

**HOT LINE: PAST
ADMINISTRATIONS**

“To all those working class workers, quit whining about what the past administrations did to the economy. The current administration is giving



my hard-earned money to these big companies that should either shut up and go back to their desk and color or just go out of business. Look at how many companies moved to Mexico to take your wages out of your pockets.”

— I got a great job

**HOTLINE:
BE CLOSER**

“Will somebody just say it and be done. ‘Be Closer’



is a ridiculous tagline for any community and will not do anything to draw anyone here. Every penny is wasted.

— Hot line caller

**STORY: DOWN-
TOWN LEASE**

“The City of Fenton is financing road repairs right now. Meanwhile the DDA is leasing things for a buck and installing new street signs.



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— Troy



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Fenton teachers protest \$2.8 million in cuts



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A driver gives his support as teachers gather outside of the Fenton administration building at 6:30 p.m. Monday. Increased class sizes and reduced materials are some of the concerns teachers have.

About 100 teachers protest at board of education meeting

By William Axford

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Fenton — The Fenton Education Association (FEA) came out in force at Monday's board of education meeting, protesting the projected \$2.8 million cut to the school district's 2011-12 budget. The cuts

are based upon Gov. Rick Snyder's new proposed cuts in state funding for public schools.

“All the cuts proposed are based on what if's,” said Karyn Katchey, chief negotiator for the FEA. “All districts in Michigan are hurting, and Fenton is no ex-

ception. But there's nothing currently in legislation, and the cuts do not need to be this extreme.”

Some of the proposals made to help cope with cuts in the district include reduction in supplies, increase in class size and

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Baker's parental rights terminated

► Judge's decision sets stage for son to be adopted

By Sharon Stone

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Judge Duncan Beagle terminated the parental rights of Corrine Baker on Wednesday, June 1. This action opens the way for placement of her 10-year-old son Tyler, who has spent the last 14 months in foster care.

Baker, 26, is facing up to life in prison for her alleged involvement in the death of her 4-year-old son Dominick Calhoun. Dominick, who was Tyler's younger half-brother, died in April of 2011 after being beaten over several days in his Argentine Township apartment.

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Summary

► Corrine Baker has lost her parental rights to her 10-year-old son Tyler. Baker is awaiting trial in connection with the murder of her 4-year-old son Dominick Calhoun.



**Corrine
Baker**

Business owner crosses path with thieves

► Suspects ditch truck and flee on foot across U.S. 23

By Sharon Stone

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Fenton police are attempting to identify and apprehend two white males suspected of being involved with a theft on May 29.

Lt. Jason Slater said at about 12:30 p.m. that day, a Fenton police officer was sent to northbound U.S. 23, near the rest area to meet with deputies of the Genesee County Sheriff's Department.

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Summary

► Fenton police are investigating a theft of refrigeration equipment, which was stolen by two white males in a blue Chevy S-10 pickup truck on May 29.

Over 50?

► Make driving easier and safer with new features, gadgets

By Sally Rummel

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Sharon LaFee feels more confident behind the wheel when she checks and double-checks each driving decision.

“I always look behind me both ways when I back out, then I take an ‘extra’ look again,” said LaFee, 68, of Fenton, who recently underwent her second shoulder surgery to alleviate the symptoms of arthritis.

LaFee and others in the “mature driver” category of age 50-plus would appreciate the

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Computers, technology, diet all take toll on your

eyes

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Beauty may be in the eye of the beholder but without any sight, there is little to behold. In a world filled with bright monitors and poor diets, a little self-awareness may be the difference between seeing the light and seeing nothing at all.

Maintaining a healthy diet

Remember when mom used to tell you to
See EYES on 9

Summary

► A healthy diet and taking frequent breaks away from screens keeps eyes healthy.

Linden Masons celebrate 150 years

► Fraternal order has rich history

By Tim Jagielo

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Shrouded in mystery, wrought with symbolism, and existing at all levels of commerce and government, the masons pull the puppet strings of secret events that affect every level of American society.

At least that is what author Dan Brown would have you believe in one of his best selling novels.

Summary

► The masons have existed in Linden since 1861, and will be celebrating their 150th anniversary in September.

In reality, the Linden Masons are jovial, friendly, open and enthusiastic about their fraternity, and are celebrating their 150th year in September.

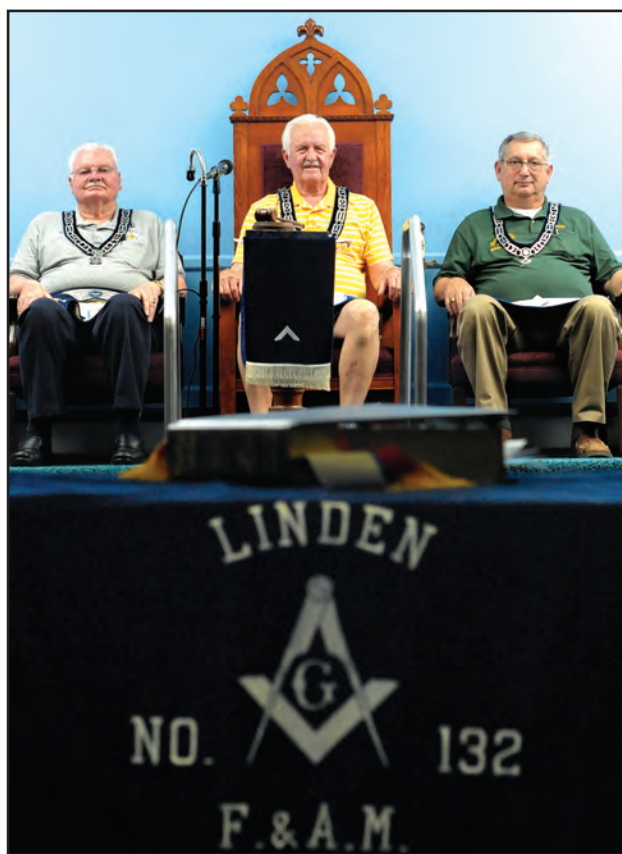
"We don't have any secrets, we're not a cult. There are a lot of misconceptions out there," said

Worshipful Master (WM) Roger Kaufman.

The Linden Lodge is one of about 20 in Genesee County, but Linden is one of the healthiest with 162 members. More than 30 attend each monthly business meeting.

"We make good men better," said past Worshipful Master Richard Childs.

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(Above) Mason Roger Kaufman (center) holds the highest rank of Worshipful Master (WM) for a one year term. Roger Childs (left) is a past WM, and John Porrit is current secretary and past WM. (Right) Masons use tools of the past as teaching symbols for their value system.

Celebrating 150 years

The Linden Lodge is celebrating its 150 years on Sept. 10 at Janelle's Banquet and Event Centre in Argentine Township. Tickets are \$15, and are available through Fred Chapelle at (810) 516-2794. The event is open to the public, but seating is limited.



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Go see "Atlas Shrugged"

Twenty-nine years after her death, novelist Ayn Rand is coming to a theater near you. Her 1957 novel "Atlas Shrugged" has been made into a film.

In an age when an overregulating government increasingly strangles the private sector, robbing us of our liberties and transforming the country into a socialist state, Rand's story reminds us of just how dangerous a time we live in now.

"Atlas Shrugged" is a novel, but its plot is anything but fiction. In it, successful businesswoman, Dagny Taggart, the head of one of the largest railroad companies in America, struggles to keep her company alive in challenging economic times. Searching for innovative ways to stay afloat, she teams with steel magnate Hank Rearden, the developer of an innovative metal alloy, thought to be the strongest metal in the world. Then the federal government steps in. The government proclaims the Taggart-Rearden partnership "unfair" to other steel producers and passes a law regulating how many businesses an individual can own. The law is euphemistically titled the "Equalization of Opportunity" bill.

Just how smooth Obama is at this same game was even noticed by the Associated Press, which recently ran this headline about the negotiations that allegedly led to \$38 billion in spending cuts: "Budget Tricks Help Obama Save Favorite Programs From Cuts."

"Atlas Shrugged" is about those who would penalize individual achievement and reward "the collective." It is the embodiment of Karl Marx's philosophy, "From each according to his ability, to each according to his need." To put it another way, the liberal believes that if you earn \$2 dollars and I make \$1 dollar, you owe me 50 cents to make things "fair." This is, to paraphrase the president, "spreading the wealth around."

Some will inevitably conclude "it can't happen here" and this is just more conspiratorial posturing from the Far Right. It can happen here and, in fact, with a country so much in that it no longer celebrates individual achievement, but seeks to punish, regulate and tax it to death, it is happening here.

