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Local man charged with possession, distribution of child porn

Undercover agents discover account 'oldman1981'

Compiled by Hannah Ball

An Oakland County man is facing multiple charges after undercover federal officials caught him posting and receiving videos of children being sexually assaulted, according to court records.

Michael Justin Hall, 38, of Davisbur g was char ged with

possession, distri bution and receipt of child pornog raphy.

Officials with Homeland Secu rity Investigations (HSI) said an un dercover agent was conducting chats on



Michael Hall

a mobile app, which allows users to control who they communicate with because usernames, not phone numbers, are the basis for accounts, officials said.

The undercover agent created a group recently with a name that indicated child sexual abuse, according to court records. Officials said at 1:11 p.m., Sunday Jan. 12, a person, who authorities discovered was Hall, entered the group with the username "oldman1981" and posted messages that said, "Active," "Good vides to post anyone?" and "Wheres the good vids?"

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Day drinking for charity nets \$5,000 — A group of Fenton Onesie Pub Crawl participants boards a party bus to the next location Saturday, Jan. 18. There were 550 participants and the event raised \$5,000 for charity. **See story on page 7** Photo: Tim Jagielo

Interim sheriff ups social media outreach

Sheriff's office has updated Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube

By Hannah Ball

The Genesee County Sherif's Office has an updated social media presence due to interim Sherif Chris Swanson's push See SHERIFF on 2



GET think it's great that the library is trying different ways to assert themselves into

the community. I am not a regular library attendee but would have loved to attend the wood kayak event had I known about it in advance."

Patient care may be impacted

American Red Cross urges people with types O negative and O positive blood to donate

Compiled by Sharon Stone

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Right now, the American Red Cross has a critical type O blood shortage and ur gently needs donors of all blood types — especially types O negative and O positive — to give blood or platelets. W ithout more donors, patient care

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44 If a news story gives an opinion or tells you how to feel, it is not news."



SHERIFF

Continued from Front Page for more transparency and commu nication.

This includes more posts on Face book, Instagram with the handle @ gcsomichigan, Twitter with the handle @CountyGenesee, and weekly press briefings, from which the videos will be posted online.

"Public institutions, like the sher iff's office, have a responsibility to let the public know what's going on on an every-day basis. All platforms should be used to communicate that message, including our media friends, and also the social media machine," Swanson said.

He mentioned that there's a communication gap with how people get their news, whether it's from major news sources or social media.

"Police agencies need to perfect communication and the content delivery in order to make it engaging, educational, valuable and entertaining," he said. "Which is why on my first day of office, by the second hour, all major media platforms had been secured for the office of sheriff on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube."

On Facebook, the page is called Genesee County Sherif f's Of fice. There are posts congratulatin g the January 2020 Corrections Academy graduates, photos of police cruisers, and videos from Swanson on a number of topics, including safe generator usage, criminal cases, clearing snow off your vehicle and how to be prepared in an emergency.

In that video, he said there's a lot of discussion about school shooters and how school districts prepare for those, but "it goes bigger than that. Just last year, there were more shootings outside of schools for active shoot ers ... malls, churches, so how do we prepare? You can freeze, you can fight or we can flee. What happens if you're there and something happens where you have people injured? More people were treated in Vegas by citizens than emergency personnel."

Dep. Shawn Sordyl, county medic and K-9 officer, appeared in the video with Swanson. They showed emer gency kits with medical supplies. Swanson said, "Being the fifth largest agency in the country as well as one of the biggest in the state, it's critical that we utilize all the talent in all the different agencies, and with that, it's expected that we work together and collaborate. That's what needs to con tinue for this administration."

The office is also posting more to its new Y ouTube channel by the same name. It has approximately 40 subscribers.



Chris Swanson, Genesee County interim sheriff, stands with Dep. Shawn Sordyl in a video the department posted on YouTube about emergency medical supplies. **Photo: YouTube video still**



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BLOOD SHORTAGE

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With influenza escalating across the country and prevent ing some donors from giving, and winter weather threatening to cancel blood drives, the Red Cross now has a critical short age of type O blood and ugently needs donors to restock the shelves.

O so needed

Currently, the Red Cross has less than a three-day supply of type O blood available for patient emergencies and medical treat ments. Type O positive blood is the most transfused blood type and can be given to Rh-positive patients of any blood type. While just 7 percent of the U.S. popula tion has type O negative blood, it can be transfused to patients with any blood type and is what hospital staf f reach for during emergencies when there isn't time to determine a patient' s blood type.

Help replenish the blood supply

Every day, the Red Cross must collect nearly 13,000 blood dona tions and more than 2,600 platelet donations for patients who rely on blood tosurvive. Shortfalls in donations can cause delays in es sential medical care for patients like 12-year-old Dagan Hawkins.

Diagnosed with acute lym phoblastic leukemia in November, Dagan has required platelet and blood transfusions during his cancer treatments. "There was a time when they needed to have blood products delivered from another hospital because they were unavailable there," said Dustin Hawkins, Dagan's father.

Donors of all blood types, especially types O positive and O negative, are ur ged to make an appointment to give blood or platelets now using the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visiting Red-CrossBlood.org, calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enabling the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device.

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HONORING

'The Meski' is winning sandwich in Linden

Fire & Ice Fundraiser sold the opportunity to create a sandwich for \$205

Bv Hannah Ball

Linden — Last year, it was a ham burger with diced and sautéed onions, bacon, barbeque sauce and peanut but ter, topped with a bun, called the "Nutty Nettie."

This year, it's a triple decker grilled cheese with mozzarella, homemade spaghetti sauce, pepperoni, and a side of pesto mayo, called "The Meski," that



(Top) "The Meski" is a featured sandwich at the Linden Hotel and Crow's Nest, after two Linden families. the Mesacks and Ciesielskis, came together to win a silent auction. (Right) Jill (Mesack) Behrens, who participated in the bidding war, introduced the sandwich Monday, Jan. 20. Photo: Hannah Ball

was created to be the winning sandwich from the annual Fire & Ice fundraiser held Nov. 10, 2019.

At the fundraiser, attendees could bid on items in a silent auction. The opportunity to create a sandwich to be featured at the Linden Hotel and Crows Nest is one of the most popular items to bid on. This is the third year the Linden business has done this. The sandwich was revealed Monday, Jan. 20.

