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DETROIT BOAT SHOW

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VISIT YOUR LOCAL BOAT DEALERS AT COBO CENTER EVENT

By Sally Rummel

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Summer may be five months away, but the 2017 boating season officially arrives in mid-winter at the Detroit Boat Show.

This year's dates are Saturday, Feb. 11 through Sunday, Feb. 19 at the Cobo Center in Detroit. More than 100 of Michigan's biggest boating dealers will be on deck to exhibit the newest, most exciting models and accessories.

A number of these marine businesses are from the tri-county area, getting a jump on the sales season so boaters can get their watercraft in the water by Memorial Day Weekend.

"Each day, there's something different going on," said Patti Smith, co-owner of **Silver Spray Sports** in Fenton. As statewide director for the Michigan Boating Industries Association and a member of the Boat Show Committee, Smith is a local advocate for Michigan's huge boating industry.

Most local boat dealers agree that the


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Freeway Sports Sales Associate Dominic Melton stands aboard a 19-foot Yamaha AR195. This boat represents the higher-end of the Yamaha line, which includes an upgraded interior. Local boat dealers are getting ready for the Detroit Boat show, to be held Feb. 11-19.

huge popularity of wake surfing continues to drive the sport boating industry, and pontoons remain a top seller for waterfront property owners. New in the industry are inboard/outboard boat manufacturers who are getting into wakeboarding and surfing boats.

Jeff Nichols of **Aqua Sports Marine** will be heading to Cobo Center with five MB Sports Boats, known for their sophisticated ballast systems for the wake surfing industry.

"What's pushing the sport right now are guys who used to wakeboard and they're getting older," said Nichols. "They've gone to wake surfing because it's much easier on the body. It's also an easy water sport to learn because there's so much more surface underneath you."

He's excited about this year's expanded show. "They've opened a wall so there's another hallway and a half of exhibit area," said Nichols.

See BOAT SHOW on 4B


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MARCH BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING SCHEDULE

The 2017 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 7, 2017 2:00 pm Organizational Meeting

Appointments will begin on:

Thursday, March 9, 2017 9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Monday, March 13, 2017 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Wednesday, March 15, 2017 9:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT IN ADVANCE FOR THE BOARD OF REVIEW, PLEASE CONTACT OAKLAND COUNTY EQUALIZATION DIVISION, PRIOR TO MARCH 3rd, 2017 TOLL FREE, 1-888-350-0900, EXTENSION 80757 OR (248) 858-0757.

APPEARANCES BEFORE THE BOARD OF REVIEW ARE LIMITED TO 15 MINUTES. PROPERTY OWNERS MAY APPEAL BY MAIL IF RECEIVED BY 4:00 PM WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 2017

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, MMC, CMMC
Rose Township Clerk

Just sayin'...

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Remembering 'da Bears' Super Bowl win

OK, I get it, the New England Patriots have a pretty good football team. But every Super Bowl, I can't help but think about the great time we had in Chicago for Super Bowl XX in 1986 — the year 'da Bears' defeated the Patriots by a final score of 46-10. The game was played at the Louisiana Superdome in New Orleans. More than 127 million people watched the game worldwide.

Although I moved to Michigan from the Chicago area in June of 1986, I still am and will likely always be a Chicago Bears fan. I still like listening to the 'Super Bowl Shuffle,' a rap song and video the Bears players made in late 1995, before the big game. It was released one month before Super Bowl XX, which was played on Jan. 26, 1986.

The single became a big hit, selling more than 500,000 copies and landing at No. 41 on the 'U.S. Billboard Hot 100.'

As Walter Peyton (No. 34 known as 'Sweetness') rapped in the song, 'Now we're not doing this because we're greedy, the Bears are doing it to feed the needy.'

More than \$300,000 in profits from the song and music video was donated to the Chicago Community Trust to help needy families in Chicago with clothing, shelter, and food.

The guys who sang in the video, rapped lyrics, describing their style on the football field.

In addition to 'Sweetness,' Jim McMahon (9), known as 'the punky QB,' Mike Singleton (50), known as 'Samurai Mike' and William Perry (72), known as 'The Refrigerator' because of his size, were among the 10 guys who sang.

Punky QB got into a little trouble in New Orleans for mooning a helicopter, but that's another story, we won't go there.

And who can forget Head Coach Mike Ditka, who even today at the age of 77 is still known for sharing his 'not so shy' opinions and rants. To get a sampling of his 'colorful' personality, he still works as a sports commentator today on ESPN's NFL Live, ESPN's Sunday NFL Countdown, and CBS Radio-Westwood One's Monday Night Football pregame show.

Anyway, zooming back to that big game in 1986, a bunch of friends and I attended a big Super Bowl party. These were the days before big screen TVs, so there were several smaller TVs set up around the big apartment — you know, one in the kitchen, one in the dining area and one in the living room.

There was tons of food and plenty of 'liquid libation,' a necessity to honor our Bears, of course. Though it was a lively party throughout the game, it got so quiet you could hear a pin drop just before the final seconds when 'The Refrigerator' scored the winning touchdown.

The next sound heard was something like hundreds of rocks hitting the ceiling in that apartment all at the same time. Those rocks were actually ice cubes, that hit the ceiling after partygoers jumped up and pitched their drinks into the air when the Bears won Super Bowl XX.

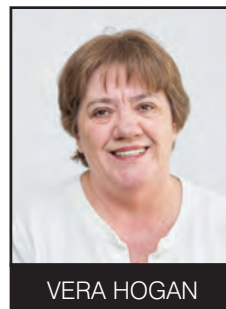
It was pandemonium. It was fantastic.

