

**HOT LINE: BRIDGE
CARD ABUSE**



**Bridge
card
users**
can-
not buy alcohol
and
cigarettes with the
bridge card. Serious-
ly, check your facts.
—Jeannie

**STORY: POSITIVE
HOT LINES ONLY**

I'm not sure that
the idea of having a
positive only hotline
edition was the right
thing to do. It seems
that it only opened
the door wider for
more baseless gush-
ing and blind worship
propaganda over
the socialist (proven)
failure residing in
the people's house.
Sadly, much of the
left wing propaganda
comes from net-
worked ideologues,
who don't even live
in the Fenton area
and are not a true
representation of the
Fenton community.
—Mr. Manners

**HOTLINE: FENTON
RESTAURANTS**

To those who want
an Olive Garden and
Red
Lobster
in Fen-
ton, how
often do
you eat
there? How about
your friends and
family? I eat there
maybe twice a year,
definitely not enough
to support those
restaurants here. Last
thing we need is yet
another failed busi-
ness.

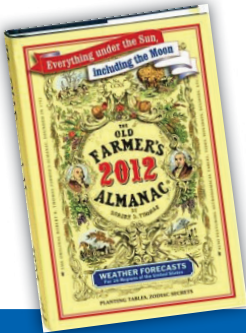
—Anonymous



A day at the waterpark

Only 15 minutes away

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Farmers' Almanac

Upcoming winter
'very white and wet'

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Linden Summer Happening

a go for next year

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Suspicious man spotted near bus stops

► Sheriff's department doubling patrol vehicles in response

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Fenton Twp. — The Gen-
esee County Sheriff's Depart-
ment is investigating three
incidents of a suspicious white
male observed near bus stops
in the Fenton area. In response,

the sheriff's department is dou-
bling up on patrol vehicles dur-
ing bus stop times. The depart-
ment has also added unmarked
police vehicles in the area.

Sheriff Chris Swanson said
the first incident occurred on
Wednesday, Sept. 21 at around

6:30 a.m. A woman reported
seeing an older white male
shinning a laser pointer in the
14000 block of Fenton Road.
When the man realized the
woman had seen him, he ran
into the woods.

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Parents of school-age children are advised
to watch the youngsters at bus stops.

Farmers' market closing for the season



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

Rennae Healey, of Clio, sells fresh produce to Dell Cox, who shopped with Emily Ketzbeau at the
Fenton Farmers' Market this past Thursday afternoon. The market will close for the season tomorrow.

Researching health issues online gets mixed reviews

► Medical experts weigh in

By Tim Jagielo

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You're experiencing lower abdomi-
nal pain, but it's
Sunday, and your
primary care
physician is not
available. You
don't want to call
the emergency
line, so you de-
cide to check out
WebMD.com, a

reputable general health website, for
some advice.

The symptoms for lower abdominal
pain range from "bleeding" to "worms
in stool" — and a lot of horrible things
in between. Possible diagnoses include
colon cancer, aortic aneurism or muscle
strain or gas pains. And with that range
of possible conditions associated with
one simple symptom, it's no surprise that
online medical research can be a mixed

See **HEALTH** on 9

Summary

► Researching
medical condi-
tions online can be
helpful, but never
a substitution for a
real physician.

Man dies after Monday morning crash near Owen Road

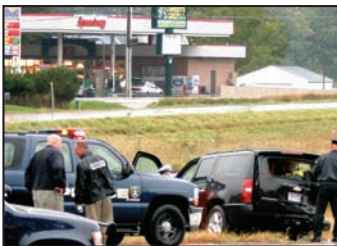
► Rear-end collision
result of traffic slowdown
for construction zone

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Fenton — A 21-year-old
Ypsilanti man, Patrick Lamont
Fleming, died from injuries
he sustained in a rollover
crash Monday morning on
northbound U.S. 23, just south
of Owen Road in Fenton.

According to Police
Chief Rick Aro, the police



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The driver of the SUV that rear-
ended this Suburban died from
his injuries Monday morning.

and fire departments were
dispatched to the highway
at 8 a.m. for a two-vehicle,
rollover crash. Preliminary

See **CRASH** on 10

Fenton City Council meeting cancelled

► No quorum for first
time in 20 years

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Fenton — For the first time
in her 20 years of serving on the
Fenton City Council, Council-
woman Cheryl King called Mon-
day night's meeting to order, and
then motioned for an adjourn-
ment, due to a lack of quorum.

The city's charter mandates
that five officers be present to

conduct city business. However,
Mayor Sue Osborn, Councilman
John Rauch and Councilwoman
Dianne North had called in earlier
in the day and requested to be
excused from the meeting. Two
of the three missing officials were
ill and one was required to work.

Monday's agenda included
five resolutions and other action
items. The four council mem-
bers present agreed to move the
meeting to Tuesday evening, at
7:30 p.m.

Linden Summer Happening is going to return next year

► Council limits hours of operation for entertainment tent

By William Axford

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The Linden Summer Happening is on schedule to return in 2012. Despite a disagreement on the hours of operation for an entertainment tent, the Linden City Council approved the activities proposed by the Linden Summer Happening Committee.

The committee proposed having the tent opened 12 to 10 p.m. on a Thursday; 12 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday and Saturday; and 12 to 6 p.m. on Sunday. Council members expressed concern that the proposed hours went on too late and that the noise would keep residents awake.

Also debated was whether the committee would have access to the Linden VFW property. Entertainment Chairperson Brian Carr said the new



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | FILE PHOTO

The Linden Summer Happening, which was not held last summer, is tentatively planned to return in 2012, with an entertainment tent and a carnival.

rental agreement gives the committee full access to the property. Councilor Gary Mahnke disagreed and blamed past misunderstandings on event chairperson Tim Murphy's "poor communication skills" with the board.

"I'm against the entertainment tent but I don't want to be the one stopping

See **HAPPENING** on 8



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Misfit Lab, a snowboard and skateboard instructional facility will be moving into the old Randy Wise Car Care Center on Fenway Drive.

Indoor skate and snowboard facility coming to Fenton

► Only facility of its kind in Midwest

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Fenton — Soon, the building formerly occupied by the Randy Wise Car Care Center on Fenway Drive will be sporting a whole new look inside. The Fenton City Planning Commission gave conditional ap-

proval last week for an indoor recreational area for skateboarding and snowboarding and instruction. The plans were submitted by Shaun and Tera Hamilton, of Fenton, owners of Misfit Lab.

The 16,720 square foot building has been vacant for several years. It is owned by Randy Wise, Wiseman Realty, LLC.

Shaun Hamilton said he and his wife moved to Fenton six years ago. He is a firefighter and she is a nurse at Hurley Medical Center in Flint. After being laid off, Hamilton said he wanted to provide something for the Fenton area.

With both Shaun, 30, and Tera, 26, being experienced snowboarders and skateboarders, this facility was a natural fit. Tera was lead designer with the facility's layout, said Hamilton. Her unique ideas were incorporated into the design then used by the architect, Mark Baldrige.

The couple found that the former car care center building would suit their needs and approached Fenton City for approval. "The city has been nothing but supportive of us," said Hamilton.

Carmine Avantini, of LSL Planning, Inc., reviewed the couple's special land use application and recommended that the planning commission approve their plans, with a few conditions. All activities would have to be conducted inside and if they ever decided to make any changes to the exterior, the Hamiltons would have to have their plans reviewed and approved by the zoning administrator, Brad Hissong.

Hamilton said a 2,100-square-foot snow surface and a 20- by 20-foot foam pit will be designed into the space, as well as a 5,500 square foot skate park, with obstacles. Ramps will be 12- to 14-feet high. A 2,500 square foot area inside the facility will be retail space.

According to Hamilton, this facility in Fenton would be the only indoor snowboard facility in the Midwest and one of just three in the country. They hope to be open by mid-November.

As one who has received many tickets for skateboarding in Brighton while growing up, Hamilton knows what it is like for skateboarders who need a place to skate. Market research told the Hamiltons that this area would support this type of facility.

The Hamiltons will be instructors and they plan to have other experienced instructors come in to work with the small groups. They anticipate their biggest age group to be the 12 to 18 group, but they also expect younger and older individuals to give it a try. Hamilton is currently teaching his 3-year-old son.

Unlike outdoor ski resorts, Misfit Lab will be using a synthetic powder, made in the U.S., for its snow. In order for guests to use the foam pit, Hamilton said they would be required to take a lesson and be foam pit certified.

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Upcoming winter 'very white and wet' So says Farmers' Almanac

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If you ask any Michigander about what the most unpredictable aspect of the Great Lakes State is, the weather is bound to be near the top of the list. From heavy snow to unbearably humid days, Michigan is famous for its versatile, and sometimes volatile, weather patterns.

The weather's unpredictability hasn't stopped people from trying to forecast every season, however. Publications such as the Old Farmer's Almanac and the Farmers' Almanac have told people what to expect weather wise, year after year, and not always so accurately.

"An almanac may give us a general idea of what to expect for a season, but shouldn't be used for people looking for everyday local weather," said Catherine Bodak, a meteorologist for WNEM TV 5. "An almanac may be helpful for some but most are just looking for a forecast in their subdivision."

According to Bodak, television stations only do a seven-day prediction, focusing on near-term forecasting. Accurately predicting the weather for an entire season is difficult, if not impossible. "You wish you had more time to predict a big storm

Summary

▶ Almanacs have predicted the on-coming seasons for centuries. Michigan's winter is predicted to have a lot of precipitation, with normal temperatures.

