

# Akl faces up to 15 years in prison

■Pleads guilty to an amended charge of manslaughter and felony firearm

By Sharon Stone

A plea hearing was held Thursday, Aug. 13 for Abdurrahman

"Abdu" Ahmed Akl, 19, who was charged with open murder and felony firearm in the fatal shooting of Brady Alan Morris who was 16 when he was shot March 4, 2017.

Akl was 16 on the night of the shooting.

There have been multiple delays in the court hearings and a trial

date.

Akl, now 19, was arrested the night of the shooting and with bond denied, has been in custody at the Genesee Valley Regional Center ever since. He was found competent to stand trial.

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Times file photo of Abdurrahman "Abdu" Ahmed Akl



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## Death of Kent Barnes saddens, shocks Holly area

■Retired Holly schools superintendent, community activist, volunteer dies Aug. 12

By Sharon Stone

The Holly community is mourning the death of Kent Barnes, a former Holly Area Schools superintendent and active community member.



Kent Barnes

Barnes died unexpectedly Wednesday, Aug. 12 at the age of 69.

Barnes retired from his role as superintendent in 2012 but stayed active in the Holly area. Along with his love for students and teaching, he was also active in his grandchildren's lives, and he was a voracious reader and pianist.

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Photo: Hannah Ball

## Firefighters extinguish blaze in Tyrone Township

By Hannah Ball

Four fire departments responded to a fire in Tyrone Township on Thursday, Aug. 13 around 4:30 p.m.

Fenton Township Fire Chief Ryan Volz said the fire started in the garage of a house of Bay of Firth, off of Bennett Lake Road, and spread to the house. Three occupants and a dog were inside at the time, and all got out. One of

the homeowners sustained second-degree burns and was transported to a hospital.

Along with Fenton Township, the fire departments of Fenton City, Linden, and Hartland responded to give mutual aid. Volz said the Michigan State Police will assist the Fenton Township Fire Department in investigating the origin of the fire.

## Clerks' responses to August Primary

■Surge in absentee voting and Democratic ballots

By Hannah Ball

Local clerks reported a high voter turnout for the August Primary and more voters were put on the permanent voter absentee list.

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## Silver Lake Road traffic could be fixed soon

■Proposed development could help reshape, improve Fenway, Poplar intersections

By Hannah Ball

In 2018, Fenton City Council heard information from a traffic study concerning the congestion on Silver Lake Road.

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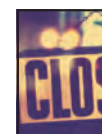
“Whoever owns the service drive between Silver Lake Road and Home Depot needs to address the potholes along there, especially between Fairfield Inn and Financial Plus. Someone not

familiar with the drive could potentially get a blow out if they go fast enough.”



“I would hope with the current record number of accidents on U.S. 23 that the state police and sheriff's office would do a crackdown like they

did on M-59 to make things better. It's turning in a speedway and the accidents follow.”



“Did anyone consider the other business, offices or nearby residents when deciding to close the streets? Wasn't taking over the sidewalk enough?”



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# Divisive drug: hydroxychloroquine

■ A review of the anti-arthritis drug touted by some, dismissed by others for treating COVID-19

By Tim Jagielo

Hydroxychloroquine—a drug that has sewed division in an already electrified social and political environment in summer 2020 and possibly beyond.

Some argue that this drug can save lives in fighting the effects of COVID-19. President Donald Trump said he took it for a while as a preventative measure.

The official word from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) are that of caution with using the drug.

While the debate may not be settled anytime soon, here is a rundown of what is known about it.

## What does this stuff do?

Hydroxychloroquine is an anti-arthritis drug also used to prevent certain strains of malaria caused by



parasites injected by mosquitoes. It's in the quinoline drug class and is an immunosuppressant and anti-parasite drug.

According to the CDC, if used correctly, it can be used in adults, children and pregnant women. People with psoriasis should not take hydroxychloroquine.

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## Just sayin'...

**A**t the risk of revealing what a nerd I really am, one of my favorite pastimes is looking over a big map of the United States and checking out some of the small towns in each state. Even as a child, I marveled at the fact that big towns had not only the biggest dot showing its location, but also an inset map of that city and its inner roadways. What interested me most, however, were the teeny little dots in the middle of nowhere, indicating a very small town.

For years, I have chosen one of those teeny dots and checked that town out online. Today, most every town has a website. And that website features the same things most municipal websites do — information about its government, public meetings, information on properties and property taxes and more. What I really like is learning the history of each of these little towns, the story of their beginnings. And I like learning about what makes that town special, including its festivals and annual events. Every town has a story!

It's my interest in small towns around the country that made me jump at a chance to do something when the opportunity became available.

Before returning to the Tri-County Times in 2015, I saw a letter to the edi-

tor in one of the Sunday editions. It was from an elementary school student in southern California. His class was studying the United States. Each student had to choose a state, collect all the information and items from that state that they could, and present a report at the end of the school year. Wisely, the teacher advised her students to write letters to the editors of every newspaper in their chosen state, explain the school project, and ask for assistance.

I jumped on this. I wrote a letter to the student giving him an overview of our local communities and the many amenities that make us call them home. I also sent

him a current copy of the Times Source Book, which from A-Z contains everything, and I mean everything, anyone wants to know about Fenton, Holly and Linden and the surrounding communities. I sent him a couple of current copies of the Times and some novelties such as a Fenton Tigers sticker, a U of M and MSU pencil, refrigerator magnet of the state of Michigan shaped like a mitten, and some chocolate from Sweet Variations.

Although I did receive a very nice thank you note, I would really have liked to see this student's finished product. But that's okay, Michigan is a beautiful state and his completed assignment was probably the best in the class. It had to be. Just sayin'!

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**AFTER LOOKING AT** the list of symptoms for COVID-19, it is apparent that if you feel anything but normal, you have it. Weird.

■■■

**WOULD YOU WANT** to work in an unsafe environment? No, but I did: as do police, fire, military, manufacturers, farmers, commercial fishers, construction, waste disposal, truckers, miners, highway construction, and iron workers. All doing unsafe, but necessary work. Why should teachers get a pass?

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**HOW DOES A** seatbelt keep a driver in a better position to control a vehicle during an accident? What in the heck are you talking about? That makes zero sense.

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**HONEST QUESTION. SAY** Biden chooses Whitmer as his running mate. Does she have to quit being governor? And if she quits that job and then Biden loses to Trump, does that mean she won't be our governor?

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**THIS WORLD, INCLUDING** the virus, is in God's hands. If He wills life, it will be done and vice versa.

■■■

**I WONDER IF** we will ever be able to believe our media again. I am seriously beginning to doubt everything they say.

Compiled by Hannah Ball, staff reporter — Question asked to Tri-County Times' Facebook followers

## What do you think about Fenton allowing businesses to use the street area to attract customers?

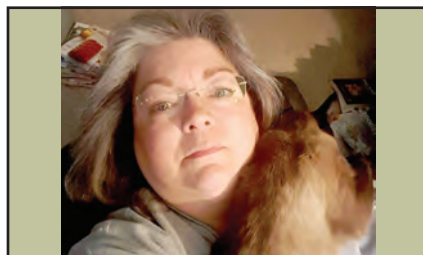
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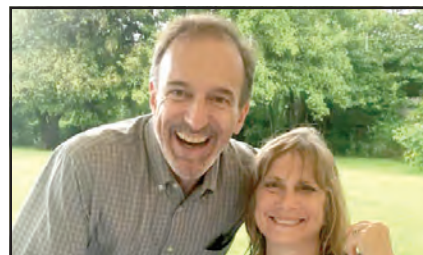
"That's wonderful! In other words, some of these businesses may not survive. While it may be inconvenient for some, we have to get creative with our efforts to maintain a thriving downtown. Best of luck!"

