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At A GLANCE

Summer fun on tap at JV District Library

The Jordan Valley District Library invites area kids to "Join the Winner's Circle" with its 2002 Summer Reading Program.

Read-to-me children and young readers can enjoy books of their choice and keep track of time spent reading. Participants win weekly prizes for reading and can enter their names for a grand prize drawing if they've read at least two hours per week.

Suggested ages to participate in this program are 5-12 years.

Sign-up begins at the library on July 1.

This summer, the library will also be hosting entertainers on Thursday mornings, from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the community room. Programs will include: July 11 - Ben Spitzer and Sons, with comedy, magic and juggling; July 18 - Chris Linn, magic and comedy; July 25 - magician Gordon Russ; and Aug. 1 - "Buck Wilder" author Tim Smith.

Also on tap is a summer Scholastic Book Fair from July 8-13, with special appearances by favorite kids' characters Clifford the Big Red Dog, Curious George, Franklin, Liz and Miss Frizzle.

For more information, call the library at 536-7131.

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New face

Despite issues in the operating budget, work at the new high school in Boyne City, supported by a 1999 bond issue, continues to progress. The school is scheduled to open its doors to students for the 2002-03 school year.

photo by
Vic Ruggles



Donations and volunteers still needed to support the annual community event

Jordan Valley Freedom Festival slated for June 27-30

In 2002, the notion of freedom has been especially poignant, meaning that this year's Jordan Valley Freedom Festival should be an extra-special event. Slated for June 27-30, the event will feature lots of favorite events, as well as some new features sure to please.

Added to the fun this year are the much-anticipated Donkey Races, to be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday at the East Jordan Sno-mobiler Clubhouse on Mt. Bliss Road. Gates open at noon for both the donkey races and the horse pull, and donkey riders should arrive no later than 1:30 p.m. According to organizer Anne Crick, donkeys are still available for sponsorship, at \$100 per donkey, with sponsors providing a rider. Organizers have been particularly excited about the addition, Crick said, which will include several heats and a final race. "The challenge, I think, is to

stay on," Crick said.

The always-popular youth parade will be held on Saturday morning at 11 a.m., with a theme of "Great Americans." Emcee will once again be Chip Hansen.

Later in the day, festival-goers can enjoy the Grand Parade, scheduled for 4 p.m. on Main Street. The theme this year is "Proud to be an American."

Grand marshalls are plentiful this year, with the honor bestowed upon the men and women who have served 20 years or more on the East Jordan community's emergency services, including the East Jordan Fire Department, the East Jordan Police Department and the East Jordan Emergency Medical Services.

Arnold's Amusements will once again provide this year's carnival attractions, beginning on Thursday at 5 p.m. and running through Saturday, and Zambelli Internationale returns to

put on the always-spectacular fireworks display over the South Arm of Lake Charlevoix Saturday night.

Preceding the fireworks will be a concert by Phil Dirt and the Dozers in Memorial Park. Opening for the Dozers will be a special performance by hometown singer-songwriters and now Nashville artists, The Mickeys.

For those with a little summertime energy to burn, there will be plenty of activities offered throughout the weekend, including rock climbing in Memorial Park, the annual triathlon, par 1 "closest to the pin," fireman's waterball, and Sea-Doo ride.

Food will also be plentiful, beginning with a chicken dinner to go at the Senior Center on Thursday, the ethnic food festival on Friday evening, the Rainbow's famous chicken barbeque on Saturday, as well

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Balancing act

■ Boyne City School District makes cuts to address budget woes

Balancing the Boyne City School District's 2002-03 budget was all about making tough cuts, to compensate for what could have been a deficit of more than \$700,000.

As presented, the cuts include the elimination of one full-time teaching position; four positions in alternative education including one paraprofessional; one nurse; and one position in the business office.

Two retirements, as well as one pending retirement, eliminated the need to lay off more full-time teaching staff, and the departure of business manager Carlee Allen facilitated the reduction in business office staff without any actual layoff taking place.

Other personnel changes include the restructuring of the athletic director position to be paid in a \$10,000 annual stipend rather than as a separate, salaried position. Student success coordinator positions have also been restructured into advisory status.

Though personnel reductions are always the hardest to undertake, according to schools superintendent Jim Cooper, when 86 percent of the district budget is comprised of personnel funding, it's the place that's going to take the biggest hit. "This is where the largest reduction is going to come from."

Reductions in the area of person-

nel also affected health care benefits and co-pays.

Other budget cuts came in the form of a reduction in bus runs, and in athletics, a reduction in schedule, expenditures, equipment items and personnel.

The budget contains total expected revenues of \$9,808,288, and expected expenditures totaling \$9,780,756. The fund balance is expected to end up at \$1,758,443.

Asked by a citizen in attendance at the recent budget hearing to defend the decisions made in creating the proposed budget, Cooper said that "not one cut was done just to appease anyone. The recommendations I made [are based on] a sound education program." The need to trim back may be painful, Cooper added, but the hope is that by trimming now, the district may be "able to save even more jobs."

Class size, Cooper said, will likely go up some, but will not "go up to 30 [students per class] across the board," as was suggested by a resident at the meeting. "If the numbers are up to 30 per classroom, we'll hire or call back [staff] to address those numbers."

In the meantime, however, the

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Uncle Sam made an appearance at last year's Grand Parade on Main Street in East Jordan.

'Evenings at the Gazebo' concert schedule announced

A summertime tradition in Boyne City, the "Evenings at the Gazebo" concert series held in Old City Park will kick off its 13th year on Wednesday, June 26, showcasing the talents of the Boyne City High School Drama Department. The performance will begin at 7 p.m.; there is no charge to attend, and those attending are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and picnics to enjoy.

Sponsors for the evening are Van Dam Marine, Arch and Patty Wright, and Jon and Faye Gerster.

"Evenings at the Gazebo" will continue on Wednesdays throughout the summer. In case of rain, concerts will be held at the Fellowship Hall at St. Matthew Catholic Church, 1303 Boyne Ave.

The rest of the season's schedule includes:

July 3 - Smooth Jazz with Bill Sommerfelt/vocals and flute by Asuka Barden (sponsors: Ed and Glory Barden in dedication to Gordon and Nellie Flodquist)

July 10 - Harbor Folk (sponsors: Eta Nu Sorority)

July 17 - Michael Stadler (sponsors: Boyne City Dairy Queen, Chipman Refrigeration, Ed's Electric)

July 24 - Clarity (sponsors: Ace Hardware, Episcopal Church of the Nativity, Boyne Country Books)

July 31 - Judy Harrison (sponsors: Boyne Falls Polish Festival, Korthase Insurance, Honeywell, Boyne City Rotary)

Aug. 7 - John, Dave & Bob (sponsors: Lynda's Real Estate Service, LLC, Xi Gamma Sorority, Huff's Pharmacy, Bob Mathers Ford)

Aug. 14 - The Northwind Brass (sponsors: Boyne City Co-op, Boyne Area Brokerage, Boyne Valley Garden Club)

Aug. 21 - Peace Meal (sponsors: IMI, L.G. Vance Plumbing and Heating, Subway)

Aug. 28 - Tanglemeré (Boyne City Convention and Visitor's Bureau)

Programs are subject to change without notice. Any additional sponsors will be announced during the concerts.

For more information, or to make a donation to support the non-profit event, call Cindy Kujawski at 582-7573.

Temporary home found for Boyne ambulance service

The City of Boyne City has found a temporary solution to space problems, with the city commission recently approving a plan to lease space from local businessman Bill Korthase.

The space, an approximately 4,000 square-foot building on the corner of Boyne City-East Jordan Road and Boyne Avenue, will house three rigs currently kept at the Department of Public Works building, adjacent to city hall on Boyne City's waterfront.

According to city manager Eric Strahl, city staff looked at the building last week, and received preliminary approval for the site from the licensing agency for Advanced Life Support, which the service is currently in the process of pursuing.

The agency, Strahl said, indicated that "they would agree to approve that building on a temporary basis."

Currently, Strahl is working to set up a meeting with the Charlevoix County Building Department in order to determine any alterations necessary to bring the building up to code for its intended use.

Then, Strahl said, the city will meet again with Korthase to hammer out the details of the lease, including length of time and cost to the city. "We'll get back with Bill and talk about how long we might be able to utilize the building."

The development comes in the wake of some concern over potential expansion at city hall to accommodate increasing space needs for not only the Boyne City Ambulance Service but also for storage and workspace for the police department.

While the 2002-03 budget originally contained plans for an expansion at city hall, the item was left

open-ended after citizens voiced concerns about more waterfront development.

The moving of ambulance services to the Korthase building buys the city some valuable time to consider future options for emergency service needs.

Financially, Strahl said, the current focus is on "larger issues" including "expenditures coming up with the water system and wastewater treatments."

In addition to housing the three ambulance rigs, the space may also allow the city to move some equipment owned by the Department of Public Works into the space for storage as well, opening up more space to be utilized for police department needs.

No timeline has been set for the move.

OPINION

EDITORIAL

BC community needs to stand behind schools

In recent weeks, news coming out of area school districts has been in striking contrast. In East Jordan, the district has unveiled a plan for expansions and renovations at all three buildings, citing an unexpected but sustained increase in student population. Boyne Falls, likewise, is experiencing unexpected growth which may potentially result in the need for expansion of their two-year old building.

To these districts, I say kudos. Obviously, school board members, staff, and administrators are doing their jobs, and doing them well, giving students what they need, families what they want, and contributing to the growth of their communities at the same time. In both these districts, I've seen firsthand just what a fine job they're doing in a multitude of areas. Bravo, and here's to continued long-term success.

The news from Boyne City has been, however, not as rosy. While the school construction project is moving along smashing, the district's operating budget has presented a more challenging picture. Budget cuts (see page one) are always hard, and perhaps even harder when we see millions of dollars going into a construction project, which was based on enrollment figures that have failed to materialize as we had hoped.

Yes, in the Boyne City school district, it is a complicated time.

First of all, let's understand that any money being spent on the new high school and building renovations is bond money, and therefore completely and utterly off-limits in terms of supplementing the operating budget. We voted it in, and it's a done deal. It was suggested by a resident at a recent board meeting that there are "ways around" that. I submit, however, that in our current state the last thing the school board and administration needs to do is start finding "ways around" things (an opinion that the board also asserted, in so many words).

Second, the boat we're in is the boat we're in. At the recent graduation ceremony at Concord Academy Boyne, the valedictorian led his speech with the notion that, I quote, "If you're not where you're at, you're nowhere." Prior to this year's budget, the district was looking at a deficit of more than \$700,000. It's a fact. Now the test is how we deal with it. Some tough decisions are being made. People's lives are being impacted. But all the "what-ifs" in the world cannot change the fact that we need to get our heads above water, and we have to do it now, or the long-term impact on students will be even harder to stomach. Revisiting how we got here is necessary, but will only be productive if it's done in the spirit of growth.

Last, I believe the worst possible knee-jerk response community members can have to the budget cuts and other events in the not-so-distant past is to pull students out of the district. There are a variety of personal and academic reasons parents might have for sending their children to another school, many totally valid and completely respectable — parents must do what they feel is best for their kids, period. We must also weigh the fact, though, that in pulling out students we are impacting the children of our friends and neighbors at the same time.

