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At A GLANCE

Sept. 11 gathering planned in Boyer City

The Boyer City Ministerial Association will sponsor a September 11 Community Gathering, to be held on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 7 p.m. at the Boyer City High School Auditorium.

The event will be held to remember and honor firefighters, police, rescue workers, military, airline crews, victims and heroes who died on Sept. 11, 2001. The program will include patriotic singing, prayers, and short speeches honoring those who died. Speakers will include police, business, airline, military and Red Cross representatives, and the Boyer City High School band will provide music.

In addition, Living Memorial scholarships will be awarded to dependents of area fire, EMT, and police throughout the Boyer Valley, funded by donations accepted at the event and through local churches.

Fall dinner dance will benefit JV Freedom Fest

The Jordan Valley Freedom Festival recently announced the second annual Harvest Moon Dinner Dance, to be held Saturday, Oct. 5, at 7 p.m. A candlelight buffet dinner and an evening of dancing will be held from 7 p.m. until 12 midnight at the East Jordan Civic Center.

The buffet menu is being catered by the Round Table Restaurant and will include prime rib of beef au jus, grilled whitefish, fettuccine alfredo, oven roasted redskin potatoes, green beans almandine, tossed salad, fresh fruit salad, rolls, dessert buffet and two complimentary drinks.

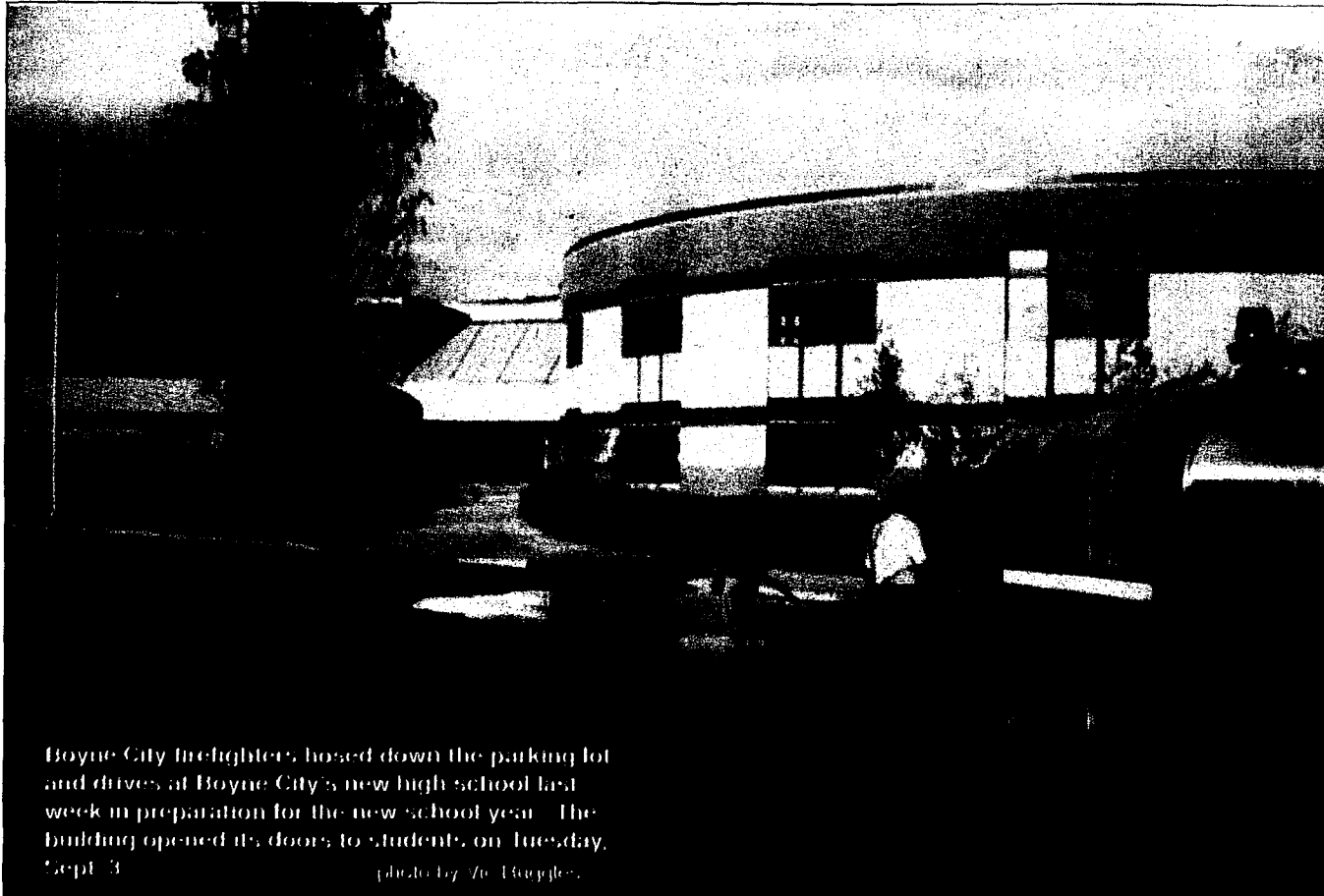
The cost per person is \$25; a cash bar will serve beer and wine. Tickets are available at the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce, Round Table Restaurant or the E.J. Shoppe in Boyer Jordan or Mary's of Boyer in Boyer City.

For more information, all Larry and Gina Oliver at 536-9886 or Anne Crick at 536-9941. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Jordan Valley Freedom Festival, Inc.

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Boyer City firefighters hosed down the parking lot and drives at Boyer City's new high school last week in preparation for the new school year. The building opened its doors to students on Tuesday, Sept. 3. (photo by Jo Houghton)

At last

■ New high school becomes a reality in Boyer City

It was, for all involved, a day to remember. As the doors opened to students for the first time at the new Boyer City High School building, the air was filled, said school superintendent Jim Cooper, with "a lot of excitement."

"There were lots of smiles today," Cooper said. "It was a very energetic, positive day in all the buildings."

With work crews still finishing up last minute tasks over the Labor Day weekend, rumors continued to circulate around town that one or more of the school buildings would not be ready. Fortunately, those whispers were rumors indeed. Having secured the appropriate occupancy permits last week, the opening of the buildings went off, for the most part, without a hitch.

Not that things weren't cut a little bit close. "We knew it was going to come down right to the wire," Cooper said.

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Purchase agreement signed in EJ Main Street Center project

With all of the "I's dotted and "T's crossed, the purchase agreement between the City of East Jordan and developers doing business as Main Street Properties was finalized late last month, putting the wheels in motion at last for work on the newly-dubbed Main Street Center in downtown East Jordan.

Essentially, the agreement hammered out puts the properties previously known as the Votruba and Porter buildings in the hands of the Downtown Development Authority for a \$40,000 promissory note, until the completion of necessary soil stabilization, which will be funded up to \$300,000 by grant monies.

Once that work is completed, Main Street Properties, a partnership between Wright Builders of Boyer City and Charlevoix State Bank, will reclaim the titles to the properties for \$50,000 including \$10,000 cash and forgiveness of the \$40,000 note.

According to city attorney Scott Beatty, who summarized the agreement for the commissioners prior to a page by page review, an element of risk is involved in that in the agreement, the developers retain the right to, in the case of an unfavorable re-

sult or excessive cost in soil stabilization, demolish the existing structure and construct "a one-story building that fits with the architecture" of the downtown area.

"Hopefully," Beatty added, "that will not occur and the building will be renovated." In addition, the City is assuming the risk of a forgivable loan, up to \$300,000, for soil stabilization costs; that loan is forgivable at the rate of \$22,000 per new job created through the duration of the project.

"It is envisioned that there will be sufficient new jobs so that the entire \$300,000 will be forgiven," Beatty said, "but it's a loan. If no new jobs are created, the city is obligated to pay that back. The level of risk, he concluded, however, is typical of "any business deal."

The final approval of the agreement, in the form of an adopted resolution by the city commission at its last regular meeting was met with a round of applause, as city administrator David White welcomed the developers to the community.

The finalized agreement is a major milestone for the project, coming after months of wading through details

and state-level red tape. Initiated late last year as the buildings in question, located on the corner of Main and Mill streets, were being considered for demolition, the developers initially had hoped to sign a purchase agreement in the early months of the year. Environmental studies and completing work on gaining an historical designation for the property, however, took more time than anyone expected.

Plans for the buildings include total renovation, to the extent that, according to developer Todd Wright earlier this year, crews will basically rebuild the structure from "the inside out." Once completed, the Main Street Center will be home to the East Jordan branch of the Charlevoix State Bank (currently in a temporary home on Main Street) as well as several other tenants including the East Jordan Chamber of Commerce, Jordan Valley Rehabilitation Center, and a pharmacy.

It is projected that the project will create approximately 18-25 new jobs in the downtown area.

According to White, soil stabilization work will begin "as soon as possible."

Concert to benefit local resident with rare kidney disease

■ Proceeds will help defray medical costs for Hefty family

On Sunday, Sept. 8, community members are invited to enjoy an evening of good music while lending support to a local resident currently suffering a medical crisis.

The event, to be held from 5-9 p.m. at the Rainbow Restaurant in East Jordan and featuring the music of Mojo and the Boogiemans, will benefit 23-year-old Chris Hefty.

According to mom, Cindy Hefty, Chris has spent most of his life struggling with a rare kidney disease, during which time both of his kidneys have failed, leaving him on dialysis. Though Cindy donated one of her kidneys to her son in December of 2000, he now is facing the threat of losing that transplant.

"He takes a ton of medication, and hospital stays, blood draws, and doctor's visits are an ordinary part his extraordinary life," Cindy said. As are the costs associated with them. "A recent three-week treatment downstate has slowed the progress of the disease, but the extra costs of lodging, food, and gas are ongoing," she said.

The upcoming benefit, hosted by his family and featuring the band in which his father, John Hefty, plays bass, is intended to help defray some of those costs.

A \$5 donation is asked at the door.

Though the disease has been an ongoing battle for Chris, according to Cindy, her son continues to look ahead. "Throughout the years his attitude and dignity have been a constant inspiration to me and others," she said.



Perfect ending

The summer season ended on a high note in Boyer City, with the annual Labor Day Car Show. With 114 entries displaying their classic autos under sunny skies Friday and Saturday, the event was a big draw for visitors and residents alike. Proceeds from the event, which is sponsored by Great Lakes Motor Works, are used to support local charities and organizations.

NEW TEACHERS IN BOYNE CITY AND EAST JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE

Making themselves at home in the classroom

As students head back to the classrooms in area school districts, some new teachers are also getting settled into their positions in the East Jordan and Boyne City school districts. Following are some brief introductions.

