

Elected official charged with OWI, leaving scene of crash

■ Holly Township trustee due back in court May 26 for pretrial hearing

By Sharon Stone

Steve Ruth, 66, of Holly Township, is facing one count of operating a vehicle while intoxicated and one count of leaving the scene of a crash.

He was arraigned Wednesday, April 26 by Judge Joseph Fabrizio in Oakland County 52-2 District Court, via Zoom. Ruth is a trustee on the Holly Township Board of Trustees.



Steve Ruth

The charges are related to an incident in Holly Village on Friday, Feb. 19.

Holly Police Chief Jerry Narsh said the charges stem from a hit and run drunk driving arrest Friday, Feb. 19. Narsh reported that an on-duty Holly police officer was stopped at the red light on westbound Grange Hall Road at N. Saginaw Street.

A driver of a vehicle that was northbound on Saginaw Street made a wide turn east onto Grange Hall Road, hitting the officer's patrol car head on. The officer exited his vehicle, spoke with the male driver and advised him to pull into a nearby driveway. Instead, the

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Owosso man charged with disturbing school in Holly

■ Pleads not guilty, pretrial set for May 26

By Sharon Stone

Matthew Wrosch, 47, of Owosso, was arraigned on three charges Wednesday, April 28 by Judge Kelly Kostin in Oakland County 52-2 District Court, via Zoom.

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Township approves raises for four employees

By Hannah Ball

On Monday, April 19, the Fenton Township Board of Trustees approved salary increases for four employees.

Supervisor Vince Lorraine reported that he completed annual performance

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Arbor Day



Friday, April 30 was Arbor Day, and the Fenton City Beautification Commission gave away 150 white pine saplings and basil plants in front of city hall. A resident talks with Tom Begin (right) while Kathy Begin (left), who's a part of the Open Gate Garden Club, and Patricia Lockwood, commission member and Fenton mayor pro tem, prepare more plants. See story on page 8. Photo: Hannah Ball

The state of Fenton Township roads: Part IV

■ Few roads evaluated by PASER in 2020 around Linden County Park, Byram Lake

By Hannah Ball

Ratings for local roads in Fenton Township around the Linden County Park, Deer Run Soccer Park and Byram Lake range from "very poor" to "excellent."

These ratings come from a 2020 PASER study, which stands for Pavement Surface Evaluation and Rating. The system rates paved roads on a 1-10 scale with a rating of 10 being the best. It's used by municipalities and road commissions across the state.

This is part four of a series on Fenton Township roads that were evaluated with PASER in

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“I would like to thank the group of people who went around Lake Shannon last fall and planted all those daffodil bulbs. What a spectacular display this spring all around the lake. Makes me smile every time I see it. Thank you again.”



“Fenton's Nag Brigade is on the war path. Their incessant complaining about the condition of local roads is followed immediately by new complaints of road construction. Instead of constant nagging, how about you do something positive instead?”

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PART II: The state of our local fire departments

■ Fenton City looking to hire a few more firefighters — doing okay with equipment

By Sharon Stone

The Fenton Fire Department provides coverage to all of Fenton City and the portion of Tyrone Township east of U.S. 23.

Fire Chief Bob Cairnduff says for right now, the department has sufficient equipment to handle the calls, however, he would like to have more trained firefighters.

The city's fire department has been around for 145 years.

This is the second part of a series on the state of our local fire departments.

Top officers

Chief Bob Cairnduff, 25 years and 15 years as chief
Deputy Chief Ed Hadfield, 39 years
Assistant Chief Charlie Koan, 50 years
Capt. Scott Smith, 39 years



Bob Cairnduff
Fenton City
fire chief



The Fenton Fire Department trains on this vacant building, which was later demolished in preparation for the new 111 Leroy Place, which is under construction. Fire Chief Bob Cairnduff said they take advantage of these training opportunities because it provides firefighters with a realistic situation for perfecting their skills.

Submitted photo

Capt. Nick Will, 22 years
Lt. Jeff Shook, 26 years
Lt. Josh Sturgis, 17 years
Lt. Dustin Lucius, 17 years
Full-time employees: one, the chief
Part-time employees: Two, an administrative assistant and a fire inspector
Paid-on-call firefighters: 30
Average wage for firefighter: \$25 for the first hour and \$17/hour for overtime. Officers receive a stipend per quarter based on rank. All per-

sonnel are also paid \$10/hour for training.

Annual budget: Approximately \$900,000, which includes \$700,000 for the operations (payroll, supplies, fuel, phones, radios, and more), station, and maintenance. Another \$150,000 goes into its truck fund (for future apparatus purchases) and \$50,000 (from the LDFA) goes into the ladder truck replacement fund.

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A message from the superintendents

Staff Appreciation Week: May 3 – May 7

Traditionally, the first week of May is recognized as staff appreciation week for school districts across the country. It provides all of us with an opportunity to say “thank you” to those staff members who work so hard to support our students all year long.

Whether it is a bus driver, custodian, teacher, food service employee, aide, secretary or administrator, each and every one of them plays an integral role in making sure we are providing a quality education in a safe and healthy environment.

In a year that has been full of twists and turns, ups and downs and lots of uncertainty, the everyday “Heroes in Education” have adapted, embraced change and looked for unique ways to make this school year a success.

During the week of May 3 – May 7, Fenton, Linden and Lake Fenton schools will be celebrating the heroes in our districts. There are so many ways to recognize and honor these individuals. This could include snacks, small



Adam Hartley
Fenton Area
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note to say “thank you.” Just knowing that people appreciate the work they do every day, is very meaningful for those who work in education.

No matter what school district your child attends, I encourage you to send a note to a staff member letting them know how much you appreciate their efforts.

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DEAR BENNETT LAKE Road tree farm, please don't cut any more of your beautiful trees down. I'm still saddened when I see that horrible line of stumps on either side of your driveway, where lovely healthy trees used to grow.

■■■
ABSOLUTELY NOTHING WRONG with asking if your friends or family plan to get the vaccine. Just like there is nothing wrong if they decide to get it or not. I received mine, and glad I did for myself and those around me.

■■■
SO LET'S GET this straight, your wife spent the last year holding the hands of dying patients in order to promote vaccines? Doesn't make sense. How about letting your wife speak for herself next time?

■■■
I'LL GO TO restaurants if everyone is vaccinated, 100 percent, if not then I won't go. Let the unvaccinated go another day at 50 percent. I don't want my husband to die because he has disease. We haven't seen our grandkids in a year. Sad times.

■■■

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

What's your best story from a wedding?



“We had matching bands and they were switched. Shortly after placing the rings on each other's fingers, we figured out when I couldn't get it off.”

Jason Pellett
Fenton



“Our best man kept twirling the ring box around trying to figure out how to open it.”

Lillian Kateman
Fenton



“My mother-in-law was a monster.”

Lisa AE
Fenton



“The year/day the tornado went down Ellen Street I was officiating a wedding the next day. I climbed out of the basement, saw all the downed trees and made my way to the gazebo for the rehearsal. The tornado was done around 6:40 and the rehearsal was at 7. I married the couple the next day and you all did a story on them.”

Barbara Davis, Swartz Creek

| street talk

Corrections officer charged

■ Sheriff's GHOST operation tracks messages with '15-year-old' decoy

By Sharon Stone

Benjamin Joseph Reinhart, 24, of Gaines, was arraigned on four counts related to communicating with who he thought was a 15-year-old girl.

Reinhart was a corrections officer for the Genesee County Sheriff's Office.

Genesee County Sheriff Chris Swanson announced the charges during a press conference Wednesday, April 28. "We arrested one of our own," he said.

Swanson said Reinhart had worked for the sheriff's office since 2019.

The organization GHOST (Genesee Human Oppression Strike Team) of the Genesee County Sheriff's Office tracked approximately 450 messages between Reinhart and a GHOST decoy acting as a 15-year-old girl. Swanson said 118 of those messages and six pictures were sent while Reinhart was on duty.

"This guy doesn't represent who we

are," the sheriff said. Swanson said anyone working with the public, including law enforcement, are to be held to a higher standard.

The decoy and Reinhart allegedly agreed to meet, however, Swanson said Reinhart did not show up for the meeting.

"I am taking responsibility," the sheriff said of his former employee. "This happens ev-

erywhere. It happens and we must stop it."

Reinhart was arrested Sunday, April 25. His home was raided and he was arraigned April 26. He was fired, Swanson said.

If he is found guilty as charged, Reinhart faces two 20-year felonies, a 5-year felony and a misdemeanor.

Charges include one count of child sexually abusive activity, one count of using a computer/internet to commit a crime, one count of accosting children for immoral purposes and one count of common law offense.

A \$200,000 personal bond was ordered. No further court hearing have been scheduled.



Benjamin Reinhart

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I SAW YOU testing that speaker out near our property line, Silver Lake Stables. As a household that likes to have the windows open, I do not approve.

■■■■

WITH THE GOVERNOR'S changes she announced this morning, it looks like Fenton could pull together a much-needed Freedom Festival this year, if they really wanted to. They still have time to change their mind.

