

HOT LINE:  
FOOD FIGHTS

"I have just read about the food fight at Fenton High School. I am not making



excuses for the students involved — what they did was wrong.

However, to tie the punishment with not being able to walk in graduation is ludicrous. How about the punishment involving something productive like community service or working in a soup kitchen?"

— Linda

## STORY: BE CLOSER

"Not long ago I was re-visiting Fenton ... still wondering what happened with 'downtown development.' Mr. Burns, head of DDA, needs to hire outsiders for ideas at

\$50,000. Makes one wonder? Is that not what he was hired

for? You folks whom have resided in Fenton for generations are allowing the 'tail to wag the dog.' P.S. repair your streets!"

— Patric

STORY:  
CORRINE BAKER

"Why is this woman being granted one last visitation with Tyler? Throw her in prison where she belongs and maybe the inmates will give her a much deserved dose of her own medicine."

— Linda

## HOT LINE

## OF THE WEEK

## "FOLKS, PLEASE

KEEP in mind that the decision makers on the Fenton DDA and the council perform these duties out of civic responsibility. They volunteer their time. Maybe some of us should get involved instead of always criticizing. I, for one, appreciate their efforts although I don't always agree with them."



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TRI-COUNTY TIMES | WILLIAM AXFORD

Army Staff Sergeant Ergin Osman arrives to Sharp's Funeral Home in Fenton with honors on Friday, June 3. SSG Osman served 10 years in the U.S. Marine Corps. before joining the U.S. Army as a Ranger. Osman was on his second deployment in Afghanistan.

## A fallen hero's journey home

►How a casualty of war is honored after death

By William Axford

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A funeral for service men and women of our country is one of great honor and respect. Methodical in its execution, these funerals take precise planning at every step, from the battlefield to the grave.

With the Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly Township, military funerals can have a strong impact on tri-county residents.

See **CASUALTY OF WAR** on 11A

**"Every headstone out there is a person who gave their life for our freedoms."**

Rick Anderson,

Great Lakes National Cemetery director

## Attempted abduction of 8-year-old prompts action

►Linden police investigate, area schools issue alert to parents

By Sharon Stone

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**Linden** — The Linden Police Department is investigating an attempted abduction report.

Linden Community Schools Superintendent Ed Koledo issued an alert Thursday morning after Linden Police Chief Scott Sutter informed him that a Linden student reported that he was a victim of an attempted abduction at 9:45 a.m. in front of his house.

See **ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION** on 12A

## Summary

►A reported attempted abduction on Thursday morning has Linden police and Linden school officials on high alert.

## House votes to change tenure laws

►Underperforming teachers could be demoted or fired

By William Axford

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The Michigan House of Representatives passed the Teacher Quality Package on Thursday. House Bill 4626 aims to change tenure track, fire ineffective teachers and dissolve some of the protection that tenure provides.

"We can no longer retain ineffective teachers and

those engaging in gross misconduct at the expense of effective teachers," said Paul Scott, R-Grand Blanc. The package was prompted after hearings on Michigan's public education and tenure laws.

See **TENURE** on 12A

## Summary

►The Teacher Quality Package would change the process and requirements on how teachers achieve tenure. The bill has passed through the House of Representatives and is now in the Senate.

## Teachers opposed to \$2.8 million in cuts

►Decreased state funding, increasing expenditures lead to growing deficit

By William Axford

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**Fenton** — North Road Elementary School teacher Katrina Weaver was nearly in tears when she spoke to the

Fenton Board of Education at Monday's meeting. "I can only spend \$1.44 per child because of budget cuts," Weaver said. "I had to send one of my children to another classroom for a Band-Aid because we ran out. I beg parents to bring in tissues for the classroom. These cuts are affecting our kids."

See **TEACHERS** on 6A

TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

Fenton teachers protest cuts in the school district's budget outside of Tomek-Eastern Elementary School on Tuesday as parents arrive to pick up their children after school.





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## Dispute over zoning enforcement

By Tim Jagielo  
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**Rose Twp** — A family who believes they are victims of selective zoning enforcement made their passionate case at the monthly Rose Township Board of Trustees meeting on Wednesday.

Terry Claus and son Tim brought information they used in public comment to express their frustration at the \$1,250 in fines they now owe because of zoning violations.

Some residents offered their support, agreeing that they were being unfairly targeted for the violations.

Tim and Terry Claus were ticketed for five different infractions brought by building inspector David Schang. The

tickets issued in November added up to \$750 for infractions, such as several tall piles of timber and piles of leaves on the Claus' 80 acres of property, according to township attorney John Mulvihill.

Mulvihill said the Claus' were using the property as a contractor storage yard, a use for which their property is not zoned. The Claus' argued that their use fits within the Michigan Right to Farm Act. "I just wanted to retire on 80 acres," said Terry Claus.

After deciding they were unfairly ticketed, the Claus' did not pay the tickets, and the ensuing court case found them responsible for the tickets two weeks ago. "The court of public opinion will speak," said Terry Claus, who also spoke about the issue at the last regular meeting, and accused Trustee David Gordon of receiving preferential treatment for his home business that has not been ticketed.

The Claus' were fined an extra \$500 for contempt of court when they refused to let Schang onto the property with a camera. "We've received no

cooperation," said Mulvihill.

"This is why we ended up in court; it's a difference of opinion."

**Alison Kalcec**  
Rose Township supervisor

Tim Claus said he and his father welcomed the building inspector onto their property, but refused the camera.

Supervisor Alison Kalcec said the inspections that lead to the tickets were brought about because of a citizen complaint. "The ordinance is what we're enforcing," she said. She also said citizens wanted stricter zoning enforcement for township properties. "This is why we ended up in court, it's a difference of opinion," said Kalcec.

Terry Claus said he has spent \$7,000 defending himself on this matter. "I could have paid \$150 and walked away," he said. Claus did not want to admit guilt. "I have a name in this community. I would have been guilty in the township forever."

Claus vowed to return with more information at the next meeting.

Schang was not available for comment.

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# 'Cancer is not a death sentence'

►Eating right, family support and faith play a role in survival

By Sally Rummel

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Like most couples, Cliff and Julie Totzke do many things together. They raised their daughter, Mallory, to adulthood and have recently retired after spending their entire professional careers as educators at Linden schools. What they hadn't expected to do together was to work to survive cancer.

### Summary

►From the second you hear the words, "you have cancer," you are now a cancer survivor, joining 11 million other Americans who are fighting the battle, and winning.

Julie, 55, was diagnosed with breast cancer nine years ago. She underwent a complete mastectomy to give her the best chance at a full recovery. Just two years later, Cliff, 59, got a phone call from his urologist, telling him that he had prostate cancer. After getting a second opinion, he was an early patient to undergo the new technology of robotic prostatectomy in 2004 at William Beaumont Hospital.

See **SURVIVE CANCER** on 8A



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | SALLY RUMMEL

Cliff and Julie Totzke have both fought cancer and survived, and participate every year in the ACS Relay for Life in Fenton.

## Bottle Drive...

The Jazzercise Fenton Fitness Center is holding a bottle drive to raise money for the Jazzercise Relay team to donate to the American Cancer Society. Bring returnable bottles to the center at 3235 W. Thompson Rd., in Fenton, said Donna Anderson, owner of Jazzercise-Fenton, now through Friday, June 17.



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Many dads like practical items like tools, sports equipment, or electronics as gifts, and any of these things can be found locally.

## A quick guide to what to get dad on his special day

By Tim Jagielo

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For Father's Day, some dads like socks as a present, but 2011 could be the year your father is surprised by what he gets, and you do not have to leave the area to get it.

Whether a screwdriver set, DVD boxed set, or something unique, the tri-county area can handle your Father's Day shopping needs.

See **FATHER'S DAY** on 27A



**"You gotta think about what he could really use and would like to have."**

**Jan Witt,**  
Assistant manager,  
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# Random royal ruminations

## Free Advice for Fenton Education Association

If you are reading this edition of the Times, then you likely are aware that some Fenton teachers have been hitting the streets to protest \$2.8 million in cuts to the district's 2011-2012 budget due to state funding cuts. They attended a board of education meeting last Monday with their requisite handmade signs, and, oddly, appeared at Tomek-Eastern School as parents were picking up their kids last Tuesday. About 100 teachers took part in the...um, protest.

My dad always told me that free advice is worth exactly what you pay for it, but nonetheless, I would like to offer this free advice to the teachers in the Fenton School District:

Your perception of how the public views your activities is likely a bit skewed. Nearly every household and individual in our community has made dramatic economic lifestyle changes over the last 5 years. We've lost businesses, jobs, careers,

By Foster Childs



life savings and homes as we struggle through these challenging times. Our lifestyles have changed. Our children's futures have changed. Our retirement plans have changed. During these same five years, each of you has had an excellent career in a premium school district with premium pay, premium benefits, premium vacation time, premium facilities and a premium retirement package. Your behavior is inappropriate when viewed through the lens of those of us who face our own struggles, yet continue to uncomplainingly pay for all your premium amenities because we appreciate the job that you do. Whoever organized and initiated this endeavor is woefully lacking in acuity with regard to the perception of the public — your employers. If you continue to follow this leadership, you will likely make the same mistake as Japan made in WWII and only “awaken the sleeping giant.”

And we all know how that turned out.

## A Tale of Two States

There were two stories, side-by-side, on the front page of the Wednesday, June 8 edition of the New York Times. After reading the decisions made by each of these governing philosophies, I would ask you to ask yourself: In which state would you prefer to reside?

**WISCONSIN:** (excerpt from the New York Times)

The gears of government tend to grind slowly. But in Wisconsin lately they are racing at turbocharged speed. In just the last few weeks, Gov. Scott Walker, a Republican, has signed legislation to require voters to show photo identification cards at the polls and to deregulate elements of the telecommunications industry. And the Republican-dominated Legislature is now in the midst of advancing provisions to expand school vouchers, to allow people to carry concealed weapons, to cut financing for Planned Parenthood and to bar illegal immigrants from paying in-state tuition at Wisconsin's universities.

In only his first weeks in office, Mr. Walker pushed to remake the state's Department of Commerce into a public-private hybrid, to limit lawsuits against businesses, to give two-year corporate tax breaks to companies that move to

Wisconsin and to give tax credits to companies for each job they create. He also introduced legislation to limit collective bargaining rights for most public employees in Wisconsin.

**CONNECTICUT:** (excerpt from the New York Times)

In a year when conservative politics have dominated even traditionally Democratic states like New Jersey and New York, Connecticut is closing out its most activist, liberal legislative session in memory.

Lawmakers over the last several weeks have enacted the largest tax increase in Connecticut history and approved the nation's first law to mandate paid sick leave for some workers. They voted to extend protections for transgender people, to allow illegal immigrants to pay in-state college tuition rates, to extend an early-release program for prisoners and to decriminalize possession of small amounts of marijuana.

On finances, the Legislature adopted a \$40.1 billion budget that relies on \$1.4 billion in tax increases, about \$800 million in cuts and a projected \$1.6 billion in union concessions.

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**GIVE “BE CLOSER”** a chance. No one liked ‘where’s the beef’ at first either, but it made Wendy’s billions.

**I AM GLAD** to see that the protesting teachers have the kids best interest at heart. Rock on teachers!

**I HAVE TWO** dogs and yes, they love to go for a car ride too, but people, please remember if it is 80+ degrees outside and you have to make several non pet-friendly stops, your car heats up inside 20+ degrees more than outside, even with the windows down! You are not doing your pet a favor. Put on a fur coat and sit in the car, you will think twice about it!

**TRUTH SEEMS TO** be a moving target to President Obama and his administration. From Obamacare legislation to immigration status, and from pre-election promises to post election policy, there seems to be a lot of misstated facts and distortions. Or, we could remove all the political correctness and call them what they actually are — outright lies.

**WOW ... WHAT A** wonderful job the coordinators did for Linden High School Project Graduation. I couldn't believe that on top of going to Joe Dumar's Fieldhouse, the kids also

received a Visa gift card, a senior class T-shirt, a Linden Eagles water bottle and other goodies. Thank you so much!

**I DO NOT** know of a single individual that thinks that the \$100,000 “Be Closer” campaign is anything but a colossal waste of our precious tax dollars.

**WE'D LIKE TO** thank the three men from town who came out to Runyan Lake Point and helped remove the large trees that were blocking our driveway. They wouldn't accept

any payment for their efforts, even though it took them over two hours to clear the way. They said they were just trying to be good neighbors. I hope they'll stop by our house if they get this way again. Thank you!

**FENTON BE CLOSER?** Sounds like a rapper giving directions.

**WHEN A LOGO** has to be explained, something is wrong with it. Be Closer is just silly and the billboards are inexcusable! I don't want to be closer — I want to live in a

friendly community, where we support our businesses and our neighbors. That has nothing to do with ‘being closer.’

**WHILE WALKING BY** Tomek elementary, my 11 and 12 year olds were approached by some teenagers whom they had never seen before. These boys tried to sell them some pot. Next time they see them I told them to call the police.

**WARNING: MOTORCYCLE DRIVERS** had better be aware of the possibility of hitting deer on Ripley Rd. north of Linden. At least three deer have been killed here in the past few years, including one that was hit by a motorcycle.

**FOR ALL THE** liberals in the area, keep drinking that Kool-aid! You try to pit the rich against the poor, yet your policies never work. You are the reason we are in the economy we are in right now. Stop blaming Bush, your leader has had three years to do something, anything, and he has done nothing! What a joke! I pray a Republican gets back in office in 2012.

**MY COMMENT WAS** not selfish. I have an eighth-grader whom I have taught that the rewards earned from good grades, is to benefit a bright future, not to walk across a stage. I suppose you want your child to earn a ribbon for every accomplishment in life. They are going to be disappointed in the real world. You work hard for yourself, not for recognition from others.

See **HOT LINE** throughout Times



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## What is your favorite baseball movie?

## streettalk



“I liked ‘A League of Their Own.’ Every movie with Geena Davis is good.”

— Bill Barron  
Fenton



“‘The Sandlot’ was my favorite because it came out about the time when my kids were the same age as the kids in the movie.”

— Dale Wells, Lake Orion



“I don't really have a favorite baseball movie, but I hear the Ernie Harwell tribute play, ‘Ernie,’ by Mitch Albom, is really good.”

— Julie Nolkemper, Fenton



“I really liked ‘Major League,’ because it was funny.”

— Pete Dadovich  
Fenton



“‘The Pride of the Yankees,’ with Donna Reed and John Derek is the story about Lou Gehrig.”

— Marsha Young  
Fenton



“‘For the Love of the Game,’ starring Kevin Costner is a really good movie about the end of a pro player's pitching career.”

