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## Tractor club event steps back into 1900s farming



Bob French, a member of the Alcona Classic Tractor & Engine Club on one of his many FarmAll tractors he will be bringing next Saturday to Heritage Day. *Courtesy photo.*

By Mary Weber  
Staff Writer

Hard working arms and calloused hands wrapped around an excited child sitting tall on a lap as a bumpy tractor with its roaring engine chugs forward, the sound felt deep in the chest, brings back feelings of comforting trust, proud work ethics and a love for family, farming and farm equipment.

To help bring back a feeling of yesterday's farming traditions while sharing memories the Alcona Classic Tractor & Engine Club will be holding its sixth annual Heritage Day at the Alcona Recreation Area and Fairgrounds in Lincoln on Saturday, Sept. 18.

The free event, which begins at noon, should be of interest to anyone wondering how farming was performed in past eras.

Treasurer of the club,

Marlene Hawes, explained all are welcome to watch the tractor parade, demonstrations of a threshing machine, corn shucker, hay press, grinders, shellers and more.

"Farming in the 1900s was hard. Whole families worked together to gather hay, bring in oats and wheat. Everyone in the family had a job to do. We demonstrate the work and bail the straw after we get the oats out by threshing with a Red River threshing machine and then the guys will bag them.

"My husband, Ken, and Jim Quick own the 1919 Ann Arbor hay press that will be demonstrated. They found it in a shed in Mikado. It was just a piece of rust with bird poop all over it. They worked hard power washing and restoring it, putting all new wood on it," Hawes said.

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## Alcona Community Schools salute hometown heroes

By Mary Weber  
Staff Writer

This year, on the eve of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of September 11, 2001 when one of the most memorable and destructive attacks on the United States occurred, Alcona Community Schools honored military men and women

Veterans, active duty and committed to the military who have either attended Alcona High School, worked at the school or somehow engaged in activities at the school were honored in a ceremony prior to last Friday's football game. They were honored with a flag to hold that represented one of 64 years the school has been in existence.

The flags, which were presented by members of the varsity football team who wore special jerseys, were carried by veterans, many graduated alumni, including one active-duty alumni, Senior Airman Kyle Thum representing 2016, one active Army National Guardsman who graduated in 2020, Nelson French and two students who have already committed for military service after they graduate this spring, Fallon Hux and Hunter Rigby.

The event, sponsored by Alpena Area Credit Union

(AACU) and Alcona Community Schools, was the brain-storm of Shelly Hoffmeyer and Patti Byce who are employed at the school and said when they began the process, the response to help was overwhelming.

"We have 180 names of veterans or active military

who have graced the halls of Alcona High School in one way or another. The ceremony was very moving at times and a wonderful event," Hoffmeyer said.

A larger flag, presented to the school district by Lorna Dellar and Stacy Hall of AACU, was accepted by Jim Burger,

commander of the Barton City Veteran of Foreign Wars Post No. 8135 and veteran Jeff Somers, who raised it on the football field flag pole. The "National Anthem" was sung by Alcona High School junior Kaitlyn Nardi.

Each class from 1957 to 2021 was represented as well

as the five branches of service, prisoner of war, missing in action and veterans who have died were honored. It was all announced by the "voice of Alcona Schools," sports announcer, Don Franklin.

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Senior Airman Kyle Thum receives a flag representing the class of 2016 during the Alcona Community School Hometown Hero event which took place on the football field last Friday. In all 64 flags were raised and mounted along the fence line, many carried by veterans who, in some way, were associated with the school district. For more photos, see page 7. *Photo by Mary Weber.*



# God Bless America



**OSCODA-WURTSMITH AIRPORT AUTHORITY**  
**SEPTEMBER MEETING RESCHEDULED**  
 The September 16, 2021 meeting of Oscoda-Wurtsmith Airport Authority has been rescheduled and will now start at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 30, 2021. This public meeting may be attended in the airport conference room which is located at 3961 E Airport Drive, Oscoda, MI. Meeting attendance will also be available through the internet or telephone via ZOOM meeting services.

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**Memorial Services**

**Raymond and Dolores Kratochvil**

There will be a memorial graveside service for Raymond and Dolores Kratochvil on Saturday, Sept. 25 at 2 p.m. at the Mikado Cemetery.

**Alfred "Al" T. LaBrecque**

A memorial Mass honoring Alfred "Al" T. LaBrecque will be held Thursday, Sept. 23 at 11 a.m. at St. Catherine Church, 2188 W. Nicholson Hill Road, Ossineke. A luncheon will follow the Mass. Mr. LaBrecque died on August 18, 2021.

**Obituary**

**Roy A. Melton**

Roy Astar Melton, 79, of National City, Mich. died on Saturday, Sept. 4, 2021 at Iosco Medical Care Facility.

He was born April 22, 1942 in Wooten, Ky. to Reuben and Paronia (Boyley) Melton.

He served in the United States Army from October 19, 1966 to October 19, 1967.

Following his military service, he resumed his career in manufacturing. Mr. Melton retired as shipping and receiving clerk in 2000.

He married Ruby Lee Mathis on July 1, 1971 in Troy, Mich. Upon retirement, the couple moved to the Mikado area and enjoyed their retirement years there until her passing in 2010.

He was a member of the United Auto Workers in Warren, Mich. for 35 years and enjoyed traveling.

Mr. Melton is survived by one son, John (Kathy Winchell) Crouse; two daughters, Eleanor (John) Moore and Kathy Harper; five grandchildren, Suzie Moore, Laurie Cosgrove, Ronnie Sutton, Richie Sutton, and Anna Crouse; numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Polly Doody; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents and wife, Ruby, Mr. Melton was preceded in death by one daughter, Carol Goodman and numerous brothers and sisters.

Cremation has taken place. He will be laid to rest in Mikado Township Cemetery at a later date with military honors.

**Calendar of Events**

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

Celebrate International Dot Day with the Alcona County Library in Harrisville. Participants are encouraged to wear their favorite polka-dot clothes and enjoy fun activities for all ages. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**

Veterans, and their relatives, are welcome to join fellow comrades for coffee and fellowship from 9 to 11 a.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Harrisville.

The Community Walking Club for Everyone will meet in the parking lot of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 9 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

TOPS 1502 Mikado will begin with weigh-in at 9 a.m. and the meeting at 9:15 a.m. at St. Raphael Catholic Church, 2531 East F-30, Mikado. All are welcome. First visit is free. Handicap accessible. For more information, call (989) 736-8022 or (989) 739-8600.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**

Storytime and a craft activity for children will be held at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at

10:30 a.m. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

The featured performer for the Harbor Nights Concert is Bob Hausler, who has entertained thousands of people in his career, sharing the stage with Richie Havens, Mark Stuart, Stacy Earle, Merle Haggard, Willie Nelson, Eric Church and many more. His songs have played on radio stations around the world and have won numerous song-writing awards. This free concert runs from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor pavilion in Harrisville. Bring a lawn chair or blanket as seating is on the lawn. This concert is provided by Inspiration Alcona, [www.inspiration-alcona.org](http://www.inspiration-alcona.org).