Go see "Atlas Shrugged." It's in theaters now.

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I SUPPORT HOLLY Township supervisor Lambert in his effort to bring the light of day to the park's board expenditures. Why does this group have credit cards, hotel costs, taxpayer-paid cell phones and a determination to keep all this secret? I believe the expenditures should be published along with those of the library.

THIS MESSAGE IS for all woman in Fenton and surrounding areas, please keep your eye out for an African American male in the retail stores asking for money. He seems to be targeting woman that are by themselves in stores. It happened to me on Saturday and I just want everybody to be on the look out.

THE OBAMA ADMINISTRATION said that unemployment would not go above 8 percent if the stimulus were enacted. After it was passed, unemployment hit 10 percent, far higher than even the administration said it would be if the stimulus were not passed. One million jobs were lost due to the stimulus. Was that one of yours?

I AM AFRAID that the big picture in life to an eighth-grader is walking across the stage for working hard and receiving top grades. Your comment was self-serving (selfish) for short.

OBAMA CLEARLY STATED that "Israel must return to borders, which existed before the 6 Day War of 1967." This was aired on national TV Thursday, May 19. All of America had a chance to hear it with their own ears. The spin put out later by the White House and supported by the so-called mainstream media diluted the true broadcast message by re-defining what

Hot lines

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Obama actually said. Don't take my word for it, look it up on the Internet or any daily newspaper, which was published on May 19 or 20. People seem to believe what they want to believe and ignore the actual facts.

THE REAL PROBLEM in our schools is management and lack of leadership. It is the superintendent and management staff that needs to bear the responsibility for test scores.

Teachers do not create the system. They work within it. Once again, our government leadership has failed us with the legislation that has been created to treat only the symptoms.

IF OBAMA SAID pass the salt, Republicans would filibuster against him. They don't have the decency to pass anything for the benefit of the people. All they want to do is sabotage the president. Republican behavior is a disgrace.

SAW THE BILLBOARDS and my only comment is, who paid for this asinine, nonsense theme? Closer to who or what? Closer how, when and where? It appears the DDA sponsored this project with our tax dollars and their illiteracy. Wonder if they'd spent \$49,000 studying this frivolous idea if the money came out of their personal pockets?

TO THE PERSON who says the Democratic mayor of New York ordered cabs made in Japan Bloomberg was a Democrat years ago, but he got elected three times as a Republican and later quit that party to become an Independent.

IF THE REAGEN and Bush tax giveaways to the rich were so good, why do we have such huge deficits and high unemployment?

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TIMES, YOU DID a report on teachers in the area. What you didn't say is how the regular English, math, and science teachers have more than 140 kids to teach while our IB teachers have fewer than 20. Plus, they get more time to sit in their offices doing nothing. How about making the Fenton school board come clean on all aspects of IB.

HEY TIMES, HOW about checking on how much IB costs? There are fewer than 30 kids in the high school who are working on the IB Diploma. \$800,000 plus training for 30 kids?

HE MAY HAVE conditions, but "The Weiner" is cleaner than most politicians.

IT'S TIME WE the people fought back against these greedy gas and oil companies. I for one am boycotting Exxon Mobil. Do the same and watch gas prices come down. Show D.C. and the stock market we are serious about this robbery.

THIRTY- AND 40-million-dollar salaries a year with millions of bonuses, while we need an extra job to pay for gas and food. D.C. folks and Gov. Rick Snyder takes our retirement and gives it to these people. Something is not right here.

COULD THE OWNERS of the Michigan Bean Co. change the Fenton scene on the building?

DO YOU KNOW what the Price-Anderson Nuclear Industries Act is and how it could affect your family, state and country? Get informed!

LET'S TELL THE TRUTH, 100K for a broken arm is nothing but a flat lie. If you understand the cost of medicine, you would know that doctors are not the problem. It is insurance, regulations, drug companies and insurance that doctors are required to carry. Get the facts please.

THE HOT LINE about the guy collecting \$31 for wounded soldiers and only \$1 goes to actually help the soldiers, reminds me — always, before giving to any organization, go online and check them out. Look for high paid CEO's and the percentage that goes to the actual cause. A good site is Charity Navigator. Many charities you think are doing a great job, are in fact not doing as they claim.

NOW WE HAVE a new out of town architectural firm consulting for the DDA. What happened to the one hired for the facade program? It's been a year and not one improvement has been made that I can see. A building is leased for \$1 to a for-profit businessman, over a non profit? The pedestrian walking signs are a great idea — again it took a year? Why so long? Come on city council, follow up.

See **HOT LINE** throughout Times

Compiled by Tim Jagielo, Staff Reporter

Where is your favorite place in Michigan to visit?

streettalk



"That's a tough question. There's a lot of good places to go. Comerica Park, it's a good place to take the family."

— Cas Guzdzio, Holly



"Dearborn, for the Henry Ford Museum, there's so much for any age, something of interest to anyone."

— Doug Spalding, Linden



"Mt. Pleasant, for Soaring Eagle Casino. There's so many golf courses there."

— Fran Moore
Holly Township



"Alpena. Fishing, camping, berry picking, with family and friends. It's the outdoor place to be."

— Tom Thompkins
Howell



"Probably Traverse City, because of the festivals, the Cherry Festival, it's a beautiful place."

— Rob Robinson
Argentine Township



"Mackinaw Island. I just like going up there. There's no cars, you ride horses, buy the fudge. We go every year."

— Jodi Williamson, Linden

City mulls how to clean up contaminated area

► Arsenic found in several acres of Orchard Hills subdivision

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Fenton — Fenton City Council discussed what to do with excessive levels of arsenic in the Orchard Hills subdivision on Monday. After a lengthy discussion at its work session, Council referred the topic over to the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority (CFBRA) for further review.

The city accepted the deed from Genesee County for Phase 2 of the unfinished development in January, because of unpaid taxes. If the city had not accepted the deed, the county could have kept it and kept control.

As the owner, the city would be able to sell the lots, generating revenue for the city; however, excessive levels of arsenic must be dealt with to protect the city's residents.

Of the property, about seven acres have been found to contain excessive levels of arsenic from pesticides and fertilizers used decades ago for the apple orchards, according to an environmental study that was conducted.

When the city was considering the acquisition in December, Douglas McDowell of McDowell and Associates, the consultant for the developer, indicated to council members that he estimated cleanup costs to be between \$50,000 and \$60,000.

On Monday, Charles Barbieri, attorney for the unfinished project, said the city has a few options to consider. The

price tag however, is substantially more than what was estimated in December.

Barbieri said the best option would be to cap the area with a layer of clay for about \$181,000.

Another option would be to excavate and relocate the contaminated soil into a consolidated area, on two undeveloped lots. A mound could be created with additional soil, which would make for a smaller footprint. This option is estimated to cost \$176,000. Barbieri said soil excavated from the site of the new Fairfield hotel is available.

Mayor Sue Osborn said cleaning up the site and selling lots could recoup cleanup expenses. She said it is the city's responsibility to make it safe.

Councilman John Rauch was in favor of cleaning up the area, but acknowledged the timing was terrible. The city would not make any money selling lots, in today's economy.

A concern of landmark trees was also discussed. Osborn said some of the old trees in the affected areas might be protected.

Consensus of the council was to refer the matter over to the CFBRA for a plan of action.

The CFBRA was established to facilitate the implementation of plans relating to the identification and treatment of environmentally distressed areas so as to promote revitalization in the city.

Once a plan is researched and outlined, including ways of funding the project, a recommendation will be brought back to Fenton City Council for consideration.

Summary

► Fenton City Council deferred an arsenic problem in the Orchard Hills subdivision to the City of Fenton Brownfield Redevelopment Authority.

PROTEST

Continued from Front Page

reductions of positions by attrition. About 100 teachers attended the meeting, vocalizing their opposition to the cuts.

Under Snyder's new education reform plan, per pupil funding will be reduced by \$470 next year. The base allowance for each student will be \$6,848 next year as opposed to this year's \$7,316 per student. The total cut in per pupil funding alone will cost the district approximately \$1.6 million next year.

A budget presentation that has been available on the school district website

was presented to the crowd, detailing some of the cuts that the board is considering. Board member Richard Desjardins sympathized with the FEA, noting that he is a teacher in Brighton and has been in the same position that they are now in.

"Please don't mistakenly look at us as stoically not caring," Desjardins said. "(The district) is being destroyed financially. It is not fun what you're doled out as a teacher. I agree with everything that has been said."

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 27 at 7 p.m. at the administration building.

