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## 'CLOWNING AROUND' at college


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Jessica Binaei, 19, AKA "Pee Wee," and Matthew Graham, 23, AKA "Bonkers" left, both of Fenton, use spirit gum to attach their noses in their honors Social Diversity & Civic Engagement class Monday morning. The class is held at the Regional Technology Center at Mott Community College in Flint. They'll perform as clowns for local schools as part of the class on outreach and engagement. (At right) Binaei applies her makeup.



Two Fenton students learn how to 'clown around' as members of Mott Honors College clown troupe

**By Sally Rummel**

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Sad clowns, happy clowns, scary clowns, goofy clowns. You'll find all kinds of clowns at the circus, birthday parties and walking in parades. Some make you giggle aloud, while others amaze you with magic tricks, juggling, balloon sculptures and stilt-walking.

Clowns have also been the subject of many pop songs over the years, from Judy Collins' "Send in the Clowns" to Smokey Robinson's "The Tears of a Clown."

Where do these clowns come from and why do they do it?

While there isn't an official clown school in Michigan, the tri-county area has the next best thing at Mott Community College in Flint.

At Mott, honors students aren't joking when they say they are "clowning around" while attending school. The Mott Campus Clowns are a clown troupe with a serious side, earning service hours as volunteers at Special Olympics events and anti-bullying programs at elementary schools.

The Mott Campus Clowns are headed by Dr. Bubby, also

**“They make you feel like you’re a superstar. They all want their picture with you and your autograph.”**

**Jessica Binaei**  
 Mott Campus Clown Troupe

**See CLOWN on 3B**

### LOOKING BACK, 2B

Two men steal the corpse of the revered film actor, Sir Charles Chaplin.

### TRI-COUNTY LOST AND FOUND

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### JOB OPENINGS, 4B

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### RECIPE, 11B

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## News briefs

### Toastmasters to host open house

Fenton Area Toastmasters is hosting a special Open House on Friday, March 4, from 7:45 to 8:45 a.m., in the conference room of Brown and Brown Insurance Co., 1190 Torrey Rd, Fenton.

Two special guest speakers will be featured.

Sean Gartland is the culinary director at Flint Food Works. He is the culinary business incubator at the Flint Farmers Market. He will be speaking on how the incubator stimulates entrepreneurship in the food industry around Flint.

Adrian Montague is a consultant at the Flint Area Reinvestment Office, and a local entrepreneur. She will be speaking on the culture of entrepreneurship in Flint and the development of the Flint area.

For more information, call Douglas Buchanan at (810) 964-7082 or Scott Farnella at (248) 762-5013.

### EASTER BASKETS FOR LOCAL FAMILIES IN NEED

Efforts are underway to help families in need in Fenton and the surrounding communities by providing Easter baskets for children age 0 through eighth grade. This project involves the combined efforts of local area churches, businesses and volunteers.

Easter baskets will be assembled on Wednesday, March 23 at 9 a.m. in the Family Life Center, next to the Fenton United Methodist Church, 119 S. LeRoy St., Fenton. Baskets will be available for pickup from 1 to 4 p.m. on March 23. Volunteers are welcome to assist with the basket assembly.

Anyone who needs or knows of a family in need of assistance in Fenton or surrounding communities is asked to call (810) 629-2132 to request an Easter basket for a child/children.

Donations of gift basket items will be accepted, such as Easter baskets, individually wrapped candy, gum, chocolate bunnies, small books and stuff animals, small toys, plastic eggs, toothbrushes and toothpaste, ribbon and cellophane.

Monetary donations will also be accepted with check payable to FUMC and "Easter Basket written in the memo.

For more information, contact Carolyn Lynch at [lynchcar@aol.com](mailto:lynchcar@aol.com) or (810) 252-9662. FUMC may be reached by calling (810) 629-2132.

### BOOKS DONATED VIA TOYS FOR TOTS LITERACY PROGRAM

It was incorrectly reported in the photo caption for "Book 'em" in the Sunday, Feb. 21 edition, that books delivered to the North Road Elementary School media center were paid for with approximately \$2,000 raised by the school. The books were actually donated through the Toys for Tots Literacy Program, an initiative of the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation and The UPS Store network. The books were delivered to Judy Wardlow's North Road Elementary School after she reached out to Les Beare, franchisee for The UPS Store on Silver Parkway in Fenton. The UPS Store delivered 1,100 books on Feb. 16.

## LOOKING BACK

at this week

### IN NATIONAL HISTORY

COMPILED BY VERA HOGAN

#### FEBRUARY 28

**1953:** Cambridge University scientists James D. Watson and Frances H.C. Crick announce that they have determined the double-helix structure of DNA, the molecule containing human genes.

#### FEBRUARY 29

**1940:** "Gone with the Wind" is honored with eight Oscars by the American Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences. An epic Southern romance set during the hard times of the Civil War, the movie swept the prestigious Best Picture, Director, Screenplay, Cinematography, Art Direction, Film Editing, and Actress categories. However, the most momentous award that night undoubtedly went to Hattie McDaniel for her portrayal of "Mammy," a housemaid and former slave. McDaniel, who won the Best Supporting Actress Academy Award, was the first African American actress or actor ever to be honored with an Oscar.