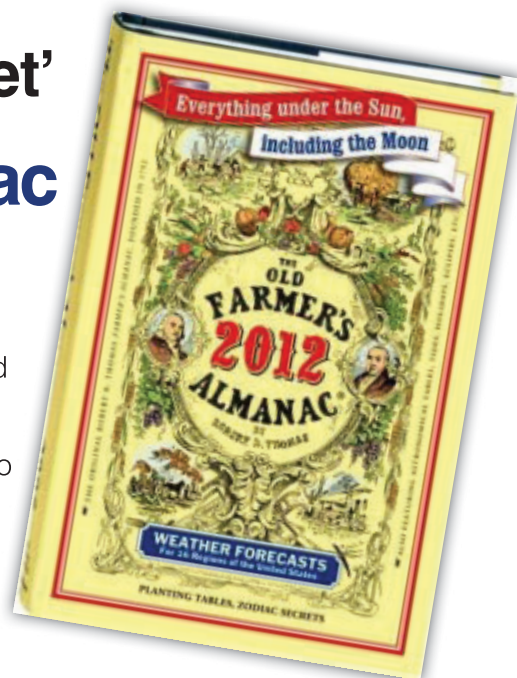
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Almanac facts

- The earliest almanacs are linked to Babylonian astronomy, where the authors tried to predict planetary movements and lunar periods. Such predictions were considered powers of divinity.

- "Poor Richard's Almanac" was published by Benjamin Franklin and was the best selling publication in the American colonies.

- Some contemporary almanacs don't predict the weather and specialize in a certain topic. The Almanac of American Politics and The Almanac of American Literature are two such examples.



Indoor water park just 15 minutes away...

▶ Hartland aquatic center draws families and recreational swimmers

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You don't have to go as far away as Frankenmuth or Traverse City to enjoy a family-oriented "indoor water park" experience. Just 15 minutes from Fenton, Hartland's Caroselli Aquatic & Fitness Center attracts thousands of visitors each month to its facilities located next to Hartland High School.

A leisure pool with a beach-like "zero decking" entrance and "Splash & Play" mini water park draws families and recreational swimmers, while a competitive pool attracts racing enthusiasts, lap swimmers

and serious exercisers. This creatively designed community aquatic center draws a huge pool of swimmers from as far away as Flint, Ann Arbor and Fowlerville.

Its biggest draw is its suitability for a variety of ages, from infants to senior citizens.

"Splash & Play" is set aside for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers to enjoy the leisure pool at a quieter pace, with water toys and a current channel, similar to a "lazy river." The leisure pool and play area are set to a comfortable 86 degrees, and goes from zero to four feet deep. The competitive pool, kept at 82

"What makes our pools so unique is that they were designed with the community in mind."

Julie Hill
director



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

Carisa Garcia, of Howell, helps son Shane, 2, onto the water slide at Hartland's Caroselli Aquatic & Fitness Center on Monday. "This is good socialization for the kids," she said. "It's helped them so much."

degrees, goes from 4 feet, to 12 feet deep. The hot tub is set at 101 degrees.

Programs for all ages include

open swims, swimming lessons, water exercises classes and rentals for birthday parties

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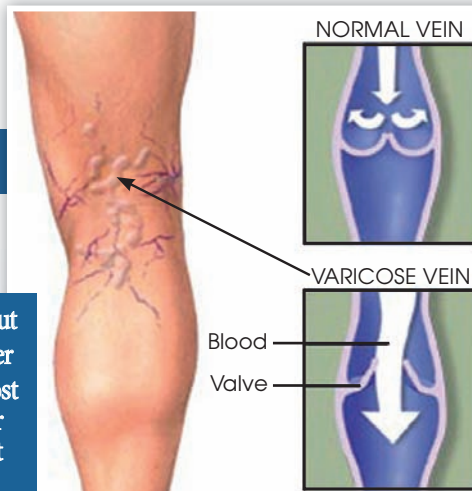


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Paying the Dead

There isn't much about dysfunctional government that shocks me anymore, but this story did. According to a report by the Office of Personnel Management and reported in the Washington Post, our government has been sending checks to dead people. 'In the last five years, the Post writes, the Office of Personnel Management has made more than \$601 million in payments to dead federal retirees, according to the agency's inspector general. Total annual payouts range between \$100 million and \$150 million.'

'Improper payments to dead retirees are up 70 percent in the last five years,' cites the OPM report. In one outrageous case, the son of a deceased man kept receiving federal benefits for 37 years after his father's death. OPM didn't learn about the improper payments until after the son died.

Senator Tom Coburn, Oklahoma Republican, conducted an investigation and reported last October on his findings. Coburn discovered that 'the federal government had paid nearly \$1 billion to at least 250,000 dead people since 2000.' As congressional Democrats and Republicans play another round of 'chicken' over what, if anything, can be cut from the bloated budget and engage in phony theatrics over another possible government shutdown, those members who wish to be more responsible with other people's money ought to make the issue of wasteful spending central to the upcoming campaign.

After removing the dead and incarcerated from the federal payroll, they can go after an agency that touches all Americans: the U.S. Postal Service. According to Citizens Against Government Waste, 'The USPS has 600,000 employees and is the second largest employer in America behind Wal-Mart. USPS employees were paid \$21.9 million for 875,540 hours of 'stand-by' time in 2010, and \$4.3 million for 170,666 hours in the first half of 2011. The USPS also has a 24-percent vacancy rate in its 284 million square feet of interior office space.

It is beyond disgraceful that so many elected officials and unelected bureaucrats continue to waste so much of our money, all the while demanding we be taxed more because they can't 'afford' to cut a dime and some of us allegedly aren't contributing our 'fair share.'

I WOULD LIKE to thank the person who Wednesday's Hot line about the Fenton youth football is coming back. We have a great coaching staff a new board, and help from the middle school coaching staff. Fenton youth football will be stronger for years to come now Coach Gross.

OUR MAILMAN IS the best apple pie baker around. What a treat. Was beyond delicious. We really appreciated what a great way to start our week. Thank you.

QUESTION: WHY WILL the housing market not be able to recover and create jobs? Answer: Stating in 2013, there will be 3.8 percent sales tax the seller has to pay in the H/C bill that every Democrat in Congress voted for. That comes out to \$11,400 on a \$300,000 home.

WAS THE DOG Florida ever captured? I worry now that the weather is turning colder.

REMEMBER, WHEN YOU vote in 2012, ObamaCare is using Medicare to take \$550 billion out of Medicare and transferring it to Medicare. Medicare payment is \$96.40 and will increase to \$247 in 2013. Social Security recipients who voted Democrat now look like the party's mascot.

YES, WE NEED pedestrian signs in downtown Fenton. We need more people walking around downtown and this will be what gets new business downtown. For now, people should just walk around and enjoy the beauty of downtown, and say hi to neighbors walking about. Get out and enjoy the neighborhood.

Hot lines

Submit at: www.tctimes.com or call 810-629-9221

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I LIVE IN one of those neighborhoods where cars are not parked on the front lawn, commercial vehicles are not parked and everyone is expected to keep their homes looking neat and tidy. Thank you.

THE APPLEFEST IS always a family event. My congratulations to Stohr, Father Harvey and all the staff and volunteers for putting something other than arduous streets.

WHEN I WAS working and held a high position, the legal world held the position previously left a big mess. I told him I had been handed a mess. The boss looked me square in the eye and said, 'You said you could do the job.' At that time on, I was named anyone else for what I had to clean up. Now let's look at Obama. He said he could do the job.

I COMMEND WHAT Mr. Conklin did. I wonder why only firefighters have breathing tanks most cases. The first responders are police. The police should have breathing tanks in their trucks to protect them in using them. They could save even more lives.

I JUST WANTED to thank the city of Fenton for putting up the yield signs for pedestrians. I no longer feel like I have to play dodge when I am crossing the street with my grandchildren. The cars are now actually stopping. Thank you.

IT'S ABOUT TIME someone stepped up to the plate and provided wireless service to the downtown area.

See HOT LINE throughout Times



Cheryl Dennison

From the
editor

The most beautiful time of the year

"Winter is an etching, spring a watercolor, summer an oil painting and autumn a mosaic of them all."

— Stanley Horowitz

It's true, isn't it? There is nothing more beautiful than an autumn day. On some autumn days, you can still enjoy the warm breeze of the summer, and the brilliant color of the autumn leaves easily replace the wilting flowers. The autumn breeze brings a plentiful supply of activities to look forward to.

One of those activities is homecoming, a long-honored tradition for schools for many years. Linden and Fenton schools are celebrating homecoming this week, with Holly and Lake Fenton's celebration following in the next two weeks. There will be Powder Puff football games, dances and pep rallies, not to mention the naming of the homecoming king and queen. School spirit is high in the tri-county area during this time.

I'm planning to visit the west side of the state this weekend and I'm looking forward to the glorious fall colors, which are nearing their peak in some areas. Be sure to read the Tri-County Living section in Sunday's edition and find out about where (and when) to go on a fall color tour in this beautiful state.

While I haven't completely put away the grill, I look forward to the comfort foods that start appearing on the dinner table in the fall. I made my first batch of chili and corn bread, one of my family's favorites.

Don't forget, tomorrow is the last day of the Fenton Farmers' Market, which has brought an array of summer's bounty to residents in the area. And, it is also the final weekend of the Renaissance Festival in Holly Township, which attracts thousands of visitors.

Many area residents are looking forward to the big game between Michigan State and the University of Michigan, which is Saturday, Oct. 15. The various college football games spur a favorite pastime — tailgating.

Yes, indeed, autumn is a glorious time of year.

Enjoy your week.

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Have you ever used the Internet for health information?

streettalk



"I've had both my knees replaced, and I researched the procedure on the Internet beforehand."

— Ken Wensel, Fenton



"No, I haven't had any reason to do so. If I do in the future, I certainly will use the Internet."

— Roger Renwick, Fenton



"Yes, to me, the information isn't set in stone. If there's really an issue, I'll seek real medical advice."

— Kathy Williams, Fenton



"I haven't had the occasion to. If I do have a medical situation, I'll just deal with my doctor."

— Frank Romania, Fenton



"No, I haven't had any health issues. If I do, my sister is a doctor, so I can go to her with questions."

— Linda Berry, Fenton



"Yes, I have. The information has been very helpful."

