Here’s how to choose the best bird for Thanksgiving

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Presenting the perfect turkey on Thanksgiving Day starts way before the bird goes into the oven. It actually begins at the grocery store, when you select the turkey that will best fit your cooking style, your family’s preferences and budget.

With Thanksgiving less than two weeks away, it’s time for every cook to make the decision about which kind of bird to buy. The choices are endless — frozen, fresh, natural, organic, kosher, to name just a few. But when it comes down to the vast majority of turkey purchases, the main decision is fresh vs. frozen.

**Fresh vs. frozen**

Frozen turkeys are widely available and are the least expensive option. There may not be an appreciable difference in quality between a fresh and frozen turkey, depending on where you buy them.

If you buy your fresh turkey at a local farm, your bird will have a more true turkey taste and roast-like fall-apart texture. But it will also come with a higher price tag.

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"I get the most compliments when I make a Spartan frozen turkey over any other kind."

Mark Russell
Meat manager at VG’s

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**Think beyond the bird**

It’s not always “all about the turkey” when it comes to enjoying a Thanksgiving feast. If you want to spend less time in the kitchen and more time visiting with family and friends, maybe you’ll decide to spend a couple of hours dining out at a local restaurant that’s open for Thanksgiving. If you do decide to cook at home, maybe you’ll want to try a different meat other than turkey as your meal’s “main attraction.”

While turkey is by far the most popular Thanksgiving Day entrée, many other meats prepared in special ways can create a memorable meal.

**Spiral ham with orange-mustard glaze**

Succulent spiral ham is brushed with a glaze of tangy orange marmalade and sharp Dijon mustard, and then roasted until it has created a delicious caramelized outer layer.

**INGREDIENTS:**

- 1 jar (12 oz) orange marmalade
- 3 T. Dijon mustard
- 1 fully cooked 7-8 pound spiral-sliced bone-in half-ham (shank or butt)

**PREPARATION:**

Heat oven to 325 degrees. Line a roasting pan with nonstick foil. Mix marmalade and mustard in a small bowl. Place ham in roasting pan. Brush on some of the glaze. Cover loosely with nonstick foil and bake according to package directions, brushing on more glaze halfway through baking time. Serve ham with remaining glaze to drizzle over slices.

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20 Acre Horse Farm Estate
10166 N. Fenton Rd., Fenton
Beautiful Estate located on over 20 acres with an In Ground Pool, Pond, Guest House and Massive Barn. The house has over 3,700 sq.ft., 4 Bedrooms, 4.5 Baths. Large Open Kitchen w/granite, Formal Dining Room, Master Suite with Balcony.
Offered at $639,000

Lake Fenton Waterfront
13138 Latourette Dr., Fenton
Enjoy Stunning views on the open water from this Gorgeous 3800 sq.ft. home with 4 Bedrooms, 3.5 Baths, Gourmet Kitchen, Formal Dining, Heated 3 car Garage with a loft.
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Lake Fenton Waterfront
12539 Margaret Dr. Fenton
This 3 bedroom Ranch has 2 baths and over 2,000 sq.ft. with a formal dining room, Fire Lit living room, 1st Floor Laundry, and full basement. Over 80 ft. of frontage on All Sports Lake Fenton.
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Braemar Lake Waterfront
10758 W. Braemar, Holly
This Gorgeous home on Braemar Lake has 5 bedrooms, 3 baths and over 3,500 sq.ft., Kitchen has granite throughout, Finished Walk Out to the lake with a one acre lot.
Offered at $415,000

Squaw Lake Waterfront
3489 E. Rolston Rd., Linden
Enjoy Elevated Views of Squaw Lake from this 2,100 sq.ft home with 3 Bedrooms, 3.5 Baths, Finished walk out with a 2nd kitchen and additional bedroom. Additional 2 car garage for extra storage space.
Offered at $398,000

New Price:

Lake Fenton Waterfront
13354 S. Horrell Rd., Fenton
This home has over 1,600 sq.ft. 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Fire Lit Living Room, Finished Basement, open floor plan. Master Bedroom with a private deck overlooking All Sports Squaw Lake.
Offered at $350,000

Fenton Schools
793 Carriage Hill, Fenton
This home has been completely renovated with 4 Bedrooms, 3.5 Baths, Cathedral Ceilings, Bamboo floors and granite throughout. Full basement.
Offered at $175,888

20 Acre Estate
5297 Van Vleet Rd., Swartz Creek
Enjoy Open Floor Plan Home in 20 Acre Estate. 5 Bedrooms, 3.5 Baths, Heated 3 Car Garage, Pond, Guest House.
Offered at $349,900

Silver Lake Waterfront
16040 Silvercrest Dr., Fenton
Enjoy Lake View Home on Silver Lake with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, finished basement, 2 car garage.
Offered at $345,000

Lake Fenton Waterfront
12082 Mantawauka Dr., Fenton
This 3 bedroom Ranch has 2 baths and over 2,000 sq.ft. with a formal dining room, Fire Lit living room, 1st Floor Laundry, and full basement. Over 80 ft. of frontage on All Sports Lake Fenton.
Offered at $195,000

College Cultural Center
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Enjoy 1 Bedroom with 1.5 Bath in the heart of Campus. Conveniently located near Peaceful,副教授, and Student Center.
Offered at $139,900

SOLD IN 5 DAYS:

Lake Fenton Waterfront
11511 Torrey Rd., Fenton
Enjoy over 3,700 sq.ft. 5 bedroom, 3.5 bath ranch with in ground pool and finished basement.
Offered at $660,000

