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At A Glance

Classes begin Aug. 27 at Boyer Falls Public School

Boyer Falls Public School will open its doors to students on Tuesday, Aug. 27, kicking off the 2002-03 school year.

Tuesday will be a half day, followed by full days on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 28 and 29. There will be no school on Friday, Aug. 30 or Monday, Sept. 2, for the Labor Day weekend holiday.

The school will be open on Wednesday, Aug. 21, for middle school students to pick up books and find lockers, and on Thursday, Aug. 22, for high school students to do the same.

For more information, call the school at 549-2211.

EJ to open football season with Red Devil Kick-Off party

The first-ever Red Devil Kick-Off Party will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 28, at Boswell Stadium at East Jordan High School.

The varsity team will practice from 4-5 p.m., followed by a Punt, Pass and Kick competition open to the public from 5-6 p.m., accompanied by a silent auction.

From 5:30-6:30 p.m., a barbecue dinner will be served. The Red Devil football season officially begins with the junior varsity's game against Sutton's Bay set for 7 p.m.

There is a \$2 charge to enter the Punt, Pass and Kick competition, with prizes to be awarded in the following divisions: fifth grade and under; sixth to eighth grade; ninth to 12th grade; and adult.

The cost for the barbecue dinner is \$5 per plate.

The public is welcome to attend the entire evening. For more information, call the high school at 536-2259.

The varsity team will begin their season the following night, Thursday, Aug. 29, at Central Lake.

'Evenings at the Gazebo' to feature Peace Meal Aug. 21

On Wednesday, Aug. 21, the Evenings at the Gazebo concert series will feature Peace Meal. The concert will begin at 7 p.m.

Sponsors for the evening include IMI, L.G. Vance Plumbing and Heating, Subway, and Boyer Rental Inc. Concerts are held in Old City Park in downtown Boyer City; in case of rain, the performance will take place at St. Matthew's Fellowship Hall, 1303 Boyer Ave., Boyer City. For more information, or to make a donation to the non-profit concert series, call Cindy Kujawski at 582-7573.



Quality fun

Camp Quality, held last week at Camp Daggett, provided big fun as usual, including elephant rides for campers and their companions, above. Each year, Camp Quality provides a week-long outdoor adventure, as well as year-round support, for kids whose lives have been touched by cancer. For more photos, see page 2.

photos by Vic Ruggles



COMMUNITY PICNIC IS SATURDAY, AUG. 24

Big turnout expected at East Jordan picnic

Spirits are high as organizers continue to put the finishing touches on this weekend's East Jordan Community Picnic. "I'm so proud of this community on the response and enthusiasm, the generosity, the zealous spirit of community," said East Jordan Area Chamber director Mary Faculak of the community's response to the event.

The picnic, which is intended to revive the idea of family-friendly community picnics of old, was the brainchild of chamber board member Teresa Stanek, who has long imagined the possibility of such an event. Starting off with only that vision, Stanek and other volunteers have pulled together plans for a day of fun and games for all ages. Slated for Saturday, Aug. 24, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m., the picnic will take place at the East Jordan Community Park on M-32, kicking off with an official park dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony.

A big piece of the vision for the event included lots of fun family activities, and from the looks of the schedule, the picnic will not disappoint. Among the planned events for the day are a watermelon eating contest, bobbing for apples, a water balloon toss, wheelbarrow races, a family relay race, a dunk tank, potato sack races and, especially for the kids, a bounce house, toddler sawdust scramble, and toddler fishing, each sponsored by area residents, businesses, and organizations.

The dunk tank is expected to be an especially big draw, with planned participants including middle school principal Michael Haynes, elementary school principal Cal Prins, high school principal Tammy Jackson, and city clerk Lori Campbell, as well as several members of the police and fire departments.

Besides plenty of activities to keep

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Monday is last chance to register to vote on EJ school bond proposal

With a big bond issue on the ballot in September, East Jordan school officials are working hard to get the information to voters on just what that bond issue means. The last day of registration for eligible citizens not yet registered to vote is Monday, Aug. 26; those not registered by the deadline will not be able to vote on the issue on Tuesday, Sept. 24, the scheduled election day.

The mailing of a special edition of the East Jordan Public Schools newsletter in July has been the most significant tool the district has utilized in educating the community about the \$7.9 million bond issue. In addition, the district's regular back to school newsletter, being mailed this week, will feature a page dedicated to information on the bond issue.

School officials have also spent time in recent weeks speaking with local community groups, as well as

providing information to anyone who has questions or concerns. "We've had a good response overall," said East Jordan schools superintendent Chip Hansen. Questions about the economy have been raised, said Hansen, who understands the concerns. "We wish that times were better," he said, "but even though the economy may be slow, there's been no slack-off in school enrollment [in the East Jordan district]. We've got 117 pre-registered kindergarten students already, and there are two more weeks to register before school starts."

The bottom line is, according to Hansen, that a healthy, growing enrollment translates to the need for more space to accommodate that growth. The bond issue, the result of a year-long research undertaking by

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A year of challenges

■ Boyer City superintendent Jim Cooper completes first year, looks ahead to bright future

Boyer City schools superintendent Jim Cooper is a man that appreciates a challenge. And to say that taking over the district's operations in the fall of 2001 was a challenge would likely be an understatement. With budget dilemmas, declining enrollment, a major construction project, and trust and communication issues at a turning point in the district, on top of regular everyday operations, the superintendency was not a job for the faint-hearted.

Looking back now, a year later, having moved from interim to official superintendent with a three-year contract, Cooper can say that he's climbed some of those hills, and has helped facilitate progress. And in fact, though a year ago many in the community couldn't imagine who would want to take on such a job, Cooper said that, from his perspective, things weren't as bad as they could have been. "There were some very positive things going on when I came here," Cooper said. "It's not like I was walking into a failing district. [The district] had some concerns and needed leadership."

Finding the board at the time to be "very supportive" and an "excellent" staff in place, Cooper decided at the time that he was "willing to say 'I can do this.'"

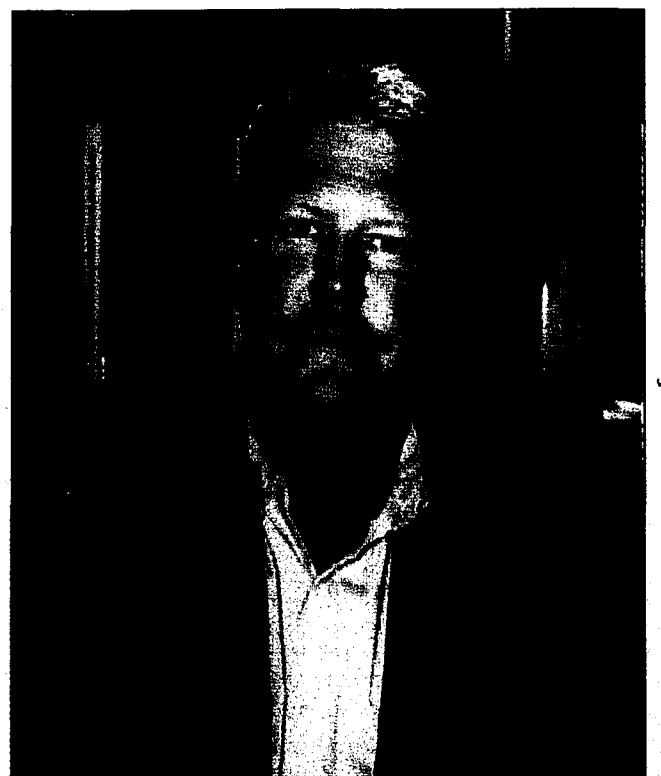
Though at the time he was an interim, having taken over after the district bought out previous superintendent Dana Compton's contract to give the district time to conduct a proper superintendent search, Cooper never treated his job as though it were temporary. He stipulated, he said, that the position be for a year, rather than on a month-to-month basis. "In my opinion I was the superintendent. Even though it was only for a year, I

had to treat it [like it was permanent] to be successful."

