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.

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.

House votes to change tenure laws

Underperforming teachers could be demoted or fired

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The Michigan House of Representatives passed the Teacher Quality Package on Thursday. House Bill 4626 aims to change the process and requirements on how teachers achieve tenure.

Teachers opposed to $2.8 million in cuts

Decreased state funding, increasing expenditures lead to growing deficit

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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.”
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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.

Terry Claus and son Tim 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,’” said Alison Kalcec, Rose Township supervisor. “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.
‘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, Mal- lory, 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.

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.

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.

To ease your way into a conversation at a party where you hardly know anyone, try this: Stand nearby and smile at a dominant speaker. Recognizing the leader lets her know that you understand the group’s dynamics. Being on the sidelines also gives the rest of the circle a chance to get used to you, prompting them to shift positions so you can join in.

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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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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 the board of education meeting last Monday with their requisite handmade signs, and, oddly, appeared at Tomak-Eastern School as parents were picking up their kids last Tuesday. About 100 teachers took part in the 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, 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 proposals 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 out of 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 policies 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 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 $4.1 billion in tax increases, about $800 million in cuts and a projected $1.6 billion in union concessions.

Opinions offered in If I Were King are the author’s alone and do not necessarily reflect the opinions of the Tri-County Times or its staff. E-mail the King at king@tctimes.com. Some information reprinted from the Internet.

What is your favorite baseball movie?

“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 Eminem Harbwell tribute play, ‘Emmie,’ by Mitch Albom, is really good.”
— Julie Kolmepeter, Fenton

“I really liked ‘Major League,’ because it was funny.”
— Pete Dodowich, 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.”
— Tammy Rocknor, Linden

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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 vacated property is considered to be 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 Mungar Road, between Milford Road and Buckhorn Lake Road, in Rose Township, June 27 and 28 to repair its Mungar Road crossing. During the closure, the detour route for Mungar 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

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Fenton schools will receive $6,348 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.

According to a presentation at the meeting, health insurance costs are increasing $496,477 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 exceptions, as evidenced by them being offered more than $2 million in scholarships each year for the last three 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 what was offered the top award of a $65,000 Presidential Scholarship from Albion College.

Cody Petzold earned the Presidential Scholarship Award from Oakland University (OU), and will receive $10,000 each year 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.

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.”

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.
Shoplifting suspects caught on tape

Pawn shop owner hopes someone will recognize man and woman

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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.

This photo shows the man standing at left and the woman’s neck/back tattoo. 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. They have been a few other shoplifting attempts, however, those incidents were resolved quickly.

Curtis said that she did not recognize the suspects. Having dealt with past tardiness, 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.

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

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 culprit also attempted to use the card for $2500 in cell phone minutes using his ATM.

On Wednesday, June 8, a passerby noticed a man trying to load a $4,500 riding lawn mower 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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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, the thought comes back to me when I hear about someone else who has cancer. That’s when it really hits me." Nearly 11 million Americans are cancer survivors — more people than the entire population of Michigan. No longer do people wait unless 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 Further Community development, 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 Marjorie Andrejwic, who works primarily with patients 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 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 medical 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 better than people without a strong support system. “I see it all the time,” said Ann Kuhl, medical assistant at an oncology-hematology center 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.”

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 carbohydrates.

• 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.

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. There is also a local event chairmain 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 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.

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 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 blind spot 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 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,” she should have done this two years ago, says Ms. Stroope.

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Don’t believe “there’s nothing left to do”, ask if you qualify for a free low vision screening. 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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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.

**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. and Wednesday, June 29, 6 to 8 p.m. For more information and registration, visit www.lakefentonosc.org.

**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.

**SUMMER READING PROGRAM**

**JUNE 18TH - AUGUST 6TH**

Sign up for this fun-filled program!

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Enjoy these fun presentations at the Fenton and Linden Libraries.

**Fenton Winegarden Children’s Library**

200 E. Caroline Street • Fenton
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Camp Boomerang Presents Reptiles from around the World

Check out a wide range of exotic reptiles from all over the world. Children will learn about the reptiles’ habitats, diet and unusual survival techniques, and may touch and hold the animals too.

No registration required.

*Saturday, June 18th • 10:00 am*

Young Entomologists

This program provides an overview of the world’s most abundant and diverse animals – the arthropods (insects, spiders, scorpions, millipedes and more)!

Suitable for all ages.

*Wednesday, July 13th • 11:00 am*

**Linden Library**

201 N. Main Street • Linden
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Animals from All around Our World

Take an exciting look at animals from all around our world in this live animal presentation.

No registration required.

*Thursday, July 28th • 3:30 pm*

For more info visit www.thegdl.org

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Henna

Ms. Anshu Varma will share her knowledge of the art of Meh’ndi also known as henna. Come enjoy creating henna tattoos on yourself and your friends. The tattoos can last up to two weeks. No registration required.

