Man wearing dress exposes himself to woman

■Holly police ask for leads to identify indecent exposure suspect

By Sharon Stone sstone@tctimes.com; 810-433-6786

investigating an indecent exposure complaint and is asking the community to call if they have any information about the suspect.

The suspect was described as a white male, in his mid-50s, with a

The Holly Police Department is full head of gray hair, clean shaven, approximately 5-feet, 7-inches to 5-feet, 8-inches tall, and has a thin build and possibly blue eyes. He was last seen wearing a short blue paisley patterned dress with no underwear, See EXPOSES on 10 Suspect was last seen wearing a short blue paisley patterned dress with no underwear, women's flip flops, and his toe nails were painted blue.



Hartland man struck by two vehicles, killed

■Victim was crossing M-59 when accident occurred

By Vera Hogan vhogan@tctimes.com

John "Jack" Orrico IV, 22, of Hartland Township was killed Thursday, April 26,

while trying to cross M-59 at Cul-

len Road.

Sheriff's

According to whmi. com, deputies with the Livingston County

John Orrico IV Office were

dispatched to Highland Road (M-59) near Cullen Road at approximately 9:13 p.m. for a vehicle versus pedestrian injury accident.

A preliminary investigation indicated that a 22-yearold Hartland resident, since identified as Orrico, was See KILLED on 10

New roofs – and much more – for seniors



Pougnet headed to Steelers land

Powers graduate, Tyrone Township resident headed to Pittsburgh's rookie camp

By David Troppens

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 When the NFL draft ended, it was just the beginning of Tyrone Township resident Garrett Pougnet's journey toward living a dream.

Just about 15 minutes after the draft ended, the Grand Valley State University football standout and graduate got

a call from the Pittsburgh Steelers.

"I've been in contact with the Steelers since probably early March," Pougnet said. "My agent was on the phone back and forth with them Saturday early in the day making sure I wasn't signing any deals with any other teams because they were interested.

"It went pretty quick. After the draft ended, the Steelers called me and invited me to minicamp as a free agent. That's how it went down. It was pretty quick after the draft."

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Tyrone Township resident Garrett Pougnet celebrates a tackle during his senior season at Grand Valley See POUGNET on 13 State University



LA few days ago I stopped at a local grocery store to buy my wife a just because' bouquet of

flowers. On an impulse, I purchased a second one, gave it to the cashier and told her to have a nice day. The look on her face, and

the way she held them to her chest, made my day. I'm still glowing from the feeling. Try it sometime, you'll love it."

CThe 'typical American conservative' column by Foster Childs was a breath of fresh air. Just so you know,

the same way. Oh yeah, not a word of hate, racism, nor anything else that we're constantly accused of in it either."

almost every single per-

son that I know thinks



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What is Cinco de Mayo?

It's a bigger deal in U.S. than in Mexico

Compiled By Vera Hogan

vhogan@tctimes.com; 810-433-6823 Cinco de Mayo, or the fifth of May, is a holiday that celebrates the date of the Mexican army's 1862 victory over France at the Battle of Puebla

during the Franco-Mexican War. Cinco de Mayo 2018 occurs on Saturday, May 5. A relatively minor holiday in Mexico, in the United States Cinco de Mayo has evolved into a commemoration of Mexican culture and heritage, particularly in areas with large Mexican-American populations.

Within Mexico, Cinco de Mayo traditions include military parades, recreations of the Battle of Puebla and other festive events. For many Mexicans, however, May 5 is a day like any other: It is not a federal holiday, so offices, banks and stores remain open.

See CINCO on 10



TRI-COUNTY TIMES | TIM JAGIELO Margaritas are a typical alcoholic beverage for a Cinco de Mayo celebration.

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Judy Miracle

Mother of Joe Miracle

Linden High School Student Council members pack "Miracle Boxes" for troops overseas on Friday, April 27. These boxes contain toiletries, snacks, and more.

Linden students pack 'Miracle Boxes' for troops

■ Fifty-five boxes, with toiletries, snacks and handwritten notes, sent to troops overseas

By Hannah Ball

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Linden — Linden High School students packed 55 "Miracle Boxes" for overseas troops Friday, April 27.

The event was organized and attended by Student Council members and teacher Cheryl Heiss' class.

Desert Angels, the organization that oversees the events and sends the boxes, collected donated items such as toiletries, nonperishable food, socks, Bibles, issues of the Tri-County Times, and more to send to soldiers.

Emily Buckley, 17, Student Council president, said they had a few fundraisers for the event.

"I was really excited about it because it's another thing for the community," she said. "I wanted to work with Mrs. Heiss' class."

The boxes are called "Miracle Boxes" after an Ortonville soldier, Private First Class Joe Miracle, who was killed in Afghanistan in 2007.

His mother, Judy Miracle, attended the Friday

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event in Linden.

"It's just such an honor and it provides the soldiers the support that we want them to have. It connects them to somebody," she said. "My whole family is very involved in this. He's (Joe) the youngest of seven kids."

Roger Miracle, the cousin of Joe Miracle's dad, helped pack the boxes.

"It's really great. The kids really get involved. Once they figure out what it's all about, they really dig in and just really really love it," he said.

See 'MIRACLE BOXES' on 10









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If I Were King...

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The filthiest things you touch every day

Ithough you can't see them, they're everywhere. They're on everything you touch, everything you eat, and they even live inside of you — by the millions. What are they? They're germs and bacteria, and without them we would all die. But wait, aren't they the bad guys? Well, yes, bacterial infections kill countless people every year, but that doesn't

mean they are all inherently bad. But, better safe than sorry. So, here are the most common sources of germs in your life:

Do you use vending machines? Have



you ever seen anyone clean the push buttons on a vending machine? Me neither. Next time you gotta have some Twinkies consider this - you are probably swallowing more than just your favorite snack due to years of fellow Twinkie addicts getting their mid-morning fix.

The light switches in your home are flipped up and down with the index finger, the most used finger, by every individual in the family leaving literally thousands of bacteria on your finger. Less than 5 percent of all households have ever washed a light switch. The plate, yes. The switch, no.

Everyone uses fridge handles. So, when was the last time you gave the handles on your refrigerator a thorough cleaning? Probably never. Think how many times your kids' grubby hands open it each day.

Your trip to and from work likely consists of multiple common objects you touch daily, such as gas pumps, ATMs, parking meters, store doors and even your mailbox. And, by the way, when was the last time you washed the doorknob on your own front porch?

Ladies, your hands touch every-

thing in your purse when you are looking for something specific, yet when is the last time you cleaned the inside of your purse - or the outside, which is filthy due to setting it on bathroom stalls, dirty counters at home, the floor-**L** The door

board of your vehicle, and the latch on the counters at pret- inside of any ty much every public toilet store you have ever have made stall has very a purchase from. likely never it on a hook and been cleaned since its clean it regularly — inside original It's a fact, your installation. and outside.

cell phone is dirtier than your toilet. The reason for this is that phones are generally warm and, like a TV remote, they have dozens of tiny crevices for bacteria to hide in. Ears, lips and mouths, because they are warm, are ideal for the incubation of germs.

The door latches on the inside of any public toilet stall have very likely never been cleaned since their original installation. YUCK!

