

Arrest made in armed robbery

■ Fenton detectives credited for solving online sales transaction gone bad

By Sharon Stone

Fenton police have made an arrest in connection with an armed robbery, which was reported Dec. 5. Fenton detectives Scott

Townsend and Dale Rauch are credited with solving the case and locating the suspect.

Ward Alvin Goodnight III, 22, of Pontiac, was arrested Dec.



Ward Alvin Goodnight III

29, 2019 and was lodged at the Genesee County Jail. He was arraigned Thursday, Jan. 2 and charged with one count of armed robbery and one count of felony firearm.

Armed robbery carries a prison term of life or any term of

years in prison. Felony firearm is a two-year felony.

Cross said a 23-year-old Holly man agreed to meet an unknown buyer, later identified as Goodnight, for his PlayStation 4 in the parking lot of a big box store in

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No cause for last week's train stoppage

■ CN representative says initial investigation inconclusive on why train sections disconnected

By Sharon Stone

Fenton — A representative for CN Rail said Monday, Dec. 30 that the rail company did not have an explanation yet as to why an eastbound CN train disconnected in Fenton during the afternoon of Friday, Dec. 27. If a cause is discovered, CN would release their findings.

Alexandre Boulé, senior advisor of media relations and public affairs for CN, said no cause was found and that the company apologizes for any inconvenience the stoppage created.

See TRAIN on 12

See you on the slopes



As many as 2,000 skiers will take to one of the several ski areas of Mt. Holly Ski and Snowboard Resort during a busier weekday. On Thursday, Jan. 2, some skied in shorts due to the 40-degree weather. Much of the snow was created by the array of snow guns around the resort. **See story on Page 11. Photo: Tim Jagielo**

Truck driver dies from Dec. 18 crash

■ Case to be sent to Oakland County prosecutor

By Sharon Stone

Roger David Thomas, 66, of Burton died Sunday, Dec. 29, 2019 as a result of injuries sustained in a Dec. 18, 2019 crash on Dixie Highway near East Holly Road in Springfield Township.

Thomas was operating a gravel hauler southbound on Dixie Highway when a 2016 GMC Acadia, driven by a 66-year-old Springfield Township man, pulled off a side street and in front of Thomas' gravel hauler.

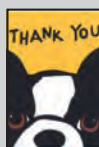
According to the Oakland County Sheriff's Office, he unsuccessfully attempted

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“Vera Hogan's Dec. 29, 2019 'Just sayin' is the most profound article that I have read. I share her longing for a time when civility reigned and we could agree to disagree. We can only hope that the Times readers take her message to heart. Here's to a more peaceful and civil 2020.”

“Can we please get an article about getting off social media? People really get sucked in, waste a lot of time and forget to worry about real life.”



COMMENT
OF THE WEEK

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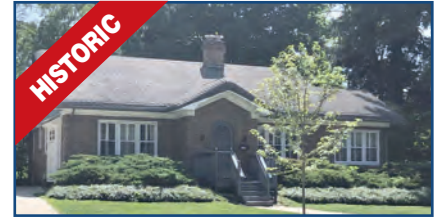
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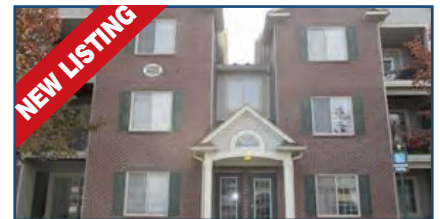
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By Vera Hogan

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we will need their full name and rank at time of discharge, years served and in which branch of the military. If they did serve in a foreign war, which one? And, any notable accomplishments while in the service, such as medals earned and reason. Please send this information, with an official military photo of the individual to the Tri-County Times offices, 256 N. Fenway Dr., Fenton, MI 48430, or email to sstone@tctimes.com. For more information, call Editor Sharon Stone at (810) 433-6786.

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Just sayin'...

Because you never know

My days of making New Year resolutions are long gone — mainly because like many people I rarely keep them. I do resolve, however, to continue something in 2020 that I started in 2019, which is decluttering my house.

On New Year's Day, I tackled a big cabinet in my kitchen. It's an old house so my kitchen cabinets go straight up to a high ceiling. The top shelves are in the nose-bleed section. Anyway, I cleared out six boxes of tea bags. I hate tea! The only reason we had so much tea is that my husband would make hot toddies when he had a bad cold or was congested. He would make a cup of hot tea, add lemon and honey and a shot of bourbon. That actually works, but it was usually the only time he drank tea.

Also on New Year's Day, I asked friends on my Facebook page how I could dispose of Britannica Encyclopedias. I have two sets that are more than 20 years old. Places like Goodwill and the Salvation Army will not take them as they apparently are "unsalable."

So, I began googling ways to get rid of encyclopedias. It's amazing how many craft projects you can make with these books. During my search, the word "outdated" came up repeatedly. How can reference books filled from A to Z with information and photos on historical events and figures going back to the beginning of time, geography, science, mathematics, geology, art, music, history in general and more be outdated? Before the internet, encyclopedias were the only way most kids could get their homework done.

Sure, the books are more than 20 years old, but that doesn't change what occurred before they were printed. Encyclopedias still exist, but since the internet has taken over everything, Britannica announced in 2010 that after 244 years of doing business it was going out of print. Experts and scholars through the ages provided the valuable information contained in these reference books. There is still a website.

Thanks to all of my Facebook friends who responded with great ideas,

but I think I will take the advice of Rob Harris, owner of Harris Financial in Fenton. He said the same thing my youngest son mentioned a few years ago, "Keep them safe. When the EMP (Electromagnetic Pulse) happens and the power grid is out, books of knowledge will be valued again."

It is a scary thought to have our entire power grid go out. With no internet, which isn't always the most reliable source of information, my encyclopedias will be invaluable. So, I've decided to keep them because... you never know.

Opinions offered in Just Sayin' are the author's alone and do not necessarily reflect the opinion of the Tri-County Times or its staff. Email Vera at vhogan@tctimes.com.



VERA HOGAN

Hotlines

Submit Hot lines online at myfenton.com or text to 810-771-8398

All submissions, if approved for publication, must be 50 words or less and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Tri-County Times. We reserve the right to edit for clarity, length and liability.

WE'LL ALL BE hearing soon about Admiral Rogers and the Obama administration spy gate. Won't hear this on ABC, NPR or CNN.

THE MICHIGAN GOVERNOR vetoed overturning the deer feed, bait ban. Science and other state's evidence does not support a ban. Make sure you don't feed the deer this winter or you could be turned in to the authorities.

WHAT WOULD YOU do with \$1,000 a month?

READERS WRITE

Letters, 150 words or less, must be signed and include a phone number. We reserve the right to edit for clarity and liability. Letters must be written exclusively for the Times.

Let there be entertainment

Dear Editor,

I would like to express my opinion on what should be done with the vacant lot across from

the Fenton Intermediate School. I think that the city should put in a theater for shows and musical performances. Downtown Fenton already has a ton of great restaurants, but not much to do besides take walks. A theater would fill that gap and provide a place for people to go after dinner and have a good time. What do you think? Thank you for your time,

Caleb Markley
Boy Scout Troop 212, Fenton

Compiled by Tim Jagielo, media editor

What would you watch for in a job interview candidate?

street talk



"If it's a physical job, they'd need to be able to keep up. First impressions are important and they need to be presentable. I've hired many people for retail."

Habib Atallah
Lansing



"If they're dressed sloppy or unclean, or chewing gum; poor posture."

Jim Verhelle
Fenton Township



"Smart-alec-ey answers. I don't think it's good to come across as a know-it-all."

Karin Verhelle
Fenton Township



"Experience is the first thing, then enthusiasm and interest in the job would be most important. I worked for GM and did a lot of interviews."