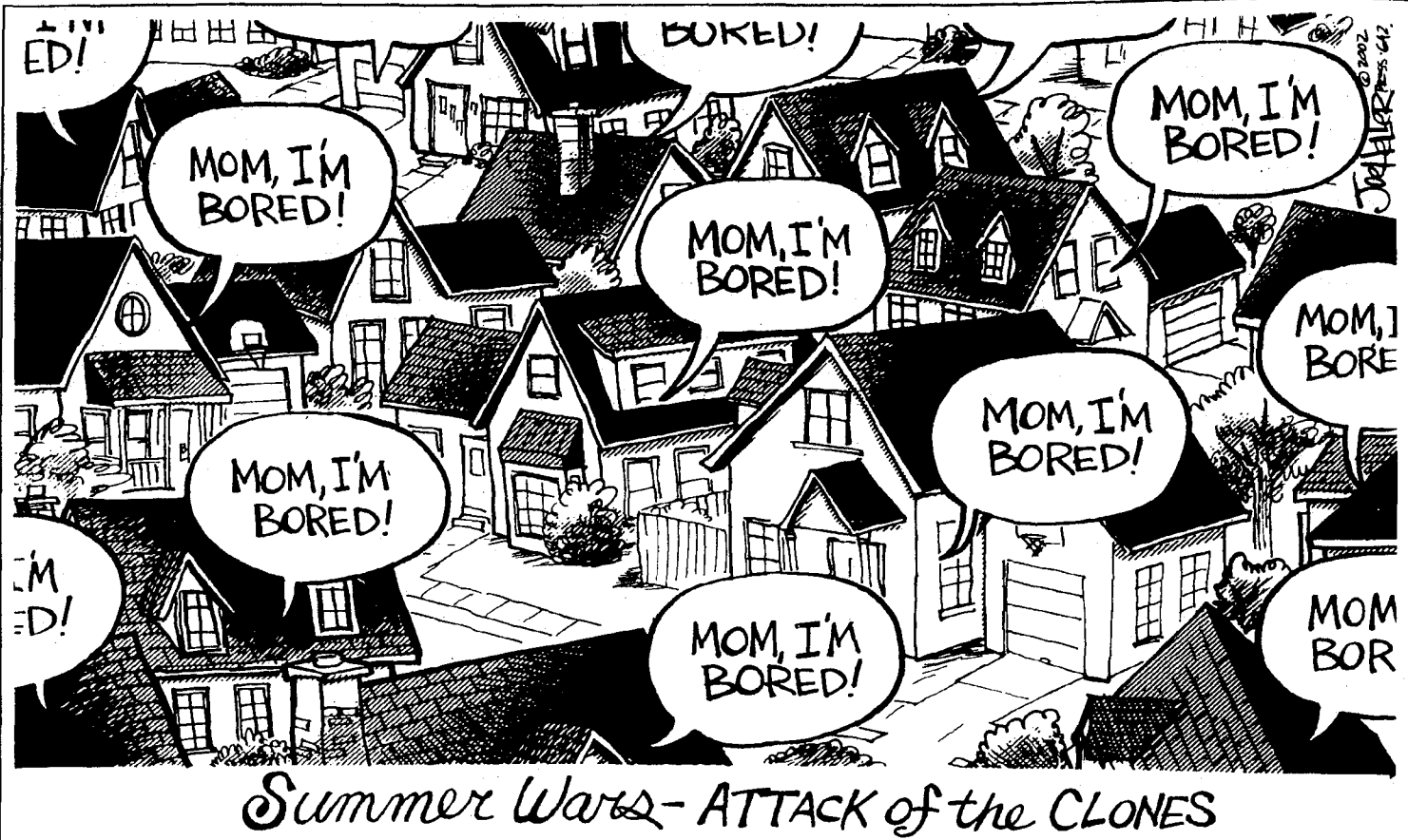
Keeping that in mind, I believe that as parents and community members, we have a certain degree of responsibility to our community schools. We have a responsibility to show up at least occasionally at school board meetings (I've noticed since last spring's three-ring circus that attendance has dropped off dramatically — I'm talking 10-15 folks, total), and use whatever talents or skills we have to get involved. I know we're not all cut out to be school board members but the recent unopposed race for a four-year seat was indicative of what appears to be another trend towards disinterest.

It's also our responsibility show up at our principal or superintendent's office, or track down a school board member, if we have questions, complaints, concerns, ideas. (Though he's technically an interim, superintendent Jim Cooper is a darn good listener; as long as he is here, I believe his intention is to be here 110 percent. He also has an open door policy. Take advantage of it.)

Underneath it all I still believe, at least as demonstrated by my personal experiences at the elementary school level, good things are happening. Change is often slow and painful, but a quick fix is not the answer when we're talking about the well-being of our community's educational system. Good things are possible, but we as parents and community members have to fight for, and work for, what we know our kids deserve.

They're not called "community schools" for nothing.

-- Angela Shultis



LETTERS

BCHS All-Night Party a success thanks to community support

TO THE EDITOR:

On June 2, 2002 Boyne City High School Seniors enjoyed a successful All-Night Party sponsored by BACPAC (Boyne Area Concerned Parents for Alternative Choices). They enjoyed plenty of food including dinner served to them at Boyne Mountain. After dinner they were transported to Otsego County Sportsplex. The Sportsplex was gracious enough to close their establishment all night for the party.

Some of the wonderful activities enjoyed throughout

the evening were ice skating, swimming, and time capsules were opened from their sixth and seventh grade years.

BACPAC would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the parents, community and school staff volunteers along with the many area businesses that support BACPAC with gifts, food, or cash donations.

BACPAC keeps our young adults safe on their graduation night because of all of you.

Chris Adkinson and
the Boyne City BACPAC Committee

BC Planning Commission should give ordinance a second look

TO THE EDITOR:

In regards to the letter to the editor from Ms. Sally Kaza whose house plans were rejected by the Planning Commission Appeals Board: I attended the meeting that evening and was very disappointed at the board's attitude toward this ordinance. Only one member, Mr. Ron Grunch, seemed to realize the unfairness and poor reasoning of this ordinance.

Not only does the garage have to be located 10 feet back from the front of the house but the only other option is to place a side entrance garage where the garage doors do not face directly to the street. One must drive his car into a turning space to get into the garage.

It seems to me that this will delete probably about 65 percent of all of the shelf home designs. Now you must

have a larger lot to accommodate this type of plan.

Not being able to build a 2,000 square foot home with compatible design in an area like The Pines of Boyne because of this ordinance is bordering on just plain dumb! Now all you can build is a "cookie cutter" plan in which all new homes will be the same.

I'm surprised that all the builders and realtors are not down at the Commission demanding this ordinance be repealed.

I also had plans to build another home in Boyne City but I doubt there is an available lot in town that would take this type of design.

The Planning Commission should repeal this ordinance at their next meeting.

Fred Matheson

A Mom's Life

Carefree summer comes to a halt when it's raining

By CINDI PLACE

I will admit that since I don't have to go to a job every day during the summer, I sometimes feel like one of the luckiest people in the world. On the other hand, I don't think my children see this freedom in quite the same way as I do.

Summer for this mom means not having to wake up at the crack of dawn, reading lots of books that I've had to put aside during the busy school months, and just simply laying in the sun and soaking up the relaxation that summer usually brings.

But I do not spend the entire summer "bumming around," as our youngest puts it. Especially when the weather turns nasty and I find myself stuck inside for a while. Our kids also find summer to be a fun time. When I was discussing summer camp plans with one of my sons recently, I asked about a sports camp opportunity that some of his friends were planning to attend. With a rather hang-dog look, he announced that summer was not the season for this sport; rather he felt that his summer at least should be spent without any planning whatsoever.

There is one thing that my children dread about summertime. The inevitable rainy day. Not because they can't play outside or that they find themselves stuck inside the house, without the benefit of television or computer time (because, of course they have already used up their allotment of "techie" heaven, and now have to do something else...like read a book).

You see, my children have a very reasonable fear of inclement weather. Because that's when "the mom" goes into high cleaning gear and they have to clean or organize something.

After a particularly long period of rainy summer days, my husband remarked to a co-worker recently that it wouldn't be long before the books on our shelves would be alphabetized and socks in the dresser drawers color coordinated.

So who says Martha Stewart doesn't live here?

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Though they live and work in Nashville, Julie and Amy, right, and their band, The Mickeys, are anxious to play for old friends in their hometown of East Jordan.



EAST JORDAN NATIVES JULIE AND AMY MICKEY ARE Bringing their music home

It's not unusual for a small-town son or daughter to leave the safety of home to seek out the bright lights of the big city. For East Jordan natives Amy and Julie Mickey, though, their move to Nashville five years ago was about much more than new adventure; it was just one of the steps on what they hope will be a path to the bigtime.

The two, along with their six-piece band, will return to East Jordan for a special "Back to Our Roots" concert on Friday, June 28, at the East Jordan High School auditorium. Doors will open at 8 p.m., and fellow EJHS alumnus Micah Middaugh will open.

For identical twins Amy and Julie, the event is doubly exciting, not just a homecoming but also the debut of their first CD, "Finding Our Way," an eclectic collection of what they call "acoustic roots music." With their parents, Nancy and Gene, and Amy's high school sweetheart still living in East Jordan, as well as lots of old friends, it seemed only appropriate that the CD be kicked off in the place that their love of music was nurtured. "The fun thing about coming home is that we have so many good friends in East Jordan," Amy said. "It'll be a very close-knit sort of show."

For The Mickeys, getting to that first CD has been a long, albeit interesting road.

Members of the East Jordan High School class of 1994, the two had spent their high school years active in music and theatre, claiming leading roles in EJ Thespian productions of *My Fair Lady*, *The Sound of Music*, and *Hello Dolly*, under the direction of Paula Vollbach, who arrived at the school when Amy and Julie were sophomores. "We started out doing musicals, and were very involved in the theatre program," Amy said. She also credits East Jordan's Margaret Thomson as an early influence on her musical career, instructing her in voice and piano lessons.

During their high school years, the girls attended Interlochen, and sang the National Anthem at the 1992 boys basketball state finals at the Palace of Auburn Hills. Amy also auditioned into the Michigan Youth Chamber Singers, performing at the Hill Auditorium at the University of Michigan.

The experiences were invaluable to Amy and Julie as they plotted their career path; for the twins, there was never any doubt. "We knew we were going to end up [in Nashville]," Amy said. "We knew we wanted to do music."

The plan after high school graduation was to spend two years in college in Michigan, then move to Nashville. Right on schedule, Amy and Julie went to Hope

College as musical theatre majors, and then, in 1996, transferred to Belmont University in Nashville, attracted by their commercial music program.