My sons don't share my enthusiasm for Chicago sports teams. I get that. They were born in Michigan and are true to the local teams, especially the Detroit Red Wings.

My sports loyalties were not only with the Bears, but the Chicago Cubs and White Sox, and the Chicago Blackhawks. My Chicago friends used to always laugh and tell our Michigan friends, 'Detroit has more dog teams than the Yukon!'

Our Michigan friends would respond, 'Oh yeah, you Chicago animals eat raw meat!' It was all in good fun. Pass the steak tartare please.

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Synopsis of Argentine Township Regular Board Meeting January 30, 2017

Call to order @ 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Supervisor Saad

Present: Schmidt, Graves, Saad, Hallman and Conner. Absent: none

Approved: Minutes as printed of December 19, 2016, December 19, 2016

Executive Session and Special Meeting Minutes of January 9, 2017.

Approved: Budget amendments.

Approved: Payment of bills as presented.

Approved: Cost of 5-year option for fire Dept. to purchase subscription software.

Approved: Cost of Firefighter Caputo to attend NPFA1 and II.

Approved: Hiring Jeremy Dennis as a firefighter.

Issued- 9 permits in the amount of \$4,685.00.

Accepted: Terms of renewal for current healthcare plan.

Accepted: Resolution 2016-14.

Accepted: Terms of B&D Elevator Services proposal.

Accepted: Terms of Aquatic Services Contract.

Passed: Resolution 2017-1.

Adjourned @ 8:25 p.m.

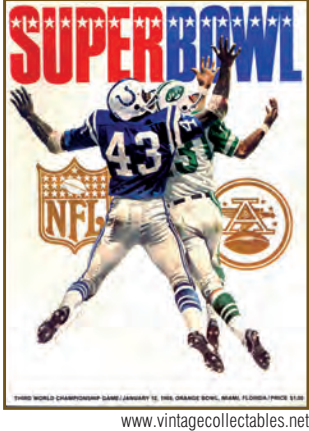
Submitted by Denise Graves
Argentine Township Clerk

SUPER BOWL fun facts

By Hannah Ball, hball@tctimes.com; 810-433-6792

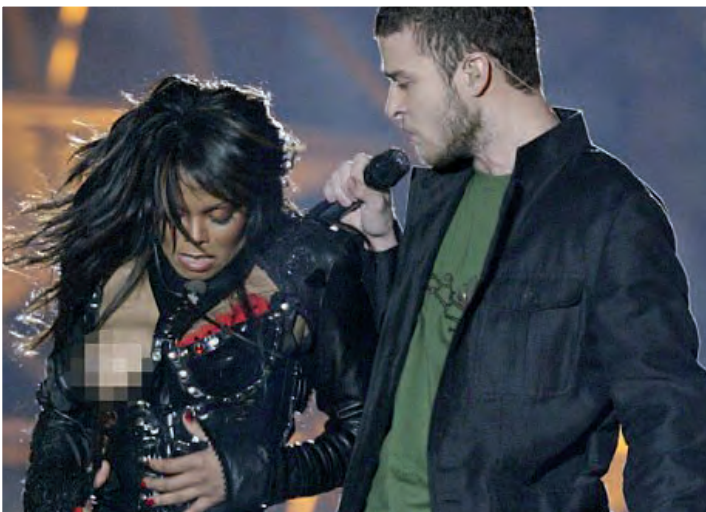
The Super Bowl is the biggest day for sports in America, attracting millions of viewers in 2016. Viewership increased by 22.4 million from 2004 to 2014, according to Nielson. This year's game, Super Bowl LI features the New England Patriots versus the Atlanta Falcons. Here's one fun fact—"Super Bowl" is trademarked, which is why TV and food companies don't use the phrase when advertising for the game. Here are more fun facts about the biggest game day.
Source: newsone.com

1. The title "Super Bowl" and Roman numerals were used to mark this annual game starting in 1969 when the New York Jets beat the Baltimore Colts 16-7.



2. While many believe football is a man's game, women viewership has increased to an average of 50 million viewers. Women account for approximately 46.8 percent of viewership.

3. At Super Bowl XXXVIII, performers Justin Timberlake and Janet Jackson were the entertainment for the half time show. At the end of halftime, Timberlake tore off part of Jackson's clothing, revealing part of her breast.



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4. One of the most talked about Super Bowls was Super Bowl XLVIII in 2014, with over 25.3 million tweets mentioning the game. Tweets included commentary about Beyonce's halftime show and the amusing ads.



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5. The Raiders' Tom Flores, who's of Hispanic descent, was the first minority coach to win the game for Super Bowl XV, and in 2007, Tony Dungy became the first African-American to win the big game.

6. The first musical act to perform at the game was "Up With the People," an organization that brought education and positivity to youth for Super Bowl X. Michael Jackson was the most legendary performers for Super Bowl XXVI.



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7. Super Bowl is the second-highest day for food consumption after Thanksgiving. Approximately 100 million pounds of guacamole will be sold, and brands like Lays, and pizza chains like Domino's and Papa John's sell millions of chips and pizza.



8. The price for a commercial spot has significantly risen. In the 1960s, an ad would cost as low as \$37,500, and now a 30-second spot goes for \$5 million.

9. Whitney Houston's rendition of the "Star-Spangled Banner" went down as one of the most beloved performances. Super Bowl XXV in 1991 came just days into Persian Gulf War, bringing a sense of patriotism to the country.