U.S. currency and your credit cards! The rule of thumb for U.S. currency is that the smaller the denomination the more bacteria there is because smaller bills change hands more often. Credit cards are often swiped by store clerks, who often handle hundreds of CCs each day. Wash your hands upon arriving home.

Never, ever use public keyboards at your public library or any other public facility. Staph and E. coli are great fans of public keyboards of any kind, including ATMs.

And finally, due to the masses of people who use them every day, nearly all businesses with shopping carts have those sterile wipes available when you walk in. There's a reason for that. Use them. Always. Opinions offered in If I Were King are the author's alone and do not neces-sarily reflect the opinion of the Tri-County Times or its staff. Email the King at king@tctimes.com. Some content adapted from the internet.

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DRIVING THROUGH FENTON last evening, I viewed three teens, two young men and a young lady, ages about 13 to 16 strolling. The girl had such skimpy shorts on that her butt cheeks were showing. What moms are OK with this kind of dress in public?

HEARD IT FROM someone at the Aldi store on Corunna Road this morning that an Aldi store is coming to Fenton.

LOCAL SENIORS ARE mad because they can't use the track, which they view as a public good? Uh oh, they are starting to sound like those socialists they don't understand and are terrified of.

WHEN A DEMOCRAT is president, deficits, debt, and spending levels matter so much to the Republican base that they're willing to don regalia from 1776 and protest in the streets. When a Republican is president, they don't have a word to say on those matters. I wonder why that is?

THANK GOD TRUMP won. Do you know Karen Turner? She's the former New Jersey Port Authority Commissioner, abuser of law enforcement, and former Hillary Clinton campaign finance manager. We would have had that potty mouth person in our politics.

I LIKE SUPPORTING the arts and cultural programs, but .96 mills is too much. How about half that? I am on a fixed income and I'm already paying high taxes.

TRUMP'S SABER RATTLING did nothing to bring about peace in Korea. Anyone who reads all the news understands the North Korean leader was summoned to China where he received his marching orders and peace broke out immediately thereafter. Now Trump and his crowd are scrambling for credit even requesting the Nobel Peace Prize when he wasn't even there.

HOW SAFE IS that colored powder people throw at runners and students at the school? Seems as if it would hurt if it got into a person's eyes.

NOTICE HOW COSMETICS and other companies show a woman without makeup. Then after she applies their product, miraculously it works wonders. Note she also has on extra makeup and her hair is fixed better in the 'after' photo.

TEN PEOPLE WERE deliberately murdered and 15 were injured by a van driver in Toronto last Monday, but of course the media doesn't cover that. Liberal media is so caught up in the fight for gun control to realize that taking guns isn't going to solve the problem. It's the people who do the murdering, not the weapon.

WOW! OUR GROUP spent five hours last Saturday to clean up for Earth Day from Donaldson Drive to Target. It looked great. One week later, it's all getting trashed again. Come on people, respect our earth.

See **HOT LINE** throughout Times



WE'RE YOUR STATE-OF-THE-ART HOME TOWN DENTAL CARE EXPERTS!

Compiled by Gracie Warda, intern

If you could change one thing about your community, what would it be?



"I'm pretty happy, I see a lot of community involvement and I think it's a decent place to live. There isn't really anything I would change."

Katelyn Rossow

Linden



"The mind set. I would like to see our neighborhood be more diverse and inclusive overall."





"The roads. There are a lot of places in Fenton with bad traffic engineering. I would like to see express lanes or a divided highway to keep things moving more smoothly."

Jon Hansard

Fenton Township



"I'd offer more things for teenagers to do. More activities would keep them out of trouble."

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"I wish it was a little more tight knit. Fenton is pretty big compared to surrounding cities, and I feel like there's a whole side that I don't know."

Cale Mitchell Tyrone Township



Kentucky Derby is first of 'Triple Crown' races

■Post time is 6:50 p.m.; Justify is 2-1 favorite

By Vera Hogan

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This Saturday marks the 144th "Run for the Roses," the Kentucky Derby at Churchhill Downs in Louisville, Kentucky. It is the first of three races in the annual Triple Crown.

The other two races are the Preakness Stakes at the Pimlico Race Course in Baltimore, Maryland, and the Belmont Stakes at Belmont Park in Elmont, New York.

A horse must win all three races to achieve the Triple Crown.

Kentucky Derby

Established in 1875, the Kentucky Derby is run annually on the first Saturday in May (May 5). It is 1.25 miles in length. The age limit for horses in the Derby is three years. The winner is given a blanket of roses, so the race is also known as the "run for the roses."

Preakness Stakes

Established in 1873, the Preakness, in its 143rd year, is traditionally run the third Saturday in May (May 19). The Preakness is 1-3/16 miles in length. The winner is covered with a blanket of blackeyed Susans.

Belmont Stakes

The Belmont Stakes is generally run on the first or second Saturday in June (June 9). The longest of the three triple crown races at 1.5 miles; It it often referred to as the "Test of the Champion." The winner of the race is given a blanket made of between 300-400 white carnations, the traditional flower of the Belmont Stakes. Established in 1867, the 150th Belmont Stakes is the oldest of the Triple Crown events.

Triple Crown winners

There have been			
12 Triple Crown winners:			
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1973	Secretariat		
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You betcha it's easy!

If you've decided to take a chance and bet on a horse or two in this year's Triple Crown races, you'll want to know how much your winning bets will give you.

To compute your \$2 win price, take the odds of your horse and multiply the first number by 2, divide that by the second number, and then add \$2 — simple as that. Following is a list of payoffs at various odds for quick reference:

For example, if you bet \$2 on a horse with 2-5 odds, multiply 2 times 2 (4), divide by 5 (.80) and add \$2, for total winnings of \$2.80.

If you bet \$5 on a horse with 10-2 odds of winning, multiply 5 times 10 (50), divide that by 2 (25) and add \$5. Your winnings for that \$5 bet would be \$30.

This applies to a "win" wager only.

Types of bets

Win-Place-Show bets

Betting on horse racing can be fun and easy. There are several different wagers offered each race,

but these are the three most basic: The first is a "win" wager. Betting a horse to win is just as fun as it sounds — the horse must win the race in order for you to win the

wager. Next, is a "place" wager. This is betting on a horse to finish in the top two. You win the wager if your horse finishes first or second.

Betting a horse to "show" means selecting a horse who you think will finish in the top 3. You win the wager if your horse finishes first, second, or third.

Because of the difficulty of a win wager, it will yield the highest payoff of these three wagers. A show wager will yield the lowest payoff but offers the greatest chance of winning.

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Facebook changes suppress content from Times

Many readers not seeing posts by Tri-County Times; be sure to check your settings

By Hannah Ball

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Facebook recently altered its algorithm to put more importance on posts from family and friends. In the past three months, Facebook users should have noticed that they're seeing fewer cooking videos from brands and more photos from their college friends.



Media outlets have recognized companies and brands as the losers in this change. Facebook has acknowledged that users' news feeds will show less content from publishers and businesses.

This includes the Tri-County Times. The Times uses Facebook to share articles, videos, shout-outs for contacts, and more. Since this change, Times' Facebook administrators have seen less interaction on posts, especially in outreaches to its reader base. Even if you "liked" the Times or follow on Facebook, there's a good chance you won't see content.

