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## Vandalism plagues Flights of Imagination playground

**By Mary Weber** 

Staff Writer

Recent vandalism and suspicious activity at the Flights of Imagination playground in the Village of Lincoln ignited discussion during a Lincoln Village Council meeting last week on how best to keep the area secure.

As a result, a new surveillance camera has been ordered, a playground committee is forming, and the village is looking for volunteers to keep a watchful eye on the area.

Sometime after 8 p.m. on May 1 vandals stole a video camera mounted near the playground restrooms, flipped over and broke five picnic tables at the play area and turned over a porta-potty located at the baseball diamond. The picket fence archway leading to the playground was also damaged, according to Bonnie Gauthier, village trustee. Gauthier lives near the playground and was walking around it the next day when she noticed the damage.

Phil Jordon, village president, said this isn't the first time the playground had been vandalized and he was dis-



Lincoln's Flights of Imagination playground is experiencing vandalism and potentially suspicious activity. A committee is being formed to change the situation. File photo.

appointed about what has been happening in and around the area.

There are things going on there that should never be happening at a children's playground. The area is being used for things which you can't imagine. When you see two vehicles there in the parking lot for 15 or 20 minutes and both have just one man in each vehicle, that tells me they are doing something they should not be doing. Teenagers are also parking there doing things they shouldn't," Jordon said. Trustees agreed saying the trash left behind in the area tells exactly what types of activity is going on

Jordon said when he first saw the playground years ago he was very impressed especially because the community raised the \$125,000 for the play structure and installed it with volunteer labor. He estimated the playground value to be about \$500,000 today.

Unfortunately, its location is not ideal, since it is in one of the most secluded spots in the village, according to Jordon. He was steadfast in saying the playground will not close, however, several changes will have to be made.

The first change is to purchase a new camera with a zoom lens to be put into a secure building near the playground. The camera cost is about \$1,000 and, according to Jordan, once in place, it should be able to detect activity clearly from any angle. The council unanimously approved to move funding it had in place for a new water system at the playground to be used to purchase the camera instead.

We will catch who did this. We have caught kids before and they ended up in the juvenile (court) process. We do have video which shows who may have done this (recent) damage. It is unfortunate, 99.9 percent of our kids are wonderful. Most of the kids who use the playground enjoy it, appreciate it and respect it," Jordon said.

One of the changes Jordon suggested is keeping the lights around the playground on from dusk to dawn yearround. In the past, the village has shut off the lights at night during the winter months to save costs. The lighting is being changed to more economical LED bulbs which will allow the lights to be on at a fraction of the cost.

Jordon also suggested a playground committee be formed, consider closing parking near the white fence entrance and moving the entrance to where the two ball field fences are. He would like to see parking allowed only at the ball fields.

"By opening an entrance by a parking lot, we have created a monster. That needs to be roped off with no traffic there whatsoever. I'd like to see railroad ties with chains roping off areas of easy access," Jordon said.

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### Harrisville Harbor sees construction again this season

**Mary Weber** 

Staff Writer

A flurry of construction activity is underway again this season at the Harrisville Harbor of Refuge

The harbor is in its final stages of phase one and two of a five phase plan, expecting construction to last until the spring of 2020.

Phase one and two included replacing the south docks, resurfacing the main harbor. T-docks, putting in a deck visiting area and fixing an electrical issue which shut down the power to the south

docks last summer. Jim Ferguson, harbor master, said since the weather broke after a bad snow storm last month a steady stream of electricians, plumbers, contractors and supplies has come into the

"It was a fairly uneventful winter until last month. The storm ripped the end of the north dock completely off. Fortunately, it was set for demolition this spring as part of phase three. The damage won't cost us any extra and won't set the construction (timing) back," Ferguson

After talking with the gen-

eral contractor, Ferguson believes everything to be on schedule for the main spine and the floating dock to be put together by Memorial Day, although the harbor may have limited utilities until the first of June. Ferguson is keeping his fingers crossed it is done by then as that is the weekend of the Lincoln Lion's fishing

tournament.

By the second week of July, Ferguson is confident phase three will be underway which will include removing what is left of the north dock including the many pieces recovered after the storm. "By the first of August we should have half of the new spine on the north side and about 16 or 17 finger piers in place. Unfortunately, that won't help our season much this year because July is our big month. We will be getting new spines and new utilities, and everything will be up to code, but we will be putting the old floating fingers back in until phase five," Ferguson

Harrisville Harbor's north dock sustains damage during last month's storm. The harbor is open while multi- phase construction project continues. Courtesy photo.

said. He expects to have 46 slips available by the first of June with 19 of those committed, seasonal customers, leaving 27 transient slips available

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### Memorial Service



#### Alfred Engelhardt

There will be a memorial service for Alfred Engelhardt on Saturday, May 26 at Ward Presbyterian Church 40000 Six Mile Road, Northville, Mich. 48168 at 10:30 a.m. Mr. Engelhardt died on January 14, 2018.



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A graveside Memorial Service will be held for Freda M. (Rice) Hompstead on Sunday, May 27, 2018 at noon in Mt. Joy Cemetery.
A luncheon will follow at the Haynes Township Hall.

The family of Suzanne Puff would like to thank the staff at Borgess Medical Center in Kalamazoo, Rev. Eickmann of Ft. Wayne, Indiana and those who sent various donations.

Gerald Puff & Family

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### **Obituaries**



#### Dennis K. Somers

Dennis Keith Somers, 73, of Lincoln died on Monfay, April 30, 2018 at Henry Ford Hospital in Jackson, Mich.

He was born July 9, 1944 to Russel and Dorothy (Cable) Somers in Lincoln.

He retired from General Motors after 30 years.

Mr. Somers is survived by his wife, Myrt Somers of Jackson, Mich.; one daughter, Tammy Somers of New Mexico; two sons, Brian Somers of Ossineke and Troy Somers of Lincoln; six grandchildren; two sisters, Darlene Grace of Lincoln and Delynn Robb of Idaho Falls, Idaho; and one brother, David Somers of Lincoln.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and one brother, Wayne Somers.

Čremation has taken place and memorial service will be held in July.

#### Iva M. Dellar

Iva M. Dellar, 93, of Harrisville died on Saturday, May 12, 2018 at home.

She was born on April 30, 1925 to Lawrence and Susan (Paul) Healy in Glennie; where she was raised.

She married Howard Dellar on August 17, 1946 in Glennie. They farmed in Harrisville Township until they retired.

Mrs. Dellar was active with 4-H groups, including livestock and cake decorating. Her hobby was quilting, she made numerous quilts for family members and friends over the years.

She was an active member of Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado. She enjoyed working with the ladies in Ladies Missionary Fellowship and taught Sunday school.

Mrs. Dellar is survived by one daughter, Rita (Brian) Bennett; two sons, Howard (Marilyn) Dellar and Jim (Cora) Dellar; nine grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one sister, Beatrice Dellar.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Howard, on November 9, 1987; an infant son, Lawrence; and six brothers and sixters

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, May 16 at Calvary Baptist Church in Mikado from 10 a.m. until the funeral service at 11 a.m. The Rev. Tim Steiner will officiate. Burial will be in Springport Cemetery, Harrisville. Arrangements were handled by Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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### Letters to the Editor

To the Editor,

I would like to take this opportunity to give some praise to the Alcona County Conservation District for the wonderful annual spring tree sale recently held on May 5

sale recently held on May 5. I'm certain that I speak for many other local and regional residents. A special thanks to Janet Reins, district manager, and the staff and volunteers who combined to make this annual event another jewel for Harrisville's and Alcona County's proud reputation.

John Nowosad Harrisville

#### Blanche Hechlik

Blanche Hechlik, 99, of Greenbush, died on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at Lincoln Haven Nursing and Rehabilitation Community in Lincoln.

She was born on April 22, 1919 to Walter and Agnes (Juszczyk) Jedrzykiewicz in Buffalo, N.Y. She was raised in Hamtramck, Mich.

On April 27, 1940 she married Edward Hechlik in Hamtramck, Mich. where they resided until moving to Greenbush in 1947.