*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.

*Thursday, July 28th • 4:00 pm*
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).

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 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.
Honor and Etiquette

- The arrival of a fallen soldier at the aircraft 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, regardless 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.

Anderson said that the cemetery 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 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.”
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Three area students on top 10 list at Powers Catholic High School

By Sharon Stone

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. He plans to major in the school’s theater department. He plans to attend the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor.

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.

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.

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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 appointed as a leader. What’s the odds of that happening?

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’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.

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INTRUDER AWAKENS HOMEOWNER
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 had 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. The complainant drove her car to a local tire repair shop, where she noticed a tire on her car had been slashed. Police did not find any suspects.

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.

ILLEGAL FIREWORKS
Fenton police are reminding all residents that any fireworks that leave the ground or explode are illegal in the city of Fenton. Police responded to their first call about illegal fireworks near Main and Lemen streets.

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Puzzle Answer Keys

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

Scrambler Answers


Today’s Word: MUSH

King Crossword Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

Wednesday Sudoku Answers

1 6 2 5 4 3
2 3 8 1 4 5
3 4 9 2 6 7
4 5 1 3 7 8
5 6 2 4 8 9
6 7 3 5 9 1

Super Crossword Answers

1. Freshout
2. Fill
3. A.C.
4. Fiddle
5. Pigure
6. Social
7. Parse
8. armed
9. Roust
10. Shovel
11. Lasso
12. Slime

By Tribune Media

Sunday Sudoku

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON

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

ZBA-11-010 Fenn LLC James Nickel 17195 Silver Parkway #323 Fenton requesting road frontage variance to divide property zoned C-3 at 3330 Thompson Rd. Parcel 06-100-015

ZBA-11-011 Shirley Ednie 19668 Shorecrest Dr. Clinton Township. seeking sight line variance to construct deck to lake side of property located at 14170 Eastview Dr. Parcel 06-22-028-019

ZBA-11-012 Fady Elias 2072 S. Long Lake Rd. Fenton, Michigan requesting variance to the required parking spaces to open a coffee shop in the plaza at 14278 Fenton Rd. Parcel 06-23-200-017

ZBA-11-013 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 OPINION BY EXPRESS OR OF RECORD WILL BE CONSIDERED AT THE BOARD OF APPEALS PRIOR TO THIS HEARING. THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS ENJOYS YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THIS APPEAL.

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ROBERT KRUNG
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

TYRENE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD JUNE 7, 2011

1. Present: Clerk Keith Kremer, Treasurer Dave Kurtz, Trustees Don Petz, Colleen Arnett, Jim Kohoff and Steve Hasbrouck. Absent: Supervisor Mike Cunningham.

2. Appointed the Clerk to modify the minutes as the absence of the Secretary.

3. Approved the minutes of the prior meeting.

4. Approved the agenda as presented; approved the consent agenda as presented.

5. Received and placed on file Communications #1-4 as presented.


7. Approved the ITRight service, email/web hosting, and remote backup contracts.

8. Approved the newsletter as presented.

9. Adjourned at 8:24 p.m.

The minutes of all regular and special Tyrene Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrene Township Clerk’s Office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at www.tyronetownship.org.

The next regular meeting of the Tyrene Township Board will be held on Tuesday, June 21, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrene Township Hall. The public is encouraged to attend.

Supervisor Mike Cunningham
Clerk Keith L. Kremer
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A bad headlight switch can do this as well. Try turning the light switch off and on when this happens to see if it corrects itself. If so I would replace the switch.

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By: Dr. Steven Sulfaro

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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
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**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 to ensure compliance with MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
  - 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 detected at testing limit
- **ppb:** parts per billion or micrograms per liter
- **ppm:** parts per million or milligrams per liter
- **Action Level:** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

### Water Quality Data

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<th>Regulated Contaminant</th>
<th>MCL</th>
<th>MCLG</th>
<th>Year Water</th>
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<th>Violation Yes/No</th>
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### 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.

### Monitoring and Reporting Requirements:
The State and EPA require us to test your 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 water, or the contents of this report, contact Scott Fairbanks at 810-735-7980 or e-mail at dpw@lindenmi.us.

For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.
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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.”

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 nurseriesmen. “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.

For a potentially oddball gift, check out the surprising varieties that can be found at a pawnshop.

