

Compiled by the Tri-County Times Editorial Committee

The following are the Times' endorsements for mayor and city council in Fenton, and the recall election of State Rep. Paul Scott.

#### **FENTON MAYOR**

Fenton is fortunate to have two qualified individuals seeking the



office of mayor. We feel that the interests of the citizens would

best be served by staving the course and reelecting Mayor Sue Osborn. Fenton

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is moving forward in revitalizing its downtown. A change in leadership would likely hinder the momentum of that initiative. The mayor has stated that she would like to serve one more term and finish the work she has started. We agree.

#### **FENTON CITY COUNCIL**

This election provides an opportunity to improve the objectivity and perspective of Fenton's council. Les Bland – No candidate is



more qualified than Bland, the re-tired DPW director and 41-year veteran of the city. He is familiar with all aspects of our city government and can be counted on to share his opinions clearly

and honestly on all issues. Bland will fairly represent both the citizens and the city in the inevitable tough decisions.

Pat Lockwood – Lockwood's resume speaks for itself — Fenton



mayor, Fenton city council, Genesee County commissioner, state representative and former DDA member. Lockwood's

steady hand and vast experience at the local, county and state level will be invaluable in future decision-making.



tion, and 20 years of council experience will fit nicely with new member Bland and seasoned pro Lock-

wood. King listens to every citizen's concerns and tries to resolve them to the satisfaction of all concerned.

#### **PAUL SCOTT RECALL**

The purpose of a recall is to remove an elected official from office due to malfeasance or misconduct. This recall has nothing to do with



malfeasance or misconduct. Scott is being targeted due to legislation he sponsored that impacts the Michigan **Education Association** (MEA), the singular

organization bankrolling the recall. If the majority of Michigan voters want Scott out of office, they can vote him out in the next election, less than a year from now. A NO vote is recommended

**PAUL SCOTT RECALL – VOTE NO** 







SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2011

#### Absentee ballots indicate larger than expected turnout



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

Fenton Township election coordinator Andy Bagley (right) and assistant Julie Lewis have sent out 823 absentee ballots, with 689, or 84 percent already returned ahead of Tuesday's election.

## Recall of Rep. Paul Scott, election of city officials and renewal of school millage on area ballots

#### **By Sharon Stone** sstone@tctimes.com; 810-433-6786

Summary

In the election on

Tuesday, Nov. 8 reg-

istered voters in the 51st District will cast

ballots on the recall

of Rep. Paul Scott.

Fenton and Linden

on their city officials

and residents in the

Linden school district

will vote on a millage

renewal.

city residents will vote

If he had to guess what this election's voter turnout would be, Thomas Broecker, operations manager and deputy clerk for Fenton Township, said he would estimate between 20 and 25 percent. Since Fenton Township did not have a planned election of its own, Broecker said it's difficult

prediction to make. Following is a breakdown by community.

#### Fenton

Residents in Fenton City have an opportunity to change, or retain, the leadership of their city by voting on Tuesday. They will also be casting their ballot on the recall of Rep. Paul Scott.

See ELECTION on 8A

#### Frequently asked QUESTIONS

#### Q Do I need my voter registration card in order to vote?

No. As long as you are in the correct polling location, your name will appear on the registration list supplied to your precinct.

Do I need to show identification in order to vote?

Voters are asked to present Aan acceptable photo ID such as a Michigan driver's license or identification card. Please note that voters who do not have an acceptable See QUESTIONS on 8A

## Mixed reviews on city's new 'welcome' signs Directional signs still to come in 2013

#### By Sharon Stone

sstone@tctimes.com; 810-433-6786 Fenton — Anyone driving toward Fenton or through it has prob-

ably noticed the new "welcome" signs, as well as the signs recognizing local

service clubs. Michael Burns. assistant city manager and director of the Downtown Development Authority, said installation of the signs was to be completed by the end of the week.

Summary ►Love them or hate them, residents of Fenton and people just passing through the city are getting used to seeing the new welcome signs that were recently installed.

\$1.00

Four large wel-

come signs were installed, at Freedom Park, Main Street at Eddy Lake Road, Owen Road by Fenton High School and on Silver Lake Road at Poplar Street. Service club signs were erected next to those welcome signs, except for the Freedom Park location. See SIGNS on 23A

## **Man faces felonies** for leading deputy on car chase

#### Chase ends in **Argentine Township**

#### **By Sharon Stone**

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A 52-year-old Linden man was arrested for felony fleeing and eluding, as well as felony resisting and obstructing police, following a car chase last Sunday. Charges are pending a review by the Genesee County Prosecutor's Office.

Sgt. Dave Dwyre, of the Genesee County Sheriff's Department, said See CHASE on 23A

## Times e-edition now more user friendly

Popular EZ Read feature compatible with tablets, notebooks, iPads

#### **By Cheryl Dennison**

cdennison@tctimes.com: 810-629-8282 More than 100,000 visitors log onto the Times website each month. More often than not, they immediately click

the large, red EZ Read link on the top of the page and access the e-edition of the Tri-County Times.

"It's our most popular online destination by far," said Web Coordinator Jennifer Ward. "People really like the fact that it's an exact duplicate of the print edition."



#### EZ READ **Continued from Front Page**

The popularity of EZ Read is due in large part to the fact that it can be accessed via the Internet, from any location with Internet access, a feature greatly appreciated by snowbirds, lonely college students and former area residents wanting to keep up with Fenton-area news.

Thanks to a recent major software upgrade, EZ Read has a new, and much more user-friendly, page-turning tool that allows readers to flip through the pages of the Times by moving the arrow icons to the left and right of the displayed pages. "It's much more intuitive in all regards," said Ward. "It also allows you to run a

slideshow of the entire document and select the pages you wish to read."

According to Ward, online readers of the Times love the digital version but found it 'cumbersome to navigate.' "I never forgot that term," she said. "I was obsessed with fixing it. It took a few weeks to do, but we are already getting rave reviews from users."

The new software also allows EZ Read to be viewed on tablets, such as iPads, which was another issue that readers commented on.

"That was a biggie," said Ward. "As tablets become smaller and more powerful, more and more of our users are ditching their laptops and turning to devices like iPads. We are one of the few newspaper sites that are tablet friendly."

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**Jennifer Ward** 

web coordinator

The new EZ Read also has an icon for bookmarking, said like the fact that Ward, which allows the reader to bookmark articles of interest throughout the publication for quick referencing. Also available is a "thumbnail" view of the Times. Clicking this icon allows a user to see a thumbnail of each page of the document, making it easy to click directly

on the desired page without having to flip through the entire newspaper.

Last, but not least, clicking the globe icon allows a reader to e-mail a link from EZ Read to a friend or share the publication via Facebook or twitter.

Asked if she's done for now, Ward just laughed."

#### MEDICAL ALERT

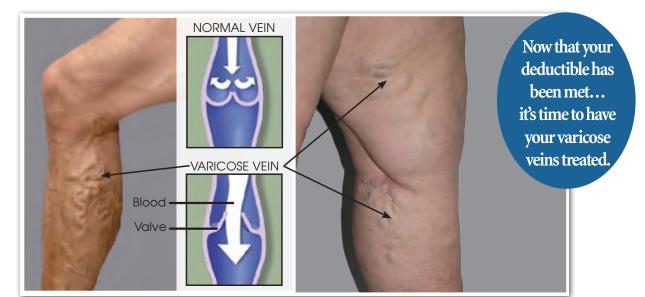
## Tri-county fundraisers

#### LOOSE CENTER FUNDRAISER

Volunteers with the Loose Senior Citizen Center will be collecting donations on Saturday, Nov. 12 and Sunday, Nov. 13. This is one of many fundraisers planned to support the construction of a new building. One of three buildings at the center, in downtown Linden, was destroyed by fire on Friday, Sept. 30 and another sustained some damage. The third building was not damaged. The fire was caused by an electrical problem in the basement It was insured and insurance money will go toward rebuilding. Activities continue to take place off site, but Loose board members and volunteers are attempting to rebuild in the near future so that its nearly 4,000 mem-bers have a place to go. On Saturday, Nov. 12 and Sunday, Nov. 13, volun-teers will be collecting donations, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Alpine Marketplace in Linden, Holly Foods in Holly and Wal-Mart in Fenton. On Sunday, Nov Wal-Mart in Fenton. On Sunday, Nov. 13, volunteers will also be collecting donations from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at VG's Grocery on Silver Parkway in Fenton. Visit the senior center's website at www.looseseniorcenter.org.

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## News briefs

#### **Overnight parking restrictions** begin in Fenton

Overnight parking restrictions for the city of Fenton began Tuesday, Nov. 1 and will continue through March 31, 2012. Overnight parking restrictions will be enforced as parking is prohibited on all Fenton City streets and in the municipal parking lots from 2 to 5 a.m. with a couple of exceptions. Exceptions include emergency services personnel (police and fire) in the vicinity of the police station and the fire station and properly registered vehicles owned by apartment dwellers in the 100 and 400 blocks of South LeRoy Street, and the 100 block of West Shiawassee Avenue, if special permits have been issued by the zoning board of appeals.

#### Federal government to conduct first test for nationwide emergency alert

The first nationwide Emergency Alert System test will occur on Wednesday, Nov. 9, at 2 p.m. Eastern Standard Time. It will be broadcast on radio, local, cable, and satellite TV. The test will last for about three minutes and will begin with a beeping sound followed by an important message. Normally these tests and messages are conducted at the local, county, or regional level, depending on the circumstances. However, on Nov. 9, it will be initiated at a federal level and a presidential message will be sent across the country through all broadcasters. This event serves as a reminder that everyone should establish an emergency preparedness kit and emergency plan for themselves, their families, communities, and businesses. This first test of the Emergency Alert System results from a cooperative effort among the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA). For more information, go to www.fema.gov.

#### **Rose Township** contracts building inspector

At a special meeting on Wednesday evening, the Rose Township Board of Trustees agreed to contract with Carlisle/ Wortman and Associates out of Springfield Township, to fill the role of building inspector. Former building inspector David Shang's contract with the township was terminated in October. Shang was scheduled to work until Dec. 15, but decided to take a month vacation before his end date. Carlisle/Wortman will work for the township for a three-month trial period. After that, the township will decide to either continue contracting, or consider hiring someone in-house.



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## **SMART SOLUTIONS**



#### Slippery cake

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Prevent hanging mirrors and picture frames from becoming crooked by sticking corn cushions behind the corners. The pads help frames stay perfectly straight without damaging the wall's surface.

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#### **By Tim Jagielo**

2 a.m. this morning.

tjagielo@tctimes.com; 810-433-6795 Many people will enjoy an extra hour of sleep today, with the ending of

Spring forward

#### Daylight Saving Time at Summary

fallback

Daylight Saving Time begins on the first Sunday in March and ends on the first Sunday in November. The adding or subtracting several times an hour affects people in and followed different ways. inconsistently

Yvonne VanTassell, of until 1966. Linden, has been a bus driver for Fenton Area

Public Schools for six years, each year going through the change.

"Personally, I love this Daylight Saving Time (ending), because I get more sleep," she said. She finds that in November, her students are ready at the bus stop, waiting for her.

See FALL BACK on 11A



TRI-COUNTY TIMES I SUBMITTED PHOTO Students are more affected by the time change in the spring because they lose sleep.

CHOOL BUS

<sup>44</sup>Personally, I love this Daylight Saving Time (ending) because I get more sleep." Yvonne VanTassell bus driver

# **Car color important to buyers**

Reflects practicality rather than personality **By William Axford** 

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Color is arguably the most striking feature of any car. From Prince's "Little Red Corvette" to Bruce Springsteen's "Pink Cadillac," a car's color defines the driver. Brighter colors such

personalities (see sidebar).

#### Summary

Gold, brown and silver are popular car colors due to their low mainas orange or purple are believed tenance. Drivers to convey trendy and creative are giving up expression in color of Choosing a car's color may one that matches their See CAR COLOR on 14A busy lives.



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## MEA is the schoolyard bully!

Let's get this out of the way, first. The Paul Scott recall has nothing to do with teachers.

The Paul Scott recall has nothing to do with 'the kids.' The Paul Scott recall has

nothing to do with education. The Paul Scott recall has

everything to do with the Michigan Education Association (MEA), the powerful and vengeful union that 150,000-plus Michigan teachers and support staff are forced to join.

Let's take a peek behind

the MEA curtain for just a moment.

The biggest scam in history is MESSA (Michigan Education Special Services Association), the 'non-profit' subsidiary of the MEA that provides the health care services that MEA members enjoy.

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WHY DID WEST Shore Elementary School go to Montrose Orchards. instead of a local pumpkin patch? Parents could not ride the bus. We had to drive 30 to 35 miles away. I wonder what the mpg is for a school bus. I think they should have spent the money in our community.

I AM FURIOUS. Almost every day on Grange Hall Road, I watch vehicles drive by the bus (red flashers going) letting kids off. Today it was a light blue Volkswagen. After you hit or kill a kid, it will be too late to say you're sorry. Pay attention.

#### I WONDER HOW the businesses who contribute to the DDA feel about using their money to fight their appeals of property tax assessments. I for one am appalled.

OBAMA WANTS TO eliminate paying back student loans? Guess why that's his push now. College students are mind-numbed to facts, and will vote for him (or any Democrat) because they are easily brainwashed and useless idiots. It's about votes because he's in trouble and nothing more.

THE TIMES SHOULD probably do some more investigating, because I have two friends who work for the

Compiled by Tim Jagielo, Staff Reporter

tract, to force school districts to use MESSA as their health care **By Foster Childs** provider. Study after study

The MEA attempts, in every con-

concludes that MESSA costs are 10-20 percent higher than what school districts would pay if they were to purchase their employee health insurance on the open market. The Otsego school district rebelled this year, bought identical health coverage on the open market, and saved \$4,200 per year, per employee. Do the math

for your school district. Meanwhile, the 'nonprofit' MESSA had over \$250 million in the bank at last count. The whole stinking scam

picks the pockets of Michigan taxpayers to the tune of tens of millions of education dollars every year.

Holly police. I am positive they weren't there about the Oakland County Sheriff's Department taking over. Check it out, do some digging, you'll find the truth.

WE REALLY HAVE some strange cops here in Fenton. One, in particular, drives around the apartment complexes in the dark of night and tickets the cars that are a few days late on getting their new tags, but he never seems to notice the ones that get broken into.

The MEA has over 160 employees on their payroll that make at least \$100,000 per year. They take in about \$70 million annually, just in union dues. The MEA has contributed nearly \$8 million to various politicians, including \$2,000 to Paul Scott in 2008.

The MEA paid thousands of dollars to professional canvassers to help gather the signatures for the Scott recall.

At the end of the day, you and me, the tax-paying citizens of Michigan, are fleeced out of tens of millions of dollars per year by the MEA. That money enables them to influence more legislation that enables them to fleece us out of more money.

Vito Corleone, were he alive today, would be very proud of the MEA. By the way — do not confuse the MEA with the teachers. Our area school districts have the most dedicated, caring teachers on the planet. They love the kids, they love their jobs, and it shows in every measurable way. I have spoken with teachers

#### WONDERFUL PROGRAM, CHASING

the Dragon. I was at the assembly today at AGS middle school. I am glad that the seventh- and eighth-graders got to see it. I worry about drugs and talk to my children all the time. This should really hit home to most of the kids. Thanks.

IS IT POSSIBLE to prevent the political ads and political survey calls on a landline phone? There are so many of them now, it becomes very annoying. 



#### and each has expressed mixed feelings about their union, but none will go on record. 'That would be professional suicide,' said a high school teacher from Fenton.

The bottom line is that the MEA leaders, who make \$200,000 per year, are schoolyard bullies. They bully the teachers. They bully the administrators. And they bully the taxpayers.

The only guy with the guts to stand up to these bullies so far is Paul Scott.

The MEA is counting on us being too disinterested to show up at the polls on Tuesday, Nov. 8, due to the lack of 'compelling' issues.

I think that bullying school districts and stealing money from 'the kids' they claim to care so much about is compelling.

Plus, I hate bullies.

I'll be there.

I hope you will be, too.

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

GIANT THANK YOU to The Rock Church for another awesome Trunk-or-Treat event. You're a wonderful asset to our community.

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HELLO TO ALL you wood burners with so-called burn permits. You still cannot have smoke going over to the neighbor's property. Think of it like a driver's license. You can't drive drunk, you can't speed, and you have to follow applicable laws. Michigan law specifically prohibits any burning that causes a nuisance to others.

I THINK THE new signage is ugly. I cannot believe my tax dollars are being wasted on those. They're terrible. Somebody said they look like a 'fortress.' That's a compliment. What an absolute governmental waste of \$300,000. They have no concept of reality.

#### I HAVE A liberal conscience that

makes me morally ill with national policies that shower rich men with tax advantages, while depriving the poor of necessities. No one is entitled to windfalls reached in this immoral way. 

A BIG THANK you goes out to Sharp Funeral Homes for their assistance to our young people who have been doing their duty in the military overseas.

