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By Sally Rummel

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See LOFT on 2B



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Matt Giddings' Dibbleville apartment, which comes with a deck overlooking West Elizabeth Street, is great for gatherings and relaxing with friends.



“It's much bigger, but the set-up is weird because the space is narrow and deep. It's been hard to furnish, but it's fun.”

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Matt Giddings' apartment looks a little like the set from "Mad Men," with carefully chosen and collected items from the 1960s adding to the warm look.

LOFT

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Whether you live in Cornerstone or one of the apartments located above retail or commercial space downtown, you're likely in one of two generations — either a Millennial or a Baby Boomer.

The same is true in the village of Holly, where there are plenty of downtown apartments, but a long waiting list to get into them.

"The Millennials are actually driving the trend toward downtown living," said Andy Potter, executive director of the Holly Downtown Development Authority (DDA). "They want to bike, walk and live in the middle of all the action."

Matt Giddings, 31, is a member of the Millennial generation, defined as a young person between the ages of 18 and 34.

He occupies the back two-thirds loft space above Fenton's Open Book. "It's about 900 square feet, but the set-up is weird because the space is narrow and deep," said Giddings. "It's been hard to furnish, but fun."

His back door faces Elizabeth Street, where he enjoys watching people and grilling on the porch. "I lived in Ann Arbor, Flint and Chicago for awhile," said Giddings, an outside salesman for Ant-cliff Windows in Burton. "It's been a whole lot better than I expected. I love living downtown."

For most downtown apartment dwellers in Fenton, parking can be an issue. "I don't have a dedicated parking space," he said. "It can be interesting sometimes. I'll park in the public lot by the police, along the side of the building, wherever I can find a spot. If I have groceries, I'll stop in the re-load zone, walk my groceries upstairs then re-park."

According to Mike Reilly, city building and zoning inspector, downtown rental properties usually range from 600 to 1,200 square feet and cost between \$500 and \$1,000 per month. "The high demand for downtown apartments is one of the things driving us toward a walkable, pedestrian-friendly downtown."

Giddings' neighbor, Linda Malvich, occupies the smaller front apartment facing Shiawassee Avenue. As a GM retiree, Malvich is on the other end of the age group of people desiring downtown living.

Six years ago, she did an "extreme downsize" from a 4,500-square-foot home with a swimming pool on 10 acres, to her 600-square-foot loft apartment in downtown Fenton.

She moved to downtown Fenton from Holly to be closer to her aging parents.

"I love the convenience of walking everywhere I need to go, except the grocery store."

Linda Malvich
Downtown Fenton
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"This place opened up and I took it," she said.

Since her move, Malvich, 63, has made the entire Fenton downtown area her home, walking from her tiny studio apartment to all the restaurants, shops and neighborhoods that surround her. "I love the convenience of walking everywhere I need to go, except the grocery store," she said.

She also loves the camaraderie with the ladies who own businesses below her, from Sweet Variations to The Iron Grate, and knows the staff at the Fenton House by first name. In fact, she shares an interior stairway with The Iron Grate, using that entrance to access her apartment, when the store is open.

Her loft lifestyle opens up a lot of free time for her, allowing her to golf and travel, when she's not caring for her parents. "I just stop the mail, lock the door and leave," she said.

"Another bonus, cleaning is a 20-minute job."

On the downside, she misses gardening and yard work, and parking is sometimes a problem. "On weekends, I park at Vek's across the street," said Malvich. "During the week, I have to drive around and look for a spot like everyone else. It can tick you off, especially when you have a load of groceries."

In downtown Holly, the demand for downtown housing is so great that prices have gone up 40 percent.

"Seven apartments are now being renovated, and were priced at \$350 to \$400 a month," said Potter. "Now the renovated ones will be \$800 to \$1,100 a month."



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By Hannah Ball

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Astronaut Scott Kelly returned from space early March after spending nearly a year in space. He came back a changed man — literally. Because of zero gravity in space, human bodies change and adjust to the foreign atmosphere, so Kelly came back a taller and skinnier man. Researchers will spend years studying him and his twin brother to record the long-term effects of staying in space.

Source: *USAToday*



VISION

Astronauts often lose visual acuity after spending an extended period of time in space, although scientists are unsure why. Researchers will focus on Kelly's eyes in an attempt to figure out why.

BONES & MUSCLES

In space, astronauts don't feel the pull of gravity so they don't have to use their legs as much. In the early years of space exploration, astronauts would lose muscle and bone mass, coming back to earth with significant muscle loss.