East Jordan Elementary School

KRISTA KNIGHT will teach elementary music this year, and is hoping to "make music fun and interesting for students." Knight holds a Bachelor of Music Education from the Lawrence University Conservatory of Music.

She has spent 25 years as a private violin instructor, and has three years experience in public school orchestra and three years at Concord Academy Antrim.

She is married to Dave Knight, and has two daughters, Gretchen and Bridget.

TINA MCDUFFIE, who will be teaching fourth grade, is excited to working in what she calls a "great district."

"They work so hard to give kids a quality education," she said. "What a team to be joining."

McDuffie holds a Bachelor of Science in elementary education from Grand Valley State University, and previously taught Title I math at Ellsworth Elementary. She is married to Mike, and has two children, Danielle and Marcus.

MELANIE MCNITT brings 10 years teaching experience to her position as a first grade teacher in East Jordan, including two years as a kindergarten teacher at Newaygo Public Schools, and eight years at Boyne Falls School.

She has a Bachelor of Science in elementary education from Central Michigan University, and a Masters in Reading from Western Michigan University.

McNitt's husband Todd is the middle school physical education teacher. The couple has three children, Parker, a second-grader; Tess, in first grade; and two-year-old Kendall. "I'm looking forward to working in the elementary school and getting to know the students and staff," McNitt said.

GINNY WAITZ is beginning her career in East Jordan this year as a second grade teacher. Waitz holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Lake Superior State University.

She is looking forward to "working with staff and parents to make a difference in the lives of children at East Jordan Elementary."

STACEY HAMILTON is teaching elementary special education this year. She brings two years of special education experience from her previous position in the Waverly Community Schools in Lansing, and holds a Bachelor of Arts from Michigan State University.

She is married to Matthew Hamilton, who is a new teacher at the middle school.

SUE CARTER is a long-term substitute in special education at the elementary school this year. She holds a Bachelor of Science from Miami University, and did post-graduate work at the University of Dayton. Carter's experience includes teaching physical education and special education for 14 years in Ohio.

Carter has four daughters, Jenny, Laura, Abbey and Katie, with her husband Bob.

East Jordan Middle School

MATT HAMILTON is teaching sixth grade earth science. He holds a Bachelor of Arts from Michigan State University, and perviously taught summer school in Lansing. He is married to Stacey Hamilton, who is a new teacher at the elementary school this year.

"I am looking forward to working with students, and learning and growing as a teacher," Hamilton said.

PAUL KEYSER will be teaching sixth grade math. He brings 21 years of teaching experience to the position, having previously worked in Colorado teaching math and science for grades 8-12. He has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Alma College, and a Master of Arts from the University of Colorado at Denver.

"I am excited about teaching in a community that values and supports quality education," he said. Keyser is married to Kathy, and the couple has two children, Jeff, 13, and Megan, 10.

East Jordan High School

LISA SITKINS will be teaching high school marketing and economics, and is looking forward to "meeting students and staff, and building the marketing program."

She holds a Bachelor of Science in management from Northern Michigan University, and an MBA from Western Michigan University. Her teaching certificate is from Ferris State University. Her past experience includes student teaching in Charlevoix, and teaching business courses for Baker College.

Sitkins is married to Fred, and the couple has two sons, Kyle, 4, and Elliott, 2 1/2.

DAVID TOROLA will be teaching English at the high school. He has a degree from Northern Michigan University, and is married to Barb. They have two daughters, Olivia and Alice.

LISA PARRISH is teaching ninth grade social studies and 11th grade government; she is also serving as the new varsity girls basketball coach. This is her first year teaching. Parrish is a 1998 graduate of Harbor Springs High School, and holds a Bachelor of Science in social studies from Lake Superior State University.

She is excited about her opportunity in the district, and is looking forward to "getting to know the district and the students and families that live here." Parrish is engaged to be married in June of 2003.

TIM WEBB is a special education teacher at the high school. He holds a degree from Alma College, and his previous experience includes time as a permanent substitute at Midland Bullock Creek. Webb is most looking forward to "being a positive influence on students each and every day."

MARY STANDERFER brings three years as a business technology and accounting teacher at Capac High School to her teaching position at East Jordan High School. She holds a Bachelor of Science in business administration from Central Michigan University and a Master of Arts in Teaching from Wayne State University. "I am looking forward to utilizing all of the fabulous technology available throughout the district," Standerfer said.

ANN MILLER is the new K-12 media specialist for the East Jordan School District. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Western Michigan University, and a Master of Arts from Central Michigan University.

Her prior experience includes eight years as a high school English teacher and coach, and three years as a district media specialist in Mio, Mich.

Miller's husband of eight years is beginning his second year as an administrator in the Mancelona School District, and their daughter, Shauna, 6, is entering second grade.



New staff in the East Jordan Public Schools include, from left, Tim Webb, Lisa Parrish, Lisa Sitkins, Dave Torola, Mary Standerfer, Paul Keyser, Ann Miller, Matt Hamilton, Stacey Hamilton, Tina McDuffie, Sue Carter, Krista Knight, Melanie McNitt, and Ginny Waitz.



Boyne City Elementary School

KARI BOSS is new to the elementary school, teaching second grade this year. A 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School, Boss attended Hope College, where she graduated with a Language Arts composite major and a mathematics minor for elementary education.

Boss performed her student teaching at Waukazoo Elementary School in the West Ottawa School District in Holland, and has worked in a variety of field placements in first through fourth grade classrooms in conjunction with education classes at Hope College. She has also spent time as a substitute teacher.

This year, Boss said, "I look forward to teaching the students at Boyne City Elementary... [and] am excited about working with the staff and getting to know the community of Boyne City. Please stop by my classroom and say hi."

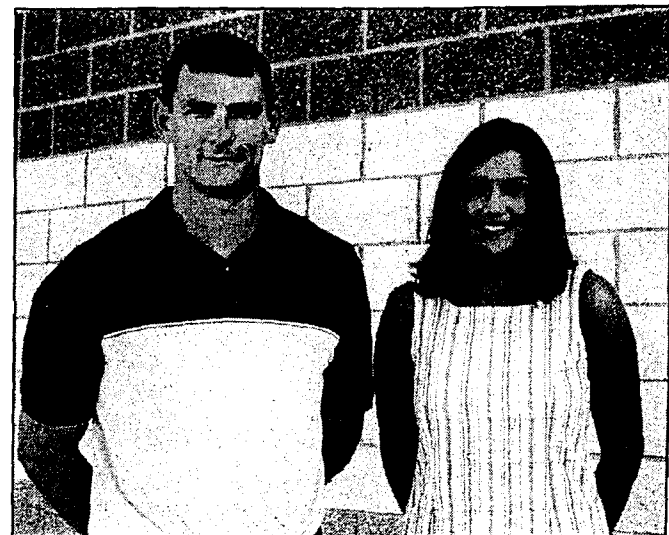
DON RICHARDS is teaching elementary special education this year, and is looking forward to "working with the students and being part of a great staff."

Richards holds a Bachelor of Science in special education/elementary education from Northern Michigan University, and previously taught at Charlevoix High School.

He is married to Mandi Richards.

Boyne City High School

RANDY CALCATERRA is teaching 11th and 12th grade, and is looking forward to "continuing a highly successful multimedia program." He is planning to establish a program for the creation of a "senior send-off" DVD for students and community viewing.



New teachers in the Boyne City School District include Kari Boss and Don Richards at the elementary school, left, and Randy Calcaterra and Jodi Barriger at the high school, above. Not pictured is new middle and high school music instructor Brandon Ivie.

photos by Angela Shultis

Calcaterra has a Bachelor of Science degree in geology from Wayne State University, and a Master of Arts degree in multimedia communication from Saginaw Valley State University. His teaching certificate is from the University of Michigan.

Previously, he spent five years in the Pinconning Area Schools as an earth science teacher and technology director.

Calcaterra is married to Christina, a physical therapist for Munson Health Care, and the couple has a nine-month-old son, Pete.

JODI BARRIGER is a Michigan State University graduate who will be teaching Spanish at the high school. Her previous experience includes teaching Spanish and English at Merrill High School, where she was also the Spanish Club advisor. She has also been a fourth grade basketball coach.

Barriger is originally from Prescott, Mich., and is new to the area. "I am looking forward to meeting more of the staff and students," she said. "Everyone is very friendly and welcoming. This is a great place to be."

"It is also very exciting to be working in such a beautiful school."

BRANDON IVIE will be taking over the music program in grades 6-12. Ivie holds a Bachelor's degree in music education from the University of Michigan and is currently pursuing a Master of Arts degree in music education from Western Michigan University.

His previous experience includes teaching band for grades 6-12 for two years in Adrian and two years of teaching K-5 music in Port Huron.

He is looking forward to "welcoming new faces to a new facility and continuing to build a great program in a wonderful school district and friendly community."

Ivie and wife Helene are expecting a child this fall.

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The big winners

Boyer City's Lori and Craig Cheadle were feeling like one lucky couple on Saturday night, when the pair won the grand prize, a 2002 Mustang convertible, at the Boyne Area Chamber's annual Auto Raffle. The event is traditionally a major fundraiser for the chamber.



Future looks bright for revamped East Jordan Farmer's Market

■ Different day, location making all the difference

On a new day in a new location, the East Jordan Farmer's Market is enjoying renewed vigor this season. Organizers hope that the rekindled interest is an indication of things to come.

"It was really dying on the vine," said East Jordan Garden Club member Shirley Vollbach of the longtime event, which is sponsored by the garden club.

Determined to keep the event afloat, club members decided perhaps it was time to make a few changes. Now held on Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Sportsman's Park, the market is indeed finding new life.

Featuring the standard farmer's market fare, from produce to baked goods to honey, the market also includes arts and crafts and a flea market booth, run this year by local student April Wakeham who has found plenty of success, especially with her used book table.

The Jordan River Arts Council has also gotten in on the act, running a White Elephant table about once a month.

The hope is, Vollbach said, that their



Fresh sweet corn is just one of the tasty items available each Thursday at the East Jordan Farmer's Market at Sportsman's Park.

unique features will make the East Jordan Farmer's Market a regular destination the way many other local farm markets are.

The new location has already attracted more vendors, and, with "space to spread out," the hope is that more will come. Vendors pay a flat fee of

\$5 per event to sell their goods, and only pay if they sell at least \$10 worth of merchandise.

"If they don't, they don't pay," Vollbach said.

Proceeds from the market help support the many projects the garden club undertakes in the community, including planting and maintaining flowers in various locations including the bridge and Elm Pointe.