Council considers language for food truck ordinance

■ Suggested language wouldn't allow food trucks within 500 feet of existing brick-and-mortar restaurant when open

By Hannah Ball

The Linden City Council is considering language for a mobile food truck ordinance.

On Monday, Dec. 14, 2020, the council enacted a moratorium on food trucks in the city. This lasted until April 29. However, during the Monday, April 26 meeting, the council extended the moratorium another 30 days to give them time to consider and adopt an ordinance.

City Planner Adam Young said they borrowed language from other municipalities on mobile food trucks.

Suggested language includes requiring a permit to operate a mobile food vehicle. The city would create permits and vendors would have to apply, pay a fee, and show proof of insurance. These permits would be non-transferable.

"No fee shall be charged to a business which is on the city's tax rolls whose normal business includes the

sale of food and/or beverages. No one shall hire or subcontract such vendors in an attempt to evade the provisions of this chapter," the ordinance states.

The ordinance also allows for single event permits for events on private property.

"If the single event is sponsored by a religious, charitable or nonprofit organization, the maximum duration may be extended by the city clerk to include the entire duration of the event," the ordinance states.

Food trucks would not be allowed within a public street or other public property owned, maintained or controlled by any public agency. The city council could grant exceptions only for single event permits sponsored by a religious, charitable or nonprofit organization.

Vendors would not be allowed to operate on private property without permission of the owners. Food trucks on private property would have additional requirements, including only allowing them to operate on properties zoned LS, GC or CBD District. Private property events can't take place in a location used for another business which is designated or intended for parking or travel of vehicles.

The suggested ordinance states that no food can be prepared, sold or displayed outside of mobile food vehicles, and they can't operate in a manner that would disturb parking or street and sidewalk travel unless otherwise permitted by law in that location.

"The customer service area for mobile food vehicle vendor shall not be located within a street, driveway, vehicular maneuvering lane or other-

wise located such that it would result in a safety hazard for patrons," the ordinance states.

They shall provide a waste container, and the waste will be disposed of off-site by the operators.

"Barbeque pits shall require coals to be disposed of in a metal container with a securable lid. Coals must be

emptied from the barbeque pit at the end of each day," the ordinance states.

The ordinance includes noise restrictions. They shall operate between the hours of 9 p.m. and 8 a.m., April through September, and between the hours of 7 p.m. and 8 a.m., October through March.

The vehicles cannot be left on a street overnight or left unattended when food is in the vehicle. Unattended mobile food vehicles are considered a public safety hazard and may be ticketed and impounded. Signage is only allowed on the truck. No flashing, blinking or strobe lights are allowed.

Food trucks would not be allowed to operate within 500 feet of an existing brick-and-mortar restaurant when that restaurant is open.

Read the full suggested ordinance at lindenmi.us, under the meeting packet for Monday, April 26.

On Monday, April 26, the council also denied an application from Pit Boss Smokehouse CONFIRM to appear at an event at Symphony in Linden on Wednesday, April 28. The language in the original moratorium gave the council the power to approve mobile food vendors for special events.

After discussion, the council denied the request, citing the moratorium.

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The Fenton City Beautification Commission gave away white pine saplings on Arbor Day because it's the state tree. The organization has sponsored the Arbor Day tree program for the past seven years and have given away approximately 1,500 saplings to area residents. **Photo: Hannah Ball. Photo: Hannah Ball**

Beautification Commission gives away saplings for Arbor Day

■ White pines are Michigan's state tree

By Hannah Ball

Friday, April 30 was Arbor Day, and the Fenton City Beautification Commission celebrated by giving away 150 white pine saplings to the public at Fenton City Hall.

Patricia Lockwood of the Fenton City Beautification Commission, said the organization has sponsored the Arbor Day tree program for the past seven years and has given away approximately 1,500 saplings to area residents.

"The program is also focused on the importance of trees and their impact on the environment. Trees not only provide shelter, noise buffers and contribute to cooling our homes, but most importantly provide oxygen and habitats for the wildlife. The Commission is grateful to Fenton Area Public Schools who have allowed us to give saplings and educational information to students on the importance of trees," Lockwood said.

Arbor Day was first held in 1872, and the holiday is meant to spread awareness of the importance of trees and to encourage tree planting, according to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Until 1965, the Upper and Lower peninsulas had separate dates for Arbor Day due to the difference in weather

conditions during spring for tree planting. Arbor Day celebrations now take place during the entire last week of April.

White pines are Michigan's state tree. Public Act 7 signed on March 4, 1955 commemorates the tree.

These trees have gray bark, produce long cones and have deep green needles that grow in clusters of five. They grow fast and tall. Many grow higher than 100 feet in the wild.

Michigan used to be the leading timber producer in the nation due to the population size of the white pine tree, according to the MDNR.

Today, two independent agencies oversee Michigan's state forests to ensure future tree growth in the state.

Michigan Department of Natural Resources tips for planting trees:

- Dig a hole three times wider than the tree's container and about as deep.
- Set the tree in the middle of the hole, and bring the root collar (the place where the roots meet the stem) just above ground level.
- Backfill the hole firmly with soil, creating a basin where water can settle.
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2020. This article contains roads in Fenton Township around Linden County Park, Deer Run Soccer Park and Byram Lake.

Not all roads were evaluated by PASER in 2020.

Very Poor

- Restwood Drive (past the first turn off Broad Street): rating 2

Poor

- Bluefield Drive (from Linden Road to Bedington Drive): rating 3
- Dooley Drive: rating 3
- Restwood Drive (off Broad Street until the first turn): rating 3



YOUR SMILE MATTERS!

By: Dr. Steven Sulfaro

BITING FORCE

When your upper and lower teeth bite together they can exert a lot of pressure. Natural upper and lower teeth can produce upward of 240 pounds per square inch. This force allows us to adequately chew and digest the food we need for ideal health and nutrition. When teeth are lost most of this chewing power is lost as well. Studies show that the average bite force for those folks with dentures is often times less than 10 pounds per square inch. With minimal residual biting ability, denture wearers are unable to chew and digest their food as before. This can lead to poor nutrition and controlling of other disease conditions like diabetes and heart disease difficult. There is good news, however. I'm happy to report that the placement of special dental implant anchors under an existing denture can GREATLY increase the biting and chewing efficiency of a denture wearer. In fact, an implant retained denture wearer has virtually the same biting efficiency as they did when they had their natural teeth. This can greatly enhance their quality of life and improve their health and nutrition. If you or someone you know and love is a denture wearer contact my office today at 248-634-4671 to schedule a free, no obligation consultation and see if dental implants are right for you.

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Fair

- Marlinton Boulevard: rating 5
- Bedington Drive: rating 5
- Charles Town Drive: rating 5
- Bluefield Drive (from Charles Town Drive to Bedington Drive): rating 5

Good

- Lake View Park Drive: rating 6

Excellent

- Old Linden Road: rating 9

POLICE & FIRE REPORT

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

CREDIT CARD FRAUD

On Friday, April 23, at 3:20 a.m., a Holly police officer was dispatched to a Grange Hall Road address for a report of unauthorized charges to a woman's credit

card. The victim advised officers she noticed the charges on her statement and contacted her bank. It was determined the charges were made to an online store by a person living in Florida. The officer completed a police report for the victim to present to her bank and advised her to notify the major credit bureaus to have them flag her accounts for suspicious activity. Officers are investigating.

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LOOKING BACK at this week in HISTORY

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

MAY 2

1933: On this day, the modern legend of the Loch Ness Monster is born when a sighting makes local news on. The newspaper Inverness Courier relates an account of a local couple who claim to have seen "an enormous animal rolling and plunging on the surface." The story of the "monster" (a moniker chosen by the Courier editor) becomes a media phenomenon, with London newspapers sending correspondents to Scotland and a circus offering a 20,000 pound sterling reward for capture of the beast.

MAY 3

2007: Less than two weeks before her 4th birthday, Madeleine McCann of Rothley, England, vanishes during a family vacation at a resort in southern Portugal. McCann's disappearance prompted an international search; however, she has never been found. Madeleine's disappearance generated widespread media coverage in Europe and beyond. English soccer star David Beckham made a televised plea for her safe return, and "Harry Potter" author J.K. Rowling reportedly donated millions to help find the little girl.

MAY 4

1970: In Kent, Ohio, 28 National Guardsmen fire their weapons at a group of anti-war demonstrators on the Kent State University campus, killing four students, wounding eight,

and permanently paralyzing another. The tragedy was a watershed moment for a nation divided by the conflict in Vietnam, and further galvanized the anti-war movement. Two days earlier, on May 2, National Guard troops were called to Kent to suppress students rioting in protest of the Vietnam War and the U.S. invasion of Cambodia. The next day, scattered protests were dispersed by tear gas, and on May 4 classes resumed.

MAY 5

1961: From Cape Canaveral, Florida, Navy Commander Alan Bartlett Shepard Jr. is launched into space aboard the Freedom 7 space capsule, becoming the first American astronaut to travel into space. The suborbital flight, which lasted 15 minutes and reached a height of 116 miles into the atmosphere, was a major triumph for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

MAY 6

1994: In a ceremony presided over by England's Queen Elizabeth II and French President Francois Mitterrand, a rail tunnel under the English Channel was officially opened, connecting Britain and the European mainland for the first time since the Ice Age. The Channel Tunnel, or "Chunnel," connects Folkestone, England, with Coquelles, France, 31 miles away. The Chunnel cut travel time between England and France to a swift 35 minutes and eventually between London and Paris to two-and-a-half hours.