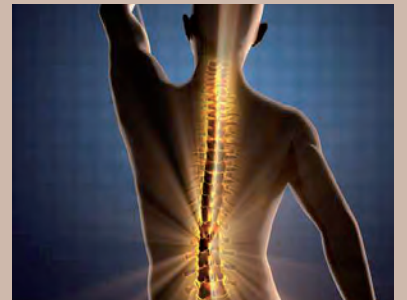
Now, astronauts are required to use a special treadmill, or other resistance devices, in space that they strap themselves into, in order to use their muscles as they would on earth.

Calcium is released when bones break down, which can lead to kidney stone formation and bone fractures.

RADIATION

Exposure to radiation is a major issue astronauts face in space. On the International Space Station, radiation levels increase 20 fold than what humans experience on earth.

Researchers will study the effects that radiation will have on the heart, blood vessels, bones, central nervous system, the brain, and the risk for cancer.



HEART

Because of the lack of gravity, the cardiovascular system doesn't have to do as much work. The heart can change shape while in space because it operates differently.

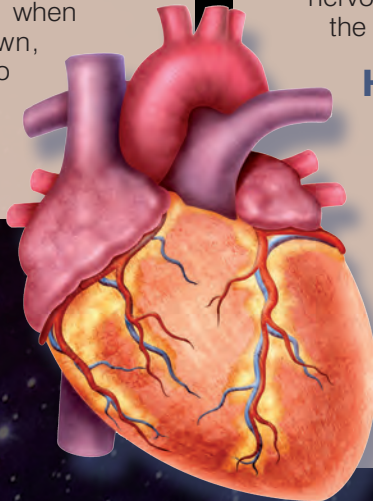
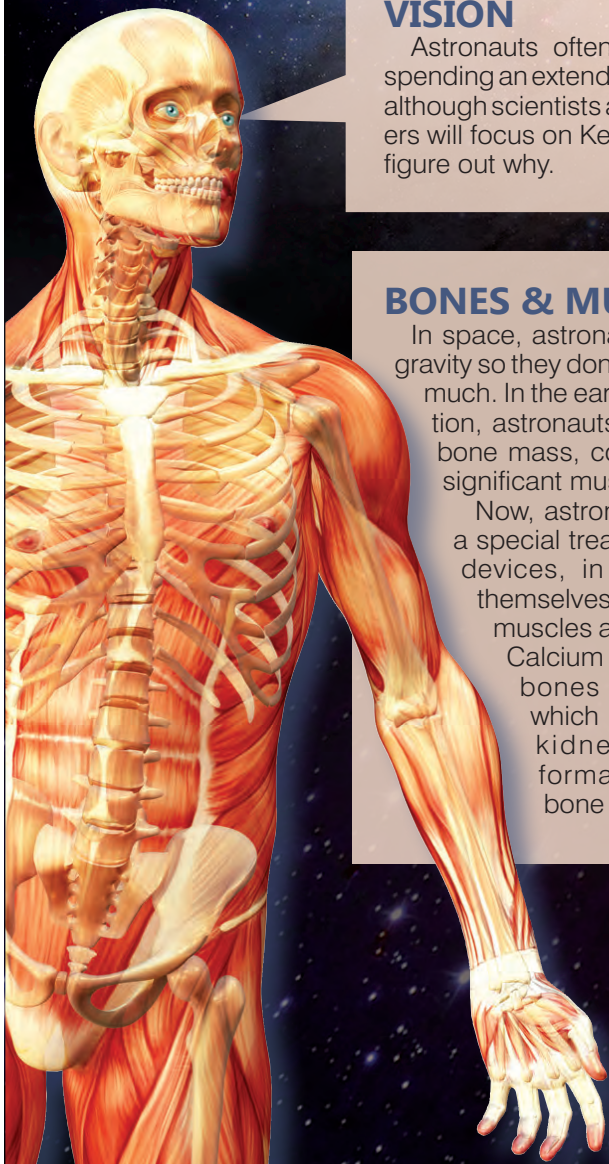
Astronauts often feel faint when returning to earth.

SPINE

Kelly came back two inches taller than his twin brother. His spinal discs expanded because there was no gravity compressing his body.

Astronauts may have issue with balancing and simple tasks like standing up or walking.

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HHS marching band to perform at Detroit Tigers game

■ Will perform National Anthem on April 9 at Comerica Park

Holly High School's Broncho Marching Band is the winner of the March the Park national anthem contest. The band will receive a \$5,000 grant for its school's marching band program, the opportunity to perform the national anthem at Comerica Park for the April 9 Detroit Tigers game, and 130 tickets to the game.

