Five-alarm fire on Grove Park

■ Fenton Township home goes up in flames

By Sharon Stone

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A two-story home in the 2000 block of Grove Park in Fenton Township was heavily damaged by fire Tuesday morning.

At approximately 9:30 a.m., a witness called 911 to report seeing heavy smoke coming from the roof of the home.

The house was purchased many

years ago by the late Will Stiverson and his wife. His son, Will Stiverson lives in one part of the house, a mother-in-law's apartment with its own entry, while his mother lives in another section.

See HOUSE FIRE on 9



TRI-COUNTY TIMES Several local fire departments battle a house fire on Grove Park Road in Fenton Township on Tuesday. No one was injured in the blaze.

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Pokémon GO takes over world, Fenton

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■Smartphone app forces players to walk around in order to catch Pokémon

By Hannah Ball

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During summer, parents often complain about their kids staying in the house all day, playing video games and not getting exercise.

One video game has changed that.

Pokémon GO, an augmented-reality video game played on a smartphone, forces users to walk around

See **POKEMON** on 8



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Several people could be seen walking around downtown Linden, playing Pokémon GO on July 10.

ESHING RELIEF FROM SUMMER HEAT



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The Holly Township Library Summer Reading Program took the kids out of the library and onto the Holly Township beach last Thursday, July 7, for a cool-off with the Holly Village Fire Department. The department sprayed 1,000 gallons of water over the excited group of approximately 40 children as their parents watched.

Holly man killed in motorcycle crash

■ Michigan State Police say high speed likely a factor

A 37-year-old Holly man was killed in a motorcycle crash on July 11. His name has not yet been released.

According to the Mich-

igan State Police Metro Post, troopers responded to Grange Hall Road, between North Holly Road and Riviera Shores Drive in Holly Township at 9:15 p.m. to investigate a crash.

The preliminary investigation revealed that two motorcycles were traveling eastbound on Grange Hall Road. One motorcycle was

See FATAL CRASH on 7

Fire chiefs say burning bans are working

■ Not too many incidents reported; bans may be lifted if it rains

By Vera Hogan vhogan@tctimes.com

Area fire chiefs were

few incidents of burning ban violations since they were imposed early last week.

pleased to report there were

Chief Matt Lafferty in Argentine Township said, "Luckily we haven't had many instances."

Those who did violate the burn ban by starting fires were just given warnings, he said.

Lafferty said the burning ban will remain in place in See **BURNING BAN** on 6

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LE Gun control? I would



rather be tried by 12 of my peers than carried by six of my friends.

How about switching the

Guitar player 'Grateful Fred,' with



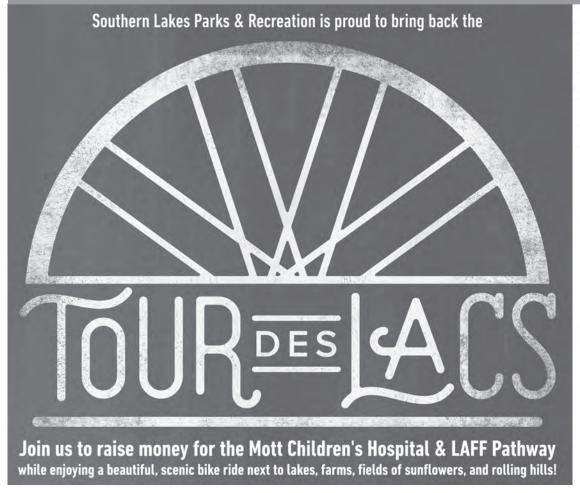
the ugly purple and yellow erector set sculpture? Let the real art be shown on LeRoy and let the DDA and city employees look at the purple erector set."



OF THE WEEK

LE The average person in the United States is not as concerned with the political narrative as the press would have you think. There are external forces trying to divide us for some political or monetary gain. United we stand, never forget. ""





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HEAT LIGHTING AND OTHER WEATHER-RELATED MYTHS The National Weather Service, Accuweather and the Farmer's Almanac The Service of the Servic

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can't all be wrong

Sorry Grandma — some of the things you taught us about the weather and other such matters are just not true.

Take heat lightning, for example. It's a meteorological myth, according to accuweather.com, and backed up by the National Weather Service, and other experts.

Many people believe that oppressive heat causes lightning to develop. In reality, heat lightning is actually a thunderstorm happening a significant distance from the observer, who is only able to see the flashes of light and not hear the thunder.

Heat lightning is really just ordinary lightning from a far away thunderstorm, with the sound of rumbling thunder muffled by long distances.

The cracking sound of lightning is thunder, which results from the rapid expansion of hot and cold air masses.

Another reason no sound accompanies heat lightning is that thunder travels much more slowly than light, and it's unlikely to hear thunder from a distance greater than 10 miles. Because light travels much faster than sounds of thunder, it is possible

The term "heat" in heat lightning has little to do with temperature. It's likely called heat lightning because thunderstorms spawning lightning often occur in the summer when temperatures are at their warmest.

According to Accuweather, the concept of heat lightning is a relic of a time when there wasn't much widespread knowledge of how different weather events occurred. This era also is the one that brought us useless old wive's tales such as "open all of your windows during a tornado" and one even worse, "lightning strike victims are still electrified after being struck, so you should just let 'em die instead of reviving them."

The electrical charge produced by lightning travels through a person in an instant and grounds itself in the earth. So, unless you are connected to a person when he or she is struck, you have no fear of getting zapped, according to the National Weather Service. Get the person some immediate help.

The bottom line is, if you enjoy watching "heat lightning" in the distance on a warm summer night — go for it. But if you start to hear the rumbles of thunder, the storm is getting closer and it's best to seek cover inside.



DON'T BELIEVE IT!

The age-old saying, "Lightning doesn't strike in the same place twice" is not true. It can and has. Even individuals have been struck by lightning more than one time. Due to its height, the Empire State Building in New York is struck by lightning about 100 times a year.