— Amber Willett, Grand Blanc

You're fired!

Holly Village Council releases millpond treatment contractor

By Tim Jagielo

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Holly — The verdict was clear after a public hearing for the Holly Millpond Assessment district. LakePro must go. Millpond residents spoke during a public hearing at the last Holly Village Council meeting. The residents told the council about poor service and poor communication from current contractor LakePro, which is based in Swartz Creek.

LakePro has already been notified verbally of the cancellation, and written notice should be received by Wednesday, said Village Manager Jerry Walker. Bidding from a new contractor will begin after the Oct. 11 environmental committee meeting.

The 2011 weed control assessment costs \$8,020, and affects 17 families that live around the 900-acre millpond. LakePro, along with the Department of Public Works (DPW), had been the focus of complaints concerning noxious weeds around the pond, and undesirable lake levels.

Resident Sherlynn Everly spoke out against the fluctuating pond levels, which are set by the DPW, but mostly about LakePro. She said the entire southern part of the pond was not treated. "It really looked bad over there," Everly said. "We're not happy. We know they're not effective." She also said LakePro representatives were not responsive to resident inquiries. "That is terrible customer service," she said.

Walker said LakePro wasn't responsive to village requests, either. "They did not perform as promised," he said. "The service provided was sub-par this year. The residents are correct."

DPW director Brian Klaasen had asked the contractor to provide 48 hours notice for the residents before a treatment, but often only posted warnings the day of the treatment itself.

"I think it's time to sharpen our pencils," said Jeff Miller, president of the Holly Village Council, meaning that it is time to look for another contractor.

"Business is not that easy to get. We have options."

The council immediately directed Walker in a unanimous vote to start sending out for bids for a new contractor.

The council also voted to schedule an environmental committee meeting to discuss issues such as establishing a standard water level for the millpond.

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Audit reflects enrollment drop of 189 students at Holly schools

► Budget loss of \$369,526 for 2011-12 school year

By Tim Jagielo

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After all the painful cuts the Holly Area Schools (HAS) administration made the

Summary

► Holly Area Schools saw a drop in 189 students in an unofficial count, which caused a significant reduction in state funding.

last fiscal year, they are still not out of the woods, yet. The audit presented to the HAS Board of Education on Monday was routine, and considered "clean,"

with no surprises for the administration to deal with. But the audit reflected something that had surprised everyone the beginning of the 2011-12 school year — an estimated 189 drop in students enrolled in Holly schools.

The unofficial student count showed a loss mostly from the elementary schools, while the middle school and high school remained mostly flat. It is estimated there are 3,530 students in HAS, but the official count will be taken on Oct. 5.

Almost 60 percent of the HAS budget comes from state revenue, which is directly affected by per-pupil funding. "All districts are struggling," said audit presenter Mike Frawley, of the firm Yeo & Yeo. "A number of my districts are dealing with this problem."

Administrators had budgeted to

only lose around 90 students. "It was a shocker," said assistant superintendent of administration

Steve Lenar. That loss of students along with other expenses has resulted in the administration having to find another \$369,526 in the budget. HAS had planned on a \$1.4 million operating deficit, and now has to deal with additional revenue loss.

The district still has a positive fund balance of \$3.2 million, but that is reserved only for emergencies.

The drop in students represents a double whammy for the school system that is already wrangling with the statewide \$470 reduction in per pupil funding. "It won't be pretty," said Superintendent Kent Barnes. "We cannot cut our way out of this."

According to Barnes, it is too early to guess where the savings will be made, but said the \$33.5 million general fund can't handle the cuts. He hopes to come to the school board in a few weeks with recommendations, after talking one-on-one with the various administrators from across the district.

Although it is not certain why students are leaving the district, Barnes suggested the economy plays a large factor. The HAS board plans to survey families that have left the district to discover if there are issues within their control that they can change.

"We cannot cut our way out of this."

Kent Barnes
superintendent,
Holly Area Schools

News briefs

LOOSE FUNDRAISER NETS NEARLY \$6,000

The fundraiser held on Aug. 27 at the Loose Senior Citizen Center in Linden raised \$5,781.31, according to Cheryl King, a member of the senior center's board of directors. The senior center would like to thank all of the businesses of Argentine, Fenton and Linden, as well as the Loose Community Angels that made the fundraiser a success. Appreciation also goes toward St. John's for allowing the fundraiser, featuring singer Cal Roberts, to be held at the St. John Activity Center.

ARGENTINE TOWNSHIP WOMAN SENTENCED

Julie Villarreal, 37, of Argentine Township was sentenced last week for her no-contest plea for attempted insurance fraud. Initially charged with setting her Pine Walk Pass home on fire, she later pleaded no contest to a reduced charge of attempted insurance fraud. Villarreal was sentenced to 24 months probation and she must wear a tether for one year. She must maintain a 40-hour workweek, perform 30 hours of community service and pay court costs. She was sentenced to three days in jail and was given credit for time already served in the Genesee County Jail. Villarreal must also make restitution. The amount has not yet been determined.

SUSPICIOUS

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The second incident was reported at 6:30 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 23, in the 13000 block of North Long Lake Road. Swanson said a white male was seen approaching a 12-year-old student waiting for the school bus. A friend of the 12-year-old saw the unknown man jogging toward the 12-year-old and yelled to their friend.

When the friend yelled, the unknown man turned and ran into the nearby woods. The man was described as about 5-feet, 10-inches tall, thin build. He had shoulder length, light-colored hair, and was wearing a gray hooded sweatshirt, and jeans.

Another suspicious incident occurred Friday morning, near the entrance to the

Spring Oak subdivision on Baldwin Road, east of Fenton Road. Parents reported seeing a white S-10 pickup truck, with a blue Sunoco sticker in the back window, driving slowly near the bus stop, while students were walking to and waiting to be picked up.

Swanson said they have not been able to determine if the suspicious males described in the separate incidents are the same person. He urges all community members to look out for everyone and to call 911 if the slightest thing seems odd or suspicious.

With nearly every person owning a cell phone, Swanson urges motorists to call 911 immediately if they observe anything that seems out of place, including suspicious behavior near bus stops. "Act on your gut reaction," he said.

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Police&Fire report

TRUCK KEYED AT RESTAURANT

The Genesee County Sheriff's Department received a malicious destruction of property complaint on Sept. 18. The complainant said his Ford pickup truck had been keyed down the passenger side, while it was parked in a restaurant parking lot in the 14000 block of Fenton Road, sometime between midnight and 1:30 a.m. on Sept. 18. There are no suspects.

THEFT OF UTILITY SERVICE

On Thursday, Sept. 22, Fenton police were dispatched to a home in the 700 block of Millerway Drive to investigate a theft of utility service complaint by Consumers Energy Jason Slater said a utility employee said a resident, who had had their utility service cut off by the utility company, had reconnected their house to service. Police learned a reconnection to gas and electrical service had been made four times in the past four months. Detectives are looking at possible charges, such as theft of utility service and malicious destruction of utility property since the person responsible for reconnecting service damaged a transformer box. The case remains under investigation.

LARCENY ON BAIRD STREET

On Saturday, Sept. 17, a Holly police officer was sent to a home in the 800 block of Baird Street to investigate a larceny from vehicle complaint. A female resident told police that she had left her home at 11:45 p.m. When she was leaving, she noticed that the dome light was on inside her boyfriend's vehicle. The next morning, she realized that her boyfriend's vehicle had been broken into. A bag containing a checkbook was stolen from the vehicle and the checkbook was recovered nearby. Police recovered a pair of bowling shoes, at which time the boyfriend realized his bowling bag had been stolen, too. A neighbor informed police that their vehicle had also been broken into and ransacked.

LINDEN TEEN ARRESTED AFTER DRIVING CARELESS

At 7:15 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 20, a Linden police officer initiated a traffic stop in the 200 block of Hickory Street for careless driving. The vehicle nearly struck a utility pole. The officer made contact with the driver, a 17-year-old Linden male. The officer detected a strong odor of marijuana and marijuana was found on the driver. The teen was ticketed for careless driving and arrested for possession of marijuana and driving without a valid driver's license.

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Mark McCabe
67th District Court

Ask the
judge

A brief history of district courts in Michigan and Fenton

I am a state district court judge. What many people may not know is that at one time we didn't have state district court judges or a system at all. Instead, there were a number of justice courts, which had a justice of the peace presiding, and some municipal and police courts.

In 1968 that all changed, when the legislature created the district courts and abolished all of the justice courts, police courts and many of the municipal courts. The effective date was Jan. 1, 1969.

In the court library there is a book titled '1969 Annual Report Including Judicial Statistics.' Its author is the then State Court Administrator for the Michigan Supreme Court, William Houk.

The opening paragraph of the District Courts report is instructive and is as follows: 'The initial year of operation of the district courts has been fraught with a variety of problems which have required an abundance of organizational cooperation and tolerance through months of experimentation and change.'

Of course, this is a polite way of saying that there were problems statewide in the start up of the district court system.

One of the chief problems was to have courthouses in which the district courts could hold court. As to the 67th District Court, there initially were courthouses in the cities of Davison, Fenton, Flushing and Mount Morris.

As to Fenton, the initial location of our court was in an old lumberyard building (now torn down) on Lincoln Street right next to the railroad tracks. Whenever a train went by court had to stop until it passed.

Now that we are in our 43rd year, I believe the district court system is here to stay and I look forward to our future always keeping the past in mind.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

I NEVER SEE a vehicle pulled over in Fenton. Of course I see speeders, light tunners and hear incredible car stereos booming everywhere in Fenton. I'm curious how many if any tickets were written in Fenton last year.

GAS PRICES IN Fenton are among the highest I travel the state every week and I know what I am talking about.

COULD THE KING please get through one column without giving me a dig? But then again, I dig.

TO THE PERSON who is complaining about the Apple, or your information, it pays for the shifts reserists to be there. St. John donates the use of the activity center for voting and does a lot of good to help the community. So before you start accusing them of not helping, maybe you should do more investigating.