At Belmont, the girls had the opportunity to learn the business end of the industry, graduating in 1998 with business majors and music business minors. Julie interned at MCA Records, and Amy at DECCA and Cotton Eyed Joe Productions, affording them the opportunity to see the music industry first hand through video shoots, number one parties, and artist retreats. One of the more memorable parts of the experience, Amy said, was seeing country superstar Leann Womack make her debut with DECCA and climb the ladder to stardom. Amy and Julie even had the chance to be in Womack's first video, though it didn't exactly turn out to be their moment in the spotlight. "We're in a little of the video," Amy laughed. For just a moment, if viewers look closely, in one scene they'll see "half of my face off to the side." Not that Amy minded. "It was fun to be at the shoot," she said.

The brush with Womack, while inspiring, also gave the girls a taste of both sides of the business. "It was kind of fun, we got to watch her walking through the door at square one," Amy said. But at the same time as Womack arrived, another artist was packing her bags and leaving, having been signed off of the label. The image is one that stays with Amy, who knows that music is a fickle business.

"It depends on what you're in it for," she said. "We play because we love it. Success is not the only gratification." Even so, they have achieved some success in the traditional sense, playing regularly at big Nashville clubs like Tootsie's Orchid Lounge, the Gibson Guitar Cafe, Third and Lindsley, and the Boardwalk Cafe.

To have their music accepted and appreciated, that alone has made the journey worthwhile for Amy.

Still, it's not yet enough to pay the bills, so Amy is currently working during the day for a mortgage company, while Julie is employed at a school for massage therapy.

The hope, though, is to make music the day job. "We would like to make a career in music, recording and performing," Amy said, noting that she and Julie not only perform but also write most of their own material. "That means dropping the day job. But we'd like to do it our own way. We're very interested in staying true to the music that we do."

Tickets for The Mickeys homecoming performance are on sale now at Busy Bridge Antiques and Gifts; Main Street Hair Cottage; and Lifestyles Hair, Nails and Tanning. Tickets to the family-friendly show are \$7 each. The Mickeys' "Finding Our Way" CD will be available for purchase at the concert for \$10 each.

Boyne City gets ready to give a 'party for 10,000' on the 4th

Organizers of Boyne City's annual Fourth of July festival are putting the finishing touches on preparations for this year's events, which will feature all the traditional favorites, including food, fireworks, and of course, a parade.

The events of the big day will be preceded by the opening of the Waterside Art and Craft Show in Veteran's Park on Wednesday, July 3, with July 4th festivities kicking off at 8 a.m. with the annual Independence Day Race starting this year at the high school track.

The remainder of the day will feature tried and true activities such as the children's bike and costume contest on Saturday morning, the Eta Nu Clown balloon and flag sale, Rotary's chicken barbeque in Veteran's Park, and children's games and petting zoo.

One highlight of the day will be the grand parade, scheduled to begin at 10 a.m., with grand marshal Marie Zoberski, chosen for her generous and active community involvement, taking a place of honor in the lineup.

Honored organization for this year's parade is Camp Quality.

Handicap parking will be available at Boyne Area Rehabilitation Center as well as on Park Street between Ace Hardware and North Country Bank during the parade. A state handicap sticker or permit is required.

Also on tap for the day are the 14th annual duck race, with rubber duckies available up until the day of the race, and the soap box derby.

Boyne City Yacht Club members will give waiting fireworks fans a different kind of show with their evening parade of boats on Lake Charlevoix Saturday night, followed by the fireworks display at 10:30 p.m.

This year, said organizer Ann Parks, fireworks fans should anticipate some surprises, as the committee

has had the opportunity to purchase a few different fireworks than the festival has seen in the past.

Musical entertainment will be on hand in the bandshell in Veteran's Park throughout the afternoon on Thursday, including performances by Northern Nites, TNT, and Rawhide.

On Friday, the third annual Boyne City All Class reunion will take place at the pavilion in Veteran's Park. Anyone who has attended Boyne City schools is invited to attend, enjoy refreshments, and hopefully meet up with some old friends. There is no charge to attend.

On Saturday, July 6, a Waterfront Revival will be held at the bandshell in Veteran's Park.

Area law enforcement asks for understanding from festival-goers regarding barricades and other safety measures during the festival, especially for the fireworks, when a perimeter must be maintained around the fireworks launch site for the safety of viewers.

Those planning to attend are also reminded that dogs are prohibited by city ordinance from Boyne City parks during the festival.

ing the festival. Personal fireworks are also prohibited; according to police chief Randy Howard, the guidelines for what is not appropriate is "anything that goes up in the air or goes bang."

As always, Fourth of July committee members are still looking for a few extra hands, as well as a few extra dollars to help cover costs, including the approximately \$13,000 needed for the fireworks display.

Organizers are seeking monetary donations as well as helpers, especially in terms of crowd control for parade day and at the Independence Day running race.

Even an hour or two is a help, according to committee chairperson Liz Kroondyk.

To make a donation or to volunteer, call Kroondyk at 582-9701. For information on the running race, call Xavier Gaudard at 582-2385. For other information, call the chamber at 582-6222.

The rain date for fireworks is Friday, July 5, at 10:30 p.m.



Boyne City's Fourth of July parade is always a big draw for residents and visitors alike. Volunteers are still needed to assist with crowd control and some of the other events planned for the day.

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News Briefs

Annual clean-up scheduled for Eveline Township

Eveline Township will hold its annual spring cleanup on Saturday, June 22, from 7:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Collection point for the east side of the South Arm will be Township Hall, and for those on the west side of the South Arm, Cedar Ridge Landfill. No early drop-off will be permitted, and there will be no roadside pick-up. Residents should see the township newsletter for details on allowable disposable items.

Paddle Day to benefit FOBR

Sunburst Marine in Boyne City will sponsor a "Quiet World" Paddle Day on Thursday, June 27, starting at 4 p.m., with proceeds benefitting the

Friends of the Boyne River.

Professional instructors will be on hand to assist participants in test paddling a variety of models in the Walden kayak line. The non-refundable \$10 per paddler fee will be donated in full to the FOBR, to assist in their efforts toward the preservation and maintenance of the Boyne River.

The event is geared towards anyone considering the purchase of a kayak, or those just curious about kayaking in general. Those interested in attending can sign up at Sunburst's downtown Boyne City location.

Genealogy group hosting family history workshop

The Charlevoix County Genealogy Society will present a workshop for beginners in genealogy and family history on Saturday, June 22, from 9

a.m.-12 noon at the Boyne District Library. "Solving the Puzzle for the Family Historian" will be presented by East Jordan's Carol McWain Goodenough, professional genealogist.

Those planning to attend should bring with them any family information already found, as well as names, dates, locations of birth, marriage and death for parents, grandparents and great-grandparents if possible.

The workshop will provide hands-on opportunities to record data.

For more information, call the library at 582-7861.

4-H offering adult sailing classes

Two sessions of beginner to advanced adult sailing instruction will be offered at Charlevoix's Depot Beach (next door to the Coast Guard Station) beginning Monday, July 8.

All instructors are certified by The US Sailing Association and hold American Red Cross First Aid and CPR certification.

The first session begins Monday July 8 and ends Thursday, July 25. The second session begins Monday, July 29 and ends Thursday, Aug. 15. Early registration is encouraged.

Participants will be sailing JY 15s, Optimist dinghies, a J-22, and a 30 ft. sloop (cruiser-racer). To make a reservation call the MSU Extension Office at 582-6232. For more specific course questions and/or the availability of private lessons contact Tom Orlov, Program Director at 231-313-5644.

Humane Society taking donations for rummage sale

The Charlevoix County Humane

Society will hold a Tail Waggin' Rummage Sale on Saturday and Sunday, June 22 and 23, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. both days. Donated items are currently being accepted for the sale at the shelter, located at 614 Beardsley St. in Boyne City. Used items in good

condition are welcome, though no clothes will be accepted. Donations are tax deductible. Items can be dropped off between 1-5 p.m. on Thursday and Friday. For more information about the sale or making a donation, call 582-6774.

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The White Rose

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East Jordan merchants meeting regularly include representatives of such diverse businesses as The Quilt Cottage, Dick and Jane's, Busy Bridge, Plaid Petunias, the EJ Shoppe, Two Dog Deli, Jordan Valley Outfitters, and more. New members are welcome, from all types of businesses.

With monthly meetings, merchants in East Jordan are committed to

Making connections

For the past year, merchants in East Jordan have been meeting and, consequently, good things have been happening. Namely, everyone's getting to know one another.

That may not be what one would call a quantifiable result, but, according to in-town business owners, it's a key aspect to moving businesses forward. "It's image-building," said member and EJ Shoppe owner Mary Faculak, focusing on "making East Jordan a destination point."

Begun in the spring of 2001, the monthly merchant's meetings were initiated by Faculak, who is also the executive director of the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, after an experience in which a few downtown retailers had met on another issue and ended up doing some good old-fashioned brainstorming about their businesses. In the past, merchants had met in a more "loose-knit" fashion, Faculak said, and only "as needed."

The idea here was to make the meetings slightly more formal, and much more consistent, to create a sense of community among merchants as well as brainstorm ideas and gain consensus

about what's happening in East Jordan.

The meetings, said member Kay Harper of Jordan Valley Outfitters, have been a plus from the beginning, if for nothing more than simply "bouncing things off somebody in the same boat you [are]."

Membership is open, and fluid, with no dues and no sub-committees. Though there's a core group that makes most meetings, any and all business owners in the East Jordan business district are welcome to attend. The group, according to Faculak, has been as helpful to the chamber as it has for the members. "It helps make the chamber more efficient," she said, in that it creates another avenue for communicating with a group of businesses, rather than having to seek each out individually.

While the area has suffered to some extent from the economic downturn the nation took over the winter, things for some businesses are starting to pick up, and with plenty of development projects going on in the downtown area, it's an exciting time for East Jordan businesses as a whole.

"There's a lot of excitement downtown,"

Faculak said, referring to the renovations slated for the Dahlquist and Votruba buildings on the corner of Main and Mill Streets. The project has, she said, "recharged" not only business owners but "the residents themselves."

Amy Richards of Two Dog Deli on Main Street concurs. "We've been really optimistic about [the Dahlquist] building being redone," she said with a laugh. "We're ready to feed the workers." On a more serious note, Richards said that the enthusiasm behind the project has been "circulating through town, boosting spirits." Such excitement spreads much quicker these days, thanks to the monthly merchant meetings and the efforts of those attending to keep the lines of communication open. The trick, one the group is achieving, is to be sure participation in the group is not over-taxing to already frazzled business owners. "The most important part is that this is a productive time spent," said Faculak, who is always sure to create an agenda to guide each meeting. "We have a focus." Even so, it's not all work, say members. "We're a fun group," said Richards.

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NEIGHBORS

By NANCY NORTHUP

A WARM "Welcome to our Community" goes out to Joseph Ziolkowski, who has moved from Shelby Township (north of Detroit) to Boyne City and is living with his daughter and son-in-law, Darlene and Ken Tobias. Joe, a retired World War II veteran, enjoys woodworking, fishing and gardening.

FORMER RESIDENT Traci (Hutchinson) Bishop and her three children were here last week visiting her mom Marti Hutchinson and grandmother Mary Hutchinson and other family and friends in the area.

