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DEADLIEST CATCH**

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Deadli-  
est  
Catch  
show all  
the time  
and I  
feel more connected  
to it than ever. I don't  
know if I could handle  
the situation as well  
as his wife seems to.  
Great story!”

**STORY:  
BRANDON HAYES**

**“Brandon Hayes  
won't last long in  
prison. They don't  
like child abusers in  
there. Trust me, I've  
been there.”**

**PHOTO:  
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**“Wow...and he  
thinks the president  
is in-  
sane.”**  
— Chad  
**“Obama  
is no  
more  
insane  
than any of our other  
politicians.”**

**HOT LINE:  
NATIONAL NEWS**

**“Are you kidding  
me? Who gives a  
crap if a couple of  
marines urinated on  
the people that were  
trying to kill them.  
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**HOT LINE  
OF THE WEEK**

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you trying though.”**



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goodbye to  
dry winter  
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## Hard-hitting testimony in Hayes trial

►Dominick's brother, mother, detective testify

**By Tim Jagielo**

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**Flint** — A packed Genesee County Circuit Court audience listened intently to powerful testimony in the Brandon Hayes murder trial on Wednesday.

Dominick Calhoun's half brother Tyler Baker, 10, and Lt. David Dwyre, who first interviewed

Hayes after he was arrested in 2010, testified in Judge Richard B. Yuille's courtroom. Dominick's mother, Corine Baker, also testified.

First taking the stand was Tyler, wearing an argyle sweater vest and eye glasses. He spoke clearly to the courtroom.

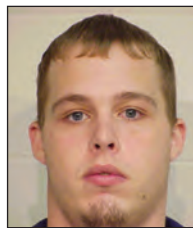
He was questioned by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

### Summary

►On Wednesday, several witnesses testified during the Brandon Hayes murder trial in Flint. Closing arguments will be heard in Port Huron, the jury's home area.

Tammy Phillips about the time he spent living at the Argentine Township apartment with Baker, Hayes and Dominick.

**See TRIAL on 23A**



**“This is the  
most hurtful  
thing I've ever  
done to a human  
being. I feel bad,  
real bad. I take**

**responsibility for it; it's the  
right thing to do.”**

**Brandon Hayes, defendant, People v Hayes**

## Back from Afghanistan



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO

U.S. Air Force Tech Sgt. James Coleman returned home from Afghanistan on Tuesday, surprising his son James, 8, at Hyatt Elementary in Linden. James hadn't seen his father since late summer 2011. Coleman was “clapped in” with the school decorating the hall with red, white, and blue and offering high fives and waving American flags.

## Public safety main focus of candidates

►State representative for 51st district to be elected Feb. 28

### Summary

►Three candidates will be running for state representative of the 51st district on Feb. 28.

**By William Axford**  
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Voters will soon be casting their votes for former Rep. Paul Scott's (R-Grand Blanc) replacement. The special election will be held Feb. 28 within the 51st district. The cities of Fenton and Linden and townships of

**See SAFETY on 11A**

## Times' readers encouraged to submit Fenton taglines

►'Be Closer' criticism provides opportunity for residents to have their suggestions heard

**By Sharon Stone**  
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Due to the enormous number of Hot lines callers unhappy with the Be Closer tagline Fenton City is using, the Times has decided to give our readers an opportunity to have their suggestions heard.

**See TAGLINES on 14A**

### Summary

►The Times wants to hear suggestions for an alternative, possibly better, tagline for the city of Fenton. Submit suggestions via the Times' Hot lines.

## Scott: 'I've been keeping a low profile'

►Former state representative finishing law school since recalled

**By William Axford**  
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Former state representative Paul Scott has been breathing a little easier since last

November's recall election. He has lost 10 pounds through dieting, watches his 11-month-old son Carter become more



Paul Scott

mobile and is finishing law school. Scott's poised to take the bar exam this February.

“I've been doing a little consulting and keeping a low profile,” Scott said.

“I've been keeping to myself, and watching Carter get into everything around the house.”

Scott was elected as state representative

**See SCOTT on 14A**



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## kindle fire heats up the tech world

► At \$199, the Kindle Fire is both affordable and attractive

**By William Axford**

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If the holiday season proved anything, it's that the demand for tablets is only growing. Amazon's \$199 Kindle Fire was one of the must-have items this past Christmas, sparking record numbers in only a few months.

Amazon has yet to release official sales numbers for the Kindle Fire, but that has not stopped analysts from speculating on the numbers. According to various online analytical organizations, at least 4.5 million Kindle Fires were sold during the 2011 holiday season. Amazon officially stated that more than 1 million Kindle Fires were sold in December alone. The demand for

**See KINDLE on 13A**



**TRI-COUNTY TIMES** | SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Kindle Fire has sold at least 1 million units since the fourth quarter of 2011. With the affordable \$199 price tag and access to Amazon's services, the Kindle Fire is a serious contender for the king of tablets.

### Summary

► The Kindle Fire has been the hottest tech item since the holiday season. Given its access to thousands of books, movies and the Internet, it isn't difficult to see why Amazon's tablet is in such high demand.

Say goodbye to



# dry, winter SKIN

Moisturizers, drinking more water and running humidifier will help

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

If you are constantly using a hand sanitizer to ward off germs this time of year, you may not get as sick as often, but you are stripping away your skin's moisture with each application.

This is just one of the reasons your hands — and the rest of your skin — become

drier in the winter. As the colder months set in, your skin goes through a transition, turning the hydrated and healthy skin of summer into the chapped and dry skin of winter.

"During the summer months, humid air helps to moisturize the skin," said Christopher Buatti, D.O., board certified dermatologist from the Skin

& Vein Center in Fenton. "The nourishing minerals in vitamin D are more easily accessible because of the vast amounts of sunlight.

"People also tend to drink more fluids in the warmer months, an important component of healthy skin, because of heat and increased activity."

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# Media's behavior is what's "outrageous" and "deplorable."

Pay close attention to the lamestream media's "coverage" of the video of four Marines in Afghanistan urinating on the dead bodies of three Taliban soldiers.

It's a textbook example of the premeditated manipulation of news by those that populate the smug, righteous world of liberal media. Unfortunately, far too many Americans still trust a media that carefully and chronically orchestrates news content to favor the liberal viewpoint and disparage the conservative viewpoint.

What grates me the most is the parade of liberals piously and predictably labeling these kids' actions as "outrageous," "deplorable," "disgraceful," "shocking," and much more. They disregard the fact that we train these impressionable 18-22 year old kids to be killers. Then we send them to God-forsaken countries half a world away where they live in uninhabitable deserts full of sand, biting insects, suffocating heat by day, bone-chilling cold by night and non-existent sanitary



conditions, amid hundreds of thousands of crazed religious fanatics who spend 24 hours a day, seven days a week trying to kill or, better yet, maim them. During all this each of them forge bonds with each other that no peacetime friendship could ever hope to equal. Why? Because it's the only way they can survive. Then they watch their friends being killed and mutilated daily in ways that would sen-

tence most of us civilians to a lifetime of weekly one hour sessions with Dr. Phil. And finally, after a year or more, they return home one day to a grateful nation... no, wait — they return home to a nation full of pansy-ass liberal sissies who sneer at them from the safety of their foreign SUVs and air-conditioned McMansions.

I'll tell you what's an atrocity: an atrocity is NBC's Brian Williams interviewing the Council on American-Islamic Relations for their comments, as if he didn't know they'd gleefully leverage this opportunity to piously spout their rote 'religion of peace' bull\$#!+. Or

worse yet, airing the remarks of select liberal politicians who have never served in the military, and who spend their lives surrounded by safety, serenity and luxury, courtesy of these same soldiers.

I'll tell you what's "outrageous," "deplorable," "disgraceful," and "shocking," — it's watching the carefully selected blown-out-of-proportion reaction of a media populated by fools who know nothing of the battlefield, or the circumstances surrounding the actions of these young soldiers.

For the life of me I can't quite recall any of the media interviewing the Council on American-Islamic Relations for their comments when two American soldiers were dragged, headless and limbless, through the streets of Somalia. How quickly the lamestream media has conveniently forgotten the blood-curdling screams of Nick Berg and Daniel Pearl, two non-combatant and very much alive Americans, who had

their heads cut off with dull knives by Al-Qaeda leaders on live TV.

I'm not defending what these kids did, it was most certainly inappropriate. But it was a mistake made by young kids who are patriots risking their lives

every single day to protect our freedom. If we don't stand up and let the voices of real Americans be heard, then these kids will end up in prison for a stupid — but ultimately harmless — prank that is being criminally manipulated by the liberal media for

political purposes.

Truth be told, it's the media's behavior that is "outrageous," "deplorable," "disgraceful," and "shocking."

Only in today's America can a pampered, pompous ass like Brian Williams commit treason on national TV, while helping to orchestrate the punishment of the very soldiers who keep him and his family safe.

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## Hot lines

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**WHEN OUR COUNTRY** leads by example and stops importing goods made in foreign countries, then and only then will I buy only American-made products. I have to buy what I can afford and the way the Republicans talk about our "greedy" American employees, why would we support them?

**WANT TO THANK** the blue SUV for buying my lunch (red Vibe) at the McDonald's drive-thru on Tuesday. I was totally surprised and I will pay it forward.

**AN LED TV** is an LCD TV. Earlier LCD's were fluorescent backlit, now most are LED backlit. Soon they'll all be LED and everyone will probably go back to calling them LCD's again.

**I AM SO** tired of the teachers telling us parents that we have to provide all the supplies for our children. If you can't figure out how to make your budget work, maybe you should go back to school and relearn math skills.

**I WAS SO** impressed with shopping locally; I took my elliptical exerciser to (local business) on LeRoy Street to get it fixed. They told me they couldn't get to it for two days, but later the same day I was called and they had it all fixed. Talk about good service.

**TO THE ARROGANT** 1-percenter with the guns, no one knocks you for going to school and making a good living. We are upset with you because you think you are the only one that works hard. And, you think you have the right to financially control our government.

**TO THE PERSON** walking a black dog Tuesday in the dark wearing dark clothing on Rolston/Ripley Road in Linden. Really? How dangerous for your dog. He needs your help. Please wear reflectors or carry a flashlight. Your dog will thank you and so will the drivers on the road.

**SO TIRED OF** you bumper riders out there, especially on U.S.23. Leave earlier if that's your problem. Where are the cops? You don't know what is in my car, such as a baby. Wake up and think before you act!

**TO THE LADY** who paid for my envelope at Rite Aid on Tuesday. You are a wonderful person! Thanks so much for showing me there are still good people in the world. You made my day. I will pass on the good deed!

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— Meg Walton Linden



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— Brian Confer Fenton



"It was a '71 Cutlass Supreme. It was the first car I bought myself."

— Colleen Curtis Linden



"My first car, an '82 red and white Sunbird. It was beautiful."

— Geri Williams Grand Blanc



"I had a Datsun 210. It was the first car I ever bought new when I first started teaching."

— Deb Levensgood New Baltimore



"A '68 Cutlass Supreme, mint green with a rolled and tucked white leather interior. It was awesome."

— Elaine Thomas Linden



# Fenton schools asking for \$9.4 million bond

►Bulk of funds to cover technology upgrades

By Sharon Stone

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**Fenton** — The Fenton Board of Education unanimously approved a motion during its meeting on Monday to ask voters in the school district for \$9.4 million.

Voters will decide on the 12-year bond when they head to the polls on Tuesday, May 8.

Superintendent Timothy Jalkanen said it is imperative for the community to show support for this bond in order for the school district to provide the latest technology for its students.

While updated technology consumes the largest chunk of the \$9.4 million, the school district would also like to purchase busses, improve infrastructure, including purchasing a new boiler for the high school, improve traffic and parking at the middle school, and three elementary schools and upgrade security systems at the school buildings.

## Summary

►The Fenton Board of Education unanimously approved a proposal to ask voters in the school district to approve a \$9.4 million bond during the Tuesday, May 8 election.

Jalkanen said technology currently in use at the buildings is more than six years old and noticeably outdated. The failure rate continues to increase and it's become common practice to use spare parts for repairs.

The superintendent wants to remind parents and community members in the school district that General Fund dollars cannot be used for these types of purchases. General fund dollars can only be used on daily operation expenditures. This bond, which is similar to a sinking fund, can only be used on physical purchases.

Doug Busch, executive director of personnel and finance, said technology needs cannot be funded by general fund dollars. "This is a long-term plan to replace systems and to not take money out of the classrooms," he said.

Jalkanen said the district has been looking at what was needed for the past couple of months. They knew in 2006 when a bond vote was held that another bond would be needed in five or six years.

The administration has done some preliminary investigations and cost estimates, but it needs to wait and see

"This is a long-term plan to replace systems and to not take money out of the classrooms."

**Doug Busch**  
Executive director of  
personnel and finance

if the bond has the support of the community before they move forward.

Busch said the bond would be approximately a 1-mil increase for residents in the Fenton school

district. Based on the average home in Fenton, with an assessed value of \$160,000, the homeowner would see an \$80 annual increase (less than \$8 per month) if the bond were approved.

Jalkanen said the bulk of the bond money would go toward technology. "It's changing every day, month," he said. "We think the kids should have access to that." He acknowledges what they have is working, but it is dated.

"The general fund doesn't support that," Jalkanen said. "The kids deserve it and I hope the community supports it."

In the coming weeks, Jalkanen intends to visit the schools and hold meetings with parents to answer all of their questions regarding the proposed bond. He said the district's website, [www.fenton.k12.mi.us](http://www.fenton.k12.mi.us), would also be updated as information becomes available.

## KEY ITEMS \$9.4 MILLION BOND WILL COVER

- **Technology improvements** and modernization.
- **Bus purchases.** The district operates an in-house bus department, with the average bus being 12 years old. Over the duration of the bond, Jalkanen estimates the district would need to stagger the purchase of 16 new busses.
- **Infrastructure improvements.** The Fenton High School boiler is more than 40 years old, is inefficient and parts are unavailable.
- **Traffic and parking improvements.** Congestion along Donaldson Drive has become a safety issue and the district intends to develop a plan for better traffic flow. Parking capacity at State Road Elementary needs to be improved and the parking lots and curbs at Tomek and North Road elementaries need improvements.
- **Security improvements.** Cameras and monitors need to be installed at some of the district's buildings.

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## Mobile Office makes stop at Holly library

### ►Oakland County's Mobile Office offers convenient way to provide services

The Oakland County Clerk's Mobile Office is heading to the Holly Township Public Library for the first mobile office of the year on Thursday, Jan. 19, announced Oakland County Clerk/Register of Deeds Bill Bullard Jr.

Anyone who lives in the area or surrounding communities is welcome. The Mobile Office will be available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the library, located at 1116 Saginaw St. in Holly.