'Revive and Restore' kicks off with remembrance of 1953 tornado

At 7:30 p.m. tonight, Wednesday, June 8, numerous multi-denominational churches will meet at Holy Redeemer Church, in recognition of the Beecher-Flint tornado that occurred on June 8, 1953. This event kicks off an effort to "Revive and Restore" the community. It will continue Thursday and Friday, June 9 and 10 for the first multi-

denominational Habitat for Humanity Build, which will take place on Seymour Road, just south of Grand Blanc Road in Gaines Township. To participate or provide food for this event, contact Linda Vivian at llee@tearsofrestoration.org or call (810) 621-4665. Holy Redeemer Church is located at 1227 East Bristol Rd., Burton.

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Linden schools outsource janitorial services

► Savings to district estimated
at \$238,936 per year

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Linden — Despite impassioned remarks made by two current custodial workers, the Linden Board of Education voted 5-1 in favor of outsourcing its custodial services to the DM Burr Group, of Flint Wednesday.

In January, the school board directed Greg Vadasz, operations manager for Linden Community Schools, to bid out the custodial services in an attempt to determine current market rates. After the bid specifications were determined, public bids were sought beginning in early February. By the end of February, Vadasz received proposals from six companies.

DM Burr submitted the lowest combined bid for the three-year term and submitted a thorough proposal that met the minimum requirements as determined by the specs.

Vadasz added that DM Burr has had three successful years cleaning the high school, bus garage and administration building.

Interviews were held with the two lowest bidders. DM Burr was recommended because of their price and prior success at the high school.

The approved contract calls for the company to provide cleaning services at all district-owned facilities, effective July 1. The total cost of providing this service will be \$474,867 per year for the next three school years.

If the district chooses to extend its contract with DM Burr, the cost of 2014-15 would be \$489,116 and \$503,789 for the 2015-16 school year.

Throughout the contract, the work of

DM Burr will be continually evaluated.

Vadasz estimates this new contract will save the school district \$238,936 per year.

Superintendent Ed Koledo said the current nine, full-time and one, part-time custodians cost the district approximately \$572,000 in wages and benefits this year.

That figure was expected to be \$597,000 next year. Hourly wages of the custodians range between \$11 and \$13, depending on length of service.

With the concessions the custodians offered, savings to the district would have been about \$72,000, compared to the \$238,936 in savings by contracting with DM Burr.

Joanne Erway, a custodial worker said it was impossible to come up with a way of saving \$238,000 between nine

custodians. "It takes everything we've got," she said. "We're not just cleaners."

"Outsourcing is breaking down the community and hurting the children."

Lynn Brothers, a custodian, resident and voter said, as a taxpayer, the custodians have changed their insurance and have saved the district more money than any other group. "We're the lowest paid custodians in Genesee County," she said.

"Vadasz hasn't taken any

concessions."

Brothers suggested the board begin looking at the top for making cuts. She and the other custodians do care for the students and earn their money. "We care," she said. "We're not just

in the cleaning business."

Koledo said contrary to what Brothers said about Vadasz not taking any concessions, both Koledo and Vadasz took an 8-percent cut last year and obtained their own health insurance.

Murphy voted against the motion citing he would have preferred to continue negotiations with the district's custodians.

TERMINATED

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Baker's live-in boyfriend at the time, Brandon Hayes, 25, was charged with multiple felonies, including torture, murder, and child abuse. He faces life in prison if he is found guilty as charged. Prosecutors allege that Hayes repeatedly beat the little boy after he accidentally wet his pants.

Police and prosecutors allege that Baker could have sought help for Dominick, but did not. She is facing second-degree murder and second-degree child abuse charges.

Baker is currently serving time in state prison for an unrelated drug conviction out of Livingston County. Baker and Hayes' murder trials are scheduled for this fall.

Tyler, who was in the apartment when Dominick was being beaten, was immediately removed from the home and placed in foster care. Tyler testified at Hayes preliminary exam that Hayes also injured him, which led to an additional

child abuse charge.

Since Dominick's death, Tyler has been living with a foster family. Family members have had no contact with him. Because of the circumstances, Genesee County Child Protective Services petitioned the courts to terminate Baker's parental rights.

Baker's attorney requested that the case be adjourned until after Baker and Hayes' criminal trial, however, the judge denied that request. Baker, who was available via telephone, then pleaded no contest in the matter during the hearing. The court found that terminating her rights was in the best interest of Tyler.

A post-termination review hearing is next in the process and family members, or even the foster family, could express interest in adopting Tyler. This decision will be made through the attorneys and the Department of Human Services.

Baker will be granted one last visitation with Tyler in the next couple of weeks, most likely at the facility at which she is incarcerated.

Rick Calhoun, the biological grandfather of Dominick, was in court Wednesday when the judge terminated her parental rights. He said he and other family members are saddened that they have not been allowed to see Tyler since he was placed in foster care.

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Mark McCabe 67th District Court Ask the judge

The importance of time

I have just finished celebrating another birthday. I really don't mind the getting older part as that's just a part of life here on earth and we all have to face it. However, what I find a bit distracting is the fact that as I get older, time seems to speed up just a little every year and it seems impossible that time is passing so quickly. Of course, there are times when time seems to pass very slowly. In any event, life and time continue and I thought that since I have just passed another time milestone, this would be an appropriate occasion to talk a little bit about how the law treats the concept of time.

Michigan has a specific Court Rule, which tells us how time is to be computed and is as follows: The day of the act, event, or default after which the designated period of time begins to run is not included. The last day of the period is included, unless it is a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or holiday on which the court is closed pursuant to court order; in that event the period runs until the end of the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, or holiday on which the court is closed pursuant to court order.

If a period is measured by a number of weeks, the last day of the period is the same day of the week as the day on which the period began.

If a period is measured by months or years, the last day of the period is the same day of the month as the day on which the period began. If what would otherwise be the final month does not include that day, the last day of the period is the last day of that month. For example, '2 months' after January 31 is March 31, and '3 months' after January 31 is April 30.

Time is a vital concept under the law and cannot be ignored or taken lightly. This is why the Court Rule is so specific about how time is computed. The rule is used to determine all time periods specified in the Court Rules, court orders and statutes. A failure to abide by the law's time limits can be a trap for the unwary. As the saying goes, 'time and tide wait for no one!'

HOT LINE CONTINUED

RESPECT FOR THE highest elected office in our nation should come natural to Americans. It's one of the guiding principles my dad planted in all of his children and raised us under. My problem is that I was also reared to understand you cannot trust or respect a liar. Thus you see my dilemma with President Obama, he meets both criteria.

HOW DOES REDUCTION of capital gain taxes help the workers? Why should workers pay more tax on wages than the rich pay on capital gains? They are both income. Also, how does eliminating inheritance taxes on millionaire estates help the workers? How does the GOP policy, which created the greatest gap between rich and poor since the Depression, benefit workers?

I UNDERSTAND JIM Tressel from Ohio State is going to be making a run at the 2012 presidential nomination for the Republican Party. Sounds about right.

ON SATURDAY, I was eating lunch at The French Laundry with my son. My son was home from the Navy and was wearing his dress whites. I want to thank the nice person who bought our lunch for us. May God bless you.

WOW, THE GAS prices at the pump in Roswell, N.M. range from \$3.16 to \$3.45 per gallon. Why can't the prices here in Michigan be that way?

"WE," THE NORMAL, everyday Baby Boomers, did not create the 14 trillion dollar debt; politicians did. Pork barrel politics, tax cuts for businesses and millionaires, and giving away government money as if they weren't responsible for it, has caused this debt. It's been happening for decades, and unfortunately it will continue.

ANYONE HAVE ANY advice on how to deal with feral cats? My neighborhood is over-populated with them. They are very destructive, seem to do a lot fighting and are repopulating. At this point, nobody wants them because they are wild and the neighborhood has had it. They just can't keep running around here like this. There must be 15 of them, in Dibbleville.

IS ANYONE GETTING eaten up by mosquitoes? My 2-year-old son has Lymphedema and getting a bite is detrimental to his health. Does anyone know if they will be spraying soon or if I can request getting my yard sprayed and who to contact about this? Please help!

FOUR YEARS OF making grades in high school, participating in athletic and extracurricular programs, staying off the street and generally being a good kid and not a thug, only to be denied the chance to graduate with pride while your loved ones watch this once in a lifetime moment....because of a food fight? Get real Fenton.

I WOULD LIKE to thank my kind, caring, compassionate neighbors who noticed that, for the first time in 23 years, my lawn hadn't been mowed for two weeks. They know I live alone. Yet, instead of noticing that this was unusual and wondering if something might be wrong ... maybe an illness or crisis and offering to help ... they filed a complaint with the city. Bless you.

