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Fenton road improvement bond passes

■ Engineers expect to fix 90-95% of roads

By Hannah Ball

Fenton roads will be fixed.

With the passing of the Fenton road improvement bond on Tuesday, Nov. 2, residents can expect a number of local roads to be redone and improved. Fenton Mayor Sue Osborn and the three city council members on the ballot won their races uncontested.

See **ROAD** on 18

Fenton mayor, council members win uncontested races

■ Council member says his priority for next four-year term is road work

By Hannah Ball

In all uncontested races, Fenton Mayor Sue Osborn and three council members were re-elected to their positions on the Fenton City Council.

Osborn received 1,322 votes and was re-elected to another two-year term. Council

See **RACES** on 10

Remembering Sergeant O'Rourke



Arlene and Dan O'Rourke, parents of Sgt. Patrick O'Rourke, sit with photos of their son, who was killed on Sept. 9, 2012, nine years ago, in the line of duty. Despite a deep loss, the couple hasn't stopped trying to help others. See story on page 13. Photo: Hannah Ball

Township signs contract with ambulance service

■ 'At the end of the day, we don't control the distribution of those ambulances'

By Hannah Ball

Fenton Township entered into an agreement with an ambulance service in an attempt to cut down on long wait times.

On Monday, Nov. 1, the Fenton Township Board of Trustees voted unanimously to enter into an emergency medical services agreement with Medstar Inc. The contract states the Medstar will provide advanced and basic life support ambulances as requested and as determined through the recognized emergency medical dispatch information provided, which comes from Genesee County 911.

The township will notify Genesee Central Dispatch Authority that Medstar has been selected as the township's EMS provider and request that all 911 EMS requests for Fenton Township be directed to Medstar.

Fenton Township Fire Chief Ryan Volz said this was about what avenue they wanted to take with the protection of the residents. He highly recommended the agreement.

See **AMBULANCE** on 26



“I love Halloween and suggest, next year, trick or treating last three hours, not two. That would

help spread out the trick or treaters. I found it difficult to even take a bathroom break. Just a thought.”



“I wish to thank Travis who works at Rite Aid. The money order printer

was messing up and I was kind of in a hurry, and I did not get all my money orders, so Travis delivered them to me. A big thank you, Travis.”

“Thank you to the young lady who paid for my groceries at Alpine Monday, Nov. 1. I will pass on your generosity to another. God bless you.”



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Local scouts prepare for year's largest food drive

■ Scouting for Food begins
— Scouts picking up
donations Saturday, Nov. 13

The Scouting for Food initiative calls on thousands of youth to collect essentials for local food banks. Scouts in the Michigan Crossroads Council were distributing flyers to homes in their communities Nov. 6, requesting that residents leave donations on their doorsteps for pickup in one week.

Scouts will then revisit those houses Saturday, Nov. 13 to retrieve bags filled with canned goods, cereal, pasta, peanut butter, juice and other items, according to project coordinator Bob DeWar of the Michigan Crossroads Council.

"Cheerful service is a keystone of the Scouting movement, and few service projects have such a profound impact on our youth as Scouting for Food," DeWar said. "It is a cherished tradition in this council, and we only plan to expand it in the years to come."

The drive is typically a massive undertaking, with flyers distributed to as many as half a million homes. The Michigan Crossroads Council will carry out this year's efforts in partnership with Gleaners Community Food Bank, which will support drop

See **FOOD DRIVE** on 12



Food assembled during the 2020 Scouting for Food drive.



Scouts and volunteers load food onto a Gleaners truck in 2020.

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Words with Hannah

'Maid' is one of the best Netflix shows

The holiday season always gives me a mix of emotions, especially since I started working at the Tri-County Times and became more knowledgeable about how many people around here struggle financially simply to put food on the table.

According to the Census from 2019, 11% of Fenton residents live in poverty.

Approximately 14% of Holly village residents, 11.6% of Holly Township residents, 5% of Fenton Township residents and 7.8% of Argentine Township residents live in poverty.

This makes me incredibly sad. These numbers show that there are thousands of students in the area who qualify for free and reduced lunch, and it's a stark reminder that food insecurity is prevalent in our communities.

That's why I love writing stories about the angels who run food pantries.

When I interviewed her for a story, Heather Melton, who runs the Holly Police Department Food Pantry, said many people are surprised to learn that there are homeless people in our area. There seems to be a sad connotation that homeless people are a different kind of people than "us," when in reality, people become homeless due to situations that



Hannah Ball
Staff Reporter

can affect all of us. According to homelesslaw.org, the leading causes of homelessness are lack of affordable housing, unemployment, poverty, mental illness and a lack of needed services, and substance abuse and lack of services.

Providing for yourself is one thing, and it becomes much harder when you have kids to consider. Millions of Americans live paycheck to paycheck.

When I was interviewing Heather, I was reminded of one of my favorite Netflix shows of the year, called "Maid."

The show is based on a nonfiction book, "Maid: Hard Work, Low Pay and a Mother's Will to Survive," written by a woman named who lived in about six different homes in the span of one year.

It begins with the main character, Alex, leaving her abusive, drunk boyfriend in the middle of the night with their daughter. She goes to her friends for help, but all of her friends were his friends first. She finds herself at a shelter for abused women and gets herself a job as a maid to get by.

The show is an honest and heart-breaking look at poverty. She tries to get back on her feet and care for her daughter, but how will she get a job without

a car? How can she afford childcare so she can actually go to her job?

Her mother, who's a free spirited artist, is trapped in her own abusive situation, and she's not much help. Neither is Alex's dad.

Despite the world seemingly working against her, the main character is able to pull herself out of a horrible situation with her determination and with the help of others. A friend lets her use his car. One of her clients becomes a friend who connects her with a lawyer.

Every episode is a roller coaster of emotions, not only for the main character, but for the surrounding cast of people that play a role in her life. No one in the show is entirely irredeemable, including her abusive ex. It shows how substance abuse makes monsters out of people. It also shows how many people don't often realize, or they deny, that they're in an abusive relationship.

It's inherently empathetic, heart-warming and enraging at the same time.

The author of the book, Stephanie Land, is now a New York Times Best Selling author, and I hope she's rolling in the cash because she absolutely deserves it.

Going into the holiday season, I hope everyone leads with empathy and remembers that all of us need help sometimes.

Hotlines

Submit Hot lines online at myfenton.com
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YOU KNOW, WE'RE watching all of these 'important' leaders from around the world fly in to Scotland by private jet for a summit on climate change. If they really want us to believe they care about the environment, they should have had a worldwide webinar and group emails.

AS VOTING MEMBER of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) advisory committee, Harvard Prof. Eric Rubin stated, 'We're never going to learn about how safe the COVID-19 vaccine is for children until we start giving it.'

GREAT SEASON TO Linden volleyball. We should have empathy for Fenton's athletic department as they have lost sight of good sportsmanship and basic addition.

TEACHERS SHOULD TEACH, not indoctrinate.

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

What would you put on your perfect sandwich?



"Shaved turkey breast, Swiss cheese, Hellman's Mayo and summer fresh tomato's on rye bread."

Amanda Marie
Fenton



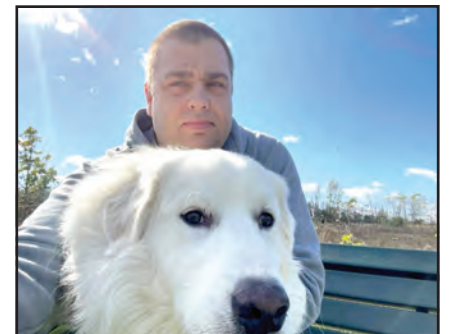
"Peanut butter, mustard and mayo on bread. Been eating it since I was little."

Kathy Kathleen Wade
Fenton



"Ham, bologna, cotto salami, with cheddar, lettuce and mayo. I used to work at Mason's Deli and that was one of my favorites."

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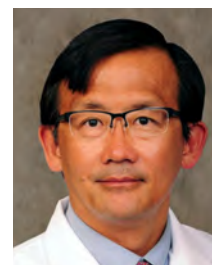
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On Thursday, Nov. 4, Fenton High School student Skye Hodgkin (center), who plays Charlie Brown, along with the rest of the cast rehearse for the FHS production of "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown." **Photo: Hannah Ball**

'You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown'

By Sharon Stone

Schroeder, Sally Brown, Linus van Pelt, Snoopy, Lucy van Pelt, Charlie Brown, and Patty will come to life in an upcoming theatrical performance.

The Fenton High School Theatre Department has been preparing for its upcoming "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown," play, which will be presented Nov. 11-13.