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Adoption fees waived at animal shelter for one day

Applicants must be approved to participate in free adoption day event at GCAC

By Hannah Ball

hball@tctimes.com; 810-433-6792 Adoption fees will be waived for accepted applicants wishing to adopt a pet from Genesee County Animal Control on Saturday, May 5.

The organization, Genesee County Animals in Need of Homes and Rescues, is partnering with the Bissell Pet Foundation to offer this one day of free animal adoptions at the shelter.

"We want as many, if not all, of our animals to find their perfect new families," said Amy Warner, volunteer/ events coordinator for GCAC. "All domestic animals need a home. We encourage adopting from shelters and rescues because these animals are deserving of a second chance; a healthy, safe home with an opportunity to be a part of the family. Every dog adopted saves two lives; the adopted dog, and the one we can take in when that one is adopted."

Willing participants must fill out an application. They will be accepted through May 4 at 5 p.m., and are available on the Homes and Rescues website, at GCAC, or at gc4me.com.

If you have any questions, contact Warner at (810)-732-1660 ex.8352 or awarner@co.genesee.mi.us.



TRI-COUNTY TIMES I FILE PHOTO If you've been thinking about adopting a pet, now is the time at Genesee County Animal Control.

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> **Amy Warner** Genesee County Animal Control volunteer/events coordinator

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'We feel blessed by this'

■Local non-profit puts actual roofs over the heads of seniors in need

By Tim Jagielo

tjagielo@tctimes.com; 810-433-6795 **Tyrone Twp.** — Sitting in their living room, Rick and Linda Dewar are surrounded by the sounds of construction overhead, underfoot and in the next room.

Listening to hammers, drills and boots on their roof, they sit and watch, wishing they could help. Linda, 69, has lupus and hasn't worked in 40 years. Rick, 70, is fighting cancer.

"I want to get up on the roof and watch them and help them," Linda said. Not being able to help is part of the reason they're getting a new roof, garage door opener and an improved electrical panel. "We feel blessed by this," Rick said.

This is the 12th year for Christmas in Action (CIA) in Genesee County. This all-volunteer, non-profit organization raises money throughout the year, and culminates into a single work day at the end of April, spawning several separate work sites for different people in need. The 2018 workday was

The 2018 workday was Saturday, April 28. It included projects in Tyrone Township, Parshallville and Swartz Creek.

Charlie Campanelli, president of CIA of Genesee County, said to qualify for the program, the

persons must be 65 and older and low income. They also must own their home outright. "We try to make everything safe for them to live in their homes," he said.

The overall goal is to help seniors live in, and stay in their homes. This particular project cost approximately \$7,000. The cost is low due to volunteer skilled and unskilled labor and donated materials.

At the end of the day, this couple had a new roof, garage door opener, a safe electrical panel and a tidy yard. They were referred to the program by a cancer center social worker.

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TRI-COUNTY TIMES I TIM JAGIELO The recipients of the larger improvement project are Linda and Rick Dewar of Tyrone Township. They qualified because they are both over the age of 65, own their home, and have significant medical challenges.

"How do we deserve this? It's overwhelming," Linda said, tears coming to her eyes. She acknowledged that the project would have cost thousands, and that it was only possible through the volunteers. There is usually one larger CIA

project, and a couple smaller ones. Gerald and Donna Denkhaus were the recipients of a project on a smaller-scale at their Parshallville home. "I'm tickled pink for that porch," he said.

When the project was completed, they had a new porch and deck with

steps and handicap accessible ramp and new kitchen floor.

Like most sites, there also are youth volunteers. At the Parshallville site, Boy Scouts from Flushing and volunteers from Fenton United Methodist Church helped.

> Projects like this are designed based on a five-year projection of the needs of the couple. At the Denkhaus residence, a ramp would be needed in the future, so it was part of the project.

> The goal for the projects is always health, safety and keeping seniors living in their own homes.

Local burning bans in place

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Charlie Campanelli

Christmas in Action of Genesee

County president

National Weather Service issues Red Flag Warning for most of state

By Sharon Stone

sstone@tctimes.com; 810-433-6786 The National Weather Service (NWS) issued a Red Flag Warning on Tuesday, May 1, for most of Michigan due to conditions, which include warm temperatures, strong winds and low humidity.

Fenton Fire Chief Bob Cairnduff said Fenton City does not issue burn permits in the city and is advising that no burning take place because of the fire hazard.

Cairnduff advised Tyrone Township to post a burn ban for all of Tyrone Township and this information is posted on the township's website www.tyronetownship.us. The fire chief also has posted information on the fire department's Facebook page as well as the city website, cityoffenton.org.

"The weather is supposed to turn after today with rain in the forecast for Wednesday and Thursday. Hopefully, we get some rain," Cairnduff said. "Things are getting green but there is still a lot of dead vegetation that right now burns very easily."

Tyrone Township has made changes to the rules on burning grass and leaves in their township. Residents who wish to burn must obtain a burn permit from the township. Permits cost \$5 and are good for one calendar year. For details, visit www. tyronetownship.us.

Contact your local municipal office for information about your community.

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Donna Anderson

Fenton resident



The latest on DNA testing Over the years, I have seen many changes in the law.

I won't attempt to list them all here, but not surprisingly one that stands out is the almost "speed of light" (for me) advances that have been made in science and technology which have not gone unnoticed by the law. This is generally referred to as "forensic science."

A simple definition of this term is that it is the application of sciences such as physics, chemistry, biology, computer science and engineering to the law.

One of the most rapidly developing aspects of forensic science has been DNA comparison testing for identification purposes in criminal investigations.

DNA is shorthand for "deoxyribonucleic acid" and is the hereditary material in humans and almost all other organisms. Everyone's DNA is different except for identical twins.

Without going into the science, DNA comparison testing involves comparing a biological sample from an unknown individual with one from a known individual. When there is a match, the reliability factor is virtually 100 percent.

DNA testing has been in the news recently with the arrest of a man who may be the so-called "Golden State Killer" and is alleged to have killed 12 people and raped 45 women in California between 1976 and 1986.

Over the years, the case remained unsolved (although the police had the suspect's DNA) because no direct matches were able to be made from known DNA samples.

Fast forwarding to recent times, there are numerous television commercials and other ads touting how you can (for a modest fee) learn about your ancestry by sending a swab sample to a genetic testing company. In the Golden State Killer Case, one of his relatives had done just that, and a family DNA match was made. Combined with some good old-fashioned police work, the suspect was identified.

This method is not without controversy and privacy advocates maintain that it turns family members into genetic informants without their knowledge or consent.

California is one of 11 states (including Michigan) which allow and regulate the practice with Maryland and the District of Columbia having outright bans.

This promises to be a rapidly developing area in the law.

The magic returns to The Capitol Theatre

Upcoming 'soft opening' performances include shows in May and June

By Sally Rummel news@tctimes.com; 810-629-8282

Tri-county area residents can now experience the magic of live theatre in a majestic historic building just beginning to bloom this spring with several "soft opening" events.

The Capitol Theatre building in downtown Flint, recently restored to its 1937 glory with a \$24 million restoration project, has three upcoming events in May and June.