The Hechliks built, owned, and operated the Greenbush Tavern.

Mrs. Hechlik was a devoted homemaker who loved taking care of her family.

She was a member of St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville, the Greenbush Historical Society and the Greenbush Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Hechlik is survived by two sons, Edward (Linda) Hechlik and Walter (Patricia) Hechlik; four grandchildren, Ed (Sarah) Hechlik, Susan Hechlik Kaderle, Matthew (Cassandra) Hechlik and Bobbi Jo (Cory) Bainbridge; and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward, on January 15, 1988; one grandson, William Edward Hechlik; two sisters, Laura Rzempala and Tessie Krzeminski; and one brother, Edward Jedrzykiewicz.

The funeral Mass was held on Saturday, May 12 at St. Anne Catholic Church in Harrisville. The Rev. Robert Bissot officiated. Burial was in St. Anne Catholic Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the Greenbush Historical Society.

Arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

#### Harrisville Climatological Observations for 2018

		Weekly Report			r Hour	
	Temperat	ure (F°)	Water	Av. Wind	High	Dominant
<u>Date</u>	<u>High</u>	Low	Content	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Speed</u>	<u>Direction</u>
May 6	49	35	0.03	4.6	19	N
May 7	50	33	0.00	4.9	18	N
May 8	60	40	0.00	5.0	22	SW
May 9	56	44	0.22	4.4	22	SW
May 10	62	37	0.01	4.1	22	N
May 11	41	32	0.00	4.1	17	ENE
May 12	49	33	0.00	6.0	18	NE

#### **Precipitation Summary (Inches)**

<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>Normal</u>
0.26	0.00	0.56
1.96	0.91	0.96
9.65	11.44	8.51
	0.26 1.96	0.26

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**



#### Sandra A. Hering

Sandra Ann Hering, 48, of Harrisville died on Wednesday May 9, 2018.

She was born on October 27, 1969 to John and Betty (McCallum) Hering in Alpena. She was a graduate of Pied Piper School in Alpena.

Miss Hering loved competing in Special Olympics and was a medalist in many events including, swimming, basketball, and bowling. She also loved spending time with her family as well as her dogs.

Miss Hering is survived by her parents John (Shirley) Hering and Betty (Gary) Maclam; her fiancé, Barney Trahan-Grabiel; five brothers, Fred (Karen) Hering, Nick

Darence James Betts "DB," 61, of Pontiac, Mich. died on Monday, April 23, 2018 at

He was born on January 6, 1957 to Edmund and Margaret (Owen) Betts in Ypsilanti, Mich. He graduated from Belleville High School.

He earned a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Eastern Michigan University. He began his career with the Pontiac Police Department, in Pontiac, Mich. He retired as a detective after serving 25 years with the department.

He married Coleen Swift on February 15, 1997.

Mr. Betts loved Tiger baseball and college football. He especially loved spending time at the family cottage near Harrisville.

(Vanessa) Hering, Bob (Stacy) Mason, Randy (Amy) Mason, and Mark Maclam; four sisters, Tammy (Eric) North, Missy (Dan) McCal-lum, Sue (Ed) Schmitz, and Judy

(Randy) Hompstead; her future mother-in-law, Laurie Trahan; many nieces and nephews; and many greatnieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one brother, Anthony

The funeral was held on Monday, May 14 at First Assembly of God Church in Alpena. Pastor Kerry Clark officiated. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be



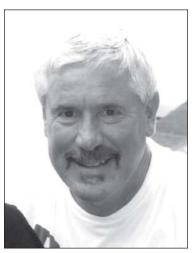
made to the family. Arrangements handled by McWilliams Funeral Home in Alpena.

#### Darence J. Betts

He was a permanent, parttime summer resident of the Harrisville area for 60 years. He enjoyed the annual Fourth of July celebration in Harrisville and fireworks display at the Harrisville Harbor. He also enjoyed attending the Arts and Crafts Fair in Harrisville over Labor Day week-

Mr. Betts is survived by his wife, Coleen; four brothers, David (Susan) Betts, Douglas (Mary) Betts, Dennis (Debby) Betts and Donald Betts; one sister, Debbie (John) Baselle; one sister-inlaw, Mary Ann Betts; one brother-in-law, Steve Uballe; and many nieces and neph-

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Duane Betts; and one sister,



Dorothy Uballe.

Cremation has taken place. A visitation and memorial service will be held on May 18 and 19 in the Rochester, Mich. area. Arrangements were handled by the Potere-Modetz Funeral Home in Rochester, Mich.



### Calendar of Events



#### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 16**

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

The Iosco-Alcona Chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel will meet at 10:30 a.m. at the IRESA building located west of Tawas on M-55. All retired school personnel and friends are invited to attend. Call (989) 739-2635 for details.

#### THURSDAY, MAY 17

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 de-

**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.

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

Stephanie Gandulla from the Thunder Bay Marine Sanctuary in Alpena will present a program on local shipwrecks at the Greenbush Township Hall at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served. This event is free and open to the public. Sponsored by the Greenbush Historical Soci-

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) 736-8022, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 18

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.

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### Local Notes

#### EMS Open House

The Alcona County EMS will be hosting an open house on Sunday, May 20 from 1 to 3 p.m. at both locations — Station 1 in Harrisville, 2600 E. M-72 and Station 2 in Glennie, 2300 S. M-65. The public is invited to view the equipment and ask questions. Refreshments will be provided. For more information, call (989) 736-3955.

#### Helpers Needed

The Harrisville Beautification Committee is in need of volunteers who would like to help make Harrisville even more attractive by planting and watering flowers, cleaning up the parks and sharing ideas on how to enhance the community. For more information, call Jackie Trimmer at (248) 505-8617.

#### **Shipwreck Discoveries**

Stephanie Gandulla from the Thunder Bay Marine Sanctuary in Alpena will present a program about recent shipwreck discoveries and will provide an up-close look at Alcona area shipwrecks on Thursday, May 17. The Greenbush Historical Society is hosting the event for its annual meeting at the Greenbush Township Hall at 7 p.m. There will be a brief meeting, displays of historical items and information about Greenbush. Refreshments will be served. The

public is welcome to attend

Local Notes

#### Away At School

this free event.

Madeline Feldhiser graduated with Summa Cum Laude honors from Ferris State University on May 4. She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in biology. She is the daughter of Mark and Paulette Feldhiser of Spruce.



Madeline Feldhiser

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, May 21—Baked chicken, sweet potatoes, Brussels sprouts, and mixed fruit.
- Tuesday, May 22—Hot dog on a bun, potato lyonnaise, broccoli, and tropical fruit
- Wednesday, May 23— Beef pot roast with potatoes, baby carrots, coleslaw, and dinner rolls.
- Thursday, May 24— Breaded pork chop, baked beans, corn, pickled beets, and mandarin oranges.
- Friday, May 25—Chicken pot pie, squash, three bean salad, and mixed fruit. (Friday meals served in Lincoln only.)

#### Registering Students

The League of Women Voters (LWV) of Alpena County and People for Social Justice are working together to register students to vote. During the month of May members will be at Alcona High School, Alpena High School and Rogers City High School to en-

courage students to take part in the democracy by engaging in the voting process. The league's slogan: "Democracy Is Not a Spectator Sport" sums up the beliefs of both groups. Members of both groups will be working together throughout the summer and fall at various events to try to boost the percentage of voters who participate in the all-important voting process.

Local

Notes

National LWV Programs and Outreach Director Maggie Bush said, "in order to make our democracy work and survive, people need to get informed and participate in voting. But here's the rub: young people have also historically voted at lower rates than their older counterparts. Only about half of eligible youth voted in 2016. The League's goal nationwide is to reach 38 communities, 400 schools, tens of thousands of newly registered, fully energized, empowered voters — ready to participate in our democracy.'

#### Flute & Friends Concert

The ninth annual Flute & Friends concert will be presented on Sunday, May 20 at Trinity Episcopal Church in Alpena at 2 p.m. The concert is directed by longtime Alcona County resident and musician MaryAnn Hubbard and feature several local instrumentalists and vocalists.