The play is based on the comic strip,

"Peanuts" by Charles M. Schulz. The book, music and lyrics are by Clark M. Gesner.

Performances will be Thursday, Nov. 11 at 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Nov. 12 at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 13 at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The play will be held in Fenton High School Ruby Zima Auditorium. Ticket information is available by calling (810) 591-2964.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

ALL THIS PUSH for wind power. A single wind turbine can kill an estimated 100,000 birds in one year. These are birds that eat many times their weight in mosquitoes every day, plus numerous other pests including mice.

THOSE MICHIGAN FOOTBALL players jinxed themselves when they foolishly celebrated with a crazy photo op when they scored that first touchdown. No discipline under Harbaugh.

ONE VOLCANO SPEWS out as much greenhouse gas during an eruption as mankind has during its existence. Human beings aren't the problem, nature and the maturation of the planet is. 'You can't fool Mother Nature.'

DROVE RIPLEY ROAD on Mon-

day. I've lived out that way for over 30 years and it has never been as bad it was yesterday. I don't see how any vehicle other than a huge pickup truck could make it through the really deep potholes. Get it graded.

YOU MEAN TO TELL me that you're measuring someone's vehicle on their property each time they come home from work? Good for your diligence, but sheesh, find something else to complain about.

UNBELIEVABLE ENDING TO the Fenton/Linden varsity volleyball game. Multiple times watching the video show there was a scoring error. Officials knew it, coaches knew it, and crowd knew it. Fifth game needs to be replayed. How could you feel good about 'winning' a game that wasn't accurately scored?

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Plans for a Veteran's Memorial at Freedom Park reignited

■ Buy a brick to honor a veteran

By Emily Caswell

Fenton — After a pause due to the pandemic, the committee working to secure a Veteran's Memorial in Fenton's Freedom Park is back in action.

"With so many pressing community needs throughout the past year and a half, it made sense for this committee to pause," said City Councilwoman Pat Lockwood, who is also chair of the committee. "We are all happy to be back together to make our vision a reality."

The idea for the Veteran's Memorial has been in the works since about 2017 and an official committee was formed and began work in 2019. It was decided around that same time that the memorial would be placed in Fenton's Freedom Park, bordered by Shiawassee Avenue, Elizabeth Street and Park Street.

The park was originally used for town meetings and Civil War troops mustered here before heading off to battle. The park has long been a place of remembrance to honor those who have served from our local community.

The new Veteran's Memorial will consist of a Veteran's pathway, filled with memorial bricks, a sponsor area, seven flags honoring each branch of the United States military, a statue and commemorative wall.

The committee had a conceptual drawing done before the pandemic and estimates the total project will cost \$375,000.

Initial funding for the project has been made possible by the Fenton Fund of the Community Foundation of Greater Flint, with support from the City of Fenton. Other sponsors include City of Fenton Parks Board, Fenton Department of Public Works, Fenton & Linden Regional Chamber of Commerce, Fenton Memorials, Inc., Kerning Advertising, Tri-County Times, OHM Engineering and the VFW Post 3243.

The committee is currently working to secure community and business sponsors as well. Those interested can contact Lockwood at 810-516-9480 or lockwoodpa4@gmail.com.

Those wishing to purchase a brick and honor a veteran have an option for a regular brick (4" x 8") for \$100 or a large brick (8" x 8") for \$175. Bricks can be purchased at www.FentonVeteransMemorial.com.

morial.com.

"With the holidays quickly approaching, we believe these bricks would make the perfect gift for a veteran you know and love," Lockwood added. "With the delay over, the entire committee is anxious to see the memorial come together and provide a long-lasting legacy for our area veterans and a beautiful space for the entire community to enjoy."

Veteran's Memorial in Fenton's Freedom Park Committee

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- **Scott Grossmeyer**, Council Representative
- **Tracy Botticelli**, Council Representative
- **Dawn Overmyer**, Beautification Commission Chair
- **Robert Carnes**, Parks Board Representative
- **Doug Tebo**, Cemetery Board Chair
- **Jennifer Wenzel**, Parks Board Representative
- **Dan Brisson**, Dept. of Public Works Director
- **John Parks**, Business & Protocol Representative
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- **Ken Rodenbo**, VFW & Protocol Representative
- **Shelly Day**, Fenton & Linden Chamber Executive Director
- **Catherine Osentoski**, City Administration Representative

POLICE & FIRE REPORT

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

WALLET TURNED IN, CASH MISSING

On Monday, Oct. 18, at 9 p.m., a Holly police officer was dispatched to a local business to speak with a Royal Oak man who reported that he had dropped his wallet in the parking lot, discovered it missing and returned to the store. An employee reported a regular customer had turned in the wallet, but it was missing the cash. The officer is investigating to determine the identity of the finder.

Kids age 5-11 now eligible to get vaccinated

■ More than 42% of children ages 12-15 have received one dose

From the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), doctors and state public health leaders are urging Michigan parents to get their children ages 5 to 11 vaccinated.

On Nov. 2, Pfizer-BioNTech's COVID-19 pediatric vaccine received emergency use authorization for this age group from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). It is also recommended by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP).

MDHHS is recommending providers begin vaccinating children ages 5 to 11 years as soon as possible.

"Being able to vaccinate children ages 5 to 11 with the safe and effective COVID-19 vaccine brings us hope and also an additional opportunity to urge all eligible Michiganders to get vaccinated," said Dr. Natasha Bagdasarian, MDHHS chief medical executive. "We know these vaccines work and protect our children and their families. Even healthy children can suffer serious effects from COVID-19. The vaccines remain our way out of the pandemic, and more than 825,000 more children in our state are now eligible."

In Michigan, there have been more than 201,000 confirmed COVID cases in those age 19 and younger, and 20 deaths have been reported in ages 10 to 19 as of Nov. 2. More than 450 children under the age of 12 become infected with the virus each day.

See **VACCINATED** on 15

TYRONE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS HELD NOVEMBER 2, 2021

The following actions were taken:

1. Supervisor Cunningham called the Board meeting to order at 7:02 p.m. at the township hall.
2. Present: Supervisor Mike Cunningham, Treasurer Jennifer Eden, Clerk Marcie Husted, Trustees Herman Ferguson, Kurt Schulze and Zach Tucker. Absent Trustee David Walker.
3. Approved the agenda as presented; approved the consent agenda as presented.
4. Received and placed on file Communication #1 as presented.
5. Adopted Resolution #211101 to remove the burn permit requirement from the Open Burning Ordinance and fee schedule.
6. Provided an update on the American Rescue Plan Act funds.
7. Approved the office holiday schedule for 2021.
8. Adjourned at 7:50 pm.

After they are approved, the minutes of all regular and special Tyrone Township Board Meetings are on file and may be reviewed at the Tyrone Township Clerk's Office, 8420 Runyan Lake Rd., Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and are also posted online at www.tyronetownship.us.

**ROSE TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION 2021-20
RESOLUTION SCHEDULING HEARING
ON ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR
OTTIEWAY COURT MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT
DISTRICT #012**

WHEREAS,

the Township Supervisor has, in accordance with Rose Township Board Resolution and the laws and statutes pertinent thereto, prepared a special assessment roll in the total amount of \$ 2,700.00 for the first year and the total amount of \$ 2,700.00 in the second and subsequent years covering all parcels of land in the Ottieway Court. Road Maintenance Assessment District #012, according to the relation of the benefit to each parcel of land to the total benefit to all parcels of land in such Special Assessment District and has affixed thereto her Certification as required by said Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That said special assessment roll shall be filed with the Township Clerk and shall be available for public examination during regular business hours from the present date until the public hearing upon the same and shall further be examined at such public hearing.
2. That the Township Board shall hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. or soon after on November 10, 2021 at the Township Hall, 9080 Mason Street., Holly, Michigan, to review such special assessment roll and hear any objections thereto.
3. That the Township Clerk shall give Notice of such hearing and the filing of such assessment roll to be published twice in the Tri-County Times, a paper of general circulation prior to the date of the hearing with the first publication being not less than ten (10) days prior to the hearing and shall further cause Notice of such hearing to be mailed by First Class Mail to all owners of property within the Ottieway Court Maintenance Assessment District #012 as shown on the current assessment roll of the Township at least ten (10) days prior to said hearing, all in accordance with law and statute provided.

Moved by: Noble

Seconded by: Miller

Voting Yea: Walls, Gambka, Miller, Noble, Scheib-Snyder

Voting Nay: None

The Supervisor declared the resolution adopted.