Two Linden families, the Mesacks and they came up with "The Meski." the Ciesielskis, worked together to win.

"The announcer said, 'There' s a



bidding war going on over at the sandwich," Jill (Mesack) Behrens said. For a while, it was between her and another man. She enlisted her friend's and family's help to pool money together.

The sandwich went for \$205.

About six of them met on a Sunday af ternoon and talked about three sandwiches in their first round of decisions. Karen Stroud, co-owner of the Linden Hotel and Crow's Nest, had each sandwich madand

Behrens said winning was special for the two families, who are related.

Behrens' dad, Bob Mesack, was the brother to Joyce Ciesielski. Their older relatives used to all meet at the Crow's Nest every Monday to eat. Both families were well represented Mon day with co usins, aunts and uncles.

"It's amazing. Brings tears to m y eyes," Behrens said.



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Life lessons learned on the ice

Sharin' the spotlight

was excited when our Media Editor Tim Jagielo told me he was going to cover the opening day of the Flint-Inner City Youth Hockey Program in Flint earlier this month. Flint is out of our local coverage area, but when Tim mentioned hockey I was all for it.

I will forever consider myself a hockey

mom. There is just something special about hockey . Maybe it's sitting on freezing cold bleachers for hours while you watch your son or daughter practice with their team. Maybe it's the weekend trips across Michigan and the Midwest just to watch your son or daughter play a game that they love.

I think it's wonderful what Rico Phillips and the others involved are doing for these

youngsters in Flint. It appears that not as many kids sign up to play hockey possibly due to the costs, which can be shocking. Just to rent a sheet of ice at a rink for an hour can cause sticker shock. Add to that the cost of good hockey skates, helmet, and all the other equipment required under a uniform can be cost prohibitive for many people.

When our boys were younger and playing travel hockey at Iceland Arenas in Flint, my husband and I used to work concessions at The Palace and DTE Music Theatre to offset our costs.

Our oldest son, Brad, played travel hockey at Iceland, however, that all ended when he died at the age of 12 in 2000. His framed photos continue to hang on the wall

leading into the red rink at Iceland.

Following his death, my husband and I, and several close family members and friends hosted the Brad Stone Fall Classic, a weekend hockey tournament. We did that for several years. Brad's younger brother, Jake, and his own '95 AAA travel team, played in that tournament several times. I

remember one year, there were so many '95 (1995 birth year) teams that we had to give them their own weekend. The rest of the tourney was played the following weekend.

Those tournaments will forever tug at our heart strings. Not only did we raise money to be given out as college scholarships in Brad's memory to other kids who played hockey at Iceland, we met so many

families and players who expressed their

hopes and dreams of being the next Steve Yzerman or Gordie Howe.

Teams and their extended families traveled from as far away as California, New Y ork, T oronto, Ohio and Illinois. I'm certain the hotels and restaurants surrounding the Flint area noticed the increased business.

The best part of those weekends was when I could sneak a few minutes to go watch one of the games. The kids skated so hard and tried their best to do what their coaches told them to do. As they skated off the ice, you could see their bright red cheeks, runny noses and hear them catching their breath. Like any other hockey mom, I think I can still smell them, too.

I wish Rico and the Flint-Inner City Youth Hockey Program all the best.

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dropped five channels but continues to charge the same rate. I was told I could get the channels back for \$5 additional on my bill. When are the local governments going to put an end to this? Spectrum has done this before so you pay more for what you already pay for.

ADAM SCHIFF FOR brains.

HOW ABOUT WE do something proactive for a change and make for-profit schools ineligible to receive federally backed student loans? And while we are at it, how about we have some type of guidelines for who qualifies for a loan?

FENTON TOWNSHIP MAILED out an option form for residents of Margaret and Ruth drives to vote their preference on the proposed special assessment for paving. One option is approximately \$10,000 and the other is approximately \$2,000. The form is due Jan. 28. Contact the township and request one if you didn't get one. (810) 629-1537; email info@fentontownship.org.

PRESIDENT TRUMP HAS been impeached. The Senate cannot change that. The Senate can only vote to remove him from office, or not.

Compiled by Tim Jagielo, media editor How many homes have you lived in?

Sharon Stone



"Five houses. I started out with a starter home: I sold the starter home while building the next one and I had to rent one at the same time. Then I sold that house and built another one."

- Thomas O'Brien Vernon Township



"Four. Different locations. school for kids and job location. The longest I've lived was in Fenton for 27 years in one home."

> - Dan Sauer Fenton Township



"I've lived in five houses. I lived the longest in my childhood home, 18 years. Fenton, Arizona, East Lansing, Holly and back to Fenton."

- Kim Weingartz Tyrone Township



"I've lived in six homes, four in our first five years of marriage, in four different states. The longest in one place was 17 years when the kids were small. We moved to Silver Lake a year and a half ago." - Ann-Marie Drass

Fenton Township

street talk



"I moved around a lot. It would be more than 10. As an adult, the longest I've lived in one place was four years after I got married. Otherwise, it was five years with my mother."

Dustin Silver Fenton

Rolston Road water main repaired



Road temporarily closed **By Hannah Ball**

Linden — On Monday, Jan. 20, work

the water main under the entrance to W Rolston Road off N. Bridge Street near The Stain Shop. The road was closed for construction and was expected to be opened Tuesday or Wednesday.

ers with Waldorf & Sons, Inc., repaired Local woman named trustee at non-profit

Jocelyn Hagerman will help grow The Children's Foundation with statewide expansion

By Sharon Stone

Jocelyn Hagerman, founder and coowner of Skypoint V entures, as well as chief executive officer of

The Hagerman Founda tion, has been named a trustee for The Children's Foundation, based in De troit. Trustees play a major role in this non-profit, aiding in its operation as it drastically grows with its statewide expansion.

The Children's Foun dation supports pediatric research, education, com munity benefit programs,

and other initiatives that improve the health of children in Michigan.

Hagerman of Fenton T ownship con sistently focuses on bringing positivity to Flint and making an impact on the cit/she is passionate about community develop ment and heavily involved in leadership and philanthropic ef forts throughout Genesee County and beyond.

