

## **Concert season heating up**

Summer music festivals with big-name performers just around the corner

#### **By Emily Stocker**

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We are so fortunate here in Michigan to have amazing venues for live music experiences all year round, but there's something about seeing your favorite musician play outdoors in the warm sun that tops even the best indoor venue. "It wouldn't be summer in Michigan with-

out an outdoor Kid Rock show," said Jennifer Dumeah of Fenton Township.

Summer concert season is right around the corner and now is the time to buy those in-demand concert tickets before they're sold out. As a tradition, DTE Music Theatre (affectionately known by the slightly more older crowd as Pine Knob) kicks off the season on May 22 with Eddie Money.

Big names like Toby Keith on June 27 and American Idol's Kelly Clarkson on July 26 hold ticket prices from \$21 on the lawn, to \$91.50 for pavilion seating. Kid Rock's eight scheduled dates at DTE had some ticket prices set at \$20 for all seats, which sold out in no time. Third-party tickets sites now have some seats listed for upwards of \$400.

On May 29, the Palace of Auburn Hills welcomes the '90s boy band New Kids on the Block, along with Nelly and TLC. The Van's Warped Tour is scheduled for July 24, followed by Shania Twain and Motley Crue with Alice Cooper in early August, ending with 5 Seconds of Summer on Aug. 19. See CONCERT

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"Three Dog Night,"

I like the time and the sym-

bol that they represent."

### Who would you like to see in concert?



"Embracing Silence,' because they have great music and are passionate about what they sing about." — Caitlin Manchester Junior



"'N Sync,' because they are rad."

— Bailey Smith Junior



"Miss May I' or 'I See Stars,' because they are really good in concert."

— Meara Baxter Junior



"Fall Out Boy,' because their music is awesome."

- Keinan Hagenstine Junior



Question asked to students at Lake Fenton High School

"One Republic,' because I like a lot of their music."

— Sydney David

Freshman

- Andrew Shotwell Freshman



## Fenton Computers returns to downtown

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**Mike Oliver** 

Owner of Fenton

Computers

Local business puts customer first, shares knowledge of computers

#### **By Sally Rummel**

news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282 It's the same business, but with a new

location. Fenton Computers is **44**We now located at 119 North River St. in downtown Fenton, next to do make Headlines Barber Shop. house

The business name reflects the simple language that owner Mike Oliver wants to share with customers when helping them with their technology questions. "Most people aren't 'com-

puter people' and we understand that," said Oliver, who has been in business 11 years. That's why he and technician Irina Gorlik invite people to stop in and ask questions. "Technology is always changing. When we first started, we worked on mostly desktop computers. Now it's laptops, tablets and phones."

But Oliver hasn't changed anything about the way he does business, putting the customer first and charging fairly for his services.

Educating customers about avoiding computer viruses is part of his daily work.

"I can't think of a better way to help people than to help them maximize the use of their computer," he said. He also warns people against scams. "Never give anyone remote control of your computer unless you have a legitimate service contract. Know who you are calling for the

right technical support. Look at a company's website before you click on a link."

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Tinkering with his own computer since he was 9 years old, Oliver is proficient in both PC and Apple computer repair, although an Apple repair may require hard-to-get parts. "I use an Apple MacBook Air for

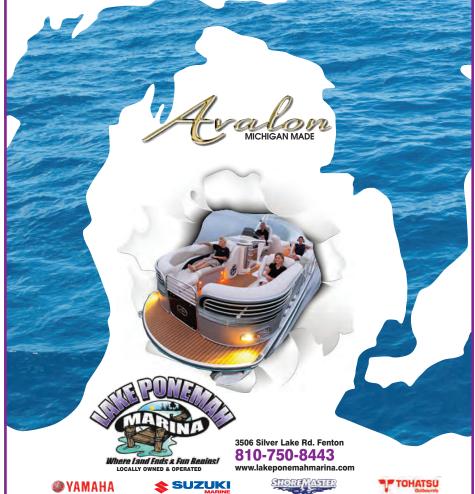
business," he said. "Bring in any make of computer and let's take a look at it. We also make house calls for repair work, mostly for businesses."

In addition to computer work, Fenton Computers installs and maintains surveillance systems and remote monitoring.

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#### Tom Izzo

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## 5 fast facts about

#### Not a hall of fame coach Despite all of Izzo's success, both at the confer-

ence and NCAA Tournament level, he has yet to be named to the Basketball or Naismith Hall of Fame. In addition to his previously mentioned accolades, Izzo is MSU's alltime winningest coach and he's one of five coaches in history

with seven Big Ten titles. And while he hasn't been inducted into the hall of fame - yet - Izzo is an eight-time National Coach of the Year, three-time Big Ten Coach of the Year and was a Henry Iba Award recipient and the Associated Press National Coach of the Year in 1998.

MSU's all-time winningest coach

Sources: msuspartans.com, heavy.com

#### Ranks fifth in pay among tournament coaches

Michigan State's Tom Izzo ranks fifth in total pay this season — \$4,006,955 - among coaches in this year's NCAA men's basketball tournament, according to a USA TODAY sports analysis.

#### Grew up with former NFL coach Steve Mariucci

While growing up in Iron Mountain, Izzo met his best friend Steve Mariucci. They both attended Iron Mountain High and were teammates on the football, basketball and track teams. Following graduation, Izzo and Mariucci not only took their talents to the collegiate level at Northern Michigan University, but were also roommates. Izzo was a guard for the Wildcats all four years and as a senior he set the school record for most minutes played and was named a Division II All-American. After finishing college, both Izzo and Mariucci began their coaching careers.

#### Izzo's first date with his wife was a Michigan State basketball game

Apparently, Izzo wanted to get his future wife, Lupe Marinez, acclimated to the lifestyle of a coach's wife early. Like first date early. Lupe and Izzo's first date was when he invited her to the Big Ten Championship game between Michigan State and Purdue, according to PlayerWives.com. And the kicker – Izzo was working as the assistant coach.

#### "A Spartan for life."

In 2010, the Cavs came to Izzo with the opportunity to take over the program and possibly coach LeBron James. While Izzo thought about the offer for over a week, he finally approached MSU's Board of Trustees to let them know he's "a Spartan for life."

#### Izzo has turned down multiple NBA coaching offers during his career

Following the 2000 season, where he led the Spartans to a national championship and 83 percent of his players who completed their eligibility left MSU with a degree, various NBA teams started knocking with offers. Izzo was pursued to be a head coach for teams such as the Atlanta Hawks, Chicago Bulls, Cleveland Cavaliers and New Jersey Nets.



