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**SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 2015** 

Times Life Style



# ISLAND VACATION









U.S. Virgin Islands offers ease of travel without passports, customs or foreign currency

**By Sally Rummel** 

news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282

Who hasn't dreamed about sailing away to a secluded island destination, with nothing more to do than island hop from one secluded islet to another, basking in tropical Caribbean weather and enjoying some of the

world's whitest sand beaches and sparkling waters?

If that kind of island vacation sounds like a perfect getaway, you may want to consider the U.S. Virgin Islands, located between the Atlantic Ocean and the Caribbean Sea, 40 to 50 miles east of Puerto Rico.

For ease of travel without the hassles of passports, customs and foreign currency exchange, you can't beat the distinctive pulse of the U.S. Virgin Islands, a territory of the United States. The four larger islands of St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. John and Water Island are dotted with

dozens of smaller islets and cays. The geography of the islands consists of seaside cliffs, mountains with lush forests, tiny streams, arid lands and white sand beaches.

Sailing is one of the most popular island pursuits, whether you arrange a charter boat to take you from island to island or "bareboat" as the captain on your own sailing trip.

Cheri Church of Travel Brokers in Fen-

ton arranged a holiday trip for a local Fenton family to charter a private yacht in the U.S. Virgin Islands for seven days. "The Captain's First Mate made all the food," said Church. "She called the family a month ahead of the trip to find out what they wanted to dine on, drink and snack on during their seven days at sea. When the family returned from the trip, they called our office and said it was the best trip they had ever taken."

John Schmitt of Superior Travel, agrees that travel to the

U.S. Virgin Islands, including St. Thomas, St. Croix and St. John, is especially suitable for the active traveler.

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chef-owned restaurants, in the absence of all-inclusive resorts. 77 **John Schmitt** 

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PRESIDENT OBAMA'S APPROACH to

fighting terrorism is to mix a few drone strikes with appeasement, where we would draw troops from combat and send terrorists back to the Middle East to fight again. He is not a leader. He is the worst president ever.

I'M JUST LOOKING at another paper and on the front page it says 'Judge upholds

gay marriages in Michigan.' I thought we had a vote a few years ago where at least 75 percent of the people said that marriage is between one man and one woman.

I WROTE SEN. Stabenow asking her to support the Keystone Pipeline because it will create over 40,000 new jobs. Her response said that the oil will be shipped out of our country and she's concerned that it will increase oil company profits. 'Donothing Debbie' continues to be Obama's biggest.

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The Hexo+ stood out among the drones at CES for two reasons: Its affordable price tag (pre-order now for \$1,149) and its auto-follow feature, which lets you create epic aerial videos without needing a dedicated pilot. Hexo+ makes it look like your videos were captured by a professional film crew, thanks to a slick iOS app that can create an entire storyboard, complete with 360-spins, pans and zooms. With your iPhone as the tether, Hexo+ doesn't need any extra remotes or hardware to pilot.

# **WHAT IS CES?**

CES stands for Consumer Electronics Show. The International CES is the world's gathering place for all who thrive on the business of consumer technologies. Held in Las Vegas every year, it has served as the proving ground for innovators and breakthrough technologies for more than 40 years—the global stage where next-generation innovations are introduced to the marketplace.



# **LG 4K OLED EG9900**

It's movie night. Hit the "flex" button on the remote, and the screen of LG's massive new flexible TV bends intimately toward you, wrapping you in 77 inches of bright 4K OLED glory. Or maybe it's game day. All your buddies are here. Hit "flatten" on the remote, and the TV bends back so everyone can see. There's no launch date as yet, and no price, but this flagship TV will likely land north of \$15,000.



# THE PETCUBE

The Petcube is like a baby monitor for your pets — but better. The device has a built-in camera, a laser, and a speaker for engaging your pets in a variety of ways while you're out of the house. Its wide-angle camera captures an entire room and it streams in 720p HD. When streaming video, if you interact with the touchscreen of your smartphone, the built-in laser is activated and you can play with your pets as they follow the light around. If your pet is getting into mischief, the app also allows you to talk to them through the cube and tell them to cut it out. Priced online at \$199.