The concept of the Flute & Friends recital series was developed nine years ago to highlight and share with northeastern Michigan the variety that flute music brings to the stage when combined with non-flutist musicians. To that end, several accomplished local musicians will be featured; and new to the inclusive nature of the concert will be the addition of the visual art of photography by Harrisville resident Rick Duncan.

Another special part of the recital will feature an interaction between two differing disciplines of fine art – music and photography. Duncan's videos of many of the rivers of northern Michigan will be shown while being accompanied by the musician's river music. Admission is \$5 per person at the door.

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should have restrictions on when it is open and there should be an age limit on who can use the playground, which was built for children ages 12 and under. He suggested others could still be

He feels the playground allowed into the area, but only if they were accompanying appropriately aged children.

Jordon would like volunteers or what he calls "playground champions" to walk through the playground daily



The following individuals were sentenced in 81st District Court by the Honorable Laura A. Frawley in April.

- Gary Lane Hudgins, 48, of Spruce was sentenced to one day in jail, one year of probation and fines and costs of \$1,295 for domestic violence.
- Cecilia Rose Vogt, 39, of Greenbush was sentenced to two days in jail and \$800 in fines and costs for no valid license
- Joseph Lee Fountaine Jr., 39, of Black River was sentenced to \$400 in fines and costs for no valid license in possession.
- David William Ouillette Jr., 19, of Oscoda was sentenced to \$200 in fines and costs for no valid license in possession.
- Michael James Achtabowski, 30, of Lincoln was sentenced to one day in jail and fines and costs of \$1,340 for operating while visibly impaired.
- Arthur Leonard McCabe, 61, of Mio, Mich. was sentenced to two days in jail and fines and costs of \$2,025 for operating while intoxicated and carrying a concealed weapon under the influence.
- Carl Edward Hall, 41, of Mikado was sentenced to three days in jail, six months of probation and \$1,105 in fines and costs for possession of marijuana/spice/salvia.
- Robert Russell Basner, 19, of Lincoln was sentenced to \$275 in fines and costs for failure to report an accident.

and, perhaps, drive around it later in the evening or at night to keep an eye on what is happening there. If they notice anything suspicious they are to call 911.

A police report has been filed with the Alcona County Sheriff's Department and Jordon has been told there will be increase patrols in the area. The Michigan State Police is also doing an investigation on what has been discovered on a video taken around the time of the incident.

Gauthier volunteered to head the playground committee and is planning to hold a community meeting sometime in June to organize volunteers and discuss how best to proceed to keep the playground secure. No date for the meeting has been set.

For more information, contact Gauthier at (989) 736-3844 or email her at Bon-Kentg@yahoo.com.

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#### NOTICE

Gustin Township will hold its Annual Twin Lakes Cemetery Clean-up on Saturday, May 19th 2018. If it is raining that day it will be held on Sunday, May 20, 2018. Clean-up will begin at 9 a.m. and any help would be greatly appreciated. For further information, please contact Gustin Township Clerk Renee LaVergne at 989-736-7204.

#### **NOTICE**

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#### **Harrisville Harbor Commission Board Vacancy**

We are looking to fill one HHC position. The Commission is responsible to adopt policy for the management and operation of the harbor and is responsible to budget and authorize the expenditure of harbor funds. The HHC meets the first Thursday of April, June, August, October and December, or as needed. This is a voluntary position. Please send your resume to Ms. Janet Mansfield, Chair, HHC Personnel Committee at winsten@voyager.net by June 4, 2018. 5/23



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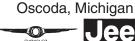
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### Alcona Tigers split with Rogers City

**By Ben Murphy** Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity baseball team capped off a busy week with a win on Thursday, as it salvaged a split with visiting Rogers City. The Hurons won the opener 5-0 with the Tigers getting a 10-6 win in the nightcap of the North Star League double-

In game one, Josh Kilbourn and Devon Mills both pitched in the loss, with Alex Stephenson, Matt Krisan and Jacob Sytek each getting one

"This one was disappointing, for whatever reason we could not hit the ball hard," said head coach Nate Walker. "We put the ball in play most of the game but Rogers City made the plays behind their pitcher."

The Tiger bats came alive in game two, with Stephenson pitching well enough to get the win. He had six strikeouts in five innings. Tim Hutchinson tossed the final

Jack Hutchinson had three hits and three RBI, Stephenson had a double and two singles, while Jonathan Surgener, Tim Hutchinson and Sytek all had two hits.

"Alex really stepped it up, he was a very vocal leader and that's exactly what we need out of him moving forward with the rest of the season," Walker said.

On Tuesday, May 8 the Tigers played in Hillman where they came up short in a pair of games, 11-1 and 8-

Luke Loyer took the loss in the opener. Kilbourn had a double, with Sytek getting the lone RBI. Tim Hutchinson and Krisan had one hit each.

Game two saw Krisan and Jonathan Surgener take the mound. The offense saw Tim Hutchinson, Mills and Krisan all get two hits apiece while Krisan and Sytek added one RBI each.

"Coming into the game we knew we would be hurting for pitching and we just couldn't seem to muster up any offense all day," Walker said.

On Monday, May 7 Alcona served as hosts against Oscoda in its North Star League opener. The Tigers won the opener 10-8 but dropped game two 12-1.

Kilbourn got the win, striking out five with Loyer coming in to finish off the game for a save.

Krisan had a pair of doubles, one single and four RBI. Jack Hutchinson had a double and a single. Loyer had two hits. Stephenson smacked a two run home run. Kilbourn had a hit, walked three times and scored three times.

"The balls were flying off the bat in this one, with four homers total," Walker said. "Alex's home run started us off and we never looked back. This was a good win for us.

In game two, Mills started with Antavius Mikazes pitching in relief. Krisan had two hits and Sytek had one hit and one RBI.

On Saturday, May 5 the Tigers played in the Johannesburg-Lewiston Invitational, where they suffered a pair of losses.

Game one was a 5-4 loss to Mancelona. Kilbourn was the starting pitcher, though Ezra Stoley took the loss in relief.

Mills had a double, single and two RBI. Krisan and Stephenson had two hits

The Tigers finished the day with a 7-3 loss to Johannesburg. Mills started the game pitching and struck out three in two innings, while Jack Hutchinson took the loss.

Mills also had a double and an RBI on offense with Stephenson getting one hit and one RBI.

Alcona was in Whittemore-Prescott on Monday, hosts Atlanta on Thursday, May 17, heads to the Tawas Invitational on Saturday, May 19 and is in Mio on May 21.

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### Harbor Continued from page 1 -

until August.

Around the third week of July the harbor typically sees an influx of sailboats on the way back from the Port Huron to Mackinaw race. Ferguson has informed the race committee of the situation at the harbor and expects a repeat of last year when many boaters passed on docking at the Harrisville Harbor due to the limit of slips available.

It will be a financial challenge for the harbor, but fortunately, the harbor relies a lot on fuel sales and I've already had two tankers of fuel brought in and I'm already pumping gas. We ask people be patient with us. Construction doesn't always happen on time and their crews have things fairly torn up. It's a growing pain, but we are growing in a good direction and looking forward to 25 or 30 more years from these docks after it's all done," Ferguson said.

The fourth phase funding request has been submitted to the state waterways commission and although it hasn't been approved yet, Ferguson doesn't see an issue with getting the approval. The fourth phase includes replacing the fuel dock, the fuel delivery system and sewage system.

Ferguson is hoping phase four will begin this fall with the fifth phase, putting in all new floating fingers onto the spine, earmarked for spring of 2020 unless funding is

released earlier.

The total of all five phases of construction is speculated to cost \$2,500,000 funded by a series of Michigan Department of Natural Resource grants.

Ferguson was pleased to have most of his crew from last summer. Typically, the harbor hires five or six employees in addition to Ferguson's job during summer months, but if traffic is down due to construction they won't need that many

Ferguson would like to get boaters into town to see all that is happening in the community. To help do this, the \$25 fee to put an eight by 10inch poster advertising a business or an organization event in the harbor kiosk will be discontinued.