REPUBLICANS KEEP TALKING about reducing jobs and having larger class sizes. More tax breaks for businesses, fact. Businesses are the largest profits with tax breaks along with downsizing the workforce. The last 10 years of tax breaks wasn't worked.

MY FAMILY AND I would like to thank the kind lady who sat us at the restaurant this week for her kind gesture. It was a pleasure talking to God bless you and your family.

THIS IS JIM, the retiree is under standing that we are going to be losing our Christmas bonus due to the great and glorious bargaining of Local 659. I've gotten this 40-plus years. I object to this. First, I lost my tooth and then our optical and dental insurance. Thank you local 659.

WHY DOESN'T THE city manager live in Fenton? I heard he is out in Lansing some where. Why doesn't he live in the city?

WHAT FENTON NEEDS downtown is a good, old fashioned coffee shop, a dog store and a store like Ben Franklin's used to be.

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY received \$17 million in state money after they decided not to fire their basketball coach. I'm sure it was just a coincidence that Coach Robinson is Barack Obama's brother-in-law. Would this be considered a bribe in the private sector? Is this corruption?

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Linden City Council approved hours of operation for an entertainment tent for the Linden Summer Happening. The board voted to have the tent closed by at least 12 a.m. and to stop serving alcohol 45 minutes before it closes.

HAPPENING

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it," Mahnke said. "I wish you guys would close down an hour early. You guys are really loud and it echoes down the millpond."

Summary

► The Linden City Council approved hours of operation of an entertainment tent for the 2012 Linden Summer Happening.

"It wasn't the city trying to get rid of the Summer Happening," said councilor Danielle Dixon, as to why the festival wasn't held this past summer. "More money is lost from alcohol sales in the entertainment tent than is gained." Carr said the attendance in

the entertainment tent more than covers the loss from alcohol sales.

Mayor David Lossing suggested the entertainment tent closes at midnight on Friday and Saturday instead of 1 a.m. The proposed hours for Thursday and Sunday would remain the same.

Alcohol would stop being served 45 minutes before the tent is closed.

The council unanimously voted to adopt Lossing's proposed hours of operation for the entertainment tent. Councilor Ray Culbert urged Carr to have the site plans for the event turned in by March or April of 2012 so the council could have all the adequate preparations.

"It wasn't the city trying to get rid of the Summer Happening."

Danielle Dixon
Linden City councilor

POLICE

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MISSING LOTTERY TICKETS

The Fenton Police Department is investigating a larceny complaint involving \$696 worth of missing instant lottery tickets. Lt. Jason Slater said police responded to a store in the 18000 block of Silver Parkway after learning that the lottery tickets turned up missing from a vending machine during an audit of the machine. The machine had been in need of repairs and when a lottery commission employee changed the inventory over to a new machine, they noticed the missing tickets. The serial numbers of the missing tickets were turned over to the lottery commission, which in turn cancelled the tickets.

DRUNK TEEN WALKING IN ROAD

At 1:45 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 27, Fenton police responded to Owen Road, near Jennings Road after a caller reported seeing a white male walking down the middle of the road. Police located the male, who was then walking on the sidewalk. Upon contact with the male, police detected the strong odor of intoxicants. The 18-year-old Fenton Township male blew a .20 on a preliminary breath test. He was ticketed for Under 21 Consumption and transported to the police station. He has a pending court date and was released to his father.

INTOXICATED MAN WINDS UP AT WRONG HOUSE

At 11:40 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 19, Linden police were dispatched to the 700 block of Murphy Court to investigate a breaking and entering, in progress. Police Chief Scott Sutter said the responding officer observed a white male standing on the porch of the house in question. Contact was made with the 30-year-old Linden man, who appeared to be very intoxicated. The man's blood alcohol level was .31 percent. He was arrested for public intoxication and transported to the hospital due to the high level of intoxication. The chief said the man believed he was at his own house.

ITEMS STOLEN FROM GIRL'S LOCKER

On Friday, Sept. 23, a 43-year-old Rose Township woman filed a larceny report with the Fenton Police Department. Lt. Jason Slater said the woman reported that her 12-year-old daughter's silver Apple iPod Touch and LG EnV2 cell phone had been taken from her locker at Andrew G. Schmidt Middle School between 12:30 and 2 p.m. Police learned that the locker was improperly locked. Serial numbers of the items were entered into the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) as stolen property. Police are working with the school to obtain surveillance video.

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but you really don't know about it until it's coming," Bodak said.

Still, just because an almanac may not be the most reliable source for weather does not mean it is useless. Almanacs are printed in a variety of forms and contain more than just weather predictions. Recipes, horoscopes, tide tables of the ocean, advice and articles ranging from social habits to weather city-by-city are also published in almanacs.

"The people who usually buy almanacs buy them all the time, so there must be people who still believe in it," said Karen Piacentini, the owner of Fenton's Open Book. The almanac also comes in a calendar form and is popular at her store, she said.

For the 2012 winter, the Farmers' Almanac predicts a very white and wet season, with average temperatures. Overall,

the almanac is labeling the 2012 winter as "clime and punishment," or a season of unusually cold and stormy weather. For the 2011 winter, the Farmers' Almanac predicted a cold and very snowy season.

How an almanac predicts the weather is not spelled out in detail. For the Farmers' Almanac, predictions are made two years in advance. According to their website, the Farmer's Almanac forecaster uses a

"You wish you had more time to predict a big storm but you really don't know about it until it's coming."

Catherine Bodak
Meteorologist, TV 5 WNEM

"top-secret mathematical and astronomical formula, taking sunspot activity, tidal action, the position of the planet, and many other factors into consideration."

The one thing that almanacs do better than weather stations is to offer a general, big picture idea of what to expect from a season, not details.

"A winter can be defined by just a couple of storms," Bodak said. "For a farmer, almanacs give big trends and ideas."

HEALTH

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bag for both patients and physicians.

WebMD clearly states in its terms and conditions page, that the site is for information only, and is not intended to diagnose illness.

Dr. Michael Kirby, of Fenton Family Medicine, doesn't mind online medical resources, as long as the sites are reputable. "Overall, it's helpful if you can point people in the right direction," he said. Patients have to be able to sift through the inaccurate or even sensational information available online. "(They read) the most rare and sinister ominous types of things, and it scares patients," Kirby said. He has had to say, "You have to go to Asia to get that," when a patient has diagnosed themselves with an obscure, rare disease. "There's a lot of helpful stuff out there. You just have to filter out the junk," he added.

Kirby believes that sites such as WebMD.com and the Center for Disease Control (CDC) are useful resources. He does not recommend simply typing a symptom into the Google search engine because anything can come up. "Always look at what the source truly is," he said. A certain article you find online may have been written with a bias for a medication. Kirby doesn't use WebMD himself, but he does use a physician-only web service that he pays a licensing fee to access.

On the other hand, Marie Crum, manager for the Springfield Family Clinic, finds that online research can, at times, do more harm than good. Patients have self-diagnosed themselves, and come in for an appointment convinced they have a certain condition, or are convinced they

have already solved the problem their own way. "In some cases it's much more harmful," said Crum.

The more harmful scenarios arise when a patient under- or over-diagnoses themselves.

Medical Assistant Terry Parker gave the example of a person suffering from an extended headache and just assumes they have a migraine after consulting an online source, when they may really be suffering from high blood pressure, which could lead to a stroke.

On the other hand, patients have suffered from a sinus infection, and have plugged in their symptoms and decided they have a brain tumor, when they really just need some antibiotics. "I think they figure

they can trust anything they read," said Crum.

In a weak economy, people may also choose to forego seeing a doctor and try to diagnose themselves to save money. The downside is the patient is not tested, and there is no physical examination to substantiate what they've read. "A computer can't do blood work, testing, or physical exams," said Parker.

Parker and Crum recommend using web research for term papers, or just coming up with a list of possible diagnoses, instead of diagnosing yourself. "The warning always would be, find a doctor to substantiate what you found," said Crum.

Online medical research can be used to further explore and learn about what your doctor already advised you. In the case of a serious diagnosis such as diabetes, a patient may need to go home and do some more research. "I can go home, and I can read more about it, at my own pace, at my own understanding level," said Crum.



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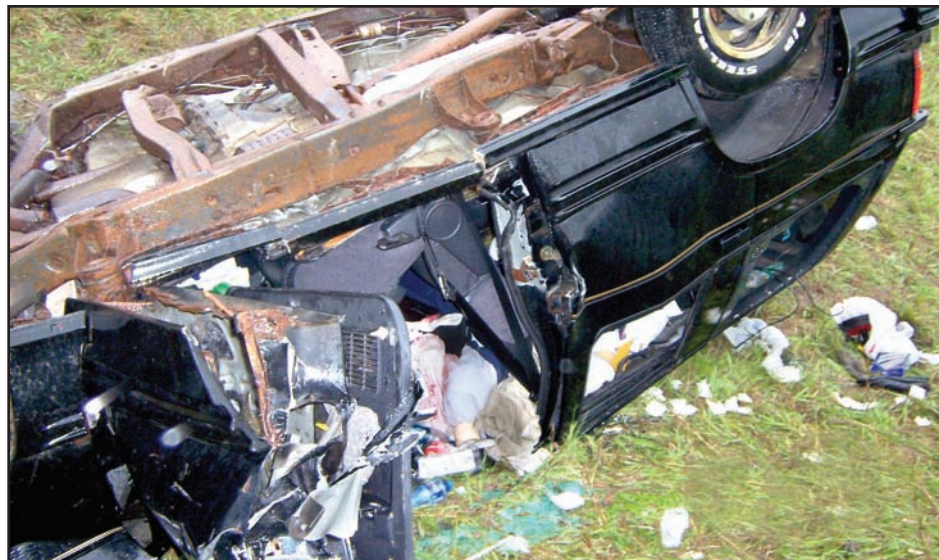
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It took the Fenton Fire Department about 25 minutes to extricate Patrick Fleming, of Ypsilanti, from this Oldsmobile Bravada. Fleming's vehicle rear-ended another vehicle on U.S. 23 in Fenton, causing it to roll several times.