LINDEN TAXPAYERS NEED to be aware that the director of operations makes a big fat salary and he gets a company truck and a secretary. When the school board created this position, he had 17 custodians and five maintenance people to supervise. Now he has 2.5 maintenance people and had 9.5 custodians, which they just privatized. If your true intention is to save money and put it in the classroom, why not start there?

SO THE GOVERNMENT is happy that they only lost 20 percent of our money to the auto bailout, expecting 60 percent? I don't know about you, but I don't invest my money expecting a 60-percent loss. Everyone should be enraged!

CONGRESSMAN COMES CLEAN. Rep. Anthony Weiner from New York admitted he did send the lewd photos of himself to multiple young Facebook ladies. Sounds like Weiner has gotten himself in quite a pickle. Pun intended.

IS IT JUST me or has anyone else noticed that the good Dr. Death has not asked for any of his own medicine? What a hypocrite!

IS THERE A veterinarian in this area willing to give up a Saturday or Sunday to help search for, and tranquilize Florida, the dog, missing since last July? We know the general area she roams. Please don't feed her so she will go into a live trap, but leave her plenty of fresh water so she won't dehydrate. Please veterinarians, help her get home. Contact owner at (810) 853-2085. Thank you!

Police&Fire report

SUSPICIOUS MAN WATCHING KIDS AT BUS STOP

According to Linden Superintendent Ed Koledo, there was suspicious activity at a bus stop Tuesday morning. An alert was sent out to parents, as a precautionary measure. At approximately 7:45 a.m., a bus driver approached a stop at Sunflower and Saddlebrook Drive, near Ripley and Silver Lake roads, on an elementary route. The driver noticed a white male, in his late 50's, with white hair sitting just down from the bus stop in what looked like a grey, 1990's-style, four-door Buick Century. The man appeared to be watching kids at the bus stop and was of no relation to any children at the stop. At the next stop, the bus driver noticed the car had really slowed and appeared to be carefully watching the kids at that stop. The bus driver called 911 and police responded. Linden and Argentine police are aware of the situation. While no contact was made and the intent of the man is unknown, it is considered suspicious activity and the administration wanted to pass the information on to parents.

EMBEZZLEMENT

On June 1, Fenton police were sent to a business in the 1300 block of North LeRoy Street to investigate an embezzlement complaint. The owner told police that a 25-year-old male employee took items and cash and

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Valedictorian



Brodie Lewis

Brodie Lewis, son of Chris and Laura Lewis, has earned top recognition as valedictorian. He has been active in band, named as principal horn, lead mellophone and lead trumpet in the Wind Ensemble and the Jazz Ensemble. He was also the middle voice section leader and lead mellophone for the Marching Band. Brodie also played lead mellophone with the Glassmen Drum & Bugle Corps. He was a member of the National Honor Society. Brodie will attend Oakland University, majoring in medical physics with a minor in business. He plans to study optometry and open his own practice. He will become a member of the Blue Devils Drum and Bugle Corps.

Salutatorian



Colin Westphal

Colin Westphal, son of Larry and Vickie Westphal, is recognized as salutatorian. He served as president of Students Against Destructive Decisions and was a section leader in Marching Band. In addition, Colin was a member of Student Council, National Honor Society, Linden Jazz Ensemble and Glassmen Drum and Bugle Corps. He will attend Central Michigan University to major in biology and minor in leadership. Colin plans to be a doctor of stem cell biology and enter the field of research in regenerative medicine.

Third



Mark Wright

Mark Wright, son of Thomas and Teresa Wright, was secretary of the National Honor Society, a four-year varsity member and co-captain of the track and field and cross-country teams. Mark plans to attend Oakland University to pursue a degree in math or science. He hopes to complete his own research someday.

Fourth



Elizabeth Girgen

Elizabeth Girgen, daughter of Kathleen Girgen and the late Matt Girgen, has been active with the Linden Student Council, serving as senior class president. She was also a member of the National Honor Society. Elizabeth plans to attend the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor College of Engineering, where she will study biomedical engineering.

Fifth



Alexandra Bell

Alexandra Bell, daughter of Raymond and Tiffany Bell, enjoys playing the banjo and guitar. She also enjoys acting, and was awarded a part in "Macbeth." Outside of school, Alexandra works as a transporter at the Argentine Care Center. She will attend Lansing Community College, where she will pursue her associate's degree in alternative energy, and then plans to join the Peace Corps to help improve the environment in Third World countries.

Sixth



Brandi Juengel

Brandi Juengel, daughter of Max and Loretta Juengel, has been a member of the varsity cross-country team and the varsity soccer team. She is involved with the National Honor Society and participates in the Grand Blanc Youth Group. She plans to attend Michigan State University in the Pre-Vet School of the College of Veterinary Medicine.

Seventh



Paige Morgan

Paige Morgan, daughter of Steve and Lynne Morgan, has been a member of National Honor Society, Vocal Ensemble and served as the 2011 captain of the varsity volleyball team. She plans to attend Oakland University and earn a bachelor's degree in education, counseling or social work. She hopes to continue her education, earning a master's degree in speech and language pathology.

Eighth



Adam Dietz

Adam Dietz is the son of Michael and Kelly Dietz. Adam was actively involved in a wide variety of activities during his four years at Linden High School. He was a member of the Linden varsity cross country team where he was named team captain. He is also a member of the Linden varsity track team. Additionally, Adam is a mentor to incoming freshmen as a member of the LINK Crew. He is also a member of the National Honor Society where he serves as the NHS service coordinator. In his spare time, Adam participates in the Boy Scouts where he has obtained the rank of Eagle Scout and participates in his church's youth band as a drummer. Adam plans to attend Michigan Technological University where he will study mathematics and computer science on his way to becoming a college professor.

Ninth



Amellia Versola

Amellia Versola, daughter of Robert and Susan Versola, was a member of varsity cross country, Varsity Quiz Bowl and Ensemble Choir. She also sings in the band, "In Memory Of," plays the piano and writes her own music. She is a member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church Youth Group and was the co-captain of the 2011 Linden High School Relay for Life Team. Amellia still finds time to be the owner of "Amellia's Cakery." She will study hospitality management at Michigan State University, aspiring to work in New York at a luxury hotel.

Tenth



Brian Underwood

Brian Underwood, son of Paul and Colleen Underwood, was a Student Council representative and member of the National Honor Society. He enjoys hunting, golf, skiing, hockey and dirt biking, when he has time away from school and his job at McDonald's. Brian will attend the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor or Michigan State University. He plans to study pre-med and pursue a career in dentistry.

EYES

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eat all those green things on your dinner plate because they were good for you? Turns out she was right. Eating lots of fruits and vegetables is one of the most effective ways to keep eyes sharp. Cringe as you may, beta-carotene is vital to maintaining your sight and the nutrient is present in many of the foods you would find in the produce section.

“Vitamin A is the active form of beta carotene, which is found in carrots,” said Marjie Andrejciw, a holistic nutritional counselor and owner of Marjie’s Gluten Free Pantry. “Any kind of vegetable or fruit that is reddish or dark in color is good for your eyes.”

Other foods that are good for eyesight include fatty fish and egg yolk. Salmon, mackerel, sardines and anchovies are packed with oils and omega-3 fatty acids, and they contain very high levels of vitamin A.

“Cod liver is a supplement that is very good for your eyes,” Andrejciw said. “Eggs from a chicken raised on a ranch are rich in vitamins too. It has more nutrients than regular eggs since the chicken is out in the sunshine and eating grains and worms straight from the earth.”

Computers, televisions, cell phones oh my!

The 21st Century is dominated by technology, and with it comes the rise of more screens. According to a 2009 study by the Nielson Company, Americans spend on average eight hours a day viewing screens. Those bright lights can be hypnotizing, drying out your eyes.

Although staring at a computer screen all day won’t cause blindness, it is enough to cause eyestrain and irritation.

According to preventblindness.org, computer screens should be at least 20 inches away from the user’s eyes. Reducing the lighting to lower glare and reflection also helps. Taking a break every 20 minutes is also very useful for eyes. For those who love their Internet and video games shouldn’t be too concerned however, the level of radiation from a screen is so low that it will never cause cataracts or other forms of blindness.

Sunshine

The sun does wonders for the human body, and the eyes are no exception. In a recent report by CNN, spending 10 to 14 hours a week outside can prevent myopia, or near sightedness. One hypothesis as to why the sunshine is so good for the eyes is the release of dopamine, a part of the brain, which is responsible for feeling pleasure.