"I felt it was a detriment to charge the community to advertise in the kiosk. I'd much rather have it full of options for the boaters than to give them the impression nothing was going on in our community. Of course, if someone wants to make a donation to put their flier up, we won't turn it away,' Ferguson said.

Fliers will be put in the kiosk on a first come, first serviced basis and can be turned into the harbor office.

For more information on progress at the harbor and photos, visit and like the Harrisville Harbor of Refuge Facebook page.

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## SENIOR LIFESTYLES

## Extra Help' program helps seniors with medication costs

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Yes, there's a low-income subsidy program called Extra Help that can assist seniors on a tight budget with paying for their premiums, deductible and co-payments in their Medicare (Part D) prescription drug plan.

Around 10 million people are receiving this subsidy, but another two million may qualify for it and don't even realize it. They're missing out on hundreds, maybe thousands, of dollars in savings each year.

Changes in the law make it easier than ever to qualify for the Extra Help program. Even if your mom applied

and didn't qualify before, she may be eligible now. The amount of additional assistance she would receive depends on her income and assets. If she qualifies for help, she'll pay no more than \$3.35 for a generic drug and \$8.35 for a brand-name drug in 2018.

To get the subsidy, your mom's assets can't be more than \$14,100 (or \$28,150 for married couples living together). Bank accounts, stocks and bonds count as assets, but her home, vehicle, personal belongings, life insurance and burial plots do not.

Also, your mom's monthly income can't be more than \$1,538 (or \$2,078 for married couples). If your mom supports a family member who lives with her, or lives in Alaska or Hawaii, her income can be higher.

In addition, the government won't count any money if your mom receives help for household expenses like food, rent, mortgage payments, utilities and property

There are three ways to apply for Extra Help: online at SSA.gov/prescriptionhelp; by calling Social Security at (800) 772-1213; or by visiting her local Social Security office.

The application form is easy to complete, but you'll need your mom's Social Security number and information about her bank balances, pensions and investments. Social Security will review her application and send her a letter within a few weeks letting you know whether she qualifies.

If your mom doesn't qualify for Extra Help, she may still be able to get help from a state pharmacy assistance program or a patient assistance program. Visit Benefits-CheckUp.org and click on "Medications" to search for these programs.

If your mom is eligible for Extra Help, she may also qualify for help with her other Medicare expenses through



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State Medicaid programs partner with the federal government, so income and asset qualifications vary depending on where she lives. Medicare Savings Programs will pay her entire Medicare Part B premium each month. Some also pay for Part B coinsurance copayments, depending on her income. Contact your

to determine if she qualifies for benefits in her state. You can also get help through her State Health Insurance Assistance Program

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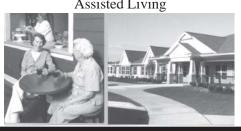
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Alcona Elementary Students of the Month for April (from left) Cody Kimball, first grade; Joshua Abee, second grade; Sophia Rice, kindergarten; Anthony Perez, fourth grade; and Josh Ratz, third grade. Courtesy photo.



Josie Graham is the Alcona Elementary fifth grade Student of the Month. Courtesy photo.

### Hurons tame Lady Tigers

**By Ben Murphy** 

Sports Writer

The Alcona varsity softball team dropped a doubleheader 20-0 and 19-1 to Rogers City in North Star League games on Thursday, May 10.

In the opening game, getting hits for Alcona was Hailee Gordy, Abby Lobaugh and Brianna Fogle.

Alcona had its only run of the day in the bottom of the third inning of game two. Taylor Livingston had an RBI single, sending in Rachel Hayes.

Hailee Gordy also had a hit in game two.

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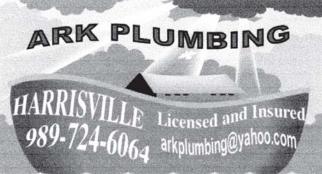


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### Alcona 4-H teams place in Great Lakes Regional ROV Competition

The Great Lakes Regional simulate real world problems. ROV Competition issued a challenge to local students -- design and build an underwater robot that can locate the wreckage of an airplane, install equipment to monitor earthquakes and completing a renewable energy project, all of which will be simulated in the Great Lakes Regional ROV Competition at the Great Lakes Maritime Heritage Center in Alpena held on May 12.

Hosted annually by Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary, the Great Lakes Regional MATE ROV Competition encourages Michigan students from Alpena, Stockbridge, Petoskey, and other local towns to learn and apply science, technology engineering, and math skills as they develop underwater robots - also known as remotely operated vehicles or ROVs to complete missions that

"For 14 years this competition has been an important part of Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary's education efforts to inspire the next generation of underwater explorers, scientists, and engineers," said sanctuary education coordinator Sarah Waters.

The competition theme and missions change each year. Because the international competition will take place near Seattle. Wash.. this year's contest will highlight the role ROVs play in the Pacific Northwest, supporting activities that deal with archaeology, seismology and renewable energy.

She explained that through the competition scenario, students are being exposed to the region's mountains and rivers crafted from volcanic eruptions and earthquakes,

its discovery boom in renewable energy and its rich aviation history, which is the reason why Seattle is often referred to as "Jet City."

According to Waters, students also are being exposed to business practices as they are tasked with creating mock companies and work together to "manufacture, market and sell" their products, i.e. their ROVs.

This simulated company approach promotes the development of entrepreneurship and leadership skills as students manage a project and budget, brainstorm solutions, prepare reports and poster displays, and deliver presentations, all necessary skills in their future careers.

The Great Lakes Regional ROV Competition is one of 31 regional contests held around the world and managed by the Marine Advanced Technology Education (MATE) Center. The winning teams will earn the opportunity to compete in MATE's 18th annual international ROV competition, which will be held June 21-23 at Weyerhaeuser King County Aquatic Center in Federal Way, Wash.



Alcona County 4-H Pineapples Scout class took third place overall and first place in scout engineering in the Great Lakes Regional MATE ROV Competition last week in Alpena. (From left) Rebecca Holyoke, deputy director of the office of National Marine Sanctuaries; Navigator team members Marius Spears, Janae Harte and Matt Good, Jeff Gray, Thunder Bay Marine Sanctuary superintendent. Photo courtesy of NOAA, Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary.



Alcona County 4-H Pineapples Navigator class took third place overall in the Great Lakes Regional MATE ROV Competition last week in Alpena. (From left) Robby Mills, Grace Atkinson, Cecelia Spears and coach John Mann. Photo courtesy of NOAA, Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary.

### Think like a trout

Many anglers search for the latest tips and tricks when fishing for trout and one of the best may also be the most simple: don't forget that trout can see.

Trout are known to have excellent vision so consider the following if you head out this spring:

· Cast out far ahead of you to prevent the trout from see-

• When wading, do so carefully and avoid rapid movement which could spook the

- · Don't wear any shiny objects; including watches or tools on your vest.
- Stay away from wearing bright colors, stick to dark browns and greens.
- · Remember that trout usually face into the current so cast upstream.

#### Northeast **Lower Peninsula May 10**

• Overall: The water is still

very cold and fishing has been on the slow side. Everything is behind schedule this year so anglers will want to plan

• Alpena: All of the city docks are in and the fish cleaning station is open. The waters in the lake and bay are still very cold but anglers are heading out for lake trout. Try 40 to 55 feet around Thunder Bay Island and run spoons near the bottom or use flashers. Green, blue and chartreuse have been good colors. Try higher up in the water column with orange spoons or bright colored body baits for Atlantics.

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shore picked up the occasional lake trout, walleye or Atlantic on bright colored spoons and body baits. Most are staying close to the mouth of the river where the warmer water is.

• Thunder Bay River: There is still a lot of water flow as two gates were still open. Those fishing up near the dam are catching a lot of suckers right now. A few walleye were taken on deep diving body baits early morning or late in the day. Steelhead anglers drifting flies or beads had limited success. Try to get away from the suckers and the fast water and you may get some walleye or steelhead. Boats drifting or jigging from the drawbridge to the mouth were getting some walleye on jigs with twisters tipped with minnows but the action was slow.