As a humanitarian, she launched #Flint Fwd, a grassroots movement tboth recognize and inspire the people and businesses of Flint in the wake of the water crisis. Hagerman said she is "very excited"

about this new role. She will be part of a board that spans across the state and will be involved with the grant-making process, fundraising and creating part-



Jocelyn Hagerman

nerships with other or ganizations. The Children's Foundation is the lar gest

> supports health and wellness for children. In April 2018, the Zonta Club of Flint inducted Jocelyn in the Genesee Regional Women's Hall of Fame. In 2016, she was named by Crain's Business as one of the 100

foundation in the state that

Most Influential Women in Metro Detroit. That same year, Jocelyn and her husband, Phil, were the proud recipients of the Ferris Foun dation Humanitarian A ward and The State Bank Community Contribution to Education A ward for Fenton Area

Public Schools. When Hagerman is not managing the Foundation, she competes in equestrian competitions across the country.

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CHILD PORN

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Hall posted a video in the group that meets the federal definition of child pornography, according to HSI. The video showed an adult man performing sex acts on a child between 6 months to 1 year old, images Hall had received that met the

Hall claimed to be the man in the video, according to court records, and said he had access to two children, one 6 years old and one 3 years old. Hall claimed they were his friend's children, according to authorities.

The undercover agent reached out to Hall this past Thursday morning. Hall denied that he was the man in the video, but said he wished it was him, according to court records.

Authorities received the IP address from the mobile application and learned oldman1981 had logged into the app 49 times in one day . The IP address was traced to Hall's home on Hutchinson Drive in the Springrove Mobile Home Park, Davisburg.

HSI agents executed a search warrant last Thursday at his residence. Hall was there and handed over a cell phone along with the password to his phone, where of ficials found the conversations between

oldman1981 and the undercover agent. According to authorities, he shared the same video multiple times with other users on the app, including as recently as 1 a.m. Thursday.

Authorities found other videos and federal definition of child pornography, according to authorities.

On Jan. 8, Hall received two pictures showing a young boy being raped, officials said. On Sunday, Jan. 12, he received a video from a dif ferent user that showed three naked children, two of which were performing sex acts. On Sunday, he also received a video that showed a young girl being raped by an adult man.

The Michigan Sex Of fenders Reg istry shows that Hall was convicted in September 1997 of first-degree criminal sexual conduct. Because he was a juvenile at the time, it was cataloged as a juvenile adjudication, officials said.

Hall was also convicted in 2006 of first-degree criminal sexual conduct, three counts of third-degree criminal sexual conduct and possession of child sexually abusive material in Sixth Circuit Court in Pontiac.



Future

Meet **Maris Ferguson**

- Lake Fenton High School senior
- Drum major
- Active in Faith in Femininity

By Sally Rummel

Maris (pronounced Mare-is), Ferguson, is a senior at Lake Fenton High School and the daughter of Dan and Jen Ferguson of Fenton Township.

She has two sisters, Wren, 13, and Lynde, 10. After graduation, she plans to attend Oakland University, studying at the honors college as well as through the Business Honors Program. She also serves as treasurer of National Honor Society, a member of Key Club, and a varsity cross country runner.

You have a name that you don't often hear. Where did your first name come from?

My name is a combination of my grandmothers. "Mary" is Maris and "Betty" is Elizabeth, which is my middle name. With pronunciation, it's about a 50-percent chance of people getting it right or wrong. Most people put an accent on the end instead of on the "a."

What is Faith in Femininity and how did you get involved?

Faith in Femininity is a non-profit that provides feminine hygiene products to women who can't afford them. Our goal is to provide comfort, confidence, and cleanliness to every woman we can. It was started by my close friends Lindsey Gibb and Waverly Ritchie. They asked me to join the mission a few years ago. If you could run a non-profit group of any kind, what would it be?

I would love to start a non-profit that assists students in covering the expenses of study abroad trips. What do you see as the biggest problem facing the world today?

Without hesitation, climate change. It is a problem that impacts all life



on Earth, as well as life to come. We owe it to the next generations to do everything we possibly can to protect the beauty and function of our planet. What are two things you couldn't live without and why?

I couldn't live without the support of my friends and family because they are always there for me in my triumphs as well as my down moments. I also couldn't live without my passion for learning because it makes life so much more interesting. What type of career do you see

yourself pursuing in the future?

I intend to pursue a career in lean management, which is a business principle that helps companies become more sustainable. I think this would be a great fit for me because I'm a big-picture thinker and I care a lot about sustainability.

What is the best advice you've ever gotten?

The best advice I've ever gotten was to do what makes you happy. The gift of life is too precious to waste pursuing someone else's dream. Are you a morning person or a

night owl?

I am totally a night owl. This helps tremendously on those long nights of homework and studying. I'm actually a very short sleeper and sleeping more than six or seven hours makes me super drowsy and unproductive, so it's never really given me problems.

What's a skill you don't have that you'd like to master?

I have a goal of learning five languages (or more) in my lifetime. I see language as a key that unlocks new opportunities to learn about cultures different from your own as well as people you may not have otherwise connected with. Language fluency is a skill I've been working really hard on and I hope I'm able to achieve my goal.



THE EXCLUSIONARY RULE AND **ITS EXCEPTIONS**

Under the Fourth Amendment to the United States Constitution, we are all to be secure against unreasonable searches and seizures

This means that generally speaking unless the police have a search warrant, whatever has been seized is inadmissible in court against a defendant under what is called the "Exclusionary Rule." This is meant to deter governmental authorities from such practices.

Over the years, the courts have established exceptions to the rule when the costs of exclusion outweigh the deterrent effect.

The following are the primary exceptions: The Good Faith Exception

This is when searches and seizures are conducted pursuant to a warrant, which is later determined to be invalid through no fault of the police.

Attenuation

If there is an illegal search or seizure and a sufficient period of time has elapsed between the activity and the discovery of other evidence (even if connected to the initial illegality) the other evidence may still be allowed in court.

Inevitable Discovery

Evidence seized improperly can still be admitted if it is shown that it would have been eventually discovered by authorities. Independent Source

This exception applies when the police initially illegally seize property but subsequently obtain information from an unrelated source sufficient to authorize the issuance of a search warrant, which is then executed as to the same property.

Community Caretaker and Emergency Aid

When the police enter property to check on the well-being of a person or in an emergency, probable cause is not required and if there is crime evidence inside, it may be seized

Plain View

If the police are legitimately present at a location they may legally seize crime evidence, which is in plain view.