Lake Fenton Waterfront
2227 Wiggins Dr., Fenton
Enjoy 2,200 sq.ft. 3 bedroom ranch with finished basement and large back deck.
Offered at $281,690

Wyndham Estates
16447 Cottage Ct., Fenton
Enjoy 2,100 sq.ft. 3 bedroom ranch with finished basement and large back deck.
Offered at $267,000

Pine Lake Waterfront
5151 Harp Dr., Linden
Enjoy frontage on Pine Lake with 2,500 sq.ft. 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch.
Offered at $221,500
The Soo Locks are one of the world’s largest and busiest lock systems. They are located in the St. Marys River joining Lake Huron and Lake Superior, where ships rise and fall 21 feet to continue their journey. It takes 22 million gallons of water to lift a boat. The locks are powered by gravity itself. Water moves in and out of the lock chambers by just opening and closing valves.

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**THE LAKES**

In Michigan, you are always within 85 miles of one of the Great Lakes and only about 20 minutes away from one of the 11,000 plus inland lakes. The Great Lakes account for one-fifth of the world’s surface freshwater supply.

**MICHIGAN IS THE ONLY place in the world with a floating post office. The J.W. Westcott II is the only boat in the world that delivers mail to ships while they are still underway.**

**THE FOOD**

Vernors, Faygo, Better Made, Kool-Aid, Kellogg’s, Machinac fudge, Michigan maple syrup, Sanders, Jiffy, Kowalski, Tubby’s, Big Boy, Little Caesars, Pioneer Sugar & MANY MORE!

**DID YOU KNOW?**

Vernors ginger ale was created in Detroit and became the first soda pop made in the United States. In 1862, pharmacist James Vernor was trying to create a new beverage when he was called away to serve our country in the Civil War. When he returned, four years later, the drink he had stored in an oak case had acquired a delicious gingery flavor.

**GETTING CONEY DOGS from the local coney island.**

**FLINT STYLE CONEYS**

**DETROIT STYLE CONEYS**

**CHEERING ON THE LIONS EVERY THANKSGIVING**

The Lions’ Thanksgiving Day Game was the brainchild of G.A. Richards, the first owner of the Detroit Lions. The Lions were the new kids in town and had taken a backseat to Tigers baseball. Richards had convinced the NBC Radio Network to carry the game coast-to-coast (94 stations) and, additionally, an estimated 26,000 fans jammed into the University of Detroit Stadium while thousands more disappointed fans were turned away. Despite the Bears winning the inaugural game, 19-16, a classic was born. Since 1934, 69 games have been played with the Lions holding a series record of 33-34-2.

**“UP NORTH”**

Michigan ranks first in the nation for the number of registered boats and snowmobiles. Michigan is also home to more public golf courses than any other state.

**NO FRONT LICENSE PLATE**

**THE DETROIT ZOO** was the first zoo in America to feature cageless, open-exhibits that allowed the animals more freedom to roam. In the 1880s, a circus came to Detroit, but while there, it went bankrupt. A Detroit philanthropist purchased the animals and started the zoo. Just a year later, the zoo closed, but in 1911, a society formed to reopen it. That occurred in 1928, when the zoo moved to Royal Oak, and Detroit became the first city in the United States to have a “cageless” zoo.

**WILD HISTORY**

**TEXT YOUR SPORTS PHOTO TO 810-922-5193**

Your photo will be posted in a gallery on the Tri-County Times website.
**Weekend Events**

**Friday, December 5**
- **Linden High School Competitive Art Show**
- **Breakfast and pictures with Santa**

**Saturday, December 6**
- **Holiday lighted parade**
- **Christmas Tree lighting**
- **Picture with Santa and much more!**

**Racing Events**
- **Steve’s**
- **Buck’s**

**Local Recipes**

**Bacon-wrapped pork loin**
This bacon-wrapped pork loin is finished with a delicious brown sugar glaze. Serve this main dish with mashed potatoes, corn, and a tossed salad.

**INGREDIENTS:**
- 1 (5-6 pound) boneless pork loin
- 4 to 6 slices bacon
- 1/2 clove garlic, finely minced
- 4 to 6 ozs. mushrooms, thinly sliced
- 1/2 t. coarse ground black pepper
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1/2 t. coarse ground black pepper
- 1/2 t. ground cumin

**PREPARATION:**
Heat oven to 350 degrees. Place pork loin in a roasting pan. Combine the rub ingredients and rub over the pork. Cut each strip of bacon in half crosswise and lay them over the pork loin. Roast for about 1 1/2 to 2 hours or until the pork registers 150 degrees. Combine brown sugar, flour, cider vinegar, and dry mustard in a saucepan.

Bring to a simmer and simmer for about 1 minute. Spoon over the pork and return to the oven. Roast for about 15 to 20 minutes longer, or until pork registers 160 degrees. Serves 6 to 8.

**Beef tenderloin with red wine sauce**
The Bordelaise-style sauce is made with red wine, parsley, thyme, butter, and seasonings. Use a meat thermometer or instant-read thermometer to keep a close eye on this roast’s temperature.

