40 rods; thence west 12 rods to point of beginning. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the no-

tice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later; or unless MCL 600.3240(16) applies. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, under MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. This notice is from a debt collector. Date of notice: April 4, 2018 Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 111541 4-4, 4-11, 4-18, 4-25

NOTICES

Notice of availability of funds. The Region 9 Area Agency on Aging (AAA) announces the availability of funds. Annual funds are available for fiscal year 2019 for these services: Elder Abuse Prevention, Evidence-Based Disease Prevention Health Promotion, The Merit Award (Adult Day Services), National Family Caregiver Support Program, and State Caregiver Support. Funds are available for these counties: Alcona, Alpena, Arenac, Cheboygan, Crawford, Iosco, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle and Roscommon. The Region 9 Area Agency on Aging must receive letters of intent to apply for funds by 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 23,

2018. For more information, contact Yvette Smigelski, Business/Financial Resources Manager-Aging Programs, Region 9 AAA, 2375 Gordon Road, Alpena, Mich. 49707 or call (989) 358-4613.

Public hearing announcement. The NEMCSA Region 9 Area Agency of Aging (AAA) will conduct a public hearing on its proposed Annual Implementation Plan for fiscal year 2019. The plan outlines the use of funds for services under the Older Americans Act, for the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Arenac, Cheboygan, Crawford, Iosco, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle and

Roscommon. The hearing will be held Monday, May 21, 2018, 1 p.m. at Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency, 2375 Gordon Road, Alpena, Mich. 49707. The plan will be available at the hearing, or upon request, 15 days prior. Copies may be obtained at the Region 9 AAA, 2375 Gordon Road, Alpena, by calling (989) 358-4661, or online at www.nemcsa.org. Written testimony will be accepted through June 6, 2018.

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Tawas Village, an assisted living home, is currently seeking part time cooks for second shift. Applicants must pass a background check. If you are caring, dependable, and want to make a difference, then we want you! For immediate consideration apply in person at: 910 North Tawas Lake Road, East Tawas, Mich. 48730 or send your resume to tawasvillage@rlmgmt.com.

In-home service provider: Part time up to 35 hours per week with some benefits, no experience necessary we will train. Duties consist of homemaking, personal care and respite. Applicant must possess reliable and insured transportation. Pick up application or send resume to: ACCOA, P.O. Box 218, 207 Church Street, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.

Part time circulation clerk job opening at Alcona County Library for 10-15 hours per week. Job description and application available at any branch of Alcona County Library or on our website at <http://library.alcona.lib.mi.us>. Must be 18 and have valid driver's license for this position. Applications accepted until 5:30 p.m., April 16, 2018.

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