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**Music festival** 

popularity on the rise

weekend of concerts, camping and

fun activities. Fashion has emerged

over the past few years due to the

popularity of the events with young

of the season this Memorial Day

weekend. The Electronic Music

artists, interactive art displays and

dozens of after-parties. Last year's

attendance broke the 100,000-at-

The Downtown Hoedown is

June 5-6 this year with main stage

Festival boasts more than 100

Hart Plaza will host the first festival

out for not only one show, but a

with a genre of festival clothing

Music festivals bring music lovers



#### acts like Darius Rucker and Rascal Flatts. The new location of the event, West Riverfront Park in Detroit, has

ticket prices from \$35-50 each. **Electric Forest Music Festival's** integration of music with art draws more than 60 music acts this year. The Rothbury festival is June 25-28 this year and attendees may camp within Sherwood Forest. The festival drew 32,000 people last year and has grown every year since its inception in 2011.

July 17-19 is Brooklyn Michigan's **Faster Horses Country Music** Festival. Tickets range from \$185 to \$785, which includes a three-day pass, VIP service and an open bar. Big names like Carrie Underwood and Brad Paisley guarantee a sellout crowd.

The season ends with Arts, Beats and Eats in Royal Oak with more than 200 musical performances on 10 stages over the three-day festival.

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The Palace also hosts eight dates in August for Marvel Universe Live, a live action arena tour of your favorite action hero. Eight Disney on Ice: Treasure Trove shows in October are followed by nine shows by Ringling Bros. Barnum and Bailey Circus this fall.

Ford Field has some huge country names this summer - Taylor Swift on May 30, Kenny Chesney on Aug. 22 and Luke Bryan Oct. 30. For all the teenage fans, One Direction will be there Aug. 29 and, just so every genre of music lover is covered, AC/DC will perform at Ford Field on Sept. 8.

Freedom Hill will have rockers of every era in attendance with performers like Judas Priest on July 15, Boston on July 16, the Beach Boys and Temptations on Aug. 9, Primus on Aug. 2 and Huey Lewis and the News on Aug. 21. Tickets range from \$10 to \$95 for premium shows.

Comerica Park has surprisingly few concerts this summer. The Rolling Stones on July 8 and the Zac Brown Band on Sept. 12. The events are sold out, but if you want to attend, you'll have to pay hefty prices as third-party ticket sites have tickets starting at \$200.



#### Concert schedules

**Joe Louis** • July 24, Eagles

- Oct. 1, Madonna
- Oct. 17, The Who w/ Joan Jett

#### **Comerica Park**

- July 8, The Rolling Stones Sept. 12, Zac Brown Band
- **Palace of Auburn Hills** May 29, New Kids on the Block with
- Nelly and TLC June 10, Bette Midler
- June 14, Rush
- June 23, Imagine Dragons
- June 24, Vans Warped Tour
- July 25, Shania Twain
- Aug. 9, Motley Crue with Alice Cooper
- Aug.19, 5 Seconds of Summer
- Oct. 3, Iggy Azalea (rescheduled from May 2)

#### **Ford Field**

- May 30, Taylor Swift, Vance Joy & Shawn Mendes
- Aug. 22, Kenny Chesney, Eric Church, **Brantley Gilbert & Chase Rice**
- Aug. 29, One Direction
- Sept. 8, AC/DC
- Oct. 30, Luke Bryan with Randy Houser, Dustin Lynch

#### **Freedom Hill**

- May 23, Clutch and Mastadon w/
- Graveyard July 3, Whitesnake w/ The Answer
- July 15, Judas Priest
- July 17, Boston
- Aug. 2, Primus w/Dinosaur Jr.
- Aug. 9, The Beach Boys & The Temptations
- Aug. 21, Huey Lewis & The News w/ Don Felder
- Aug. 22, Live & Loud w/ Dee Snider, Jackyl, Lita Ford & Great White

#### **DTE Music Theatre**

- May 22, Eddie Money
- May 31, Lana Del Rey
- June 5, George Thorogood and The Destroyers and Brian Setzer's Rockabilly Riot
- June 17, System of a Down
- June 19, Sam Hunt, Lady Antebellum, and Hunter Hayes
- June 20, Violent Femmes and Barenaked Ladies with Colin Hay
- June 25, Third Eye Blind and Dashboard Confessional
- June 27, Toby Keith
- July 1, The Fray, Train with Matt Nathanson
- July 7, Dave Matthews Band
- July 10, Wiz Khalifa, Hoodie Allen, and
- DJ Drama, Fall Out Boy July 12, Cheap Trick and Peter Frampton
- July 17, Def Leppard, Styx, and Tesla
- July 23, Bryan Adams
- July 25, J. Cole and Jeremih
- July 26, Kelly Clarkson, Pentatonix, and Eric Hutchinson
- July 27, Imposters, Steely Dan, and **Elvis Costello & The Imposters**
- July 28, Slipknot, Lamb of God, Bullet for My Valentine, and Motionless In White
- July 31, Nicki Minaj, Meek Mill, Rae Sremmurd, Tinashe, and Dej Loaf
- Aug. 1, Nickelback
- Aug. 2, Chase Bryant, Tim McGraw, •
- Billy Currington, and Brett Eldredge Aug. 5, Smashing Pumpkins and Marilyn Manson
- Aug. 6, Uncle Kracker, Sugar Ray, Better Than Ezra, and Eve 6
- Aug. 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 19, Kid
- Rock and Foreigner
- Aug. 24, Foo Fighters and Royal Blood Aug. 26, Earth, Wind and Fire
- Aug. 28, Santana
- Sept. 4, Van Halen and Kenny Wayne Shepherd

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## Kids 'learn by doing'

Art Fair and Family Math and Science Night at Argentine Elementary draws kids and families

#### By Sally Rummel

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Butterflies, bird feeders, reptiles and more transformed Argentine Elementary Early Childhood Center into a natural learning habitat last Friday, March 27 for the school's annual Art Fair and Family Math and Science Night.

"Budding scientists" learned about the world around them through habitats and

#### **44** It was a fun night for both parents and students. **77** Ed Koledo

**Ed Koledo** Linden Schools Superintendent and parent

plus activities
 with wind-socks and tornado bottles.
 Students were also able to match foods

minnows,

butterflies,

worms and

bird feeders,

with the colors of the rainbow.

Kids, parents and extended family roamed the halls and classrooms, exploring math through number concepts, measurements, shapes and matching.

For Mar Nature Center brought reptiles to observe and seeds for planting. Displays of the children's artwork, from painting to sculptures, filled the hallways and media center.

