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Mother's Day

By Sally Rummel

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Shirley Carlson is a mother and grandmother, but she'll be working on a holiday when most mothers are being taken out to dinner and given flowers to celebrate.

She's got plenty of flowers.

As the matriarch of **Carlson's Greenhouse** in Fenton Township, Shirley, and her husband, Ron, started their business more than 35 years ago and it has blossomed into one of the area's largest floral family businesses.

She and Ron, daughters Tammy and Michele and Tammy's husband, Scott, plus other "family" staff, will be carting out huge hanging baskets, bedding plants and planted containers for hundreds of customers throughout Mother's Day weekend. These blooms are all grown on-site in their huge greenhouse network, except for their tropical plants, including palm trees and Mandevilla.

"It's our biggest holiday for flowers and hanging baskets," said Tammy Carlson-Gregory. "Our latest thing is an air plant terrarium, very popular



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Employees Eldon Holden (left) and Brianna Walton pull calathea plants for a special order on Thursday afternoon at Carlson's Greenhouse in Mundy Township. (Below) Mary Ashley of Fenton Township shops for snapdragons on Thursday.

for Mother's Day."

Mother's Day is traditionally one of the busiest holidays for local greenhouses, contributing to huge May volumes, thanks to warmer gardening weather and Memorial Day Weekend — the traditional start of Michigan's gardening season.

At **Zaiser Gardens** in Gaines, Mark and Tracy Zaiser are a staff of just two, with more than 20 years of greenhouse ownership. They specialize in handcrafted planters made by Mark, and filled to the brim with bountiful blooms. Their main specialty is bedding and container plants, including geraniums, petunias, Lantana (in the verbena family) and SunPatians.

Tracy's gardening advice for this spring: Make sure the frost danger is over before planting. "It has been a challenging growing year so far, with cold temperatures, rain, a recent hard frost, etc.," she said.

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TURKEY TROPHY



Carolyn Burch of Holly shot this 23½-pound, wild Tom Turkey with an 11½-inch beard and 1-inch spurs at 10:20 a.m. on May 3.

HOT LINE CONTINUED
IT DOES NOT matter whatever the topic is, please remember that facts are a weakness for liberals.

■ ■ ■
THAT IS WHY the first amendment allows the late night hosts to speak their mind and poke fun at our government. If it offends you, don't watch. Besides, you didn't object when you and they made fun of President Obama.

■ ■ ■
I USED TO be a big Anderson Cooper fan. After watching him roll his eyes while interviewing Kellyanne Conway on-air, as a woman, I no longer respect him as a journalist. Why does it seem like these TV journalists would rather be the story than to just report the story.

■ ■ ■
IT TOOK FIFTEEN minutes today to turn left at southbound U.S. 23 exit and North Road. Could we get a traffic signal?

■ ■ ■
PLEASE TELL THE genius that all cases of hypercholesterolemia and hypertension are not preventable whereas all cases of pregnancy are preventable. Unless of course we want to take birth control for rape.

Just sayin'...

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Thinking about Mom

Happy Mother's Day to all the great moms in my life — my sisters, mother of my stepsons, mother-in-law, friends and coworkers. Without knowing it, each one of you has in some way taught me something about being a good mother and for that I thank you.

I can't help but think about my own mother, Elli Pforr. She died on April 7, 2008 at the age of 79, four years after suffering a debilitating stroke, one that affected her ability to speak clearly. She and my father were retired in Arizona. After her stroke, it was very difficult to visit with her over the phone. I would speak and she would answer in gibberish.

It broke my heart because I know there were times that I must have said something inappropriate or said 'yes' to something negative because I didn't know what she was talking about.

When my mother broke her hip and needed surgery, I arranged to fly to

Phoenix on Friday, April 4, 2008. I spent the entire day at Detroit Metro. My flight kept getting postponed because of mechanical difficulties. I could not get on another flight that day and eventually went home. I called my sisters and they assured me that the doctor



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said she would be OK, and it would be safe for me to take another flight on Friday, April 11.

On Monday, April 7, my mom took a turn for the worse and I learned the horrible news that

she was not going to make it after all. Today, I still take great comfort in the fact that three hours before my mother died, my sister put her on the phone and Mom said very clearly, "I love you, Vera."

If your mother is still among the living, cherish her because things can change in a minute.

We often ask people for our Mother's Day coverage, "What is the best advice your mother ever gave you," or "What is the most important thing you've learned from your mother?"

One piece of great advice my mother gave me was to not sweat the small stuff and to choose bigger and more important battles. "Let it go," she used to say. "It's not worth it."

I didn't always follow that advice, being the one who would always fight tooth and nail for what I wanted or believed in. But I am getting better at it and she's right, some things are just not worth getting all worked up about.

Another important thing I learned from my mother is that being shy and grumpy are not options. My parents used to love going to outdoor fairs and festivals, especially when dancing, food and beer-drinking were involved.

To my dad's chagrin, my mother would almost always walk up to a long table of 25 to 30 strangers, strike up a conversation (usually by telling an off-color joke) and join them for the rest of the event. She had the craziest laugh ever and people loved her. Although she's been gone for just over nine years, I can still remember her laugh.