Denae Harding
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— Compiled by Sharon Stone —

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House Bill 4542: Collect state tax on out of state purchases

To establish a regulatory regime for collecting state sales and use tax on purchases by residents from the internet and catalog merchants in other states. This follows the 2018 U.S. Supreme Court opinion in *South Dakota v. Wayfair* that allows states to levy sales and use tax on out of state sellers who have more than \$100,000 in sales or 200 transactions annually in a state, and creates a collection system that meet standards suggested by the court's ruling. House Bills 4540 and 4541 authorize and create

rules for smaller retailers selling into the state through third party "market-place facilitators," which is the model used by Amazon.com.

Passed 36 to 0 in the Senate

Sen. Ruth Johnson (R-Dist. 14) ✕ YES
Sen. Jim Runestad (R-Dist. 15) ✕ YES
Sen. Lana Theis (R-Dist. 22) ✕ YES
Sen. Jim Ananich (D-Dist. 27) ✕ YES
Sen. Ken Horn (R-Dist. 32) Did not vote

Senate Bill 341: Require warrant to get electronic information from devices

To require police to get a warrant to access information in an electronic device including cell phones or to access electronic communication information from an internet service provider, with a number of exceptions and exclusions, including one for stolen device reports. The bill would also prohibit the warrantless use by police of "cell-site simulators" that mimic a cellular base station and can intercept cell phone data from individuals.

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The future of Lake Fenton Community Schools

■ Look ahead to better educational experiences for students and physical changes in work spaces

By Julie Williams, superintendent

As we prepare to enter a new decade, I am looking at our current students and realizing that students in grade three through 12 will graduate in the 2020s. It is truly unbelievable how time flies.

What will school look like for our kids in the next decade? Will physical structures change? How will technology evolve?

In Lake Fenton, we will continue to move in the direction of Competency Based Learning, meaning we need to increase our ability to meet learners where they are and help them grow.

Our entire staff has been working to become a dynamic Professional Learning Community where we share ideas, strategies and resources to provide a better educational experience for our kids.

The physical changes we will see in the next decade will be inside the buildings. We have already begun to convert

classrooms from areas with rows of desks to collaborative workspaces with a variety of seating options. This will continue throughout our district to help us provide the best learning environment for our students.

We will also work to grow our capacity to provide social and emotional support for students and staff. Whether this is additional support services, time to decompress, health related activities, etc. I believe this is an area that will see major changes in the next few years.

In addition, we will continue to work on our school culture and our efforts to support our entire Lake Fenton family. We are not perfect, but we will keep working and improving. As part of this, we will Embrace our BE BLUE mantra ... What it means to BE a BLUE Devil!

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THE VIRGINIA GOVERNOR and AG say that it's legal to have sanctuary cities and counties for illegal aliens, but not for the second amendment. Please explain. Thanks.

TO 'PROVE HE hasn't done anything wrong' Hot-liner and mainstream media. The burden of proof is on the government to provide evidence of guilt, and not the accused to provide evidence of innocence.

MARL DRIVE SLUM landlord, clean up your renters.

WONDER HOW MANY people who have shooting ranges, dirt bike tracks, etc., have ever informed their

homeowners insurance. Willing to bet without a rider and no coverage.

NO MATTER WHAT happens in the Senate, Trump will always be the third president to be impeached by the House. That will be with him forever in the history books.

I DON'T NEED anybody to tell me how to eat; it's called moderation and common sense.

TO THE HOT-LINER who said we need to send the teachers there instead of bringing these military people into our country to train them. Actually, we shouldn't have to do either one, but yes, sending teachers there makes much more sense.

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Schools superintendent



Julie Williams,
Lake Fenton Community
Schools superintendent



Russell Ciesielski,
Linden Community
Schools superintendent

JANUARY IS SCHOOL BOARD RECOGNITION MONTH

January is School Board Recognition Month, a time to recognize the work of our volunteer school board members and to celebrate public education.

School board members in Linden Community Schools, Fenton Area Public Schools, and Lake Fenton Community Schools develop policies and make tough decisions that help shape the future of our education system. They bear responsibility for the annual budget and the welfare of our students, employees, and school buildings. They are citizens whose dedication and decisions affect our children and build our communities.

Showing appreciation for the important work of school boards should be a year-round process, but too often we neglect to recognize the dedication and hard work of these men and women. This January, the staff and students of our districts are asking all members of the community to take a moment and thank a school board member.

Each school will be presenting its board with tokens of appreciation during scheduled board meetings:

• Fenton Area Public Schools: FAPS Board Office, Jan. 6, 2020 at 6 p.m.

• Lake Fenton Community Schools: Alberta B. Martin Board Room, Jan. 13, 2020 at 6 p.m.

• Linden Community Schools: Linden High School, Jan. 22, 2020 at 7 p.m.

We salute the public servants of all districts whose dedication and civic responsibility make local control of public schools in our community possible.

The men and women serving our areas schools are:

Linden Community Schools — Shari Luck, Scott Maker, Steve Murphy, Mike Murphy, Steve Losey, Jason Rowden and Michelle Shayna.

Fenton Area Public Schools — Dana Jones, Pam Dickie, Lynn Hopper, Scott Pushman, Emily Rossmassler, Kim Gruber and Keith Reynolds

Lake Fenton Community Schools — Larry Godlewski, Mike Cicalo, Heidi Howieson, Chris Fletcher, Katherine Carswell, Bob Hutchins and Michelle Curtain

Sincerely, Adam Hartley, Fenton Area Public Schools superintendent; Julie Williams, Lake Fenton Community Schools superintendent; Russell Ciesielski, Linden Community Schools superintendent

CRASH

Continued from Front Page

an evasive maneuver to avoid a collision with the GMC and the truck overturned onto its right side, spilling its load onto all lanes of Dixie Highway.

Thomas was transported to Ascension Genesys Hospital in Grand Blanc Township and later transferred to the University of Michigan Medical Center in Ann Arbor where he died

Dec. 29, 2019.

The driver of the SUV was not injured but was transported to Ascension Genesys Hospital as a precautionary measure.

This case will be presented to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office for review. Drugs and alcohol do not appear to be a factor in the crash.

Oakland County Sheriff's deputies, along with the Groveland Township Fire Department responded to the scene.

POLICE & FIRE REPORT

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

15-YEAR-OLD STEALS VEHICLE FROM DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP, FLEES POLICE, CRASHES

On Wednesday, Dec. 25, at 11 a.m., deputies with the Livingston County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to a possible unlawful driving away of an automobile at a residence in Deerfield Township. At approximately 11:15 a.m., a sheriff's deputy spotted a vehicle in the area of Grand River and Prospect in the city of Howell traveling recklessly and at a high rate of speed. The deputy attempted to stop the vehicle, however, the driver failed to pull over and stop. The deputy pursued the vehicle into Green Oak Township and eventually terminated the pursuit near the intersection of Old U.S. 23 and Grand River. A short time later the Green Oak Police Department responded to a report of a one-car property damage crash on Grand River near Kensington Road involving the vehicle involved in the pursuit. It was later determined this was also the vehicle that had been stolen out of Deerfield Township. The 15-year-old driver, who was not injured, was still on scene and taken into custody without incident. The juvenile suspect was lodged at the Washtenaw County Juvenile Detention Center on charges of unlawful driving away of an automobile, fleeing and eluding, and carrying a concealed weapon.

LOOKING BACK *at this week in* HISTORY

COMPILED BY VERA HOGAN

JAN. 5

1531: Pope Clement VII sends a letter to King Henry VIII of England forbidding him to remarry under penalty of excommunication. Henry, who was looking for a way out of his marriage to his first wife, Catherine of Aragon, ignored the pope's warning. He went on to marry Anne Boleyn (and five subsequent wives), leading to his excommunication and one of the most significant schisms in the history of Christianity.