A SPECIAL THANKS goes out to Robert's Restaurant in Boyne City for providing lunch to the Boyne Valley Garden Club members who planted flowers in the city last week. Robert's provided great service and wonderful food.

JONI ZUCCHIATTI'S son and daughter-in-law Damon and Kristine Zucchiatti and granddaughter Remie from Marine City, Mich. and grandson Nick Everest were in Boyne City over the weekend to spend time with her while Vasco is away on a Harley trip. Vasco left May 31 with Bill Heiermann for a ride through Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky. On Saturday all attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Buck and Jane Hawk at the K of C Hall in Boyne, given by their children Kathy and Dennis Peck, Vicky Goldsmith and Mike Hawk.

THE "HARTNELL COUSINS" reunion was held last weekend at the home of Ray and Gloria Anderson. Those attending were Eloise Cleland of Boyne City; Bruce and Pat Cleland and Jon and Caryn Cleland, all of Traverse City; Richard Dunsmore of Redford; Don and Bobbie Dunsmore of Gaylord; Mark and Bonnie Hartnell of Delaware, Okla.; David Milton and son Shawn of Chicago; and Harley and Ann Parks of Boyne City. On Sunday, the Don Dunsmares entertained their family with a lovely brunch at their new home at the Gaylord Country Club. Don

took them on a "Hartnell" historical trip around Gaylord and Otsego County.

THE ANNUAL "Queen's Party" of the Boyne Valley Slim & Trim Club was celebrated with lunch at Lester's this past Wednesday, after their "crowning" ceremony at Litzenburger Place. Mary Jane Kroll of Boyne City received the title, for a second time. Congratulations go out to Mary Jane, Queen of 2002, for having lost the most weight. The BVS & T has been an ongoing weekly club of support in weight control for 18 years and welcomes new members. For more information, please call Nancy at 582-9174.

HEARTFELT SYMPATHIES go out to the family and friends of Ed Inman of Boyne City, who passed away at Bortz Health Care in Petoskey on Friday, June 14, 2002.

JENNIFER AND TONY WITER and daughters, Marie, Jessica, Allison, Elizabeth and baby Faith spent Saturday here at the family home in Deer Lake and visiting with her dad, Nels and Louisa Northup. On Sunday morning they visited her grandmother Edna May and in the afternoon, back in Deer Lake, the Witters entertained his parents, John and Mack Witer, of Newberry, before returning home.

A WARM "Welcome Neighbors" goes out to Katherine Robinson and also John Russell, new tenants of Litzenburger Place

STEVE AND LISA BRICKER, the son of former Boyne resident John Bricker, and children Hannah and Tyler of Fort Collins, Colo. and friends spent several days vacationing here at his family home in Deer Lake. They also spent a couple of days in Harbor Springs before leaving on Wednesday.

ADELL HIBBARD of Boyne City, accompanied by Margaret Gould, recently visited her daughter Nancy and Don Rennick in Big Rapids, especially there to attend the graduation of her granddaughter, Carla Rennick, the Valedic-

torian of the Reed High School class of 2002. Adell and Margaret also visited her niece, Kathryn Ollila in Midland, and attended the wedding of great-niece Emily Sheskey, before returning to Boyne with daughter Nancy, who spent a couple of days here with her mother.

SETH HOWIE, the son of Gordon and Gail Howie of Boyne City and Kelly Marie Reif, daughter of Bill and Nancy Reif of Ellsworth were married on Saturday, June 8, 2002. Before more than 200 guests, the lovely ceremony, officiated by the Rev. Chuck Fowler of the Nazarene Church, took place in the gazebo at the Stanek Road home of Matt and Nicki Imel. A Pig Roast and reception followed. After spending a few days honeymooning at a cabin on the South Arm, the newlyweds and their children, his son Lucas, 7, and her daughter, Aubrey, 5, will be at home in Charlevoix.

PEG AND HOWARD CROZIER of Boyne City attended the June 8, 2002 wedding of their granddaughter, Daphne Crozier, daughter of Butch Crozier, to John Oly in Grand Rapids. Others attending from Boyne were Butch and Phyllis Crozier, Tish and Scott Snyder, Ron and Patti Crozier and daughter Jessica, Brenda and Terry Urman, and children Hilary and Tyler, Harriet Urman, Beverly Paquette and friend Arlie, Vern and Gwen Erickson, and Patty and Bob Tanis of Ludington.

RYAN MCQUEEN, 2002 Boyne City High School graduate, was honored by his parents Bill and Nancy McQueen with an open house. Ryan, Sam Fine and Nate Mount played great music in the bandshell at Veterans' Park. Grandparents, aunts, and uncles from Traverse City and Bellaire came to celebrate with other cousins, friends and neighbors. Ryan's Uncle Harry flew in from Switzerland in route to New Mexico. Decorations and food were provided by Robb and Heather Auckman. A special thanks to the Bingham family for all their help. Ryan will be attending NCMC in the fall.

(To submit an item, call Nancy at 582-9174 or e-mail her at neighbors@gtlakes.com)

DEATH NOTICE

Harry Pearsall

Harry Pearsall, 80, passed away on Saturday, June 15, 2002, at his home in East Jordan. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, June 19, at 11 a.m. at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE Monday, June 24

An American Red Cross Blood Drive will be held from 1-7 p.m. at the Christ Lutheran Church on the corner of Boyne Avenue and Boyne City-East Jordan Road in Boyne City.

NMHS FOOD DISTRIBUTION Wednesday, June 26

Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency (NMHS) in Petoskey will hold a June food distribution under The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) at the East Jordan VFW Hall on M-32, from 11 a.m.-12 noon. The TEFAP food package is distributed four times a year and is available to anyone who meets the income guidelines. For more information about the TEFAP program or other services offered by Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency call 347-9070 or 800-443-5518.

YOUTH SKILLS CAMP 3RD-5TH GRADE July 1-3

The Boyne City Public Schools will be holding a youth basketball skills camp from 4-6 p.m. at the Boyne City Middle School Gym (Old HS). Cost is \$35. Please send in the following information along with payment: Name, address, phone number, parent's name, next year's grade, and shirt size (kids sizes) S-XL. Please make checks payable to Boyne City Public Schools Girl's Basketball. Registration information and permission slip needs to be turned in and completed before player will be allowed to participate in the camp. Please mail forms and payment to: Coach Tomkins, Camp Registration, 00840 BC-EJ Rd., Boyne City, MI 49712.

7TH AND 8TH GRADE RAMBLER CAMP July 1-3

The Boyne City Public Schools will be holding a youth basketball skills camp from 6-8 p.m. at the Boyne City Middle School Gym (Old HS). Cost is \$35. Please send in the following information along with payment: Name, address, phone number, parent's name, next year's grade, and shirt size (adult sizes) S-XL. Please make checks payable to Boyne City Public Schools Girl's Basketball. Registration information and permission slip needs to be turned in and completed before player will be allowed to participate in the camp. Please mail forms and payment to: Coach Tomkins, Camp Registration, 00840 BC-EJ Rd., Boyne City, MI 49712.

EAST JORDAN FOOD PANTRY Every Monday & Thursday

The East Jordan Food Pantry is located at 601 Bridge St., in the base-

ment of Health Center. Pickup or donation hours are Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m.-12 noon.

BOYNE FOOD PANTRY First & third Mondays

Food pick-up hours are on the first Monday of the month from 10 a.m.-noon and third Monday from 5-7 p.m., or on Tuesday if a holiday falls on Monday.

BOYNE CITY SCRAPBOOKING Second Tuesday

A Boyne City Scrapbooking Night will be held on the second Tuesday of each month from 6 to 11 p.m. at the Boyne District Library Community Room. Participants should bring own supplies. Meet new friends and learn new techniques. All levels of experience are welcome. There is no fee to attend. For more information, call Becky Brand at 582-1853.

KIWANIS OF BOYNE Thursdays

Interested persons are invited to join the Kiwanis of Boyne for coffee, camaraderie, and community service every Thursday morning at 7 a.m. at Robert's Restaurant in Boyne City.

VETERAN ASSISTANCE Thursdays

A Service Officer will be at the American Legion Post every Thursday from 4-6 p.m. Any veteran seeking assistance - financial, medical, disability benefits, etc. - may visit the Post at the corner of Lake and Main streets in Boyne City or call 582-7811 at that time.

AL-ANON Thursday nights

Al-Anon meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. at St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

AA MEETINGS Weekly

The Boyne Valley Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets in the basement of St. Matthew's Catholic Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City. All meetings are closed and non-smoking. Times: Sunday 1 p.m.; Monday 12 noon, 8 p.m.; Tuesday 12 noon; Wednesday 12 noon (Big Book Study); Thursday 12 noon, 6:30 p.m. (Big Book/Step Study), 8 p.m.; Friday 12 noon, 8 p.m. The first Friday of each month, an "Open Speaker" meeting is open to family and friends.

To have your event included in the community calendar, call 582-6761 by Friday at 5 p.m., or e-mail items to citizen@voyager.net. Items can also be faxed to 582-6762, or mailed to P.O. Box A, Boyne City, MI 49712.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

East Jordan Bridge Club



Participants in the East Jordan Bridge Tournament enjoyed lunch and cards at the Weathervane in Charlevoix.

The East Jordan bridge tournament closed out its season on Saturday, June 1, with a luncheon and afternoon of cards at the Weathervane restaurant in Charlevoix.

Hostess was Barb Adams, who created the table decorations for the event.

The top three teams in this year's tournament were Betty Rison and Margaret Smith, first place; Pat

Messink and Toni Jeffrey, second place; and Evelyn Gidley and Esther Porter, third place. Proceeds from this year's tournament were donated to East Jordan Care N' Share, East Jordan Community Band and the new East Jordan Community Park.

Anyone interested in participating in the tournament next year can call Barb Worgess at 536-2092.

Boyne City Friendship Club

The Boyne City Friendship Club will meet Monday, June 24, at 12 noon at the Boyne City Hall Auditorium. Anyone over 50 years of age is

welcome to come and bring a dish to pass.

The election of officers will take place.

Boyne Valley Garden Club

Now that the flowers have been planted around the city and members are doing their daily deadheading and weeding and watering, it is time for the club's annual picnic and plant exchange.

The picnic will take place on Thursday, June 27 in Veterans Pavilion at 11:30 a.m.

Members are asked to bring their

own tableware and a dish to pass with a serving spoon.

Beverages and plates will be provided.

Members may bring any extra plants for the plant exchange.

Anyone interested in joining the Garden Club or helping with the flowers around the city can call Betty Shaver at 582-5545.

Boyne City Bridge Club

The Boyne City Bridge Club held its annual spring luncheon at the Beach House on Deer Lake.

The club voted to give this year's donation to the Boyne City Fire Department towards the cost of a Thermal Imaging Camera.

Officers elected for the coming year are: Irene Hennessey and Leslie Boe, co-chairpersons; Carol Fritch, secretary/treasurer; Betty Alldread and Dolores Wehrenberg, rules committee; Kathy Henricks and Jean Weiss, nominating committee; Marion Martin and Barb Adams, luncheon committee.

Prize money for the year was awarded to Betty Alldread, first place; Jean Weiss, second place; and Maxine Tullar, third place.