 Oscoda: Boat and pier anglers found walleye, lake

Those fishing closer to trout, and a couple of Atlantic salmon when still-fishing minnows or casting deep diving crank baits, jerk baits, and spoons at the mouth of the river. Silver, blue, clown, and rainbow were good colors. Jigs and soft plastics have also taken walleye and a few smallmouth bass. The walleye bite was best in the evening.

> AuSable River: Was warming fairly quickly and temperatures were in the low 50s. Steelhead and a few white suckers were caught when drifting spawn, beads, wax worms and nymph or yarn flies. Those casting plugs have also taken steelhead. Actively feeding fish can still be taken from the holes. Streamer flies and plugs should become more effective as the water warms and fish begin to drop back. Walleye and smallmouth bass were caught in the lower river

casting crank baits or drifting minnows.

• Black River: Anglers targeting steelhead were casting spoons or floating spawn bags. The skid pier is in.

• Harrisville: A couple of walleye and lake trout were taken by those casting or trolling crank baits at the mouth of the harbor and along the walls. Those trolling spoons inside 30 feet caught a few lake trout and walleye. Lake trout were also taken out deeper in 70 to 80 feet between Harrisville and Sturgeon Point. Migratory walleye from Saginaw Bay do not appear to have shown up in significant numbers yet. Steelhead and an Atlantic salmon were taken from the harbor by those floating spawn near the creek or casting from the rocks.

• Tawas: Those fishing the docks caught some nice wall\*\*RE-SCHEDULED\*\*

### SUNRISE TALENT SEARCH

(formerly Mock Rock)

Saturday, May 19 – 7 pm

**Alcona High Auditorium** Adults \$10 ~ Students \$5 Family rate \$25

Fundraiser for the

Miss Sunrise Side Scholarship Program miss.sunriseside.mi@gmail.com



#### NOTICE

Caledonia Township is correcting clerical numbering errors for the following Ordinances:

Ordinance No. 1 of 2017 to amend the Park Ordinance No. 16-01 to add a Littering and Dumping on Park Properties Section and the original Park Ordinance No. 15-01.

Ordinance No. 2 of 2017 to correct the numbering of the second Ordinance of 2017 which amends the Planning Commission Ordinance #09-02 to reduce the number of Planning Commission members from 7 to 5 and to change the quorum requirement.

### Alcona County Sheriff's Report For the Week of May 7-13, 2018

128 complaints were handled resulting in the following: 8 Arrests; 4 Warrant Arrests; 2 Drive While License Suspended; 2 Operate While Intoxicated; 5 Traffic Tickets.

#### **Complaint Statistics** Car/Deer Accidents Traffic/Traffic Stop 34 27 Warrant Arrest Medical Property Damage Accident Personal Injury Accident 2 Criminal Sexual Conduct Animal/Dog 5 Miscellaneous **Assist** 3 Well Being Check 911 Hang Up Suspicious Events Malicous Destr. of Property Fire/Power Lines Down Vehicle Inspection Operate While Intoxicated Larceny Drive While License Susp. Alarm **Threats** Assault Civil **Domestic** Suicidal Person Salvage Vehicle Inspection Open Door **Gun Shots** Littering Neighbor Trouble Complaints taken by City, Township or Village Caledonia Alcona 12 Curtis 16 13 Gustin Greenbush 13 Harrisville 17 7 Haynes 4 Mikado Hawes 12 3 Mitchell 4 Millen

Village of Lincoln

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<b>Swiss Steak Dinner</b>	•
Friday, May 18	
4:30 to 6:30 p.m. (or until steak is sold out)	
Swiss Steak, mashed potatoes,	
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### Calendar of Events



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Classic movie night at 5:45 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 West Main Street. Free popcorn. Co-sponsored by Inspiration Alcona. For more information, call (989) 724-6796.

#### **SATURDAY, MAY 19**

Wurtsmith Air Museum opening weekend. Free admission for everyone in honor of Armed Forces Day from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The museum is located at 4071 East Van Ettan Street in Oscoda. Call (989) 739-7555 for details.

A euchre tournament will be held at the Greenbush Township Hall on Campbell road. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., play starts at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Sponsored by the Greenbush Historical Society.

Bring your fire extinguisher and get it inspected by an expert. Learn the dos and don'ts of fire safety at Westminster Presbyterian Church on Second Street in Harrisville. Everyone is invited. Coffee and cookies for

#### **SUNDAY, MAY 20**

Wurtsmith Air Museum opening weekend. Free admission for everyone in honor of Armed Forces Day from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The museum is located at 4071 East Van Ettan Street in Oscoda. Call (989)739-7555

The Alcona County EMS will host an opening house from 1 to 3 p.m. at both Station One, 2600 East M-72, Harrisville and Station Two, 2300 South M-65 in Glennie. The public is invited to view the equipment and ask questions. Refreshments will be provided. Call (989) 736-3955 for details.

#### MONDAY, MAY 21

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

All ladies are invited to play bunco at the Greenbush Township Hall at 2:30 p.m. First-timers are always welcome. Call Barb Taylor at (989) 739-7029 for details.

#### **TUESDAY, MAY 22**

Thunder Bay Arts Council will present "Wood Man II: Collecting Feathers," original poetry, prose, music and comedy by local author, Allan James Grund. The event will performed by the author along with Sue Floer, Jeff **Powers and Jodene Compton** from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Thunder Bay Theatre. An afterglow party at JJ's Steak House is included in the ticket price. Music there will feature some blues, folk and rock from the past. Tickets are \$15 per person at the door. Students admitted free with proper identification. Call (989) 356-6678 for de-

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

The Harrisville Lady Lions will meet at 5:30 p.m. at the Red Rooster Restaurant on US-23 in Greenbush. All ladies are invited to join this group. Call Kathy Nelson at (989) 739-7707 for details or email alconareviewmary-@yahoo.com.

#### **WEDNESDAY, MAY 23**

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. Call (989) 727-3606 for details.

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

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

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

My Brother's Hope Free Store 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 de-

A Spring Fever Variety Show presented by the Alcona Dramatization of Literature class will be held at the Alcona High School Auditorium. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the show starts at 7 p.m. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$2 for students. All proceeds to support the

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## AREA CHURCH DIRECTOR

### St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Corner of US-23 & Medor Rd. **Harrisville** • 724-5160 www.standrewschurchharrisville.org 10 A.M. SUNDAY SERVICE

### Family Heritage Baptist Church

4260 M-72 Harrisville (2.5 miles west of the light) Pastor Ernest Ruemenapp (989) 724-6728 • www.church72.org.



Sunday worship services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. Wednesday 7 p.m. children's ministry. Wednesday 7 p.m. midweek service (preaching and prayer service).

**New Life Lutheran Church (ELCA)** Sunday Worship & Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Hubbard Lake Rd.,

Juberan // Charch 3/4 mile south of White Pine National Golf Course Alona County Pastor Christina Bright Office 736-7816



#### **Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)**

**Church Street at Traverse Bay Road** 

Lincoln, Mich. 48742 ~ 736-1227 Pastor David Putz~ Service, Sunday 9 a.m.

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6891 Nicholson Hill Road, Hubbard Lake, Mich. 49747 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. Pastor Joseph Llewellyn • (989) 727-2496

### **Our Savior Lutheran Church**

3639 South M-65, Glennie, Michigan Sunday Morning 9 a.m. Worship Service Everyone Welcome

#### **Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA)**

2096 Trask Lake Rd., Barton City 48705 Services 4 p.m. every Saturday

Supply Pastor Christina Bright ~ (989) 736-8460 Everyone Welcome

#### ALCONA COUNTY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

ST. RAPHAEL, Mikado, Saturday 4:30 p.m. ST. GABRIEL, Black River Saturday 6:30 p.m. ST. CATHERINE (Ossineke) Sunday 9 a.m. ST. ANNE, Harrisville Sunday 11 a.m. Pastor: Fr. Robert Bissot • (989) 724-6713

#### Westminster Presbyterian Church U.S.A. 201 N. Second at Jefferson, Harrisville

Worship & Sunday School ~ 11 a.m. Monday & Wednesday office hours 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Rev. Ken Krause ~ 724-6734

#### GREENBUSH COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

2430 S. State, Greenbush • 724-5264 • Pastor A. C. Caincross

- Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
- Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

Meeting 6 p.m.