**INGREDIENTS:**
- 1 1/2 to 2 pounds beef tenderloin
- 1 clove garlic, halved
- Salt and pepper
- 2 T. olive oil
- 4 to 6 ozs. mushrooms, thinly sliced
- 1 shallot, chopped, or 2 green onions
- 1 clove garlic, finely minced
- 3 T. flour
- 1/2 c. dry red wine, such as Pinot Noir or Cabernet Sauvignon

**PREPARATION:**
Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Rub roast with garlic cloves; sprinkle with salt and pepper. Roast the tenderloin in an open shallow pan for about 30 to 35 minutes, to about 125-130 degrees for medium rare to medium. Remove roast to a warm platter. Add oil, mushrooms, chopped shallot or green onion, and minced garlic to pan drippings; place over medium heat and sauté until tender. Stir in flour until well blended; add the red wine and broth. Simmer until reduced by about 1/4 to 1/3. Add thyme, salt and pepper to taste. Serve alongside sliced tenderloin. Serves four.
THANKSGIVING

Why do we eat turkey for Thanksgiving?

Although turkeys are the main cuisine of today’s Thanksgiving celebrations, these birds were not the most popular centerpiece on the first Thanksgiving tables. In 1621, when the Plymouth colonists and Wampanoag Indians celebrated the first Thanksgiving, they were gobbling up much more than turkey. Since lobster, goose, duck, seal, eel, and cod were plentiful during this time, these foods were mostly the main courses of this first feast. Deer meat and wild fowl are the only two items that historians know for sure were on the menu of this autumn celebration.

So how did the turkey become the main attraction of modern-day Thanksgiving, if we don’t know that turkeys were at this first feast?

One story tells of how Queen Elizabeth of 16th century England was eating roast goose during a harvest festival. When news was delivered to her that the Spanish Armada had sunk on its way to attack her loved England, the queen was so pleased that she ordered a second goose to celebrate the great news. Thus, the goose became the favorite bird at harvest time in England.

When the Pilgrims arrived in America from England, roasted turkey replaced roasted goose as the main cuisine because wild turkeys were more abundant and easier to find than goose.

Free-range

If you’re interested in a free-range fresh turkey, it may already be too late to order one from a local farm. Patricia Roese of Hartland Farms said that all their fresh turkeys were reserved back in August and September, but that frozen ones from their summer flock weighing 29-31 pounds are still available. “We sold out earlier than ever this year,” said Roese. “The frozen ones taste just as good, because they’re raised the same: free-range and pasture and grain fed.”

These turkeys are priced at $3.25 per pound.

Thompson Creek Turkey Farm in Flint still has fresh, free-range turkeys in the 12 to 14 pound size range through their Mill Road store, priced at $2.29 per pound, according to Assistant Manager Kristin Oskey. “We sold out earlier than ever this year,” she said. What size of turkey should you buy?

The rule of thumb is one pound of uncooked turkey per person, which provides enough for everyone to have a generous serving, with leftovers for the weekend. If your family wants mostly white meat, consider cooking an additional turkey breast. If your family prefers dark meat, cook two smaller turkeys instead of one large one. They’ll cook faster than a larger turkey and are easier for one person to handle. Plus, it doubles the drumsticks and wishbones.

If you don’t have time to cook, you may have many other options. You can buy a whole roasted or fried turkey from Thompsonville Turkey Farm for $54.99 or a complete dinner “with all the trimmings” from there or local grocery stores. Many restaurants are also open on Thanksgiving Day, but you’ll need to make reservations soon.

Space exploration project hopes to learn more about the Solar System’s infancy

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Nov. 12 marked an important milestone in space exploration, as the Philae lander of the European Space Agency (ESA) touched down on a comet after a seven-hour descent from its mother craft.

Philae’s mother craft Rosetta had been orbiting the comet for the past three months. In fact marking its own milestone as the first spacecraft to rendezvous with a comet. This landing marks the historical end of a 10-year flight from Earth that began on March 2, 2004 and spanned 6.4 billion kilometers.

Matt Taylor, one of the project’s scientists said that the main goal of the project is to better characterize a comet from the surface. The ESA reports that Philae’s scientific exploration will range from on-the-spot analysis of the surface composition to collecting samples from a depth of 23 meters with a drill for scanning on an onboard computer. Low frequency radio signals beamed between Philae and Rosetta through the nucleus will probe the internal structure.

Comets are byproducts of the formation of the Solar System, referred to by Taylor as “time capsules.” With Philae’s eye finally on the surface, with experiments to continue for at least a year, the projects leaders believed they have opened a door into the beginning of the Solar System and a better understanding of what has changed since then.

“I’m really glad that they were able to land,” said Holly High school science teacher Lachelle Lemmons, “Hopefully they can get some good data.” Lemmons had talked about the landing with an independent-study student, and the power issues the lander has been having.

“Right now it’s my understanding that it’s in too much shadow,” said Lemmons. “Hopefully they can get it positioned so that they can do a full mission.”
Within 20 minutes after your last smoke, you could feel better

Stop smoking for the Great American Smokeout

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Thursday, Nov. 20 is the day of the Great American Smokeout, and ironically, after 20 minutes of not smoking you’ll already start to feel the benefits.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the effects of quitting start to set in immediately and in less than 20 minutes after your last cigarette your heart rate will already start to drop back toward normal levels.

After just two hours without a cigarette, your heart rate and blood pressure will have decreased to near-normal levels, your peripheral circulation may improve and the tips of your fingers and toes may start to feel warm. The bad part is this is when the nicotine withdrawal symptoms will start.

Some of these symptoms include intense cravings, anxiety, tension or frustration, drowsiness or trouble sleeping and increased appetite.

In just 12 hours after quitting smoking, the carbon monoxide in your body decreases to lower levels, and your blood oxygen levels increase to normal.