The Unni Boksasp Ensemble will have a public performance on Thursday, May 3 at 7:30 p.m. Unni Boksasp is Norwegian singer who has earned wide acclaim in her own country for the purity of her voice, her fresh arrangements of folk songs and original compositions and her ability to connect with her audience.

Tickets are \$10 and available by visiting

thewhiting.com to buy online or by calling (810) 237-7333. Dan Zanes and Claudia

Eliaza: Night Train 57, will perform a sensoryfriendly folk opera for all ages on Friday, May 11 at 7:30 p.m. This hour-long musical combines folk music, slapstick, video projections and puppetry to highlight the power of

community, imagination, participation and belief in the best of life's possibilities.

Tickets are \$10 and available by visiting thewhiting.com to buy online or by calling (810) 237-7333.

After sold-out performances in Detroit, Ann Arbor, East Lansing, Grand Rapids an Kalamazoo, The Moth Mainstage comes to Flint for the very first time on Thursday, June 7 at 7:30 p.m.



I-75 EXIT RAMP WORK SLATED FOR THIS WEEKEND

Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) will be closing ramps at I-75 and Holly Road this weekend to finish the project that was started last year. Finishing work includes restoration, cleanup and tree planting. To complete this work, the northbound I-75 exit ramp to Holly Road will be closed at approximately 6 a.m., Saturday, May 5. Message boards will be set up to let traffic know the ramp is closed. The ramp should reopen by 9 p.m., Saturday, May 5. On Sunday, May 6, the entrance ramp from southbound Holly Road to northbound I-75 will be closed at approximately 6 a.m. and then reopen around 9 p.m. Both ramp closures are weather dependent. Final pavement markings will be completed at a later date.

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The Capitol Theatre in downtown Flint was completed in December 2017. It has gradually added programming, managed by The Whiting.

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These shows are com-

ing on the heels of several productions that took place in March and April, after the theatre's ribbon-cutting on Dec. 7, 2017.

The restoration of The Capitol Theatre began in July 2016 with funding made possible by the C.S. Mott Foundation, The Hagerman Foundation and the Michigan Strategic Fund. It had been vacant since 1996.

The theatre's programming and operations are being handled by The Whiting in Flint, and will complement, not compete with, the cultural offerings provided at The Whiting Auditorium.

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Three finalists in Shiawassee beer and wine name contest

Each vote

is only \$1 and

participants may

vote as often as

they would like. 77

David Lossing

Shiawassee River Water Trail

Coalition chair

Vote online at

shiawasseeriver.org

By Hannah Ball

hball@tctimes.com; 810-433-6792 The next phase of naming the official beer and wine of the Shiawassee River has begun.

In early April, the Shiawassee River Water Trail Coalition partnered with

Fenton Winery and Brewery to create the official beer and wine of the Shiawassee River. To name the drinks, the coalition held a competition so members of the community could send in suggestions and ideas.

The finalists have been chosen. They have been posted on shiawasseeriver.org, where anyone can vote for their favorite names.

Chair of the coalition, David Lossing, said, "Each vote is only \$1 and participants may vote as often as they would like. This unique fundraising effort will help promote the efforts of the Shiawassee River Water Trail Coalition."

Finalists for beer names are "Water Trail Ale," "Shiawassee Shenanigans," and "Shiawassee Shandy."

Finalists for wine names are "Winding River Wine," "Shia River Wine," and "River Treasure." Fenton Winery and Brewery (FWB) will produce the beer and wine. Owners of FWB, Matt and Ginny Sherow, agreed to donate 10 percent of the proceeds from the sale of the beer and wine to the coalition. "We've not yet set a deadline, but

May 30th is our volunteer day at FWB to help make the craft beer. Participants can show up anytime between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to lend a hand. That part

> stand how it's made," Lossing said. The winner of the craft beer will receive a growler while the winner of the wine will receive a bottle of wine, purchased by Lossing

should be fun to under-

himself. This contest is also

to help spread awareness about the efforts to designate the Shiawassee River a National Water Trail. The coalition, made up of 19 organizations from Holly to Chesaning, applied April 2017 to have the Shiawassee River named a National Water Trail by the U.S. National Park Service. The application is currently in the interagency federal review, and the next potential step is official approval by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of the Interior.



BULLITT IS BACK!

Ford Motor Co. replicates Mustang made famous in 1968 Steve McQueen movie

A LOOK BACK

at **1968**

By Vera Hogan

vhogan@tctimes.com; 810-433-6823 Today the car is estimated to be worth at least \$4 million, but the owner of "Bullitt," the Ford Mustang made famous is the 1968

Steve McQueen movie is not about to sell. The movie is a thriller that includes one of the most famous car chases ever filmed. In a brief synopsis of the plot, Senator Walter Chalmers (played by Robert Vaughn) is aiming to take down mob boss Pete Ross (played by Vic Tayback) with the help of testimony from the criminal's hothead brother

Johnny (played by Pat Renella). Johnny is in protective custody in San Francisco under the watch of police Lt. Frank Bullitt (played by McQueen). When a pair of mob hit men enter the scene, Bullitt follows their trail through a maze of complications and double-crosses.

Two Mustangs and two Dodge Chargers were used for the famous chase scene. Both Mustangs were owned by the Ford Motor Company and part of a promotional loan agreement with Warner Brothers. Both of the Dodges were junked after the filming, MEDIA.FORD.COM The new version of the Ford Mustang salutes the 1968 movie car with an effortlessly cool appearance.

as was one of the Mustangs. The other less banged-up Mustang was purchased by a Warner Brothers employee, after all production and post-production was completed.

The car ended up in New Jersey a few years later, where McQueen attempted to buy it. The owner refused to sell, and the car now sits in a barn, and has not been driven until this year when it was used by Ford to promote the 2018 "Bullitt" Mustang when revealed at the Detroit international auto show in January.

According to freep.com, the owner, Sean Kiernan, and his family kept its most prized possession a secret. Now the secret is out, but it's not leaving the family.

Kiernan's dad bought the car driven by McQueen in the movie for \$3,000 to \$6,000 via a classified ad from Road & Track magazine in 1974. The family never talked publicly about it.

The car, a 1968 Mustang Fastback, emerged ahead of the 2018 North American International Auto Show.

Kiernan said he was never able to say the word "Bullitt" in front of anyone outside of his family. He instead called it the "green car," or the "b-word." He did, however reach out to Ford as the movie's 50th anniversary neared. The car needed to be seen, he said.

Sources: Imbd.com; freep.com



Steve McQueen, who died in 1980, tried to buy "Bullitt" a few years after the movie came out, but the owner refused to sell.

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Life insurance brings peace of mind

Loved ones will appreciate not having to worry over finances when you're gone

By Vera Hogan

vhogan@tctimes.com; 810-433-6823 It's not pleasant to think about dying and what will happen to your family after you're gone, but doing so and making some smart decisions now could make a world of difference.

Life insurance is a fundamental part of having a sound financial plan. Depending on your type of policy, life insurance can be inexpensive.

If your loved ones depend on your financial support for their livelihood, then life insurance is a must, because it replaces your income when you die. This is especially important for parents of young children or adults who would find it difficult to sustain their standard of living

if they no longer had access to the income provided by their partner.

Kelly Dues, operations manager for Peabody Insurance Agency in Fenton said, "The younger you are the smarter it is to get a life insurance policy. The premiums are lower and your health is better.