High school marching bands from southeast Michigan submitted videos of their bands performing the national anthem. Submissions were reviewed by a panel of judges from the Detroit Tigers and Comerica Bank to narrow down the submissions to a group of 10 finalists.

Public voting on Comerica Bank's Facebook page determined the contest winner. More than 70,000 votes were cast during the nearly two-week public

voting period.

Peter LoFiego, the Holly High School principal was thrilled to learn that their band was recognized as one of the top area bands.

"To win the event, I must give a huge shout out to our school community for the support they provided," he said. "I am not certain there are 20,000 people in Holly, it was clear the campaign to select our band took many more people than the band, our student body and staff."

LoFiego said this is all about the members of the band and the incredible hard work they put in to make their program one of the finest in the area. "I am so proud of their accomplishments and clearly our community feels the same way.

"I would also like to thank Comerica Bank for their generous donation to our band program. That money will be used to upgrade band equipment for the program."

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HOT LINE CONTINUED

■ **TO THE PERSON** complaining about feeding the ducks bread, get a life. You probably voted for Hillary in the primary. It sounds like you have nothing else to do but complain.

■ **HOLLY MAIN STREET** bike lane cuts traffic lanes in half year-round for a few bikes. Stupid.

■ **AFTER READING THE** front page article on Sunday's Times, as a taxpayer, eliminate all busing. And for those who can't afford to drop their kids off at school, call up one of those Your Rides and schedule a pick up and drop off. Save the taxpayers a lot of money and a lot less traffic congestion and plugged up roads twice a day.

■ **I KNOW WHERE** they can get the money to put in a dog park in Fenton on the land donated for free.

■ **TO THE WOMAN** in the silver pickup truck Friday evening after 7 p.m., driving from Dunham's parking lot into VG's parking lot: that stop sign is there for a reason.

■ **HERE WE GO** again, watching Charter, Tuesday, March 22. I was watching a little morning news. The sound and the lips of the newscaster are not matching up. I switched to Channel 4 news again and still the same crap going on. Come on, Charter.

■ **OBAMA HAS BEEN** negligent and incompetent in dealing with Islamic terrorism. He has reduced our military border patrol and deportations. Our nation is at risk.

■ **CHANNEL 5 REPORTER** this morning: 5,000 Syrian refugees are coming to Michigan, but only a few should belong to ISIS. Boy, that makes me happy.

■ **HOW IS IT** the city of Linden can threaten to write you a ticket if you don't clean up the accumulating stuff in your yard or in front of your garage without the majority of it being trash, but they won't go down there and write a ticket for the businesses that use the dumpster behind the restaurant? Their dumpsters are disgusting and smell gross. Something needs to be done. Clean it up, Linden.

News briefs

Great Lakes National Cemetery to hold a Commemorative Service honoring Vietnam era veterans

On Saturday, April 2, at 11 a.m., the Great Lakes National Cemetery will hold a Commemorative Service at the performance area to honor all Vietnam Era Veterans — 1959-1975. The service is free and open to the public. All veterans are welcome to attend. There is seating. Special Commemorative lapel pins will be presented. Speakers are veterans John H. Rilling and Ina J. Golden. Weather permitting, there will be a display from Michigan's Military and Space Museum located in Frankenmuth. The cemetery is at 4200 Belford Rd., Holly. For information, call (248) 328-0386. The volunteer event coordinator for this service is Joe Mishler, who can be reached at (810) 348-9960, or jmm1967@comcast.net.

Holly Veterans Resource Center offers programs

The newly established Holly Veterans Resource Center is planning to open on a regular basis. The Veterans Center is located at the Karl Richter Community Center, 300 East St., in Holly. The Center is located in Room C-309 of the building in C wing. Currently the center offers Certified Service Officers on the first Tuesday of each month from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. To make an appointment, call (248) 858-0785 and ask for Lauren. Walk-ins are also accepted. Bring necessary paperwork like discharge papers. On May 3, Mark Downing will be there from Survivor Outreach Services. His office provides information to the families and survivors of fallen soldiers and veterans. If you have a group of veterans and you would like a place to meet, let them know. The village of Holly administrators and village council along with the Holly Area Schools have been very helpful in getting this program going. For more information, contact either Joe Mishler at (810) 348-9960 or Ray Pfenning at (248) 882-1406.