In reality though, Cooper came to the district as a retired superintendent, having last served the Harbor Springs school district and most recently employed with a company that supplies furnishings to schools, with the intention of just staying for a year. In February of this year, however, after a successful first six months and an exceptional review, the Boyer City School Board asked Cooper to stay on. He accepted, but the offer was put on hold when it became clear that state legislation may not allow a retired superintendent to return to work without compromising his retirement. Committed to ride out the situation, the board and Cooper held tight while legislators straightened things out, eventually clearing Cooper to sign on for up to three years with the district.

Last month, the board finalized a three-year contract with Cooper for the position.

After a rocky year of superintendent/board/public relations from 2000-2001, one of the main goals Cooper had when he first took over was to establish some consistency, and with that, trust. Part of that was the decision to make the interim position a year-long one. "It was important for the staff to know that someone is going to be there all year," Cooper said. Developing staff relationships topped his list, along with working with the board to define roles. "There's a fine line sometimes, and the superintendent and board have to be careful in not stepping over that," Cooper said, adding that the issue was discussed in detail with the board. "If that piece had not been discussed, I wouldn't have accepted [the job]."



Boyer City superintendent Jim Cooper recently signed a three-year contract with the Boyer City School District.

Though communication and trust were among the more abstract needs of the district, there were some very concrete issues to tackle as well, including some tough budget decisions.

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Everyone loves to cuddle something cute and furry, and these campers were no exception. Above, Teeple has an up-close encounter with a curious pup, while other campers, stole a few moments with other animal companions, like this bunny at right, enjoying a little TLC.

photos by Vic Ruggles



A 'Quality' experience



Crafting fun is all part of the summer camp experience at Camp Quality, held last week at Camp Daggett. At left, Ashley and Mandi create beaded masterpieces. Providing outdoor adventures for kids whose lives have been touched by cancer, Camp Quality organizers build lots of typical camp fun into the program.



Volunteers make a big difference at Camp Quality. Those helping with this year's elephant rides, in keeping with the "On Safari" theme, and firefighters giving kids a chance to get up close and personal with hometown heroes, are just a few of the multitude that make the camp experience a success.



Horseback riding is always a popular activities for campers. Pictured here, camper AJ gets a turn in the saddle, led by Sandi. Trail rides in the wooded grounds of Camp Daggett, far left, have become a camp tradition.

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New funds will benefit East Jordan

Four new funds have been established at the Charlevoix County Community Foundation this summer—each of them targeted to benefit the East Jordan area and its residents.

• **The Norman and Genevieve Bartlett Scholarship Fund** will provide an annual scholarship to an East Jordan graduate who plans to study engineering at either Michigan Tech or Lake Superior State University. Scholarship recipients will be chosen on the basis of their academic performance, participation in extracurricular activities, community volunteerism, and financial need. The fund was established by the Bartlett family to honor Norm and Genevieve, lifelong residents of East Jordan, when Norm died in March at the age of 92. A well-known and admired historian, storyteller, and local musician, Norm was the owner of the Norm Bartlett Sand and Gravel Company.

• **The East Jordan Garden Club Fund** was created by members of the local garden club and its president Jean Pardee to support the group's numerous beautification and environmental projects. Club members plant and maintain East Jordan's community gardens, host an annual flower show, and participate in other civic programs that help protect and nurture the area's flowers, forests, and fields.

• **The Jordan River Arts Council Fund** will promote and support quality art classes, exhibits, workshops, and programs in the performing arts. A leader in this area's cultural community, the Arts Council also maintains a gallery on Main Street in East Jordan and provides visual and performing arts programs in our community schools.

• **The East Jordan Rotary Student Exchange Fund** was established by the community's Rotary Club to support both in-bound and

out-bound Rotary foreign exchange students. The fund will be used to help cover the costs associated with travel, attendance at conferences, leadership training seminars, and other incidentals that can enhance the foreign exchange experience.

These new funds join 132 others managed by the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. A number of those funds—including a \$1.1 million East Jordan Enrichment Fund—are earmarked specifically for the East Jordan area. "East Jordan people have consistently demonstrated their love for this area, and their concern for their neighbors' well-being," said Robert Tambellini, president of the community foundation. "By generously supporting existing funds, or setting up new ones designed to address a local need, they've helped our foundation make a real impact in and around East Jordan."

Among local projects the community foundation has helped support are

Boswell Stadium, the new community park and tennis courts, downtown development, art and cultural activities, and a number of school-based academic and recreational programs.

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation was established 10 years ago by a group of civic leaders who wanted to build a charitable endowment to serve the region now, and in the future. Donors can make a gift of any size, for any purpose, to the foundation. All donations and funds are pooled for investment and a portion of the earnings is used each year to make grants in the area. The remainder is left in permanent endowment, where it can grow for future use. To date, the community foundation's assets are valued at nearly \$8 million and the organization has distributed grants totaling more than \$3 million.

For more information about the community foundation, call 536-2440, or write the foundation at P.O. Box 718, East Jordan, MI, 49727.

BC Commission grants six-month extension to city manager's contract

The Boyne City City Commission voted last week to extend city manager Eric Strahl's contract by six months. The decision came after Strahl's annual review by the board, and was announced at the regular meeting of the city commission on Tuesday, Aug. 13.

Strahl's contract will be reviewed again at the conclusion of six months. According to Boyne City mayor Eleanor Stackus, the decision to extend the contract for six months rather than a year or two was made simply at the discretion of the commission.

"Every commission works different," Stackus said. "Some do six months, or two years, or five years. The [Boyne City] Commission went for a six-month period."

Strahl has been employed with the city since the summer of 1997, replacing longtime city manager Randy Frykberg.

Strahl was hired away from a city managership in Berea, Ky., a community of 10,500 residents, where he served for five years.



Hitting the gridiron

High school athletes all around the area, including these football players in Boyne City, have returned to their respective fields, gearing up for yet another fall sports season. For Boyne City, football will kick off on Thursday, Aug. 29, with a JV game against Newberry, followed on Friday, Aug. 30 with the varsity match-up. Both games will be played at home.

photos by Vic Ruggles

EJ bond issue

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a Facility Review Committee, addresses just that.

The proposed plans include improvements at all three existing school buildings, including new classrooms, infrastructure improvements, site improvements, and more. What are perhaps the most dramatic improvements are planned at the high school, with the addition of new art, photography, and graphic design classrooms, a new band room, and a new, 500-seat auditorium for community and school use.

Asking for the community to ap-

prove a total amount of \$7,920,000, the district is proposing a debt retirement tax levy of 4.14 mills, an increase of .99 mills over the current levy.

The current debt retirement levy is 3.15 mills, which is paying off the 1977 and 1995 school bonds. The 1977 bond will be retired in 2003, and the 1995 bond will be retired in 2011.

If passed, the additional .99 mills proposed in the bond will be applied to the taxable value of homestead and non-homestead property. For a home with a market value of \$80,000 and a taxable value of \$40,000, the millage would mean an additional cost of

\$39.60 per year, or \$3.30 per month.