### Havnes Community Church

4505 Shaw Road, Harrisville, Michigan 48740 Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m. 989-724-6665

Pastor Claire Duncan • haynescommunitychurch.org



#### First Baptist Church of Lincoln

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m. Bible Study/Prayer, Wed. 7 p.m.

Pastor Dr. Arie VanBrenk • 202 Main Street • 736-8796



#### **CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

2902 E. F-30, Mikado, MI 48745 • (989) 736-8345 Pastor Tim Steiner

Sunday School: 10 a.m. • Sunday Worship Services: 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Adult Prayer & Bible Study Sundays 5:30-6:30 p.m. (K-6th) Monday: 6:30 p.m. \*Teen Program (Grades 7-12) \*Fall-Spring programs • Website: www.cbcmikado.com



#### **Spruce Presbyterian Church**

Induction Loop equipped for tele-coil hearing aids 6230 Gillard Road (P.O. Box 37) Spruce, MI 48762 • 471-5464 Worship 9 a.m.

Rev. Ken Krause - Office Hours: Tues. & Thurs. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

#### SOLID ROCK CHURCH OF GOD

158 N. Barlow Road., Harrisville • (989) 736-6350 Pastor Edward Morrison • Full Gospel Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Evening Service 6 p.m. • Family Bible Study 7 p.m. Wednesday

#### GRACE EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN

Don VanDyke, Pastor Worship 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. 739-3424 • graceonthebase@gmail.com www.grace-epc.org • www.epc.org 6012 N. Skeel , Oscoda, Next to Parks Library

#### **COMMUNITY OF CHRIST**

Church School 10 a.m. ~ Worship 11 a.m. 3155 E. F-30, Mikado MI • Church 736-8727 Pastor Char McGuire • 736-3486

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors The people of the United Methodist Church serving Alcona County With worship at these locations: Lincoln at 9 a.m. (101 E. Main St) Harrisville at 10:30 a.m. (217 N. State St.)

All sanctuaries are wheelchair accessible and all sites offer Sunday School for children during the worship

Rev. Charles Sheldon - Pastor Phone - 989-739-5497 - Cell 989-254-4112

Come as you are - everyone is welcome!





## Buggy Rides

From the files of the Alcona County Review



### Glen Roberts sick and back in U.S. sanitarius

**May 16, 1918** ~ New York, May 3, 1918.

My dear Mother and Brother:—Received your letter this morning; glad to hear from you and you are all well. I am feeling pretty good, eating three good meals a day. Lots of milk and eggs to eat.

The way your letter read it would lead one to believe I was sick a bed. Now mother, don't let anything like this run through your mind. I am up and around, feel strong and sleep good at night and have no pain at all. I was troubled quite a little with pleurisy when I first landed but it has now died out so I feel fine. This is the effects of pneumonia that is all that is bothering me and a cold or cough which I will have until I get into dry air.

France has too wet a climate; it rains about every two days and the nights are very cold and wet and I was on the front for 7½ months without much time off. The mud was up to your waist most all the time and then we were always in range of shell fire. Over 300 of our fellows were killed before the first of January. We would work nine days and if we had good luck we night get the tenth day off.

I was running a French fire engine, pumping water to camp when I first went over,

then I was firing a locomotive I worked for about three for four months right through the shell fire everyday, bring up ammunition and supplies as close to the trenches as possible. I have been in about 500 air raids at night and have seen plenty of shrapnel fall and splatter even in the cab of our engine.

It was only toward the last that I got on working at electrical work. They never got the job ready until I was sick.

weeks with a temperature of about 100 most every afternoon. I had a pain in my left side for about a month and every time I went to the doctor it was pills.

One day when I was off I went to Base Hospital No. 17 and seen Major Torey. This man is Mr. Ford's brotherinlaw. I knew him from when I was on the yacht in Detroit. He examined me and said I had pneumonia and ordered me put in bed. They had to drain my lung with a needle, putting it in my back and pushing it into my lung. It was then that I was almost a goner. They took about a pint of puss out of me-that is what was causing the pain. After this I recovered rapidly and through Major Torey I am back in "God's country."

My lung is pretty weak and if I stayed in France I would contract tuberculosis of the lung. Well, I'm here anyway and as soon as I'm well I'll be discharged from the Army.

But I kind of hated to leave France and the fellows. Believe me I liked it up on the front some excitement all the time. We used to sleep days and work under darkness.

I am going to ask for a furlough to come home when I get settled. We are going to Wayneville, North Carolina from here and from there to Ft. Blair, New Mexico. These places are army sanitariums for tuberculosis patients.

Now mother don't worry. This is my case, I have told you all. The pneumonia was brought on from faint attacks of gas in my lung. I will recover quite fast. Will close.

Your loving son.

Glen Roberts.

P. S. Wait until you here from me before answering as we are leaving this afternoon. Tell Harold I think he is doing fine. I will try and send him the money for the gun. What does he want-a 22?

Glen Roberts' picture and mention of him is made in a special article in the Detroit Free Press of Sunday 12th.

### Local News

May 16, 1918 ~ Game Wardens Edwin Hatch and B. Napper were here the first of the week and swore out warrants for four men caught spearing fish in West Branch of Hubbard Lake. Sheriff Forsyth has tried in vain to locate the men described in the warrant and is inclined to think the fishermen "put one over" on the wardens by giving fictitious names. The warden came upon the men at night and they gave their names, or some names at least, and said they would come to Harrisville Monday to make their appearance in court. The men were strangers to the warden and it is doubtful if he could identify them from his short contact with them on the stream.

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May 16, 2018

### Alcona Review Weather Report

#### **Seven Day Forecast**



WEDNESDAY Sunny High: 75 Low: 45



**THURSDAY** Partly Cloudy High: 60 Low: 43



FRIDAY Partly Cloudy High: 62 Low: 48



SATURDAY Partly Cloudy High: 67 Low: 50



SUNDAY Few Showers



High: 63 Low: 45 MONDAY

Partly Cloudy

High: 66 Low: 48



TUESDAY



### Sunny

### High: 62 Low: 44

#### **Local UV Index**

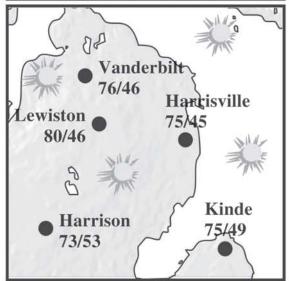


UV Index 0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

#### **Tonight's Planets**

	Rise	Set
Mercury	5:23 a.m.	6:58 p.m.
Venus	7:47 a.m.	11:34 p.m.
Mars	1:39 a.m.	10:36 a.m.
Jupiter	7:57 p.m.	n/a
Saturn	12:06 a.m.	9:01 a.m.
Uranus	5:02 a.m.	6:35 p.m.

#### Today's Regional Map



#### Expect clear skies tonight, overnight low of 45°. South southwest wind 3 to 9 mph. The wind chill for tonight could reach 42°. The record low for tonight is 26° set in 1957. \*Last Week's Almanac Hi Date Lo Normals 76 Tuesday 62/38

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**In-Depth Local Forecast** 

Today we will see sunny skies, high of 75°,

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mph. The record high for today is 94° set in 1962.