Compiled by Alexei Rose, intern

# What is your dream vacation?



"Anywhere that is sunny, warm, has an umbrella drink, ocean, and some sand!"

Shawn Hurst Tyrone Township



"The Bahamas, so I can get out of the cold."

— Ken Richardson Argentine Township



"Anywhere where I can sit outside, it is warm, and a great view of water.'

Scott Johnson Fenton Township



"I want to visit Italy, because I am Italian."

— Jen Ryqalski Linden



"I want to go to France because I like the culture, art museums, and the scenery."

Kelly Able Argentine Township



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"I would go to Fiji. It looks like a nice place, because of the weather and activities."

- Mark Casper Argentine Township

# **SAIL AWAY** Continued from Page 1B

"Horseback riding, snorkeling, diving, wind surfing, catamarans and parasailing are just some of the active pursuits travelers can enjoy in this secluded island destination," said Schmitt. "Travelers will find the culinary experience to be very good here, too, with small chef-owned restaurants, in the absence of all-inclusive resorts."

There is one all-inclusive resort in St Thomas, Dreams Sugar Bay. Other resorts are well-known luxury hotels, like The Ritz-Carlton and The Westin, with highly-rated accommodations.

St. Thomas is the most popular and populated of the three main islands. "It's also one of the most popular cruise ports of call for a variety of cruise lines,

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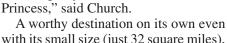
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The U.S. Vir-

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gin Islands are easily accessible from the tri-county area, with daily flights from both Bishop International Airport in Flint and Detroit Metro Airport. Prices start from \$500 to \$700 per person for an approximately eight-hour flight to St. Thomas, with one stop in Atlanta, Georgia. "It depends on when you travel," said Diane Roberts, manager of the Fenton office of Superior Travel. "Their busiest season is January through April, while hurricane season is from May to November."





# **Featured** columnist

By Roger Campbell



# Surprising solutions for achieving a long life

Recent reports on the length of life for men in Iceland took many by surprise.

Conventional wisdom had touted the value of a warm climate in causing one to live longer. Now, it seems, the facts prove that heading for cooler climates may be a better idea. The average lifespan of a man in Iceland is currently 81.6 years, which is the longest in the world, though the current Icelandic eruptions of smoke and ice may temper the enthusiasm of any who had suddenly been motivated to retire there.

In his book, 'There's a Lot More to Health than Not Being Sick,' Bruce Larson speculates that life extension is best achieved by staying busy. He points out that in the three societies that sociologists have studied where people are known for long living, retirement is virtually unknown.

Scientists who studied these three societies found they had nothing in common. In his words, 'There are no retirement homes where people can spend their declining years playing shuffleboard.' A continuing active lifestyle contributes to long life.

The most surprising research on living long may have been found in a nationwide study a few years ago of 21,000 people covering an eightyear period that found a seven year difference in life expectancy between

those who never attend church and those who attended more than once a week.

Does this mean sleeping in on Sunday mornings may be hazardous to your health? Possibly, but don't jump to that conclusion too quickly.

This study found those who lived an average of seven years longer were not people who grudgingly endured a sleep or golf deprived hour once a week to do their required duty to God. They attended church more than once a week. Their faith was such an important part of their lives that they couldn't be satisfied with only one weekly gathering to worship.

These enthusiastic church goers found that singing songs of faith, fellowship with other believers, Biblical instruction and prayer was so encouraging, faith building and satisfying that they kept showing up for more, not realizing that responding to this healthy spiritual hunger was actually extending their lives.

This good news raises a possible current contradiction.

Pleading the problem of busy family schedules that cause dissension in homes, many churches are cutting out some traditional services to provide more time for family togetherness. Now we're told that neglecting church services and activities may ultimately reduce the time families will have together.