Exigent Circumstances

Warrantless searches and seizures are allowed in an emergency to (1) prevent the imminent destruction of evidence; (2) protect police officers or others; (3) prevent the escape of a subject.

Automobiles

A warrantless search of a car is allowed if there is probable cause that it contains crime evidence.

Normally a hearing is held and the judge makes a decision as to whether an exception applies.

Hopefully, no readers will ever have to deal with such situations, but if you do and as they say, now you know.

Day drinking for charity

Third annual Fenton Onesie Pub Crawl swells to 550 costumed guests; nets \$5,000

By Tim Jagielo

Fenton — Volunteers for the third annual Fenton Onesie Pub Crawl worked quickly to register the deluge of guests wearing colorful one-piece pajamas Sat urday, Jan. 18.

It was a task that was sometimes over whelming, considering the popular event drew 550 people this ye ar. In 2019, 460 tickets were sold and \$7,000 was raised.

Organizer Ed Constable of Fenton Township said they hired more buses in 2020, which led to less lag time between pickups.

"It meant a much better experience," Constable said. "The repeat pub crawl-

ers have said it ran way smoother this year." The downside is they raised less this year - \$5,000 after expenses. T ickets were \$30 at check-in or \$25 in advance.

The pub crawl tied several local bars like The Barn and Fenton Winery and Brewery (FWB) to gether with a small fleet of party buses carting par ticipants between them in

25-minute intervals. The bus drivers issued honks letting those inside know they've ar rived. If not the horn, some helpers walked through ringing cowbells announcing their next departure.

"We try to make the bus rides as much or more fun than the bars themselves," Constable said. "The event is just a lot of fun and it's all for a good cause. Not often you can go day drinking on a Saturday and feel good about yourself for it."

Each year, non-profit causes are selected to benefit from ticket sales. This year it was Clara's Hope, the Brad Stone Schol arship and the Safari Club's Wish Hunt. Constable's wife, Laura, is the sister of Brad Stone.

Many ven ues wer e jam packed wit h guests. Most were wearing pajamas rang ing from simple plaid flannel to dragons, giraffes, President Donald T rump and a group of flying squirrels. Beers in hand, they chatted, took photos and ran out into the slushy weather to catch the next party bus to



(Above) Organizers hired six party buses for 2020, which improved logistics between bars. (Right) Jill Rohner of Gaines Township sits with friends at the Fenton Winery and Brewery on Saturday. Photos: Tim Jagielo

Partnering for charity

The Fireplace Buddha's Boston's Corner Bar & Grill Joe & Lewie's The Barn Legend's Fenton Winery & Brewery

another participatingbar.

Constable said it went smoother than last year because there were more buses and assistants. There was still some congestion at check-in points where attendees were issued their identification lanyards.

"It's a good time for a

good cause, it gets me out to meet a lot of new people," said T odd Arnold of Holly while trying a "Staggering Bull," an imperial brown nut ale at FWB. He came with his wife Sherry and friend Sue Snyder of Fenton. His group started at The Fireplace and then headed to the FWB. He also tried beers like "M43" from Old Nation Brewery com.

and "Dirty Blonde" from Atwater Brewery.

At The Barn, a group from Howell said they previously attended a pajama bar crawl in Chicago. They liked it enough to try out the Fenton event. "More importantly, it's a charity event," said Janice Beck, who went with her husband, Mike, and another couple.

Attendees were advised in advance for making travel arrangements following the event and no incidents were reported.

Constable suggests that next year 's participants do a pr e-check in , b ecause everyone showing up at once can make it very hectic for volunteers. He said this week only, the 2021 ticket are available for \$20 each. The 2021 event is set for Saturday, Jan. 16, from 2 to 7p.m.

Purchase tickets at FentonPubCrawl.



BUSINESS BRIEFS

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

Thomas Hutchinson named executive director of Genesee **County Habitat for Humanity**

Genesee County Habitat for Humanity (GCHFH) announced that Thomas Hutchinson will succeed Margaret Kato as its executive director when Kato retires in February after 15 years at the helm. Under Kato's leadership, GCHFH grew into one of the most respected Habitat for Humanity affiliates in the United States. Hutchinson grew up in the Flint area before going to college. He earned his undergraduate degree from Western Michigan University and holds a master's degree in electronic intermedia from the University of Florida. He worked on a number of high-profile lighting and exhibition design projects in New York City before moving back to Flint. He joined GCHFH on the

construction staff in 2013 and started the Home Repair Program in 2015. To date, the GCHFH Home Repair Program has helped 796 Genesee County residents, including 382 families.

Flagpoles Etc. honors two area veterans with installation of free flagpoles

Flagpoles Etc. of Holly honored two area veterans Thursday, Jan. 16, with free flagpoles and installation. The first recipient is Rick Holland, a retired USN veteran who is involved in a nonprofit motorcycle organization for veterans called Rolling Thunder. Holland rides his motorcycle to support all of our veterans, past, present and those yet to come. The second recipient is Christopher Krauss, with his wife, Tammy Krauss. Christopher is medically retired from the army and is 100-percent disabled according to the VA. He served in Iraq from 2006-2008. They live in Hamilton and have four boys.



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McLaren Flint welcomes interventional cardiologist to medical staff

Farouk Belal, MD, FACC, FSCAI, an interventional cardiologist who is board certified in both cardiology and interventional cardiology, and specializes in peripheral vascular disease, has joined the medical staff at McLaren Flint. Belal is seeing patients at Cypress Cardiology. 1286 S. Linden Rd., Suite A, Flint. Belal completed a fellowship in Interventional Cardiology at Westchester Medical Center in Valhalla, New York and a fellowship in Cardiology at Louisiana State University in New Orleans, Louisiana. He completed his residency at Downstate Medical Center in Brooklyn, New York. He earned his medical degrees from the University of London in London, England and from the University of Khartoum in Khartoum, Sudan. Belal is accepting new patients and can be reached by calling (810) 285-9996.

McLaren Flint welcomes pulmonologist to medical staff

Peter Sabbagh, MD, a pulmonologist board certified in pulmonary disease, critical care medicine and sleep disorders, has joined the medical staff at McLaren Flint. Sabbagh is seeing patients at Chest & Sleep Medicine Consultants, G-3535 Beecher Rd., Suite A, Flint. Sabbagh completed his fellowships in both Pulmonary and Critical Care and Sleep Medicine at Detroit Medical Center in Detroit. He completed his residency at St. Joseph Mercy Oakland in Pontiac. He earned his medical degree from the University of Pécs, Medical and Health Sciences Center in Pécs, Hungary. Sabbagh is accepting new patients and can be reached by calling (810) 720-1144.