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

An open house for the Alcona Community Schools forest begins at 9 a.m. with a ribbon cutting and a community walk through the property will follow. Everyone is invited to attend to celebrate the opening of the school and community forest. The school forest entrance is off Barlow Road, just north of the Alcona Health Center in Lincoln.

The Alcona Classic Tractor & Engine Club is hosting its sixth annual Heritage Day starting at noon at the Alcona County Fairgrounds in Lin-

**Letter to the Editor**

To the Editor,  
 Thank you to all the people who have been involved in the annual Masonic golf tourney for scholarships. Alcona Lodge No. 292 has been hosting the event for 34 years. The event has continued to do well, thanks to the many fine individuals and businesses in the area that have been so generous.

Since the inception of this event, our Lodge has been privileged to award over \$185,755 in scholarships to area students. We are also able to receive matching funds from the Michigan Masonic Foundation through the Grand Lodge of Michigan.

None of this would be possible without the support of all the golfers who played and all the fine individuals and businesses who contributed to our success. We are proud to be a part of this community, which continually comes to support our efforts.

This year's event netted more than \$6,000. I urge you to look for the ad in this paper for a list of supporters and say thanks to these businesses with your patronage. Looking forward to seeing everyone next year.

Mike Kerr  
 Chairman  
 Golf Committee  
 Alcona Lodge 292 F&AM

coln. Everyone is invited to this free event that features antique tractors, tractor parade, and many demonstrations. A pulled pork lunch will be available at 2 p.m. For more information contact, Donald at (989) 280-1594 or Marlene at (989) 657-2017.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**

Ladies of any denomination are invited to attend the Bible study hosted by Solid Rock Church of God featuring "Women of the Bible" at 10 a.m. Refreshments will be served. The church is located at 160 N. Barlow Road, Lincoln - across from Alcona Health Center. For more information, contact Darlene Ramey at (734) 718-7760.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21**

The Alcona Book Club will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from noon to 1 p.m. The selection for September is "The Razor's Edge" by W. Somerset Maugham. Call (989) 724-6796 for details.

There will be a food giveaway of produce and baked goods at the Hubbard Lake Bible Church from 1 to 4 p.m., or until food is gone. Participants are asked to stay in their vehicle and to bring a box for food items. Distribu-

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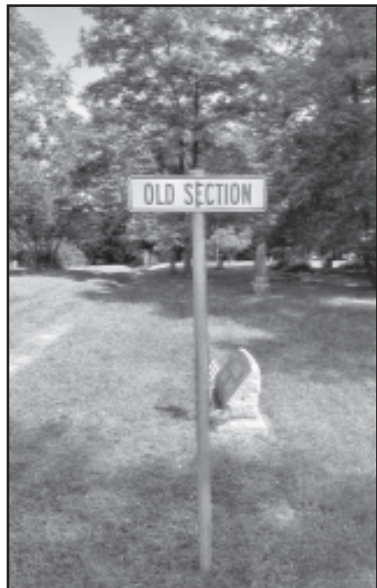
**Senior Menu**

The following meals will be served at 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday at the Lincoln Senior Center. Reservations are required by noon each day by calling (989) 334-3470. No membership is required. A suggested donation of \$3 per meal is welcome. Masks are required to be worn in the building. Be sure to call ahead before going to the center.

- Monday, Sept. 20: Baked chicken, red bliss potatoes, broccoli, mixed fruit, milk.
- Tuesday, Sept. 21: Baked spaghetti, Brussel sprouts, peaches, milk.
- Wednesday, Sept. 22: Pork roast, baked potato, sour cream, chives, carrots, apple sauce, milk.
- Thursday, Sept. 23: Salisbury steak, egg noodles, California blend vegetables, four berry blend, milk.

**Donation to Cemetery**

Thanks to a donation from the family of Hazen Schram, 12 signs were purchased for the Twin Lakes Cemetery in Gustin Township. The signs mark the six sections in the cemetery.



One of the signs.

**School Forest Open House**

Community members are invited to the Alcona Community Schools forest open house on Saturday, Sept. 18 at 9 a.m. A ribbon cutting ceremony and community trail walk are the featured events. Attendees are asked to meet at the school forest entrance off Barlow Road (just north of the Alcona Health Center) where they can join in celebrating the grand opening of the school and community forest.

**Apply for Youth Projects**

The Community Foundation for Northeast Michigan (CFNEM) is accepting grant applications for its Youth Advisory Council (YAC) grant. The deadline to apply is October 15, 2021. All nonprofit agencies with a 501(c)(3) IRS designation, schools, churches (for nonreligious purposes) and government agencies in the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency and Presque Isle Counties are invited to apply.

Youth Advisory Council grants are for projects benefiting youth under the age of 18 in the four-county service area. The maximum request amount for YAC grants is \$2,500.

Applications are available at the Community Foundation website (cfnem.org) through their new Online Grants Portal. Applicants may also call the Community Foundation office for more information at 1-877-354-6881.

**Featured Artist**

The featured artist of the Thunder Bay Arts is Jacob Idema. His work will be on display throughout September and October at the Thunder Bay Arts gallery, 127 W. Chisholm Street, Alpena.

Idema is working to establish himself as the preeminent blacksmith in the Alpena area, with a focus on educating and increasing awareness of the value and beauty of fine decorative ironwork.



Jacob Idema

He is endeavoring to produce premium quality pieces for both private and public commissions. He takes personal interest in the supreme establishment of the City of Alpena, in particular, the downtown area.

He was the designer and creator of the most recent Bi-Path Sculpture, "River Intertwined." Find him on Instagram at jacobmossjeweler. Gallery hours are Monday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Public is always welcome.

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tion is on a first come, first served basis. The church is located at 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake.

Euchre will be played at the Lincoln Senior Center (lower level), 207 Church Street, Lincoln from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. All seniors are welcome.

The Knitting Klub & Crochet will meet at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library in the reading garden from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. All ages and levels are welcome. Call (989) 724-6796 for more information.

Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council is holding a virtual meeting at 6 p.m. Public comment will be taken at the end of the meeting. To join the meeting, use the following link: <https://meet.google.com/uzu-itdb-ynz>, or by phone: (US) +1 570-818-2140 PIN: 763094742#. For more info., contact: jean.prevo@noaa.gov.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22**

Sunrise Community Food Pantry is open from 1 to 3 p.m. at Hubbard Lake Bible Church. Clients are asked to come only one time per month and must be present to receive food. Recipients must remain in their vehicle for curbside pick up and follow volunteer traffic control. The pantry accepts clients regardless of county residence. Identification is required. Bring box or bag. The church is located at 13508 Hubbard Lake Road, Hubbard Lake. Call (989) 727-3606 for more information.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23**

The Community Walking Club for Everyone will meet in the parking lot of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library at 9 a.m.

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# Tigers disarm Partiot's 66-0 at home

**By Ben Murphy**  
*Sports Writer*

A week ago, the Alcona varsity football team could not quite get its offense going in a loss at Merrill. It was a different story last Friday night when it dominated the Charlton Heston Academy Patriots 66-0 -- the most points the Tigers scored in a game since the 2017 season.

"It always feels good to get back in the win column and to do it in that fashion was pretty fun," said head coach Jason Somers. "We had some things that we were really concentrating on during the week in practice, so to see those things be put into play was really good for us."

Alcona got off to a fast start, putting 36 points up on the score board in the opening quarter. It added 14 more in the second to lead 50-0 at the half and added single touchdowns in the third and fourth quarters.

"The offense was firing on all cylinders, allowing eight different players to get in the state line, while putting up over 500 yards," Somers said. "This is credit to the offensive line and the selfless play of all."

Jesse Sheldon, William Liebler and Quinten Goldberg had two touchdowns apiece, while Gavin Walker, Garrett

Somers and Michael Basner had one touchdown apiece.

Basner also led the defense with 13 tackles. Collin Walker and Hunter Rigby grabbed 11 tackles apiece.

"We had a lot of people that got to play that don't typically get to play, they go to work every day at practice and to see them get some time in was really fun to watch," Somers said. "Our defense played well again too. I'm pretty sure we didn't give up a first down all night so to see them play well was good too."

Alcona (2-1 overall) stays

at home Friday to take on Inland Lakes (3-0). The Bulldogs have quite the offensive prowess, having scored more than 70 points in each of its games, including last week's 86-66 victory over Central Lake.

"They run some double-tight stuff and look pretty powerful and love to run the quarterback," Somers said. "We will have to be equal to that challenge. We have our work cut out for us. They haven't lost a game yet and put up a bunch of points last week."

# Alcona volleyball drops North Star League opener

**By Ben Murphy**  
*Sports Writer*

The Alcona varsity volleyball team was unable to pick up a win in its North Star League Big Dipper opener on Thursday, Sept. 9. The host Lady Tigers came up short in three sets to Whittemore-Prescott, 25-23, 25-22 and 26-24.

"The girls were very fired up for their first home contest," said head coach Kristi Miller. "It was great to see many people in the stands. We worked together but needed to be more consistent defensively to initiate stronger attacks. Whittemore had a couple strong hitters that we struggled to read. However, we never gave up. I continue to see progress. As we work to get stronger and learn from our experiences on the court."

Carmen Dellar led the team with six kills and two blocks. Kaylee Wambold had four aces. Braylin Roe had nine digs and Emma Travis added 33 assists.

On Aug. 28 the Lady Tigers competed at a tournament at Standish-Sterling. They lost their matches, 25-16 and 25-20 to Gladwin; 25-18 and 25-22 to Pinconning; 25-19 and

25-19 to Tawas; 25-17 and 25-11 to Standish-Sterling.

"We learned a lot and faced many good competitors," Miller said. "Communication is definitely an area we need to focus on, as well as consistency. The girls are motivated to continue working to improve and I feel we have a lot of potential."

Carmen Dellar led the attack on the day with eight kills. Sage Gauthier had seven aces. Angelina Howe had two blocks and Travis had 13 assists and 25 digs.

Alcona heads to Mio Thursday, Sept. 16 and plays in an invitational at Grayling on Saturday.

# Cross country runners compete at Shepherd invitational

**By Ben Murphy**  
*Sports Writer*

The Alcona cross country teams competed at an invitational at Shepherd on Wednesday, Sept. 8. The boys team placed tenth out of 11 teams, while the girls were unable to compile a team score.

"All athletes competed well... so proud of all their efforts in this race," said head coach Tammy Nelson.

The boys had Carter Upper clock a sub-20-minute time of 19:42. Dawson Rigby was 56<sup>th</sup> on a time of 23:04. Ashton Rigby was 63<sup>rd</sup> at 25:53. Fallon Hux was 64<sup>th</sup> at 24:02. Kaiden Berryhill was 71<sup>st</sup> at 25:35 and Zigmund Villalobos was 79<sup>th</sup> at 28:49.

The two Lady Tigers competing were Sara Decker and Katelynn Bravata. They finished 30<sup>th</sup> and 69<sup>th</sup> on times of 24:03 and 33:57.

Alcona is traveling with a meet at Saginaw Valley State University on Friday, Sept. 17 and at Fairview on Tuesday, Sept. 21 for the first North Star League jamboree.



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# Handling Medicare coverage when moving

My husband and I are moving to a different area of the country to be near our daughter. Will this affect our Medicare benefits? Will we need to adjust our coverage or reenroll in a new plan?

Moving Away



## Savvy Senior

Dear Moving,  
Moving can, indeed, affect your Medicare benefits depending on the type of coverage you have and where you move to.

If you and your husband are enrolled in "original Medicare" Part A and Part B, you'll be happy to know that you won't need to change your plans when you move because they're the same throughout the U.S. You will, however, need to notify the Social Security Administration of your change of address, which you can do at [SSA.gov/myaccount/change-of-address.html](https://www.ssa.gov/myaccount/change-of-address.html) or by calling (800) 772-1213.

But, if you're enrolled in a Medicare (Part D) prescription drug plan, or a Medicare (Part C) Advantage plan and you move out of your plan's service area, you'll need to choose a new plan that serves your new area.

Here's a breakdown of what you'll need to do depending on the type of coverage you have.

- **Part D plan:** If you're enrolled in original Medicare and have a stand-alone Medicare Part D prescription drug plan, you'll need to contact your Part D plan to find out if it will work in the area you're moving to. If it doesn't, you'll need to enroll in a new plan that provides coverage in your new location.

You can make this switch the month before you move and up to two months after the move. Otherwise, you'll need to wait until the next open enrollment (in the fall) and could be penalized for having no acceptable prescription drug coverage.

- **Medicare Advantage plan:** If you're enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan, again, contact your plan to find out if it will serve your new area. If it doesn't, you'll need to enroll in a new plan that does. To shop for new Advantage and/or Part D prescription drug plans in your new location, see [Medicare.gov/plan-compare](https://www.Medicare.gov/plan-compare).