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Meet Easter Bunny

- Delivers chocolate and gifts to children
- Loves hip-hop music
- Likes to hide Easter eggs

By Vera Hogan

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With Easter being this Sunday, the Times thought this would be the perfect time to interview the Easter bunny, a favorite furry character among children.

Where did you come from?

It was so long ago I actually don't remember, but I think I first arrived in America in the 1700s with German immigrants who settled in Pennsylvania. Although I am clearly a mammal, these Germans transported their tradition of an egg-laying hare called "Osterhase" or "Oschter Haws." I played along.

Their children made nests in which I "allegedly" could lay my colored eggs. Eventually, the custom spread across the U.S. and my Easter morning deliveries expanded to include chocolate and other types of candy and gifts, while decorated baskets replaced nests. The latter, of course, was my idea. **Why did they think you laid eggs and what does that symbolize?**

Rabbits obviously don't lay eggs, but since we are how shall I say "prolific procreators," we are an ancient symbol of fertility and new life.

What is your favorite kind of music?

Well, hip hop, of course. I can hippity hoppity hop hop hop down anyone's trail.

Do you have any famous rabbits you look up to?

Bugs Bunny is a very cool rabbit and made kids happy back in the day. He was in a scary cartoon though, at least in my opinion. That little dude with the goofy hat, Elmer Fudd, was always saying, "kill da wabbit, kill da wabbit." Makes me shudder just thinking about it.

Do you find it offensive when kids eat chocolate replicas of you?

Oh please! Don't bite my head off! Just kidding. It's OK, really. I wish they wouldn't make those replicas hollow though. That makes me feel so cheap.

What do you think about Peeps?

All I am going to say about that is I hope you have a good dentist and even better dental insurance coverage. **Santa Claus has a workshop at the North Pole. Do you have a workshop?**

Since I deal in perishables, I don't really need a workshop. I have satellite

stations all over the country where I pick up the goodies for children's baskets though.

As far as the eggs, I rely on moms and dads to get those boiled, colored and decorated by the day before Easter so I can just sneak in, fetch them from the frig and drop them in the baskets.

Like I said, I deal in perishables. If I hauled hard-boiled eggs around the world, they would surely spoil and I, quite frankly, don't need that kind of egg on my face.

**Santa Claus
likes it when
kids**

leave out cookies on Christmas Eve. Is there something you like to snack on early Easter morning?

I do enjoy a nice crunchy carrot. I especially like the miniature carrots because they're easy to carry and snack on quickly. Now that's my kind of candy!

Why a bunny? Why isn't there an Easter kitten or an Easter puppy?

Now you brought up one of my biggest pet peeves. Because they don't hop on their two hind legs, that's why. It sure was a hare-brained idea to come up with TV commercials that show cats and dogs dressed like me, with the tall ears and everything. Puhleeaaase!

Tell us something we don't know about you.

I shouldn't say this, but female rabbits can conceive a second litter of offspring while still pregnant with the first. That's where the saying "breed like bunnies" comes from. And, because there are so many of us, I have many assistants. I, of course, am the boss of all of them. It is handy though to have my well-trained helpers make deliveries, handle picture-taking gigs, etc. **Is there anything else you would like to say to the children in our reader area?**

Yes, while Easter is great fun with all the egg hunts, pictures with the Easter bunny, and receiving the Easter basket filled with colorful eggs, chocolate and other goodies, like Christmas, don't forget the real reason for the season. Happy Easter!

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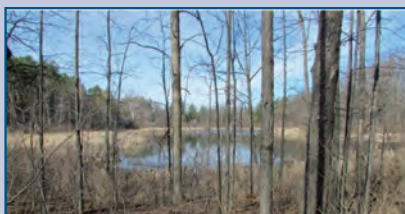
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SundaySudoku

		9					4	
7	8			4			3	9
		5		3	2	6		
8		6			7			
			1			8		6
		8	6	7		9		
6	4			8			5	3
	2					4		

Answer key located in this edition

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

ABBA
Top 10 Songs

1. Dancing Queen

- #1 one week, 1976

2. Take A Chance On Me

- #3 two weeks, 1978

3. Waterloo

- #6, 1974

4. The Winner Takes It All

- #8, 1980

5. The Name Of The Game

- #12, 1977

6. Fernando

- #13, 1976

7. Knowing Me, Knowing You

- #14, 1977

8. SOS

- #15, 1975

9. I Do, I Do, I Do, I Do, I Do

- #15, 1976

10. Does Your Mother Know

- #19, 1979

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

ALLPROBENICETO GARBS
WOODEDENSNARESADORE
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SNO SOO OCTEGGING
CENTEROFEXCELLENCE
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KING CROSSWORD
ANSWERS

Solution time: 24 mins.