MAY 7

1994: Norway's most famous painting, "The Scream" by Edvard Munch, is recovered almost three months after it was stolen from a museum in Oslo. The fragile painting was recovered undamaged at a

Holly Chamber welcomes Restored Thrifty Shop



The Holly Area Chamber of Commerce and community members celebrate the ribbon cutting of Restored Thrifty Shop on Wednesday, April 28. The shop is at 15225 Apollo Drive in Holly. Cutting the ribbon, hosted by Holly Chamber Executive Director Richard Kinnamon (left) and Holly DDA Director Nick Klemp (right), was owner Lynette Hartzman and her niece Lydia Waldon. The store specializes in repurposed items, store returned items and top quality used items. **Photo: Emily Caswell**

hotel in Asgardstrand, about 40 miles south of Oslo, police said. The iconic 1893 painting of a waiflike figure on a bridge was stolen in only 50 seconds during a break-in on February 12, the opening day of the 1994 Winter Olympics in Lillehammer. Two thieves broke through a window of the National Gallery, cut a wire holding the painting to the wall and left a note reading "Thousand thanks for the bad security!"

MAY 8

1945: On May 8, 1945, both Great Britain and the United States celebrate Victory in Europe Day. Cities in both nations, as well as formerly occupied cities in Western Europe, put out flags and banners, rejoicing in the defeat of the Nazi war machine during World War II. The eighth of May spelled the day when German troops throughout Europe finally laid down their arms.



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Wrosch was charged with one count of disturbing a school, one count of creating a disturbance at a school and failing to leave upon request, and one count of resisting/obstructing a police officer.

He pleaded not guilty and requested a jury trial through his attorney, Bradley Friedman. The judge scheduled a pretrial for May 26 at 2:10 p.m. and trial tentatively for June 7 at 8:30 a.m.

The judge ordered a \$2,000 personal bond, which includes having no contact with Holly schools, cannot leave Michigan without the court's permission, no alcohol, no illegal drugs and no firearms or other dangerous weapons.

The charges stem from an incident March 10 in Holly Village.

Wrosch appeared at the Holly Area Schools administration offices, Karl

Richter Campus and Holly Village offices. He filmed a 50-minute video with his interaction with Holly police officers and then posted his video on social media. As of Friday, April 30, the video on YouTube had 15,569 views.

Holly Police Chief Jerry Narsh authorized posting the man's video on the police department's Facebook page to be transparent with the incident. The chief wrote, "On Wednesday, March 10 the man making this video appeared at the Holly Schools Administration offices and Village offices. This building is also an active school housing our special needs curriculum. The man approached active school classrooms and staff causing a disruption of school operations. The staff and students were placed in lockdown, not knowing his intentions. The village of Holly has ordinances protecting school operations and students from disruption. The officer was justified in

making a physical custody arrest, but chose to de-escalate the encounter by allowing him to leave. Multiple criminal charges have been filed, with a court date pending. Holly officers acted in full authority and compliance within law to protect our students and staff."

As previously reported, Narsh said, "The superintendent approached

the man (Wrosch) who was uncooperative and argumentative on his actions and intentions, resulting in a call to Holly Police Department.

"As officers were arriving to the school, they

were aware of these facts and that by definition, this person was already in violation of the Holly Village Ordinances that he is being charged with.

"The responding officers acted with care and caution, while ensuring the safety of students and staff. They also fairly and effectively enforced the law in a manner that was calm and professional at all times."

“The responding officers acted with care and caution, while ensuring the safety of students and staff.”

Jerry Narsh

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FIRE DEPARTMENTS

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Cairnduff said, "With that being said, we also collect about \$200,000 from Tyrone Township for services we provide to them, and around \$25,000 in cost recovery fees."

All of the following stats are Fenton City's three-year averages for 2018, 2019 and 2020.

City of Fenton medical calls: 50

Tyrone Township medical calls: 67

The total three-year average per year is 117.

Fenton vehicle accidents: 38

Tyrone Township vehicle accidents: 13

The total three-year average per year is 51.

Fenton structure fires: 9

Tyrone Township structure fires: 3

The total three-year average per year is 12.

Number of "other" type fires:

(includes vehicle fires, grass fires, dumpster fires, etc.):

Fenton "other" fires: 18

Tyrone Township "other" fires: 7

The total three-year average per year is 25.

Number of mutual aid calls to other departments:

The three-year average is 20 per year average.

Average response times for medical incidents

This is from time of call until first unit is on scene. Fenton City only responds to tier one medicals.

City of Fenton: 6.92 minutes

Tyrone Township: 9.75 minutes

AVERAGE RESPONSE TIME FOR STRUCTURE FIRES

City of Fenton: 6.38 minutes

Tyrone Township: 9.10 minutes

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Cairnduff said, "We are currently looking to hire two to four more. We are holding our own right now, but we are hurting at certain parts of the day. At some point, we will need to hire full-time personnel to fill these gaps when we are lacking people."

Do you have enough equipment?

The chief said, "We are doing good. We have been fortunate to obtain some substantial federal grants in the past few years, including new Self Contained Breathing apparatus or SCBA (air tanks) in 2018 and all new fire hose and nozzles in 2013.

"The city budget has also taken good care of us and we are able to make sure our personnel have the right gear and equipment," he said.

The Fenton Fire Department provides an all-hazards service to the community. "It's not just putting out fires anymore," Cairnduff said. "We are fortunate in the city to have a very strong, well trained, and equipped department."

Challenges

Cairnduff said the issue they have is they are seeing a change in volunteerism just like many other organizations across the country.

"Seventy-five percent of the nation's fire protection is provided by all volunteer and paid on call departments like ours," he said. "Many are struggling with recruiting and retaining people and we are, too.

"The culture is changing and we are going to have to change as well to adapt.

"In the city of Fenton, we are seeing negative changes to our response times as well. This is due to many factors. Things like increased traffic and congestion, lack of manpower at certain times of the day, and the change in culture of our society, and how that affects how our personnel respond or don't respond."

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RAISES

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appraisals for these employees, and he took his recommendations to the Personnel Committee. The result was a recommendation to increase the salaries of Operations Manager and Deputy Clerk Thomas Broecker, Fire Chief Ryan Volz, Township Assessor Julia Wilson and Zoning Administrator Michael Deem.

The previous and new salaries:

- Assessor Julia Wilson: \$67,000, \$72,000
- Fire Chief Ryan Volz: \$64,130, \$65,500
- Zoning Administrator Michael Deem: \$73,000, \$74,500
- Operations Manager Thomas Broecker: \$90,150, \$94,000

“After being here for 120 days, I can reassure the township residents that, at least since I’ve been here, they’re very lucky because we have loyal, long-term experienced and extremely dedicated staff here at the township, and it’s only getting better,” Lorraine said. “I was very happy the board supported it in all

four cases. They were well deserved.”

Lorraine thanked the board and the Personnel Committee. He said although he was a township trustee for many years, his view of the township’s day-to-day operations became clearer after working as the township supervisor.

“After five months on the job, he has found all four administrative employees to be supportive, dedicated, loyal and hard-working. The Township Board and residents are fortunate to have such a dedicated management team and staff,” according to the minutes.

Treasurer John Tucker and Clerk Robert Krug complimented Lorraine’s work on the review process and recommendations. Both spoke in favor of the salary recommendations. The review and recommendation process will take place every year.

Attorney Jack Belzer said the Fenton Township Board is underpaid compared to other communities.

“The board should conduct a salary survey and consider revising the salary structure for the elected officials. Supervisor Lorraine stated that the Township can look into that issue at some point in the future,” according to the minutes.

CRASH

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driver continued driving eastbound on Grange Hall Road.

Holly police officers pursued the man and stopped his vehicle. It was determined the 66-year-old Holly Township man, identified as Ruth, was intoxicated and placed under arrest. He was transported to the Holly Police Department for processing and became uncooperative with officers, Narsh reported.

Ruth was lodged at the Oakland County Jail for leaving the scene of a traffic crash and drunk driving. The officer that was struck was checked

out by medical staff for a minor injury, and was cleared to return to duty.

During the Zoom arraignment Ruth pleaded not guilty. The judge ordered a personal bond, which includes no alcohol, illegal marijuana or drugs.

Ruth told Fabrizio that he has been voluntarily doing daily alcohol testing for the past two months. He said he’s also been attending substance abuse meetings during that time as well. The judge ordered the continuation of this testing and meetings.

Apretrial hearing has been scheduled for May 26 at 1:40 p.m., via Zoom.

Ruth did not respond to the Times’ request for comment by press time.

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Fenton firefighters realized that they were in a unique position since — as a result of responding to area homes — they were able to observe up close the personal situations where people truly need a hand to live and succeed. That insight provided the motivation to start the nonprofit. Today, the 501(c)(3) tax exempt charity seeks to plant positive seeds in and around the community for the benefit of the whole community. In addition, the organization helps fellow firefighters give something extra back to the communities they live in and care for.