"We've put most of our services on our website, but we realize that there are people without Internet access or those who may be more comfortable with personal service. In addition, there are some services that are just better done in person. In an effort to reach out to all our communities, our Mobile Office will offer convenient one-day stops in each of the western, eastern, northern and southern portions of the county," said Bullard.

The Mobile Office is a no-frills operation. Employees set up shop in borrowed space with laptop computers and printers so they can provide customers with on-the-spot copies of birth certificates, death certificates and other public records. Normal copy fees apply.

"Anyone from the surrounding commu-

nities, someone who works in the area, or anyone for whom this is more convenient, is welcome to join us to take advantage of this one-stop service," Bullard said.

Bullard stressed there is no additional expense associated with the Mobile Office because resources, including employees and computers, are simply being redeployed in regional locations.

"Our job is to provide citizens the best possible service at the lowest possible cost, whether we are serving them in their community, or at our main office in the Oakland County Courthouse in Pontiac."

For more information, residents may visit The Oakland County Clerk/Register of Deeds website at [www.oakgov.com/clerkrod](http://www.oakgov.com/clerkrod) or call (248) 858-0560.

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- Concealed pistol license

### Summary

►The Oakland County Clerk's Mobile Office will set up space at the Holly Township Public Library on Thursday, Jan. 19 to provide a service to the community.

## Linden seeking new councilor

### ►Replacement needed to fill Mahnke's seat

By Sharon Stone  
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**Linden** — The city of Linden is seeking to fill a vacancy on the Linden City Council, due to the death of one of its councilors. Councilor Gary Mahnke died unexpectedly on Dec. 27, 2011 while working at Huckleberry Railroad at Crossroads Village. He was 66.

The Linden City Council will be accepting letters of interest and resumes

for consideration of appointment to fill the vacancy. The partial term expires November 2012.

Letters should be mailed to Clerk Martha Donnelly, P.O. Box 507, 132 East Broad St. Linden, MI 48451.

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## Police&Fire report

### RUNNING A RED LIGHT

On Saturday, Jan. 7, a Holly police officer observed a vehicle traveling eastbound on Grange Hall road. The vehicle ran a red light at the intersection at Saginaw Street. The officer followed the vehicle and initiated a traffic stop. The driver said he was on his way home from work. A computer check revealed the 23-year-old Waterford Township man had a suspended license from Pontiac and a valid arrest warrant from Michigan State Police. MSP advised Holly police to release the driver; however, his vehicle was impounded. He was also cited for disobeying the traffic signal.

### HOLLY POLICE ASSIST MSP

At 10 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 4, a Holly police officer assisted a Michigan State trooper who had requested assistance in the 16000 block of Fish Lake Road in Holly Township. The trooper was attempted to locate a home invasion suspect. The suspect was located and placed into custody for various fugitive warrants.

### RECKLESS DRIVER

A Rose Township man and his girlfriend, of Rose Township, stopped by the Holly police station to file a complaint on Sunday, Jan. 8. The man said that at 8 p.m. the driver of another vehicle tried to run him off the road as he drove on North Saginaw Street in Holly. The man recognized the male driver as a 21-year-old Holly resident. The man said at one point, the suspect stopped his vehicle in the road in front of his, and attempted to open the driver's side door as he banged on the window. After the unsuccessful attempt to open the door, the suspect got back into his vehicle and drove away. Police were unable to locate the suspect who is wanted for reckless driving and disorderly conduct.

### DRIVER DOZES, ROLLS TRUCK

Just after 5 a.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 11, Fenton police responded to a rollover crash on northbound U.S. 23 at Torrey Road. After striking a traffic sign, the driver of a black 2000 Chevy pickup truck apparently lost control of the vehicle, causing it to flip over. When police arrived, there were no occupants in the truck. Police contacted the registered owner, a Flint woman, who said the truck had been stolen. Police recovered two cell phones from the truck, one belonging to the registered owner's husband, who was reportedly in Wyoming. About 8 p.m. that day, a 25-year-old Flint man who was driving the truck stopped by the police station and said he had dozed off and lost control of his truck. He fled because he did not have proper plates or proof of insurance. He was cited for careless driving and leaving the scene of a crash.

### SHOPLIFTER PICKED UP ON WARRANT

At 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 11, Fenton police apprehended a 22-year-old Flint man on an outstanding arrest warrant for a 2011 retail fraud case in Fenton. A computer check revealed nine other outstanding arrest warrants. Lt. Jason Slater said no other jurisdiction would take custody of the man. The man was transported and lodged overnight at the Fenton police station. On Jan. 12, the man was transported to district court in Flint for arraignment on the 10 warrants. Slater said the Fenton case involved the man allegedly stealing two 12-volt power inverters from an auto store and attempting to return them at a partner store in Flint Township.

# Interim supervisor takes the helm

By Tim Jagielo

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**Rose Township** — Glen Noble led the Rose Township Board of Trustees regular monthly meeting as supervisor for the first time on Wednesday.

It was a brisk, no non-sense meeting, which is what Noble wants. "I want good, open meetings, and good open agendas," he said.

Noble is taking over as interim supervisor because Alison Kalcec resigned 11 months early.

His term ends in November, unless he runs for the seat during the November election and wins.

Noble was appointed, and sworn in by the board, and he has been getting the lay of the land at the township offices since taking over. "I was impressed," said Clerk Debbie Miller. "We made an excellent choice."

Noble said he has been in the office

four days a week, and has already attended different community meetings. He is impressed with the efficiency of the office staff. "This is what small government is all about," he said.

Though the meeting moved along,

Noble at some times wasn't sure what was voted by voice or by roll call, but he vowed to learn by the next meeting. "Not quite 'Robert's Rules of order,'" he joked.

The audience applauded Noble and welcomed him during public comment.

"It was a nice first meeting," said Trustee Diane Scheib-Snyder.

Township Trustee David Gordon said Noble was chosen because he had a better-rounded career of experience than the other applicants.

Noble said he brings 50 years of experience, as a consulting engineer for public civil works projects to the table as supervisor.

**"This is what small government is all about."**

**Glen Noble**

*Rose Township interim supervisor*



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Rose Township Interim Supervisor Glen Noble chats with board members before his first meeting on Wednesday.



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## SKIN

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In the winter months, when activity decreases and leisure time moves indoors, it isn't as easy to maintain healthy skin.

"When skin is properly hydrated, nourished with vitamins and exfoliated,

it has a radiant glow that is noticeable to you and everyone around you," says Dr. Buatti. This is when skin is at its healthiest.

### Summary

►Your skin needs extra care in the winter because it doesn't have hydration from air that is more humid and the nutrients of vitamin D like it has in the summer.

When moisture is absent from the skin, it becomes chapped. Flakes of dry and dead skin appear. "Conditions like eczema, a severe dryness of skin that forms in patches

over the body, may occur," he added.

To prevent this from happening and to maintain your healthy glow during the winter, Dr. Buatti recommends these five tips.

**1. Avoid hot showers and baths.** As tempting and enjoyable as it is to



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Applying oil-based moisturizer regularly is one way of maintaining healthy skin during the winter.

jump into a hot shower on a cold winter day, don't. "Bathing in hot water breaks down the lipid barriers in your skin, which causes a loss in moisture," says Dr. Buatti. Instead, Dr. Buatti recommends taking warm showers, not hot, and to avoid staying in for an extended period.

**2. Exfoliate.** "The top layer of skin cells are either dead or old and make your skin look dull," says Dr. Buatti. Exfoliating gets rid of the dead skin cells and it reveals newer, healthier looking skin. Dr. Buatti

recommends using a light exfoliate scrub, but to not over-exfoliate.

**3. Moisturize differently and don't pick at dry skin.** "Peeling off dead skin is dangerous and will not help to revitalize new skin cells," said Dr. Buatti. He recommends using a heavier moisturizer in the winter that is oil-based, not water-based to nourish skin from the inside and help balance natural oil production. He also suggests avoid-

**"Make sure to grab an oil-based moisturizer with SPF, even when the sun isn't out. UV rays that cause skin damage are present year round, rain or shine."**

**Christofer Buatti, DO**  
Skin & Vein Center in Fenton

ing fragranced moisturizers. You want to look for products with no perfumes or alcohols, which can make dry skin worse, he said.

"Make sure to grab an oil-based moisturizer with SPF, even when the sun isn't out," Dr. Buatti adds. "UV rays that cause skin damage are present year round, rain or shine." He also recommends keeping a small bottle of moisturizer with you if you are going to be outdoors for most of the day, as your skin may dry out as the day

goes on.

**4. Use a humidifier.** In winter months, the lack of moisture in the air causes skin to crack and become itchy. "A humidifier puts moisture back into the air and prevents extreme dry skin," said Dr. Buatti. "They also enhance moisture absorption in the nose and assist with mucus secretions, which are important in preventing things like sinusitis, especially in the winter months."

**5. Bundle up in layers and take off wet clothes.** Wet clothes that are worn close to the skin can cause irritation and sores to occur. Dr. Buatti recommends dressing in layers, which will allow you to take clothes off when you experience overheating and sweating.

"Skin needs time to adapt to new routines, so don't expect drastic changes overnight," said Dr. Buatti. "Start following these tips early and your skin will thank you this winter season."

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- Doug

**A:** Doug, This sounds like a loose connection to me. I would start by wiggling the wiring harness's around while the car is idling and see if you can duplicate the problem. Be careful not to get near any moving or hot parts when doing so! Also, check the battery connections and the ground connection at the block.

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## News briefs

### SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY WRITING WORKSHOP

The Friends of the Holly Township Library is holding a Scholarship Essay Writing Workshop this month. There will be three sessions: Jan. 16, 23 and 30 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the conference room at the Holly Township Library. Cost is \$15 for all three sessions and there will be a raffle for a \$25 gas card for the students who attend all three sessions. The workshop is limited to 18 students. For details, call (248) 634-1754.

### SEN. JOHN GLEASON HOLDS COFFEE HOUR

Sen. John J. Gleason (D-Flushing) will be holding coffee hour in his district to speak with local residents and hear

their questions and concerns. He will be available to discuss the issues he is currently working on in Lansing with his constituents on Monday, Jan. 23 from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Genesee Township Hall, 7244 North Genesee Rd., Genesee.

### THE SHRINE CIRCUS IS COMING TO TOWN

The Shrine Circus will be performing at Perani Arena and Event Center at 3501 Lapeer Rd. in Flint, from Jan. 12 to 16. The Shrine Circus has been entertaining fans for generations, and benefits the Shriners Hospitals for Children. Go [www.elf-khurafeh-shrine-circus.com](http://www.elf-khurafeh-shrine-circus.com) for more information, or call (888) 376-1286.

### TOWN HALL MEETING TO DISCUSS MICHIGAN'S NEW TAX LAW

State Sen. John Gleason (D-Flushing) will be hosting a town hall meeting to discuss recent changes to Michigan's

tax law. The changes, signed last year by Gov. Rick Snyder, went into effect Jan. 1. They include the new tax on senior pensions and elimination or reduction of individual tax credits. The event will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Jan. 19 at Mundy Township Hall, 3478 Mundy Ave, Swartz Creek. Kathy Boles, executive director of the Valley Area Agency on Aging, as well as a panel of individuals knowledgeable on tax issues will attend. Wayne Wright, superintendent of Lake Fenton Community Schools, will also be on hand to discuss the impact the new tax rules will have on the community.

### FORECAST BREAKFAST IS WEDNESDAY


The Fenton Regional Chamber of Commerce is hosting its annual Forecast Breakfast on Jan. 18. The event location is sponsored by the Fenton Community and Cultural Center and will begin promptly at 7:30 a.m. The breakfast concludes at 9 a.m. Keynote speaker is Chuck Haddon, the CEO of the Michigan Manufacturers Association. The MMA is the state's leading advocate exclusively devoted to promoting and maintaining a business climate favorable to industry. Area municipal leaders from the cities of Fenton and Linden, townships of Fenton, Tyrone and Argentine and the village of Holly have been invited to share their brief community views for 2012. The event is always well attended and proven to be informational for business representatives. Those interested in attending are asked to RSVP to (810) 629-5447.

### SCHEIB-SNIDER APPOINTED TO NOCFA BOARD

Rose Township Trustee Diane Scheib-Snider was appointed to the North Oakland County Fire Authority (NOCFA) Board at the regular township meeting on Wednesday. The motion passed unanimously. Scheib-Snider was previously voted down twice to sit on the board, because other board members wanted to give Interim Supervisor Glen Noble a chance to decide who should sit on the board. Noble took the item off the table and moved that Scheib-Snider sit on the NOCFA board. Treasurer Susan Slaughter, who voted against her appointment before, voted in favor this time, congratulating Scheib-Snider and thanking the board for waiting to give Noble a chance to decide. Scheib-Snider had previously argued that her experience as an EMT and certified fire fighter made her an ideal candidate.

### FUEL REWARDS PROGRAM EXPANDED


Spartan Stores and Speedway LLC announced that they are expanding their Fuel Rewards program statewide to provide fuel discounts to Michigan consumers. With this expansion, Fuel Rewards are offered statewide at more than 90 D&W Fresh Market, Family Fare, Glen's Markets and VG's locations, owned by Spartan Stores. Participating supermarkets with a Quick Stop Fuel Center in close proximity will issue Fuel Rewards for the Quick Stop center. Those without a Quick Stop Fuel Center in close proximity will issue a Speedway Fuel Reward. The Speedway partnership also allows Spartan Stores to extend a Fuel Rewards program to more than 375 Spartan supplied independent grocers.



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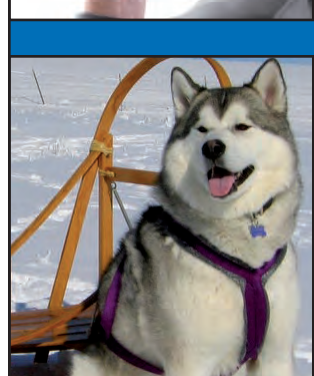
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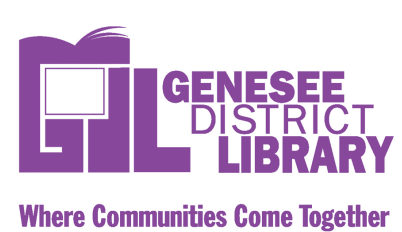
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## Calendar of events

### TYRONE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Tyrone Historical Society will meet on Jan. 16 for a potluck dinner at 6 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall at 10408 Center Rd., Fenton. A member will speak on his ancestor that was a double agent in the Civil War. There also will be a history given on the Presbyterian Church on Hartland Road that is more than 130 years old. Everyone is welcome. Come and bring a friend.