**Heather N Hamilton, Fenton**



"There are other towns locally that have been doing this for over a month or so. This should have been done then. Summer will be over and the restaurants would not have benefited that long."

**Debbie Grucz Hallman, Argentine Twp.**



"Two thoughts: It's pretty hard to get through town, as it is. I wonder why they waited until the end of summer to do this."

**Jon Yinger, Fenton**



"I think it's a terrible idea!! They need to help the residents, not make things worse by bringing in more people and closing the streets."

**Laurie Rice, Fenton**



# Moving forward with faith

■ Powers Catholic High School set to begin classes Aug. 24

Compiled by Sharon Stone

Powers Catholic High School, which serves several tri-county area students, will begin fall classes Aug. 24.

In a letter to parents, Rory Mattar, president of Powers Catholic High School, said, "... just as it has for 50 years, Powers Catholic High School will provide a program for the 2020-2021 school year that demonstrates excellence, and an unmistakable commitment to understanding life through the same lens that allowed St. Paul to make the guarantee of how all things work together."

Mattar said Principal Sally Bartos and the administration team have created several plans for returning to school based on Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's executive orders, along with additional plans if the area experiences changes prior to the start of school and/or after the school year begins.

Powers is working with the Diocese of

Lansing (DOL), which is providing all K-12 DOL schools with guidance and resources to better serve the school's communities.

Currently, Michigan is in Phase 4 as it relates to COVID-19 restrictions, which means schools are allowed to return to school full-time face-to-face with appropriate protocols and safety measures in place.

Mattar said Powers has consulted the CDC Guidelines, and the Genesee County Health Department to assist in developing plans that will help to ensure the safety of students and staff.

Powers has plans in place for full-time face-to-face, part-time blended learning (face-to-face and online learning), and fully online learning, if mandated.

"By God's grace we will persevere and further his mission by spreading the good news while developing Disciples of Christ," Mattar said in his letter.

Mattar added that in the midst of these circumstances, they are confident and prepared to provide our Powers Catholic students with a quality faith-filled education as they have for the past 50 years.

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# Parent survey results about schools reopening

■ As summer continues, parents become more comfortable with schools reopening, surveys show

By Hannah Ball

School starts soon, whether it's in-person instruction or virtual learning. Local school districts administered surveys to parents leading up their reopening plans being announced. Here's what parents said:

## Lake Fenton Community Schools

Parents of Lake Fenton students completed a survey in June. Superintendent Julie Williams said more than 1,600 responded. Of those who responded, more than 1,000 families preferred a full face-to-face return, 346 preferred on-line and 180 preferred a hybrid format.

Another survey will be conducted to determine if any families have changed their preferences.

Lake Fenton Community Schools is

working on a plan to reopen schools with optional face-to-face instruction Monday, Aug. 31.

## Fenton Area Public Schools

Superintendent Adam Hartley said they sent out a survey in July and asked parents if they were contemplating putting their students in online learning.

"This was to help us gain a better understanding of our staffing needs this fall. At that time, we had close to 700 students contemplating virtual learning," he said.

FAPS announced their reopening plans, which includes delaying face-to-face instruction until Oct. 1. Remote learning will begin Aug. 25.

## Linden Community Schools

Surveys conducted by Linden schools show parents are becoming more comfortable with their students returning to school this fall, but the majority say they are not comfortable with face-to-face instruction for students. In a May 29 survey, 88 percent of parents out of 796

responses said they were uncomfortable with in-person learning and would prefer a 100-percent virtual/online model. In a July 16 survey, 72 percent of parents out of 1,530 responses said they were uncomfortable with face-to-face instruction and would prefer a 100-percent virtual/online model.

On May 29, when asked if they were comfortable sending students back for full-time, face-to-face instruction without any social distancing standards, 66 percent of parents out of 819 responses said yes, 20 percent said only with social distancing measures in place, and 14 percent said no.

On July 16, when asked if they intend to have their child attend face-to-face instruction with social distancing, 63 percent said yes out of 1,530 responses. Additional surveys showed a majority of parents preferred a blended approach with virtual and in-person instruction. In July, when asked if their student has access to the internet, 93 percent said yes, and when asked if they had a device to do schoolwork on, 83 percent said yes.

The start date for Linden Community Schools is Monday, Aug. 24. Options include in-person learning for grades Y5-8 and a hybrid approach, which combines in-person and virtual learning, for grades 9-12. Another option is 100-percent virtual.

## Holly Area Schools

Parents were asked if they were interested in virtual learning or in-person learning for their children, said Superintendent Scott Roper. The survey, conducted in late June going into July, was only meant to gauge interest in options and plan accordingly. Approximately 62 percent were interested in in-person schooling and 38 percent were interested in a 100 percent virtual option.

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## 103<sup>rd</sup> birthday celebration



Harry Reppuhn of Grand Blanc celebrated his 103<sup>rd</sup> birthday Aug. 14. He is a resident of Abbey Park, an independent senior living complex in Grand Blanc Township. He and Lulu Reppuhn had been married 80 years before she passed away in July 2018. Kathy Felix, director of Abbey Park, said Harry is amazing, funny, sweet and "so spry."

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**WHEN THE GOING** gets tough, the tough get going. When the going gets tough, the weak hide out in their basement. Which one would you call a leader?

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**SO, THE PRESIDENT** passed an economic package to help people and the Democrats are whining as usual because they didn't get their way. Really?

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Clerk Debbie Miller will be on duty to verify residency and/or property ownership. Fire department personnel will be there to assist with loading materials into the dumpsters. Propane tanks will **NOT** be accepted. No barrels, gas or fuel oil tanks, stumps, brush or concrete will be accepted. Paint cans must be empty or filled with sand or cat litter. Each household will be permitted four (4) car tires; additional tires will be accepted at a price of \$4.00 per tire and \$25.00 per tire for tractor or large truck tires.

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Bags for cleaning roadsides will be available at the Rose Township Offices, 9080 Mason Street, Holly, Michigan beginning September 1, 2020 until September 24, 2020 and also at the clean-up day location on clean-up day.

Residents may call 248-634-8701 with any questions.

Debbie Miller, MMC, MiPMC  
 Rose Township Clerk

## AKL

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On Thursday, Aug. 13, Akl was in Genesee County Circuit Court, accompanied by his defense attorney Frank Manley. Morris' family also was in the courtroom.

Through a plea agreement between prosecution and defense, Akl pleaded guilty to an amended charge of manslaughter rather than open murder. Manslaughter carries a sentence of up to 15 years in prison and/or \$7,500 in fines. Akl also pleaded guilty to felony firearm, which carries a mandatory two years imprisonment.

If Akl had been found guilty as charged for open murder and felony firearm, he could have faced life in prison.

With this agreement, there will be no trial or further testimony.

Since Akl has been in custody since the night of the shooting, or approximately three years, five months, he would be credited those days already served to go toward the two-year mandatory sentence for felony firearm.

Circuit Court Judge David Newblatt told Akl that whatever number of days is left over beyond the two years would go toward his sentence in manslaughter.

### Night of the shooting

The Genesee County Sheriff's deputies and Fenton police responded to Akl's home at 14170 Moffett Dr. on Lake Fenton in Fenton Township at approximately

11 p.m. on March 4, 2017 in response to a 911 call regarding a male with a gunshot wound to the head.

Akl was immediately taken into custody. A semi-automatic Glock pistol was found on the front porch and secured by police.

The two teens, who were reportedly friends, were alone on the first floor of the residence when the shooting occurred. Other members of Akl's family and one other guest were on the second and third floors.

According to the autopsy report, it appears that Morris was shot from behind at point blank range on the top left side of his head.