— Tamberly Racknor, Linden



## News briefs

### Holly Academy receives distinguished award from Michigan Department of Education

The Michigan Department of Education has reauthorized Holly Academy as a School of Excellence. For schools that operate some or all of grades K-8, the qualification for High Performing School of Excellence is a three-year average MEAP proficiency rate of at least 90 percent in reading and math. Holly Academy has achieved this qualification.

### Blue Star banners available

Al Kellogg, a member of the American Legion in Linden has free Blue Star banners available for residents who have a family member active in the military. The cloth, scroll-like banner can be displayed in a window. Kellogg said the brother of an American Legion member donated 17 flags. Kellogg can be reached at (810) 750-1165.



### Holly Academy adds additional space to accommodate growth

Holly Academy will begin a 15,000 square foot building expansion. This new addition will include a third story science laboratory, media center, multi-purpose room, classrooms and additional office space. There is currently an enrollment wait list for the 2011-2012 school year. NJB Architects, of Flushing is the architect on this project. Construction includes demolishing the unused girls' dormitory. An all-school assembly and groundbreaking ceremony will begin at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, June 15.

### Sen. John Gleason holds coffee hour

State Senator John J. Gleason (D-Flushing) will be holding a coffee hour in his district to speak with local residents and hear their questions and/or concerns. He will be available to discuss the issues he is currently working on in Lansing with his constituents from 9 to 10 a.m. on Monday, June 27 at the Country Carriage Restaurant in Swartz Creek, at 9237 Miller Road.

### Linden VFW Post 4642 hosts stop on poker run fundraiser

On Saturday, June 18, Linden VFW Post 4642 will host a stop on a progressive poker run in support of the Full Circle Breast Cancer Motorcycle Ride fundraiser for local cancer units. Activities at the Post will begin around 11 a.m. and will include live, oldies and classic rock music at the gazebo, a 50-50 raffle, a bake sale, classic motorcycle display and much more. The community is invited to listen to the music, enjoy some baked goods, and cheer on the motorcyclists who have donated their time and money to support this charity. For more information, visit [www.vfwpost4642.org](http://www.vfwpost4642.org). To participate in the Full Circle Breast Cancer Motorcycle Ride, visit [www.fullcirclecancer.com](http://www.fullcirclecancer.com).

### Township to purchase tax-foreclosed property

The Fenton Township Board of Trustees discussed the purchase of property during closed session at its meeting on Monday. After reconvening, the board voted in favor

of purchasing a tax-foreclosed parcel on Thompson Road from the Genesee County Treasury Department. The vacant land is currently being used to store boats. The township would be required to cover the costs of back taxes, as well as any penalties and interest. Approximate cost to the township is \$5,500. The township has no specific plans for the 110-foot by 300-foot parcel; however, board members did say that they might consider building a storage facility to house township-owned equipment.

### Road closures for railroad crossing repairs

The Road Commission of Oakland County has announced several road closures for road construction projects. The CSX Railroad will close Munger Road, between Milford Road and Buckhorn Lake Road, in Rose Township, June 27 and 28 to repair its Munger Road crossing. During the closure, the detour route for Munger road traffic will be Milford Road to Clyde Road to Buckhorn Lake Road and vice versa. CSX Railroad will close Milford Road between Buckhorn Lake Road and Rosell Road on June 28 and 29 to repair its Milford Road crossing. During the closure, the detour route for Milford Road traffic will be Rose Center Road to Milford Road to Demode Road to Buckhorn Lake Road and vice versa. CSX Railroad will close Rattalee Lake Road between Buckhorn Lake Road and Fish Lake Road on June 30 to repair its Rattalee Lake Road crossing. During the closure, the detour route will be Buckhorn Lake Road to Fenton Road to Fish Lake Road and vice versa.

### Goodwill finds urn among donations

The Michigan State Police Flint Post is holding an urn found at the Fenton Goodwill store. Workers at the Goodwill store discovered the urn around Easter and held onto it until this past Thursday, in case the owner came back to claim it. There are no serial numbers or other identifying marks on the urn. The cream-colored urn was found in a box labeled "Grandma's urn." Anyone with information about the owners of the urn can call the Michigan State Police Flint Post at (810) 732-1111.

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## TEACHERS

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Fenton Area Schools is facing a \$2.8 million budget cut due to decreased state funding and increases in retirement, energy and health care costs. In accordance with Gov. Rick Snyder's proposed state budget, Fenton schools will receive \$6,848 per pupil next year as opposed to this year's \$7,316 per pupil. This decrease alone will cost the district approximately \$1.6 million for the 2011-2012 school year.

About 100 members of the Fenton Education Association attended the meeting, vocalizing the need for more funding instead of making more cuts. Public comment went on for nearly an hour.

"I want to assure all of you that we're doing everything we can for the district," said board vice president Lynn Hopper. "We hear everything you're saying and appreciate the comments."

But some teachers view the \$2.8 million cut as excessive.

"The cuts being made at the local level don't match up to the state level," said Kelly Jones, a Fenton school teacher.

To help cope with the loss, the board

has suggested increases in class sizes, reduced text books and supplies, reallocation of grant funds and elimination of stimulus funded programs.

Reduction in the school district budget isn't new for Fenton. Since 2005, the district has reduced \$5.2 million from its budget. At a special board meeting in May, the school board unanimously voted to move all sixth graders to AGS Middle School, saving \$1 million over the next three years.

According to a presentation at the meeting, health insurance costs are increasing \$469,477 and utilities are increasing \$42,223. Add the price of fuel at \$7,500 and the school district faces another \$519,210 deficit. As Doug Busch, director of finance and personnel put it, "The devil is in the details."

"This is never a decision we want to make," said board secretary Nora Kryza. "It's not an enjoyable one."

Other concerns raised by teachers were cuts in the arts and music programs. No cuts have been finalized. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 27 at 7 p.m. at the administration building.

## HHS seniors offered \$2.5 million in scholarships

By Tim Jagielo

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Holly High School (HHS) is accustomed

to its students being exceptional, as evidenced by them being offered more than \$2 million in scholarships each year for the last couple of years.

What worried HHS counselor, Mark Mattingly, however, was the availability of scholarships in a slowly recovering economy, where money is tight. "I was a little worried about the economy," said Mattingly. "But the community is still finding the money somewhere, for our kids."

The community, and the colleges, paid out about \$2.5 million in scholarships to HHS seniors, spread out among 50 students, and ranging from \$1,000 to \$65,000.

Cortney Munger was in the top 10, and

was offered the top award of a \$65,000 Presidential Scholarship from Albion College.

"It's a big relief to know I have a lot of my college paid for."

**Cody Petzold**  
HHS valedictorian,  
scholarship recipient

Cody Petzold earned the Presidential Scholarship Award from Oakland University (OU), and will receive \$10,000 each year for school, for four years. With a GPA of 4.0, and better than a 31 on

the ACT, he automatically won it after applying to OU. "It's a big relief to know I have a lot of my college paid for," said Petzold.

### Summary

► Holly High School seniors were offered \$2.5 million in scholarships that were spread over 50 students.

Petzold also sought out other scholarships like the Credit Union One scholarship, which he was able to apply for after he was one of two students accepted into the Honors College at OU. It covers an entire year of college including room and board and \$500 for books.

"It's a lot to take in, it's a big step and change," he said. "I'm excited for the whole college experience, and I'm ready to step outside of my comfort zone."

Petzold, like many other seniors, started preparing for college early on.

Mattingly is proud that HHS students took advantage of the numerous community scholarships offered. "We try to publicize it enough," he said. The weaker economy has compelled students to be more vigilant with applying for scholarships.

Locally, several groups like the Kiwanis Club, Holly Youth Assistance, the Van Gilder (VG's) family, and Holly Education Association offered scholarships ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,500.

## HOT LINE CONTINUED

**I COULDN'T HELP** but notice on June 6, during the evening, all the teachers that were out protesting in front of the administration building, near the high school. They had many signs referring to class size, busing, etc. But they had no signs about what causes about 80 percent of the expense associated with education and our taxes, teacher salary and teacher benefits. Maybe they should have had a sign about that. Cut their salary and their benefits to come in line with the rest of society.

**I AM THE WIFE** of a retired Fenton school teacher. My husband and I are embarrassed by the silly protesting of some of our current staff. This never would have happened even 10 years ago, we loved our jobs, our community and our kids.

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Owners of the Tri-City Trading Post suspect this man and woman of shoplifting from their pawnshop.

## Shoplifting suspects caught on tape

►Pawn shop owner hopes someone will recognize man and woman

By Sharon Stone

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The owner of a local pawnshop is hoping that images caught on their surveillance video cameras will lead to the identification of two shoplifting suspects.

Michelle Curtis, owner of Tri-City Trading Post is working with the Genesee County Sheriff's Department to catch a man and woman who are suspected of stealing two laptop computers from her store on North Fenton Road in Fenton Township.

The couple entered the store shortly after 2 p.m. on Wednesday, June 8 and were in the store for just few minutes, said Curtis. The time stamp on the video is off by about 45 minutes, said Curtis as she explained the difference on the still shot taken from the video.

The male suspect caught on camera is Hispanic looking, in his mid-20's, with short hair. The female accompanying him was in her 20's and had a distinct tattoo on her neck and one on each of her calves.

The video showed the male suspect concealing one laptop in his pants and one underneath his shirt before exiting the store.

This is not the first time Curtis has reported shoplifting incidents to the sheriff's department. The shop's first break-in occurred in 2006. A reward was offered and the suspects were caught by the sheriff's department after a person identified one of the suspects. There



This photo shows the man standing at left and the woman's neck/back tattoo.

have been a few other shopliftings attempts, however, those incidents were resolved quickly.

Curtis said that she did not recognize the suspects. Having dealt with past larcenies, Curtis and her staff are proactive with getting the word out on these incidents.

"Business owners are not taking shoplifting lightly," she said. "We're going to prosecute."

Lt. Michael Tocarchick said the sheriff's department is following up on all leads with this incident. The scene was processed for fingerprints. Anyone with information is asked to call the sheriff's department at (810) 257-3422.

## Police&Fire report

### CREDIT CARD FRAUD

On Saturday, May 28, a Holly resident was advised by his credit union that he had been charged more than \$700 in cell phone minutes using his ATM card at discount department store. The culprits also attempted to use the card to buy a Play Station, but was denied.

### SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR

On May 31, a woman at the 8000 block of Groveland Road in Holly reported that someone attempted to get into her home. The man had been hired to work on her water heater, but began exhibit-

ing strange behavior, walking around her home, swearing, and throwing his arms in the air, saying Consumers Energy had caused problems with her system. The woman asked the man to leave. He left, but re-entered saying that he had to work on the water heater. He re-entered the home a few times until she physically pushed him out. No crime was committed, but the woman was upset and wanted a report.

### THIEF LEAVES MOWER BEHIND

On Wednesday, June 8, a passerby noticed a man trying to load a \$4,500 riding lawnmower into a black Ford Ranger in the 3100 block of Davisburg Road in Holly. When the suspect realized someone had spotted him he fled the scene. Police seized fingerprints from the lawn mower, and the case is under investigation.

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## Tips for fighting cancer

Genesys Hurley Cancer Institute medical oncologist/hematologist Dr. Paul Adams offers these suggestions:

- **Be proactive** in your cancer treatment. "We believe in an active partnership between a physician and his or her patient," said Dr. Adams. "Communicate well with your doctor about what's going on in your body."
- **Keep a healthy lifestyle**, including eating adequate protein and calories.
- **Keep a positive attitude**. If you struggle with depression, get help from family and friends, support groups, therapy or medication.
- **Use the resources** that are available to you, from Internet support groups to resources at the Cancer Institute.
- **Explore** the active research program going on at the Cancer Institute. Every available national clinical trial is available here.

## SURVIVE CANCER

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Both have made a complete recovery, although Cliff did undergo 37 sessions of radiation two years ago, when his PSA (prostate-specific antigen) count spiked a half percent, prompting a proactive course of action by his doctor. "I believe strongly in getting your annual physical, and also a second opinion after a cancer diagnosis," said Cliff.

Today, both of the Totzkes are enjoying full, active lives, not hindered by their cancer diagnosis, but definitely aware of the fragility and preciousness of life. "I don't think about cancer every day anymore," said Julie. "Usually, those thoughts come back to me when I hear about someone else who has cancer. That's when it really hits me."

## Doctor Helps LEGALLY BLIND to Read & Drive!

International Academy of Low Vision Specialists member helps *macular degeneration* sufferers with reading, driving, TV, & maintaining independence.

By Elena Lombardi, Freelance Writer

Just because you have macular degeneration (or other vision-limiting conditions) doesn't always mean you must give up driving or reading.

Ever look through a pair of field glasses or binoculars? Things look bigger and closer, and easier to see. A Michigan optometrist, Dr. Sheldon Smith, is using miniaturized binoculars or telescopes to help people who have lost vision from macular degeneration, diabetic retinopathy or other eye conditions. "Some of my patients consider me the last stop for people who have vision loss", said Dr. Smith, a low vision optometrist who limits his practice to visually impaired patients in his offices throughout Michigan.

Macular Degeneration is the most common eye disease among seniors. The macula is one small part of the entire retina, but it is the most sensitive. When it degenerates, Macular Degeneration leaves a blindspot right in the center of vision making it impossible to recognize faces, read a book, or pass DMV's vision test.

"In some states, Bioptic

**"Our job is to figure out everything and anything possible to keep a person functioning."**

Telescopic Glasses can be used to pass the vision test for driving", says Dr. Smith. "This can allow some with conditions like macular degeneration or diabetic retinopathy to continue driving".

"Our job is to figure out everything and anything possible to keep a person functioning," says Dr. Smith. "Whether it's driving, reading, TV, seeing faces, check writing, bingo or bridge. We work with whatever is on the persons "wish list".

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### Bioptic Telescopic Glasses Help Woman to Keep Driving



Ethel Stroope, who suffers from macular degeneration sought help for reading, watching television and movies and for seeing street signs at a distance. Bioptic telescopic glasses were prescribed. "These Glasses have made it very easy for me to continue my activities both at home and on the road with these glasses." I should have done this two years ago, says Ms. Stroope.

Nearly 11 million Americans are cancer survivors — more people than the entire population of Michigan. No longer do people wait until a certain amount of time has passed before they are called "survivors."

A new generation of people are living with cancer, according to Amy Lutz of Fenton, community representative for the American Cancer Society and staff partner for the upcoming ACS Relay for Life in Fenton. They are called survivors from the first second they receive a diagnosis of cancer.

Today, cancer is not a death sentence, it's a commitment to fighting back, getting well, living well, staying well and helping the ACS find a cure.