CRASH

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investigations indicate that traffic was slowing due to road construction on U.S. 23 at Silver Lake Road.

A northbound 2009 Chevrolet Suburban had slowed almost to a stop due to traffic back-up, when it was struck in the rear by a 1994 Oldsmobile Bravada, driven by Fleming.

From the impact, the Bravada veered to the east, rolling as it left the roadway. It came to rest against an embankment on the east side of the highway.

Fleming was transported to Genesys Health Park in Grand Blanc Township, where he died a short time later. The accident remains under investigation.

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Linden City Councilor Gary Mahnke (left) speaks at the Linden Masonic Lodge 132. Worshipful Master Roger Kaufman helps celebrate the lodge's 150th year anniversary.

Linden Masonic Temple celebrates 150 years

Linden Lodge 132 recently celebrated its 150th anniversary. The event included a banquet. Past grand master Robert Conley attended. Frederick Kaiser gave the address of the grand master. A history and tour of the lodge and temple was given to the public. "We want to thank all the visiting brethren

who attended and helped make our lodge rededication, open house and banquet a huge success," said Roger Kaufman, worshipful master of the Linden Lodge.

Linden Lodge 132 is involved with the Linden community by offering scholarships and an annual pig roast that promotes unity.

Fenton senior is fellowship winner

Matthew Bauerle, a senior at Fenton High School, is a 2011 Davidson Fellowship winner. The fellowship includes a \$25,000 scholarship for college. Bauerle's research encompasses numerical analysis and can be applied to image restoration in X-rays and MRIs.



Matthew Bauerle

"I do believe I will be successful. I plan to publish a paper on my findings," Bauerle said. He hopes that his findings will influence other mathematicians and the field of medical image restoration.

Bauerle has not decided on what college he will attend, but is interested in the University of Michigan and Michigan State.

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ANSWER: You describe a subconjunctival hemorrhage. "Hemorrhage" is far too strong a word to use here. It's actually a small amount of blood that comes from a broken capillary, one of the tiniest and most delicate of blood vessels. Capillaries break for innocent reasons. A cough or sneeze can break one. Most of the time, people have no recollection of anything happening that caused the break. "Subconjunctival" means the leak occurred under the transparent membrane that covers the eye, the conjunctiva. By the time you read this, the splotch should have vanished.

RELEASED THIS WEEK

DVDs&Movies

TRANSFORMERS: DARK OF THE MOON
The Autobots Bumblebee, Ratchet, Ironhide and Sideswipe, led by Optimus Prime, are back in action, taking on the evil Decepticons, who are determined to avenge their defeat in 2009's "Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen." In this new movie, the Autobots and Decepticons become involved in a perilous space race between the United States and Russia. The Autobots learn of a Cybertronian spacecraft hidden on the Moon, and race against the Decepticons to reach it and to learn its secrets — and once again, human Sam Witwicky has to come to the aid of his robot friends. There are new characters too, including a new villain in the form of Shockwave, a longtime Transformers character who rules Cybertron while the Autobots and Decepticons battle it out on Earth.

L'AMOUR FOU
Few, if any, changed fashion like Yves Saint-Laurent did in the 20th Century. His legacy upon his death in 2008 was more than his contributions to fashion. It included one of the great collections of art in the world — and the man he built an empire with. Pierre Thoretton's directorial debut follows the indelible icon through the eyes of lifetime love and business partner Pierre Berge — from his early days as a design prodigy for Christian Dior through his decades as the face of a fashion empire. Framed by the auction of their priceless collection, this touching documentary captures the complete life of the man behind the monogram, whose private struggles with depression and substance abuse often underscored his triumphs and innovations. In French with English subtitles.

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34 Chatter

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39 Completely engrossed

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44 Legislation

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Kimberly Hogan, of Howell, plays with son Jimmy, 3, at Hartland's Caroselli Aquatic & Fitness Center on Monday. Kimberly takes Jimmy to swimming lessons twice per month.

SWIMMERS

Continued from Page 3 and other special occasions.

"What makes our pools so unique is that they were designed with the community in mind," said Julie Hill, director of the aquatic center since it opened in the fall of 2003. "Most pools attached to a high school are designed mainly for competitive use, while this was designed for community use. Because of its constant use, the aquatic center has been able to maintain its facilities far more successfully than anyone could have ever imagined."

Summary

It's always "warm and sunny" inside the Peter Caroselli Aquatic & Fitness Center, located next to Hartland High School. This unique center offers two pools and a "Splash & Play," similar to an indoor water park. A variety of pool settings, programs and classes make the center attractive to visitors of all ages.

Diana Voges, of Linden, goes to the Hartland pool just about every Saturday to swim with a group of friends. "It's a fun social time as well as a time to exercise," said Voges, who swims laps with her swim-mates according to a planned schedule. "We set a goal to swim a certain number of laps at a certain speed. I've been coming here for about seven years and really enjoy it. They have an incredibly friendly staff."

The aquatic center operates separately from Hartland High School, creating a comfortable and convenient setting for the 102 hours a week it is open across seven days. "We have our own parking lot, entrance and locker rooms," said Hill. "We're a separate entity from the

high school."

Winter is the center's busiest time of year, according to Hill. And as their poster says, "Come to the Hartland pools, where it's always warm and sunny."

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Joe Horton and son Michael, 2, of Hartland Township, spend the morning at Hartland's Caroselli Aquatic & Fitness Center on Monday.

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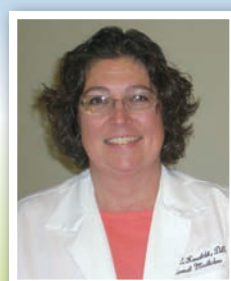


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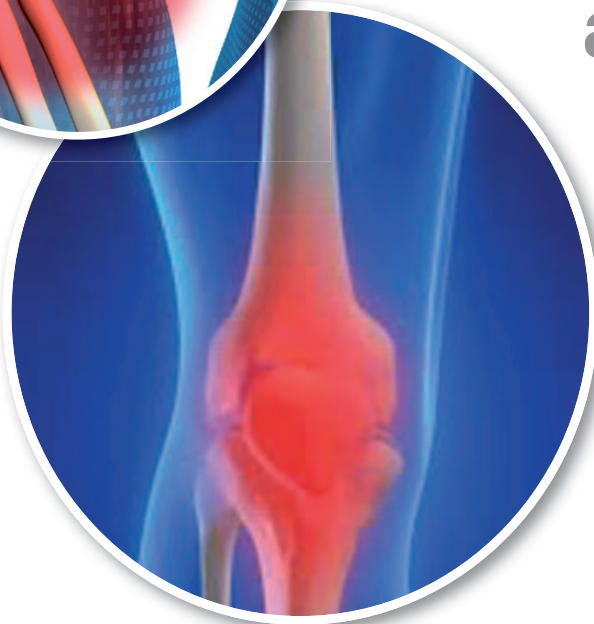
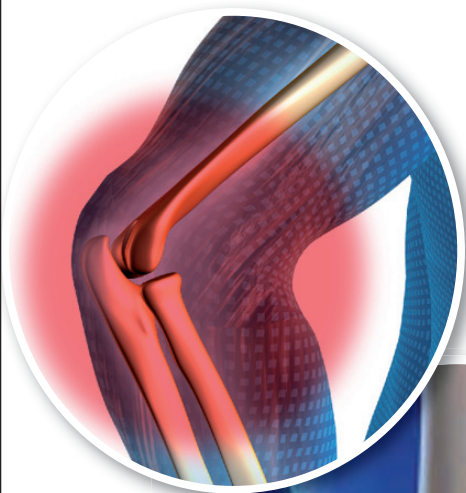
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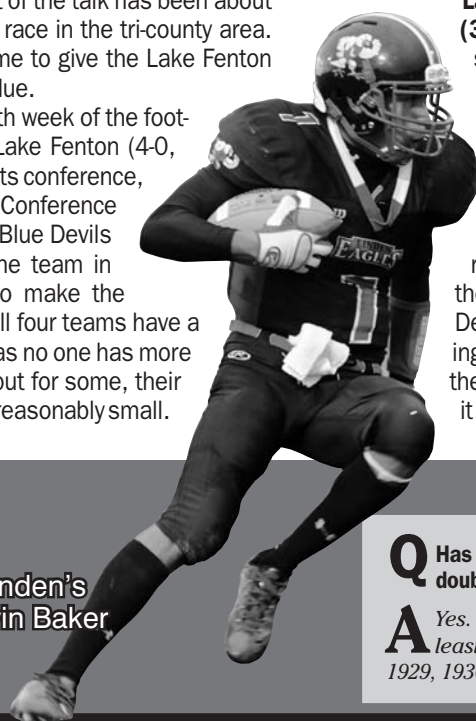
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PREP FOOTBALL WEEK #6 QUICK PREVIEWS

All season most of the talk has been about the Metro League race in the tri-county area. Now, it's about time to give the Lake Fenton Blue Devils their due.

Entering the sixth week of the football season, it's Lake Fenton (4-0, 4-1) that is on top its conference, the Genesee Area Conference Red Division. The Blue Devils also look to be the team in the best shape to make the playoffs as well. All four teams have a reasonable shot, as no one has more than two losses, but for some, their margin for error is reasonably small.



Linden's
Kevin Baker

Lake Fenton (4-1) at Goodrich (3-2): A win on Friday should set up an epic battle between Lake Fenton and Montrose for the GAC Red title during Week #8. However, first thing's first — Goodrich. The Martians are probably already out of the GAC Red race, but are now fighting for their playoff lives. The Blue Devils' ground game is punishing everyone that's runs into them lately. Goodrich must stop it if the Martians want to stay

above .500. Goodrich's QB Nick Glowacki is a decent thrower, and his top target is Mark Hildebrand. Meanwhile, Sam Bolongaita and Conner Wood are the running threats. Expect them to both get a decent number of carries.