Smokers face a 70 percent higher risk of heart attacks than non-smokers do, but just one day after quitting that rate begins to drop.

After three days, the nicotine will be completely out of your body, but this is also the time when withdrawal is at its worst. Some of these withdrawal symptoms include headaches, nausea, or cramps in addition to the emotional symptoms previously mentioned.

After a couple of weeks, circulation will improve and lung function will improve significantly. This makes for easier breathing and the ability to walk and exercise without becoming winded.

In addition, it’s around this time that withdrawal symptoms will start to fade.

After about a month, the cilia, tiny, hair-like structures that push out mucus, will start to repair themselves. They help to reduce infection, when they are working properly. In addition, your now healthier lungs will help decrease coughing and shortness of breath.

After one year smoke-free, the risk of heart disease is lowered by 50 percent. After five to 15 years of living smoke-free, the risk of having a stroke is now the same as someone who never smoked.

Quitting also reduces the risk of cancer. After 10 years smoke-free, the risk of lung cancer drops half that of a regular smoker and your risk of other cancers also decrease.

If you want to live longer, stop smoking now. “Half of lifelong smokers will die from smoking-related diseases,” said Valerie McLeod, manager of Pulmonary Rehab at McLaren and tobacco treatment specialist.

McLeod pointed out that even a limited level of exposure to cigarettes is unsafe, so only smoking once or twice a day/week is still just as unhealthy.

McLaren offers free quit classes twice a month, she said.

Stopping smoking is associated with the following health benefits

- Lowered risk for lung cancer and many other types of cancer.
- Reduced risk for coronary heart disease, stroke, and peripheral vascular disease.
- Reduced coronary heart disease risk within one to two years of quitting.
- Reduced respiratory symptoms, such as coughing, wheezing, and shortness of breath.
- Reduced risk of developing chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), one of the leading causes of death in the United States.
- Reduced risk for infertility in women of reproductive age.

Source: cdc.gov
Stepdaughter lacks life skills to thrive

DEAR AMY:
After being single for over 15 years, I married a very kind man with a daughter. She is now 18. Everything is supplied for her immediately upon her demand. There is no “earning it,” nor any expectation of thanks or gratitude. On top of it all, she attempted to kill herself about a year ago and this has her father running even more scared. I have tried to talk to him about having her take more responsibility for her actions. She has no life skills. He says that I need to stay out of it and to life skills. He says that I for her immediate upon her actions. She has no expectation of thanks or “earning it,” nor any personal and determined commitment to her well-being — and to you (because you are his wife, and also because you have good instincts). Unless all of you receive professional help and work very hard to change the dynamic, it will continue — and get worse. Your stepdaughter should receive a mental health evaluation immediately. Her father needs parenting coaching. You two need professional support to strengthen your marriage.

DEAR INTERLOPER:
You think this young woman needs preparation for living on her own. How optimistic of you! Simply stated, she will never live on her own unless her father makes a personal and determined commitment to her well-being — and to you.

INGREDIENTS:
- 2 corn or wheat tortillas
- 1 red onion, finely chopped
- 1 garlic clove, finely chopped
- 1-2 chili peppers, finely chopped
- 3 tomatoes, chopped
- 1 avocado
- 1/2 – 1 C. feta cheese
- 2 eggs
- A handful of chopped fresh cilantro
- Salt and pepper

Recipe from curiousforks.com

Huevos Rancheros
A hearty weekend breakfast

DIRECTIONS
1. In a small pan, sweat onion and garlic in olive oil over medium heat. Add the chili peppers. If you don’t like it too spicy, then remove the seeds from the chili peppers first. Stir-fry for about five minutes, then add the tomatoes. Let everything simmer over medium heat for about ten minutes. Season with salt and pepper.
2. Meanwhile cut the avocado lengthwise, remove the pit and the skin and the cut the avocado into strips and set aside. Roast the tortilla one by one in a little bit of olive oil in a pan over high heat on both sides until they become a little brown.
3. Place the tortillas on a plate. Arrange avocado and the tomato sauce on top. Crumble some feta cheese over it and then place a fried egg on top. Garnish with fresh cilantro.

John’s Restaurant & Pizzeria
Landmark Fenton eatery celebrates 50 years this week

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You don’t have to say anything more than “Johnny’s” and local residents will know exactly what restaurant you’re talking about.

John’s Restaurant and Pizzeria, whose name is synonymous with the Delio Barletta family, will celebrate its 50th Anniversary with special discounts on Wednesday, Nov. 19 (Delio’s birthday) and a huge Anniversary Open House on Friday, Nov. 21 from 6 to 10 p.m.

“It was a dream of Dad’s to celebrate 50 years of Johnny’s,” said Sandy (Barletta) Zdenek, who is now operating the family restaurant. Her father, Delio Barletta, passed away unexpectedly on Sept. 23, 2013, leaving behind a family and community who loved him. “What better way to honor my dad than to have the party and celebrate with our customers?” she said.

The Wednesday, Nov. 19 birthday event will offer customers a special discount, “Buy One Entrée, Get a Second Entrée (of equal or lesser value) 50 percent off.” Barletta would have been 78 years old this year, according to Zdenek.

The Anniversary Open House on Friday, Nov. 21 will include free food, free photo booth photos, cash bar, D.J. a 50/50 drawing, silent auction and other prizes with some of the proceeds going to the Nash Schupbach Memorial Fund.