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10. For 20 years, the last episode of "M*A*S*H" had been the most watched television show in history, until the 2012 Super Bowl broke the record.

11. The Lombardi Trophy, which is given to the winning team, weighs 7 pounds, is 21 inches tall, and is worth approximately \$25,000.



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White's Landing sales associate Kevin Watkins sits in a 2017 Bennington Pontoon on Friday, Feb. 3. The company has 280 boat floor plans, including two brand new models for 2017.

BOAT SHOW

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Silver Spray Sports will be taking eight or nine boats to Cobo. Their most exciting new products are the Nautique GS20 and GS22, a crossover alternative that can do everything from skiing to wakeboarding and wake surfing, according to Smith.

"This is the first time we'll show both boats together," said Smith. "We'll also have Ski Nautique boats there, plus a full pro shop, docks and hoists."

Wilson Marine in Brighton will showcase new models like their 10-foot wide twin engine Bennington Pontoon, along with other Bennington and Harrison models. They will also unveil a 19-foot, Michigan-made center console Scarab jet boat with a fold-down tailgate.

"We're really excited to introduce our Heyday and Supreme Surf boats," said Brad Wilson, general sales manager. "These are awesome surf and wake boats that won't break the bank."

Action Water Sports will host its

“We’re looking forward to a long, hot summer.”

Patti Smith
Silver Spray Sports

own boat show this year, Feb. 16-19 at its showroom on Old U.S. 23 in Tyrone Township. They sell MasterCraft water sports and wake surfing boats, as well as Cobalt runabouts.

"Wake surfing is driving our whole world," said Troy Rising, sales consultant. "Cobalt just introduced its new line of wake surfing boats, from 20 to 40 feet."

Their most exciting innovation is MasterCraft's new DockStar Handling System, which offers precise steering while reversing, making tight spots like docks and marinas easier to navigate. "It's the first of its kind," said Rising.

Nineteen-foot Yamaha Jet Boats have been selling well since last fall at **Freeway Sports Center**, according to owner Jim Adams. "They've got more horse power, a bigger motor and more power."

New Yamaha Wave Runners, at an affordable price point, make it easier than ever to get out on the water. "Fishing boats are still very big," said Adams. "It's amazing how busy we've been."

White's Landing is the local Bennington Pontoon dealer and he's looking forward to showing customers the new models. "They just keep making them nicer and nicer," said owner Jonathan Hamel. "Pontoons are your 'living room' on the water. They're a staple."

C&C Sports of Brighton will be at Cobo with new 2017 Sea-Doo models. "The Sea-Doo Spark has been out for two years and at \$5,299 is very affordable for family fun," said Chuck Heil, vice president. "Financing is really good now."

Other area boat dealers are: **Lake Ponemah Marina** and **Skipper Bud's** both in Fenton.

SUMMARY

■ Many local boat dealers will be heading to Cobo Center in Detroit next week for the Detroit Boat Show, which will kick off the 2017 boating season.

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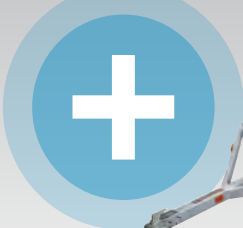
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Safety equipment checks for both new and experienced boaters

Compiled By Vera Hogan

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For many boaters, January is a period of downtime, and that makes it a great month to inspect and update safety equipment — particularly if you have pulled it off the boat for winter storage, according to boatingmag.com. Here is a 10-point checklist to make sure the boat you plan to buy, or the one you already own is safe for fun on the water.

1. Check Flares

These require replacement every three years. Check the expiration dates on your handheld and meteor flares. If they are set to expire midseason, put a reminder on your calendar. If they expire within a month or two, you might as well replace them now.

2. Inspect Fire Extinguishers

Check the pressure gauges on all of your boat's fire extinguishers to make sure they read in the green

“full” zone. If any of them appear to have been even partially discharged, replace them with Coast Guard-approved fire extinguishers. Give existing extinguishers a good shake to break loose the fire-retardant powder that might have become caked at the bottom. Make sure the bracket still holds the extinguisher securely.

3. Test EPIRBs and PLBs

These require re-registration every two years, as mandated by the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), which sends a reminder. But if your address or email has changed, you might not have received it. Check your EPIRB and PLBs for the re-registration date, and if it is time, go to www.sarsat.noaa.gov to update the information. Also, check to see when you need to replace the batteries in your EPIRBs and PLBs. Most of these devices offer a test procedure, and now is a good time to run it.

See SAFETY on 6B



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Whether it's a speedboat, pontoon or fishing boat, there are safety items that are required onboard to be out on area lakes.



DETROIT BOAT SHOW

Mac & The Big Cheese, best described as the Abbott and Costello of comedy cooking, have been touring nationally since 2004.

Mac & The Big Cheese will entertain at 2017 boat show

Laugh yourself silly with the cooking comedy duo of Mac and the Big Cheese. They'll be headlining the seminar series February 17-19 at The Detroit Boat Show.

Mac and The Big Cheese, best described as the Abbott and Costello of comedy cooking, have been touring nationally since 2004, they have produced 8 DVD's, their book is a best seller, they have been on NPR, WGN, Travel Channel and Tru TV and hundreds of local TV stations around the country. They are developing their own TV show with Giant Pirates in Los Angeles and have competed and won many cooking competitions around the country.

They bring people together through food and laughter. When you are not laughing you are learning at their shows. Simply the funniest comedy cooking duo ever!