The initial 911 call, which was placed by Akl, and backseat police car footage was played during pretrial motions in district court in spring of 2018. It featured a "hysterical" Akl begging for "suicide by cop," and screaming at the 911 dispatcher, "I literally killed my friend."

### Akl responds at plea hearing

During his plea hearing Thursday, Aug. 13, Akl told the judge that Morris, who was living with the Akls, was "my best friend. I knew him from school."

Akl told the judge that he and Morris had been playing around with the gun. Akl also admitted to smoking marijuana that night. They would take turns shooting. "I thought the gun was empty. I loved Brady. It went off and I realized it was loaded," he said.

One round had been in the chamber. "He was my best friend. It hurt me. It hurt my family," he said.

Despite having used guns in the past, Akl acknowledged that on the night of the fatal shooting he had not checked the chamber to see if it was empty.

Newblatt set sentencing for Sept. 4 at 9 a.m.

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## LOOKING BACK at this week in **HISTORY**

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### AUG. 16

**1896:** While salmon fishing near the Klondike River in Canada's Yukon Territory, George Carmack reportedly spots nuggets of gold in a creek bed. His lucky discovery sparks the last great gold rush in the American West.

### AUG. 17

**1969:** The Woodstock Music & Art Fair draws to a close after three days of peace, love and rock 'n' roll in upstate New York.

### AUG. 18

**1984:** The serial burglar and rapist known as "the Fox" breaks into a house and physically assaults a girl, her boyfriend and the girl's brother near the village of Brampton, England.

### AUG. 19

**1909:** The first race is held at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, now the home of the world's most famous motor racing competition, the Indianapolis 500.

### AUG. 20

**1619:** The arrival of the enslaved Africans in the New World marks a beginning of two and a half centuries of slavery in North America.

### AUG. 21

**1959:** President Dwight D. Eisenhower signs a proclamation admitting Hawaii into the Union as the 50th state.

### AUG. 22

**1864:** The Geneva Convention of 1864 for the Amelioration of the Condition of the Wounded and Sick of Armies in the Field is adopted by 12 nations meeting in Geneva.

Source: history.com

## When should you start receiving Social Security benefits?

■ Decision is personal, based on individual and family circumstances

Submitted by Vonda Van Til

We're often asked, "What's the best age to start receiving retirement benefits?" The answer is: there's not a single "best age" for everyone. The most important thing is to make an informed decision. Base your decision about when to apply for benefits on your individual and family circumstances.

Would it be better for you to start getting benefits early with a smaller monthly amount for more years, or wait for a larger monthly payment over a shorter timeframe? The answer is personal and depends on several factors, such as your current cash needs, your current health, and your family longevity. You should also consider plans to work in retirement and other sources of retirement income. Most importantly, study your future financial needs and obligations, and calculate your future Social Security benefit.

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Our new retirement portal is more user-friendly and easier to navigate, whether you're ready to learn about, apply for, or manage your retirement benefits. The redesigned portal will make it easier for you to find and read about retirement benefits, with fewer pages and clearer information. We condensed and rewrote most of the pages to make them easier to understand. The portal is compatible for use on mobile devices so you can learn and do what you want from wherever you want.

**Our retirement webpage has information including:**

- Retirement Publications
- Benefit Calculators
- Retirement benefits estimates
- Full retirement age information
- Spouse benefits

Access resources at [ssa.gov/benefits/retirement](https://ssa.gov/benefits/retirement).

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## HOT LINE CONTINUED

■■■  
**HAVE YOU NOTICED** that every time our governor makes a ridiculous decision for us Michigan citizens, it's usually tied to a meeting with Biden. We think she is auditioning for the VP job and trying to see how bad she can be to fit in with Biden's team.

■■■  
**AT LEAST PRESIDENT** Trump has the guts to face reporters face to face. Governor Whitmer has locked reporters out of her press briefings.

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## DRUG

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Side effects include stomach pain, nausea and vomiting. According to drugs.com, more serious side effects can include permanent heart damage when interacting with other medications, and blindness.

### Why are hospitals trying it?

According to CNBC, some hospitals have tried it as an “off label” treatment, meaning it’s not FDA approved.

There have been studies reaching positive conclusions about the drug working in non-clinical, non-controlled trials, such as one in France from March of this year, and one shared by Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit recently.

### The discussion on efficacy

The French study has since been dismissed for its methodology by organizations such as the Department of Clinical Epidemiology, Leiden University Medical Center, in The Netherlands and shared by The International Journal of Microbial Agents, and The National Center for Biotechnology Information.

The New England Journal of Medicine reported in June that the drug works no better than a placebo, according to its study.

The widely published Henry Ford study, which claimed that the malaria drug could prevent COVID deaths, was

not accepted by Dr. Anthony Fauci, the White House infectious disease expert. “The Henry Ford Hospital study that was published was a non-controlled retrospective cohort study that was confounded by a number of issues, including the fact that many people who were receiving hydroxychloroquine were also using corticosteroids, which we know from another study gives a clear benefit in reducing deaths with advanced disease,” Fauci said before members of Congress in late July.

He said he would rather rely on placebo-controlled “gold standard” studies, and said he would support the drug if benefits were yielded from such studies.

In an Aug. 3 open letter, Henry Ford scientists said that their facility was an early hotspot for the COVID-19 pandemic. “We have seen and lived its devastating effects alongside our patients and families,” the letter read.

Henry Ford defended and explained its methodology, essentially pointing out that there’s little time for ideal test situations in a pandemic.

“Our promising Henry Ford treatment study should be considered as another important contribution to the other studies of hydroxychloroquine that describes what the authors found in our patient population. We – along with all doctors and scientists – eagerly support the need for randomized clinical trials,” the letter read.

## HOT LINE CONTINUED

**A ‘TRUE AND** traditional Democrat’ absolutely does have someone to vote for in November: Joe Biden. A Trump-supporting troll, on the other hand, might very well submit a Hot line suggesting that true Democrats have no one to vote for.

**QUESTION TO THE** person who doesn’t want to wear a mask. Don’t surgeons manage to breathe through masks while performing multiple-hour-long surgeries? Masks are effective in reducing the spread of COVID-19, and they do not restrict your ability to breathe.

**TO THE PERSON** who sideswiped my red pickup truck in The Home Depot’s parking lot on Aug. 12. Thanks for causing me to spend loads of money to get it fixed because you did not have the decency to at least leave a note.

**KAMALA HARRIS. WHAT** a fake. Yes, I’d love to elect our first female to the White House, however, she is the correct one. Have you honestly checked out her stance and policies on important topics? Are you only listening to CNN? Scary.

**SOMEONE WROTE, ‘GREAT** job, Gretchen, monitoring the Raft Off in Lake St. Clair.’ I wasn’t aware that local law enforcement was part of the governor’s job description.

**ABSOLUTELY VIAL. THE** First Amendment is dead. Biden introducing Harris press conference and every cable news and the major networks carry it. Fifteen minutes after it’s over, the president of the U.S.A. press conference and it is only carried by Fox News. I am ticked off and not going to take it anymore.