Teachers and staff ended the evening with a song dedicated to the children and their families. "It was a fun night for both parents and students," said Superintendent Ed Koledo, who attended the event with both of his sons. "The black-lit Shark Room was definitely our favorite. Running a close second was the minnow tank. Argentine is such a special place for our kids. They absolutely love it here, and events like this prove to me why."



**TRI-COUNTY TIMES** I SUBMITTED PHOTO Families enjoyed many activities together, exploring the hallways and habitats of Argentine Elementary Early Education Center for a special annual event.



Social News

#### **Rinks-Dekoski celebrate wedding**

Sarah Rinks of Fenton became the bride of Daniel Dekoski of Clio on December 27, 2014. The bride's parents are Amos and Mary Ellen Rinks of Fenton. The groom's parents are Dwayne Dekoski of Mt. Morris, and Sue and Matt Brown of Clio. The ceremony, held at the Frankenmuth United Methodist Church of Frankenmuth, was performed by Mr. Charles Ball. Attending the couple were Ashley Rinks of Fenton as Maid of Honor, Stephanie Filpansick of Grand Blanc as Matron of Honor and Christopher Brown of Clio as Best Man. Bridesmaids were Erica Bartholow of Pennsylvania, Ashlyn Howell of Fenton, Megan Dragon of Ohio, and Pamela Harrington of Illinois. Groomsmen were Peter Filpansick of Grand Blanc, Ryan Brown of Clio, Nicholas Brown of Clio, Mason Rinks of Fenton, and William Woods of Flint. Flower girls were Samantha and Charlotte Rinks of Flushing. The reception was held at the Bavarian Inn Lodge of Frankenmuth and they honeymooned in Niagara Falls, Canada. Sarah earned a Masters Degree from Gannon University in Erie, Pennsylvania and is a Cardiology Physician Assistant. Daniel is in medical school at Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM) in Erie, Pennsylvania.



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#### Times

#### Synopsis of Argentine Township Regular Board Meeting March 30, 2015

Call to order @ 7:00 p.m. Pledge of Allegiance led by Supervisor Cole. Present: Hallman, Cole, Graves and Ciesielski. Absent: Schmidt. Approved: Minutes as printed of February 23, 2015 Regular Board Meeting and March 30, 2015 Election Commission. Approved: Budget Amendments. Approved: Payment of invoices. Approved: Volunteers to complete safety upgrades at Police department. Approved: Pay for Land Splits to Assessor. Rescinded: Firefighter BJ Ellsworth's termination of employment. Accepted: Terms of Police Contract. No Action: Canoe Launch bid. Approved: Resolution 2015-4 Stand up for Transportation Proclamation. Proclaimed: May 1st is Law Day in Argentine Township Adopted: Resolution 2015-3 Signature Cards for CDBG. Approved: Police Department Lawn Maintenance Contract with Royalty. Approved: Township Hall Department Lawn Maintenance Contract with Royalty. Approved: Chloride Contract with GCRC.

Submitted by Denise Graves Argentine Township Clerk



#### TYRONE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD MARCH 31, 2015 AT 7:00 P.M.

- 1. Present: Supervisor Mike Cunningham, Clerk Keith Kremer, Treasurer Marna Bunting-Smith, Trustees Cam Gonzalez, Chuck Schultz, David Walker and Soren Pedersen.
- 2. Opened the public hearing at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the proposed public safety special assessment. Closed the public hearing and reopened the regular meeting at 8:03 p.m.
- 3. Approved the agenda as amended; approved the consent agenda as presented.
- 4. Received and placed on file Communications #1-8.
- Approved Laurie Cohoon's request for a land division at 7491 Mabley Hill Rd.
  Adopted Resolution #150309 to establish the special assessment district for
- public safety and schedule the next public hearing on May 19, 2015.
- 7. Approved the adjustment of the 2014-2015 budget as discussed.
- 8. Adopted the General Appropriation Resolution #150310.
- 9. Awarded the road chloride contract to MBH Trucking Chloride Solutions.
- 10. Approved the Supervisor's request to renew the MATS membership and attend the annual conference.
- 11. Approved the Supervisor's request to make a fire safety public service announcement on cable channel 191.
- 12. Adopted the Premium Conversion 2015 Plan for health care.
- 13. Authorized the Clerk to sign the audit engagement agreement.
- 14. Adopted Resolution #150312 to commit general fund balance to cover 2015 cash requirements.
- 15. Authorized the Treasurer to request no advancement of funds on special assessments from the county.
- 16. Approved to write off uncollectible fire run invoices.
- 17. Authorized the Treasurer and Supervisor to receive offers on property for sale at Runyan Lake Cove Lot #15 and to negotiate with the prospective buyer and bring the offer to the board.
- Resolved to convene in closed session to discuss litigation at 9:05 p.m. Reconvened in open session at 9:32 p.m.
- 19. Accepted the Consumers Energy judgment proposal as amended.
- 20. Adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

The minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk's office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at <u>www.tyronetownship.us</u>. The next regular meeting of the Tyrone Township Board will be held on Tuesday, April 7, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall. The public is encouraged to attend. Sunday, April 5, 2015

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## REALTORS and **builders**

Featured Section



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This custom built home by Weir Building Company features many of the upscale amenities that characterize builder Chris Weir's homes in his \$350,000 to \$1 million price range.



## Thinking about building a home?

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Your family has lived in an older home for many years and you've begun to outgrow the space. You dream of building your own new home together, creating an oasis for your family that fits all your needs and wants.

Before you go out and buy expensive home plans or visit an architect, talk to a builder first, advises Chris Weir of Weir Building Company in Fenton Township.

"A builder has a very good idea of what

a client will need for size, style and finishes and can confirm that their wants and needs for their home will match their budget," said Weir, 43, an area builder for more than 15 years. "It's better to know this up front than to try to find a builder who will build the dream house you have on paper

that you might not be able to afford." Here are a few questions to ask yourself before building a home:

 Can we afford it? While the numbers may add up on paper, there are many extra costs in home construction that you might not initially account for. Be sure you have some wiggle room in the budget for those unexpected expenses. Pad your budget by at least 10 percent of the total cost to allow for these unexpected expenses.

• Do we have the time and patience? Having a home built rather than purchasing an existing house requires a much lengthier amount of time. The average length of time for a Weir custom-built home is between six months and a year. The typical price range is between \$350,000 and \$1 million. If you're in a bigger rush than that, buying a move-in ready home may be the best option.

• Do we have a location? Look around at land for sale in your area and see what you can expect to pay. If you already have a lot on which to build, that will determine some of the characteristics of the house, so it's best to know this early in the planning process. "You need to know how much you should be investing in the land," said Weir. "If you've got a

\$400,000 budget for your home, you can't afford to spend \$150,000 of it on a lot."