### DIGISCOPING MEETING SET

The Hartland Audubon Nature Club will be holding a meeting to acquaint people with the art and science of digiscoping, with nature photographer Jerry Jourdan. The meeting is set for Tuesday, Feb. 7 at 7:15 p.m. at the Hartland Senior Center located in the Hartland Education Support Service Center on M-59, just west of U.S. 23. Jourdan will show how he uses a point-and-shoot camera in conjunction with a spotting scope to take higher magnification images than can be achieved with conventional tele-photography. Non-photographers will also enjoy seeing close-up photos of birds that are normally difficult to see through binoculars. For more information, call Jami Bond at (810) 355-8015.

### SAFETY

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Fenton and Argentine are all within the 51<sup>st</sup> district.

So far, three candidates have been announced for the upcoming election to replace Scott. Genesee County Commissioner Joseph Graves will be running on the Republican ticket. Linden Community Schools board member Steven Losey is the Democratic candidate. Cary Neuville-Justice rounds out the candidates and is running on the Green Party ticket. Each candidate has a separate focus on which challenges they believe need to be addressed.

"It's about creating an atmosphere that promotes job growth," Graves said. "We have extremely high unemployment where people are forced to leave this county."

Graves said Genesee County needs to focus on public safety and economic development. He believes Gov. Rick Snyder is committed to improving

Michigan's economy and he wants to make sure Genesee County is part of that improvement.

"We're known as the violent crime capital of the country. Public safety needs to be a priority," Graves said. "It will help with economic conditions. How many companies won't come to this area because of our reputation?"

Graves added he did not support Michigan's pension tax law and that budget cutting should be focused on the cost of government, not teachers.

Losey, a special education teacher and the union representative for Redford Union Schools, said his platform is on education and getting funding back into the public school system.

"We need to get sound, equitable funding back into schools. We need to stop the attacks on school personnel," Losey said. "We need to respect our public school

educators so that they're the best in the country. Public education needs a lot of support."

Neuville-Justice, who operates the Church of Positive Inner Feelings in Linden, said that she is running for office in order to "raise awareness on attacks on civil rights, especially with the Michigan Medical Marihuana Act."

"The people don't have a voice, they don't have a lobbyist," Neuville-Justice said. "My goal is to be the voice for the people."

Each of the candidates will be participating in a meet the candidate forum on Jan. 20 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Grand Blanc Senior Activity Center, located at 12632 Pagels Dr. in Grand Blanc. The event is free.

The partial term for state representative of the 51<sup>st</sup> district will end Jan. 1, 2013.



## Focus on Vision

By: Dr. Juan Alvarado

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## KINDLE

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Kindle Fires may have even affected iPad sales, as analysts estimate iPad sales have slipped from 16 million to 13 million during the fourth quarter.

Here's a rundown of what the Kindle Fire is capable of and why it has become so popular in such a short amount of time.

### Media Consumption

The biggest advantage of the Kindle Fire over other Kindles and e-book readers is its access to TV shows, songs, magazines, movies and the Internet. Some magazines, like Vanity Fair and GQ, come with interactive features such as audio and video, blending the experience of reading a magazine with web browsing.

### Online features

Amazon's web browser, Silk, supports Adobe Flash Player, which isn't supported on the iPad. Flash Player is a popular program used for videos, graphics, online games and more. YouTube, for example, is powered by Flash Player.

The Amazon store also has a bevy of applications including Netflix, Angry Birds and Comics by ComiXology. The

Kindle Fire's cloud computing allows users to store their content on Amazon's servers instead of taking up space on their tablet. Add in the dual-core processor and the Kindle Fire is capable of seamlessly switching from a book to a video to browsing all over the Internet.

### Amazon Prime

Every Kindle Fire comes with a month's free subscription to Amazon Prime, Amazon's premier service package. With Prime, users have instant access to more than 10,000 movies and TV shows. Prime also allows users to "borrow" an e-book, free of charge, once a month, with no due dates. Up to 50,000, other free books are available and Prime members get free two-day shipping on all Amazon orders. After the free one-month trial ends however, users will have to pay \$79 a year if they still want Prime.

### Unique design and screen

The Kindle Fire has a 7-inch touch screen that displays up to 16 million different colors. Given that the Kindle Fire is smaller than other tablets, it can easily be held with one hand and carried in a backpack or purse. The screen is also resistant to bumps and scrapes, making the tablet the perfect travel companion.

## HOT LINE CONTINUED

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**YOU'RE THE KIND** of guy we all salute and praise who has worked hard and made it. But, if you're not paying the same taxes as I am, you should be careful when threatening us with your gun collection. Until there is a flat rate tax for all, you might want to look over your shoulder once in a while. Have a nice day dude.

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**I'M SURE THERE** are a lot of kids out there being abused, and are afraid to speak up. Next time you take a swing at your child, why don't you think about poor little Dominick. God bless you, Dominick.

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**THE OTHER DAY** at work, a young female acquaintance breathlessly told me she was going to be moving in with her boyfriend. I pulled my wife a little bit closer later, thankful to have her, knowing she didn't move in until the day we were married. It grieves me to watch my nation being destroyed before my eyes. The home is the backbone of the America, and as the home goes, so does the nation.

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**THIS IS REGARDING** the DDA and the building that will be on Silver Parkway or Main Street, whichever you prefer. Let's

hope they do a better job than they did with the construction on Adelaide and Caroline. There was a Laundromat and a vegetable and fruit market there, and now it's just a boarded up mess. Good luck with your new project, because you guys have not been hitting the mark.

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**THE UAW TOOK** the retirees' right to vote away, but they kept the legal service that very few members use. This doesn't make any sense.

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**I AM BY** no means a fan of the Tyrone Township board at the present time; however, they did make it very clear what they were doing with the public safety money. In all the town hall meetings they had, they were very specific while discussing that the money was going to be used for the sewer fund, and not for public safety.

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**THE FENTON BOARD** of Ed voted to put a bond (\$9 million) on the ballot in May for roof, boiler, bus, parking lot and technology improvements and expenses. Taxpayers, please do your homework and educate yourselves on the costs and benefits before you vote to increase taxes. Thanks.

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**AS A YOUNG** professional resident in Fenton, I am excited to see the new Michigan Brewery and Cornerstone building coming to downtown. Keep up the good work DDA in creating a young, progressive and vibrant City of Fenton!

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**SCOTT**

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in 2008 and was recalled during his second term. He is the first Michigan politician to be recalled since two Democrats were recalled in 1983.

The recall against Scott was spearheaded by the Michigan Education Association (MEA) as a response to Scott's support of teacher tenure reform and changes to funding for public education.

The MEA funneled at least \$25,000 in the 51st district alone, spending at least \$500,000 across the state in last November's election.

Despite being away from Lansing for the past two months, Scott still speaks with his colleagues on proposed bills and legislation.

"I still have a deep profound interest in government. At least every other day, I get a call from a colleague for advice," Scott said. "I encourage them to cut spending and make tough reforms."

Scott is not entirely sure what his next move will be. He said that for now, he is keeping a keen eye on Lansing. Since the deadline to enter the primary is not

**Summary**

► Since being recalled from office in November, former state representative Paul Scott is taking the opportunity to finish law school, watch his infant son and lose a few pounds while he considers his next career move.

until May, the former state representative has some time to decide where he will take his career. Scott said that he stands by the decisions he made, and believes voters would support him if he ran for another office.

"The community needs people who will stand up to special interest groups. It's not fair to the students and taxpayers that unions can come into their communities and influence politics,"

Scott said. He also noted that next year is the start to a new budget cycle, and that politicians holding office will shape Michigan's economic future.

As for the Feb. 28 election that will decide the next state representative for the 51st district, Scott said that he won't get involved. He will let the election run its course. He did, however, mention that many people within the 51st district mentioned they were going to write him in as a candidate. Scott is not allowed to run in the Feb. 28 election.

"I still have a deep profound interest in government. At least every other day, I get a call from a colleague for advice."

**Paul Scott**  
Former state representative

"While the recall was unfortunate, I cannot be a part of the upcoming election," Scott said. "I've told people to make sure the governor has another Republican in office to work worth."

**TAGLINES**

Continued from Front Page

Now is the time to submit an alternative tagline for the city. Reasons why the new tagline is better should also be included. Suggestions can be called in to the Times' exclusive Hot line number, posted on the Times' Facebook page or e-mailed by submitting a Hot line on the Times' website.

A Hot line writer suggested that the city of Fenton should have held a contest to find the most popular tagline. It was also suggested that residents could submit artwork, free of charge to the city, to go with the tagline.

Within the next couple of weeks, the Times will reveal what its readers have to say about Fenton's Be Closer tagline. Don't delay, get those thinking caps on, seize the opportunity and have some fun. Now is your opportunity to have your suggestion heard.

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1. Ordinance No. 744, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to add provisions related to internet sales.
2. Ordinance No. 745, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to add provisions regarding accessory residences on agricultural property.

Complete copies of the adopted ordinances may be obtained at the office of the Fenton Township Clerk, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430. The ordinances are also available on Fenton Township's website at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

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**ALL ELECTORS ARE HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE** that a Presidential Primary Election will be held in all voting precincts of Tyrone Township, Livingston County, Michigan on Tuesday, February 28, 2012, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., for the purpose of voting for candidates seeking nomination to the Office of President of the United States.

**Electors who wish to vote in the February Presidential Primary Election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m., on Monday, January 30, 2012.** To register, visit any Secretary of State Branch Office, the Livingston County Clerk's Office, or the Tyrone Township Clerk's Office. The Tyrone Township Clerk will be available for the purpose of receiving registrations at the following times and location:

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING LINDEN MILL POND IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

The Linden City Council will hold a public hearing in the Council Chambers on the lower level of the Mill Building at 201 N. Main Street, Linden, Michigan on Monday, January 23, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. as part of their regular meeting agenda. The purpose of the hearing is to hear citizens' comments on the Mill Pond Improvement Project. The project will be financed by a special assessment district which includes all properties in the city which abut the Linden Mill Pond. A copy of the plans and cost estimates for the project are on file with the City Clerk.

It is proposed to conduct the weed removal project through 2014 with herbicide treatments and continued water quality monitoring to gauge the effectiveness of the project. Estimated costs for the proposed project 2012-2014 are:

*	Aquatic Plant Control (Herbicide Treatments and Water Quality Monitoring)	\$31,200
*	Contingency	\$ 3,000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$34,200</b>

In order to ensure the assessments levied are proportionate to the benefit derived from the project, all parcels with a tax identification number that abuts the Mill Pond will be considered one unit when determining individual assessments. This equates to a unit assessment of \$215.10 per year for three years.

Any person wishing to comment may do so in person at the public hearing or in writing by addressing written comments to Martha A. Donnelly, City Clerk, at P.O. Box 507, 132 E. Broad Street, Linden, Michigan 48451.

## PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS JANUARY 9, 2012

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday January 9, 2012 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan and took the following actions.

1. Supervisor Mathis led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
2. Approved the agenda as amended.
3. Approved invoices & expenditures for payment in the total amount of \$155,918.20.
4. Received 4th quarter and annual fire department statistics from Fire Chief Ryan Volz.
5. Adopted Ordinance No. 744, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to add provisions related to internet sales.
6. Adopted Ordinance No. 745, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to add provisions regarding accessory residences on agricultural property.
7. Scheduled a public hearing for January 23, 2012 to obtain citizen input regarding potential local road improvement projects for 2012.
8. Adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

A complete copy of the minutes of this meeting and any ordinances adopted at the meeting are on file and available for review at the Fenton Township Office, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan 48430. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Ordinances, meeting schedules, meeting minutes and other Township information are also available at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

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1 Roofing material  
6 Litigates  
12 Director Peckinpah  
15 Bull's babe  
18 Florida eleven  
20 40th president  
21 Baudelaire's buddy  
22 Nabokov novel  
23 Mitch Miller hit  
26 "Agnus —"  
27 Throw a line to  
28 She's a sheep date  
29 Bakery display  
31 — Aviv  
32 Blazing  
36 Most mammoth  
37 Elegant  
40 Pebbles' papa  
41 — Leone  
43 Black and white  
44 Bing Crosby hit  
46 Service member?  
49 Tilden's opponent  
51 Seize  
52 Slip of the tongue  
54 Tax shelter

55 Animated Olive  
56 Proofread-er's mark  
58 Word with tea or pepper  
59 Get more magazines  
61 Jack of "Flower Drum Song"  
62 Be — unto oneself  
63 Tear to bits  
64 Marry  
65 Patti Page hit  
67 Scold  
69 Andrews Sisters hit  
73 Tenor Slezak  
74 Corporate VIP  
75 Burlap fiber  
76 Word on a pump  
77 Supped in style  
80 Pasta ingredient  
81 Government group  
82 Winter hazard  
83 TV's "Scooby- —"  
84 Too experi-enced  
85 Flip  
86 Sri —  
88 Land mass

91 Wilbert Harrison hit  
93 Doesn't come clean  
94 Daze  
96 — Haven, CT  
97 Exhausted  
100 Enigmatic sort  
102 Lost  
104 Essen  
105 exclamation  
106 First zoo?  
107 Concerto —  
111 Bachelor's last words  
112 Gladys Knight hit  
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126 Beethoven's "Moonlight —"  
127 Dutch artist Jan

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3 To — (perfectly)  
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10 Wagner's —  
11 Look like Hook?  
12 Cash stash  
13 Qty.  
14 Blend  
15 Mamas & Papas hit  
16 "Golden Boy" dramatist  
17 Dress part  
19 Turns about  
24 Portrait painter Peter  
25 Is in debt  
30 Taj town  
32 G-sharp's keymate  
33 Chow  
34 Creepy Christopher  
35 Stuck fast  
36 Munich mister  
37 Kinder-garten item  
38 Defeat  
39 Affirmative vote

42 Sacred image  
43 That's the spirit  
44 Make tea  
45 Worth or Papas  
47 Prior to, to Prior  
48 Damp and chilly  
50 Cleaned a carp  
51 Schwarz-egger's birthplace  
53 Cabernet color  
57 Voice type  
58 It's run of the mill?  
59 Nullify  
60 Tokyo, once  
64 Power unit  
66 Wayfarer's whistle  
67 Stream  
68 Earphones  
69 Propel with a pole  
70 Entertainer Kazan  
71 Played soccer  
72 Zones  
74 Third degree?  
75 Panel of peers  
77 SHAEF commander  
78 Letters of credit?