You can switch Advantage plans the month before you move and up to two months after you move.

But be aware that if you relocate out of your Medicare Advantage plan's service area and fail to enroll in a new plan in your new area, you'll automatically be switched to original Medicare. This will happen when your old Medicare Advantage plan is forced to disenroll you because you don't live within its service area anymore.

- **Medigap policy:** If you're enrolled in original Medicare and have a supplemental (Medigap) policy, you'll need to notify your provider that you're moving, but you should not need to change insurance companies or plans. (Note: there also are Medicare Select plans, which are Medigap plans that are network-based and are available in a few

states. These plans may require you to change.)

Medigap plans are standardized across the country; for example, Medigap Plan F offers the same coverage in one state as it does in another state (Massachusetts, Minnesota, and Wisconsin have waivers from the federal government allowing them to standardize Medigap plans differently, so plan designs are different in those three states).

But be aware that Medigap costs vary by location, so your monthly Medigap policy premium may be higher or lower depending on the cost of medical care in your new area.

Call your provider and tell them the new ZIP code, and they'll let you know the cost. Sometimes you'll be pleasantly surprised that it's lower.

If it's not, you could look for a cheaper policy. However, you may have to undergo medical underwriting. Medigap policies come with their own rules for enrolling, and some states have different enrollment standards than others.

### Super Crossword

Answers

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This plant features flower colors ranging from pure white through all shades of pink, lavender and red. Some cultivars produce double flowers, and others have a thin white edge on the petals, stripes, or ruffled edges. It is often given as a gift during the winter months, as it flowers beautifully during cool weather. It naturally becomes dormant during the summer and ceases flowering. - Brenda Weaver

Sources: hort.extension.wisc.edu, www.extension.umn.edu, www.backyardgardener.com

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## Farming Continued from page 1

Another demonstration the club may perform is feed shocks. Feed shocks, according to FarmCollector.com, were how many farm animals survived the winter, but it was one of the hardest on hands and back for the farm hands known as “shockers.” It involves tying five to seven bundles into a shock and then stacked up in tepee fashion. With the grain end of the bundle pointed up and the heavy stalk end sitting on the ground, the feed was preserved from rotting. Shockers had to be ever vigilant of wildlife that would take up residence in and around the shock, including rattle snakes and venomous spiders.

Hawes said her love of old tractors grew from her husband’s interest in them. “Some of the tractors he owns are his grandfathers and he remembers working on them with him when he was about 10 years old,” she said.

Hawes explained quite a few pieces of machinery will be on display and pretty much all of the tractors run and will be in the tractor parade. “Old tractors make a lot of noise. The whole event is just a lot of fun,” she said.

A pulled pork lunch will start at 2 p.m., thanks to Joel and Dawn Mikazes who will be cooking a pig purchased by the club during the Alcona Junior Livestock Auction at



Demonstrations will include this 1919 Ann Arbor hay press lovingly restored by Ken Hawes and Jim Quick after finding it in a shed. *Courtesy photo.*

last month’s fair.

During the afternoon a drawing will be held by the club for a John Deere children’s pedal tractor, two lap quilts and a farm package complete with honey, eggs, chicken, and corn.

The Alcona County Tractor & Engine Club was formed in 2013 after the late Jim Pyne and county commissioner Bill Thompson were working on fair activities. “It was Jim’s dream to get young people interested in how old-time farming operated,” Hawes said. Pyne and Thompson made a point to call on the owners of antique tractors in the county to get them on board with a club.

The club has about 34

members, many owning old tractors, which Hawes said is not a requirement to be a part of the club. Club president is Donald Neuenfeldt, vice-president is Warren Everett and secretary is Cyndi Apsey. The club meets once a month on the third Tuesday of the month at the Barton City VFW building at 7 p.m. Membership is \$10 per person per year.

Hawes said about six members of the group took old tractors to the Mackinac Bridge last weekend for the state tractor parade and they should be well rested and eager to talk about their trip across the bridge with 1,500 antique tractors by the Heritage Day event.

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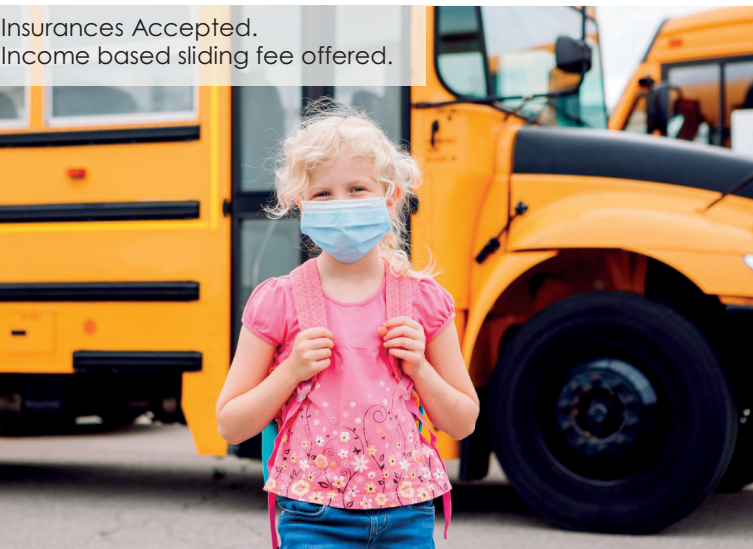
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### District Court

The following individuals were sentenced in 81<sup>st</sup> District Court in August.

- Charles Ernest Bruning, 53, of Alpena was sentenced to one day in jail and \$400 in fines and costs for allowing a person with a suspended/revoked driver’s license to operate a motor vehicle.
- Paul Allen Hand, 77, of Whittemore, Mich. was sentenced to one day in jail and fines and costs of \$400 for failing to stop and show identification at a property damage accident.
- Patrick Charles Hill, 52, of Barton City was sentenced to two days in jail, two years of probation and \$1,645 in costs and fines for stalking.
- Walter Harold Ploetz Jr., 76, of Spruce was sentenced to two days in jail, one year of probation and fines and costs of \$1,775 for operating while visibly impaired.
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The honorees and their families were invited to a tailgate dinner held in the middle school parking lot before the football game started.

The school district intends to hold the event annually, donations may still be sent to the school in care of Hometown Heroes, P.O. Box 249, Lincoln, Mich. 48742.

Army National Guardsman Nelson French (front center) represents Alcona High School Class of 2020 was represented by who accepted the flag by senior varsity football player Quinton Goldberg. *Photos by Mary Weber.*



Sixty-four American flags representing each graduating class from Alcona High School line the football field during the Honoring Hometown Heroes ceremony.