The purpose of the organization is to support Fenton area charitable needs, support state and national charitable causes and promote good will throughout the community by touching the lives of those they help and interact with.

Since its inception of 2006 the Fenton Firefighter's Charities has stayed true to its mission by helping the community in a number of ways, including:

- **Donated tens** of thousands of dollars to local families in the Fenton area.
- **"Adopted" 6-8** children annually to buy gifts for during Christmas.
- **Hosted multiple** food giveaway events in which families in need can grocery shop for FREE at the fire station.
- **Teamed up** with Fenton Methodist Church every Thanksgiving to donate food baskets to needy families in the area.
- **Helped support** many families that have been struck by a recent tragedy.
- **Supported Delivering** Hope's food drive and fill the book bag school supply drive.
- **Hosted multiple** car seat safety checks.
- **Given out** FREE smoke and CO detectors.
- **Helped sponsor** many attendees visiting Great Lakes Burn Camp.
- **Helped many** fellow Michigan firefighters whom have become ill or injured.
- **Supported Salvation** Army's "Fill the Truck" and Kettle Bell events.

The organization's main fundraiser is their annual golf outing, held each year in late summer. This year's 15th annual event will be on Saturday, Aug. 21 at Coyote Preserve Golf Course. The money raised at the 4-person scramble gives the Fenton Firefighter's Charities an opportunity to help others. All proceeds go directly back into the community. Everyone is invited to participate in the annual golf outing or send a donation to support their efforts. The cost is \$110 per golfer and includes 18 holes plus a cart,

hole-in-one contests, prizes, lunch at the turn, steak dinner, 3 drink tickets and more. To sign up for the outing contact David Siburt at 810-629-8595 or visit the nonprofit's website at www.fentonfirecharities.org.

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Lady Tigers remain perfect in Metro track dual meets

By David Troppens

Linden — The four-time defending Flint Metro League champion Fenton varsity girls track and field team has set themselves up for a pretty thrilling last week of the Metro League dual season.

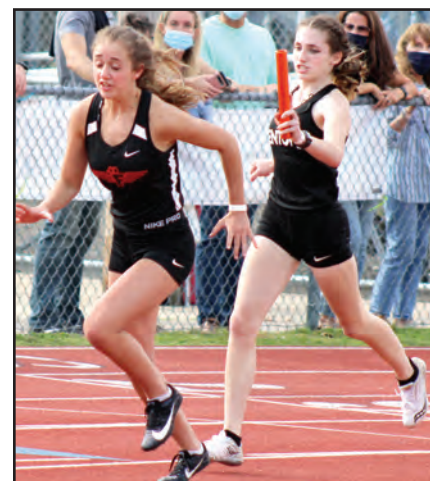
The Tigers defeated area rival Linden by a 76-51 victory, maintaining Fenton's

undefeated start to the season. Now all that remains between Fenton and an undefeated Metro League Stripes Division dual season is a home meet against fellow undefeated Flushing on Tuesday.

The Tigers captured 12 of the 17 firsts, including all four relay wins to spark the victory. Emma Hall, Isabella Henson, Evelyn Hall and Sophia Crane teamed to win

the 400 relay (53.93) while Emma Dubie, Victoria Henson, Crane and Isabella Henson won the 800 (1:52.30). The Tigers also did well on the longer relays. Dubie, Ella Cox, Maty Temrowski and Taylor Huntton won the 1,600 (4:34.70) while

See TIGERS on 21



Fenton's Victoria Henson (right) hands off the baton to teammate Sophia Crane during the Tigers' win against the Linden Eagles. Photo: David Troppens

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Bryce Eluik scored a goal in the Wolves' victory against Lake Fenton/Goodrich. Photo: David Troppens

Wolves keep posting Metro wins

The Linden/Fenton varsity boys lacrosse team remains in first place in the Flint Metro League.

The Wolves defeated the Lake Fenton/Goodrich co-op lacrosse squad by a 19-12 score on Wednesday.

The Wolves' star on offense was Chase Everhard. Everhard scored 10 of the team's 19 goals, helping lead the Linden/Fenton co-op to the victory.

Mitchell Luck also provided a scoring boost. He had four goals. The Wolves dominated possession, owning a 16-10 face-off edge in the contest.

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Sports Times

Eagles continue their season of perfection

By David Troppens

In a matter of a week, the Linden varsity girls soccer team showed why fans are so excited about the squad.

The seven-day period started with a 1-0 victory at Davison. Before the seven days ended, the Eagles had a 4-0 win against Holly on Monday, an 8-0 victory against Owosso on Wednesday and a 7-0 non-league victory against Frankenmuth on Thursday.

Oh, by the way, the Eagles remain undefeated and have yet to allow a goal all season long.

"We haven't given up a goal all year and that's a good thing," Linden varsity girls soccer coach Kevin Fiebertz said. "We are doing well, and one of the things we keep preaching to the girls is growth and an opportunity to create a little history. I'm sure we'll give up a goal somewhere down the line, but we have a lot of upside for this team in all areas on defense and offense. We are just trying

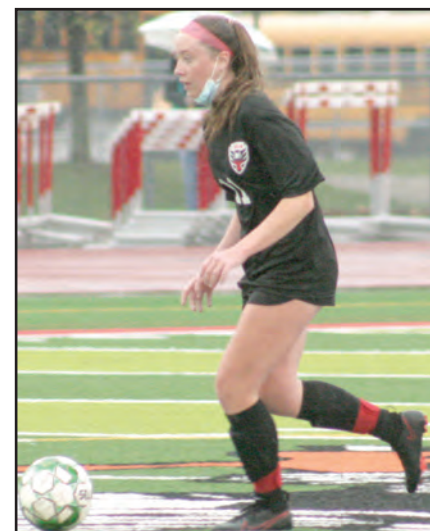
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"Molly James is the key and Alison Maienbrook gives us two cornerbacks. We also found a gem with Stella Martin. She's a ninth-grader that may not be as athletic, but no one knows better how to move around, shift. She's rock solid fundamentally and makes very few mistakes."

Other key defensive players have been Jillian Hegenauer and Emily Lapham. Of course, starting keeper Ashtyn Gocha has had an outstanding season as well.

The Eagles (9-0 overall and 5-0-0 overall) crushed Owosso, 8-0.

Three Eagles scored two goals each against Owosso. They were Aubree Moffatt, Maryn Rettenmund and Emily Lapham. Haley Wasilewski and Alison Maienbrook had a goal each. Against Frankenmuth, Rettenmund had a three-goal hat trick while Alicia Otman had two goals. Moffatt, Ava Skinner and



Linden's Alison Maienbrook scored a goal against Owosso. Photo: David Troppens

Grace Bowen had a goal each.

"I'm the type of coach that's going to push the envelope," Fiebertz said.

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Fenton boys track remain perfect in Metro

By David Troppens

Linden — The Fenton-Linden rivalry returned to Linden's track Tuesday.

In the most recent edition, the Tigers collected 12 of the 17 firsts and won a 94-43 verdict.

The win keeps the Tigers (4-0) tied for first place in the Metro League Stripes Division title chase with Flushing, while the Eagles fell to 2-2.

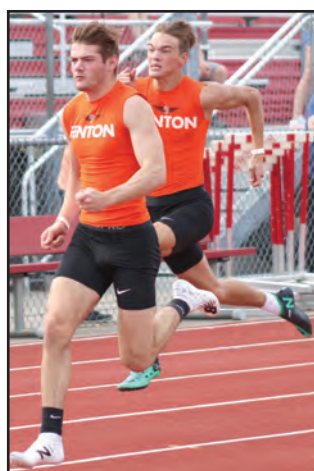
The Tigers had two individual event first-place finishers. Brandon Miller led the Tigers in the 100 (11.03) and the 400 (49.89), while Daniel Mays dominated the hurdle events. He won the 110 hurdles (19.46) and the 300 hurdles (48.90). Other Fenton individuals to earn first-place finishes were Noah Sage in the 200 (22.00), Collin Carver in the shot put (39-feet-2), Brad Grifka in the discus (91-6), Orion Schwiderson in the pole vault (11-0), and Justin Miller in the high jump (6-3).

The Tigers won three relays.

The winning relays were Donovan Miller, Gavyn Blalock, Landon Sahouri and Evan Koch in the 800 (1:35.92); Patrick Hamilton, Koch, Sahouri and Sage in the 1,600 (3:39.98); and Samuel Cox, Chase Coleman, Aidan Brzezinski and Mike Crane in the 3,200 (9:53.99).

The Eagles had River Meckstroth earn two firsts. He won the 1,600 (4:36.35) and the 3,200 (10:40.10). He also earned a second in the 800 (2:05.53). The Eagles' other individual firsts were earned by Kyle Eberhard in the 800 (2:05.50) and Ethan Gomez in the long jump (19-9). The Eagles also won the 400 relay with of Garrett Wagner, Brenden Shingleton, Brandon Pennington and Owen Weisel (45.97).