Mac and the Big Cheese will be headlining the Seminar Series on the second weekend of the show, February 17-19.

SHOWTIMES:

February 17 – 5 p.m. & 7 p.m.

February 18 – 1 p.m. & 6 p.m.

February 19 – Noon & 2:30 p.m.

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- Alexis

A: This does sound like a tune-up related problem, but could be caused by other things as well. First thing to consider is how many miles your car has on it. Most cars today last up to and over 100,000 miles before the first tune-up is needed. If over 100,000 miles than the first place to start is with a good tune-up, as it most likely needs this anyway for maintenance. If this is not the cause then you may need to go to a repair shop. The diagnostic equipment we have to use for today's vehicles is very expensive and takes much time to learn to use them properly. Don't forget to change your fuel filter with the tune-up as this is usually under the car and often overlooked as part of the complete tune-up.

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MichiganVotes.org is a free, non-partisan website created by the Mackinac Center for Public Policy to provide concise, non-partisan, plain-English descriptions of every bill and vote in the Michigan House and Senate. This report was released Friday, Jan. 27.

No bills have been voted on so far in the opening weeks of the 2017-18 Michigan Legislature. This report contains some newly introduced bills of general interest.

House Joint Resolution A: Establish part time legislature

Introduced by Rep. Michael Webber (R), to place before voters in the next general election a constitutional amendment that would limit annual legislative sessions to 90 consecutive days. More than 20 part-time legislature proposals have been introduced in recent Legislatures. Proposals to change the state constitution need a 2/3 supermajority in the House and Senate to be placed on the ballot.

House Bill 4001: Reduce state income tax rate

Introduced by Rep. Lee Chatfield (R), to cut the state income tax from the current 4.25 percent to 3.9 percent starting in 2018, and then gradually phase out the tax over a 39-year period with annual cuts of 0.1 percent.

House Bill 4011: End Daylight Saving Time; put whole state on Eastern time

Introduced by Rep. Peter Lucido (R), to petition the U.S. Department of Education to allow Michigan to no longer participate in Daylight Saving Time

clock changes, and instead use Eastern Standard Time as the year-round time zone for the entire state.

House Bill 4016: Create centralized government infrastructure planning council

Introduced by Rep. Patrick Green (D), to create a central government infrastructure planning council comprised of specified political appointees to "develop a long-term, integrated infrastructure strategy for publicly held assets in this state," and explore ways to pay for increased spending on this, based on findings from an initial pilot program the bill would require.

House Bill 4019: Impose contraceptive insurance mandate

Introduced by Rep. Pam Faris (D), to impose a new health insurance coverage mandate requiring that all policies include paying for a one-year supply of birth control pills or other contraceptives.

House Bill 4029: Let state enforce city income taxes

Introduced by Rep. Wendell Byrd (D), to authorize cities and the state Department of Treasury to enter agreements under which the Department could use its statewide authority to enforce the city's income tax.

Senate Bill 3: Repeal prevailing wage law

Introduced by Sen. David Robertson (R), to repeal the state "prevailing wage" law, which prohibits awarding government contracts to contractors who submit the lowest bid unless the contractor pays wages based on pay scales that local union officials represent as prevalent in a particular area, but which tend to be above the market rate.

Senate Bill 4: Reduce income tax rate

Introduced by Sen. Jack Brandenburg (R), to cut the state income tax from

the current 4.25 percent to 4.0 percent starting in 2018, and then cut it another 1 percent for each of the next four years until the tax is eliminated in 2022.

Senate Bill 22: Ban housing young prisoners with older ones

Introduced by Sen. Bert Johnson (D), to require the Department of Corrections to only house 17- to 22-year-old inmates with others in that age range, unless specific circumstances prevent this.

Senate Bill 26: Increase state earned income tax credit

Introduced by Sen. David Knezek (D), to increase the state earned income tax credit from an amount equal to 6 percent of the federal EITC, to 20 percent. This is a "refundable" credit for low-income workers (meaning that a check is sent to the taxpayer for the amount the credit exceeds taxes owed).

Senate Bill 28: Repeal FDA-approved drug lawsuit ban

Introduced by Sen. Steve Bieda (D), to allow product liability lawsuits against drug companies for drugs that have been approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The bill would repeal a tort reform law passed in 1995, under which such lawsuits are prohibited in Michigan courts unless the company intentionally withheld information or misled the FDA about the drug, or used bribery to gain approval.

Senate Bill 41 and House Bill 4052: Exempt pension income from state income tax

Introduced by Sen. Rick Jones (R) and Rep. Tom Barrett, to repeal the provision of Gov. Rick Snyder's tax reform and business tax cut that eliminated some of the state income tax exemptions for pension income. Gov. Snyder has already said he opposes the repeal.

SAFETY

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4. Examine Life Jackets

Make sure fabric, straps, buckles and flotation materials remain in prime condition. If there's any doubt, throw them out and replace them with brand-new jackets. If you have inflatable life jackets, remove and inspect the CO2 cartridges. If any are damaged or used, replace them with new ones.

5. Check Your Horn

Make sure you have a functioning Coast Guard-approved sound-producing device on board.

6. Replace Batteries

Replace all of the batteries in your flashlights, and buy spare fresh batteries to keep on boat. If any of your flashlights have rechargeable batteries, give them all a charge, and enter reminders on your calendar to recharge them again in the future.