#### MARCH 1

**1932:** In a crime that captured the attention of the entire nation, Charles Lindbergh III, the 20-month-old son of aviation hero Charles Lindbergh, is kidnapped from the family's new mansion in Hopewell, New Jersey. Lindbergh, who became an international celebrity when he flew the first solo flight across the Atlantic Ocean in 1927, and his wife Anne discovered a ransom note demanding \$50,000 in their son's empty room. The kidnapper used a ladder to climb up to the open second-floor window and left muddy footprints in the room.

#### MARCH 2

**1978:** In one of history's most famous cases of body-snatching, two men steal the corpse of the revered film actor, Sir Charles Chaplin, from a cemetery in the Swiss village of Corsier-sur-Vevey, located in the hills above Lake Geneva, near Lausanne, Switzerland. Chaplin died on Christmas Day in 1977, at the age of 88. Two months later, his body was stolen from the Swiss cemetery, sparking a police investigation and a hunt for the culprits. After Chaplin's widow, Oona, received a ransom demand of some \$600,000, police began monitoring her phone and watching 200 phone kiosks in the region. Oona had refused to pay the ransom, saying that her husband would have thought the demand "ridiculous."

#### MARCH 3

**1887:** Anne Sullivan begins teaching 6-year-old Helen Keller, who lost her sight and hearing after a severe illness at the age of 19 months. Under Sullivan's tutelage, including her pioneering "touch teaching" techniques, the previously uncontrollable Keller flourished, eventually graduating from college and becoming an international lecturer and activist. Sullivan, later dubbed "the miracle worker," remained Keller's interpreter and constant companion until the older woman's death in 1936.

#### MARCH 4

**1995:** The comedic star John Candy dies suddenly of a heart attack at the age of 43. At the time of his death, he was living near Durango, Mexico, while filming "Wagons East," a Western comedy co-starring the comedian Richard Lewis.

#### MARCH 5

**1963:** The Hula-Hoop, a hip-swiveling toy that became a huge fad across America when it was first marketed by Wham-O in 1958, is patented by the company's co-founder, Arthur "Spud" Melin. An estimated 25 million Hula-Hoops were sold in its first four months of production alone.

## CLOWN

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known as Dr. Brian Ivory, dean of the Mott Campus Clowns, professor of Clownology and coordinator of the Mott Honors College. He's also a 1987 graduate of the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Clown College, which closed its doors in 1997 after almost 30 years of training more than 1,400 clowns.

The troupe spent all this week in full dress rehearsal for the Friday, Feb. 26 debut of their winter anti-bullying program for area schools, and Boys & Girls Clubs. While these performances are in Flint, the clowns have performed at Fenton and Linden elementary schools, said Ivory.

As many of these student clowns gear up for their debut performances, there were tons of clown camaraderie, nervous giggles and excited anticipation while donning their full make-up and costumes for the first time. Mott cosmetology students assisted the clowns in doing their make-up.

"Pee Wee," who is Jessica Binaei, of Fenton, is a 19-year-old "returning clown" in this semester's honors program. A serious, admittedly shy student pursuing a degree in Environmental Sustainability at Michigan State University after Mott, Binaei admits her clown personality is energetic and tough.

"When you're a clown, you can get away with most anything," she said.

Her favorite part of clowning is working with kids at Special Olympics. "They make you feel like you're a superstar," she said. "They all want their picture with you and your autograph." She hopes to keep clowning after she leaves Mott, enlisting the help of her mom in making her a costume. "Our costumes belong to the school," she said. "They are very expensive."

Her family is very supportive of her side career, with the exception of her sister, who is terrified of clowns. (see sidebar about Coulrophobia – fear of clowns).

"Bonkers," who is Matt Graham, is a 2010 graduate of Fenton High School and is in his first semester of the Honors College and the Mott Campus Clowns. As an aspiring social worker, he's excited about working with Special Olympics and anti-bullying programs.

"My clown name describes my personality completely," said Graham. "I'm definitely full of energy all the time and constantly 'over the top' with everything I do."

The Mott Campus Clowns have been making people laugh since 2011, after Ivory had been at Mott for a decade and was designing the honors program.

"It's a blessing to be able to tie all the important things in my life together," said Ivory, 52. "At the Honors College, I'm known to be pretty organized and structured. But when I'm in my clown makeup side-by-side with my students, I'm as present and joyful as I possibly can be."

## FEAR OF CLOWNS IS NO LAUGHING MATTER

By definition, an irrational fear of clowns is known as coulrophobia, with the prefix "coulro" coming from the ancient Greek word for "one who goes on stilts."

Symptoms of coulrophobia can include sweating, nausea, feelings of dread, fast heartbeat, crying or screaming and anger at being placed where a clown is present. The psychological roots of the phobia may be the fact that clowns are basically wearing disguises and displaying artificial emotions. You can't really tell who they are or what their true feelings are.



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Matthew Graham ties on his giant shoes, almost completing his costume as "Bonkers" the clown.

## FOUR DIFFERENT TYPES OF CLOWNS



### Auguste Clowns

generally have white around the eyes and mouth, with a flesh tone base. Bottom lip is red or black, with bold outlines around the

eyes. Red or pink rouge on the cheeks outline the "muzzle."



### White Face Clowns

use white base on their entire face and neck and makeup design is more precise and simpler than an Auguste

Clown. Some wear a skull cap while others don wigs.



### Tramp/Hobo Clowns

were made famous by Charlie Chaplin, Emmett Kelly and Red Skelton. They have white around the eyes

and mouth with black makeup to look like a bear. Makeup can look happy (Hobo) or sad (Tramp). This type of clown was especially popular in decades near the Great Depression.