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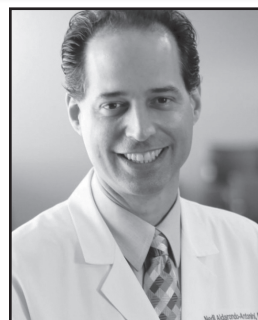
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RACES

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Member Tracy Bottecelli received 1,208 votes, Council Member Scott Grossmeyer received 1,186 votes and Council Member David McDermott received 1,148 votes.

All three were re-elected to four-year terms.

Osborn, 73, has served in city government for 35 years and as mayor for the last 23.

Grossmeyer, who will now go into this third four-year term, said running unopposed was "very different."

"I normally enjoy being out knocking on doors and talking with people but I suppose that with COVID, it was probably best that we didn't have the need to do that. I wouldn't want to make anyone uncomfortable answering the door," he said.

He is pleased with the outcome.

"I think that we have a great group of people on council and I am happy that we will be able to continue working together. Most of all, I am very happy that the bond proposal passed, and by a

wide margin," Grossmeyer said.

He said they'll be able to give neighborhood streets the attention they need.

"I have enjoyed serving for my first two terms and would like to think that I have made a difference. As I go into my third term, I hope that I can continue to be a productive member of City Council. I have always tried to be accessible to anyone who wants to talk and hope to continue to be. I think that we have a wonderful community and I am humbled to be one of the people selected to serve it," Grossmeyer said.

His goals for the next four years will be roads and infrastructure issues.

"It will be good to finally be able to take care of those problems. The roads, water and sewer will require a lot of time but I would also like to see some improvements in some of our parks. There are a couple that we have been working on and I hope that we can get some of that work done as well. It will also be nice to see some of our community events getting back to normal," Grossmeyer said.

POLICE & FIRE REPORT

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

RUNAWAY LOCATED, DETAINED

On Saturday, Oct. 23, at 2:33 p.m., a Holly police officer was investigating a juvenile runaway report taken the day earlier regarding a 16-year-old female who had a family member's vehicle and would not come home or return it. The officer spotted the vehicle and recognized the driver as the missing juvenile. The officer activated his emergency lights and siren. The juvenile refused to stop and increased speed. The officer notified police agencies in the direction she was heading and discontinued pursuit due to the high speed the juvenile was driving. The vehicle was found abandoned in Waterford. Later that same evening, another Holly officer investigating the case spotted the juvenile in a different vehicle in the Holly area and was able to make the stop and safely take her into custody. She was lodged at Children's Village and a petition was obtained from the Oakland County Prosecutor's office for fleeing police. She remains in the detention facility pending court action.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

SILVER PARKWAY IS not a three-way intersection, as it continues on into a busy shopping center just like at Owen Road. The volume of traffic you mention is precisely why the lights should be removed at the three-way spots to allow traffic to flow.

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ONE YEAR AGO, President Trump had Arab peace deals, Afghanistan quiet, China in check, USA was feared/respected, Southern border controlled, cheap gasoline and we were the number one producer of oil and gas. My, how things have changed.

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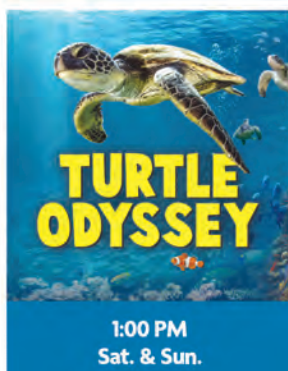
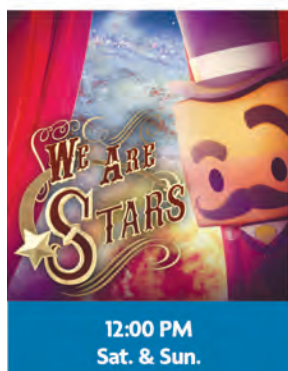
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FOOD DRIVE

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sites in Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb counties. The Salvation Army will run a drop-site in Flint for Genesee County units.

Scouts also are given the option to select a beneficiary of their choice, allowing youth leaders to consider options and make their own informed decisions. Volunteers with Pack 43, Troop 43B and Troop 43G in Holly said their units will support the food pantry at the First Baptist Church in Holly with their collection, as they have in years past.

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“It is a cherished tradition in this council, and we only plan to expand it in the years to come.”

Bob DeWar

*Michigan Crossroads Council
project coordinator*



Feeding America, one in seven children living in Michigan faces hunger, and the ongoing pandemic is believed to have only exacerbated this situation. Jacob Clapp, Scouting's executive for the Fenton area, said the drive is an example of Scouting's commitment to the community.

“Scouting for Food represents an incredible opportunity to teach our youth invaluable life lessons,” Clapp said.

The council has set a goal to collect and distribute over 100,000 pounds of food in 2021. DeWar said he is confident that, with the community's support, they will undoubtedly exceed that figure.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

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NOW THAT WE know that the Whitmer kidnapping plot was an orchestrated act by FBI, we need to learn if Whitmer was part of the plot.

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WE ARE ALL too smart to be

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fooled by the media. Staff shortages, supply chain issues, airline flights cancelled. It's the vaccine mandates imposed by this administration. Remember with only 58% of Americans with one dose of the vaccine, many still choose to be unvaccinated no matter what the consequences.

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The fundraiser and the retreat

■Part one in a series on Dan and Arlene O'Rourke, the parents of Srg. Patrick O'Rourke, who was killed in the line of duty

By Hannah Ball

On Wednesday, Nov. 3, Dan and Arlene O'Rourke presented three \$2,500 awards to three graduates of the Wayne County Regional Police Training Center, which is the alma mater of their son, Srg. Patrick O'Rourke.

Patrick, 39, who worked for the West Bloomfield Township Police Department, was killed more than nine years ago on Sept. 9, 2021, by a lone gunman who had barricaded himself inside his West Bloomfield home. He shot Patrick through a bedroom door.

The Tyrone Township resident left behind a wife, Amy, three daughters Eileen, Mary, Andrea, who were 10, 8, and 5 at the time, and a son, Stephen, who was eight months old. He was survived by three brothers, Rick, Scott and Dan, and his parents.

Arlene and Dan remember specific details from that night, such as the helicopters overhead and how police ran out of tear gas. Losing a son in a way that attracted national media attention can test relationships and communities, and despite the deep loss, Arlene and Dan have worked these last nine years to help those in similar situations.

The couple created a golf outing fundraiser, called Patrick O'Rourke Memorial Scholarship Fund, that raises funds for an endowment with the Wayne County Regional Police Training Center. They raise enough funds in the late summer event, held at the Hartland Glen Golf Club, for them to present six \$2,500 awards each year. The first year, they presented the award to an officer who was later hired by West Bloomfield. They've given out an estimated \$350,000 from the endowment so far.

Initially, they had to be convinced to hold it.

Arlene was working as a deputy clerk for Livingston County in 2012. When she wanted to ease out of the job, they had lunch with the Livingston County Sheriff, who suggested a golf outing fundraiser in Patrick's name. "We knew nothing about golf," Arlene said. "We both looked at him like he was crazy."



Srg. Patrick O'Rourke, who worked for the West Bloomfield Township Police Department, was killed by a gunman nine years ago. Photo: Hannah Ball

He eventually convinced them. They were able to have an event three months later in June. "It'll always be creating money for these students. As long as we can do it and we have a lot of money that we're making, we would like to personally give them big chunks," Arlene said. "This year, we cleared \$15,000 in our golf outing."

They also received money from a European pheasant hunt up north, which raised \$5,000.

In a way, they're paying it forward. After Patrick was killed, Arlene said the world was "totally upside down," especially in that first year. It defined their life.

Both are very thankful to Michigan Concerns of Police Survivors (MICOPS), the Michigan chapter of the non-profit organization that provides resources to help surviving families of law enforcement. Every year, the organization pays for these families, from couples to spouses to children, to attend a retreat and receive counseling.

They started going to the retreats the year Patrick was killed. In October, they attended the five-day retreat in Arkansas.

"The way I look at it, it's like a crystal ball. You see these people that are actually functioning. They can speak in sentences and they don't cry every five minutes. You see that there's hope that we can go on and live productive lives without totally shriveling up," Arlene said. "The beauty of this organization is after that first year, maybe a year and a half when it's all fog, when it starts to clear and you get back to reality- you realize that there are others coming unfortunately and you want to pay it forward. We want to be there for survivors."

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O'ROURKE

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Arlene is the treasurer of the Michigan chapter and Dan is a trustee.