Do you still open your windows a crack during a tornado warning so your house won't implode if it reaches your neighborhood? Wrong — there is no scientific evidence that air pressure builds enough inside your home to cause an explosion. Moreover, leaving your windows open, even a little, increases the chances that debris can blow in, or that strong winds can wreak havoc on debris inside your house.

PlacinglargeXsonyourwindows with Duct tape will not make them stronger when storm winds blow. The only thing taping window panes does is create larger shards of glass if a window were to shatter. Instead, use storm shutters and close your drapes or blinds (or both). Window coverings can help prevent debris from blowing into your home. Flying debris is the biggest cause of injury and death during windstorms.

Sources: accuweather.com; weather.gov/lightning; farmersalmanac.com; usatoday.com

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Guns, spoons and forks

ue to all the discussion and debate on the subject of gun control, I decided to conduct a scientific experiment.

Most crime seems to happen on Saturday. So last Saturday afternoon, July 2, I placed my Sig Sauer 9MM pistol on the table that is situated right next to my front door. The weapon was not loaded, but I did leave a 14 round, fully loaded magazine beside it and then proceeded to go about my typical Saturday business.

In the early afternoon, the mailman delivered my mail and the lawn service people came and cut the grass. The UPS truck dropped off a box containing a repair part for my



washing machine. Several individuals and couples walked their dogs up and down the street and quite a few cars stopped at the four-way stop sign at the intersection just down the street in front of my house.

About 9 p.m., just as dusk was moving in, I decided it was time to check on my gun. Much to my surprise, the gun and the magazine were each quietly sitting there on the table in the exact position that I had left them in. Neither had moved in any way. The gun had not loaded itself, despite the proximity of the magazine. It had not moved itself outside and onto the street. It had not aimed itself at anything, nor had it disabled its 'safety' lock. It had not threatened anyone, been involved in any illegal activities nor, God forbid, had it shot anyone.

Well, this came as quite a surprise to me. After years and years of hearing the liberal media and politicians chronically lecturing America on how dangerous guns are, and how guns kill people, and how Americans would be safer without their guns, I was expecting some sort of carnage to occur. But nothing happened.

So, after returning my gun and magazine to its safe in my bedroom I came to two very critical conclusions: 1) guns don't kill people, people kill people, and 2) the media is intentionally dishonest and supports percent of ALL the 'gun control' agenda for the simple reason that it is profitable for them.

Example: Are you aware that nearly 70 percent of ALL (emphasis on all) gun-related

deaths in America are suicides, not murders? I think most people find that very surprising. Over and over again one reads that 30,000 people have been killed with guns, but what's not said is that over 20,000 of them took their own lives. That is a blatant example of lying by omission.

Over and over again one reads that the United States is third in murders throughout the world... and it's true. But if you take out just five Democrat-ruled cities Chicago, Detroit, Washington, D.C., St. Louis and New Orleans — the United States is fourth from the bottom, in the entire world, for murders. These five Democrat-controlled cities also have the toughest gun control laws in the USA. That too is a blatant example of lying by omission.

Well, I gotta go....I need to run a similar test on my spoons and forks. I put on a few pounds this summer... it must be the spoons and forks fault.

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HILLARY CLINTON LIED under oath to congress. She lied to the FBI. She lied to all of us Americans. She lied to the families of Benghazi. She is not fit to be a president.

THE DEMOCRATS IN the Senate did not vote for Kate Steinle's law. The Democrats do not care that illegal aliens are coming into our country to murder American citizens and will not

WHICH IS WORSE — Two men having six wives between them, or being married to William Clinton, who's had numerous affairs with women and has denied it?

do anything about it.

THANKS TO ALL who helped get our Corvette back into the parade. Just another example of the great people here in Fenton.

OUR POLICE ARE the front line of our government. Those who advocate the killing of police officers are advocating the violent overthrow of our form of government. They should be treated as enemies of our country.

JUST A REMINDER that boats do not have headlights. Docking lights are for approaching a dock only. Boating with them on makes it harder to see and blinds anyone coming toward you.

HEY ANTI-GUNNERS, you prove your ignorance every time you declare AR-15s as 'weapons of mass destruction.'

I AM A law-abiding citizen with a CPL. I went through training by a retired police officer. Despite you thinking I shouldn't have the right to carry, I would still protect you if a situation arose. CPL holders are not the bad guys. We are giving our boys in blue backup when they can't come fast

PARENTS, PLEASE PAY close attention to what your kids are doing, where they say they are going, who they are hanging out with, etc. Get on their Twitter, Instagram accounts and look through their cell phones. You will be amazed by what you find.

A HUGE THANKS to the young men who put on the fireworks display over McCaslin Lake Sunday night. They did this out of their own pockets for the community. See the show on YouTube: Fireworks over McCaslin Lake 7/3/16. Leave a comment or thanks for them. Great job gentlemen.

WHEN WAS THE last time Hillary Clinton said anything kind about white males? Since the Civil Rights Bill of 1965 passed, major corporations and colleges have discriminated against white males. It appears that Hillary would continue this racist practice.

I AM FURIOUS. Attacks on police are not acceptable. Obama's race-baiting, anti-police rhetoric antagonized the Dallas massacre. He inflames animosity by constantly insinuating racism where none exists.

MAKE NO MISTAKE, 'Black Lives Matters' is modern day racism.

WONDERFUL TO SEE such a fantastic turnout for the parade. However, several families around where we were sitting packed up and left. Heard comments, such as 'too many politicians' and 'too many commercial vehicles.' We need more fun kid stuff to keep families coming.

LIBERAL MEDIA CALLS for 'improving relations between police and communities.' That's wrong. Police have no problems with communities-at-large. Ask yourself, if cops hate minorities, where are all the Asian, Hispanic, and Muslim shootings? The police are not the problem.

TO THE OWNER of Yesterday's Treasures, thank you for letting our family use your chairs for the 4th of July Parade.