Michael Doidge, Alcona High School senior, Eagle Scout and varsity football team manager presented a flag to veteran Kevin Bradley. Bradley graduated Alcona High School in 1983. He was an active duty United States Air Force staff sergeant from 1984 to 1989 and a medic/emergency medical technician serving the Gulf War.

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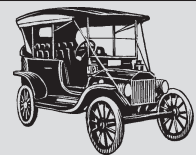
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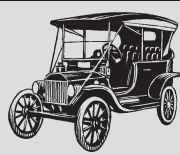
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# Buggy Rides



## Cash box found after five years

In the March 25, 1966 issue of The Review there was an article on the front page with a head that read as follows: "Newspaper Office Is Burglarized." This article stated that someone had broken into the rear casting room of The Review during the weekend, went to the front office and "stole the cash box from the apparently unlocked safe. The contents included \$100 in cash and \$52 in checks."

Monday morning, September 13, 1971, Sheriff Martin Gehres (he was sheriff in 1966) returned the cash box to The Review. In looking through the contents of the box (which is a small metal box) all the bank books, deeds, receipts, etc., the \$52 in checks and the red cash bag from the bank were still inside but the \$100 cash was gone. The Sheriff reported that some young boys brought the box to his office and said they found it in the gravel pit.

This is one theft that will never be solved, but we wonder if the individual, or individuals who took the box, will see this article and be very much surprised when they read that the cash box was found.

## Mortgage burned by Spruce church

**September 19, 1946** ~ The Spruce Presbyterian Church was filled to capacity Wednesday evening, when parishioners and friends gathered for the official ceremony of burning the mortgage on the church. A pot luck dinner preceded the meeting.

Ray Chamberlain was chairman of the program which opened by singing, followed by a prayer by Mr. Everett Alstrom. Mr. Sam Piper officially welcomed the new pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Webster. Mr. Webster responded with fitting remarks.

Dan E. McDonald, as the oldest member present, and Miss Tacia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Capron Tacia, as the youngest member at the service, had the honor of applying the flame to the mortgage.

This was presented to them by Mr. Roy Sayers, church treasurer.

Mr. Chamberlain gave a splendid talk, stressing the wonderful community spirit and co-operation among the people, in building their church and working so diligently to pay the debt incurred.

This new church was dedicated on September 7, 1936, as The First Presbyterian Church of Caledonia. The former church, erected in 1891, was destroyed by fire in the fall of 1933.

## Sysak named Lincoln Postmaster

September 16, 1971 ~ Joseph Sysak, a former employee of the Harrisville Post Office for twenty-six years, received the appointment as Postmaster of the Lincoln Post Office on September 4. The

appointment was announced by K.O. William Sandberg, assistant to the Regional Postmaster General.

Central Region, U. S. Postal Service Mr. Sysak had been officer-in charge at the Lin-

coln Post Office since July 30, 1970, when Bessie M. Cubalo, former Postmaster, retired. His appointment was effective the same day the announcement was made.

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Sept. 5	75	57	0.12	1.9	13	NW
Sept. 6	72	52	0.01	2.7	19	N
Sept. 7	66	51	0.61	3.1	22	SW
Sept. 8	70	55	0.03	3.3	24	SW
Sept. 9	66	54	0.11	2.0	18	NNE
Sept. 10	69	50	0.11	2.9	20	SW
Sept. 11	81	57	0.00	2.6	24	NNE
Precipitation Summary (Inches)						
	2021		2020	Normal Water Content		
Weekly Total	0.89		0.02	0.70		
September to Date	0.89		0.15	1.11		
Year/Season to Date	18.07		16.94	20.47		

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.)

# Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. **MOVIES:** What is the name of the trouble-making fraternity in "National Lampoon's Animal House"?
2. **LITERATURE:** What kind of pet does Neville have in the Harry Potter book series?
3. **MUSIC:** Which singer/songwriter is nicknamed the Queen of Soul?
4. **GAMES:** In the NFL, how long is the halftime?
5. **TELEVISION:** What is the name of Mork's planet on "Mork & Mindy"?
6. **GEOGRAPHY:** Tokyo is located on which of Japan's four main islands?
7. **MEDICAL:** What is the common name for deglutition?
8. **ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is a group of tigers called?
9. **GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What word represents the letter "U" in the NATO phonetic alphabet code?
10. **SCIENCE:** What is the "powerhouse" of the cell called?

**Answers:** 1. Delta Tau Chi or Delta House; 2. A toad named Trevor; 3. Aretha Franklin; 4. 12-15 minutes, except for the Super Bowl; 5. Ork; 6. Honshu; 7. Swallowing; 8. A streak or ambush; 9. Uniform; 10. Mitochondria, the organelle responsible for energy production (c) 2021 King Features Synd., Inc.