The retreats have sessions on a wide range of topics, from dealing with anger to preparing for upcoming trials. Dan said it's really therapeutic. "You can't know what that's like unless you've been there," Dan said. The retreats have outdoor activities and free time so the couples can meet each other.

Arlene said they've made a lot of friends over the years and the events feel like reunions. Now that nine years have passed, they know more about how to handle the new couples, who wear a special color name tag. Arlene said you have to let them talk.

"My theory I tell people is that there is light at the end of the tunnel but it's a million miles away and you'll never quite get there. But when all this happens, you learn things about your son or daughter that you had no idea they were capable of doing," Dan said. "I say you're standing at an intersection where grief and pride collide and you're right in the middle of it. You learn things that makes you so proud."



Along with multiple memorials that honor Srg. Patrick O'Rourke, Arlene and Dan also have his work vehicle, which was outfitted with lights, decals and Patrick's car number, 318. Photo: Hannah Ball

The more pride they have for their son, the more grief they feel.

Arlene is on the website called Officer Down Memorial Page (ODMP) that sends her an email every time an officer is killed. She sends sympathy cards to their spouses and parents.

They met a couple at a retreat who received one of Arlene's letters and said it really helped them. "My heart is just melting. I'm thinking, 'boy, am I glad I did that,'" she said. "They've been sending out sympathy cards. That kind of gave them a purpose."

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VACCINATED

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"It is important to get children ages five and up vaccinated as quickly as possible to save even more lives and reduce serious illness," said MDHHS director Elizabeth Hertel. "Working together, we can help some of our youngest Michiganders get back to more normal activities with friends, sports teams, classmates and more."

Based on data provided by Pfizer, the vaccine was shown to be nearly 91% effective at preventing symptomatic disease from COVID-19 in this age group. The pediatric formulation of the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine is administered as a series of two doses, 21 days apart, at one-third the amount of the adult dosage.

Clinical trial participants demonstrated a strong immune response one month after the second dose. The most commonly reported side effects, typically lasting one to three days, were pain at the injection site, tiredness, headache, chills, muscle pain, fever and joint pain. With the exception of pain at the injection site, more children reported these side effects after the second dose than after the first dose.

More than 825,000 Michigan children will now be eligible to receive the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine. With more than 4,000 vaccine providers across the state, including family physicians and pediatricians, urgent cares, local health departments, federally qualified health centers and pharmacies, there are plenty of providers and vaccines available for eligible children.

MDHHS has ordered 287,700 doses for the initial rollout, which is the full allocation provided by CDC for the launch of vaccination efforts. Vaccines will be available immediately beginning Nov. 3, and parents can find a vaccine by visiting [Vaccines.gov](https://vaccines.gov) or by calling 211.

Vaccination is the best protection against COVID-19. To date, more than 42% of children ages 12 to 15 have received their first dose of the safe and effective Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine.

SUMMARY

■ From January to October, unvaccinated Michiganders accounted for 93.1% of COVID cases, 90.7% of hospitalizations and 90.5% of deaths.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

SELFISH, ADJECTIVE: THE behavior of requiring others to act in accordance with one's own hysterical beliefs. Example: The endless rants of COVID-19 militants that 'everyone must get vaccinated.'

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I DON'T UNDERSTAND the vaccine fetish that's all the rage these days. The fanatical obedi-

ence to vaccinations is worrisome. Just for the record, vaccines do not equal salvation for humanity.

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YOUNGKIN, SEARS ELECTED Governor, Lt Governor in VA, Republicans, proves education, U.S. economy, inflation, citizens rights, U.S. debt, energy independence all more important than climate change, massive spending bills touting free paid for. Biden, Democrats wrong. Sanders, Squad pro-

gressive policies to blame. Can't wait for 2022 elections.

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I HAVE A question of the democrats that say voter ID requirements will 'disenfranchise' black voters. How? Every adult in this country has some form of government identification. You simply can't function without it. If you don't have one, are you legally here? If you're here illegally, you aren't eligible to vote anyway.

Data from the FDA and CDC show that children 5 to 11 years of age account for approximately 9% of COVID-19 cases in the U.S. overall, and approximately 40% of pediatric cases. COVID-19 has infected 1.9 million children ages 5 to 11 nationwide and hospitalized 8,300. About one-third of hospitalized children required treatment in the ICU. 146 children have died, and more than 5,000 have developed Multisystem Inflammatory Disorder (MIS-C).

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WHERE TO GET VACCINATED

The Genesee County Health Department does not require that people make appointments. COVID-19 vaccinations will be available for children aged 5 to 11 beginning Tuesday, Nov. 9.

Call the COVID-19 Call Center at (810) 344-4800 for more information.

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ROSE TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION 2021-19 RESOLUTION SCHEDULING HEARING ON ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR WILLIAMS DRIVE MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT #008

WHEREAS,

the Township Supervisor has, in accordance with Rose Township Board Resolution and the laws and statutes pertinent thereto, prepared a special assessment roll in the total amount of \$ 3,800.00 for the first year and the total amount of \$ 3,800.00 in the second and subsequent years covering all parcels of land in the Williams Dr. Road Maintenance Assessment District #008, according to the relation of the benefit to each parcel of land to the total benefit to all parcels of land in such Special Assessment District and has affixed thereto her Certification as required by said Resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That said special assessment roll shall be filed with the Township Clerk and shall be available for public examination during regular business hours from the present date until the public hearing upon the same and shall further be examined at such public hearing.
2. That the Township Board shall hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. or soon after on November 10, 2021 at the Township Hall, 9080 Mason Street., Holly, Michigan, to review such special assessment roll and hear any objections thereto.
3. That the Township Clerk shall give Notice of such hearing and the filing of such assessment roll to be published twice in the Tri-County Times, a paper of general circulation prior to the date of the hearing with the first publication being not less than ten (10) days prior to the hearing and shall further cause Notice of such hearing to be mailed by First Class Mail to all owners of property within the Williams Dr. Maintenance Assessment District #008 as shown on the current assessment roll of the Township at least ten (10) days prior to said hearing, all in accordance with law and statute provided.

Moved by: Noble
Seconded by: Walls
Voting Yea: Noble, Walls, Gambka, Miller, Scheib-Snyder
Voting Nay: None

The Supervisor declared the resolution adopted.

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Christmas in Action works to ensure area senior citizens' houses remain homes

As the holidays approach, the colder weather does, too. A cozy, safe and warm home is the perfect place to enjoy a Michigan winter, sadly that's not a reality for some area senior citizens. That's where Tri-County's Christmas in Action comes in. The nonprofit serves low-income and/or handicapped senior citizens in the Fenton and Linden area with free house repairs.

According to Christmas in Action, 20% of elderly Americans are shelter-poor, meaning they don't have the means to afford standard necessities such as modern housing renovations.

Without the proper structure of a building, a cold house can be threatening to one's quality of life and overall health. Christmas in Action understands that a reliable roof over one's head is the first step to ensuring safety. Cold conditions in an uncomfortable living situation for a prolonged period of time can increase the risk of viral infection and exposure to mold.

To prevent health problems, Christmas in Action is making a difference. As a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, Christmas in Action depends on volunteerism and community partnerships, including local businesses, civic groups, churches and schools. Together, they can become part of the solution.

Year-round, Christmas in Action hosts fundraisers and accepts donations

to improve the lives of local senior homeowners. Although COVID-19 has postponed many events, Christmas in Action typically holds annual events, like a golf outing, euchre tournament and workday event. They are most known for the workday event, held on the last Saturday of April. Volunteers come together with determination and compassion to repair the homes of seniors in the area. For more updates, visit Christmas in Action's Facebook page, "@tricitycia."

Christmas in Action is always accepting donations, whether that be time, money, materials or expertise. In addition to dedicating a Saturday in April to get your hands dirty at a home repair, community members can make a difference by visiting <http://www.ciageneseeco.org/wish-list.html>.

So, the next time you're going through your garage and stumble across tools you no longer use, consider giving back to Christmas in Action. To offset material costs, Christmas in Action is always accepting new or gently used paintbrushes, painter's tape, trash bags, work gloves, safety glasses and more.

To make home repairs possible, they rely on the community's help. If you or someone you know has experience in licensed contracting, that expertise is invaluable in making their goals a reality.

Low-income and/or disabled senior citizens can apply for home renovations



at ciageneseeco.org. To qualify, one must live in a single-family residence (no trailers, mobile homes, condominiums, or rental homes). Visit the website to review the homeowner application; all information provided is confidential. For assistance, call 810-714-3986.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON PUBLIC NOTICE OF ADOPTED ORDINANCES

At their meeting of November 1, 2021, the Fenton Township Board adopted the following ordinances:

1. Ordinance No. 834, an updated Littering Ordinance.
2. Ordinance No. 835, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to add design standards for fuel tanks.