You also need to consider some of the costs of the lot, such as permits, power and sewer hookups, any excavation and landscaping that must be completed as part of the building process.

• What are our wants and needs? As a couple, you can make this list together, deciding what home features are "must haves" and which ones are negotiable. The first thing to do is communicate these to a prospective builder, so you can budget accordingly.

• Is our lifestyle stable? Building a home will involve an emotional attach-

> ment to the project, so it's a better fit for people who want to put down roots. If a job or education will take you elsewhere, you might not have much time to live in a home that required a lot of blood, sweat and tears.

> • Do we have a builder? "Choosing a builder is like a marriage," said

Weir. "There is so much time and money invested."

Find a builder's most recent projects and see if his style matches yours. If possible, tour the finished homes of a specific builder and choose one with tastes and philosophies similar to your own.

"Call the municipality and find out if a builder you're considering has had any complaints," suggested Weir. "Find out how long they've been in business under their current name."

• How do we keep a good relationship with our builder? Once you've selected a builder, communicate expectations with each other on the front end of planning.

"From a client perspective, most people who run into trouble with a builder saw signs of trouble in the beginning," said Weir. "If a cluster of reputable builders comes in with one price range, don't go with a builder who has priced the project 25 percent less. That's a red flag for trouble."

• Have we weighed the pros and **cons?** Take your time to make a decision to build a home, and consider all the options. If the benefits outweigh the issues of time, patience and budget, you're ready to build your own home.



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One homeowner with a metal roof found that the snow had fallen down the slippery slope of the roof and crushed his backyard deck. Another unlucky client experienced a small fire at their home; the wind caught it and carried flames over to the neighbor's home.

"Unlucky" situations like these are far from unusual. "They happen all the time," said Barbara Walker of Hartland Insur-**Things happen** 

Township. 'While shopping around for the best homeowner's insurance policy, the most important aspect of your search should be coverage more than price," she said. "Too many times, people

ance Agency in Hartland

could've spent just \$30 for an endorsement on their policy that would've taken care of a situation at home, either the physical structure or liability. To save such a small amount of money on a premium isn't worth the risk of not having coverage when you need it."

Endorsements that homeowners should consider adding to their policy are those that cover the backup of a sewer or drain, sump pump failure, roof damage, etc. "Things happen in the home that you

don't have control of when you're gone," said Walker.

Many homeowners also assume that their coverage limits automatically adjust to their home's rising or falling market price, according to consumerreports.org. What you need to consider is replacement value, or the cost of labor and materials required to rebuild. That's often significantly higher than your home's market price, and it rises annually.

Consequently, 61 percent of homes in the U.S., about 80 million, are underinsured by an average of 18 percent, according to one company that tracks rebuilding costs for insurers.

Homeowners need to ask their insurer for a customized estimate of their home's replacement cost, taking into account its unique features, construction details, age and any costs of meeting new local building code requirements.

Even if your coverage is correct, a standard homeowner's policy will likely leave you without sufficient protection from life's "what ifs?" To protect against the surge in material and labor prices that often follow a natural disaster, you'll have to buy an extended coverage rider. You'll also pay extra for an ordinance or law endorsement rider to pay any extra cost of rebuilding your house in compliance with local building codes, according to consumerreports.org.

You can also pay extra for coverage



METRO CREATIVE GRAPHICS Shop around for the best homeowner's insurance policy to fit your needs, but consider coverage more than price.

for a sewage backup, or for hurricane/ wind/hail/flood or earthquake insurance if you're exposed to those risks. Coverage for furniture, clothing, and electronics is standard, but you'll need extra coverage for expensive jewelry, furs, silver or artwork.

Liability protection may be even more important than protecting the assets of your home, according to Walker. You have more liability issues with children, pets, "toys" like trampolines, swimming pools, hot tubs, etc.

Cyber scams, identity theft and Facebook bullying (if it involves your child and someone sues you) are new liability issues that come under your homeowner's coverage. "You want to make sure that things that are really important to you are taken care of, so you can sleep at night," said Walker.

#### Tips on homeowner's insurance

1. You're a statistic. To an insurer, you're not a person; you're a set of risks. An insurer bases its premium (or its decision to insure you at all) on your "risk factors," including your occupation, who you are, what you own, and how you live.

2. Know your home's value. Before you choose a policy, it is essential to establish your home's replacement cost. A local builder can provide the best estimate.

3. Insurers differ. As with anything else you buy, what seems to be the same product can be priced differently by different companies. You can save money by comparison shopping.

4. Don't just look at price. A low price is no bargain if an insurer takes forever to service your claim. Research the insurer's record for claims service, as well as its financial stability.

5. Go beyond the basics. A basic homeowner's policy may not promise to entirely replace your home.

6. Demand discounts. Insurers provide discounts to reward behavior that reduces risk. Americans waste money every year because they forget to ask for them.

7. At claims time, your insurer isn't necessarily your friend. Your idea of fair compensation may not match that of your insurer. Your insurer's job is to restore you financially. Your job is to prove your losses so you get what you need.

8. Prepare before you have to file a claim. Keep your policy updated, and reread it before you file a claim so there are no surprises.

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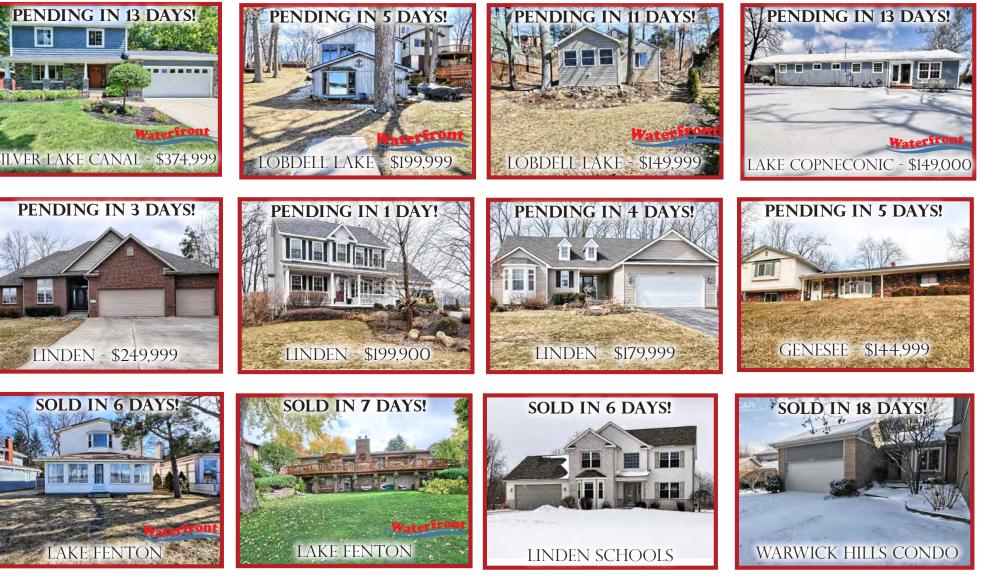


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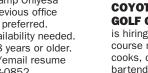
#### **PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS MARCH 30, 2015**

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday March 30, 2015 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan and took the following actions.