### Character Clowns

are those whose makeup and costumes create an easy to identify character, (i.e., cowboys, doctors,

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<b>TUESDAY, MARCH 8, 2016</b>	Organizational Meeting 10:00 am
<b>TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016</b>	9:00 am -12:00 pm., 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
<b>WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 2016</b>	2:00 pm - 5:00 pm., 6:00 pm - 9:00pm

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**ROSE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS**

February 10, 2016

Supervisor Gambka called the Regular Meeting of the Rose Township Board of Trustees to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Rose Township Offices, 9080 Mason Street, Holly, Michigan and led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

Board Members Present: Miller, Lumley, Kemp, Scheib-Snider, Gambka  
Board Members Absent/Excused: None

Approved:

Agenda as amended.

Approved:

Consent Agenda minus HAYA report.

Approved:

\$5,000 for materials to repair the old Township Hall.

Approved:

RFP for 2016/2017 lawn mowing.

Approved:

2016/2017 lawn mowing contract as amended.

Approved:

Supervisor appointed Construction Board of Appeals members, Randy Gilbert, John Wojtaszek, Steve McGee.

Approved:

Supervisor waiving permits costs for old hall.

Adjourned:

By motion at 8:17 p.m.

Paul Gambka  
Rose Township Supervisor

Debbie Miller, CMC, CMMC  
Rose Township Clerk

**PUBLIC NOTICE  
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON  
BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS  
FEBRUARY 22, 2016**

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday February 22, 2016 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan and took the following actions.

- The board observed a moment of silence for the six members of the Quasarano family that tragically lost their lives this past weekend.
- Trustee Goupil offered the opening prayer.
- Supervisor Mathis led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
- Approved the agenda as presented.
- Received a presentation from Lindsey Younger, the Executive Director of Fenton Area Resources & Referral Network, Inc.
- Approved invoices and expenditures for payment in the total amount of \$906,933.35.
- Granted a lot depth-to-width ratio variance to permit the requested division of parcel 06-02-400-034, as presented, subject to approval of the Fenton Township Fire Chief.
- Appointed Michele K. Spear to the Fenton Township Zoning Board of Appeals for the term ending November 30, 2016
- Adjourned at 8:43 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, Tuesday & Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Wednesday and 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Friday. Ordinances, meeting schedules, meeting minutes and other Township information are also available at [www.fentontownship.org](http://www.fentontownship.org).

ROBERT E. KRUG  
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

**2016  
BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE  
ROSE TOWNSHIP  
9080 Mason St  
Holly, Michigan 48442**

**MARCH BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING SCHEDULE**  
The 2016 Rose Township Board of Review  
will be held at the  
Rose Township Offices, 9080 Mason Street, Holly, Michigan  
on the following dates and times:

**March 8, 2016 2:00 pm Organizational Meeting**

**Appointments will begin on:**

Thursday, March 10, 2016

9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Monday, March 14, 2016

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Wednesday, March 16, 2016

9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

**TO SCHEDULE AND APPOINTMENT IN ADVANCE FOR THE BOARD OF REVIEW, PLEASE CONTACT OAKLAND COUNTY EQUALIZATION DIVISION PRIOR TO MARCH 4, 2016, TOLL FREE, 1-888-350-0900, EXTENSION 80773 OR (248) 858-0773.**

**APPEARANCES BEFORE THE BOARD OF REVIEW ARE LIMITED TO 15 MINUTES. PROPERTY OWNERS MAY APPEAL BY MAIL IF RECEIVED BY 4:00 PM MARCH 10, 2016**

All agents protesting values on property other than their own  
**MUST** have written authorization from each property owner they are representing.

Handicapped persons needing assistance to attend the meeting are asked to contact the Rose Township Clerk (248) 634-8701 at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.

Debbie Miller, CMC, CMMC  
Rose Township Clerk

## NOTICE OF PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION ROSE TOWNSHIP

To the Qualified Electors of Rose Township, County of Oakland:  
Notice is hereby given that a Presidential Primary Election will be held in Rose Township, County of Oakland on **Tuesday, March 8, 2016 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** for the purpose of electing candidates for the following office:

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

The polling place locations for said election are as follows:

PCT. #1 - ROSE TOWNSHIP OFFICES – 9080 MASON STREET, HOLLY, MI 48442

PCT. #2 - ROSE PIONEER SCHOOL – 7110 MILFORD ROAD, HOLLY, MI 48442

PCT. #3 - ROSE PIONEER SCHOOL – 7110 MILFORD ROAD, HOLLY, MI 48442

For assistance in determining the accessibility of the polling place locations and the availability of voting instructions in alternative formats such as audio and Braille, please contact the Rose Township Clerk's Office.

Persons wishing to obtain an Absentee Ballot may do so by contacting the Rose Township Clerk's Office. The Clerk, or their designee, will be available in the Clerk's Office on the Saturday preceding the election, March 5, 2016 until 2:00 p.m., the deadline for requesting an Absentee Ballot which will be mailed.

For names of candidates, full text of proposals or any other information, please contact the Rose Township Clerk's Office at 248-634-8701.