JAN. 6

1838: Samuel Morse's telegraph system is demonstrated for the first time at the Speedwell Iron Works in Morristown, New Jersey. The telegraph, a device which used electric impulses to transmit encoded messages over a wire, would eventually revolutionize long-distance communication, reaching the height of its popularity in the 1920s and '30s.

JAN. 7

2015: Around midday, gunmen raid the offices of French satirical magazine Charlie Hebdo, killing 12 people. The attack, a response to the magazine's criticism of Islam and depiction of Muhammad, demonstrated the danger of homegrown terror in Europe as well as the deep conflicts within French society.

JAN. 8

2002: President George W. Bush signs the No Child Left Behind Act into law. The sweeping update to the

Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 created new standards and goals for the nation's public schools and implemented tough corrective measures for schools that failed to meet them. Today, it is largely regarded as a failed experiment.

JAN. 9

1887: On one of the worst days of the "worst winter in the West," nearly an inch of snow falls every hour for 16 hours, impeding the ability of already starving cattle to find food. The plains ranchers had seen hard winters before, but they had survived because their cattle had been well fed going into the winter. Deceived by a string of mild winters, many ranch managers were no longer putting up any winter-feed for their stock. Disaster arrived in 1886. With no winter hay stored to feed the animals, many ranchers had to sit by idly and watch their herds slowly die. "Starving cattle staggered through village streets," one historian recalls, "and collapsed and died in dooryards." In Montana, 5,000 head of cattle invaded the outskirts of Great Falls, eating the saplings the townspeople had planted that spring and "bawling for food."

JAN. 10

1901: A drilling derrick at Spindletop Hill near Beaumont, Texas, produces an enormous gusher of crude oil, coating the landscape for hundreds of feet and signaling the advent of the American oil industry. The geyser was discovered at a depth of over 1,000 feet, flowed at an initial rate of approximately 100,000 barrels

a day and took nine days to cap. Following the discovery, petroleum, which until that time had been used in the U.S. primarily as a lubricant and in kerosene for lamps, would become the main fuel source for new inventions such as cars and airplanes; coal-powered forms of transportation including ships and trains would also convert to the liquid fuel.

JAN. 11

1964: United States Surgeon General Luther Terry knew his report was a bombshell. He intentionally chose to release it Jan. 11, 1964, a Saturday, so as to limit its immediate effects on the stock market. It was on this date that, on behalf of the U.S. Government, Terry announced a definitive link between smoking and cancer.

Source: history.com



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By: Dr. Steven Sulfaro

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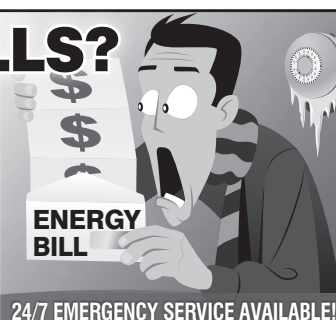
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Unseasonable skiing

■ Unpredictable weather is the 'new normal' at Michigan ski resorts

By Tim Jagielo

Groveland Twp. — On Thursday, Jan. 2, you wouldn't know that just five days prior a major rain event washed 12 inches of snow from Mt. Holly Ski and Snowboard Resort.

Thursday brought skiers and snowboarders enjoying the different slopes in 47-degree weather.

It's no secret that snow conditions can change quickly at Mt. Holly. After General Manager Mark Tibbitts dealt with the rain event, Mother Nature turned around and provided snow. November blanketed the area with snow but December provided mostly rain.

This unpredictability is the "new normal" for ski resorts in Michigan. "Most ski areas have risen to the occasion," Tibbitts said. "If we were required to rely on Mother Nature strictly, we wouldn't be in business."

While sometimes there's no snow in your backyard, there will practically always be snow on Michigan ski resorts, which Tibbitts said have been

relying on some form of snow making since the early 1980s.

He said 20 years ago, resorts wouldn't even be open in this weather. His resort was built with a snow making system in 1956 and it's been added to and upgraded through the years to increase capacity and cover every bit of the hills with a base layer of snow.

Snowmaking for 12 hours can cost \$5,000. Mt. Holly's snow is often created by the 152 snow guns drawing from a reservoir of two wells on site. They can push 5,500 gallons uphill per minute.

Ideally, they'd be making snow at 28 degrees, but can make it at anything under freezing in low humidity. At the end of the season the snow melts and returns to the aquifer.

These "guns" are large drums equipped with a fan to turn water into vapor as it's pumped into the air. It crystallizes and falls to the ground as "snow." According to the Mountain News Corporation, it's a different particle than natural snow.

Tibbitts said warmer weather yields faster, more granular snow. Above 45 degrees, snow starts to offer a slower ski experience.

"Last week we skied when it was

“If we were required to rely on Mother Nature strictly, we wouldn't be in business.”

Mark Tibbitts

Mt. Holly Ski and Snowboard Resort general manager

HOT LINE CONTINUED

FOUND ANOTHER HIDDEN jewel in Fenton. Had lunch at the Gourmet Guys Grill. It is great. Fresh food, portions sizes just right, clean and friendly service. This will definitely be on my list of places to go for lunch or dinner.

WHEN YOU START your Hot line with hateful rhetoric, untruths and writing something you wouldn't repeat in church, it's time for you to look deep into a mirror and ask yourself why are children acting as they do today.

ELISSA SLOTKIN HAS clearly stated many times the reasons she voted for impeachment. I admire her careful consideration of this issue and am proud of the job she is doing for her constituents.

I AM A Democrat and I am neither a Socialist nor unpatriotic. Please don't label all people of any group in such broad, general, derogatory terms.

PRESIDENT TRUMP IS being denied a speedy trial by Ms. Pelosi. Clearly, the impeachment is political. Trump should request the Supreme Court to throw out the alleged impeachment articles.

WHEN OBAMA WAS president the TCT printed hundreds of comments claiming he lied about a provision in the ACA. Maybe he did, but he is no match for POTUS. Every time he opens his mouth or fires out tweets, nothing but lies and half-truths.

REP. MIKE MUELLER, did you consult doctors and surgeons regarding House Bill 4958? Were you an educated voter?



The base layer of snow was created by 152 snow guns. Here, skiers travel up lift 3 to ski on either Woodward or Pine run. Photo: Tim Jagielo

61 (degrees) and it was wonderful," he said, adding that air temperature is more about comfort level and layers of clothing. "Skiing at warmer temperatures can be just as enjoyable."

Weather is one factor that is unpredictable. Another changing trend is vacation patterns. Today, there are fewer

salaried workers who have an entire week off, meaning it can be less busy during this holiday vacation period.

The maximum capacity for Mt. Holly is approximately 3,500 skiers per day. The first week of January was expected to draw approximately 2,000 to the hills on a busier day.

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HOT LINE CONTINUED

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WE MUST UPHOLD the principles and integrity that this nation was founded on. You cannot bend the rules to suit your needs.

IF YOU CAN honestly say you'd be proud of your child or grandchild if they behaved just as Trump does, then great, you should support him. I'm sure this isn't the case however. Our President should be a role model. We can do better. We have to do better.

AS AN OLDER person who really benefits from and needs the higher stools and handrails in the 'handicapped' stalls in stores and

restaurants, I would appreciate it greatly if those who 'just like the extra room' would use the non-handicapped stalls if they are not in use. Thank you.

THE FINANCIAL ADVISER quoting 5.5 to 8.5 percent in annual returns is selling high-risk investments and you could lose all your money. The fine print states 'L Bonds' may be considered speculative and subject to a high degree of risk, including the risk of losing your entire investment.

IN 2020, AMERICANS will decide if they want to remain a free and independent country under Trump or return to the elitist, globalists like Bush, Clinton, Romney, Obama, Biden, Kerry, etc. These globalists will lead us back toward a world government. Let's keep America free and independent with Trump.

THAT'S GREAT WHEN opposite shifts are no problem for parents. One child must be easy. I guess we're failures.