AMP MUSS ADAM
LEE AVOW BEMY
ASS HULA OMIT
SATELLITEDISH
LEA HOE
LUNAR KEN POT
IRON QED FINE
END PUG RUPEE
SRO AIL
TECTONICPLATE
AMOR DOME COD
PITA AWES EGG
STEW MAST SAY

WEDNESDAY
JUMBLE
ANSWERS

Jumbles:
TASTY, BAKED,
TETHER, VANDAL
Answer:
When the X-rated
movie was shown, it
was —
“BARE-LY” SEEN

SUNDAY
SCRAMBLERS
ANSWERS

1. Groan
2. Corner
3. Crinkle
4. Broad
Word:
CROOKED

SUNDAY SUDOKU
ANSWERS

3 6 9 7 1 8 5 4 2
7 8 2 5 4 6 1 3 9
4 1 5 9 3 2 6 8 7
8 9 6 4 2 7 3 1 5
1 7 3 8 6 5 2 9 4
2 5 4 1 9 3 8 7 6
5 3 8 6 7 4 9 2 1
6 4 1 2 8 9 7 5 3
9 2 7 3 5 1 4 6 8

WEDNESDAY SUDOKU
ANSWERS

6 4 1 9 3 5 7 2 8
2 7 3 4 8 1 6 9 5
5 8 9 2 7 6 4 3 1
9 1 7 5 4 3 8 6 2
4 6 2 8 1 7 9 5 3
3 5 8 6 9 2 1 7 4
1 2 6 7 5 4 3 8 9
8 3 5 1 6 9 2 4 7
7 9 4 3 2 8 5 1 6

KING
FEATURES

SuperCrossword

WHERE IN
THE WORD?

ACROSS

1 NFL
standout
7 Treat kindly
15 Costumes
20 Like forests
21 Tangles
22 Be nuts over
23 RED
25 Entertainer
Zsa Zsa
26 — -Caps
(candy)
27 Great Lakes'
— Locks
28 First full mo.
of autumn
29 Spurring
(on)
30 ELLE
36 Russian
ruler of yore
39 German car
make
40 “— to say
this, but ...”
41 SAGE
46 — -Z
(thoroughly)
47 Low-value
wallet wad
51 Pop lover
52 Want badly
53 RAN
56 Luau bowlful
57 In the
second-best
category
59 Insect-
catching tool
60 Having
some benefit

108 Illusory
109 “... bug
— feature?”
110 Biceps'
place
111 Actress
Charlotte
114 Lab vial
115 HUM
121 Like a
prebirth
body
position
122 One who
quarantines
123 Señor's
nap
124 Account
125 “Cagney &
Lacey”
co-star
126 Peddled

DOWN

1 Shoemaking
tools
2 Money to be
paid back
3 Wacky
4 Chop-chop
5 Get more
mileage
from
6 “— a
Grecian
Um”
7 Honey
maker
8 Objective
9 Abbr.
stamped on
a bad check
10 Suffix in
some pasta
names
11 Camp craft
12 Swedish
king
between
John I and
Canute II
13 Hang-up
for an
optometrist?
14 —Kosh
B’Gosh
15 Flock of
geese
16 Old saw
17 Redbreast
18 Horse to be
busted
19 Suit fabric
24 Turn bad
29 “Daniel”
singer John
30 — -Magnon
31 Relaxes
32 Corrodes, in
a way
33 — Mae
Brown
(psychic in
“Ghost”)
34 Pear-shaped
fruits
35 “... could
— horse!”
36 Musical rate
37 Stuck-up
type
38 Entry
42 U.S. media
watchdog

43 Illinois city
on the
Mississippi
44 Some
rescue ops
45 A long time
in the past
47 Decide not
to join in
48 Super-
suspenseful
49 Author
— Stanley
Gardner
50 Beatified
Miles.
54 Smart-alecky
55 “Yowie!”
58 Interring
individuals
62 Very testy
65 Amtrak stop:
Abbr.
66 Surround
with a saintly
light
68 Suffix with
zillion
69 “I — lot to
you”
70 Dancer
Duncan
71 “Holy cow!”
72 Low voice
73 Favorite son
of Isaac
77 Wee role
78 Rival of
Target
80 Have bad flu
symptoms,
say