7. Test Your Bilge Pump

You might have to wait until spring commissioning for this, but as soon as the boat is ready, stick your head in the bilge

compartment while someone presses the bilge pump switch to make sure it runs. While you're there, lift up on the float on the automatic bilge-pump switch to ensure that it turns on the pump. Check all of the wiring and connectors to verify that they are corrosion-free.

8. Inspect Ground Tackle

Pull out and inspect all of your anchor rode and ground tackle. Replace elements such as the line, chain or shackles that show excessive corrosion or wear and tear. Now is also a great time to create a new chain-to-rope eye splice.

9. Switch on Navigation Lights

Check them all to make sure they work.

10. Schedule a VSC

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ACROSS

1 Deluding deliberately

8 Stiff cat hair

15 Capital of Morocco

20 Of the side

21 Plane for short hops

22 Put a hex on

23 Dog having no bounds?

25 "I repeat ..."

26 Gal pal, in Grenoble

27 Parts of lbs.

29 Bring to ruin

30 Dog hanging out with pride members?

39 Gawk rudely

40 Restrained with shackles

41 Bit in trail mix

42 British money depicting a dog?

45 Capital of Indonesia

49 Hollywood's Raines

50 Edible mushroom

51 Sack fiber

52 Catering hall receptacle

53 Take eager advantage of

55 Equaling a dog's level of coziness?

60 Plant pore

63 "When I was ..."

64 With 32-Down, Lucille Ball's partner

65 Dog carrying a container of high-fat spread?

73 Verdi song

74 Cozy recess

75 Old heads of Iran

76 Dog along with Mrs. Truman?

81 Gunfire noise

86 Pindar work

87 Heavy cart for haulage

88 Ejects

91 — Alto, California

92 Fund for the future

94 Dog's felt-tip pen?

98 — Vicente

99 Drum machine

100 Property claims

101 Dog that doesn't dial long-distance?

107 Latin love

108 Detroit-to-Charlotte dir.

109 Golfer McIlroy

110 Circle measures

112 Hit by a dog?

122 Heart's place

123 French "Stephen"

124 Resembling element #50

125 Speediness

126 Electrified

127 Made irate

DOWN

1 Atty.'s degree

2 Retired

3 "Addams Family" cousin

4 NBA nylon

5 Made a pained sound

6 Motown singer Terrell

7 Stan's "Swiss Miss" co-star

8 Lived

9 That man's

10 Audit gp.

11 Racecar fuel additive

12 Chiang — shek

13 Glorifies

14 "The Godfather" character

15 TV maker

16 Capital of Maine

17 Ranch iron

18 Brief digression

19 Carpentry joint part

24 Harder to grab hold of

28 Haydn work

30 Ripped off

31 St. — Girl (beer brand)

32 See 64-Across

33 Memo words

34 Nabisco's — Wafers

35 Prefix with 20-Across

36 Sugar pie

37 H.S. subj.

38 Zaps in the microwave

39 — Out of My League

43 Whacked, biblically

44 Thus far

45 Wine vessel

46 Indian money

47 Tie up tightly

48 #1 Rolling Stones hit

51 A tribe of Israel

54 Subj. for U.S. aliens

56 Burlap bags

57 Camera

58 Scottish refusals

59 Gator's tail?

61 Mork's girl

62 First little bit of progress

65 BLT part

66 Wear slowly

67 Buenos — (capital of Argentina)

68 Comedy bit

69 Weeding aid

70 Cuban hero

71 Deep fissure

72 President before DDE

77 Noble goal

78 Dialects

79 Equine loser

80 Hercules

82 Spring month

83 Sulu player

84 Coeur d'— (Idaho city)

85 Rocky crags

89 Atop

90 Gender determiners

93 Like Russia before 1917

94 Visualize

95 Chance, old-style

96 Pt. of NCAA

97 Siding (with) inits.

99 Yasmine of "Baywatch"

101 Pine relative

102 Nebraska city

103 Ciphers, say

104 Kefauver of old politics

105 Terra- —

106 Hatch of politics

111 Ending for Tokyo

113 Copa's home

114 Fun and games, for short

115 Printer fluid

116 Butyl ender

117 Lipstick color

118 The Indians, for short

119 Aperitif with white wine

120 Scrape (out)

121 Beatty of "1941"

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VILLAGE OF HOLLY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

HOLLY MILL POND SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Village Council of the Village of Holly will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 28, 2017 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible, in the Karl Richter Center Board of Education Meeting Room located at 920 E. Baird Street, Holly, MI.

THE PURPOSE OF THE HEARING is to confirm the special assessment roll and provide an opportunity for property owners and interested parties to comment on and/or protest the Holly Mill Pond Special Assessment District. Appearance and protest at the hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal.

AN OWNER OR PARTY IN INTEREST, or his or her agent may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance or protest by letter and his or her personal appearance shall not be required. Comments and/or protest by mail should be mailed to the Village of Holly Clerk-Treasurer, 300 East Street, Karl Richter Center, Holly, MI 48442-1694. The property owner or any person having an interest in the real property may file a written appeal of the special assessment with the state tax tribunal within thirty (30) days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll if the special assessment was protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll. The special assessment roll and related materials are available for review at the Village Offices located at 300 East Street, Karl Richter Center, Holly, MI during regular business hours.

QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT, by telephone should be directed to the Village Offices at (248) 634-9571. Handicapped or other persons needing assistance to attend or participate in the hearing are asked to contact the Village Office 48 hours prior to the hearing.