Plans for the individual buildings are available for inspection at the superintendent's office, and information on the bond proposal will be available at each of the open houses slated for parents on Wednesday, Aug. 28, at the elementary, middle and high schools, from 6-8 p.m. Anyone with questions is also encouraged to call Hansen at 536-3131 or stop by the superintendent's office for more information. "Call me or stop in, absolutely," Hansen said, adding that he or other staff will be happy to provide tours of the current facilities as well as answer questions.

Welcome Our New Physician

George J. Kelen, MD

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Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey is pleased to welcome George J. Kelen, MD, to our medical staff. Dr. Kelen is also in private practice with Dr. Harry Colfer of Cardiology Consultants, P.C. in Petoskey.

Dr. Kelen is American Board certified in internal medicine and cardiovascular disease. He had lived in Staten Island, New York since 1975, and brings with him over 25 years of invasive and non-invasive cardiology experience encompassing solo private office and hospital practice, directorship of non-invasive laboratories, original research, teaching, and consultancy to the biomedical device industry.

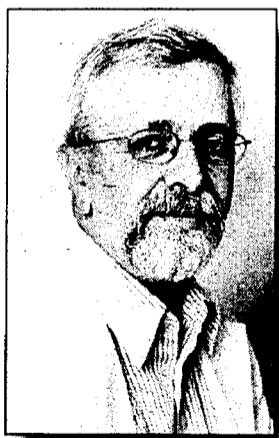
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LETTERS

Boyne auto raffle gala set for Labor Day weekend

TO THE EDITOR:

How would you like to win a new red with white top and white leather interior 2002 Mustang convertible?

There's only one way, as Labor Day weekend comes alive. The 22nd annual Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce Auto Raffle Gala, Labor Day weekend beginning Friday, Aug. 30 at 8 p.m. at the Boyne Mountain Civic Center.

Only 250 tickets will be sold for this special event; \$250 admits two and includes dancing, food and beverage and a chance to win. You'll want to get your tickets in advance, as this event is known to sell out. Call the Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce at 231-582-6222. There will be door prizes, with the first ticket drawn worth \$1,000; every 10th ticket wins \$100! You might win the third prize of \$500. Second prize is \$1,000 and first prize, a 2002 Mustang convertible worth over \$24,000. Music by the legendary Jelly Roll Blues Band and an open bar.

Make this a Labor Day weekend to remember. Proceeds for this fund-raiser go to support the Boyne Area Chamber's civic and business goals. Plan to attend the 22nd annual Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce Auto Raffle Gala starting Friday, Aug. 30, at 8 p.m. at the Boyne Mountain Civic Center.

Scott MacKenzie
Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce

Uplink program connects soldiers, veterans to friends and family

TO THE EDITOR:

Operation Uplink is a VFW program providing free phone calling cards to our military members and hospitalized veterans who are away from home and family. This program was begun in 1996 and has been giving free calls home to active duty service personnel ever since.

After the attack on the USS Cole, soldiers bombed in Kuwait, the Whidbey Island plane downed in Japan and now in our fight against terrorism, operation Uplink started working immediately to get phone cards to those people who needed them to call their loved ones.

You as an individual or a group or organization can make a difference in the lives of military members, Veterans and their families by donating money to purchase more phone calling cards. You can designate whom you want to give phone cards to, a family member, a friend or someone from your town that is serving in the armed forces or is in a VA hospital anywhere.

For more information about operation Uplink contact me at 582-3556 or Betty Klein community activities chairman 582-3652 or Jim Karlskin Post Commander 535-2207.

Florence Kominski
VFW Ladies Aux. Publicity Chairman

MANY THANKS

Fund-raiser tallies more than \$200 for EJ fishing pond

A quick update from the bake sale held for the E.J. Kids fishing pond on Aug. 17. A total of \$239.50 was raised. A big thank you to all who donated baked goods. A special thank you to Mary Ramer and to Ruth Bernier who helped man the table for three and a half hours.

A big thank you goes out to 5-year-old Darrin Clark from Ellsworth who saved his pennies and nickels from his allowance and donated over \$12 to the kids fishing pond - Thanks little fishing buddy.

Tom Durecki
Tom's Bait and Tackle



LETTERS

Where are examples of Christian acts in Boyne?

TO THE EDITOR:

One of the responses to my letter that was published on 8/14 was that there are many Christians in this area. If so, where are they?

The Bible says that we are to be witnesses. In all the years I have lived here there have been very few who witnessed to me. I hear more people take the name of the Lord in vain than in praise. Non-Christians are not afraid to use the name of God and Jesus in their curses. Why are not Christians just as bold to share the name of Jesus in the right way? Even church people will use the name of God in the wrong way. I'm sure Jesus is grieved when He hears that. The name of Jesus is powerful and if used as a curse word, the curse comes back on the one who uses it that way. When the name of Jesus is used in the right way, people are delivered, saved, healed and set free.

The Bible also says, "these signs shall follow them that believe; in My Name shall they cast out devils; they shall

speak with new tongues; ...they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover." Mark 16:17-18. I don't see this.

Some churches preach and teach the whole New Testament of the Bible. Some throw out various parts. Some add a lot of traditions and ideas that are not even in the Bible. If God did not want us to have all of it to apply to our lives, it would not be there. We are warned not to add or take away from God's Word.

Now is the time for all Christians to come out of their closets and let people know that God loves them, Jesus

died to save, heal and deliver them and it is a free gift. You will never regret making Jesus the Savior and Lord of your life and allow the Holy Spirit to help you be the witnesses you are called to be.

John 14:12- "Verily, verily, I say unto you, he that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto My Father." I want to see and hear about the greater works that are being done in this area. Are there any?

Nancy Dunham
Boyne Falls

WE WELCOME YOUR LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The best read letters are brief and on a topic of local interest. Our deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. Letters will be printed on a space-available basis.

Portside Arts Fair enjoyed a wonderful 40th anniversary

TO THE EDITOR:

The Portside Arts Fair Committee would like to thank the many people and organizations that helped to make our 40th Portside Arts Fair the best ever.

These include the City of East Jordan for providing a beautiful site for this annual event; the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office for traffic control; loyal Leon and Cindy Bartlett for the use of their pastures for parking; the hardworking caretakers of Elm Pointe Estate, Jim and Diane Boyer and family; our generous sponsors, Bay Winds Federal Credit Union, for sponsoring the Children's Art Booth, Charlevoix State Bank and East Jordan Plastics for providing the purchase prize money; Cub Scout Pack #17 and Boy Scout Troop #17 and their leader, Duane Arnott, for the opening and closing flag ceremonies; the capable hands of Evelyn-Gidley for the floral arrangements; our distinguished juror, Kathleen Buday; the excellent cooks and servers of the East Jordan Evangelical Lutheran Church for providing the nationally famous "pie booth;" talented Charles Hersberger, a longtime volunteer, for a graphic depiction of "The 40 Years of Portside;" and, foremost, the

faithful community volunteers who do everything from unloading artists' vehicles, directing traffic, providing breaks for the artists to providing lemonade and coffee, information and museum support.

Without you all, Portside would never be the successful community event that it has for 40 years.

We appreciate you.

Anne Dingman, Laura Hansen,
Patti Hodge, Kim Prebble
The Portside Arts Fair Committee

The art fair's juror Kathleen Buday poses with winning artists Pat Tinney, far right, and Janine Martel.



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NEIGHBORS

By NANCY NORTHUP

KEVIN AND BEVERLY SHOTELIS and three children of Roswell, Ga. have returned to their home after having spent a week in Boyne City. They enjoyed the Polish Festival and a great time of seeing many relatives and friends. Ken Howard had the misfortune of falling and breaking his leg while his daughter was here.