82 Swiss city
on the Rhine
83 Mo. in which
autumn
starts
86 What hungry
wolves do
87 Ungulate
feature
88 Actress
Hatcher
94 Neighbor of
Hung.
95 One, in Ulm
96 Feeble
97 Pulpit
speech
100 Bits of wind
101 Coastal arm
102 Poetic Muse
103 Hotelier
Ritz
104 Actor Clark
105 Present
label
106 Like Dublin
denizens
107 “— vincit
amor” (“Love
conquers
all”)
111 Hazard
112 Poker post
113 “Holy cow!”
115 Collide with
116 Young fellow
117 LGA datum
118 Ty-D- —
119 Suffix with
witch or trick
reruns
120 Unlike
reruns

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON
PUBLIC NOTICE OF ADOPTED ORDINANCE

At their meeting of March 21, 2016 the Fenton Township Board adopted Ordinance No. 786, an amendment to the Land Division Ordinance to authorize the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant variances from the lot depth-to-width ratio requirements of the ordinance.

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

ROBERT E. KRUG
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

NOTICE TO THE ELECTORS OF TYRONE TOWNSHIP
LIVINGSTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE IN THE
MAY 3, 2016 SPECIAL ELECTION

ALL ELECTORS ARE HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE that a Special Election will be held in all voting precincts of Tyrone Township, Livingston County, Michigan on Tuesday, May 3, 2016, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.,

Electors who wish to vote in the Special Election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, April 4, 2016. To register, visit any Secretary of State Branch Office, the County Clerk’s Office, or the Tyrone Township Clerk’s Office. The Tyrone Township Clerk will be available for the purpose of receiving registrations at the following times and location:

Tyrone Township Hall
10408 Center Road
Fenton, Michigan

Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The following ballot proposal will be presented at the Special Election:

LINDEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL
BUILDING AND SITE SINKING FUND TAX LEVY

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy building and site sinking fund millage previously approved by the electors. Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 1.3107 mills (\$1.3107 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Linden Community Schools, Genesee and Livingston Counties, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 10 years, 2017 to 2026, inclusive, to continue to provide for a sinking fund for the purchase of real estate for sites for, and the construction or repair of, school buildings and all other purposes authorized by law; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2017 is approximately \$761,353 (this is a renewal of millage that will expire with the 2016 tax levy)?

Marcella Husted,
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED OF A REGULAR PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 2016 AT 7:00 PM BY THE FENTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION AT THE FENTON TOWNSHIP CIVIC-COMMUNITY CENTER, 12060 MANTAWAUKA. THIS HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

R16-001 Kevin Keils, 16438 Vintage Dr. Fenton:

Amendment to Fenton Township Ordinance #736. To eliminate item #16 "All work authorized by the PUD shall be completed within 3 years of the date of the Township Board's final approval of this amendment." from the PUD for the Gables of North Shore.

YOUR OPINION MAY BE EXPRESSED VERBALLY AT THIS HEARING OR IN WRITING TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION PRIOR TO THIS HEARING. THE PLANNING COMMISSION ENCOURAGES YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THIS MATTER.

This notice is published in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), MLA 41.72a (2) (3) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Fenton Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting or public hearing upon 14 days notice to Fenton Township. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact Fenton Township by writing or calling the following: Fenton Township Office, (810) 629-1537, 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 1:00 p.m. Friday. Ordinances, meeting schedules and other Township information are also available at www.fentontownship.org.

ROBERT E. KRUG
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS MARCH 21, 2016

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday March 21, 2016 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan and took the following actions.

1. Trustee Goupil offered the opening prayer.
2. Supervisor Mathis led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
3. Approved the agenda as amended.
4. Approved invoices and expenditures for payment in the total amount of \$238,857.95.
5. Adopted Ordinance No. 786, an amendment to the Land Division Ordinance to authorize the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant variances from the lot depth-to-width ratio requirements of the ordinance.
6. Approved the 2016 Dust Control Agreement with the Genesee County Road Commission.
7. Approved an amended agreement with the Genesee County Road Commission for the Old Linden Road storm sewer outlet project.
8. Adjourned at 9:25 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.

ROBERT E. KRUG
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF FENTON
OAKWOOD CEMETERY

Anyone wishing to salvage flowers, wreaths, etc., that they have personally placed on graves in Oakwood Cemetery should do so by Friday, April 1, 2016. After that date, they will be removed and disposed of by the contractor.