See **HOT LINE** throughout Times

street talk

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What are your thoughts on the FBI decision of no charges against Hillary Clinton on the email controversy? Compiled by Grant Cislo, intern



"I totally disagree with it. How can you put a person into office when she cannot protect emails that were confidential?"



"Well, the FBI did investigate and came to a result. I see no problem with that."



"I agree, I think they did a thorough investigation and I believe in their results."



"I think it is criminal, but it goes along with our crooked government right now and the treason they have committed against our constitution."

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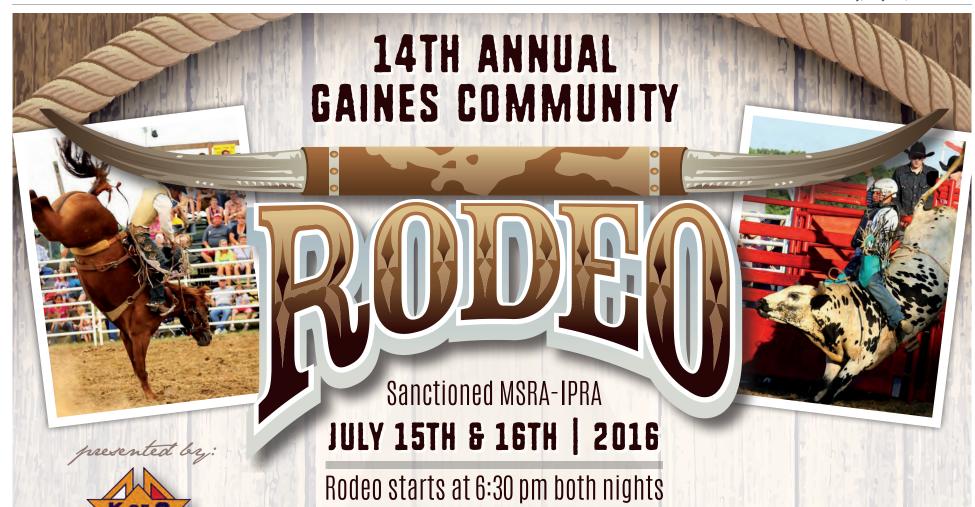
"I think there is more to the story and if there is additional investigation, it will hopefully draw out the truth."

- Barbara Granger Fenton

 Steve Dettman Portland, Oregon

- Liz Gilliam Portland, Oregon - George Pelton

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BURNING BAN

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Argentine Township until sufficient rain falls to make outdoor burning less dangerous.

North Oakland County Fire Authority (NOCFA) Chief Jeremy Lintz said, "We actually haven't run into any issues. We had a nice 'call-free' Fourth of July weekend."

On Monday, Lintz said he was actually thinking about lifting the burning ban. "I'm hoping to get that rain," he said. "I'm on the fence right now."

NOCFA covers both Holly and Rose townships.

Fire Chief Steve McGee, who leads the departments in Groveland Township and the village of Holly took the burn ban off in those communities Monday morning.

"The DNR's latest report moved us down to moderate to mild; it wasn't extreme or high as it was before," McGee said.

McGee said people in Groveland and Holly were "half and half" behaving. "We probably went on about a half dozen calls on burning that got away from people because of dry conditions."

Other calls were fireworks related, he said.

As in other communities, no one was cited for the violations. "We gave them warnings," McGee said.

The city of Fenton has had a "handful" of calls regarding people violating the burning ban. "There were more when the ban was first put into place," said Fire Chief Bob Cairnduff. "I think most everyone knows about the bans in the area now."

The Fenton Fire Department received seven calls on the Fourth of July —

three of which were grass fires and two dumpster fires. Cairnduff said the dumpster fires were most likely caused by discarded fireworks.

"I think for the most part people understand how bad/dry the conditions are right now so they are abiding by the rules," Cairnduff said. "The month of June was the second driest on record for Genesee County. The driest was 1988 when we had the bad drought.

"We have not ticketed anyone yet," Cairnduff added.

In the city of Fenton, violators can face a ticket and a fine up to \$500, he said.

"Our intent is to educate people and hopefully notify them in advance to eliminate any issues," Cairnduff added.

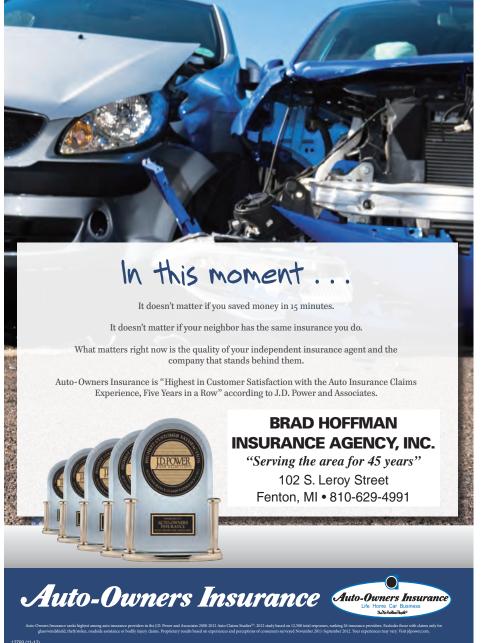
"In Tyrone Township, if the (Fenton) fire department responds to any open burning during a burn ban or a grass fire that results from open burning, the responsible parties may face a fee from the township that could be up to \$1,391."

Cairnduff advises everyone in Tyrone Township to check the township website (www.tyronetownship.us) for notices on any burn bans before doing any burning.

"In the city, there is no open burning allowed at any time, but 'recreational fires' or campfires are allowed, only when there is no burn ban."

Fenton Township Fire Chief Ryan Volz said, "If we get some rain this week and get a little more greener grass, I'd be more than happy to call it (the ban) off, but as of right now, it's still in place." He said they're getting about 10 to 20 calls a day from people asking if they can have campfires. "Right now, no," he said.