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WELL, THE LIONS found another way to lose a game. Why did I waste my time again watching that game?

YES, I AM a loving Christian who has no issue with same-sex relationships, but have real problem with radical leaders who destroy everything they touch.

THE 'LIGHTER SIDE of the Times' used to cover the front page. It's only been recently the drama seeking (sometimes unrelated to our community) headlines have taken over.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

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National Missing Children's Day Poster Contest

State Rep. Mike Mueller of Fenton Township would like to invite young people of Genesee and Oakland counties to enter the 2020 National Missing Children's Day Poster Contest. The contest is organized by the Michigan State Police and the U.S. Department of Justice's Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. "There are over 800 missing children in Michigan," Mueller said. "I encourage students in our community to participate and promote awareness of this issue, and take preventative steps to avoid abductions." Applicants must be in fifth grade and submit an 8.5- by 14-inch poster featuring the phrase "Bringing Our Missing Children Home." Entries must be made by Jan. 31, 2020 to Ms. Jolene Hardesty of MSP via email at HardestyJ2@Michigan.gov. For more information, contact Mueller's office by calling (517) 373-1780 or by email at MikeMueller@house.mi.gov.

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TRAIN**Continued from Front Page**

Traffic in Fenton was impacted by the stopped train for approximately one hour Friday, Dec. 17. At 12:40 p.m., the eastbound CN train stopped unexpectedly in Fenton near the Fenton Kar Wash.

Traffic on Silver Lake Road and LeRoy Street was impacted, as well as the streets in the surrounding area. Poplar Street remained open. Just west of the LeRoy and Silver Lake Road intersection, the train separated. Once the train was reconnected at approximately 1:40 p.m., it continued eastbound.

ARREST**Continued from Front Page**

the 3700 block of Owen Road in Fenton at 9 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 5. The Holly man and Goodnight had communicated through the app "letgo," which lets people buy and sell used items.

The Holly man gave Goodnight the PlayStation 4 and Goodnight allegedly pulled out a handgun, pointed it at the man and told him to get back into his car. Goodnight got into a vehicle and drove away. The victim described the suspect as a heavy set black male, between 20 and 30 years old.

A personal bond of \$15,000 was ordered and a probable cause conference has been scheduled for Jan. 9 at 1 p.m.



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Welcome to the ‘Roaring Twenties’ — again!

■ It has been 100 years since the year 1920 ushered in an entirely new culture

Compiled By Vera Hogan

If you ever had access to your great-grandma's old trunk in the attic, you may have found a couple of short dresses with snappy tassels, a cute little cap with a feather maybe, and some insanely high heels. If these items were found, the beloved matron of the family was likely a “flapper” from the Roaring Twenties.

According to history.com, the 1920s were an age of dramatic social and political change. For the first time, more Americans lived in cities than on farms. The nation's total wealth more than doubled between 1920 and 1929, and this economic growth swept many Americans into an affluent but unfamiliar “consumer society.”

The “New Woman”

The most familiar symbol of the “Roaring Twenties” is probably the flapper: a young woman with bobbed hair and short skirts who drank, smoked and said what might be termed “unladylike” things, in addition to being more sexually “free” than previous generations.

In reality, most young women in the 1920s did none of these things (though many did adopt a fashionable flapper wardrobe), but even those women who were not flappers gained some unprecedented freedoms. They could vote at last: The 19th Amendment to the Constitution had guaranteed that right in 1920.

Millions of women worked in white-collar jobs and could afford to participate in the burgeoning consumer



economy. The increased availability of birth-control devices made it possible for women to have fewer children.

The Birth of Mass Culture

During the 1920s, many Americans had extra money to spend, and they spent it on consumer goods such as ready-to-wear clothes and home appliances like electric refrigerators. In particular, they bought radios. By the end of the 1920s, there were radios in more than 12 million households. People also went to the movies. Historians estimate that, by the end of the decade, three-quarters of the American population visited a movie theater every week.

But the most important consumer product of the 1920s was the automobile. In 1929, there was one car on the road for every five Americans. Businesses like service stations and motels sprang up to meet drivers' needs.

The Jazz Age

Cars also gave young people the freedom to go where they pleased and do what they wanted. What many

young people wanted to do was dance. Jazz bands played at big city dance halls; radio stations and phonograph records (100 million of which were sold in 1927 alone) carried their tunes to listeners across the nation. Some older people objected to jazz music's “vulgarity” and “depravity” (and the “moral disasters” it supposedly inspired), but many in the younger generation loved the freedom they felt on the dance floor.

Prohibition

The 18th Amendment to the Constitution, ratified in 1919, had banned the manufacture and sale of “intoxicating liquors,” and at 12 a.m. on Jan. 16, 1920, the federal Volstead Act closed every tavern, bar and saloon in the United States. From then on, it was illegal to sell any “intoxication beverages” with more than 0.5 percent alcohol. This drove the liquor trade underground. People simply went to nominally illegal speakeasies instead of ordinary bars, where bootleggers, racketeers and other organized crime figures controlled it.

The “Cultural Civil War”

Prohibition was not the only source of social tension during the 1920s. The Great Migration of African Americans from the southern countryside to northern cities and the increasing visibility of black culture — jazz and blues music, for example, and the literary movement known as the Harlem Renaissance — discomfited some white Americans. Likewise, an anti-Communist “Red Scare” in 1919 and 1920 encouraged a widespread anti-immigrant, hysteria. This led to the passage of an extremely restrictive immigration law, the National Origins Act of 1924, which set immigration quotas that excluded some people.

These conflicts — what one historian has called a “cultural Civil War” between city-dwellers and small-town residents, Protestants and Catholics, blacks and whites, “New Women” and advocates of old-fashioned family values — are perhaps the most important part of the story of the Roaring Twenties.

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2020 Detroit Boat Show makes waves a month early

■ This year's dates are Jan. 18-26 at the TCF Center (formerly Cobo Center)

By Sally Rummel

Michigan boaters and fishermen will "get their oars in the water" a month early at the upcoming 62nd annual Detroit Boat Show.

Show dates this year are Saturday, Jan. 18 through Sunday, Jan. 26 at the TCF Center (formerly Cobo Center).

This new date is a full month ahead of the traditional February show, filling the vacancy left when the North American International Auto Show moved its show date from January to June.

More than 100 of Michigan's top boat dealers and marine businesses will be under one roof for nine days of special pricing, selection and services. Boat manufacturers and dealers will present their latest 2020 model boats, including fishing boats, ski boats, cruisers, pontoons, inflatables, personal watercraft, kayaks, plus antique boats.

Special events will include a live Stingray Encounter, Career Days (Monday through Friday for high school and college students) and the



The Detroit Boat Show is Jan. 18 to 26 this year at TCF Center in Detroit.

Courtesy of Detroit Boat Show

“Attendees will be able to see the all new X26 that is completely redesigned for 2020.”

Mary Rising

Action Water Sports owner

popular Kids Zone, weekends only.

Many local boat dealers will present their latest models at the show or in their showroom during the show dates.

As a local boat dealer, Silver Spray Sports will have all the latest Nautiques on display, plus docks and hoists, pro shop items and a large selection of

standup paddleboards.

Action Water Sports in Tyrone Township will fill 15,000 square feet of display space at the show with all MasterCraft boats, representing nearly every model, as well as a Bulmann hydraulic lift.

“Attendees will be able to see the all new X26 that is completely redesigned for 2020,” said owner Mary Rising. “Also, the entire NXT series has been redesigned. This affordable series has not only taken on a look more like the XT series but it also has more standard features including surf profiles. Now, with the push of one button, any MasterCraft boat can be in surf mode.”

The legendary GEN2 Surf System has also been improved, Rising said. Surf tabs have been reshaped for even more customizing of the wave than before.