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Tuesday	5:57 a.m.	9

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6:03 a.m.	8:58 p.m.	7:16 a.m.	10:24 p.m			
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#### **National Weather Summary This Week**



The Northeast will see partly to mostly cloudy skies through Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, highest temperature of 85 in Evansville, Ind. The Southeast will experience partly to mostly cloudy skies through Friday with scattered showers and thunderstorms, highest temperature of 92 in Pearl, Miss. In the Northwest there will be

mostly clear to partly cloudy skies through Thursday with scattered showers, partly to mostly cloudy skies Friday with scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms, highest temperature of 85 in Yakima, Wash. The Southwest will see mostly clear to partly cloudy skies through Friday with the highest temperature of 99 in Gilbert, Ariz.

#### Weather History

May 16, 1989 - Thunderstorms developing ahead of a cold front produced severe weather in the south central United States. Thunderstorms spawned 20 tornadoes, and there were 180 reports of large hail and damaging winds.

#### Weather Trivia

What tool is used to measure changes in air pressure?

Answer: A barometer.

www.WhatsOurWeather.com

#### StarWatch By Gary Becker - Boots on Mars



. Boots on the moon occurred with Neil Armstrong's first historic steps onto its surface on July 20, 1969, but since those glory days of the late 60's and early 70's, little has been done by NASA to encourage further human exploration of the solar system. Three wars at a trillion dollars plus hasn't helped US efforts to afford such "extravagance." The Chinese will probably put boots on the moon next, but now some private foundations are seriously competing to go to Mars well ahead of NASA's planned first human flyby of the Red Planet in 2033 and its first landing in 2039. Mars Inspiration, the brainchild of Dennis Tito, an investment banker with solid scientific credentials, is currently funding and formulating plans to send a male and a female

astronaut on a 589-day Martian flyby mission which would first use a gravity assist from Venus to slingshot the spacecraft towards Mars and bring it to within 60 miles of its surface before returning home. Launch is scheduled for 2021. A reentry vehicle, along with a tubular-shaped pod, would serve as the astronauts' personal and storage areas during the mission. The crew would have about 600 cubic feet of living space, with no spacesuits and no airlock to exit the craft. Perhaps even wilder is a Dutch initiative named Mars One which plans to send a crew of four astronauts to the Red Planet about once every two years to establish a permanent Martian base. The Living Unit is envisioned to be a lander that would utilize an inflatable section for the habitat and an airlock to access the surface. It would be fully functional by arrival time. Mars One is to be paid for by selling subscriptions to view the crews while on the planet. Boots on Mars for them is 2028, pushed back from 2023 because of funding issues. Oh, I failed to mention one critical fact about Mars One. The astronauts would become the first true residents of another world because there are no return provisions. "Wanna go for a ride?" www.astronomy.org



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## Trivia Test By Fifi Rodriguez



- 1. AD SLOGANS: Which company's ads advised consumers to "put a tiger in your tank"?
- 2. U.S. STATES: Which state designated the American seagull as its official state bird?
- 3. HISTORY: When was the potato introduced to Europe?
- 4. OLYMPICS: How long is the balance beam used in women's gymnastics?
- 5. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Australia?
- **6. PROVERBS:** What is the end to this common proverb: "The early bird ... "?
- 7. MEASUREMENTS: What does a Geiger counter measure?
- **8. FAMOUS QUOTES:** Which 18th-century statesman and military leader observed, "Glory is fleeting, but obscurity is forever"?
- 9. ASTRONOMY: Which planet is the closest to Earth?

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**10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What was the name of the first manufactured breakfast cereal?

Answers: 1. Esso; 2. Utah; 3. 16th century; 4. 16 feet, 5 inches; 5. Canberra; 6. ... gets the worm"; 7. Radiation; 8. Napoleon Bonaparte; 9. Venus; 10. Granula (1863) (c) 2018 King Features Synd., Inc.

### -Super Crossword

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## **Moments In Time** *By The History Channel*



- On May 26, 1897, the first copies of the classic vampire novel "Dracula," by Irish writer Bram Stoker, appear in London bookshops. In 1890, Stoker published his first novel, "The Snake's Pass." He would go on to publish 17 novels in all, but it was "Dracula" that eventually earned him literary fame.
- On May 21, 1927, American pilot Charles A. Lindbergh lands at Le Bourget Field in Paris, successfully completing the first solo, nonstop trans-Atlantic flight. The flight of the Spirit of St. Louis between New York and Paris took 33-1/2 hours. Six men had died attempting the same flight.
- On May 23, 1934, famed fugitives Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker are killed when police ambush their car near Sailes, Louisiana. They died in a two-minute fusillade of 167 bullets.
- On May 25, 1935, at Forbes Field in Pittsburgh, Babe Ruth hits his 714th home run, a record for career home runs that would stand for almost 40 years.
- On May 22, 1958, American singer Jerry Lee Lewis arrives in England as a newly married man, with his pretty young wife in tow. Within days, it was revealed that his new wife, Myra Gail Lewis, was actually only 13 years old and was his first cousin once-removed.
- On May 27, 1972, Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev and U.S. President Richard Nixon, meeting in Moscow, sign the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT) agreements. At the time, these agreements were the most far-reaching attempts ever to control nuclear weapons.
- On May 24, 1991, the critically acclaimed road movie "Thelma and Louise" debuts in theaters, stunning audiences with a climactic scene in which its two heroines drive off a cliff into the Grand Canyon in a vintage 1966 Ford Thunderbird convertible.

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## Strange But True By Samantha Weaver

- It was noted Spanish filmmaker Luis Bunuel who made the following sage observation: "Age is something that doesn't matter, unless you are a cheese."
- You might be surprised to learn that we call coffee beans aren't actually beans -- they're the pits of the coffee beans.
- Would you believe me if I told you that there were parachutists (better known now as skydivers) before there were airplanes? Yep, it's true! In Paris in the year 1900, a man leaped from the Eiffel Tower and made a safe descent using a parachute. It wasn't until December 17, 1903, that the Wright Brothers made the first controlled, sustained powered flight in Kitty Hawk, North Carolina.
- According to statisticians, about 200 people a year die while watching -- not playing -- football.
- Of all the stamps that have been used by the U.S. Postal Service, more have featured George Washington than any other person; so far there have been 305 with the likeness of the nation's first president.
- If you ever make a trip to Alaska, you might want to keep in mind the fact that it is illegal there to wake a sleeping bear for the purpose of taking its picture.
- We don't often associate museums with beverages, but it seems that they're fairly popular throughout the world. For instance, museums dedicated to coffee and/or tea can be found in London, Moscow, Paris, Sao Paolo, Zurich and Kyoto, as well as in China, South Korea, Colombia and Angola. Germany has three of them. Coffee and tea must be quite popular in the Netherlands; museums dedicated to the beverages can be found there in five different cities.

Thought for the Day: "Testing can show the presence of errors, but not their absence." -- Edsger Wybe Dijkstra (c) 2018 King Features Synd., Inc.

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#### CALEDONIA TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS

Caledonia Township Board met May 9. All board members present. Motions to approve the agenda, April minutes, pay bills and place treasurer's report on file per audit.

Sheriff Atchison covered noise ordinance and liquor inspections. Property on Holiday Inn Road. Trustees Tim Ratz and Jack Scott removed re-rod at the Northend Park boat launch. Reports by planning commission, zoning administrator, sexton and assessor. Commissioner Dan Gauthier -- Headlee rollback, 911, council on aging and the library millages.

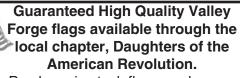
Motions: fire renewal on ballot; new hall rental agreement; sheriff's department to conduct liquorinspections; C&S Dust Control; Quality Lawn Care; decline foreclosure properties; contract with road commission; Beck and Fall's resignations; Building and grounds custodian job description; correct sign ordinance; supervisor Kathy Vichunas assessment and taxation workshop; scanner purchase; contact Mike Sanford for zoning administrator; workshop May 31. All motions passed.

Motion to adjourn at 9:45 p.m.. This synopsis published prior to board approval. Next regular township meeting is June 13. Planning commission June 4. Tri-Township on July 19 at Caledonia. All meetings are at 7 p.m.