PRAYERS ARE going up for Betty Kelts, who was readmitted to Northern Michigan Hospital late last Monday afternoon. She has been undergoing further testing all week, and as of Saturday, still remained as a patient.

IT HAS BEEN a busy but great family time throughout several weeks at the Boyne Falls home of Anne Jenkins. On July 20, daughter-in-law Tracey and daughters of Reno, Nev. arrived for a week's visit and were joined by husband Wade a few days later. On the 25th, the James Morey family, including a friend of Jeremy's of Ionia was here, with family celebration of June's birthday and also joining a Morey family reunion in Vanderbilt. On the 31st, Wayne and Julie Nadon, and daughters and their friends of Oak Run, Calif. were here for a five-day visit. Over the Polish Festival weekend, Anne enjoyed John and Madeline Klepock of Cleveland, Ohio and grandson, Barry Lewis and four friends of Rochester. All have returned to their own homes!

IT'S A GIRL! Born at 10:29 p.m. on Aug. 15, 2002 by c-section Haylee Elizabeth Luebke, weighing in at 7 pounds and measuring 19 1/2 inches long at her birth, with lots of curly reddish blond hair and big blue eyes, and very long fingers and toes. "She has Missy's (her mom) nose and light skin and so far a very mild temperament (let's hope that lasts)," says grandma. Proud parents are Melissa Luebke and Mike Smith; proud grandparents (I feel so old), Randy

and Lisa Luebke of Boyne City. Both baby and mom are doing fine. Both should be released from Mid-Michigan in Midland on Sunday.

ON MONDAY, AUG. 26, there will be a combined luncheon at the Litzenburger Building for the Boyne City Senior Center and the residents of Litzenburger and Deer Meadows. All seniors are invited. Lunch is at 12. Also a 50/50 drawing and a baked goods raffle.

LAST SATURDAY Mrs. T.J. (Carol) Sutliff of South Lyon and close friend Thelma from Grayling came to Boyne to visit relatives. The afternoon and evening was spent at the Oral Sutliffs'.

CRIS TUCKER and son Bob, former nine-year residents of Boyne City, now living in Dunedin, Fla., were houseguests of Flo Davis for a few days this past week. They visited Vivian Heaton in Grandvue and her husband, Doc Heaton, at his home. They also enjoyed attending the United Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

CLARENCE AND SUE MILLER of Boyne City returned home Friday from spending a few days in the Little Bay De in the U.P. Not on a fishing trip, they went with their son and his family and their other son joined them from up north, on his way to Mexico for a term in school. They brought back their grandchildren with them for a couple of days.

AMY AND ALAN MASSEY JR. of Boyne Falls welcomed the arrival of their first children, twin daughters, born Aug. 12, 2002, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey. Mackenzie weighed in at 6 pounds and 5 ounces and measured 18 3/4 inches and Mackayla weighed 5 pounds and 12 ounces and measured 18 inches at their births. Grandparents are Pam and Steve

Anthony of Elmira and Gissele and Alan Massey Sr. of Boyne Falls. Great-grandmother is Balor Simon of Boyne Falls.

LAST THURSDAY night some football moms, who have been hanging together since last season, took their boys to dinner at Lester's in Boyne City. Some of them are leaving to go away to college and "we wanted to say goodbye." Some of them were Ryan and Janie Amesbury, Cole and Reb Andrews, Dee and A.J. Spaay, Paul and Barb Simeri, Chris and Kris Grice, Mark and Mary Gaudard, Ben and Trudy Huis, Bob and Leslie Wiltjer, Matt Ku and Pam Ulvund and special friend Michele Hoth. These ladies have had some fun times together and know it won't end here. Good luck to the boys headed to college and good luck to the Rambler team this year.

DARLENE BRICKER returned Sunday evening from attending the Bricker Family Reunion at the home of her daughter and husband, Dixie and Bill Lahti in Haslett. All of her children and some grandchildren made it about 55 to 60 relatives enjoying the beautiful day.

SHARING A NOTE of interest follows, as I had not received it before: "Nancy, did you receive the letter and flyer we sent to you about Renee Askins and her book, 'Shadow Mountain'?" Renee graduated from Boyne and led a very interesting life, which she tells about in her book. She brought the wolf exhibit to Yellowstone National Park when Paul and I were working in the park. Paul was a seasonal park ranger and I worked at the post office. We enjoyed visiting with Renee that summer and the wolf exhibit won national attention. Her book is excellent!" said Paul and Dorothy Pfahler.

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

OBITUARIES

Ruth H. Moloney

Ruth H. Moloney, 84, of East Jordan, died Saturday, Aug. 17, 2002 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, Aug. 21, at 1 p.m. until service time at 4 p.m. at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan. The Rev. Bart Adams will officiate. Interment will be in Todd Cemetery in Wilson Township.

She was born on Jan. 25, 1918 in LaPort, Ind. the daughter of George and Laura (Rotzean) Pluehuff. On Jan. 30, 1939 in Toledo, Ohio, she married Benjamin Young. He died in 1964. She married John Moloney on April 24, 1965 in Detroit. He died on Sept. 2, 1992.

She came to East Jordan on June 15, 2000, and attended St. Joseph Catholic Church in East Jordan. She enjoyed her grandchildren, great-grandchildren, golfing, sewing, embroidering, all kinds of puzzles especially word search puzzles, and old movies.

She is survived by one daughter, Patricia (Paul) Beauvais of East Jordan; four grandchildren, Paul Michael (Anne) Beauvais of East Jordan, David Joseph Beauvais of East Jordan, Laura Marie (John) Massey of Boyne City and Michele Lee Beauvais of East Jordan; nine great-grandchildren, Alicia, Alexandria, Kimberly, Kayla, Paul, Tyler, Sydney, Joshua and Joseph; and one sister, Lucille Matotte of Michigan City, Ind. She was also preceded in death by one great-granddaughter, Lynette Beauvais in 1995.

Memorials may be given to East Jordan Ambulance Association. Arrangements were made by Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. East Jordan.

DEATH NOTICES

Freddie E. Arnold

Freddie E. Arnold, 71, of East Jordan died Sunday, Aug. 18, 2002 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 21, 2002 at 11 a.m. at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Boyne City Friendship Club

The Boyne City Friendship Club will meet at 12 noon on Monday, Aug. 26, in the Boyne City Hall Auditorium. Anyone over 50 years of age is welcome to come and bring a dish to share. Plans will be made for a Sept. 23 luncheon at the Petoskey Senior Center.

Up North Green Party

The Up North Green Party will meet on Wednesday, Aug. 21, at 7 p.m. at the Wolverine Dilworth Inn, 300 Water St., Boyne City. The public is welcome to attend. For more information, call Jinny Heick at 582-3539, or visit www.upnorthgreenparty.org.

Friends of the Boyne River

The Friends of the Boyne River will hold their Annual Boyne River Sunset Cruise on Friday, Aug. 23. FOBR members and non-members are invited to participate in any or all of the activities. A Board of Directors Meeting will be held at 4 p.m., followed at 5 p.m. by a time to organize boats and transportation to Dam Road for the Boyne River Sunset Cruise. At 6:30 p.m., those attending will meet at 445 Pearl St. for a potluck dinner and boat tour of Mill Pond. Bring a dish to pass; BBQ ribs and table service provided by FOBR. Participants can bring their own canoe or kayak or call Amelia Ryan at 582-1608 by Thursday, Aug. 22, to reserve a boat. Reserved boats are demos donated and provided by Outside Edge of Boyne City; they may be demoed on the river cruise or later in the mill pond.