**TYRONE TOWNSHIP, YOU** voted for residents to pay a safety tax of \$150 for fire runs, but if they don't get a burn permit for \$5, residents will be charged for the fire run. This is more than \$1,300. But if they paid the \$5, then they're covered. Wow, what a scam.

street talk

## Why is it important to vote on Tuesday?



"If you don't voice your opinion, you can't make any changes."

— Jennifer LaDrew

Linden



"It's our right, basically, to voice our opinion."



"To make sure I have the right person in place."



"It's always important to vote, if you don't vote, you don't have a voice."

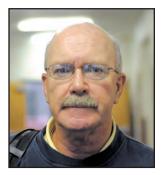
— Candy Petty

Linden

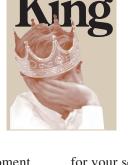


"I don't vote, I haven't registered yet."

— Corey Yankes Linden



"Young people need to make change through their votes. That's how democracy works." – Tim Kammer Holly Township



If I Were

## See **HOT LINE** throughout Times

— Jason Grundy Linden

— Natasha Cook Linden

## **Rose Township supervisor resigns**

#### ► Hopes to end divisive atmosphere of current board

#### By Tim Jagielo

tjagielo@tctimes.com; 810-433-6795 Rose Township Supervisor Alison Kalcec has announced her resignation after three years at her post, and 11 months shy of when the term expires.

Her last day is technically Dec. 31, but she will probably be in the office for the last time on Dec. 22, because of the holidays. "I feel comfortable with my decision, I'm very happy with it," she said.

Kalcec made the decision three weeks ago, and let her close friends and family know, first. Last week, she made her

decision public. As a matter of process, the board of trustees must accept her resignation, which will be officially handled at its

meeting on Wednesday. Kalcec has heard positive

remarks from the community on her service, and some said they were sorry to see

her go. She hasn't heard any negative comments yet, but added, "We haven't had a meeting yet, you know how those can get."

Kalcec said she was leaving because it might improve the current divisive atmosphere that surrounds the board and its

**Timothy B. Faricy** 

for Fenton Mavor

**Tim adds fresh perspective** 

and leadership to council deliberations. Tim's priorities

1. Better water services

2. More viable and walkable downtown

3. Focused DDA spending



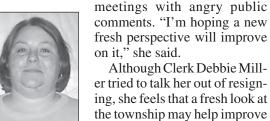
#### Summary

Rose Township Supervisor Alison Kalcec is resigning from her post. Her last day will be in late

"I'm hoping a new fresh perspective

will improve on it." **Alison Kalcec** Rose Township supervisor

ship will begin requesting resumes for the position next week, said



Alison Kalcec

working with people at the township offices, but will still be active in the community. December.

Kalcec served as Rose Township clerk for 12 years, and supervisor for 3 years. She was also clerk/ treasurer for the village of Holly. She's

not sure if she will do public service again.

meetings. In the last three years, conflicts

have stopped progress from happening

in the township, as evidenced by tense

Although Clerk Debbie Mill-

the climate in Rose Township.

"It's going to be hard to fill her

shoes, she's a very good super-

Kalcec said she will miss

visor," said Miller.

At a special meeting Wednesday night, the board discussed how they would fill the position. The town-

Miller. The board will then appoint a supervisor for the remainder of Kalcec's term. If this appointed supervisor wishes to continue, he or she would need to be on the primary ballot in August, and be elected by the people in November 2012.

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## Fenton woman lucky to be alive

►Sleep aid wipes out memory of late night crash

#### By Sharon Stone

sstone@tctimes.com; 810-433-6786 A 36-year-old Fenton woman recently read about her Oct. 15 automobile crash in

the Tri-County Times. She said everything in the article was accurate; however, she had no recollection of the crash.

The woman was driving her 2003 Oldsmobile Silhouette and lost control of it, causing it to veer from the roadway and crash at 3:30 a.m. A witness reported to police that they saw her walk away prior to police arrival. Using the van's registration

plate, police identified the registered owner and stopped by their home in attempt to make contact with the driver.

Shelley Koski is that woman. Koski had been taking Ambien since June under her doctor's care. On the night of Oct. 15, she took the medication at 9:30 p.m. and went to bed. When she awoke the next morning, she felt sore, unsettled and upset but did not know why.

As Koski opened her front door, the business card for Sgt. Greg Feamster fell to the ground. She also noticed that her van was missing. At that point, she remembered a crashing sensation. She

immediately called Fenton police, desperately trying to find out if she had injured someone. She learned that there were no other people involved.

Police told Koski that a witness saw her walk away from her crashed van and when they asked her if she was all right, she just kept walking away. She showed up at her neighbor's home

with a bloody nose and disoriented. The neighbor walked her home. "I'm lucky to be alive," she said.

Koski said she had read all of the warnings that accompanied the medication; however, she did not realize just how dangerous it could be.

This situation has been like a nightmare. "You can't remember it and you can't undo it," she said.

Because of the medication and crash, Police were required to notify the Secretary of State and her driver's license is under review by the state. Koski urges anyone taking similar medications to have someone hide the car keys so they do not drive somewhere. "Thank God I was wearing my seat belt," she said.

Koski immediately discontinued use of the medication. She had emergency surgery after the crash for an injury to her back and she still has lingering numbness in her arm. However, she said, that is minor compared to what could have happened.

Neil Johnson, a pharmacist at VG's Grocery, said Ambien is one of the better and more popular sleep aid medications available. He said that if someone is prescribed Ambien or other sleep aids, they need to take it within 15 minutes of going to bed. "It knocks you out," he said.

Ambien is a federally Schedule IV controlled substance because it can be abused or lead to dependence. Keep Ambien in a safe place to prevent misuse and abuse. Selling or giving away Ambien may harm others, and is against the law. Notice to patients: Read the Medication Guide that comes with Ambien before you start taking it and each time you get a refill. There may be new

information.

Source: Federal Drug Administration (FDA)



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Summary A Fenton woman, who does not remember crashing her van in the middle of the night, urges people who might be using sleep aids to be aware of all of the side effects.



#### **ITEMS STOLEN FROM VAN**

On Thursday, Nov. 3, Linden police received a larceny from an automobile complaint. A woman from the 1100 block of North Bridge Street reported to police that someone entered her unlocked 2003 Dodge Caravan and took a DVD player, DVDs and her purse. Police have no suspects at this time.

#### PHARMACY BREAK-INS REMAIN **UNDER INVESTIGATION**

Linden police continue to investigate two break-ins, which occurred at a pharmacy in the 100 block of North Bridge Street. Both break-ins occurred during the early morning hours and the suspect(s) gained entry by kicking in the back door. If anyone has information, they are to contact Linden police at (810) 735-5454. Tipsters can remain anonymous.

#### **HOT LINE** CONTINUED

CONGRATULATIONS, TO THE Fenton Tigers for winning a playoff game back-to-back for two years running. Go Tigers.

CONGRATULATIONS, FENTON GIRLS' swim team on another awesome season. Good luck to those going on to states.

ANOTHER SOLAR COMPANY bites the dust as Beacon Power files Chapter 11 bankruptcy, making it the third company sticking the taxpayers with more debt. If you were an Obama supporter and still not embarrassed, you should consider taking a reality check

DO YOU PEOPLE of Fenton have nothing else better to do than complain? You complained about the 'snake road,' pedestrian walk signs, positive Hot line day, and now the welcome signs. You people must have some miserable lives. Where are the positive comments?

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, watch prices in the stores. A name-brand company has two sizes of napkins. One package has 200 napkins that sell for \$2.97 and the other size has 220 napkins at \$3.97. A dollar more for 20 napkins. Wow.

OUR NEIGHBORS, AS far as I am con-cerned, have lost their credibility. They talked about what a beautiful front yard they were going to have, not an orange eyesore.

THE REPUBLICANS HAVE no plan or objective to stimulate the economy, except to see the president fail. His opponents are trying to stifle the economy and increase unemployment. Keep trying, Mr. President. You have more logic and common sense than all the Republicans combined.

MY WIFE AND I pay zero income tax. We have no pensions, although we worked all our lives. Our income comes from our own savings and Social Security. We don't have enough income to pay tax. We have never taken any unearned tax giveaways, nor do we want any. Better to rescind the huge tax handouts to the rich of 2001-2003 totaling \$3 trillion, and then blame low-income people like us.

OBAMA IS FAMOUS for saying everyone should pay 'their fair share.' His hatred is aimed at the job creators and business owners (ironically many who have



#### **BUILDING DOOR DAMAGED**

On Wednesday, Nov. 2, Fenton police were sent to a building in the 100 block of Trealout Drive to investigate a malicious destruction of property complaint. The complainant said someone had damaged an exterior door on the north side of the building. He had last checked the door at 5 p.m. on Nov. 1. Police noticed that the window on the door had been smashed by a large blunt object. No entry was gained and there are no suspects.

#### **TEEN'S IPHONE STOLEN AT** SCHOOL

On Wednesday, Nov. 2, a 14-year-old Fenton male reported that his new iPhone 4s had been stolen during the day while he was at Fenton High School. Police Chief Rick Aro said the teen's uncle loaded an app to track the phone's location, which led police to an address on Eagle Drive. That address did not exist. The chief said they learned that the app has an accuracy radius of 25 yards to two miles. The theft remains under investigation.

greased his palms during his career). What about the 50 percent who pay no taxes? Why don't they have to pay their fair share?

WE BURN WOOD in our stove and it saves us a bundle. I pay my taxes, mind my own business, and don't critique every move my neighbor makes. If you don't like what your neighbor does, I would suggest maybe, minding your own business.

I SHOULDN'T HAVE called students who take out huge student loans 'stupid.' It's just unwise to take out \$50,000 to \$60,000 in loans, not knowing how you are ever going to pay them back. The ones that do pay them back are both responsible and commendable. It's a fact that students borrow way more than the amount to cover their tuition. If you work a minimum-wage job, share rent or live at home, local college is very doable. 

I'M GLAD SOMEONE in Rose Township still listens to the residents. Why is it that the treasurer is the only person on that board who understands this is a rural township, where citizens expect less intrusion from the government? We chose the township over the city for a reason.

I JUST READ the comment about Obama increasing the deficit 25 percent and Reagan increased it 300 percent. As someone who taught economics, I find that to be so misinformed, that I'd like to see us have a debate in Fenton due to all the incredibly misinformed people around town. The ignorance is incredible.

I LOVE THE sign that says, 'Welcome to Downtown Fenton.' At 66 years of age, I might be having one of my CRS days. Now, if I could only remember what I was after.



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#### ELECTION **Continued from Front Page**

Sue Osborn, the current mayor, is seeking reelection. Tim Faricy, a Fenton City councilman, is seeking to be elected as mayor.

Incumbent Cheryl King, Les Bland, Patricia Lockwood and Michael Piacentini are seeking to be elected to Fenton City Council. There are three seats available.

All precincts of Fenton City will vote at the St. John's Activity Center located at 600 North Adelaide St. in Fenton. Linden

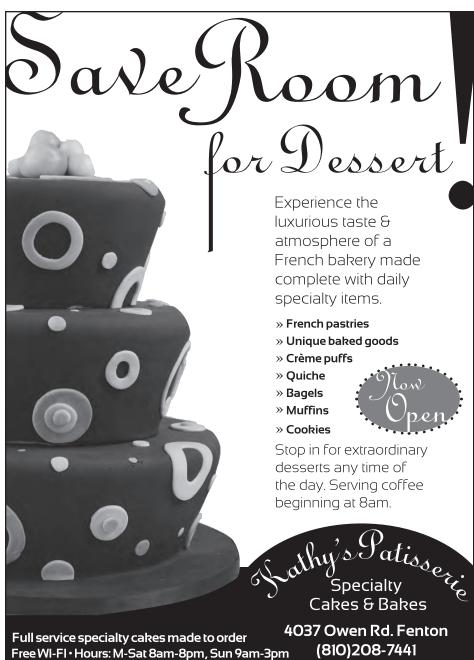
Residents in the city of Linden are voting on Linden City Council members and the recall of Scott. If the resident lives in the Linden Community School district, they are also casting their ballot for the school district's millage renewal.

Linden City councilors Edward Ciesielski and Charles Ross are seeking reelection so that they can serve the city of Linden for another three years. The two councilors are running unopposed for two available seats.

Councilors Amanda Adams and Gary Mahnke are seeking to be elected to serve partial terms. Adams replaced councilor Matt Chapman and Mahnke replaced councilor Patti O'Dwyer. The two are running unopposed to serve the remainder of O'Dwyer and Mahnke's terms, which expire Nov. 20, 2012.

Linden City Clerk Marti Donnelly said the city's residents vote at Faith Baptist Church on Silver Lake Road. She said she has issued 409 absentee ballots and 323 of them have already been returned. "I already have a 14 percent turnout and I have not even opened the polls," she said Wednesday morning.

**Fenton Township** Fenton Township residents are voting



on the recall of Rep. Paul Scott and if the resident lives in the Linden Community Schools district, he or she votes on the school district's millage renewal.

Voters in Fenton Township will vote in the band room at Lake Fenton High School. Broecker said the township has issued more than 800 absentee ballots so far, with more than 600 of them already returned.

#### **Argentine Township**

Residents in Argentine Township will be casting their ballots for the Scott recall and if they live in the Linden Community Schools district, they will be voting on the district's millage renewal. Argentine Township residents who live in the Byron school district will vote on a millage proposal.

Clerk Denise Graves said all precincts vote at the fire hall. "I expect the voters in the Byron school district to turn out due to the bond proposal," she said. "There seems to be a huge effort to get voters to the polls in the recall," she said.

Argentine Township has issued 302 absentee ballots and 266 (88 percent) have been returned by Wednesday afternoon. Graves projects a voter turnout of about 15 percent, overall.

#### QUESTIONS **Continued from Front Page**

form of ID or failed to bring it with them to the polls still can vote. They simply sign a brief affidavit stating that they are not in possession of a photo ID. Their ballots are included with all others and counted on Election Day.

#### Can I wear election-related Gelothing to the polls?

Michigan has prohibited the Apractice of displaying electionrelated materials at the polls for decades. This includes clothing and buttons as well as materials such as pamphlets, fliers and stickers. You cannot display such items in the polling place or within 100 feet of an entrance to a polling place. If you go to the polls with a shirt or button bearing election-related images or slogans, you will be asked to cover or remove it.

#### Can I use a camera in the Qpolls?

Astill cameras and other recording No. The use of video cameras, devices are prohibited in the polls when they are open for voting. This includes still cameras and other recording features built into many cell phones. The ban applies to all voters, challengers, poll watchers and election workers. Exceptions are made for credentialed members of the news media though certain restrictions remain.



**November 2011 Election** Tuesday, Nov. 8. Polls open 7 a.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **ABSENTEE VOTING DEADLINES**

By 2 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 5 -Voters who wish to receive an absent voter ballot for election by mail must submit applications.

Up to 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 7 -Voters qualified to obtain an absent voter ballot for election may vote in person in clerk's office.

Up to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 8 -Emergency absentee voting for election.

By 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 8 -Absentee ballots due at clerk's office

#### Sample ballot of **Rep. Paul Scott recall**

Statement of Reason: State Representative Paul Scott voted in favor of House Bill 4325, which cut funding for Michigan K-12 schools, community colleges and universities by an estimated total of more than \$1 billion. He also voted in favor of House Bill 4361, which increased taxes on public and private pension income as well as other retirement income for taxpayers born after 1946.

#### Justification of Conduct:

State Representative Paul Scott: • Voted to balance the 2011-12 state

budget without raising taxes. • Voted for pension tax reform, which

kept taxes unchanged for all senior citizens born before 1946. • Voted to ensure that all pension

and retirement income will be taxed equally.

• Voted to close the loophole that allowed government pensions to be tax-free.

• Voted to keep Social Security and military pensions exempt from the state income tax.

• Voted for teacher tenure reform that helps kids by making it easier and less expensive for schools to remove bad teachers and retain good teachers. • Voted to eliminate special tax credits for businesses while reducing taxes on Michigan's small businesses to help create jobs.

**Q: Shall Paul Scott be recalled** from the office of Michigan State **Representative, District 51?** 

Source: www.michigan.gov/vote







#### FALL BACK Continued from Page 3A

In March, her students are late because they slept in, and were not ready for the time change. "In the spring they're rushing because they've overslept because of the changes in the time," she said. When the time "springs ahead," it takes VanTassell an extra 10 minutes to complete her route because of these factors.

Aside from getting more sleep, another advantage to the ending of Daylight Saving Time is that it's lighter in the morning, and therefore safer for everyone, because she has better visibility when driving.

Lake Fenton Middle School sixthgrade math teacher Ashley Speckmann said it takes about a week for her students to get used to "springing ahead" an hour in March and they often come in tired. "You'll notice they'll lose sleep that night," she said, and they have trouble concentrating for that week.

Speckmann doesn't have much of a problem with springing ahead or falling back. But the students don't notice it as much when the schedule falls back. "They'll only mention that they weren't tired at bed time."