Linden Fire Chief Brian Will did not respond by press time.





The laws of adverse possession and acquiescence

Robert Frost is widely considered to be one of the greatest poets in the history of our nation. He wrote about many topics, and received numerous awards for his works, including four Pulitzer prizes.

A much-quoted line from his poem 'Mending Fences' is 'good fences make good neighbors.'

Although there have been a number of interpretations of this line (and the poem), a prominent one has been that all people should have and know their boundaries.

In my humble opinion, this is a very logical interpretation and, when it comes to the law of property, we know that it requires respect for the property and boundaries of others. When this respect is not given, there can be both civil and criminal consequences.

In the area of real property, this has been the rule for hundreds of years. For example, property boundary lines must be honored, and when they are not, trespass actions can be brought by the owner seeking redress against the trespasser.

But what of those situations where property lines are not honored and suddenly there is a claim by the person on another's land that the land now belongs to him?

The law recognizes such cases in what are separately called the laws of adverse possession and acquiescence.

As to adverse possession, if a person proves by clear and cogent evidence that they have had actual, visible, open, notorious, exclusive, continuous, and uninterrupted possession of the land of another for a period of 15 years, they can file an action in circuit court requesting the land in question be determined to be theirs.

The law of acquiescence applies to adjoining landowners who have mistakenly treated a boundary line, typically a fence, as the property line. If the property owner whose land is actually being possessed by an adjoining property owner does nothing to remove him for a period of 15 years, the adjoining owner can go to court to have the property on his side of the fence declared to be his.

These are remedies that are seldom used, but are what the law allows. That's why it's important to recognize one's boundaries or property lines and be diligent as to others on your property.

I'm sure Robert Frost would agree.



Linden 'Slender Man' faces up to \$500 fine

■ Masked intruder 'joke' lands him in hot water

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On Friday, June 24, a man dressed as Slender Man, an internet horror character, was arrested for unlawful entry after scaring people who were remodeling a vacant home at the 900 block of Bridge Street in Linden.

What was meant to be a joke turned into a misdemeanor for the 26-year-old man who wanted to play a joke on the men working.

The man dressed as Slender Man lives across the street from where work was being done on a home, according to Linden Police Chief Scott Sutter.

"I don't think they knew each other,"

In a previous Times article, Sutter said the men had a confrontation when Slender Man knocked on the door. The confrontation was broken up and they went home.

"He was described as wearing a Slender Man outfit with a black mask," he said.

The costumed man was arrested.

Unlawful entry is a misdemeanor with a fine of up to \$500.

The next day police responded to reports of someone firing shots at the same residence and went to investigate. Sutter reported the shots were from a BB gun.

Even though Slender Man is a fictional character, he's a very scary reality for some. Slender Man is known for stalking, abducting, and traumatizing people, and this character has inspired horrific acts.

On May 31, 2014, two 12-year-old girls in Waukesha, Wisconsin lured another 12-year-old girl into the woods where they stabbed her 19 times. The two girls claimed they did it to show their dedication to Slender Man because many believe he's fake.

The young female victim survived the attack, and the two female suspects are being tried as adults, under Wisconsin law. One of the mothers believes her daughter should be tried as a juvenile so that she can receive better mental health treatment.

The two girls likely didn't understand that Slender Man is a myth created by someone who's proficient in photoshop.

In June 2009, Victor Surge, a user on the forums of Something Awful, a comedy website with blog entries, article, edited pictures, and reviews, photoshopped a few pictures of children being haunted by a tall, dark figure who had tentacles for arms, according to The Washington Post.

Surge called him "Slender Man." He continued to photoshop pictures of Slender Man for weeks, building the myth, and other people joined in.

People created fake news stories about Slender Man torturing and killing his victims in mysterious ways, or often disemboweling them and bagging their organs, according to The Washington Post.

The legend of Slender Man grew to other sites and forums. He inspired a web series called "Marble Hornets," a few video games, fan art, and informational pages on Wikipedia, Creepypasta, a site that writes about internet horror.

According to the Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel, Creepypasta is where the Wisconsin girls were introduced to Slender Man.



These luminaries make a pretty sight when many are set off at once, but their safety has been questioned.

State considering ban on 'sky lanterns'

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— Ken Horn Michigan senator

■State senator says there are safety concerns with these lanterns

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While the popularity of luminaries, often called "sky lanterns" or "Chinese lanterns" rises just like they do in the night sky, so do the safety concerns.

These lanterns take their shape when users light a flammable material under

the lantern to fill it with hot air. Once it is full enough, they're released into the sky, often over a lake, with the small fire still burning.

They're used for celebrations, like the Fourth of July, Labor Day and weddings, when many people set them off and they fill up the sky.

A proposed amendment to Senate Bill 563, however, which deals with fireworks, would ban these sky lanterns.

Michigan Sen. Ken Horn is a sponsor on this bill.

"I've watched them," he said. "I've never seen them land." The people who set them off rarely see them land either.

Horn said one day during his office hours, a firefighter and a farmer came to speak with him about these lanterns, bringing one that landed in the farmer's

"They were concerned it would catch the crops on fire if the fire was still going before it hit the ground," he said, adding that the wires that give the lanterns structure were getting caught in their equipment.

If the lanterns have enough hot air, they will go up and up into the sky, carried by the wind. If there isn't enough hot air or the wind catches it, it could end up in a tree with the fire still burning, potentially setting the tree on fire.

Fenton Fire Chief Bob Cairnduff said he considers these lanterns a threat, especially with the dry conditions.

"You are basically sending an open flame into the sky that comes down anywhere — on a home, a business, or an open field. All can be very dangerous," he said.

According to wildfiretoday.com, the Highland Park Fire Department is investigating the cause of a fire that destroyed three homes during the Fourth of July weekend. They suspect a sky lantern started the fire.

> At least two dozen states have banned sky lanterns, according to USA Today.