The potential to make the event a major fund-raiser for the club is there, Vollbach said.

In the past, the club's biggest money-maker has been their holiday wreath sale, but in the long run, members hope that the farmer's market will eventually become a major funding source as well.

For now, though, it's just more fun than it's been for a while. "You get to know the vendors, they get to know you," Vollbach said. "It's just fun being here."

For more information, call Vollbach at 536-2526.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MOMS & TOTS CENTER BANQUET

Saturday, Sept. 14
The second annual benefit banquet for the Moms & Tots Center, a ministry of Good Samaritan Family Services of Ellsworth, is set for 6:30 p.m. at the Ellsworth Wesleyan Church Hall. The Center serves the needs of pregnant girls and single moms in southern Charlevoix County. The banquet is free; a free-will offering will be taken. For a reservation or more information call (231) 588-2200.

NMHA FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

Thursday, Sept. 14
Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency (NMHA) in Petoskey will hold a September food distribution

under the monthly Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) from 8:30-10 a.m. at the Boyne City Senior Center. The Commodity Supplemental Food Program targets nutritionally at risk mothers, infants, children and senior citizens. For information about income guidelines and qualifying for the program call NMHA in Petoskey at (231) 347-9070 or (800) 443-5518.

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 6-11 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.

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 #228 of Boyne City 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

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, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City. 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.

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The Fine Arts Committee of the Boyne City Foundation for Educational Excellence would like to Thank Everyone who has helped in any way toward the enhancements in our new Auditorium at our new Boyne City High School.

The Fine Arts Committee would like to invite you to join those who have already shared in this effort. Engraved theatre seat nameplates will feature your name or the name of any individual to whom you would like to dedicate this gift. Engraved musical notes will be displayed on a wall in the area by the entrance of our new auditorium.

If you have any questions, or would like to add your name to the list please contact Pete Friedrich at 582-3106 ext. 3015, Lynda Christensen at 582-9555 or Pat O'Brien at 582-1567.

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OPINION

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LETTERS

East Jordan Community Picnic was 'truly a delight'

TO THE EDITOR:

Congratulations and thank you to the people of East Jordan who organized the East Jordan Community Picnic. It was truly a delight!

How nice to have simple, family fun at a non-commercial event. How refreshing to have no one selling anything (except lunch at a very reasonable cost). How neat to hear people singing on stage with blue skies and white

clouds in the background. And, how lovely to have people offer you free lemonade, popcorn, snow cones and ice cream...thank you so much!

It sure was fun watching our boys play the old-fashioned games and enter into the watermelon eating contest. You don't see that every day! As 9-year-olds, their favorites were the balloon toss and the dunk tank, of course.

Thanks, too, to the good spirited people who volun-

teered to be dunked! You brought great pleasure to lots of young students.

What a great, happy, fun day it was! Thanks again, to the people who worked so hard to make the East Jordan Community Picnic the wonderful, heartwarming event that it was.

We sure enjoyed it!

The Heick family
Boyne City

The voting booth is the place to fight 'meaningless control'

TO THE EDITOR:

As the King said to Anna, "It is indeed a puzzlement!" And that is the way it is for me; I don't know whether to laugh or cry. Here is what happened. Last Tuesday morning, I dropped by Walgreen's to pick up a few cigars, and while waiting in line to pay for them I was thinking dark thoughts about politically correct congressmen who keep telling us what is good for us and how much they are looking out for us when all the while they are demonizing and taxing some of our cherished bad habits out of sight.

Now I'm at the front of the line, clutching a twenty while sliding the cigars across the counter to the cashier. Actually, I was wondering how much was the sales tax on just the tobacco tax, when I was jerked out of my musing by the cashier demanding, "I need your ID, sir. Sir, I need your driver's license or some other ID." A little slow on the uptake, I finally stammered, "Why?" She answered, "Can't buy tobacco if you're under eighteen." She said, "You can't. I must admit people tell me I don't look a day older than 79, but I am 84 and I know I don't look like anything other than a well-worn senior citizen, so I asked her, "Do I look like a teenager?" "No," she admitted, "but it says here that I must check all birth dates" while pushing a small printed piece of paper at me.

See what I mean? Do I laugh at this ridiculous display of idiocy? Or do I cry because such displays of the abandonment of basic reasoning skills are becoming more and more common across our fair land? Just check your daily paper; from the rampant stupidity at airport check-points to the pitiful lack of reasoning displayed by various Supreme Court Justices, school boards, police officers,

judges, universities, attorneys, mothers, fathers, students, you name them. Sometimes I think much of our population is shying away from any type of rational thinking by embracing the cult of being nonjudgmental. It seems I should cry.

Or fight! Yes. Fight ... for my country and its citizens and the freedoms and the virtues they have lost and the ones they are in danger of losing. The first question is, Who to fight? The answer is easy: modern political liberalism! Yeah, yeah, but who? O.K., Democrats, that's who. Hey, wait a minute, my dad and his father were Democrats and so am I! Sure you were, and you never even noticed when your party was high-jacked right from underneath you!

Please, let me explain. You, yourself, are not a liar but Democrat operatives constantly use the big lie to smear anyone who stands in their way to power. I doubt if you

are in favor of killing newborn babies, yet which party prevents partial-birth abortions from being outlawed? I'm sure that YOU favor a decent, useful education for every kid and yet your party, long in the pocket of the educational unions, pushes self-esteem over learning. How many lives has this dumb but happy approach to education ruined so far? But enough, already.

Wait, one more; how about requiring ID to buy tobacco? After all, that's what started this whole rambling bit of prose. Now for the wrap-up. I hope you will join me in this fight against meaningless control. Meaningless, to be sure, but control nevertheless. We've identified who is the foe, all that's necessary now is how do we fight? You all know the answer. In the voting booth, of course. THINK and VOTE are the most powerful weapons of FREEDOM!

Ira Breneman

New sales manager joins the staff of The Citizen-Journal

In August, The Citizen-Journal welcomed Susan Andras to the newspaper staff as sales manager.

Andras, a resident of Boyne City for the last 13 years, lives near Deer Lake with Dan Thorpe and their son Zachary, who is "almost 9."

She was born and raised in the Cleveland area.

Andras brings many years of advertising and newspaper experience to the job, and is looking forward to building a strong working relationship with the Boyne City, Boyne Falls, and East Jordan communities.

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.
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FAMILY REUNIONS

The Howard Family

The Howard family reunion was held Aug. 10 at the Chandler Township Hall, east of Boyne Falls. Judy Slocum with the Chandler Ridge Band provided music. Also, Herbert Howard played his guitar and sang. Sheldon Buckmaster was in charge of the auction.

The oldest attending was Laura Belle Pyke of Gaylord. The youngest was Alexis Sumner of Petoskey. Family history was exchanged, and luncheon was served.

Those signing the guest book were: Bill and Jean StAmand of Petoskey; Sheldon and Karla Buckmaster of Petoskey; Rachal Howard of Columbiaville; Fred and Virginia Hoatlin of Boyne Falls; Rena Gruber and Kalie Sha of Fostoria; Leroy and Pat Sumner of Petoskey; Deborah, Donald and Amanda Johnson of Boyne City; Marcella Black of Johannesburg; Ida Lucille Johnson of Gaylord; Dale and Doreen Weber of Grand Ledge; Mary L and Gary Erber of Vanderbilt; Shirley Ann and Avedis Zobian and grandson Ethan Zobian of Union City; Laura Belle Pyke of Gaylord; Frank and Lola Castle of Brighton; Alan, Jackie, Emma and Eryn Howard of Petoskey; David Raub and Aaron Raub of Northville; Virgil and Beverly Lick of Vanderbilt; Jack and Nancy Howard of Petoskey; Raymond and Sandra Lick of Vanderbilt; Judith Slocum of Boyne Falls; Mardel Smith of Boyne City; Herbert and Linda Howard of Boyne City; Jacalyn M Lowery of Boyne Falls; Keith Howard of Petoskey; Ed, Tammy, and Sabrina Sumner of Petoskey; Dominic, Krysten and Alexis Sumner of Petoskey; Julia Gates of Saginaw, Edna Howard of Saginaw, Elaine Gates of Bridgeport; Karl (Cub) and Betty Howard of Gaylord; Esther and Leslie Burgess of Boyne Falls; Sue and Bob Day of Midland; Judy and Ed Mann of Charlevoix; JoAnn Vargo of Petoskey; Rodger and Judy Howard of Lansing; Paul Howard family of Boyne Falls; Jackie, Ken and Joshua Alto of Owosso; Patricia Kitchen of Cheboygan; Renee Pawlowski of Cheboygan; Mark Howard of Okemos; Susan Banyai of Okemos; Deborah and Mark Manker of Petoskey; Patrick Hannon, Rebecca Palmer and children Melody Ann and Austin Harmon of Boyne City; Rickey and Lisa Howard of Boyne Falls; Mikah and Kelly Howard of Boyne City; Elwood, Jayne and Matt Howard of Boyne City; Cynthia M Lick of Mt Pleasant; Edward and Donna Lick Jr of Mt Pleasant; Melvin and Nanetta Howard of Boyne City; Kathy and Brady Way of Charlevoix; Francis, Shirley and Matt Hiar of Petoskey; Allen and Kim Massey of Alanson; Chris and Gina Howard of Adrian; Patrick and Amy Howard and children Travis, Alicia, Chandler and Karl of Boyne Falls; Don and Donna Howard of Burton; John H Lowery II of Boyne Falls; Joshua Lowery of Boyne Falls; John H Lowery of Boyne Falls; Rick Erber of Elmira; Scott, Kelli Howard and family of Boyne City; Jack F Howard of Boyne Falls; Jerry L Howard of Boyne Falls; Henry and Marie Nessen of Petoskey; Barbi and Rich Smith of Alanson; Keith, Stacey and Kristian Reeb of Petoskey; Roger and Prose Howard of Atlanta; William Raub of Novi; Sarah Waldman of Garden City; George and Shirley Raub of Lewiston; Scott, Kelly and Kaitlyn Buckmaster of Cadillac; and Dennis and Micki Howard of Boyne Falls.

Next year's reunion will be held at the same place on the second Saturday in August. The event also will be celebrating the 100th anniversary of Howards' coming to Michigan from Kentucky.