Debbie Miller, CMC, CMMC  
Rose Township Clerk

## NOTICE TO ELECTORS OF TYRONE TOWNSHIP LIVINGSTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD MARCH 8, 2016

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that a Presidential Primary Election will be held in all voting precincts of Tyrone Township, Livingston County, Michigan, on Tuesday, March 8, 2016, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., for the purpose of voting for candidates seeking nomination to the Office of President of the United States.

### List of polling locations:

**Precinct #1** Fenton Church of the Nazarene  
(Linden School District voters) 11075 Runyan Lake Road, Fenton

**Precinct #2** Tyrone Covenant Presbyterian Church  
(Fenton School District voters) 10235 White Lake Road, Fenton  
residing north of White Lake Road)

**Precinct #3** Tyrone Covenant Presbyterian Church  
(Fenton School District voters) 10235 White Lake Road, Fenton  
residing south of White Lake Road)

**Precinct #4** Tyrone Township Hall  
(Hartland School District Voters) 10408 Center Road, Fenton

All of the above polling locations provide voting access for individuals with disabilities and contain voting instructions in alternative formats, including audio and Braille.

Voters are reminded of the identification requirement. You will be asked to present photo ID at the polls, such as a Michigan driver's license or identification card. Voters may also show the following forms of photo ID; driver's license or identification card issued by another state; federal or state government-issued photo identification; U.S. passport; military identification card with photo; student identification card with photo from a high school or an accredited institution of higher education, such as a college or university; or tribal identification card with photo.

Anyone who does not have an acceptable form of photo ID or is not carrying one can still vote. They will sign a brief form indicating that they are not in possession of a photo ID. Their ballots will be included with all others and will be counted on Election Day.

Applications for absent voter ballots are available for the Presidential Primary Election and may be obtained by contacting the Tyrone Township Clerk's Office. Requests for absent voter ballots must be in writing.

Keith L. Kremer,  
Tyrone Township Clerk

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## NOTICE ARGENTINE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS MARCH 2016 BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING DATES

The Argentine Township Board of Review for 2016 will be held at the Argentine Township Hall, 9048 Silver Lake Road, Linden MI 48451 on the following dates:

Tuesday March 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. - Organizational Meeting

### Appeal Hearings:

Monday, March 14, 2016 ----- 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 15, 2016 ----- 1:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 16, 2016 ----- 1:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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**By Board Resolution, residents are able to protest by letter, provided protest letter is received prior to March 16, 2016.**

The 2016 tentative equalization ratio is 50% and the estimated multiplier is 1.0000 for all property classifications.

Protest at the Board of Review is necessary to protect your right to further your appeals to the Michigan Tax Tribunal for valuation and exemption appeals and/or State Tax Commission for classification appeals.

Homestead affidavit Information is required by P.A. 237 of 1994 if you purchased your homestead after May 1, 2015. To claim the homestead exemption, if you have not already done so, you must file an affidavit before June 1, 2016 to affect the summer taxes and before November 1, 2016 to affect the winter taxes.

Robert W Cole Jr, Supervisor  
Argentine Township

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**DEERFIELD TWP.** Allen Road, W. of Argentine Road on N. side. 20 acres on scenic Barris Lake. Build your dream home. \$265,000. Hartland Schools.

**ALCONA TWP.** Racoon Trail, W. of F-41, off Fox Road. 2 lots w/2 memberships available in Lost Lake Woods Subdivision. Golf & hunting community with a variety of events happening year round. Beach area on Badger Lake. Lodge area for overnight guests with dining area and family gathering area. Wildlife abounds. \$11,500. Call for more details.

**HARTLAND SCHOOLS.** Maxfield Road. Nice 1.96 acre parcel for your new home. Great location. Paved Roads. \$69,900.

**HIGHLAND.** Catherine Ann Dr., N. of Clyde, W. of Hickory Ridge. Beautiful wooded 5 acre parcel in area of nice homes. Walkout basement and daylight windows in basement are available on this property. \$125,000.

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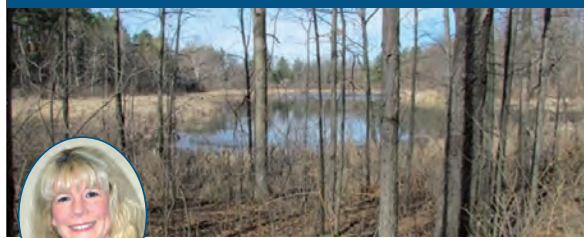


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			3					
	7		6					
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		6		4	8	2		
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ANSWER KEY LOCATED IN THIS EDITION

A Look back at the  
TOP 10  
COUNTRY  
SONGS  
from A – Z

CARRIE UNDERWOOD  
Top 10 Songs

1. Something In The Water - #1 seven weeks, 2014

2. Jesus, Take The Wheel - #1 six weeks, 2005

3. Before He Cheats - #1 five weeks, 2006

4. Wasted - #1 three weeks, 2006

5. So Small - #1 three weeks, 2007

6. All-American Girl - #1 two weeks, 2007

7. Just A Dream - #1 two weeks, 2008

8. Cowboy Cassanova - #1 one week, 2009

9. Good Girl - #1 one week, 2013

10. Last Name - #1 one week, 2008

KING FEATURES

SuperCrossword

ACROSS

1 Escape key's position

8 Schoolroom with easels, maybe

14 Not very new

20 Spur on

21 Big name in luxury watches

22 Darius' land

23 Biceps with more sweat?

25 Rang, as bells

26 Hosp. triage sites

27 El Cid, e.g.

28 Puerto —

30 Troll's home

31 Zest

32 Running specialists' outfits?

38 Actress Kerr

42 Whoopi's "The Color Purple" role

43 Fruit coverer

44 Shut down skiing peaks again?

47 Flinches or blinks, say

51 Check beneficiary

52 In order (to)

54 "I figured it out!"