“My dad left big shoes to fill,” said Zdenek. “Our employees and our customers have been like family to us. We want to celebrate with everyone together.”

DVD RELEASES

Jersey Boys
Clint Eastwood’s big screen version of the Tony Award-winning musical tells the story of the four young men from the wrong side of the tracks in New Jersey who came together to form the iconic ‘60s rock group The Four Seasons. Their trials and triumphs are accompanied by the hit songs that influenced a generation, and are now being embraced by a new generation of fans through the stage musical. R, 2 hr. 14 min

Let’s Be Cops
It’s the ultimate buddy cop movie except for one thing: they’re not cops. When two struggling pals dress as police officers for a costume party, they become neighborhood sensations. But when these newly-minted “heroes” get tangled in a real life web of mobsters and dirty detectives, they must put their fake badges on the line. R, 1 hr. 49 min

How To Train Your Dragon 2
DreamWorks Animation returns to the world of dragons and Vikings in this sequel to their successful 2010 outing How To Train Your Dragon. The original film followed the exploits of a Viking chief’s son, who must capture a dragon in order to mark his passage into manhood and prove his worthiness to the tribe. PG, 1 hr. 45 min

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Fenton WINTER SPORTS 2014-15 SCHEDULES

VARIOUS GIRLS BASKETBALL
- Tue. Dec 2: 5:30 p.m. at Howell
- Fri. Dec 5: 7 p.m. at Hartland
- Fri. Dec 12: 6 p.m. at Holly
- Tue. Dec 16: 7 p.m. at Ortonville-Brandon
- Tue. Dec 19: 6 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Fri. Jan 9: 6 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Tue. Jan 13: 7 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Thu. Jan 15: 5:30 p.m. at Davison
- Tue. Jan 20: 4 p.m. at Davison
- Thu. Jan 22: 5:30 p.m. at Hartland
- Tue. Jan 27: 4 p.m. at Ortonville-Brandon
- Thu. Jan 29: 5:30 p.m. at Holly
- Fri. Feb 3: 7 p.m. at Flushing
- Thu. Feb 5: 5:30 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Fri. Feb 10: 7 p.m. at Lapeer
- Thu. Feb 12: 5:30 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Fri. Feb 17: 4 p.m. at Goodrich
- Fri. Feb 20: 5:30 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Fri. Feb 24: 4 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Thu. Feb 26: 5:30 p.m. at Linden

VARIOUS BOYS BASKETBALL
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- Thu. Dec 18: 5:30 p.m. at Ortonville-Brandon
- Fri. Dec 19: 7:30 p.m. at Swartz Creek
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JV GIRLS BASKETBALL
- Tue. Dec 2: 5:30 p.m. at Howell
- Fri. Dec 5: 5:30 p.m. at Hartland
- Thu. Dec 11: 7 p.m. at Holly
- Tue. Dec 16: 5:30 p.m. at Ortonville-Brandon
- Thu. Dec 18: 7 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Thu. Dec 25: 5:30 p.m. at Ortonville-Brandon
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- Tue. Jan 20: 5:30 p.m. at Davison
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- Thu. Feb 19: 7 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Wed. March 4: 7 p.m. at Powers Catholic

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- Thu. Dec 28: 5:30 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Thu. Jan 12: 5:30 p.m. at Lapeer
- Thu. Jan 19: 7 p.m. at Awesome
- Thu. Jan 23: 5:30 p.m. at Clio
- Tue. Jan 27: 7 p.m. at Holly
- Thu. Jan 30: 7:30 p.m. at Swan
- Fri. Feb 3: 7:30 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Thu. Feb 12: 7:30 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Thu. Feb 19: 7:30 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Thu. Feb 26: 7:30 p.m. at Lapeer
- Thu. March 5: 7 p.m. at Powers Catholic

FRESHMAN BOYS BASKETBALL
- Thu. Dec 11: 5:30 p.m. at Holly
- Thu. Dec 18: 4:30 p.m. at Swartz Creek
- Thu. Jan 6: 6 p.m. at Hartland
- Fri. Jan 8: 6 p.m. at Clio
- Thu. Jan 16: 6 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Thu. Jan 22: 5:30 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Fri. Jan 23: 6:30 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Fri. Jan 27: 6:30 p.m. at Flint Kearsley
- Fri. Feb 7: 5:30 p.m. at Carman-Ainsworth
- Thu. Feb 12: 6 p.m. at Clio
- Thu. Feb 19: 6:30 p.m. at Clio
- Thu. Feb 26: 6:30 p.m. at Clio
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A variance request by Robert and Karen Maniez for a variance to allow a second detached accessory structure (2 car garage) on the property, located at 6309 Office, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan 48430.

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1. I’ll Be There - Jackson 5
2. We’ve Only Just Begun - Carpenters
3. Fire And Rain - James Taylor
4. I Think I Love You - Partridge Family
5. Indiana Wants Me - R. Dean Taylor
6. Green-Eyed Lady - Sugarloaf
7. Tears Of A Clown - Smokey Robinson & The Miracles
8. Somebody’s Been Sleeping - 100 Proof Aged
9. Sun - Caddy
10. Gypsy Woman - Brian Hyland