FREE Clinic For Kids & Adolescents with Diabetes

A multi-disciplinary clinical team will provide a free clinic for children and adolescents with diabetes on

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

BOYNE CITY PRESCHOOL FINAL REGISTRATION

Wednesday, Aug. 28

The Boyne City Preschool final registration for children ages 3-5 will be held from 3-7 p.m. To register bring immunization card and green health form. The preschool is located at 1030 Roosevelt St. For more information call, 582-7131.

EAST JORDAN FOOD PANTRY

Every Monday & Thursday

The East Jordan Food Pantry is located at 601 Bridge St., in the basement 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 skill levels are welcome. There is no fee to attend. For more information, call Becky Brand at 582-1853.

LALECHE LEAGUE

Second Wednesday

Mothers who wish to breastfeed their babies are invited to attend Petoskey Area LaLeche League meetings; infants and young children are welcome. The group meets the second Wednesday of each month, 10 a.m. to noon at Northern Michigan Hospital's Community Health Education Center in Petoskey. The next

meeting is Aug. 14. For more information or for breastfeeding help, call 348-7976.

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 may visit the Post at the corner of Lake and Main streets in Boyne City or call 582-7811 at that time.

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

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. Times: Sunday 1 p.m.; Monday noon,

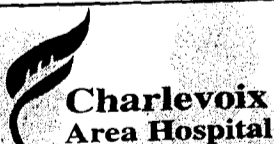
8 p.m.; Tuesday noon; Wednesday noon (Big Book Study); Thursday noon, 6:30 p.m. (Big Book/Step Study), 8 p.m.; Friday noon, 8 p.m. The first Friday of each month, an "Open Speaker" meeting is open to family and friends.

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.



Senior Center donation

Area residents Bernice Suchara and Leroy McLalin recently presented Boyne City Senior Center representative Terri Powers a check for \$1,000 in support of the effort to construct a new senior center in town. The funds were the proceeds of a yard sale held by the two, selling many donated items for the cause. For more information or to make a donation, call 582-6974.



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Honeywell employees gathered recently to commemorate 50 years in Boyne City. The community is invited to a special Family Day and Open House on Saturday, Aug. 24, to help celebrate the milestone.



Honeywell celebrates 50 in Boyne City

The employees of Honeywell's Aircraft Sensors plant in Boyne City will celebrate its 50th anniversary in the community on Aug. 24 with a Family Day and Open House.

The community is invited to join the festivities and tour the Lake Street facility between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The celebration will include a plant tour, festivities and food tent in the parking lot, special fun for children, a birthday cake, and much more. Activities will center on a theme of 1952, the year operations first started in Boyne City. The community is invited to attend.

On Wednesday, Aug. 7, more than 150 employees gathered on Honeywell's front lawn to form the number 50, representing the 50th year of operation in Boyne City.

Honeywell Aircraft Sensors began business in the early 1950s in Grand Rapids, when a small group of engineers left the former Lear Aerospace company (now Smiths Industries). This start-up operation was enticed to relocate to Boyne City by the city leaders who were eager to reinvigorate Boyne City's dormant economy. The business initially set up shop as "Courter Electric Products" on Dec. 30, 1952 in the loft of the B.G.G. & A. Railroad office building on South Park Street in Boyne City. In August 1953, the business moved to the current Lake Street facility.

Today Honeywell employs nearly 200 associates, and designs, tests, and builds all of its products on site, using the latest in Lean Manufacturing and Six Sigma techniques.

The product line over the years has been varied ranging from auto-pilot components to complete cockpit display instruments. The plant has designed and fabricated sensor devices, and cockpit displays for oil and hydraulic pressure, aircraft control surface positions, true airspeed, fuel quantity, fuel flow,

pitch-yaw-roll attitudes, bearing-distance-heading positions, and engine nozzle position, as well as gyros for missile guidance.

From 1952 to 1978 the plant changed ownership several times going from Model Engineering and Manufacturing Company (Memcor) to Ling-Temco-Vought (LTV), to Mitre Corporation and to a local management group and renamed Courter Incorporated. In 1978 the plant was purchased by Bendix Corporation. Bendix was purchased by Allied Corporation in 1983 which later changed its name to AlliedSignal and then merged with and became Honeywell in 2001.

Honeywell Aircraft Sensors' customers include Boeing, Pratt & Whitney, General Electric, the U.S. Government, Sikorsky, and nearly every operating airline. More than 15 percent of their product is sold internationally. Commercial applications range from large passenger aircraft such as the Boeing 747 and 777, to Gulfstream's GIV and GV and Bombardier's Global Express business aircraft, and regional aircraft such as the Bombardier Dash 8. Military applications include most active military jet engines, nearly every active military helicopter, and sensors for artillery systems.

Rich Selders, human resources manager, attributes Honeywell's success over the years "to its outstanding employees."

All production and maintenance associates are represented by UAW local 1403. UAW Chairperson Mort McKenney said he "looks forward to a continued positive relationship with the company for another 50 years."

According to General Manager Dan Ryan, "product innovation is another hallmark of Honeywell's continued growth. "Over the years Honeywell has attracted a cadre of talented engineers, and their innovative designs have solved many complex cus-

tommer problems. Engineers utilize state of the art solid modeling and electrical simulation tools for all new product designs. During the development phase, new designs are tested and verified in the on-site environmental test facility. Test capabilities include vibration, shock, thermal cycling, and humidity testing."

"Honeywell has made a major contribution to Boyne City's economy and the region's economy over the last half century," said Tom Johnson, director of the Northern Lakes Economic Alliance.

"Generations of families have been supported with the year-round, high-technology jobs provided by Honeywell. In addition, millions of dollars have been spent on purchasing goods and services as well as property taxes. We welcome the onset of their 50th anniversary and look forward to another 50 years of contributing to our region's economy."

Added Eric Strahl, city manager for Boyne City, "Honeywell has always had a good relationship with the city and is a valued employer."

Honeywell is a \$24-billion diversified technology and manufacturing leader, serving customers worldwide with aerospace products and services; control technologies for buildings, homes and industry; automotive products; specialty chemicals; fibers; plastics; and electronic and advanced materials.

Honeywell employs approximately 115,000 people in 95 countries and is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol HON, as well as on the London, Chicago and Pacific stock exchanges.

It is one of the 30 stocks that make up the Dow Jones Industrial Average and is also a component of the Standard & Poor's 500 Index.

Additional information on the company is available on the Internet at www.honeywell.com.

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By Steve Czerkes Pharmacist

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TV AND OBESITY IN CHILDREN

According to a recent study, children who spend a lot of time watching TV and/or playing video games are more likely to be obese. Kids today consume about the same amount of calories per day as kids did in 1973, but they weigh about 5 lbs. more. Researchers say that the primary reason is the lack of physical activity. Parents might think about limiting TV viewing and encouraging more outdoor play this summer.

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ENGAGEMENT

Warren-Garlinghouse

Robert and Karen Donaldson of East Jordan and Dean and Gretta Garlinghouse of Sault Ste. Marie announce the engagement of their children, Laura Jayne Warren and Nicholas Garlinghouse.

The bride-elect graduated in 2001 as salutatorian from Concord Academy Boyne.

She is currently a sophomore at Lake Superior State University studying English and political science for secondary teaching certification.

The groom-elect is a 1998 American School graduate from Sault Ste. Marie. He will graduate in May 2003 from Lake Superior State University with a dual major bachelor's degree in history and political science.

He plans to pursue a Ph.D. in history. He is currently employed by Cellular One of Sault Ste. Marie.

The couple is planning a July 12, 2003 wedding to be held at the Soo Locks Park in Sault Ste. Marie.