55 With 78-Down, Coke Zero, e.g.

56 Lipstick flaw

60 Breaks loose

64 Vanquish

67 Put cica-das under water?

70 Sleep like —

72 Assume as fact

73 "... to market, to buy — pig"

74 Most inferior shoe bottoms?

79 Fasteners threaded at two ends

83 Zippy chip dip

84 Railroad station

86 Afghan-istan's Tora —

87 Application

88 — Minor (Little Dipper locale)

91 Altercations

94 Hound type

98 Never-for-gotten four-letter words?

102 Like sharp cheese

104 After, in Amiens

105 Filamentous

106 What a store manager likes to see on faces?

111 FedEx or DHL rival

112 "No" voter

113 Roo's friend

114 Norwegian hub

116 Bee product

119 Sea robber

121 June event

122 "remade" six times in this puzzle

127 GPS suggestions

128 Hard money

129 Less trustful

130 Aim

131 Atoll part

132 Sam-I-am's creator

DOWN

1 Proctor's cry

2 — about (around)

3 Omegas' preceders

4 33 1/3 rpm discs

5 "Doesn't matter which of the two"

6 Ticket given gratis

7 The "T" of NWT: Abbr.

8 — Dhabi (emirate)

9 Toys — (kids' haven)

10 "Creep" trio

11 IM snicker

12 Not at all fond of

13 Funda-mental

14 Enemy

15 "Life of Pi" director Ang

16 Biting Count

17 Hajji's faith

18 Food strainer

19 Pluto's realm

24 Pop idol?

29 Perp catcher

31 Groups of athletes on horseback

33 Hosp. area with IVs

34 Sci-fi writer Stanislaw —

35 Tree for a bark beetle

36 "How the Other Half Lives" author Jacob

37 With 41-Down, tittering laughs

38 "Judge —" (1995 Stallone film)

39 "— Meenie" (2010 hit)

40 A-G linkup

41 See 37-Down

45 Long hauler

46 Stuffing stuff

48 Raven cries

49 "I heard —!"

50 Expresses

53 Ward of "CSI: NY"

57 Pre- — (replace)

58 "— 'n' Andy"

59 Put new turf on

61 Miso soup ingredient

62 Labor pain?

63 Motor coaches

65 — mater

66 Labor

68 Really peeve

69 Scale interval

71 Central figure of Christianity, in Florence

74 Bait fish

75 Santa —, California

76 Some Pac-12 athletes

77 Indian wrap

78 See 55-Across

80 Plenty o' —

81 Cornered, as a raccoon

82 Smart-alecky

85 Pinball no-no

89 Bad wrecks

90 Clock radio toggle

92 Pulitzer-winning composer Gunther —

93 Reasons

95 Surfeit

96 Psyche part

97 Big storm

99 "... — quit!"

100 Clergyman's field: Abbr.

101 Mao — -tung

103 "In excelsis —"

106 Old Ford

107 Grant's side

108 Swagger

109 TV actress Portia de —

110 Salt's "Help!"

115 Sotheby's cry

116 2012 Nintendo console

117 Deck quartet

118 Children of boomers

120 "Taps" hour

122 Blanc of many voices

123 Onetime big record label

124 One, in Berlin

125 M&M color

126 Three, in Bari

ANSWER KEY LOCATED IN THIS EDITION

PUZZLE ANSWER KEYS

King Crossword, Wednesday Jumble, Wednesday Sudoku puzzles are located in last Wednesday's issue. All other puzzles are throughout this edition.

SUPER CROSSWORD ANSWERS

KING CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Solution time: 21 mins.

WEDNESDAY SUDOKU ANSWERS

SUNDAY SUDOKU ANSWERS

WEDNESDAY JUMBLE ANSWERS

Jumbles: KNACK TYPED MUFFLE POLICY

Answer: Why the bookkeeper received a raise — HE "COUNTED"

SUNDAY SCRAMBLERS ANSWERS

1. Despair 2. Lively 3. Pounce 4. Great

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TO THE TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON

2016 BOARD OF REVIEW

The Board of Review of the Charter Township of Fenton will meet at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan at the dates and times listed below.

Monday March 14, 2016

Tuesday March 15, 2016

Wednesday March 16, 2016

Thursday March 17, 2016

9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.\*

4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.\*\*

4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

\* The Monday Board of Review session will be recessed for 1-hour meal breaks at approximately 12:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

\*\* The Wednesday Board of Review session will be recessed for a 1-hour meal break at approximately 12:00 p.m.

At these sessions the Board of Review will hear any appeals or objections and review potential corrections to the assessment roll.

Property owners may file their appeals in writing, provided they are received by the Board of Review no later than 9:00 p.m. on March 17, 2016.