- Trustee Goupil offered the opening prayer. 1.
- Clerk Krug led the pledge of allegiance to the flag. 2.
- 3. Appointed Clerk Krug as temporary chairman.
- 4. Approved the agenda as presented.
- Approved invoices and expenditures for payment in the total amount of 5. \$207.285.31.
- Adopted revised Resolution No. 2015-02, supporting the request of the 6. Lake Fenton Property Owners Association to participate in the DNR Canada Geese Roundup program in 2015.
- Granted a one year extension for the tentative approval of the preliminary 7. plat of Pinnacle Shores.
- 8. Approved the 2015 Dust Control Agreement with the Genesee County Road Commission.
- Recessed the regular meeting at 7:55 p.m. for the purpose of convening an 9. Executive Session to discuss the proposed purchase of real property.
- Reconvened the regular meeting at 8:02 p.m. 10.
- Approved the purchase of a portion of parcel 06-13-526-023 to eliminate an 11. encroachment of sewer pump station facilities.
- 12. Adjourned at 8:04 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 Thursday and 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Friday. Ordinances, meeting schedules, meeting minutes and other Township information are also available at www.fentontownship.org.

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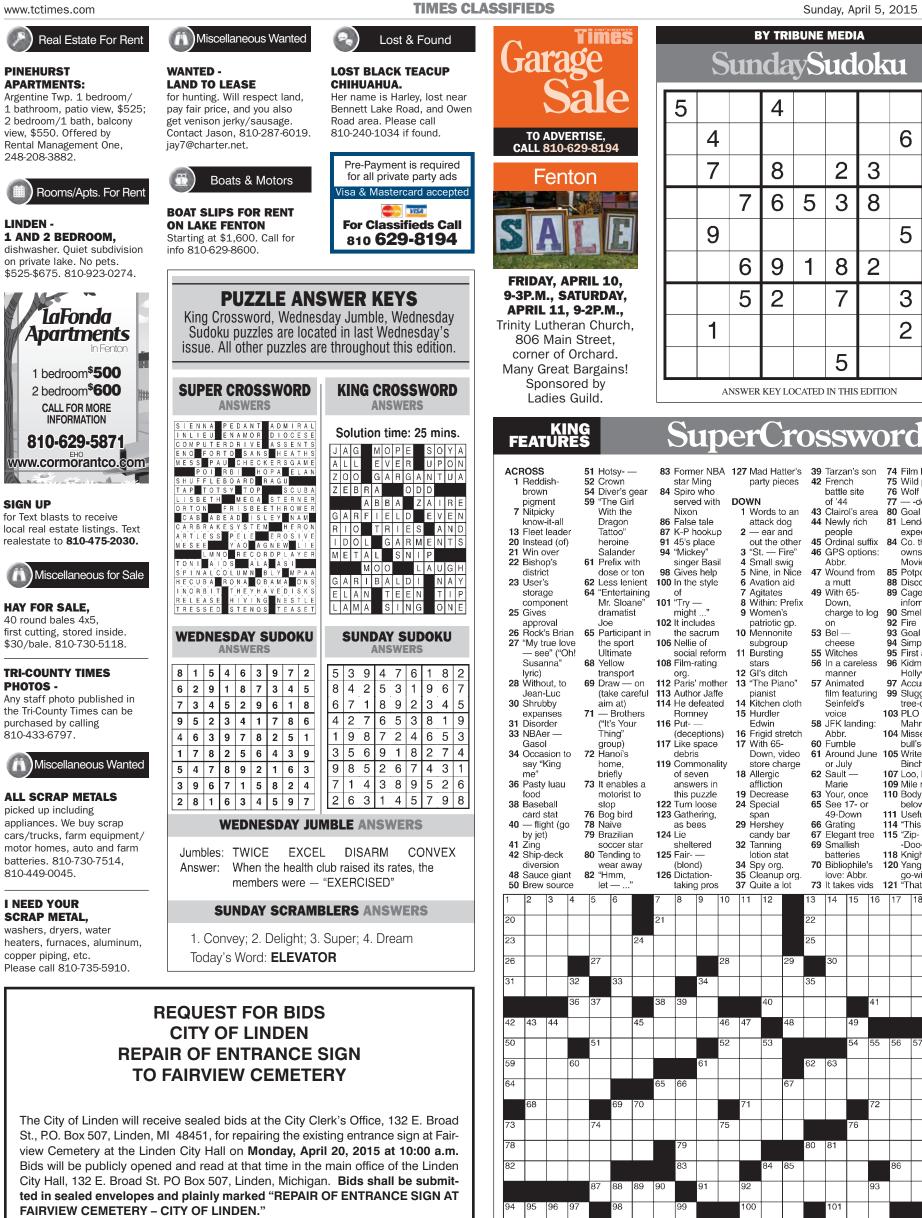
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**FENTON CHURCH OF GOD** 14569 North Rd. • Fenton 248-328-0382 Reverend Eugene Blankenship www.fentonchurchofgod.com

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Sunday School 10	):00 am
Sunday Worship Service 11:00 am &	6:00pm
Wednesday Bible Study	7:00 pm
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& Children's Class	7:00 pm

#### PRESBYTERIAN

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN** 

**CHURCH OF FENTON** 503 S. LeRoy St. • Fenton 810-629-7801 www.ffpc.org Larry McMellen, Parish Associate

Sunday Worship ...... 9:00 am & 11:00 am

LINDEN **PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** 

119 W. Broad St. • Linden 810-735-5755 Pastor Seth Normington Sunday Worship ......9:00 am, 10:30 am Sunday School..... 10:30 am (Nursery provided at each service)

#### **TYRONE COMMUNITY**

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** 9141 Hartland Rd. • Fenton 810-750-0350 Pastor Linda Living-Hawley Sunday Worship Schedule

(PCA) 10235 White Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-629-1261 Tyronepca.org Pastor, James Mascow  $Sunday \ Worship \ ({\rm includes \ Children's \ Church}) \ .. \ 10:15 \ am$ 0.00 0

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#### THE CARPENTER'S **HOUSE CHURCH**