Deborah J. Bigger

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Village of Holly

VILLAGE OF HOLLY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL LAND USE REQUEST

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with Section 157.008, section 4, Commercial District, New and Used Car Lots, Trailer Sales, and Rental Lots of the Village of Holly Zoning Ordinance the Village of Holly Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on a request for a special land use permit on February 22, 2017 at 7:00 PM (or as soon thereafter as possible) in the Village Council Chambers located at 920 E. Baird Street, Holly, Michigan.

An application for a special land use permit was filed by Ryan Marsh, Marsh Auto Sales, 15133 N. Holly Road, Holly, MI to permit Commercial New and Used Car Lots, Trailer Sales and Rental Lots or storage on a portion of parcel ID # IH-01-27-101-006. The proposed use is allowed only after review and approval by the Holly Planning Commission in accordance with Section 157.120 through 157.130 of the Holly Zoning Ordinance.

Written comments may be submitted to the Village Clerk/Treasurer, 300 East Street, Karl Richter Center, Holly, Michigan 48442 prior to the review and may also be submitted at the meeting. All documents pertinent to the application are available for inspection in the Village Offices at the above address during regular business hours.

Interested persons are encouraged to attend the meeting. Handicapped persons needing assistance to attend are asked to contact the village offices at least 48 hours prior to the meeting at (248) 634-9571 during regular business hours.

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Tyrone Township

Livingston County, Michigan

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

UPON A ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AND A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR THE PROJECT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

(1) The Township Board of Tyrone Township, Livingston County, Michigan (the "Township") in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan, will conduct a public hearing beginning at 7:00 p.m., local time, on February 7, 2017, at the Tyrone Township Hall, 10408 Center Road, Fenton, Michigan, to review the following proposed special assessment district:

TYRONE TOWNSHIP APPLE ORCHARD ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (2017)
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

and to hear any objections thereto and the proposed project.

(2) The project (the "Project") will consist of the repaving of the entire length of Apple Orchard Drive, approximately 3,514 feet. The work will include repairing the existing failed asphalt, crushing and shaping the existing pavement prior to placing a new 3.0 inch Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) in two lifts. The roadway will be approximately 3.0 inches higher than the existing pavement elevation. A portion of each drive approach will need to be sawcut, removed and put back in kind to meet the new road elevation, turf restoration to match the new HMA per the existing conditions, and other necessary related work. The Project is designed to serve the properties in the Special Assessment District (the "District"), which District consists of the properties located within the area designated on the map attached and includes the specific properties that are identified by the permanent lot and parcel numbers set forth below:

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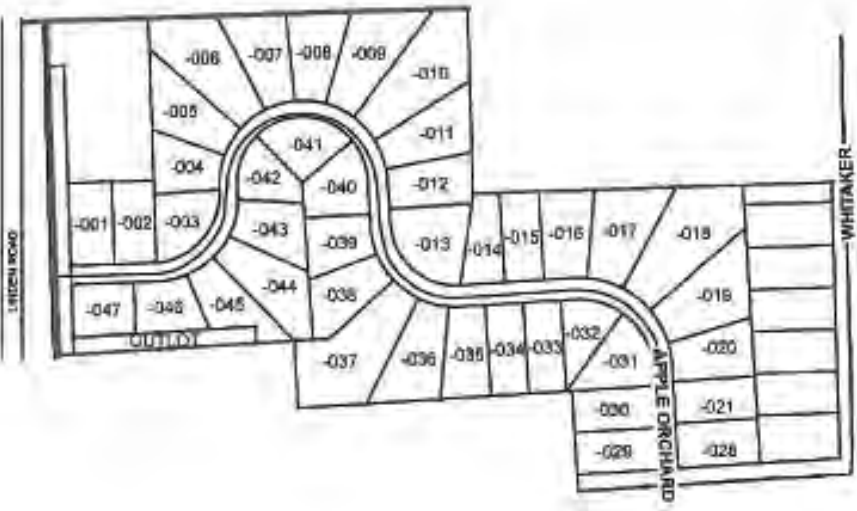
(3) The Township plans to impose special assessments on the properties located in the Special Assessment District to pay for the costs of the Project.

(4) The plans and cost estimates for the proposed Project and the description of the District are now on file in the office of the Township Clerk for public inspection. Periodic redeterminations of the cost of the Project may be made, and subsequent hearings shall not be required if such cost redeterminations do not increase the estimated cost of the Project by more than 10%. Any person objecting to the proposed Project or the proposed District must file his or her objections in writing with the Township Clerk before the close of the February 7, 2017 public hearing or within such additional time (if any) as the Township Board may grant.

This notice is given by order of the Tyrone Township Board.

Dated: January 18, 2017
Marcella Husted
Tyrone Township Clerk

Map of Special Assessment District



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J.R. Shimmel
Feb. 3, 1982 - June 21, 2013

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Grandma, Kelly,
Brothers & Sisters**



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We love and miss you
so much!*
**-Love
Kaylee & Kaitlynn
Shimmel**

Marie M. McKenzie 1931-2017

Marie M. McKenzie - passed January 29, 2017 peacefully with her best friend, Sue McGuire at her side. Marie's family thanks her graciously. Marie is survived by her son, Donald Burlingame and his wife, Cheryl; daughter, Diane Chapman; grandchildren, Tracy Slagle, Brad Burlingame, Rachel Kopera, Erik Chapman; and great-grandchildren, Ariana, Camila, Giuliani, Jacob and Sophie.