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(Left photo) Fenton's Brandon Miller and Noah Sage took the top two spots in the 100 meter dash against the Linden Eagles on Tuesday. (Bottom photo) Fenton and Linden runners begin the 1,600 run at the same meet. Photos: David Troppens



Fenton boys tennis breaks Holly's Metro League unbeaten streak

By David Troppens

The Fenton varsity girls tennis team did something it has rarely done in school history on Monday.

In fact, the Tigers did something that hasn't happened since Sept. 15, 1995 by any Metro League team. Fenton defeated the Holly Bronchos in a Metro League dual.

The Tigers competed against area rival Holly and captured a 5-3 victory against the Bronchos. Fenton lost to Kearsley 6-2 on Tuesday as well while the Bronchos rebounded to defeat Owosso 5-3.

Holly had an unbeaten streak of 133 matches, going 129-0-4 during that run. The last time Holly lost was a 5-2 verdict to Fenton on that 1995 date. The Bronchos had ties with Fenton in 2012, 2014 and 2105. The Bronchos also tied Clio earlier this season on April 20.

When a streak like that ends, it's historical, but it also helps programs reflect on their accomplishment at the same

time the run ends.

"The streak is an amazing achievement and we are extremely proud of the efforts that hundreds of student-athletes have put forth to continue the legacy," Holly varsity girls tennis coach Will Sophiea said. "The Holly tennis program has always been more than winning a match. It's about supporting one another and building trust within a group. This can only be done by putting team goals above personal goals. I am extremely proud of this current group for also continuing that legacy."

Fenton won three of the four singles flights against the Bronchos, who were down five players. Fenton's Laney O'Brien defeated Daisy Bair 6-2, 6-0 at No. 1 singles, Fenton's Haley O'Brien defeated Annelise Thisse 6-1, 6-1 at No. 2 singles and Fenton's Makenna Fisher defeated Stella Fairless 6-3, 6-0 at No. 4 singles.

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LF soccer continues winning ways, beat Holly

Traditional Metro League rivals Linden and Fenton remain at the top of the varsity girls soccer standings as competition is getting into the second half of the spring season.

But another team is still close to the top right below the two traditional league powers — the Lake Fenton Blue Devils.

The Blue Devils, who were used to being one of the Genesee Area Conference's dominant squads when they were in that league are showing they can compete with the Metro teams as well. Lake Fenton holds a 5-1-0 Metro record after beating the Holly Bronchos 6-0 on Wednesday.

Lake Fenton recorded its third straight league shutout by earning a 6-0 road win against the Holly Bronchos on Monday.

Savannah Reese led the offense, collecting a three-goal hattrick. Meanwhile, Bella Reitano had two goals and Chloe Polzin had the other goal. Shelby DeRidder provided two assists, while Kayla Converse, Ava Roy and Aubrey Fray had an assist each.

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Fenton soccer captures 4-0 victory vs. Kearsley

When it comes to girls soccer in the Metro League, it seems it always comes down to the Fenton-Linden rivalry.

After a slow start to the season, it looks like the two-time defending Metro League champs Tigers are poised to make a strong fight another crown.

The Tigers remained as one of only two league squads yet to lose a league contest after defeating Kearsley 4-0 on Wednesday. The Tigers are improving the way they seemingly have mastered — by just having fun.

“Ninety percent of our girls are playing in a different position than they were two weeks ago,” Fenton varsity girls soccer coach Matt Sullivan said. “There is still a lot of figuring out to do, and it changes every week with quarantining. I bet this year more than ever, we are focusing on enjoying every day together, and our girls do a really good job of that. I’m pretty sure we spend more time dancing than we do drilling in practice and who am I to stop them from having fun? It’s been a blast.”

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Tigers’ bats erupt against Brandon in twinbill sweep

By David Troppens

The Fenton varsity softball team brought its bats to a doubleheader against the Brandon Blackhawks.

The Tigers scored 37 runs in two games earning a doubleheader sweep against the Blackhawks. Fenton won the opener 24-7. Fenton scored six runs in the top of the fifth to take a 12-3 lead and had a 10-run seventh. In the second game, the Tigers scored the first nine runs of the game and won a 13-3 five-inning contest.

No one had a bigger twinbill than Fenton’s leadoff hitter, Chloe Lefever. In the two contests she went 6-for-9 with two doubles and a triple. She also walked twice. She drove in six runs and scored eight times herself.

Initially, it looked like the opening game would be a competitive contest. Both teams scored a run in the second inning. Fenton scored four runs in the third, but Brandon answered back with two runs in the bottom of the third, cut-

ting the Tigers’ lead to 5-3. Fenton’s four-run third’s big hits were a two-run single by Sophie Collins and an RBI-triple by Lily Turkowski.

The Tigers scored another run in the fourth on an RBI-single by Collins, but didn’t really blow the game open until a six-run fifth. During it Lefever hit an RBI-single, Jessica Dunkel and Madi Best hit back-to-back RBI-doubles and Turkowski hit an RBI-single. Fenton led 12-3.

The Tigers scored two more runs in the sixth without the aid of an RBI-hit. However, Cadyn Reger drove in a run with a ground out. Fenton scored its final 10 runs in the top of the seventh. The run-producing hits of the inning were a two-run double by Dunkel, an RBI-double by Madi Best, an RBI-triple by Collins, an RBI-single by Grace MacCaughn, an RBI-walk by Emma Maynard, and a two-run double by Lefever. All the run-producing hits came with two out.

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Fenton’s Lily Turkowski was one of many players who had run-producing hits against the Brandon Blackhawks. Photo: David Troppens

Fenton/Linden lacrosse remains undefeated in Flint Metro League action

It was a slow start for the Fenton/Linden varsity girls lacrosse team against the Lake Fenton/Goodrich squad.

The Lake Fenton/Goodrich team won the first face-off and scored the game’s first goal.

However, from that point on, the Heat showed why they are defending Metro champs. Fenton/Linden scored 19 of the final 23 goals, earning a 19-5 victory.

Fenton/Linden (5-0 in the Metro and 6-2 overall) scored the game’s

next five goals and the lead was never threatened after that. The Heat ended up winning 21 of 26 draws and had 10 different players score goals. Hannah Ludwig led the squad with four goals while Kaitlyn Mossett, Jordyn Bliss and Daisey Horne had three goals each. Lara Kemp scored one goal while Kyla Lynch, Holly Fijolek, Chloe Justus and Ally Eberhard had a goal each. Ludwig, Mossett, Kemp, Lynch and Alexis Walker had an assist each.

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Fenton golfers defeat Clio Mustangs

The Fenton varsity boys golf team continues to win in Flint Metro League action.

The Tigers won two more matches this week. Fenton (5-0) began the week with a 169-188 victory against the Clio Mustangs at Clio Country Club. The Tigers ended the week with a 174-232 victory against Kearsley as well.

Against Clio, Dylan Davidson continued his outstanding season by earning medalist honors once again. He shot a 38, and beat the field by four strokes. Teammates Charles Hundzinski and Evan Brown shot 43s while Hunter Wheeler carded a 45 to complete the Tigers’ scoring.

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LF track program splits vs. Brandon

By David Troppens

Lake Fenton — Programs win some and lose some.

That was the case for the Lake Fenton track program against the Brandon Blackhawks on Wednesday.

Both teams performed admirably well, but only the Lake Fenton boys were able to defeat the Blackhawks, earning a tight 71-65 victory. Meanwhile, the Lake Fenton girls had strong performances but lost 76-56.

The Lake Fenton boys (3-1) earned eight firsts. Cooper Hnillica was the team's top star, earning three firsts. He won the 110 hurdles (19.40), the 300 hurdles (48.95) and the pole vault (8-feet-0). Hnillica actually tied teammate Aiden Verbison for the first in the pole vault (8-0). Other individual first-place finishers were Wyatt Marsh in the 400 (57.77), Brady Smith in the 1,600 (5:24.43), and Kevin Lewis in the 3,200 (10:11.23).

Both of Lake Fenton's distance relays also earned firsts. The 1,600 relay team of Marsh, Logan Whittecar, Joseph Gilbert and Matt Fletcher earned the top spot with a time of 3:50.80). Meanwhile, Gilbert, Nick Pinion, Whittecar and Daniel Mueller also earned a first (12:02).

The Lake Fenton girls (2-2) had seven firsts, and Claire Hunt had a say in four of them. Individually, she won the 1,600 (5:50.81) and the 3,200 (13:32.11). She



Lake Fenton's Nolan Pinion (front) and Brady Smith compete in the 1,600 run against Brandon on Wednesday. Photo: David Troppens

also teamed with Katelyn Hatfield, Evelyn Riley and Grace Roy to win the 1,600 relay (4:53.44) and with Hatfield, Marielle Hatfield and Marcella Junio to win the 3,200 relay (12:21.60).

The 400 relay gave the Blue Devils three relay wins. The team included Camryn Morton, Diamond Speicer, Lonna Perna and Lucianna Kamischke (58.85).

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Emily Grob, Cox, Temrowski and Nina Frost won the 3,200 relay (11:10.55).