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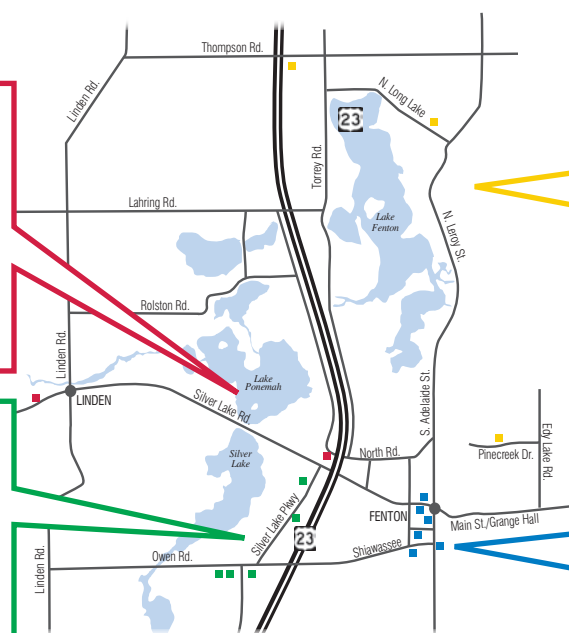
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- Beale Street Smokehouse\*
- Little Rose Café & Tea Room

## REGION 1

OWEN RD | SILVER PARKWAY

- Big Apple Bagels
- Jersey Mike's Subs
- La Marsa
- Pita Way
- Tropical Smoothie



## REGION 3

FENTON RD | THOMPSON RD

- Fenton Winery & Brewery\*
- Legends Sports Café
- Wellbridge of Fenton

(A stamp at the Traveling Taste Photobooth earns you another entry in the Grand Prize Drawing)

## REGION 2

DOWNTOWN FENTON | ADELAIDE

- Andiamo
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- Crust
- El Topo\*
- Fenton House
- The Laundry\*
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**Jersey Mike's Subs**

1. #7 Turkey & Provolone (1 ticket)
2. #8 Club Sub (1 ticket)
3. #13 Original Italian (1 ticket)
4. #16 Chicken Philly (1 ticket)
5. #17 Famous Philly (1 ticket)

**La Marsa**

1. Deboned Chicken Mixed, Rice & Hummus (2 tickets)
2. Fattous (1 ticket)
3. Baklava (1 ticket)

**Pita Way**

1. Hummus w/ Pita Chips or Bread (1 ticket)
2. Garlic w/ Pita Chips or Bread (1 ticket)
3. Rice Bowl w/ Lamb (2 tickets)
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1. Coconut Chicken (2 tickets)
2. Meatball Bites (2 tickets)
3. Penne Pasta (1 ticket)

**Crust**

1. Hummingbird Cake (2 tickets)
2. Fruit Pie (2 tickets)
3. Lemon Ricotta Pan Cake (2 tickets)
4. Everything Garlic Bread Stick w/ Marinara (1 ticket)

**El Topo**

1. Cheese Quesadilla (2 tickets)
2. Chips, Queso & Pico (2 tickets)
3. Tres Leche (2 tickets)

**Fenton House**

1. Breadsticks (1 ticket)
2. Mostaccioli – Marinara (2 tickets)
3. Mostaccioli – Meatsauce (2 tickets)
4. Potstickers (2 tickets)
5. Meatballs (2 tickets)

**The Laundry**

1. Artie Dip (2 tickets)
2. Fried Green Tomato (2 tickets)
3. No. 53 Pizza Pie (2 tickets)

**Pitboss Smokehouse***(Food truck located at the Chamber)*

1. 5 Cheese Mac w/ Brisket (2 tickets)
2. Asian Pork Taco (2 tickets)
3. Red Cabbage / Apple Slaw (1 ticket)
4. Loaded Pork Nacho (2 tickets)
5. BBQ Pork (1 ticket)

**REGION 3**

FENTON RD | THOMPSON RD

**Fenton Winery & Brewery**

1. Golden Ticket Pizza (2 tickets)
2. Farmer's Market Pizza (2 tickets)
3. Lasagna Roll (2 tickets)
4. Root Beer Float (1 ticket)
5. Quinoa Lettuce Wrap (2 tickets)

**Legends Sports Café**

1. Pizza by the Slice (1 ticket)
2. Chicken Wings (2 tickets)

**Wellbridge of Fenton**

1. Pulled Pork (2 tickets)
2. Brie Berry Tarte (1 ticket)
3. Beverage (1 ticket)

**REGION 4**

NORTH RD | SILVER LAKE RD.

**Beale St. Smokehouse BBQ**

1. One Rib (1 ticket)
2. Pulled Pork Slider (2 tickets)
3. Corn Bread (1 ticket)
4. Baked Beans (1 ticket)

**Little Rose Café & Tea Room**

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## ADVANCE DIRECTIVES: WHEN TO PREPARE

Bart Buxton  
President/CEO, McLaren Health Management Group

Part four of five-part series

Health can change and decline at any time, which is why it is crucial your family and loved ones understand your end-of-life wishes well ahead of time. Advance directives should be created to ensure you receive the care you want during a medical emergency. However, in times of medical emergency, advance directives cannot cover all possible medical crises. For this reason, you should also name a patient advocate in your advance directives to speak on your behalf. Advance directives are important for all adults – especially those with degenerative diseases and those changing residences. When should you prepare?

### When diagnosed with a degenerative disease

A crucial time to establish advance directives is if you are diagnosed with a degenerative disease. It is important to establish these advance directives when you are initially diagnosed and have the capacity to complete the documents. When establishing advance directives, be sure to indicate where you would like to receive treatment, express what kind of pain management you would like, determine what “quality of life” means to you, and indicate what types of life-sustaining treatments you would like to receive. You should also name a patient advocate to voice your end-of-life wishes when you are incapable of doing so yourself.

### When changing residences

Another important time to have advance directives established is if you are changing residences, such as from your home to an assisted living facility. If you are hospitalized without advance directives or a patient advocate, probate court may become involved to establish a guardian to make medical decisions on your behalf. This can cause undue stress such as delayed treatment, and your guardian will make decisions on your behalf without knowing your wishes. To avoid this from happening, share your advance directives with your primary care physician, family, loved ones and medical staff, so they can be sure of your wishes regarding medical and end-of-life care.

By having advance directives established, you can ensure you are not leaving your loved ones and family with tough decisions or unaware of the treatment you would want to receive in case of emergency or at the end of life.

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## TRAFFIC

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The study, completed by Progressive AE, gave four traffic points a failing grade and found that more than 20,000 vehicles passed through Silver Lake Road, near the U.S. 23 intersections, every day.

The movement of the two U.S. 23 entrance/exit ramps at Silver Lake Road nearest the Elections store operates at a level of service (LoS) of F. The eastbound traffic movement on Silver Lake Road at LeRoy Street operates at a LoS of E, and the eastbound left-turn movement on Silver Lake Road at LeRoy Street operates at a LoS of E.

City Manager Lynn Markland said it's not a timing issue with the traffic lights — the issue is that the lights are placed too close together. He hopes a new development, planned to start construction later this summer, will fix this issue.

Earlier in 2020, the Times reported that the Fenton Planning Commission approved a site plan for a company called Clearpath Provision Living of Fenton to build an assisted living facility and memory care facility at 440 N. Fenway Dr., immediately north of McDunnough, Inc.

As part of the site plan review, they were approved for an easement to build a road that will stem from Fenway Drive and go to Poplar Street, which would bypass the Fenway Drive and Silver Lake Road intersection.

In the 2018 study, the Fenway Drive intersection was considered the worst intersection.

With Poplar Street continuing past Silver Lake Road and connecting to Fenway Drive, that intersection at Silver Lake Road will become a four-way

intersection. The light at Fenway Drive and Silver Lake Road will be taken out, and motorists on Fenway will only be able to turn left onto Silver Lake Road, Markland said.

This will create more space between lights and the highway intersections, Markland said.

Traffic in the industrial park would be directed to Poplar instead of heading to Silver Lake Road through Fenway.

Markland said these plans were approved during the stay-at-home order enacted before the pandemic began.

According to Justin Sprague, vice president of CIB Planning, the city of Fenton's planning consultants, special land use was required under the

General Business District, Planned Unit Development (GBD PUD) zoning for adult/senior housing facilities.

If ultimately approved, the 42,688-square-foot facility will be constructed on the 7.9-acre site, per a press release from Provision Living.