Dr. Benjamin Kaufman

Dr. Benjamin Kaufman - age 98, died January 28, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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Janet Carolyn (Carol) Ammon 1939-2017

Janet Carolyn (Carol) Ammon - age 77, passed away on January 17, 2017 in Denver, CO. Carol was born in Slayden, TN to Eddie and Fannie Shelton and grew up in Ferndale, MI. Carol was married to Chuck Ammon for 57 Years and they had three sons; Dale, David, and Dean. She had a sister, Annette; and two brothers, Fred and Larry. Carol is survived by her husband, Charles; two sons, Dale (Karen) Ammon in Denver, CO, David (Kathy) Ammon in Lakeland, FL; and daughter-in-law, Julie Ammon in Dixon, IL. She had seven grandchildren, Meghan, Matthew, Zachary, Abigayle, John, Morgan, and Mackenzie. Carol went to High School at Lincoln High School in Ferndale, MI. She went to Highland Park Junior College for two years. She married the love of her life, Charlie, on October 10, 1959. Over the years, she lived and raised her family in Ferndale, Atlanta, GA and Fenton. The latter is where she has lived since 1974. Carol was the strong, caring, and nurturing matriarch of her family with a fantastic focus on her husband and children. Over the past 25 years she also had a tremendous loving and close relationship with her grandchildren. This love and affection transcended into Carol's public life as well. She always had a smile and a friendly greeting for everyone she met. It was not uncommon for Carol to offer a big smile and a hug to her friends, family and even new people she just met. She will surely be missed! There will be a celebration of life in Carol's honor on February 19, 2017 at 1 PM at Coyote Preserve Golf Club 9218 Preserve Drive, Fenton, MI 48430. In lieu of flowers we ask that donations be made to The American Heart Association.

Charmian Miller

Charmian Miller - age 87, died February 1, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Dale Feldhahn

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Evelyn LeBeau

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Cracked fingertips?
Try a home remedy

DR. ROACH WRITES:

I wrote a column on cracked fingertips, and received a wealth of suggestions from readers. For prevention, some suggestions I liked included avoiding too-hot water for handwashing, antibacterial soaps and wool gloves, all of which can remove protective oils from your fingers. A humidifier in the house can prevent drying of all the skin. Home-treatment remedies included flax-seed oil or B vitamins by mouth. (I don't know if these are effective, but they should be safe.) Most people recommended emollients to the hands, specifically Preparation H, O'Keefe's Working Hands, Bag Balm, CeraVe, Chapstick and Carmex Healing Cream. Plain petrolatum (Vaseline) works very well for many people and is inexpensive. The area can be covered at night by a bandage or glove. Several people recommended saltwater soaks. One noted that the pure mountain water of Colorado Springs cured him in three days. Finally, one person recommended trimming the nails quite short. These home remedies have helped many.

DEAR DR. ROACH:

After an extreme case of vertigo, including vomiting and being taken to the emergency room, my unsteadiness remains. Over a week later, I need to use a walker to be safe. I am 79, and this happened once four years ago, but without the aftereffects. Any suggestions? — M.W.

ANSWER:

The major causes of vertigo, acute labyrinthitis and benign paroxysmal positional vertigo, often continue to produce attacks that tend to lessen in severity up to a month after the initial severe attack. A walker may be a useful precaution while recovering. If the problem persists, I strongly recommend a visit with a physical and/or occupational therapist for vestibular rehabilitation, which is physical therapy to restore balance. It also might be

necessary to revisit your doctor to confirm the original diagnosis. *The booklet on vertigo explains this disruptive condition in detail and outlines its treatment. Readers can order a copy by writing: Dr. Roach — No. 801W, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803. Enclose a check or money order (no cash) for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Canada with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery.*

To your
GOOD
HEALTH

BY KEITH ROACH, M.D.



DEAR DR. ROACH:
My 15-year-old son was just admitted to the hospital for depression and ADD. His thyroid

tests came back abnormal. There is thyroid disease in the family. Is that the cause of his illness? — Anon.

ANSWER:

Thyroid conditions, including both hyper- (too much) and hypo- (too little) thyroid hormone are common in the general population, but more so in people who are diagnosed with a wide variety of psychiatric illnesses, including depression, anxiety and bipolar disorder. I have read that up to a third of people in new admissions for psychiatric conditions have thyroid abnormalities. It isn't always clear whether the thyroid problem caused the psychiatric illness, and probably most often there is a large combination of factors, including genetics, environmental and medical conditions that affect the development of psychiatric conditions. It is clear that sometimes, but not always, treating the underlying thyroid condition can make managing the psychiatric symptoms much easier.

Dr. Roach regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but will incorporate them in the column whenever possible. Readers may email questions to ToYourGoodHealth@med.cornell.edu. To view and order health pamphlets, visit www.rbmamall.com.

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DVD RELEASES

45% liked it
(Audience score on rottentomatoes.com)



JACK REACHER:
NEVER GO BACK

Tom Cruise returns as Jack Reacher in this sequel based on Lee Child's bestselling novel Never Go Back, which finds the itinerant problem-solver accused of murder, and learning that he may have a child he has never met.

PG-13, 1 hr. 58 min.
Action & Adventure, Drama

38% liked it
(Audience score on rottentomatoes.com)



MASTERMINDS

In this action comedy based on true events, directed by Jared Hess (Napoleon Dynamite; Nacho Libre), David Gantt (Zach Galifianakis) discovers the true meaning of adventure far beyond his wildest dreams. He is an uncomplicated man stuck in a

monotonous life. Day in and day out he drives an armored vehicle, transporting millions of other people's money with no escape in sight.