Lifestyle changes can play a big role in cancer survivorship. Eating well, including lots of colorful fruits and vegetables, plenty of lean protein and whole grains can make a huge difference in having the strength to undergo treatment, allowing it to be most effective. At many large cancer centers, including the University of Michigan, meeting with a nutritionist before treatment and afterwards is an integral part of the survivorship program.

Local nutrition counselor Marjie Andrejwic, who works primarily with clients who have chronic conditions, encourages people who are undergoing cancer treatment to eliminate all processed foods and soda pop — both diet and regular — and, eat balanced meals. "When people clean-up their diet, they

**"I don't think about cancer every day anymore. Usually, those thoughts come back to me when I hear about someone else who has cancer. That's when it really hits me."**

**Julie Totzke**  
breast cancer survivor

notice a profound change in their health. It allows the other therapies to be more effective," said Andrejwic. For Julie Totzke, the cancer diagnosis brought with it shock, denial, anger, fear and rage. But as soon as she and her doctor at the Genesys Hurley Cancer Institute formulated a treatment plan, she immediately felt better and stronger. "I was going to do whatever I had to do to survive this," said Totzke. "We had a 13-year-old daughter at home at the time. Telling her that her mom had breast cancer was the hardest thing I have ever done in my life."

Couples like the Totzkes or other people who have strong family support seem to weather the cancer diagnosis

## Relay for Life

**Friday and Saturday, June 17-18**

Fenton High School will once again host the American Cancer Society Relay for Life overnight from 2 p.m. to 2 p.m. At Relay for Life, teams of people camp out and take turns walking or running around a track or path. Each team is asked to have a representative on the track at all times during the event, according to local event chairman Randi Goss. Because cancer never sleeps, Relays are overnight events up to 24 hours in length.

• **Opening Ceremony:** Friday, June 17 at 2 p.m.

• **Survivor Ceremony:** Friday, June 17 at 6 p.m. Survivors will circle the track together and celebrate their cancer victories.

• **Luminaria Ceremony:** Candles inside bags are lit at 9 p.m. to remember people whose lives have been touched by cancer and who have lost loved ones to the disease. Participants often walk a lap in silence.

• **Closing Ceremony:** Saturday, June 18 at 1 p.m.

better than people without a strong support system. "I see it all the time," said Ann Kuhl, medical assistant at an oncology-hematology practice in Saginaw.

Another helpful support for people, according to Kuhl, are religious beliefs that can provide comfort and strength when people need it most.

Cancer patients with insurance, who don't have the stressful worry about finances, also fare better than those who are financially strapped, said Kuhl. "You can see the 'wear

and tear' on the faces of the people who have no resources and wonder where all the money is going to come from to pay for treatment, surgery, etc."

She reminds people, however, that there are many resources available from the ACS and pharmaceutical companies that can help with transportation, medication, etc. "It's just a matter of getting the word out so that people know there is assistance available."

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### HEAD START ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Genesee County Head Start Recruitment is accepting applications for enrollment in the 2011-2012 Head Start program. This is a free educational program for income eligible Genesee County pregnant moms and children from birth to age 5. Call (810) 235-5613 for more information.

### FULL MOON PADDLE

Keepers of the Shiawassee's Full Moon Paddle will be held on Lobdell lake in Argentine Township on **Monday, June 13**. Paddlers will meet at the DNR launch on South Seymour (Argentine) Road, about ¼ mile south of Silver Lake Road at 6:30 p.m. The group will paddle around the lake and end at Navistarz Bar and Grill

on the north end of the lake. Paddlers can choose to paddle round trip, paddle just to Navistarz and be on their way or meet with the group at the restaurant for dinner and paddle back to the launch in the moonlight. One way transportation and/or boat rental can be arranged with Fairbanks Canoes and Kayaks by calling (810) 287-9618. Personal floatation devices (life jackets) are required. This paddle will be on a potentially busy lake with motorized boat traffic.

### ACL PRESCRIPTION FOR PREVENTION CLINIC

This clinic will be held at Fenton Physical Therapy, 400 Rounds Dr. Fenton on **Saturday, June 18** from 10 to 11:30 a.m. ACL is a term used for the anterior cruciate ligament, which is located inside the knee and helps stabilize the knee joint. The clinic is also being held at Milford Physical Therapy from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For details, call (810) 750-1996. Cost is \$25.

### AVIATION YOUTH DAY AT BISHOP AIRPORT

Civil Air Patrol-Bishop Airport Senior Squadron 192 is sponsoring a free Aviation Youth Day at Bishop Airport on **Saturday, June 18**. The event will be held at the Golf Tee Hangar area, which is located at the southeast corner of Bishop Airport, 5268 Torrey Rd., approximately 1/2 mile north of Hill Road. This walking tour is offered for young people. The tour is to give the youth of our area a close-up and hands-on look at general aviation aircraft, and a chance to speak to the pilots who fly these aircraft. The tour will start at 9 a.m. and conclude at 12 p.m. Parking will be east of the fence in the Golf Tee Hangar area by the rotating beacon.

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**Wednesday, July 20th • 11:00 am**

### Howell Nature Center

Furred and Feathered highlights a variety of birds of prey and mammals in Michigan and the habitats in which they are found. No registration required.

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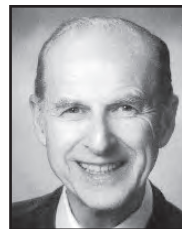
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## Featured columnist

By Roger Campbell



### The ultimate compliment

A longtime friend called to tell me that his wife had departed for heaven and in the course of our conversation paid her the ultimate compliment: "I never heard her say anything bad about anyone." I wasn't surprised. Cutting down others would have been out of character for this quiet, compassionate woman and the compliment from her grieving husband only verbalized what many had known all along.

A member of a church in our area voiced the ultimate compliment concerning a former pastor who had retired. "I have known Pastor Jones for 28 years," he said, "and not once during that time did I hear him say anything bad about anyone." I was so impressed by this testimonial to the character of the former pastor that at his funeral I passed along these good words to his wife.

"It's true," she replied. "Sometimes our daughters and I tried to trick him into criticizing someone, but we never succeeded."

As a pastor, I quickly saw the value of remaining silent when someone began to focus on the faults of others. Knowing that even one word of seeming agreement might cause me to be quoted wrongly about the charges being made, I determined in these cases to keep silent or tactfully maneuver the conversation to another subject.

Such tongue control doesn't come easily, especially if the complaints about the person in question are likely to be true. I found great help to keep silent in the prayer of David for God to

place a sentinel at his mouth to guard his lips lest he say things he would later regret: "Set a watch, O Lord, before my mouth, to keep the door of my lips" (Psalm 141:3).

The thought that God could dispatch a guard to keep me from speaking carelessly was just what I needed to remain silent when it would have been easier to express some negative opinion. I am confident these times of silence delivered me from trouble that could have been caused by some criticism I might have made in a moment of weakness or discouragement.

How do we achieve such word control?

What we say is the result of what we think so I suggest starting every day focusing on things that are true, honest, just, pure, lovely and of good report (Philippians 4:8). Criticism and fault finding refuse to grow in this kind of soil.

Words that may cause strife are best left unsaid and have an unholy source. On the other hand, words that bring peace are from the Lord: "But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy. And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace of them that make peace" (James 3: 17-18).

We who are of World War II vintage remember the slogan "Loose lips sink ships." There was too much at stake then to risk lives by speaking carelessly. And the same is true today. Careless, critical, cutting words destroy lives, homes and churches so let's speak responsibly; becoming known for building up...not tearing down.

Someday we'll give an account of what we've said.

Let's live expecting to hear "Well done," the ultimate compliment.

*Roger Campbell is an author, a broadcaster and columnist who was a pastor for 22 years. He can be reached at [rcministry@ameritech.net](mailto:rcministry@ameritech.net).*

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## CASUALTY OF WAR

Continued from Front Page

Recently, Army Staff Sgt. Ergin Osman was honorably transferred from Bishop Airport in Flint to Sharp's Funeral Home in Fenton. He is buried at Great Lakes National Cemetery.

"A soldier killed overseas is normally taken to his hometown or state," said RJ Sharp, of Sharp's Funeral Home. "We were notified May 31 by the casualty officer working with the Osman family."

A casualty officer is assigned to the family of a fallen veteran, working with them to ensure funeral processions are done properly. Great Lakes National Cemetery Director Rick Anderson said most veterans are flown into Delaware first and then to an airport closest to the selected cemetery. Family and who ever they request are present at the airport during an honorable transfer.

Sharp said that his funeral home has done three honorable transfers since the start of the Iraq War. The funeral home is responsible for arranging other escorts for the honorable transfer, such as the Patriot Guard of Michigan that rode with Osman. The escorts ensure that all veterans receive honor and are respected for their service.

"I enjoy my freedoms every day," said Sam Cottle, state captain of the Patriot Guard. "I have never served in the military, but I'm a man who understands the price of freedom. These rides give me a chance to be patriotic," he said.

Cottle said that the Patriot Guard is not used to remove protestors or others who disrespect veterans. He said that is up to the authorities to quell protestors, and that the Patriot Guard ignores such people.

"There's a saying that 'dishonor is seen for its true nature when honor raises its hand in salute,'" Cottle said. "Our place is to turn our backs and create a shield with the American flag."

The Patriot Guard was present at Osman's funeral at the Great Lakes National Cemetery.

Anderson said that the cemetery has at least one burial a day, five days a week. It can vary all the way up to 25 burials a week. More than 11,800 veterans have been buried in the cemetery since it opened in 2005.

"All arrangements are made between the military, family and the funeral home," Anderson said. "We do everything we can to assist the family and meet their needs."

## Honor and Etiquette

- **The arrival of** a fallen soldier at the airport is called an honorable transfer. Always refer to the veteran by name. To call the arrival or veteran by other names is derogatory and disrespectful to the veteran and his or her family.
- **Always follow the** lead of the military. Do not disrupt their duties.
- **If holding a** flag, make sure it stands straight and does not touch the ground. When being passed by the hearse, remove all hats and hold them over your heart.

Anderson said that the role of the cemetery is to facilitate a proper funeral that follows the wishes of the family and military rituals. The same care and compassion is given to all veterans, regard-

less of where and how they died.

"Visitors need to realize a national cemetery is more than a burial ground — it's a national shrine," Anderson said. "Every headstone out there is a person who gave their life for our freedoms. Respect is a big thing for us out here."

The veteran's family decides who can and cannot attend the funeral. If said otherwise, anyone can attend a military funeral, so long as he or she does not disrupt the ceremony.

"You don't have to be a biker or a veteran to attend the funeral," Cottle said. "You can stand with us as long as you pay respect."

Burials at national cemeteries are free and only available for veterans and their spouses. For those who need to make arrangements, contact Great Lakes National Cemetery at (248) 328-0386. For families who need escorts for their veteran, contact the Patriot Guard online.

## Catch OF THE WEEK



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## ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION Continued from Front Page

While playing in his front yard, near Murphy and Oak streets, the 8-year-old boy was approached from behind by a man who had gotten out of a late model tan or brown Suburban or Yukon-style SUV. The boy described the man as being from 19 to 30 years of age, about 6-feet tall, slim build and dark hair. The unknown man was wearing black shorts and a blue T-shirt.

The boy reported that the man attempted to grab him by the waist. The boy broke loose, yelled and ran into his house to tell his mom.

The mother immediately took her son up to the Linden police station to alert police. The mother did not witness the incident.

On Tuesday, the school superintendent issued a similar alert after a suspicious man, seated in a car, was seen closely watching students at bus stops near Saddlebrook Drive. The police department received many good tips from that notification. The unknown man from Tuesday's suspicious incident was described as being in his late 50's with grey hair.

Anyone with information is urged to call Linden police at (810) 735-5454 or 911.

## TENURE Continued from Front Page

Beginning teachers would have a probationary period of five years instead of the current four. Tenure can be achieved after three years if the teacher performs well enough.

A state tenure commission would form if the bill becomes a law. Some of the proposed aspects of the bill would allow the commission to demote or fire underperforming teachers and set policy for retirement.

Another aspect of the bill would allow officials to lay off or fire senior teachers

with tenure. A teacher suspended from work for more than 90 days would no longer receive pay.

"I think it's a good bill. Teachers should keep their jobs and receive raises based on merit," said Carla Juarez, chief steward for Fenton Educational Support Personnel. "In everyday life, people have to prove themselves to stay employed. Once a teacher is on tenure, they're there forever."

Bill 4626 is currently in the Michigan Senate for consideration. The bill can be read online at the Michigan Legislature website.

## See you next fall



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

Teachers at Tomek-Eastern Elementary School wave good-bye to students on their last day of school.



## Three area students on top 10 list at Powers Catholic High School

By Sharon Stone

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Powers Catholic High School has announced the Top 10 percent of its Class of 2011. Two of those top students are from Fenton and one is from Holly.

**Daniel Sulfaro** attained a grade point average of 4.21 while at Powers. He is the son of Steven and Lori Sulfaro, of Holly. Daniel was treasurer of the National Honor Society and was a member of the varsity cross country and track teams. He was also involved with the school's theater department. He plans to attend the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor.



Daniel Sulfaro

**Jessica Rolls** attained a grade point average of 4.18. She is the daughter of James and Lisa Rolls, of Fenton. While at Powers, she was involved with National Honor Society, a National Youth Leadership member and a Presidential Youth Inaugural member. She played varsity soccer all four years with achievements of all Big Nine team; all district team, all state honorable mention and captain of the team. She made four-year all Academic league soccer and four-year honor roll.



Jessica Rolls

**Lauren Lucas** attained a grade point average of 4.15. She is the daughter of Dave and Linda Lucas, of Fenton. She made honor roll and academic letter all four years

at Powers. She earned Academic all-league swimming for three of the years and was captain of the varsity swim team this year. She was a member of the National Honor Society and member of the varsity track and field her freshman year. She has been involved with Powers' musicals as well as the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program. She was treasurer of Rotary Interact and a student leader with Winter Kairos Retreat.



Lauren Lucas

### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE

At their meeting of June 6, 2011 the Fenton Township Board conducted the first reading of a proposed ordinance to re-establish the Fenton Township Planning Commission, in compliance with the Michigan Planning Enabling Act.

The second reading for the proposed ordinance is scheduled for June 20, 2011.

A complete copy of the proposed ordinance may be obtained at the office of the Fenton Township Clerk, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430.

The proposed ordinance is also available on Fenton Township's website at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

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**HOT LINE** CONTINUED

**GREAT ARTICLE** BY the King. Told it like it was and is in the June 5 issue of TC Times. We need more voices who will defend plain old common sense against the obvious bias of liberal logic. If you ask me, the words liberal logic are a pure contradiction.