NORTHERN INSIGHTS

Vision checks are part of back to school

By STEVEN HUFFORD, OPTOMETRIST

School time is here again and I wanted to take the opportunity this week to explain how important an eye exam is for children before they go back to school. Many learning problems have their source in vision problems. In today's classroom much of the knowledge transfer is visual, the teacher writing on the board in front of the class and with the amount of up close computer use, students need sharp vision at near and far distances. Some of the easily missed visual conditions which often escape the school screenings that can slow a students' learning are as follows:

ASTIGMATISM causes the student to lose some of the small detail between letters. It is hard for a child to learn to read when they cannot tell the difference between the O, G, C, and Q, all of which may look the same.

HYPEROPIA or farsightedness causes the child to focus his or her eyes to compensate for this refractive error to see clearly. The eyes are working very hard and this may cause eye strain, headaches or sleepiness. This is worse when the student is doing close work.

ACCOMMODATIVE INSUFFICIENCY and convergence errors manifest when the student is doing close work causing the focus and the working distance not to match. This causes reading difficulty and much slower reading rate.

These are some of the visual conditions that can be detected and corrected by a full scope eye examination. Some less common conditions are dyslexia, strabismus, anisometropia and ocular motility problems.

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New Boyne City High School opens its doors

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per said, not because there were any problems, but rather, because "there was simply such a volume of work to do." Most of that work was confined to the auditorium, and was also taking place in some non-classroom spaces that were still having carpeting laid or coats of paint applied.

"We're probably looking at, I would guess, a month or so of just little punchlist items [to be completed]," Cooper said, most of which will likely be tackled after school has been dismissed for the day.

What last-minute scrambling there was could also be contributed to the fact that it wasn't just a matter of moving into a new high school building, but moves between buildings as well, as the middle school takes up residence in the old high school, and administration settles into the old middle school. All in all, Cooper said, as the project draws to a conclusion, things "went real well" in the final days of the summer. "I think the staff and kids can put up with a little inconvenience for the finished product."

And since many community members are anxious to see the final product, the school will host an official open house and ribbon cutting to dedicate the long-awaited building on Friday, Sept. 27, in conjunction with homecoming celebrations at the school. The time of the open house is to be announced, though Cooper expects it will be somewhere in the 4:30-7 p.m. range. What they'll see is the culmination of a project which broke ground on June 15, 2000, funded by an \$18.8 million bond issue passed by voters in September of 1999. Included are a 600-seat auditorium, a two-story classroom wing, a vocational wing, and state of the art technological capabilities. The project also included renovations at the former high school building in order to serve as the middle school, as well as renovations at the elementary school. According to Cooper, the project will conclude essentially on time and on budget. The project was overseen by The Christman Company.



Preparations were being made in earnest at the new high school last week in anticipation of the Sept. 3 opening. Pictured at top, students got their first glimpse of the building as they registered for classes. According to principal Karen Jarema, over 90 percent of the student body attended registration last week, where they received class lists, locker assignments, and got acquainted with the building. District bus driver John Alger takes the time to read the instructions as he studies the new scoreboard control system. This will be Alger's ninth season at the controls. At left, Mark Gill checks out the hardware in the new computer lab.

photos by Vic Ruggles

Boyne City School Boosters 300 Club Drawing

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WEEKLY Health Tips

By
Steve Czerkes
Pharmacist



HEALTH TIPS FROM MEDICAP PHARMACY

AIR QUALITY INDEX

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NEIGHBORS

By NANCY NORTHUP

IN A CONTINUED celebration of his parents' (Bill and Janet) 50th wedding anniversary, Rich Vuilleumot and his singing, guitar-playing partners, Annie Thomas and Steve Richards, who entertain under the name of Trillium in Hilton Head, S.C., arrived for the weekend of Aug. 23, to share their talents with relatives and friends. Their two 'gigs' were at The Wolverine Dilworth Hotel lounge on Friday and on the Sportsman's Bar deck Saturday evening in Boyne City. Those who came to enjoy the entertainment were Chris and Jim Brown, Lee and Stan Katlein, Judy and Jim Zasady, Betty and Dick Salzer and Joan Luey, Villa de Charlevoix neighbors of the Vuilleumots, and Ryan Arnot of Elk Rapids, a long-time friend of Rich and the family. Joining in the festivities were Rich's brother and sister-in-law, Mike and Judy and niece and nephew, Bianca and Trent Vuilleumot of Mt. Pleasant and Aunt Karen and Uncle Dave Gibson, who drove up from Hart Lake. With great support from both establishments in such short notice, rented speakers from Ray's Guitar, and wonderful weather for outdoor entertainment, it was a rousing good time. On Sunday morning, the group entertained Rich's grandmother, Irene Rickard in Bill and Janet's living room on Lake Charlevoix.

HILDA JOHNECHECK has returned to her home in Greenwood, Ind. after having spent the week visiting her mother, Irene Johncheck and family.

ANNE JENKINS enjoyed lunch guests, Shirley and Lee Peterson of Lake City and Marlene Groh of Boyne City, at her Kuzmik Road home on Friday.

THERE WAS A GREAT turnout of 142 at

tending Saturday night's Swiss steak dinner at the VFW Hall, which is greatly appreciated by the auxiliary. They are now preparing for their Rummage Sale event of Sept. 14, to be held at the hall, with proceeds going towards their many committed projects.

PAULA AVERY of Kansas City, Mo. with her friends Jeff and Sandy Platz, also from that area, were houseguests of her parents, Bill and Jeanette Avery over the long Labor Day weekend.

FRIENDS HAVE received word that John Cherry has passed away at the home of his daughter in southern Michigan. John and wife Dorothy were long time residents of Boyne Falls. In recent years they have made their home in Eustis, Fla. and usually returned for visits to the area every summer. His funeral was to be held later this week at the St Augustine Catholic Church in Boyne Falls.

VISITING AT Thorne Rowe's home on Labor Day Weekend were her daughter and son-in-law Susan and Dusty Rhodes of Troy of and grandchildren Kelly and Tony Greenslade and Thorne's great-granddaughter, Olivia Greenslade of Rochester Hills, and Mike Cowell and Laura Shryock of Royal Oak.

LITZENBURGER PLACE residents enjoyed honoring the 90th birthday of Anna Kozminski with cake and coffee in the community room on Tuesday. Anna did more celebrating with four of her nieces and other friends and family in Boyne Falls.

A "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" it was, for Marie Schmittiel over the long Labor Day weekend, as Dan and Julie of Chicago were here and all

enjoyed celebrating on Sunday at the Glenwood Beach home of son and brother, Andy Schmittiel and family.

RODNEY AND ANN WALDRON and son Hunter of Gaylord enjoyed lunch in Boyne City on Sunday at the home of his mother, Flo Kominski.

JASON DOUGLAS HOCQUARD and Jessica Leanne Crowell of Boyne City were married on Sunday, Sept. 1, 2002. The lovely 4 p.m. ceremony, performed by the Rev. Paul Wise at the Trinity Fellowship welcomed the 150 guests attending from Texas and various other places as well as from the surrounding areas. A reception was held at the Boyne City VFW Hall. Jason is the son of Sherry and Kevin Hocquard and the grandson of Doris and the late Don Hocquard and Willis and Anna Young, all of Boyne City. Jason, who is employed at LexaMar, and Jessica, a student at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey, are making their home in Boyne City, and are planning a wedding trip at a later date.

ZOLA HARDY of Petoskey's Independence Village, and formerly of Boyne City, suffered a stroke and was admitted to Northern Michigan Hospital Aug. 21. On the 26th, she was transferred to Charlevoix's Boulder Park Terrace, Room 29 for rehabilitation.

A NOTE FROM me goes out to all my e-mail respondents. Due to computer problems, now repaired, this past week, incoming messages as well as my entire address book were wiped right out. If you sent an item please resend as well as send me your addresses to be re-entered. Thank you.

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

Local student reports on experience at Boys' State

The American Legion Boys' State program is a continuing effort to show young men what it takes to be leaders in their communities. Each year, boys from all over Michigan gather in Lansing to spend several days making the kinds of decisions that our government leaders make every day. This year, Boyne City's American Legion Post #228 sponsored Scott Weir, a student at Boyne City High School.

Following is Scott's report: "I had the opportunity to attend the conference held on the MSU campus. While there, our task was to help 'Boy's State,' the 'mock' 51st state. Once officials were elected and sworn in, after the four mile walk to the Capital, the real work began. If you did not get an elected position you would be appointed one. These positions ranged from City School Board to Waste Management. For the rest of the week they had several periods where all governments were functioning. AGF, as it was called, was a time used to conduct business at all levels of government. I was appointed as Director of the Department of Public Works for my city, the city of Tyler, named after the President, which had problems with its roads. My job was to present proposals or resolutions to City Council for approval.

Throughout the week I had the opportunity to sit in on several issue forums. The American Legion presented several experienced speakers on topics such as education, welfare, and race in the 21st century. Some other highlights of the week included several presentations such as a mock trial, which set up a fake court case dealing with drunk driving.

Following the case we had a tremendous speaker from Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) tell us her story. Another presentation was a debate on the differences between the Republican and Democratic parties. We also had a general assembly with two state-elected officials, after which we broke into cities where we could ask questions of local officials on topics ranging from abortion to affirmative action.

I am not sure whether or not the week went by fast or slow. I guess it varied at different times. It seemed like I was there for a whole month.

but I could have been there for another one. The end of the conference was not the closing of a door but the opening of many more. Many Boy's State participants go on to enter politics. Even if they don't, the program has definitely done a good job of making better citizens of all the young men there. One of the best things about this program was the friendships I acquired. By far the most important thing I learned was a deepened respect for our country and its veterans. I had a wonderful opportunity to talk to veterans from around the state and they were more

than willing to share their life experiences, some happy, some sad. Words cannot express my appreciation to all of the veterans out there, not only for sponsoring me to Boy's State, but for what they did for this great country we live in."

Young men interested in attending Boy's State in June 2003 can contact the American Legion Post #228 in Boyne City, or their government/history teacher for information; to be eligible, students must be in their junior year in school.

The only cost to the student is their transportation to and from Lansing.

CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Charlevoix County Genealogical Society

The Charlevoix County Genealogical Society will have Elden Johnson as the guest speaker at their meeting on Thursday, Sept. 5.

Johnson has been researching Antrim County families for about 15 years, and has compiled a computer database which includes Antrim County families from the 1850s to about 1908, the county censuses from 1860 through 1880, cemetery transcriptions for all the county cemeteries and some adjoining areas, early obituaries and much more.

He has authored a book on Antrim County family history research, which is available on CD.

The regular meeting begins at 7 p.m. Johnson will begin speaking and answering questions at 8 p.m.

He plans to bring his laptop and Antrim County database with him to the meeting.

Meetings are held in the basement community room at the Boyne District Library, 201 E. Main Street, Boyne City. The public is invited to attend.