Property owners wishing to appeal in person may do so on a first-come-first-served basis on the dates and times indicated above. **APPOINTMENTS WILL NOT BE SCHEDULED.**

TENTATIVE EQUALIZATION MULTIPLIERS

Property Class	Ratio	Factor
Commercial	49.08	1.0187
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## GROVELAND TOWNSHIP LEGAL NOTICE

### PROPOSED AMENDMENT: Z 2016-001

Proposed Ordinance to Amend Section 21.00.00 of the code of the Township of Groveland. Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the Groveland Township Hall, 4695 Grange Hall Road, Holly MI for the purpose of hearing all persons interested in the proposed amendment. Said amendment, if adopted by the Groveland Township Board, would revise the Groveland Township Codified Ordinances, as amended, and change the zoning map text of the Township of Groveland of the following described property:

**Z 2016-001, GROVELAND TOWNSHIP, 4695 GRANGE HALL ROAD, HOLLY, MI. REZONE PARCELS: 02-19-300-003 & 004 & 005 & 008 & 011 FROM E-1 (Extractive) and RE/F (Rural Estate/Farm) to B-3 (General Business).**

Proposed language for the amendment is available at the Township Office during regular business hours. If you are unable to attend the meeting, your written comments are welcome prior to the night of the meeting, or you can teleph[hone] (248) 634-4152.

## PUBLIC NOTICE-PUBLIC HEARING GROVELAND TOWNSHIP ATTENTION RESIDENTS MARCH 14 2016 BUDGET HEARING FY 2016-2017

The Groveland Township Board will hold a public hearing at the regular Township Board of Trustees meeting on the proposed operating budget(s) for the Township General Fund, Building Fund and Fire Department Operating Fund at the Township Hall, 4695 Grange Hall Road, Holly, MI 48442 on March 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. A copy of the proposed budget(s) is available for public inspection at the township office or by contacting the clerk.

**The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied  
To support the proposed budget(s) will be a  
subject of this public hearing (MCL 141.412)  
1.00 Mill Township Operations  
3.94 Mills Fire Department Operations**

The Groveland Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aid and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audiotapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities upon six (6) days notice to the Clerk's office by writing or calling to the address and phone number listed in this notice.

This notice is posted in compliance with PA42 of 1995, MCL, 211.24e (2) (3) by complying with Section 16 of the Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act (MCL 141.436), MCL and Americans with Disabilities (ADA).

Pamela Mazich, Clerk  
4695 Grange Hall Road, Holly, MI 48442  
248-634-4152  
clerk@grovelandtownship.net

# Obituaries

## Times



### The Quasarano Family

Leonard Phillip Quasarano - age 35, and Heather Anne (Baslock) Quasarano - age 39, and their children, Luke Everett - age 11, Brenden Pierce - age 9, Rachel Marie - age 7 and Grant Phillip - almost 2, - of Linden, died February 21, 2016 at their home. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Saturday, February 27, 2016 at Central Church of the Nazarene, 1261 W. Bristol Rd., Flint. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Linden. Visitation was held 1-8 PM Friday at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton, and 10-11 AM at the church on Saturday. Those desiring may make contributions to Linden Elementary, The Linden Library, or Faith Baptist Church. Len was born May 23, 1980 in San Jose, CA. Heather was born June 17, 1976 in Pontiac. They were married August 17, 2001. Luke was born November 17, 2004. Brenden was

born August 17, 2006. Rachel was born December 17, 2008. Grant was born March 4, 2014. Len owned and operated his own Computer Support Company, Next Gen. Heather worked as an Ultrasound Sonographer for McLaren Imaging. Luke, Brenden, and Rachel all attended Linden Elementary. Len and Heather and their children were believers of Jesus Christ and active members of Faith Baptist Church in Linden. Surviving are: Lens parents, Phillip and Laura Quasarano of Linden; Heathers parents, James and Alice Baslock of Brighton; Len's siblings, Jim (Tiffany) and Nina "E-Oh" Quasarano; Heather's sisters, Lisa (Todd) Schweizer, Tammy (Larry) Karvonen, and her identical twin sister Rhonda (Greg) Sloan; many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews. Tributes may be shared in the obituaries page at [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Donald Bradley

Donald Bradley - age 68, died February 23, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Janet Snyder

Janet Snyder - age 60, died February 24, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### George Dorrance

George Dorrance - age 91, died February 25, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Zella Hedges

Zella Hedges - age 85, died February 25, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Mr. Richard Lucas

1930-2016

Mr. Richard Lucas - age 85, of Fenton, died February 23, 2016. He is survived



by his daughter, Debra; grandson, Ryan (Karinda) Bacon; great-grandsons,

Hayden and Oliver Bacon; niece, Tricia (Gary) Bellamy and their son Landon. Richard was preceded in death by his wife, Georgetta and daughter, Cindy. Visitation will be Sunday, February 28, 2016 from 4-8 PM at the Temrowski Family Funeral Home, 500 Main Street, Fenton. His funeral service will be Monday, February 29, 2016 11 AM, at the funeral home. Entombment will follow in Crestwood Memorial Cemetery. The family extends deep appreciation to the McLaren Hospice Staff for their loving care and support. Share memories at [www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com](http://www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com).



### Raleigh Bahr

Raleigh Bahr - age 91 died February 22, 2016. [www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com](http://www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com).



### Fidel Joa

Fidel Joa - age 57 died February 23, 2016. [www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com](http://www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com).