For restaurants, such as Fenton Mega Coney Island, the breakfast crowd is busy despite any time changes, said Manager Rocky Edivanaj. But darker evening hours keep people away later at night. "You can see the difference," he said.

Restaurants that aren't open for the breakfast rush may not see a difference, which is Linden Hotel owner Sharon Flowers' experience, as they don't open until 11 a.m.

Dwight Eichelberg, of Eichelberg Farms in Linden, likes going on to Daylight Saving Time, because it stays lighter longer in the evening. He doesn't like going off Daylight Saving Time, because it gets dark outside earlier. It doesn't affect his farming though, because most of his work is done by fall. "It doesn't make a bit of difference," he said.

Daylight Saving Time was originally implemented to lengthen days, in the United States, and to save fuel in European countries.

It has been argued that it saves energy, as much power is used in the early or late hours when lights need to be turned on while people are still awake.

Debra Dodd of Consumer's Energy said they have not noticed a difference in their system with Daylight Saving Time. "Times have changed a lot since the original Daylight Saving Time existed," she said. With more Americans working different shifts, the stress on the power grid is different than it used to be, she said.

Daylight Saving Time was adopted in the United States in 1918. Some states, including Indiana, only have half the state on the new system. The same plan that enacted Daylight Saving Time also set the three time zones inside the United States.

The law was unpopular, and became optional for states to observe. Daylight Saving Time was inconsistently used until 1966, when Congress enacted the Uniform Time Act. In 1986, Daylight Saving Time was set to begin at 2.a.m., the first Sunday in April and end on the last Sunday in October. From 2007 on it begins the first Sunday in March, ends the first Sunday in November and is observed in some form in many countries throughout the world with many variations.

It is suggested that when you change your clocks forward, check the batteries of your smoke detector also.



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A celebration of Chevrolet's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary took place in the showroom at Vic Canever Chevrolet in Fenton on Thursday. Matt Stevens, general sales manager, stands next to the classic cars on display.



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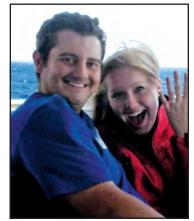
FOUR GENERATIONS

Four generations represented here are (from left) mother Allison Koster, greatgrandfather Robert McCabe, holding Clayton Koster, grandfather Vance McCabe, and grandmother Anne McCabe.

#### ENGAGEMENT

#### HAM-VOWELL

The engagement of Caitlin Ham, of Fenton, to Travis Vowell, of Fenton, has been announced by her parents Rick and Robin Ham, of Fenton. His parents are David and Lisa Vowell, of Fenton. The bride-elect graduated from Lake Fenton High School. She is a registered dental assistant at Dr. Patricia McGarry's office in Linden. Her fiancé is a graduate of Lake Fenton High School. He will be receiving a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan-Flint this spring. He currently works for Birds Beware Window Cleaning. Vowell proposed on the couple's six-year anniversary on a ferryboat to Mackinac Island. A September 2013 wedding is planned.



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## **ROADSHOW PAYING CASH ON THE SPOT FOR ANTIQUES, GOLD JEWELRY, SILVER COINS AND MORE!**

## **By Jason Delong**

Got gold? This week, visitors can cash in on gold and silver jewelry, antiques, collectibles, and all coins prior to 1970.

STAFF WRITER

Clean out your attics, closets and lock boxes, because the "As seen on TV," Treasure Hunters Roadshow is coming to Flint & Fenton. Roadshow specialists are in town this week examining your gold and silver, antiques and collectibles.

While the Roadshow will accept anything that's old, they will be focusing on: gold and silver coins made before 1970, military items, toys and trains, musical instruments, pocket and wrist watches. Scrap gold is expected to be a popular category this week due to soaring gold prices.

Buyers for the roadshow have noticed a tremendous increase in the amount of gold coming to the Roadshow, and for good reason. Record gold prices have Roadshow guests cashing in on broken or outdated jewelry with our fair and honest purchase offers.

Other types of items Roadshow specialists hope to see include vintage guitars. Ryan Krushas, one of the Roadshow's instrument specialists, spoke about some of the top guitars getting great offers. "Gibsons and Fenders are in big



basement, etc. There is no limit to the amount of items you can bring.

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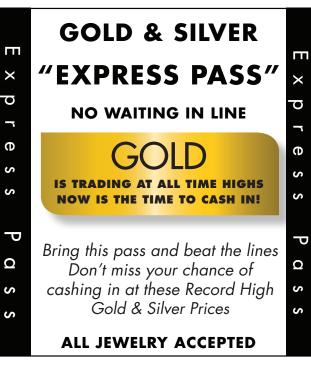


Above—Roadshow specialist, Mike Delong, sits with a gentleman who is eagerly anticipating the assessment of his collectibles.

demand right now as are vintage amps," said Krushas. We also buy violins, mandolins, woodwinds, if it plays it pays! Timepiece specialist Jeff Ford adds, "Watches are hot! We recently paid over \$2,500 for an old Hamilton pocket watch. And we are buying all types of high-end wrist watches too. Brands like Rolex, Tiffany and Chopard are very desirable to collectors. And the finest Swiss timepiece in the world, Patek Philippe, just earned a happy seller \$42,000.00"

#### **"U.S. COINS MADE BEFORE 1970 ARE THE MOST** SOUGHT AFTER BY COLLECTORS. COINS MADE BEFORE 1965 ARE 90% SILVER, AND VALUABLE BECAUSE OF EITHER THE SILVER CONTENT OR EVEN MORE VALUABLE IF ONE HAPPENS TO BE A RARE DATE."

When specialist Tom Fuller was asked what he enjoyed most about working at the Roadshow, he was quick to answer, "Old coins and paper currency." Fuller went on to explain that any U.S. coins made before 1970 are the most sought after by collectors. Coins made before 1965 are 90% silver, and valuable because of either the silver content or even more valuable if one happens to be a rare date. Fuller explained, "We help people sort through their coins for unique dates. We buy all types of coins at the Roadshowfrom wheat pennies to buffalo nickels, and from single coins to entire truckloads. See you at the Roadshow."



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Dark green: Traditional, trustworthy, and well balanced

Bright yellow-green: Trendy, whimsical, lively

Yellow gold: Intelligent, warm, loves comfort and will pay for it Sunshing yellow Sunny disposition,

joyful and youthful Deep brown: Down-to-earth, nononsense

Orange: Fun loving, talkative, fickle and trendy

Deep purple: Creative, individualistic, original

Source: Color Answer Book by Leatrice Eiseman

#### **CAR COLOR Continued from Page 3A**

reflect more than just a personality however, as some customers are foregoing flashy for practical.

"Our culture is getting busier with driving kids to functions and working more hours," said Tony Crimi, sales-If we can take person at Vic Canever Chevrolet. Darker colors that have a short cut and earthy tones conceal dirt better keep our cars than brighter-colored cars and looking nice, don'trequire as much cleaning.

"If we can take a shortcut and keep our cars looking nice, we're going to that's what we're going to go for," Crimi said. When Crimi started at

Vic Canever 14 years ago, red, white and blue colors

that's what

go for."

**Tony Crimi** 

Salesperson,

Vic Canever

dominated the market. Colors with earthy tones such as gold and brown are surging in popularity. Manufacturers are also beginning to blend brighter colors with darker ones, creating colors such as burnt orange.

While darker colors are starting to surge in popularity, white and silver still dominate the market. PPG, a Troy-based paint company, found that 20 percent of



customers in North America purchased a white car and 19 percent of customers bought a silver car. Black accounted for 18 percent of total sales. Brighter colors such as red and blue made up 9 percent of the car market. Natural colors such as brown, tan and gold commanded 9

percent of the market as well. In a survey conducted by PPG, 48 percent of consumers said they choose cars based on their color. A majority of drivers who own a luxury or sports car said they were willing to pay extra for a vehicle that was the color of their choice. Overall, 40 percent of consumers said they prefer a wider range of color choices when purchasing a car.

The experimentation of newer colors isn't successful in all areas however. Kevin Potts, owner of Fenton Collision, said newer colors are hard to replicate after an accident. Generally, new parts on a damaged vehicle are blended with existing parts and don't match in color, 100 percent.

"Everything's blended these days, the new colors have so many different pearls in them that parts can't be painted the same way," Potts said. It has been his experience that most people pick their favorite colors without much thought to matching it in the event of an accident.

A new trend for car colors may develop over the years. Crimi said more cars will eventually have tri-coated paint with colors like champagne and pearl. Granite colors are also rising in popularity, as the color requires low maintenance.

"No one waxes their cars like they used to," Crimi said. "There's less time to pay attention to the upkeep of our cars.'





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- 1 jar chicken gravy
- 1 cup canned/thawed corn
- 1 cup shredded cheddar cheese

#### Directions:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F. Lightly grease a 9x13" baking dish.
- 2. Spread the prepared stuffing evenly in the greased baking dish.
- 3. Follow the stuffing layer with the mashed potatoes.
- 4. Following with evenly distributing the corn, chicken, gravy, and cheese for the final layers. (FYI: in that order is best.)
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OZNotices IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR LANE COUNTY Juvenile Department In the Matter of TALIAH MARIE ANDERSON A Child. TO: Michael James O'Neal Case No. 09-670J-03 PUBLISHED SUMMONS IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: A petition has been filed asking the STATE OF OHEGON: A petition has been filed asking the court to terminate your parental rights to the above-named child for the purpose of placing the child for adoption. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PERSONALLY APPEAR BEFORE the Lane County Juvenile Court at 2727 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Eugene, OR 97401, on the 1st day of December, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. to admit or deny the allegations of the petition and to personally appear at any subsequent court-ordered hearing. YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM ON THE DATE AN ATTOR THE LISTED ABOVE. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING IN YOUR PLACE. THEREFORE, YOU MUST APPEAR EVEN IF YOUR ATTORNEY ALSO APPEARS. APPEARS. This summons is published pursuant to the order of the circuit court judge of the above-entitled court, dated August 2, 2011. The order directs that this summons be published once each week for three consecutive weeks, making three publications in all, in a published newspaper of general circulation in Genesee County, Michigan. Date of first publication: Sunday, November 6, 2011 Date of last publication: Sunday, November 20, 2011 NOTICE READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY IF YOU DO NOT APPEAR PERSON-ALLY BEFORE THE COURT OR DO NOT APPEAR AT ANY SUBSEQUENT COURT-ORDERED HEARING the COURTORNERED REARING, THE court may proceed in your absence without further notice and TERMINATE YOUR PARENTAL RIGHTS to the above-named child either ON THE DATE SPECIFIED IN THIS SUMMONS OR ON A FUTURE DATE, and may make such orders and take such action as authorized by law. RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS (1) YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO BE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY IN THIS MATTER. If you are currently represented by an attorney, CONTACT YOUR ATTORNEY IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIVING THIS NOTICE.

Your previous attorney may not be representing you in this matter. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE IF YOU CANNOT AFF-ORD TO HITE AN ATTORNEY, and you meet the state's financial guidelines, you are en-titled to have an attorney appointed for you at state expense. TO REOUEST APPOINTMENT OF AN ATTORNEY TO REPRESENT YOU AT STATE EXPENSE, YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY CONTACT the Lane County Juvenile Department, 2727 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Eugene, Oregon 97401, phone number 541/682-4754, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. for further information IF YOU WISH TO HIRE AN AT-TORNEY, please retain one as soon as TORNEY, please retain one as soon as possible and have the attorney present at the above hearing. If you need help

possible and nave the attorney present at the above hearing. If you need help finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636. IF YOU ARE REPRESENTED BY AN IF YOU ARE REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY, IT IS YOUR RESPONSI-BILITY TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH YOUR ATTORNEY AND TO KEEP YOUR ATTORNEY ADVISED OF YOUR WHEREABOUTS.

(2) If you contest the petition, the court will schedule a hearing on the allegations of the petition and order you allegations of the petition and order you to appear personally and may schedule other hearings related to the petition and order you to appear personally. IF YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM, UNLESS THE COURT HAS GRANTED YOU AN EXCEPTION IN ADVANCE UNDER ORS 4198.918 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TELEPHONIC OR OTHER MEANS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TELEPHONIC OR OTHER MEANS IN YOUT ATTEND THE HEARING(S) IN YOUR PLACE. PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY

PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY Sarita D. Glassburner Sarta D. Glassburner Assistant Attorney General Department of Justice 975 Oak Street, Suite 200 Eugene, OR 97401 Phone: (541) 686-7973

ISSUED this 28th day of October, 2011. Issued by: Sarita D. Glassburner, #012611 Assistant Attorney Genera



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#### TOWNSHIP OF HOLLY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

## 2012-2013 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Holly Township Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on November 16, 2011 at 6:30 p.m., or shortly thereafter, at the Holly Township Hall, 102 Civic Drive, Holly, MI 48442 for the purpose of hearing public comments on the 2012-2013 Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG) Application. Approximately \$8,595.00 may be available to Holly Township to fund eligible project activities.

Eligible project activities will be available for public viewing at the Clerk's Office, 102 Civic Dr., Holly or online at hollytownship.org/public notices/2012-2013 CDBG Projects.

The hearing is open to the public to voice their views or to submit written comment. Citizens are encouraged to attend and participate in the hearing. The Holly Township Board will consider any public comments received at this time. Written comments may be submitted prior to the hearing by writing to: Clerk at 102 Civic Dr., Holly, Michigan 48442.

The Holly Township Hall is handicap accessible. Arrangements to reasonably accommodate special needs will be made upon receiving a seven (7) day advance notice. Contact Holly Township Clerk at the number above for special services.

Karin S. Winchester Holly Township Clerk

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any infor-mation 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 mortga made by: Brian Webb & Sandra Webb aka Sandra M Webb, Husband and Wife to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group Inc., Mortgagee, dated June 22, 2007 and recorded September 20, 2007 in Instrument # 200709200072286 Genesee County Records, Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Seventeen Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$147,417,96) including interest 6 56% nor normal Under the interest 6.25% 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 November 16, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Mundy, Genesee County, Michigan, and are described as Lot 81, Grandwood Estates No. 3, as recorded in Liber 50, Page 45 of Plats, Genesee County Records. Commonly known as 5500 Cottonwood Dr, Swartz Creek MI 48473 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: 10/16/2011 CitiMortgage, Inc. successor by merger to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, PC. 811 South Bivd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844 5123 Our File No: 11-42781 Ad #16053 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/06/2011



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 out office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Kerry L Diehl and Lisa K. Diehl, Husband and Wife to Ameriqest Mortgage Company Mortgagee, dated April 1, 2004 and recorded April 13, 2004 in Instrumer #200404130041656 Genesee County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Ameriquest Mortgage Securities Inc., Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2004-R6, by assignment dated October 13, 2011 and recorded October 18, 2011in Instrument # 201110180073119 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Dollars and Twenty-One Cents (\$110,520.21) including interest 6% Under the power of per annum. 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 venue Circuit Court of Genesee County at 10:00AM on November 30, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Richfield, Genesee County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 5 of Apple Tree Acres, according to the recorde plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 39 Page 47, Gene-see County Records Commonly known as 7480 N Vassar tion 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 upor the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later Dated: 10/30/2011 Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Ameriquest Mortgage Securities Inc., Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates. Series 2004-R6, Assigned of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-48842 Ad #16462 10/30, 11/06, 11/13, 11/20/2011