Anyone interested in joining this bridge club next fall can call Carol Fritch at 582-3371 by Saturday, July

27. A donation of \$20 is requested from participants

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- 5 p.m. **ARNOLD'S AMUSEMENTS** (downtown)
Rides, Games, and Concessions (armbands)
- 4-7 p.m. **CHICKEN DINNER TO GO** (at Senior Center)
Sponsored by the Methodist Church \$5
Chicken, baked bean, potato salad, roll and butter and pie
for dessert. For tickets and more info call Mary Barnum
536-0215

FRIDAY, JUNE 28

- Noon-11 p.m. **ARNOLD'S AMUSEMENTS** (downtown)
Rides, Games and Concessions (armbands)
- 5-9 p.m. **INFORMATION BOOTH**
- 5-9 p.m. **ROCK CLIMBING** - High elevations, the ultimate rock
climbing experience. (Memorial Park)
- 5-9 p.m. **FESTIVAL ON MAIN** (downtown)
ETHNIC FOOD FESTIVAL - (Civic/Senior Center)
COME EARLY OR MISS OUT!
- 5-8 p.m. **KID'S GAMES** - sponsored by HARVEST BARN CHURCH
- 6 p.m. **LIP SYNC CONTEST**
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- 8 p.m. **GOSPEL SING IN THE PARK** - (Memorial Park)
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SATURDAY, JUNE 29

- 7:30-8:30 a.m. **REGISTRATION FOR TRIATHLON**
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- 9 a.m. **TRIATHLON**
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- 9 a.m.-6 p.m. **19TH ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW** (Memorial Park)
- 10 a.m. **FOOD CONCESSIONS**
Spring Street (next to Memorial Park)
- 10 a.m.-8 p.m. **ROCK CLIMBING** - High elevations, the ultimate
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- 10 a.m.-2 p.m. **PAR 1 "CLOSEST TO THE PIN"**
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- 10:30 a.m. **REGISTRATION AND JUDGING FOR YOUTH PARADE**
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Sportsmen's Park (Located across from 4-Corner Market)
- 10:30 a.m. **EXTENDED PLAY MUSIC SYSTEMS** w/ Dan Bennett
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- 11 a.m. **ARNOLD'S AMUSEMENTS** (downtown)
Rides, games and concessions
- 11 a.m. **YOUTH PARADE**
MC - Chip Hansen
Parade route: Sportsmen's Park - over the bridge, turn
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- 12 noon till gone! **CHICKEN BARBECUE** - At the Rainbow Bar &
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- 12 noon 3 p.m. **ENTERTAINMENT ON STAGE** (Memorial Park)
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- 12 noon-5 p.m. **DUNK TANK**
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- 12 noon-3 p.m. **FIREMANS WATERBALL** - Vacan
Registration at noon.
- 12 noon-3:30 p.m. **CHECK-IN/REGISTRATION
GRAND PARADE**
East Jordan Family Health Center park
Line-up by East Jordan Lioness
Registration deadline Friday, June 28
- 1-4 p.m. **EAST JORDAN PORTSIDE AND HIST**
Elm Pointe - M-66 Hwy.
- 2-4 p.m. **ANNUAL ARTIST INVITATIONAL/OPEN
FOR LOCAL ARTISTS**
Jordan River Arts Council Building - Ma
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- 4 p.m. **GRAND PARADE**
Theme: "PROUD TO BE AN AMERICAN"
MC - Tom Clemens and Antonio Cutler
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MC: Antonio Cutler
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CHICKEN DINNER TO GO (at Senior Center)
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FRIDAY, JUNE 28

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REGISTRATION FOR TRIATHLON
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re information call Bart Adams 536-2128.

12 noon-3 p.m. **FIREMANS WATERBALL** - Vacant lot next to The Rainbow.
Registration at noon.
12 noon-3:30 p.m. **CHECK-IN/REGISTRATION AND LINE-UP FOR GRAND PARADE**
East Jordan Family Health Center parking lot off Bridge Street.
Line-up by East Jordan Lioness
Registration deadline Friday, June 28
1-4 p.m. **EAST JORDAN PORTSIDE AND HISTORICAL MUSEUM**
Elm Pointe - M-66 Hwy.
2-4 p.m. **ANNUAL ARTIST INVITATIONAL/OPENING RECEPTION FOR LOCAL ARTISTS**
Jordan River Arts Council Building - Main Street next to Fire Department
4 p.m. **GRAND PARADE**
Theme: "PROUD TO BE AN AMERICAN"
MC - Tom Clemens and Antonio Cutler
Grand Marshalls: Several men and women have dedicated many years to providing our community with emergency assistance. This year multiple Grand Marshalls will adorn the Grand Parade. These are the men and women who have committed 20 or more years to serving our families in times of need. Through snow, wind, storms, and many things that put their lives on the line, they were there. We would like to recognize these people for giving so unselfishly and for the sacrifices they have made. These are men and women from the East Jordan Fire Department, East Jordan Police Department and East Jordan Emergency Medical Services. **WE THANK YOU!**
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8 p.m. **FESTIVAL "500" DRAWING (\$1,000 GIVE-A-WAY)**
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YOUNG STATE PARK ADVENTURE PROGRAM

The schedule for the Young State Park Adventure Program for June 18-29 is as follows:

Tuesday, June 18: 6:30 p.m. - Fanatical Fishing. Bring poles if you have them, and bait will be supplied.
Wednesday, June 19: 10:30 a.m. - Salamander Meander. Search for the amphibious creatures and learn their survival skills; 3 p.m. - Forest Frenzy. Search for signs of life in the forest.

Thursday, June 20: 10:30 a.m. - Fungus Among Us. Explore the woods for some mushrooms and learn how they help the forest; 3 p.m. - Tree Tales. Enter the world of trees and learn to identify some locals. Taste some tree tea and become a tree hugger.

Friday, June 21: 3 p.m. - Bog Boogie. Boogie on down to the bog and discover some of the strange inhabitants that call this wetland home; 7 p.m. - Fire Building Basics. Learn to make a fire the "old-fashioned" way. No matches needed, participants will use flint and steel and bow drills. Meet at campsite #41, children under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

Saturday, June 22: 10 a.m. - Saturday Mornin' Nature Hike. Kids, get your parents up and hit the trail; 2:30 p.m. - Stream Study. Discover who lives in a stream. Participants will get up close, so be prepared for wet feet. Bring a net if you have one.

Tuesday, June 25: 6:30 p.m. Fanatical Fishing. Head

on down to Mirror Pond and try to catch the big one.

Wednesday, June 26: 10:30 a.m. - Animal Senses. How do animals' senses compare to ours? Play some games and explore your senses, see how they differ; 3 p.m. - Forest Frenzy. How do animals survive in the forest? Camouflage! Wear your camo and see how well you blend in.

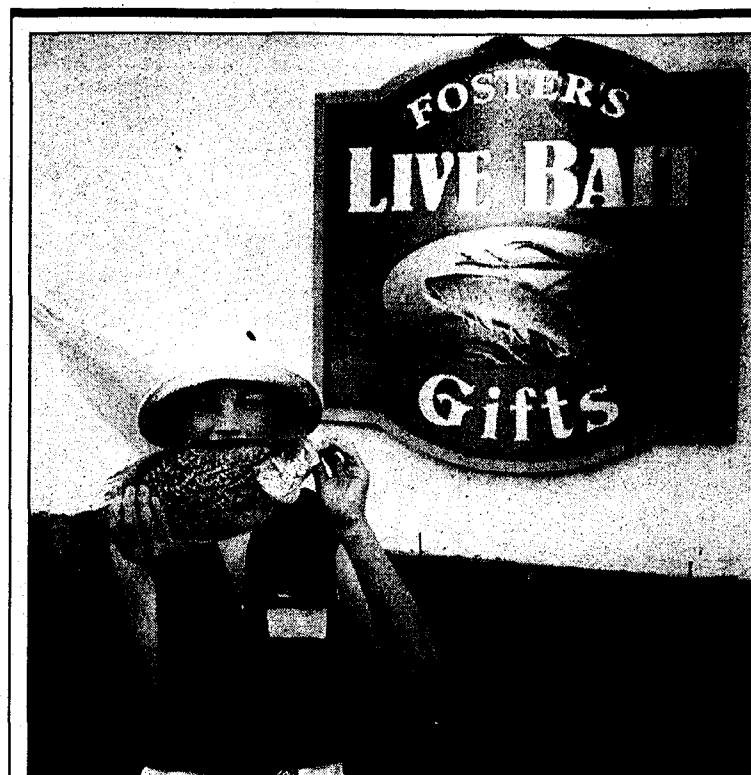
Thursday, June 27: 10:30 a.m. - Frogs and Toads. Search the pond for these amphibious creatures. Learn their songs and hear a story about how the toad came to be; 3 p.m. - Lakeshore Discovery Hike. Hike along beautiful Lake Charlevoix and see who lives there.

Friday, June 28: 3 p.m. - BUGS! Bring nets and search for six-legged creatures. Sing an insect song!; 7 p.m. - Owl Detectives. Meet at campsite #41 and learn about owls. Participants will be dissecting an owl pellet to discover what owls eat. Space is limited. Register at the contact station or by calling 582-7523.

The Adventure Program is an annual summer program held at Young State Park in Boyne City and led by naturalist Holly Orians.

The program is free of charge, but a park sticker is required for entrance. A day pass is \$4, or a season pass can be purchased for \$20.

Participants of all ages are welcome to attend; children under age 8 must be accompanied by a parent. Unless otherwise noted, all programs meet at the camp store.



Nice catch

Walloon Lake resident Zachary Matthew displays the 13-inch Crappie he caught last week, fishing with his granddad in Deer Lake. The fish weighed in at a whopping 1 lb. 6 oz. Here, Zac is pictured at the fish market, Foster's Live Bait and Gifts in Boyne Falls.

Budget

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problem essentially lies with the number of students, though it's not about having too many, but rather, too few. "Enrollment numbers are a huge piece of this [reduced budget]," Cooper said. Numbers, however, will not be final until the school year is underway.

Then, Cooper said, "we'll determine if the [projected] number is legitimate, either high or low."

Though theoretically, the district could have funded the additional \$700,000+ needed by borrowing from fund equity, that would have left the district with a dwindling fund balance which could possibly have been depleted by the following year.

"Had that deficit not been trimmed," Cooper said, "our fund equity would be gone next year. Without fund equity, you run the risk that you cannot balance the budget."

"The state does not allow you to run in deficit."

Despite the needed cuts, Cooper announced that the budget also contains funding to continue with some district initiatives already in motion, including supplies and training for curriculum council and staff development projects.

Also, in the hope of attracting a greater student base, the budget also contains the addition of two new courses of study, hospitality and vi-

sual imaging, in the hopes of making the district more attractive to a broader spectrum of students.

The ultimate goal of the budget, Cooper said, was to "minimize the impact [budget cuts] had on kids." The bottom line, however, is that "we won't be able to control [budget issues] if we don't control them now. The difficult part is that it impacts other people's lives."