79 Johnny Horton hit  
80 WWII unit  
81 Dock of the bay  
84 Put the whammy on  
85 Galileo's birthplace  
87 Heidi's hangout  
89 Racer  
90 Nocturnal visitor  
92 Subway unit  
95 Merit  
97 It's a long story  
98 Caustic  
99 Conversation pieces?  
100 Glean  
101 Clerical title  
103 Excludes  
106 Smith or Sandler  
108 ER exclama-tion  
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ANSWERS  
Solution time: 25 mins.  
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ANSWERS  
SUNDAY SUDOKU  
ANSWERS  
WEDNESDAY JUMBLE  
ANSWERS  
Jumbles: POKER CURVE SHANTY FOIBLE  
Answer: Little Bo-Peep lost her sheep because s  
this—A "CROOK" WITH HER  
SUNDAY JUMBLE  
ANSWERS  
Jumbles: DUMPY RABBI AERATE DRUDGE  
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PUBLIC NOTICE  
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON  
PUBLIC HEARING –  
2012 LOCAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS  
The Fenton Township Board will conduct a public hearing on January 23, 2012 to discuss local road improvement projects for 2012. Citizens are invited to provide input regarding potential projects, which may include improvements to paved or unpaved local roads. The hearing will be held in conjunction with the board's regular meeting on Monday January 23, 2012 beginning at 7:30 p.m.



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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 February 1, 2012 Said premises are situated in Township of Fenton, Genesee County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 1: Proposed Phase II of Old Mill Farm Condominium Part of Government Lot 2, Section 14, Township 5 North, Range 6 East, Township of Fenton, Genesee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning North 00 deg 05 min West, 1388.63 ft (previously recorded as 1399.00 ft from the Southwest corner of Section 14; thence North 00 deg 05 min West 654.09 ft (previously recorded as 664.66 ft); thence along the intermediate traverse line of the plat of Golden Shores No. 5, a recorded subdivision as recorded in Plat Book 57, Pages 49-50, Genesee County Records, North 79 deg 05 min 32 sec East, 406.44 ft and North 83 deg 55 min 26 sec East 447.51 ft and North 58 deg 00 min 05 sec East, 389.99 ft, thence leaving said traverse line of Golden Shores No. 5, South 01 deg 27 min 56 sec East, 1015.65 ft; thence North 89 deg 03 min 30 sec West, 1200.00 ft to the point of beginning; reserving that part now used as Torrey Road, so-called. Excepting there from that part lying between the recorded Plat of Golden Shores No. 5 and the water of edge of Golden Shores lake (so named in the said plat of Golden Shores No. 5); also excepting Old Mill Farm Condominium - Phase -1 as recited in Master Deed recorded in Document Number 200203140035619, Genesee County Records. Easement for drainage, detention, and pedestrian lake access - as supplied (from Atwell-Hicks, Inc.) Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 14, Township 5 North, Range 6 East, Fenton Township, Genesee County, Michigan; thence North 00 deg 05 min 00 sec West 1655.34 ft along the West line of said Section 14 and the centerline of Torrey Road (100 ft wide); thence North 88 deg 20 min 34 sec East 142.86 ft for a place of beginning; thence 50.15 ft along the arc of a 150.00 foot radius non-tangential curve to the right with a chord bearing North 12 deg 30 min 32 sec East 49.92 ft; thence North 48 deg 48 min 39 sec West 38.05 ft; thence South 85 deg 56 min 52 sec West 75.28 ft; thence North 00 deg 05 min 00 sec West 324.76 ft along the Easterly right-of-way of said Torrey Road; thence North 79 deg 05 min 32 sec East 60.33 ft along the South line of Golden Shores No. 5 as recorded in Liber 57 of Plats, Page 49-50, Gene-see County Records, Genesee County, Michigan; thence South 06 deg 42 min 10 sec West 172.36 ft; thence South 43 deg 34 min 32 sec East 73.09 ft; thence South 00 deg 57 min 19 sec West 91.04 ft; thence South 48 deg 48 min 39 sec East 54.07 ft; thence 55.86 ft along the arc of a 130.00 ft radius non-tangential circular curve to the left, with a chord bearing South 15 deg 56 min 57 sec West 55.44 ft; thence South 88 deg 20 min 34 sec West 20.07 ft to the place of beginning, being a part of the Southwest one-quarter of said Section 14. Parcel 2 Part of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 4 and the Northeast one-quarter of Section 5, Township 2 North, Range 6 East, Brighton Township, Livingston County, Michigan, described as: Beginning at a point on the North line of said Section 4, distant North 87 deg 47 min West 870.57 ft from the point of intersection of the centerline of Old U.S. 23 Highway with the North line of said Section 4; thence South 02 deg 12 min 44 sec West 512.54 ft; thence North 87 deg 58 min 18 sec West 860.00 ft; thence North 02 deg 10 min East 369.74 ft; thence North 15 deg 26 min East 150.00 ft; thence South 87 deg 47 min East 826.00 ft to the point of beginning. Together with and subject to the use of a private road for ingress and egress, 66.00 ft in width, the center-line of which is described as: Beginning at a point distant South 88 deg 47 min 36 sec East along the North line of said Section 5, 703.89 ft and South 01 deg 13 min West 33.00 ft from the North one-quarter corner of said Section 5; thence South 88 deg 47 min 36 sec East 419.57 ft; thence South 42 deg 56 min East 218.46 ft; thence South 63 deg 36 min East 234.70 ft; thence South 72 deg 11 min East 207.66 ft; thence South 67 deg 37 min East 637.16 ft; thence South 87 deg 58 min 18 sec East 872.24 ft; thence North 70 deg 19 min 30 sec East 515.55 ft; thence South 62 deg 41 min East 227.59 ft to the Centerline of Old U.S. 23 Highway and the point of ending of centerline of said Private Road. Commonly known as V/L Torrey Rd, Fenton MI 48430 The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), which-ever is later. Dated: 1/01/2012 Eastern Savings Bank, fsb Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-54254 Ad #18556 01/01, 01/08, 01/15, 01/22/2012

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE  
STATE OF OREGON  
FOR LANE COUNTY  
Juvenile Department  
In the Matter of  
TALIAH MARIE ANDERSON  
A Child.**

Case No. 09-670J-03

**PUBLISHED SUMMONS**

TO: Michael James O'Neal

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:

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 2nd day of February, 2012 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 AND AT THE TIME LISTED ABOVE. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING IN YOUR PLACE. THEREFORE, YOU MUST APPEAR EVEN IF YOUR ATTORNEY ALSO 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.

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(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.

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(2) If you contest the petition, the court will schedule a hearing on the 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 ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR, YOU MUST APPEAR PERSONALLY IN THE COURTROOM, UNLESS THE COURT HAS GRANTED YOU AN EXCEPTION IN ADVANCE UNDER ORS 419B.918 TO APPEAR BY OTHER MEANS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, TELEPHONIC OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS. AN ATTORNEY MAY NOT ATTEND THE HEARING(S) IN YOUR PLACE. PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY

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

ISSUED this 2nd day of December, 2011.

Issued by:

Sarita D. Glassburner, #012611  
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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 February 1, 2012 Said premises are situated in Township of Brighton, Livingston County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel 1: Proposed Phase II of Old Mill Farm Condominium Part of Government Lot 2, Section 14, Township 5 North, Range 6 East, Township of Fenton, Genesee County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning North 00 deg 05 min West, 1388.63 ft (previously recorded as 1399.00 ft from the Southwest corner of Section 14; thence North 00 deg 05 min West 654.09 ft (previously recorded as 664.66 ft); thence along the intermediate traverse line of the plat of Golden Shores No. 5, a recorded subdivision as recorded in Plat Book 57, Pages 49-50, Genesee County Records, North 79 deg 05 min 32 sec East, 406.44 ft and North 83 deg 55 min 26 sec East 447.51 ft and North 58 deg 00 min 05 sec East, 389.99 ft, thence leaving said traverse line of Golden Shores No. 5, South 01 deg 27 min 56 sec East, 1015.65 ft; thence North 89 deg 03 min 30 sec West, 1200.00 ft to the point of beginning; reserving that part now used as Torrey Road, so-called. 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Commonly known as 9797 Bitten Dr, Brighton MI 48114 The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), which-ever is later. Dated: 1/01/2012 Eastern Savings Bank, fsb Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 11-50974 Ad #18555 01/01, 01/08, 01/15, 01/22/2012

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### TYRONE TOWNSHIP

9530 Waite Drive

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### FENTON TOWNSHIP

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#### Contemporary home

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### GAINES TOWNSHIP

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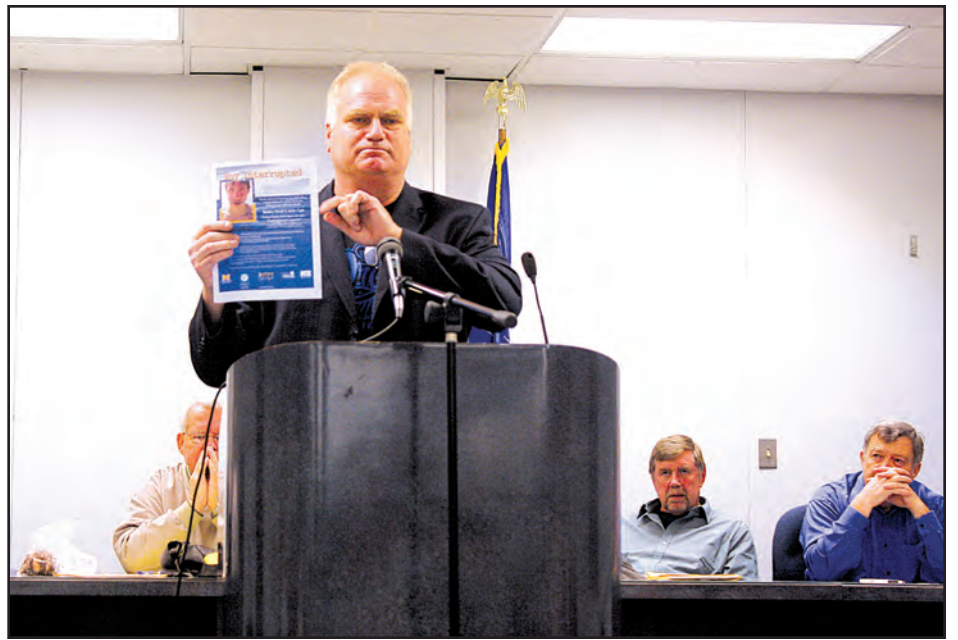
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TRI-COUNTY TIMES | WILLIAM AXFORD

Eric Hipple speaks to students from Bendle High School on positive ways to cope with stress at Wednesday's Community Parent Inc. meeting. Hipple is a mental health advocate and has recently joined the organization to help curb drug use and bullying amongst teens.

## Former Lions QB joins Community Parent

By William Axford

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Community Parent Inc. (CPI) has a powerful new ally in its battle against bullying and teen drug use.

Former Lions quarterback and mental health advocate Eric Hipple, of Fenton, spoke to nearly 100 students from Bendle High School about productive ways to deal with stress, instead of using drugs and alcohol. The students were bussed to the meeting, held at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center on Wednesday.

"Responsibility comes at that moment in time when you realize we can make decisions for our lives," Hipple said. "When it comes to support, don't be afraid to help others and don't be afraid to ask for help."

Hipple became an activist for mental health after his son committed suicide in 2000. Hipple is currently the outreach coordinator of the Depression Center of the University of Michigan, speaking frequently to raise awareness on mental health.

Included in Hipple's message was the importance of communicating with others

and maintaining a commitment to stay away from drugs and alcohol.

"It was inspirational to hear him, he showed what stress can do to people and how they can get help," said Bendle High School sophomore Joseph Warner. "He didn't focus on being a football player. He focused on mental health and how to stay healthy."

Mark Goupil, a CPI coordinator, Lake Fenton parent and Fenton Township trustee, said Hipple's involvement with the organization would bring more exposure to their efforts.

"Hipple brings name recognition. He recognizes that drug use is a mental health issue," Goupil said.

CPI is a Fenton Township organization that aims to curb drug use within communities and is responsible for the Chasing the Dragon presentations. The organization meets monthly at the Fenton Township hall, 12060 Mantawauka Drive. The public is welcome to attend the meetings.

Check [communityparent.org](http://communityparent.org) for more information.

### INVITATION TO BID LAWN CARE SERVICES BID

The City of Fenton, Michigan will receive sealed bids at the City Clerk's Office, 301 South LeRoy Street, Fenton, Michigan 48430-2196 for lawn care services within the City of Fenton until Monday February 13, 2012 at 11:00 AM.

Bids will be publicly opened and read at that time in the conference room of the Fenton City Office, 301 South LeRoy Street, Fenton, Michigan. Bids should be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked "**LAWN CARE SERVICES - CITY OF FENTON**".

Bids are being solicited only from responsible and established bidders known to be experienced and regularly engaged in lawn care work. Satisfactory evidence that the bidder has the necessary capital, equipment and personnel to do the work may be required.

Proposal forms and specifications are on file for the inspection of bidders at the Fenton City Offices, 301 South LeRoy Street and copies may be obtained by qualified bidders. Bidders can also go to [www.cityoffenton.org](http://www.cityoffenton.org) to receive a copy of the bid.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept any bid, or portion thereof, which, in their opinion, is most advantageous to the City.

Michael T. Burns  
Assistant City Manager



**TRIAL****Continued from Front Page**

"Do you know what happened to your brother?" asked Phillips.

"He died," said Tyler.

"Was he sick?" asked Phillips. Tyler didn't know.

Tyler didn't remember much from the incidents initially, but Phillips worked her way back to the times Tyler could remember. He could not remember living with his mother Corrine Baker, or her name, at first.

Eventually, Tyler said they had both been abused by Hayes. "Did Dominick have any marks?" asked Phillips.

Through her questions, Tyler said Hayes had burned Dominick's hand under a faucet with hot water.

Hayes' attorney, James Piazza, objected several times during questioning, but was overruled by Judge Yuille.

Tyler said that he and Dominick slept on the floor of their apartment, and he was always afraid of Hayes. He said Hayes pushed him against the wall around the same time Hayes reportedly burned Dominick's hand.

During Tyler's testimony, members of the audience suppressed tears as Tyler's side of the story was extracted one question at a time by Phillips.

"That was pretty hard," said Kristy Swanson, a friend of the family, who was sitting in the audience. "I think (Tyler) did pretty well, as much as he could."

Dominick's biological grandfather, Rick Calhoun, was optimistic about Tyler's testimony, even though he wasn't allowed in the courtroom while he was testifying.

The next testimony came from Lt. David Dwyre of the Genesee County Sheriff's Department. Dwyre interviewed Hayes after he was apprehended, in April of 2010.

Dwyre testified that he spoke with Hayes for nearly half an hour in an interview room about what had happened. Hayes recounted the beatings that took place over three days, and denied any sexual assault against Dominick.