"Most people start think about getting a policy when they start a family or have

college debt to protect family from," she said.

Families can do their children a huge service by getting them policies right away.

"I got policies for my kids and grandkids as soon as they were born," Dues said.

Most younger people start out with a \$25,000 to \$50,000 policy and, as they get older, add more to it. For example, start with a \$25,000 to \$50,000 policy. When they turn 25 add some more, and later add more limit to that policy.

"You'll pay the same rate as when you first wrote it," Dues said.

Although Dues still holds the policies for her kids, she said others could choose to sign them over and let the adult children make the payments.

"It's awesome when employees are offered life insurance benefits by their employers," she said.

However, such a policy is not portable, she said. When you leave the company, the policy ends. "Having one that you own goes with you wherever you go," Dues said.

"We write with Auto Owners (Insurance) so if you have your home, auto and life, the rates are unbelievably low," Dues said. "People should be looking at this now.

The average price paid per month for life depends on a person's age and health, and if they are a smoker or non-smoker.

"I have a \$100,000 policy, have had it for 15 years, and pay \$11 a month," Dues said.

With a "term policy," you are choosing how long you wish to be insured, whether that's 10, 20 or 30 years or longer. People use "whole life" policies more like a savings account. The premiums with a whole life policy are higher, but they can be used like a savings account, Dues said.

Other reasons life insurance policies are beneficial:

To leave an inheritance

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Kelly Dues

Peabody Insurance Agency

operations manager

expenses In addition to providing income to cover everyday living expenses, your family needs insurance to cover any outstanding debts, like

the mortgage, credit cards and car loans. Other expenses include funeral and burial costs that can easily run into the tens of thousands of dollars.

To add more financial security

Like most parents you probably want to know your kids will be well taken care of when you're gone. You not only want them to get a quality college education, but to provide for other life ventures like getting married or starting a business. For this reason, additional coverage is absolutely essential while your kids are still at home. **To bring peace of mind**

We can't know when we'll pass away. It could be today, tomorrow or 50 years from now, but it will happen eventually. No amount of money could ever replace a person. But more than anything, life insurance can help provide protection for the uncertainties in life. Without a doubt, having life insurance coverage will bring you and your family peace of mind.

Source: payoff.com

HOT LINE CONTINUED

ABOUT THE ELDERLY gentleman who picks up trash and sweeps up dirt along the streets — I saw him yesterday and shook his hand in appreciation for what he's been doing. He said the cops came and told him he had to quit doing it. He said he just did it to keep himself busy.

JUST WONDERING HOW safe is it for anyone to inhale the powder thrown at races? Or how about all the people in Flint drinking water out of plastic bottles that were sitting in the sun or sweltering semis?

EVERYONE PUTS THEIR foot in their mouth every day. It's called life.

SO MY DOG, who is a loved member of the family, wanders off and this entitles you to run him down and just keep going? Do the same rules apply to kids, elderly, etc? What a lame response putting it on the owner when you don't know the circumstance. The humane thing to do is stop and check on the animal.

ALL THE WHILE Fox is singing Trump's praises, the old Chinese proverb remains, 'Things change but stay the same.' If North Korea is attacked, China will back them 100 percent. Still think Kim was shaking in his boots?

TREASON WITH THE Russians?

BECAUSE PAST PRESIDENTS had indiscretions, that makes it OK for Trump's infidelity? Even if he wasn't a politician yet? That makes no sense.

YES, THE MEDIA controls the news, but good Lord, it doesn't control my mind. Give me a break.



J Douglas Mercer Ins Agcy Inc Doug Mercer, Agent 2813 Silver Lake Road Fenton, MI 48430 Bus: 810-714-0370 MICHIGAN VOTES LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

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, April 27.

Senate Bill 601: Authorize school safety spending

To appropriate \$18.6 million for various purposes related to school and student safety. This includes \$15 million in school safety grants, \$3 million for a school "panic button app" emergency notification system, and \$650,000 for a student safety hotline.

Passed 35 to 0 in the Senate

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House Bill 5531: Expel students who commit sex crimes

To expand the law requiring the mandatory suspension or expulsion of pupils for certain violence or weapons offenses, so it also requires schools to expel a student guilty of committing criminal sexual conduct against another student.

Passed 35 to 0 in the Senate

Sen. David Robertson (R-Dist. 14)	🔀 YES
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TRI-COUNTY TIMES I SUBMITTED PHOTO M-59 was shut down for about three hours during the investigation.

KILLED

Continued from Front Page crossing Highland Road when he was

struck by two separate eastbound vehicles. The first was a 2005 Chevrolet Silverado operated by a 47-year-old Milford resident. He was then struck by the second vehicle, a 2002 Dodge Caravan operated by a 23-year-old Fenton resident.

Orrico was pronounced deceased at the scene by Livingston County EMS. The drivers of both vehicles were not injured. Highland Road was closed for approximately three hours during the investigation.

Speed and alcohol use do not appear to be a factor in the crash, which remains under investigation by the Livingston County Sheriff's Office.

According to Orrico's obituary, he was

born Dec. 29, 1995, in Royal Oak, the son of John R. III and Kari S. (Browning) Orrico. He lived most of his life in Hartland, graduated from Hartland High School in 2014 and was a partner of Rhino Softwash. He enjoyed football, hockey and golf. He is survived by his parents, and sister, Katelin, and many more loving family members.

Orrico was a member of St. John Catholic Church, 2099 Hacker Road, Howell where a Mass of Christian Burial will be held Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 11 a.m. (in-state 10 to 11 a.m.). Visitation will be, May 2, from 2 to 8 p.m., with a scripture service at 7 p.m. at MacDonald's Funeral Home, Howell.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project.



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EXPOSES

Continued from Front Page women's flip flops and his toe nails were painted blue.

On April 19, an officer was dispatched to a car wash on North Holly Road to investigate the complaint. The officer spoke with the 23-yearold complainant who said she was vacuuming and cleaning out her vehicle at the car wash. She said a vehicle, an older silver SUV, pulled up on the other side of the vacuum island and a man wearing a short dress got out of the SUV and asked her for a cigarette and a lighter. She said that she gave him one and went back to vacuuming out her vehicle.

When she turned off the vacuum, the man came back over to her and began asking her about her toes. She said he had asked her if she was wearing toenail polish and told her, "I bet you have really pretty toes."

The woman said the man asked her if he could see her toes and she told him no, that she was wearing tennis shoes. She said he had asked her several times about her toes.

The woman then reported she walked to the dumpster to put trash into it and when she turned around, the man was standing by his vehicle, bent over at the waist, exposing his buttocks in her direction. She said he continued bending over until his buttocks and genitalia were completely exposed to her. She said that the man was looking back at her when he did this.

Shocked, she told the officer she could not believe what was going on. The man then got into his vehicle and drove in an unknown direction.

The woman told police that the man's passenger door was open during the encounter and she could see two or three pairs of women's flip flops in the vehicle on the passenger floor.

Anyone with information is asked to call Holly police at (248) 634-8221.