Complete copies of the adopted ordinances may be obtained at the office of the Fenton Township Clerk, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430. The ordinances are also available on Fenton Township's website at www.fentontownship.org.

ROBERT E. KRUG
FENTON TOWNSHIP CLERK

PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON BOARD MEETING SYNOPSIS NOVEMBER 1, 2021

The Fenton Township Board held a regular meeting on Monday November 1, 2021 at the Fenton Township Civic Community Center, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan, and took the following actions.

1. Trustee Goupil offered the opening prayer.
2. Supervisor Lorraine led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.
3. Approved the agenda as presented.
4. Approved invoices and expenditures for payment in the total amount of \$165,283.70.
5. Adopted Ordinance No. 834, an updated Littering Ordinance.
6. Adopted Ordinance No. 835, a Zoning Ordinance amendment to provide design standards for fuel tanks.
7. Approved an Emergency Medical Services Agreement with Medstar, Inc.
8. Awarded a contract to Shoemaker Services, Inc. for snow removal services on private roads maintained under special assessment districts.
9. Adopted resolution No. 2021-36, self-certifying a Micro-Purchase Threshold of \$50,000 for procurement under a Federal award or sub-award.
10. Adopted a Procurement Standards for Federal Awards policy.
11. Approved a motion to continue the optional 80/20 rules for 2022 to comply with the Publicly Funded Health Insurance Contribution Act, Public Act 152 of 2011.
12. Adopted Resolution No. 2021-37, scheduling a public hearing on a proposed street improvement special assessment district for Golden Shores Drive, Golden Circle and Golden Court.
13. Adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

A complete copy of the minutes of this meeting and any ordinances adopted at the meeting are on file and are available for review at the Fenton Township Office, 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, Michigan 48430. Ordinances, meeting schedules, meeting minutes and other Township information are also available at www.fentontownship.org.

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The city issued a press release to thank voters.

"For a long time, the state of our streets has been the number one complaint from our residents," she said. "We greatly appreciate the voters' trust and the mandate they've given us to move forward to make Fenton even better than it is."

The plan calls for the city to borrow an amount not to exceed \$24 million via bonds sold in three series. Each series would be paid back over no more than 10 years and 3 months. The estimated millage to be levied in 2022 would be 3.50 mills (\$3.50 per \$1,000 of taxable value). Over the life of the program, the average annual millage rate would be 3.03. The average homeowner with a taxable value of about \$76,000 would pay \$266 more in the first year.

OHM, the city's engineering consultants, said during a public forum that the proposal would result in fixing 90% to 95% of the city's streets that are rated as "poor," according to road evaluation studies.

"At three community informational meetings and in mailings sent to every Fenton household, City Manager Lynn Markland stressed that the program is front-loaded, generating more money earlier than in previous proposals. That means more streets can be improved earlier also," according to the press release.

Markland said due to state funding limitations, millages are how many Michigan cities are maintaining and improving streets. As of 2021, 73 cities in Michigan either renewed millages that were already in place or approved new millages for street repairs.

"With the voters' approval, OHM will begin to work with Fenton's De-

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partment of Public Works to plan the schedule of work, which will include taking care of sewer and water line improvements at the same time as a street is improved," according to the release.

The bond proposal vote was 1,041 yes votes (60%) to 694 no votes (40%). Fenton has 10,116 registered voters. With 1,735 ballots issued, there was a 17.33% voter turnout on this bond proposal.

Osborn received 1,322 votes and was re-elected to another two-year term. Council Member Tracy Bottecelli received 1,208 votes, Council Member Scott Grossmeyer received 1,186 votes and Council Member David McDermott received 1,148 votes.

All three were re-elected to four-year terms.

Markland thanked the residents that voted, and he thanked city council and the administration who helped inform residents of the proposal.

"I'm happy to see the voters approved the proposal. This is a necessary investment in our local streets infrastructure that will improve our community and housing values. The next steps will be working with our financial consultant and bond counsel to sell the bonds," Markland said. They will meet with OHM, the Department of Public Works and administration to prepare a street improvement plan.

"The planning will take into consideration the current condition of the street, soil borings to determine the current condition of the street's base and the type of treatment (mill and re-surfacing, total reconstruction or other treatment)," Markland said. "We will also look at underground utilities to see what may need repairing or replacement and plan for that during the construction. We have a lot of work to do and we look forward to starting construction next Spring/Summer."

Eagles' season ends in district semifinals vs. Davison

By David Troppens

Linden — Cori Mason remembers what her Linden varsity volleyball team looked like during the summer sessions very well.

“Anyone who watched us play last summer was super surprised what we accomplished this season,” Mason said. “We did not play very well at all this summer. I think we were in last place in our summer league which has never happened before, never.”

A pretty strong volleyball campaign with a young roster of players came to an end for the Linden Eagles on Wednesday night. Facing a tough Davison squad at home in a Division 1 district semifinal contest, the Eagles ended up falling 21-25, 25-7, 25-7, 25-10. The loss meant the Eagles finished their season with a 22-12-3 mark which included a run for the Flint Metro League Stripes Division, a run that was cut short due to a controversial scor-

ing decision in a match with Fenton that if Linden won would've earned the Eagles a share of the league crown.

“So for us to come out and have the success we've had, I kind of think we surprised some people, including ourselves,” Mason said.

The Eagles gave a talented Davison team everything they could handle for the first set, earning the 25-21 victory. But as

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Linden's Gracie Piercinski attempts a kill in the Eagles' loss to Davison.

Photo: David Troppens

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Sports Times

Blue Devils' district tourney run ends in championship game

■ LF's strong season ends in four-set loss to Williamston at Folwerville district

By David Troppens

Fowlerville — Brent Maynor remembered his first time he saw the Lake Fenton varsity volleyball team as a first-year coach.

All he knew at the time was the Blue Devils' varsity program had won two matches in each of their last two seasons.

“I walked in and then I saw them at the first training session and I thought, ‘there's some talent here,’” Maynor said.

Maybe at the time it took some convincing his players, but Maynor quickly got his team to realize that they could be a quality team, and the results eventually came through. The Blue Devils' first successful season with Maynor at the helm came to an end Thursday as the Blue Devils lost to Williamston in the finals of the Fowlerville Division 2 district.

After earning three-set wins against Durand and Fowlerville earlier in the week, the Blue Devils found themselves in a pretty spirited battle with the Hornets, before fading in the second half of the match. The

Blue Devils lost in four sets 28-26, 19-25, 25-11, 25-19.

The Blue Devils proved themselves to be a quality program throughout the season. Lake Fenton challenged for the Flint Metro League Stars Division title and eventually settled for a second-place 7-3 finish. They ended the season with an 18-12-1 overall record. Maynor remembered when he realized the team knew them better than they thought.

“I think it changed a lot when we beat Corunna,” Maynor said. “We beat Corunna 25-9, and the girls said, ‘Coach, we used to lose 25-9.’ Then we beat them 29-27 and they came back hooting and hollering. They thought they had won, but it takes three sets. Corunna won the next two 18-25, 18-25 and then we won (the fifth set) 15-12. I thought that was the turning point.

“And then in one of the first tournaments, we beat Goodrich and Linden. They don't normally beat those teams. They hadn't in the past and we went 2-1



(Above) Lake Fenton celebrates a kill during their loss against Williamston. (Right) Lake Fenton's Cola Sisk attempts a kill in the same match. Photos: David Troppens

against Goodrich this year. They did a good job. We had 18 wins.”

The first set against Williamston was tight. The Blue Devils started strong and led 4-1 after a Ruby Todd assist

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■ LF advances to title match with win vs. Fowlerville

By David Troppens

Fowlerville — Not all three-set sweeps are the same.

When one hears a team defeats a squad in three sets in a best-of-five volleyball match, it sounds like it was an easy win.

That wasn't the case for the Lake Fenton varsity volleyball squad when the Blue Devils faced district tourney hosts Fowlerville in the semifinal round on Wednesday.

The Blue Devils earned a 28-26, 25-22, 25-21 victory against the Gladiators, allowing Lake Fenton to face Williamston in the D2 district title match on Thursday. That match is detailed elsewhere in this edition.

The Blue Devils were pushed by the Gladiators throughout the night, but in each set were able to earn the victory by earning key points down the stretch.