PG-13, 1 hr. 30 min. Comedy



Pesto
Baked
Chicken

INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups fresh basil leaves
- 1/4 cup freshly grated parmesan cheese
- 1/2 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 1/4 cup pine nuts (optional)
- 2 garlic cloves, minced (about 3 teaspoons)
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper to taste
- 4 - 4 oz boneless, skinless chicken breast pieces
- 3 tomatoes, sliced
- Mozzarella cheese

DIRECTIONS

Place basil, Parmesan, pine nuts salt and pepper in food processor and pulse to get the basil and the nuts chopped up. Drizzle in olive oil while the processor is turned on until desired consistency is reached. Pour pesto over chicken in a dish or storage bag and let marinate in fridge for at least 2 hours.

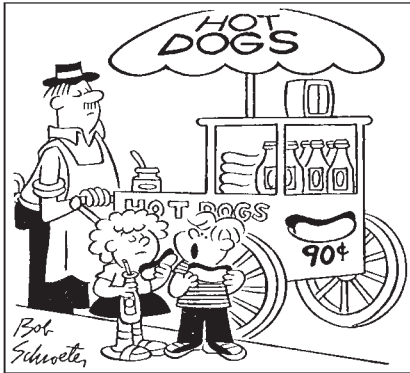
Preheat oven to 400° F. Line baking sheet with heavy-duty foil. or spray baking dish with cooking spray.

Place chicken on prepared baking sheet or dish bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until chicken is no longer pink in center. Remove from oven and top with mozzarella cheese and tomato and bake for an additional 3 to 5 minutes or until cheese is melted. Serve chicken breast over whole grain pasta or rice. Photo courtesy of: skinnytaste.com

SUNDAY SCRAMBLER

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

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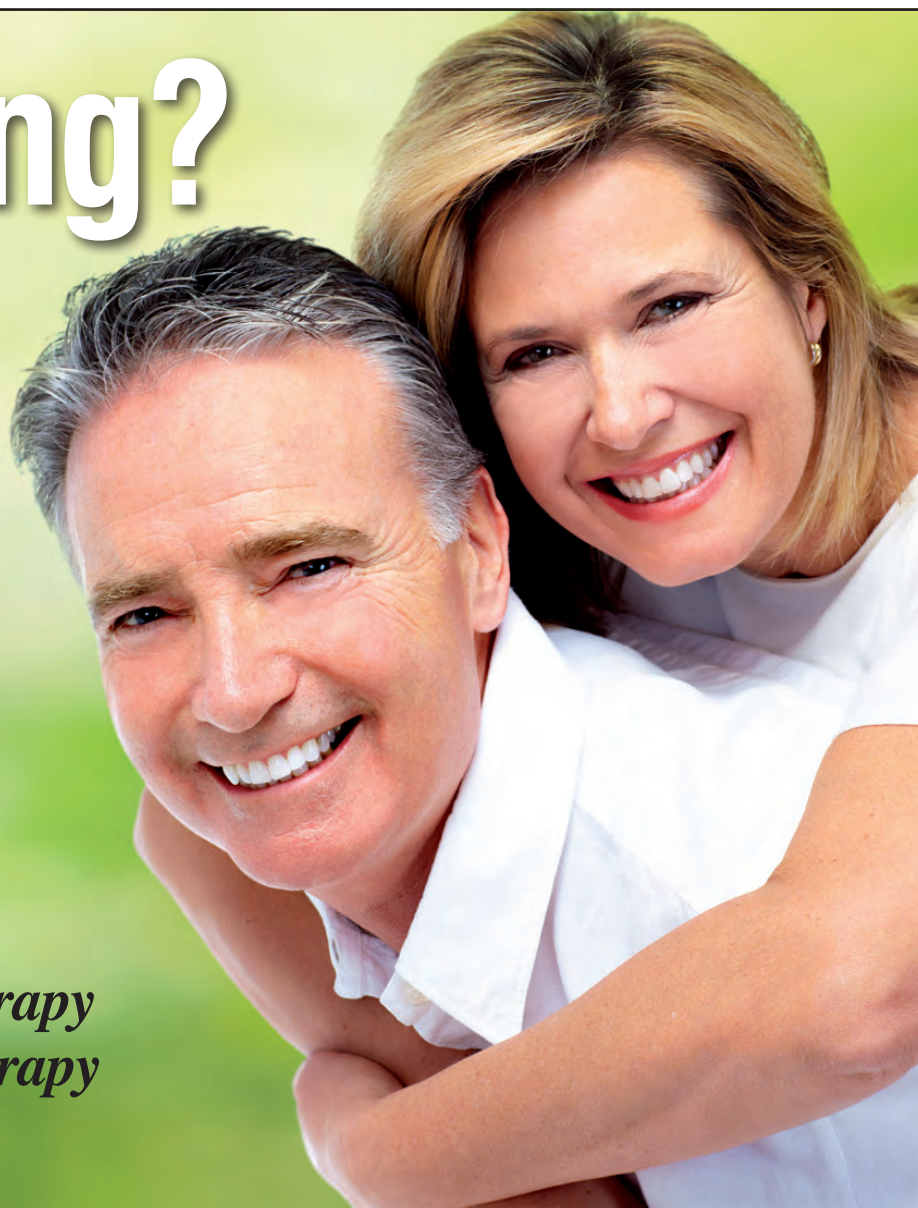
"What does that mean, 'you don't like the' _____ '?"

Answer key located in this edition

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