When Dwyre asked Hayes why he did it, he blamed Baker because she had denied him pills, and Dominick's biological father, for not sending child support. Hayes said that he was in a rage, and focused on Dominick because he was only 4 years old. He wanted to discipline him.

Baker was injured in the process of trying to protect Dominick from Hayes' kicks and punches.

While in custody, Dwyre had asked Hayes to write a letter of apology, which he addressed to, "Dear Judge."

"I'm so sorry for what I've done to Corrine and Dominick. My heart hurts so bad," said Hayes in the letter he handwrote in 2010, which was displayed on an overhead projector in the courtroom.

After speaking with Hayes, Dwyre recorded his statement digitally. The recording was admitted as evidence and played to the jury and the audience.

"I'm tired of raising kids that aren't mine," said Hayes in the recording. "I was trying to discipline him."

"This is the most hurtful thing I've ever done to a human being. I feel bad, real bad. I take responsibility for it; it's the right thing to do."

Hayes sat calmly while the statement was played, wearing a striped shirt with groomed hair.

Piazza cross-examined Dwyre, attempting to cast doubt on Hayes' mental condition during the interview in 2010, pointing out that Hayes had been assaulted in jail, and hospitalized the night before.

Phillips redirected, attempting to establish that Hayes was in a clear mental state to make the statements that were recorded.

After a short recess, Baker took the stand, according to Genesee County Prosecutor David Leyton's twitter feed.

"Corrine says Hayes was in a rage. He picks up Dominick and throws him against the wall. Also pushes him and tries to kick 'my son,'" Leyton said via twitter.

Baker said these episodes happened 12-14 times and stopped only when one of Hayes' "customers" showed up to buy drugs.

Baker was the last witness Wednesday, and cross examination took place Thursday. The closing arguments will be heard in Port Huron, the jury's home area.

"Evidence going in according to plan," said Leyton via twitter.

"I'm tired of raising kids that aren't mine. I was trying to discipline him."

**Brandon Hayes**

*Defendant, People v Hayes*

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HELLO AMERICA, HOW often does the Taliban feed on our guys?

THIS IS TO anyone whose employer offers a 401K, managed from an outside benefits agency. Check with your HR. I almost had automatic deductions from my paychecks for the 401K that I did not ask for. Make sure this is not happening to you.

WHAT DOES IT take to get a stop sign placed in a neighborhood; someone getting killed? People drive too fast in the city limits even residential areas. It is still 25 miles per hour, max. I hope the police chief sees this hint, hint.

LOVE, LOVE, LOVE the new tagline: "Find it in Fenton." What a great line. Let's dump the old one. Amen to that.

I THINK OUTSIDE the box all the time and I would, just once, like to have the jobs ready to go into the property being bought instead of raising my taxes to pay the cost on the land purchase.

THIS PERSON CALLING me 'living in the back woods' because I cannot think outside his box, has to be a well-to-do Republican. What an imbecile.

YOU HAVE PEOPLE in the Republican party standing on national television, telling the world that the president will never pass any legislation or help for the American little guy, and this imbecile stands at the post office doing the Republican bidding.

IT IS A fact that we have trillions of barrels of oil in the Dakotas, Wyoming, and Montana, and we have to pay \$3.70 for a gallon of gas because Iran is upset. What kind of snow job are these oil executives expecting us to swallow? Pick an oil company, and don't buy their gas, then it will be \$2.00 per gallon within six months.

I FIND IT rather disgusting that people are more or less threatening to burn down buildings and hang certain politicians from trees. Really? What are you, animals? And the Times should be ashamed of themselves for even printing it.

I'M VERY THANKFUL that someone has the guts to stand out in public and tell the truth about Obama. Can't wait until November 6 when we will finally rid ourselves of the worst president ever.

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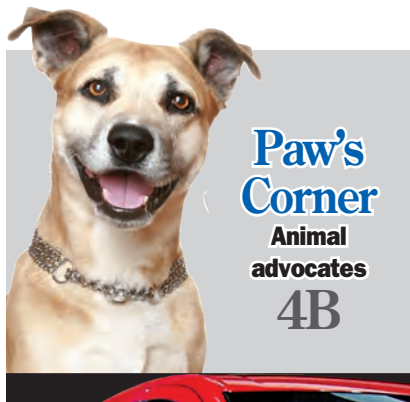
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Auto show mirrors confidence of American automakers

By Chris Harbowy • news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282

With all three Detroit automakers now profitable, marketing budgets have grown and the displays at this year's North American International Auto Show (NAIAS) reflect new found confidence. The auto show runs from Saturday, Jan. 14 to Sunday, Jan. 22. Last year's auto show seemed sedate compared to what this year's event has in store for attendees.

There will be more than 500 vehicles on display, representing the most innovative designs in the world at what has become North America's largest and most prestigious automotive showcase, held at Cobo Center in Detroit. Now entering its 24th year as an international event, and includes some of the automotive world's most eagerly anticipated new vehicles.

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What local dealers have to say about new vehicles  
See Page 2B

Last year's auto show charity preview raised more than \$2.66 million for Detroit-area children's charities.

**DID YOU KNOW?**



#### ◀ Chevy Spark

The Chevy Spark is a sub-compact smaller than Sonic.



#### ◀ Coda Sedan

The Chinese Coda Sedan looks like a 10-year-old Toyota Corolla.



#### ◀ Falcon

The Falcon sports car is manufactured in Holly.



#### ◀ Cadillac ATS

The new Cadillac ATS is smaller than the CTS.

#### Dodge Dart ▶

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**Best design:** "The Volt, it's got a real distinctive look, and it has awesome technology."

**Most exciting:** "The Camaro, it's a hot car that gets a lot of looks. People love it and it makes you feel cool when you're driving it."

**Matt Lasco**

Lasco Ford, general manager

**Most exciting:** "The all new Mustang Shelby Cobra GT500, it has the largest horsepower V8 factory-made motor. It has amazing style, real performance and all the other features a real car enthusiast would want."

**Best design:** "The all new Explorer, it has an eco best motor. We've gotten nothing but rants and raves on the features and styling inside."

**Best value:** The 2012 Ford Fiesta, price-point can get them at \$13,000 and they get 40 miles per gallon. They're a step above any other compact car."

**Jim Hall**

of Hall Chrysler in Fenton

**Best value:** "The Chrysler 200, it's just a lot of car with a lot of standard features for a great price."

**Best design:** "The all new Chrysler 300, it's completely restyled inside and out. It screams luxury and is one of the best looking luxury vehicles on the market."

**Most exciting:** "Probably the Jeep Grand Cherokee. It's excellent for all-weather driving. It has a completely redesigned body, fully loaded with standard features."

**Richard Brinker,**

new car sales manager at Randy Wise Buick GMC in Fenton

**Best Value:** "Probably the Acadia/Terrain, and Buick Enclave are the most versatile, and the most bang for the buck. It offers your high-end luxury, and is also utilitarian. It does it all."

**Best Design:** "The new Regal, Lacrosse and Verano have some of the best designs. It's visually pleasing, soft on the eyes, but not too radical."

**Most exciting:** "The Regal, it hits a whole new market, it's gonna attract a lot of new buyers, and younger buyers."

**Stacy Bright,**

new car sales, Szott Ford in Holly

**Best Value:** "The Ford Fusion. You get a great price and great gas economy."

**Best Design:** "The 2012 Ford Explorer. The styling, the standard third row seat is very attractive to the buyer."

**Most exciting:** "The 2012 Ford Focus, it's sporty, it's fun, a very maneuverable vehicle. You can get them loaded with as much equipment as you want, which is also in a more expensive vehicle."





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The Transition, a combination plane and car, is shown on its maiden flight last month at Plattsburgh International Airport in Plattsburgh, N.Y.

## Flying cars

In addition to cost, flying cars and boat cars face tougher challenges. A flying car would be noisy and would give rise to all manner of legal headaches involving where and how such a vehicle could be flown and by whom.

That hasn't stopped Terrafugia, Inc., which in March test-flew the Terrafugia Transition, which is essentially an experimental airplane that can be driven on the street. As an aircraft, it operates from regular runways — not your driveway — and requires a pilot's license.

Also, don't look for lightweight flying cars to stand proudly in front of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration headquarters any time soon, touting the outcome of the latest round of crash tests, because road safety is not a priority when you are trying to get the car to fly.



**TRI-COUNTY TIMES** | FILE PHOTO  
The Gibbs Aquada will be a sporty boat and fast enough in the water to pull a skier. It isn't known when the Aquada will be available, or how much it will cost.

## Aquada boat car

The boat car's biggest problem historically has been that cars make lousy boats, and vice versa. When have you heard "It drives like a boat!" used as a compliment for a car's handling prowess?

Beyond the sheer coolness of being able to charge down a boat ramp, splash into the water and continue on, the reality of living with a combination boat and crummy-to-drive car (like the old Amphicar, built in the 1960s), that you could drive into the nearest river if you wanted to, quickly loses its appeal for most people.



## Great gadgets for your car



### Built-in Refrigerator/Freezer

Anyone who has ever traveled with growing kids knows what bottomless pits they can be. Well, the creative minds behind the Blue Oval brand stand ready to help you answer those plaintive "Mom, I'm hungry!" cries with an honest-to-goodness refrigerator-freezer built into the second-row center console of the 2011 Ford Flex.



### Maplock GPS Anti-Theft Device

Maplock TM is leading the way in GPS security. Maplock TM is a true GPS security device to protect your GPS unit from getting stolen. GPS theft is a large worldwide problem that is continuing to grow. Maplock TM locks your GPS whilst securing the GPS within the vehicle ... to prevent GPS theft ... Maplock TM it or lose it!



### Bluetooth Rearview Car Mirror (Caller ID Display)

Presenting the **Bluetooth rearview mirror** with name & number caller ID Display! This new car gadget comes with a detachable Bluetooth earpiece for added convenience, while the built-in FM transmitter enables you to listen to calls and music from your Bluetooth enabled cell phone directly on your car's speaker system.



### Mini Video Recorder with In-Car Mounting Stand

Incredibly convenient **mini digital camcorder**, this video camera is designed to be mounted on a car dashboard or windshield and enables you to capture video of road situations. Start up your car, hit the one-click record button, and off you go, a whole day of road events being recorded as they happen. An extremely useful camera for insurance, security or even law enforcement purposes.



### 7 Inch LCD Car Headrest DVD Player + FM Transmitter

This **Car DVD** accessory features a built-in region-free DVD player and a FM transmitter for sending audio directly to your car stereo for the incredible sound your cars own sound system can provide. The headrests also have a 3.5mm earphone jack, and the ability to play CD's, digital media via SD card or USB input, and can play NES ROM's burnt to disc.



### Breathalyzer alcohol tester - dual LCD display

**Breathalyzer Alcohol Tester - Dual LCD Display.** Low priced BAC Breathalyzer tester for those late nights out drinking, so you reliably test yourself before the police do it for you.



A diesel-powered Dodge Charger look-alike

## Top 4 next-gen cop car gadgets

### 1. Carbon Motors E7

Carbon Motors claims it will be 40 percent more fuel efficient, with a life span of 250,000 miles (most models used as police cars are expected to last for 70,000 miles).

### 2. Project54 Voice-Command System

Researchers at the University of New Hampshire have developed a system that lets officers use voice commands to run a license plate, turn on the lights and siren, and even clock a speeding car.

### 3. Automatic License Plate Recognition Cameras

which is essentially cameras that run every single plate they see. So whether a car blazes by a stationary police car at 140 mph, or passes in an oncoming lane while both cars are doing 80 mph, the system should pick up the suspect's plates.

### 4. StarChase GPS Launcher

The purpose of StarChase is to stop high-speed pursuits by letting officers launch a sticky GPS tracker onto a fleeing vehicle.

## Most ridiculous car accessories ever!

### Apple's iDrive



the steering wheel of your car.

The iDrive is a mobile device mount that can hold an iPad, Kindle, or other tech device on

### French Fry cup holder



If the world needed any more proof that Americans are some fattie mcfatties, we present the French-Fry Holder. This \$10 device fits in cup holders and holds a standard cardboard container of french fries.

### The CradleVue



shock from riding around in the car.

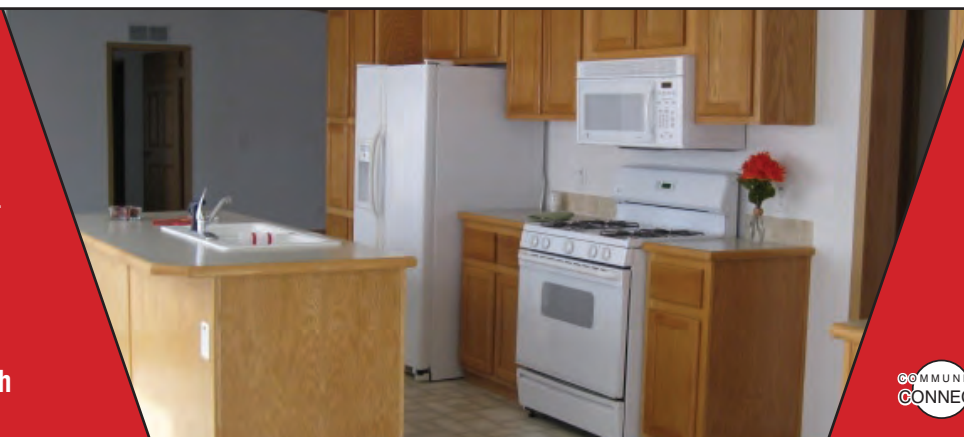
The CradleVue can be adjusted to hold onto any size laptop. It has a specific type of cord that is used to absorb all of the usual

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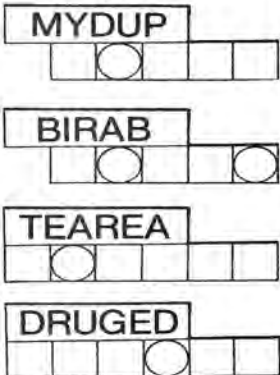
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Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



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Print answer here: " " " " " " " " " " " "

ANSWER KEY LOCATED IN THIS EDITION

PAUL G. DONOHUE, M.D.

## To your good health

**DEAR DR. DONOHUE:** I am 82 and in pretty good health except for a recent problem. During the day everything is fine, but when I lie down to go to sleep, the room starts to spin. It lasts about 10 seconds. Then if I turn my head to look at the clock, the dizziness returns. In the morning when I wake and turn my head again, the room spins.

**Do I have an inner-ear infection? How can this problem be fixed? -- J.C.**

**ANSWER:** Although I can't give you 100 percent assurance, I can say on solid ground that you have benign positional vertigo, BPH. Vertigo is dizziness. BPH is not an inner-ear infection. It comes on just as you have written, with a change in the position of the head -- lying down, turning to the side or looking up to a cupboard shelf. The attacks are brief but disrupting.