## Super Crossword

### LEAVES AND SHEDS

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| <p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1 Is lacking</p> <p>6 Colombia's national airline</p> <p>13 Vid recorder</p> <p>16 Q-Tip's music</p> <p>19 Sound from Sneezy</p> <p>20 Wheels on swivels</p> <p>21 Ring great Muhammad</p> <p>22 Australian bush bird</p> <p>23 Start of a riddle</p> <p>25 Company employee</p> <p>27 Prefix with plop</p> <p>28 Pvt.'s superior</p> <p>29 Frankenfood item, in brief</p> <p>30 A tailor may take it up or down</p> <p>31 Riddle, part 2</p> <p>37 Goopy mass</p> <p>39 Really silly</p> <p>40 Nada</p> <p>41 Toward sunset</p> <p>42 Shared living quarters</p> <p>45 Crime that gets MADD mad</p> | <p>46 Kumar's partner in films</p> <p>49 Riddle, part 3</p> <p>55 Crooner Perry</p> <p>56 "Prolly not"</p> <p>57 High-flying eagles, e.g.</p> <p>59 "Just — feared"</p> <p>62 Bishops of Rome</p> <p>65 Hair clump</p> <p>68 Et — (and others)</p> <p>69 Riddle, part 4</p> <p>75 Prefix with -syncratic</p> <p>76 Sod</p> <p>77 Bursting stars</p> <p>78 Kisses, on love notes</p> <p>79 Discard</p> <p>83 Gp. giving tows</p> <p>85 In addition</p> <p>87 Riddle, part 5</p> <p>95 Human</p> <p>96 Pro-firearm gp.</p> <p>97 Phone again</p> <p>98 Lone Star State sch.</p> <p>102 U.N. Day mo.</p> <p>103 Minneapolis suburb</p> <p>105 Flubs it up</p> <p>106 End of the riddle</p> | <p>112 Early night</p> <p>113 Contract sealer: Abbr.</p> <p>114 Blemish</p> <p>115 1040 pro</p> <p>118 Title sorority of a 1985 film</p> <p>119 Riddle's answer</p> <p>124 Uno plus due</p> <p>125 Tandoor-baked bread</p> <p>126 French "Stephen"</p> <p>127 Ham it up</p> <p>128 Prov. on Hudson Bay</p> <p>129 Agcy.</p> <p>130 Mailed, e.g.</p> <p>131 Tender spots</p> <p><b>DOWN</b></p> <p>1 Bird of prey</p> <p>2 Nagging dull pain</p> <p>3 Robin Hood's forest</p> <p>4 Prefix with 74-Down</p> <p>5 "Skoal!" say</p> <p>6 Perfumery compound</p> <p>7 Kilmer who played Batman</p> <p>8 Lanai, e.g.: Abbr.</p> <p>9 From — Z</p> <p>10 Just-hired man, e.g.</p> | <p>11 Pinch into small ridges</p> <p>12 Part of ASAP</p> <p>13 Measures of business profitability</p> <p>14 Make changes to</p> <p>15 Marlins' home</p> <p>16 Distill, e.g.</p> <p>17 Makes changes to</p> <p>18 Most sinless</p> <p>24 String after E</p> <p>26 Took to the sky</p> <p>32 Desktop introduced in '81</p> <p>33 Pantheon figures</p> <p>34 Shutout, e.g.</p> <p>35 Gibson garnish</p> <p>36 Blazing thing</p> <p>37 Bikini top</p> <p>38 Chaney Sr. or Jr.</p> <p>43 Split to unite</p> <p>44 "Dogma" co-star Matt</p> <p>46 "Meh"</p> <p>47 August sign</p> <p>48 Day, in Peru</p> <p>50 "Ixnay"</p> <p>51 "Chicago" actress Queen</p> <p>52 Mardi —</p> <p>53 Coiled shape</p> <p>54 Overdone</p> <p>58 Cheekiness</p> <p>59 Just slightly</p> <p>60 "Hawaii" co-star Max von —</p> <p>61 Stilted reply to "Who's there?"</p> <p>63 Office phone no., often</p> <p>64 Erwin of early films</p> <p>66 Bogland</p> <p>67 Even if, for short</p> <p>70 Parasite site</p> <p>71 Dragnet</p> <p>72 Cole Porter's "Well, Did You —?"</p> <p>73 Knightly trait</p> <p>74 Point of debate</p> <p>80 Unit of resistance</p> <p>81 — -Aztec (language family)</p> <p>82 Crowding into</p> <p>84 "Storage Wars" ailer</p> <p>86 More mature</p> <p>88 Cut in glass</p> <p>89 Works by painter Henri</p> <p>90 Expedition</p> <p>91 Yemen's capital</p> <p>92 Film VIP</p> <p>93 "Yuk" cousin</p> <p>94 Raised train lines</p> <p>98 In the practice of</p> <p>99 Gin joint</p> <p>100 Hole to receive a shoelace</p> <p>101 Kick a football</p> <p>103 Sidle through, say</p> <p>104 Band around a sleeve</p> <p>107 Harpsichord relative</p> <p>108 About even (with)</p> <p>109 Seven, in Spain</p> <p>110 Mai —</p> <p>111 Compels</p> <p>116 Folk singer Seeger</p> <p>117 Greek war deity</p> <p>120 Despite this</p> <p>121 Yoko from Tokyo</p> <p>122 First prime minister of Burma</p> <p>123 Network of med. providers</p> |
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## Moments In Time

By The History Channel

- On Sept. 13, 1990, the drama series "Law & Order" premieres on NBC. It will go on to become one of the longest-running prime-time dramas in TV history and spawn several popular spinoffs.
  - On Sept. 16, 1932, in his cell near Bombay, Mohandas Gandhi begins a hunger strike in protest of the British government's decision to separate India's electoral system by caste. Gandhi worked all his life to spread his own brand of passive resistance.
  - On Sept. 14, 1944, the U.S. 1st Marine Division lands on the tiny island of Peleliu in the Pacific as part of a larger operation to provide support for an invasion of the Philippines. The Marines suffered heavy losses, with 4,000 men killed in the first week alone.
  - On Sept. 15, 1978, boxer Muhammad Ali defeats Leon Spinks at the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans to win the world heavyweight boxing title for the third time in his career. Ali left the sport permanently in 1981.
  - On Sept. 17, 1796, President George Washington prepares a final draft of his farewell address. Two days later, his words appeared in Claypoole's American Daily Advertiser, officially notifying the American public that he would voluntarily step down as the nation's first president. Rarely in the history of Western civilization has a national leader voluntarily relinquished his title.
  - On Sept. 18, 1987, cesium-137 is removed from an abandoned cancer-therapy machine in Brazil. Junk yard workers, fascinated by the glowing blue stone inside and unaware of its dangers, gave pieces to friends, relatives and neighbors. Hundreds of people were eventually poisoned by radiation, and 40 contaminated homes had to be demolished.
  - On Sept. 19, 1893, New Zealand becomes the world's first country to grant national voting rights to women. The United States granted women the right to vote in 1920, and Great Britain followed in 1928.
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## Strange But True

By Lucie Winborne

- Kite flying is an official sport in Thailand.
  - It's not unusual to cry at weddings, but in certain parts of China, weeping is a required part of preparation for the big day. A month before they tie the knot, Tujia brides will cry for one hour each day. Ten days in, they're joined by their mothers; ten days after that, grandmothers, and eventually other female family members. The practice is said to date to China's Warring States era when the mother of a Zhao princess broke down in tears at her wedding.
  - The Chinese soft-shelled turtle urinates from its mouth.
  - Fashion designer Michael Kors' first project was a redesign of his own mother's wedding dress, at her second marriage. He was 5 years old at the time.
  - Too much sunlight can damage the algae that live inside shallow-water coral and are the main source of its sustenance. To protect this algae, the corals fluoresce, creating proteins that essentially serve as a sunscreen.
  - The Greek national anthem consists of 158 verses.
  - We all know hiccups can be annoying, but at least they tend to pass quickly -- unless you were Charles Osborne, who began hiccupping in 1922 after a fall while attempting to weigh a hog before slaughtering it, and continued doing so for a total of 68 years. That's an estimated 430 million hiccups!
  - Leeches have a brain in each of their 32 body segments.
  - Looking to expand your ice-cream palate? Masiwa, a cafe chain in South Korea, offers a black-hued, squid ink-flavored version, served in glasses with an octopus mascot.
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- Thought for the Day: "The path of peace is not a passive journey. It takes incredible strength not to open a can of 'whoop-ass,' justifiably, when one's button is pushed." -- T. F. Hodge
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## CryptoQuip

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

Clue: N equals P

WZNNUWAMP J SJHHTG DZWHTGD

KDUIG AMHU J DJMSV, FVJH

FUZTL VG NDUKJKTR KG LUAMP?