In individual events, the Tigers won eight events. They were earned by Crane in the 100 (13.67), Hunt-oon in the 400 (1:04.27), Cox in the 800 (2:42.74), Frost in the 3,200 (12:53.90), Jillian McVey in the discus (72-feet-10), Victoria Henson in the high jump (4-8), Libby Maier in the pole vault (6-6) and Isabella Henson in the long jump (15-9 1/2).

The Linden Eagles earned five firsts with Katelynrose Birchmeier earning two. She won the 100 hurdles (18.48) and the 300 hurdles (53.28). The other firsts were earned by Alyson Kelly in the 1,600 (6:02.47), Lauren Goodman in the 200 (27.66) and Jaden Wilks in the shot put (28-2 1/2).

The Eagles (2-2) earned nine of the individual seconds with Madison Gerszewski earning three of them. She was the runner-up in the 100 hurdles (18.52), the 300 hurdles (54.69)



Fenton and Linden runners compete in the 100 meter dash during a dual meet at Linden on Tuesday. Photo: David Troppens

and pole vault (6-6). Kynleigh Copeland had two seconds. They came in the high jump (4-6) and the long jump (15-5). Linden's other seconds were earned by Goodman in the 100 (13.74), Melanea Strauss in the 400 (1:08.98), Nicole Palmer in the 800 (2:43.62), and Caitlyn Kerridge in the discus (70-1).

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PREP REPORT

BOYS GOLF

► Swartz Creek 182, Lake Fenton 190:

Avery Schaal continued his outstanding season by earning medalist honors, but the Blue Devils couldn't compete with Swartz Creek's depth at Genesee Valley Golf Course.

Schaal shot a 40 to set the Blue Devils into a good position, but the next four best scores were Dragons. The rest of Lake Fenton's scoring four were Nathan Damic with a 49, Waylon Dorenzo with a 50 and Gabe Jackson with a 51.

TRACK & FIELD

► **Holly vs. Flushing:** The Bronchos lost both duals. The Holly girls had four firsts. Hannah Taylor won the shot put (23-8 1/2) while Molly Dick won the discus (46-4). Aniya Semer won the high jump (4-10) and Anabelle Basham won the pole vault (6-0).

The boys saw Josh Hart win the discus (112-10) and the shot put (40-5 1/2), while Wilson Tschirhart won the

pole vault (9-0). Holly boys that earned individual seconds were Marcus Mitchell in the 300 hurdles (45.49) and the high jump (5-2); and Jacob Gonzales in the 400 (57.11). For the girls Olivia Mitchell took second in the 100 hurdles (20.14) and Dick took second in the shot put (21-5 1/2).

GIRLS TENNIS

► **Fenton 7, Corunna 1:** The Tigers won all four double flight matches, resulting in the win. Fenton's doubles flight winners were Peyton Graham and Kiersten Lappa at No. 1, Sarasee Kiran and Alyssa Andrews at No. 2, Sana Saab and Ellie Murray at No. 3 and Mary Borg and Katelyn Burkett at No. 4.

Three singles flights won matches. They were Haley O'Brien (No. 2), Elizabeth Borg (No. 3) and Makenna Fisher (No. 4).



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Holly Chamber welcomes Ziggy's to Battle Alley



Visitors to downtown Holly have a new place to grab sweet treats now that Ziggy's Ice Cream is officially open at 109 Battle Alley in downtown Holly. The grand opening featured giveaways, free ice cream and a ribbon cutting. Surrounded by family, team members and community supporters, owners Rick and Kate White cut the ribbon held by Holly Chamber Executive Director Richard Kinnamon (left) and Holly DDA Director Nick Klempf (right).

Photo: Emily Caswell

NOTICE OF MEETING DATE CHANGE ARGENTINE TOWNSHIP

**THE MEETING FOR MAY 3, 2021 HAS BEEN CANCELLED
AND MOVED TO MAY 17, 2021.**

Please be notified that the Argentine Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a Meeting on Monday May 17, 2021 at 7:00 P.M. at the Argentine Township Hall, 9048 Silver Lake Rd to consider the following Variances:

Appeal #2021-5

Michael & Stephanie Hermann, 11019 Oakwood Dr, is requesting Variances for Size, Height and Placement to construct a post frame building. The building will be used to house his automobiles and recreational vehicles. Described as 01-20-200-008, 10.10 acres on Oakwood Dr, Part of Sections 20 and 21.

Appeal #2021-6

Dale & Lori Harris, 8065 Haviland Bch Dr, are requesting a Rear Yard Setback. They would like to build a garage and it will encroach on the rear yard setback. Described as 01-35-578-006, Lots 9 & 10 Sutherland Subdivision.

Appeal #2021-4 TABLED ITEM

Richard St. Louis, 16377 Whitehead Dr, is requesting Variances for a Side yard and Rear Yard to provide garage space for 2 cars and storage work-space for tools and projects. Described as 01-35-526-167, Lots 302 And 303 Argentine Park Lobdell Lake

A complete copy of these tax descriptions may be viewed at the Township office during regular office hours.

Joseph Graves, Clerk
Argentine Township

Back to the Bricks organization continues to give back

■ Has given out more than \$40,000 in past four years — looking forward to awarding 2021 grads

Back to the Bricks organizers are planning and excited to continue their yearly tradition of awarding assistance to high school seniors in Flint and Genesee County.

They are seeking students pursuing post-secondary study and/or training at a college or technical school in auto-body repair/painting, automotive design, auto mechanics, electrical/manufacturing/mechanical engineering, robotics, sales and marketing, software development for automotive applications, welding, or a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) related program.

Organizers believe that continuing to

provide this program, especially now during this past year and a half during the pandemic, is even more important. In the past four years, they have given away more than \$40,000 in scholarships to our community students and are looking forward to awarding 2021 seniors this year.

Scholarship Committee member Dr. Jeffrey Drake said, "High school seniors in Flint and Genesee County planning to major in an automotive-related career area have the opportunity to apply for this excellent scholarship. Remember, the application deadline is May 7."

To apply, visit backtothebricks.org/scholarships for more details. Submissions will be accepted until May 7.

Back to the Bricks is full steam ahead on events and planning. Stay up to date on everything by visiting backtothebricks.org.

POLICE & FIRE REPORT

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

DRIVER IN CRASH HAD SUSPENDED LICENSE

On Saturday, April 10, Genesee County sheriff's deputies were dispatched to the northbound U.S. 23 south of Lahring Road in Fenton Township for a crash involving three vehicles. Upon arrival, deputies

determined a Buick LeSabre was being towed by a GMC Sierra when it was rear-ended by a Jeep Compass. The male driver of the GMC Sierra, a 40-year-old Flint resident fled from the scene. It was later determined the Flint resident was driving with a suspended license. The driver was apprehended near the scene. The driver was cited for failure to stop and identify and driving while his license was suspended with a future court date. The driver was released from the scene.

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Local family continues scholarships

■ Donation-only garage sale proceeds given to graduates who want to help and work with kids

By Sharon Stone

A simple desire of wanting to become more involved in her community has resulted in thousands of dollars in scholarships for Fenton High School graduates.

Julie Gilbert and her family of Fenton Township will be hosting their fourth annual donation-only garage sale May 27 through May 30 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Items remaining on Sunday will be free. Nothing is priced — buyers may donate any amount they can.

Donations are welcome and can be dropped off anytime May 22 or 23.

Five years ago, Gilbert said she felt the desire to get more involved with the community. She's been in the area for 16 years and owns an in-home daycare called The Growing Patch. The first child she began watching is now a senior in high school.

"I wanted to start a scholarship for kids who wanted to help and work with children," she said.



(Above) The annual donation-only garage sale at Julie Gilbert's Fenton Township home raises money that is awarded as scholarships to high school graduates who plan to help or work with kids. **Times file photo**

(Right) Some of the kids who have stayed at Gilbert's in-home daycare strike a fun pose next to a pool.



“I wanted to start a scholarship for kids who wanted to help and work with children.”

Julie Gilbert

Fenton Township resident

The first year Gilbert said they just saved money and gave a \$1,000 scholarship to Shelby Kienast, Class of 2017. Kienast attends Grand valley State University. She is going into pediatric medicine.

The second year, Gilbert said she wanted to do more so she started the See **SCHOLARSHIPS** on 24

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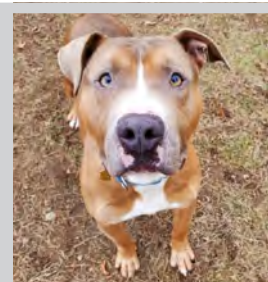
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Synopsis of Argentine Township Regular Board Meeting April 26, 2021

Call to order @ 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Supervisor Saad

Present: James, Saad and Graves, present. Virtual, Schmidt, Argentine Township, Conner, Durand Absent: none.

Approved: Minutes as printed of Regular Board Meeting March 29, 2021

Approved: Budget amendments.

Approved: Payment of expenditures.

Issued: 17, building Permits totaling \$9,275.53.

Tabled: 911 Tyler RMA Contract Discussions.

Tabled: Genesee County Act 342, Storm Water Management.

Approved: Purchase of Benches, Sign, and Bike Racks for LAFF Pathway in amount of \$10,049.93 plus shipping.