Lapeer West (4-1) at Linden (3-2): This is the week we find out if Linden's offense has truly improved. West's defense is among the best in the Metro League and will present a great challenge for Linden. Expect Chad Ferguson and Zeshawn Jones-Parker to carry the load on the ground for West. Quarterback Hunter Sharrard has completed about 50 percent of his passes this year. Jones-Parker also is a key receiver. Linden has four tough

games remaining. If the Eagles qualify for the playoffs this season, they'll really earn it.

Clio (0-5) at Fenton (3-2) & Holly (3-2) at Kearsley (0-5): If the Tigers and Bronchos want to make the playoffs, these have to be victories. Fenton should be favored in all of its remaining games with the possible exception of the Lapeer East game. If the Tigers win the games they are expected to, they'll make the playoffs. Holly's last three opponents this season have a combined record of 11-4, so the Bronchos' playoff chances seem a little bit more up in the air. But both teams have to take care of business this weekend or fall on the condition critical list.

SPORTS TRIVIA

Q Has a major college football team ever played in a doubleheader?

A Yes. In fact, the Michigan Wolverines have done it at least three times, playing two games in one day in 1929, 1930 and 1931. The Wolverines won all six games.

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Wounded Warrior game exceeds goal

By David Troppens

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Fenton — Houston Shaw hadn't seen his uncle in at least two years.

And, soon, he won't for awhile again. His uncle, who is in the military, will be deploying for assignment again in February.

So when it comes to the sacrifices of the military servicemen and servicewomen, Shaw, a quarterback for the Fenton varsity football team, has a bit of an understanding about it.

Shaw's uncle was one of about 80 people whose name was represented on special camouflage football uniforms during the Fenton Tigers' second annual Wounded Warrior Project football game. The fact that the Tigers lost to the Brandon Blackhawks, who also wore veteran-sponsored jerseys and also contributed \$1,500 to the cause, was very secondary. The primary goal of the night was to honor all past and present military servicemen, while trying to raise \$30,000 for the Wounded Warrior Project (WWP), an organization that helps wounded veterans. They beat the goal by \$500.

"It means a lot. It's a special event that not everyone gets to do," Shaw said. "When you have Black Hawks coming in and all

the military guys walking around, it's pretty cool.

"My uncle was here tonight and I haven't seen him in awhile. It was cool to see him before he leaves."

The night accomplished its ultimate goal easily, by all accounts. The military presence was obvious to anyone in attendance. There were the camouflage jerseys, and an American flag presented high by the Fenton Fire Department. "Amazing Grace" was played on bagpipes before the game, and while the National Anthem was being played in front of the U.S. Marine Corps Color Guard, a UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter buzzed across the football field and landed on the baseball diamond, where people could visit it. Military personnel were present with their uniforms on, and at halftime there was a check presentation for the \$30,000 received during the game. Many wore Wounded Warrior shirts commemorating the game as well.

Finally, at the end of the game, over 1,000 people stayed to honor the true stars — the veterans and the current servicemen and women who purchased the jerseys with their name on them to help

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The Wounded Warrior Project game netted \$30,500 on Friday night. Here, the U.S. Marine Corps Color Guard presents the flag for the National Anthem.



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Fenton's 400 freestyle relay team of (from left starting at the bottom) Gabrielle Haaraaja, Haley Shaw, Kelsey Kidd and Sara Wujciak broke a school record at the Genesee County Meet.

Records fall at county swim meet

By David Troppens

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Fenton — With Grand Blanc's depth, it was pretty much known before the 11th Annual Greater Genesee Swimming and Diving Championships began that Grand Blanc would finish as the champions.

But that doesn't mean that local teams didn't have a strong showing as well. In fact, Fenton placed second, while Holly came home third.

The Fenton Tigers came home with six first-place performances. Gabrielle Haaraaja and Sara Wujciak took part in three of them.

The pair teamed with Haley See **RECORDS** on 17

By David Troppens

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Fenton — Linden's boys cross country team was the tri-county squad that posted the best team finish at the Linden Invitational on Saturday, taking third in the large school division.

Bloomfield Hills Lahser won the event, while Midland took second, just three team points ahead of Linden. Fenton placed sixth, just 12 points behind the Eagles.

Fenton's Matt Gilbert was the area's top competitor, taking

third in 16:36. Others finishing in the top 40 for Fenton were Max Kryza in sixth (17:02.69) and Brady Morton in 14th (17:18.77).

Linden's top finisher was Roger Phillips in fourth (16:48.81). The rest of Linden's top five finished in the top 40. They were Graham Elliott in 20th (17:29.55), Kirk Bennett in 27th (17:40.08), Adrian Taylor in 31st (17:50.30), and Zach LeMieux in

37th (18:00.76).

The Linden boys 'B' team finished in 12th, with Kyle Susalla placing 39th (18:06.64).

Lake Fenton's boys raced in the small school division, taking 13th. The Blue Devils' top runner was Caleb Fletcher in 44th (19:52.54).

In girls action, Linden placed sixth with 180 points, while

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Fenton's Autumn Molton (left) and Elle Cowger run during a recent race. Fenton placed seventh at the Linden Invitational on Saturday.



Happy Birthday

Michigan Wolverine football great Tom Harmon was born on this date in 1919.

Eagles crush Kearsley, 47-14

By David Troppens

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It appears Linden's offense is back.

After scoring just 20 points in back-to-back losses, the Linden varsity football team has scored 102 points in its last two contests, both victories.

The Eagles improved to 3-2 overall with a 47-14 thumping of winless Flint Kearsley Friday night.

Linden quarterback Shaye Brown completed 20-of-27 passes for 320 yards and four touchdowns. The first two of those TD strikes were to Kevin Baker in the opening quarter, one from 65 yards out and the other from 60. Later, Baker caught a third TD pass, one from 17 yards out. Other touchdown receptions were earned by Tyler Kraus (nine yards) and Mitch

Juhl (34 yards).

Travis Marsh also had a 20-yard TD pass to Luke Belmore.

Baker caught five passes for 153 yards, while Juhl had five receptions for 100 yards. Marsh ran for 79 yards on 15 carries.

Kearsley quarterback Lance Sherwood completed just 5-of-18 passes for 112 yards. Matt Wierenga led the Linden defense with 12 tackles, while Gareth Elliott had 11. Ben Armstrong chipped in nine.

Linden hosts its homecoming game against Lapeer West in an important Metro League contest on Friday.

TRI-COUNTY TIMES | MARK BOLEN

Linden's David Juhl runs for some yards in the Eagles' 47-14 win on Friday night.



Fenton soccer falls to Mustangs, 4-1

By Al Zipsie

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Fenton — Clio scored three goals in eight minutes, dooming the Fenton varsity soccer team Monday.

Fueled by the trio of quick-strike goals, Brandon beat Fenton 4-1 in a key Metro League soccer match. The Blackhawks (2-0-1 in the Metro) started the scoring onslaught in the second half.

"Brandon played a beautiful game. That was tough," said Fenton coach Matt Sullivan. "We were ready coming out for (the second half) with the right attitude. I am proud of our kids. They didn't give up or point fingers at each other. We were fighting for goals."

Brandon had a strong performance from keeper Ryan King, and had two goals each from Benjamin Stowers and Kyle LaCroix. The Blackhawks scored the first goal of the game less than a minute into the second half on a LaCroix boot. The attack continued 90 seconds later as Stowers scored on a shot in front of the net.

About eight minutes later, the floodgates opened when Brandon built a 3-0 cushion on a LaCroix goal 15 feet out.

The Tigers' (2-1-1, 7-3-2) only chance to celebrate a goal came at the 24:21 mark of the second half, when Zach Whitener's kick found its mark on an assist from Logan Bowlby. It came 30 seconds after Jake Weinberg had a shot that hit the post and

bounced away.

"I was off the corner and Logan got me the ball," said Whitener of the goal. "We just didn't click, and we just could not get things going."

"It is just starting to kick in after playing soccer for 14 years, here it is, my final senior year. We have the big game with Lapeer East coming up who have just a tie."

"We will see what happens. Holly, East and Linden have to play Brandon yet."

The Blackhawks looked like they scored again midway through the final half on a cross and a header, but the goal was wiped out. With 6:15 left, Fenton's Jake Davis had a shot that hit the post after it was deflected by Blackhawks' goalie King.

LINDEN

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Fenton was seventh with 182 points.

The area's top female runner was Linden's Sydney Elmer, finishing sixth (20:11.86). Placing 40th for Linden was

Dominique Scriptor (22:24.11).

Fenton's girls were paced by Taylor Thrope, who placed 11th overall (20:45.16).

Fenton teammate Elle Cowger placed 33rd (22:03.17). Ellie White just missed

out of the top 40, taking 41st (22:26.26).

Lake Fenton's girls also competed in the small school division, earning 12th place. The Blue Devils' top runners were Andrea Roe in 27th (22:37.46) and Becky Fernelius in 37th (23:06.67).

RECORDS

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Shaw and Kelsey Kidd to earn a meet record and a state cut time of 1:56.02 in the 200 medley relay, and also teamed with Shaw and Kidd in the 400 freestyle relay to post a meet and pool record time of 3:44.56.

Haaraoja also won the 50 freestyle (25.50), while Shaw took the top spot in the 100 backstroke (58.90), posting a pool, school and meet record.

Finally, Kali Finger also took a first, winning the 500 freestyle (5:31.62), less than three seconds from a state qualifying time.

"We knew Grand Blanc's depth was something we could not overcome regardless of how well we swam, so our goals were based on our individual performances," Fenton swim coach Brad Jones said. "This was the first championship meet (prelims and finals format) for a lot of our younger girls and is a great warm-up for the Metro League meet in November."