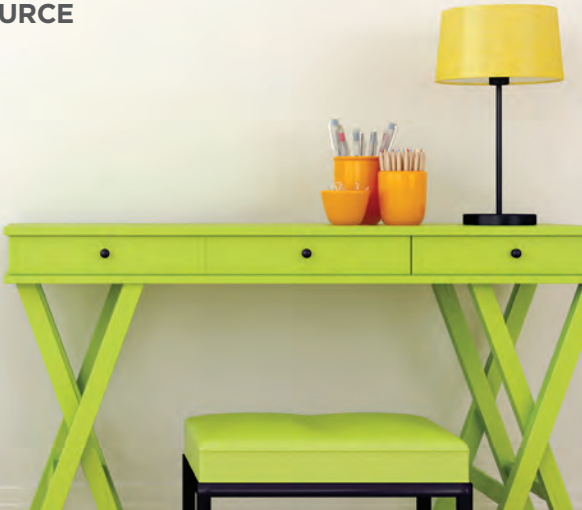
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Cartter
Acree*



Sue, this has been such a long lonely year, since your passing. You have been my wife, companion and best friend for 56 years now. I know you are in a good place and you are doing well. I will remember all of the wonderful times we enjoyed in our 55 years together, before your passing. We think of you every day. You are remembered, loved, and missed so much by us all each and every day.

Michael L. McCullough

Michael L. McCullough - age 69, died March 21, 2016. www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



Daniel Elavich

Daniel Elavich - age 62, died March 20, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Ethel Shepard

Ethel Shepard - age 68, died March 18, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Haley Wilmot

Haley Wilmot - age 20, died March 20, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Jean Ross

Jean Ross - age 55, died March 24, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Jean Zenner

Jean Zenner - age 89, died March 19, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Judith Lafuente

Judith Lafuente - age 69, died March 22, 2016. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Russell Martin

Russell Martin - age 98, died March 18, 2016. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Thomas Smith

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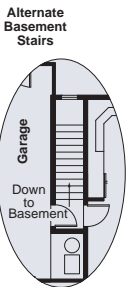
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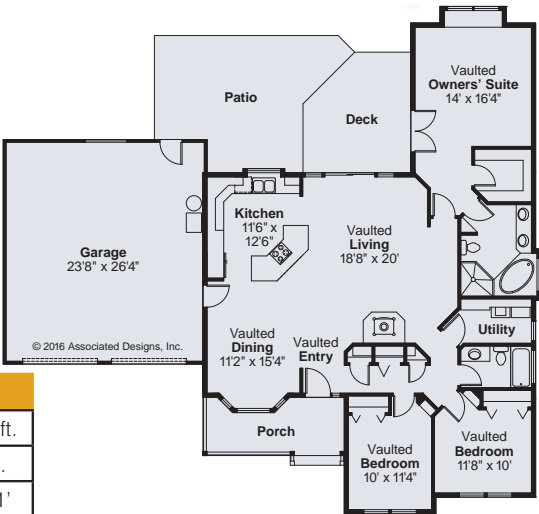
HOUSE PLAN OF THE WEEK



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Marysville	
Living Area	1683 sq. ft.
Garage	650 sq. ft.
Dimensions	64'8" x 61'



Marysville
PLAN 30-112

Living space in the Marysville covers just a little under 1,700 square feet, but seems like more. Vaulted ceilings combine with a wide open central living area to give the home a feeling of spaciousness that belies its size. This single-level plan is equally well-suited to young families, empty nesters, or singles who want space for a home office and guest room.

Woman feels betrayed when friend dates her ex

DEAR AMY:

I broke up with my boyfriend of three years a few months ago. I thought we were working on things and were going to get back together. Well, we aren't. He started sleeping with a close family friend and now, I believe, they are dating. This girl and I spent almost every summer together as kids, and she likes to refer to my family as hers. She previously dated my ex's best friend. I feel beyond betrayed and devastated by their relationship.