Those attending the boat show will be able to experience the difference in material and heat absorption of the “Cool Feel” upholstery at an interactive display in the Action Water Sports booth.

“Boaters can have exotic dark interiors that are actually 30 percent cooler than the standard light colored vinyls,” Rising said.

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■■■

I CAN APPRECIATE a few minutes

of fireworks on New Year's Eve. Three hours is excessive. Some of us work early shifts. Please have some respect. That includes you, Argentine Township supervisor.

■■■

THE ANNUAL FEDERAL deficit is how much more money the government spends versus what it takes in. For 2020, the deficit is projected to be \$1.1 trillion. That is the highest deficit since 2012. Good job, Trump.

■■■

IT'S AMUSING TO me just how many people truly don't understand our constitution and government framework. Impeachment has happened. Removal from office has not. Even if Trump is

acquitted by the Senate, he will still be the third impeached president and will always carry that asterisk.

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THE MILITARY BUDGET in the U.S. is completely out of control. The fact that you think it is OK is insane. Please stop sending my generation to fight unnecessary wars.

■■■

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BOAT SHOW**Continued from Page 15**

Freeway Sports Center in Fenton Township offers Detroit Boat Show pricing at their showroom. "All the prices are the same here as they are at the boat show," said owner Jim Adams, who also serves on the Michigan Boating Industry Association Board of Directors.

He is excited about the early date of the show because it will get fishermen out on the lakes early with new boats, depending on the weather, of course.

C&C Sports in Brighton has exhibited its Sea-Doo line at the Detroit Boat Show for more than 21 years. This year, General Manager Chuck Heil is showing more than a dozen boats, including personal watercraft and the popular Sea-Doo Fish Pro line of boats with an extended platform for fishing.

White's Landing in Fenton will be introducing a new line, Striper, a Great Lakes fishing boat, at the Detroit Boat Show. "They were a very popular fishing boat in the Great Lakes for many years," said owner Jonathan Hamel. "The brand was recently purchased by the Polaris boat group, which also owns Bennington Pontoons."

Watch for the Novi Boat Show coming March 12 to 15 to Suburban Collection Showcase, also with a number of local boat dealers participating.

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What **NOT** to say at a job interview!

Compiled By Vera Hogan

January and February are the best months of the year to look for long-term, full-time jobs. These are the months most companies receive updated budgets and sales forecasts, and plan their staffing needs accordingly.

This also is a good time of year to remind job seekers of what “not” to say during a job interview — that is, if you want the job.

“I really need this job.”



Coming across as desperate never makes for a good first impression. Employers want to hire people who

are organized and confident in their abilities. Instead of saying that you really need the job, focus on your qualifications and why you're motivated to work for the company.

“I foresee a scheduling conflict.”



If you've got a major trip booked for the near future, now may not be the best time for a job search.

If you are hired,

instead of asking for time off, simply provide the date you can start and explain that you want to give your current employer plenty of notice. This will make you seem like a responsible and respectful employee.



(Bleep!) Any foul language or cursing

Foul language has no place in a work situation, so don't

use it during an interview — even if one of your interviewers drops a swear word first.

Weaknesses

Interviewers love to ask job candidates about their weaknesses, because the answers say a lot about applicants' skills, their ability to overcome difficulties — and their personalities. Although it's tempting to say you don't have any weaknesses, that will sound dishonest. It's also a bad idea to over share about serious past struggles, so focus instead on your skills that you're looking to improve and build upon.



“Mind if I take this call?”

When you're in a job interview, your cell phone should be turned off, period. Just glancing down at an incoming text can be a huge turnoff for interviewers. If you can't keep your eyes off your phone for this important first-impression-making meeting, you'll probably be distracted by personal business on your phone all during the workday. No employer wants that.



More NOTs

“Tell me about your company.”

One of the biggest mistakes an interviewee can make is walking into a job interview with no idea why they want to work for the company. Before you head to the interview, investigate the company online and make sure you understand its business, have an idea of what your duties will entail, and know which aspects of your personality and experience make you a perfect fit.

position will be an exciting opportunity to grow your skills, or that it's more closely aligned with your long-term interests.

“Sorry, I'm late.”

Unless you're held up by an incident worthy of making the local news, you might as well not even show up to most job interviews if you're running late. Make sure you leave incredibly early to interview for a job you seriously want to land.

“My last job/boss was the worst.”

Complaining about a previous job, boss or company is unprofessional and makes potential employers wonder what you'd say about *their* company if things don't work out. Simply stick to saying you think the new

“I have another offer on the table.”

Contrary to popular opinion, dropping this one will *not* make you look more in demand. What you're really telling the people you're interviewing with is that their job is a fallback option and you're not all that enthusiastic about it.

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Linden's Reichen Lund scored 10 points in the Eagles' 50-48 loss to Bridgeport. Photo: Mark Bolen

Eagles fall in tight contest vs. Bridgeport, 50-48

By David Troppens

Playing in winter break varsity basketball games have their pluses and minuses.

For Linden varsity boys basketball coach Chris Root, the positives surpass the negatives, so the Eagles have competed in them the last couple of seasons.

The Eagles faced off against Bridgeport at Corunna High School's Battle of the Midway Holiday Shootout, losing a tight 50-48 loss.

"We had a chance at the end," Root said. "We missed too many shots in the game. It was kind of a different kind of game. Both teams had a couple of big dryspells offensively. I'm not sure if the long layoff affected them and us, but I think it affected us."

The positives of playing in a winter break game involves keeping the team together and keeping some of the mindset on basketball. Of course, the issue can be the vacation itself as well — the holidays make it easy for people to not keep their minds on the program as much as hoped.

"I like playing in them because
See EAGLES on 20

Fenton's Keiser earns Runner of the Year honors

By David Troppens

There has never been a four-time All-State cross country runner in Fenton High School history.

At least that was the case until November.

Fenton's Alexa Keiser became the first four-time All-State competitor, placing eighth at the Division 1 state meet held at Michigan International Speedway.

That was just one reason why she's

not only our Tri-County Female Runner of the Year for the fourth straight year, but also this year's Tri-County Runner of the Year.

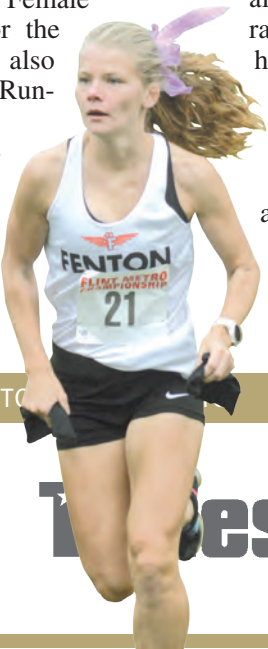
Linden's Tyler Buchanan is our Male Runner of the Year.

Keiser's cross country resume is beyond impressive. She's the only runner to ever win

all 12 Metro League jamboree races during their careers. She helped lead the team to the D1 state meet all four years and was a regional champion this season.

"Alexa's accomplishments are incredible," Fenton assistant

See KEISER on 20



Fenton's Alexa Keiser is the Tri-County's Runner of the Year after earning All-State honors for the fourth time.

Photo: David Troppens

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Sports Times

Holly's Hogan leads our volleyball squad

By David Troppens

Kennedy Hogan and the Holly varsity volleyball team had a few goals this fall.

One of the big ones involved the banner that is hanging in Holly's gym for each varsity sport played at the school.

"One of our biggest goals of the year was to win the Flint Metro League and we tied Flushing for it," Holly's junior middle hitter said. "We were happy with that. Flushing was a tough team to beat. The first time we lost to them but we

came back and beat them the second time in three (sets). That was the first time the banner was taken down in 25 years (to add another championship season to it). It was definitely one of our biggest goals."