McLaren Flint welcomes urologist to medical staff

Shaheen Alanee, MD, FACS, FRCSC, board certified urologist, has joined the medical staff at McLaren Flint. Alanee is seeing

patients at Genesee Urology, 1501 S. Center Rd., Suite 3, Burton. Alanee completed his fellowship in Urologic Oncology and Clinical Genetics at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York, New York. He completed his residency in urologic surgery at the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis, Minnesota. He earned his medical degree from the College of Medicine University of Baghdad in Baghdad, Iraq. Alanee is accepting new patients and can be reached by calling (810) 742-3400.

McLaren Flint welcomes radiation oncologist to medical staff

Christian Hyde, MD, a board certified radiation oncologist, has joined the medical staff at McLaren Flint. Hyde is seeing patients at Karmanos Cancer Institute at McLaren Flint, 4100 Beecher Rd., Suite A, Flint. Hyde completed his fellowship in Proton Therapy at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. He completed his residency in radiation oncology at UCLA in Los Angeles, California. He earned his medical degree from UCLA School of Medicine in Los Angeles, California. Hyde is accepting new patients and can be reached by calling (810) 342-3800.

McLaren Flint electrophysiologist moves to new office location

Mustafa H. Hassan, MD, FACC, FHRS, board certified in cardiovascular diseases and specializing in cardiology and electrophysiology with McLaren Flint has moved to a new office location. He is now seeing patients at Heart Rhythm Clinic of Michigan, 1386 S. Linden Rd., Suite A, Flint. Hassan completed fellowships in both Electrophysiology and General Cardiology at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Florida. He completed his residencies at Case Western Reserve University/ Metrohealth in Cleveland, Ohio and at the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland in Dublin, Ireland. He earned his medical degree from University of Gezira in Wadmedani, Sudan and earned a Master of Medical Sciences at National University of Ireland in Galway, Ireland. Hassan is accepting new patients and can be reached by calling (810) 285-8501.

More than \$300,000 in grants for nonprofits

■ To ensure accurate count on 2020 census **Compiled by Sharon Stone**

In 2020, there is nothing more impor-

tant than ensuring a complete count of all residents in Flint and Genesee County A complete count means adequate congres sional representation and the right flow of federal resources to meet the needs of our county's most vulnerable residents Being counted helps communities create jobs, provide housing, fund K-12 education, prepare for emer gencies and build schools, roads, hospitals and libraries.

Today, the Community Foundation of Greater Flint (CFGF) is investing in nonprofit organizations working to ensure an accurate count in the 2020 census. Thirty-four nonprofit organizations were awarded \$300,167 in grants in a competi tive process that began last fall.

Grants ranged from \$2,100 to \$20,000 depending on the project's scope and geographic coverage. Funding runs from December 2019 through August 2020.

"The Community Foundation is

HOT LINE CONTINUED

TO THE WHINER complaining about Tyrone Township financial operations. It's called being fiscally responsible. Thank you Supervisor Cunningham and our board members for all you have done for the taxpayers of Tyrone Township.

TWO THINGS FOR the emergency vehicle complainer to consider. Maybe the driver 'cutting' you off saw the vehicle after you did. As to people 'tailing' ambulances, the driver is most likely someone with that person in the ambulance.

REGARDING THE MARGARET

and Ruth Drive special assessment. Michigan has a road-funding problem. Why don't they create a special assessment district and ask Michigan residents to add \$10,000 plus interest for each parcel they own, payable over 15 years. The assessment would be due in full when a parcel is sold.

pleased to support local nonprofits that are key to get out the count eforts, particularly in hard-to-count populations," said Sue Peters, vice president of community impact. "Those with the most to lose from an undercount are the hardest to count, including people of color immigrants, young children, and those traditionally served by nonprofits."

Grant funding was available to or ganizations who work with historically undercounted communities in Flint and Genesee County. CFGF will continue to work with all nonprofit organizations interested in outreach ef forts, including access to promotional ma terials, Peters said.

The CFGF is partnering with the city of Flint and the Michigan Nonprofit Association in its Be Counted Michigan 2020 campaign, with support from the Council of Michigan Foundations and local funders including the C.S. Mott Foundation and Ruth Mott Foundation.

See the complete list of grants to The Census count begins in April 2020. Genesee County nonpr ofits with this story online.

> TO THE WOMAN who wants \$1,000 a month from Andrew Yang. Where do you think that money comes from? Answer: my tax dollars. If you need an extra \$1,000, get a job and earn it.

YOU NEED SURGERY. Do you pick the nice guy, average surgeon or the highly skilled obnoxious guy? Most choose the one with the best skills and outcomes. Think about it. Shouldn't the same criteria be used when electing our president?

THE CITY OF Fenton must have some little kids driving their plow truck. Has anybody watched them drive around like they are lost? Can the city manager please send them out for training please for our safety and their safety?

FORGET THE 1-percent tax on wealth above \$50 million. Let's see if he really believes in a wealth tax. I assume his net worth is above \$10 million. Let's put a wealth tax of 25 percent on any net worth above \$10 million.



COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

Hurley Children's Hospital celebrates surprise donation to #SantaCares campaign

Hurley Children's Hospital partnered with several local credit unions to launch the #SantaCares campaign during the holidays in 2019. In a surprise announcement, CO-OP Financial Services has announced a \$10,000 donation toward this effort. CO-OP Financial Services is a payment and financial technology company

whose mission is ensuring the success of the credit union movement. Prior to the CO-OP donation. the #SantaCares campaign had raised \$40,418. This included money raised by Dort Financial Credit Union, ELGA Credit Union, Financial Plus Credit Union and Sovita Credit Union. Community members also donated to the #SantaCares site on the Hurley Medical Center Facebook page. In addition, \$10,000 was donated by The Sheppy Dog Fund, Dr. Alan Klein - Advisor. Dr. Klein is a Grand Blanc Pediatric Dentist who is on staff at Hurley Children's Hospital. A total of \$50,418 was raised for this area's local Children's Miracle Network Hospital.