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.
Rebecca A. Jedrzejas and Adam J. Foley were united in marriage on Jan. 8, 2011 at the Bavarian Inn Lodge in Frankenmuth. The bride was given in marriage by her aunt, Connie Jedrzejas of Fenton. The bride’s uncle, Lou Hohman of Sarasota, Fla. and the Rev. Brian Tuttle of Frankenmuth jointly officiated the ceremony. The bride’s aunt, Linda Keefe Hohman, accompanied on the flute. Maid of honor was Erica McDonald of Fenton. Bridesmaids were Jean King and Amanda Constable. Wedding hostesses were Jessica Hartsell and Allysa Sutton. Best man was the groom’s brother, Kasey Porritt of Goodrich. Groomsmen were Will McNiece, Tyler Kieffer and Wes Barker. Ring bearer was Jonny Harris. The bride’s parents are Margie Jedrzejas of Dearborn Heights and the late Jim Jedrzejas of Fenton. The groom’s parents are Kim (Bill) Frescura of Goodrich and Jamie Foley of Colorado. The groom is serving in the U.S. Army stationed in Fort Drum, N.Y. After a honeymoon in Florida and a cruise to the Bahamas, the couple is residing in Calcium, N.Y.
Local minor league teams a big hit

> 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.

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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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. For 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. Once 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 cliche 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.”

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Class ring lost in sewer returned 73 years later

In 1938, young Jesse Mattos accidentally dropped his high school ring into a toilet at a local butcher shop in Dunsmuir, California. Seventy-three years later, Tony Congi, a sewer maintenance worker and fellow alumus 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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**WIT & WISDOM**

- “The best thing about the future is that it comes only one day at a time.”
  - Abraham Lincoln, quoted in MarketWatch.com
- “Doing the best at this moment puts you in the best place for the next moment.”
  - Oprah Winfrey, quoted in the Talsa World
- “The nice thing about being a celebrity is that, if you bore people, they think it’s their fault.”
  - Henry Kissinger, quoted in Forbes

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**For those who have everything: Kohler’s $6,400 toilet**

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So few toilets make a user feel like royalty. But Kohler’s new Nuni seems to answer every need. “It senses your presence” as you approach it, “raising its lid in salute and, if you like, welcoming you with the sound of soothing piano music.” A charcoal-filter deodorizer guards your nostrils, and Kohler’s “most advanced” toilet yet even calculates how much water is required for each flush based upon the amount of time it has been occupied. But with a foot-warming heat vent, an iPod docking station, and an oscillating bidet with integrated air dryer, who would ever want to stand up? $6,400, Kohler.com

Source: Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

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**NOTED:**

**Tornadoes’ high death toll**

For those who have everything: Kohler’s $6,400 toilet

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

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**Detroit Free Press**

**THE BOTTOM LINE**

**Automated leadership** after the extension of the Patriot Act was signed by a president who 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**

Sales of cooking sauces rose 20 percent from 2005 through 2010, says market researcher Mintel, as recession-squeezed consumers cooked at home more often and used sauces to add flavor to cheap cuts of meat.

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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 Perris 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 a 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 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.
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 Purina’s 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.

Marjie’s Gluten-Free Pantry on the move

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One year after opening, Marjie Andrejciw, owner of Marjie’s Gluten-Free Pantry has made a move to its new location at 106 South LeRoy St. in Fenton, near Billmeier Camera.

“Our new space is three times larger, and we have already expanded our product lines,” said Marjie Andrejciw, Marjie’s Gluten-Free Pantry owner.

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.

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.marjiepantry.com.
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 Bachelor 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 Blake 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.


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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 alive. In attempts to strengthen and try to test what we’ll face in our marriage, we 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 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?

— 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. It’s pretty frustrating. Is my only option just to tell her that off and say it’s not the same, which is pretty hard? My wife and I have shared a relationship like this for years. We are parents and have 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 a few years older than I. He has a young child from a previous relationship 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 tell me that the agreement was 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 being a mom anymore and that’s my final choice? This seems kind of rude, and most of these folks are well-meaning friends.

— No Babies, Thanks

DEAR READER: I received quite a response to my question of pet owners. It seemed that owners care deeply for their pets, and that’s positive news.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My daughter, 37, has rheumatoid arthritis. Is it genetic or a diet/lifestyle 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 the spine 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 symptoms. 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 control them amazing.
Friday, June 17 at 2:00 pm  
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Join us in Celebrating Another Birthday!

If you or someone you love is a cancer survivor, please join us for the 2011 Survivor Ceremony.

Registration begins at 5:00 pm on Friday, June 17th with the Ceremony starting at 6:00 pm. The ceremony recognizes all cancer survivors, and our featured speaker for the ceremony is Bill Harris, renowned anchor at ABC 12 news. Join us as he shares his journey through cancer. Then we take a victory lap around the track, joined by the survivor’s caregiver and concluded with a birthday dinner. Please join the party!

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The Silent Auction hours are 3:00 pm-Midnight on Friday, June 17th and 7:00 am-10:00 am on Saturday, June 18th.

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!

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!

Music, Music, Music!