My mother loved to tell jokes and if she couldn't memorize one on the spot, she would insist that the joke-teller write it down so she could study it later.

Just one more time I wish I could call my parent's house and say, "Hey Mom, did you hear the one about the..."

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TV MOMS *through the decades*

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“Ward, I’m worried about the Beaver.”

-June Cleaver

June Cleaver

From 1957 to 1963, actress Barbara Billingsley played the perfect apron-wearing, cookie-baking housewife June Cleaver on TV’s *Leave It to Beaver*, which aired from 1957 to 1963. June and her husband, Ward, are the parents of two sons, Wally, 12, and 8-year-old “Beaver.” Episodes followed the escapades of Wally and Beaver and usually ended with a moral lesson delivered to the boys.

Lily Munster

In 1964, Yvonne De Carlo was chosen to play Lily Munster in the horror-spoof sitcom “*The Munsters*,” which aired from 1964 to 1966. Lily is the matriarch of the Munster family. She is very close with her niece, Marilyn. Lily is the voice of reason in the Munster household, often relied upon to set problems right, and typically mediates when Herman and Grandpa squabble. Lily also has a fiery temper. While she is deeply in love with Herman, or “Pussycat,” as she calls him, she also frequently gets very angry at him due to his frequent stupidity and occasional selfishness.



“Herman, I’m so sorry. I never should have blamed you for doing anything wrong, pussycat. I’ll never mistrust you again, in all my lives.”

-Lily Munster



“I don’t have to be logical. I’m a mother.”

-Carol Brady

Carol Brady

Actress Florence Henderson became a television icon when she played the role of Carol Brady, the mom of a blended family with six children, on the 1970s sitcom “*The Brady Bunch*.” For her time, Carol is a liberated woman. Although she chooses to be a stay-at-home mom, she is anything but a housewife. She’s a freelance writer, a sculptor, a political activist and a singer. She also organizes plays and PTA events while keeping dinner on the table.

Peg Bundy

Actress and singer Katey Sagal gained acclaim for her role as blunt, rough-around-the-edges wife and mother Peg Bundy on the hit comedy “*Married... With Children*.” Debuting in 1987, the series featured the extremely dysfunctional Bundy family. Peg is the antithesis of the average television housewife. Brassy and loud, she had no interest in housework or her obnoxious, often sexist husband Al (played by Ed O’Neill). The couple had two bickering teenagers Bud and Kelly. This was no polite comedy of manners — the characters put each other down at nearly every turn and the show broke new ground in terms of raunchiness. It aired from 1987-1997.



“... you can’t sit on a couch twenty hours a day and not learn something.”

-Peg Bundy



“As a housewife, I feel that if the kids are still alive when my husband gets home from work, then hey, I’ve done my job.”

-Rosanne

Rosanne

In 1988, Roseanne Barr became a television star with her own sitcom, “*Roseanne*.” Her realistic depiction of a tough, but tender, wise-cracking mom struck a cord with viewers. The show ran from 1988 to 1997. The show is centered on the Conners, an American working-class family struggling to get by on a limited household income. The family consisted of outspoken Roseanne, married to husband Dan, and their three children: Becky, Darlene, and DJ. Many critics considered the show notable as one of the first sitcoms to realistically portray a blue-collar American family with two parents working outside the home, as well as lead characters who were noticeably overweight without their weight being the target of jokes. Barr’s real-life brother and sister are gay, which inspired her to push for introducing gay characters and issues into the show.

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ATTENTION REPUBLICANS. YOU have the White House and majorities in both the House and Senate. During the last six years that President Obama was in office, you had majorities in the House and Senate. No bill has become law since 2011 without Republican support. Stop whining about Democrats. It's pathetic.

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HEY LINDEN ADMINISTRATORS: No more millages. Putting lipstick on a pig will not get the job done. Start with getting back to basics, like quality education and a stronger stance on bullying — that's why you are losing students, not because we need new turf.

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WHEN DID THE actions of our government become a series of battles to win or lose? Our government should be making policies in the best interest of the people not viewing every action as a victory to celebrate or a loss for the other side to gloat over.

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TRUMP-DEVOS AGENDA involves corporations taking over our schools. Your taxes will go to CEOs. DeVos schools are not what our community wants. We don't want our kids forced to learn on computers all day. Schools are part of our community. Please respond.

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GREENHOUSES

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Before Steve and Kathy Mathews opened **Heavenly Scent Herb Farm** in Tyrone Township 29 years ago, Steve was a UPS driver and Kathy was a physical education teacher.

"I fell in love with five herbs, that was it," said Kathy. "It was my hobby, and this is what has happened."

Today, Heavenly Scent Herb Farm now includes a full retail store, gardens and greenhouses, a wedding/shower/festival venue and classes and workshops.

They are ready for Mother's Day with multiple greenhouses filled with unique-scented geraniums (peppermint, strawberry, lemon, apple), topiaries in shapes of shoes and purses and a reputation for the largest hanging baskets in the area. Their petunias even have a touch of the unusual, with one variety of purple with speckles.