The first set was the tightest battle, and a chaotic one. Both teams had their chance to capture the victory at different

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Tigers show progress, lose to Grand Blanc in district semis

By David Troppens

Linden — There was a time when the Fenton varsity volleyball team was 3-3 in the Flint Metro League Stripes Division.

But as the season continued, the squad improved and steadily got better.

Now, at the end of the season, the Tigers finished the Stripes Division season in third place with a four-match win streak. The Tigers finished the league season with a 7-3 record and a 16-13-4 overall helping show that progress.

However, against a strong Grand Blanc squad, the Tigers had a hard time putting that progress on display as Fenton lost a 25-12, 25-23, 25-12 district semifinal battle with the Bobcats.

“We didn’t play the best we needed to play,” Fenton varsity volleyball coach Jenna Long said. “We had some moments, but they had some big hitters.

Our blocking was a little bit slower on them, but I don’t think we’ve seen powerful hitters like that enough to be necessarily be prepared for it.

“My team came a long ways though. Maybe we didn’t show it in this last match, but I’m proud of them. Overall, we had a good season. We had some ups and downs. We came together as a team.”

The Tigers struggled with Grand Blanc’s powerful offense in the first set. The strongest offensive player was junior outside hitter Remi Madison, who created headaches for the Fenton defense all match long. Grand Blanc jumped to a 6-1 lead, collecting kills on five of those points. The Tigers were able to cut the gap to 7-4 with a kill by Grace Pierle, but Grand Blanc followed it with six straight points. The Tigers were unable to get back into the set.

However, the story was dif-

ferent in the second set. The Tigers’ block started to work and Fenton gave the Bobcats a very spirited battle. Fenton jumped to an 8-2 lead with four of those points coming from four different players with kills (Sienna Sahr, Lily Turkowski, Pierle and Paige Bakker). The large lead didn’t last long, as Grand Blanc whittled its gap to 9-7 after a Fenton hitting error. The lead was cut to 13-12 after a kill by Madison and then tied at 13-all on a block kill by Kendal Inman. The run didn’t stop as Grand Blanc scored four more consecutive points, giving the Bobcats an 17-14 lead. The Grand Blanc lead grew to as many as 20-14 before the Tigers tried to battle back.

Fenton tied the match at 23-all on a Adrie Staib service point, but a service error followed and Grand Blanc’s Lyla Huffman provided a kill, clinching the Bobcats the 25-23



Fenton celebrates one of the team’s kills during the Tigers’ loss against Grand Blanc on Wednesday. Photo: David Troppens

second-set victory.

The Tigers’ energy seemed to be spent after the second game. Grand Blanc jumped out to a quick 4-1 lead. The Tigers cut the gap to 4-2 after a Grand Blanc service error and never were any closer than three after that point. The last time

Fenton was within three was at 8-5 after a Grand Blanc hitting error. However, the Bobcats responded with four straight points, raising the lead to 12-5. From there, the Tigers never were able to get back into the contest

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Rebuilding Bronchos lose district opener vs. Walled Lake Northern

By David Troppens

The Holly varsity volleyball team experienced a rebuilding season this year.

The players who made last season’s perfect Flint Metro League Stripes Division title possible had graduated and the Bronchos had a varsity program that included just one senior. In fact, the roster included a majority of sophomores (seven) who were just starting their tour of varsity play.

So it was a learning season in many ways. The year ended Monday with a 25-15, 25-11, 25-5 loss to Walled Lake Northern in the Division 1 district held at Lake-Land High School.

The Bronchos displayed their most promise in the first set, taking the early

lead. Holly led 4-2 after a service point by Annabelle Basham, but the Knights followed that point with a kill, and then scored the next point to take the squad’s first lead at 5-4. Holly tied it up at 5-all after a Northern service error, but Holly’s foes followed that up with a kill and then went on a three-point run to take an 8-5 lead.

Holly cut the gap to one. A kill by Amanda Welch cut the gap to 8-6 and gave Welch the service. She scored the service point when Isabella Smith pounded a kill, making it an 8-7 deficit. However, Walled Lake Northern went on another run after that kill, scoring five straight points.

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Lake Fenton's Clare Hunt (left) and Fenton's Emma Dubie were two of the area runners at the Post a PR race held on Tuesday. Photo: David Troppens

Area women runners conclude season by competing at Post a PR meet

By David Troppens

The week between regional and state cross country competition has become a time for “post a personal record type” of races for area runners trying to record a personal best time before the season ends.

All four area schools competed at the Post a PR meet held at Huron Meadows Metropark Tuesday. This story will detail the women’s teams from the tri-county area. The event was split up into three races, trying to encourage runners to compete against equal-level competition. Team scores were kept, but its the athletes’ pursuit of a personal best

that is of primary importance.

The Fenton girls had 10 runners in the top 30 percent race, with three earning top-10 finishes, while Lake Fenton and Linden had four. The area’s top finisher was Lake Fenton senior Claire Hunt, who ran a 19:59.90, one of just three runners to finish with a time less than 20 minutes. Fenton’s Nina Frost just missed getting less than 20 minutes, taking fourth in 20:00.40. Fenton had two other runners finish in the top 10. They were Taylor Huntoon in sixth (20:11.40) and Emily Grob in seventh (20:12.10). The rest of the Fenton runners in this event were Emma

Dubie in 13th (20:41.70), Ella Cox in 17th (21:06.70), Maty Temrowski in 41st (21:35.70), Taryn Craven in 43rd (21:41.10), Allie Michewicz in 66th (22:27.10) and Lauren Gadola in 74th (22:47.60).

Lake Fenton’s other runners in the top 30% race were Katily Hatfield in 27th (21:23.10), Marielle Hatfield in 29th (21:25.10) and Evelyn Riley in 85th (23:43.50).

Linden’s runners were Colleen Blackwood in 22nd (21:11.90), Alyson Kelly in 26th (21:22.60), Stellah Strauss in 52nd (21:54.50) and Reagan Brooks in 55th (22:03.70).

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Tri-county male runners earn strong times at Post a PR event

With the prep cross country season quickly coming to an end, this week is traditionally the time that many squads compete in “post a personal best” races.

The tri-county area teams all competed at the Post a PR race hosted at Huron Meadows Metropark. This story details the male runners.

The three races are broken down to talent levels with the top 30% of the runners competing in the top-tier race. The tri-county area had 14 male athletes in this event. The area’s top runner was Holly’s Zachary Rockafellow who took ninth in 17:20.50. The Bronchos had four other runners in the race. They were Mason Rosa in 17th (17:27.20), Benjamin Baxter in 48th (18:16.30), Grant Hoffman in 55th (18:24.20) and Adam Booher in 110th (19:17.50).



(Front to back) Holly’s Mason Rosa, Zachary Rockafellow and Fenton’s Gavin Thomas were three runners at the Post a PR meet on Tuesday. Photo: David Troppens

The Tigers had four runners in the top race. They were Aidan Brzezinski in 21st (17:32.10), Jake Leshner in 26th (17:36.70), Gavin Thomas in 29th (17:42.90) and Evan Koch in 65th (18:32.50). Lake Fenton had four runners compete. They were Matt Fletcher in 42nd (18:05.10), Brady Smith in 97th (18:56.10), Cooper Hnilica in 129th (22:03.6) and Jamison Chenett in 130th (22:30.20). Linden had one runner in the top race. Spencer Dicks took 93rd in 18:51.90.

The second tier race had many tri-county runners involved with two earning a spot in the top 10. Holly’s Chrstien Douthitt placed second with a time of 18:41.70. That time would’ve placed him in the middle of the pack of the top tier race. The other was Lake Fenton’s Nick Learman, who placed 10th (18:52.80).

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Blue Devils open district tourney with sweep of Railroaders

By David Troppens

All district title runs must start somewhere.

For the Lake Fenton varsity volleyball team it started with a district opening contest in the D2 Fowlerville district against Durand. The Blue Devils were successful in that contest, earning a 31-29, 25-22, 25-13 victory versus the Railroaders. However, as some of the set scores suggest, there was some drama.

Most of the drama came in the first set. The Railroaders came out on fire, scoring the first five points of the match. That put the Blue Devils in a position of playing catch up.

Lake Fenton cut the Durand gap to one several times during the early portions of the set. An ace by Ava Reese and two kills by Cola Sisk cut the Railroaders lead to just one point three different instances. A fourth instance happened at 8-7 after a Durand hitting error, but each

time the Railroaders were able to maintain the lead.