However, more sun does not always equal better eyes. Overexposure to harmful UV lights can cause permanent eye damage. Preventblindness.org recommends wearing sunglasses for those who spend a significant amount of time in the sun or have had surgery on their eyes. Certain medications such as birth control and tranquilizers cause the eye to dilate, increasing the need for sunglasses.

Any kind of vegetable or fruit that is reddish or dark in color is good for your eyes.

Marjie Andrejciw
Marjie's Gluten Free
Pantry owner

Natural remedies

• **Steam can help** clear up stye, a bacterial infection that forms on the edges of an eyelid. Hovering one’s eye over a cup of hot water or using a warm washcloth three times a day will help clear up the infection.

• **Fruits and vegetables** help break down floaters, dots and squiggles of old blood vessels that can occasionally be seen by the eye. While floaters will not go away completely, more antioxidants make them less frequent with time.

• **Sleep and sterile** saline solutions can help against corneal abrasions, or scratches on the cornea. Keeping the eyelids clean will prevent bacteria from spreading into the eye.

Source: Bottom Line, www.CVConsulting.com

THIEVES

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Deputies said the owner of a business in the 1400 block of Torrey Road had seen a blue Chevy S-10 pickup truck leaving the parking lot of his business as he was arriving. As the vehicles passed each other, the owner saw property in the bed of the truck, which belonged to his business.

The business owner turned around and followed the truck south on Torrey Road and then northbound on U.S. 23. As the business owner followed the truck, the driver of the truck attempted to use the median turnaround, however, the truck slid into the median and stopped.

Two white males, between the ages of 40 and 50 exited the truck and ran west toward North Road. The suspects ran

into a wooded area. Police were unable to locate the suspects.

The license plate of the pickup truck came back registered to a 52-year-old Flint man, who said his truck had been stolen, when later contacted by police. The man was asked to come to the police station, however, as of Tuesday, the man has not arrived.

The owner of the refrigeration equipment business said canisters, copper piping and a filing cabinet were stolen and positively identified as those recovered in the truck. Value of the property was \$5,000.

Police have reviewed the surveillance video provided by the business and attempts are being made to identify the two suspects. The case remains under investigation.

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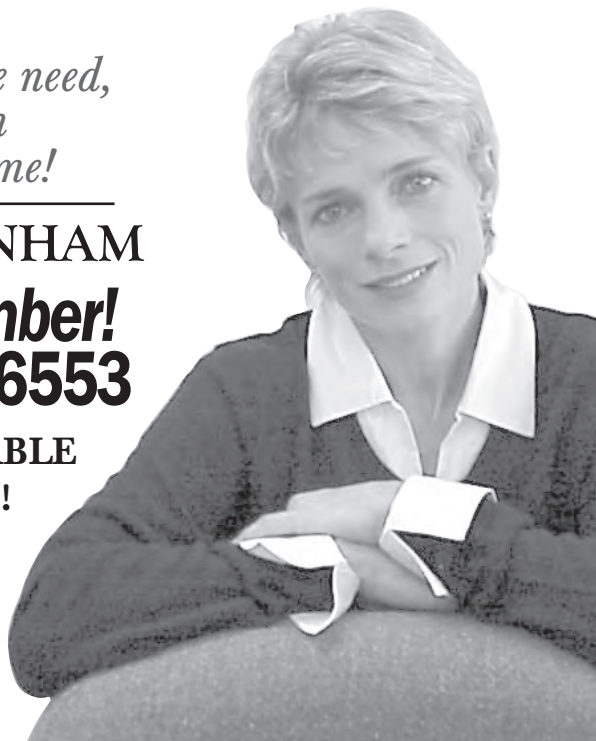
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MASONS

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"Worshipful" is not to be confused with a religious title. To Masons, the title means "respected," and is a one-year term in recognition of having served in all the other official roles of the lodge.

Their monthly meetings are not secret, but they are also not open to the public. Officers like WM Roger Kaufman will wear his full regalia and even a tuxedo along with the other officers. At the center of each meeting hall is the bible.

Aside from monthly meetings, there are "special communications" meetings to discuss officers and other business. There are many symbols in their official meeting area, and the WM always sits facing east during meetings.

The most recognizable symbols of the masons is the compass and the square, which were borrowed as teaching symbols from the original Freemasons, who built the cathedrals. Originally, the masons were the builders of great cathedrals in Europe in the 1600s.

"We borrowed their tools as speculative lessons," said secretary and past WM John Porritt. "The compass teaches us to be in due bounds with all mankind," he said. The square tool is to "square actions by the square of virtue." The meaning of these symbols was kept very secret until

"We make good men better."

Richard Childs
Linden Masons past
Worshipful Master

the last few years.

The Masons have existed since the 1700s, and the Linden Lodge was founded in 1860. It has been at its present location in downtown Linden since 1902.

Mason's by rule are men only, but women and men can join the Order of the Eastern Star, a newer, separate part of the Masons. A mason must also have faith in one "supreme being," meaning someone who practices Christianity, Judaism, Buddhism, or Islam can join. One of the hallmarks of a mason is "fellowship," and includes fellowships with other faiths.

The masons do not like to brag, but they also do a fair amount of community work, with their Bike for Books program, and MICHIPS, where children, or elders with Alzheimer's are fingerprinted

and documented.

They also share their downstairs lodge space with community organizations like the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Kiwanis and the City of Linden.

Like any fraternal order, times and society have changed, and these changes have in turn affected their numbers, even though the Linden masons remain very busy with activities.

"I believe that masonry will continue, it will have its fluctuations in membership," said Porritt.

"We gotta get the youth in," said Childs.

POLICE

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processed fake returns for money. The owner believes total lost to his store is \$575. When questioned, the suspect admitted to the theft saying he was short on cash. Police are seeking a warrant for embezzlement.

INTOXICATED MAN At 3:45 a.m. on June 7, Fenton police were sent to the area of George Street and Shiawassee Avenue for a highly intoxicated man, later identified as a 25-year-old Fenton resident. A caller reported seeing the man passed out on their lawn. When confronted by the caller, the intoxicated man staggered down George Street. Police made contact with the man, who refused to enter the patrol car. He was taken into custody and blew a .20 on a breath test. A computer check of the man revealed two outstanding warrants. He was transported to the county jail for arraignments on those warrants.

DRINKING IN THE CAR

At 1 a.m. on June 7, a Fenton police officer on patrol checked on an apartment complex on Silver Lake Road,

which was the location of recent malicious destruction of property. The officer spotted a vehicle with two occupants, who continued to sit in the car for a while. Contact was made with the occupants, an 18-year-old Fenton female and a 23-year-old Fenton man. The two said they were waiting for a friend. The officer observed beer in the back seat and detected the odor of intoxicants. The female blew a .149 on the breath test and was issued a court appearance ticket for minor in possession of alcohol. The male was released, but police confiscated the keys overnight.

BRASS FIXTURE STOLEN

On May 31, Fenton police were sent to a business in the 100 block of North Alloy Drive to investigate a larceny complaint. A 64-year-old Tyrone Township man said someone had cut off the brass sprinkler system fixture from the building he owns. The discovery was made when the sprinkler system was turned on. A similar theft was discovered at another business on Fenway Drive last month. The suspect(s) most likely stole the brass to sell for scrap, according to Lt. Jason Slater.

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DRIVING

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new automotive feature of a reverse camera, now available as a custom feature in many new cars. It shows a driver exactly what is going on behind their vehicle, either in their rearview mirror or on their navigational screen — without having to turn around. This is a very convenient feature for drivers, like LaFee, who suffer from arthritis or other mobility issues.

Today's auto manufacturers are responding to these challenges for the 25 million drivers plus in the U.S. who are 70 and older, as well as the new generation of drivers age 50 and up. While these mature drivers are often excellent in their driving skills, physical and cognitive changes in the aging process do add to the stress and difficulty of driving.

Here is a rundown of some of the challenges and gadgets available.

• **Arthritis/weak hands** - Drivers who have arthritic or weak hands may find it difficult to turn the ignition key, twist open the gas cap or perform other driving maneuvers. An easy-to-grasp key holder, which provides additional leverage when turning the key in the ignition, or a key lever for car keys with thick plastic head covers, makes starting the car much easier.

For arthritis "pain at the pump," drivers can purchase a long-handled device that fits on most gas caps and works like a wrench to help open the gas cap easily. To steer a vehicle more easily, older drivers will enjoy a memory foam steering wheel cover that makes it much easier to grip the wheel.