The Bible points out the value of frequent public worship and warns against underestimating its importance (Hebrews 10:25). This call to faithful worship in your church is to increase love, good works and encouragement of one another, all of which are vital to spiritual growth and may add years to your life.

Roger Campbell was an author, broadcaster and columnist who was a pastor for 22 years. Reach us at reministry@ameritech.net.

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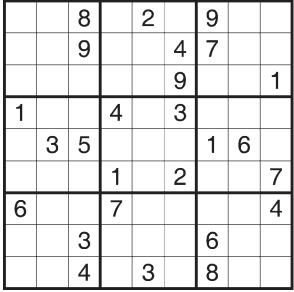
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TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council and the City Assessor will meet at the City Hall Council Chambers, 301 South Leroy Street, Fenton, Michigan at 7:30 pm local time on January 26, 2015 for the opportunity for all interested parties to be heard.

Renee Wilson, City Clerk

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- 2. Love On The Rocks - Neil Diamond
- 3. Guilty Barbra Streisand & Barry Gibb
- 4. The Tide Is High
- Blondie
- 5. Hungry Heart
  - Bruce Springsteen
- 6. Every Woman In The World - Air Supply
- 7. Passion Rod Stewart
- 8. Tell It Like It Is Heart
- 9. Lady Kenny Rogers
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- product) 41 Garcia of fashion

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43 Applies, as a coat of wax

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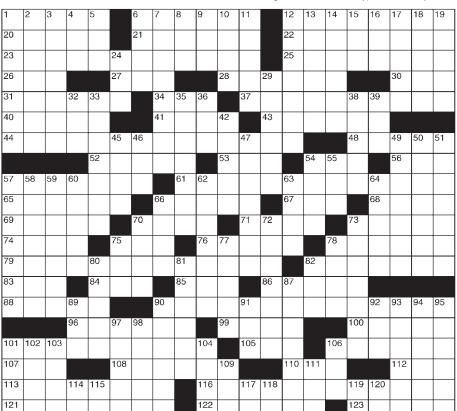
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- 79 Portrayer of 23-Across
- 83 Once blue DOWN

- committees
- 90 Portrayer of 61-Across **96** How blackbirds may be
- baked? 99 Otoscope views
- 100 Pollen piece 101 Portrayer of 37-Across Theo, Denise 105 Assembled
- and Sondra's 106 Wildlife **107** From — Z (thoroughly)
- 108 Brunei ruler 110 Post-op area 68 Milk, in Paris 112 Muhammad
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    - 44-Across 121 Precise 122 Little hills 123 Physicist
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        - 126 Alloy of zinc and copper
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- 2 Literature's "Moor of Venice" 3 More wary
- 4 Bud 5 "Let's see now. 6 Oz Lion
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- 8 Bar code scanner: Abbr. 9 Dandy dude
- 10 "Hang on 11 Razor sharpener
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- House" family name 32 Louse-to-be
- 33 Winter spikes 35 Giant flops 36 Ky. neighbor

- 39 German for 30-Across 42 "I thought we had —!" 45 Street
- (urban acceptability) 46 Suffix with court or hotel 91
- 47 Like part of Russia 49 Official ban 50 Less rude 51 Cuts canines
- 54 Be reflective 55 Wood splitter 57 Kid's sled 58 "Sweet -
- (barbershop song) 59 Monte Carlo
- 102 Right wrongs 103 Eggy cake resident 60 Very edge
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# **SUPER CROSSWORD**



# **WEDNESDAY SUDOKU**

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# KING CROSSWORD **ANSWERS** Solution time: 25 mins.