There is no charge to attend

For more information, call Joy Babcock at 582-3440.

American Legion #228

At the regular meeting of Ernest Peterson Post 228, held Aug. 1, the commander thanked the Color Guard for the great job they did in the July 4 parade.

Maxine Hough reported that the list of graves is up to date and that she will check with local first respondent teams to determine what type of pediatric equipment they need from the Tabs For Tots program. Maxine will contact the schools early this year regarding Boys State, Student Trooper, Oratorical and scholarship programs and she will begin a flag education program in the local schools starting in the third grades.

The Adjutant reported that bingo is doing better since we started the hard card \$200 jackpot and attendance is up although our summer players will be leaving soon so we all need to encourage our friends and neighbors to support our bingo which is our only source of income.

A post birthday dinner is being planned for the end of October and the second annual Veterans Day chapel service for Nov. 11. The next regular meeting will be held Sept. 5 at the post home.

OBITUARIES

Lyle B. "Jeff" Poirier

Lyle B. "Jeff" Poirier, 79, of Fernandina Beach, Fla., died Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2002, at Baptist Medical Center, Nassau.

Funeral services were held at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church. The Rev. Ray Ramsburg officiated. Interment followed at Bosque Bello Cemetery with military honors.

He was the husband of Gertrude Thompson Poirier for 56 years. A native of Boyne City, he was the son of the late George and Emma LeTarte Poirier and had lived in Nassau County since 1999. Prior to that he lived in Atlanta, Ga., and Cleveland, Tenn.

He retired from his position as National Sales Manager for American Uniform Company in Cleveland, Tenn., in 1992. He attended the University of Grand Rapids and served his country in the U.S. Navy during World War II in the Pacific Theater

and in the Korean Conflict as a transport pilot. He completed his military career in the U.S. Naval Reserve, retiring after 20 years at the rank of commander.

Besides his wife, survivors include his children, Jeffrey Joel Poirier and Dana K. (Michael) Mowrer of Fernandina Beach and Michele M. Poirier of Charlotte, N.C.; three brothers, Bertram, Robert and Floyd Poirier, all of Detroit; two grandchildren, Kirsten Mowrer (Benji) Lindsay of Newberry, S.C., and Keri Layne (Matt) Dawkins of Fernandina Beach; three great-grandchildren, Kelsey Kimberly and George Dawkins of Fernandina Beach and Emma Lindsay of Newberry, S.C.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 2600 Atlantic Ave., Fernandina Beach, Fla. 32034.

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COLLEGE NEWS

EMILY B. WRIGHT of Boyne City was among the more than 900 students completing degrees at the spring commencement at Michigan

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Late Boyne Falls resident honored

Though it's hard to imagine now, there was a time when our bustling small towns were as yet undreamed of, and the area we now call home was a promising though harsh wilderness. Settlement, then, depended in part on the dedication of the state's surveyors, one of whom is buried in the Boyne Valley Township Cemetery and was recently honored by the Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors (MSPS).

The late Enoch Kimball Robinson, a resident of and one of the original surveyors of Boyne Falls, was honored with an informal ceremony dedicating the plaque at his gravesite, surrounded by his descendants, including grandson, Edward Robinson, great-granddaughter Joan Califf, and great-grandson Hudson R. Robinson.

The recognition came in conjunction with an effort by the MSPS to identify and locate several of the original surveyors of the counties in their northern chapter. Professional surveyor Norm Caldwell of Owosso has compiled a book with historical information about the thousands of men who have served in that capacity; the decision to recognize the earliest ones came out of a simple desire to identify the fathers of the industry. "We're always talking about walking in the footsteps of our predecessors," said surveyor and MSPS northern chapter president Larry Gerschbacher. "Well, you need to find out how long their feet were... It gives us insight into that person, why they did things a certain way."

ROBINSON began life on Nov. 16, 1841, at Boxford, Mass., the son of Benjamin and Rebecca (Foster) Robinson.

He married Anna Hudson in



Enoch Kimball Robinson was honored by the Northern Chapter of the Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors with an informal gathering of family members recently at his gravesite in Boyne Valley Township.

1866 in Cleveland, Ohio, and in 1862 enlisted in Company F, 35th Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers.

A member of the John Robinson G.A.R. Post #246 in Boyne Falls, Robinson's enlistment records show that he spent a significant portion of time in various hospitals after becoming ill in November 1862 while sleeping on the ground in the snow while repairing a railroad bridge in Virginia. In 1871, he homesteaded in north-

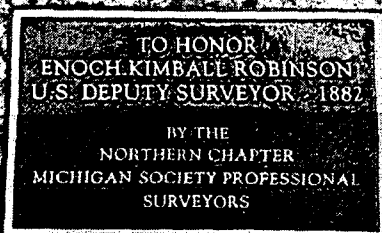
ern Michigan and on Sept. 25, 1876, he patented a section of Boyne Valley Township.

According to Caldwell, the family home still stands unoccupied along the north side of M-75 halfway between Boyne Falls and Boyne City.

Robinson's first wife Anna died in April of 1892 in Boyne Falls; the couple had five children, Ernest A., Mary E., Flynn H., Ruby L., and Ivy F., with his son Ernest following him into the surveyors business.

Robinson married his second wife, Mary Dawson of Cleveland, Ohio, in June of 1893, and died Jan. 4, 1902, in Boyne Falls.

Robinson's grave in Boyne Valley Township Cemetery is now marked with this commemorative plaque in honor of his work as one of the area's first surveyors.



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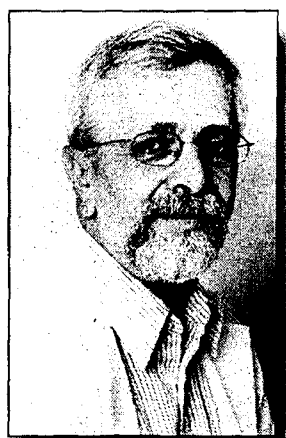
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The selection committee recently met to determine the award recipients, who will be announced at the ceremony, scheduled for Sept. 20.

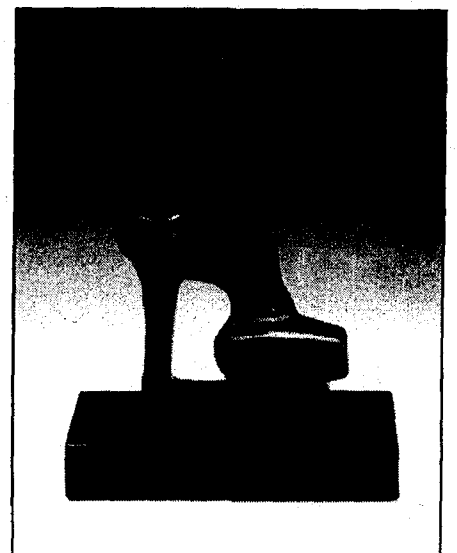
The panel of judges included Bill Aten, Boyne Falls; Joe Hickey, Pat Stedman, Steve Spencer, Harbor Springs; JoAnn Dalto, Boyne City; Doug Melvin and Betsy Willis, Petoskey; Marina LaBlanc and Mary Ann Chew, Charlevoix. The committee chairmen, Jane Millar of Petoskey and Steven Palmer of Harbor Springs are organizing the eddi Awards for the second year.

The categories for the awards are as follows: Visual Artist Award, Performing Artist Award, Arts & Cultural Organization Award, Arts in Education Award, Arts and Cultural Lead-

ership Award, Individual Patron Award, Benefactor Award and Lifetime Achievement Award.

The event is sponsored in part by: Northern Michigan Hospital, Bay View Association, Little Traverse Historical Society, Lexalite International, National City Bank, The Christman Company, Gaslight Gallery, Little Traverse Conservancy, Stafford's Hospitality and the Petoskey News Review and Crooked Tree Arts Center.

Seating is limited and tickets are on sale now. The awards dinner is scheduled at 7 p.m. at the Bay View Inn, Petoskey. Champagne and hors d'oeuvres will kick off the night, followed by dinner and dessert and the awards presentation. Individual tickets are priced at \$85 per person.



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Members of the East Jordan High School varsity football team are (back, from left) coach Greg Bowden, Richard Derenzy, Tim Sothard, Willie Skrocki, Jon Reese, Kevin Roberts, Chad Derenzy, Aaron Meads, Bryan Diller, Josh Smith, Juston Black, Matt Cavaness, Greg Grose, assistant coaches Greg Kitson and Tim Webb, (front) Justin Persons, Kevin Whiteford, Matt Huver, Joe Cooper, Scott Murray, AZ Ahmed, Robert Grover, Alan Arnott, Reece Bartlett, Andrew Roberts, Tom Krause, Shane Tison, and Tyler Cutler. Not pictured are Josh Sheridan, Steve Goodwin, Josh Black, Josh Farmer, Daryl Richards, and Ray Juarez.



Members of the East Jordan High School varsity cheer squad are (back, from left) Ashley Kenney, Michelle Britt, Nina Peters, Erica Derenzy, Sara Miller, Courtney Farmer, Jessie Renkiewicz, (middle) Kari Skop, Kaila Bennett, Rachel Moblo, Amanda Kline, Crystal Stevens, and (front) Megan Luck.



Members of the East Jordan High School golf team are (back, from left) Alex Lorne, Matt Malpass, Dan Brooks, Jamisen Both, (front) Adam Landis, Coty Gilmore, and Clinton Tipton.

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Members of the East Jordan High School Varsity girls basketball team are (back, from left) head coach Lisa Parrish, Claire Niewendorp, Sierra Roberts, Courtney Hammond, Brittney Hanson, Jessica Skop, JV coach/assistant coach Kelly Flynn, and assistant coach Nelson Greene, (front) Amy Schroeder, Jill Derenzy, and Jackie Brun.



Members of the East Jordan High School cross country team are (back, from left) coach Matt Peterson, Dale Henning, Paul Brusse, Josh Pung, Jason Palmrose, Garrett Romero, Nick Hanson, Caleb Priest, Andrew Crambaugh, coach Dennis Snarey, (front) Amanda Thomas, Tiffannie Bearden, Amanda McMichaels, and Chelsey Poindexter.



Members of the East Jordan High School soccer team are (back, from left) head coach Pete Elliott, Mike Meads, Alex Gee, Brandon LaCount, Kyle Postmus, Matt Weisler, Morgan Hefty, Caleb Blatt, Darin Bluhm, Tim Fazio, Nate Brewér, Dustin Hartsough, Drew Oliver, Justin Nierman, Pat Teske, assistant coach Bob Oliver, (front) Eric Hansen, RJ Green, Aaron Fish, Jeff Fish, Andrew Misner, and Nolan Brewer.