HJIAMP WHUSI.

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### GUSTIN TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE No. 2021-3

#### Public Hearing on the following ordinance for the Township of Gustin

On September 20, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. at the Gustin Township Hall, Lincoln, Michigan the following ordinance will be signed this evening and will become a permanent ordinance of Gustin Township.

Any questions or concerns can be directed to Pamela Ashford, Supervisor, (989) 736-8312

#### Gustin Township Ordinance No. 2021-3 Tax Exemption Ordinance Adopted September -, 2021

An ordinance to provide for a service charge in lieu of taxes for a housing project for low-income persons and families to be financed with a federally-aided mortgage loan pursuant to the provisions of the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966 (1966 PA 346, as amended; MCL 125.1401, et seq) (the Act).

The Gustin Township Ordains: SECTION 1. This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Gustin Township Tax Exemption Ordinance for the Lincoln Village Apartments.

SECTION 2. Preamble. It is acknowledged that it is a proper public purpose of the State of Michigan and its political subdivisions to provide housing for its low-income persons and families and to encourage the development of such housing by providing for a service charge in lieu of property taxes in accordance with the act. The township is authorized by this act to establish or change the service charge to be paid in lieu of taxes by any or all classes of housing exempt from taxation under this act at any amount it chooses, not to exceed the taxes that would be paid but for this act. It is further acknowledged that such housing for low-income persons and families is a public necessity, and as the township will be benefited and improved by such housing, the encouragement of the same by providing real estate tax exemption for such housing is a valid public purpose. It is further acknowledged that the continuance of the provisions of this ordinance for tax exemption and the service charge in lieu of all ad valorem taxes during the period contemplated in this ordinance are essential to the determination of economic feasibility of the housing projects that is constructed or rehabilitated with financing extended in reliance on such tax exemption.

The township acknowledges that the sponsor (as defined below) has offered, subject to receipt of an allocation under the LIHTC Program by the Michigan State Housing Development Authority, to construct/acquire own and operate a housing project identified as Lincoln Village Apartments on certain property located in the Gustin Township, Alcona County, Michigan described for taxes purposes as: Part of the southeast 1/4 of the northeast 1/4 of Section 1, T26N-R08E, Village of Lincoln, Alcona County, Michigan being more particularly described as: Commencing at the east 1/4 corner of said Section 1, thence south 88°28'02" west, along the east and west 1/4 line, 33.00 to a

point on the west line of Barlow Road (66 feet wide), said point also being the point of beginning; thence continuing south 88°28'02" west, 781.79 feet, thence north 01°23'22" west, parallel to the east section line, 917.56 feet; thence north 88°23'49" east, 431.79 feet; thence south 01°23'22" east, parallel to the east section line 350.00 feet, thence north 88°26'07" east, 350.00 feet to a point on the west line of Barlow Road (66 feet wide), thence south 01°23'22" east, along said west line 568.28 feet, to the point of beginning. Containing 13.66 acres of land and subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any.

To serve low-income persons and families, and that the sponsor has offered to pay the township on account of this housing project an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all ad valorem property taxes.

SECTION 3. Definitions. A. Authority means the Michigan State Housing Development Authority.

B. Annual Shelter Rent means the total collections during an agreed annual period from or paid on behalf of all occupants of a housing project representing rent or occupancy charges, exclusive of utilities

D. LIHTC Program means the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit program administered by the authority under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

E. Low Income Persons and Families means persons and families eligible to move into a housing project.

F. Mortgage Loan means a loan that is federally-sided (as defined in Section 11 of the act) or a loan or grant made or to be made by the authority to the sponsor for the construction, rehabilitation, acquisition and/or permanent financing of a housing project, and secured by a mortgage on the housing project.

G. Sponsor means Alcona County Commission on Aging (ACCOA) and any entity that receives or assumes a mortgage loan.

H. Utilities means charges for gas, electric, water, sanitary sewer and other utilities furnished to the occupants that are paid by the housing project.

SECTION 4. Class of Housing Projects.

It is determined that the class of housing projects to which the tax exemption shall apply and for which a service charge shall be paid in lieu of such taxes shall be housing projects for low income persons and families that are financed with a mortgage loan. It is further determined that Lincoln Village Apartments is approved for tax exemption under this ordinance.

SECTION 5. Establishment of Annual Service Charge.

The housing project identified in Section 4 and the property on which it is located shall be exempt from all ad valorem property taxes from and after the commencement of construction or rehabilitation. The township acknowledges that the sponsor and the authority have established the economic feasibility of the housing project in reliance upon the enactment and continuing effect of this ordinance, and the qualification of the housing project for exemption from all ad valorem

property taxes and a payment in lieu of taxes as established in this ordinance. Therefore, in consideration of the sponsor's offer to construct and operate the housing project, the township agrees to accept payment of an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all ad valorem property taxes. Subject to receipt of a mortgage loan, the annual service charge shall be equal to 1.5 percent of the annual shelter rents actually collected by the housing project during each operating year.

SECTION 6. Contractual Effect of Ordinance.

Notwithstanding the provisions of section 15(a)(5) of the act to the contrary, a contract between the township and the sponsor with the authority as third party beneficiary under the contract, to provide tax exemption and accept payments in lieu of taxes, as previously described, is effectuated by enactment of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. Limitation on the Payment of Annual Service Charge.

Notwithstanding Section 5, the service charge to be paid each year in lieu of taxes for the part of the housing project that is tax exempt but which is occupied by other than low income persons or families shall be equal to the full amount of the taxes which would be paid on that portion of the housing project if the housing project were not tax exempt.

SECTION 8. Payment of Service Charge.

The annual service charge in lieu of taxes as determined under this ordinance shall be payable in the same manner as general property taxes are payable to the township and distributed to the several units levying the general property tax in the same proportion as prevailed with the general property tax in the previous calendar year. The annual payment for each operating year shall be paid on or before June 30 of the following year. Collection procedures shall be in accordance with the provisions of the General Property Tax Act (1893 PA 206, as amended; MCL 211.1, et seq).

SECTION 9. Duration.

This ordinance shall remain in effect and shall not terminate so long as a mortgage loan remains outstanding and unpaid or the housing project remains subject to income and rent restrictions under the LIHTC Program.

SECTION 10. Severability.

The various sections and provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed to be severable, and should any section or provision of this ordinance be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any section or provision of this ordinance, other than the section or provision so declared to be unconstitutional or invalid.

SECTION 11. Inconsistent Ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict. [This section is required]

Section 12. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall become effective September 20, 2021, as provided in the township charter.