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# **SUNDAY SUDOKU**

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# **WEDNESDAY JUMBLE ANSWERS**

Jumbles: NATAL ICILY EIGHTY **FRACAS** Answer: The drama class got in trouble because they

# **SUNDAY SCRAMBLERS ANSWERS**

1. Escort; 2. Implore; 3. Action; 4. Anchor

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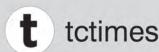


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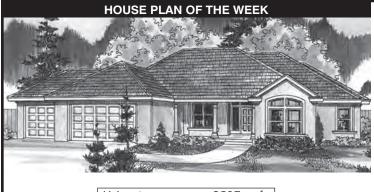
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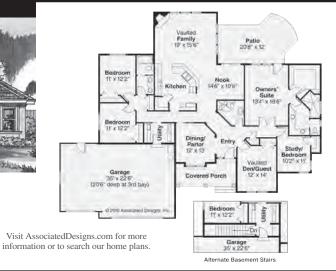


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# Alvin Christensen,

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# Richard J. McLennan Sr.,

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# Olga Alber,

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# William Louis Rector

1930-2015

William Louis Rector - age 84, of Fenton, died Tuesday, January 13, 2015 at



Genesys Health Park. Services were held 12 PM Friday, January 16, 2015 at Sharp

Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd., Fenton with Pastor Doug Leveque officiating. Interment followed at Oakwood Cemetery in Fenton. Visitation was held 10 AM-12 PM Friday at the funeral home. Mr. Rector was born October 2, 1930 in Fenton, the son of Paul and Eleanor (Seitz) Rector. He married Lorraine Ball on February 10, 1979. Mr. Rector was a self-employed mechanic in the ceramic tile and marble trade. He was a member of the Hi Lo Hunt Club, enjoyed golfing, fishing, and hunting. He was an avid Detroit Tigers fan and loved his kids and family and was a great "Papa". Surviving are: wife, Lorraine; children, Jeff (Ann) Rector, Laura Rector, Rodney Raymond, Michael Cool, Jane (Mike) Tracy, Andy (Robbie) Cool, Matt (Michelle) Cool, Sterling (Tracy) Cool; 10 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren and many beloved cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents. Friends may share an online tribute on the obituary page of www.sharpfuneral-



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# Joan C. Hibbeln

1930-2015

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ebrated 1:30 PM Saturday, January 17, 2015 at St. John the Evangelist

Catholic Church, 600 N. Adelaide Street, Fenton. Fr. Jim Rolph celebrant. Visitation was held at Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel. 209 E Broad Street, Linden Friday from 4-9 PM and will also be held at church Saturday from 12:30 PM until the time of Mass. A time of sharing was held at the funeral home Friday at 7 PM. Those desiring may make contributions to the Alzheimer's Association. Joan was born July 25, 1930 in Detroit, the daughter of Gardiner and Vera (Kogelschatz) Goodson. She was a 1948 graduate of Cooley High School. She married Richard Peter Hibbeln on May 7, 1955 in Detroit and he preceded her in death January 26, 2008. Joan retired from the Linden School District as secretary after 19 years of service. She resided in Linden since 1969 (most of those years on Lobdell Lake), coming from Detroit. She was a member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church where she also served on the funeral luncheon committee. Surviving are: daughters, Karen Benore and John Waldoch of Grand Blanc, Denise and husband Mark Kotylo of Commerce Township, Julie and husband John Beauchamp of Wisconsin, and Kathy and husband John Knickerbocker of Swartz Creek; 9 grandchildren, Renee (Chris) Blynt, Rachel (Bryan) Leith, Stephanie (Mark) Brewer, Taylor Miller (Stephen), Tracy Miller (Mike), Nick Beauchamp (Nicole), Natalie Stuhr (Jesse), Angie Beauchamp, and Drew Knickerbocker (Taylor) and 6 great-grandchildren, Berkley, Beckham, Alivia, Agnes, Jadyn, and Virginia; and several nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by her parents; sister, Charlsie Schulz; and brother, Gardiner Goodson. Online condolences may be



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# **Charles Gregwer,**

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# Parents of small child need a date night

My husband and I have been married for six years. We have a 3-year-old

daughter. We both work full time. Lately I have been feeling like we never make time for mommy and daddy time. I would love a date night, but my husband is always making me feel bad when I ask someone to watch our daughter and when we do go out he says how much he misses her. Is it wrong to want a night alone with my hubby?