• **Mobility** - Each year in the U.S., an estimated 37,000 seniors are injured simply by getting in and out of their cars. To make this movement easier, a driver can use a small portable support handle with a non-slip grip, or a nylon handle that hooks around the top of the door window frame.

Drivers and passengers who need help rotating in and out of their cars may want to use a swivel seat cushion that turns 360 degrees.

• **Vision** - Many older drivers are especially sensitive to glare, or may have difficulty turning to look over their shoulders. A plastic tinted visor that clips onto an existing sun visor helps remove sun glare without obstructing vision.

For drivers with vision issues, the reverse camera system is a valuable tool. Some of today's new cars even have a "Park Assist" feature that allows the driver to take their hands off the wheel and let the car park itself. "Once our 65 year old-plus customers see this feature on the new Ford Focus, that's the car they want to have," said Jay Lasco of Lasco Ford. "Car manufacturers today have made this technology so simple for people to use."

• **Smaller stature** - Most people will notice that they are shorter by a few inches

AARP Driver Safety Program offered this fall

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An on-line version of this class is also available at www.aarp.com

as they grow older, making it difficult for some people to comfortably see over the wheel or reach a vehicle's pedals without being too close to the airbag. A wedge cushion, which supports the back while providing a lift, can alleviate this problem. Foot pedal extensions, installed by a mechanic, can also be a solution.

• **Seat belt discomfort** - Extensions, shoulder pads and adjusters are all features that are available to alleviate some of the discomfort of seat belt usage.

At Vic Canever Chevrolet in Fenton, most of their "mature" customers are looking for comfort in their vehicles, according to sales manager Matt Stevens. "These features range from power seats and power lift gates to remote starts, heated seats and satellite radio," he said. "Compasses, too. Our older customers want to know where they are going."

Michigan's rules for older drivers

- **Standard driver's** license renewal every four years.
- **Renewal conditions:** Mail in every other cycle, if no traffic convictions and no changes in physical or mental condition.
- **Vision test:** Yes.
- **Written test:** No (unless license has been expired for four years or more).
- **Road test:** No (unless physical or mental condition indicates a need).

Source: www.michigan.gov/sos

"It's not just young people in their 20s and 30s who are using technology in their cars. Today's older generation is doing the same thing. Ford's goal is to make hands-free technology usage standard in its new cars, with voice integration for cell phones, iPods and navigational systems."

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A complete schedule and full details on the 2011-12 season is also available online at TheWhiting.com.

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Saturday, Nov. 12 • 8 p.m.

CHRIS ISAAK
Thursday, Dec. 8 • 8 p.m.

FSO HOLIDAY POPS
Saturday, Dec. 17 • 7 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 18 • 3 p.m.

THE WIZARD OF OZ
Saturday, Jan. 14, 2012 • 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

RAIN: A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES
Wednesday, Feb. 8, 2012 • 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 9, 2012 • 7:30 p.m.

WAYNE BRADY
Saturday, Feb. 11, 2012 • 8 p.m.

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Saturday, Feb. 18, 2012 • 7:30 p.m.

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Wednesday, February 29, 2012 • 8 p.m.

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Sunday, April 15, 2012 • 3 p.m.

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Friday, April 27, 2012 • 8 p.m.

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Saturday, May 5, 2012 • 8 p.m.

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TRUE GRIT

The Coen brothers' version of "True Grit," Charles Portis' novel is about a 14-year-old girl who, along with an aging U.S. marshal and another lawman, tracks her father's killer in hostile Indian territory. Mattie Ross's (Hailee Steinfeld) father has been shot in cold blood by the coward Tom Chaney (Josh Brolin), and she is determined to bring him to justice. Enlisting the help of a trigger-happy, drunken U.S. Marshal Rooster Cogburn (Jeff Bridges), she sets out with him — over his objections — to hunt down Chaney. Her father's blood demands that she pursue the criminal into Indian territory and find him before a Texas Ranger named LeBoeuf



(Matt Damon) catches him and brings him back to Texas for the murder of another man. The film features an incredible bravura performance in Bridges, who makes the role of Rooster Cogburn his own. The original 1969 film was a showcase for John Wayne, and starred Kim Darby as the teen. It's directed by the Coen brothers and stars Hailee Steinfeld, Josh Brolin, Jeff Bridges, Matt Damon, Barry Pepper.

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Early bird?
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Snail, on a French menu

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"Thirty days — ..."
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PAUL G. DONOHUE, M.D.

To your
good health

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ANSWER: You've stuck with this program for four years and are now using less medicine than you did. It appears to help you. Your regimen isn't a dangerous one. However, I have to stop short of giving you carte blanche approval.

Lake
Fenton's
Paula
Valacak

LF headed to regionals for fifth straight year

By Al Zipsie
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Burton — Lake Fenton's varsity softball team knows not all habits are bad.

In fact, the Blue Devils have found one that's a great habit to acquire.

The Lake Fenton Blue Devils captured their fifth straight district title Saturday at Bendle High School, earning victories against Atherton and Byron.

They used two different ways to win each game. Lake Fenton won a 1-0 pitchers' duel against Atherton in the semifinal. In the title game, the Blue Devils

had to rally in the last inning for an 8-5 comeback win against Byron. The Lady Blue Devils (22-9) now travel to the Millington regional Saturday. The Blue Devils play GAC foe Montrose in the semis, a team they beat twice earlier this season.

Lake Fenton's freshman pitcher Paula Valacak tossed a complete game shutout, yielding only three hits to eliminate Atherton. She also pitched in the championship game for five innings, but then had to come off the mound with heat exhaustion. Lake Fenton senior Allie Newman took over on the mound in the sixth and eventually earned the second-game win.

Trailing 5-2 entering the seventh, the Blue Devils scored six runs in the top of the seventh, sparking the win. Junior Ashley Rinks got the rally rolling with a double, scoring Alex Wilkinson, who had singled. However, the next two batters went out, dropping Lake Fenton down to it's final out still trailing 5-3.

Lake Fenton responded. The Blue Devils scored five runs before that final out, eventually earning the 8-5 lead. Alexis Melton's batted ball was booted, and Rinks scored. Kayla Ward pinch hit, and had a clutch RBI-single to tying the game at 5-all. The Blue Devils continued to push on. Shelby Beckman had the go-ahead

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Times sports

SPORTS TRIVIA

Q Who won horse racing's Triple Crown in 1941?

A Whirlaway won the Triple Crown with a three-length victory at the Belmont Stakes. It was the closest of the three races for Whirlaway.

Parcher misses state title by .1 second

►Girls 3,200 relay
earns all-state honors

By David Troppens

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If it was the 90 meter dash, Linden's freshman star sprinter would already be a state champion during his rookie year running prep track and field.

But, instead, Ted Parcher will have to "settle" with the thrilling second-place effort he posted in the 100 at the Division 2 State Track and Field Championships hosted at Grand Rapids' Houseman Field Saturday.

Parcher completed the 100 dash in a tie for second place with Grand Rapids Catholic's Bronson Hill with a time of 10.8 seconds, just .01 second behind Detroit Country Day's winner John Hill. Parcher took the narrow state championship miss in perspective.

"Taking second as a freshman, I feel great," Parcher said. "I knew I was in first at the start but then he started catching me so I pushed a little harder. (At the end) it was too close to tell (who won). I was thinking whoever won it, it would be cool with me."

Parcher's race among the top three was so close, particularly the battle for second, that the video was analyzed time and time again before it became official that Parcher tied Bronson Hill for second.

"It was a three-man race," Linden coach Nick Douglass said. "Ted led from about 40 meters right until the very end. His performance was phenomenal. Hopefully, he learned a lot this year."

In the prelims, Parcher placed first in his heat (11.09). he took third in the semis (10.96) earning himself a spot in the championship finals. Parcher thinks the experience will help him.

"I found someone faster than me and I want to push myself harder so I can get better," Parcher said.

The Linden Eagles had one more all-state performance at the meet. The girls 3,200 relay squad placed fourth.

The Linden girls 3,200 relay team of Sydney Elmer, Heidi Sack, Danielle Starrs and Mayce Varacalli capped their season by taking fourth in the state. They finished with a school-record time of 9:44.46, despite three of the runners suffering from



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | SUBMITTED PHOTOS
(Above) Linden's Ted Parcher (middle) placed second in the 100 meter dash with a time of 10.80 seconds at the Division 2 State Track and Field Championships on Saturday. (Right) Linden's Mayce Varacalli (front) anchored the Eagles' fourth-place 3,200 relay team at the same event.

illnesses in recent days. Sack thought illness may keep them from making the top eight and earning all-state honors.