It will feature 40 assisted living and 16 memory care apartments.

Each assisted living and memory care community will contain the following: private studio, one-bedroom, and two-bedroom options with kitchenette; full bath; individual heating and cooling system; and Wi-fi and cable. Community amenities will include restaurant-style dining serving three daily meals, weekly housekeeping and laundry services, social and recreational activities, and trained staff on call 24/7. There will also be a beauty salon, movie theater, large common spaces, outdoor courtyard, and a dining room.

**City Manager Lynn Markland said it's not a timing issue with the traffic lights — the issue is that the lights are placed too close together.**



Traffic on Silver Lake Road, near Fenway, regularly becomes congested due to the U.S. 23 exits and entrances and multiple intersections with traffic lights. This problem could be fixed soon. This photo was taken during rush hour on Thursday, Aug. 13. Photo: Hannah Ball





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## NOTES OF THANKS

### Fish Lake Road to close Aug. 18

The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) expects to close Fish Lake Road between Fenton and Houser roads in Rose Township for a culvert removal and replacement (culvert is located just north of Fenton Road) on Tuesday, Aug. 18. The closure will last one day. Access to all homes and businesses in the closed section will be maintained during the closure. The detour for through traffic is Fenton Road to Hickory Ridge Road to Houser Road, back to Fish Lake Road and vice versa. Fish Lake Road from Fenton to Elliot Road in Rose/Holly townships will be resurfaced this year. The date for that work will be announced soon. This section of Fish Lake Road carries approximately 2,180 vehicles per day.

### HOT LINE CONTINUED

**FELLOW DEMOCRATS, THE** Democrat Party, especially at the federal level has been hijacked by liberal socialists whose goal is for the government to have total control over everyone's property, education, healthcare, employment and finances. How's that type of government working for the Chinese people? Their message is frightening.

**YOU KEEP BASHING** the state for having state workers receive \$600 in weekly unemployment. The state is only playing the game as created by the feds in the CARES Act stimulus package. I don't like Whitmer either, but be honest: it's a federal scam, not a state scam.

**ANYONE HESITANT ABOUT** returning to school should listen to the radio interview with an elementary principal from Jackson public schools. She said 75 percent of her kids returned and things are going quite well.

**SAFE. IT'S A** word I'm tired of hearing. Safe means no risk, no progress, no innovation, and no fun. Safe means afraid. Was it safe to declare independence from Great Britain? Was it safe to storm the beaches of Normandy? Life is about calculated risks. Let us live our lives.

**GREAT TO SEE** Lake Fenton football practicing. It feels good to see some back to normal.

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HOT LINE CONTINUED

RECENTLY, PRESIDENT TRUMP eliminated the AFFH rule, started by Obama that would force suburban/residential areas to build more low-income housing. Biden/Harris stated that they will reinstate this rule that will, unfortunately, lower property values and home prices while increasing crime and less attractive neighborhoods.

THOSE WHO KEEP saying they're voting for Biden need to start investigating Kamala Harris because she will be president. I'll be surprised if Biden can make it a few years.

PRESIDENT TRUMP IS the only thing stopping the rest of the country from becoming Seattle, Portland or Chicago and a host of other cities that are on fire and led by Democratic fools.

PEOPLE HAVE DIED for the idea of freedom and we are willing to destroy our whole country out of fear for a virus that 99 percent of us will survive. To paraphrase Ben Franklin — those who would trade liberty for safety deserve neither.

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## CLERKS

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The Genesee County Election Division has the unofficial numbers posted at [gc4me.com](http://gc4me.com). Here's what local clerks said about the election.

### Fenton Township

Thomas Broecker, Fenton Township deputy clerk/operations manager, said the Primary went "very smoothly."

Turnout was about 35 percent, more than double compared to numbers in the 2016 August Primary. There was a surge in absentee voting, and Broecker said he was surprised at the number of people that still voted in person. Approximately 200 more people voted in person this year compared to 2016. Broecker said 3,335 voted by absentee ballot (68.5 percent of the votes cast) and 1,543 voted in person (31.5 percent).

Workers wiped down the booths in between voters, and they used clear vinyl barriers along the tables.

"The workers did a great job. The voters were cooperative. I can't say anything bad about the day," Broecker said.

The results show that 2,257 (46 percent) Republican ballots were cast and 2,350 (48 percent) Democrat ballots were cast in the Fenton Township August Primary. Broecker attributes this to the fact that there were five contested Democratic races compared to one contested Republican race on the Fenton Township ballot.

However, he thinks the main reason is because the state sent absentee voter applications to all registered voters. Michigan also has no-reason absentee voting as of 2018. Before this election, the township had 1,262 voters on the permanent absent voter list, and now there's 3,852.

### Fenton City

Sue Walsh, Fenton clerk, said voter turnout was 25.59 percent.

"Everyone was very respectful and

patient with wearing masks, social distancing and longer lines," she said.

### Argentine Township

Denise Graves, Argentine Township clerk, said the primary went "well." It took extra precautions and extra planning due to the pandemic and

surge in absentee voting, but Graves doesn't report any problems. Of the approximate 1,430 absentee vote applications that were requested, only about 1,300 were returned.

She doesn't know the exact voter turnout rate yet.

Argentine Township also saw a surge of Democratic voters as well, which Graves attributed to more contested races on the Democratic ballot compared to the Republican ballot. For example, three Democrats were on the Democratic ticket for the Genesee County sheriff's race.

**“Since substantially more voters voted in this election than the primary four years ago, that may account for the increase in Democratic voter turnout.”**

**Marcella Husted**  
Tyrone Township clerk

### Tyrone Township

Marcella Husted, clerk of Tyrone Township, said, "The primary election went very well. Election workers were provided with personal protective equipment including vinyl barriers between them and voters which helped keep them as safe as possible. Most voters entering the polling locations were very courteous and wore face masks."

Voter turnout was approximately 35 percent compared to around 15 percent for August 2016 due to an increase in absent voter ballots.

"Since substantially more voters voted in this election than the primary four years ago, that may account for the increase in Democratic voter turnout," Husted said. "I was surprised at how many voters voted by absentee ballot. Voters generally felt very comfortable with the process. We thoroughly explained the absent voter process to anybody who had questions or concerns to make sure they understood how safe and secure it is to vote by mail."