Adjourned: 8:02 p.m.

Submitted by Joseph Graves
Argentine Township Clerk



Julie Gilbert's daycare kids play on the playground equipment. Gilbert's family is hosting a donation-only garage sale to raise funds for scholarships for Fenton High School grads. **Submitted photo**

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garage sale and made \$1,000. "We doubled our scholarship recipients," she said.

In 2018, Gilbert's family awarded Alexis Jackson (children's ministry) and Annie Koester (child psychologist).

In 2019, she said they doubled their funds again with the garage sale and awarded Dane Dean (secondary education) and Madison Dunkel (elementary education).

In 2020, the school opted out of doing awards night but Gilbert's family continued to do the fundraiser throughout the coronavirus and still doubled their scholarships.

"Our awards went to Jenna Maher (music therapy) and Addison Taylor (social work)," she said.

This year the school is doing an awards ceremony May 11, where the winner will be announced.

Gilbert is asking the community to



Past recipients of the Gilbert scholarship display a poster thanking the Gilberts for the money, which is generated by the annual garage sale. **Submitted photo**

help support the kids who want to make a difference in 2022.

"We appreciate our generous community more than we can express," Gilbert said.

The sale will take place at 16432 Silver Landings, Fenton.

**TYRONE TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given the Tyrone Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, May 17, 2021, beginning at 7:00 pm via Zoom teleconference. Information to join this meeting will be posted to the Township's website prior to the meeting. The purpose for the Public Hearing is to consider the following variance applications:

APPEAL NO. 1: A previously tabled request by Brandon & Alexandria Gaynier for a 5-foot east side yard setback variance, a 5-foot west side yard setback variance, and a 35-foot front yard setback variance in order to build a new single-family residence located on Ledgewood Drive in Fenton, Michigan, 48430, Parcel ID: 4704-30-101-018. The property is zoned R-1, Single-Family Residential. Reference Tyrone Township Zoning Ordinance No. 36 - Section 20.01 Schedule of Regulations, inclusive of building setbacks, height, and sight lines.

APPEAL NO. 2: A request by Craig and Cheryl Duprey for a 10-foot south side yard setback variance in order to install a 4-foot x 50-foot walkway and a 13-foot north side yard setback variance to rebuild an existing deck located at 7615 Parkwood Dr., Fenton, Michigan, 48430, Parcel ID: 4704-30-201-039. The property is zoned R-1, Single-Family Residential. Reference Tyrone Township Zoning Ordinance No. 36 - Section 20.01 Schedule of Regulations, inclusive of building setbacks, height, and sight lines.

For additional information, legal descriptions, and location maps please contact the Planning & Zoning Department at (810) 629-8631 or via email at zoning@tyrontownship.us Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. We are located at 8420 Runyan Lake Road, Fenton, MI. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Tyrone Township Clerk at least seven days prior to the meeting.

Gregory Carnes, Chairman
Tyrone Township Zoning Board of Appeals


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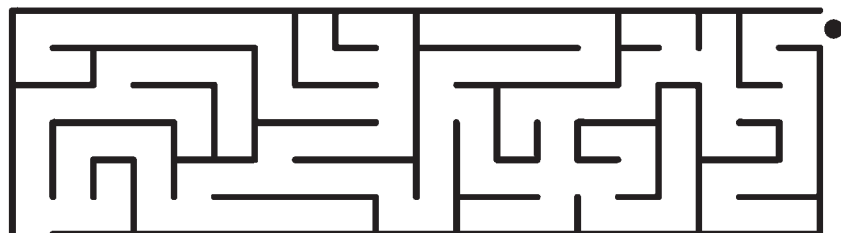
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE The City of Linden City Council will conduct a public hearing on the proposed budget for the 2021-2022 Fiscal Year, as part of its regular meeting agenda on Monday, May 10, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. Copies of the proposed budget are available for review at City Hall, 132 E. Broad Street, Linden, Michigan, during regular business hours Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (closed for lunch 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.) and 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. on Friday.

This meeting will be conducted virtually (online and/or by phone), pursuant to the Open Meetings Act (MCL 15.263), the City's state of emergency order and the MDHHS Order dated March 5, 2021. The public may participate in the meeting. To comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), any citizen requesting accommodations for this meeting, and/or to obtain this notice in alternate formats, please contact the City Clerk at (810) 735-7980, or clerk@lindenmi.us by 4:00 p.m. the day prior to the meeting.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget, will be a subject of this hearing.

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1 Participated in a PAC

8 Gridlock

15 Muffler, e.g.

20 "Amen to that!"

21 Blank-faced, as a comic

22 Gung-ho

23 Basic items on a canal boat?

25 Auto gear

26 Has it wrong

27 "Who is —?"

28 Day, to Diego

29 One hocking something

30 Nonclerical

31 Niche religion

32 Large-scale swindle?

35 Cubs hero Sammy

36 Hip dwellings

37 Make holy

38 Glowing molten rock?

42 Like acids

43 Rough- (unfinished)

47 Wintry glaze

48 Dundee denial

49 "How precious!"

50 "John Q." actress Anne

51 Place to grow grapes

54 TV program about kings and queens?

58 Settles up

59 Assistant on an iPhone

61 Suffix with hepta-

62 Radius site

63 Granola grain

64 European city famous for post-drinking headaches?

69 In history

72 Pot-au- (French stew)

73 Poem form

74 "Not so fast!"

75 Makes the decision

79 Press-on nails?

83 "Dream on!"

85 Radiant

86 Gun rights gp.

87 Old Pan Am rival

89 Tutu, e.g.

90 Comic Martha

91 Fill to excess

93 Placards that say "I'm only human"?

96 1991 Wimbledon champion Michael

98 Very light

99 Wry grimace

100 Weekly time to play some British football?

104 Chapel part

105 In a funk

108 Hasty glance

109 Mac

110 District

111 Flowing hair

112 Schoolyard retort

113 Spanning structure bought from a catalog?

117 Big name in watches

118 Made fit, as a suit

119 Snobbish behavior

120 When some early risers go to bed

121 Promises

122 Works for seven

DOWN

1 Insult in print

2 Fictional Scarlett

3 Bush fruit

4 Totes, e.g.

5 Intense anger

6 Visual acuity determiner

7 It may record a fender bender

8 Fateful March day

9 Grown boys

10 Gentle touch

11 Reebok rival

12 Neighbor of Andorra

13 Tongs may be placed in it

14 U.S. nav. officer

15 Auto types

16 Auto-cleaning services

17 Winemaking phase

18 Party hearty

19 Brother, in French

24 Use a couch

29 Boat landing

31 Like dirty chimneys

32 Wii user, e.g.

33 Nutrition fig.

34 Viral illness

35 "Good grief!"

36 Club swingers' gp.

38 Abbr. on an invitation

39 Tony winner Kazan

40 Refute

41 Drug banned by MLB

42 Title river in a Jolson hit

44 Canyon call

45 "Not so fast!"

46 Pond critter

49 Gung-ho

50 Service song

52 Emmy-winning Ed

53 Cobble together

55 Wetland bird

56 Schoolyard retort

57 Salvors

60 Côte d'— (nation in Afrique)

65 Two or three

66 Writer Buchanan

67 Lunged toward

68 Terrier type, for short

69 At a distance

70 Reciprocal of nano-

71 YOLO part

76 Smug sort

77 Gull relative

78 Match parts

80 Loses all one's moolah

81 Alert

82 Tale

84 Topic

88 Lopsided

91 In — (as placed)

92 Prefix with puncture

93 Actress Wasikowska

94 Electrical units

95 Susceptible to being misplaced

97 Magnate

98 Bewildered

100 Gorbachev's wife

101 Perturb

102 "Capeesh?"

103 Software package

104 Have life

105 — Hawkins Day

106 Teen turmoil

107 Judges to be

110 Tallies (up)

111 Goalie glove

113 GPS graphic

114 Certain URL ending

115 Singer Des'—

116 Lacerate

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1 6 8 2 4 9 3 7 5

5 4 9 3 7 1 2 6 8

4 8 2 9 6 5 7 1 3

7 1 6 4 3 8 9 5 2

9 5 3 1 2 7 6 8 4

6 7 4 8 5 3 1 2 9

8 2 1 6 9 4 5 3 7

3 9 5 7 1 2 8 4 6

WEEKEND SUDOKU ANSWERS

6 4 9 3 7 5 8 1 2

7 1 2 8 4 9 6 5 3

8 5 3 1 6 2 4 9 7

2 7 4 9 5 8 1 3 6

1 6 8 4 2 3 9 7 5

9 3 5 6 1 7 2 8 4

3 8 7 2 9 6 5 4 1

5 2 1 7 8 4 3 6 9

4 9 6 5 3 1 7 2 8

MIDWEEK CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Solution Time: 21 min.