Crystals normally found in one part of the inner ear have migrated to another part. Moving the head activates the displaced crystals, and they send a message to the brain that brings on dizziness. The inner ear is not only for hearing; it's also for balance.

You can bring the crystals back to their original site through a series of movements called the Epley repositioning maneuvers. Sit on the side of a bed and bend your head to the shoulder on the side that triggers dizziness. Let's make it the right side, so you can follow the instructions. If it's the left, just change the direction. With the head turned to the right, lie down so your head projects off the other side of the bed. When dizziness stops, turn the head to the left side, with the left ear facing down. Next, roll over on your left side so the head faces down for 10 to 15 seconds. Finally, return to the sitting position with your head bent slightly down in front. You might have to repeat the procedure more than twice. If this is too confusing, have your family doctor or an ENT doctor put you through the motions.

*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 P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.*

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## Theft victim points to likely suspect

**DEAR AMY:** My family recently attended a big party at a longtime friend's house.

There were many children of all ages there. During the party, my teenage son got bored, wandered upstairs and checked his e-mail on the host's computer. When I found out, he was reprimanded and apologized later to the host.

Several weeks later, I got a call from this friend telling me that money went missing from upstairs during the party.

At first, I did not realize what she was implying. When I finally understood that she was accusing my son of taking it because he had been seen upstairs, I was so shocked, I almost could not breathe.

My son is a good kid. He's made mistakes, but he would never steal money. Of course, I confronted him about it and he was very upset and he strongly denied knowing anything about the money. (It was not out in plain view.)

I feel betrayed, angry and very upset that this friend may have spread this accusation to other people. I don't know how to handle this situation.

My instinct says to just walk away from this friendship because someone who would do this cannot really be a friend.

Please tell me if I am overreacting.

— Sad Friend

**DEAR FRIEND:** From the way you describe it, your friend has not accused your son of taking this money -- she has implied that because he was upstairs in her home without permission (using her computer equipment, no less!), he could have taken it.

But what other way would she have of discussing this with you -- when you are offended at the very suggestion that this might have happened?

You have to understand that your son is the logical perpetrator.

Twenty years of watching "Law and Order" have taught me that the logical suspect is most often the guilty party. (Five years of watching "The Closer" has taught me how to squeeze a confession out of a suspect.)

You are overreacting, but that's to be expected. Speak to your friend. Say, "I'm horrified at this implication. My son insists that he did not do it. I believe him. Would you like to talk to him?"

The fact is, your son made a choice to violate your friend's privacy and this puts him at the scene of the crime. I realize that real life is much messier than a television show, but the way to handle this is honestly, directly and calmly.

Your son is learning that facing a false accusation is a high price to pay for boredom.

**DEAR AMY:** We live at the end of a cul-de-sac that is adjacent to several hundred acres of trails where people like to ride their horses.

Though there are other ways to get to the trails, by far the most convenient is for riders to park their trailers in our cul-de-sac and ride up a path on the edge of our property. We are fine with this, but we've had people riding minibikes and ATVs on the path (which we don't allow), yelling at our dogs and riding their horses in our yard.

A few days ago a woman unsaddled her horse and brought it into our front yard to graze! I put a stop to it.

Our friends think we should put up a "no trespassing" sign and strictly enforce it, but I don't want to punish the majority of people who are respectful. I love riding the trails too.

Can you offer a good solution?

— Trail Rider

**DEAR RIDER:** I suggest a simple fence clearly demarcating the way to the public trail.

At the entrance, you should post a sign saying: "This is a private trail, offered for public use as a courtesy. Please stay on the trail. All motorized vehicles are prohibited. Please respect our privacy and property. All violators will be pursued at a gallop."

Amy Dickinson



Ask Amy

## HealthyMEALS



### Slow cooker chicken tacos

#### INGREDIENTS

- 14.5 oz. can diced tomatoes
- 4 boneless skinless chicken breasts
- One packet taco seasoning
- 15 oz. low sodium chicken broth
- Taco fixings

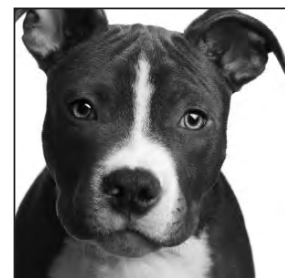
6 hours, serves a lot (12+)

#### DIRECTIONS

1. Pour the diced tomatoes into the bottom of your slow cooker. Spread the tomatoes around to make an even layer.
2. Lay the chicken breasts over the tomatoes.
3. In a small bowl mix the taco seasoning and chicken stock. Pour over the chicken.
4. Cover and turn the slow cooker on low. Cook for about 6 hours, or until the chicken is cooked all the way through.
5. Remove the chicken from the slow cooker, leaving the liquid behind. Shred the chicken with a fork. Add liquid to the chicken, a tablespoon at a time, until the desired wetness.
6. Serve with your favorite taco fixings. Freeze leftovers.

## paw's corner

### Animal Advocates



**DEAR PAW'S CORNER:** I recently read on your Website about a North Carolina county board that wanted to disallow adoptions of certain dog breeds from its shelter. The proposal was defeated thanks to a huge public outcry, but what about other rulings that don't get as much publicity? How do we find out about them, and how can we get enough public support to stop unfair pet laws?

— Jane in Missouri

**DEAR JANE:** It's great that you're concerned and want to be more active in the area of pet legislation. The North Carolina case was a classic example of legislators (or in this case, a county board) proposing pet laws based upon popular but often inaccurate information, particularly about "bully breeds" (pit bulls, Doberman pinschers, etc). The county board shelved its proposal after receiving tens of thousands of emails and facing a packed house of dog owners, rescuers and other advocates at its board meeting.

Getting started can be as simple as an Internet search. Major organizations such as the Humane Society of the United States, the SPCA (Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) and growing organizations like the No-Kill Advocacy Center are good websites to start with. You often can find local chapters or local advocacy organizations through larger nonprofits' websites.

Facing down local legislators is just one facet of animal advocacy. If you want to learn more about protecting pets, pick up "Defending the Defenseless: A Guide to Protecting and Advocating for Pets," by Allie Phillips (Rowman and Littlefield). Phillips is an attorney and animal-rights advocate, and her book is packed with information on ways you can become more active.

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.



Look Who's Talking

By Tim Jagielo, Staff Reporter



**CHASE OSTRANDER**  
**17-year-old senior**  
**Linden High School**

**FAMILY:**  
Parents, Rhonda and Mark and brother, Matt.

**SPORTS AND LEISURE ACTIVITIES**  
I do a lot on computer, video games, hanging out with friends.

**MY DREAM CAR IS:**  
A Ferrari, because I'll never get to buy one.

Chase Ostrander

**Personal motto:** Don't judge someone until you've walked a mile in their shoes, because that way you're a mile away, and you have their shoes.

**My all-time favorite movie is:** 'Requiem for a Dream.' It was an independent film that got a lot of attention because of the moral values that it brought out of society.

**My earliest memory is:** going to North Carolina to see family, I was about 6.

**If you could have one superpower, what would it be?** Try to go back in time and change things.

**I always:** over analyze things.

**I never:** sleep.

**If you could make one rule everyone has to follow, what would it be?** Think before you talk.

**Is there an event in your life you would like a 'do-over' for?** Tenth grade. I did not care about grades, at all.

**What can parents do to help kids succeed in high school?** They can just be more involved. Personally I find that when my parents are involved, it really adds to my motivation to do things, and it helps to know they care what I'm doing.

**If you had to walk through downtown all day wearing a sign, what would it say?** "I wish I wasn't doing this right now."

**What is an upcoming event you are looking forward to?** Graduation, definitely.

**What has been the best day in your life so far?** My first day going to Spain.

**What advice to you have for freshmen?** Don't pass up the difficult classes you're offered. Find motivation in school, because if you walk in blindly it's going to be really difficult, and it makes it seem pointless, but it's not.

**What are your plans after graduation?** I'm enrolled at SVSU. I don't know what I want to major in yet, but I hope to find out in the next year or two.

Student Body asked at Linden High School

What frustrates you about government?

Compiled by Tim Jagielo

ALEIGHSHA ENGISCH, JUNIOR



"How they can hold things behind us without citizens knowing."

MAKAYLA CAVANAUGH, JUNIOR



"I think some of the laws they passed are not good for all the people."

ASHLEY KLAVITTER, JUNIOR



"I don't like the voting age. I think it should be younger."

ALAN RODGERS, JUNIOR



"Everyone should be more informed on bills that are going to be passed."

TORI DAVIS, JUNIOR



"I don't like how a lot of things go in court; it's unfair, the rulings."

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### Marcella J. Hoehnen,

Marcella J. Hoehnen - age 89, died January 8, 2012. Share memories at [www.temrowskifuneralhome.com](http://www.temrowskifuneralhome.com).



### Wilhelmina Russ,

Wilhelmina Russ - age 92, died January 11, 2012. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



**Lee Mitchell Sr.,**  
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### Stephen Dmoch,

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### Harry Pully Jr.,

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### Beverly Sprague,

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### Gene Oller,

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### Rev. Vincent Myers,

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### Wesley Kerbyson,

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### Olive Condon,

Olive Condon - age 80, died January 12, 2012. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Grace Esther (Crumrine) Kluck 1927-2012

Grace Esther (Crumrine) Kluck - age 84, of Wheatfield, Indiana, formerly of Linden, passed away in Wheatfield. Funeral Services will be 10 AM Wednesday, January 18, 2012 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel, 209 E. Broad St., Linden. Deacon Ron Kenney officiating. Interment will follow in Sharp Cemetery, Deerfield Twp. Visitation will be Tuesday 3-6 PM at the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to St. Anthony Hospice, 203 Franciscan Dr., Crown Point, IN 46307. Grace was born January 27, 1927 in London, England the daughter of the late Ernest and Dorothy (Caruthers) Wood. She married Dewitt Crumrine on July 27, 1946 in London, England and he preceded her in death in 1991. Surviving are her daughter, Becky O'Grady of Wheatfield and sister, Kathleen Wood of London, England. Online condolences may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Ishmael Turner,

Ishmael Turner - age 61, died January 12, 2012. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Jennifer Gunther,

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### Robert Benson,

Robert Benson - age 78, died January 9, 2012. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Thomas Patrick Campbell 1950-2012

Thomas Patrick Campbell - age 61, of Fenton, died Wednesday, January 11, 2012 at his residence. Funeral Mass will be celebrated 12 PM Saturday, January 14, 2012 at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 600 N. Adelaide St., Fenton. Fr. David Harvey celebrant. Visitation was held at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton Friday from 1-4 and 6-9 PM and will also be held at church Saturday from 11 AM until time of Mass. A vigil service was held at the funeral home 7 PM Friday. Those desiring may make contributions to Avalon Hospice or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Thomas was born April 21, 1950 in Detroit, the son of John Henry and Jean Edna (Poulter) Campbell. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He married Margaret "Peggy" O'Loughlin October 12, 1974 in Rochester. Thomas had been employed by GM Milford Proving Grounds for 25 years. He had lived in Fenton since 1980 coming from Royal Oak/Berkley.



He was a member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. Surviving are: wife, Margaret "Peggy"; 4 children, Patricia and husband Matt Simpson of Grand Blanc, Christine Campbell and fiancé' Charles and wife Angela Campbell of Texas and Donald and wife Candace Campbell of Hartland; 2 sisters, Mary and husband Palmer Sesti of Waterford and Margaret and husband Rob Taylor of Texas; sister-in-law, Beth Campbell of Massachusetts; numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Douglas Campbell. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).

Derek Lucius of Fenton, Andrew and wife Megan Campbell of Lapeer and Carin and husband Joshua Jackson of Fenton; 3 grandchildren, Mason, Izzy and Ryan; 3 brothers, Jack Campbell of Florida,



Charles and wife Angela Campbell of Texas and Donald and wife Candace Campbell of Hartland; 2 sisters, Mary and husband Palmer Sesti of Waterford and Margaret and husband Rob Taylor of Texas; sister-in-law, Beth Campbell of Massachusetts; numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Douglas Campbell. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).

Campbell of Hartland; 2 sisters, Mary and husband Palmer Sesti of Waterford and Margaret and husband Rob Taylor of Texas; sister-in-law, Beth Campbell of Massachusetts; numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Douglas Campbell. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



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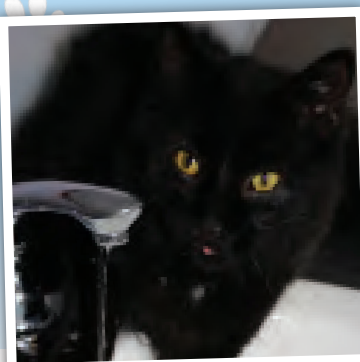
- Each person creates about 4.7 pounds of waste every single day
- In the US 33.4% of solid waste is either recycled or composted, 12.6% is burned in combustion facilities and 54% makes it's way into landfills
- In 2007 99% of lead acid batteries were recycled, 54% of paper and paperboard were recycled, 64% of yard trimmings are recycled and nearly 35% of metals were recycled
- The amount of recycling in 2007 saved the energy equivalent of 10.7 billion gallons of gasoline and prevented the release of carbon dioxide of approximately 35 million cars
- Each ton of mixed paper that is recycled can save the energy equivalent to 185 gallons of gasoline
- Approximately 8,660 curbside recycling programs exist in the United States
- There are about 3,510 community composting programs in the United States
- Disposal of waste to landfills has decreased from 89% in 1980 to 54% in 2007
- Recycling 1 ton of aluminum cans conserves the equivalent of 1,665 gallons of gasoline
- In 2007 the United States recycled and composted 85 million tons of the 254 million tons of municipal solid waste created

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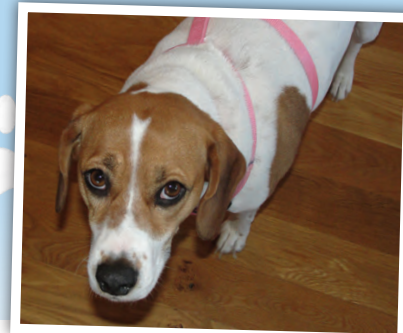
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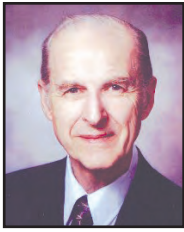


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## Featured columnist

By Roger Campbell



### Stop that faithless fretting

In his book, "There's a Lot More to Health Than Not Being Sick," Bruce Larsen tells about a friend who he says is one of the happiest people he knows. Larsen describes him as a very senior citizen, now almost blind and living on a modest income, but who is fun to be around because he's excited about the future.