> "The issue is they can travel a long way from where you light them. At our Fourth of July fireworks I counted hundreds of them in the night sky and the whole time I was hoping they don't land somewhere while they are still burning," Cairnduff said.

> There haven't been any fires in Fenton because of these lanterns.

"They are supposed to burn out before they come to the ground, but that isn't always what happens. I am in full support of banning them in Michigan," he said.

Horn said it's not his intent to ruin anyone's celebration.

"I just wanted to send the message that we need to be extraordinarily careful when we send fire into the air," he said.

Horn said that he understands that communities celebrate holidays in their own ways.

"I just hate to see anyone get hurt or see any property get damaged," he said. He stressed that people don't only need to be careful with lanterns, but with fireworks as well.

"My understanding is that the bill really has no chance of going anywhere, so we wrote the bill more as a wakeup call to ourselves," he said. "I wanted to have us all pay a little attention."

old male from Holly, was pronounced dead at the scene. He was wearing a helmet. The driver of the westbound vehicle was not injured. The driver of the second motorcycle had minor injuries

Grange Hall Road was shut down investigation.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

TO THE READER who claimed the words love and forgiveness do not appear in the Muslim holy book. I did a search in the Quran online and there are dozens of instances of both these words. Who makes this crap

BEING THE FIRST black president in the USA, Obama had the best opportunity to help mend some racial problems, but he totally ignored this and pursued his political agenda. His legacy will reflect failure in everything.

ARTWALK WAS WONDERFUL. The format was great; involved all the revitalized downtown area and all the local retailers. Kudos to everybody involved.

REGARDING THE PROPOSED new truck route ordinance, City Council members please consider the many families that live along LeRoy Street between North Road and downtown. We have literally dozens and dozens of small children living in these homes.

THE KING'S COLUMNS are interesting and meaningful whereas Heller writes meaningless garble.

BUY ONE, GET one free is great because of the recent invention of freezers.

THANK YOU ATTORNEY General Bill Schuette for disagreeing with the governor and joining other states in suing the federal government for violating the constitution, denying parental rights, local control and creating yet another decisive issue to divide our country.

CITY OF FENTON ORDINANCE NO. 700

Ordinance No. 700, an Ordinance to amend Chapter 32, of the City of Fenton Code of Ordinances, to establish a truck route in the City of Fenton was enacted by the Fenton City Council.

Chapter 32, Section 32-58 of the City of Fenton Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 32-58. – Restrictions on size and weight.

Subject to certain exceptions set forth in this article, no person shall operate or haul or cause to be operated or hauled any vehicle, truck, truck tractor, trailer, or semi-trailer which exceeds the size or weight limitations or unit combination restrictions designated in this article.

Notwithstanding any other Section of this Code of Ordinances, except for Section 32-65, trucks or semi-trailers shall only be operated on the following

- Main Street/Silver Lake Road between the eastern boundary of the city and the western boundary of the city.
- Fenway Drive between Owen Road and Silver Lake Road.
- Owen Road between the western boundary of the city and the intersection of Owen Road with Fenway Drive.
- Leroy Street between the intersection of Leroy Street with Silver Lake Road/Main Street on the south and the northern boundary of

Ordinance No. 700 was adopted at a regular meeting of the Fenton City Council held on July 11, 2016. This Ordinance will take effect on July 21, 2016.

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traveling at a high rate of speed, lost control in the curve striking the guardrail.

When the motorcycle hit the guardrail the driver was thrown from the bike and landed in the road. His motorcycle struck a vehicle that was traveling westbound and then struck the other motorcycle knocking that rider to the ground.

The first rider identified as a 37-year-

but did not require medical attention.

for the investigation and reopened at 2 a.m. The crash remains under

It's becoming bigger than

Twitter. According to

businessinsider.com, 5.16

percent of all U.S. Android

users have now downloaded

the game. As of Friday, 3.5

percent of Android users

were on Twitter daily.

Police&Fire report



CRIMINAL SEXUAL ASSAULT INVESTIGATION

On June 26, at approximately 3:30 a.m., Michigan State Police Metro Post troopers were dispatched to the area of Milford Road and East Rose Center Road in Holly Township to attempt to locate a female who may have been assaulted. Troopers made contact with a female walking at the venue in the above photo who reported that she had been raped and left on the side of the road. EMS was called and transported the victim to the hospital. Troopers made contact with the store where the victim allegedly met the suspect and gathered the surveillance video of a possible witness that they are looking to speak with. If anyone recognizes the individual in this photo, they are to call 855 MICH TIP (855-642-4847).

POKÉMON

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outside if they want to play the game. It's been the most popular app to download since it came out this past weekend, according to The Verge.

The goal is to become the best Pokémon trainer. The game uses the phone's GPS and places different virtual reality Pokémon characters around the area.

The game alerts users when one is near, and people must physically walk to the location to catch it.

Flushing resident Catherine Rule, who regularly plays the game in Fenton, said the game is amazing. "It's actually somewhat difficult to describe just how amazing it is to not only be running around living out my childhood dream, but to be

doing it with so many wonderful people," she said. "I've caught hundreds, but just 57 different types so far."

She said when she first downloaded the app, she "ran around town from 11 p.m. to 2 a.m., catching Pokémon and laughing and

taking over gyms and just being a child again. It was incredible and the 10 miles I traveled felt like nothing."

She said there were numerous server issues the next day, though.

Rule said she loves that the game is getting people outside. "I've run/walked roughly 10 miles every day since the release. I've explored Flushing, Fenton, Flint and Brighton the most so far. I've met so many new people and watched complete strangers help each other out and group up," she said.

Users are separated into different teams

— Mystic, Valor, and Instinct.

Rule met a group of young men who were on a different team, but they ended up exploring together and finding more Pokémon.

"We ran into a Vulpix and heard some other kids looking for it down the block. We shouted 'it's over here!' And all of a sudden you have this bank parking lot filled with both teenagers and adults freaking out at 11 p.m. because they found a Vulpix," she said.