It has severed our families' bond that goes back generations. I wanted my ex to move on and, in the end, it'll let me move on as well, but it's difficult with a feud going on between the families. At each family gathering, the situation is mentioned and everyone just gets upset all over again. When their 'relationship' was discovered, he hid her in our old apartment when I stopped by to discuss our separation, i.e. belongings, our dog, finances, etc. An hour later, she posted a lot of harmful things on Facebook indirectly pointed toward me. To avoid more drama,

I blocked both of them from all forms of social media, so I could have some peace of mind. Yesterday, she messaged my mother and requested to 'clear the air' with me. My mother understands how I feel and says I don't have to contact her and that if she were in my situation, she wouldn't do so. Amy, what should I do? Do I accept her offer to talk? More than anything, I want to tell her exactly what I think of her. How do I fully move on with this still weighing down on me? — *Betrayed*

DEAR BETRAYED:

While you do not owe your former friend a meeting of any kind, it can be a good idea to accept another person's offer to 'clear the air.' If you agree to meet with this former friend, you should start by listening — not talking. She might have a revelation or apology to offer. Listening also puts you in more of a power position because you can make rational choices about how — or whether — to respond. Given everything you describe, I agree that telling this friend exactly what you think of her behavior is called for; I hope doing so makes you feel better, although it is not likely to change the outcome.

ASK

Amy

BY AMY DICKINSON

AMY DICKINSON

How to choose a kidney doctor

DEAR DR. ROACH:

How can I find the most successful, experienced kidney doctor? Would I be better off with a doctor who has his or her own practice, or one who works in a hospital? My kidney function is at 32 percent, down from 44 percent four years ago due to hypertension. — J.A.

ANSWER:

I often have tried to point out when a teaching hospital or special expertise is critical to having the best chance for a good outcome. For chronic kidney disease, the expertise of the kidney specialist is seldom at issue, because virtually all kidney doctors are

very experienced and are expert at taking care of this condition. The main goal will be to slow down the decline of kidney function, but many people in your situation eventually will need dialysis. In my opinion, what you want to look at carefully is the dialysis facility, which vary greatly in quality. I found a watchdog group with an interesting look at dialysis centers at <http://projects.propublica.org/dialysis/>. This uses Medicare data to evaluate hospitalization, infection and even mortality. It's not a perfect tool, but it gives you some information on which to base your decision. Find a doctor affiliated with the best dialysis facility around.

To your

GOOD HEALTH

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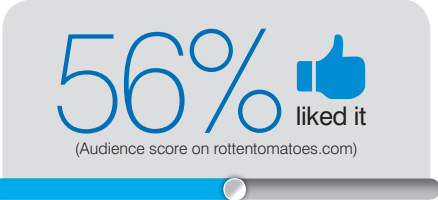


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DVD RELEASES



DADDY'S HOME

"Daddy's Home" follows a mild-mannered radio executive (Ferrell) who strives to become the best stepdad to his wife's two children, but complications ensue when their freewheeling and

freeloading real father (Wahlberg) arrives, forcing him to compete for the affection of the kids. **PG-13, 1 hr. 36 min.**



11TH HOUR

Maria is a successful business executive, struggling to fulfill her greatest wish of all: to bring a child into the world. After suffering yet another miscarriage, a doctor informs Maria that she's too

old to carry a child and her whole world comes crashing down. **Unrated, 1 hr. 37 min.**

Grandma Mulloy's Irish Soda Bread



INGREDIENTS:

- 4 C. flour
- ¾ C. sugar
- 1½ T. baking powder
- 1 T. baking soda
- 1 t. salt
- 7 oz. raisins, dried cranberries, (craisins) or dried cherries.
- 6 T. melted butter
- 2 eggs well beaten
- 2 C. buttermilk (homemade buttermilk: 1 T. lemon juice or vinegar added to 1 cup of milk)

Optional: add chopped nuts or chocolate

DIRECTIONS:

1. In a large bowl mix together top 5 dry ingredients.
2. Add raisins, craisins or dried cherries.
3. Stir in melted butter and well beaten eggs.
4. Add buttermilk.
5. Mix together until well combined.
6. Put dough in 2 greased and floured loaf pans.
7. Bake at 350 degrees for 45-50 minutes.

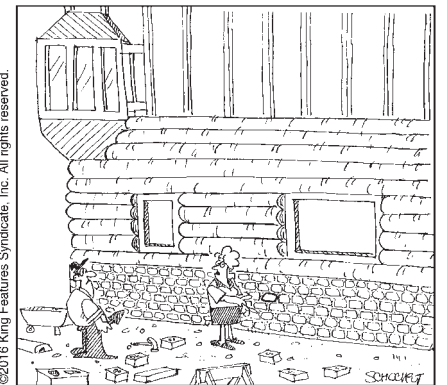
If you enjoyed this recipe say the Hail Mary for the Mulloy family.

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!

Creak
ARGON
Trap
RECORN
Rumple
NICKLER
Vast
DARBO

TODAY'S WORD



"You did a beautiful job, Henry. But this brick is _____!"

Answer key located in this edition



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