"We definitely knew we were close to all-state, but I wasn't sure if we were really close enough," Sack said. "Before the race though we were all like 'Let's go insane.' No matter how much it hurts this was the last race for us seniors. We pulled together perfectly. I'm still shocked."

All but Elmer are seniors. Elmer is a freshman. The Eagles remained around the top 10 for most of the race, but were around fifth when Starrs handed off the baton to anchor Varacalli. She was initially passed by a couple runners but in the final 200 meters she passed some runners, earning the squad the fourth-place finish.

"She was an amazing anchor," Sack said. "When we took fourth, I cried. I wanted to be all-state since I was a freshman. At this point I didn't know if I'd ever get it, but when I saw Mayce come in fourth place, I cried."



Linden had others compete at state. Kyle Fisher finished his prep career by taking 22nd in the discus (104-8) and 24th in the shot put (42-9 1/2). The 400 relay team of Andrew Lucky, Taylor Anderson, Luke Belmore and Parcher took 24th (44.72). Elmer was 13th in the 3,200 (11:51), while Varacalli took 30th in the 800 (2:37.51).



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Linden's Kelsey Brecht prepares to kick a ball during the Eagles' 4-0 victory against Holly on Saturday.

Linden headed to regional semis

By David Troppens

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Fenton — Revenge can be really sweet, especially when it comes while winning trophies.

Just ask the Linden varsity girls soccer team and its senior captain Mary-Kathryn Fiebernitz.

The Eagles captured their first district championship since 2004 and in the process avenged a 3-3 draw from earlier in the season, defeating the Holly Bronchos 4-0 in the Division 2 district title game at Fenton High School on Saturday.

Fiebernitz, who has never been one to take defeat very well, made sure there would be no upsetting results against the Bronchos, putting her imprint on each of the four goals. She assisted two and scored the other two.

"This is an amazing feeling," Fiebernitz said. "We worked well as a team. Especially the seniors, we just want to keep it going. It's all about effort. We had a few games early in the season where we didn't have our best effort, but this

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did you know?

Rags to Riches became the first filly in 102 years to win the Belmont Stakes in 2007.

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RBI-single, followed by Taylor Sheychich's two-run double. Lake Fenton led 8-5.

"These girls don't know how to quit," Lake Fenton coach Amos Rinks said. "They had to do it in their last at bats. Coming from behind is what they have done all year and (district championship) was the game to do it. We have won the district seven of the last eight years.

"It was a freshman that came through, Kayla Ward who had to bat for Paula (Valacak) because she was woozy and could not play anymore. Alexis Melton got on and Taylor Sheychich had a huge double."

In the morning game, Lake Fenton scored team contest's only run in the bottom of the second inning. Sheychich, who had singled, was chased home on an Alyssa McCoy base hit. The run held up for the 1-0 win. Valacak pitched well and was backed up by two double plays by the defense.

"Without the bats (in the first game) we picked it up with defense," Valacak said. "I don't get nervous. It's pitching and I have been doing it since I was 7- or 8-years old. After the first two innings I started to get in a groove and hit my spots."

"I have been asked to pitch more, I prefer third base, but whatever helps the team, our fielding is very consistent and showed we are good at turning double plays, both came at key times," Newman said.

Overall, Wilkinson led Lake Fenton's offense in the two games with four hits. Newman, Rinks and Sheychich all had three hits.

Linden falls in district finals vs. Owosso

►Eagles score runs in first game, can't get big hits in title contest

By David Troppens

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Fowlerville — The Linden varsity softball team made a lot of contact in its district title game against Owosso at Fowlerville High School Saturday.

What the Eagles didn't do enough of, though, was make solid contact.

Meanwhile, Owosso made every play it needed to, resulting in a 6-2 Division 2 district title against the Linden Eagles, a squad that won a district championship a season ago.

The Eagles had their hitting shoes on in the district semifinal, 9-2 against Fowlerville.

In the opener, the Eagles scored four runs in the second inning. Katelyn Webster singled, and an out later Molly Sherman doubled and Maija Satkowiak singled. The four-run inning was capped with Morgan Granter's home run.

Linden added a run in the third inning when Webster doubled and Kaitlyn Dunleavy singled her in. Finally, the four-run sixth blew the game open. Sherman, Satkowiak, Grantner and Olivia Williams each had consecutive singles, followed by Katie Berlin's triple. Webster also singled during the inning.

While the Eagles won by seven, Fowlerville had several threats during the contest. However, starting pitcher Julie Guckian held the Gladiators to just two runs, resulting in the semifinal victory.

In the second contest, the Eagles looked



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Linden's Katie Berlin (left) slides into home plate trying to score in the team's district title contest against Owosso. Berlin was out at the plate.

like they may take an early 1-0 lead in the bottom of the first. Berlin reached base on an error and moved to second on a Tori Davis sacrifice and a wild pitch. Savannah Weaver followed with a ground ball to short, and Berlin tried to score. However, she was gunned out at the plate, ending the threat.

Owosso responded with three runs in the top of the second on an error and three hits. Owosso added another run in the third in-

ning and two more single runs in the sixth and seventh to earn the victory.

Linden did score two runs. In the third, Taylor Wilson singled. Pinch runner Olivia Williams scored on Weaver's RBI-single. Then in the sixth, Webster reached base on an error. She eventually scored after back-to-back singles by Dunleavy and Satkowiak.

The Eagles concluded their season with a 12-22 mark.

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PHOENIX SOCCER

When only the very best is good enough!

Fenton's Gilbert places third in 1,600 at Division 2 state meet

By David Troppens

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The tri-county area had plenty of representation at the Division 1 State Track and Field Championships held at Rockford High School.

However, the area had just one all-state placer.

That person was Fenton's Matt Gilbert. Gilbert finished in third place in the 1,600 run with a time of 4:17.04, about a half-second out of second place. Another Tiger, Max Kryza, placed 10th in the 3,200 (9:44.43).

"My goal was to take third," Gilbert said. "I knew after regionals, it was a definite possibility. I got in a couple of good workouts, saw the seeding chart and third place was seeded 4:08. That's when I decided I was going to go for it."

Gilbert finished third right behind two other competitors from the Flint area — champion Omar Kaddurah from Grand Blanc and Swartz Creek's Jeremy Dickie.

"I think everyone knows who they are, so I'm flying under the radar this whole time," Gilbert said. "They were projected to finish first and second and my goal was to take third. I've been running with Jeremy a lot. It's great to run against someone like that."

While Gilbert was the area's top performer, the Holly Bronchos cornered the market in terms of participants. The Bronchos had participants in 10 different events.

The Holly boys had the next highest placings at the meet. The 3,200 relay team
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Fenton's Matt Gilbert took third in the 3,200 run at the Division 1 State Track and Field Championships on Saturday.

LF baseball gets mercied in tourney final

By Al Zipsie

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Burton — It was not the way Lake Fenton wanted to end the baseball season.

After winning its district semifinal contest 4-2 against Bendle, Lake Fenton was mercied by Byron, losing an 18-0 verdict in the district title game at Bendle High School on Saturday.

The Eagles erupted for nine runs in the second inning of the title game, and then added five more in the third inning, sparking the mercy victory. Byron scored another four runs in the fourth, earning the victory via the 15-run mercy rule after four innings. Byron's bats couldn't be stopped, collecting 17 hits against four Blue Devil pitchers in the four innings.

"We have only been mercy-ruled one other time this year, it is a tough end," Lake Fenton coach Hewitt Judson said. "It's about Byron, give them the credit. They were a buzz-saw on offense. They just cranked and cranked."

Lake Fenton (12-12) had much better fortunes in the semifinal, earning the 4-2 win in

that contest. Lake Fenton southpaw pitcher Mitch Kirk had 11 strikeouts and scattered eight hits, earning the complete-game victory. Kirk, a senior, struck out the side in two separate innings.

"I don't know if baseball is my best sport, but it is my favorite sport," said Kirk, a three-sport athlete at Lake Fenton. "I would like to play baseball in college. I just don't know where yet."

"All (Bendle) had was some blooper hits. I had a nice combination (of pitches), with a mix of fastballs, and they just could not keep up."