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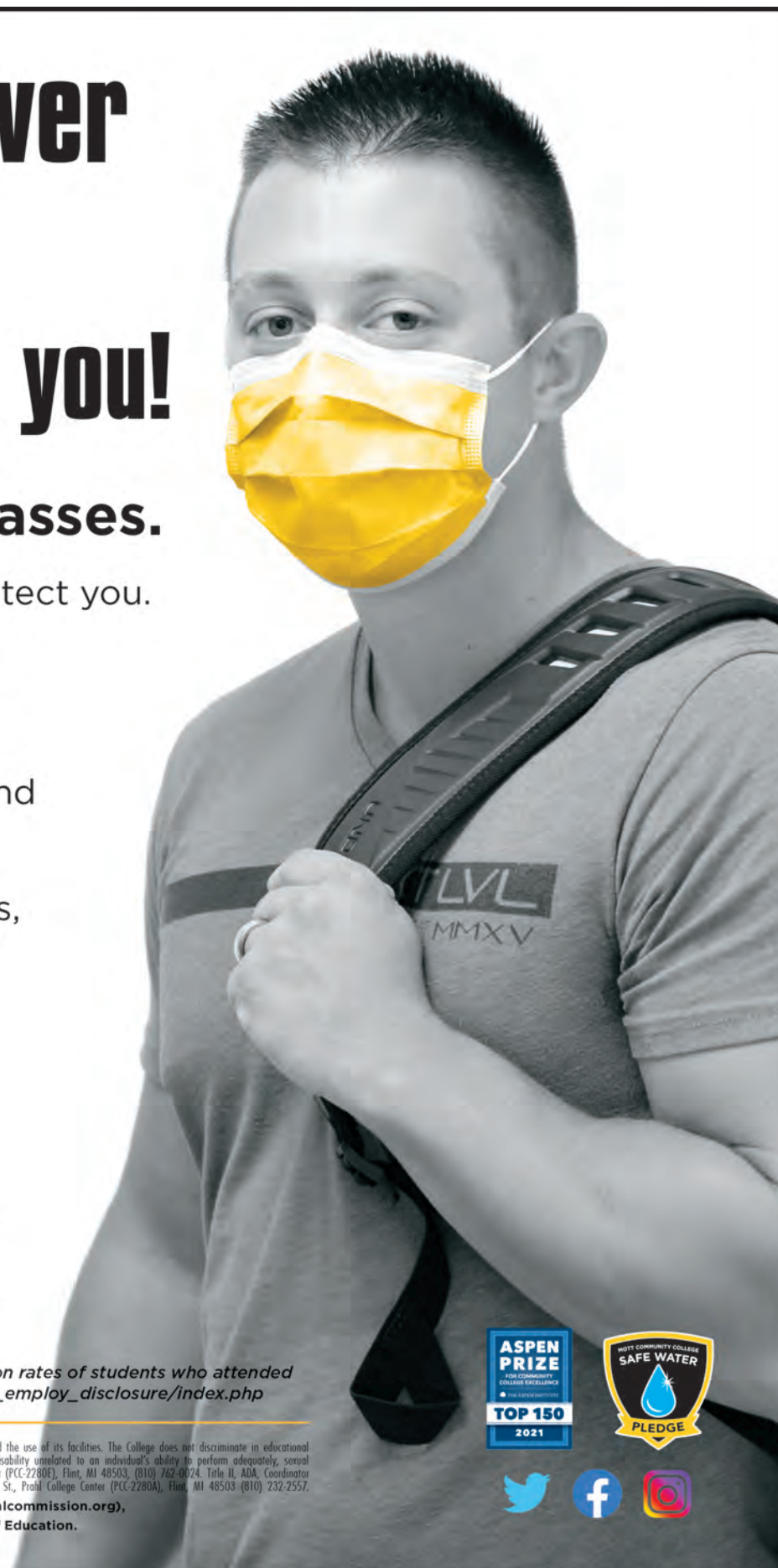


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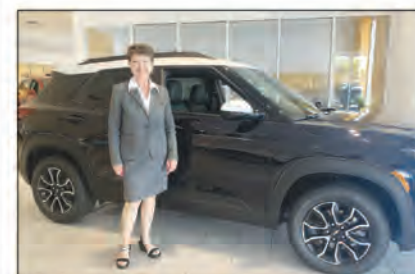


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## 60 years of ski shows

■ Silver Lake Ski Club isn't letting pandemic slow down their training, teaching

By Sharon Stone

Since 1960, skiers have been entertaining Fenton and the surrounding communities with free ski shows at Silver Lake Park in Fenton and competing in show-ski tournaments around the United States.

Despite the COVID-10 pandemic, the ski club pushes forward with their dedicated skiers and club members.

Russ Fortin, president of the Silver Lake Ski Club Board of Directors, said the pandemic has been a mixed blessing for the ski club. Since they

are not able to perform their weekly shows on Silver Lake, the club is focusing more on teaching the younger skiers. "We've come a long way," he said. "We never had the time for that with the shows."

The show team has approximately 50 skiers, but that number changes weekly. Fortin said new people are regularly showing interest in joining the team.

The junior team has approximately 20 skiers who are learning everything during their weekly practices.

Fortin said most people in the ski club are from the Fenton and Linden area, however, there are a few from Brighton, Ann Arbor and Birmingham.

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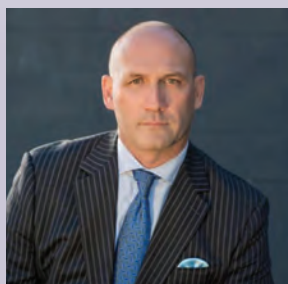
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The ski club is funded through membership dues and a variety of business sponsors. **Submitted photo**

## SKI SHOWS

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The show team practices three days per week and the junior team practices on Wednesdays. Fortin said the club is allowed to use a portion of the Silver Lake Beach, which is owned by the city. "The city's been amazing to work with," he said.

For competitions and shows, Fortin said they strive for diversity of acts. Right now, they do not have any wakeboard acts, but they would like to add that if any wakeboarders are interested.

Fortin joined the ski club five years ago when he and his wife, Ellen, moved to Fenton Township. They are both airline pilots and Fortin said with that occupation they could live anywhere. Those chose this area because of the Silver Lake Ski Club. He said Ellen grew up skiing in Ohio.

"It's a fun activity," he said. In addition to time on the water, Fortin

said much time is spent training indoors throughout the year.

He hopes their 1-year-old daughter will enjoy skiing as much as they do.

In addition to skiers, the club has a show director, boat drivers, costume makers and more.

The ski club is funded through membership dues and a variety of business sponsors. Fortin said they were concerned about sponsorships because of the pandemic, however, the businesses have "stuck with us."

The club is always looking for new skiers and individuals who want to work behind the scenes. They look forward to continued training and competitions in 2021.

"We're always looking for skiers and sponsors," he said. "You get hooked. We're looking for people who share our passion."

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# Sports Times

## Lund leads our boys basketball team again

By David Troppens

Call it the Tri-County Triple Play. Linden star prep boys basketball player Blake Lund has been the area's top player ever since he joined the Eagles' varsity squad.

His freshman season, Lund averaged 16 points a game and was named 2018 Tri-County Boys Basketball Player of the Year honor.

During his sophomore season, Lund only got better. Helping lead the Eagles to a Flint Metro League title, he averaged 15.8 points a game, nailing 43 percent of his shots. He also collected 3.4 assists a contest. Of course, he ended the season as a two-time Tri-County Boys Basketball Player of the Year award.

So what did Lund do his junior season? His performances took off dramatically. His season scoring average jumped to 23.0 points per a game, doing it by nailing 72 three-pointers at a 42 percent clip. While averaging 23 points a game, he was extremely unselfish, collecting 4.0 assists a game. He also grabbed 4.5 rebounds and 2.5 steals a contest, helping the Eagles to an 18-2 regular season record while earning the Flint Metro League Stripes Division title with a perfect 10-0 mark. So when it came to deciding who the 2020 Tri-County Boys Basketball

Player of the Year is going to be, the choice was obvious. Lund has earned the honor for a third straight season.

"It was the most connected team I've ever been with," Lund said. "We had a lot of close guys with very little separation if at all. Everyone knew each other and liked each other and that made the season more enjoyable. We went 18-2, that's a great season."

"Obviously, my scoring ability made a big jump. I averaged nine to 10 more points a game and my assists made a big jump too. ... Each year, my on-ball defense has gotten better. This year I played against bigger guys, but it was a challenge I was willing to take and I did pretty good in my eyes."

"Skill-wise he improved," Linden varsity boys basketball coach Chris Root said. "He got better with his ball-handling and with his decision making, finishing at the rim better. He

did a great job taking quality shots. ... I think everything came together. His skills improved, he's now a third-year player so he was more confident and he just took off."

The only low-point to the season for Lund and the entire Eagles' squad had to do with something Lund couldn't impact — the COVID-19 pandemic ending the season early.

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Linden's Blake Lund has been the Tri-County Times's Boys Basketball Player of the Year for three straight seasons.

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## ALL TRI-COUNTY BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

### Player of the Year

Blake Lund

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Lund has won our honor each of his first three years playing prep basketball for Linden. He averaged 23 points, 4.5 rebounds and four rebounds a game during the 2019-20 season.