ACROSS:
1. Means of "The Mark" (7)
2. "in Cadco" (7)
3. Race horse, or tower, say (7)
4. Subtle bits (9)
5. Greek love goddess (7)
6. It's not too hot or too heavy (9)
7. Prances to compete in (9)
8. Put on, as clothes (5)
9. With Go-Down, "No need to shout" (5)
10. A couple of (5)
11. Big, diverse collection (3)
12. Gets soggy (5)
13. Quarterback starting money (7)
14. Parcel (out) (5)
15. Family member with long, narrow saw (7)
16. Belarus (6)
17. Greeting statement in Mac ads (11)
18. Strag’s Off Road surface stuff (9)
19. "Epic" (7)
20. "Altos" David Hasselhoff show (9)
21. "Bride" (5)
22. "Dove" (5)
23. "Tido around" (5)
24. "The Perk Group" (9)
25. "Petrof" (5)
26. "Eh" (4)
27. "Illegible" acrostic (5)
28. "Dreamy" (7)
29. "Gold" (7)
30. "Quick" (5)
31. "Degas" (9)
32. "Dumbo" (7)
33. "Hindi" (5)
34. "Dwelling" (9)
35. "Kleenex" tool (6)
36. "Rita" (1)
37. "Arrogant" (1)
38. "Home" (6)
39. "Make" (7)
40. "Sophie" (6)
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42. "Find" (6)
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44. "Sticks" (6)
45. "Weaving" (7)
46. "There's" (6)
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SUNDAY SCRABBLERS


Today's Word: YEARN

1. To Today's Word: YEARN
2. Sear; 3. Ignore; 4. Yonder; 5. Cause

A LOOK BACK AT THE TOP 10 SONGS

Week of Nov. 14, 1970

1. Run Around
2. Me, Myself and I
3. Your Love
4. I'm Not in Love
5. How Do You Love Me
6. In the Ghetto
7. I'm Gonna Make Him Love Me
8. The Lion Sleeps Tonight
9. I Started a Joke
10. It Don't Matter (To Me)

TOP 10 SONGS

1. To Me - Brian Hyland
2. Gypsy Woman - R. Dean Taylor
3. Somebody's Been Sleeping - Sugarloaf
4. Sun - Caddy
5. Gypsy Woman - Smokey Robinson & The Miracles
6. Green-Eyed Lady - Sugarloaf
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ROSE TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 14, FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION, ARTICLE IV, DELETING DEFINITION OF FIREWORKS.

Rose Township Ordinance No. amending Chapter 14, Fire Prevention and Protection, Article IV, Burning, definition of Fireworks Sec. 3.9 as follows:

Sec. 3.9 “Fireworks” is deleted with a new definition found at Article V, Fireworks.

ADOPTION

At a regular meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Rose held on 12th day of November, 2014 adoption of the foregoing amendment to the ordinance was moved by Scheib-Snider and supported by Turevthan.

CERTIFICATION

I, DUY ELECTED CLERK OF THE Township of Rose, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an amendment to Chapter 14, Fire Prevention and Protection, deleting the definition of “Fireworks” Article IV.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have affixed by official signature this 12th day of November, 2014.

Signed: Debbie Miller, CMC, CMMC
Rose Township Clerk

FIREWORKS ORDINANCE

The following amendment to Chapter 14, Fire Prevention and Protection, adding a new section, V. “Fireworks” was adopted at the Rose Township board Meeting on the 12th day of November, 2014. Rose Township Ordinance No. Amendment to Code of Ordinances, Chapter 14, Fire Prevention and Protection, adding a new Article V. “Fireworks”.

Section One - Purpose

The purpose of this amendment is to amend Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, Township of Rose, Oakland County, Michigan, to regulate the use and discharge of certain fireworks consistent with the Michigan Fireworks Safety Act, Act 256 of 2011, as amended.

Section Two - Amended Ordinance

A new Article V is hereby added to Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, Rose Township, Oakland County Michigan, to read in its entirety as follows:

ARTICLE V. FIREWORKS

Sec. 14-89. Definitions.

Act means the Michigan Fireworks Safety Act, Act 256 of 2011 (MCL 28.451 et. seq.), as it may be amended from time to time.

Agricultural and wildlife fireworks means fireworks devices distributed to farmers, ranchers and growers through a wildlife management program administered by the United States Department of Interior of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Alcoholic Liquor means that term as defined in MCL 257.1 of the Michigan Vehicle Code, Public Act 300 of 1949, as amended.

Articles Pyrotechnic means pyrotechnic devices for professional use that are similar to consumer fireworks in chemical composition and construction but not intended for consumer use and are identified as such in the Act.

Commercial Fireworks means display fireworks, articles pyrotechnic, special effects and agricultural and wildlife fireworks.

Consumer Fireworks means fireworks devices that are designed to produce visible effects by combustion, that are required to comply with construction, chemical composition, and labeling regulations promulgated by the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission and are identified as such in the Act. Consumer fireworks do not include low-impact fireworks.

Controlled Substance means that term as defined in MCL 257.8b, Public Act 300 of 1949, as amended.

Display Fireworks means large fireworks devices that are explosive materials intended for use in fireworks displays and designed to produce visible or audible effects by combustion, deflagration or detonation and are identified as such in the Act.

Firework or Fireworks as defined by the Act means any composition or device, except for a starting pistol, a flare gun, or a flare, designed for the purpose of producing visible or audible effect by combustion, deflagration, or detonation. Fireworks consist of consumer fireworks, low-impact fireworks, article pyrotechnic, display fireworks and special effects.

Low Impact Fireworks means ground and handheld sparkling devices as that phase is defined under APA standard 87-1, 3.2, 3.2.1, 3.2.2, 3.2.3, and 3.5.2

Minor means an individual who is less than 18 years of age.