### Betty Brisindine

Betty Brisindine - age 83, died February 22, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Donald Bradley

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### Mary Josephine Heffner

1920-2016

Mary Josephine Heffner - age 95, of Linden, died February 18, 2016. Funeral



services were held 2 PM Monday, February 22, 2016 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Pastor Jack McMaster officiated. Burial followed in Oakwood Cemetery. Visitation was held 4-8 PM Sunday. Mary was born October 6, 1920 in Glouster, OH, the daughter of Samuel and Minnie (Champlin) James. She was married to James Phillip Heffner on February 17, 1941; he preceded her in death on December 25, 2008. Mrs. Heffner retired from General Motors. She is survived by her children, James Heffner, Carol Heffner-Vassler, Gerald Heffner; grandchildren, Jerry Heffner, Jim Heffner, Christy Trzcinski, Matt Heffner, Jasen Heffner; six great-grandchildren; sisters, Betty Anderson and Elizabeth Morris; brother, Max James. She was also preceded in death by her sisters, Virginia and Adrian. Online condolences may be posted on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Theodore E. Freymiller

Theodore E. Freymiller from Grantsburg, WI formerly from Holly, passed away on February 13, 2016 at the good old age of 92.

### Edwin Hershon

Edwin Hershon - age 92, died February 20, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Edwin McCallister

Edwin McCallister - age 77, died February 20, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Maureen Aarol Bittinger

1939-2016

Maureen Aarol Bittinger - age 76, of Lake Fenton, passed away at Hurley



Medical Center in Flint, on Tuesday, February 23, 2016. She was born in Gladwin, Michigan on August 19, 1939, to Iris "Ike" H. & Valda A. (Shell) Greer. On June 25, 1960, she was united in marriage to Stanley Ray Bittinger, from Uniontown, Pennsylvania. They shared 38 wonderful years together before he predeceased her in death in 1998. She had lived in Genesee County most of her life and she was a member of a F.O.E. Gladwin Aerie 3292 Auxiliary. She was very career oriented. She started her employment as a secretary and worked her way to the level of Management. She dedicated 40 years of service before retiring from the Department of Housing & Urban Development. Her memory will be cherished by her daughter, Michele Bittinger of Antioch, Illinois; sons, D. Scott Bittinger and Stacey Bittinger both of Lake Fenton, and especially her 2 grandchildren, Jacob and Grant. There will definitely be a void for her sister and "partner in crime" Gail Anderson and several nieces & nephews. Waiting to receive her in her heavenly home is her husband, Stanley Bittinger; parents, Iris "Ike" and Valda Greer; brother: Gary Greer; and sister: Darla Rellinger. Funeral services will be conducted by Pastor Brad Withrow on Saturday, February 27, 2016, 11 AM at Hall-Kokotovich Funeral Home, Gladwin, Michigan. The family will receive friends on Saturday from 9 AM until the time of services. She will be laid to rest at a private graveside service at Ridge Cemetery, Gladwin, Michigan. [www.hallkokotovichfuneralhome.com](http://www.hallkokotovichfuneralhome.com).

### Erich Sippert

Erich Sippert - age 86, died February 22, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Eugene Satkowiak

Eugene Satkowiak - age 76, died February 22, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Lois Helen Lucas 1930-2016

Lois Helen Lucas - age 85, of Fenton, died Wednesday, February 24, 2016. Funeral services will be held 12 PM Tuesday, March 1, 2016 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton. Burial in Riddle Cemetery. Visitation will be held at the funeral home Tuesday, March 1, 2016 from 11 AM until the time of the service. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make contributions to the American Heart Association. Lois was born August 30, 1930 in Ceres, Virginia the daughter of Walter J. and Zella M. (Hilton) Kitts. She married Odell Lucas June 25, 1955 and he preceded her in death February 7, 1978. She had resided in Fenton for the past 13 years coming from Hartland/Howell. Lois was a member of Hardy Methodist Church. Surviving are: 3 children, Susan (Jerry) Cobb of Jackson, Robert (Pamela) Lucas of Fenton, and John (Kimberly) Lucas of Fenton; grandchildren, Jason (Melissa) Lucas of Florida, Justin Lucas (Danielle Solano) of Denver, Lindsay (Bradley) Hartwell of Wolverine Lake, Leah Lucas of Grand Haven, and Andrew Lucas of Fenton; great-grandchildren, Brady Lucas, Lucas Hartwell, and Hannah Lucas; sister, Louise (Merle) Warner of Pennsylvania; and several nieces and nephews. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page at [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### George Druley

George Druley - age 80, died February 23, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Herbert Pratt

Herbert Pratt - age 94, died February 22, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Terry McPhelimy

Terry McPhelimy - age 72, died February 20, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



### Veronica Parr

Veronica Parr - age 88, died February 21, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



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Susan B. Ring

1932-2016

Susan B. Ring - age 83, passed away peacefully on February 21, 2016. It was the end of an era for an indomitable woman who transformed everyone she met with her kindness, love, and generosity. Susie was born in Flint, on July 12, 1932 to Louise and George Buckingham, the oldest of three girls. She attended William Woods College in Fulton, Missouri, and went on to become an administrator at GMI Institute in Flint, where she met her first husband Ted Broderick. They had two children, Linda Susan and Michael. After Susie's first marriage ended, she remarried Benjamin Ring and the two relocated to Lacey, Washington, a small town outside of Olympia. There they spent some 20 happy years until Ben died in 1987. Susie then took a job at the Department of Natural Resources for the state of Washington before retiring in 1997. While living in Washington, Susie became a diehard Mariners and Seahawks fan. "Ringlet," her clown persona, was also born in Washington. Susie, in her 60s, went to clown school and performed "clown ministry," doing a comedy routine for local hospitals, charities, and schools. In Michigan and Washington, Susie enjoyed many volunteer associations, including the Junior League of Flint, the Vestry and Altar Guild in Flint, and St. Benedict's Church in