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WEEKEND CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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WEEKEND WORD SEARCH ANSWERS

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MIDWEEK JUMBLE ANSWERS:

MOUND, YEAST, WILLOW, GASKET

Answer: The fashion designer retired at the top of her career so that she could — **GO OUT IN STYLE**

WEEKEND SCRAMBLE ANSWERS:

SHALE, FLOWER, DEPART, SHIELD

Answer: **WADDLE**

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Obituaries

Times

Aaron Dunbar

Aaron Dunbar - age 57, died April 22, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Arlow Himm

Arlow Himm - age 91, died April 23, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Barbara Gripentrog

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Darla Margosian

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Edith Foster

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Edward Ingison

Edward Ingison - age 72, died April 27, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Nancy Marie Tester

1962 - 2021

Nancy Marie Tester - age 58, of Fenton, died Tuesday, April 27, 2021. Funeral services will be held 2 PM Friday, April 30, 2021 at The Bard's Pole Barn, 6397 Bennett Lake Road, Fenton.

Pastor Brad Foster officiating. Burial in Sharp Cemetery, Deerfield Township. Visitation will be held at Bard's Pole Barn Friday from 11 AM until the time of the service. Nancy was born December 17, 1962 in Flint, the daughter of Merle and Emma (Rathbun) Tester. She was a 1981 graduate of Linden High School and she received a Bachelor's Degree from Detroit



Business College. She had resided in Fenton her entire life. She was employed by Vic Canaver Chevrolet since 1985. Surviving are her sister, Joyce and husband Pat Bard; nephew, Patrick

Bard; niece, Carrie Bard; five great-nephews, Seth, Carsen, Cayd, Dagger, and Kraton; great-niece, Stevie. She was preceded in death by her parents, Merle and Emma Tester. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Elaine Sutton

Elaine Sutton - age 85, died April 25, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



George Hudson

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Karen Olsen

Karen Olsen - age 74, died April 28, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Harold "Scott" Phillips

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Jentery Farmer

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Thomas Kelly

Thomas Kelly - age 69, died April 22, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Donald B. Ellis

1931 - 2021

Donald B. Ellis - age 90, of Holly, died Tuesday, April 27, 2021. Don was born in Flint on February 14, 1931 to Byron and Cornella Ellis. He was a graduate of Flint Central High School and was also

a GMI graduate. Don served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War, and he worked for A.C. Spark Plug for over 40 years. He married Beverly Jeffers on April 25, 1952. He was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Holly and a member of the Mt. Holly Ski Patrol. Don loved the outdoors and was an avid Crim runner, a bicyclist, and a lover of donuts. He was proud to have donated 42 gallons of blood to the Red Cross. Surviving are his daughter, D'Arcy (Kevin) Williams; grand-



daughters, Meagan Turner and Erica Williams (Josh Bordt); three great-grandchildren, Donald, Vivian, Hudson, and the soon to be Everly; and sister, Carolyn Sue Warren (Pastor

Robert). He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Paula and Josefine; son, Jeff; granddaughter, Jessica; and grandson-in-law, Matthew Turner. Private graveside committal services, military honors, and burial will be held at 10 AM Monday, May 3, 2021 at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the First Baptist Church of Holly or to the American Red Cross. John 14: 1-6.

www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com.

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Kelli Williams

Kelli Williams - age 61, died April 26, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Marc Gronauer

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Marion Hudson

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Terry Brannon

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Answers in this edition of the Tri-County Times

Barbara Ann Chad

1939 - 2021

Barbara Ann Chad - age 82, died Wednesday, April 28, 2021. Visitation will be held 3 - 7 PM Thursday, May 6 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton.



Springs, Brian (Rebekah) Shultz of Chandler, TX, Rodney (Marta) Shultz of Frisco, TX, Amy (Josh) Imperio of Mountain View, CA, Zachary (Crystal) Shultz of Rockwall, TX;

Private funeral services will be held and may be viewed by live stream at 11 AM, Friday, May 7 on her obituary page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Fenton. Barbara was born March 23, 1939 in Blue Earth, MN the daughter of Eugene and Ruby (Pearson) Fox. She was married to Melvin Shultz in 1958; he preceded her in death in 1998. She was then married to John Chad in 2001. Barbara co-owned and operated Adam's Pantry in Fenton for many years. Surviving are husband, John Chad; five children, Robin (John) Jedd of Berrien

step-son, John (Cherie) Chad; grandchildren, Emily (Jeff) Stuckey, Victoria Imperio, Luke Imperio, Abigail Shultz, Lauren Shultz, Kennedy Shultz, Benjamin Shultz, Lincoln Shultz, Ford Shultz; great-grandson, Cooper Stuckey; sisters, Mary Jean Behrmann and Marge Chilson Andersen. She was also preceded in death by her parents; son, Michael Shultz in 1994; grandson, Matthew Imperio in 1995; and sister, Karen Fox. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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Jumbles: WHY
MELT
BALL
TOOK
Answer: The twins missed their flight home because they were ---
"TWO" LATE

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

WORD FUN

Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

WHAT KIND OF MUSIC SCARES BALLOONS?

CASPER	___	SCARE	LAMEST	___	STALE
ADORES	___	DARES	BEIRUT	___	TRIBE
SIMPLE	___	LIMES	BASTES	___	BEAST
			KEISHA	___	SHAKE
			CLAMPS	___	PALMS

Puzzles4Kids

Answer

CLAMPS	C	CASPER
KEISHA	I	ADORES
BASTES	S	DARES
BEIRUT	U	LIMES
STALE	M	PALMS

Obituaries

Times

Walter Lewis Hungerford

1931 - 2021

Walter Lewis Hungerford - age 89, of Fenton, died Wednesday, April 21, 2021. A private family service was held Wednesday, April 28, 2021. Burial in Oakwood Cemetery, Fenton. Those desiring may make contributions to Adopt-A-Pet, 13575 Fenton Road, Fenton, MI 48430. Walter was born August 24, 1931 in Fenton, the son of Ernest and Eva (Campbell) Hungerford. He was a 1949 graduate of Fenton High School. He entered the Air Force in 1951 and became a helicopter mechanic in San Marcos, TX. He was sent to Parks Air Force College in St. Louis, MO while in the military. After the Air Force he returned to college on the GI bill at Central Michigan University where he met Barbara, his wife of 59 years. He graduated from Central Michigan University in 1961 with



a Bachelor's Degree in Industrial Arts. After starting to teach he returned to the University of Michigan to complete his Masters Degree. Walter retired in 1992 from Grand Blanc High School as a teacher. He was a member and Elder of Fenton First Presbyterian Church. He also was a member of the Fenton Lions Club. He enjoyed antique cars and he loved animals. Surviving are his wife, Barbara; sister-in-law, Geraldine and husband Basil Shepard of Lowell; and several nieces; nephews; and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ernest and Eva Hungerford. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Joseph Charles Cherup, Jr.

1928 - 2021

Joseph Charles Cherup, Jr. - age 92, of Fenton, passed away Saturday, April 24 2021. Visitation will be 1 - 5 PM Sunday, May 2 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Road, Fenton. Private Funeral Services will be held and may be viewed by live stream at 12 Noon Monday, May 3 at Joseph's page at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com. Interment following at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly. Those desiring may make contributions to the American Cancer Society. Joseph was born November 24, 1928 in Detroit, the son of Joseph Charles and Rose Lillian (Smash) Cherup, Sr. He was a 1946 graduate of Redford High School and a 1955 graduate of Detroit College of Applied Sciences.



He served in the United States Army during the Korean War and was a life member of the VFW currently with the Fenton Post 3243. Joseph owned and operated The Tradewinds Cocktail Lounge and many other types of businesses including Manufacturing with Revolution DC. He is survived by nieces and nephews, John A. Barnstead of Nova Scotia, Joseph R. Barnstead of Indianapolis, IN, Rose M. Barnstead of Sugar Land, TX, and Patricia A. Barnstead of Indianapolis, IN. He was preceded in death by his parents; and his sister, Dolores Barnstead. Online Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



James "Jim" Leithauser

James "Jim" Leithauser - age 95, died April 25, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Mary Tithof

Mary Tithof - age 83, died April 24, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



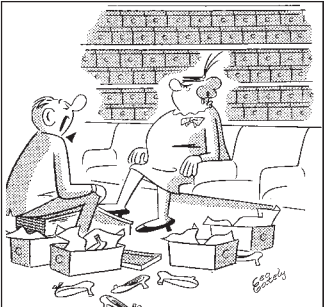
Walter Latchaw

Walter Latchaw - age 80, died April 23, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Weekend Scrambler

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



Sediment
LEASH

Bloom
REFLOW

EXIT
TRAPED

Cover
DELISH

TODAY'S WORD

" _____ around a bit and see how they feel!"


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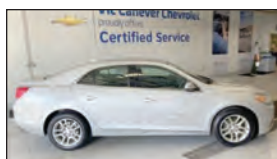
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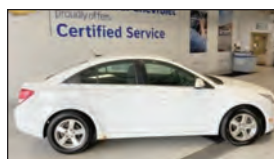
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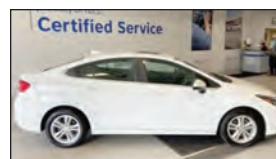
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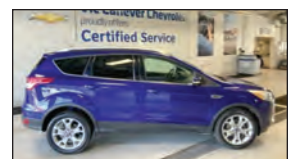
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