National Holiday means any of the following legal public holidays:

New Year’s Day, January 1st
Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday, third Monday in January
Washington’s Birthday, third Monday in February
Memorial Day, last Monday in May
Independence Day, July 4th
Labor Day, first Monday in September
Columbus Day, second Monday in October
Veterans Day, November 11th
Thanksgiving Day, fourth Thursday in November
Christmas Day, December 25th

Novelties or Novelties Fireworks means those terms as defined under APA standard 87-1, 3.2, 3.2.1, 3.2.2, 3.2.3, 3.2.4, and 3.2.5 and all of the following:

(i) Toy plastic or paper caps for toy pistols in sheets, strips, rolls or individual caps containing not more than .25 gram of explosive content per cap, in packages labeled to indicate the maximum explosive content per cap.

(ii) Toy pistols, toy cannons, toy canes, toy trick noisemakers, and toy guns in which toy caps as described in subparagraph (i) are used, that are constructed so that the hand cannot come in contact with the cap where in place for the explosion, and that are not designated to break apart or be separated so as to form a missile by the explosion.

(iii) Fitter sparklers in paper tubes not exceeding 1.8 inch in diameter.

(iv) Toy snakes not containing mercury, if packed in cardboard boxes with not more than 12 pieces per box for retail sale and if the manufacturer’s name and the quantity contained in each box are printed on the boxes and toy smoke devices.

Person means an individual, agent, association, charitable organization, limited liability company, corporation, labor organization, legal representative, partnership, unincorporated organization, or any other legal or commercial entity.

Special Effects means a combination of chemical elements or chemical compound capable of burning independently of the oxygen of the atmosphere and designed and intended to produce an audible, visual, mechanical, or thermal effect as an integral part of a motion picture, radio, television, theatrical, or opera production or live entertainment.

Unmanned free floating devices means any unmanned free-floating device, such as sky lanterns, Chinese lanterns, including, but not limited to Chinese and sky lanterns which require fire underneath to propel it and is not moored to the ground while aloft, having an uncontrolled and unpredictable flight path and descent area so as to pose a potential fire risk.

Sec. 14-90. Use of Consumer Fireworks.

(a) A person may ignite, discharge or use Consumer Fireworks in Rose Township only on the day before, the day of and the day after a national holiday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. (midnight), except for New Year’s Day when a person may ignite, discharge or use Consumer Fireworks between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. (midnight).

(b) Fireworks shall not be ignited, discharged or used by a minor, i) a person under the influence of alcohol or controlled substance, or ii) on public property, a public street right-of-way, school property, church property or property of another person without that persons written authorization to do so, or iii) in a manner that causes damage to persons or adjacent property or in violation of this ordinance or the Act.

(c) Rubbish resulting from the ignition discharge and use of fireworks shall be contained on the property in which the fireworks are ignited, discharged, or used and shall be properly disposed of from said property and any adjacent property.

Sec. 14-91. Commercial Fireworks.

Commercial Fireworks shall not be discharged in Rose Township without a permit.


Unmanned Free Floating Devices are prohibited from use in Rose Township. Low Impact or Novelties Fireworks are regulated by the Act and not by this Ordinance.

Sec. 14-93. Permits.

A permit is required to discharge Commercial Fireworks.

1) Permit Application. A person seeking a permit to discharge Commercial Fireworks shall complete an application for a permit, which shall be submitted to the township clerk’s office at least 45 days in advance of the proposed discharge or display date and shall include the following:

a. A completed application from the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulation as required by MCL 28.466(1) with all requested information provided;

b. Proof that the applicant is over 18 years of age;

c. A license or permit to operate and discharge Commercial Fireworks from the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives as required by the Safe Explosives Act;

d. A scale drawing of the site, including the location of adjacent buildings, viewing and parking areas;

e. Proof of insurance as provided herein;

f. Qualifications of the fireworks display operator as required by NFPA 1123;

g. Description of the display and number and type of fireworks to be discharged including a protocol to track and account for all discharged fireworks and any unexploded fireworks, their location and disposal;

h. Proof to the Township Fire Chief or his designee, that the applicant is knowledgeable of the recommended safety requirements outlined in NFPA 1123;

i. Out of state applicants shall appoint in writing a resident member of the bar of this state or a resident agent to be the legal representative upon whom all process in an action or proceeding against the person may be served; and

j. Payment of and application fee in the amount of $250.00 payable to the Township.

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   a. The Township Clerk shall forward the application to the Fire Chief for the North Oakland County Fire Authority (“NOCFA”) and both shall review for completeness.
   b. The Fire Chief or his designee shall make a written recommendation to the Township Board.
   c. The Township Board shall review the application and issue a permit if satisfied that the application is complete, the discharge will not endanger the public health, safety or welfare and the time, duration and location of the fireworks will not unreasonably disturb the peace of neighboring property owners. The board may consider the impact the discharge may have on adjoining properties with livestock or horses.
   d. Permits shall not be transferred or assigned without prior board approval.
   e. As a condition of approving a permit application, the applicant shall provide a certificate of insurance and a copy of the policy acceptable to the township naming the Township of Rose, NOCFA, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and volunteers as additional insureds with coverage and limits as follows:
      i. Workers Compensation and Employer’s liability coverage with the statutory limits and requirements;
      ii. General liability for claims for personal injury or property damage, $2,000,000.00/per occurrence and $4,000,000.00/aggregate and products/completed operations, $2,000,000.00.
      iii. Automobile Liability combined single limit of $500,000.00
   f. Execution of an Indemnity and Hold Harmless Agreement in favor of the Township.