Lake Fenton cut the lead to one at 16-15, 17-16, 19-18 and 20-19 as well, but each time couldn't get the tying point. However, it eventually happened. Trailing 23-20, back-to-back sets by Lake Fenton setter Camryn McMillan on Cola Sisk kills cut Durand's lead to 23-22. With Reese serving, Durand followed with a hitting error, tying the set at 23-all. Lake Fenton took its first lead on another McMillan set for a kill to Sisk, but Durand responded with a kill of its own. They also scored the next point on a Lake Fenton hitting error, putting the Devils down 26-25.

The Blue Devils staved off set point with a tip kill by Luci Kamischke, but a Lake Fenton violation gave Durand another set point seconds later. Again, the Blue Devils fought it off. This time a Sophia Zalac kill stopped it. Lake Fenton fol-



Lake Fenton's Mia Bicego makes a diving dig of a ball in the Blue Devils' loss to Williamston on Tuesday. Lake Fenton won matches against Durand and Fowlerville in district action as well. Photo: David Troppens

lowed with a service point by Addison Fitzgerald, earning the Blue Devils' first set point at 28-27. However, a block kill by Durand tied it up again, and a Durand block kill gave Durand its third set point. Once again, Lake Fenton fought it off with a Sisk kill, and then earned their own set point attempt after a kill by Kelsey Corkran. With Mia Bicego at the service line, Lake Fenton earned set point on

a Durand violation. The Devils squeezed out a 31-29 win.

In the second set, Durand led by four as late as 12-8 before the Blue Devils made a run. A kill by Corkran cut Durand's lead to 12-10 and gave Ruby Todd the service. Todd served two service points with Corkran earning a kill on the second, tying the set at 12-all. The teams bounced the lead around and it was tied 17-all when Zalac earned a kill, giving

Lake Fenton the lead for good. Shelby DeRidder served out two points (the second earned on a Zalac kill) raising Lake Fenton's lead to 20-17. Durand fought back to cut the margin to 20-19, but the Blue Devils kept the lead after a Corkran kill. A block kill by McMillan was followed up by a Bicego ace, giving the Blue Devils a 23-19 lead they wouldn't lose.

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good as Linden looked in that set, they struggled in the final three sets. The Eagles' serve receive fell apart. Linden had 23 service reception errors in the last three sets resulting in just a combined 24 points in those three losses.

"We didn't pass at all," Mason said. "We had one really great set and then we couldn't pass again. We used it up all in

the first set."

The first set was mighty entertaining. Linden scored the match's first point on a Kendall Miller set assist on Gracie Pierscinski's kill and the Eagles were looking primed to give Davison, an honorable mention top 10 team in the final regular season poll, a great challenge. The Eagles led by as many as three early in the contest.

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times. Early on, it looked like the Blue Devils had control of the contest, leading by as many as seven points three times. The final time came at 15-8 after a kill by Kelsey Corkran. However, the Gladiators whittled at that lead, and eventually

took the lead. Fowlerville had some set points, but the Blue Devils battled each of them away. Once they were eliminated, the Blue Devils ended the first set with a kill by Corkran, a kill by Cola Sisk and then another by Corkran to earn the Blue Devils the 28-26 victory.

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DEVILS'

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on a Luci Kamischke kill, but Williamston quickly battled back. Back-to-back aces later in the set enabled Williamston to tie the contest at 4-all. From

there, the first set featured 11 ties and seven lead changes. Lake Fenton had a chance to win the first set when the Blue Devils led 26-25, but they suffered a hitting error.

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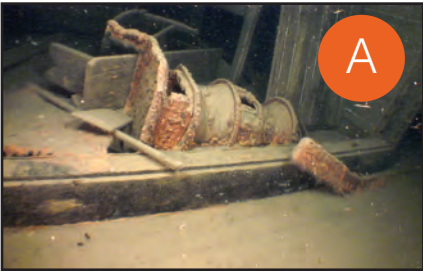
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Shipwreck society makes discoveries

■ Three vessels recently found near Grand Marais

The Great Lakes Shipwreck Historical Society (GLSHS) recently discovered three 1800s-era shipwrecks in the vicinity of Grand Marais (Lake Superior). A number of additional shipwrecks also have been located and await positive identification.

Using a combination of historical research, technology and teamwork, See **SHIPWRECK** on 24



Photos A and B show the wreckage of the Frank W Wheeler ship. Photo C shows the window of a cabin on the Frank W Wheeler. The Wheeler sunk in 1885. Photos E and D show the shipwreck of the schooner Dot. Her remains rest under more than 350 feet of water.

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By: Dr. Steven Sulfaro

DENTAL SEALANTS

(also termed pit and fissure sealants, or simply fissure sealants)

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SHIPWRECK

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members of the Great Lakes Shipwreck Historical Society's Underwater Research team have mapped areas where ships were reported lost, then searched those areas using the organization's 50-foot research vessel, David Boyd.

Marine Sonic Technology side-scan sonar was employed to analyze the lake bottom and identify submerged wrecks. The new shipwreck discoveries and their stories are listed below:

SHIPWRECK 1: THE SCHOONER, DOT

August 25, 1883 — The steamship M.M. Drake was towing the schooner Dot, downbound from Marquette with a load of iron ore, when the Dot started taking on water. Capt. Jones of the Dot hailed the M.M. Drake, which came alongside his sinking ship and took his crew off before it dove for the bottom. All crew were rescued. The Dot, formerly the Canadian schooner, Mary Merritt, was built in St. Catharines, Ontario in 1865. Her remains rest under more than 350 feet of water.

SHIPWRECK 2: THE SCHOONER-BARGE, FRANK W. WHEELER

September 29, 1885 — The relatively new schooner-barge, Frank W. Wheeler,

was being towed by the steamer Kittie M. Forbes, when a gale swept across the lake. The ships struggled in the worsening conditions for hours and soon the Wheeler's crew realized that their ship was sinking. Capt. William Forbes, owner and captain of the Frank W. Wheeler, signaled his predicament to the Kittie M. Forbes, and the pair of vessels then tried to reach the safety of Grand Island, near present day Munising. Capt. Forbes soon ordered his men into the lifeboat, and 15 minutes later his ship sank, bow first. A number of explosions were heard as the ship slipped beneath the waves. The Frank W. Wheeler was built in West Bay City (West Bay City Shipbuilding Co.) and today her wreckage lies under more than 600 feet of water.

SHIPWRECK 3: THE SCHOONER BARGE, MICHIGAN

October 2, 1901 — The steamer M.M. Drake (same vessel which towed the Dot, as noted above) was towing the schooner-barge Michigan in the vicinity of Vermilion Point, 12 miles west of Whitefish Point. Both vessels were struggling in rough weather, when suddenly the Michigan's hold begins filling with water. Capt. J.W. Nicholson maneuvered the M.M. Drake alongside the Michigan, with the latter

ship's crew jumping from their sinking ship onto the Drake. Within minutes, a massive wave smashes the two vessels together, destroying the M.M. Drake's smokestack, leaving the ship without steam-pressure. Without power, the Drake soon lost headway and waves swept over her decks. Both ship's crews were now in danger, but two large steel steamers, the Crescent City and Northern Wave, were close by and maneuvered in to rescue the combined crews. Harry Brown, the Michigan's cook, was the only casualty in this unusual double sinking. The remains of the M.M. Drake were discovered in 1978 by the Shipwreck Society, and her rudder is on exhibit at Whitefish Point. The Michigan's hull is in 650 feet of water.

It has been a banner year for the Shipwreck Society. GLSHS Director of Marine Operations, Darryl Ertel, said much of the success is because he can search wider and faster this year. "We have well over 2,500 miles of searching this year alone. We're searching 100 miles a day. We're travelling at over 9 miles an hour as we're searching and we're seeing great detail on the bottom, it's amazing," he said.

Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum Executive Director Bruce Lynn said, "This has been a great year for us at the Shipwreck Museum, and we have never located so many new wrecks in one season. Each shipwreck has its own story ... and the drama of the Drake and the Michigan, and the rescue of both crews ... these are fantastic, true stories that we can tell in the museum someday."

ABOUT THE GREAT LAKES SHIPWRECK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Great Lakes Shipwreck Historical Society was founded in 1978 by a group of divers, teachers, and educators to commence exploration of historic shipwrecks in eastern Lake Superior, near Whitefish Point in Michigan's scenic Upper Peninsula. Today, this non-profit organization operates two museum sites on historic properties: The Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum, Whitefish Point Light Station, Whitefish Point; and the U.S. Weather Bureau Building, Soo Locks Park, Sault Sainte Marie, Michigan. The Shipwreck Museum is open to the public seasonally from May 1 to October 31.