It was an outstanding season to be on the Holly varsity volleyball team. The Bronchos not only won a share of the Metro League Stripes Division, but they beat Fenton twice in league play and three times overall during the season. The Bronchos won 32 matches, finishing just one victory short of the school record. That success has followed a large group of players that have been together ever since they played

on Holly Academy's volleyball squad. The Bronchos were a strong team, with four players earning either first- or second-team All-Conference honors. Hogan and Nicole Jewell were first-team picks while Paige Weeder and Sarah Jewell took home second-team honors.

But while the squad has plenty of talented players, only one can earn our top honor — our 2019 Tri-County Volleyball Player of the Year. Hogan is our worthy winner.

Hogan would rather look at the squad than herself.

"We've all played together

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Holly's Kennedy Hogan is our Tri-County Volleyball Player of the Year, leading the Bronchos in kills.

File photo

2019 TRI-COUNTY VOLLEYBALL TEAM

Volleyball MVP	Grade	Pos	School
Kennedy Hogan	Junior	Middle Hitter	Holly

Comment: Hogan helped lead the Bronchos to a co-Metro League Stripes Division by collecting a team-leading 253 kills. She also led the Bronchos with 76 block assists and 16 solo blocks.

Rest of first team

Name	School	Name	School
Mackenna O'Keefe	Linden	Nicole Jewell	Holly
Sydney Sahr	Fenton	Katie Strickert	Linden
Paige Weeder	Holly	Sarah Jewell	Holly
Sydney Acho	Fenton	Sydney Johnson	Lk Fenton

Note: The team, and Player of the Year, were selected by the sports staff.



Devils capture victory vs. Marysville

By David Troppens

The Lake Fenton varsity girls basketball team ended 2019 with a big positive.

The Blue Devils competed in SC4 Holiday Basketball Showcase in Port Huron, defeating Marysville 68-48.

Lake Fenton has competed at the SC4 tournament (SC4 stands for St. Clair Community College), for a few years.

"I love our trip to SC4," Lake Fenton varsity girls basketball coach Brian VanBuren said. "(James) Whymer does a great job with it and we are glad to have been a part of it."

Lake Fenton used defensive pressure which helped create balanced scoring. The Blue Devils (4-2) led 32-27 at halftime, but blew the game open during a 19-6

third-quarter run.

"We were able to step up and defend better," VanBuren said. "We talked about a couple of adjustments from the first half and we were able to get right into those changes as soon as we began the second half. And (Morgan) Furey got going. She went 5-for-5 from the free-throw line and scored 10 points (during the quarter). It took us to another level for real."

Leading 51-33 after the third quarter, the Blue Devils were able to hold their lead and get the victory. Kerrigan Howdeshell, Christina Lamb and Katelyn Siebert each scored four points in the fourth quarter.

The Blue Devils saw themselves in a competitive battle during the first half. Siebert scored 10 points in the first quarter as

Lake Fenton's defense forced 10 turnovers and created seven steals. The Blue Devils led 17-15 after one quarter.

"We weren't able to capitalize as we would have wanted," VanBuren said. "(Morgan) Furey picked up two fouls in the quarter. We also turned it over four times ourselves and sent them to the line 10 times."

The Blue Devils were able to add to their lead with a 15-12 edge in the second quarter. Aubrey Fray led Lake Fenton with five points during the quarter.

Siebert led the Blue Devils with 17 points while Furey had 13 points. Howdeshell chipped in 12 points while Fray had 10 points.

The Blue Devils return to action Tuesday when they host Linden. Lake Fenton travels to Owosso on Jan. 10.

"I cannot wait," VanBuren said. "We share the same backyard."

Lake Fenton's Katelyn Siebert attempts a shot during a recent Blue Devils' contest. Lake Fenton defeated Marysville 64-48 during the SC4 Holiday Basketball Showcase during winter break. **Times file photo**

VOLLEYBALL

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and we all like to work hard together," Hogan said. "We have brought that into the high school team. ... We have good talent but a lot of it has to do that we know each other and how we play together. We've known each other since the sixth grade. We have talent but we beat teams we shouldn't beat because of that chemistry and it's an amazing feeling. It's one of the reasons why I play the sport."

"It's been a pleasure to see her grow as a volleyball player," Holly varsity volleyball coach Deena Maher said. "I met her when she was an eighth-grader and she wanted to be the best volleyball player should could possibly be, and it's great to see her take the challenges that have been presented to her."

"She wanted to take on everything at once and wanted to learn everything at once. She took it all like a sponge. She's ready to go take on any challenge."

Individually, Hogan had an outstanding season. She led the team with 253 kills, recording a 44.7 kill percentage and

a 29.5 hit percentage. While she led the team in kills by more than 30, she was only fourth in hitting errors with just 86.

She also is a force at the net with her blocking. She led the team with 16 solo blocks and 76 assisted blocks, for a total of 92 stops. She didn't play in the back row frequently, but still found time to get four aces on 43 service chances, scoring 22 service points. She also had 18 assists and 17 digs.

"Kennedy has the best attitude," Maher said. "There is no negativity about her. She's an incredible teammate wanting to learn and willing to push herself while bringing her teammates with her. If something needs to be learned as a team, she'll be the one to learn it first and bring everyone along with her. She has such a team mentality and is a wonderful person."

Hogan loves her time with her teammates and thinks their bond is the reason for their success.

"I love the team aspect of the sport. I love my team so much and they continue to amaze me every single day," Hogan said.

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ALL TRI-COUNTY CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS

Boys team

Male Runner of the Year

Tyler Buchanan Linden

Note: Buchanan is a three-time Male Runner of the Year, earning the honor by taking sixth at the state meet (15:57.3).

Names	School
Adam Jesse	Fenton
Logan Canada	Fenton
River Meckstroth	Linden
Joseph Gilbert	Lk. Fenton
Samuel Cox	Fenton
Kyle Eberhard	Linden

Girls team

Female Runner of the Year

Alexa Keiser Fenton

Note: Keiser is a four-time Female Runner of the Year, earning the honor by taking eighth at the state meet (18:13.1).

Names	School
Andrea Ruiz	Holly
Emily Grob	Fenton
Taylor Huntoon	Fenton
Melanea Strauss	Linden
Kaitlin Bayer	Fenton
Claire Hunt	Lk. Fenton

KEISER

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cross country coach and girls coach Sue Larsen said. "I think most importantly, even with all she's accomplished, she is just a nice kid and fun-loving girl. She loves her team, loves her coaches and just loves the purity of running. I'm going to miss her next year. She is a one-of-a-kind. There will never be another Alexa Keiser who steps through the doors of Fenton High School. I am so appreciative to have had the opportunity to be a part of this journey with her."

During her state race, Keiser began with a time of 5:59 during the first mile. She moved up in the second mile, finishing it in 11:52. By the end of the third mile she was within the top 10, eventually finishing seventh.

"I am extremely happy about my finish this year at state," Keiser said. "I accomplished exactly what I wanted to do."

Buchanan finished his season placing sixth in the D2 boys race with a time of 15:57.3, helping the boys place 11th as a team.

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Linden's Eli Beil (left) drives to the bucket during a recent contest against the Holly Bronchos. Beil scored 12 points in the Eagles' 50-48 loss to Bridgeport.

Photo: Mark Bolen

EAGLES

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it gives us something to focus on during the break as opposed to having just a long layoff," Root said. "Everyone's got things going on with their family and we are trying to walk that line — giving guys time off but not too much."

The Eagles (3-1) had a strange shooting night, making just one three-pointer the entire contest. Of course, that's very atypical for the typically strong perimeter shooting squad.

"We have to make sure offensively we are moving the ball and not falling in love with the three," Root

said. "It's a strength of ours, but we haven't shot it all that great so far. We have to find other ways to score."

"We made one on Saturday and it wasn't like they were all bad looks either. It was one of those nights. It was hard for us to get in a rhythm and we just missed some wide open shots."