"We try to carry different things," said Kathy, pointing to her black-eyed Susan vines in yellow and orange. "No one else has them, they're so cool."



"I'll be working on Mother's Day and I wouldn't have it any other way."

Kathy Mathews
Heavenly Scent
Herb Farm owner

Gerych's Flowers & Gifts in Fenton is celebrating its 50th Anniversary this year. "Easter, then Mother's Day were our first holidays that year," said Jon Gerych, second generation owner. His parents, John and Marjorie Gerych, founded the business in 1967.

"Mother's Day has changed so much over the years," said Gerych. "It used to be you always bought your mom a corsage to wear to church, then had dinner at home. Today, fresh cut flowers are the most popular gift for mothers, especially peonies and roses. If the weather's pleasant, we'll sell a lot of container pots and rose bushes. Hanging baskets are popular, whatever the weather."

Gerych's grows all of their own annuals, herbs, perennials and hanging baskets in 10 greenhouses on-site. "The predominant floral colors for Mother's Day will be pinks, whites and blues, especially pinks," said Gerych.

Hall's Greenhouse in Swartz Creek literally has the biggest selection of annuals in the area, according to Jerry Hall. He is one of the third generation owners of this family business, along with his uncle, Chuck Hall and grandmother, Barb Hall. "Ninety-nine percent of our flowers and plants are started and grown here, from seeds or cuttings," said Jerry.

Hall's also focuses on vegetables, "because that's how Grandma started," said Jerry.

Sixty percent of Hall's business this week leading up to Mother's Day will be hanging baskets. "We're getting well-known for our 11-inch geranium



PHOTOS COURTESY OF HEAVENLY SCENT HERB FARM

Heavenly Scent Herb Farm in Tyrone Township is known for having many unusual plant and flower varieties, including many different petunias, moss shoes filled with sedum and flowering shrubs ready to plant.

baskets," said Jerry. "We've got 60 to 70 varieties. They're our 'calling card.'"

Darrell Bordine started growing tomatoes and selling them at Eastern Market in Detroit 1939, and **Bordine's Nursery** grew from there — now with four locations, including one in Mundy Township. Bordine's opened that location in 2001.

"We do 50 percent of our business in seven weeks," said Calvin Bordine, grandson of the founder, now president of the company. "Mother's Day is our busiest holiday of the year. We're very spring-focused."

Because geraniums were his grandmother's favorite flower, Bordine's has earned a reputation for growing high quality, huge geraniums.

Calvin said that Bordine's is best known for quality. "We grow everything we sell. We're really farmers. That's what we do."

For all these hard-working business owners who are also mothers at local greenhouses, this Sunday's holiday is worth the effort.

"I'll be working on Mother's Day and I wouldn't have it any other way," said Kathy Mathews of Heavenly Scent Herb Farm.

SUMMARY

■ Local greenhouses will be blooming with business right up through Mother's Day on Sunday, May 14, and will continue through the official start of gardening season on Memorial Day Weekend, May 27-29.



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LOOKING BACK

at this week in

NATIONAL HISTORY

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MAY 14

1948: Three-year-old June Devaney, recovering from pneumonia at Queen's Park Hospital in Blackburn, England, is kidnapped from her bed. Nurses discovered her missing at 1:20 a.m. the next day, and police were immediately summoned to investigate. Two hours later, her body was found with multiple skull fractures. The medical examiner determined that Devaney had been raped and then swung headfirst into a wall. Two clues were found in the children's ward, footprints on the floor and a water bottle. After collecting over 40,000 sets of finger prints, police caught up with Peter Griffiths. When his prints came back a match, he confessed to the awful crime, blaming it on alcohol. Griffiths was found guilty of murder and was executed on Nov. 19, 1948.

MAY 15

1942: Gasoline rationing began in 17 Eastern states as an attempt to help the American war effort during World War II. By the end of the year, President Franklin D. Roosevelt had ensured that mandatory gasoline rationing was in effect in all 50 states.

MAY 16

1770: At Versailles, Louis, the French dauphin, marries Marie Antoinette, the daughter of Austrian Archduchess Maria Theresa and Holy Roman Emperor Francis I. France hoped their marriage would strengthen its alliance with Austria, its longtime enemy. In 1774, with the death of King Louis XV, Louis and Marie were crowned king and queen of France. Marie allegedly responded to the news that the impoverished French peasantry had no food to eat by declaring "Let them eat cake."

MAY 17

1974: In Los Angeles, California, police surround a home in Compton where the leaders of the terrorist group known as the Symbionese Liberation Army (SLA) are hiding out. The SLA had kidnapped Patricia Hearst, of the fabulously wealthy Hearst family publishing empire, months earlier, earning headlines across the country. On May 17, Los Angeles police shot an estimated 1,200 rounds of ammunition into the tiny Compton home as six SLA members shot back. Autopsy results showed that they continued to fire back even as smoke and flames were searing their lungs; they clearly chose suicide and martyrdom over jail.

MAY 18

2012: Facebook, the world's largest social network, holds its initial public offering (IPO) and raises \$16 billion. It was the largest technology IPO in American history to that date, and the third-largest IPO ever in the United States, after those of Visa and General Motors. At the time it went public, Facebook was valued at \$104 billion and had some 900 million registered users worldwide.