**TO THE MEN** working on the waterline on North Road, thank you for doing such an efficient and wonderful job!

**IT WAS VERY** heartwarming to see a young girl and her mother pick up a turtle along the curb on Ellen Drive and take it to the nearby pond. I'm so glad to see more and more people showing respect for God's little creatures.

**IT'S HARD TO** believe that there are a dozen people in Fenton who get the Be Closer thing. It's even harder to believe that each of them was elected or ap-

pointed as a leader. What's the odds of that happening?


**I'LL TELL YOU** what 'Be Closer' means to me. It means that the people in charge of this city are very good at wasting money on meaningless nonsense.

**LET'S SEE, WE** have dozens of natural resources such as lakes and rivers, we have Dibbleville, the French Laundry and many other attractions in Fenton. So what does the council approve as our symbol? An obsolete symbol from a coat of arms. This would be hilarious if not for the tens of thousands of our tax dollars completely wasted.

**AFTER READING ABOUT** the lady who lived in the same house for 23 years and her neighbors didn't help her after seeing that her lawn needed attention, but instead reported her to the city. They should be ashamed! I hope they read this and go over and apologize to her. It's sad that neighbors can't be neighbors.



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**POLICE**

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**INTRUDER AWAKENS  
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At 4:20 a.m. on Friday, June 10, Fenton police responded to a home in the 200 block of Armstrong Street to investigate a home invasion. The 47-year-old homeowner reported that he been awakened by a creaking noise in his hallway. When he went to go check, he saw a white male, in his 20's, wearing jeans and black shirt, in his home. The intruder quickly fled and ran across the street between two houses. The case remains under investigation.

**INTOXICATED DRIVER**

At 2:08 a.m. on Friday, June 10, a fast food restaurant employee reported to Fenton police that a car containing intoxicated individuals had just left the restaurant. Police located the car near Caroline and Adelaide streets and initiated a traffic stop. The driver, a 19-year-old Argentine Township man blew a .139 on the breath test and was arrested for operating a vehicle while intoxicated. A 22-year-old male passenger from Fenton was arrested for disorderly intoxication. Three other occupants were released.

**TIRE SLASHED**

On June 8, Fenton police received a malicious destruction of property complaint from a 24-year-old woman living in the 1000 block of North Road. A tire on her car had been slashed. When she took the tire to be fixed, a 3 1/2-inch knife blade was pulled from the tire. There are no suspects.

**ILLEGAL FIREWORKS**

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**POLICE SEARCH  
FOR SUICIDAL MAN**

At 3:40 a.m. on Friday, June 10, Fenton police responded to a home to investigate an attempted suicide call. It was reported that a 20-year-old male had cut his wrist. Upon police arrival, the man jumped from a second-story window and fled on foot. The man ran west from the home and across U.S. 23 toward Jennings Road. Police searched the area, with the assistance of a K-9 unit from the Oakland County Sheriff's Office. The K-9 team lost the track near Jennings Road. As of 11 a.m. Friday, the man had not been located.

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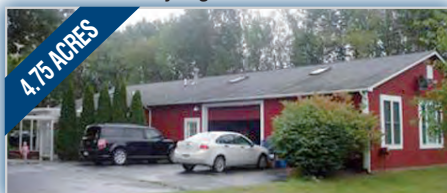
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## Garage Sales 13

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**FENTON - MEGA yard sale.** June 16-18th, 11532 Crosby Rd., between Linden and Argentine Rd.

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**FENTON - SILVERCREST Dr. neighborhood, off Owen, west of 23, June 16-18th, 9-3p.m.** Household, kids, miscellaneous.

**FENTON - SUBDIVISION garage sale.** June 16-18th, Thursday-Friday, 9-6p.m., Saturday, 9a.m., Swanee Beach Dr. and Appletree Lane, south of South Long Lake Rd.

**FENTON - MULTI-FAMILY.** Tools, household, jewelry, shoes and much more. 609 Grant St., June 16-18th, 9-4p.m.

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King Crossword and Wednesday Sudoku Puzzle are located in last Wednesday's issue. All other puzzles are throughout this edition.

#### SCRAMBLER ANSWERS

*solution*

1. Nudge; 2. Foist; 3. Calm; 4. Shard

*Today's Word:*

**MUSH**

#### KING CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Solution time: 25 mins.

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#### SUPER CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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#### SUNDAY SUDOKU ANSWERS

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#### SUNDAY MAGIC MAZE ANSWERS

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1 It may be tipped  
4 W.C. Fields quote?  
7 Poisonous plant  
12 Social groups  
18 Palindromic name  
19 Important numero  
20 Ages  
22 Lama or imam  
23 Singer Shannon  
24 CEO, e.g.  
25 Silent performer  
27 Like Donne's poetry  
30 Aquatic mammal  
31 Slight  
32 Zombie ingredient  
33 Memphis deity  
36 Obligation  
39 Famed anthropologist  
44 — fin  
48 Scand. nation  
49 Summarize  
50 Computer acronym  
52 Kitchen utensils  
54 — one's time (waits)  
57 Weber's —

Freischutz" place  
58 '98 home run king  
60 Praise  
62 Female goat  
64 "O Sole —"  
65 Sour fruit  
66 Like some watches  
68 Bradley or Epps  
70 "Heat and —" ('83 film)  
73 Writer Rand  
74 Education pioneer  
78 Woods' grp.  
81 Indication  
82 Wordsworth works  
83 Magazine employee  
86 Air bear?  
88 — Gatos, CA  
90 MA hours  
91 Winter wear  
93 Bearded bandleader  
97 Lamb's dam  
100 Wear away  
101 Illinois city  
102 Financial abbr.  
103 What trumpets do  
105 Diarist  
106 Homeric Anais  
108 Homeric combatants  
108 5th Dimension member  
112 Farmer's

12 Down  
11 Atkins or Huntley  
12 Calculating person?  
13 O'Hare info  
14 Incites Rover  
15 Rock hound?  
16 Jacob's twin  
17 Pencil piece  
21 "Ethan Frome" prop  
26 Eloquent equine  
28 Rink legend  
29 Caroline, to Ted  
34 Celebrity  
35 Little devil  
37 Comice kin  
38 Math subject  
39 Shearer of "The Red Shoes"  
40 "As You Like It" setting  
41 Silly Skelton  
42 Peridotists' org.  
43 Campus digs  
45 Whips up a waistcoat  
46 Spanish city  
47 Croce's Mr. Brown  
48 Leno's network  
51 Loses control

53 Noted Dutch treat?  
56 Patriot Deane  
58 Ramble  
59 Animal that roared?  
61 Singer Amos  
63 Melville novel  
67 Tenor Beniamino  
69 Hwys.  
71 Fountain order  
72 Threefold  
75 "I'm — Cowhand" ('36 song)  
76 Getty or Parsons  
77 "Take — leave it!"  
78 Heart, e.g.  
79 "Peer Gynt" composer  
80 "Maltese Falcon" actress  
84 Maine town  
85 Chatter box?  
87 Square measure  
89 Actor Pickens  
92 Berry or Olin  
94 Sped  
95 Construct  
96 Bartok or Peron  
98 One of the

Osmonds  
99 Directional suffix  
103 Command  
104 Stem  
107 "— Hand" ('81 hit)  
109 One in a million  
110 Salted snack  
111 Purrfect pet?  
113 South American capital  
116 Current amount  
117 Unwind a rind  
118 Mikita of hockey  
119 Conductor Klemperer  
121 Stentorian  
122 Writer O'Brien  
124 Neighbor of Pakistan  
125 — Haven, CT  
126 Brainstorm  
127 Casanova's cry?  
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### Misc. For Sale 26

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**Lost & Found****31**

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1. Place an ad in the Tri-County Times, 810-629-8194.

2. Call your local vets.

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**Pets****34**

**YOUNG MALE** cat, light brown mixed with black, some black stripes. Friendly, likes people. Needs good home. Possible stray. 810-266-4590.

**Cycles/Snowmobiles****43**

**2003 HARLEY-DAVIDSON** Softail, excellent condition. Silver and Black two tone beauty. It's HD's anniversary edition. It's complete with studded leather saddle bags and no saggy bag liners, alarm system, detachable windshield, and other extras. A real eye catcher. VIN: 1HD1BWB433Y115861. Asking \$11,500. 810-629-3802.

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**Unit B4 - RENEE HAMPTON**  
misc. household items

**Unit B21 - GREG CARR**  
misc. household items

**Unit B37 - JOHN FRIENDLY**  
misc. household items

**Unit C3 - NOELLE GAZELLE**  
misc. household items

**Unit C14 - DONALD  
DERRYBERRY**

misc. household items

**Unit C28 - JENNIFER  
WENTWORTH**

misc. boxes and containers.

On Tuesday, June 21, 2011

**Total Storage of Fenton, LLC  
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**FORECLOSURE NOTICE** In the event this property is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL .7cc please contact our office at (248) 844-5123. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. **MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Marc W. Wiseman a/k/a M. W. Wiseman and Melanie R. Wiseman a/k/a Melanie Wiseman, Husband and Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Pioneer Mortgage, Inc., its successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated February 12, 2004 and recorded April 15, 2004 in Liber 4404 Page 456 Livingston County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to: CitiMortgage, Inc., by assignment dated May 18, 2011 and subsequently recorded in Livingston County Records on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Forty-Two Dollars and Seventy-Three Cents (\$333,242.73) including interest 6% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Livingston County at 10:00AM on June 29, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Genoa, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the West one-half of the East one-half of Section 29, Town 2 North, Range 5 East, Genoa Township, Livingston County, Michigan, lying South of the centerline of Coon Lake Road, described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of said Southeast one-quarter; thence along the South line of said West one-half, North 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs East a distance of 664.14 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence, leaving said South line, North 01 degrees 17 mins 21 secs West a distance of 655.57 feet; thence North 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs East a distance of 332.39 feet; thence South 01 degrees 15 mins 39 secs East a distance of 655.58 feet to said South line; thence, along said South line, South 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs West a distance of 332.07 feet to the Point of Beginning. Including the following described ingress/ egress easement, being a portion of the West one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 29, Town 2 North, Range 5 East, Genoa Township, Livingston County, Michigan, being further described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of said Southeast one-quarter; thence along the South line of said West one-half, North 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs East a distance of 362.07 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence, leaving said South line, North 01 degrees 19 mins 03 secs West a distance of 45.00 feet; thence, North 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs East a distance of 205.00 feet; thence North 54 degrees 38 mins 54 secs East a distance of 117.20 feet; thence, South 01 degrees 17 mins 21 secs East, a distance of 110.00 feet to said South line; thence, along said South line, South 88 degrees 24 mins 51 secs West a distance of 302.07 feet to the Point of Beginning. Commonly known as 3575 Brighton Rd, Howell MI 48843 The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 5/29/2011 CitiMortgage, Inc., Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-40477

Ad #12810: 2011-05-29 2011-06-05, 2011-06-12 2011-06-19

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## PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED OF A REGULAR PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD TUESDAY JUNE 28, 2011 AT 7:00 PM BY THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AT 12060 MANTAWAUKA. THIS HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

ZBA11-010 Fern LLC James Nickel 17195 Silver Parkway #323 Fenton requesting road frontage variance to divide property zoned C-3 at 3330 Thompson Rd. Parcel 06-03-100-015

ZBA11-011 Shirley Ednie 19668 Shorecrest Dr. Clinton Twsp. requesting sight line variance to construct deck to lake side of property located at 14170 Eastview Dr. Parcel 06-22-528-019

ZBA11-012 Fady Elias 2072 S. Long Lake Rd. Fenton requesting variance to the required parking spaces to open a coffee shop in the plaza at 14278 Fenton Rd. Parcel 06-23-200-017

ZBA11-013 Classification of Use – Fenton Township Zoning Administrator requesting a classification of use to allow internet vehicle sales in certain zoning districts.

COPIES OF THE ABOVE LISTED APPLICATIONS AND THE TOWNSHIP ORDINANCES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE FOR YOUR REVIEW. YOUR OPINIONS MAY BE EXPRESSED VERBALLY AT THIS HEARING OR IN WRITING TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS PRIOR TO THIS HEARING. THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS ENCOURAGES YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THESE APPEALS.

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Ordinances, meeting schedules and other Township information are also available at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

ROBERT KRUG,  
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

## TYRONE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD JUNE 7, 2011

1. Present: Clerk Keith Kremer, Treasurer Dave Kurtz, Trustees Don Peitz, Colleen Ameel, Jim Kolhoff and Steve Hasbrouck. Absent: Supervisor Mike Cunningham.
2. Appointed the Clerk to moderate the meeting in the absence of the Supervisor.
3. Approved the agenda as presented; approved the consent agenda as presented.
4. Received and placed on file Communications #1-4 as presented.
5. Accepted Tetra Tech's Closure Plan Proposal for the Tyrone Woods sewage lagoon facility.
6. Approved the ITRight service, email/web hosting, and remote backup contracts.
7. Approved the township newsletter as presented.
8. Adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

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The minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk's Office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at [www.tyronetownship.us](http://www.tyronetownship.us). The next regular meeting of the Tyrone Township Board will be held on Tuesday, June 21, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall. The public is encouraged to attend.

Supervisor Mike Cunningham

Clerk Keith L. Kremer



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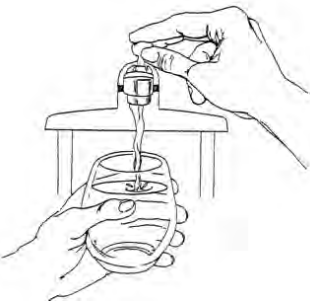
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# 2010 Water Quality Report for City of Linden



## Water Quality Data

The table below lists all the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the 2010 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done January 1 – December 31, 2010. The State allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. All of the data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old.

### Terms and abbreviations used below:

Water Supplier: Define only the terms you use in the table below. Delete any you don't use.

- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG):** The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):** The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):** means the highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG):** means the level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- N/A:** Not applicable **ND:** not detectable at testing limit **ppb:** parts per billion or micrograms per liter **ppm:** parts per million or milligrams per liter **pCi/L:** picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity).
- Action Level:** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

Regulated Contaminant	MCL	MCL G	Your Water	Range	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Arsenic (ppb)	10	0	0.004	0.002-0.006	2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	2	2	0.01	0.01-0.01	2003	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge of metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	4	4	0.90	N/A	2010	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
TTHM - Total Trihalomethanes (ppb)	80	0.080	5.1	5.1-5.1	2008	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
HAA5 Haloacetic Acids (ppb)	60	0.060	N/D	0-0	2008	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
Chlorine (ppm)	MRDL 4	MRDLG 4	0.49	0.11-0.78	2010	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Radioactive Contaminant	MCL	MCL G	Your Water	Range	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Alpha emitters (pCi/L)	15	0	1.9	1.9-1.9	2009	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined radium (pCi/L)	5	0	2	N/A	2009	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Special Monitoring and Unregulated Contaminant **	Your Water	Range	Sample Date	Typical Source of Contaminant			
Sodium (ppm)	21	N/A	2009	Erosion of natural deposits			

Contaminant Subject to AL	Action Level	MCL G	90% of Samples ≤ This Level	Sample Date	Number of Samples Above AL	Typical Source of Contaminant
Lead (ppb)	15	15	<0.13	2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	1.3	1.3	0.25	2009	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives

\* EPA considers 50 pCi/L to be the level of concern for beta particles.  
\*\* Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. Monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether it needs to regulate those contaminants.

**Information about lead:** If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Linden is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

Microbial Contaminants	MCL	MCL G	Number Detected	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Total Coliform Bacteria	>1 positive monthly sample (>5.0% of monthly samples positive)	0	0	No	Naturally present in the environment

Monitoring and Reporting Requirements: The State and EPA require us to test our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We met all the monitoring and reporting requirements for 2010.

We will update this report annually and will keep you informed of any problems that may occur throughout the year, as they happen. Copies are available at the City of Linden 132 E Broad St. Linden, Michigan. This report will not be sent to you.

We invite public participation in decisions that affect drinking water quality. The public is welcome to attend the city council meetings regularly scheduled on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 7:00 pm in the lower level of the mill building at 112 Main St. Linden, Michigan. For more information about your water, or the contents of this report, contact Scott Fairbanks at 810-735-7980 or e-mail at [dpw@lindenmi.us](mailto:dpw@lindenmi.us). For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at [www.epa.gov/safewater/](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/).

This report covers the drinking water quality for the City of Linden for the 2010 calendar year. This information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2010. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and state standards.

Your water comes from four groundwater wells, each over one hundred eighty feet deep. The State performed an assessment of our source water to determine the susceptibility or the relative potential of contamination. The susceptibility rating is on a seven-tiered scale from "very-low" to "very-high" based on geologic sensitivity, well construction, water chemistry and contamination sources. The susceptibility of our source is moderate for wells 1 and 4 located at 217 N Bridge St. and low for wells 3 and 5 located at 400 Blythe Ave. All are located in the City of Linden.

There are no Significant sources of contamination in our water supply.

If you would like to know more about the report, please contact Scott D. Fairbanks at 810-735-7980 or e-mail to: [dpw@lindenmi.us](mailto:dpw@lindenmi.us)

- Contaminants and their presence in water:** Drinking Water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the **EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)**.
- Vulnerability of sub-populations:** Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).
- Sources of drinking water:** The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. Our water comes from wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.
- Contaminants that may be present in source water include:**
  - Microbial contaminants,** such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
  - Inorganic contaminants,** such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
  - Pesticides and herbicides,** which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses.
  - Radioactive contaminants,** which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.
  - Organic chemical contaminants,** including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which provide the same protection for public health.





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## FATHER'S DAY

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For Jan Witt, assistant manager of Village Ace Hardware of Linden, it was about buying her father something for a project, and then spending time with him as they used what she bought. "You gotta think about what he could really use and would like to have," she said. "It would be something he wouldn't buy himself."

### Summary

► Father's Day is two weeks away. Do not panic, there are lots of affordable options in your neighborhood to make your dad's day great.

For dads with a green thumb, Ace has shrubs and perennials, and even organic herbicide and insecticide, or a battery powered weed trimmer. "I have one at home it works really well," said Witt. The store in downtown Linden is also staffed with master gardeners and Michigan certified nurserymen. "We have a really nice nursery," she said.

If your father might just want to relax, consider the Relaxer chair for \$39.99. It has an aluminum frame and a side table. "It's so comfortable you just mold right into it," said Witt. "It's a handy gift."

For fathers possibly looking into a new hobby, Ace Hardware has beer and wine making supplies. "It's a lot of fun and it's not as hard as you might think," she said.

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Tri-City Trading Post in Fenton has everything from handguns, crossbows and power tools to fly rods and tackle for fishermen, guitars and amps for musicians, electronics, flat panel TVs, surround sound systems, laptops and net books. "We're pretty much a guy store," said owner Michelle Curtis. "We can get the name brand things for less, in good condition."

Curtis said that most of their merchandise is lightly used, some of it is new, and they can sell the items for less than it is usually seen on eBay. "We have a little bit of everything, pretty much," she said.

Lots of dads golf, and many golf courses sell gift certificates that are good for rounds of golf or merchandise, said golf shop assistant manager Brad Nunn of Tyrone Hills Golf Course. "If they know exactly what someone likes, like a golf ball they use or clothing they like, you get someone in here buying that," he said.

On Father's Day, it costs \$39 for 18 holes of golf in the morning, and the rate drops through the day to \$24 after 5 p.m.

"It's one of our biggest days of the year," said Nunn, who recommends making reservations early. "That's a very busy day for us," he said.

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► Dow Diamond in Midland an innovative stadium with great family atmosphere

By William Axford

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Baseball in Michigan reaches far beyond Comerica Park in Detroit. From the Lansing Lugnuts to the West Michigan Whitecaps, baseball fans can get their fix without ever having to leave the state. For families and fans in Fenton, an hour and a half ride on U.S. 23 north leads to one of the best stadiums in the state.

Dow Diamond in Midland is home to the Great Lakes Loons, a minor league single A farm team for the Los Angeles Dodgers. The stadium features cheap admission prices and the chance to see players before they become a force in the major league, such as first round draft pick Zach Lee. According to mlb.com, the former Great Lakes Loons pitcher recently signed

See **STADIUM** on 4B

## Summary

► Dow Diamond in Midland is home to the Great Lakes Loons, a minor league team for the Dodgers. Cheap prices and relatively close location makes this stadium a great day escape for the whole family.



Lawn seats for the game are \$6.  
Stadium seats are \$9.

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## Read your dog's body language

► Focusing on just a handful of body parts will give you a sense of the basics.

### Eyes

Direct stares often signal confrontation. Pay particular attention to the pupils, says Dr. E'Lise Christensen, a veterinarian and behaviorist at NYC Veterinary Specialists. "Pupils that are dilated indicate a dog that's not comfortable," she adds. Dogs with "soft eyes" that tend to avert their gaze are less likely to be confrontational.

### Ears

Erect ears reveal a dog on high alert, while ears pulled back show a dog that is anxious or stressed. And that spot on the back of the neck behind the ears? This area, called the hackles, sometimes stands up in a spiky row. Since arousal and aggression are closely linked, hackles often get labeled as a sign of aggression, but it is not always the case, it's just emotion.

### Tail

The tail is perhaps the most expressive part of your dog's body, but it might also be the hardest to read. A wagging tail is simply an indication of arousal, good or bad -- it doesn't mean the dog is friendly. A high, tense wag could indicate a potential for aggression, while a low wag could indicate nervousness. A happy, relaxed dog usually has a tail that swings in circles or from side to side. On the other hand, "tail between the legs" is a cliché for a reason: It indicates a scared or stressed dog.

### Reading Specific Canine Behavior

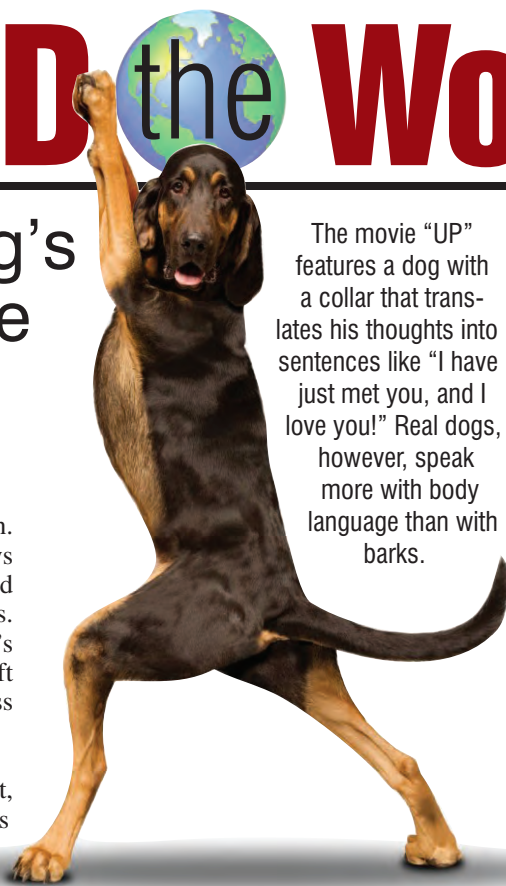
Aside from communicating with body parts, dogs also convey information through

behavior and posture. For example, bowing forward on the front paws, known as a "play bow," is a sign of a dog's playful mood. A slightly different bow is a greeting bow, which is usually accompanied by a stretch.

One behavior that's often misread is a dog that lies on its back. "Some dogs, especially those that are anxious, may roll on their backs to indicate their wish to end an interaction," says Mullinax. "This is sometimes misinterpreted as the dog offering its belly to be petted or a sign of submission."

### Humans Often Misunderstood

Being aware of these subtle hints will make for a more harmonious existence with not just your dog, but other dogs as well. Consider how we tend to greet new dogs -- we look them in the eye, bend over them and put a hand on their heads. In dog language, says Christensen, "these gestures can actually be pretty threatening."



The movie "UP" features a dog with a collar that translates his thoughts into sentences like "I have just met you, and I love you!" Real dogs, however, speak more with body language than with barks.

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In 1938, young Jesse Mattos accidentally dropped his high school ring into a toilet at a local butcher shop in Dunsmuir, Calif. Seventy-three years later, Tony Congi, a sewer maintenance worker and fellow alumnus of Dunsmuir

High School, found it in a bucket of sewer debris. He had the ring cleaned, saw the initials engraved on it, and tracked down Mattos with the help of an old school yearbook. "This ring thing was a real booster for me," said Mattos, 90, who recently lost his wife. "I felt like I was a lot younger again."

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## NOTED:

### Tornadoes' high death toll



So far this year, tornadoes have killed 504 Americans, the highest number of deaths since 1953.

*Detroit Free Press*

## THE BOTTOM LINE

**Automated leadership**, after the extension of the Patriot Act was signed by an autopen, a machine that can mimic the president's signature, because Barack Obama was in Europe. It's commonly used for more trivial matters, such as signing Christmas cards.

### Cooking-sauce sales sizzle

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## STADIUM

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with the Dodgers for \$5.25 million.

"(Dow Diamond) is a nice park with better attendance than most," said Bill Palmer, bus driver for the Perioa Chiefs, a minor league team from Indiana. "I was just in Lansing and Cedar Rapids and this stadium is much better."

The 6,000-seat stadium offers lawn seating, stadium seating and picnic tables all around the baseball diamond. The open sky and utilization of nature gives Dow Diamond a park-like feel rather than a closed off, concrete dominated stadium. Add in the boisterous announcer and the antics of Lou E., a giant green loon and team mascot, and a day at the ballpark is a perfect day trip for the whole family.

"The stadium is affordable and offers a family friendly atmosphere," said Alex Wassel, the communications manager for the Great Lakes Loons. "Lawn seats are \$6 and stadium seats are \$9," he said. "A family of four can have a great night for \$40."

Dow Diamond gives their fans more than just a baseball game by having different promotions when the Loons play at home. Dollar family-feast night, fireworks shows and motorcycle rallies are just a few of the special events going on this summer. Visits from Detroit Red Wings greats, such as Darren McCarty and Barry Melrose, are also scheduled for this season.

"It's great family entertainment and the quality of baseball is pretty good," said Byron Wolf, a Midland resident who attends about 15 games a year. "It's a great facility, people should come out. Little

**"It's a great facility,  
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**Byron Wolf**  
Midland resident

League teams from Macomb County were just here and they had a great time."

### The stadium

Dow Diamond is a minor league stadium with some major league ideology when it comes to innovation. The scoreboard is powered exclusively by solar panels. The warning track on the field is comprised of crushed bricks from a former Dow building. The rest of the park uses water conservative fixtures. Along with serving healthier food options like stir-fry and pita wraps, spending the day at the ballpark can make fans feel energetic rather than wasteful and full of greasy foods.

### Who are the Loons?

The Loons themselves are more than just minor league players chasing a big break, having established a positive presence outside of the ballpark. The team is owned by the Michigan Baseball Foundation (MBF), a non-profit charity that contributes and donates to programs around mid-Michigan. In the past four years alone, the foundation has given 124 grants to more than 100 non-profit organizations that serve young people or create regional growth around the state.

"The MBF has given away \$100,000 a year for the past four years," Wassel said. "When fans come to Dow Diamond, they're doing more than watching a baseball game. They're supporting their local communities."

The Great Lakes Loons' season is ongoing and ends the first weekend in September. Check out the team's website for scheduled games, promotions and special events. To get to Midland from Fenton, take U.S. 23 north to exit 162B to merge onto US-10 west, toward Midland.



- **To drive from Fenton** to Midland take U.S. 23 north to exit 162B, which merges onto westbound U.S. 10. From there, take the M-20 west exit on the left toward downtown Midland. The Diamond will be on the left, before downtown. The trip is approximately an hour and 20 minutes one way.

- **Lawn seats** for the game are \$6. Stadium seats are \$9.

- **In addition to** hot dogs, pop and popcorn, Dow Diamond serves pita wraps, freshly squeezed lemonade and stir-fry.

- **Home game promotions** on the weekends vary and have included fireworks, "Dollar Family-Feast Night" and visits from Detroit Red Wings players, both past and present.

- **Lou E's Lookout** is an in-park playground for kids that has slides and a jungle gym. It's perfect for little ones too active to sit through the game.

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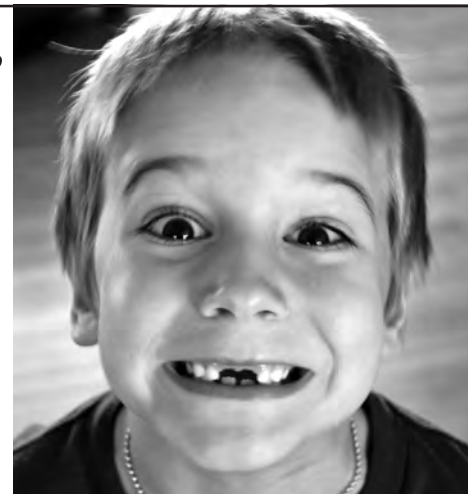
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# business profiles

## Maher Feed & Pet Supply brings quality service to Holly

By Sally Rummel

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Mike and Debbie Maher, of Holly, knew that their town needed a quality pet supply store. With one location of Maher Feed & Pet Supply already running successfully in Highland for seven years, they opened their new hometown Holly store last November.