'MIRACLE BOXES' Continued from Page 3

Roger, who's a veteran and a member of the Linden American Legion Post 119, encouraged the students to write handwritten letters

SUMMARY Linden Student Council and the class of Cheryl Heiss helped back 55 boxes for troops overseas.

to the soldiers to put in the boxes. "It's more personal and they can actually see that someone took the time to write that. Sometimes the kids

write really nice things, nicer than I can think of," he said. "The soldiers pin them up in their barracks or where ever they are, and read them over and over."



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FENTON MAN FLEES AFTER DOMESTIC CALL IN FENTON

At 9:30 p.m. on April 27, Fenton police responded to a domestic disturbance call at an apartment on Poplar Street. Upon arrival, police made contact with the suspect, a 25-year-old Fenton man. A computer check revealed he was a parole absconder for dangerous drugs from Wisconsin. When the man heard the dispatcher tell the officer this, he fled the scene on foot. The officer ordered him to stop, however, a quarter-mile foot chase ensued. The man was taken into custody and lodged at the Genesee County Jail, pending extradition to Wisconsin. The man faces pending charges for resisting and obstructing justice in Fenton.

FENTON POLICE ARREST FLUSHING TEEN FOR POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA

At 7:40 p.m. on April 28, a Fenton police officer initiated a traffic stop to a vehicle on Alloy Drive for an equipment violation. The officer made contact with the driver, an 18-year-old Flushing resident. The officer asked the driver if he had any illegal drugs in the car. The driver said he was unsure. A voluntary search of the vehicle produced a small bag of marijuana. The teen was arrested, processed and issued a court appearance ticket for possession of marijuana.

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Chicano activists raised awareness of the holiday in the 1960s, in part because they identified with the victory of indigenous Mexicans (such as Juárez) over European invaders during the Battle of Puebla.

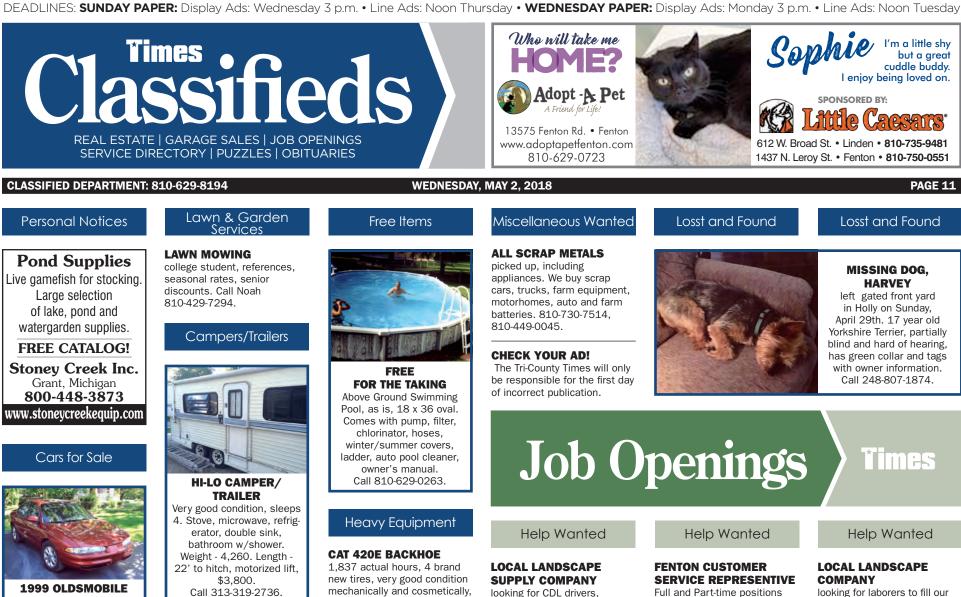
Today, revelers mark the occasion with parades, parties, mariachi music, Mexican folk dancing and traditional foods such as tacos and mole poblano. Some of the largest festivals are held in Los Angeles, Chicago and Houston.

Many people outside Mexico mistakenly believe that Cinco de Mayo is a celebration of Mexican independence, which was declared more than 50 years before the Battle of Puebla.

Independence Day in Mexico is commemorated on Sept. 16, the anniversary of the revolutionary priest Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla's famous "Grito de Dolores" ("Cry of Dolores"), a call to arms that amounted to a declaration of war against the Spanish colonial government in 1810.

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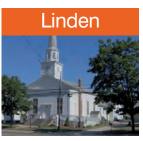
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TRI-COUNTY TIMES I submitted photo Linden's Liz Rakowski proudly displays the softball she collected her 200th career varsity hit with on Saturday.

Eagles soar to four recent wins Rakowski collects milestone 200th career hit

By David Troppens

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The Linden varsity softball team is starting to put together a run of strong contests.

And in the process, it has earned the Eagles a tournament championship and earned Liz Rakowski her milestone 200th career varsity softball hit.

The Eagles (12-5 overall) captured the Claire Tournament for the second time in three years and also swept Kearsley in a Metro League doubleheader on Monday, giving the squad a five-game winning streak.

The Eagles won the Claire Tournament by defeating Ludington 17-0 and Claire 9-7. They beat Kearsley 9-3 and 12-9.

"When Creek got us here, the wind was blowing in and that fell into their game plan. Plus, we were still figuring out who we were," Linden varsity softball coach Gordon Jamison said. "This weekend things started to fall into place and the girls are figuring out their roles. Our infield is completely new from last year. It's taken a little bit of time to get them to get a good feel for each other, now they do."

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ETigers sweep Hartland, earn split vs. Kearsley

By David Troppens

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Fenton — The Fenton Tigers needed to find a way to get a key hit against the Brandon Blackhawks in varsity baseball action on Monday.

After struggling trying to find the key hit in both games, the Tigers finally figured a way to get a clutch run in the bottom of the seventh inning of the second game.

They used the hit-by-pitch.

With the bases loaded in a tie game, Logan Benson was hit by a pitch, breaking a 1-1 tie, earning the Tigers a 2-1 victory and a split of the Monday twinbill.

The Tigers lost the opening game 9-4. However, the Tigers had a successful weekend, sweeping the Hartland Eagles.

- The Tigers' seventh in the second game was set up all by walks and hit batters. Logan Welch and David Pietryga were walked and Nolan Lawrence and Benson were hit by pitches.

Fenton began the game with the Tigers' only run-producing hit of the twinbill when Lawrence hit a solo home run, giving the Tigers the 1-0 lead. The lead held until Brandon got an RBI-double in the fourth inning, tying the game up at 1-all.

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Holly's tennis machine continues on

Bronchos have big goals for rest of season

By David Troppens dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789

For those who follow the Holly varsity girls tennis team and they think you recognize a lot of this season's faces on the squad, there's a good reason you think that way.

That's because a lot of the girls are back.

The Bronchos' starting lineup includes 10 players who earned at least honorable mention allleague status a year ago, meaning this season is about as experienced as Holly could hope for. And considering the Bronchos crushed the Metro League a season ago a year younger with all of these players, the league is probably pretty concerned about their chances of breaking Holly's stranglehold for the top of the Metro mountain this season.

Pretty much, one can almost as-

sume the rest of the league doesn't have much of a chance. And the Bronchos are showing that to be the case so far this season.