Fenton's Korryn Smith drives to the bucket during the Tigers' win against Linden. Times photo: Mark Bolen

Smith remains hot, leads Tigers to win vs. Linden

By David Troppens

Fenton — Korryn Smith is on a recent hot streak.

For the third game in a row, the Fenton junior broke the 20-point plateau. However, for the first time in those contests, the T igers came away with the victory.

Smith scored a game-high 21 points, leading the Tigers to a 55-38 home victory against the Linden Eagles.

"I started of f really rough," Smith said about the season. "But I knew I had it in me. I thought about it, I worked on it and I understood it was in me. It's finally coming out."

"She's more than capable," Fenton varsity girls basketball coach Becki Moore said.

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Small Town Soldier' Spencer remains perfect

By David Troppens

Joev "The Small T own Soldier" Spencer kept marching along suc cessfully during his 10th professional boxing bout Saturday night.

In front of a national TV audience on FOX, the 19-year-old Linden resi-

dent won a six-round unanimous de cision against his much taller, and much older southpaw fighter Erik Spring.

Spencer fought dif ferently in this bout than any of his other nine professional fights.

The two boxers kept their distance (Spring had a 1 ¹/₂ inch reach advantage and was three inches taller) as the bout was fought from distance 95 percent of the time. Spencer has earned many of his See SPENCER on 12

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Joey Spencer

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Tigers capture county tourney championship

By David Troppens

For years it was pretty much assumed the only competition there was at the Greater Genesee County Swimming and **Diving Championships** was the battle for second place.

That's because Grand Blanc has dominated the competition.

That ended on Satur day. The Fenton T igers captured their first-ever varsity boys swimming and diving county championship title at their own home pool.

"This has always been a goal for us," Fenton varsity boys swimming coach Brad Jones said. "Grand Blanc has al ways been the standard

area. To end up on top was certainly a thrill for our boys. W e swam re ally well. Going into the meet we had a shot, and the boys stepped up and did a good job."

The T igers left the meet with five event county championships (including winning all three relays), two statequalifying times and many MISCA meet time standards (the MISCA meet is an event that brings most of the best swimmers in the state during midseason).

"We knew if we could win the relays, we had a good chance because we'd be getting a lot of points," Jones said. **CONTINUED AT** TCTIMES.COM





(Top) Fenton's Gavin Crews (middle) dives into the pool. (Left) Fenton's Anthony Barnett (front) and (immediately behind) team.



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Strong second half leads Eagles by Tigers

By Dale M. Smith

Fenton — It was a cold January night with a snowstorm on its way, but there was plenty of heat in the Jungle on Friday night at Fenton High School.

The host Fenton varsity boys bas - ketball team battled the Linden Eagles in the first of two matchups this season. The Tigers used a tenacious de - fense to hold the Eagles in check in the first half, but Linden responded with a 29-10 margin in third quarter to pull away with the win, 69-46.

Fenton (4-3) only trailed by two at the half, 24-22. However, the Eagles (7-1) used consecutive 3-pointers from Blake Lund and Seeger De Gayner in the first 44 seconds of the second half to propel Linden to the dominating third quarter and even tual win.

Before a lar ge and raucous crowd, both teams played with a lot of en ergy on the defensive end in the first half. But, as he has done so many times in his three years a member of the Linden varsity, junior Blake Lund was a game-changer. He had 14 points in the first half but was only getting start ed as he dropped in another 20 in the second to finish the game with 34 points. He also added five steals and four rebounds.

Talking about his steals, Lund said, "I got a couple of deflections and I just had to run the court. I think I got three or four of f of that. I think that was a good momentum starter for us."

"I hit some of those threes in the second half when (Fenton) went to that 1-3-1 zone."

Although known primarily as a great offensive threat, Lund is as good as a defender that has been seen in the



Linden's Brenden Miller (right) tries to drive to the bucket against Fenton's defense. Times photo: Mark Bolen

Flint Metro League since Holly's Anderius Gray some 10 years ago. Lund works hard on the defensive end.

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Holly, Powers swimmers earn strong showing at county meet

By David Troppens

The Fenton varsity boys swim team made a little history by winning the Greater Genesee County Swimming and Diving Championships on Satur day at Fenton High School.

- But while the T igers made the most
- headlines, other local swimmers made a
- few themselves. Holly swimmer Logan Molzahn won an event county cham
- pionship while local swimmers Luke
- Connor and Nicholas W ujciak on the
- Flint Powers team also earned all-county efforts.
- Molzahn earned the No. 2 seed in
- Friday's preliminary round with a time
- of 51.11 seconds. He went on to win the championship heat with a time of 50.18
- seconds, beating the field by .24 seconds. Connor also won a county champion
- ship in the 500 freestyle. The Powers se
- nior had the No. 1 seed time of 5:1 1.70
- in the preliminary round. He won the
- title with a time of 5:04.79.
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Linden wrestlers earn Mt. Morris Tournament victory

By David Troppens

The Linden varsity wrestling team is improving.

And that progress was on display at the Mt. Morris Tournament.

The Eagles won all five of their matches, leaving with the Mt. Morris Tournament championship.

"We wrestled well this weekend," Linden varsity wrestling coach Kyle Summerfield said. "We had some great individual match-ups. Some guys stepped up. Some still have some work to do. We are getting there."

Linden beat Carrollton, Beaverton, Perry and Mt. Morris by a combined score of 253-76, earning a spot in the title match. While there, The Eagles continued their dominance, beating Oscoda 60-17. Perhaps the biggest individual match of the day came during that battle with Oscoda. Uzziah Del gado won his 100th match of his var sity career against No. 2 seeded Andy



Linden's Tyler McCabe (top) had a perfect record at the Mt. Morris Team Tournament. Times photo: David Troppens

Dault by a 5-2 score.

The Eagles had six wrestlers finish with 5-0 days. They were T yler Mc-Cabe, Brenden Shingleton, Jaylon Berry, Jayden Rittenbury , Delgado and Colton Powell. Jordan Asbury and Jimmi Roti had 3-0 records. Mi chael Lescelius and Bryce Shingleton had 4-1 days.

Linden travels to Owosso to take on Lake Fenton and Swartz Creek on Wednesday.



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Marron captures title at Mooney Classic

The Lake Fenton varsity wrestling team competed at the Jim Mooney Classic and had four athletes place.