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KENT BARNES

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Barnes, in a 2012 interview with the Times, said he knew he wanted to be a superintendent after years of teaching and being a principal at elementary,

middle and high schools. He had been a superintendent for 19 years, 14 of those years in Holly.

When Barnes retired, he said he would miss the people — the staff and students — the most.

In his 2012 interview, Barnes said, “I feel I have been privileged to have worked in the Holly Area Schools district for the past 14 years. Our area has become home, and I look forward to the upcoming months and years living in the area watching our granddaughters attend our school system and being a part of local civic groups.”

Also, anyone who knew Barnes has heard his rich, radio-ready voice. He

had experience in broadcasting and expressed interest in doing radio work again.

In a 2013 interview with the Times, Barnes said he was most proud of his role in bringing the community and the school system closer together. “There’s a lot of good things going on,” he said. “There’s a lot of good people in this community, there’s a lot of good people in this school district and I’m just proud to be a part of it.”

Former school board president Tony Mayhew said Barnes was a giant in the greater Holly community, and he leaves behind a gaping hole in the hearts of all who knew and loved him.

“As a neighbor of Kent’s for 16 years, and having served as HAS school board president for six, I got to know Kent’s true character,” Mayhew said. “Everything he did for Holly Area Schools was done with great thought and commitment. From his early morning road checks in the winter to his weekly visits to all of the schools, he gave staff and students alike the opportunity to know him.”

Mayhew said Barnes always made them smile, and he was one of a kind. “He was caring, kind, sincere, and funny – the whole package,” Mayhew said. “There is no doubt, the community of Holly will never forget Kent and everything he did for us.”

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# 1984 Tigers' bullpen led team through mid-August

By David Troppens

*Editor's note: The Major League Baseball season has started, but the sports staff is going to continue to remember the 1984 season within our publication. Enjoy.*

As the 1984 Detroit Tigers left Boston after a five-game series over a span of just three days, the Tigers were a wounded squad.

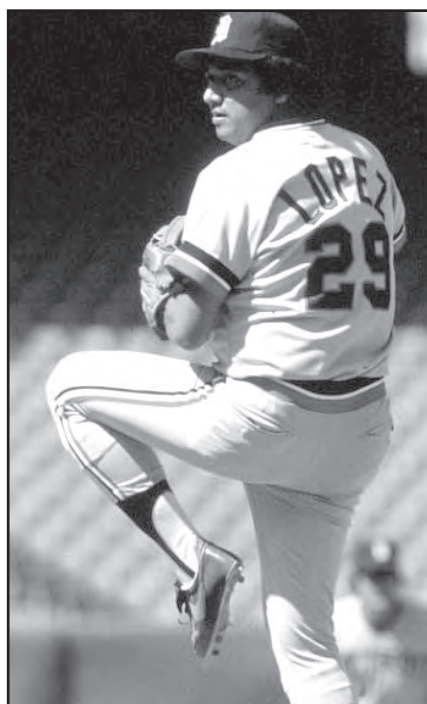
After losing to Boston 8-0 on Aug. 8, the Tigers held a 3-9 record over their last 12 games but the tide was about to turn again. The Tigers were about to finish an eight-game road trip with three games against the Kansas City Royals, and Detroit righted the ship once again, winning all three games.

The first win didn't come easy, but the Tigers won a 5-4 verdict in the Friday night affair. Dan Petry pitched 6 1/3 innings of shaky ball and then gave way to the bullpen with the contest tied at 4-all. The Tigers took the lead on Rupert Jones's solo home run in the eighth inning, while reliever Aurelio Lopez earned the victory in relief. Willie Hernandez pitched a shutout ninth inning, earning his 25th save of the season.

The next two victories came a tad easier. Jack Morris struggled in the Saturday contest, but Detroit's offense was strong, giving him a 9-2 lead at one time during the game. Larry Herndon, Lance Parrish and Kirk Gibson each hit home runs while Alan Trammell collected four hits.

The bullpen duo of Lopez and Hernandez were masterful in the third victory as well. Detroit scored four runs in the first inning and Milt Wilcox pitched a strong game for six innings, sparking an 8-4 Tigers' victory. The Royals did score three runs against Wilcox in the seventh, but Lopez and Hernandez combined to pitch three innings of shut-out ball, earning the victory.

Lopez and Hernandez had outstanding seasons, particularly Hernandez and his nearly impossible-to-hit screwball, eventually earning him the American League Most Valuable Player and the American League Cy Young Award winner. Combined, Lopez and Hernandez combined to pitch in 151 games and



While many people remember Willie Hernandez's performances from the bullpen during the 1984 Detroit Tigers' season, sometimes people forget how valuable Aurelio Lopez was to the pen. He had a 10-1 record with 14 saves in 1984.

in 278 innings in relief. Numbers like that just don't happen in today's game. Hernandez allowed just 96 hits in 140 1/3 innings of work, posting an earned run average of 1.92 during the season. Hernandez finished the year with a 9-3 record and 37 saves. Meanwhile, Lopez had a 2.94 earned run average, recording a 10-1 record and 14 saves.

After the sweep, the Tigers returned home for a 10-game homestand, starting with four games against the California Angels. The series didn't start well with the Tigers losing both games of a doubleheader, dropping the first 6-4 and the second 12-2. By being swept, the Tigers' lead against the Toronto Blue Jays was now just 7 1/2 games. However, the homestand quickly turned around after being swept. A day later, Dan Petry pitched eight innings of strong ball, leading Detroit to an 8-3 victory.

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## LUND

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During his first two seasons, Lund didn't get a chance to display his talent during the district tournament due to two different injuries. His junior season was supposed to finally be his shot to do just that. However, after earning a thrilling 67-66 victory against the Holly Bronchos in a district semifinal contest the season came to an abrupt end with the COVID-19 pandemic.

"For the seniors it hurts the most," Lund said. "We had guys who played all four years and during your senior year, you want to go out with a district championship. Obviously that's not the way it ended.

"For me, it was my first postseason and for many other guys it was their first postseason as well. ... You only get so many and to have them taken away from you like that definitely sucks."

Lund has been working hard preparing for his senior season. Along with his younger brother Reichen Lund, Blake has spent many hours on the family's own court in their yard.



Blake Lund is our three-time Tri-County Boys Basketball Player of the Year. He earned the honor this season by averaging 23.0 points a game last winter.

He also has played AAU basketball with the Oakland Elite this summer. Lund is excited about his senior year.

"Every player wants a championship," Lund said. "We got a league championship last year but we missed the opportunity to win a district. We want to get it next year and maybe more."

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MICHIGAN

VOTES

LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

— Compiled by Sharon Stone —

MichiganVotes.org is a free, non-partisan website created by the Mackinac Center for Public Policy to provide concise, non-partisan, plain-English descriptions of every bill and vote in the Michigan House and Senate. This report was released Friday, July 24.

**Senate Bill 686: Override veto of state employee whistleblower protection law**

To override Gov. Gretchen Whitmer’s veto of this bill, which would have prohibited state agencies from retaliating against employees for telling a legislator about problems at the agency. An override requires a two-thirds supermajority vote and so the bill will not become law.

**Failed 22 to 15 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) ❌ NO  
Sen. Ken Horn (R-Dist. 32) ❌ YES

**House Bill 5265: Overhaul state budget to reflect federal epidemic relief money**

To adopt a revised version of the state budget for the 2019-20 fiscal year. This substitutes \$1.008 billion federal coronavirus relief dollars for \$538.7 million of state tax receipts that had been projected but won’t be realized due to the epidemic and business lockdowns. The bill also makes some modest budget cuts and adjustments that reflect fewer demands on certain state functions and services due to the epidemic. The state’s Medicaid and other social welfare programs receive a large boost under the bill, including more federal “match” dollars tied to spending state dollars on Medicaid, and an outright grant of \$600 million additional dollars for food stamps. Sen. Jeff Irwin (D-Ann Arbor) was the lone dissenting vote.