The Blue Devils struck first with a 2-0 lead in the bottom of the first inning. Devin Evans had a lead-off single, and later the bases were loaded. That's when sophomore catcher Wyatt Wilson hit a two-run double, giving the Blue Devils a 2-0 lead. The Tigers deadlocked the game at 2-all in the top of the third inning, but Lake Fenton responded. Lake Fenton scored the go-ahead run in the fourth. First, Cory Pierce scored, then Wilson had an RBI-single, scoring

Spencer Quick, who doubled. Wilson also had a strong day at the plate, once chasing down a third strike near the backstop, and throwing the batter out, ending the sixth inning. At the plate, Wilson was 3-for-4 with three RBI in the first game.

"I was just on it today in the first game," Wilson said. "I just got to the ball quick and knew I had to throw it hard for the out. I had a good angle to first to make sure I not hit the runner."

The championship game got ugly fast. Lake Fenton had just four hits, with Matt Hammond collecting two of them. Byron's Gavin Shepard went the distance on the mound for the win. Blake Bourdeau, the first of four Lake Fenton pitchers, retired Byron in order in the first inning, but the floodgates opened in the second inning. It started when Jacob Satkowiak, who was 4-for-4, led off the inning with a solo homer. Before the inning was over, eight more runs scored on eight hits, sending 13 batters to the plate. Byron's offense didn't cool off after that, eventually earning the mercy win.

Linden baseball shut out in district semis

By Cole Holloway

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Fowlerville — Even on a hot Saturday afternoon, the Linden varsity baseball team's bats were not able to heat up. The Eagles only managed one hit during the game, an infield single off the bat of Tyler Castro, resulting in a 6-0 district semifinal loss to Fowlerville.

Led by a strong pitching performance by Tyler Benedict, Linden hung close for most of the game. Benedict hit his spots consistently, allowing the Eagles to stay in a scoreless tight ball game through three innings.

"I'm really proud of Tyler (Benedict) and the way he pitched," Linden head coach Steve Buerkel said. "He really kept us in the game. It really was anyone's ball game until late in the game."

The Fowlerville hitters were finally able to touch up Benedict in the fourth inning. The

stanza started with a hard-hit double followed by a walk. Fowlerville was then able to score the runner on second with a bloop single to center field. A wild throw off a pickoff attempt then allowed one more Fowlerville runner to score. The Eagles were able to get out of the inning with consecutive strikeouts from Benedict.

Fowlerville was then able to open the game up in the fifth inning. Two walks sparked the threat, and a two-run single followed. Two more runs scored off a throwing error by Benedict.

"We had a couple execution errors today, but we were able to hang with a tough Fowlerville team," Buerkel said.

Fowlerville was able to push across their final run in the sixth inning, giving the Gladiators the 6-0 victory.

Benedict finished the game with six strikeouts. Luke Tunningley relieved and gave up

one earned run, striking out two.

"We have a great group of kids here that came out this year, but we are really trying to get a lot more to come out starting next year," Buerkel said. "The intensity level in the program hasn't been here the past couple of years, but we are starting with our youth programs and are beginning to try to turn the program around."

LINDEN

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week we got revenge on Fenton and now Holly."

The Eagles (13-3-3), who entered this season as defending Metro champs, didn't win the title this year because of a 2-1 loss to Fenton and a 3-3 draw to Holly. On Wednesday, Linden avenged the Fenton loss with a 3-1 drubbing in the semis. On Saturday, the revenge tour was made complete. The win earned the Eagles a spot in the regional semifinals against Metro foe Lapeer West at Andover High School on Tuesday. The results of that contest will be in Friday's publication. And while Fiebertz, along with two goals from Sam Thornton, sparked the offense, it was the defense that was equally outstanding. It held Holly scoreless after the Bronchos scored an eye-popping 29 goals in their first two district contests, albeit those foes not being the same caliber as the Eagles.

For most of the contest, the Eagles were the stronger team. Linden outshot Holly 13-3 in the first half, and scored the game's first goal with 25:54 remaining in the opening half. Fiebertz sent a pass that put Thornton in the open for a breakaway. Thornton capitalized, hitting the near-side top corner of the net.

Fiebertz made it 2-0 with her first of two goals with just 14 seconds left in the half. Jayce Holmgren snuck a diagonal pass to Fiebertz, who then scored, hitting inside the near-side post. Linden led 2-0 at the break.

Any chance of a Holly comeback was thwarted when the Eagles scored on another breakaway 10:25 into the second half. This time Fiebertz dished to Thornton, creating

her breakaway goal. Then with 14 minutes left, Fiebertz scored on a putback shot after a Thornton attempt, making it 4-0.

"We let Fiebertz loose a couple of times in the back and we paid for it," Holly coach Mike Steibel said.

But while the Eagles' offense was strong, the defense was just as impressive. Keeper Lexi Downes was steady in net, earning the shutout. Meanwhile, Holly's most potent offensive threat, Natalie Cieslak, was held in check most of the contest. It also didn't help that Holly senior captain and midfielder Olivia Smith wasn't 100 percent healthy due to an ankle injury.

"Three of the kids in the back at the beginning of the season were forwards and midfielders. Those kids gave up some accolades to make our team better," Linden coach Kevin Fiebertz said. "So when you look at (Megan) Harp, (Hannah) Wilcox, (Jayce) Holmgren, (Jordan) Sargent and (Alysson) Tower, those kids really deserve the credit."

The Eagles are excited to see how much they've progressed.

"The way this started the season and the way we are finishing, this is a totally different team," Fiebertz said. "We've revenged a couple of games from earlier this season and now we've got one more to go. Now we're four games away from a state title."

Meanwhile, Holly has a strong future. Most of the Bronchos (9-9-1) return next season.

"I'm losing some very talented seniors, but I've got some very good people who showed some intensity and good skills, so I think the future is bright," Steibel said.

GILBERT

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of Davis Nixon, Mike McCarty, Luke Schwerin and Keon Ellison took 12th (8:03.5), while the 1,600 relay team of Nixon, Ellison, Schwerin and John Williams took 13th (3:26.89). Other individual boys competing for Holly were Ellison, 14th in the 400 (51.66); Dallas Crandell, 14th in the 300 hurdles (41.11); and Joey Spencer, 26th in the pole vault (12-4).

Mariah Ridal had the girls' best performance for Holy, taking 17th in the 400 (59.47). Other individual efforts included Melissa Bott, 24th in the 800 (2:23.99); and Jenna Mitchell, 19th in the discus (102-6). Relay performances included Ridal, Bott, Paige McElroy and Tatum Harmon, 18th in the 1,600 relay (4:06.94); and Ridal, Bott, Breanna Konopitski and Rachel Derocher, 32nd in the 3,200 relay (9:46.37).

Fenton had one girl at the meet. Meredith Brown took 20th in the long jump (15-5 1/4).

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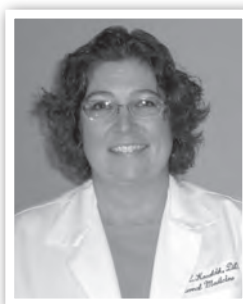
Lake Fenton's 400 relay team of Kyle Frank, Rob Kesler, Matthew Hommer and Austin Gottron placed eighth at the state meet with a time of 44.40 seconds. The time earned them all-state honors.

"It was our goal to place," coach Eric Doyle said. "We ran in the second heat, which is usually not as fast as the first heat, but three or four teams from the heat placed, so it was OK."

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Ad #12838: 2011-06-01 2011-06-08, 2011-06-15 2011-06-22

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Ad #12924: 2011-06-01 2011-06-08, 2011-06-15 2011-06-22

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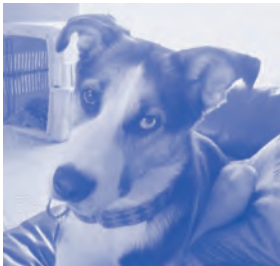


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1926-2011Mary Francis Holzer - age
84, of Fenton, died June

3, 2011. Funeral services were 11 AM Tuesday, June 7, 2011 at St. John Cemetery, Fenton. Visitation was 2-4 and 5-8 PM Monday, June 6, 2011 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton. In lieu of flowers those desiring may make contributions to Genesys Hospice. Mary was born June 16, 1926 in Tuckerman, Arkansas to Thomas and Minnie (Miller) Milligan. Mary married Eddie Holzer July 24, 1954. She had resided in Fenton for the past 50 years. For 20 years Mary worked in the bakery at VG's Supermarket. Surviving are son, Joseph and wife Mary Holzer of Fenton; two grandsons, Marcus and wife Suzanna Holzer of Mill Valley, CA and Aaron and wife Racheal Holzer of South Bend, IN; and four great-grandchildren, Zachary, Joshua, Thomas and Nicholas. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and two brothers, William and Silas Milligan, sister, Stella Mae Henderson. Tributes may be shared on the obituaries page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

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