Holly also had an event champion. Courtney Konopitski (55.76) posted a state qualifying time in the 100 freestyle. Other Holly individuals that placed in the top four were: Laura Frachowski, third in the 200 individual medley (2:19.39) and second in the 500 freestyle (5:34.06); Rachel Malvich, fourth in the 50 freestyle (27.37); Hannah Micallef, fourth in diving (279.20); and Konopitski, third in the 100 backstroke (1:05.01).

Fenton's other top-four placers were Kidd,

second in the 200 freestyle (2:05.42); Finger, third in the 200 freestyle (2:06.22); Wujciak, second in the 200 individual medley (2:15.42); Mackenzie Deputy, third in diving (285.95); and Haaraoja, second in the 100 freestyle (55.79).

"As a team, we swam well," Jones said. "We had great times from both our state-level girls and our newer swimmers. Mackenzie Deputy dove in her first 11-dive meet and finished third."

PREP REPORT

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► **Clio 3, Holly 1:** The Mustangs got first-half goals from Bobby Vaughn, Andrew Howard and Eli McNew. Holly's only goal was provided by Eric Micallef.

GOLF

► **Linden at the Shiawassee Invitational:** At The Emerald, the Eagles shot their lowest score of the season, capturing the Shiawassee Invitational title. The Linden girls shot a 360, just one stroke off the team 18-hole record. The tournament's medalist was Linden's Julie Guckian, who carded an 87. Miranda Day had an 89, finishing second, and McKailey Mitchell had a personal-best 90. Maija Satkowiak and Sierra Juhl had personal best 94s as well.

"These girls are really working hard and playing good golf," Linden coach Todd Skinner said. "You never know what's going to happen when they hit the course. There has been a personal record set from one of the girls every time they play. It's been a very exciting and fun two weeks of golf."

VOLLEYBALL

► **Linden at Goodrich Invitational:**

The Eagles went 2-2-1, beating Bentley, splitting with Anchor Bay and losing to Valley Lutheran in pool play. The Eagles then beat Valley Lutheran and then lost to Crosswell Lexington.

Sabrina Kinney led Linden (14-11-3) with 43 kills, 12 aces and 45 digs, while Kelsey Brecht had 26 kills. Kaitlyn Dunleavy had 20 kills and 38 digs, while Lexi Downes had 18 kills and 10 blocks. Jordan Sargent chipped in 85 assists, seven aces and 34 digs. Mary Starrs had 42 digs.

► **Lake Fenton at Goodrich Invitational:**

The Blue Devils made it into the second round of the Gold Division, eventually losing to Haslett in the second round. They defeated Brandon in the opening round.

Sidney Scott led the offense with 19 kills, while Ellesa Smith and Chelsea Jordan had 17 and 15 kills, respectively. Rachael Mundy had 58 assists. Defensively, Smith had 26 digs, while Scott had 16 digs and seven blocks. Mundy had 15 digs and Jordan had 10 digs and three blocks.

WARRIOR

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support the WWP. When each received their jerseys, the accomplishments of that veteran or current serviceman or service-woman were briefly discussed.

The man that helped organize most of the night's activities was Fenton assistant coach Ryan Coffman. Coffman and his WWP committee put together an event that raised the two-year total contributed to the WWP to \$43,052. Coffman said it took more than 1,000 hours combined from the committee to get the event accomplished.

"It was great to know that we accomplished our most important goal — raising awareness for our servicemen and women," Coffman said. "The \$30,000 goal was just a way to get people to ask questions about the WWP, and we succeeded."

"This is what the event is about — honoring the men and women that have served and are currently serving. No one likes

war, but we appreciate the sacrifices that men and women make to keep us safe."

The night reached far more than the residents of Fenton and Brandon. Holly's varsity football team, who competed in last year's game, contributed \$500. Coffman's grandparents from West Virginia attended. The veterans represented many areas of the state and the nation.

"The military has helped every single person in the United States," Fenton varsity coach Jeff Setzke said. "What can you say. It's the servicemen and women that make this a moving experience."

"We have found that no matter what the outcome of the game is, once it's over it becomes secondary to what we are here to do, and that's honor our servicemen and women. Everybody knows somebody that serves. It wasn't until we got involved with this project that we truly understood the magnitude of what this project was."

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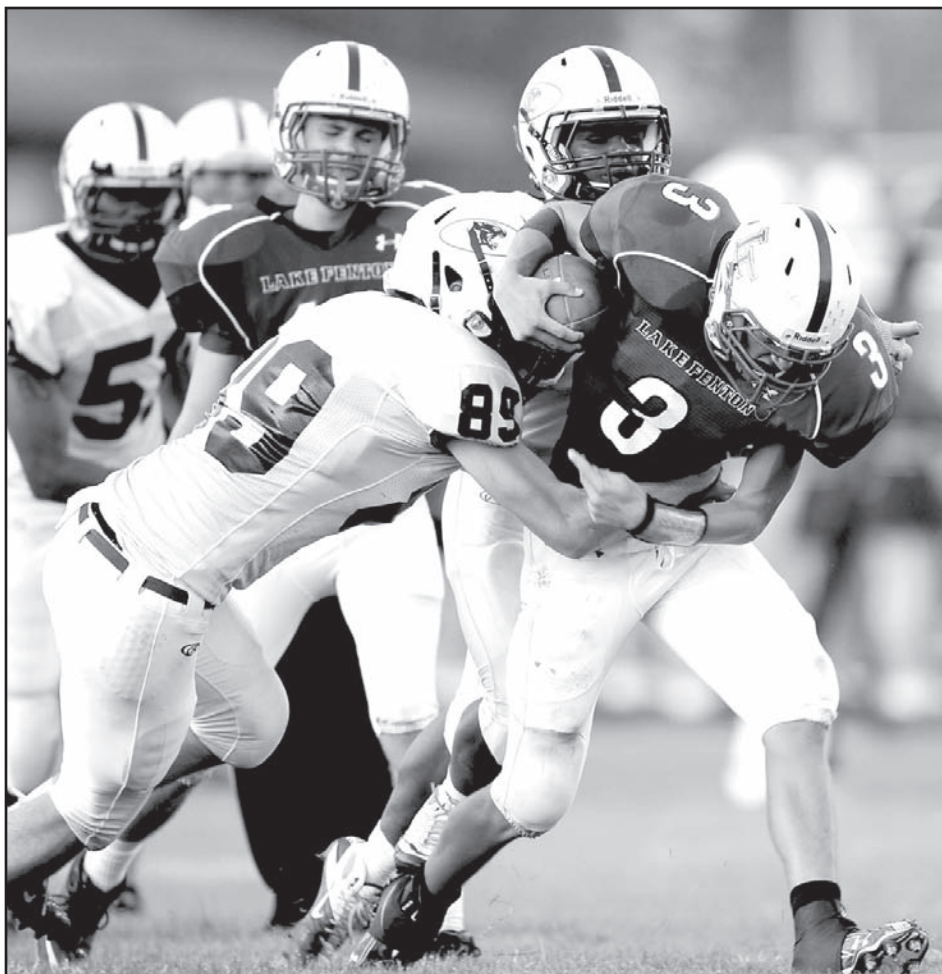


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Lake Fenton's Rob Kesler gains yards in a recent game. He had 145 rushing yards in the Blue Devils' 35-21 victory against Flint Beecher on Friday night.

Lake Fenton captures key GAC win vs. Beecher

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Editor's Note: For a more detailed game story on this contest, go to www.tctimes.com.

Lake Fenton — The Lake Fenton varsity football team won its fourth straight game Friday night, defeating Beecher 35-21.

The Blue Devils scored three touchdowns by the time there was 9:35 left in the second quarter, leading 20-0. However, Beecher's passing game, struck for two TDs before half, making it a 20-14 contest at the break.

Bucs quarterback Antuan Burks passed for 237 yards and three touchdowns. However, Burks' two interceptions came at pivotal times. The first came from Matt Hommer, setting a Lake Fenton touchdown. The second was earned by Neil Allor. That one sealed the victory.

"I was thinking passing which they had been doing all game," said Allor, who also rushed for two touchdowns. "I had my man in sight, saw the pass coming, got the interception, and it feels great. (When I'm running) I just follow our blocks and find the hole."

Beecher cut the gap to 20-14 with 2:34 left in the half, but the Blue Devils got the momentum back on their next drive. Lake Fenton scored on a 13-yard TD run by Allor. He

also ran in the two-point conversion, giving Lake Fenton a 28-14 lead with 35 seconds left in the first half.

Lake Fenton passed only once, and that play was called back on a penalty. The running game was dominant. Bryce Frownfelter had 171 yards rushing while Robbie Kesler had 145.

Lake Fenton had one of its trademark long drives on its first possession of the game. The Blue Devils marched 74 yards in 13 plays, eventually scoring on Kesler's 36-yard TD run. Lake Fenton led 7-0 after the first of three Rance Hennessey extra points with 3:14 left in the first quarter.

Hommer's defense took over from there, setting up two more Lake Fenton TDs in the first half. First, Hommer picked off a pass at Lake Fenton's 6. On the next play, Frownfelter had a 94-yard TD run. Lake Fenton led 14-0 with 2:17 left in the first quarter.

On the ensuing kickoff, Hommer recovered a fumble. Kesler did the scoring honors on this drive with a four-yard TD run.

The Bucs got back into the game with TD passes from Burks. The first was a 47-yard reception to Terrill Thornton and the other was a 31-yard reception to Eric Cooper. The 'Devils answered back with Allor's 12-yard TD run right before the half.

Bronchos crush Clio, 42-6

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Following back-to-back losses in the opening two weeks of the season, outsiders probably believed the 2011 Holly varsity football team was going to be mediocre — at best.

Since that point, though, the once 0-2 Bronchos have rattled off three consecutive wins, including Friday's 42-6 drubbing they gave Clio.

Coupled with Fenton's loss against Ortonville-Brandon, Holly remains right in the thick of the Metro League race.