MAY 19

1997: A 3-year-old boy dies of avian influenza in Hong Kong. By the time the outbreak was controlled, six people were dead and 1.6 million domestic fowl were destroyed.

MAY 20

2005: Ex-teacher and convicted pedophile Mary Kay Letourneau, 43, marries her former victim and the father of two of her children, Vili Fualaau, 22. Just nine months earlier, Letourneau had been released from prison after serving a seven-and-a-half year sentence for raping Fualaau. Letourneau first met Fualaau when she was a teacher at Shorewood Elementary School, and he was a second-grader. During the summer of 1996, Letourneau, then 34 and a married mother of four, began a sexual relationship with her former sixth-grade student, then 12.

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Quote by Obama when he described health care.

TO ALL GREAT Americans, as you finalize your Memorial Day plans, please reserve some time to recognize the reason for the holiday — 'for those who gave their lives that the nation might live. It is altogether proper and fitting that we should do this.' — Abraham Lincoln

FRIDAY NOON, JUST heard there is a horrific car crash on U.S. 23 in the 'Bermuda Triangle' area. With so many crashes in that area and the road is straight not curvy, has anyone done an evaluation of that area to understand why the above normal amount of crashes happen there?

HEY, LEFTIST LOONEY who bashed hard work and claimed luck is the reason for white man's success, you could not be more wrong. You fail to realize, stable and wealthy families (aka; white privilege) exist as the direct result of inter-generational planning and hard work.

FOR ALL YOU conservatives who do not believe in climate change, think about this— what if you're wrong and it's not reversible?

MORE EVIDENCE THAT Obamacare is on life support and is dead, is Etna announcing they are pulling out of his plan at the end of this year. The

Democrats have failed miserably for patients, doctors, hospitals, and now for the insurance companies.

I HAVE COME to the conclusion that the Democrats are bad losers. The Russians did not vote in the 2016 election, the American people did. There were emails released but then again Hillary had a private server. That's her fault. Grow up and work on the future of this country and if you can't, retire.

WARMER WEATHER IS here. Walkers, runners and bicyclists are on the roads. Please slow down on gravel roads. I witnessed a UPS driver cover kids with rocks and dirt on Hogan Road, south of Silver Lake Road. Remember, bikes follow the same rules as a car.

ACCORDING TO NASA, the temperature has risen 0.8 degrees in 150 years. That's 1867, before the Industrial Revolution and the days of the old wild west. Sorry, you won't be melting any century soon.

MR. COMEY WAS 'combat ineffective.' On one day the Democrats loved him the next they wanted to fire him. The Republicans did the same. He was not 'value added,' and had to go.

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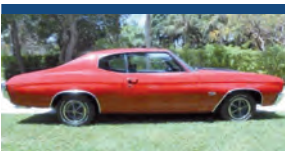
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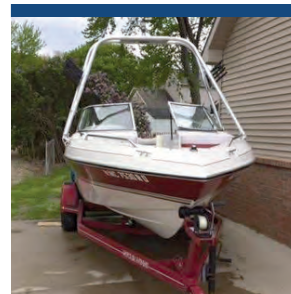
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LEGAL NOTICE BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Holly Academy, a public school academy, is currently establishing its budget for the school year 2017-2018. A final public hearing will take place on Wednesday, May 24, 2017, at 5:00 p.m. before adoption at the May regularly scheduled meeting. The hearing will take place at 820 Academy Rd., Holly, MI. A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the above address weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. **As public school academies lack the statutory authority to levy any type of property tax, no property tax millage rate will be proposed or discussed to support this proposed budget.**

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The City of Fenton is accepting proposals (bids) for two (2) vacant lots
in the Eagles on the Water's Edges Development.
The addresses are 1000 Waters Edge Lane (Unit #47)
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CITY OF FENTON ORDINANCE NO. 704

Ordinance No. 704, an ordinance that amends Chapter 3 of the Code of Ordinances regarding liquor licenses was enacted by the Fenton City Council.

Ordinance No. 704 was adopted at a meeting of the Fenton City Council held on May 8, 2017. This Ordinance will take effect on May 18, 2017.

The complete text of Ordinance No. 704 is on file in the office of the City Clerk and available for review by the general public during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

ADOPTED: May 8, 2017
EFFECTIVE: May 18, 2017
PUBLISHED: May 14, 2017

Renee Wilson
City Clerk

TYRONE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD MAY 9, 2017 AT 7:00 P.M.