Nicholas Garlinghouse and Laura Warren

COLLEGE NEWS

MICHAEL MUNIAK of Boyne City was named to the dean's list at Johns Hopkins University for the spring 2001-02 semester.

Muniak, a freshman, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Muniak of Boyne City.

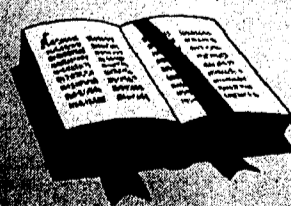
MATTHEW DAVIS and **CASEY SULAK** of Boyne City were among those receiving degrees from Ferris State University at the end of the Winter 2002 semester.

Davis earned an Associate of Science degree in pre-science with high distinction and Sulak earned an Associate of Applied Science in automotive service technology.

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"The process started from day one," Cooper said of the task of revamping the budget in light of less-than-encouraging enrollment numbers. "I knew they had passed a deficit budget the year before and the fund equity had begun to dwindle."

Knowing this, his task became one of finding ways to trim the fat while impacting academics as little as possible. The three- versus four-building configuration issue was a major piece of the puzzle, being both a political issue as well as a "huge financial issue."

Staff realignments were also key, with several positions being revamped and streamlined so as to be both practical and cost-effective. The truth is, Cooper said, "we were over-staffed in some areas." Other, less-permanent changes include reassigning positions, such as the athletic directorship, as part-time positions paid as stipends. For example, revamping grounds maintenance manager Kirk Kujawski's position to include all aspects of grounds issues management allowed the district to also tap Kujawski as the athletic director for the year, a position for which he will be paid a stipend. Instead of a single, separate student success coordinator, the high school will now employ two student success advisors, funded out of at-risk funding rather than the general fund. Such creative solutions were necessary, according to Cooper, to present a viable budget, but are by no means considered permanent changes. While he considers the arrangements quite workable for now, Cooper knows that this is something that will need to be revisited as the budget for the 2003-04 school year is prepared.

The goal, ultimately, was to impact academics and student experiences as

little as possible, something Cooper feels they've pulled off, especially in light of the fact that the budget allows for a "strengthened curriculum" and additional classes.

Enrollment numbers will be key to future opportunities, a topic on which Cooper is optimistic, noting that this year might find the district with approximately 20 students more than conservatively projected last spring, an increase he attributes to both new families in the area as well as a perception that the district has stabilized some. "I think the district will be fine," he said, adding cautiously,

"We'll have to watch it." Though the district's financial woes were very public throughout the last year, Cooper also emphasizes that "we weren't the only district going through financial problems," but rather, they were magnified by previous controversy in the district.

While crunching numbers occupied a good portion of Cooper's time, another daily task throughout his first year was the management of the close-to-completed construction of the new high school as well as improvements at the district's three other buildings. Despite the fact that he missed the planning stages, and that all projects remained essentially on-

schedule throughout the year, Cooper still found himself in the position of being required to make decisions on a daily basis throughout its progress. "My role become overseer of the project," Cooper said. "At that point in a project, decisions have to be made immediately." His responsibility lay, he said, in keeping the scope of the project in line with the philosophy that "we want quality, we want to be under budget, but we also want the building done."

With crews getting down to the final details, the big issue now is timing, with school staff already moving supplies into certain areas of the building. Cooper and his administrative staff completed their move into the old middle school building, now being used primarily for early childhood education, earlier this month.

He's confident that the building will be completed in time for the first day,

Tuesday, Sept. 3, though, he said, "in all honesty I think they'll be working over Labor Day."

Things, for now, are still intense, with the construction project culminating and preparations being made for the first day of school. Soon, however, Cooper expects that for perhaps the first time in his career in Boyne City, he may be able to exhale and regroup before moving on. Not for long, however. As the challenges of his first year begin to wind down, Cooper is already gearing up to meet the challenges to come, including continuing and expanding work already begun on curriculum revamping. "The district really has been working on curriculum," Cooper said, refuting the perception that throughout the district's difficulties, other concerns had been put on the back burner. "Those things never changed." Work on credentialing

teachers will also continue, as will the North Central Association accreditation process, which has been ongoing. All the buildings are accredited and will continue on with steps to reach higher levels of recognition. "The next step [in NCA] is all about results," he said. And though in the past those results have been tough to measure, and even tougher to compare with other school districts, Cooper is confident with upcoming changes in state government that the State of Michigan will "come up with a program that's consistent," in line with the state Education Yes! and federal No Child Left Behind initiatives.

In short, the focus of the future will be on the kids. "To be truly successful, there needs to be a focus on how to help kids reach their maximum potential," Cooper said. "Those are the things you like to do as a superintendent."

Old middle school serving a variety of functions in BC district

Though a few months back the decision to utilize a three-building configuration in the Boyne City School District, rather than the four-building plan originally approved in the bond proposal, was a topic of hot debate, so far, the decision has proved a sound one in the eyes of schools superintendent Jim Cooper. The building in question, previously utilized as the middle school, has tenants in place and will continue to be under the ownership of the district indefinitely.

Located on Main Street in the downtown area, the building has recently become the home of the district's administrative offices, leaving more room at what is now the middle school (the former high school) for classroom space. Additionally, the former middle school, now known unofficially as the early childhood education building, houses several programs including Be Four and Char-Em early childhood programs on the ground floor. Upstairs, the Title IX program, also known as Indian Education, maintains office space. For the future, according to Cooper, Head Start, FLA, and other county programs have shown a serious interest in renting space for various needs, and the kitchen can be used as additional work space for the high school's new hospitality program.

All in all, Cooper said, the configuration has worked out fine.

The goal in keeping the building viable was to meet the financial needs of the building without putting further stress on the district's budget. With the programs currently in place, Cooper said, "we were able to meet that obligation. We're in good shape."

In fact, he added, Char-Em has written and received some grants for the programs they've put in place, resulting in improvements and upgrades made without tapping into the district's pocketbook.

"Because of the partnerships," Cooper said, "we're making improvements in this building, stuff we would have had to do, while saving the district the cost."

EJ picnic

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everyone entertained, what would a picnic be without lots of good food? A chicken barbecue dinner, including half a grilled chicken, cole slaw, baked beans, dinner roll and beverage will be available for \$5 per plate, while those with a smaller appetite can enjoy a hot dog dinner, including a hot dog, chips, cookie and beverage, for \$2 per plate.

Also available throughout the event will be old-fashioned lemonade and ice cream, as well as sno-cones, provided by area organizations.

Glen's Market in East Jordan has donated the major portion of the food to the event; all proceeds will be split equally between a Picnic Fund to continue the event in 2003, and to the Charlevoix County Community Foundation, earmarked for East Jordan projects.

Entertainment for the event is planned to include local talent, and Stanek said that more acts are needed. For more information, call the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce at 536-7351.

Dinner tickets can be purchased in advance at the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, Glen's Market in East Jordan, and the EJ Shoppe. Tickets will also be available the day of the picnic.

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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Chip L. Witte and Antoinette D. Berry, husband and wife, to Fifth Third Mortgage - Michigan, LLC, mortgagee, dated Dec. 7, 2001 and recorded Dec. 12, 2001 in Liber 448, Page 099, Charlevoix County Records. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Two Hundred Nine Thousand Eight and 28/100 dollars (\$209,008.28) including interest at the rate of 7% 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 mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the main lobby of Charlevoix County Courthouse in Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, Mich. at 11 a.m. on Sept. 13, 2002.