2740 Grange Hall Rd. • Fenton Corner of Fish Lake Rd. 248-328-9844 Pastor James Disbrow 248-634-2195 Sunday Morning Service...... 11:00 am Wednesday Evening......7:00 pm Wednesday Youth Service ......6:30 pm

**APOSTOLIC** 

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

CHURCH **ON THE STREET** 

15113 Seymour Rd. • Linden 810-875-1080 www.cotshome.com Meets on Sunday Morning...... 10:30 am

#### THE FREEDOM CENTER

2473 W. Shiawassee • Fenton 810-629-5261 Pastor Jim Wiegand Sunday Worship ......9:00 & 11:30 am Wednesday Youth Group......7:00 pm Small groups meet throughout the week. For more information call 629-5261

#### BAPTIST

#### **FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH OF LINDEN**

4518 Silver Lk. Rd. • Linden 810-735-9339 Kenneth C. McMaster, Senior Pastor Jack C. McMaster, Pastor Emeritus/Mission Pastor Kerry Weishaupt, Youth/Community Pastor Jason Coldwell, Worship Pastor www.faithlinden.org Children & Teen Sunday School ..... ..9:30 am Morning Worship ..... 11:00 am Christian Education Courses ......9:30 am Children's Church..... 11:00 am Wednesday Kids Club & Youth Group......6:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting ......7:00 pm Nursery (0-2 and 2-4 yrs.) available at all service times.

#### **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF** SWARTZ CREEK

5372 Seymour Rd. • Swartz Creek 810-635-7016 Jim E. Nelson. Sr. Pastor

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Shawn Cook, Associate and	Youth Pastor
Sunday School	9:45 am
Morning Worship	11:00 am
Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday Night	7:00 pm
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Kids Club (K-5 Grad), Mission Friends (3-5 years)

#### CATHOLIC

#### **ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST**

**CATHOLIC CHURCH** 600 N. Adelaide • Fenton 810-629-2251 Father Dwight Ezop, Pastor

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

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

Fr. David Blazek, Pastor

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

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

#### **FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**

204 E. Rockwell • Fenton 810-629-3211

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Church Service	11:00 am
Sunday School	11:00 am
Wednesday Evening	7:00 pm

#### **EPISCOPAL**

**ST. JUDE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH** 106 E. Elizabeth St. • Fenton 810-629-5681 Holy Communion ...... 8:00 am, 10:30 am

Christian Education......9:15 am

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#### **LUTHERAN**

**TRI-COUNTY TIMES** 

#### **HOPE LUTHERAN**

**CHURCH, LC-MS** 7355 W. Silver Lake Road (Behind Linden High School) Linden, MI 48451 810-735-4807 www.hopelinden.org Pastor Jim Rolf Sunday Worship ...... 8:15 am & 10:45 am Adult Bible Study ......9:30 am .....9:30 am Sunday School .....

#### TRANSFIGURATION

**LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA** 14176 Fenton Rd. • Fenton 810-629-7332 Dr. Mark Fisher, Minister www.FentonTLC.org Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 am Sunday School, 3 yrs -1st grade ..... .....(during Sunday Service) Sunday School, 2nd-5th grade......9:30 am Communion Celebrated every Sunday (Nursery available)

#### TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, LC-MS

806 Main Street • Fenton 810-629-7861 Fax 810-629-9877 www.trinitylcmsfenton.com Reverend Dean G. Dumbrille Worship Services Wednesday in the Word ......6:30 pm Saturday Traditional Worship ......6:30 pm Sunday Traditional Worship......8:30 am

Sunday Education Hour	9:45 am
Sunday Contemporary Worship	11:00 am
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#### **SHEPHERD OF THE LAKES** WELS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Pastor Aaron Frey	
989-944-1130	
Sunday School	9:15 am
Adult Bible Study	9:15 am
Sunday Worship Service	10:30 am

#### METHODIST

#### **HOLLY CALVARY UNITED**

**METHODIST CHURCH** 15010 N. Holly Rd. • Holly 248-634-9711 www.hollycalvary.org Rev. Cliff Schroeder Sunday Worship ..... ..9:30 am

Solid Ground Worship ..... 11:11 am Nursery Provided at all services.

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

119 S. LeRoy St. • Fenton 810-629-2132 fentonumc.com Pastor Jeff Jaggers Pastor Jeremy Peters Traditional Worship ...... 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am Contemporary Service ...... 11:05am

Nursery Provided at all services. **FENTON FREE** 

#### **METHODIST CHURCH**

800 North Rd. • Fenton 810-240-7600 www.fentonfmc.org Pastor John Vannest Sunday Worship ..... ..... 11:00 am 7:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study ..... Nursery available.

**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 2581 N. Long Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-629-5161 **Reverend Jeremy Peters** Sunday Worship .....9:00 am Sunday School..... 10:00 am

METHODIST (CONTINUED)

**LAKE FENTON** 

#### LINDEN **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 201 Bridge St. • Linden

Pastor Crystal Thomas Worship & Jr. Service ..... 10:00 am Coffee Hour ...

13274 S. Linden Rd. • Linden 810-735-4564 Pastor William Moull Assoc. Pastor Mike Anderson Sunday Worship ..... 10:00 am Sunday School ..... 11:15 am Sunday Night Teen Programs ......5:00 pm www.LindenFreeMethodist.org

#### NAZARENE

#### ARGENTINE CHURCH

16248 S. Seymour Rd. •	Linden
810-735-7118	
Pastor Robert Linds	ay
Sunday School	9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 am
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wed. Children & Teens	7:00 pm
Wed. Prayer Meeting	7:00 pm

#### **FENTON CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

11075 Runyan Lake Rd. • Fenton 810-750-6544 Pastor Ron Sharpe Sunday Worship Services ...... 11:00 am Sunday School for all ages ..... 10:00 am Nursery provided for Sunday services.

#### NON-DENOMINATIONAL

#### THE ROCK

11400 S. Linden Rd. • Fenton 810-629-2444 www.hisrock.net Pastor Wes Morris & Jim Combs Welcome You Saturday Evening Serivce..... ...6 pm Sunday AM Services ..... 8:30 am, 9:30am & 11 am Sunday School..... 9:30 am Sunday PM Service ...... 6 pm Wednesday Mid Week Service Kidz Rock (2 yr-5th grade).....7 pm Adult Bible Study ...... 7 pm Jr. & Sr. High Bible Study ...... 7 pm Addiction & Recovery ...... Tuedsday nights 7 pm BUS MINISTRY IS NOW AVAILABLE -PLEASE CALL FOR A RIDE!