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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 ir the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Amanda C Eskew a single woman and Eugene K Eskew, a married man, Joint tenents full rights of survivorship to Franklin Bank a division of First Place Banl Mortgagee, dated October 29, 2007 and re-corded October 31, 2007 in Instrument # 200710310081095 Genesee County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to: Citi-Mortgage, Inc, by assignment dated October 29, 2007 and recorded November 14, 2007in Instrument # 200711140083523 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Three Thousand Five Hundred Twelve Dollars and Ninety Four Cents (\$63,512,94) including nterest 6.875% 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 December 7, 2011 Said premises are situated in City of Flint, Genesee County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 6, Block 3 of Mott Park, according to the recorded Plat thereof as recorded in Plat book 20, Page(s) 28-29, Genesee County Records Commonly known as 2622 Thomas St, Flint MI 48504 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in ccordance 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 upor the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 11/06/2011 CitiMortgage,Inc, Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-48983 Ad #16621 11/06, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27/2011

a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any infor-mation 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: Timothy T Wellman and Shannon L llman, Husband and Wife to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group Inc, Mortgagee, dated July 8, 2003 and recorded November 3, 2003 in Liber 4227 Page 276 Livingston County Records, Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-Seven Thousand One Hundred Thirty Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$37,130.70) including interest 4.5% 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 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 November 16, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Putnam, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 6: A part of the Northwest one quarter, Section 16, and Northeast one guarter of Section 16, Town 1 North, Range 4 East, Putnam Township, Livingston County, Michigan; described as follows: Commencing at the West one quarter corner of said Section 16; thence North 89 degrees 53 minutes 04 seconds East, along the East-West one quarter Section line 228.16 feet; thence along the Easterly Right-of-way line of a 66 foot wide Private Road Easement on the arc of a curve left, 227.20 feet, said curve has a radius of 75.00 feet, a central angle of 173 degrees 33 minutes 40 secon and a long chord which bears North 03 degrees 06 minutes 07 seconds East, 149.77 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right-of way line on the arc of a curve right, 43.92 feet, said curve has a radius of 50.00 feet, a central angle of 50 degrees 19 minutes 44 seconds and a long chord which bears North 58 degrees 30 minutes 51 seconds West 42.52 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right-of way line on the arc of a curve right, 428.43 feet, said curve has a radius of 1413.94 feet, a central angle of 17 degrees 21 minutes 39 seconds and a long chord which bears North 24 es 40 minutes 09 seconds West 426.79 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right-of way line, North 15 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds West 524.96 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right of way line on the arc of a curve right 342.43 feet, said curve has a radius of 378.28 feet, a central angle of 51 degrees 51 minutes 57 seconds and a long chord which bears North 09 degrees 56 minutes 39 seconds East, 330.86 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right-of way line, North 35 degrees 52 minutes 37 seconds East, 1096.04 feet; thence continuing along said Easterly right-of way line on the arc of a curve left, 109.21 feet, said curve has a radius of 2793.74 feet; a central angle of 02 degrees 14 minutes 23 seconds and a long chord which bears North 34 degrees 45 minutes 26 seconds East 109.20 feet to the point of beginning of the parcel to be described; thence continuing along said right-of way line on the arc of a curve left, 287.16 feet, said curve has a radius of 2793.74 feet, a central angle of 05 degrees 53 minutes 21 seconds and a long chord which bears North 30 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds East 287.03 feet, thence along the centerline of Spears Road on the arc of a curve right, 102.81 feet, said curve has a radius of 669.86 feet, a central angle of 08 degrees 47 minutes 38 seconds and a long chord which bears South 67 degrees 41 minutes 24 seconds East, 102.71 feet; thence continuing along said centerline South 63 degrees 17 minutes 35 seconds East, 480.06 feet to the intersection of the centerlines of Spears and Cedar Lake Roads; thence along the centerline of Cedar Lake Road on the arc of a curve left, 127.48 feet, said curve has a radius of 500.00 feet, a central angle of 14 degrees 36 minutes 29 seconds and a long chord which bears South 47 degrees 58 minutes 58 seconds East, 127.14 feet; thence continuing along said centerline South 55 degrees 17 minutes 13 seconds East, 127.44 feet; thence continuing along said centerline on the arc of a curve left 1359.70 feet. said curve has a central angle of 13 degrees 35 minutes 49 seconds, a radius of 5729.58 feet and a long chord which bears South 62 degrees 05 minutes 07 seconds East, 1356,51 feet; thence South 09 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds West 276.79 feet to Traverse Point R. a one half inch rod lying 12 feet North of the water's edge of Lake Wallaby; thence continuing South 23 de-grees 20 minutes 54 seconds West, 312.29 feet; thence North 54 degrees 22 minutes 23 seconds West, 1051.19 feet to Traverse Point AA, one half iron lying 8 feet Northwest of the water's edge of Lake Wallaby, also being the end of a meandering Traverse line beginning at aforementioned Traverse Point R and

following 9 courses: South 86 degrees 21 minutes 12 seconds West, 157.81 feet to Traverse Point S, South 51 degrees 04 minutes 03 seconds West, 63.17 feet to Traverse Point T, North 73 degrees 26 minutes 16 seconds West 65.78 feet to Traverse Point U, North 35 degrees 57 minutes 58 seconds West, 37.19 feet to Traverse Point V. North 20 degrees 28 minutes 10 seconds West, 198.71 feet to Traverse Point W, North 52 degrees 07 minutes 58 seconds West, 174.85 feet to Traverse Point X, North 70 degrees 02 minutes 59 seconds West, 174.96 feet to Traverse Point Y, North 86 degrees 54 minutes 25 seconds West, 232.42 feet to Traverse Point Z, South 64 degrees 35 minutes 47 seconds West, 91.46 feet to Traverse Point AA; thence continuing from Traverse Point AANorth 54 degrees 22 minutes 23 seconds West, 1283.95 feet to the point of beginning. Also including the use of Walkabout Way a 66 foot wide Private Road Easement for ingress, egress and public utilities as shown in the plat of Putnam Meadows No. 1, recorded in Liber 34 of Plats, pages 3 through 5, Livingston County Records. Also together with a 50 foot wide private boat launch easement described below Private boat launch easement to be used together with others lawfully entitled to the use of the same, the centerline of which is described as follows: A part of the Northwest quarter of Section 16, Town 1 North, Range 4 East, Michigan, described as: Commencing at the West quarter corner of said Section 16; thence North 89 degrees 53 minutes 4 seconds East 228.16 feet along the East and West quarter line of said Section 16; thence on the arc of a curve of a left 227.20 feet, said curve having a radius of 75.00 feet, a central angle of 173 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds and a chord which bears North 3 degrees 6 minutes 7 seconds East 149.77 feet: thence on the arc of a curve right 43.92 feet, said curve having a radius of 50.00 feet, a central angle of 50 degrees 19 minutes 44 seconds and a chord which bears North 58 degrees 30 minutes 51 seconds West 42.52 feet; thence on the arc of a curve right 428.43 feet, said curve having a radius of 1413.94 feet, a central angle of 17 degrees 21 minutes 39 seconds and a chord which bears North 24 degrees 40 minutes 9 seconds West 426.79 feet: thence North 15 degrees 59 minutes 20 seconds West 524.96 feet; thence on the arc of a curve right 342.43 feet, said curve having a radius of 378.28 feet, a central angle of 51 degrees 51 minutes 57 seconds and a chord which bears North 9 degrees 56 minutes 39 seconds East 330.86 feet; thence North 35 degrees 52 minutes 37 seconds East 1096.04 feet; thence on the arc of a curve left 396.36 said curve having a radius of 2793.74 feet, a central angle of 8 degrees 7 minutes 44 seconds and a chord which bears North 31 degrees 48 minutes 45 seconds East 396.03 feet; thence along the centerline of Sp Road on the arc of a curve right 102.81 feet, said curve having a radius of 669.86 feet, a central angle of 8 degrees 47 minutes 38 seconds and a chord which bears South 67 degrees minutes 24 seconds East 102.71 feet; thence continuing along said centerline South 63 degrees 17 minutes 35 seconds East 480.06 feet to the intersection of the centerline of Spears Road and the centerline of Cedar Lake Road; thence along the centerline of Cedar Lake Road on the arc of a curve left 127.48 feet; said curve having a radius of 500.00 feet, a central angle of 14 degrees 36 minutes 29 seconds and a chord which bears South 47 degre 58 minutes 58 seconds East 127.14 feet; thence continuing along said centerline South 55 degrees 17 minutes 13 seconds East 127.44 feet; thence continuing along said centerline on the arc of a curve left 1385.20 feet, said curve having a radius of 5729.58 feet, a central angle of 13 degrees 51 minutes ' seconds and a chord which bears South 62 degrees 12 minutes 46 seconds East 1381.83 feet to the point of beginning of said centerline; thence South 9 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds West 265.30 feet to the meandering Traverse line for Lake Wallaby: thence South 9 degrees 39 minutes 32 seconds West 40.00 feet to the point of ending Engineering Survey No. 89260 dated July 3, 1989. Commonly known as 8110 Cedar Lake Rd, Pinckney MI 48169 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: 10/16/2011 CitiMortgage, Inc. successor by merger to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group Inc. Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-47859 Ad

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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: Frank Liponoga, Jr., a Single Man to Option One Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 12, 2007 and re-corded November 9, 2007 in Instrument # 2007R-036833 Livingston County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2007-4 Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-4, by assignment dated August 3, 2011 and recorded August 10, 2011in Instrument # 2011R-023214 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Nineteen Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$219,685.15) including interest 6 % per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, Circuit Court of Livingston County at 10:00AM on December 7, 2011 Said premises are situated in City of Holly, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel A1: Part of the Northeast quarter of Section I, Town 3 North, Range 6 East. more particularly described as follows Commencing at the East quarter corner of said Section 1: thence along the East line of said Section 1, North 00 deg. 57 min. 54 sec. East 1237.50 ft.,; thence North 88 deg 36 min26 sec West 959 ft to the point of beginning of the parcel to be described; thence North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West, 390.98 ft.: thence North 00 deg 57 min 54 sec. East, 325.07 ft,; thence South 89 deg 35 min 30 sec East, 390.98 ft.; thence South 00 deg 57 min 54 sec West 331.78 ft to the point of beginning, subject to and including use of a 66 ft. wide private road easement as described below. Also subject to two 12 ft wide utility easement Aand B, as described below. Also subject to and including the use of a 30 ft wide driveway easement as described below, Private Road Easement: Part of the Northeast guarter of Section 1, Town 3 North , Range 6 East, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the East quarter corner of said Section 1; thence along the East line of said Section 1; North 00 deg 57 min 54 sec East 1249.50 ft to the point of beginning of the easement to be described; thence along the Northerly line of utility easement A, as described below, North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West 1349.98 ft.; thence North 00 deg 57 min 54 sec East, 66.00 ft; thence along the Southerly line of utility easement B, as described below, East on the arc left, having a length of 61.84 ft, a radius of 50 ft, a central angle of 70 deg 51 min 32 sec and a long chord which bears North 55 deg 57 min 59 sec East, 57.97 ft; thence along the Southerly line of utility easement B, as described below, North of an arc right, having the length of 185.49 ft. a radius of 75.00 ft a central angle of 141 deg 42 min 05 sec and a long chord which bears South 88 deg 36 min 26 sec East, 141, 70 ft, thence along the Southerly line of utility easement B, as describe below, South of an arc left, having the length of 61.84 ft. a radius of 50.00 ft. a central angle of 70 deg 51 min 32 sec and a long chord which bears South 53 deg 10 min 51 sec East, 57.97 ft; thence along the Southerly line of utility eas B, as described below, South 88 deg 30 min 20 sec East, 340.00 ft; thence along the East line of said Section 1, South 00 deg 57 min 54 sec West, 66.00 ft to the

easement; part of the Northeast quarter of Section 1, Town 3 North, Range 6 East, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the East quarter corner of said Section 1: thence along the East line of said Section1, North 00 deg 57 min 54 sec East, 1316.50 ft; thence along the Northerly line of a 66 ft wide private road easement as described above and along the Southerly line of utility easement B, North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West, 840.66 ft; thence continuing along the Northerly line of a 66 ft wide private road easement as described above and along the Southerly line of utility easement B Northwesterly on an arc right; having a length of 61.84 ft, a radius of 50.00 ft, a central angle of 70 deg 51 min 32 sec and a long chord which bears North 53 deg 10 min 51 sec West, 57.97 ft; thence continuing along the Northerly line of a 66 ft wide private road easement as described above and along the Southerly line of utility easement B, Northwesterly on an arc left, having a length of 78.52 ft, a radius of 75.00 ft; a central angle of 59 deg 59 min 16 sec and a long chord which bears North 47 deg 44 min 55 sec West, 74.99 ft to the point of beginning of the easement to be described; thence continuing along the Northerly line of a 66 ft wide private road easement as beginning of the Easement to be described; thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement, North 88 deg36 min 26 sec West, 1342.88 ft to the point of Terminus, Utility Easement B, Part of the Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Town 3 North, Range 6 East, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the East quarter corer of said Section 1; thence along the East line of said Section 1, North 00 deg 57 min 54 sec East, 1315.50 ft to the point of beginning of the easement to be described; thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement ; North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West 840 66 ft thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement North on an arc right. having a length of 61.84 ft, a radius of 50.00 ft, a central angle of 70 deg 51 min 32 sec and a long chord which bears North 53 degrees 10 min 51 sec West, 57.97 ft; thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement South on an arc left, having a length of 185.49 ft, a radius of 75.00 ft, a central angle of 141 deg 42 min 05 sec and a long chord which bears North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West, 141.70 ft; thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement, West on an arc right, having a length of 61.84 ft, a radius of 50.00 ft, a central angle of 70 deg 51 min 32 sec and a long chord which pears South 65 deg 57 min 59 sec West, 57.97 ft; thence along the Southerly line of a 12 ft wide utility easement , North 88 deg 36 min 26 sec West, 273.14 ft to the Point of Beginning. Commonly known as 13817 S Pinegrove Rd, Holly MI 48442 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless deter-mined 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: 11/06/2011 Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2007-4 Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2007-4, Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-41785 Ad #16622 11/06, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27/2011

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YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED OF A REGULAR PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD TUESDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2011 AT 7:00 PM BY THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AT 12060 MANTAWAUKA. THIS HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

HO08-042 William Molpus 2355 Thompson Rd. requesting to continue home occupation permit to operate a small deck installation business from residence. This matter was postponed at the October 25, 2011 meeting. Parcel 06-02-552-006

HO10-045 Vito Accetta 4036 Shadow Oak Ct. requesting to continue home occupation permit to operate Flartite Inc. an internet based seller of industrial seals. This matter was postponed at the October 25, 2011 meeting. Parcel 06-33-529-009

ZBA 11-024 Aniruddha Palya 12272 Windsor Beach Dr. requesting sight line variance to construct deck with railing on lake side of residence. Parcel 06-11-531-003

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

This notice is published in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MCLA 41.72a (2) (3) and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA).

Fenton Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting or public hearing upon 14 days notice to Fenton Township.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact Fenton Township by writing or calling the following: Robert Krug, Fenton Township Clerk, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430, (810) 629-1537.

Ordinances, meeting schedules and other Township information are also available at www.fentontownship.org.

ROBERT KRUG, FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

#### ROSE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS October 12, 2011

Supervisor Kalcec called the regular meeting of the Rose Township Board of Trustees to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Rose Township Hall, 204 Franklin Street, Holly, Michigan and led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:	Board Members Present: Kalcec, Miller, Slaughter, Gordon,		
Approved:	Scheib-Snider Board Members Absent: None Agenda with the addition of 10(H) (A) Approve Compensation for Extra Duties and (10) (H) (B) Correct Typo in the Budget Amend- ment Resolution.		
Approved:	Consent Agenda and September 7, 14, 19, 2011.		
	Schedule a closed session meeting with Township Assessor prior to the next Board Meeting.		
Adopted:	The Rose Township Municipal Civil Infraction Policies and Procedures including changes.		
Tabled:	Financial Reporting Requirement Proposal.		
Approved:	Renewal of the FY 2012 contract with SMART.		
Approved:			
Tabled:	Holly Area Youth Assistance Board Member Approval.		
Approved:	Agreement between the Assistant Cemetery Sexton and Rose Township as amended.		
Rejected:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	Contract with Bedrock Building at \$4,300.00 for double-hung windows for the 204 Franklin Street/upstairs.		
Approved:	Resolution changing polling place for Precinct 1 to the lower level of Township Offices at 9080 Mason Street, Holly, Michigan.		
Approved:	d: Resolution to Eliminate Job Description/Position.		
Approved:			
Approved:	Compensation for Extra Duties.		
Approved:	Approved: Typo in the 2011 Budget Amendment Resolution, under PEG fund, revenue, originally \$21,577 should be \$21,557.00.		
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Jubber Miller Debbie Miller, Clerk

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: Brad Leroy Adams a/k/a Brad L. Adams, A Single Man to Merit Financial, Inc., Mortgagee, dated August 25, 2005 and recorded December 28, 2005 in Liber 5002 Page 305 Livingston County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for HSI Asse Securi-tization Corporation Trust Securi-tization Corporation Trust 2006-OPT2, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-OPT2, by assignment dated July 26, 2010 and recorded August 2, 2010 in Instrument #2010R-020971 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thou-sand Eight Hundred Fifty-Five Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$150,855.90) including interes 3% 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 December 7, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Genoa, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot(s) 177, 178 and 179 of Sunrise Park, Genoa Town-ship, Livingston County, Michigan according to the plat thereof as Recorded in Liber 2 of Plat, Page 23, Livingston County Records. Commonly known as 1280 Boulevard Dr, Howell MI 48843 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined aban-doned 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: 11/06/2011 Deutsche Bank National Trust Com-pany, as Trustee for HSI Asset Securitization Corporation Trust 2006-OPT2, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2006-OPT2, As-signee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-49435 Ad #16609 11/06, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27/201

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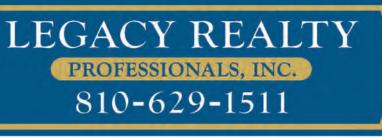


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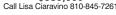
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McCandlish Road, Grand Blanc Twp., 6 lots \$81,900 each, Beautiful rolling hills of the former Genesee Hills Golf Course. Mature pine trees line the road. This property is part of a larger parcel that has yet to be split. Proposed split is for 6-3 parcels, with 300' frontage on McCandlish, 450' deep. Seller open to other splits, all utilities are already there. Call Jim Drake 586-839-6377

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#### SIGNS

#### Continued from Front Page

Smaller 'Welcome to Fenton" signs were installed, on Torrey Road, North Road, Silver Lake Road, South Holly Road and Adelaide Street. Burns said these signs were taken down shortly after they were installed when they noticed that the size of the lettering was not to spec. These signs were fixed and in the process of going back up.