Blake Lund led the Eagles with 13 points while Eli Beil had 12 points. Reichen Lund chipped in 10 points while Seeger DeGayner had seven points. Brenden Miller had six points.

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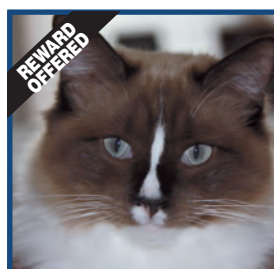


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			3		9			8


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Weekend Jumble

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

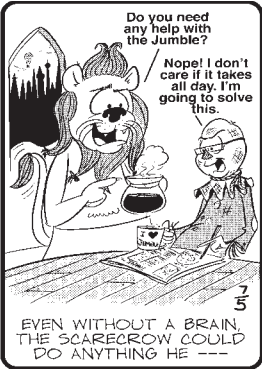
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SASNEO	○	○	○	○	○
CIPHUC	○	○	○	○	○

Check out the new, free JUST JUMBLE app



Do you need any help with the Jumble?
Nope! I don't care if it takes all day. I'm going to solve this.

EVEN WITHOUT A BRAIN, THE SCARECROW COULD DO ANYTHING HE ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

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Weekend Crossword

ACROSS

1 Zinger
5 Nuisance
9 Oprah's net-work
12 Chills and fever
13 Viscous
14 Dove's call
15 Short musical works
17 "Hail, Caesar!"
18 Yule quaff
19 Fairy tale villains
21 Chic
22 Island porch
24 Formerly
27 Evergreen type
28 Break suddenly
31 Tasseled top-per
32 Lobe locale
33 Gorilla
34 Dread
36 Attempt
37 Car sticker no.
38 Batman's pal
40 Proceed
41 Dishes
43 Commercial song
47 Scoot
48 Varieties of

DOWN

1 Foundation
2 Enthusiastic
3 Ladder step
4 Cap with a propeller
5 Bluenose
6 A billion years
7 Hot tub
9 Simple wind instruments
10 Used a loom
11 Vetoers' votes
16 Heavy weight
20 Petrol
22 Memorize
23 Distorted
24 Vacationing
25 Born
26 Ivan's and Peter's wives
27 Bigfoot's cousin
29 Spring mo.
30 Vigor
37 "Friends" role
39 Soaks up some rays
40 Hodges of baseball lore
41 Seafood entree
42 Streaming video giant
43 Apple co-founder
44 Wildebeests
45 Whip
46 Catch sight of
49 Away from WSW

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Horoscopes

For the week of January 6, 2020

ARIES
Mar 21/Apr 20
Aries, you have met some people who may have greatly influenced your attitude and partnerships. Even if people are pushing you one way, you have free will to go another.

TAURUS
Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, if you want to modify something in your life, now is your chance to do it. This is the week to make some concrete changes that will benefit you.

GEMINI
May 22/Jun 21
You have several weeks to understand how recent changes will affect you, Gemini. You may need to get a few new friends in your circle of supporters.

CANCER
Jun 22/Jul 22
Cancer, do not expect any enormous revelations this week, as things will work a lot more slowly. But keep an eye on the sidelines for the little changes that may occur.

LEO
Jul 23/Aug 23
The week ahead should be fairly positive, Leo. As a new phase in your life progresses, you will have the opportunity to express yourself more and more.

VIRGO
Aug 24/Sept 22
Expect some major movement in your career and love life, Virgo. The two may even be intertwined in some way. You may be floating on air in all this good news.

LIBRA
Sept 23/Oct 23
Although no major events will come to fruition, this is an excellent week for you to simply sit back and breathe a little. Things will get busy in the weeks to come, however.

SCORPIO
Oct 24/Nov 22
Scorpio, look at events from a different perspective to fully take them all in. Over the next several days, you'll be on a mission to correct something in your past.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov 23/Dec 21
A feeling of newness and openness are driving your decisions, Sagittarius. Attend all of the events presented to you; you never know where opportunity lies.

CAPRICORN
Dec 22/Jan 20
A new person may come into your life this week, and this can potentially change things forever, Capricorn. Exercise caution but do not be opposed to trying something new.

AQUARIUS
Jan 21/Feb 18
A voyage to faraway lands might be on the table, Aquarius. A trip may be just what you need to find that extra energy as you look to shake things up.

PISCES
Feb 19/Mar 20
Pisces, if your romantic relationship lacks spark, you may have to speak up and express your hopes and desires. Embrace all ideas.

Obituaries

Times
Agnes S. Grieve

Agnes S. Grieve - age 101, died December 29, 2019.
www.temrowskifuneralhome.com.


Jeanne L. Petrick

Jeanne L. Petrick - age 86, died December 31, 2019.
www.temrowskifuneralhome.com.


Molly C. Stivers

Molly C. Stivers - age 44, died January 2, 2020
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Michael Thompson

Michael Thompson - age 37, died December 24, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.


Brian Athey

Brian Athey - age 50, died December 24, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
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Kevin Bacon

Kevin Bacon - age 25, died December 24, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
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Timothy Lee Tucker
1954-2020

Timothy Lee Tucker - age 65, of Linden, lost his battle with lung cancer on Wednesday, January 1, 2020. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Monday, January 6, 2020 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel, 209 E. Broad St., Linden. Visitation will be held 2 - 8 PM Sunday, January 5, 2020. Those desiring may make contributions to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Timothy was born December 2, 1954 in Flint, the son of Thomas and Shirley (Zimmerman) Tucker. He loved gardening, cooking and making salsa. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing. Mr. Tucker owned Twin Gardens Restaurant for over 15 years. He is survived by his wife, Michele; daughter, Kate Tucker; son, Brice Tucker; brothers, Thomas Tucker and Todd (Colleen) Tucker; sister, Tamra (Rick) Wilsey; many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Shirley Pharris and Thomas Tucker. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.


Robert Gatlin

Robert Gatlin - age 88, died December 26, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.


Kenneth Ferris Sr.

Kenneth Ferris Sr. - age 57, died December 27, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
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Barbara Fitch

Barbara Fitch - age 87, died December 28, 2019. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
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Brenda Kay Rumschlag
1954-2019

Brenda Kay Rumschlag - age 65, of Fenton, died Tuesday, December 31, 2019. Funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 AM Monday, January 6, 2020 at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 600 Adelaide St., Fenton. Rev. Fr. Robert Copeland celebrant. Visitation will be 1 - 9 PM Sunday with a 7 PM rosary at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. Those desiring may make contributions to Kindred Hospice. Brenda was born April 16, 1954 in Fenton, the daughter of JC Hugh and Ramona Charlotte (Trowbridge) Green. She earned her RN from Hurley School of Nursing and BSN from the University of Michigan. Brenda worked in the Hurley OR and volunteered in Honduras as a nurse. She decorated cakes as a side business. She was married to Michael John Rumschlag on May 23, 1981 in Fenton and he preceded her in death on April 27, 2007. She had resided in Fenton the past 25 years. In prior years she resided in Antofagasta, Chile, Carson City, NV, Yuma, AZ, Muskegon, Spring Lake, and Flint. She and Mike traveled the world. Brenda was a member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church and the Pioneer Memorial Association. She was assistant cubmaster for three years and volunteered extensively with the Fenton Schools in the North Road PTA, Special Education group and countless other activities. She loved to cook, bake, garden, sew and travel. She was a gifted artist and her paintings are displayed throughout the home. She was employed as OR manager by IVF Michigan in Troy as an RN. Brenda is survived by two sons, Scott and Eric, of Fenton; mother, Ramona of Fenton; one sister, Gail and husband Dan of Linden; one brother, Wayne and wife Pam of Fenton; aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.