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Passing their first test

■ Young Ramblers find their way in season-opening win over Newberry

It wasn't easy, but it sure was nice as Boyne City opened the 2002 varsity football season with a 14-8 victory over Newberry last Friday night.

There were plenty of jitters for the young Rambler team, and they showed early as Newberry marched down the field and scored on its first possession. The Ramblers steadied themselves as the game progressed, however, and the defense kept Newberry out of the end zone for the rest of the game.

"I thought the game was reflective of a young football team," said head coach David Hills. "They are a young group of kids. Before the game they were nervous and worried about what to expect."

"They are young kids finding their way. I thought the kids played well late in the game."

The Ramblers have a solid group of seniors returning from last year's history-making team, but there are several underclassmen starting, particularly on the offensive line.

"We have many young kids in key spots," Hills said.

Those young players will be severely tested this Friday when the Ramblers host Rogers City, rated among the top teams in Division 7. Rogers City is led by quarterback Cody Hurst, who last year was the team's starting halfback. But not only does Rogers City have an impressive running attack, it can also move the ball equally well through the air, according to Hills.

"Our defense will need to step up," he said.

It did against Newberry, bending some but never breaking after the opening drive. The Ramblers were aided by four interceptions, two by Ben Hausler and one each by Anthony Denike and Paul Simeri.

Simeri, who plays inside linebacker along with Brenton Rozycki, and outside linebacker David Austin, one of two sophomores starting for the Ramblers, led the team in tackles with nine each. Hausler had 6 1/2 to go along with his two interceptions and Rozycki had six.

The Rambler offense struggled early but started to find its groove as the game progressed. Their first score came near the five minute mark of the third quarter when senior quarterback Beau Detcher connected with tight end Jordan Voice on a beautiful 20-yard touchdown pass in the right corner of the end zone. Detcher connected with Denike for the two-point conversion.

The Ramblers broke the tie at the 6:15 mark of the fourth period when Detcher scored on a five-yard run.

Newberry threatened in the final minutes, but its drive ended when Hausler grabbed his second interception of the night with just over one minute remaining.

"Newberry was much improved over last year," Hills said. "Their quarter-



With quarterback Beau Detcher under center, the Boyne City Ramblers lined up for another season as they defeated Newberry 14-8 in the season opener.



In addition to his passing, quarterback Beau Detcher was also called occasionally to run. Here, he found little room.

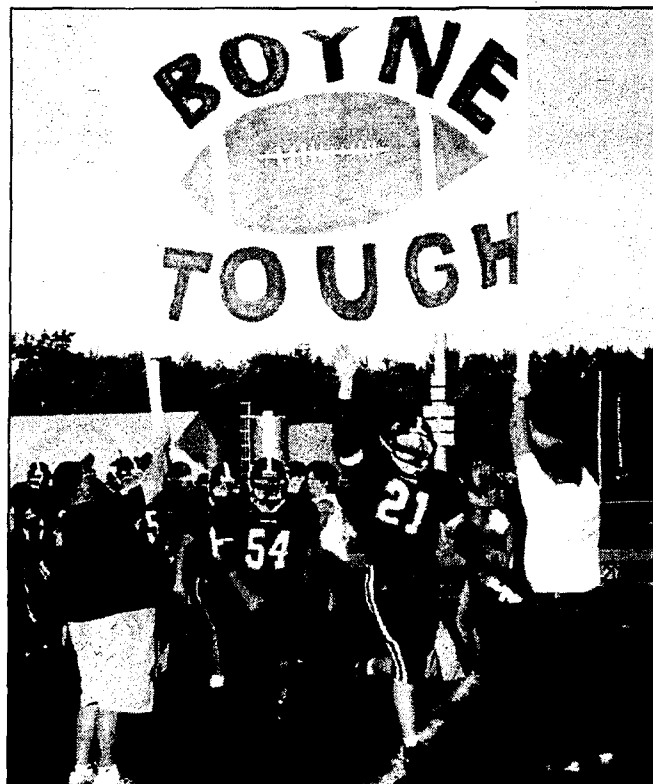
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back was much better than we expected. He played well."

Offensively for the Ramblers, Detcher was nine of 15 passing for 139 yards. "I was real happy with Beau," Hills said. "He is starting to assert himself on offense."

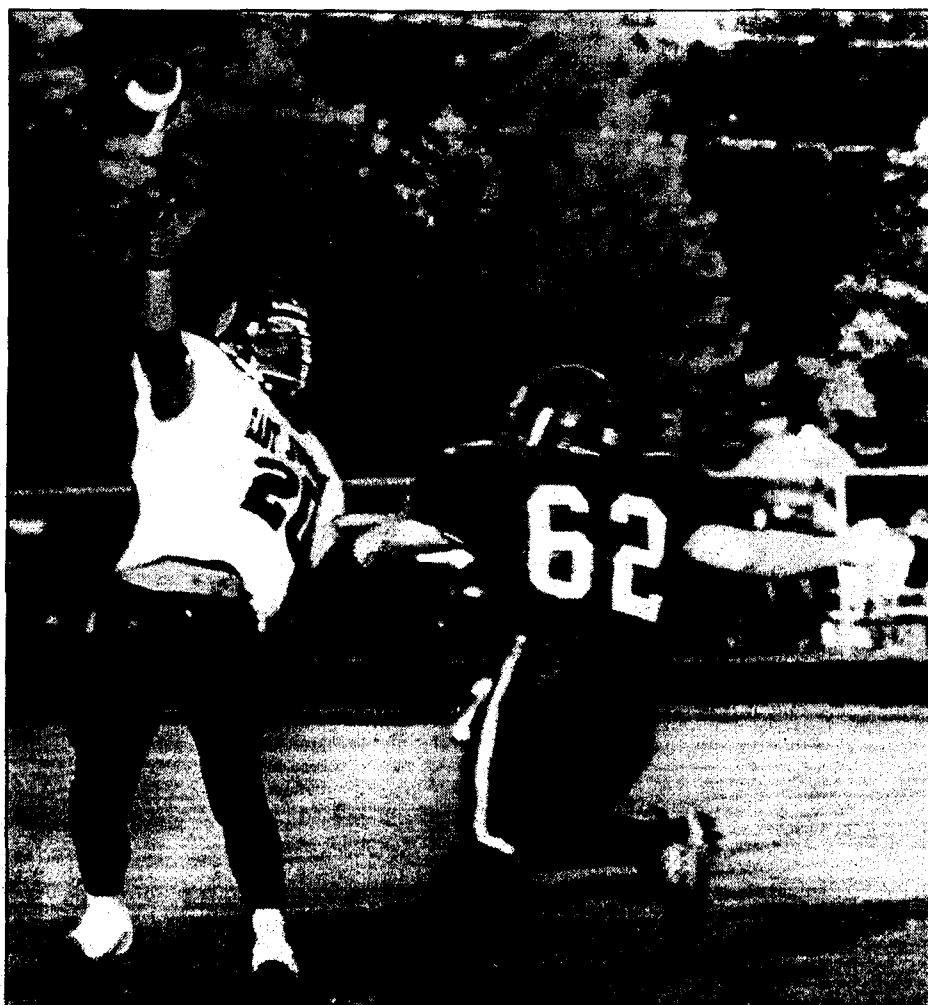
Senior Chris Grice led the Ramblers with 12 carries for 38 yards rushing. He also caught two passes for 26 yards. Sophomore Reed Ameel rushed six times for 24 yards and had three receptions for 22 yards. Hausler carried the ball eight times for 20 yards and caught two passes for 26 yards.

Kickoff for Friday's game is 7:30 p.m. Parents' Night activities will precede the game.



The Ramblers were an excited and nervous bunch as they charged on to the field Friday night.

New chapter in East Jordan football opens with a win



Known for his running ability, Robert Grover also showed he can pass the ball. In the opening play of the Red Devils' win over Central Lake, Grover connected with AZ Ahmen on a 42-yard touchdown pass to get the season off to an exciting start.

A new chapter in East Jordan football opened last Thursday night and the Red Devils are hoping the rest of the book is as good as the first few pages.

The Red Devils began their story with a trip to Central Lake to play the Trojans in the season opener for both teams. Each was looking for an early defining moment to get themselves off to a good start on the year.

Coach Greg Bowden and the Red Devils got theirs first as they defeated Central Lake 39-14.

On the opening play after the kickoff, Robert Grover got the ball on a handoff, positioned himself, and delivered a 42-yard strike into the hands of AZ Ahmed, who was virtually alone and waiting for the ball. Seventeen seconds into the game, East Jordan had the lead. Willie Skrocki kicked the point after, and things looked good, 7-0.



Head coach Greg Bowden, left, and his assistants Greg Kitson and Tim Webb celebrate a job well done.

Central Lake then did what would haunt them all night—fumble the ball. East Jordan had the ball and just a short distance to go, so they did.

Three plays into the drive, Reese Bartlett took the pass and scored, a 24-yard beauty that gave the Red Devils a 13-0 lead; the PAT failed.

Central Lake was not done, and proceeded to show life on the field. It took a couple more fumbles and halfway into the second quarter, but Central Lake got a 68-yard run out of Brad Rogers for a touchdown. Trevor Groll's extra point cut the lead to 13-7.

After the Devils did nothing on their possession, Groll got Central Lake going with a 45-yard punt return. Two plays later, Jon Shooks ran off the last 31 yards for the score to tie the game, Groll's PAT giving the Trojans the lead and East Jordan heartburn.

East Jordan was forced to punt again, leaving Central Lake with the ball deep in their own territory with 36 seconds on the clock they needed to run out to have a halftime lead.

Didn't happen. The first snap was again fumbled, East Jordan recovering at the Trojan 15-yard line. Grover scored two plays later, covering the 15 yards and putting East Jordan into the locker room with a 19-14 lead. Central Lake drove to the Devil 16-yard line to open the second half, then—you guessed it—fumbled. Skrocki would cover yet another fumble late in the third quarter, setting up Tom Krause's 10-yard run, the Skrocki point after making it a 26-14 game.

Krause would add a two-yard jaunt with three minutes left for a 32-14 lead, then Matt Huver would finish the touchdown frenzy with a 40-yard score in the last two minutes, following an interception. Skrocki capped matters with the PAT to wrap up the 39-14 win.

"We wanted to set the tone early and have fun," said a very happy Coach Bowden. "The D was great, a real team effort."

Grover carried for 70 yards, with Krause passing for 78.