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

Parcel A-1: Commencing at a 1 inch pipe at the Northeast corner of Section 2, Town 32 North, Range 6 West; thence South 0 degrees 03 minutes 34 seconds East 1385.57 feet along the East line of said section to a T-iron stake on the North eighth line of said section; thence South 89 degrees 34 minutes 05 seconds West 375.50 feet along said eighth line to a 1/2 inch rod, being the point of beginning of this description; thence continuing South 89 degrees 34 minutes 06 seconds West 190 feet along said eighth line to a 1/2 inch rod; thence North 0 degrees 03 minutes 34 seconds West 400.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence North 89 degrees 34 minutes 06 seconds East 190.00 feet to a 1/2 inch rod; thence South 0 degrees 03 minutes 34 seconds East 400.00 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the Northeast fractional quarter of Section 2, Town 32 North, Range 6 West.

Together with an agreement for easement as recorded March 23, 1993 in Liber 344, Page 136, Charlevoix County Records.

Together with an agreement for easement as recorded Oct. 7, 1993 in Liber 348, Page 563, Charlevoix County Records.

Together with an agreement for easement as recorded Feb. 23, 1994 in Liber 351, Page 741, Charlevoix County Records.

Together with an agreement for easement as recorded Feb. 23, 1994 in Liber 351, Page 738, Charlevoix County Records.

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: July 31, 2002
ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC
Attorneys for Fifth Third Mortgage - Michigan, LLC,
As Mortgagee
P.O. Box 5041
Troy, MI 48007-5041
(248) 457-1000
File No. 200 0470

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PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IN YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kirk A. Carson (original mortgagors) to First Chicago NBD Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated Nov. 21, 1997, and recorded on Dec. 2, 1997, in Liber 327 on Page 544 in Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as assignee by an assignment dated June 1, 1999, which was recorded on Oct. 26, 1999, in Liber 374 on page 994, Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY-THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX AND 55/100 dollars (\$73,186.55), including interest at 7.600% 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 mortgage 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 Sept. 20, 2002.

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

Commencing at a 3/4 inch rod at the Southeast corner of Section 36, Township 33 North, Range 7 West; thence North 0 degrees 16 minutes 59 seconds West along the East line of said Section 1,335.26 feet to a T-iron stake on said East section line, being the point of beginning of this description; thence South 89 degrees 47 minutes 13 seconds West 29.29 feet to a T-iron stake on the Westerly line of the Advance-Boyne City Road; thence South 89 degrees 47 minutes West 363 feet; thence South 0 degrees 16 minutes 59 seconds East 600 feet; thence North 89 degrees 47 minutes 13 seconds East 353 feet to the Westerly line of said Advance-Boyne City Road; thence North 89 degrees 47 minutes 13 seconds East 29.29 feet to the East line of said section; thence North 0 degrees 16 minutes 59 seconds West 600 feet to the point of beginning of this description; being a part of the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 36, Township 33 North, Range 7 West.

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

Dated: Aug. 7, 2002

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:

Jaguars 248-593-1311
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys and Counselors
30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 200
Bingham Farms, MI 48025
File #200223041
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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for its regular board meeting on Aug. 14, 2002, in Charlevoix. 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.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR EAST JORDAN SKATE PARK CITY OF EAST JORDAN CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

1. Sealed Bids for East Jordan Skate Park will be received by The City of East Jordan at 201 East Main Street, East Jordan, MI 49727 until 2 p.m. local time on Wednesday, Aug. 28, 2002, at which time all Bids will be publicly read aloud.

2. The principal items of work consist of the following:

2060 syd - 22A Gravel Base
700 cyd - Clean Sand Fill
225 ton - Bituminous Pavement
32 ft - Concrete Curb and Gutter
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125 ft - 1" Copper Water Service
1 - Frost Free Drinking Fountain
Steel Ramps, 7 gauge

4. Bid Documents, including specifications and plans, are available for inspection at the following locations:

Office of the City Clerk
City of East Jordan
201 East Main St.
East Jordan, Michigan 49727

Office of Capital Consultants
123 West Main St. Ste 200
Gaylord, Michigan 49735

5. Copies of the Bid Documents, including specifications and plans may be obtained at the Office of Capital Consultants, 123 West Main Street Ste. 200, P.O. Box 1398, Gaylord, Michigan 49734. A check in the amount of \$40.00 payable to Capital Consultants must be submitted for each set of Bid Documents. No refund will be made.

6. A certified check, bank draft, or bid bond payable without condition to City of East Jordan, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the Total Bid Amount, shall be submitted as a "Bid Guaranty" as required in the Information for Bidders.

7. The intent of the City of East Jordan is to award one (1) Contract for the entire project.

8. The successful Bidder will be required to furnish bonds and insurance as specified.

9. Bids shall remain firm and shall not be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) calendar days after bid opening.

10. The City of East Jordan reserves the right to accept any Bid, to reject any or all Bids, or to waive bidding formalities in the best interest of the Owner.

By Order of:

Lori Campbell, City Clerk

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE EAST JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of East Jordan Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Mich., has called a special election to be held in the school district on Tuesday, Sept. 24, 2002.

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted at the special election:

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall East Jordan Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Seven Million Nine Hundred Twenty Thousand dollars (\$7,920,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

erecting, furnishing and equipping additions to and/or partially remodeling, refurbishing and re-equipping the existing school buildings; acquiring and installing educational technology; developing and improving the sites?

The following is for information purposes only:

The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2002 is 2.00 mills (\$2 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation), this being an increase of 99/100 mill (\$0.99 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) over the 2001 debt levy due to a reduction in the levy for existing bonded debt. The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, will not exceed fifteen (15) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 2.34 mills (\$2.34 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation.)

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, SEPT. 24, 2002, IS MONDAY, AUG. 26, 2002. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, AUG. 26, 2002, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION.

To register, visit any Secretary of State branch office or your county, city or township clerk's office. Persons planning to register with the respective county, city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of East Jordan Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Mich.

Gary E. Ciszewski
Secretary, Board of Education

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MORTGAGE SALE. Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Douglas B. Waha, a Single Man (original mortgagors) to Citizens Bank, Mortgagee, dated May 15, 2001, and recorded on June 4, 2001, in Liber 421 on Page 479 in Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by mesne assignments to Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., as assignee by an assignment dated May 15, 2001, which was recorded on July 23, 2002, in Liber 478 on Page 775 Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of NINETY-SEVEN THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED ELEVEN and 85/100 dollars (\$97,411.85), including interest at 7.500% 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 mortgage 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 Sept. 27, 2002.

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of beginning, Charlevoix County Records.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) 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: Aug. 14, 2002
FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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Bingham Farms, MI 48025
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MORTGAGE SALE. Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Donald D. Kleinschrodt (original mortgagors) to Long Beach mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated Dec. 14, 2001, and recorded on April 15, 2002, in Liber 466 on Page 259 in Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of FIFTY-THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY and 97/100 dollars (\$53,890.97), including interest at 11.900% 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 mortgage 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 Sept. 27, 2002.

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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 mortgage 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 Sept. 27, 2002.

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

Commencing at a point 380 feet East of the Northwest corner of Section 16, Township 32 North, Range 5 West; thence South 250 feet; thence East to the Westerly boundary of the Boyne City Railroad right-of-way; thence Northerly along the Westerly boundary of said right-of-way to the North section line of said section; thence Westerly to the point of beginning; being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 16.

The redemption period shall be 6 month(s) 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: Aug. 14, 2002

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys and Counselors
30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 200
Bingham Farms, MI 48025
File #20022303
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EAST JORDAN FAMILY HEALTH CENTER ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the membership of the East Jordan Family Health Center will take place on Thursday, Aug. 29, 2002 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Community Room in the lower level of the East Jordan Family Health Center at 601 Bridge Street in East Jordan. Annual Reports will be presented and an election of board members will take place. There will be a reception in the upstairs waiting room beginning at 6 p.m.