"We knew Holly would appreciate a retail store where people could buy quality feed and pet supplies from people they already know," said the Mahers, who opened their store at 507 N. Saginaw Street.

The Maher family is well-known in Holly, where they live on the family farm with their three children, Shannon, 20, Lauren, 17 and Christian, 15 — and lots of animals, from cows to pigs and chickens. "When you buy your feed here, you're buying from experience," said Mike.

Maher Feed & Pet Supply specializes in feed of all kinds, from premium-brand dog foods to wild bird feed and feed for hogs, chickens, goats, horses, pigs, miniature pigs, even llamas and alpacas.

Mike said the best-selling items so far are pet foods, including the quality lines of premium dog brands like Breeders' Choice, Canidae, Taste of the Wild and Blue Buffalo. Pet supplies for small animals, including clothing for dogs, treats and toys are also popular.

"Equine products sell well, too, because of the rural area we live in," said Mike.

People who enjoy wild birds as a hobby will find plenty to like at Maher's Feed & Pet Supply. In addition to feed and corn, there are supplies for backyard birds, including birdhouses and other accessories. An unexpected "find" is the farm-themed gift line that makes itself at home in any country setting.

The Mahers pride themselves in providing service beyond what is expected, including carrying out large bags for customers, from the store to their vehicle. "Our goal is to offer incredible products, competitive prices and exceptional service," said Mike.

Maher's Feed & Pet Supply is open Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Tuesday until 8 p.m. and Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information, call (248) 369-8339.



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | SALLY RUMMEL

Marjie's Gluten-Free Pantry owner Marjie Andrejciw holds gluten-free bread and buns from her distributor, Sami's Bakery, while showing her new location at 106 South LeRoy St. in downtown Fenton.

## Marjie's Gluten-Free Pantry on the move

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One year after opening, Marjie's Gluten-Free Pantry has made a move to its new location at 106 South LeRoy St. in Fenton, near Bill-meier Camera.

"Our new space is three times larger, and we have already expanded our product lines," said owner Marjie Andrejciw,

a nutrition counselor who provides her services through Circle of Life Nutrition. "Come check out our dairy-free ice cream, plus our new sunscreens and bug sprays that are low in toxicity."

All of the products at Marjie's Gluten-Free Pantry are gluten and dairy-free, offering a healthy selection of food choices for people who have these allergies. "We even carry gluten-free bread through Sami's Bakery, delivered fresh, never frozen, every Friday morning," said Andrejciw. "We're hoping to expand our baked goods product lines even more in the future."

This store is also the location for food co-op ordering and pick-up for thousands of natural products. For people looking for a large selection of organic produce, "Door to Door Organics" makes a delivery every Thursday morning at the store.

Another bonus of this new location is that it has American Disabilities Act (ADA)-approved public restrooms for downtown shoppers and visitors who come to many of Fenton's special events. "We're pleased to offer this service to our community," said Andrejciw.

Marjie's Gluten-Free Pantry is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be extended store hours on Thursday evenings until 8 p.m. when the Fenton Farmers' Market debuts for the season on Thursday, July 14. "Watch for our Grand Re-Opening in mid-July," said Andrejciw.

For more information, call (810) 714-0959 or visit the store's website at [www.marjiespantry.com](http://www.marjiespantry.com).



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | SALLY RUMMEL

Mike and Debbie Maher show the backyard bird section at Maher's Feed & Pet Supply in Holly.

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**Elizabeth L. Forsythe,**  
Elizabeth L. Forsythe - age 84, died June 9, 2011. Share memories at [www.temrowskifuneralhome.com](http://www.temrowskifuneralhome.com).

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### Eugene N. "Bud" Powlison 1925-2011

Eugene N. "Bud" Powlison - age 85, of Fenton, died Saturday, June 4, 2011 at McLaren Regional Medical Center. Services were held 11 AM Monday, June 6, 2011 at First Presbyterian Church, 746 S. Saginaw St., Flint. Dr. John Musgrave officiated. Those desiring may make contributions to First Presbyterian Church Memorial Fund. Eugene was born June 15, 1925 in Fenton, the son of Jess V. and Irene C. (Northrop) Powlison. He was married to Maxine Thelma Zimmer on June 28, 1947 in Fenton. He was a graduate of Fenton High School. He earned a Bachelors of Science from Western Michigan University and a Masters of Science from The University of Michigan. Mr. Powlison was a veteran of the U.S. Navy serving in WWII. He retired from GM-Chevrolet Manufacturing, where he was an Industrial Engineer, in 1980 with 27 years of service. Mr. Powlison was an active member of First Presbyterian Church serving as a Deacon and Elder. He served as Past President of the Lake Fenton Property Owners Association and served on the Lake Fenton School Board. Mr. Powlison also served as a Volunteer Ambassador for McLaren Hospital. Surviving are: wife, Maxine; children, David and wife Lisa Powlison, Karen and husband Robert Benson; grandchildren, Meredith and Spencer Powlison, Brendan and Blaine Benson. He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Maxine Wolcott. Tributes may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



**Lorraine Csapo,**  
Lorraine Csapo - age 86, died June 9, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



**Oscar Waycaster, Sr.,**  
Oscar Waycaster, Sr. - age 71, died June 5, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



**John McDermott,**  
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**Bonnie Cobb,**  
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**Charles Stone,**  
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**David Charles,**  
David Charles - age 67, died June 8, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



**David O'Neill,**  
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**Maxine Pugh,**  
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**Sean Savage,**  
Sean Savage - age 51, died June 3, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



### Verna M. David 1923-2011

Verna M. David - of Fenton, went to be with the Lord on June 9, 2011 at Genesys Health Park. Funeral services will be held



11 AM Monday, June 13, 2011 at Faith Baptist Church, 7306 E. Atherton Rd., Davison. Pastors John Lewis, Gary Gearhart and Michael Bennett officiating. Interment will follow in Evergreen Cemetery. Visitation will be held 1-4 and 6-9 PM Sunday at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton and from 10 AM until the time of service Monday at church. Those desiring may make contributions to Faith Baptist Church Missionary Fund. Mrs. David was born in Pennsylvania on July 23, 1923. She had lived in the Fenton area for four years. She was a member of Faith Baptist Church. Surviving are: children, James (Marian) David of Gladwin, Patricia J. (Ronald) Lawrence of Spring Grove, PA, Tina E. (Roger) Bennett of Fenton, Naomi R. Nolen of LaGrange, GA, Deborah L. (Frank) Caudle of Severn, MD, Rachel L. (Donald) Tompkins of Coldwater; 16 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; one brother; two sisters; nieces and nephews. Tributes may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Infant Brayden Bearup,

Infant Brayden Bearup - died June 5, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



### Jeffrey LePard,

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### Joshua Lizotte,

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## Patsey L. (McClendon) Williams 1945-2011

Patsey L. (McClendon) Williams - of Flint, age 66, died Thursday, June 9, 2011, after a courageous battle with Multiple Myeloma at Genesys Regional Medical Center. Funeral service will be held at 1 PM Monday, June 13, 2011 at the Swartz Funeral Home, 1225 West Hill Road, Pastor Michael Stallard officiating. Burial in Crestwood Cemetery. Visitation 2-8 PM Sunday and 11 AM Monday until the time of the service at the funeral home. Patsey was born in Oneonta, Alabama on May 20, 1945, the daughter of the late James and Ethel McClendon and was a resident of Flint and Linden. Patsey graduated from Appalachian High School in Oneonta, Alabama Class of 1963. She received her Bachelor's of Science from Mott Community College and was employed as a Registered Nurse and Industrial Nurse for several years at different facilities. Patsey was a member of Fenton Road Baptist

Church. She enjoyed flowers, her garden, Karaoke and her dogs. Surviving are husband, Norm; two children, Monica Vaughn of Clarkston, Delicia and husband Scott McCoy of West Lafayette, Indiana; former husband and friend, Russell Vaughn of Fenton; four grandchildren, Ryan McCoy, Brennan Yeo, Lucas McCoy and Madeline McCoy; brother, Carl and wife Edna McClendon of Springville, Alabama; several nieces and nephews; special friends, Carolyn and husband Tommy Vaughn of Fenton and William Yeo of Clarkson; her beloved pets, Ginger and Little Bit. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Billy Joe. Special thank you to the medical staff at Genesys Regional Medical Center and University of Michigan Hospital; for all their care and support. Your condolences may be shared with the family at [www.swartzfuneralhomeinc.com](http://www.swartzfuneralhomeinc.com).

## Military couple failing basic training

**DEAR AMY:** My future wife and I are in the military. For now, our relationship is long distance. We live in separate states. We are doing as much as we can to communicate to keep our relationship strong. In attempts to strengthen and try to test what we'll face in our marriage, we have opened checking and savings accounts together. We agreed to save 10 percent of our checks each week to invest in our future. The agreement was not to touch the savings and to use the checking account only for emergencies. We agreed to keep each other accountable and responsible and so we would communicate whenever spending the money. On separate occasions and for various reasons, she has used monies with no prior communication. The dollars and cents are not the issue -- it is that the agreement was broken. It makes me retreat from the trust I have in all other areas. We are taking a break from our relationship (my decision). She is upset at me for "auditing" her but she should be responsible enough to admit what she did and she should not have repeatedly done this. How should I react now?

Amy Dickinson



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Amy

— Broken Bank, Broken Trust

**DEAR BROKEN:** Your "test" worked. You have quickly uncovered a deep divide between you. And you're right -- this spending issue probably isn't about the dollars and cents. It is about trust, and your mutual ability to negotiate a workable solution for an issue you will face for the rest of your lives. But this is also a test of your test. Your fiancée's behavior has been inappropriate. In relationships, money represents power and control. She is resisting yours, and you should acknowledge this and ask her to explain her actions and listen carefully to her response -- knowing that this is not really about money. For your relationship to survive, you would have to work together to re-engineer your test -- to see if there is a practical way to achieve your financial goals so that each of you has adequate autonomy and mutual auditing capability. The test now is to see if your relationship can survive this negotiation.

**DEAR AMY:** Two years ago, I married a man who is a few years older than I. He has a young child from a previous relationship. My stepson lives with us full time, and I think he's great. I was a stepchild myself, and I've worked very hard to give him a stable, loving family environment. I have no interest in having more kids and my husband doesn't, either (he recently had a vasectomy). This is apparently unacceptable to many people, judging from their comments. A lot of people ask me when (not if) I'm going to have kids "of my own." I find this really offensive -- I consider my stepson to be my own, even if I didn't give birth to him, and I don't exactly know how to respond. If I tell people I already have a child I consider mine, they laugh that off and say it's not the same, which is pretty hurtful. I'm frequently told I'll change my mind. It's pretty frustrating. Is my only option just to tell people I'm not interested in discussing our family choices? This seems kind of rude, and most of these folks are well-meaning friends.

— No Babies, Thanks

**DEAR NO:** After you've circumnavigated your entire social orbit, patiently explaining yourself and being dismissed in return, you should resort to the gentle and polite rebuke: "Well, you've made your feelings pretty clear, but I don't really have anything else to say about this."

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Poppy  
Veterans



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good health

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** My daughter, 37, has rheumatoid arthritis. Is it genetic or a diet/life-style illness? What can be done to alleviate her discomfort? I read somewhere that cod liver oil brings relief. -- H.B.

**ANSWER:** Arthritis comes in many guises. Osteoarthritis is the most common kind. Nearly everyone has a touch of it before death. Rheumatoid arthritis affects about 1 percent of adults, with two women afflicted for every man. It makes its appearance most often in the 40s and 50s. The lower two knuckles of the fingers, the wrist, elbows, ankles and foot joints are the ones most often attacked, but any joint can be affected, including the shoulders and hips. It's a symmetrical arthritis, meaning that the same joint on the right is stricken as the one on the left. It's also a systemic illness. The body as a whole suffers. Fever, weight loss and fatigue are common in many stages of this illness. The eyes can become inflamed, as can blood vessels. Changes in the lungs are possible.

It's not a diet/lifestyle illness. Genes play a role, but not the entire role. The immune system is involved. Cod liver oil is no longer used for treatment.

A new dawn has broken for the treatment of this often-disabling affliction. Formerly, anti-inflammatory drugs like Motrin and aspirin were the initial treatment. Now treatment most often begins with drugs called disease-modifying anti-rheumatic drugs, DMARD. These medicines have the potential to stop the progression of the illness. Methotrexate is one example.

A brand-new class of rheumatoid arthritis drugs, the biologicals, neutralizes body chemicals that lead to joint inflammation and deformity. They can halt the arthritis process in its tracks -- not always, but enough of the time to call them amazing.

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## paw's corner

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**DEAR PAW'S CORNER:** I am one of the pet lovers who believes that they are part of our family. My husband and I have two teenage daughters and a 14-year-old deaf and blind border collie named Logan. I am Mom to Logan, my husband is Dad and our daughters are "Sissy" to her. We got her through a rescue league when she was about a year old. I am a big supporter of shelters and helped form Justice for Dogs with Amy Touchette in Wolcott, Vt. I'm happy to see that the trend is going in the right direction about how to treat animals. Many people have told me over the years that when they die, they want to come back as my dog. If you had all day, I could give you the list of reasons why. Thank you.

— Toni M., Hardwick, Vt.

**DEAR PAW'S CORNER:** I read your column and have to put my say in, as I absolutely adore animals. They are great friends and are always there when people may not be. We had a cat about four years ago that had kittens and always killed the litters -- until one day I got angry and saved the last kitten. As "Socks" grew attached he treated me as a mother, and to this day I feel he is my baby boy, even though I am just 18. I go so far as to give him a little birthday each November.

—Sign me, Socks' Mom in Illinois

**DEAR READERS:** Wow, thanks for the great letters! I received quite a response to my question of pet owners. It's clear that owners care deeply for their pets, and that's positive news.





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## Miss-ter Relay

Who will be the cutest Mr. Relay?  
Join us on Friday night at 7:00 pm when each team has a member dress up as their favorite holiday character!



## HOPE Lights The Way

Luminaria Ceremony, the Ceremony of Hope, begins at 9:00 pm.

Hundreds of luminaria will be lit remembering those lives lost to the disease and honoring those who have battled back. These glowing bags represent our shared vision for a future in which cancer no longer threatens the people we love. We invite you to join in the candlelight lap and this time of reflection. We want to help celebrate birthdays!