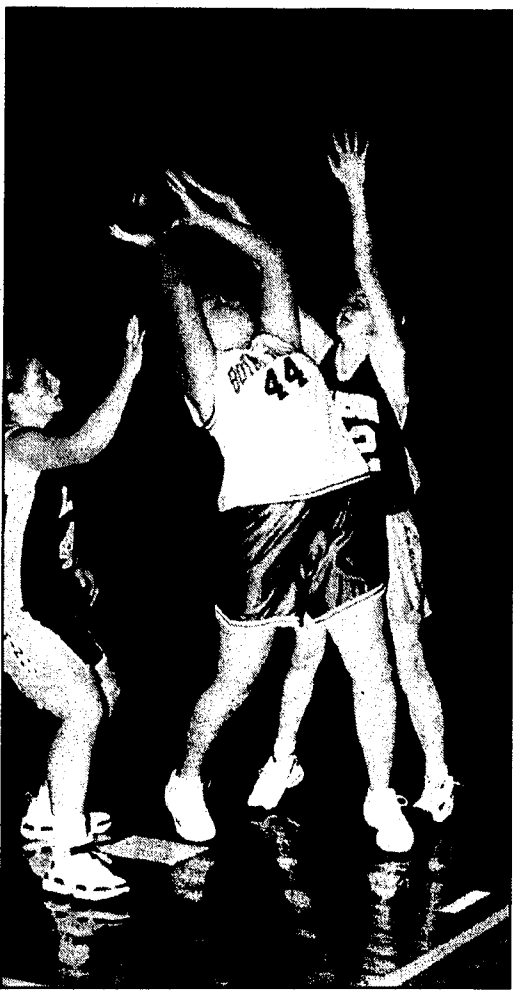
The Devils will take the home field Sept. 6 to host the Ironmen of Mancelona, who fell to Kalkaska 37-0 in their season opener.



Lady Loggers in action

The Boyne Falls girls basketball team's record slipped to 1-1 with a 37-34 loss on their home court to Alanson last week. Megan Pernicano led Boyne Falls in scoring with nine, followed by Erika Jarema with eight. Leading the Loggers in rebounds was Emily Korthase with nine. Pernicano also made nine steals. Boyne Falls JV won their game, 29-24, with Kelly Kondat leading the scoring with 11 followed by Annie Pernicano with nine. At left, Lady Logger Manda Sewejkis takes a shot despite the efforts of the Vikings' defense. Above, Boyne Falls coach Al Gasco talks strategy with his team. The Loggers will face Central Lake on Sept. 10.

photos by Vic Ruggles



Lady Ramblers searching for their shooting touch

The Boyne City Ramblers are still in search of their first win early in the basketball season after losing to Petoskey last Thursday and Rogers City Tuesday night.

The Ramblers lost to Petoskey 68-38 in the opener and fell to Rogers City 64-50.

Early in the season the Ramblers are struggling to find their shooting touch, according to head coach Maurie Tomkins.

"The girls played real hard and aggressive" against Rogers City, he said. "We just didn't make our shots."

Amber Lehto led the Ramblers with 11 points, while Kim Foster had 10.

The Ramblers trailed by only three midway through the third quarter, but could come no closer.

"We missed a few good opportunities and they converted at the other end," Tomkins said. The result was a 10-point deficit at the end of the period which the Ramblers could not overcome.

"We improved significantly" from the season opener against Petoskey, Tomkins said. Offensively they had nearly as many shots in the first half against Rogers City as it did the entire game against Petoskey.

Boyne City's full court press also created numerous turnovers, but it failed to capitalize on the opportunities, Tomkins said.

Boyne City is on the road again Thursday when it travels to Benzie Central. The team will open its home season Tuesday when it hosts Mancelona in the new high school gym.

"
The girls played real hard and aggressive. We just didn't make our shots"
—BC head coach Maurie Tomkins

EJ dominates Mancy for first win

It didn't take Courtney Hammond long into the 2002 basketball season to find her shooting touch.

She was on fire Tuesday night as the Red Devils dominated Mancelona 87-35. Hammond burned the nets for 44 points in leading East Jordan to the win.

Her 44-point performance Tuesday followed her 26-point contribution in

the Red Devils' 73-48 season-opening loss to Cheboygan last Thursday.

Against Mancelona, East Jordan built a 41-20 lead at the half, and cruised from there.

"Everyone took part in the offense, and we stepped up the defensive intensity," said East Jordan head coach Lisa Parrish.

Other top scorers for East Jordan

were Sierra Roberts with 15, Amy Schroeder with 9 and Jackie Brun scored 7.

"It was exciting having everyone score," Parrish said.

East Jordan opens its home season Thursday when it hosts Gaylord St. Mary's.

Young athletes compete in Punt, Pass, & Kick

Participants from Boyne City, Boyne Falls, East Jordan, Walloon Lake and Petoskey took part in the NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick competition hosted by Concord Academy Boyne on Aug. 24.

These youngsters earned first place honors in their respective age groups: Riley Mills of Boyne Falls won in the girls 10/11 age group; boys winners included: Caleb Roberts of East Jordan in the 8/9 division; Michael Evans of Boyne City in the 10/11 division; and Stephen Redmer of Boyne City in the 12/13 division.

These winners now move on to sectional competition, to be held in October. They could qualify for the team championship, held in November.

The NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass & Kick football competition allows youngsters to showcase their skills in punting, passing and place kicking with scores based on distance and accuracy.

A number of NFL stars have competed in PPK, including record-setting quarterbacks Dan Marino and Drew Bledsoe.



One step ahead
With a step on the Bellaire defender, East Jordan's RJ Green dribbles through midfield. The East Jordan varsity soccer team earned its first win last week, beating Bellaire 4-3. Justin Fazio led the scoring for EJ with two goals and an assist, while Morgan Hefty and Brandon LaCount scored one goal apiece. Earlier in the week, the team lost to Charlevoix, 7-4.

SPORTS SCHEDULE

East Jordan

- Sept. 4: JV Football, at Mancelona, 6 p.m.
- Sept. 5: Boys Soccer, Northwest Academy, home, 5 p.m.; JV/Varsity Girls Basketball, Gaylord St. Mary, home, 6 p.m.; Golf, at Harbor Springs, 4 p.m.
- Sept. 6: Varsity Football, home, 7:30 p.m.
- Sept. 7: Cross Country, Charlevoix Classic, 10 a.m.
- Sept. 10: Cross Country, East Jordan Invitational, 4 p.m.; Boys Soccer, Burt Lake, home, 5 p.m.; Golf, at Boyne Mountain, 4:30 p.m.
- Sept. 12: Boys Soccer, at Harbor Springs, 5 p.m.; JV Football, Charlevoix, home, 6 p.m.; JV/Varsity Girls Basketball, at Kingsley, 6 p.m.; Golf, Kalkaska, home Mallard, 4 p.m.
- Sept. 13: Varsity Football, at Charlevoix, 7:30 p.m.; Golf, Petoskey Invitational, 8:30 a.m.
- Sept. 14: Cross Country, Ludington Invitational, 9:45 a.m.

Boyne City

- Sept. 4: Cross Country, Manton Invitational, 4 p.m.
- Sept. 5: JV Football, Alpena, home, 6 p.m.; JV/Varsity Girls Basketball, at Benzie Central, 6 p.m.; Freshman Basketball, Gaylord, home, 4:15 p.m.
- Sept. 6: Varsity Football, Rogers City, home, 7:30 p.m.; Girls Tennis, Big Rapids, home, 4 p.m.
- Sept. 7: Girls Tennis, at Petoskey, 4 p.m.; Soccer, at Traverse City Central, 1 p.m.
- Sept. 10: JV/Varsity Girls Basketball, Mancelona, home, 6 p.m.; Golf, East Jordan, Kalkaska, home, 4:30 p.m.; Cross Country, East Jordan Invitational, 4 p.m.; Soccer, Bellaire, home, 5 p.m.
- Sept. 11: Girls Tennis, Grayling, home, 4 p.m.
- Sept. 12: JV Football, St. Ignace, home, 6 p.m.; Freshman Basketball, Harbor Light, home, 4:15 p.m.
- Sept. 13: Varsity Football, at St. Ignace, 7:30 p.m.; Soccer, at Northwest Academy, 5 p.m.

Boyne Falls

- Sept. 7: Cross Country, Atlanta Hill Climb
- Sept. 10: Girls Basketball, at Central Lake, 6 p.m.
- Sept. 11: Cross Country, Jamboree #1 at Vanderbilt
- Sept. 12: Girls Basketball, Vanderbilt, home

PUBLIC NOTICES

BOYNE CITY COMMISSION SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES

Aug. 13, 2002, 7 p.m. meeting - The Commission announced the 2002 Marvin Loding Community Pride Award winners: Garry and Ruth Evans (residential), Sunburst Marine West (commercial), Boyne Area Community Playground Committee (community spirited), Federal Screw Works (industrial); reappointed Bob Carille to the Boyne City Zoning Board of Appeals, and Maryanne Watkins and Bud Bates to the Boyne City Airport Advisory Board; appointed Butch Erber as an officer delegate to the Michigan Employees' Retirement System annual meeting and Vicki Standen to the Michigan Municipal League annual convention; approved a bid process for the purchase of one pick up truck for the Wastewater Department; and approved the Boyne City Manager's employee contract for six (6) months.

Aug. 27, 2002, 12 noon meeting - The Commission approved a lot reconfiguration for 925/929 Second Street; postponed review of the development plan for G & N Investment, Inc. (330 Front Street) pending Zoning Board of Appeals action; denied a request to vacate Balsam Place (a platted street in Glenwood Beach Resort); approved the purchase of one, Ford pick up truck for use in the Wastewater Department; referred action on a request to upgrade the HVAC at City Hall to staff for additional cost recovery information; approved a five-year vesting period for City employees.

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5. Copies of the Bid Documents, including specifications may be obtained at the Office of Capital Consultants, 123 West Main Street Ste. 200, P.O. Box 1398, Gaylord, Michigan 49734.

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.

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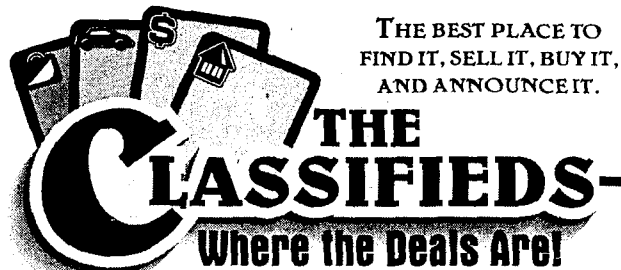
Charlevoix, Michigan at 11 a.m., on Sept. 27, 2002.