Pamela Ashford  
 Gustin Township Supervisor  
 Renee LaVergne  
 Gustin Township Clerk

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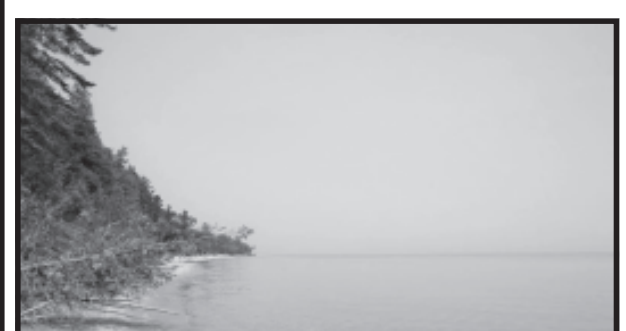
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Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John V. Powroznik and Sherry A. Powroznik, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as nominee for Cason Home Loans, mortgagee, dated September 26, 2014, and recorded on October 2, 2014, in Liber 510, page 756, Alcona County records. Said mortgage was assigned to J.P. Morgan Mortgage Acquisition Corp. by an assignment of mortgage dated July 30, 2021 and recorded August 02, 2021 by document number: 202100003105, on which mortgage there is claimed to

be due at the date hereof the sum of seventy-three thousand seven hundred ninety and 73/100 (\$73,790.73) dollars including interest at the rate of 4.37500 percent per annum. Said premises are situated in the Township of Greenbush, Alcona County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 68 and 69, Timberlakes Estates, as per plat thereof recorded in Liber 2 of plats, pages 8-9 of Alcona County records. Commonly known as: 5091 Wildwood Drive, Greenbush, Mich. 48738. If the property is eventually sold at foreclosure sale, the redemption period will be 6.00 months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned or used for agricultural purposes. If the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for agricultural purposes prior to the date of the foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is one year. Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, the borrower(s) 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. To all purchasers: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Dated: August 25, 2021  
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**Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale**  
 This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing at the telephone number stated in this notice. Attention purchasers: This sale may be rescinded by the foreclosing mortgagee. In the event, your damages, if any, shall be limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a Mortgage made by Claude S. Buchanan and Joyce D. Ratz as mortgagors, to Northland Area Federal Credit Union as mortgagee, which mortgage is dated December 12, 2003, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alcona County, Michigan, on January 7, 2004, in Liber 395 at pages 914-928, and upon which mortgage is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of \$93,811.73, and no suit or proceedings at law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; Now, therefore, by virtue of a power of foreclosure sale by advertisement contained in said mortgage, notice is hereby given under section 3212 of the revised judicature act of 1961, 1961 PA 236, MCL 600.3212, that the following mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgage premises, or some part of them, at a public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash or cashier's check at the place of holding the circuit court in Alcona County starting promptly at 10 a.m., on October 20, 2021. The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of the sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not

automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information. The land and premises in said mortgage, being situated in the Township of Harrisville, County of Alcona, State of Michigan, and described as follows: Parcel 6 - commencing at the southeast corner of Section 9, Township 26 North, Range 9 East; thence S. 89 deg. 27'23" west along the south line of said section and the centerline of M-72 Highway 757.64 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing S. 89 deg 27'23" W. along said south line and said centerline 287.80 feet; then N. 01 deg. 11'53" W. 1307.09 feet; thence N. 89 deg. 08'11" E, along the north line of the S - 1/2 of the SE - 1/4 of said Section 376.92 feet; thence S. 01 deg. 08'07" E. 649.14 feet; thence S. 89 deg. 27'23" W. 82.23 feet; thence S. 00 deg. 39'41" E. 660.00 feet to the point of beginning, excepting all that part of said parcel which lies south of a line 75 feet north of and parallel to centerline of M-72. Being a part of the S - 1/2 of SE - 1/4 of said Section 9, T26N, R9E. According to survey recorded in Liber 243, pages 153- 155, Alcona County records. Commonly known as: 4415 M-72, Harrisville, Mich. 48740. Please be advised that 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. The redemption period shall be six months from the date of such sale, unless the premises are determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241(a), in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: September 1, 2021  
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### VILLAGE OF LINCOLN MINUTES

The Lincoln Village Council met on Wednesday, Sept. 8 at 7 p.m. at the village hall. The meeting opened with the "Pledge of Allegiance." Those present included president Phillips, treasurer Mahalak, clerk Somers and council members, Durham, Healy, Putsky, Schick, and Somers. Wambold joined the meeting via phone due to family illness. The minutes of the August 2021 meeting were approved on a motion from Durham with support from Schick. The treasurer's report was approved subject to audit on a motion from Healy with support from Durham. The bills were approved for payment on a motion from Healy with support from Somers. The pavilion fund currently has over \$12,800. We received a contract from NEMCOG to work on bringing us into compliance for the RRC. The contract is for \$5,000 and the DDA will help pay for it according to where the work is being done. A motion was made by Healy with support from Schick. Motion carried. Zoning Administrator Troy Somers attended the meeting to give an update on properties that need to be cleaned up. Troy gave his letter of resignation from the position as zoning administrator effective October 4, 2021. A motion was made by Healy to accept Troy's resignation with regret and Somers gave support. Carried. President Phillips gave a brief overview of the fire department and medical first responder activities. Equipment was ordered that will be paid for partially through grant funds. Maintenance man Warren MacNeill was unable to attend the meeting. He talked with president Phillips before the meeting and they

discussed a problem with a sidewalk along West Main Street. A motion was made by Healy, with support from Somers, to allow maintenance to remove the portion of sidewalk that is deteriorating along West Main Street. Carried. President Phillips and Warren will be looking at sidewalks that need attention along the local roads. Bill Putsky gave the sewer report. Everything is working well currently. President Phillips gave the street report. After looking at the work that needs to be done on Traverse Bay State Road. The original plan was for a thin overlay/ultra seal rather than a complete asphalt rebuild. After looking at the cost of doing the ultra seal vs. the asphalt, we looked at the available funds in major streets. A motion was made by Durham, with support from Schick, to go ahead with the asphalt for the project. Carried. The ARPA funds have been approved in the amount of \$32,866.00. This is American Rescue Plan Act money secured from the COVID-19 pandemic. It will be used towards fixing some of the sewer system problems. The money will come in two separate installments directly to the village account. Durham gave an update on the charging stations that have been talked about for electric cars and golf carts. He has found a company that would put a station here free of charge to the village. A motion to adjourn was made by Healy with support from Durham. Carried.

Linda K. Somers  
 Village Clerk

**Classified Ad Deadline is  
 Monday at 4 p.m. Call 724-6384**