## Fight Back Ceremony

On Saturday, June 18th at 10:00 am

This year we will have representatives from American Cancer Society's Cancer Action Network & Great Lakes Cancer Institute. Learn how you can help fight back against cancer through prevention and legislation.



## Music, Music, Music!

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On Friday from 5:00-7:00 pm, Mike MacDonald from CK 105.5 will be here to get the party started!

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Relay For Life started in 1985, when Dr. Gordy Klatt, a colorectal surgeon in Tacoma, Wash., circled a track for 24-hours to raise money for the American Cancer Society. The program has grown from one man's passion into the world's largest non-profit fundraising special event and community movement to end cancer, with one in every 100 Americans participating.

Today, more than 3.5 million people worldwide take part in Relay For Life each year, to celebrate those who have battled cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease. Because of those millions of dedicated Relayers, the American Cancer Society is saving lives and helping people celebrate more birthdays.

The funds raised by Relay For Life have played a role in nearly every major cancer research breakthrough in the last 26 years, leading to groundbreaking discoveries into cancer's causes and cures. As well, Relay has contributed substantially to the American Cancer Society's funding of crucial prevention and early detection services; numerous, life-enhancing patient support programs; and advocacy initiatives that encourage lawmakers to do their part to defeat cancer, while rallying communities to join the fight.

To participate in Relay's 26th birthday year celebration and join the movement, consumers can visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org), where they will find more information on: our event, and/or Making a donation to Relayers they know.

The American Cancer Society saves lives by helping people stay well, helping people get well, by finding cures and by fighting back. Relay For Life rallies communities and helps the American Cancer Society work toward its goal of a world with less cancer and more birthdays.



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For more information on the American Cancer Society call 810-733-3702

## Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup>

**There will be an official check in location for the laps. Make sure that you take the time to check in at the assigned desitination. If you do not check in – you will not receive credit. If you want to earn more credit – be creative.**

**2:00PM OPENING TEAM BANNER CEREMONY** – does your team have a banner? Bring it to display your team's name and to give this event a good kick-off.

**3:00PM HAPPY BIRTHDAY** – you're going to a birthday party that was possible because of your support with the American Cancer Society.

**4:00PM SAINT PATTY'S DAY** – a tad of the Irish spirit is necessary.

**4:30PM JAZZERCISE TIME** – yes I will be looking for you. Have a team member wear your team name sign and participate. You only have to participate until I see you to get your credit but it'd be nice if all the teams support Donna's hard work.

**5:30PM VETERANS DAY** – honor your local vet - ask vets (retired or active) to walk with you. If you don't have access to a vet – carry a picture of a vet or an American Flag.

**6:00PM SURVIVOR SPEAKER/CEREMONY**

**6:30PM SURVIVOR LAP** – honor our survivors and care givers.

**7:00PM MR RELAY/LIVE AUCTION** – who will be the cutest Mr. Relay?

**7:30PM WILDFIRE BAND** – give your feet a rest and come enjoy the band.

**8:30PM DANCE LAP** – may I have this dance?

**9:00PM LUMINARY CEREMONY/LAP**

**10:00PM STORY HOUR** – sit and enjoy Mary's creative story telling with some milk and cookies.

**10:30PM MERRY CHRISTMAS** – tis the season to be jolly.

**11:00PM HALLOWEEN** – BOO! During this lap the little ones can trick or treating.

**12:00AM HYPER LYTICS BAND** - join us at the stage for some live music.

## Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>

**1:00AM HAPPY NEW YEAR** – put on your diaper and bring your party decorations.

**2:00AM EASTER** – it's time for the bunnies and chicks to come out and play.

**3:00AM MAY DAY** – bouquet of flowers – wear them – carry them

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**6:00AM THANKSGIVING** – dress as an Indian, pilgrim or turkey.

**7:00AM DANCE LAP** – wakey wakey it's time to shakey.

**8:00AM EARTH DAY** – let's celebrate our earth.

**9:00AM CHASSE DANCE STUDIO** – time for a little zumba.

**9:30AM PRESIDENT'S DAY** – do you have a favorite president?

**10:30AM FENTON KARATE** – will be showing us how they fight back against cancer.

**11:00AM FIGHT BACK LAP** – make a stand, led by our ACSCAN members.

**11:30AM CHARACTER FUN HOUR** – there will be character's walking around. Feel free to dress yourself or little one in character costumes. Bring your camera and take pictures.

**12:00PM BEALE STREET DEMO** – come learn some news ways to prepare your favorite meats.

**12:30PM OWN IT LAP** – do what you want lap just make sure you show us that you're participating.

**1:00PM TEAM CAPTAIN LAP** – you've worked hard the whole year. Come out and let us honor you for your hard work.

**1:30PM CLOSING CEREMONY** – unfortunately it's time to wrap this event up. Thank you for everything that you do and all of your hard work.

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# Look Who's Talking

By William Axford, Staff Reporter



**Matt Gilbert**

**17-year-old junior**

**Fenton High School**

## FAMILY:

My sister, Lauren, is a sophomore and goes to Brighton High School. My dad is Chris Gilbert.

## SPORTS AND LEISURE ACTIVITIES:

I run cross-country and I am in track and field. I like to fish and hunt too. Basketball is fun too, but I don't play because I don't want to get injured.

## FAVORITE MUSIC ARTIST:

Kanye West. I listen to his songs before I race. It gets me in the right mood.

## WORDS TO LIVE BY:

Be hard working and dedicated. You have to stay focused on what you want out of life.

## Matt Gilbert

**You rule the world. The first thing you would do to make it a better place is:** End all the wars that are going on. We should be fighting for different reasons.

**If you could visit anywhere, where would it be and why?** I'd go back to Colorado. I used to live there and still have friends out there. I love the mountains and being outdoors.

**I always:** Eat a full-size pizza before a race. Everyone preaches eating carbs before a race. I ate a pizza before my first race and did well so it just stuck.

**I never:** Put myself in stressful situations. I make it a point to avoid stress as much as possible.

**If I could instantly have any skill or talent it would be:** Playing any musical instrument or to be able to sing. It's something people are born with and it's impressive.

**The best food on earth is:** My friend's mom's cooking, Mrs. Morton. She cooks like a gourmet chef, and I always chow down when I'm over there.

**What's the most annoying thing in the news lately?** Problems between the unions and the government. They need to just suck it up and get the debt settled.

## Student Body asked at Fenton High School

### What is your summer dream job?

#### MEGHAN BAXTER, JUNIOR



"A lifeguard because you wouldn't have to do much and you can get a tan."

#### MADISON IDONI, SOPHOMORE



"Cleaning yachts in Grand Haven. You can get a tan and make a lot of money."

#### ELIOT KASNOW, JUNIOR



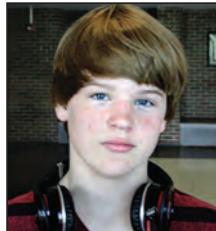
"A marina so I could drive all the fancy boats around."

#### ALEXIS FITEL, SOPHOMORE



"Baby sitting for someone who lives on a lake. I like kids and you can be outside with them in the summer."

#### MATT CALLAGHAN, FRESHMAN



"I would be an artist. I like to draw everything, mostly cartoons."

## Academic achievements

**Adam Morrow** has been named to the spring 2011 Dean's List at Albion College. He is the son of David and Magdalena Morrow of Gaines and a graduate of Linden High School.

**Scott Rumschlag** graduated from University of Michigan — Ann Arbor on Saturday, April 30. He is a 2006 graduate of Fenton High School and the son of Brenda and the late Michael Rumschlag.

**Ryan Stabel** graduated from Kettering University on March 26. He is the son of Robert and Rita Stabel of Linden and a 2006 graduate of Linden High School.

**Kyle Kositz, Mark Twilley, Theresa Laubrick of Fenton, Kurt Marth, Rebekah Price and Dallas Williams** of Holly graduated from Michigan Technological University on Saturday, April 30.

**Zachary Wisniewski**, of Fenton received a bachelor's degree from the College of Wooster on May 16. He is a graduate of Fenton High School.

**Audrey Glubzinski**, daughter of Stan and Cheryl Glubzinski, has been accepted to the University of Michigan College of Pharmacy in Ann Arbor where she will begin her studies in the fall. She is a 2007 graduate of Linden High School and received her bachelor's degree in biology (highest honors) from the University of Michigan in Flint on May 1.

Grand Valley State University has announced that **Kayla Bragg** has been awarded the art education departmental award. She is a graduate of Lake Fenton High School.

Grand Valley State University has announced that **Ian Lang** of Holly has been named to the National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi. He is the son of Charles and Vicky Lang.

Grand Valley State University has announced that **Dylan Moore** of Fenton has been named to the National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi. He is the son of Ron and Kerry Moore.

Grand Valley State University has announced that **Marin Raymond** of Fenton has been named to the National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi. She is the daughter of Brian and Kim Raymond.

Hope College has announced that **Kurtis Carroll** of Holly is on the Spring 2011 Dean's List.

Hope College has announced that **Jessica Frey** of Linden is on the Spring 2011 Dean's List.

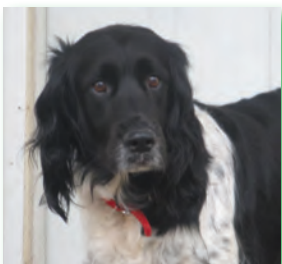
**Morgan McKay**, animal science sophomore of Holly, was named a College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources Student Success Leader for the 2011-2012 school year. She will serve as a career liaison for the program. She is the daughter of Gordon and Jennifer McKay. She is a graduate of Holly High School.

**Emilee L. Anderson**, a Hope College junior from Fenton, received the Human Kinetics Junior Book Award in Athletic Training during the college's annual Honors Convocation on April 28.

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# Linden's postseason run has made season memorable

By David Troppens

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For a team that finished the regular season with an 11-3-3 record, the Linden varsity soccer team probably felt a tad bit empty-handed when it ended.

No one is going to deny that 11-3-3 is an outstanding season, but the Eagles entered the year as defending Metro champs. And despite some key young additions, they looked to have the talent to de-

fend that title this season.

That didn't happen. The Eagles lost to archrival Fenton and also drew against Holly, in a game that they led by two goals late in the second half. Finally, a loss to Lapeer East had dropped the squad to a tie for third place in the final Metro standings.

But that was the regular season. Now, the Eagles are in the postseason, and magical things have happened.

After a full season of mixing and

matching the lineup and trying to get the younger players acclimated to varsity play, the Eagles are looking very much like the team people expected at the season's start.

And with Tuesday's 3-1 regional semifinal victory, the Linden girls have done something that no Linden team before them has ever done — the Eagles played in the regional championship game on Friday.

It's obvious what could've been a frustration a few weeks ago has now

become celebration.

"We put an emphasis to compete and win the league, but when that slipped away we refocused on some other things," Linden coach Kevin Fiebertz said. "We had a fine balance of young kids and we didn't want to score them away. We want to see them perform. And with the mix of the younger kids with the older, experienced kids, I thought had something."

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Linden's  
Sam Thornton

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### SPORTS TRIVIA

**Q** How many years was it in between Nolan Ryan's first MLB no-hitter to his seventh one?

**A** The first one came in 1973, and his final one came nearly 20 years later in 1991.

# Linden's tourney run ends in regional final

## ►Offense struggles in 3-0 loss to Lamphere

By David Troppens

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**Bloomfield Hills** — Linden's longest trip through the state tournament series in girls soccer ended with a frustrating 3-0 verdict Friday night against Madison Heights Lamphere at Andover High School.

The Rams scored on each of their first three shots on net during the contest and cruised to the victory. Linden's offense never got much going during the entire 80 minutes of the contest, resulting in the shutout.

Playing without star Mary-Kathryn Fiebertz, who was out with a right ankle injury, the Eagles mustered just one shot on net all night long and had just four during the 80 minutes, including only one shot in the second half.

Still the loss couldn't erase what was a memorable state tournament series for the Eagles. They advanced to the regional final for the first time in school history, and avenged an early season loss to Fenton during the tourney. The Eagles (15-4-3) followed that with a victory against the Holly Bronchos for a district title and then defeated fellow Metro foe Lapeer West in the regional semifinals on Tuesday. For more on that game read elsewhere in this publication.

"It was a good season," Linden senior Jayce Holmgren said. "We had our ups and downs during the Metro season, but in the end we came together as a family and made a long run. There's not much you can do now. It was fun. These girls mean everything to me."

"We knew if we didn't win we were not advancing, and no one wanted to see our season end. Everyone came together, and every-

one knew us seniors wanted to go as far as we could because we didn't want to see the season end."

It could be argued that neither team really mounted much of an offense in the first half, but the Rams were fortunate enough to get three of their only four shots on net during the opening half go in for goals.

The first goal, the first of two by Brianna Smith, looked like a simple save that Linden keeper Lexi Downes had routinely saved. She did until the ball slipped through her hands, between her legs and into the net. Lamphere led 1-0 just 5:12 into the contest. Almost four minutes later, Lamphere had its first corner kick, and Smith scored on that cross from Chelsea Thompson.

The Rams made it 3-0 before the end of the half when Alexis Hillard scored on a shot from about 35 yards out.

Linden mustered just three shots in the opening half, and only Kelsey Brecht's shot was on net. However, it was routinely saved.

Trailing 3-0 at the break, the Eagles needed to create an offense quickly in the second half. However, the Eagles' offense was even less potent in the second stanza than it was the first. The Eagles had just two scoring chances and neither created a shot on target.

With 16:55 remaining in regulation, Linden's Sam Thornton sent a cross to the farside post to Megan Harp. However, the pass was just a tad too wide as the Eagles didn't even get a shot off on the dangerous chance. The second chance came with 9:46 remaining when Sarah Ford took a shot from about 25 yards out. However, the shot was wide.

Meanwhile, the Eagles were fortunate that



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Linden's Sarah Ford (right) tries to keep Lamphere's Brianna Smith away from the ball during the Eagles' 3-0 regional final loss to the Rams on Friday night.

Lamphere didn't score again. The Rams had 16 shots, including seven on net in the second half. Overall, the Rams had three shots bounce off of posts.

"We were very flat," Linden coach Kevin Fiebertz said. "The biggest thing I'll add is the first three shots and the first three goals. It wasn't good. We dug ourselves in a bad hole. The first five minutes I thought we possessed

the ball relatively well, but then after that we gave up a cheesy goal and the snowball started going."

The Eagles definitely missed their leading scorer, Mary-Kathryn Fiebertz.

"I think it made a difference," Holmgren said. "She's a big part of our team. With her skill and her heart, she's a huge leader on our team. It hurt not having her on the field today."