Lacey. She also volunteered for the Washington State Capital, served as a docent for the Governor's Mansion, and was a member of the Olympia Symphony Guild. Eleven years ago, Susie moved to South Pasadena to be closer to her family, and enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren. She bought a shiny blue PT Cruiser and became a well-known fixture in town. Everyone brightened when they saw Susie pull up in a car as vibrant as her spirit. In South Pasadena, as with every city she lived, Susie jumped in with both feet to become an essential and valued member of the community. Susie will always be remembered for her easy grace and her ability to befriend anyone and everyone. Susie is survived by her sister, Betsy Carta; daughter, Linda (Broderick) D'Oro and son-in-law, Frank; son, Mike Broderick; step children, Stanley Ring, Francine Anton, Stephen Ring, and Gregory Ring; grandchildren, Jessica Gonzalez, Jill Renninger, Anthony and Sydney D'Oro, Ashley and Jacob Broderick, Tracie and Matthew Ring, Ben and Anna Ring, and David and Erica Ring; and five great-grandchildren. She was pre-deceased by her sister, Mimi Buckley. Services will be held at St. James Episcopal Church in South Pasadena on Sunday February 28, 2016 at 2 PM with a reception following.

FUNERAL ETIQUETTE

How long should I stay at a visitation?

It is only necessary to stay for a short time; fifteen minutes or so gives you enough time to express your sympathy. Your simple presence will mean a lot to the family. You do not need to stay for the entire visitation, but try not to leave during any prayers that might be offered.

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How safe is the use of ultrasounds?

DEAR DR. ROACH:

Could you please discuss the use of ultrasounds during routine pregnancies? How many typically are performed, and are there any possible negative effects on the fetus? Are doctors today performing more ultrasounds (including 3-D ultrasounds) just because they can and because it's exciting for the expectant parents, or is there a medical reason for performing these? My daughter-in-law is in her sixth month and has had two ultrasounds, plus a 3-D session. She is under the impression that she will have at least one more. To my knowledge, this is not a high-risk pregnancy (she's 26 and everything is going fine). I'm just wondering if so many sessions are really needed and what is known about the effects on the fetus. — G.M.

To your GOOD HEALTH

BY KEITH ROACH, M.D.

KEITH ROACH, M.D.

that there is no long-term risk of leukemia, hearing loss or abnormal eye development. A 2013 guideline from multiple groups, including the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, recommended a standard first-trimester ultrasound, and a standard second- or third-trimester ultrasound. Any other ultrasounds would be based on a clinician's concern for a potential problem. The guideline specifically states: "Fetal ultrasound should be performed only when there is a valid medical reason, and the lowest possible ultrasonic exposure settings should be used to gain the necessary diagnostic information." I don't have enough information to know why your daughter-in-law has had more ultrasounds than is usually recommended for a normal pregnancy. Perhaps her obstetrician has a low-level concern she hasn't shared with her, or your daughter-in-law with you. While not the case for her, I am concerned about the growing trend of so-called keepsake ultrasounds that are not performed for valid medical reasons, such as those done in shopping malls. These might not be administered with the same degree of expertise and safety as a medical ultrasound.

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PG, 1 hr. 40 min

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PG-13, 1 hr. 51 min.

Baked Oatmeal with Blueberries and Bananas

Modified from Ambrosia Baking • Skinnytaste.com

Servings: 6

Serving Size: 1/6th

Points +: 6 pts

Smart Points: 6

Calories: 211.7

Fat: 5.4 g

Protein: 5.6 g

Carb: 38.1 g

Fiber: 3.8 g

Sugar: 22.8 g

Sodium: 76.9 mg (without salt)

INGREDIENTS:

- 2 medium ripe bananas, (the riper the better) sliced into 1/2" pieces
- 1 1/2 C. blueberries
- 1/4 C. honey (or agave)
- 1 C. uncooked quick oats
- 1/4 C. chopped walnuts or pecans
- 1/2 t. baking powder
- 3/4 t. cinnamon
- pinch of salt
- 1 C. fat free milk (or any milk you desire)
- 1 egg
- 1 t. vanilla extract

DIRECTIONS:

1. Preheat the oven to 375° F. Lightly spray a 8 x 8" or 9 x 9" ceramic baking dish with cooking spray; set aside.
2. Arrange the banana slices in a single layer on the bottom of the ceramic dish. Sprinkle half of the blueberries over the bananas, 1/4 tsp. of the cinnamon, 1 tbsp. of the honey and cover with foil. Bake 15 minutes, until the bananas get soft.
3. Meanwhile, in a medium bowl, combine the oats, half of nuts, baking powder, remaining cinnamon, and salt; stir together. In a separate bowl, whisk together the remaining honey, milk, egg, and vanilla extract.
4. Remove the bananas from the oven, then pour the oat mixture over the bananas and blueberries.
5. Pour the milk mixture over the oats, making sure to distribute the mixture as evenly as possible over the oats. Sprinkle the remaining blueberries and walnuts over the top.
6. Bake the oatmeal for about 30 minutes, or until the top is golden brown and the oatmeal has set. Serve warm from the oven.

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