1. Present: Supervisor Mike Cunningham, Treasurer Marna Bunting-Smith, Clerk Marcella Husted, Trustees Soren Pedersen, Al Pool, David Walker, and Chuck Schultz.
2. Approved the agenda as amended; approved the consent agenda as presented.
3. Received and placed on file Communication #1 as presented.
4. Authorized the Clerk to sign the grant agreement with the Michigan Dept. of State for the purchase of new voting equipment.
5. Approved Resolution #170502 to proceed with the Apple Orchard Drive waste removal special assessment project.
6. Adopted Resolution #170503 to schedule the first public hearing to review and hear objections to the Apple Orchard Drive waste removal project.
7. Granted the Fireworks Display Permit to Runyan Lake, Inc.
8. Authorized the Clerk to keep miscellaneous accounting duties in-house and to use the current accountant twice a month or more as needed.
9. Authorized the Clerk to hire a part-time student to assist with various projects.
10. Adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

The minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk's office, 10408 Center Road, Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and online at www.tyronetownship.us. The next regular meeting of the Tyrone Township Board will be held on Tuesday, May 23, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at the Tyrone Township Hall. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Tyrone Township Clerk at (810) 629-8631 at least seven days prior to the meeting.

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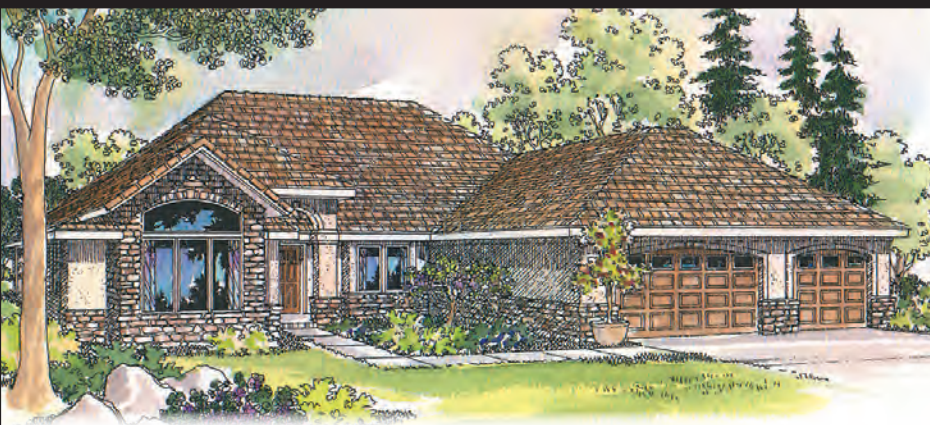


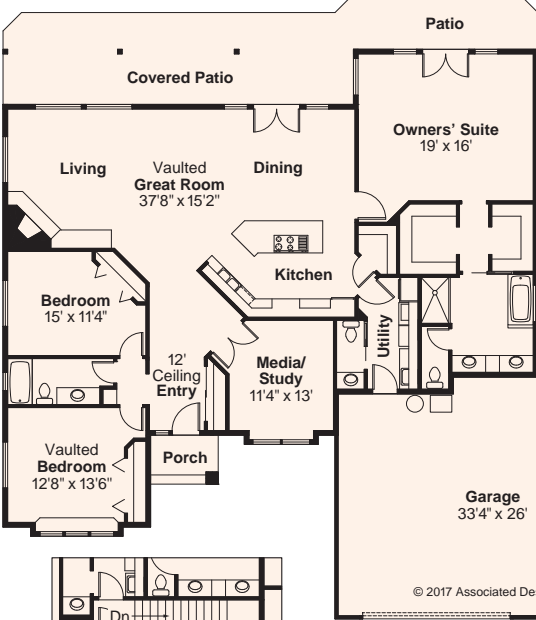
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Water Quality Data

This report covers the drinking water quality for the Village of Holly for the 2016 calendar year. This information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2016. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and state standards.

Your water comes from four (4) wells located on the West side of town. Wells are approximately 210 feet deep and are embedded into sand stone (Marshall Formation). The State performed an assessment of our source water in 2003. The susceptibility rating is on a seven-tiered scale from “very-low” to “very-high” based on geologic sensitivity, well construction, water chemistry and contamination sources. The susceptibility of our source is moderately high.

Several existing sources of contamination exist in the Holly Well-head Protection area:
Leaking Underground Storage Tank (LUST) sites are located at Adelphian Academy, 820 Academy Road; Village of Holly, 201 Elm Street; Holly Area Schools, 800 Elm Street; Fresh Air Society, 4236 Grange Hall Road; Holly Volunteer Ambulance, 504 Maple Street; Mobil Oil, 15241 North Holly Road; Muffler Man of Holly, 503 North Saginaw; Wilkinson’s Auto Repair, 402 North Saginaw; Mabel O. Barnes Trust, 1125 North Saginaw Street; Holly Gas Company Inc., 114 North Saginaw; Beacon & Bridge Market, 820 North Saginaw; and Larry Winklemann, 220 Elm Street.
Four Part 201 sites of environmental contamination include Delta Tube and Fabrication Corporation, 4149 Grange Hall Road; Carl Spencer, 422 North Saginaw Street; Larry Winklemann, 220 Elm Street; and E and S Trucking, 15391 Fish Lake Road.

Potential sources of contamination include Underground Storage Tank (UST) sites, Aboveground Storage Tank (AST) sites, and groundwater discharge permit sites. Abandoned wells provide a direct conduit for surface run-off and contaminants to easily reach the groundwater and may pose a potential problem. To ensure that these wells are not a potential threat, they should be searched and properly plugged.

We are making efforts to protect our sources by participating in the Wellhead Protection Program.