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#### GOLF

(GOLF)..... European PGA Tour..... 8 a.m.  
(GOLF)..... PGA Champions Tour ..... 1 p.m.  
(NBC)..... PGA Tour ..... 3 p.m.  
(GOLF)..... LPGA Tour ..... 6:30 p.m.

#### AUTO RACING

(SPEED)..... Sprint Cup qualifying ..... 11:30 a.m.  
(VS)..... IndyCar Racing..... 7:30 p.m.

#### BASEBALL

(ESPN)..... NCAA Super Regional..... Noon  
(ESPN)..... NCAA Super Regional..... 3 p.m.  
(FOX)..... MLB regional coverage..... 4 p.m.  
(ESPN2)..... NCAA Super Regional..... 6 p.m.  
(FSD)..... Seattle at Detroit ..... 7 p.m.  
(ESPN)..... NCAA Super Regional..... 7 p.m.  
(ESPN2)..... NCAA Super Regional ..... 9 p.m.

#### SOCCER

### SUNDAY

#### GOLF

(GOLF)..... Champions Tour ..... 1 p.m.  
(CBS)..... PGA Tour ..... 3 p.m.  
(GOLF)..... LPGA Tour ..... 7 p.m.

#### AUTO RACING

(TNT)..... Sprint Cup Racing ..... 1 p.m.

#### BASEBALL

(TBS)..... Cleveland at New York Yankees ..... 1 p.m.  
(FSD)..... Seattle at Detroit ..... 1 p.m.  
(ESPN)..... Super Regional ..... 1 p.m.  
(ESPN)..... Super Regional ..... 4 p.m.  
(ESPN2)..... Super Regional ..... 7 p.m.  
(ESPN)..... Cincinnati at San Francisco..... 8 p.m.  
(ESPN2)..... Super Regional ..... 10 p.m.

#### BASKETBALL

(ABC)..... Dallas at Miami..... 8 p.m.

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# Decker among elite group entering Fenton's HOF

By David Troppens

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Sometimes it takes a little luck to make an Athletic Hall of Fame.

Julie (Roberts) Decker understands this well.

Skill was never a problem for the former three-sport standout from Fenton High School. But opportunity almost was an issue. As a 1977 Fenton graduate, Decker was part of one of the first female classes to benefit from legislation passed in 1972. Today, we call that legislation Title IX.

Title IX states that, "No person in the United States shall, on the basis of sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance..."

In short, what it did was start the opening of the doors for women's equality in sports. And that means Decker, who was a standout basketball, volleyball and track performer, was one of the first women to benefit from the legislation when she started competing in prep sports in 1974.

"We were in the ground level of Title IX," Decker said. "It gave us more opportunity to play. Even when I was in the ninth grade, the volleyball team was a club. They wanted to introduce it to us and then it became a varsity team."

There's no doubt Decker made the most of her opportunities, becoming one of the finest three-sport athletes that Fenton has seen. She was an all-league basketball player her final three seasons, earning All-State Honorable Mention status her senior season. For volleyball, she was an all-league selection in 1976 and 1977, not finishing her senior season due to a ruptured appendix. Finally, in track, she still holds the school record in the two mile (11:44) and used to hold the one-mile (5:18 record). She competed in the state meet in three events during her career, placing fourth in the mile in 1975 and fourth in the two mile in 1976. She missed her senior season due to the ruptured appendix.

Decker will be entering the Fenton Athletic Hall of Fame during the fourth induction banquet, being held on Thursday at Fenton's AGS Middle School cafeteria.

She'll be joined by fellow Class of 2011 inductees Bob Bruder, Bill Hajec, Ken Wegener Sr., Scott Pushman and Don Herman. The 1946 boys basketball team is also being inducted, while Jim Pushman, Karen Pushman and Mike Pushman are being named honorary members for their involvement

with the Cobra Wrestling program. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Dinner starts at 7 p.m. with the induction ceremonies following dinner. The cost is \$100 per individual. Senior citizens and Fenton High School staff can purchase a ticket for \$50. A dessert-only ticket costs \$10 and will provide seating for those audience members. Tickets are available at the Fenton High School athletic director's office and Fenton Administration Building.

"It's quite an honor," Decker said, about being inducted. "When I think about Fenton, I think about great support. (Ken) Wensel was a great supporter of women's sports. Before Title IX, girls were second class, and he made us feel just as important as the boys were."

If it wasn't up to her burst appendix, Decker may have accomplished even greater prep feats.

"I thought I just had a bad stomachache," Decker said. "The doctor thought I had the flu and then infected ovaries, but then they found out an appendix ruptured."

She recovered in time to have a successful athletic career at Central Michigan University. While there, she played volleyball, lettering

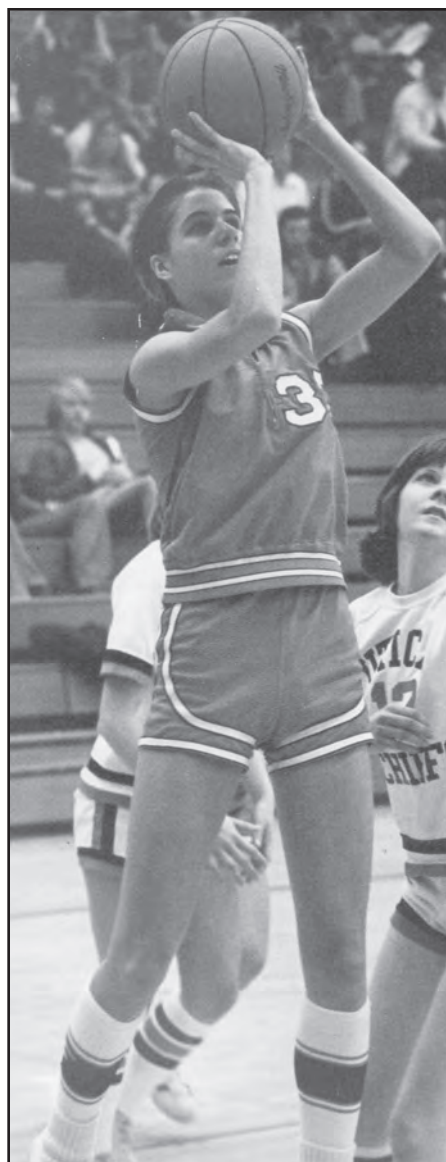
three times. She was the 1980 MVP in the MAC tournament. In basketball she became the first woman to finish her career with 1,000 or more points and rebounds during a career. Yet, she started her career at Central as a walk-on, and became a Chippewa great.

"I didn't think I was going to make it," Decker said. "But after my freshman year they gave me money for volleyball and basketball, a full ride."

"I just think through hard work and dedication I was able to be successful at Central. My life now, we strive to do the best we can do with whatever we do."

**“It's quite an honor. When I think about Fenton, I think about great support.”**

**Julie Decker, inducted into Fenton's Hall of Fame**



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A lot of children running at the Wednesday Night Races has always been a tradition at the weekly event at Linden County Park, but in recent years more adults have competed as well. This year, there will be an open two-mile and three-mile race for all ages, encouraging more people to give cross country running a try.

## Wednesday Night Races return, with a few new events

By David Troppens

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It's the same event, but the format has changed.

And it's changed to make the event more inviting than ever before.

The Wednesday Night Races return to Linden County Park starting June 15 at 6:30 p.m. Many things remain the same from past years. The races still cost only \$2 per person, or \$5 for a family. There are still races for children and adults for all ages, and they still emphasize participation over placement.

But this year's event has changed in one respect—there are more options for runners. In the past there were races with designated distances for certain age groups. Many of those races still remain, but for those interested, there is an open two-mile and an open three-mile race for all ages. The two-mile event is completely new, and in the past younger participants couldn't compete in the longer distance races. Now, those options are open for the runners to decide themselves.

Registration starts at 6:45 p.m. every Wednesday through July 20 and racing begins at 6:45 p.m. for the 10 and under 1/2-mile race. The under 13-year-old race is one mile in length and starts at 7 p.m. The two-mile race starts at 7:15 p.m., while the three-mile race starts at 7:40 p.m. Ribbons are presented to the top three in each age group in the two open races.

"This will allow people to make progress in terms of distance throughout the summer," Clint Lawhorne, one of annual volunteers for the races, said. "For many adults, three miles seemed intimidating. We thought we might get some people to start with two miles and progress to a three-mile run by the end. The ultimate goal of the whole program is for families to get out and exercise together."

The racing series includes six scheduled Wednesday dates. In the past, the number of participants usually ranged between 40 to 80 runners.

Typically, the younger group races draw the largest crowds, but in recent years more adult runners have utilized the program. The events are timed. The races

### Tri-County Summer running options

**Wednesday Night Races:** Races range from 1/2 mile for the youngest runners to an open three-mile race for interested participants of all ages. The races start on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at Linden County Park, and continue through July 20. These races resemble cross country running.

**First Try Triathlon:** There will be an abbreviated triathlon at Linden County Park on July 25. The event starts at 8 a.m. with the swim event at Byram Lake. Registration for the event is already complete.

**Linden Summer Happenings Road Races:** The annual event is June 26 at Hyatt Elementary School and has races that are one mile and 3.1 miles in length. The one-mile race begins at 8:30 a.m.

**Bastille Day Run and Walk:** The 10th annual event is slated for July 16, starting at 7:45 a.m. The event includes a 5K walk and run and a 15K event. The race begins in downtown Fenton.

**Run Through the Flames 5K/10K Run/Walk:** Fenton Firefighters Charities will be hosting their second-annual event on Aug. 13, starting at 10 a.m. The races begin and end at the Fenton Fire Station.

**TRI (Autumn Color):** This triathlon event includes two events of different sizes. It is held at the Holly Recreation Area on Aug. 28, starting at 8 a.m.

are run on the trails throughout Linden County Park. Many of the volunteers are involved with Linden's successful cross country program. In fact, several successful Linden runners have run in the races in previous seasons.

"It is fun to see the families come back year after year and watch their kids grow," Lawhorne said.

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# Linden earns spot in regional title game vs. West, 3-1

## ►Harp's second-half goals prove to be difference

By Al Zipsie

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**Bloomfield Hills** — Linden's first ever trip to the girls soccer regional final will be a memorable one.

Their trip to the regional semifinal certainly was memorable.

Despite losing star player Mary-Kathryn Fiebertz to a leg injury with 26:36 left in the contest, the Eagles overcame a 1-0 half-time deficit, and scored three second-half goals, earning a 3-1 victory against Lapeer West in the regional semifinals at Andover High School on Tuesday night.

Without Fiebertz, the Eagles (14-3-3) needed to find another offensive star, and that person ended up being junior Megan Harp. Primarily a defensive player during the season, she moved to forward frequently in the second half, scoring Linden's final two goals of the contest.

Fiebertz, who will be playing soccer for Michigan State in the fall, was knocked out of the game with a leg injury with 26:36 left in regulation with the game tied 1-0.

Harp, who has had limited scoring chances this year, responded in her new role. She scored the first time on a break-away, giving the Eagles a 2-1 lead. Then, with 3:33 left, Harp struck again, leading Linden to the 3-1 win. The Eagles were missing more than Fiebertz. Jayce Holmgren left the game for good with 11:42 remaining in the contest, and forward Sam Thornton was less than 100 percent due to past injuries and illness.

"We were fighting for our two injured senior players," said Harp. "We wanted to keep going on for them. We did a great job on defense and looked for our connections. I was playing some at forward. I just got past the last defenders and looked for an opening."

Fiebertz, who has been nursing injuries all year, got hurt near the West goal. She did not get up for several minutes and was taken away by vehicle. They put a splint on her for precautionary reasons. According to coach Kevin Fiebertz, it was unlikely his daughter would play during Friday's regional title game against ninth-ranked Madison Heights Lamphere. Meanwhile, Holmgren is expected to play.

"It is new territory, and a lot of it is making your own luck," Fiebertz said. "We will try to recover from the bumps and bruises. We have a good young team that is peaking at the right time. It would be our first regional title in school history for girls soccer."

"Megan (Harp) is like a pitbull on steroids. She had the energy we needed. She goes hard and is so fast that she runs past defenders."

A costly foul on Linden set up what would be Lapeer West's only goal of the game with 17:27 left in the first half. Hayley Schroeder connected on a free kick. Despite dominating with a 12-3 shot edge, the Eagles trailed 1-0 at the break.

"They were a little dejected," Fiebertz said. "I told them to not panic. They controlled the play in the first half. Other than the score, which resulted from a foul, we dominated with shots on goal. We were not taking shots around the box, to just keep attacking. We played great defense tonight, Jayce, Jordan Sargent and Megan Harp, who have each played a lot."

Before her injury, Mary Kathryn-Fiebertz made her impact known. She scored her 33rd goal of the season on a penalty kick just past five minutes into the second half. Her PK stayed low and skipped past strong Lapeer West keeper Lauren Weeks. Fiebertz finally got it by Weeks. Eight minutes later, Fiebertz left with the injury.

It was now Harp's time to shine. First,



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Linden's Mary-Kathryn Fiebertz finishes heading a ball in a recent tournament game. The Eagles defeated Lapeer West 3-1 on Tuesday.

she beat Weeks one-on-one for a goal. Then, freshman Sarah Ford turned on the jets, dribbled past defenders and got the ball to Harp, who then scored. Harp almost scored another goal with 41 seconds left.

"We wanted to win for the injured seniors," keeper Lexi Downes said. "(Mary-

Kathryn) is part of a team, but we play 11 players and the rest of us really stepped it up. We have been getting stronger since the start of the season."

Downes is getting stronger as the season progress. She has allowed only two goals in her last five games. She made eight saves.

## SEASON

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And since the start of the MHSAA's postseason, the Eagles seem to have come together.

First, they opened district play with a 5-0 beating against Kearsley, followed by the "Revenge Tour." The Eagles avenged a 2-1 loss to Fenton by posting a dominating 3-1

victory against Fenton in the district semifinals. That was followed with a 4-0 victory against The Holly Bronchos, a team the squad felt they should've beaten instead of tied earlier in the year, for the district title.

"We had a few games early in the season where we didn't have our best effort, but this week we got revenge on Fenton and now Holly," Linden senior Mary-Kathryn

Fiebertz said after the win against Holly.

Coach Kevin Fiebertz complained frequently this spring about the weather. It made it hard for all teams, but particularly for his squad, who needed to figure out how the new pieces would fit with the old ones. And now, even with injuries impacting key players like Mary-Kathryn Fiebertz and Jayce Holmgren, the Eagles are starting to

settle into their roles. It's most notable on defense. The team has allowed just three goals in their four postseason games.

"The way this started the season and the way we are finishing, this is a totally different team," Kevin 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 (three) games away from a state title."



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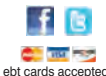
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