In the downtown area, motorists will see new "Welcome to Downtown" signs on Main Street, east of Walnut Street, Silver Lake Road at Adelaide Street and at Shiawassee Av- "I like it any-

enue at Elizabeth Street.

Burns said the concrete bases were made by Rice's Garden Ornaments in Holly and Dibbleville Woodworks built the prototype for the concrete fluting. Jennifer Weaver, of Weaver Designs in Fenton, created the lettering on the signs. Craftsman Electrical Services,

of Fenton, took care of the lighting on the monument signs, while Universal Signs, of Grand Rapids, installed the signs. "A lot of people in town helped with these signs," said Burns. "We had a lot of local assistance."

The cost to the DDA for what is currently up was \$104,000, said Burns.

In 2013, when the city begins the streetscape project, it will also install the planned directional signs, which are part of this sign project. Estimated cost for the directional signs is \$175,000. In all, the DDA is spending between \$275,000 and \$300,000 on signage for the city.

Burns said they did not want to install the Wayfinding directional signs now since they would have to removed, when the streetscape and landscaping project is being done.

Since the signs were installed, Burns said he has not heard much feedback, other than a couple of city officials saying they looked nice. "So far, so good," he said. "Board members are happy." Fenton resident Tessa Stickel said she thinks the signs were a good idea, however, she believes they are really dated. She is convinced that in five year's time, the font used on the signs will be outdated.

Stickel said she understands that the new signs are based on the Be Closer campaign, but she does not think that campaign will carry on very long, causing the look to be irrelevant. "They're awfully large and there's a lot of them," she said. Postings on the Tri-County Times'

Facebook page reveal differing opinions. Barri Szabo said the city did a great job and the signs give Fenton

a fresh and updated look. Brenda Armour said she likes the style and she loves the fact that the city has new signs. Cheryl Green said she thought it was a huge waste of money.

Although she is not from Fenton, Sarah McCanney said she thought the signs were very classy as she passed through the city.

Carol Schuler, owner of Sweet Variations, at the corner of Shiawassee Avenue and LeRoy Street, likes some of what she has seen. The base of the large signs reminds her of the concrete barricades that motorists see on highways in construction zones. She likes the top part of the signs though. The lettering on the smaller sign she saw on southbound LeRoy was too small to read.

Kenny Nevells, owner of Fenton House restaurant, said he likes the signs. "I like it anytime the city invests in the city," he said. "It shows we're Fenton, welcome to it."

The restaurant is undergoing an expansion and Nevells is pleased with the city's marketing firm, New Moon Visions, and likes what they're doing. "It's a good thing."

Roger Sharp, owner of Sharp Funeral Homes, said he does not see one thing wrong with the signs. "It's clean, nothing wrong," he said. "It's a pretty creative design."

#### CHASE

#### **Continued from Front Page**

a deputy traveling on U.S. 23 near Thompson Road in Fenton Township noticed a suspicious vehicle. A computer check indicated that the car had an improper license plate on it.

The deputy initiated a traffic stop to the older Cadillac at 7:30 p.m. as it began traveling westbound on Thompson Road. The driver pulled the car over and told the officer that he did not have a driver's license. When the deputy asked him to exit the vehicle, the driver said "no."

The officer opened the driver side door, at which time the driver put the car in drive, as if he planned to drive away. In response, the deputy deployed a taser on the driver, said Dwyre. Despite being tased, the driver of the Cadillac drove away on westbound on Thompson Road. The deputy followed the Cadillac as it traveled down Linden, Sharp, Ray, Hogan roads at speeds in excess of 70 miles per hour.

Linden City police assisted with the call. The chase ended on McCaslin Lake Road in Argentine Township. After his car came to a stop, the driver fled on foot.

Police and deputies chased and apprehended the man. He was transported to the Genesee County Jail, where he was questioned and released.

Dwyre said the man admitted that he was driving someone else's car and that he just "snapped" because he did not have a license. The driver was remorseful for what he had done. There were no drugs or alcohol involved during the incident.



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**IF YOU WANTED** more valuable treasure, more precious than gold and diamonds, read the book of John in the Bible.

**PEOPLE IN HOLLY** should be outraged with the current village administration. Not only did the previous village manager get re-elected, he continues to mismanage the water cost issue and use the office for his personal agenda. I live in the township and am affected by this issue but can't vote.

THE NEW SIGNS don't look good and the concrete base is too large and overpowers the sign. When my child saw them, she said they look ugly and asked why didn't they buy books for her class (they don't have enough for the full class). The city likes to waste money.



Today I have advice for the holiday cooking season!

Every year we get SOS calls from our customers that have self cleaned their ovens the day before Thanksgiving, and their oven quits working. In the self cleaning cycle the oven temps can reach 900 degrees. Most ovens with self cleaning feature have a cooling fan to take away that heat while cleaning. When the fan gets weak or dirty and cannot take the heat away fast enough, the thermal fuse will open and stops the operation of the oven.

To avoid dining out, either clean the oven a couple weeks before the big day or wait until after! We will be there to help either way.





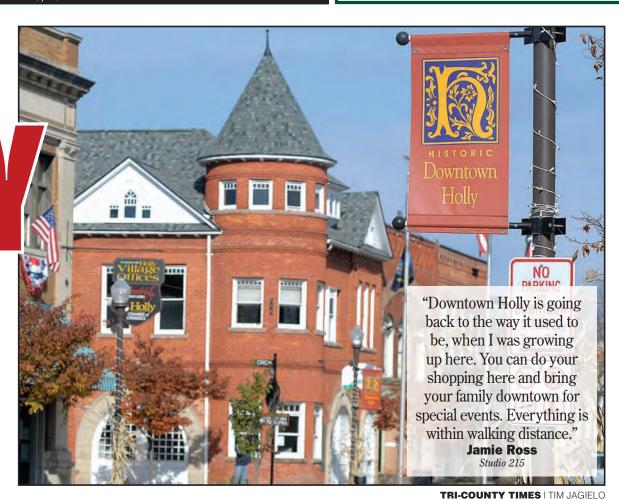
Hidden gem



#### **By Sally Rummel**

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If you haven't visited downtown Holly in a few months, you're in for a pleasant surprise. Not only are most of the storefronts full, but the eclectic mix of businesses has created a modern-day retail niche for this historic community. What makes this an interesting story to tell is that much of this retail boom has happened in the last nine months. "Eleven new businesses have opened on Main Street since March," said Hope Ponsart, director of the Holly Downtown Development Authority. "There's See HOLLY on 6B



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Holly is a 'gal's

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downtown. 77

Jamie Ross

owner of Studio 215



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The Dickens Festival in Downtown Holly draws hundreds of visitors for the street performances, like this one from Dr. Infernal. This year, the festival will be combined into one weekend, Dec. 9-11.



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Community events are creating a large customer draw in downtown Holly, contributing to the downtown's recent boom in business. Many of the original Holly downtown landmarks, such as the Holly Hotel, will have their own special holiday events from Thanksgiving weekend up to Christmas.

special events **Ladies Night Out** Friday, Nov. 11, from 5 to 9 p.m. The first 300 women in attendance will receive an

Upcoming

eco-friendly shopping bag filled with money-saving coupons, giveaways, etc. **Holly Christmas** Saturday, Nov. 25 to Sunday, Nov. 27. Breakfast and photos with Santa on Saturday, 9 a.m.; classic holiday kids' movie at

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Who made these three positive pronouncements?

Abraham Lincoln.

Then, in his 1863 Thanksgiving Proclamation, he added these three serious warnings. 'We have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand, which preserved us in peace and multiplied and strengthened us. We have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom of our own. Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us.'

Does Lincoln's warning sound up to date? If so, maybe its time to consider this

beloved president's warning today. God doesn't need our thanks, but we need to be thankful. Paul, the apostle, later drew a similar conclusion concerning another group of people who had reached the pinnacle of success, but then were plunged to destruction. He described their tragic fall as follows. 'When they knew God, they glorified Him not as God, neither were thankful, but became vain in their imaginations. Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools' (Romans 1:21-22).

In Lincoln's words, they became 'too self-sufficient to feel the need of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us.'

Thankfulness makes us ever conscious of God's love, grace and provision. This keeps us aware of His presence and makes a difference in how we live. People who are constantly thanking God for His blessings and love and want to please Him every day; rejecting attitudes and actions that grieve Him.

An attitude of gratitude to God for daily blessings changes our dispositions. Thankful people make better husbands, wives, parents, friends and citizens. We cannot be angry and thankful at the same time. We cannot be both grateful and grumpy. It is impossible to praise www.tctimes.com

and pout simultaneously. When I visited my friend, Frank, in the hospital, I read a few verses from Psalm 103 to him. This Psalm is David's great song of thanksgiving in which he reminds himself of the importance of giving thanks for daily blessings.

I had no idea of how those few words about being thankful would change Frank's life. What I had considered just a friendly hospital call was far more than that to him.

Weeks later, I heard Frank tell a group of men that while I was reading those words about not forgetting to be thankful, he had placed his faith in the One to whom all our thanks are due.

Have you? If not, this is the perfect month to launch a new attitude of gratitude and see how it changes your life. Roger Campbell is an author, a broadcaster and columnist who was a pastor for 22 years. He can be reached at rcministry@ameritech.net.





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Luscious, tart-sweet

pineapple is full of nu-

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Though available all year round, this tropical fruit is at its peak from March through June. Go ahead and cut it into chunks and store in the fridge or buy it precut for convenience — the fruit retains its nutritional punch for up to a week.

#### Sweet potatoes

A nutritional All-Star — one of the best vegetables you can eat.

They're loaded with carotenoids, vitamin C, potassium, and fiber. Bake and then mix in some unsweetened applesauce or crushed pineapple for extra moisture and sweetness.

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#### Crispbreads Whole-grain rye crackers, like Wasa, Kavli, and Ryvita

 usually called crispbreads - are loaded with fiber and often fat-free. Drizzle with a little honey and sprinkle with cinnamon to satisfy your sweet tooth.

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TRI-COUNTY TIMES I SUBMITTED PHOTO The 12-inch pizza is densely packed with expensive champagne-soaked caviar, lobster marinated in the finest cognac, sunblush tomato sauce, Scottish smoked salmon, and sprinkled with real 24-carat edible gold.

balsamic vinegar. In addition to all these fine ingredients, it's topped with a significant amount of edible 24-carat gold flakes. Pizza pie

The Guinness Book of lions, prosciutto, and vintage World Records is reviewing

the details of the pizza's sale and it is under consideration for taking the record for "World's Most Expensive Pizza" from a less extravagant white truffle pizza created by Gordon Ramsay's Maze restaurant in London.



makes dinnerware out of wheat, so you can eat your plate.

Ketchup was created for use as a drug, not as a condiment.

> The liquid inside voung coconuts can be used as substitute for blood plasma.

■ Apples, not caffeine, are more efficient at waking you up in the morning.

■ You'll eat about 35,000 cookies in a lifetime. Wow!

Fortune cookies were actually invented in America, in 1918, by Charles Jung.



• Chewing gum while peeling onions will keep you from crying.

Smelling bananas and/or green apples (smelling, not eating) can help you lose weight.

Peanuts are one of the

ingredients in dynamite.

## How to pick the best produce

#### **Broccoli**

Find rigid stems with tight floret clusters that are deep green or tinged purple. Pass on any with yellowing heads-they'll be more bitter.

Peak: October to April

Storage: Refrigerate in a plastic bag for up to 1 week.

Payoff: Cancer-fighting sulforaphane



#### Grapes

Find plump, wrinklefree grapes that are firmly attached to stems. A silvery white powder (bloom) means they'll stay fresher longer. Green grapes with a yellowish hue are the sweetest.

Peak: May to October

Storage: Keep unwashed, in a shallow bowl in the fridge, for up to 1 week.

Payoff: Resveratrol, which may protect against cardiovascular disease

#### **Bell Peppers**

These should have lots of heft for their size, and brightly colored, wrinkle-free exteriors. The stems should be a lively green.

Peak: Year-round

Storage: Refrigerate in the crisper for up to 2 weeks.

Payoff: All bell peppers are loaded with antioxidants, especially vitamin C. Yellow peppers lead



**Avocados** Find firm ones

with no sunken, mushy spots, and a waxy rather than a shiny appearance. Shake it—a rattle means the pit has pulled away from the flesh. Not good.

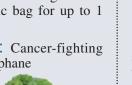
Peak: Year-round

**Storage**: To ripen, place in a paper bag and store at room temp for 2 to 4 days. Add an apple to the bag to speed things up. Ripe ones can go in the fridge for up to a week.

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#### TRANSFIGURATION

**LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA** 14176 Fenton Rd. • Fenton 810-629-7332 www.FentonTLC.org Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 am JAM Children's Ministries ..... 10:30 am Communion Celebrated every Sun.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, LC-MS** 806 Main Street • Fenton 810-629-7861 Fax 810-629-9877 www.trinitylemsfenton.com

www.unnuyionisienton.com	
Reverend Dean G. Dumbrille	
Worship Services	
Wednesday in the Word	7:00 pm
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Saturday Traditional Worship	6:30 pm
Sunday Traditional Worship	8:30 am
Sunday Education Hour	9:45 am
Sunday Contemporary Worsh	ip 11:00 am
Saturday5	5:30 pm, Bible Study

#### **SHEPHERD OF THE LAKES WELS LUTHERAN CHURCH**

14160 Fenton Rd., F	enton
Pastor David Kipfmiller 81	0-373-2131
Sunday School	9:15 am
Adult Bible Study	9:15 am
Sunday Worship Service	10:30 am

#### METHODIST

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
15010 N. Holly Rd. • Holly
248-634-9711
Rev. Faith Timmons

Sunday Worship1	0:00	am
Sunday School	9:00	pm
Prayer Service	7	pm

#### **FENTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

119 S. LeRoy St. • Fenton 810-629-2132 Rev. Bill Donahue Rev. Jeremy Peters, Associate Pastor Church at Worship...... 8:15, 9:30, 11:00 am Church at Study.....9:30 am Nursery Provided at all services.

#### **HERITAGE HILLS CHURCH**

5530 Runyan Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-632-3417 www.HeritageHillsChurch.com Pastor Rob Mohr Sunday Worship/Sunday School .. 9:30 am & 11 am Wednesday Service..... .....7:00 pm Christian Life Club children age 3 to grade 6 ..... ..... 11:00 am

Sunday evening: Youth Group and Bible Quiz Team Call for information 810-629-9911

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#### METHODIST (CONTINUED)

LAKE FENTON **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 2581 N. Long Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-629-5161 Pastor Pamela Kail Sunday Worship ......8:30 & 10:00 am

Sunday School.....9:15 am LINDEN FREE

**METHODIST CHURCH** 13274 S. Linden Rd. • Linden 810-735-4564 Pastor William Moull Assoc. Pastor Mike Anderson Sunday School.....9:30 am

Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 am Sunday Night Teen Programs ......5:00 pm www.lindenfmc.org

#### LINDEN UNITED **METHODIST CHURCH**

201 Bridge St. • Linden 810-735-5858 Pastor Margo Kivisto Worship & Jr. Service ...... 10:30 am Coffee Hour ... ..... 11:30 am Nursery Available

#### NAZARENE

**ARGENTINE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE** 

10248 S. Seymour Ru.	
Linden, MI 48451	
810-735-7118	
Pastor Ray Raycroft	
Sunday School	9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 am
(Junior Church and Nursery Provided)	
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Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wed. Children & Teens	7:00 pm
Wed. Prayer Meeting	7:00 pm

#### **FENTON CHURCH**

VF INE NAZARENE	
11075 Runyan Lake Rd.	
Fenton, MI 48430	
810-750-6544	
Sunday Worship Services	11:00 am
Sunday School for all ages	10:00 am
Adult Bible Study & Cleases Med	6.20 nm

Adult Bible Study & Classes Wed......6:30 pm Children's & Teen Programs Wed. .....6:30 pm Nursery provided for all services.