The Board of Education unanimously passed a resolution to accept layoffs of teaching and support staff employees as recommended due to budget constraints, as well as a measure to contract with the Char-Em ISD to provide business services, which will compensate for the reduction in the business office.

The proposed budget must be adopted by July 1 of this year.

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as concessions throughout the weekend.

Other activities include kids' games, a dunk tank, a lip sync contest, a band showcase, the EJ Lioness Cow Drop, a gospel sing, and more. For a full schedule of events and activities, see pages 2 and 3.

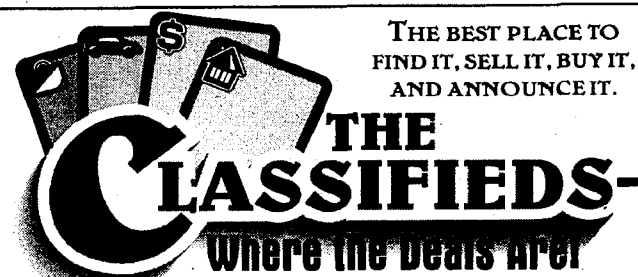
And though the schedule is in place, festival organizers still need help from community members to pull off the

weekend, both in terms of manpower and funding. At press time, the festival committee was still about \$5,000 shy of the total needed to pay for fireworks. Individual donations are always appreciated, and other ways to support the festival include purchasing a \$1 souvenir festival button, designed by Penny Postma of Signs, Letters, and Graphics, or buying Festival "500" tickets for a chance to win a \$500 first prize, or one of 10 \$50 prizes.

Tickets can be purchased at area businesses, the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, or from any festival committee member.

Volunteers are still needed as well, "in every area, at all levels," Crick said. For more information, call Crick at 536-3300.

THE EIGHTH ANNUAL Jordan Valley Freedom Festival Cruise-In and Car Show is slated for the weekend of July 12 and 13. For more information, call 536-7351.



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Disc shot

Boyer City Planning Commission member Bill Kuhn took his best shot at the new nine-hole disc golf course recently completed at Avalanche Preserve. Kuhn and other commissioners had the chance to try out the course last week when it officially opened to the public. Organizers hope to expand the course in the future.

photo by
Vic Ruggles



4-H youth sailing program underway

Youth ages 8-18 are invited to learn to sail, or sharpen existing sailing skills, on Lake Charlevoix this summer, in the 4-H Junior Sailing Program.

Classes in Boyne City began on Monday, June 10, and will run through Friday, June 28. After that, the program will continue in Charlevoix from July 8 through Aug. 16.

Participants can choose between morning or afternoon classes. All instructors and the program director are US Sailing trained and certified, as

well as certified in Red Cross First Aid and CPR.

Each session is five days, Monday through Friday, at a cost of \$65 per weekly session.

Students can register for as many sessions as they wish.

For students who attend public, private, or parochial schools in Boyne City, East Jordan, and Boyne Falls, scholarships are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Scholarships are made available through the support of Boyne City service organizations, businesses, individual donors,

and the Boyne City Yacht Club.

This year, a racing program is also being offered for sailors ages 12-18. Practices will be held in Flying Juniors on Tuesdays and Fridays from 5-7 p.m., June 25 through Aug. 13, in Charlevoix. The cost per practice is \$15. Students are encouraged to attend every practice.

Competitions with Little Traverse Yacht Club and Traverse City's sailing program are planned.

For an enrollment form and brochure, call the MSU 4-H Extension office at 582-6232.

NORTHERN INSIGHTS

Looking into 'floaters and flashers'

By STEVEN HUFFORD, OPTOMETRIST

Dear Dr. Hufford,
I sometimes see black spots crossing my vision, is this dangerous?

Pete W., Elk Rapids

Dear Pete,

Floaters and flashers are common eye symptoms. Many people describe them as specks, dots, cobwebs or lightning flashes in their eyesight. Usually these symptoms are just bothersome and will not affect your sight or lead to serious eye problems. Floaters and flashers develop when the middle portion of the eye, called the vitreous changes. As we get older, this clear jelly like vitreous becomes less solid and more like liquid. Because the vitreous is not as firm as it once was, particles which have always been in the eye may begin to move around, and because they are moving they become more noticeable. These particles, called floaters, may appear in a variety of shapes, including spots, clouds, spider webs, strings and wavy lines.

Sometimes floaters and flashes are more than bothersome. Some people with floaters and flashes develop serious eye problems. When the vitreous becomes liquid, it may suddenly shrink and pull away from the retina. When this happens many floaters may be suddenly seen. They may be a sign that the retina is in danger of ripping or tearing or pulling off the back of the eye. Without the support of the vitreous in front of the retina it may detach from the eye like wallpaper peeling away from a wall. This is very dangerous and sight may be lost.

The problem is, a layperson cannot tell the difference. It takes a dilated eye exam with a careful look at the retina to make sure there are no rips or tears in the retina where it pulled away with the vitreous. If the doctor sees a detachment, laser or cryotherapy is needed at once. It is extremely important to see your eye doctor immediately if you suddenly develop floaters and flashes.

Questions or comments can be directed to Dr. Hufford at 225 State St., Boyne City.

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at 1:45, 4:10, 7 & 9:30 daily
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Starring Matt Damon & Chris Cooper
at 2:10, 4:20, 7:10 & 9:30 daily
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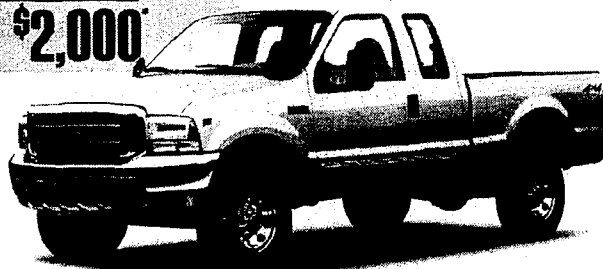
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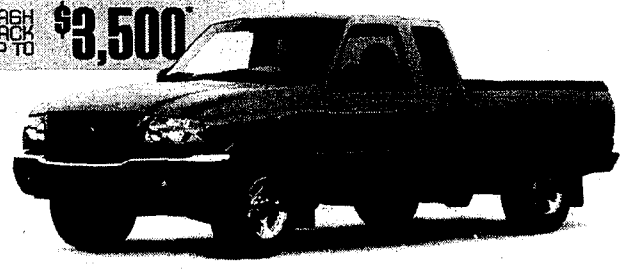
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US Fish and Wildlife Service to assess sea lampreys in local area

The continuing battle against sea lampreys by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service soon will come to streams in the local area, according to Dennis Lavis, Station Supervisor of sea lamprey control operations at the Service's Ludington Biological Station. An assessment crew will soon arrive to conduct work on the Boyne River and Horton and Porter creeks in Charlevoix County.

A first step to control sea lampreys is to survey tributaries of the Great Lakes to determine the presence of lamprey larvae. Sea lamprey larvae hatch from eggs laid by adult lampreys in gravel nests, and drift into silty bottom areas where they burrow and live for several years. Also, larvae sometimes drift out of streams and settle onto the immediate offshore area near stream mouths. Failure to detect and subsequently eliminate larvae in streams allows the lampreys to transform into parasitic adults, which then migrate into the Great Lakes and kill fish.

Fishery biologists and technicians conduct surveys for sea lamprey larvae in more than 200 Great Lakes streams each year. Most surveys are conducted with backpack electrofishing gear, but in deep or cloudy waters, crews use an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) approved lampicide known as Bayluscide Granular 3.2 percent.

Since the mid-1960s, Bayluscide has been used as a survey tool for sea lamprey larvae. More recently, the EPA certified Bayluscide for treatment purposes as well. As a result, larger areas can now be examined and larvae eliminated in offshore waters where conventional control measures are ineffective. The compound is coated onto sand granules and covered with a time release coating. Bayluscide is sprayed over a measured surface area of water where it sinks to the stream bottom. The coating dissolves and releases the lampicide causing the larvae to leave their burrows; the larvae swim to the surface and are collected by crews using hand nets. Those not captured

settle back to the stream bottom and die.

Surveys with Bayluscide are scheduled for the Boyne River and Horton and Porter creeks during the time period of June 18-27. A total of 50 plots, each about 0.1 acre in size, may be examined in the stream mouth area and adjacent waters in Lake Charlevoix of the three streams.

Exact timing of the surveys depends on the local weather conditions.

Service biologists and technicians are certified by the Michigan Department of Agriculture in the safe use of aquatic pesticides. According to the US Department of the Interior Fish and Wildlife Service, Bayluscide is nontoxic to humans, pets, livestock, mammals, and birds. Applications are conducted under Michigan permits and meet Michigan water quality criteria.

Sea lampreys entered Lake Ontario in the early 1800s, and moved into Lake Erie through the Welland Canal around 1921. Within a few decades, lampreys spread throughout the Upper Great Lakes and nearly eliminated the remnants of over fished lake trout stocks.

The Great Lakes Fishery Commis-

sion (Commission) began chemical control of sea lampreys in U.S. and Canadian Tributaries to Lake Superior in 1958 using the lampicide TFM. Since that time, the highly successful program has grown to include all the Great Lakes. The Commission contracts this program to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada.

The Sea Lamprey Control program continues to contribute significantly to the maintenance of the \$4 billion sport and commercial fisheries that exist in the Great Lakes. Without continued control efforts these fisheries again would be in jeopardy.

The Commission has implemented a research program to develop alternative control techniques. The Agents are currently evaluating the release of sterile male sea lampreys as a control measure to reduce lamprey production in the St. Marys River. The Commission also is increasing the number of barriers on lamprey producing streams and is conducting research into improved barrier design. Research is continuing into other methods such as traps, attractants and repellants, biological controls and genetic engineering.

FOBR announces plans for summer meetings, events

The Friends of the Boyne River have announced the following activities and meetings for the months of July and August:

Wednesday, June 26: FOBR Board of Directors Meeting, 5 p.m., Boyne District Library.

Wednesday, July 10: FOBR General Membership Meeting, 7p.m., Boyne District Library. Presentation: "The Cheboygan Watershed" by Wil Cwiek.

Wednesday, July 24: FOBR Board of Directors Meeting and Millpond Party, 445 Pearl St., Meeting 5 p.m., potluck social and tour of Millpond by kayak and canoe, 6 p.m. Beverages, BBQ, and table service provided.

Wednesday, Aug. 14: FOBR Annual Meeting, Veteran's Park Pavilion, 5-6:30 p.m. Potluck Social - beverages, BBQ, and table service provided by FoBR. Annual report, voting, games, and prizes to follow.

Friday, Aug. 23: FOBR Board of Directors Meeting, 5 p.m. 445 Pearl St., followed by Annual Canoe and Kayak Sunset River Cruise, meet at 6 p.m. at 445 Pearl St., Potluck social to follow, beverages, BBQ, and table service provided by FoBR.

Paying it forward



During the class award ceremonies, Boyne City fourth-graders presented Camp Quality's Eleanor West, right, with a donation of \$200 for the organization, collected during the grade's campaign to "Pay it forward." At the same event, fourth-grader Kelsey Kruzel, third from right, was presented with a scholarship from Boyne City businessman Jeff Wellman in recognition of her high MEAP achievements.