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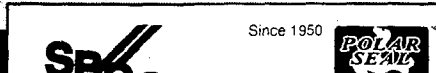
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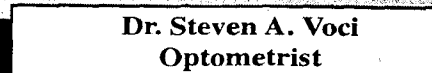
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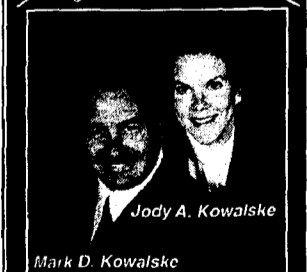
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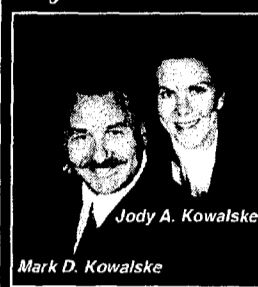
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The home has a finished basement and a deck with automatic awning, overlooking Lake Charlevoix. Landscaping and lawn are firmly established; an under ground irrigation system is in place.

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Please call for additional information and appointment for viewing: 231-582-6423. The listed price is \$355,000.

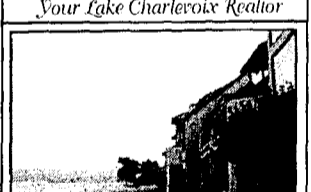
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News Briefs

Raven Hill announces adult classes for fall

Raven Hill Discovery Center is pleased to announce its first full schedule of art classes for adults beginning Sept. 16. These classes are an offshoot of the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs grant programs, Connections 2001 and 2002 More Connections, which explored connections between science, history and art in several different media.

The courses are open to the general public from high school age up. No previous experience in the media is required, only a desire to learn. Both afternoon and evening sessions will be available. Four-week sessions in lithography, raku and stained glass will begin Sept. 16, followed by four-week sessions in basketry, glass beads and silver jewelry making beginning Oct. 14.

Several one- or two-day workshops will also be given in batik, felting and copper. Fees range from \$30 for a two-hour workshop to \$120 for four weeks of classes.

Children's programs for children ages four to 14 will be offered for \$5 per hour during the adult classes. Children will spend time in the museum and in the animal room and do an additional activity during the longer sessions.

Pre-registration at least one week in advance for both children and adults is required for all classes.

For a complete schedule or to reg-

ister call Raven Hill at (231) 536-3369 or toll-free at (877) 833-4254. Raven Hill is located between East Jordan and Boyne City off C-48 at Pearsall Road.

Two suffer injuries in Melrose Twp auto accident

Two area girls suffered minor injuries in a rollover accident in Melrose Township last week.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, Mindy Marie Seamon, 17, of East Jordan, and passenger Tiffany Elaine McIntire, 17, of Boyne City, were traveling south on North Shore Drive, approximately one and a half miles north of Walloon Lake, in a 1995 Chevrolet Blazer.

Rounding a curve, Seamon lost control of the vehicle, which rolled over onto its side and top.

The vehicle slid on the pavement to the side of the road, crashing into an embankment.

Seamon received abrasions on her arm, and McIntire received an injury to her head. McIntire was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital by Lifelink Ambulance to be examined.

Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department was assisted at the scene by the Melrose Township Fire Department.

According to the sheriff's department, a citation was issued for violation of basic speed law (too fast for conditions).

Volunteers sought to spruce up BCES Peace Garden site

It's back to school time, and caretakers of the Boyne City Elementary School's Peace Garden and Habitat Site are seeking extra hands to help spruce up in time to welcome students back.

A work bee will be held on Friday, Aug. 23, at 7 p.m. at the garden site, located at the elementary school, 930 Brockway St., Boyne City.

Those participating will assist with weeding, trimming, trash pick-up and general fixing up.

For more information, call Jinny Heick at 582-3539 or Sylvia Hyland at 582-5362.

American Red Cross to honor local heroes

The American Red Cross of Northern Lower Michigan will be honoring special northern Michigan residents who have shown courage, kindness and unselfish character by their acts of heroism in communities throughout Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan and Emmet counties.

Awards will be given in five categories: Fire, Law Enforcement, Emergency Medical Service, 911 Dispatch and Good Samaritan.

An advisory committee of community members will select the award winners, who will be announced at a dinner gala to be held Oct. 24, at the Victories Inn in Petoskey.

Area business leaders, state and local politicians and other dignitaries will be in attendance to pay homage to these northern Michigan everyday heroes. Companies who wish to be a part of the ceremonies can participate with various sponsorship opportunities.

To nominate a candidate or help in sponsoring the event can call Gordon E. Hahn at (231) 348-7666.

Hunter Education Clinic scheduled for Sept. 7 at rod and gun club

A free Hunter Education Clinic will be held Sept. 7, 2002 at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, located north of Charlevoix on U.S. 31.

The clinic is open to all area residents 12 years of age and up, or who will be 12 prior to purchasing a 2002-2003 hunting license.

Registration will begin at 8:45 a.m.

in the clubhouse.

The day's activities will conclude at 4:30 p.m.

There will be a lunch break, and registrants are asked to bring a sack lunch.

A testing session for those who complete the Sept. 7 clinic will be held in Charlevoix, with the time and date to be announced.

Attendance is mandatory at both sessions (clinic and testing) to receive the Hunter Education Certificate.

For more information call, Jim Mansen at 547-6862.

Claudia Schmidt returning to Aten Place concert line-up

Aten Place's Concerts in the Barn summer series will feature entertainer Claudia Schmidt on Saturday, Aug. 24, at 7:30 p.m.

Schmidt is returning to Aten Place after a long absence, having last performed there in 1998.

A Michigan native, Schmidt has covered plenty of musical ground in her 26 years as a touring professional. She has played all across North America and throughout Europe, in venues ranging from intimate clubs to 4,000-seat theaters, and festival stages in front of 25,000 listeners.

She has recorded 11 albums of mostly original songs, exploring folk, blues, and jazz idioms featuring her 12-string guitar, mountain dulcimer, and vocals. Recently, she collaborated with the New Reformation Jazz Band on a Dixieland gospel recording and a tribute to Gershwin and Ellington in celebration of their 100th birthdays. Her latest release on Redhouse Records, "Wings of Wonder," features new songs with instrumental support from Dean Magraw and Peter Ostroushko, and her latest work in the jazz field finds her leading her own sextet, Claudia Schmidt and the JumpBoys.

Aten Place is located one-half mile south of Cherry Hill Road on Old Mackinaw Trail in Boyne Falls. Concerts are non-profit productions with an \$8 donation at the door as compensation to the entertainers.

Shows begin at 7:30 p.m., but patrons are welcome to arrive early to picnic on the grounds.

For more information, call 549-2076 or visit www.atenplace.com.



Claudia Schmidt appeared at Aten Place in the first four years of the venue's existence. She returns on Aug. 24.

Little league wrap-up

Boyne City Little League held its season-end picnic last week, featuring an appearance by former Tiger Jim Northup, who spoke to players and their families about his experiences on the diamond. Little leaguers also enjoyed a potluck picnic with family and friends at Veterans Memorial Park.

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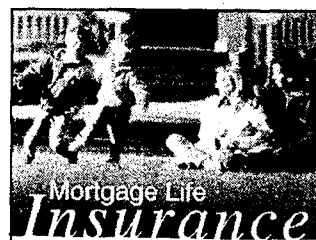
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