What party would be complete without music? On Friday from 5:00-7:00 pm, Mike MacDonald from CK 105.5 will be here to get the party started!

Starting at 7:30 pm, the amazing band Wildfire will be here to entertain our teams & guests.

Don’t miss Hyper Lytics from Midnight to 1:00am while they keep our relayers awake and energized!
American Cancer Society’s
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Friday, June 17th 2pm THROUGH Saturday, June 18th 2pm

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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 advances that promise to extend the lives 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, where they will find more information on: our event, and/or Making a donation to Relays 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.

Friday, June 17th

There will be an official check in location for the laps. Make sure that you take the time to check in at the assigned destination. 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 PARTY’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 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 do not 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 caregivers.

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 – this 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 18th

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

4:00AM BLACK FRIDAY – it’s time to get ready for some Black Friday shopping. What’s that? You say you don’t like going out to fight with the crowds. You’ll be safe here – trust me. Carry empty boxes or bags while wearing pajamas.

5:00AM VALENTINE’S DAY – hearts to you.

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

7:00AM DANCE LAP – wacky wacky it’s time to shuffle.

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

9:00AM CHASSIE 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 ACS CAN members.

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

12:00PM BEALE STREET DEMO – come learn some new ways to prepare your favorite meals.

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.

MINI OLYMPICS

1:00AM MANY MINIS
Bring these items with you (sandwich cookies, 2 boxes of tissue, 6 dice, blind fold, chair, plastic cups)

2:00AM SPOONS AND EGGS
Bring these items with you (hard boiled eggs, spoons for at least 4 participants)

3:00AM PIE EATING CONTEST
Bring these items with you (pie tin, pudding, whipped topping, chair)

4:00AM CUPS OF EGGS
Bring these items with you (hard boiled eggs, plastic cups)

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

There will be a lot of activities for kids!

Stop by each tent to see what they have to offer. The Presbyterians With A Purpose are having a T-shirt paint spray booth this year! Full of Barney Bunch will be offering pictures with the Easter Bunny! Hartland Animal Hospital will be selling decorated dog bandanas & dog cookies! Such a great opportunity to come have fun with your family and support a great cause!
Look Who’s Talking

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 a 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.

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What is your summer dream job?

MADISON IDONI, SOPHOMORE
“Cleaning yachts in Grand Haven. You can get a tan and make a lot of money.”

ALEXIS FETEL, 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.”

MEGHAN BAXTER, JUNIOR
“A lifeguard because you wouldn’t have to do much and you can get a tan.”

ELIOT KASNOW, JUNIOR
“A marina so I could drive all the fancy boats around.”

Fenton High School

WORDS TO LIVE BY:
Do what you want to do. It’s the only way to be happy.

Look Who’s Talking

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.

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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 defend 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 Fiebernitz 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.”

See SEASON on 15B

Linden’s tourney run ends in regional final

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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 Fiebernitz, 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 everyone knew we 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 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 Fiebernitz 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 Fiebernitz.

“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) 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) Detroit at Detroit 1 p.m.

(espN) Super Regional 7 p.m.

(espN) Atlanta at San Francisco 8 p.m.

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Decker among elite group entering Fenton’s HOF

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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 the 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 (11:34) and used to hold the one-mile (5:10 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 made 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 Wege Jr., Scott Pushman and Don Hernan. The 1946 boys basketball team was 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. Se- nior 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.”

Decker, inducted into Fenton’s Hall of Fame.

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Julie (Roberts) Decker is one of six individuals being inducted into Fenton’s Athletic Hall of Fame on Thursday at Fenton’s Andrew G. Schmidt Middle School.

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A lot of children running at the Wednesday Night Races was 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

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

Harp’s second-half goals prove to be difference

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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 a memorable one.

Despite losing star player Mary-Kathryn Fiebernitz to a leg injury with 26:36 left in the contest, the Eagles overcame a 1-0 halftime 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 Fiebernitz, 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.

Fiebernitz, 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 1-1.

Harp, who has had limited scoring chances this year, responded in her new role. She scored the first time on a breakaway, 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 Fiebernitz. 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 out 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.”

Fiebernitz, who has been nursing injuries all year, got hurt near the West goal. She didn’t get up for several minutes and was taken away by vehicle. They put a splint on her for precautionary reasons. According to coach Kevin Fiebernitz, 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,” Fiebernitz 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 was 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 tied 1-0 at the break.

“They were a little dejected,” Fiebernitz 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 Fiebernitz 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. Fiebernitz finally got it by Weeks. Eight minutes later, Fiebernitz left with the injury.

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

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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 Broncos, 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 Fiebernitz said after the win against Holly.

Coach Kevin Fiebernitz 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 Fiebernitz 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 Fiebernitz said. “We’ve re-engaged 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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