If you would like to know more about the SWAP report please contact Brian Klaassen at 248-634-2202, or via email at [b klaassen@hollyvillage.org](mailto:bklaassen@hollyvillage.org).

- Contaminants and their presence in water:** Drinking Water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the **EPA’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)**.
- Vulnerability of sub-populations:** Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).
- Sources of drinking water:** The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. Our water comes from wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.
- Contaminants that may be present in source water include:**
 - * **Microbial contaminants**, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
 - * **Inorganic contaminants**, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
 - * **Pesticides and herbicides**, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses.
 - * **Radioactive contaminants**, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.
 - * **Organic chemical contaminants**, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which provide the same protection for public health.

The table below lists all the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the 2016 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done January 1 – December 31, 2016. The State allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. All of the data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old.

Terms and abbreviations used below:

- Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL): means the highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG): means the level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- N/A: Not applicable ND: not detectable at testing limit ppb: parts per billion or micrograms per liter ppm: parts per million or milligrams per liter pCi/l: picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity).
- Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

Regulated Contaminant	MCL	MCLG	Your Water	Range	Sample Date	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminant
*Arsenic (ppb)	10	0	6	NA	Quarterly	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
Barium (ppm)	2	2	0.13	NA	2010	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge of metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
Selenium (ppb)	1	1	.001	NA	2010	No	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (ppm)	4	4	.58	.1 - 4	2016	No	Erosion of natural deposits. Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
TTHM - Total Trihalomethanes (ppb)	.08	N/A	.0355	.0071 - .012	2016	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
HAA5 Haloacetic Acids (ppb)	.06	N/A	.001	N/D - .001	2016	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
Chlorine (ppm)	MRDL 4	MRDLG 4	0.39	0.15 – .86	Monthly	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Special Monitoring and Unregulated Contaminant **			Your Water	Range	Sample Date	Typical Source of Contaminant	
Sodium (ppm)			70	NA	2016	Erosion of natural deposits	

Contaminant Subject to AL	Action Level	MCLG	90% of Samples ≤ This Level	Sample Date	Number of Samples Above AL	Typical Source of Contaminant
***Lead (ppb)	15	0	4	2014	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppb)	1300	1300	110	2014	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives

Radioactive Contaminant	MCL	MCLG	Level Detected	Range	Year Sampled	Violation Yes / No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Beta emitters (pCi/L)	50 *	0	N/D	N/D	2014	NO	Decay of natural and man-made deposits
Alpha emitters (pCi/L)	15	0	7	0-7	2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined radium (pCi/L)	5	0	3	1-2	2014	NO	Erosion of natural deposits

* EPA considers 50 pCi/L to be the level of concern for beta particles.

In the 2015 Consumer Confidence Report the copper level was reported in ppm (parts per million) instead of the required ppb (parts per billion). This was corrected and a revised CCR was issued for the Village of Holly in September 2016. This error did not result in any violations or health risks to the public.

* While your drinking water meets EPA’s standard for arsenic, it does contain low levels of arsenic. EPA’s standard balances the current understanding of arsenic’s possible health effects against the costs of removing arsenic from drinking water. EPA continues to research the health effects of low levels of arsenic, which is a mineral known to cause cancer in humans at high concentrations and is linked to other health effects such as skin damage and circulatory problems.

** Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. Monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether it needs to regulate those contaminants.

*** **Information about lead:** If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Village of Holly is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

We will update this report annually and will keep you informed of any problems that may occur throughout the year as they happen. On July 1, 2017 copies of this report will be available at the Village of Holly Municipal Offices located at 300 East St., Holly, MI, office hours Monday through Thursday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm. The Department of Public Works Offices can also provide copies; their office is located at 201 Elm St. Holly Mi. 48442, office hours Monday through Thursday, 6:00 am to 4:30 pm. This report will not be sent to you.

We invite public participation in decisions that affect drinking water quality. Village of Holly Council meeting are the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at the Council Chambers, at 920 Baird St. Holly MI.48442. For more information about your water, or the contents of this report, contact Brian Klaassen at 248-634-2202, or via email at b klaassen@hollyvillage.org. For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at www.epa.gov/safewater/.

Answer key located in this edition

Obituaries

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Ronald James Martinico

1960-2017

Ronald James Martinico - age 56, of Fenton, died Saturday, May 6, 2017 at University Hospital. Funeral service was held 5 PM Friday, May 12, 2017 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Interment followed at Great Lakes National Cemetery. Visitation was held Friday from 12-5 PM at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Ronald J. Martinico Memorial Fund. Ronald was born July 22, 1960 the son of Jerome Martinico and Adele Oleksyn. Surviving are: fiancée, Colette Owsley of Fenton; three children, Alicia Martinico of Riverview, Ariana (Jon) Dombroski of Madison Heights, Anthony Martinico of CT; five grandchildren; brothers, Mitchell and Marc Martinico. Friends may share an online tribute on the obituary page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Janet Marie Kurtz