In contrast, many who have good health and plenty of money live in fear of what

may be ahead, always expecting some tragedy to befall them. "Whenever I board a plane, I expect it to crash," one man told me. "Then, if it lands safely, I feel good."

Some have chosen this fearful frame of mind for their outlook on life. They make Murphy's Law ("Whatever can go wrong, will") their guiding light and live as if God operated the world on this pessimistic principle.

Nothing could be further from the truth.

In "Letters To An American Lady," C.S. Lewis comforted a troubled woman by telling her not all the things she feared could happen to her and the one (if any) that did would probably turn out very different from what she expected, adding: "The great thing, as you have obviously seen, (both as regards to pain and financial worries) is to live from day to day and hour to hour not adding the past or

the future to the present."

Our Lord agreed, telling His disciples to stop worrying about tomorrow (Matthew 6:34). To fret when we don't have the facts is then both disobedient and faithless.

Sometimes when preaching, I have asked the members of the congregation how many of them have ever worried about things that didn't happen. Many hands have always been raised immediately. Then I have told those who didn't respond that I would speak to them the following week about lying.

In his published sermon, "The Sin of Borrowing Trouble," the eloquent nineteenth century minister, T. DeWitt Talmadge said, "The majority of the troubles of life are imaginary, and most of those anticipated never come."

The Psalmist warned against frivolous fretting in one of his most loved songs, a Psalm to which I have often turned during times of

trouble (Psalm 37). The first two words of this comforting Psalm are "Fret not."

A pastor, trying to comfort a troubled woman in his church asked her if she knew this helpful Psalm and when she replied that she did, he wisely pointed out that she evidently was only familiar with the first word: "Fret." He then wisely suggested she add the second word: "not" and stop her faithless fretting.

The wise minister's good advice would quickly turn fearful days to times of faith and enable us all to be free from our faithless fretting.

No matter what fears plague you today, don't despair.

And, don't expect the worst.

When you trade your fears for faith, God will give strength for today and tomorrow will likely turn out better than you think.

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# LF girls defeat Durand, prepare for game against Goodrich

By David Troppens

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The Lake Fenton varsity girls basketball team has done something it hasn't done in quite awhile on Thursday.

The Blue Devils defeated the Durand Railroaders 43-21 in Genesee Area Conference Red Division action at home.

"It was the first time in four years that we were able to do that," said Lake Fenton's first-year head coach Matt Gildner.

The Blue Devils took control of the

game from the start. They led 14-4 after one quarter and already had a 27-10 lead by half-time.

"In the first half, we were able to control play with our defense and our ball movement," Gildner said.

"It allowed us to get a comfortable lead."

The defense remained strong in the second half. The Blue Devils only scored four points in the third quarter, but it didn't matter because they

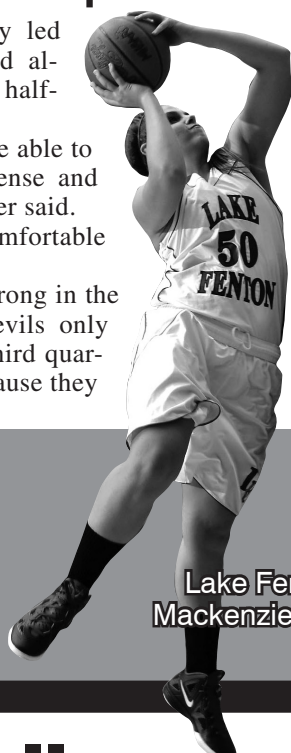
held the Railroaders to just four points as well. Lake Fenton completed an all-around strong defensive performance in the fourth quarter, allowing just seven points.

Mackenzie Gottron had her second strong night of the week. After scoring 14 points in a win against Mt. Morris earlier in the week, she scored a team-high 15 points in this contest. She also had eight rebounds and three assists. Faith Weier added 11 points and 12 re-

bounds. She also had five assists. Sidney Scott, who scored 21 points in the win against Mt. Morris, had eight in this contest.

The Blue Devils (4-1, 5-4) are now in second place, just one game behind first-place Goodrich, another team that the Blue Devils haven't beat in a long time. A win during Thursday's game at Goodrich won't come easy.

The Martians, who remain undefeated, are the top-ranked team in the state in Class B.



Lake Fenton's Mackenzie Gottron

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## Holly wrestlers sweep Metro foes

By Al Zipsie

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**Holly** — The Holly varsity wrestling team flexed their muscles to a pair of wins in the Bronchos' Metro League season opener against Lapeer East, 57-18, and Kearsley, 61-18, Wednesday.

Double-winners for Holly were Tyler Gibson, Mason Cleaver, Zach Jones, Anthony Gonzales, Andy Scott and Shawn Scott.

"We are 10-4 (overall). All of our losses were to ranked teams," Holly coach Don Pluta said. "That is OK. We could pad the record, but this will make us better and seasoned when we need it later in the season. We used a lot of different wrestlers, trying to build some depth. We are doing a mix-and-match to see who will be in the lineup down the road. We have some studs, but the second tier of kids is a key. We had some kids that stepped up tonight."

In the opener the Bronchos' C.J. Kernan got it rolling with a 14-0 major decision (152), and Andy Scott followed with a first-period fall win (160). Shawn Scott (189) recorded a pin in 1:23 for a 16-3 lead. Lapeer East had back-to-back pins, cutting the lead to 16-15. However, Holly put together seven straight wins. After five void wins, Jones (135) had a fall (135) and Gonzales (140) earned a pin in 31 seconds, capping off a 42-point run.

The match ended with Kyle Pepper (145) losing a tight 4-2 decision. Scoreless entering the third period, Pepper had

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## Fenton, Holly remain atop Metro League

### ►Fourth-quarter rally sparks Fenton by Creek

By David Troppens

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**Swartz Creek** — Nothing was going right for the Fenton varsity boys basketball team in Swartz Creek's small and loud gym during the first four minutes of the fourth quarter.

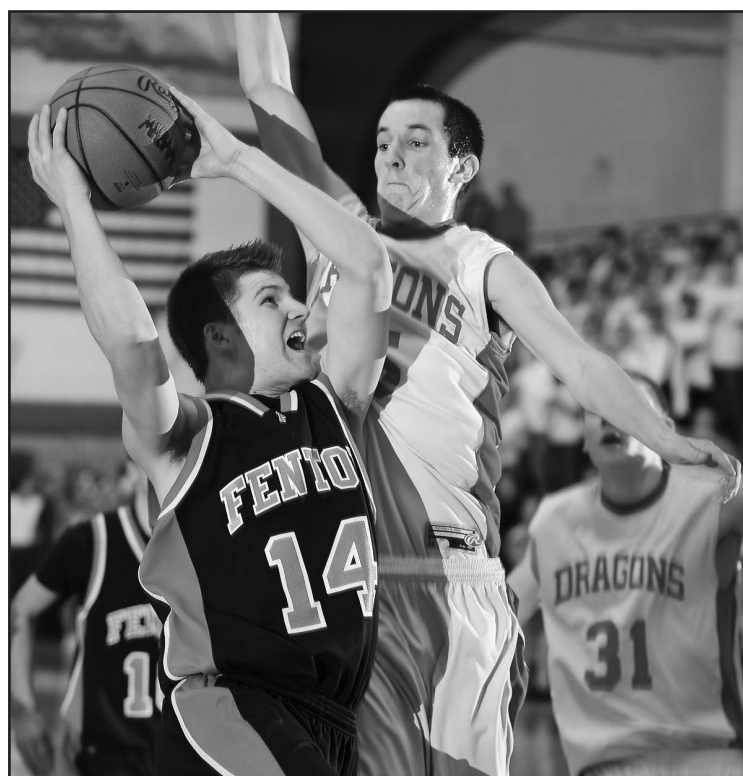
The Tigers trailed 45-37 after a driving layup by Swartz Creek's Max Cummings and hadn't scored at all in the fourth period with just under four minutes left.

But then the Tigers went to an inbound press and went on a 12-0 run. Still it wasn't until Eric Readman made two free throws with 11.7 seconds left that the Tigers took a 51-48 lead and got out of Swartz Creek with a victory by that final score.

"We knew we had so much length," Readman said about the press. "Damon (Thomas) was on the ball, and he's 6-foot-3 with monster arms. We have the Hickoffs, and me and Cory (Cox) back. So we get our hands up and it's hard for people to get the ball over the top of us. They can't get the ball and it's five seconds."

The first five-second call set up Ryan Hickoff's layin with 3:50 left, putting the Tigers down 45-39. It also started the run.

A missed Creek shot resulted in a rebound and a fastbreak layup by Thomas, cutting the gap to 45-41 with 3:26 left. Another Creek turnover set up Readman's fastbreak layup with 2:30 left. Fenton trailed just 45-43. Then, it was a



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Fenton's Mitch Shegos drives to the bucket in the Tigers' 51-48 victory at Swartz Creek Friday night.

Dylan Hickoff drive that tied the game at 45-all with 2:11 left. The Tigers took the lead on a 17-foot baseline jumper by Cox with 1:30 left, and raised the lead to 49-45 with a nice Dylan Hickoff pass to Ryan Hickoff for a layin with 35 seconds left. However, Creek's Cummings responded with a layup and a converted free throw on a Ryan Hickoff foul. The lead was just 49-48 until Readman made his two free throws with 11.7 seconds left, raising the gap to 51-48. Creek had two more chances to tie it, but failed to score.

"We shoot a lot of free throws at

practice every day, so I was confident I could shoot them and knock them down," Readman said.

"You have to have heart. I think we showed a lot tonight. We did a great job as a team getting out of that fourth quarter. It was a lot of fun."

Cox led Fenton with 13 points and four rebounds, while Readman had 12 points. Ryan Hickoff fouled out with seven points, five rebounds and two steals. Dylan Hickoff had six points and four rebounds.

The win keeps Fenton (7-1, 8-1) in a tie with Holly in the loss column in the Metro League race

### Holly girls move into tie for first with win vs. Lapeer West

Allyssa Copley led Holly with 14 points, leading the Bronchos to a 49-39 road victory at Lapeer West.

The win puts the Bronchos (6-1, 8-2) in a tie for first place in the Metro League with West and Clio.

Lauren Maher scored nine points for Holly, while Delaney Serra and

Jessica Beeler had nine points each. **Clio 54, Linden 39**

The Mustangs outscored Linden 20-9 in the fourth quarter, sparking their victory at Linden High School.

Linden (4-4) was led by Sabrina Kinney's 10 points, while Kelsey Brecht had seven points and six

rebounds. Madisen Nosek had six points and four assists.

**Swartz Creek 38, Fenton 37**

Creek's Gabby Deering hit a layup with 1.2 seconds left, giving the Dragons the win. Fenton's Payton Maxheimer scored eight points.

### ►Late treys lead Holly past West

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Lapeer West took a one-point lead with about four minutes to go, but the Bronchos responded with back-to-back three-pointers from Donovan Williams and Isaac Casillas late, sparking the Bronchos' 47-40 road win at Lapeer West High School.

Williams' hoop gave the Bronchos (6-1 in the Metro) the lead for good with 1:30 to left. Casillas' then gave Holly a nice lead. The Bronchos led by as many as nine points late.

The win puts the Bronchos in a tie with Fenton in terms of losses in the Metro League race.

Holly led just 23-20 at the half, and it remained a game from that point on. Nic Stoll led the Bronchos with 10 points, 14 rebounds, five blocks, four assists and four steals. Austin Hopkin chipped in 12 points, while Williams had 12 points. Williams' defense helped keep West's Cullen Turczyn to just 11 points, Alexander defended Zeshawn Parker-Jones most of the night and held him to just four points.

"It was a great defensive effort," Holly coach Lance Baylis said. It was a nice win at Lapeer West."

**Linden 60, Clio 55**

The Eagles continued to play strong ball, collecting a home win against Clio Friday night.

Linden (3-5) trailed 44-41 entering the final quarter, but outscored Clio 19-11 during it to earn the victory. The Eagles had a strong offensive game, scoring at least 10 points in every quarter.

Shaye Brown had a strong game, scoring a team-high 17 points. Josh Hoeberling had 14 points, while Kevin Baker chipped in eight points. Dillon Nash had six points and 11 rebounds, while Marshall Ryan had six assists and eight rebounds.

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# Linden splits Metro matches

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**Linden** — Cliff Coleman probably wrestled with a little more drive on Wednesday than in previous matches this year.

It's not that he hasn't worked hard all year. The Linden junior's record reflects that effort. He's only lost twice all year.

However, for the first time this year, his Dad, U.S. Air Force Tech Sgt. James Coleman, was able to see him wrestle.

Coleman's Dad recently came back home from his military service, and Linden's matches against Lapeer West and Swartz Creek were the first time he got to see his son compete this year. Coleman responded with two impressive fall victories. He opened by beating his West opponent by pinfall in 4:27, and followed it up with a 19-2 technical fall in the Eagles' match against Swartz Creek.

"During the matches, I have him in my thoughts," Coleman said about his dad. "This was the first time he's seen me wrestle this year. That makes me feel great."

As a team, the Eagles wrestled pretty great against Swartz Creek, earning a 44-21 victory. However, West proved too tough in the first match of the night, defeating Linden 55-20.

The Eagles were encouraged by how they ended the night.

"We weren't in the right mindset against West," Coleman said. "We have to work off the bottom more. Against Creek, I'd say we improved more as we wrestled more. We

learned from our mistakes and got the win."

"I'm glad we did well against Creek because Lapeer West owned us tonight," Linden coach Todd Skinner said. "They have some pretty good wrestlers. Last year we beat them and I didn't think we could, because I knew they were tough. I knew they were going to be tough again this year. But with me having guys out of the lineup, there wasn't any way we could beat them. We are still alive. We just need to improve and get our guys where we need them. I'm glad with how they wrestled against Creek."

Against Creek, the Eagles busted out to a 23-0 lead with four straight wins. Austin McNeill (171) and Chase Gifford (189) earned pinfall wins, followed by Tyler Satkowiak's (215) void victory. Coleman (285) capped the run with his 19-2 technical fall win.

Later on, Johnny Bates (112) and Austin Golden (135) earned pinfall wins, while Dylan Musal (130) won by injury default.

Against West, the Eagles had a greater challenge. Linden won just four matches, but three were by pinfall. Along with Coleman's win at 285, Satkowiak (215) and Golden (135) also earned pinfall victories. Meanwhile, Jeff Fisher (189) recorded a 6-1 decision win. But those were the only Linden victories.

With just one Metro loss, the Eagles still control their own destiny for a possible Metro League title, so they aren't panicking at all.