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

Lots 5 and 6, Block 6, Plat of the Village of Norwood Township, Charlevoix County, Mich., according to the recorded plat thereof, excepting that part of said Lot 6 heretofore deeded to the Township of Norwood and described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of said Lot 6 of said plat of the Village of Norwood, thence north 80 feet, thence east 40 feet, thence south 80 feet thence west 40 feet to the place 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
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in Regular Session, Aug. 20, 2002 at 7:30 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were amended and approved and acknowledgement was given to paid bills in the amount of \$129,440.52.

Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of Funds on Hand report; acknowledged receipt of monthly zoning activity report, July 2002; acknowledged receipt of Public Safety monthly reports; acknowledged receipt of Bid Opening minutes RE: 2002 Street Paving/Resurfacing project; approved and authorized signing of Hold Harmless agreement; approved Civic Center rental requests; adopted Resolution #122/2002; authorized signing of amended ambulance contracts with townships; adopted Resolution #123/2002 and awarded street paving bid.

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

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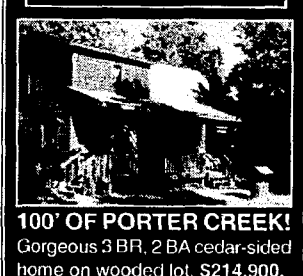
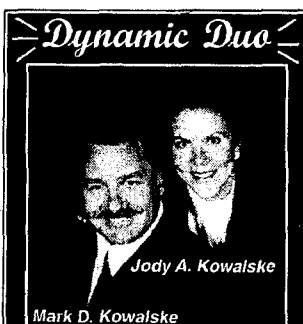
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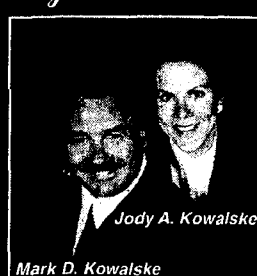
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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgage premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the Main lobby 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:

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

Dated: Aug. 7, 2002
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MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Raymond Swadling, a single man, to Washington Mortgage Company, a Michigan Corporation, mortgagee, dated Sept. 9, 1999 and recorded Sept. 16, 1999, in Liber 372, Page 222, Charlevoix County Records. Said mortgage is now held by Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Capital LLC, by assignment which was submitted to and recorded by the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds. There is claimed to be due on such mortgage the sum of Eighty-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Four and 00/100 dollars (\$87,294) including interest at the rate of 11.19 % 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 pre-

mises, 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 Oct. 4, 2002.

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

West 100 feet of Lot 4 and the West 100 feet of the South 1/2 of Lot 5, all in Block 2 in the Village of Boyne Falls.

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: Aug. 28, 2002

ORLAND ASSOCIATES PC

Attorneys for Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Capital LLC,

As Assignee

P.O. Box 5041

Troy, MI 48007-5041

(248) 457-1000

File No. 231.1590

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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.

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:
Falcons 248-593-1313
Trott & Trott, P.C.
Attorneys and Counselors
30400 Telegraph Road, Suite 200
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MORTGAGE SALE- Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Reuben E. Brewer and Lois C. Brewer, Husband and Wife (original mortgagors) to California

Mortgage Service, A California Corporation, Mortgagee, dated May 18, 2000, and recorded on May 24, 2000 in Liber 388 on Page 938 in Charlevoix County Records, Michigan, and was assigned by said mortgagee to the Bank One, National Association, As Trustee, assignee by an assignment dated June 1, 2000, which was recorded on Feb. 5, 2001, in Liber 407 on page 111, Charlevoix County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY-FOUR THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE AND 61/100 dollars (\$74,133.61), including interest at 11.625% 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 Oct. 11, 2002.

Said premises are situated in CITY OF EAST JORDAN, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described

as:

The South 1/2 of Lot 8, and also the following part or portion of Lot 7 and described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Lot 7; thence South on the East line of said Lot 120 feet; thence West 78 1/2 feet; thence North 60 feet; thence East 21 1/2 feet; thence North 60 feet; thence East to the place of beginning; all of the above being in Block 20 of Nichol's Second Addition to the Village of South Lake (now City of East Jordan), according to the recorded plat thereof.

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. 28, 2002
FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on Aug. 28, 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.

PROCEEDINGS OF

THE EAST JORDAN CITY COMMISSION

The East Jordan City Commission met in Regular Session, Aug. 6, 2002 at 7:33 p.m., Mayor Klooster presiding with all members of the City Commission present. Minutes were approved and acknowledgement was given to paid bills in the amount of \$718,436.25.

Further Commission Action: acknowledged receipt of EMS monthly report, June 2002; approved Civic Center rental requests; approved use of Community Park for Cross Country Invitational; adopted Municipal Street Specifications and appointed Harry Watson to the vacancy on the City Commission.

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

News Briefs

BCES to host Family Discovery Time event

Boyer City Elementary School invites families to enjoy a Family Discovery Time on Tuesday, Sept. 10, from 6:30-8 p.m. in the cafeteria. Geared towards children ages birth to preschool and their families, the theme of the event will be Health and Safety Exploration. The program will include family activities including a baby corner, fingerprinting, and health and safety information to take home. Family Discovery Time is co-hosted by the elementary school and the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, and is sponsored by the Stepping Stones to School network. The event is funded by a grant from the Michigan Department of Education. For more information call Cindy Kujawski at 547-9812, ext. 351.

Challenge Mtn seeking help for fall programming

Challenge Mountain is seeking volunteers for fall programming at the lodge located at 2205 Springbrook Rd., Melrose Township. The organization has begun offering the opportunity for school programs benefiting the at-risk youth, and those with physical disabilities, and mental impairments to utilize the facility for guided hikes. The hikes will be held on the newly developed trail system which, according to Challenge Mountain executive director Sue Moody, proved "extremely popular" through the summer months. The open hikes to the special needs populations are utilized to offer nature education and a field trip through the handicapped and traditional trails. The prospective volunteer need only have a love of people and the ability to walk through the trails. Training will be provided to those for tree and foliage identification as well as points of interest. To volunteer or for more information, call Moody at (231) 535-2141.

Boyer Area Gymnastics now taking students for fall session

Boyer Area Gymnastics and Dance is getting ready for the fall session of classes for children and adults, including an all-boys conditioning and tumbling class, yoga, step aerobics, tumble tots, adult tumbling, and various levels of gymnastics. The nine-week gymnastics session will begin the week of Sept. 9, with classes offered Monday-Thursday for ages three and up. Gymnastics fees begin at \$54 for a 40-minute class once a week for ages 4-5 and \$63 for a 55-minute class once a week for ages 6 and up. An annual membership fee is \$16 for an individual student or \$20 for a family. Yoga will also be offered this session on Mondays from 6-7 p.m., and step aerobics will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Boyer Area Gymnastics and Dance is located at 611 Beardsley St. in Boyer City. Gymnastics classes will also be offered at East Jordan Elementary School. For more information, call director Kari Streefman at 582-9787.

Dinner will benefit Crooked Tree District Library

Patrons and friends of the Crooked Tree District Library will gather at the Walloon Lake Inn on Monday, Sept. 9, for an evening of fun, good fellowship and fine food. The third annual Library Lovers Dinner will benefit the library's endowment fund, held at the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. The endowment fund was established to help support the operating costs of the library. A special menu is being planned by David Beier, chef and proprietor of the Inn, and seating is limited to 50 people. Tickets are priced at \$50, half of which will go to the endowment as a donation. To reserve seats, make checks payable to the Crooked Tree District Library and send to Dolores Wehrenberg, P.O. Box 146, Walloon Lake, MI 49796. Call Dolores at 535-

2942 to make sure there are still places available before sending your check. Reservations will be made on a first-come basis.

Auxiliary at Grandvue will meet Sept. 12

Grandvue Medical Care Facility's Auxiliary will hold its next monthly meeting on Thursday, Sept. 12, from 2-3:30 p.m. in the Chapel Room at Grandvue. This month's presentation will be about Grandvue's Wellness Program. All present and prospective auxiliary members and others are welcome to attend. Tours for those interested will be given after the meeting. For more information, call Grandvue at 536-2286.

CPR classes offered at hospital

The following Cardiopulmonary resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital:

Wednesday, Sept. 4, Adult Heartsaver CPR, from 6-10 p.m. in classroom B.
Wednesday, Sept. 11, Infant/Child Heartsaver CPR, from 6-10 p.m. in classroom B.
Wednesday, Oct. 2, Basic First Aid, from 6-10 p.m. in classroom B.
The cost is \$20 for each class, or \$50 for the series, which includes course materials. Preregistration is required for all classes. Course materials will be mailed out once registration is received.
All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital, which is an American Heart Association community-training center. For more information, call 547-4024 or 547-8570.

Storytime for preschoolers on tap at Boyne District Library

The Boyne District Library will hold a Preschool Storytime beginning Sept. 17 and running on Tuesdays through Oct. 15, from 10-10:45 a.m. each day. The storytime is intended for kids ages 3-5. Children must be pre-registered. Also coming up at the library is a Lap-Sit Storytime, for kids ages 18 months up to 3 years, to be held from 10-10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, Oct. 22 through Nov. 12. For more information, or to pre-register call 582-7861.

CORRECTION

Recently the East Jordan football team sold their discount cards. The Nail Nook was incorrectly spelled on the card. It was spelled the Nail Musk, and this is incorrect. Your card should read:
The Nail Nook - \$2 OFF full set of acrylic nails or manicure.

I sincerely regret the error.
David Lamphere

Common disease striking area maples

By ROD COURTRIGHT
MSU Extension Office

In the past few weeks we have had a number of calls from Charlevoix County homeowners about problems with spotting and pre-mature leaf drop on maples. This problem is caused by Speckled Leaf Spot, a fungal disease very common on standard Norway Maples and the Crimson King (Red Leafed) variety of Norway Maple.

The disease causes small to almost one-inch diameter tar-like spots on leaves. These spots are first a yellowish green but by mid to late summer a tar-like mesh of fungal and leaf tissue develops inside the yellowed area. Occasionally, such as this year, there is some leaf withering and premature leaf drop that occurs. Though this disease is rather dramatic it normally causes no long-term damage to the infected tree. Fungicides are usually not recommended for the control of Speckled Leaf Spot.

The best method of control is to remove the fallen leaves from the area, because the fungus over-winters in fallen leaves and then infects the new leaves in the spring during moist conditions. For more information, call the Charlevoix County Office of Michigan State University Extension at 582-6232.



Speckled leaf spot is a common fungal disease currently seen in many area maples.

Tammy Croy McMillian
MSW, ACSW, CSW, CACI
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