Kerry Scott, Caledonia Township Clerk

### ALCONA TWP. SYNOPSIS

Alcona Township's May board meeting was called to order with a pledge to the flag. Roll call was taken. Present: MacNeill, LaLonde, Gauthier, and Mead. Excused Bouchard. Motions to approve minutes from April meeting; accept financial report, and bills as presented; to adopt resolution to continue with Scott Park Special Assessment; to authorize purchase of kayak launch if it does not jeopardize grant agreement; to approve hardwoods fire permit. All motions passed. This synopsis published prior to board approval.



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#### VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Monday, May 7 at 7 p.m. at the Village Hall. The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those in attendance included: President Jordan, treasurer Hussain, clerk Somers and council members Gauthier, Healy, Mahalak, Putsky and Somers. Council Member Zielinski was absent. The minutes of the April meeting were approved on a motion from Mahalak with support from Gauthier. The treasurer's report was approved subject to audit on a motion from Gauthier with support from Mahalak.

Clerk Somers gave a list of budget adjustments necessary to close out the 17/18 budget year. A motion was made by Gauthier, with support from Mahalak, to amend the budget. Carried. Mike Serafin gave the fire department/ first responder report. There were several runs over the past month. May 14 will be a training event for the group.

Carrie Hale attended the meeting to express concerns about the recent vandalism at the playground. She has talked to several people who are interested in helping with funding new cameras. President Jordan is working on the issue with the Alcona County Sheriff's Office and the Michigan State Police. President Jordan will take care of having another camera installed. Bonny Gauthier will head up a committee to begin working on more solutions for the

A discussion was held regarding the hoat launch hids. Two hid were received last month and council members had agreed to revisit the issue this month. A motion was made by Healy, with support from Mahalak, to accept and award the bid with the right to include an addendum with Lincoln Sand & Gravel. Carried. The street report was given. President Jordan expressed thanks to Dave James and Steve Slater for their help during the recent storm. The dump truck broke down during that time and we were fortunate to use a truck and plow from the Alcona County Road Commission and Kenny Lalonde. The sewer report was given.

sewer report was given. In old business, Healy stated that they did not attend the RRC meeting due to the snow storm. They have been working on paperwork in the meantime. Council members were reminded about the upcoming public forum for the master plan. It will be held at the Chosen Ranch Community Center on Traverse Bay State Road on Wednesday, May 16 at 6 p.m.

Gauthier stated that several properties that need to be cleaned up. President Jordan will talk to Troy Somers.

In new business, Healy stated that the ball fields are looking pretty good. Putsky has been working to see what needs to be done to fix the fish stocking issue on Brownlee Lake. The compressors will be turned on beginning Tuesday. The trees on Second Street will have the boards removed tomorrow. Beautification Committee will meet on Thursday.

President Jordan gave his report. A request was received for funds for the Fourth of July celebration in Barton City. Council members decided not to send funds due to the an already stretched budget and recent vandalism at the park that will need to be paid for. A motion was made by Mahalak, with support from Putsky, to sell the old dock that is no longer being used. Carried. Any proceeds will be used towards the new boat launch. The two road projects that are upcoming next year will possibly tie into a project that the road commission will be doing. President Jordan suggested that we consider bidding the entire project out together which could save money for both groups. Council members are very interested in joining forces and will revisit the issue when it's time to do the actual bid process.

A website meeting will be scheduled soon. President Jordan informed the group that he will not be running for re-election. He said he simply feels it is time to retire. A motion to pay the bills as presented was made by Gauthier with support from Mahalak. Carried. A motion to adjourn was made by Gauthier with support from Mahalak. Carriom Mahalak. Carried.

Linda K. Somers Village Clerk

#### VILLAGE OF LINCOLN DDA

Village of Lincoln Downtown Development Authority Treasurer's Report as of April 30, 2018

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Caledonia Township currently has a job opening for seasonal light duty maintenance at the northeast park. Job includes cleaning and maintaining restrooms, public facility, pavilion and park grounds. Please contact trustee Tim Ratz at (989) 657-6934m ratzt@alpenacc.edu or mail inquiries to P.O. Box 7, Spruce, Mich 48762

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#### HARRISVILLE TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The Harrisville Township monthly board meeting was held Tuesday, May 8 at 7 p.m. at the township hall. The supervisor opened the meeting with the "Pledge of Allegiance." The full board and seven guests were present.

From the agenda - Little League representative Jessica Smith had a good discussion with the board about concerns, needs, work done and hopes for the HTRA site. The board will be following up on areas we can take care of.

From the agenda - Kathy Walsh, Atchison Road, approached the board with her ongoing problem with neighbor's light shining in her bedroom. A very long presentation by her and a long discussion of the problem followed. The ordinance enforcer, zoning administrator and several board members dealt with this complaint over the last two years. The board felt this complaint had been properly taken care of.

Clerk's minutes approved as read. Treasurer's report accepted and reconciled with the clerk's office. The ordinance enforcer and zoning administrator commented on the pre-discussion of the complaint with neighbors light. Jesse Campbell and Al Scully from the road commission stated that safety project at Walker and Poor Farm roads has begun. The board directed the clerk to send a letter to the Alcona County treasurer, stating we "decline our right of refusal

and we are not interested in making a purchase of this property.'

Healy/Harvey: by Resolution No. 5818-A, "Waive penalty and interest for untimely filed property transfer affidavits." Five ayes, zero nays. Motion carried. Johnston/Healy: by Resolution No. 5818-B, to approve the form for the Harrisville Township application for Property Tax Exemption." Roll call vote, five ayes, zero nays. Resolution carried. Harvey/Healy: To renew the townships three annual items as follows:

To continue with David Cook, P.C. as Harrisville Township's attorney for the fiscal year 2018-2019. To continue with Huron Community Bank as Harrisville Township's primary depositor. That the township monthly board meeting will continue to be the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the township hall. All motions carried.

Jamieson/Johnston: The township will continue to assist residents with "dust control" by reimbursing 50 percent of your cost up to \$100 per individual resident for one oiling. Carried. (See ad in

Appoint Steve Healy and Carla Harvey to the fire department committee. Harvey/Johnston: Pay the bills. Motion

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m. Roger D. Jamieson Township Clerk Published prior to board approval.



### Calendar of Events



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**Dramatization of Literature** program.

#### **THURSDAY, MAY 24**

Join the special collections staff at Alpena County George N. Fletcher Public Library for a lunch hour tour of the library's historical archives, the Genealogy and History rooms, and the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary Research Collection. Get a sneak peek at a few of the most rare and interesting documents. This event will be held from 1 to 2 p.m. at 211 North First Avenue in Alpena. Call (989) 356-6188 extension 17 for

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.

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) 736-8022, (989) 335-1107 or (989) 739-4483.

details.

FRIDAY, MAY 25

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.

#### **SATURDAY, MAY 26**

The Sunrise Gardening Club will hold its annual spring plant sale from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the ARA site on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Members will be have locally grown plants and hyper tufa pots at reasonable prices. All proceeds to into grants that benefit the community. Call Becky Bean at (989) 724-6569 for details.

My Brother's Hope Free Store 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

A showing of the film "Where the Brave Dare to Tread" will be held at 10 a.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Road in Glennie. Adopt a plant with a donation, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., sponsored by the Friends of Library.

(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

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#### **Business Award**

Mike Palumbo, chairman of the board of Northland Area Federal Credit Union, was awarded the 2018 Howard Spencer Grassroots Volunteer Activist Award named after his Northland peer Howard Spencer. Palumbo received this honor for his political and legislative work within the credit union in-

The Michigan Credit Union League (MCUL) presented the award at the state's capital during the MCUL, 2018 Government Affairs Conference, which gathers each year to get state and federal regulation and advocacy updates and to speak with state lawmakers about issues facing credit unions.

"It means a lot. To get the award that's named after my best friend and mentor, who



Mike Palumbo receives the award from Ken Ross, president/COO, Michigan Credit Union League & Affiliates. Courtesy photo.

I've known since I started volunteering for the credit union, is amazing," he said. Palumbo plans to use the award as an example to help new board members understand the significance of prioritizing what is best for the credit union member.

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