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810-735-5858 ..... 11:00 am Nursery Available LINDEN FREE **METHODIST CHURCH** 

Celebratory Worship...... 10:00 am Children's Sunday School ...... 10:30 am Fellowship ..... ..... 11:30 am

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

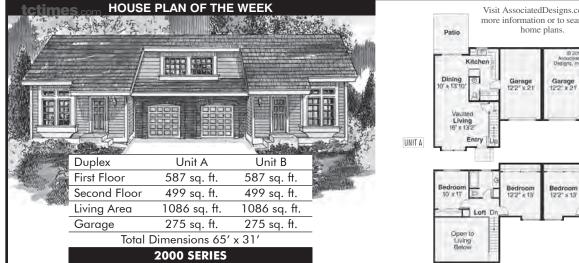
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 pm
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#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

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







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## **Obituaries**, Funeral Services and Memoriams

#### **Allan Keith** Affeldt "Big Al" 1951-2015

Allan Keith Affeldt "Big Al," - age 64 passed away March 18, 2015. Allan was born January 26, 1951, the son of Irvin and Mary Affeldt. He graduated from Fenton High School. Allan worked for GM for 15 years; he was a great cook and enjoyed fishing, playing pool and hunting. Surviving are son, Shawn Affeldt of Fenton, daughter, Keri Allison-Affeldt of Burton; three grandchildren, Mason Johns-Affeldt, Pierce Affeldt and Ian Affeldt; 3 sisters, Marilyn (Bill) Pender of Grand Blanc, Helen (Fred) Gross of Wisconsin, Rebecca (Dale) Cooney of Georgia; brother Jack (Pat) Walsh of Minnesota; many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; son Micheal Affeldt; brothers Robert and William Affeldt.





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Cynthia Sabucco, Cynthia Sabucco - age 55 died March 31, 2015. www.

temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



Faith Burczycki, Faith Burczycki - age 50 died March 27, 2015. www. temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



**Delmer Hull**, Delmer Hull - age 86, died March 30, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Susan Acree, Susan Acree - age 71, died March 28, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Marie Benson. Marie Benson - age 61, died March 28, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.





Obituaries updated daily online!



#### **Duane Raymond** Tangue 1930-2015

Duane Raymond Tangue age 84, of Linden, passed away peacefully on March 31, 2015

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Lakes National Cemetery. Those desiring may make contributions to Linden United Methodist Church. Duane was born May 8, 1930 in Island Pond, VT, the son of Raymond and Dorothy Tangue. He earned a Bachelors Degree from the University of Vermont and was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving in the Korean War. Mr. Tangue retired from Buick in 1986. He is survived by his wife, Marilyn; daughters, Debra (Charles) Loader, Teresa David) Ádams, Patricia (Marvin) Morse, Pamela (Eric) Couden; numerous grandchildren and greatgrandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents. Online condolences may be posted on the obituaries page of www. sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Ruth Tower**, Ruth Tower - age 74, died April 1, 2015. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Robert Scrivener**, Robert Scrivener - age 56, died March 27, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Virginia Monroe, Virginia Monroe - age 87, died April 2, 2015. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



**Randall Sprague**, Randall Sprague - age 54, died March 26, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes com



#### **Raymond Frank** Van Goethem Sr. 1926-2015

Raymond Frank Van Goethem Sr. - age 88, of West Branch, formerly of



Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton. Pastor Jack McMaster officiating. Interment at Great Lakes National Cemetery Visitation will be held 4-9 PM Monday. Those desiring may make contributions to Wounded Warrior Project or Faith Baptist Church of Linden. Ray was born August 7, 1926 in Grosse Pointe, the son of Frank and Augusta (DeVos) Van Goethem. He was a proud veteran of the US Navy, serving in WWII on the USSLST 133. Ray worked many years in management and retail sales including Allied Foods, Robertson Pharmacy, Mr. Van's Taxidermy, Sport Shop of Linden and retired from Loftus Title in 1996. He was past President of Grand Blanc Chapter of Pheasants Forever and of Linden Kiwanis. Ray enjoyed hunting, fishing, and games with the grand kids. Ray is survived by his loving wife of 66 years, Glenda; children, Diane Patterson, Sheree (Mark) McDaniel, Ray II (Colleen); grandchildren, Kari, Joey, Kaitlynn, Jesse, Derek, Érika, Ryan, Cody, Amber; five great grandchildren; sisters, Judith Bloom, Adeline Miller; sister-in-law, Betty Van Goethem. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Don; sisters, Marie (Micky) DeBlock, Helen Kinsora. Online condolences may be shared on the obituaries page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.





James Davidson, James Davidson - age 77, died March 29, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Lawrence Yurek, Lawrence Yurek - age 74, died March 26, 2015. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



#### **Louella Kay Budenaers** (Taylor, Bentz) 1946-2015

Louella Kay Budenaers (Taylor, Bentz) - age 68, of Luding-



Marian (Genia, Henriksen) and James Taylor of Ludington, "Beanie" graduated from Ludington High School in 1964, married Rodney Bentz on June 19, 1965 and moved to Flint then Fenton where they raised their three children. Lou was active in her Faith as a member of Trinity Lutheran of Fenton. After her children were grown, Lou worked to receive her Certified Nurse's Assistant Certificate from Ross Medical School which helped fulfill her dream of care giving. Lou married Roland Budenaers on October 27, 1994 living in Grass Valley, CA; Linden and Ludington, MI where she continued to care for many. Louella had a soft spot for stray animals. She found peace walking on the beach looking for shells and driftwood. She loved her grandchildren, hearing and retelling stories of their antics. She loved funny tv shows and was always up for an ice cream or a chocolate bar, with nuts. She loved to laugh and loved to love. Louella will be dearly missed by many including her husband; sister Marilynn and Roy Morton; children Robin McRath, Rodney and Laura Bentz, and Katie and Steve Weingartz; grandchildren Sam, Madelyn, Cameron, Karsen, Patrick and Rex; her nephews and stepfamily. No services will be held, per her request. Please consider a donation in her name to the Humane Society of Michigan. Online condolences may be posted on the obituaries page of www. sharpfuneralhomes.com.