"I feel that we have a lot of improvement



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Linden's Austin Golden (top) works on getting a pinfall win during the Eagles' split in two dual meets on Wednesday.

to make tomorrow and over the weekend, but I think we are pretty good," Coleman said. "I think we are a pretty solid team."

## Fenton vs. Brandon, Clio

The Tigers lost a tight 42-37 Metro League match to Clio, and lost to Brandon 63-15.

The Tigers had one double-winner. That was Chase Roney (130). He won a match by a 6-0 decision and by pinfall at 1:15.

Against Clio, Jamie Castiglione (160)

earned a pinfall win in 1:16, while Preston Wetzel (152) and Jack Anderson (171) were decision victors. Jacob Wykes (135) won by injury default, while Jason Tousley (112) won by void.

In the match against Brandon, Scott Becker (215) won by pinfall in 3:11. Bo Brancheau (140) also won by forfeit.

## What's On Television?

### SATURDAY

#### BASKETBALL

(ESPN2) ..... Connecticut at Notre Dame.....11 a.m.  
(ESPN) ..... Kentucky at Tennessee ..... Noon  
(B10) ..... Michigan at Iowa.....1 p.m.  
(ESPN2) ..... Texas at Missouri.....1 p.m.  
(ESPN) ..... North Carolina at Florida State .....2 p.m.  
(B10) ..... Michigan State at Northwestern.....3 p.m.  
(ESPN2) ..... Oklahoma State at Baylor.....3 p.m.  
(CBS) ..... Oregon at Arizona.....3:30 p.m.

#### FOOTBALL

(FOX) ..... Saints at 49ers ..... 4:30 p.m.  
(CBS) ..... Broncos at Patriots .....8 p.m.

#### GOLF

(GOLF) ..... PGA Sony Open .....7 p.m.

#### HOCKEY

(NBC) ..... Blackhawks at Red Wings ..... 12:30 p.m.  
(FSD) ..... Northern Michigan at MSU.....7 p.m.

### SUNDAY

#### BASKETBALL

(ESPN2) ..... Worn: Ohio State at Michigan State..4 p.m.  
(CBS) ..... Indiana at Ohio State ..... 4:30 p.m.  
(FSD) ..... Warriors at Pistons.....6 p.m.  
(ESPN) ..... Suns at Spurs.....9 p.m.

#### FOOTBALL

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(FOX) ..... Giants at Packers ..... 4:30 p.m.

#### GOLF

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# Hipple helping families understand depression

► Fueled by son's own suicide, ex-Lions' QB educates public about the illness

By David Troppens

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Eric Hipple was alone.

Over 10 years removed from his NFL playing days, the ex-Detroit Lions quarterback was in jail after being arrested for a second DUI and for not following the instructions his judge presented him.

And, yet, Hipple didn't care. Suffering from his own depression demons for most of his life, those issues were now compounded by what happened one April night in 2000, when his only son, Jeff, committed suicide. He was self-medicating with alcohol and drugs, spiraling out of control.

"I didn't care," Hipple said. "There was nothing you could do to me, so I didn't do any of the things the judge told me to do. I was down my own path of destruction, so he had no choice but to sentence me."

And yet, that stay in jail may have saved Hipple's life. It was then Hipple realized he needed to change and get some answers.

"About halfway through that period, I just went, 'What am I doing? This isn't the legacy I want to have. It certainly doesn't honor Jeff.' So I looked for answers when I got out, and that was the start, when I realized we are the ones in charge of the course of our life."

Trying to find the answers to questions about his own self-destructive behavior and his son's suicide has led him to the successful path he now lives. He currently serves as the outreach coordinator for the

University of Michigan Depression Center. Through his job, Hipple has made it his mission to discuss depression and make sure his tragic experiences help create understanding and help for thousands of others.

"From a personal point of view, it's been very rewarding," Hipple said. "To be able to take a very tragic situation and to maybe help someone in the long run, is very rewarding. And in the same token, it honors Jeff in some way. The typical suicidal mind isn't saying, 'I want to die.' What it's thinking about is how things are so overwhelming and they just can't see life changing. It burdens them and they feel they are burdening the people around them."

## Jeff's final moments

Hipple wasn't at home the day Jeff, a 15-year-old Linden student, committed suicide. His wife was just getting home. Jeff was baby sitting his youngest sister when he shot himself.

"He waited until my wife was pulling up in the driveway," Hipple said. "He got some cookies for my daughter and her friend, who were in the other room. It was a plan that he had. It wasn't just a spontaneous deal. He worked it out in his mind, which is tough."

Hipple was in Vancouver at the time.

"It was the worst flight ever," Hipple said. "I was in a plane with a bunch of high school kids. ... It was really hard."

It was a tough time for Hipple's entire family, but it seemed to hit the ex-quarter-



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Ex-Detroit Lions quarterback Eric Hipple spent time talking football and signing his book "Real Men Do Cry" on Saturday. His book is about his family's challenges with suicide and depression. Hipple now serves as an outreach coordinator for the U-M Depression Center.



back hardest.

"I had a lot of guilt issues with it, probably more than they did," Hipple said. "Of course, when I unwound, they started unwinding a little bit, but they were a strong support. My daughter started feeling it five or six years later. She was pretty young."

Suffering from the same depression symptoms his son did, Hipple spiraled out of control — at least until those days he spent in jail.

## Learning about depression

When Hipple got out of jail, he followed through with his plan to understand what happened to his son and to understand his own depression.

"I started to look for information and ways to help pull everything back together again," Hipple said.

He started with charities and got train-

ing in suicide prevention. He started talking in schools. Eventually, he was hired full-time at the University of Michigan Depression Center.

"They created the outreach position, and I've been with it ever since," Hipple said.

Hipple also wrote a book called "Real Men Do Cry," talking about his life experience with depression and his own son's life. His research has answered many questions about himself and his son.

"He had every classical symptom of depression," Hipple said. "He had anxiety feelings and semantic pains. We went

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## Understanding depression

According to the National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH), suicide is the third-leading cause of death among adolescents and teens. Eight in every 100,000 children committed suicide in 2000, and it's estimated for every suicide there were 10 who attempted and failed. In 2000, ex-Detroit Lions quarterback Eric Hipple's son was one of the children who died. Hipple now works for the outreach program of the University of Michigan Depression Center, teaching people from all walks of life about what depression is and how to attack the problem.

According to helpguide.org, here are a few signs of a teen that may be suffering from depression.

- Sadness or hopelessness.
- Irritability, anger or hostility.
- Tearfulness or frequent crying.
- Loss of interest in activities.
- Changes in eating and sleeping habits.
- Restlessness and agitation.
- Feelings of worthlessness and guilt.
- Lack of enthusiasm and motivation.
- Fatigue or lack of energy.
- Thoughts of death or suicide.

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# Fenton swimmers continue strong start

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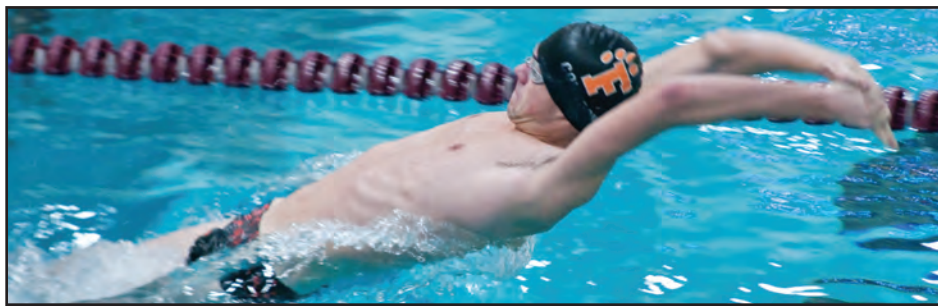
**Fenton** — It's been a good start to the season for the Fenton varsity boys swim team.

Numbers remain very high and now the team is starting to get some quality with that quantity. And while the Tigers usually have been a respectable competitor in the Metro League, usually they were no more than darkhorse pick, looking for the breaks to go their way if they were truly going to contend.

That's probably not the case this year. The Tigers will be one of the serious contenders as the Metro League race heats up.

The Tigers proved that by capping a 4-1 non-league season with a 126-60 victory against Milford on Tuesday night.

Fenton captured first-place finishes in nine events, including all three relays. And while the Tigers were winning events, they were also posting great depth points, earning the top two spots in both freestyle relays, and going 1-2 in the 50 freestyle and the 100 butterfly. The team even swept the top three spots in the 100



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Fenton's David Congdon took first in the backstroke against Milford on Tuesday.

breaststroke.

"We swam very well," Fenton coach Brad Jones said. "Our speed is catching up with our depth, which has made us a much better team."

Adam Ransom took part in four firsts. Individually, he won the 200 freestyle (1:54.41) and the 100 butterfly (59.25). Meanwhile, he teamed with Austin Andreski, Zahne Macklin and Josh Bryant to win the 200 freestyle relay (1:37.25). He also teamed with Andreski, Brant Cassidy and Landon Warren for a first in the 400 freestyle relay (3:54.48).

The 200 medley relay team of David Congdon, Macklin, Alex Chase and Aaron Summers (1:54.87) also won.

Five other Tigers earned individual firsts. They were Bryant in the 100 butterfly (24.85), Andreski in the 100 freestyle (55.34), Mike Banner in the 500 freestyle (5:31.29), Congdon in the 100 backstroke (1:07.43) and Dave Miceli in the 100 breaststroke (1:13.77).

The Tigers' sweep in the breaststroke was completed by second-place Macklin (1:13.95) and third-place Landon Mikulenas (1:17.24).

## HOLLY

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a takedown with 37 seconds left for a 2-1 lead. However, he was taken down with 12 seconds left, resulting in the loss.

"One of the things we have cut out is not holding leads," Pluta said. "That happened with some losses to East."

In the nightcap Holly dismantled Kearsley, winning 12 of the 14 matches. Sophomore Jose Martinez broke an early tie with an aggressive move that resulted

in a pin in 2:54.

"I just took some of the football moves I've learned and basically just made a nice tackle," said Martinez. "I just shot in and got the takedown points. I looked and saw I had the chance for the pin."

The Bronchos won three straight matches by forfeit and then continued the run with some strong wrestling. Cleaver and Jones had first-period pinfall wins, while Jesse Torres (145) had a 9-1 decision win.

"Jesse had a nice match," Pluta said. "Confidence and progress being made."

Andy Scott (152) then won a close battle. He had a nearfall for a 5-0 lead with 1:15 left in the third period, and held on for a 5-1 win over James Davis.

"I've seen him (Davis) wrestle before and I knew it would be a tough match," Scott said. "I wanted to get a two-to-one tilt. I had a bar across the back, a reverse and chicken wing."

Holly hosted its own tournament Saturday. On Wednesday, the Bronchos face Lapeer West and host Clio for a key Metro League contest at Clio.

# Fenton hockey defeats Lapeer

By David Troppens

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While it was early in the Flint Metro League season, the Fenton Tigers couldn't afford another loss if they wanted to win this season's Metro League hockey title against Lapeer's co-op program Wednesday night.

The Tigers don't have to worry about that now.

Fenton (1-1 in the Metro) got the game-winning goal from Jake Foguth with 7:53 left in the contest, earning a 4-3 victory against Lapeer at the Polar Palace.

Lapeer dominated the scoring in the early going, taking a 2-0 lead in the first period. However, Fenton outscored Lapeer 3-1 in the second period, setting up the 3-3 tie entering the final 15 minutes.

During it, Foguth, who also had two assists in the contest, got the game-winning goal.

Danny Delong had a strong offensive game, scoring two goals. Meanwhile, Tyler Delong played a part in every goal during the contest. He scored a goal and assisted the three other goals.

Lapeer got goals from Jeff Reyeson, Dan Dellevecchio and Braydin Walters.

## Lakeville 3, Tri-City Chiefs 1

The Chiefs tied the game up in the second period on a goal by Tyler Donnelly, but Lakeville recorded two third-period goals to earn the 3-1 victory.

Thomas Messenger made 33 saves. Lance Hasenfratz assisted the goal.

## HIPPLE

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to his doctor and he didn't have the flu or a temperature, but he started withdrawing and his grades started falling off. He'd have crying spells — all those things. I didn't know he was at the point of where he was thinking about death.

"Every possible symptom was there. I knew something was wrong, but just didn't know what it was. ... I didn't realize until I got educated."

Hipple expresses his story to children, families and even veterans coming home.

### Education

There are a couple key elements Hipple wants all who listen to him to understand about depression. The first, has to do with that person not being alone. Another is that there are solutions out there.

"It's a brain illness and it's treatable," Hipple said. "There are so many ways of getting there. ... Something leads you there, then, suddenly, the symptoms take over. That changes the brain chemicals and then you end up in full-blown depression."

"It all looks the same when you get there, but it's really treatable. The problem is because of the stigma and people not understanding what is happening to them, they don't know what to do and then suddenly they can't get off the couch."

Hipple emphasizes that depression, if attacked properly, is treatable.

"Once someone understands what depression is and understands the right direction, it's about 85 to 90 percent treatable," Hipple said. "That's the good news."

Today, Hipple, and the rest of his family are doing well. He is married and has

## Teen vs. adult depression

Depression can look different in teens versus what it does in adults. Here are some symptoms that are more prevalent in children than adults.

- **Irritability or angry mood:** Irritability rather than sadness is the predominant mood of depressed teens.

- **Aches and pains:** Depressed teens complain about physical ailments such as headaches or stomachaches. Yet, when examined, no medical cause is revealed.

- **Extremely sensitive to criticism:** Due to feelings of worthlessness, they are extremely vulnerable to criticism, rejection and failure.

- **Withdrawing from some, but not all people:** Depressed teens usually keep at least a few friends, but they will probably socialize less than before or start to hang out with a different crowd.

two daughters — aged 18 and 20 — living at home. He also has a daughter, 30, who lives in Washington D.C. and had a baby in August.

"We are probably the tightest family you have ever seen," Hipple said. "If there is a consolation, that has to be it. I give a lot of credit for my family for hanging in there during a time when stuff went really bad."

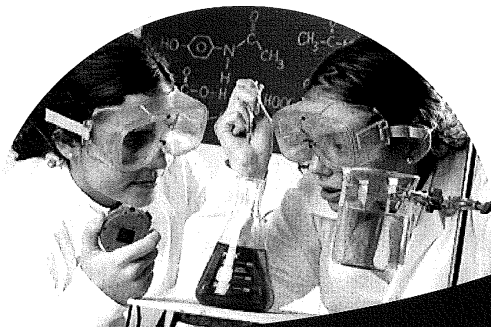
For Hipple the lowpoint was jail, but he found the courage to perform the comeback of his life while there. And through it, he has his life back.

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