Deloris Hyde

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Wanda Matznick

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Janet McDaniel

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Donna Lambrix

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Geraldine "Gerry" Moore

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Phyllis Tice

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Phyllis Thomson

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Patricia "Patty" Twomley

Patricia "Patty" Twomley - age 78, died January 1, 2020. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes.
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Emily Rush

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Synopsis of Argentine Township Regular Board Meeting December 30, 2019

Call to order @ 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Clerk Graves.

Present: Hallman, Conner, Graves and Schmidt. Absent: Saad.

Appointed: Treasurer Schmidt to conduct meeting.

Approved: Minutes of Regular Board Meeting on November 25, 2019.

Approved: Payment of bills as printed.

Issued: 8 Building and Zoning permits that total \$2,275.

Accepted: Quote in the amount of \$13,580. from Edward Garrison for Fire Dept. kitchen remodeling.

Accepted: Terms of the agreement to collect summer taxes for Linden Schools.

Accepted: Terms of the agreement to collect summer taxes for GISD.

Approved: Agreement with GCRC for the non-motorized pathway.

Accepted: Terms of Aquatic Plant Management for Lobdell Lake.

Submitted by Denise Graves
Argentine Township Clerk

VILLAGE OF HOLLY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR REZONING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, of consideration of rezoning 111 College Street, IH-01-34-327-008 from R1B, Single Family Residential to C, Commercial. The Village of Holly Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on January 22, 2020 at 7:00 pm (or as soon thereafter as possible) in the Village Council Chambers located at 920 E. Baird Street, Holly, Michigan.

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

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

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PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF A

ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, of consideration of amending section 157.076(D)(10)a; 157.008; 157.035(D)(1), (2), (3); 175.071(E); 157.080(E)(9); 157.198(B)(2)(b)1a, 1b of the Village of Holly Zoning Ordinance. The Village of Holly Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on January 22, 2020 at 7:00 pm (or as soon thereafter as possible) in the Village Council Chambers located at 920 E. Baird Street, Holly, Michigan.

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Puzzle Answers

Midweek Sudoku, Crossword Puzzle and Jumbles are located in the last Midweek’s issue. All other puzzles are located throughout this edition of the Tri-County Times.

WEEKEND SCRAMBLE
ANSWERS

Scrambles:
PLEASE, TUMULT,
ACTION, PATROL
Answer: **APPETITE**

WEEKEND I
SUDOKU ANSWERS

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

WEEKEND II
SUDOKU ANSWERS

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

WEEKEND
JUMBLE ANSWERS

Jumbles:
TUMMY, ADMIT,
SEASON, HICCUP
Answer:
Even without a brain,
the scarecrow could
do anything he —
PUT HIS MIND TO



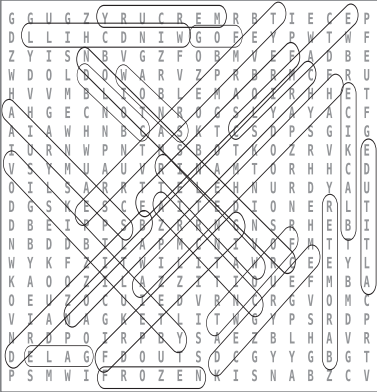
WEEKEND CROSSWORD
ANSWERS

Solution Time: 25 min.

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WEEKEND WORD SEARCH
ANSWERS



WEEKEND CROSSWORD II ANSWERS

S	H	A	L	T	T	W	E	E	T	E	D	A	D	J	U	S	T
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Weekend Scrambler

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



"Live within our means?"

With your _____ ?!"

Charm
ELAPSE

Uproar
MULUTT

Process
OCTAIN

Guard
PORTAL

TODAY'S WORD

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Weekend Sudoku II

Place a number in the empty boxes
in such a way that each
row across, each column down
and each small 9-box square
contains all of the
numbers from one to nine.

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3		6	5		2			

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KING FEATURES

ACROSS

- 1 Will, in the Bible
- 6 Sang like a bird
- 13 Modify
- 19 Pages, e.g.
- 20 Stone Age tool
- 21 Simple shack
- 22 "Well ... hop to it!"
- 25 Pa's ma
- 26 Mega-years
- 27 Big record label, once
- 28 Angers
- 30 "Hamlet" monologue exhortation
- 38 Singer DiFranco
- 39 Skeletal bit
- 40 Told fibs
- 41 Fancy resort
- 42 "Very sorry to hear that"
- 49 Skidded
- 51 Penn of film
- 52 Compass pt.
- 53 Divested (of)
- 55 Intl. cultural gp.
- 59 Like lambs
- 61 Voicing a question of curiosity
- 66 Bush barb
- 68 Misery
- 69 Battery size
- 70 Suffix with convert
- 71 Army sites
- 73 "Look ahead," to a drill instructor
- 77 Wicked acts
- 78 Regarding
- 79 Downed
- 80 Charged bit
- 81 — Lauder
- 83 Was the right thing, but didn't happen
- 88 Steeds
- 91 Set of seven
- 92 That dude's
- 93 Ad about DUI, maybe
- 95 Just makes, with "out"
- 96 Prune a bit
- 98 Be published
- 103 — Moines
- 106 "Back in Black" band
- 108 Actress Poehler
- 109 Many a charity gp.
- 110 Poem that's the source of the phrase comprising the first words of 22-, 30-, 42-, 61-, 73-, 83- and 98-Across
- 118 Viral GIF, e.g.
- 119 Sci-fi saucer
- 120 — Party
- 121 Cookie giant
- 123 Alternate title of 110-Across, with "The"
- 131 Director May
- 132 Shady giant
- 133 Island ring
- 134 Expunge
- 135 More diluted
- 136 Body of art?
- 7 Gretzky of hockey
- 8 Brian of rock
- 9 School URL ender
- 10 "... — a pudgy tat!"
- 11 Orals, e.g.
- 12 Clear, as a windshield
- 13 Boxing great
- 14 Bear's home
- 15 Bender
- 16 Not suited
- 17 Town that's home to the University of Connecticut
- 18 Shredded
- 23 Blitz, e.g.
- 24 6'6", say
- 29 Brine source
- 31 Solo in films
- 32 Mine find
- 33 Game aim
- 34 It aired "ER"
- 35 Hi- — (stereos)
- 36 Caviar fish
- 37 Suburb of Minneapolis
- 42 "Umami" taste source
- 43 "— -haw!"
- 44 Simply must keep going
- 45 At variance
- 46 Dr. Kildare player Ayres
- 47 "I heard him exclaim, — he drove out of sight ..."
- 48 "Fine fellow"
- 50 Paperboy, for one
- 54 Gorilla guru Fossey
- 56 Actress Leelee
- 57 Pick out from others
- 58 Some poems
- 60 Plural of "el"
- 62 Be in debt
- 63 Some votes
- 64 Zapping ER treatment
- 65 Silver of statistics
- 67 Neighbor of Belg.
- 71 Party
- 72 Netman Arthur
- 74 "Uh-huh"
- 75 Caviar base
- 76 Inseparable
- 77 DDE's WWII sphere
- 79 Chocoholic, e.g.
- 82 Chinese port
- 84 Oahu patio
- 85 Road, in Italy
- 86 Seer's "gift"
- 87 "Fresh Air" network
- 89 Dusk, to a bard
- 90 Old Brit. Airways jet
- 94 More heartfelt
- 97 PC file that's shareable
- 99 Fathers
- 100 First-aid pro
- 101 Writer Rand
- 102 Nanki- — ("The Mikado" son)
- 103 Block up
- 104 Made level
- 105 "Good as gold," e.g.
- 107 Mötley —
- 111 "Love Story" author Erich
- 112 "He's a man — words"
- 113 Dinero
- 114 "With this ring — wed"
- 115 Keno's kin
- 116 Knight's mail
- 117 Some pups
- 122 Norway port
- 124 Make haste
- 125 Blast stuff
- 126 Flying stinger
- 127 Apartment divs.
- 128 Archaic verb ending
- 129 Dernier —
- 130 Used a paw

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