Sec. 14-95. Right of inspection, entry and revocation.
The Fire Chief or his designee shall be entitled to inspect and enter the site or location of the area identified in the permit for the discharge of fireworks to confirm compliance with this ordinance and may revoke the permit if violations are found if it damages property or injury to the viewing public is occurring or is probable in the judgment of the Fire Chief or his designee. An additional $50.00 inspection fee is payable to NOCFA for any subsequent inspections to verify compliance.

Sec. 14-96. Enforcement Authority.
The Fire Chief or any personnel of NOCFA authorized by the Fire Chief, a police officer, or the township constable or other designee of the township shall have enforcement authority to issue citations for violations of this ordinance.

Sec. 14-97. Violations.
Violations of this Ordinance shall be deemed a municipal infraction subject to the penalties and the provisions of section 18-47.

Sec. 14-98. Fines and costs for violations of this Ordinance.
A person who admits or is found responsible for committing a municipal civil infraction shall pay a civil fine as determined by the district court, district court judge, or district court magistrate. A minimum fine for each violation shall be assessed as follows:
   (1) For a first offense, the minimum fine shall be $100.00.
   (2) For the second offense, the minimum fine shall be $250.00.
   (3) For the third or subsequent repeat offense, the minimum fine shall be $500.00.
A person who admits or is found responsible for committing a municipal civil infraction shall pay a civil fine as determined by the district court, district court judge, or district court magistrate, plus all direct and indirect expenses and costs, including enforcement, rescue or firefighting activities incurred by NOCFA or the Township in connection with violations of the Ordinance.

All ordinances and portions of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

14-100. Effective Date.
This ordinance shall become effective thirty days after publication.

ADOPTION
At a regular meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Rose held on the 12th day of November 2014, adoption of the foregoing ordinance was moved by Scheib-Snider and supported by Trevethan.

CERTIFICATION
I, duly elected clerk of the Township of Rose, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the amendment to Chapter 14 of Rose Township’s Fire Prevention and Protection Ordinance adding a new Sec. V “Fireworks” by the Township Board of Trustees of the Township of Rose at a regular meeting held on the 12th day of November, 2014 at which a quorum was present.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have affixed by official signature this 12th day of November 2014.

Signed: Debbie Miller, CMC, CMMC
Rose Township Clerk


Ronald Lloyd Steffey, Ronald Lloyd Steffey - age 73, of Linden died Friday, November 7, 2014 with his wife and children by his side. Funeral services were held 11 AM Monday, November 10, 2014 at The Rock Church, 11400 Linden Rd., Fenton (corner of Lupton and Bennett Lake Roads). Pastor Wes Morris officiated. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Linden. Visitation was from 1-4 and 6-8 PM Saturday, November 8, 2014 at Sharp Funeral Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd, Fenton, and 10-11 AM Monday at the Rock Church. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to The Rock Church or St. Jude’s Children’s Research Hospital. Ronald was born October 6, 1941 in Flint, the son of Lloyd and Jacqueline (Reed) Steffey. He was a 1969 graduate of Fenton High School where he had played football. He had worked as a Fenton Policeman for several years. He married Sandra J. Stevens on March 7, 1975 in Fenton. He owned and operated with the help of his family, Mid-Michigan Concrete Products the past 30 years. Ron was a devout Catholic and a member of The Rock Church. He was loved and respected by everyone he met and knew. Ron was a “gentle giant” and was the pillar of his family. Each and every one of his grandchildren were so special to him. Surviving are: his wife of 39 years, Sandy; their eight children, Terry (Julie) Steffey of Fen ton, Tim (Stacy) Steffey of Fenton, Tami (Mike) Caspo of Fenton, Matt (Donna) Steffey of Swartz Creek, Daren (Denia) Scully of Fenton, Hugh (Liz) Scully of San Diego, CA, Michael (Jennifer) Scully of Linden, Sean (Michelle) Scully of Temecula, CA, grandchild: Hannah, Lauren (David), Payton (Kyle), Maison, Seth, Bren, Josh, Eric, Kayla, Reagan, Jack, Collette (Wayne), Whitney (Justin), Ryan, Christopher, elian, Samuel, Paige, Brandon, great-grandchildren, Zane, Kander, Emerson, and one due in January. Juli ette, brother, Bill (Sue). Steffey of Lupton, sister, Mary Sharp of Linden, several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and grandson, Daniel Steffey. Tributes may be shared on the obituaries page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
Charter Township of Fenton
Lawn, Landscape & Beach Maintenance Services

The Charter Township of Fenton is requesting proposals from qualified contractors for lawn, landscape and beach maintenance services at the various Fenton Township facilities. Proposal forms and facility locations are available at the Fenton Township Office, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan 48430. Forms may also be downloaded from the Township’s website at www.fentontownship.org.

Sealed proposals must be submitted to, and be on file with the Township at or before 3:00 p.m. Thursday December 4, 2014. Any questions should be directed to the Fenton Township Operations Manager at (810) 629-1537.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON
PUBLIC NOTICE OF
ADOPTED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

At their meeting of November 10, 2014 the Fenton Township Board adopted Ordinance No. 773, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to rezone part of parcel 06-24-200-022, (Vacant land off Petts Road), from R-6 to R-3.

Complete copies of the adopted ordinance may be obtained at the office of the Fenton Township Clerk, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430. The ordinance is also available on Fenton Township’s website at www.fentontownship.org.

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