#### Clem Smith, Clem Smith - age 87, died April 2, 2015. Services

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#### **Gerald Ray "Jerry"** Marleau 1940 - 2015

Gerald Ray "Jerry" Marleau – age 74 died peacefully March 23, 2015 at Norton



Hospital Downtown. He was born May 1, 1940 along with his twin sister Donna

E. and Gladys B. (Decker) Marleau. Jerry graduated from Fenton High School in 1958 and married Mary T. Pearson on November 7, 1959 in Fenton, MI. They divorced February 12, 1982 and she survives him. Jerry traveled the country as a Sales Representative and Construction Specialist for TRW for over 25 years. Every two years his work relocated Jerry and his family. They lived in Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Pennsylvania, and Derbyshire, England. Jerry also resided in Delaware, Iowa and Arizona. He spent his later years in East Louisville where he loved the people! Jerry was very proud of his family. He was quite an athlete in his earlier years and especially enjoyed playing golf and racquetball. He was also an avid sports fan. Jerry is survived by his son Gerald W. "Jerry" and his wife Christina Marleau of El Paso, TX; daughter Linda and her husband Dewey Zupan, of Wilsall, MT; grandsons Brian and his wife Andi Marleau of Ft. Worth, TX; Michael Marleau of Tacoma, WA; and granddaughter Megan and her husband Wes Purdum of Gig Harbor, WA. Jerry was especially proud of the recent arrival of his great grandson Barrett! Jerry is also survived by his sister Donna and her husband Daniel Diedrich of Royal Oak, MI; nephew Greg Diedrich of Buda, TX; and nieces Margo Perrino and her family of Troy, MI; and Kristen Bardeville and her family of Madison Heights, MI. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Tommy. A ceremony is being planned for a later date beneath the Bridger Mountains in Sedan, MT on his son-inlaw's family ranch. Gerald's family is thankful for the help he received from the kind people of Louisville, KY at the Meadows Apartments from his neighbors, staff and management; and for the care and compassion he received from the nurses, doctors, therapists and staff at Norton Hospital Downtown and at Signature East where he was residing



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at the time of his death.

**Ronald Skutt**,

Ronald Skutt - age 65, died April 2, 2015. Services

### **Ernest Wildfong**, Ernest Wildfong - age 84,

## Woman plans dream wedding, chooses wrong guy

#### **DEAR AMY:**

I am a 30-year-old woman who has been planning her dream wedding for as long as I can remember. I have also always wanted to be a mom. My boyfriend

of seven years does not want to ever get married or have children. He is 32 and happy with the way things are. We own a home together and are financially secure. All of my friends are getting married and I am not getting any younger. Should I stay with my boyfriend, hoping he will change his mind, or should I pack my bags and leave? — Desperate to Be a Bride

## BY AMY DICKINSON AMY

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#### **DEAR DESPERATE:**

First, I think you should ask yourself why you have cast your lot with someone who doesn't want any of the same things you want. Having a

house in common isn't much to go on, in terms of sharing your basic values. People don't usually change their views over something so fundamental as marriage and children, so you're staying with him just seems delusional. Cash out your share of this property, pack your bags and go. As you say, you're not getting any younger.

#### **INTERSTELLAR**



With our time on Earth coming to an end, a team of explorers undertakes the most important mission in human history; traveling beyond this galaxy to discover whether mankind has a future among the stars.

PG-13, 2 hr. 17 min



#### WILD CARD



PG-13, 2 hr. 22 min

Enchilada Cream Spread

Enchilada Grilled Cheese

Onion slices, chopped

• 1 T. enchilada sauce

Recipe from: thenutritiouskitchen.com

Olive oil or butter for greasing pan

Red bell pepper, roughly chopped

Shredded and cooked chicken

2 slices whole wheat bread

• Shredded cheddar cheese

1-2 T. enchilada sauce

• 1.5 t. cream cheese

1 T. greek yogurt

## Creamy Chicken Enchilada Grilled Cheese Sandwich

**DVD RELEASES** 

### Hand sanitizers vs. hand washing

BY KEITH ROACH, M.D.

#### **DEAR DR. ROACH:**

One encounters many forms of "hand sanitizer" products these days: in medical waiting rooms, restrooms, public places and in our kitchen. These are waterless, very quick drying products; we even have them in our

automobile. When one has many daily occasions to clean the hands, is it better (for your skin) to use soap and water, or the modern hand-sanitizer products? — N.M.G.

#### **ANSWER:**

The jury is out on which is more effective, if you compare good technique with one against the other. Both

To your GOOD

also can't remove grease.

## **PAW'S CORNER**

Agility training

for beginners

KEITH

ROACH, M.D.



DEAR PAW'S CORNER: My dog "Moe" is a very active Australian Shepherd. I love going out and throwing the Frisbee for him to catch. I'd like to teach him to do more, but a friend told me Australian Shepherds are just too hyper to train. Is he right? - Larry C., Omaha, Nebraska



**DEAR LARRY:** Australian Shepherds are very active and can get hyper when they don't get enough exercise. But they're also extremely smart and very trainable. You have to stay on top of their training

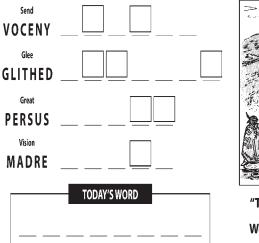
though, because an Aussie will look for a loophole at every chance. Moe sounds like a great candidate for agility training. You've probably seen it on television: dogs speeding through chutes, weaving around poles and leaping over small obstacles. Learning to handle each obstacle provides both physical and mental stimulation, something that active dogs like shepherds need. Professional trainers who offer agility classes abound in every major city. Shop around and ask your vet or friends about trainers they'd recommend. Meet with trainers in person to make sure you and Moe are comfortable with them. While you're looking, you can start Moe on the path. Pick up a book on agility training at a bookstore, the library or online. Purchase or build a couple of basic agility obstacles, like a jump bar, a tire or a low table (for pause training), and begin teaching Moe to respond to commands off-leash (in a secure area, of course).

#### Instructions

- 1. Prepare your enchilada cream spread by whisking ingredients with a fork until smooth. Set aside.
- 2. Sauté your bell pepper and onion in a greased pan over medium high heat. Once veggies have wilted, about 4 minutes, add in your cooked chicken and enchilada sauce. Mix together and cook for an additional minute.
- 3. Spread enchilada cream spread on one slice of bread. Spread cheese on the other slice of bread and place on a heated and greased skillet over medium heat. Add chicken mixture to one slice of the bread and continue to cook until cheeses are melted. Place other slice of bread on top of chicken mixture, press down with a spatula and serve immediately.

### 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!





"The ladders are for the tourist trade.

We use the \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_

Answer key located in this edition

are effective at reducing bacteria on the

hands. However, alcohol-based sanitizers are easy to use, portable, fast and are less irritable to the hands than repeated washings. There is better compliance

with them, and so they are more effective in the real world. Sanitizers are not effective against all

germs. They do not kill the spores of Clostridium difficile, a cause of severe diarrhea. However, soap and water wash the spores off and are effective where sanitizers are not, so soap and water should be used in cases of known or suspected C. diff diarrhea. Sanitizers also are not effective against norovirus, another infectious diarrhea. They



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