#### NON-DENOMINATIONAL

THE ROCK
11400 S. Linden Rd.
Fenton
810-629-2444
www.hisrock.net
Pastor Jim Combs & Wes Morris Welcome You
Sunday AM Services 8:30 am, 9:45 am & 11 am
Sunday School 9:45 am
Sunday PM Service 6 pm
Awana (2 yr 5th grade) 6 pm
Wednesday Mid Week Service
Kidz Rock (2 yr-5th grade)7 pm
Adult Bible Study7 pm
Jr. & Sr. High Bible Study 7 pm
BUS MINISTRY IS NOW AVAILABLE -
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#### **FENTON BIBLE CHURCH**

301 E. S. Holly Rd.	

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Fenton	
810-629-2897	
Pastor Walter McConkey Sr.	
Sunday School9:30	am
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45	am
Sunday Evening Worship6:00	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting7:00	pm
Nursery care available for all services	

#### ORTHODOX

## ST. MARY MAGDALENE ORTHODOX CHURCH

2439 South Long Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-750-1401 www.st-marymagdalene.org

Services: Saturday Evening, Great Vespers ..... ..5:00 pm Sunday Morning, Divine Liturgy...... .. 10:00 am Community Bible Study ..... Thursday @ 10:30 am at Luigi's Restaurant on Leroy St.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF FENTON

503 S. LeRoy St. • Fenton 810-629-7801 www.ffpc.org Pastor Dale Swihart Jr. Larry McMellen, Parish Associate Summer Worship..... 10:00 am

#### HOLLY **PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

207 E. Maple • Holly 248-634-9494 • www.hollypc.org Reverend Dr. Sharlyn DeHaven Gates Sunday Worship Schedule Middle School/Teen/Adult Sunday School ....9:15am Children's Sunday School ......9:30am Coffee Hour ...... 10am Worship..... 10:30am

#### LINDEN

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 119 W. Broad St. • Linden 810-735-5755 Pastor Seth Normington Sunday Worship ...... 9:00 am & 10:30 am Children's Church...... 10:30 am Youth Groups for Children, Middle School, and Senior High School, Call for times

## TYRONE COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9141 Hartland Rd. • Fenton 810-750-0350 Pastor Linda Living-Hawley Sunday Worship Schedule Celebratory Worship...... 10:00 am Children's Sunday School ..... 10:45 am Fellowship..... 11:30 am

#### **TYRONE COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

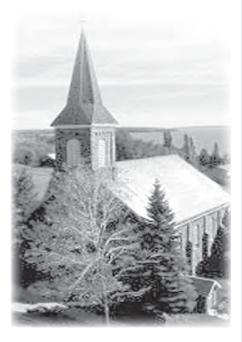
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Sunday School	9:00 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
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#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

FENTON SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 408 Fifth St. • Fenton 810-629-9493 Pastor Chris Ames

Church Worship ..... 10:00 am Sabbath School ..... 11:00 am Prayer Meeting ...... 4:30 pm Wednesday (Linden Seventh Day Adventist 7007 W. Silver Lake Rd)



#### **ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH**

600 N. Adelaide • Fenton

810-629-2251 Father David W. Harvey, Pastor Father Kurian Kollpallil, Associate Pastor Saturday Mass ......5:00 pm Sunday Mass ......8 am, 10 am, 12 noon & 6 pm Confessions Sat......3:30-4:30 pm Call for daily Mass times

#### **ST. RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH** 309 E. Maple St. • Holly 248-634-4841

Fr. David Blazek, Pastor

Saturday Mass.....4:00 pm, .....8 am, 10 am, & 12 Weekday Mass Mon.-Thur......9:00 am Reconciliation after Sat. 4 pm Mass or by appt.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST**, SCIENTIST

204 E. Rockwell • Fenton	
810-629-321	1
Church Service	11:00 am
Sunday School	11:00 am
Wednesday Evening	7:30 pm

# **Business Profiles**

## New owners continue barbecue tradition at Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ

#### **By Sally Rummel**

news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282

"Low and slow" is the motto of the new owners of Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ in Fenton. Continuing to improve on the

Beale St.

Smokehouse BBQ

in Fenton has a trio

quality of the barbecue experience is the goal of owners Phil Canup, Lisa Reading, and Steven Pender, who bought the restaurant in August.

of new owners, all As long-time employees former employees of former owner Kim Hicks, of the restaurant they purchased the restaurant previously owned by Kim Hicks so they could continue the barbecue traditions that have made Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ a popular eatery in Fenton since 2006.

We plan to keep all of the favorite entrees on the menu," said Canup. "People love the pulled pork, ribs and brisket and are comfortable with the quality of the food, atmosphere and service that they've come to expect here." Saturday night entertainment will continue, too, with local "blues" artists performing from 7 to 10 p.m.

Canup handles marketing and graphic design for Beale St., while his daughter,

Reading, brings more than 20 years of customer service and management experience to the table. Pender's niche is his culinary skills and kitchen management. They plan to expand the restaurant's catering services this holiday Summary season, too.

The trio is excited about a new appetizer on the menu, called "Burnt Ends," made from brisket that has been smoked and seasoned twice, then sauced up and grilled. "We plan to offer it on the menu as a sandwich, too," said

Pender. Desserts are another specialty, and Reading is proud of her homemade white chocolate bread pudding, offered on a limited basis. Caramel apple cheesecake is another favorite.

Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ is located at 2461 North Rd., behind Smitty's Exit 80 Sunoco. Hours are Monday through Thursday, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m., Friday and Saturday, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday, from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. For more information, call (810) 750-0507.



Lisa Reading, Steven Pender and Phil Canup are the new owners of Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ in Fenton.



Dan Lamb, left, and Dennis Lamb stand by a service truck at Ace Heating & Cooling in Byron.



## Lamb brothers bring expertise to Ace Heating & Cooling

Summary

► Ace Heating

Byron is owned

and operated

Dennis Lamb.

The company

customers

in Genesee,

Shiawassee

counties.

Livingston and

serves residential

and commercial

by Dan and

& Cooling in

By Sally Rummel news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282

Brothers Dan and Dennis Lamb come from a long history of heating and cool-

ing experts in the tri-county and surrounding areas. When they opened Ace Heating & Cooling in Byron in 2007, they brought their own expertise to the local market, specializing in geothermal heating, highenergy efficiency and hybrid equipment.

"Our specialty is in high-tech heating and cooling systems for your home or business, primarily in Genesee, Livingston and Shiawassee counties," said Dan, who has more than 25

years of experience.

This Byron location is the second of-

fice of their business, which also serves residential and commercial customers in Muskegon. When the Lamb brothers bought the company, it came with a track

record of business in the west side of the state since 1962.

Ace Heating & Cooling has 12 employees and nine trucks on the road. The heating and cooling technicians are all certified by North American Technician Excellence (NATE).

Office hours are 7 a.m., Monday through Saturday. The office is open weekdays until 5 p.m., and until 12 p.m. on Saturday.

Ace Heating & Cooling is located at 11097 Silver Lake Road in Byron, telephone (810)266-

5167.



Ace Hardware, McDonald's of Linden, Linden Citv Hall. We would like to thank everyone in the community for coming



#### HOLLY Continued from Page 1B

only one vacant building downtown next to the village offices, and two 'occupied vacancies,' meaning that they have an owner, but the business is not open. All the other storefronts are full."

While Holly is a destination for an active antiques business community, there's more to Holly than antique stores. You'll find restaurants and coffee shops, a bakery, home decor, unique gifts, clothiers, yoga/fitness studios, salons/spas, handmade candles and more. "Antique stores are a core draw, but it's great to have the variety of shops we have now," said Nicole Kilpatrick, who opened Morgan's Boutique, an upscale children's' resale shop, about 1½ years ago.

Newcomer John LaCroix has already made his mark downtown with the opening of three businesses on Main Street within the last year, Great Lakes Artisan Village, which displays and sells the works of more than 50 Michigan artists. It also houses Great Lakes Market Place, a made-in-Michigan grocery store and coffee shop. The Great Lakes Village Theater opened for movies the weekend of Oct. 21.

"I've heard that there's not much for

kids to do in Holly during the winter months, so we decided to open a 50-seat theater to provide good, quality family entertainment," said LaCroix, who formed the Great Lakes Art Group to spearhead "Movies in the Village". Located in the former Wilmot Building at 111 S. Saginaw Street, this historic building will be restored over the next few months, he added.

With several exceptions, including LaCroix and longtime retailer Don Winglemire, there's a new face and demographic to many of today's Main Street and Battle Alley business owners. The majority of the businesses are owned by women, of which many of them are on the younger side of 50. From Kel Leigh Coale, 32,

who opened her photography and design

studio on Main Street 41/2 years ago to



**TRI-COUNTY LIVING** 

TRI-COUNTY TIMES I TIM JAGIELO

Valerie Ehrman, of Swartz Creek, has lunch with her mother at the Bittersweet Café in downtown Holly on Wednesday. "Oh, it's beautiful, really cute," she said.

Jamie Ross, 33, owner of Studio 215, a Main Street fitness studio, women are stepping out in large numbers to boost the retail scene in Holly.

Historic Battle Alley has also experienced a resurgence of retail growth in the last six months — from the addition of the Holly Candle Shoppe owned by Holly Jablonski to the Fire & Ice Café owned by Barbara Gerber and her husband, Dennis Haight. Gerber also owns the Blackberry Bakery on Main Street, which she opened a year ago.

Women business owners are finding a community of support in their new ventures. Dee Van Boemel, who

purchased Bittersweet Café nine months ago, said, "We're all going through the same things and we can help and support each other."

Many of these women are taking active roles in planning community events. Jenny Stilwell, owner of Elements Day Spa on Main Street for six years, is a board member of the Holly Area Chamber of Commerce. "We're doing a lot of marketing now, and letting people know what we've got in Holly," said Stilwell. "We're a walkable community. There aren't many towns around that are like us. We've maintained our historic flavor while adding new businesses. We've become a destination."

She credits the addition of "gathering spots" like Blackthorn Pub downtown to increasing the evening business traffic. Blackthorn Pub opened in March after being vacant for 3½ years. "We're definitely getting busier," said owner Rory Kelly, 30. "We're an affordable family dinner destination earlier in the evenings, and then turn into more of a pub atmosphere for the younger crowd. We're hoping to open for lunch in the future."

Blackthorn Pub joins an already strong group of local landmark downtown restaurants — from Red Devil Pizza, which has been open for almost four decades, and Broadstreet Station, a popular local pub, to the historic Holly Hotel, which anchors Battle Alley. Other seasoned Holly restaurateurs such as brothers Mark and Mike Ruhlig, owners of Villagers Restaurant located a mile north of downtown, welcome the more active downtown restaurant and retail scene, saying that more restaurants and shops bring in more . . .

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business to the entire community. Community events are also bringing shoppers and families downtown in record numbers. "It takes a lot of work for merchants to put on events like Holly's popular Dickens Festival," said Kilpatrick. "But it's worth it to see people enjoying themselves downtown. These kinds of events create family memories and make people want to come back to Holly. That's what we're striving for."

Cathy Bateman, 55, owner of My Sweet Holly, has noticed a dramatic increase in business in the past year, after opening her home decor store 2½ years ago. "We've had more customers downtown and I've noticed a big increase in my own business," said Bateman. "Our downtown landlords have also kept our rent at an affordable rate, so we can still make money to live on and put dollars back into our businesses."

Ponsart believes that the timing is just right for Holly to bloom. "I think I have one of the very best 'products' to market right now. Smaller cities and towns across the state are where the momentum is right now. With its accessible location between I-75 and U.S. 23, Holly's in a perfect position for growth."



2010 Holly Dickens Festival.

#### **EVENTS**

**Continued from Page 1B** 4-10. Children, 3 and under, are free, but must have a reservation.

#### **Dickens Festival**

Friday, Dec. 9 to Sunday, Dec. 11 A tradition of more than 35 years will be brought into one holiday weekend of fun as Charles Dickens' Merry Old England comes alive in the atmosphere of turn-of-the-century buildings, welcoming shopkeepers and skilled craftspeople. Tree lighting, parade, live entertainment, carriage rides, caroling and refreshments are on the schedule. For more information, visit www. hollydickensfestival.com.



Summary

Downtown Holly

has re-invented

months, adding

a diverse number

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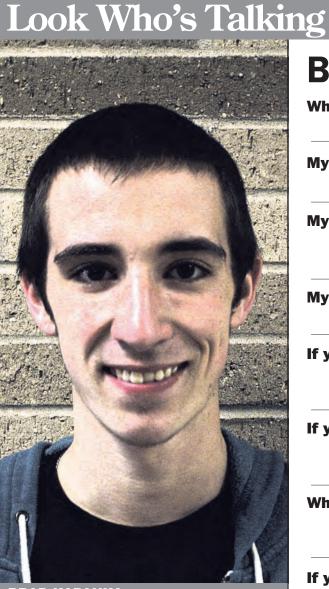
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destination.

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Anthony Howell does information technology work for the Great Lakes Arts Group, which recently opened a small theater in downtown Holly. "We've had a good turnout," he said.



**BRAD KAPANKA** 

**16-year-old junior** 

**Linden High School** 

#### FAMILY:

My parents, Ken and Jenny. I have two brothers, Brian and Corey.

#### **ALL-TIME FAVORITE MOVIES:**

'The Big Lebowski.' The dude rules.

#### **MY BIGGEST HIGH SCHOOL DO-OVER WOULD BE:**

My entire freshman year. I goofed off too much and started high school off bad, academically.

HOLIDAY EVENT

Saturday, Nov. 19th · 5-9pm

By William Axford Staff Reporter

## **Brad Kapanka**

What do you do outside of school?: I work at Villager's Restaurant and play drums.

- My dream car is: a blue Z28 Camero from the '70's. with white strips.
- My greatest high school regret is: There are a couple of girls in high school that I dated but I should have just avoided them.
- My most embarrassing school moment was: I don't get embarrassed, ever.
- If you could have one superpower, what would it **be?:** The ability to fly or super speed. I could get to anywhere I want, quickly.
- If you were principal for a day, what changes would you make?: Students could play music at any time, and could leave campus during lunch.
- What is an upcoming event you are looking forward to?: A road trip to Vegas. My brother wants to marry his fiancé there.
- If you had to walk through downtown all day wearing a sign, what would it say?: 'Donny, you're out of your element.'
- Front row seats and backstage passes, who are you seeing?: Eminem, he has good lyrics and it would seem pretty cool to chill with him.
- The best day of my life so far was: the day I bought my first car, a '98 Cavalier.
- What are your plans after graduation?: Go to college and then make some money. I might move to North Carolina with some of my family.
- Where will you be and what will you be doing 10 years from now?: I'll be living the American Dream. I want enough money to live comfortably and living somewhere warm. Eventually, I plan to have a family.

### Student Body asked at Linden High School What does the color of your car say about you?

Compiled by William Axford

**COREY MULANIX, SENIOR** 



"My car is red and loud. It's a beast, like a dragon."

**BRANDON CRISWELL, SENIOR** 



"My car's red and it says I'm here to go fast, but I'm still going to abide by the rules."





"Pewter, it's the color of gold and silver, which I'm always looking for."

LINDSEY PETERSON. JUNIOR



"My car is tan and I have no idea what it says about me. I don't like the color."

#### HAILEY STEELMAN, JUNIOR



"My car is white and gets dirty all the time, so I don't know what that says



about me."

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#### Marcia Lynn (Murray) Sawyer 1953-2011

Marcia Lynn (Murray) Sawyer - died on Friday, Sep-

passed away peacefully,



30.2011 after courageously battling cancer for the past year and a half. She

tember

surrounded by close friends and family in Fort Myers, Florida. Marcia was born September 15, 1953, in Waynesburg, Pennsylvania. As a child, she enjoyed living on the farm in rural Pennsylvania, but was later raised in Royal Oak, Michigan. She graduated from Royal Oak Dondero High School in 1971. Marcia then moved around the Detroit and Flint areas, keeping old friends and making many new ones along the way. Marcia was a "sweetheart", as everyone who met her would say. She was giving of her time, her talents, and her heart; she would go out of her way for a friend in need at any time. She later moved to Fort Myers, Florida with her husband Gary to enjoy the sunshine, a nice big yard, her animals, car shows, sewing, crafts and flea markets. Marcia is survived by her loving husband, Gary Sawyer; her mother, Louise Murray; her father, Roy Murray; two devoted brothers, Dan Murray and Matt Murray; her niece Michelle Korb; as well as many other cousins, relatives and friends. She leaves behind these and many friends and family members who will miss her creative spirit and laughter. Family and friends are welcome to join a short remembrance ceremony on Saturday, November 12, 2011 at 11 AM at the White Chapel Cemetery in Troy, Michigan. A short service will be held at the Cemetery Chapel (east side of large building). Contributions in the memory of Marcia may be given to the wonderful people who offered such attentive care at Hope Hospice in Fort Myers, Florida. Address is 9470 Healthpark Circle, Fort Myers, Florida 33908 Donations can also be made out to the American Cancer Society in Marcia's memory.