**Passed 36 to 1 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) ❌ YES

**Passed 104 to 0 in the House**

Rep. Hank Vaupel (R-Dist. 47) ❌ YES  
Rep. Mike Mueller (R-Dist. 51) ❌ YES

**Senate Bill 373: Overhaul school budget to reflect federal epidemic relief money**

To use federal coronavirus epidemic relief money, and a \$350 million withdrawal from the state “rainy day fund,” to fill holes in 2019-2020 education budget, brought about by a decline in state revenue caused by the epidemic and business lockdowns. For the fiscal year that ends Sept. 30, public schools will actually get \$136 million more revenue than the previous year under this budget. Community colleges and state university will see no changes in their net current-year appropriation amounts under the bill. Sen. Jeff Irwin (D-Ann Arbor) was the lone dissenting vote.

**Passed 36 to 1 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) ❌ YES

**Passed 104 to 0 in the House**

Rep. Hank Vaupel (R-Dist. 47) ❌ YES  
Rep. Mike Mueller (R-Dist. 51) ❌ YES

**House Bill 5910: Prescribe “e-learning” requirements for public schools**

To prescribe requirements, standards, limitations and more on conducting public school classes electronically over the internet. Among many other things school districts would have to ensure that all students will have access, and that the specific needs of different students are met including special education students.

Passed 56 to 48 in the House

**Passed 104 to 0 in the House**

Rep. Hank Vaupel (R-Dist. 47) ❌ YES  
Rep. Mike Mueller (R-Dist. 51) ❌ YES

**House Bill 5912: Specify public school epidemic hours and methods eligible for funding**

To revise and waive many of the rules on the required number of hours and days of public school instruction, including allowances for snow days, rules for conducting classes online, and the amount of state funding provided for both these exceptions to regular schooling, and to days on which fewer than 75 percent of a school’s students are in attendance. Public schools could continue to operate under distance learning plans during the coronavirus epidemic, but with added steps intended to assure students receive instruction and meet academic goals.

**Passed 57 to 47 in the House**

Rep. Hank Vaupel (R-Dist. 47) ❌ YES  
Rep. Mike Mueller (R-Dist. 51) ❌ YES

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## Beverly Keely

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## Bruce E. Marsee

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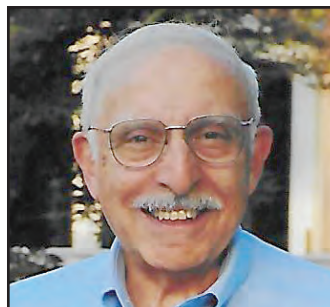
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## Philip George Faris

1933 – 2020



Philip George Faris – age 87. We celebrate the life of Philip G. Faris, husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather and “Uncle Phil” to all, who passed away Saturday, July 25, 2020. A socially distant visitation was held 4 - 8pm Tuesday, July 28, 2020, at Sharp Funeral Home, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd, Fenton. There was an incense service at 7 PM. A socially distant funeral liturgy was held at 11 AM Wednesday, July 29, 2020, at Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church, 4133 Calkins Rd, Flint. Rev. Father Pierre Bassil officiating. There was a one-hour visitation, 10 AM at the church. Burial followed at Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 Belford Rd, Holly. Philip was born and raised in Flint. He grew up with the love of God in the home and Lebanese food on the table. He spent his childhood with his parents, George Faris and Mary Chakrallah Faris; and his siblings, Joseph, Helen, Raymond, Edward and Josephine. He attended and graduated from All Saints Catholic School. He was a veteran of the United States Army. For 52 years, he thoroughly enjoyed serving the public. With his brothers, he owned Faris Furniture and Jewelry on N. Saginaw St. in

Flint. He loved his church, Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church, where he was an active member for almost 50 years. While serving

in many capacities, he most enjoyed being an usher for more than 40 years. In October 1963, he married the love of his life Marie Helena Bernath at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Flint. Together they raised two sons, Stephen George Faris and Scott Philip Faris. Philip is survived by his wife, Marie; sons, Stephen (Caroline) and Scott (Kimberly); and the five most amazing grandchildren, Philip, Stephen, Juliet, Christopher and Kyle, plus many wonderful nieces and nephews; and his sister, Helen Faris Burgess. He lived his life sharing his time, talents, energy and love. He taught us to love one another, enjoy life, respect our elders and die gracefully. May God the Father welcome him home. Those desiring may make contributions to Our Lady of Lebanon Maronite Catholic Church or St. Jude Children's Hospital. Tributes may be shared on the obituaries page of [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



## Roy Mitchell Harding

1947 – 2020



Roy Mitchell Harding - age 73, of Fenton passed away Thursday, August 6, 2020, with his former wife Patricia Harding by his side holding his hand, as promised. Roy

was a larger than life figure who made friends wherever he went and kept them for years, dating back to his time in the U.S. Army and his service in the Vietnam War. He loved the outdoors, hunting, fishing, camping, and instilled an appreciation for all that Michigan has to offer in his children. There wasn't much Roy couldn't fix or build, from repairing cars at his own shop in Royal Oak to building a “tomato palace” in his backyard after he retired. He taught his children to be independent, to work hard, and to always strive to do better. He also taught them to love adventure walks through the woods, how

to shoot a fish with a bow and arrow, and how to make a refreshing red wine spritzer. Roy is survived by four children, Margaret (Andrew) McGill, Roy Joseph Harding,

Isabel (Jake) Schaenzer, and Cody (Rachel) Harding; and six grandchildren, Isaac and Luke Harding, Josephine, June and Jared Schaenzer, and Leona McGill. A celebration of Roy's life will be held at a later date when it is safe to bring together the many friends he made. Roy asked that those who wished to donate in his memory give to the Loose Center, 707 N Bridge St, Linden, a senior center he came to love. Arrangements by Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



## George Coon, Jr.

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## Irwin Klenk

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**Julia Bisaha**  
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**Richard Ex**  
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**Robert “Bob” Gross**  
Robert “Bob” Gross - age 76, died August 11, 2020. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



**Robert Walter**  
Robert Walter - age 97, died August 8, 2020. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



**Shirley Schultz**  
Shirley Schultz - age 84, died August 8, 2020. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. [www.sharpfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com).



**Dorothy Forshee**  
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**James Gundry**  
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**Bethany Davis**  
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**Sue A. Plashek**  
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**William “Bill” D. Kippe**  
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**Margaret A. Wogoman**  
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**Rebecca J. Frazier**  
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Sunday, March 29, 2020 3

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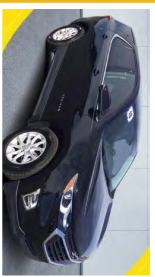
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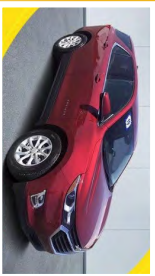
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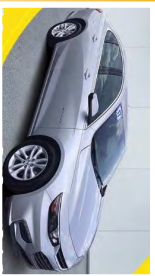
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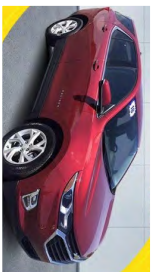
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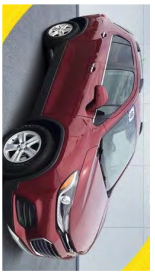
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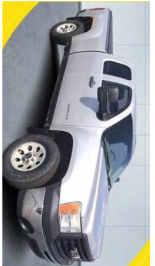
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