Secretary of State 'Mobile Branch' to visit East Jordan

The Secretary of State's Office will be at the East Jordan City Hall on Monday, July 1, as part of a summer tour of northern Michigan communities.

The Mobile Branch Office hours will be 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The East Jordan City Hall is located at 201 Main St.

The Mobile Branch Office provides all of the services found at any Secretary of State branch office. Driver licenses and license plates can be renewed up to six months early without penalty at the Mobile Branch Office.

No forms are necessary, however, residents must bring identification and proof of Michigan no-fault insurance.

The Mobile Branch Office is handicapper accessible.

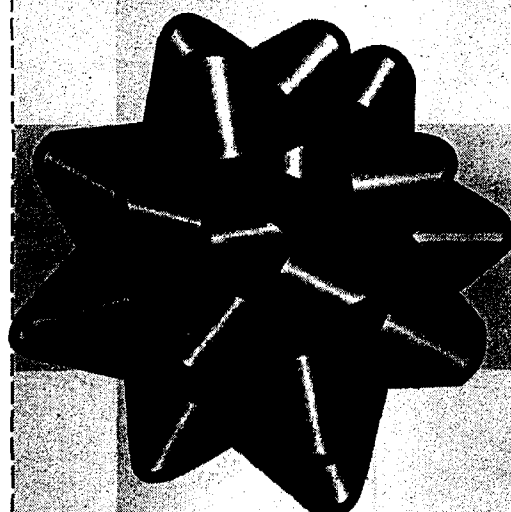
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Good deed

East Jordan Brownie Troop 531 recently visited, and made a donation to, the Humane Society. Back row from left: Jordyn Bacchus w/cat, Crystal Hoppe, Ellen Boyer, Courtney Leftwich, and Emily Crick. Front row: Andrea Meads, Sami Gilmore, and Brooklynn Richards. (courtesy photo)

College News

East Jordan resident **ABBEY CARTER** has been named to the dean's list for the spring semester at Capital University.

In order to be named to the dean's list, full-time students must have achieved a grade point average of 3.4 or above.

BRANDON MCQUEEN and **TANYA RENKIEWICZ** of Boyne City and **LINDA SALINAS** of East Jordan were named to the dean's list at Northwestern Michigan College for the spring semester 2002.

MEGAN POTTER of Boyne City and **RENEE MALKOWICZ** of Boyne Falls, were named to the dean's list at Madonna University. Potter, a junior, and Malkowicz, a senior, are both majoring in social work.

MATTHEW MOORE, **MICHAEL SWARTZ**, **JENNIFER WEISLER**, **SHAWN WEISLER**, and **LINDSAY WHITLEY**, all of

Boyne City and **HEATHER JONES**, **NICOLE PECK** and **DUSTIN TINNEY**, all of East Jordan have been named to the dean's list at Grand Valley State University for the winter semester 2002.

BRANDY BARREN of Boyne City was named to the dean's list at the University of Detroit Mercy for the spring term 2002. Barren is majoring in biochemistry.

JASON ROSTAR of Boyne City was named to the dean's list at Adrian College for the 2002 spring semester.

Rostar is a freshman majoring in Art, and is a 2001 graduate of Boyne City High School.

BO REINHARDT and **BETHANY TOMKINS** of Boyne City and **LAURA WARREN** of East Jordan have been named to the dean's list at Lake Superior State University for the spring semester 2002.

CASSIE KRAUSE of East Jordan was named to the Dean's List at Hope College for the second semester of the 2001-02 school year.

RENEE PERREAULT and **JULIE ROOKS** both of Boyne City and **KEVIN MCNEIL** and **BRIAN MCNEIL** all of East Jordan, were among the students at the University of Michigan recognized for University Honors this spring.

In addition, Brian McNeil was named a James B. Angell Scholar. Perreault is majoring in art and design, while Rooks is pursuing a degree in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.

Both Kevin and Brian McNeil are majoring in engineering.

JOEL SCHRAW and **CHRISTOPHER WINKLER**, both of Boyne City were named to the Dean's List for the second semester of the 2001-02 school year at Hope College.

PUBLIC NOTICES

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE- Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Alva F. Compton, Mary M. Frederick and Grady L. Frederick (original mortgagors) to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc. f/k/a Norwest Mortgage, Inc. d/b/a Directors Acceptance, Mortgagee, dated May 11, 1998, and recorded on May 15, 1998 in Liber 337 on Page 873 in Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ONE HUNDRED TWELVE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE AND 01/100 dollars (\$112,765.01), including interest at 10.625%.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan at 11 a.m., on July 19, 2002.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF HAYES, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

The East 334.57 feet of the West 669.15 feet of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 10, Town 34 North, Range 7 West.

The redemption period shall be 12 month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 5, 2002

For information, please call: Dolphins 248-593-1309
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys and Counselors
30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 200
Bingham Farms, MI 48025
File# 200015753
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Joseph H. Bonebrake and Deborah Bonebrake, husband and wife, to Franklin Mortgage Funding, mortgagee, dated Oct. 2, 2001, and recorded on Oct. 10, 2001 in Liber 438, Page 704, Charlevoix County Records, Said mortgage is now held by Bankers Trust Company, as custodian by assignment submitted to and recorded by the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of One Hundred Nineteen Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Seven and 44/100 Dollars (\$19,797.44) including interest at the rate of 9.74% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgage premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11 a.m. on July 19, 2002.

The premises are located in the City of Boyne City, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lot 103, Calbert's Addition to the Village of South Boyne (now City of Boyne City) as recorded in Liber 1, Page 70 of Plats, Charlevoix County Records, plus the Westerly 1/2 of the vacated alley adjacent to said lot on the East plus the Northerly 1/2 of vacated Ann Street abutting said Lot 103, together with the vacated portion of said alley.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in the event a third party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower.

Dated: June 19, 2002

ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC
Attorneys for Bankers Trust Company, as custodian,
As Assignee
P.O. Box 5041
Troy, MI 48007
(248) 457-1000
File No. 244.0087

Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C. is a debt collector and we are attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Thomas E. Hart and Shirley J. Hart, husband and wife, to ABN Amro Mortgage Group, Inc., Mortgagee, dated Dec. 1, 2000, and recorded on Dec. 8, 2000, in Liber

402, on page 838 Charlevoix County Records, Mich. and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of sixty eight thousand eight hundred eighty and 55/100 dollars (\$68,880.55), including interest at 8.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Mich. at 11 a.m., on July 26, 2002.

Said premises are situated in CITY OF EAST JORDAN, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as:

Land situated in the City of East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Mich., to wit: Beginning at a point distant 353 feet South along the West Line of Section 24, Town 32 North, Range 7 West, and 220 feet East from the Northwest corner of said section and

extending thence East 80 feet; thence South 159.63 feet; thence South 64 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds West 88.32 feet along the centerline of Nichols Street; thence North 197.06 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of the Northwest 1/4 or the Northwest 1/4 of Section 24.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 19, 2002

ABN Amro Mortgage Group, Inc.
Mortgagee
Attorney for: Mortgagee
Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
401 South Old Woodward Ave.
Suite 300
Birmingham, MI 48009-6616
For information please call: (248) 540-7701

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on June 12, 2002, in Boyne City, Mich. Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

BAY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING - May 9, 2002

Acceptance of Treasurer's report. Approval to pay Township obligations totaling \$63,600. Approval of Bernadine J. Hettler land division. Approval to seek bids for wedding of Pincherry Road under a cost sharing arrangement with Hayes Township at a cost to the Township of \$22,800. Approval to increase most fees for Township services due to increased costs. Received report on Zoning Permits issued. Next regular Planning Commission meeting scheduled to be held on Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2002 at 7 p.m. Next Board of Trustees regular meeting to be held on Thursday, June 13, 2002 at 7 p.m.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in Regular Session, June 4, 2002 at 7:30 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present except Cihak and Williams. Minutes were approved and acknowledgement was given to paid bills in the amount of \$116,471.27.

Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of Zoning Activity Report, May 2002; adopted Resolution #111/2002; adopted Resolution #112/2002; approved temporary outdoor service for Gemini Lanes; awarded bid for Air Compressor/Fill Station; approved separation agreement for Police Chief; approved Licensure request for use of Watson Field and authorized the finalization of the sale and purchase of ambulances.

A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

BOYNE CITY COMMISSION SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES

June 11, 2002, 7 p.m. meeting - The Commission appointed John McClorey and Bob Carlile to the Boyne City Zoning Board of Appeals; approved the temporary closing of Water Street for the Aug. 30 Labor Day Car Show; authorized the display of temporary banners by the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce; adopted two resolutions pertaining to the Municipal Employees Retirement System (MERS) contribution rate; received a request from retired City employees regarding upgrade of the retirees' health insurance benefits. The request was forwarded to City Administration to be researched and placed on the agenda for the next regular Commission meeting. The Commission held a second reading and enacted the Boyne City Historic District Ordinance, and authorized the City to proceed with leasing of a building from Korhase Insurance for temporary use by the Boyne City Ambulance Department, renovate/re-model the existing City garage to accommodate the Police Department needs for housing patrol cars and an evidence room, and proceed with long term planning for all City services buildings.

CITY OF BOYNE CITY COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX ADOPTION OF HISTORICAL DISTRICT ORDINANCE

At a regular meeting of the City Commissioners of the City of Boyne City, County of Charlevoix, MI held at City Hall in said City the 11th day of June 2002 at 7 p.m., an Ordinance to establish a Boyne City Historic District was approved as presented for the second Reading and adopted. The following is a synopsis of that amending ordinance:

BOYNE CITY HISTORIC DISTRICT
An ordinance to establish a historic district commission, to provide for its powers and duties, to provide for the designation of historic districts, to provide for the granting of certificates of appropriateness, to provide for the adoption of commission standards and guidelines, to provide for the maintenance of designated property, to provide for penalties for violation of this ordinance.

THE CITY OF BOYNE CITY HEREBY ORDAINS:

Sec. 2 Historic preservation as public purpose; purpose of ordinance.
Sec. 3 Historic districts; establishment; study committee; duties; public hearing; notices; actions; availability of writings to public.

Sec. 4 Historic district commission; establishment; appointment, qualifications, and terms of members; vacancy; commissions previously established by charter or ordinance.

Sec. 5 Permit required; completed application; certificate of appropriateness or notice to proceed; issuance; permit fee; appeal to review board and circuit court; plan review standards, guidelines and considerations; scope of review; preservation plan; approval of minor work; finding of demolition by neglect; restoration or modification of work done without permit.

Sec. 11 Appeal of decisions.

Sec. 13 Powers and duties of historic district commission.

Sec. 14 Local units; establishing, modifying, or eliminating historic districts; study committee; considerations; review of applications without proposed historic districts; emergency moratorium.

Sec. 15 Violation; fine; payment of costs.

Notice is hereby given that this Historic District Ordinance will become effective fifteen days following this final enactment, June 26, 2002. A complete copy of the text of this ordinance is available at the City Clerk's office at the above address during normal business hours.