Zolen Marron and T y Johnson paced the squad, earning champion ships in their weight classes.

Fenton wrestlers post 2-3 record at own meet

The Fenton varsity wrestling team competed against five squads while hosting the Fenton Team Tournament.

The Tigers went 2-3 during the event, earning wins against the All-Stars and Avondale.

Griffins split most recent hockey contests

There has been some good and bad news for the Fenton/Linden varsity hockey squad in recent games.

showing against the Swartz Creek/ Clio/Flushing team, posting a 10-1 victory. However, the Grifins also lost to the FNV Griffins 7-0.

The Griffins had an oustanding Holly girls basketball plays hard, loses to Kearsley

The Holly varsity girls basketball team played the way first-year coach Ben Varner has wanted to see them play all year.

In his mind, Friday night' s contest against Kearsley was the team' s best game of the year.

Holly boys basketball team defeats Hornets, 51-47

The Holly varsity boys basketball team is making a routine out of making comebacks.

For the third straight game, the Bron-

chos trailed in the second half only to earn a victory anyway . This time the win came against the Kearsley Hornets with Holly winning a 51-47 contest.

Horoscopes ARIES Mar 21/Apr 20 Various opportunities may be

coming your way soon, Aries. Some unique business dealings may suddenly provide some options that you never had before.

TAURUS Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, the time has come to focus on the relationships in your life, especially a romantic one. That means spending more time with a spouse or a significant other.

GEMINI May 22/Jun 21

Gemini, after many weeks of trying to solve a difficult problem, you have a classically clever move of inspiration. The time for big changes is now.

CANCER Jun 22/Jul 22

Put some domestic plans in motion. Cancer. Devote extra time this week to fun activities with a son, daughter or another family member. Get creative with ideas.

LEO Jul 23/Aug 23

A wonderful breakthrough occurs when you least expect it, Leo. If you have had real estate on the mind, it could be to that end. Enjoy your well-earned success.

VIRGO Aug 24/Sept 22

Brilliant insight needs an outlet, Virgo. You may have just the thing in a plan for a book, craft project, educational experience, or much more.

LIBRA Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, you are looking for solutions, but you may be focused on short-term fixes instead of looking at the long-term picture. Don't get caught up in the here and now.

SCORPIO Oct 24/Nov 22

Everyone can benefit from a rebranding of sorts, Scorpio. Start jotting down ideas of what you want to accomplish and how to put your best foot forward.

January 20, 2020 SAGITTARIUS

For the week of

Nov 23/Dec 21

It's time to cut through some brain fog that has been preventing you from moving forward, Sagittarius. Start by removing all outside distractions and getting down to business.

CAPRICORN Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, just when you thought your reached your quota for good ideas, you have a eureka moment later this week. Take full advantages of all opportunities that arise from it.

AQUARIUS Jan 21/Feb 18

Don't take a "wait and see" attitude pertaining to your career, Aquarius. You need to grab the bull by the horns and make your own breaks. Don't procrastinate.

PISCES Feb 19/Mar 20

Immerse yourself in a project that taps into the skills that you have long been afraid to develop, Pisces. It's good to push yourself at times.

Blue Devils fall a little short vs. Goodrich Martians

By David Troppens

Lake Fenton's varsity girls basketball team had a solid chance to post a big victory against the Goodrich Martians on Friday night.

But the Blue Devils battled the Mar tians at home but lost a 49-41 verdict.

"You never feel good about losing but if you are going to lose, go out fighting and we went out fighting," Lake Fenton varsity girls basketball coach Brian V anBuren said. "They didn't back down and we played hard, but maybe not always the smartest basketball."

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impressive performances with many body shots, but through the third round, Spencer had connected on just five.

But the body shots weren' t needed. While the fight didn't experience a tre -



Lake Fenton's Christina Lamb looks to pass the ball in a recent game. Times photo: Christopher Summers

mendous amount of activity , Spencer controlled the fight regardless where it was fought. Spencer landed 51 shots at a 29 percent clip while Spring hit on just 20 at 13 percent. When it came to power punches, Spencer held a 44-18 edge.

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PREP REPORT

BOYS SKI

Holly/Oxford def. Flushina:

The Holly/Oxford co-op won both the slalom and giant slalom portions of its event against Flushing. In the giant slalom, Connor Ford had the fastest time of any skier on the hill with a time of 45.82 seconds. His twin brother, Jack Ford was second (45.90). Jacob Denman was seventh (47.57) while Mitchell Tiell was 13th (49.57).

In the slalom, Jack Ford was the victor (53.23) while Connor Ford was second (53.76). Denman was fourth (56.18) and Eric Rank was sixth (1:01.95)**GIRLS SKI**

► Holly/Oxford def. Flushing: The Holly/Oxford girls defeated Flushing in both the giant slalom and the slalom to earn the win. In the giant slalom, Allison Denman led the team with a first-place finish (50.83). Lauren Mauser was third (51.10) while Emma Kerbelis was sixth (53.20). Natalie Nichols had a time of 53.32.

In the slalom, Muser had a second-place time of 1:06.02, followed by Natalie Nichols in third (1:10.34), Denman in fourth (1:11.14) and Kerbelis in sixth (1:13.79) **BOYS BASKETBALL**

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Goodrich 61, Lake Fenton 50: The Martians took a 31-9 lead into halftime and earned the win.

Lake Fenton did win the second half 41-30

Kaleb Siebert had 14 points to lead the Blue Devils while Matt Turgeon had 10 points. Adan Rubio led Goodrich with 20 points while Tyson Davis had 17 points

Linden JV 68, Fenton JV 60: Brandon Green scored 28 points while Lance Barkholz had 22 points in Linden's (5-1) victory. No Fenton scorers were called in.

Fenton Freshman 42, Linden Freshman 34: Colin Weiss led the Eagles with nine points while Tyler Willard had eight points. No scorers were called in for the Tigers. **GIRLS BASKETBALL**

Fenton Freshman 51, Yale 16: Mackenzie Turner and Maddie Slezinski had 10 points each while Grace MacCaughan, Keegan Weddle and Cynthea Isenbarg had six points each.

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Obituaries

Richard W. Stratman

1967-2020 Richard W. Stratman - age 52, of Holly, died suddenly Wednesday, January 15, 2020 at home. Visitation was held Tuesday, January 21, 2020 2 - 8 PM, Brown Funeral Home, 1480 Hill Rd., Grand Blanc Township. A celebration of his life Wednesday, January 22.