1946-2017

Janet Marie Kurtz - age 70, died suddenly, Wednesday, May 10, 2017. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Janet was born July 9, 1946 in Los Angeles, CA, the daughter of Theodore W. and Ruth (Hardt) Benedict. She married David Kurtz on March 4, 1985. Janet loved spending time at their cabin in Grayling, quilting and gardening. Surviving are: husband, David Kurtz; three children, Todd Monge and wife, Nicole, Ryan Monge and companion, Jaci, and Amber Monge; four step-children, Heather Kurtz Orr and husband, Rhett, Jennifer Kurtz, Brandy Kurtz and partner, Laura Place, and Nathan Kurtz; four grandchildren, Quinn, Zachary, Mason and Nicholas; two sisters, Jennifer Clifford and husband, Sid, and Joan Vierra; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Donald and Mary Kurtz; many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents. Arrangements handled by Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Friends may share an online tribute on the obituary page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



William "Bill" Shook

1926-2017

William "Bill" Shook - age 90, formerly of Holly, Florida, and Grand Blanc, passed away May 5, 2017 at Genesee Care Center. Bill was born June 5, 1926, the son of Burt and Jennie Mae (Perkins) Shook. He was the loving husband of Ilene (Rodgers) Shook, with a wonderful 69 years of marriage. He is survived by: his wife, Ilene; daughter, Cheryl (Shook) Collard; two grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one great-great-granddaughter; sister, Gertrude Henderson; and brother, Burt (Betty) Shook. Bill served in the U.S. Navy during the war; he then had a 30 year career with GM until his retirement. Bill and Ilene moved to winter in Florida for many years and spent their summers in Michigan with family. Bill was a son, brother, and sailor. He was an amazing husband, father, and grandfather to all his grandchildren. Bill was a loyal friend to all. He loved hunting, fishing, and was a master at both. His kindness, patience, and loving nature will forever be missed. He was preceded in death by: his parents; son, William "Billy" Shook; sisters, Mae, Claudia, Phyllis; and brothers, Arthur and Stewart. Condolences may be shared on the obituaries page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Justin Andrew Humberto Henderson

1999-2017

Justin Andrew Humberto Henderson - age 18, of Fenton, died suddenly, Tuesday, May 9, 2017 as a result of an automobile accident. Funeral service will be held 11 AM Monday, May 15, 2017 at the Freedom Center, 2473 W. Shiawassee Ave., Fenton with Pastor Jim Wiegand officiating. The family will receive friends from 9 AM until the time of service Monday at the church. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the Justin Henderson Memorial Fund c/o Sharp Funeral Homes. Justin was born February 9, 1999 in San Antonio, TX. He was an amazing young man who juggled full-time school and full-time work. Justin was a wonderful son, big brother and friend to everyone who knew him. There was no one that Justin would not help. Surviving are: mother, Julee Henderson of Fenton; father, Dannie Henderson of Flint; two siblings, Andrew and Elizabeth Henderson of Fenton; step-father, Christopher Maciejko of NY; "the love of his life," Samantha Davis; many other family members and friends also survive. Friends may share an online tribute on the obituary page of www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Conrad "Connie" Wawrzyniak

1931-2017

Conrad "Connie" Wawrzyniak - age 85, of Fenton, died Thursday, May 4, 2017. Services will be held 11:30 AM Wednesday, May 24, 2017 at Tyrone Covenant Presbyterian Church, 10235 White Lake Road, Fenton. Pastor James Maschow officiating. Visitation will be held at the church Wednesday from 10:30 AM until the time of the service. Those desiring may make contributions to the Tyrone Covenant Presbyterian Church Building Fund. Conrad was born July 17, 1931 in Detroit, the son of Stanley and Felicia (Nowodworski) Wawrzyniak. He married Patricia Mae Daniels May 17, 1957 in Livonia and she preceded him in death April 3, 2004. He retired in 1987 from GM Flint Metal Fabricating after 30 years of service. He had resided in Fenton since 1963. Conrad was a member of Tyrone Covenant Presbyterian Church and NRA. He also was a pilot from 1954-2003. Surviving are: daughters, Gayle Brewer of Fenton and Wendy Wawrzyniak of Fenton; grandson, Joshua Hawk Sisco; loving friend, Barbara Robinson of Florida; and several nieces and nephews. He was also preceded in death by his parents and sister, Shirley Stephen. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Judith Charlene Cowan