Holly has yet to lose a set against a Metro League foe in three duals this season, recently defeating the Fenton Tigers 8-0. That victory was so convincing that Holly won six of the flights by 6-0, 6-0 scores, and overall only lost seven games, not losing a set the entire match. But this isn't a matter of picking on Fenton. Holly did even better against Kearsley, winning five of the eight matches 6-0, 6-0, and only losing four games all day long. When Holly faced Clio, the Lady Mustangs weren't any more successful either.

"This year we have quite a few seniors. We only lost two last year," said senior Nicole Johnson. **Continued at**

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Holly's Makenzi Sells returns a ball during a recent match.

Blue Devils headed to Greater Flint Invitational semifinal

By David Troppens dtroppens@tctimes.com

The Lake Fenton varsity baseball team has had its share of success in the Tom Cole Greater Flint Baseball Tournament in recent years.

Two years ago, the Blue Devils won the event. Last year, the Blue Devils lost in the final.

The Blue Devils are repeating their success this season.

Lake Fenton scored two runs in the bottom of the seventh inning, earning a 6-5 victory against Frankenmuth in the quarterfinal round of the Division 2 tournament on Saturday. Lake Fenton travels to Whaley Park to face Goodrich in the semifinals on Friday at 7 p.m.

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TRI-COUNTY TIMES david troppens Lake Fenton's Cody Schramm swings at a pitch in a recent contest.

Tigers win a thriller vs. Linden Eagles, 3-2

By David Troppens

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 **Fenton** — Chloe Wagner is given one order from Fenton varsity girls soccer coach Matt Sullivan when she plays at forward. She followed it and earned the

She followed it and earned the Tigers a 3-2 win against the Linden Eagles on Monday night.

Chloe Wagner scored a goal on nice shot from 20 yards out, giving the Tigers a 3-1 lead with 4:55 remaining in the contest. The insurance goal ended up becoming the game-winning goal when Linden's Erica Breitling scored a goal just 33 seconds later, cutting the Tigers' lead to just one.

From there, Linden fought to get the game-tying goal, but were unable to do so, earning the Tigers the win and keeping Fenton on top of the Metro standings at 4-0-0.

"It was a moment. I saw it and I took it," Wagner said. "It was a moment for me and a moment for my team. I was happy. "Sully tells me to be a selfish player when I'm up at forward, so you have to take every shot you can. That's what I did there."

Due to Linden injuries, the game featured a pretty experienced Fenton squad against an inexperienced Linden team that was forced to dip into its JV team just to field a complete squad. The Eagles performed well con-

sidering the circumstances.

The Tigers took the lead early on a Margaret Berry goal to the farside top corner of the goal, giving the Tigers the lead. Linden tied



TRI-COUNTY TIMES I mark bolen Fenton's Abbey Lee (left) battles Erica Breitling for the ball in the Tigers' 3-2 win on Monday.

it up off a corner kick with 24:30 left in the second half on a header shot by Aubre Moffatt in a battle for the ball in front of the net.

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Pougnet

Continued from Front Page He said what happened didn't hit him until later on that day.

"It hit me about a half-hour after the phone call. Everyone was more pumped up than me at first," Pougnet said. "But after I told them I was able to sit back, take it in and I am very grateful for the opportunity. I've been training since January getting my body ready to go. It was definitely a relief to have a place to go. Saturday night was a great feeling."

The tri-county area is making a habit of having players getting tryouts with NFL teams recently. Last year, Fenton graduates Kenny Allen (Baltimore Ravens) and Mitchell Shegos (Cleveland Browns) were part of NFL rookie camps as undrafted free agents. Allen actually did some punting and kicking in preseason games before being released. However, a few months later he was signed by the Canadian Football League's Hamilton TigerCats, finishing the season as the team's starting kicker.

Pougnet will be going to Pittsburgh with the mindset of being a linebacker, but those decisions can change once camps begin. While at Grand Valley State, he began his career at safety and eventually moved to linebacker. He made people take notice of him during Grand Valley State's pro day. He ran a 4.55 40-yard dash. Other teams that were interested in Pougnet entering the draft were the Detroit Lions and the Cleveland Browns.

"It went really well for me," Pougnet said about the pro day.

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Area track teams do well at large Brighton Invitational field

By David Troppens

dtroppens@tctimes.com; 810-433-6789 The Brighton Bulldog Invitational had 30 teams of over 1,000 athletes competing in events on Saturday.

Many were from Division 1 schools.

Yet, three area tri-county schools were able to make an impression at the meet. Linden, Fenton and Lake Fenton each had boys or girls participants earn top-eight individual performances at the event, while two relays earned top-three efforts.

The area posted three meet champions, all from Fenton. Chanse Setzke took the top spot in the boys long jump with a leap of 21-0 1/2, while Alexa Keiser led the women in the 3,200 run (11:08.34). The Tigers also had a team in the freshman/sophomore 800 relay, and the team of Blake Marchi, Noah Sage, Jaden Lainesse and Dylan Minock earned first (1:37.25).

"Yes, we had a nice day Saturday," Fenton boys track coach Anthony McMillan said.

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Eagles move on in Flint tournament

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There is no doubt the pitching staff is the strength of Linden's varsity baseball team.

The Eagles proved that again by beat-Baseball Tournament contest on Friday.

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Alexa Keiser (front) took first in the 3,200 run at Brighton. Abbey Lee is the runner behind her. She took 10th.

leading the Eagles to a 2-0 victory against

Klocek needed 95 pitches to the com-

plete-game, seven-inning contest. He

tory in the opening game. Some of the

big run-producing hits of the inning

were a Hailee Prater two-run double, a Natalie Thomas two-run single, a two-

run double by Sara Eisenbeis and a two-

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run single by Abby Skinner.

walked just one and struck out 10.

Travis Klocek pitched a two-hitter,

ing the Lapeer Lightning in a Greater Flint

Continued at tCtiMeS.CoM Fenton softball crushes Kearsley in DH sweep

Lapeer.

The Fenton varsity softball team brought out its bats against Ortonville-Brandon on Monday, sweeping a doubleheader by scoring 39 runs.

The Tigers won the opener 22-12 and then won the nightcap 17-2.

A 12-run first set up the Tigers' vic-

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BOYS GOLF

Fenton 180, Kearsley 203: Dylan Conte and Mitchell Chopp earned match medalist honors by shooting 43s. Braden Lapa carded a 45 while Edward Farrell shot a 49

Swartz Creek 171, Holly 191: Noah Rooker led the Bronchos with a 44 at Genesee Valley Country Club. Matt Roller shot a 46 while Ethan Postma had a 49. Royce Pucher carded a 52.

GIRLS SOCCER

Fenton 1, DeWitt 1: Lauren Murphy scored with 15 minutes left in the game on a Lucy Foguth cross. However, DeWitt tied the game 30 seconds later. Lauren Koscienliak made 13 saves in net

SOFTBALL

Holly vs. Clio: The Bronchos split a pair of games, losing the first 4-1 but winning the second 12-4.

In the opener, Madison Beesley had two hits and Jillian Cohoon plated the team's only run. Beesley struck out eight in the loss on the mound.

In the second game, Maika Hogart and Aubrey Jenkinson (three RBI) had three hits each while Beesley, Marissa Beck and Grace Fromm had two hits each.

Beck was the winning pitcher, striking out five over six innings.