"I watched a mom teaching her 7-yearold son how to play, and his face light up when he caught one," she said.

One of the best things about the game, she said, is that the game doesn't explain the rules of the game, or how to play.

"But trainers everywhere are exchanging tips and tricks and meeting up and

learning to play together," she said.

Jeremy Hogan of Holly is serving in the U.S. Navy, stationed at Pearl Harbor in Honolulu, Hawaii.

"People are going crazy over this thing in Hawaii," Hogan told a family member

Monday night. "There are people walking around everywhere in groups of five and six at a time."

Hogan said guys on ships are eager for shore leave so they can play the game, finding characters at landmarks wherever they go.

It's not all positive, though. There's rivalry between teams, and not everyone is accepting of those who play.

"People I know are telling me that they're playing while driving," Rule said, adding

that's very bad. She heard a story about a Pokémon spawning in a woman's driveway, and she was not happy to have people on her property in the middle of the night.

"Pokémon GO is something incredible. It's true that there's tons of room for improvement but I think it's definitely showed potential with this first week," she said.

POKÉMON GO IN THE NEWS

Some users are taking advantage of the app's GPS capabilities. Four teens were allegedly using Pokémon GO to commit multiple robberies in two counties in Missouri by adding beacons near a Poke-stop in their locations. Poke-stops allow users to get more supplies, so it lured more players to the area. According to WNEM.com, police say the suspects stole a wallet and a phone.

Pokémon GO has added \$7.5 billion to Nintendo's market value, according to The Verge. The game has been the number one downloaded game since it came out this past weekend.

The app is free to download. A teen in Wyoming found a body in a river because she was walking around, playing Pokémon GO, according to USA Today.

The National Safety Council announced Tuesday that it is urgings pedestrians to exercise caution while playing Pokémon Go and the Council implores drivers to refrain from playing the game behind the wheel.



"Why all the household dust?"

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For years, Power Vac, Inc. has been improving the community's health one household at a time. "Did you know that half of all illnesses come directly from dirty indoorair? In fact, our indoorair is up to 90 times more polluted than the air outdoors," explained Keith Meadows, Power Vac Owner and Operator. "More

than 90% of the phone calls I receive are from distraught people complaining about dust in their homes. They tell me they will dust the house Friday, but by Sunday it needs to be done again, and they're not sure where these dust piles are coming from. Let me tell you, you're not a bad housekeeper. All you need to do is have your ducts cleaned. This simple step will drastically reduce the dust in your household. The reason for the dust is your cold air returns. You see, cold air returns suck in dirty air. Over time it builds up in your ducts until the debris

resembles what you would find in your vacuum bag."
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"Cold air returns are also the reason new homeowners experience excessive dust. While work was being done in the home, your cold air returns sucked all the dust through the system. It settled on the bottom of the duct lines and little by little, that debris is being blown back into your home," Keith continued.

"Here's a test. Take a walk down into your basement, and look up at the ceiling for thin sheets of tin nailed between your floor joists. These are your cold air return lines. Give them a good pounding. Do you see puffs of dust seeping out of the edges? That, my friends, is the reason you have uncontrollable dust problems, and this debris cannot be removed without the help of a professional.

"This brings me to my next point: choosing an air duct cleaning company. Most companies use portable units, which are essentially like a Shop-Vac that you would vacuum your car with. Then there are companies who claim they have a truck-mounted

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"The Power Vac truck is the most powerful equipment in the industry," Keith explained. "Simply put, the entire truck is the vacuum, and the truck motor powers the equipment. You'll know it's a Power Vac truck because it's the size of an ambulance and when engaged, 12 large air bags come out of the roof.

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(Left) Many roads are still muddy and impassable after flash floods in West Virginia. (Right) Damaged homes like this are in every neighborhood of the hardest hit areas.

'It's beyond belief'

■Holly couple deliver basic necessities to floodravaged West Virginia

By Sally Rummel

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A huge cargo truck filled from end to end with clothes.

SUMMARY

Dick and Dawn

Rossell of Holly took

to West Virginia, with

ease the devastation

from flash floods in

a huge truck down

goods collected by tri-county area

residents, to help

that state.

food, toiletries and more pulled out of the driveway of Dick and Dawn Rossell's Holly home on Sunday, July 3, bound for West Virginia.

Their goal was to ease some of

the devastation from flash floods that killed 23 people and severely damaged or destroyed more than 1,200 homes on June 23. Thousands of people were left homeless and many more without the basic necessities of water, food, clothing, shelter, etc.

The hardest hit areas were in Roane, Kanawaha and Greenbrier counties, where most of the fatalities occurred.

"It's beyond belief," said Dawn, who returned to Holly on Tuesday, July 5, in the now-empty truck that had been donated by Lafontaine Auto. "Roads are washed out, houses are knocked off their foundations and there's mud everywhere. People's belongings were literally hanging from trees.'

While the National Guard, FEMA, American Red Cross were there to help with infrastructure issues, it was the volunteers who came with food and clothing who worked one-on-one with the people, according to Dawn.

"The worst town we saw was Clendenin," said Dawn. "Volunteers set up a makeshift town and hospital in a town that was totally destroyed. West Virginia has the most veterans of any state in the U.S."

The Rossells are still collecting gift cards, in \$10 increments, to mail

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HOUSE FIRE

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"A lifetime of memories have gone up in smoke," Stiverson said. "Thank God we still have those people in our lives that helped make those memories. I grew up in that house."



The house will have to be demolished, Stiverson said. He is not sure yet what caused the fire. He believes they may have lost a couple of cats.

As the Fenton Township Fire Department responded to the scene with tanker trucks, Fenton City responded through mutual aid. Soon afterward, Linden City, Mundy Township and Argentine Township fire departments responded to the scene to assist, as well.