2020 12 PM, at the funeral home. Short military honors service for those that would like to attend, 2 PM Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 Belford Rd., Holly. Gathering of family and friends, 3 PM, VFW Post 3243, 1148 North Leroy St., Fenton. Richard was born November 18, 1967 to Diane (Groeneveld) and DuWayne Stratman. He leaves behind his beloved wife of eight years, Ann (Vingco); son, Jesse (Courtney); daughter, Yona; and mother, Diane. The middle of three, he is survived by his sister. Vickie (Rennie) Sawade and brother, Mark Stratman; nieces and nephews, Allison, Courtney, Mark II, Alaric Sawade, Darien Sawade, Katie; greatnieces and nephews, Raelyn, Cade and Layla; and many extended family and close friends. He was preceded in death by his father, DuWayne. Richard was a hard worker who excelled at several different careers. He graduated from Lake Fenton High School in 1987, State Technical Institute in 1990 with state certifications for auto mechanic.



Late 90's, he joined the U. S. Marine Corps and was honorably discharged due to an injury at boot camp. In 1997 and 1998, he completed Fire Fighter Training and served as an on-call Fenton Township Fire Fighter. He worked as an auto mechanic before joining the U. S. Navy in 2000. He was deployed to the Middle East aboard the USS

Enterprise (CVN-65) during Operation Enduring Freedom; aboard the USS Theodore Roosevelt (CVN-71) during Operation Iragi Freedom, supporting the VAQ-141 Shadowhawks squadron EA-6B Prowler aircraft. He served until 2005 supporting the Global War on Terrorism then transitioned to the U. S. Army that year. During his 11 years of Army service, he supported the CH-47 Chinook Helicopters in various battalions stationed in Korea, Honduras, Alabama, Korea (2nd tour), and Hawaii as well as deployed to Afghanistan. He retired as a Staff Sergeant in 2016. Richard and Ann met during his second deployment to Korea and were married in Honolulu in 2011. They resided in Honolulu, HI until moving to Holly. They enjoyed traveling, working on their house and farm, raising their daughter Yona along with several dozen Red Jungle Fowl. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Disabled American Veterans or The Gary Sinise Foundation in Richard's memory.

Franze Andrew Schultz 1944-2020

Franze Andrew Schultz - age 75, of Fenton, died Saturday, January 18, 2020. Services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, January 25, 2020

at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton. Visitation will be held at the funeral home from 12 PM Saturday until the time of the service. A Fenton Eagles memorial service will be held 1:30 PM Saturday at the funeral home. Those desiring may make contributions to the Fenton V.F.W. Curtis Wolverton Post #3243. Franze was born September 9, 1944 in Wayne County, the son of Kenneth and Virginia (Morris) Schultz. He was a veteran and helicopter pilot in the U.S. Army. He married Esther R. Lahti April 7, 1969 in Georgia and she preceded him in death July 1, 2017. He worked in several tool and die shops. Franze was a member of the Fenton V.F.W. Curtis Wolverton Post #3243 and the Fraternal Order of Eagles #2460 in Fenton. He also was a member of the American Legion in Grand Rapids. He enjoyed bowling, golfing, and playing his guitar. Surviving are his children, Evelyn Schultz of CO, Victoria (Douglas) Cameron of Burton, Stacy (Jack) Morlock of Middleville, and Frank (Gayle) Schultz of Sterling Heights; grandchildren, Nicole Schultz of CA, T.J. Hoffman of Nashville, MI, Shauna Hoffman of Hastings, Gavin Schultz of Chicago, IL, and Bareck Schultz of Sterling Heights; greatgrandson, Daxon; sisters, Irma (Larry) Durga of Manistee and Sharon Martin of TN: and several nieces and nephews. He was also preceded in death by his parents: brother. Kenneth Schultz II: and sister, Carolyn Brooks. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Florence 🖪

B. Nagy 1923-2020 Florence B. Nagy - age 96. of Fenton, passed away Sunday, January 19, 2020. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 AM Friday,

January 24,



2020 at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 600 N. Adelaide St., Fenton. Fr. David Harvey celebrant. Interment St. John Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will be held 4 - 8 PM Wednesday, January 22, 2020 and 12 - 8 PM Thursday, January 23, 2020 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton where a rosary will be praved at 7 PM Thursday, January 23. Visitation will also be held 10 AM until the time of Mass Friday at the church. Memorial contributions would be appreciated to St. Vincent De Paul Society. Florence was born September 27, 1923 in Fenton, the daughter of Philip and Belle (Kidder) Foley. She graduated from Fenton High School in 1941. Florence married Julius "Joe" Nagy at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Fenton on January 10, 1948. She was a life long Fenton resident and long time member of St. John Catholic Church. She was employed as a Real Estate Agent with Century 21 in Fenton for 31 years. Florence was also a member of the Genesee County Real Estate Board. She enjoyed baking, cooking, and especially spending time with her family and grandchildren. Surviving are two sons, Steve (Pam) Nagy, Bill (Jody) Nagy; five grandchildren, Joshua (Charlene) Nagy, Dr. Lindsey (Michael Turbyville) Nagy, Aimee (Adam) Shook, Jonathan Nagy, Trevor Martin; three great-grandchildren, Aleksandra, Reagan, and Warner; brother, Max (Marianne) Foley; sisters-in-law, Sandy Foley, Norma Foley; niece, Penny Barclay; and many nieces, nephews and special friends. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Julius "Joe" Nagy; five brothers; and one sister. Those desiring may share online condolences or tributes at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.







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HOLLY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES JANUARY 15, 2020 REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS

Roll Call:	Supervisor Kullis, Cle Trustee Feeney and T	rk Winchester, Treasurer Freeman, rustee Ruth.			
Approved:	Consent Agenda as Amended.				
Approved:	North Holly Road Paving.				
Postponed:	Kurtz Road Bridge.				
Approved:	Holly Township Park Commissioner Appointment.				
Approved:	Regional Transport Authority Millage Opposition –				
	Proposed Resolution	2020-01.			
Approved:	State Bank Authorizat	ion – Proposed Resolution 2020-02.			
Karin S. Winchester Holly Township Clerk		George A. Kullis Holly Township Supervisor			

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