"I feel this game helped get our offense going," junior center Joel Schuermann said. "We've been relying on our defense, and this game will really give our offense confidence."

Quarterback Johnny Williams ignited and fueled the Holly attack. The junior took the game's first snap, followed a lead block from running back Patrick O'Conner and raced 67 yards to payday.

Big scoring plays were far from uncommon sights at Clio's Senior Night. In addition to Williams' 67-yard run, A.J. Lewandowski added a 24-yard score and a 12-yard touchdown scamper. O'Conner bolted 46 yards, and Williams added an 11-yard romp to close out the first half and game scoring.

Wideout Austin Hopkin hauled in five passes for 166 yards and a TD and also had an interception.

"He's (Williams) developed into a great quarterback," Hopkin said. "I have a lot of trust in him."

Williams was 6-for-6 with 204 yards passing and had 99 rushing yards. All told, Williams threw for a score and ran for two more.

The first half's offensive fireworks may have been just what Holly needed. All told, the visiting Bronchos netted 436 yards of offense in the first half alone. Despite the big scoring plays, Holly still picked up 13 first downs in the opening 24 minutes.

Holly returns to Flint Metro League action with a road contest at Flint Kearsley on Friday.



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Fenton's Damon Thomas intercepts a ball during the Tigers' 21-12 loss to Brandon on Friday night.

Tigers drop verdict vs. Brandon

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Fenton — The Tigers held the Brandon Blackhaws to just 218 yards total offense, and racked up 371 yards themselves.

On Friday night, that yardage did little for the Tigers. Fenton had to settle for too many field goals, had too many turnovers and had one too many critical penalties called on them, resulting in a 21-12 loss at home to the Brandon Blackhaws.

Brandon took advantage of a running into the punter penalty and scored on a 22-yard TD pass to Ryan Barnes from Shane Mahaffy. Brandon led 7-0 with 6:45 remaining in the first quarter.

Fenton never led. The Tigers cut the gap to 7-3 with 10:29 left in the first half on a 29-yard field goal by Kenny Allen, but

Brandon scored on its final drive of the first half on a 17-yard TD pass to Feltner.

The Tigers' best drive of the game was their first of the second half. They drove 83 yards in nine plays, scoring on a 29-yard sweep run by Gerad Wegener. However, a bad snap resulted in no extra point, and Fenton still trailed 14-9. Later, the Tigers had possession at Brandon's 16, but they had to settle for Allen's 31-yard field goal. Fenton trailed 14-12 with 4:20 left in the third quarter.

Brandon made it a 21-12 lead with its last possession of the third quarter, which extended into the fourth. The Blackhaws went 55 yards, scoring on a five-yard TD run by Blake Nivelt.

The Tigers had the ball on Brandon's side of the field two more times, but failed to score on both. One drive ended at the Brandon 7 when the Tigers failed to convert a fourth-and-1 play with a QB run.

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. **MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Derek O Crandall a/k/a Owen D Crandall, a Married Man and Lori L Crandall, His Wife to Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., Mortgagee, dated March 26, 2001 and recorded June 15, 2001 in Liber 3019 Page 807 and re-recorded July 24, 2001 in Liber 3062 Page 844 Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP, by assignment dated August 31, 2011 and recorded September 7, 2011 in Instrument # 2011R-025464 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Five Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars and Eighty-Four Cents (\$145,666.84) including interest 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Livingston County at 10:00AM on October 19, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Green Oak, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 31, Pleasantview Estates No. 2, as recorded in Liber 15, Page 21 and 22, of Plats, Livingston County Records. Commonly known as 8865 Mission Dr, Brighton MI 48116 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 9/21/2011 Bank of America NA successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-36607 Ad #15557 09/21, 09/28, 10/05, 10/12/2011

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. **MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Jill Corder, a Single Woman to Mac-Clair Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated August 24, 2001 and recorded September 5, 2001 in Instrument # 200109050088369 Genesee County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to: ABN AMRO Mortgage Group Inc., by assignment dated August 24, 2001 and recorded September 5, 2001 in Instrument # 200109050088370 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Seven Thousand Forty-Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$67,042.50) including interest 7.5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Genesee County at 10:00AM on October 5, 2011 Said premises are situated in City of Flint, Genesee County, Michigan, and are de-scribed as: Lot(s) 49 of Southlawn, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 24 of Plats Page(s) 29 of Genesee County Records. Commonly known as 3814 Cheyenne Ave, Flint MI 48507 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 9/07/2011 CitiMortgage, Inc. successor by merger to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group Inc. Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-45544 Ad #15294 09/07, 09/14, 09/21, 09/28/2011

FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. **MORTGAGE SALE** - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Michelle L. House and Paul J. House, Married to Guardian Mortgage Company, Inc., Mortgagee, dated March 13, 2003 and recorded March 18, 2003 in Instrument # 200303180042183 Genesee County Records, Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eight Thousand Thirty-Five Dollars and Twenty-One Cents (\$108,035.21) including interest 6.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Genesee County at 10:00AM on October 26, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Mt. Morris, Genesee County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 11, Kelly Road Heights, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Liber 38, Page 6, Genesee County Records. Commonly known as 6211 Kelly Road, Flushing MI 48433 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 9/28/2011 Guardian Mortgage Company, Inc. Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-46804 Ad #15682 09/28, 10/05, 10/12, 10/19/2011

NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Notwithstanding, if the debt secured by this property was discharged in a Chapter 7 Bankruptcy proceeding, this notice is NOT an attempt to collect that debt. You are presently in default under your Mortgage Security Agreement, and the Mortgage Holder may be contemplating the commencement of foreclosure proceedings under the terms of that Agreement and Michigan law. You have no legal obligation to pay amounts due under the discharged note. A loan modification may not serve to revive that obligation. However, in the event you wish to explore options that may avert foreclosure, please contact our office at the number listed below. Attention: The following notice shall apply only if the property encumbered by the mortgage described below is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.7cc. Attention Patricia Danforth, regarding the property at 3426 Hammerberg Flint, MI 48507. The following notice does not apply if you have previously agreed to modify the mortgage loan under section 3205b, 3205a, 3205b and 3205c do not apply unless the terms of the modified mortgage loan entered into were complied with for one year after the date of the modification. You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. Potestivo & Associates, P.C. is the designee with authority to make agreements under MCL 600.3205b and MCL 600.3205c, and can be contacted at: 811 South Blvd., Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123. You may also contact a housing counselor. For more information, contact the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) by visiting www.michigan.gov/mshda or calling (866) 946-7432. If you request a meeting with Potestivo & Associates, P.C. within 14 days after the notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not commence until at least 90 days after the date said notice was mailed. If an agreement to modify the mortgage loan is reached and you abide by the terms of the agreement, the mortgage will not be foreclosed. You have the right to contact an attorney and can obtain contact information through the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service at (800) 968-0738. Dated: September 28, 2011. Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 infor-mation may be faxed to (248)267-3004, Attention: Loss Mitigation Our File No: 11-48623 Ad #15681 09/28/2011

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Jerome "Jerry" Pyonk - age 55, of Davison, loving husband, father, step-father and friend died Sunday September 25, 2011 at



his residence. Funeral services will be held 1 PM Thursday, September 29, 2011 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Visitation will be held 5-8 PM Wednesday. Those desiring may make contributions to the American Cancer Society or the charity of one's choice. Jerry was born December 29, 1955 in Southfield, the son of Joseph and Clara (Kubinski) Pyonk and was a graduate of Cody High School in Detroit. He had worked in the Auto Industry for most of his life. He had been employed as the Parts Manager at Al Serra and was currently employed as Parts Manager for Vic Canever. Jerry married Joyce Donaldson on October 6, 1990 in Flint and had resided in Davison the past 25 years. Surviving are: wife, Joyce; children, Kristin Pyonk of Grand Rapids, John (Lynne) Cline of Gilbert, AZ, Jeffrey Cline of Memphis, TN; grandchildren, Meredith and Abraham; sisters, Camilla and Rose; brothers, Leo and Irvin. He was preceded in death by his parents; first wife, Nancy Robinson; brother, Casimir. Online condolences may be posted on the obituaries page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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James Bryce Evans

1933-2011

James Bryce Evans - of Allen, TX passed away at the age of 78 on Wednesday, September 14th. He was born August 24,



1933 in the small town of Linden, Michigan, the son of Bryce Ralph and Gladys Sybil Greene Evans. Jim is survived by a sister, Dorothy Nicholson of Anaheim, CA, and was preceded in death by his parents and older brother Ralph William Evans.

A hands-on engineer, Jim mentored many young engineers who treasured him for sharing his vast knowledge and experience. For the last several years he was associated with Mustang Technology Group in Allen, TX, providing guidance in all aspects of mechanical engineering as the company grew. He will be sorely missed by his friends, former coworkers, and especially the cadre of mechanical engineering interns he has mentored. Jim was a mechanical engineering graduate of the University of Michigan with post graduate studies in engineering, math and construction. He was also an experienced pilot and was flight instructor for the Texins Flying Club and the North Texas Flying Club at the McKinney Airport during the 1990s. As a flying instructor he touched the lives of many young pilots as he guided them not only in flying but also in life values. Jim loved planes and continued his flying activities throughout his life. Jim served as an officer in the United States Army from 1955-1957. During the Vietnam War he worked for the University of Michigan and later for the Army in Thailand. There he taught Thai army personnel use of airborne heat sensing equipment for detecting personnel movement in border areas. After about five years he returned to the U.S. where he began working for Texas Instruments as a mechanical engineer. Several years ago Jim began his association with Mustang Technology Group and was instrumental in supporting its growth and technology advancements until his untimely death. The entire Mustang team is greatly saddened by this loss of a true friend and comrade. A memorial service for family and friends will be in the McKinney Aerospace Building at the Collin County Regional Airport at McKinney, 1500 East Industrial Blvd., McKinney, TX, on Friday, October 7th at 11AM.

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