Sue Hobbs, City Clerk

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BOYNE CITY - 607 S. Park (corner of Lincoln) Friday and Saturday, June 21 and 22, 9-5. Due to remodeling lots of household items, small appliances, curtains, furniture, range, toilets, double kitchen sink, shutters, furniture, adult/kids (3-6) clothes, snow blower, Ford Ranger box cover, and much more.

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HELP WANTED

dependable and personable self-starters with high expectations of themselves and others. Candidates must also have the ability to interact positively and effectively with students and adults. Candidates possessing an Associates Degree or those who have completed two years of study at an institution of higher education are preferred. The successful candidate will also have, or obtain, Medical First Responder certification, and must possess a high degree of technological literacy. Interested candidates should file a letter of interest and current resume, including references with: R.A. Hansen, Superintendent, East Jordan Public Schools, P.O. Box 399, East Jordan, MI 49727. The deadline for making application is 11 a.m. on Monday, June 24, 2002.

A PART-TIME maintenance position is available at Lakeview Village Manufactured home community in Boyne City. Duties will include grounds keeping, light electrical and plumbing. Experience not necessary. Applications available at the community office, 526 N. Lake Street. 582-9521. EOE 6/5-6/19

TEACHER ASSISTANTS. The East Jordan Public Schools are accepting applications for teacher assistants. To qualify for these positions, candidates must be energetic, dependable and personable self-starters with high expectations of themselves and others. Candidates must also have the ability to interact positively and effectively with students and adults. Candidates must possess an Associates Degree or have completed two years of study at an institution of higher education. Experience in Child Development or a related field is preferred, as are candidates who demonstrate a high degree of technological literacy. Interested candidates should file a letter of interest and current resume, including references with: R.A. Hansen, Superintendent, East Jordan Public Schools, P.O. Box 399, East Jordan, MI 49727. The deadline for making application is 11 a.m. on Monday, June 24, 2002.

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KIDS' CLUB DIRECTOR. The East Jordan Public Schools are seeking a Director for Kids' Club, the Elementary School's day care program, which provides school day and after-school day care in support of students, parents and families. To qualify for this 8 hour per-day position, candidates must be energetic, dependable and personable self-starters with high expectations of themselves and others. Candidates must also have the ability to interact positively and effectively with students and adults. Candidates possessing an Associates Degree or those who have completed two years of study at an institution of higher education are preferred. Experience in Child Development or a related field is preferred, as are candidates who demonstrate a high degree of technological literacy. Interested candidates should file a letter of interest and current resume, including references with: R.A. Hansen, Superintendent, East Jordan Public Schools, P.O. Box 399, East Jordan, MI 49727. The deadline for making application is 11 a.m. on Monday, June 24, 2002.

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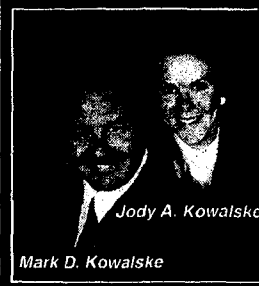
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Beverly A. White to CB North, now known as Citizens Bank, A Michigan Banking Corporation, Mortgagee, dated Dec. 6, 1995, and recorded on Dec. 12, 1995, in Liber 293, on page 0115 Charlevoix County Records, Mich. and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of seventy two thousand twenty six and 82/100 dollars (\$72,026.82), including interest at 6.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Mich. at 11 a.m., on July 26, 2002.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF CHARLEVOIX, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as:

Land located in the Township of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, described as: Parcel "A"

Commencing at the East quarter corner of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West; thence Westerly along the East and West quarter line of said section 2592.20 feet to the center quarter corner of said section; thence Northerly along the North and South quarter line of said section 314. feet to an iron stake; thence continuing Northerly along iron stake; thence Westerly at an angle of 89 degrees 50'30" to the left from the last described course (previously recorded as West) 220. feet to an iron stake, being the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing Westerly along the extension of the last described course 23.65 feet to an iron stake; thence Northerly, perpendicular to the last described course (recorded parallel with the North and South quarter line of said section) 64.03 feet to an iron stake on the Southeast line of Mt. McSaubia Road; thence at an angle of 44 degrees 07'30" to the left from the last described course, being at a right angle to the Southeast line of said road; thence Southwesterly perpendicular to the last described course and along the center of said road 307.16 feet; thence Easterly at an angle of 134 degrees 23'45" to the left from the last described course 46.18 feet to an iron

stake on the Southeast line of said road; thence continuing Easterly on the extension of the last described course 221.48 feet to an iron stake; thence Northerly at an angle of 91 degrees 40'35" to the left from the last described course 133.05 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of Government Lot 1, Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West.

EXCEPT THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION: Commencing at the East quarter corner of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West; thence Westerly along the East and West quarter line of said section 2592.20 feet to the center quarter corner of said section; thence Northerly along the North and South quarter line of said section, 314.0 feet to an iron stake; thence continuing Northerly along said quarter line 138.73 feet (previously recorded as 138.0 feet) to an iron stake; thence Westerly at an angle of 89 degrees 50'30" to the left from the last described course (previously described as West) 220.0 feet to an iron stake, being the Point of Beginning of this description; thence Southerly at an angle of 90 degrees 11'50" to the left from the last described course 15.0 feet to an iron stake; thence Westerly at an angle of 90 degrees 11'50" to the right from the last described course 22.27 feet; thence Northwesterly at an angle of 62 degrees 18'02" to the right from the last described course 35.35 feet; thence Northerly at an angle of 27 degrees 41'58" to the right from the last described course 32.79 feet to the Southeast line of Mt. McSaubia Road; thence Northwesterly at an angle of 45 degrees 07'30" to the right from the last described course 21.17 feet along said road line; thence Southerly at an angle of 314 degrees 52'30" to the right from the last described course 64.03 feet to an iron stake; thence Easterly at right angles to the last described course 23.65 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of Government Lot 1, Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 19, 2002
Citizens Bank, A Michigan Banking Corporation
Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortgagee
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kenneth L. Giem and Kathy Giem, husband and wife, to Mortgage America, Inc., mortgagee, dated May 28, 1997 and recorded on July 2, 1997 in Liber 318, Page 578, Charlevoix County Records. Said mortgage is now held by The Chase Manhattan Bank, as Trustee of IMC Home Equity Loan Trust 1997-4 under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of Aug. 1, 1997, by assignment dated Sept. 19, 2001 and recorded on Oct. 19, 2001 in Liber 439, Page 881, Charlevoix County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of One Hundred Two Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-Three and 08/100 Dollars (\$102,933.08) including interest at the rate of 10.63% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in the mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan, notice is hereby given that the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgage premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix County, Michigan at 11 a.m. on July 12, 2002.

The premises are located in the Township of Boyne Valley, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as:

The part of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Town 32 North, Range 5 West; Lying Easterly of the G.R. & I. Railroad Right-of-way, Charlevoix County Records.

The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of the sale. The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in the event a third party buys the property and there is a simultaneous resolution with the borrower.

Dated: June 5, 2002
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Attorneys for The Chase Manhattan Bank, as Trustee of IMC Home Equity Loan Trust 1997-4 under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of Aug. 1, 1997.
As Assignee
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File No. 231.0100

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Marvin J. Witthoef and Amber A. Witthoef, husband and wife, to Standard Federal Bank, a Federal Savings Bank, Mortgagee, dated May 3, 1999, and recorded on May 10, 1999, in Liber 363, on page 189 Charlevoix County Records, Mich. and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of one hundred thirty five thousand one hundred seventy and 24/100 dollars (\$135,170.24), including interest at 7.070% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Mich. at 11 a.m., on July 19, 2002.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF CHARLEVOIX, Charlevoix County, Mich. and are described as:

Parcel 1: Commencing at a 1/2 inch pipe at the East 1/4 corner of Section 13, Township 34, North, Range 8 West; thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said section South 69 degrees 46'35" West 2339.66 feet to the East line of the West 1/4 of the West half of the Southeast 1/4 of said section; thence along said line South 00 degrees 01'59" West 563.71 feet to the Northerly corner of the Ivan and Lucille E. Witthoef property described in Liber 238, Page 362, Charlevoix County Records, being the Point of Beginning of this description; thence continuing along said line South 00 degrees 01'59" West (recorded as South 00 degrees 05'00" West 229.88 feet to a T-iron stake; thence North 84 degrees 07'22" West 323.79 feet to an iron rod on the Northwesterly line of said Witthoef property; thence along said line North 46 degrees 36'37" East 168.80 feet (recorded as North 46 degrees 38'25" East 166.62 feet) to a concrete monument; thence North 67 degrees 46'20" East 317.14 feet to the Point of Beginning; being a part of the South half of Section 13, Township 34 North, Range 8 West.

Parcel 2: Easement for Roadway and Utilities described as: Commencing at the Easterly corner of Unit 30 of Charlevoix County Condominium Plan Number 62, as amended; thence along the West line

of said condominium South 00 degrees 05'00" West (also described as South 00 degrees 01'59" West) 67.29 feet for the Point of Beginning of this description; thence continuing along said line South 00 degrees 05'00" West (also described as South 00 degrees 01'59" West) 30.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 58'01" East 7.94 feet to the Westerly line of Country Club Drive as depicted on said condominium; thence along the Westerly line of said drive on a curve to the right 30.29 feet (radius is 600.00 feet and the chord bears North 07 degrees 51'09" West 30.29 feet); thence South 89 degrees 58'01" East 3.79 feet to the Point of Beginning; being a part of Country Club Condominium, Charlevoix County Condominium Number 62.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

Dated: June 12, 2002
Standard Federal Bank
Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortgagee
Robert A. Tremain & Associates, P.C.
401 South Old Woodward Ave., Suite 300
Birmingham, MI 48009-6616
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jane Russell-Donaldson, Kristina M. Russell and Kevin Russell (original mortgagors) to Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated March 21, 2000, and recorded on March 28, 2000 in Liber 385 on Page 102 Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of NINETY-ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED TWELVE AND 01/100

dollars (\$91,912.01), including interest at 8.875% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby of the Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix, Mich. at 11 a.m., on July 12, 2002.

Said premises are situated in TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ARM, Charlevoix County, Michigan and are described as:

Commencing at a 3/4 inch pipe at the West 1/4 corner of Section 28, Township 32 North, Range 7 West, thence along the West line of said section, also being the centerline of Ranney Road, North 0 degrees 13 minutes 26 seconds West 885.51 feet to the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing along said section; and said centerline, North 0 degrees 13 minutes 26 seconds West 435.00 feet to the North 1/8 line of said section; thence along said 1/8 line North 89 degrees 38 minutes 43 seconds East 33.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the East line of said road; thence continuing along said 1/8 line North 89 degrees 38 minutes 43 seconds East 217.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence parallel with said section line South 0 degrees 13 minutes 26 seconds East 435.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence parallel with said 1/8 line South 89 degrees 38 minutes 43 seconds West 217.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod on the East line of said road; thence continuing South 89 degrees 38 minutes 43 seconds West 33.00 feet to the point of beginning being a part of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 28, Township 32 North, Range 7 West.

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Date: May 22, 2002
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