With temperatures hovering in the mid-80s, firefighters battled the blaze. There were no occupants at



TRI-COUNTY TIMES LTIM JAGIELO Homeowner Will Stiverson is comforted as he looks at his fire-damaged home on Tuesday.

the time of the fire.

The cause of the fire and extent of the damage is not yet known.

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> **Will Stiverson** Fenton Township house fire victim

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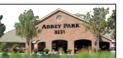


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Garrison, Hood lead 5K walkers at Bastille Day

By David Troppens

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Fenton — Flushing's Harry Garrison may be 70, but he has the energy of someone half of

After finishing the 5K walk with a time of 28:55 at the Bastille Day Run and Walk, earning him overall male winner honors, Garrison began to help pace other walkers as

they completed their events. Garrison won the event for the second straight vear and for the fourth time in five years. Grand Blane's Mitch Holaly (30:05) and Brian Martin (33:18) finished second and third overall, respectively. Linden's Jim Zonca finished fourth in 33:32.

Goodrich's Michele Hood won her

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first-ever female overall 5K award, posting the women's fastest time at 24:10. Finishing second was Flushing's Jane Johnson (37:03) and finishing third was Linden's Colleen Giddinas.

(37:37). Davison's Patty Cooper wrapped up the

top four finishers by placing fourth.

> Flushing's Amy Gladdue placed 66th in the 5K run despite running with some company within her stroller.

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Some repeats, some new winners at Bastille Day race

■Anderson, Bragg make it three straight wins in 15K event

By David Troppens

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Fenton — It was a different year, but when it came to the 15K race at the Bastille Day Run and Walk on Sautrday, not much changed.

For the third straight year Fenton resident Jesse Anderson and Fenton native Kesley Bragg captured titles for the third straight year. For Bragg, it was her fourth title in five

Anderson won with a time of 53:24, over five minutes faster than second-place Shane Logan of Clarkston. Logan finished in 58:50. Bragg had the race's fifth-fastest time overall completing the course in 59:20.

For Bragg, it may be the last Bastille Day race she wins for awhile. Wearing a Great Britain running jersey, Bragg will be moving to England at the start of the year to start a new chapter of her life.

"My fiancé lives there," Bragg said. "So I'm getting married and moving over there. I was like I have to do Bastille. I don't know when I'll be able to do it again, and it's one of



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(Above) The Bastille Day 15K race begins. The eventual male overall winner was Jesse Anderson (300), while the overall female winner was Kelsey Bragg (1). (Right) The 5K men's victor was Kyle Smith, winning with a time of 16:02.

my favorite races.

"It's kind of my last run of Michigan races. I'll do the Crim and it will be my last Crim for a bit. I'm sure I'll get back to do some races",

Bragg's time was her best winning time ever. She posted a time of 59:41 — her previous best winning time — when she won the race in 2014. She felt she wasn't completely in shape based on the fact she ran the Volksalufe 20K on July 4, wining the event in her first attempt

"During the first mile my legs were a little stiff and then I got into it a little bit and I tried to remember my training," said Bragg, who appropriately had the No. 1 bib number. "I've been training with Hansons

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By David Troppens

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Fenton — There were a couple of new faces when the winners of the Bastille Day Run and Walk completed the 5K run event.

While they are veteran runners to the tri-county running scene, Fenton's Kyle Smith and Fenton native Kellie Redmond captured their first 5K titles during Saturday's pleasantly cool morning temperatures.

Linden's Smith captured the overall male crown by finishing the event with a time of 16:02, 56 seconds faster than Flint's Owen Smith. Meanwhile, Redmond won the women's race with a time of 20:49, 47 seconds faster than second-place Katarina Genson (21:36).

Smith had to compete with some young guns from the Fenton varsity boys cross country team early on in the race. Mitchell Chabot (17:58) placed third, while Nolan Day (18:02) was fourth. Chmax Smith placed fifth (18:23), while Fenton resi-

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MEN 6 & UNDER	3:24
1. Marshall Smelis	4:03
2. Reid Campbell MEN 7 TO 9	
1. Gavin Katic	1:36
2. Josiah Smigielski	2:18
WOMEN 7 TO 9	
1. Kaitlyn Bowles	4:37
Jillian Bowles Molly Katic	4:39
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6. Sean Plunkett	9:11.8
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9. Jacob Nester	12:01.7
MEN 13 TO 15 1. Chris Lafave	6:52.7
2. Brody Stack	
MEN 40 TO 49 1. Todd Katic	8:59.9
2. Eric Schmandt	9:55.8
3. John Smigielski ONE-MILE RUN	10.12.1
WOMEN 7 TO 9 1. Kendra Kuch	22:44 5
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Meghan Hitt Dani Kroll	16:39.3
WOMEN 30 & OLDER	
Michelle Sepanak Paige Dawson	17:30.8
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MEN 7 TO 9 1. Gavin Katic	15.00.0
Brady Cook	16:38.4
MEN 10 TO 12	
Charlie Leedke Nathan Katic	
MEN 16 TO 18	
1. Sebastian Lubahn	13:27.8
WOMEN 10 TO 12	
1. Makenna Kern	23:41.7
WOMEN 19 TO 29 1. Kayla Duke	25:21.4
WOMEN 40 TO 49 1. Sheila Kern	23:47.1
2. Anna Troppens	29:21.5
3. Barb Fields	30:58.2
1.Larry Philippi	20:28.5
Brian Leedke Robert Negri	26:05.8
MEN 50 & OLDER	
1.Tony Micallef	
Ricky Bobby Gary Mundy	26:56.6
4. Jim Zittel 5. Tom Dawson	30:27.8
1.Gary Mundy	

5K

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dents Peter Kennings (18:32) and Samuel Cox (18:45) placed sixth and seventh, respectively. After the top two, all of the runners in the top six were teenagers.

"I had a lot of pressure the first mile," Smith said. "You never know how young and fresh these kids are feeling. (One of the competitors) put a lot of pressure on me the first mile. I think we went 4:59 the first mile. ... Winning is always the goal, but you can only push your body as far as it is willing to go. Obviously, when you can do it, it feels that much better."