#### **Glenda Bailey**,

Glenda Bailey - age 66, died November 1, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



#### John Cutchey, John Cutchey - age 86, died November 2, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral

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**Obituaries** continued on next page

<b>8B</b> Sunday, November 6, 2011	TRI-COU
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Gretal is a 7 mo Wirehaired Terrier blend. She is as sweet as can be and desperate for her new family to find her.	Wy name is Buttercup and I'm as sweet as the
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DOWNTOWN DEVEL ANNUAL	FENTON OPMENT AUTHORITY REPORT 30-2011
REVENUE Property taxes captured Miscellaneous Revenue	<u>Plan #1</u> \$1,438,758
Interest	\$10.687           TOTAL         \$1,449,445
Bond Reserve (fund balance)	\$2,333,303
Expenditures	

**Community Development** \$1,047,710 Plan #1 Debt Service - Bond 2 \$305,000 Principal Interest \$187,385 Bond Fees <u>\$330</u> TOTAL \$492,715

**Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness** 

Bond 2 Principal	\$3,940,000
Interest	\$1,031,811
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Ad Valorem homestead	\$734,819
Ad Valorem non-homestead	<u>\$21,346,781</u>
Total	\$22,081,600
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Ad Valorem non-homestead	<u>\$77,708,140</u>
Total	\$77,708,140
Tax Increment Revenues Received	
From Schools	0
From County	623,960
From District Library	56,531
From City	481,583
From Community College	151,447
From MTA	60,454
From MT Parks	28,156
From Airport	36,627
	1,438,758

## Obituaries, Funeral Services Memoriums IN LOVING MEMORY OF ÚM

**Mina Rose** 

1917-2011

Mina Rose Book - age 94,

of Fenton, passed away

peacefully on November

1, 2011. Mrs. Book was

a member of St. John's

was baptized at Church

of the Holy Spirit. She is

most remembered for her

unending feasts. She also

enjoyed gardening, being

outdoors, and traveling in

the RV with her husband

Bob. She was a wonderful

mother, grandmother, and

great-grandmother, always

putting family first. Beloved

dear mother of Toni W. (Bar-

bara) Book, Robert T. (Holly)

Book; proud grandmother

(Cliff) Gall, Rob Book, Lind-

Book; great-grandmother

ton, Sarah Rose; sister of

Ramon (Jessie) Waterman,

the late Bob Ochse; sister-

in-law of Martha Ochse and

William Book. The Mass of

Resurrection will be on Sat-

urday, November 5, 2011,

at 10 AM at Church of the

Holy Spirit, 3700 N. Harvey

Lake Road, Highland. The

visitation was Friday from 7

until 9 PM at the Highland

Chapel of the Elton Black &

Son Funeral Home, 3295 E.

Highland Road, Highland

will gather at church on

Saturday from 9 AM until

Mass; interment at White

Lake Cemetery, White Lake.

In lieu of flowers, memorial

donations to St. Joseph

Indian Reservation; enve-

funeral home. Please visit

memory of Mina.

www.eltonblackandsonhighland.com and share a

www.**tctimes**.com

**Gordon Outlaw**.

Gordon Outlaw - age 91, died

November 3, 2011. Services

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**Bernard Johnson**,

Bernard Johnson - age 86,

Services provided by Sharp

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**Buchanan Curtis Jr.,** 

Frederick Buchanan Curtis

Jr. - age 62. died November 2, 2011. Services provided by

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**Terry Simmons**,

provided by Sharp Funeral

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Homes.

Terry Simmons - age 50, died November 2, 2011. Services

Sharp Funeral Homes.

died November 2, 2011.

Funeral Homes.

Frederick

provided by Sharp Funeral

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(248) 889-1500. The family

of Leighanne, Reming-

say Book, Jeff Book, Kirsten

of Tony (Jennifer) Book,

Elizabeth Book, Margot

wife of almost 64 years to

the late Robert V. Book;

Catholic Church and

**Book** 



#### **Charles E. Mitchell,** Charles E. Mitchell - age

42, died October 31, 2011. Share memories at www. temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com



#### Johnnie M. Moore, Johnnie M. Moore - age 60, died October 27, 2011. Share memories at www. temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



**Barry Wolfgang**, Barry Wolfgang - age 71, died October 28, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes



Frank Lambert, Frank Lambert - age 78, died October 31, 2011 Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



Kerry Knapp, Kerry Knapp - age 48, died October 30, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



**Richard House**, Richard House - age 82. died October 30, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.





#### **Richard Markley,** Richard Markley - age 66, died October 28, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.



**Robert Oxley,** Robert Oxley - age 79, died October 29, 2011. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.





Shirley Spears,

Shirley Spears - age 85, died October 31, 2011.

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Frank Lange III,

Frank Lange III - age 70, died

November 1, 2011. Services

provided by Sharp Funeral

Funeral Homes.

Services provided by Sharp



Homes

Slumber party keeps parents up at night

**DEAR AMY:** Our 11-year-old daughter recently attended her first sleepover, a birthday celebration for her friend "Sandy." Before the event my

Before the event, my husband and I met and talked with Sandy's parent

talked with Sandy's parents, learned about the other residents of the home and conducted a "sex offender" search online to determine that no sexual predators lived in the area.

The kids had a great time. Then our daughter re-

ported that she and Sandy got to sit in the "trunk" of the

parents' car when all six girls went out to an entertainment venue!

The mom drove the girls in the family SUV (one of two cars they own), and because only four kids can fit in the seats, Sandy and our daughter sat in the "way back" area without seat belts, facing the roadway!

We've explained how dangerous this was, and said that if this happens again she should call us and we will happily drive her to the destination.

I am seething! I keep picturing my daughter in the back of an SUV happily waving to other drivers, any one of whom could easily have rear-ended the vehicle and crushed her to death!

I'm not sure how to speak to these parents about this event without creating a scene. What do you think?

— Stunned

**DEAR STUNNED:** I'm thinking back to my own youth, part of which was spent riding with my siblings, unbelted and unsupervised in the back of my father's pickup truck.

OK. I realize that just because I survived my dangerous childhood doesn't make it right.

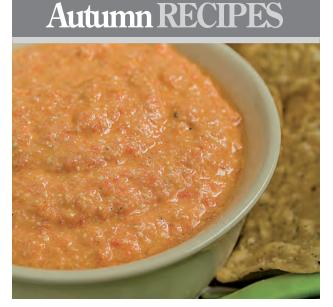
You are extremely protective, but you are learning that you cannot mitigate every risk.

I agree with you that these parents made a dangerous (and illegal) choice and placed two children at risk.

You should speak to them about it. Say honestly that you were shocked to learn that your daughter and their daughter were unbelted in the "way back" of the vehicle.

Tell them you wish they had called you to help with driving -- and then move on.

(Send questions via e-mail to askamy@tribune.com or by mail to Ask Amy, Chicago Tribune, TT500, 435 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL 60611. Amy Dickinson's memoir, "The Mighty Queens of Freeville: A Mother, a Daughter and the Town that Raised Them" (Hyperion), is available in bookstores.)



## Roasted red pepper and feta dip

Your guests won't believe this incredibly flavorful dish takes just minutes to prepare. The feta gives it a salty zip our testers thought went especially well with celery and fresh green beans. Tip: It makes a yummy sandwich spread too!

#### INGREDIENTS

- 1 whole roasted red pepper (from a jar)
- 1 cup crumbled feta
- 1 small clove garlic
  2 T. olive oil

#### INSTRUCTIONS

 Combine all the ingredients in a food processor.
 Pulse for 10 seconds, scrape down the sides, then repeat until combined, about 1 minute. Serve with celery, green beans, toasted pita, crostini, tortilla chips, or broccoli. Makes 3/4 cup.



#### Fight skin allergies with custom pet foods

**DEAR PAW'S CORNER:** I read your article on the Bichon Frise that had skin allergies with interest. My own Bichon Frise, "Ally," had severe skin allergies. The manager of my local pet store recommended that I look for a dry dog food that had a single protein (rather than proteins from different sources). I tried one called "Dick Van Patten's Natural Balance." In a very short time, Ally's skin allergy was cleared up. I hope this information will help your readers. — Dorothy C., Richfield, Minn.

**DEAR DOROTHY:** Thanks! The type of food recommended is also known as "limited ingredient" food and is developed specifically for pets with sensitive stomachs or that have skin rashes or other allergic reactions to food. Other manufacturers of limited ingredient pet food include Blue Buffalo with its "Basics" line of foods, Nature's Variety Instinct Limited Ingredient, Wellness Dog Simple Food Solutions, and Pinnacle. Owners whose pets have allergies can try one or more of the foods above to see if the problem clears up.

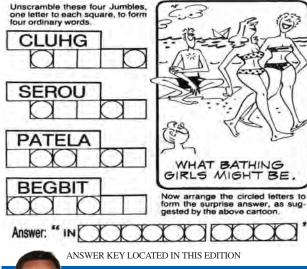
Another alternative is to make food for your pet from scratch, avoiding or limiting ingredients that can cause an upset stomach or skin reaction.

These ingredients include dairy, fish, corn, wheat, soy and yeast. Beef, chicken, fish or lamb also may cause problems, and owners making homemade food should feed each meat individually to their pet to determine which one is tolerated best.

To make the most nutritious and safest homemade food, owners should check out at least one pet food recipe book. There are some ingredients, like onions, that should never be included in a pet's meal.

Send your question or comment to ask@pawscorner.com, or write to Paw's Corner, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. For more pet care-related advice and information, visit www.pawscorner.com.

## SundayJumble





## **DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I would like to know more about restless leg syndrome. — I.J.

**ANSWER:** Roughly 7 percent of women and 3 percent of men suffer from restless leg syndrome. That gives you a lot of fellow sufferers. People describe it in many ways. Some say it's an aching in their legs. Others describe it as a creeping-crawling sensation. No matter how people express the feeling, it makes them get up and move around. Activity lessens or gets rid of the sensations, but they can and do come back. They usually appear in the evening or at night when people are sitting or when they get into bed.

No one is sure what causes the syndrome. Things that lessen its intensity and frequency are cutting back on caffeine, stopping smoking and exercising daily. Eliminating alcohol is a most helpful remedy.

Sometimes restless leg syndrome is associated with iron deficiency and the anemia due to iron deficiency. Your doctor will want to check you for that.

Pramipexole (Mirapex) and ropinirole (Requip), both drugs for Parkinson's disease, are used for this syndrome, even though it has no relationship to Parkinson's disease. They stimulate certain brain areas that control movement. Levodopa, another Parkinson's medicine, also is prescribed. There are others, should these fail.

Periodic limb movements of sleep is another condition that frequently occurs along with restless leg syndrome. It's involuntary movements of the legs and feet during sleep. The kicking and jerking last about two seconds and recur every 20 to 40 seconds. Often the affected person is unaware of them. The bed partner plays a nighttime role of being a drop-kicked football and is quite aware of what's happening. The affected person is quite tired during the day. The same medicines used for restless leg syndrome can be used here, too. Daily exercise might put an end to the nocturnal movements.

Dr. Donohue regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but he will incorporate them in his column whenever possible. Readers may write him or request an order form of available health newsletters at PO. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.



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## TRI-COUNTY TIMES I SALLY RUMMEL At the Chamber Rally on Wednesday, a panel of business professionals shared the top business practices that have contributed to their success. Pictured here are panelists Dennis Leyder (The State Bank), John Strayer (Tanglewood Assisted Living), Al Jones (Comfort Keepers Home Care), Chelsea Mills (Behind Your Design), Mark Hamel (The French Laundry), Matt Stevens (Vic Canever Chevrolet (Patrik Welty (Legacy Realty Professionals) and Doug Fairbanks (Hartland Insurance Agency). Fall Classes at Gerych's This is just a preview of all the classes and events, please check online for the full list Thursday, NOV 10 6-8 PM (FREE) Ladies Night An evening of wine, food, shopping & pompering, Bring your friends out for this great event! Tuesday, NOV 15 6:30-8:30 PM (\$25) Fall Floral Design Create a custom floral arrangement to take home and Thursday, NOV 17 6:30-8:30 PM (\$25) Caramel Apple Class A Tradition at Gerych's, just like Mrs. Prindable's - ONLY Saturday, NOV 19 10:30 AM-12 PM (\$30) English Cottage Christmas House Learn how to paint a garden paver stone into an English friend. Tuesday, Nov. 8 stlagel Supplies included. Wear an Aproi Saturday, NOV 19 10:00 AM-2 PM (\$55) Log Cabin Pebblestone Birdhouse Learn how to create a rustic birdhouse to keep outside all year round. Supplies included. Wear an Apron and g pruning shears (class limited to 18 people) View Full Class Schedule Online (810) 629-5995 • 713 Silver Lake Road • Fenton welcome. www.gerychspartyrentals.com/classes.html Saturday, Nov. 5 HONEYCRISP APPLES **SALE NOW! STOCK UP FOR THE COLD** MONTHS AHEAD Fresh Doughnuts PRESSED APPLE CIDER 70



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#### Monday, Nov. 14

The Tyrone Historical Society will meet on Monday, Nov. 14 at 6:30 p.m. at 10408 Center Rd. in the Tyrone Township Hall. There will be a Thanksgiving potluck. Members will give short readings from books, poems, articles, etc. There will also be a demonstration of wool carding and spinning. Bring a

The November meeting of the Linden Historical Society will be on Tuesday, Nov. 8 at the Shiawassee Shores Clubhouse at 7:30 p.m. The program is "Show and Tell." All members are urged to attend and guests are always

Holly Craft Fair, sponsored by the Holly Historical Society, is set for Saturday, Nov. 5. The fair opens at 9 a.m. and continues until 4 p.m. at Holly High School, 6161 E. Holly Rd.



## Holly schools placed on nationwide district honor roll

**By Tim Jagielo** 

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Holly Area Schools (HAS) received a bit of good news. Last week, the school district announced it had been placed by the College Board on the second annual Advanced Placement (AP) Honor Roll.

The College Board is a nonprofit organization that promotes "excellence and equity in education through programs." HAS was chosen among 367 other districts in the United States, across 43 states. HAS was placed on

the honor roll for in-

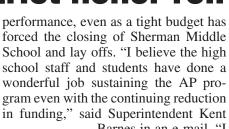
creasing access to AP coursework, while also increasing students who scored a 3 or higher on AP exams.

HAS is known for high academic

## Business briefs THE UPS STORE OPEN

#### **ON VETERAN'S DAY**

The UPS Store at 17195 Silver Parkway will be open on Veteran's Day, Friday, Nov. 11 providing residents with a convenient alternative to the post office, which closes for the holiday. Regular business hours are Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



"I believe the high school staff and students have done a wonderful job

sustaining the AP program even with the continuing reduction in funding." **Kent Barnes** 

superintendent, Holly Area Schools

Barnes in an e-mail. "I

think our community should be very proud of this accomplishment."

Next year, HAS will need to cut more than \$600,000 from the already stripped budget. However, Barnes believes the AP programs will be safe from cuts.

For the moment, he would rather focus on the bit of good news the district has received. "Let's enjoy the moment for now," he said.



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## Tigers lose in district championship vs. fourth-ranked Clarkston

#### **By AI Zipsie**

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**Clarkston** — Fenton's varsity volleyball team would trade in the last four unbeaten Metro League seasons and the 37 consecutive conference wins for a district title.

The last time Fenton (42-1-19-4) won a district volleyball title was 2007. That was the last year they did not win the Metro.

But when it comes to districts, the Tigers frequently find themselves in tournaments with stateranked teams double their size. For the last two years, that team has been Clarkston. The fourth-ranked Clarkston Wolves (57-5) defeated Fenton 24-26, 25-19, 25-16, 25-19 in the Class A district title match at Clarkston High School on Thursday. The Wolves beat Fenton in district action a year ago as well.

"(Clarkston) plays at another level," Fenton coach Linda Rusaw said. "They have three times as many students. I don't know the big difference between Class A and B. We play all those teams during the season. We just need to play better."

"I think we had our best game. We played the best we can," said senior Sarah Collier, who was emotional after her last volleyball match. "Julie (Gil-

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bert) and I have been on the varsity for three years. We have been together a long time and have that mental connection of what the other will do. Sammi (Cowger) has been there also. We are all good friends and it's tough for it to end."

Collier and Payton Maxheimer had nine kills each, while Maizie Martin had eight kills and three blocks. Megan Cockin was 40-for-40 with her ser-See **TIGERS** on 15B

Fenton's Ashley Bearden

**Q** What is the most overtimes a college football game has ever had?

**SPORTS TRIVIA** 

A There have been three games that weren't decided until the seventh overtime.

#### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2011

## Pond hockey tourney slated for Lake Fenton

#### By David Troppens

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For as long as Sean Lapham can remember, he's been playing pond hockey. And to this day he still plays, as does his son.

"My father owns a farm and we play pond hockey from what the cows drink out of," Lapham said. "We play at night and have a campfire. We play all day long like we are little kids. I'm 37 and I can't get enough of it."

Lapham knows there are hundreds of other people of all ages that feel the same way, so he's decided to have the Inaugural Lake Fenton Winter Classic at Lake Fenton from Jan. 27 to Jan. 29.

He hopes to get about 100 teams of all age groups, caliber of play and sexes. The cost is going to be \$350 a team and each squad is guarenteed at least four games. The games will be played on 14 "rinks" on Lake Fenton throughout the weekend.

With established competitions already at Whitmore Lake two weeks earlier and at St. Ignace about two weeks later, Lapham, the tournament director of the event, feels he has a great date for the event. There are about six pond hockey dates throughout Michigan during the winter.

"We've already got a team from New York, from Canada and from Chicago," Lapham said. "We are filling up fast, with teams all over the country."

Games will be played under the lights on Friday and Saturday. The championship game will be played Sunday afternoon. The winner of each division will be able to lift the Des Crowley Memorial Cup and have their named engraved on it. The winning teams will also earn free entry into the 2013 tourney with a chance to defend their title.