Lake Fenton vs. Corunna: The Blue Devils scored five runs in the third inning, earning the easy win. The offense was paced by Kalani Lau and Kaylie

Terburgh who had three hits each. Allie Postal also had a solo home run in the fourth inning. On the mound, Taylor Godlewski pitched seven innings of six-hit, one-walk ball, striking out four. BASEBALL

Linden vs. Kearsley: The Eagles' bats had a big day, sweeping Kearsley 20-1 and 9-5

In the opening game the Eagles had 24 hits in just 40 at bats. Carson Mabe (three RBI) and Drake McLaughlin (two RBI) had four hits each while Corbin Sines, Zach Horst (five RBI), Nick Koan, and Hunter Babcock had three hits each. Horst hit a three-run home run

during the Eagles' eight-run second. On the mound, Blake Smiecinski pitched the first two innings of shutout ball and Ben King relieved with three innings of one-run ball.

In the second game, Linden scored four runs in the top of the seventh to break a 5-5 tie and earn the win. Mabe, and Dylan Frazee had two hits each, leading the offense. Rory Shadduck pitched 5 2/3 innings of two-run relief, earning the win.

Lake Fenton vs. Corunna: The Blue Devils lost two games, 7-1 and 4-1. Bryson Nugent and Cam Williams had two hits each to pace the Blue Devils' offense in the opening game. In the second game, Andy Lyons had two hits including a solo home run, tying the game at 1-all at the time.

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Fenton tennis defeats **Brandon Blackhawks**

The start of the spring was a challenge to get matches in for the Fenton varsity girls tennis team.

It hasn't been recently, as Fenton has taken advantage of the recent good weather and have now finished four league duals.

Holly soccer's offense explodes vs. Kearsley

Holly was concerned about finding its offense when the varsity girls soccer squad lost a recent game to Linden 2-0. The Bronchos apparently found it on

Monday. Holly crushed Kearsley 8-0 in Metro

League action on Monday.



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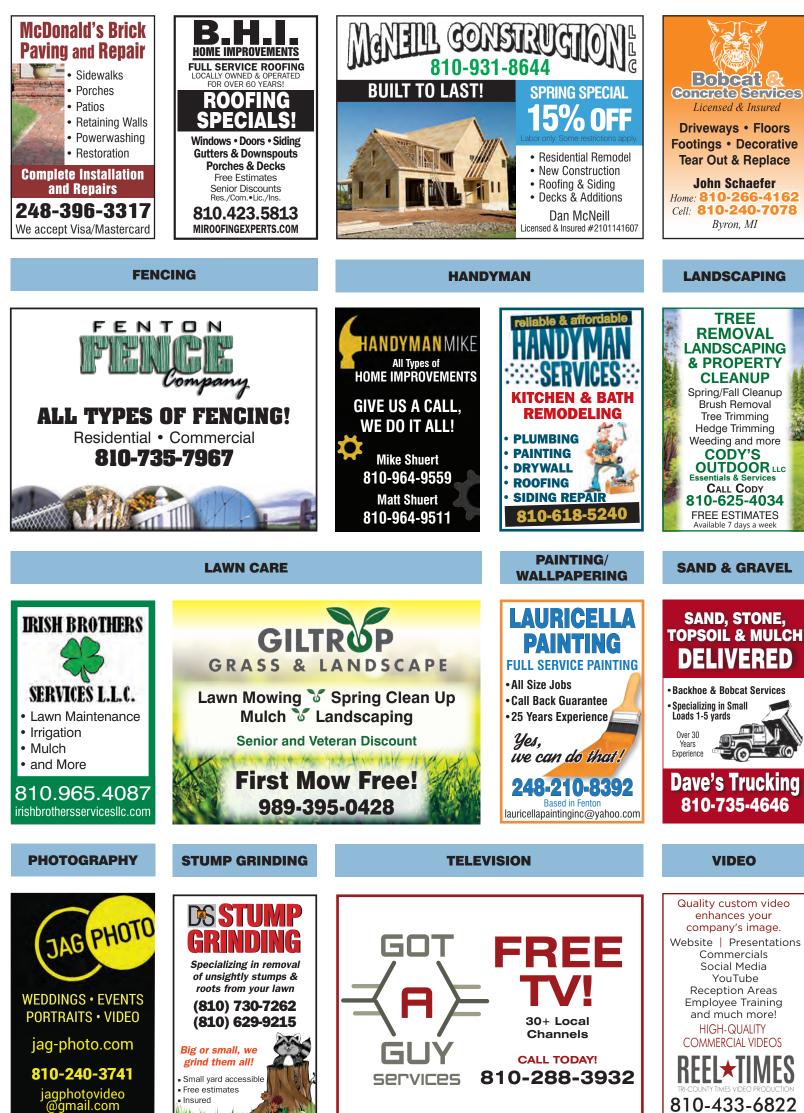


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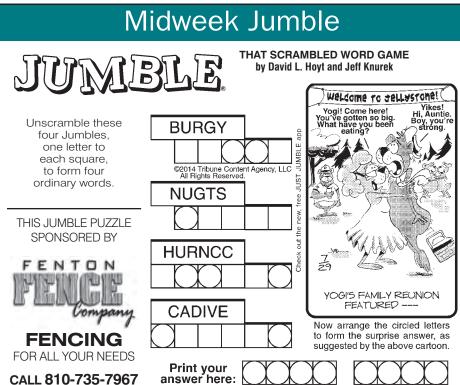
CONCRETE

Ronald P. Rummel 1956-2018

Ronald P. Rummel - age 61 of Holly, formerly of Saginaw and Fenton, passed away at his home surrounded by his loving family on April 30, 2018. He was born June 5, 1956 in Saginaw to the late Arnie and Elaine (Nelson) Rummel and graduated from Arthur Hill High School in Saginaw and Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant. He loved his days on the gridiron, and was proud to be part of the 1973 Arthur Hill State Championship Team which was undefeated and unscored-upon, and then the 1974 CMU National Championship Football Team. Ron lived his life and loved his family beyond measure. His wife and three daughters were his world! He followed the golden rule of treating others the way they would want to be treated. Ron touched so many with his smile, his laugh and a joke. He loved the Lord and always had a kind word for others. Ron made everyone feel special and would light up the room when he entered it. He truly was one of a kind. He and the former Alison Burak were married for 29 years and have three beautiful daughters, Chelsea, Kaja and Hannah. Ron loved his brother, Rick (Nancy) Rummel; and sister, Nancy (Jim) Jones. His nieces and nephews and other relatives always made him smile. Visitation is from 3-5 PM and 6-8 PM on Friday, May 4, 2018 at Transfiguration Lutheran Church, 14176 N. Fenton Road, Fenton. A Memorial Service will be conducted at 11 AM on Saturday. May 5, 2018 at Transfiguration Lutheran Church. Memorials may be made to the church.







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ARIES

Aries, take a step back and analyze your current situation before making any other moves. You may be barking up the wrong tree, and you will need a new approach.

TAURUS Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, there may be many things you wish to say to someone special, but you just do not know how to find the words. You can convey much more through actions.

GEMINI May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, if you have your hand in three or more projects, you may need to step back. It's hard to devote your full attention to each task when you're juggling so much at once.

CANCER Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, it is good to have a sense of humor, and you may need a little extra patience at work this week. When times get tough, surround yourself with lighthearted people

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