A Lake Fenton graduate, Smith is a part of the younger generation of the future of tri-county runners. The area has a history of strong runners in road races. He was pleased to win the title.

"It's fun. Most of the people know you here," Smith said.

"They are all cheering for you and know you so it's pretty awesome in that respect. I'm kind of a local celebrity. It always feels good to win one at home. It's tough to win a road race in general."

Redmond's hometown was listed as Bethesda, Maryland, but that's just where she lives now. The Powers graduate and Fenton native comes back to her stomping grounds about three weeks every summer, enabling her to be a consistent competitor at the Bastille Day Run. This was the first time she was able to win the 5K win at Bastille Day, posting the 16th best time of all finishers regardless of gender.

15K

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Running a lot with some amazing guys and some great girls.

They've been pushing me."

Last year Bragg finished in 1:03:15, but didn't feel too good about her performance in the much hotter conditions. She passed out.

"It was overcast and a lot cooler than last year," Bragg said. "I passed out at the end of last year. This was much better as opposed to last year."

Anderson jumped to a quick lead at the start of the race and maintained it throughout, but he gave the impression there was room for improvement.

"I'm not in as good as shape as the last two years, so I figured I'd use this as a final workout (for the Great Lakes Relay). I love the course. I grew up running on it. It's my favorite (race) to do."

Anderson is training for the Great Lakes Relay (GLR). The GLR is a three-day event featuring some of the country's longest and most challenging terrain of any relay race through portions of the upper peninsula and the lower peninsula. He was on the winning (GLR) team two years ago and appeared to be on the winning squad last year until his team was disqualified. His squad is looking for revenge this year.

"We have to make up for (being disqualified) last year," Anderson said.

Finishing third overall was Todd Connor (59:03), followed by John Niven (59:13).

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"I always run this and the New Year's Eve race and I usually finish second or third in that one," Redmond said. "My parents are here and my kids are running today.

"My time was terribly slow. I'd rather be in second or third place and have a faster time, but it's all right."

Bowling Green, Ohio's Katarina Genson was second (21:36) while Grand Blanc's Lauren DeMers was third (23:59). California's Alexandria Tifhof-Hill was fourth (24:04) followed by White Lake's Vicki Wood in fifth (25:21).

"It feels good to win it because this is where I grew up," Redmond said.

The oldest of the 262 runners who finished the 5K event was Highland's Roy Brown. At 75-years old he finished the event in 30:34.





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(Top) The female overall 5K winner at the Bastille Day Run and Walk was Kellie Redmond. (Immediately above) The 5K run starts.





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Background Requirements for Position 1 and Position 2:

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- 2. Blanket/unblanketing.
- 3. Clean barns, run-in sheds (only Position 1), and water
- 4. Feed, water, body check horses for injuries.
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Background Requirements for Position 3:

- 1. Ability to operate equipment (tractor, spreader, brush hog, drag pastures).
- 2. Clean run in sheds and water troughs.
- 3. Ability to make repairs.
- 4. 5+ Years of experience in all of the above (ideally with horses but if not other livestock).

Pay: \$75/day with raise potential.

Please respond to hlevin267@gmail.com.

In your response, please

- 1. Indicate which position or positions (1,2, and/or 3) you are
- 2. Describe your qualifications in relation to each background requirement listed for the position. 3. Include professional horse job references (not friends or
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- High school diploma or equivalent.
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DATE: Tuesday, July 19, 2015

TIME: 10:00 A.M.

PLACE: Argentine Township Hall 9048 Silver Lake Road

> Linden MI 48451 (810) 735-5050

Purpose: To correct any of the errors in assessments and tax rates, to review claims of qualified homestead on properties and to review hardship/poverty/vet-

Denise Graves, Clerk, Argentine Township



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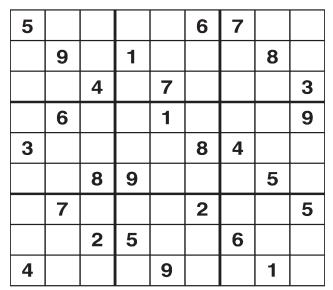
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Answer in this Sunday's edition of the Tri-County Times

contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

HOROSCOPES

ARIES (March 21 to April 19)

You dislike waiting for promises to be fulfilled and for commitments to be kept, but resist your headstrong tendency to push things along. Your patience will be rewarded

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)

Expect continuing opposition to your plans from die-hard detractors. However, your determination to see things through will carry the day. A Pisces has romantic ideas

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20)

You might be too close to a troublesome workplace situation to deal with it successfully. Step away in order to get a better perspective. A solution soon becomes obvious.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22)

You might suspect that someone you trust has misled you on an important matter, but a more balanced view of things reveals a misunderstanding to be the culprit.

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22)

The Big Cat's animal magnetism has rarely been stronger. You can either just bask in all that admiration or use it to your advantage, especially in the workplace

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22)

Someone who previously balked at cooperating with you on a project suddenly has a change of heart. Accept both help and advice with grace.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)

Some hazy issues still need to be cleared up before you can move on with your new plans. A friend from the past reaches out to re-establish old ties.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Continued positive fall-out follows

that risky workplace decision you made some time ago. Your payoff will soon prove to be more substantial than you expected.

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

A personal relationship continues to be affected by a recent unexpected turn of events. Things need to work themselves out without fingerpointing.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) It's a wonderful week for all you capricious Goats to kick up your heels with friends or family members in some well-earned fun and frivolity.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Caution is advised before making a financial commitment to someone you don't really know. There are better ways to build friendships than with risky fiscal dealings.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to March 20)

Travel plans continue to be favored. A change of scenery brings new opportunities, both personally and professionally. Be open to the possibilities.

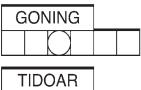
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