1940-2017

Judith Charlene Cowan - age 76, of Hartland, died Wednesday, May 10, 2017. Funeral service will be held 11 AM Thursday, May 18, 2017 at Heritage Hills Church, 5530 Runyan Lake Road, Fenton. Immediately following the service there will be a luncheon provided at the church. Pastor Tony Chick officiating. Visitation will be held at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton Wednesday, May 17, 2017 from 1-4 and 6-8 PM, where a time of sharing memories of Judy will be held at 7 PM. There will also be visitation at the church Thursday from 10 AM until the time of the service. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make contributions to the University of Michigan Cancer Center, to make your gift visit the website: victors.us/judithcharlenecowan. Judith was born June 1, 1940 in Saginaw, the daughter of George Theodore and Marcella (Kersten) Clark. She was a 1958 graduate of Arthur Hill High School in Saginaw. She married Jerry V. Cowan April 20, 1963 in Saginaw. She had been employed by Hartland Schools as a paraprofessional in the high school. She then was employed by Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency as a social worker, where she eventually retired after 20 plus years of service. She was a member of Heritage Hills Church, Hartland Lions Club and the Hartland Optimist Club. She also volunteered for various other organizations. She was honored by being selected as a Grand Marshall of the Hartland Area Memorial Day Parade for her numerous contributions to the community. Surviving are: her husband of 54 years, Jerry; daughter, Dawn (John) Schiller; son, Todd Cowan of Hartland; five grandchildren, Dr. Cassie Schiller of Ft. Wayne, IN, Kara Schiller of Kalamazoo, Luke, Brooke, and Levi Cowan all of Hartland; great-grandson, David Christian Wilson; sister-in-law, Chris Clark of Rogers City; and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Roger Clark. Online tributes may be posted on the obituaries page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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Victoria Horton Schatow

Victoria Horton Schatow - age 63, died May 11, 2017. www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



Preston T. Wetzel

Preston T. Wetzel - age 24 died May 9, 2017. www.temrowskifamilyfuneralhome.com.



Nancy Lambrecht

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Thomas Douglas LeRoy
1939-2017
Thomas Douglas LeRoy - age 78, of San Antonio, TX passed away on April 14, 2017. He was born on February 6, 1939 in Flint. Tom was a 1957 graduate of Fenton High School. He was preceded in death by wife, Patricia Manley in 2001, and second wife, Carole Hicks in 2014. Tom is survived by son, Kevin; granddaughter, Tara and grandson, Griffin of Auckland, New Zealand; sister, Ginger (David) Hawcroft of Fenton.

Billie McComb
Billie McComb - age 58, died May 9, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Catherine Runyan
Catherine Runyan - age 89, died May 6, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Gloria Harris
Gloria Harris - age 79, died May 7, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

James Hall
James Hall - age 72, died May 9, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Janice Bellant
Janice Bellant - age 58, died May 10, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Margit Huth
Margit Huth - age 90, died May 7, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Paul Golden
Paul Golden - age 84, died May 7, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Peggy Benson
Peggy Benson - age 83, died May 9, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Robert Takacs
Robert Takacs - age 39, died May 4, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Stevan Jarabek
Stevan Jarabek - age 33, died May 7, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Tanya Stuart
Tanya Stuart - age 26, died May 6, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Violet Waid
Violet Waid - age 88, died May 6, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Virginia Hill
Virginia Hill - age 87, died May 9, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

William Hardy
William Hardy - age 92, died May 9, 2017. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Joyce Rockwell
Joyce Rockwell - age 92, died May 10, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Barbara Muzzy
Barbara Muzzy - age 81, died May 11, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

James Stevens
James Stevens - age 79, died May 12, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Richard Parker
Richard Parker - age 81, died May 12, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

Keith Parker
Keith Parker - age 55, died May 12, 2017. Services entrusted to Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.

DVD RELEASES

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liked it

(Audience score on rottentomatoes.com)

THINGS TO COME
What happens when the life you've worked so hard to build falls apart? In *Things To Come*, Oscar nominee Isabelle Huppert, in "a career-best performance" (Jordan Hoffman, *Vanity Fair*), portrays Nathalie, a philosophy teacher juggling a rich life of the mind with the day-to-day demands of career and family, which include frequent visits to her drama queen mother, played by the legendary Edith Scob (*Eyes Without a Face*). But with the bombshell revelation that her husband of 25 years is leaving her, Nathalie finds herself adrift, but also with a newfound sense of liberation.
PG-13, 1 hr. 40 min.
Art House & International, Drama

A STREET CAT NAMED BOB
This film tells the moving and life-affirming true story of the unlikely friendship between a young homeless busker, James Bowen, and the stray ginger cat named Bob who changed his life. Based on the international bestselling book. Directed by Roger Spottiswoode. Written by John Tim Burrus, Maria.
NR, 1 hr. 43 min.
Comedy, Drama

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"I had pretty persistent pain, and I was walking with a limp," states Mark. "I could not walk long distances, and it was difficult to climb the stairs. Even a ride in the car for a long period of time was uncomfortable. Also, I really love to golf; it is my main recreational activity. It would be a big void in my life if I could not play, and the pain was affecting my enjoyment of the game."

In early 2016, Mark spoke to his primary care physician, Jose Lopez, MD, about going to an orthopedic specialist. He was referred to Sidney Martin, M.D., one of the orthopedic surgeons with OrthoMichigan in Flint. He was told both knees were in need of replacement. Mark chose to have the left knee operated on first. His surgery took place at McLaren Flint on April 20, 2016.

"Approximately six weeks later, I was playing golf again," he said. "That knee felt great but, as predicted, my other one bothered me a few weeks after I got back on the course. I decided to wait until after golf season to schedule my right knee replacement. I had it done at McLaren on November 9, 2016."

Mark is now pain free, and he was able to go on an annual golf trip with friends this spring.

"I'm pretty sure I can walk the golf course and am confident I will continue to gain even more strength in the weeks to come," adds Mark.

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