"It's a lot of fun," Lapham said. "Even if you are not a hockey player, just to watch hockey in its purest form is a great thing."

For more information go to www. lakefentonwinterclass.com or call (810) 620-7825.

## Linden golfers still holding on to top spot

#### By David Troppens dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789

This week saw the fall sports teams go through volleyball districts, the opening round of the football playoffs and the regional cross country meets.

All were key moments for our top five. While no football teams are on our list right now, if either Fenton or Linden keep on winning, they could sneak into the poll.

But probably the team that made the most noise in the last week was the Linden varsity boys cross country team. The squad won its fifth straight regional title and are headed to the state meet this weekend, where a top 10 finish is a very distinct possibility. The Eagles have a very good chance of improving their resume enough to sneak into the top spot.

The biggest drop involves the Holly girls cross country team. Without question, the Bronchos were in a tough regional, but placing 13th at the event really hurts their chances of finishing in the top five.

These rankings are based through the sporting events of Thursday, Nov. 3.

**No. 5 - Fenton volleyball:** The Tigers knew winning a district title would be a huge challenge. The Tigers were favorites to make it to the finals, but facing state-ranked Clarkston in its own gym was a pretty daunting task. As of now, the Tigers' perfect Metro League season keeps them at No. 5.

**No. 4 - Holly boys tennis:** The Holly boys tennis team is always a strong contender to finish in the top five of the fall. Their strong Metro record makes them a contender each and every year. Again, it's the strength of the area in the sport that hurts them. And that's why the Bronchos fell off the list for a couple of weeks.

But now that some of the other league champions are starting to experience postseason troubles, the tennis team's resume is starting to look stronger, resulting in the team coming back into the top five, at least for this week.

**No. 3 - Fenton swimming and diving:** The Tigers have had a week off, preparing for the Metro League Swimming and Diving championships. Chances are they'll dominate the meet so much that by the end of the preliminaries no one will have a chance to catch them.



That said, those expectations aren't why they are at No. 3. They are here because they've finished another dual Metro season undefeated, placed second at the county meet and have posted so many state qualifying times, that they've already positioned themselves to have a large chunk of their team at the state meet. Depending on how those qualifiers do at state will probably determine their final spot in this poll.

**No. 2 - Linden boys cross country:** The Eagles have a very good chance of taking over the top spot in this poll, depending on how they do at the state meet. If the Eagles finish around seventh or better, it's very likely they'll be at No. 1 next week. If they finish anywhere in the top 10, they'd have a legitimate beef.

No fall sports team has shown the consistency that the Eagles have this year. They've won non-league meets. They swept all three league meets, earning the Metro League title easily. And last week, they won a regional meet.

The Eagles have finished at No. 1 on this poll before. Right now, there's a realistic possibility they'll finish there again.

**No. 1 - Linden girls golf:** The team's season is already over, finishing fifth at the state meet. But, good news is still sneaking in from the season. Golfers Julie Guckian and Miranda Day were named All-State selections, while coach Todd Skinner has won coach of the year honors in the region and the county.

That No. 5 finish at state and the strong showing at regionals has them at No. 1. But it's going to be tough for the squad to hold off any teams that end up having strong postseasons and also strong regular seasons as well. Their hold at No. 1 is fairly precarious right now. But they still hold it.

## LF moves into district final with win vs. Stockbridge

#### **By David Troppens**

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 Fowlerville — There was a lot of excite-

ment surrounding the Lake Fenton varsity volleyball team Thursday night. And that excitement is for good reason. The Blue Devils earned a spot in the Class

B district finals at Fowlerville High School, defeating Stockbridge 25-17, 26-24, 25-21.

The win earned the Blue Devils a spot in the district title game against tourney hosts Fowlerville on Friday night. The results of that match can be found elsewhere in this publication.

The Blue Devils opened district action with a five-set victory against Linden on Tuesday, and appeared to play even better against Stockbridge, collecting 39 kills in the match. The seniors are excited about their postseason run.

"It's a pretty big deal," said Ashley Rinks, who had 11 digs. "I've dreamt about this since I was a freshman, and it's really cool to be here and see our dream come to life. I think we have a good chance."

'We're enjoying the moment right now," Lake Fenton coach Angie Del Morone said. "We'll think about (Friday) in the bus in about 20 minutes."

The victory against Stockbridge didn't come without its challenges.

In the opening set, the Blue Devils trailed as much as 6-2 early in the contest. However, Katey Brophy got the service and earned five straight points, giving the Blue Devils an 8-6 lead. Brophy had back-to-back aces, tying the game at 6-all, and then a Stockbridge mistake gave Lake Fenton the lead for the first time in the contest.

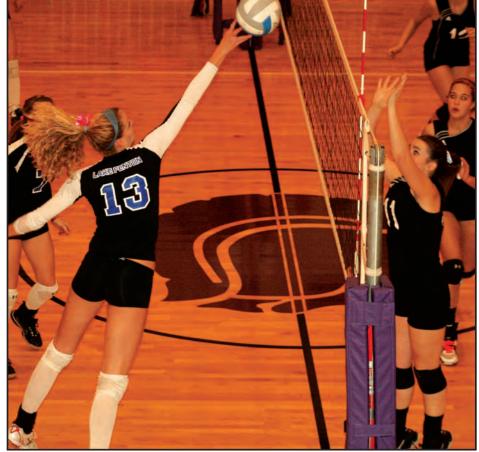
However, the Blue Devils didn't cruise from there. The set experienced two more ties and lead chances before a Megan Somers kill gave the Blue Devils the lead for good at 13-12. The set was still as close as 16-14 after a Lake Fenton service error, but a kill by Sydney Scott and consecutive hitting errors by Stockbridge created a comfort zone for Lake Fenton, eventually resulting in the win. Trudie Bruce got a kill on a Stockbridge overpass to for the final point of the set.

The second set was the thriller of the match. At first it didn't appear as though it would be, as an Ellesa Smith kill put the Blue Devils up 8-3, but Stockbridge scored the set's next five points, tying it up at 8-all.

From there Stockbridge threatened to pull away a few times, and had a 24-21 lead after a kill by Tara Hall. However, the Blue Devils responded with three straight kills — one each from Smith, Bruce and Somers - helping Lake Fenton tie it up a 24-all. Stockbridge followed with a service reception error, and then Somers gave the Blue Devils a 26-24 victory with a kill on set point.

"It's a position we've been in a lot," Del Morone said. "It's not one that the coaching staff loves, but they worked through it and know how to do it. It gives me some gray hairs, but that's OK."

Lake Fenton never trailed in the third set, scoring the first three points on a kill by Mundy and then two kills by Scott. However, Stockbridge did tie it at 14-all, and were still within a 22-21 score late. But Stockbridge was unable to come back, getting a hitting error on the next volley. Bruce then iced the



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Lake Fenton's Sydney Scott (left) attacks a ball, while Stockbridge's Samantha

Stephens attempts a block. The Blue Devils defeated Stockbridge in three sets. match with a block kill for the 24th point and a kill for match point.

Scott led Lake Fenton with 14 kills, while Bruce had seven kills. Somers and Smith had six kills each. Smith also had seven digs. Chelsea Jordan had four kills, two block kills and two aces. Brophy had three aces, while Mundy had 34 assists. Emily Hawes also had seven digs.

"Our chemistry is definitely the key," Smith said. "We have good chemistry. Our coaches put us in some really hard tournaments and got us prepared for this." "We aren't superstars," Rinks said.

"We just play as a whole team an that's why we are where we are. We love Angie. She brings so much spirit to the team. She's a fireball."

## Lake Fenton edges Linden in five-set thriller

#### **By David Troppens**

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 Fowlerville — Maybe Lake Fenton

setter Rachael Mundy described the Blue Devils' Class B district matchup with their neighborhood rival the best.

"The crowd had to pay their five bucks, but it was worth it," Mundy said.

Oh boy, was it worth it.

In what was one of the best volleyball battles in the tri-county area all fall, the Blue Devils edged the Linden Eagles 25-12, 16-25, 22-25, 28-26, 15-11 Tuesday at Fowlerville High School.

"Let's just say I'm exhausted," Mundy said after the match. "It was really fun."

It was just that — a lot of fun. And topping it off, over 100 fans from both schools attended the thriller.

But when it was said and done, it was Lake Fenton that was the more assertive team in the fifth set, helping lead the Blue Devils to the victory and a spot in Thursday's district semifinal against Stockbridge. Details on that match can be found elsewhere in this publication.

Lake Fenton had seven kills in the final set, while Linden had just five kills and four hitting errors.

"It's very nerve wracking when it's that close, but when it is that close, you just really want to win even more," Sydney Scott said. "We had to keep up the team's confidence and just keep going. We knew we wanted this really bad and we just had to keep going as much as possible to win."

"We definitely had the intensity," Mundy said. "The crowd helped us, and that just helped build up our intensity and pulled us through."

"We got a little timid in the fifth game. We tipped, and we tipped and we tipped," Linden coach Cori Mason said. "And that was not our game plan either. Brodie (Thomas) can shoot corners and do that stuff, but the other girls we need swinging. That didn't happen for us."

The Blue Devils dominated the first set, scoring the first five points on Ashley Rinks' services. Linden cut the gap to 9-8 on a mill by Alexis Downes, but a service error gave Lake Fenton a 10-8 lead and the service. Lake Fenton's Chelsea Jordan then followed with four straight service points, giving Lake Fenton the distance it needed to earn the win.

In the second set, the Eagles turned up their intensity, and from that point it seemed the match's intensity only grew. Linden led just 13-11 after a hitting error, but Kaitlyn Dunleavy had back-to-back kills and Jordan Sargent followed with an ace. Sargent ended up serving five straight

points, establishing an 18-11 Eagles' lead. Linden capped the set on a kill by Downes on a Lake Fenton overpass.

In the third set, Lake Fenton jumped out to a 7-3 lead, but Linden's Callie Murphy served two straight aces during her run of four straight service points, tying the game at 7-all. From there, the set saw six ties and three lead changes. Still, Lake Fenton forged to 20-14 on a kill by Jordan, but a kill by Downes gave the Eagles the service, trailing by a 20-15 score. Ashley Klavitter earned the service and scored eight straight points, capped with a placed kill by Sargent. Lake Fenton cut the gap to 24-22 on a kill by Trudie Bruce, but Linden iced it with a Dunleavy kill.

Lake Fenton took an early lead in the fourth set, but the lead didn't last, setting See THRILLER on 15B





#### will not stay hot when the car is idling. When I touch the accelerator pedal it gets hot almost instant. It makes it

very hard to melt ice on the windshield. - Martv

Marty, this problem is most commonly caused by a restricted heater core. A good flushing should fix it. To check this when the car is warm

and idling; feel both heater hoses. If one is considerably cooler than the other than you have most likely found you problem. Other things to look for are proper coolant level and circulation. If you need to flush the cooling system and heater core, do so by first draining as much of your old coolant as possible, then take off both heater hoses and flush the heater core back and forth from one hose to the other. You should see when the debris comes out and the water should flow free and clear. Next flush the radiator and block from the other end of the heater hose where they hook to the engine and also from your upper and lower radiator hoses in both directions on all hoses When finished drain as much water out as you can and start by filling the system with straight antifreeze for the first gallon. Then use a 50/50 mix and make sure to bleed the system. On this car, I leave the top heater hose off while filing. Use a small funnel into the heater hose and fill until it comes out the heater pipe at the engine, then reconnect the hose, top off the system and run until hot. Now after it cools down again you will need to check for the proper coolant water mix with an antifreeze tester. It should be good to -34. If not, you may need to adjust this by draining some out then adding more coolant or water to adjust the mix. Don't forget to take your old coolant to a parts store or repair shop that accepts it for recycling purposes as this should not be put down the drain or left outside. Pets seem to like drinking it and it is poison



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#### Sunday, November 6, 2011 **15B**

## Holly loses to Clarkston in district opener

By David Troppens

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 **Clarkston** — The Holly varsity volleyball team knew it was going to be a tough task to beat Clarkston in the opening round of the Class A district tournament at Clarkston High School on Monday.

The Bronchos knew to have a solid chance, they'd need to play pretty close to perfect volleyball. Unfortunately, the Bronchos picked the wrong time to have an offnight, resulting in a 25-10, 25-9, 25-5 loss to the Wolves.

"We had our good moments. If we could've put them all together, it would've helped," Holly coach Jamie Jones said. "We had a couple of big blocks, a couple of digs, but we couldn't put it all together."

It was a tough night for Holly. The Bronchos struggled with their serve receiving and their setting, which meant it was tough to get their offense going. And it showed for most of the night as the Bronchos finished the match with just eight kills. Hannah Timm was the team's top offensive player, collecting five kills, and a block kill.

Holly struggled from the get-go in the first set, trailing 8-1 after a kill by Clarkston's Stephanie Marani. The Bronchos never got any closer than five points in the set after that.

Holly was tied in the second set at 4-all after a Timm kill, but a service error was followed by a setting error and a service reception error on the next three rallies, sparking a run of nine straight Clarkston points. Holly was unable to fight back into that set again.

In the third set, the Bronchos were within a 5-4 margin after an ace by Melissa Bott, but a service error followed and Clarkston ran off nine straight points.

The Bronchos brought up a few JV players during the match, helping focus on the future.

up what was the most exciting game of the

match. Linden eventually tied it at 19-all af-

ter a Lake Fenton hitting error, but the Eagles

followed with one of three service errors late

in the set. The Eagles tied it up again at 23-all

with a kill by Downes, and then took a lead

on a Murphy ace, but a Linden hitting error

tied the set at 24-all. Lake Fenton fought to

three set points before earning it at 28-26 on

a kill by Megan Somers. Meanwhile, Lin-

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Holly's Adrienne Cheff (right) sets a ball for Megan Piwowarski in the team's loss to Clarkston during district action.

"I think we are getting there," Jones said. "We have the underclassmen that were on varsity this year and all of them are going to play club ball. We are trying

to get some of those younger girls to play as well. A couple of the girls I brought up have the height and the positive attitude I'm looking for."

## den had service errors at 25-25 and at 26-26, keeping them from the match victory.

In the fifth set, Lake Fenton's aggression slowly gave the Blue Devils a slight lead. Linden came as close as 13-11 on a kill by Thomas, but a Somers kill gave the Blue Devils three match points at 14-11. The Blue Devils only needed one of them, winning the match on a Linden hitting error.

"We played the fifth game like we did the first game," Lake Fenton coach Angie Del Morone said. "The kids played really hard. They showed a lot of heart, and they revealed a lot of character on the court. I'm really proud of what they did. Linden was a great team. Defensively, they were hurting us. We had a hard time finding the floor a couple of times. Once we did, we were all right."

Lake Fenton was led by Somers' 12 kills, while Scott had 11 kills. Jordan had eight kills and Bruce had six. Mundy had 45 assists, to go with her five aces and 12 digs. Defensively, Ellesa Smith had 18 digs, while Emily Hawes had 10 digs. Scott also had four block kills.

Linden (27-17-6) was paced by Dunleavy's 15 kills and 16 digs, while Thomas and Downes had nine kills each. Mary Starrs had 18 digs, while Murphy and Sargent had 13 digs each. Sargent also had 40 assists.

#### TIGERS

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"I was encouraged the way we came out and we had some great runs," said Rusaw.

In the opening set, Martin had a kill to put the Tigers ahead 24-23. With the set tied at 24 all, Maxheimer had a kill to make it game point. Fenton won it on a Clarkston hitting error.

Clarkston then came back to win the next three sets. In the second game, Kennedy Piwowarczyk's service helped lead Fenton to a 3-0 edge. The score was tied at 16, 17, 18 and 19. Then the Wolves clicked off the last six points for to even the match at one set each.

Amy Rooker's kill gave Fenton a 9-8 lead in the third set, but the Wolves scored 11 of the last 14 points for the 25-16 win.

The fourth game was tied at 10, but then Clarkston went on a run to build a 24-18 lead. Collier scored on a kill, but then the Wolves' Madison Lightfoot had a match-winning kill.

Gilbert, Collier and Cowger all completed their Fenton careers without ever losing a Metro League game.

"We have three key impact players who are seniors," Rusaw said. "Julie was just outstanding and had an amazing three years. Sarah was very important in what we do, and Sammi is just a great athlete and played a big role."

Fenton returns Martin, Piwowarczyk, Rooker, Maxheimer, Cockin, Madison Idoni and sophomore Ashley Bearden.

## Fenton defeated Brandon in district semifinals

The Tigers advanced to the district championship game of the Clarkston regional by defeating Brandon 25-15, 25-13, 25-16 on Wednesday.

Brandon was the second straight Metro League foe the Tigers defeated in the Class A tourney. Fenton defeated Swartz Creek in three sets on Monday.

Sarah Collier led the offense with 10 kills, while, Payton Maxheimer and Maizie Martin had eight kills each. Ashley Bearden had six kills. Setter Julie Gilbert provided 27 assists and had three kills herself.

Defensively, Maxheimer led Fenton with 15 digs, while Megan Cockin had seven. Martin led the defense at the net, collecting three blocks.

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