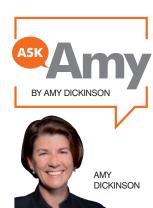
- Mommy Who Needs **Daddy Time** 

# **DEAR MOMMY:**

Spending some spousal time together at this stage of your parenthood is important for your future as a couple. It is quite easy adorable and adored child at home. Ignoring their own identity and autonomy as adults is the reason many parents become bored

> and boring — it is as if they slowly cease to exist, both as individuals and as a couple. They disappear into their parenthood. You could start by referring to yourselves (in adult company) not as "mommy" and "daddy," but as wife and husband. Spending time together as a couple will help to keep your marriage at the center of your little family's life. If you don't deliberately make time for each other, the child becomes the center of everything, and

though the child should definitely be the focus of your energy as parents, she should not be responsible for holding your adult relationship together. It is completely natural to miss your child, but it is not fair for your husband to deliberately make you feel bad for wanting to reconnect with him.



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reports that his beautiful wife, Amy (Rosamund Pike), has gone missing. Under pressure from the police and a growing media frenzy, Nick's portrait of a blissful union begins to crumble. Soon his lies, deceits and strange behavior have everyone asking the same dark question: Did Nick Dunne kill his wife? R, 2 hr. 25 min





### **A WALK AMONG THE TOMBSTONES**

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(and very tempting) to give up on many aspects of adulthood when you have an

# Mystery bruise appears, vanishes as if by magic

## DR. ROACH:

I have just returned from seeing my doctor, and was told that the cause of what I experienced is a mystery! In the late afternoon, my husband and I were sitting at the kitchen table. He noticed that a bruise was forming on my right temple — a dime-size purple mark, with a bump near the hairline. Over the next few hours the bruise grew larger, with red discoloration down the right side of my face, to the iaw. I had not been injured in any way,

and it did not hurt! I called a 24-hour advice nurse, and was told I probably had broken a blood vessel. The next day, I called my doctor for an appointment, just to be on the safe side, but my doctor didn't have anything to look at. When I got up, all the bruising and discoloration was gone! She told me that there would still be some

discoloration if it had been a broken blood vessel, so therefore it was a mystery. — C.C.

# **ANSWER:**

I agree with the nurse that it likely was a broken blood vessel, which can happen spontaneously to anyone. Once the blood is under the skin, it gets cleaned away by cells with enzymes that break down the blood. The color typically goes from dark red to green to yellow. This way, we can tell approximately how old a bruise is.

Very superficial bleeding also can move, as the blood literally gets pulled by gravity (which is why you had a darkening down to the jaw). I suspect that while asleep, the remainder got pulled into the hairline or lower down, where it could no longer be seen. Many people have come down with another mysterious illness, chronic fatigue syndrome.



### **INGREDIENTS:**

- 1 12 oz. package dried jumbo macaroni shells
- 2-1/2 lbs. ground beef
- 6 oz. cream cheese, cut into pieces
- 2 t. chili powder
- 2 16 oz. jar of pasta
- 1-3/4 C. shredded cheddar or Mexican cheese
- · Various taco toppings

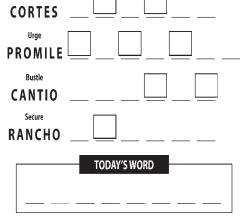
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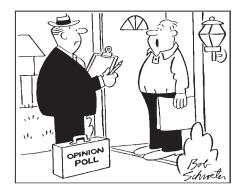
- 1. Cook shells according to package directions; drain. Rinse with warm water then lay them flat on a baking sheet.
- 2. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Cook ground beef in a large skillet over medium-high heat until browned.
- 3. Drain off fat. stir in cream cheese and chili powder and 1/4 cup cheese.
- 4. Spread 1/2 cup of salsa in each of two ungreased 2-quart baking dishes.
- **5.** Arrange the filled shells on top of the salsa and pour the remaining salsa over the tops of the shells.
- 6. Bake covered for 15 minutes. Sprinkle the cheese on top and bake, uncovered for 15 more minutes or until heated



# **SUNDAY SCRAMBLER**

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!





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