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, November 22, 2021, beginning at 7:00 pm at the Tyrone Township Hall located at 8420 Runyan Lake Road, Fenton, Michigan. The purpose of the Public Hearing is to consider the following variance application:

APPEAL NO. 1: A request by Brent & Breanna Laskowski for an 8-foot north side yard setback variance to build an attached garage located at 10234 Hartland Road, Fenton, MI 48430; parcel ID: 4704-10-400-011. The property is zoned RE – Rural Estates. Ref. Tyrone Township Zoning Ordinance No. 36 - Section 20.01 Schedule of Regulations (inclusive of building setbacks, height, and minimum lot width & lot area).

For additional information, legal descriptions, and location maps please contact the Planning & Zoning Department at (810) 629-8631 or via email at zoning@tyronetownship.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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FEATURES

ACROSS

1 Costco rival

9 Machine arranging sheets

17 "That's icky!"

20 Short, amusing tale

21 Made a rustling sound

22 Debate side

23 "Beverly Hills 90210" actress competing in a bee?

25 Capitol Hill VIP

26 Suffix with propyl

27 Fish eggs

28 Beatle bride of 1969

29—"Pea

30 "V for Vendetta" star doing wickerwork?

38 Later time of life

41 Kind of PC screen

42 Most reserved

43 "Lullaby of Birdland" composer clipping rams?

50 Actress — Dawn Chong

51 Yarn coils

52 Ontario border lake

53 The "E" of QED

55 Manhattan sch.

56 Bridal gown material

58 Hindu sage

63 "Charlotte's Web" star using fireplace bellows?

68 Tarzan, e.g.

70 Was inactive

71 Minnesota port

72 "A Brief History of Time" author peddling goods?

79 Transparent kitchen wrap

80 Actor Haim or Feldman

81 Fair-hiring inits.

82 Batting avg., e.g.

85 Rocket org.

86 See 109-Across

89 Lead-in to mo or pitch

90 "Paracelsus" poet making toast?

96 Dazed state

98 Atty.'s gp.

99 Epic poem by Virgil

100 "Tom Jones" novelist catching pop flies?

107 Nothing but

108 Week unit

109 With 86-Across, "You bet!"

110 Discontinuity

113 Actress Gasteyer

114 "Family Huddle" co-author rowing?

122 Kindled

123 Legendary lost island

124 Employees' clip-ons

125 Milwaukee-to-Miami dir.

126 Soda jerk's workplace

127 Locale of Iraq and Israel

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1 Fill fully

2 In a while

3 Nothing but

4 — -fi film

5 Successors of LPs

6 Cut (off)

7 In — surgery

8 Less than

9 15-season CBS show

10 Have

11 Sawmill sight

12 In need of a refill of

13 See 49-Down

14 Pound

15 20-volume ref. work

16 Tpk., e.g.

17 High hairdo

18 Welcomes

19 Sincere

24 Director Ang

29 — terrier

30 Laugh sound

31 Trendy Aussie boots

32 Techie type

33 "Oh, woe!"

34 Pre-TiVo device

35 Cruel Amin

36 Court legend Arthur

37 That gal

38 Shrek, e.g.

39 Name in jets

40 "The Sound of Music" refrain starter

44 Shipped out

45 "Hey there"

46 Ample, in dialect

47 — pot (nasal cavity inser)

48 Big smile

49 With 13-Down, do some karaoke, e.g.

54 Florida city

56 Serpentine

57 Debate side

58 Ugly remark

59 Cardiff locale

60 Not-to-be-missed thing

61 Gathered

62 "Sorta"

64 Madeline of "First Family"

65 Single bill

66 "... even — speak"

67 Rx safety org.

68 Burro

69 Sch. org.

73 Va. neighbor

74 Emcee

75 Sheik, e.g.

76 Frau's "no"

77 Former Spice Girl Halliwell

78 Frayed

83 Jai follower

84 Sondheim's Sweeney

85 Brand of spongy toys

86 Goose's kin

87 The same, in French

88 Brand of luxury Swiss watches

90 Be behind schedule

91 Grand Ole —

92 Male tyke

93 "Cool!," '90s-style

94 Honshu sash

95 ICU staffers

96 Sandbanks

97 Nadal's sport

101 Rustic verse

102 Bother badly

103 City northwest of Grenoble

104 OB- — (med. specialist)

105 West African nation

106 Tangential remark

110 Ardently fond

111 Son of Hera

112 Furtive "Hey there!"

114 Dawber of "Mork & Mindy"

115 Platonic "H"

116 Utmost

117 "O Sole —"

118 Deadly cobra

119 Rockets' org.

120 Long-snouted fish

121 Poem variety

PUZZLE CLUE:
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Puzzle Answers

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

MIDWEEK SUDOKU ANSWERS

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MIDWEEK JUMBLE ANSWERS:

GAMUT, CABIN, SHRANK, CELERY

Answer: For safety's sake, the coal company owners agreed to make some — "MINER" CHANGES

WEEKEND SUDOKU ANSWERS

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WEEKEND SCRAMBLE ANSWERS:

ARTISAN, DETOUR, PAMPER, DIAPER

Answer: MARRIED

MIDWEEK CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Solution Time: 24 min.

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WEEKEND CROSSWORD ANSWERS

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WEEKEND WORD SEARCH ANSWERS

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AMBULANCE

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“It’s something we need to do to protect our residents of the township and get on top of this horrible ambulance problem we have in the county right now. I think this is going to be our first step to making this work out and getting the county on board with us to move forward to make it a better service for the residents,” Volz said.

Supervisor Vince Lorraine said they’ve been talking about this topic since February. The township held a special meeting. He confirmed with Volz that for some tier one medical calls, such as calls for a heart attack, an ambulance may take anywhere from 14 to 22 minutes to arrive.

“As I sit here as a supervisor, my most important concern is the safety of our residents,” Lorraine said. “I worry. One fatality to me is one too many.”

Volz, the chair of the Genesee

County 911 Advisory Committee, said this is the beginning of a solution to the problem.

“I will be working with our elected officials, and the Genesee County 911 Consortium, to make sure our agreement is honored. This task of coming up with a solution for our broken EMS system in Genesee County that has been ongoing for the past year,” Volz said. “Next, we need to figure out the dispatching process and how ambulances will be sent to the emergencies.”

The contract states that Medstar understands that Genesee County 911 is the authorized agency that actually controls the handling and assignment of 911 calls in the county.

“It’s something we need to do to protect our residents of the township and get on top of this horrible ambulance problem we have in the county right now.”

Ryan Volz
Fenton Township fire chief

“Consequently, the township has no ability to control the actual assignment of 911 calls and makes no guaranties or representations with respect to the assignment of 911 call to Medstar by the controlling authorities,” according to the contract.

Fenton Township will participate in advocacy efforts on behalf of the recognition of community based EMS agreements by the Central Dispatch Authority, and vote in favor of such agreements if the issue is to be voted on at the county.

Medstar may also make arrangements with health systems, accountable care organizations, or other third-party arrangements designed to improve heath, prevent hospitalization, provide prospective or follow-up care or perform in-home assessments or other treatments, according to the contract.

“At the end of the day, we don’t control the distribution of those ambulances. That’s a County 911 thing. Maybe they’ll call Medstar, maybe they’ll call the ones closest,” said Treasurer John Tucker.

The contract states that the ambulance service will respond to calls in a “reasonable time.” Tier one calls will be monitored to ensure a “collective, fifty-nine second (8:59:00) or less ambulance response, 90% of the time,” according to the contract.

Medstar will also provide the township with quarterly reports. The township is not required to pay Medstar any ambulance fees that are not paid by responsible parties.

Kolby Miller from Medstar said they have about 22-25 contracts with other municipalities

In Genesee County, Medstar contracts with Gaines Township, Forest Township, Davidson Township, Richfield Township, the city of Davidson, Atlas Township, the village of Goodrich, the city of Burton, and they’re talking with Mundy Township. At least one other municipality is waiting for the 91 Authority to recognize the dispatch system and they have communicated that they will contract with Medstar as well.

“I have to say that none of our other service areas operate the way that Genesee County does. So the oddities of this current system exist only here,” Miller said.

Attorney Jack Belzer suggested amending the contract to say that Medstar will protect the township from any and all liability under this agreement. A few people on the board expressed worries about other ambulance agencies suing the township or Medstar over the agreement.

Lorraine said he was sympathetic to the legal worries, but he wanted to pass the agreement that night. They can revisit the language in the future as needed. He said he believes Medstar will do a good job.

The board passed the agreement contingent upon ensuring that Medstar will defend and indemnify the township from liability.

Word Search

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Answers in this edition of the Tri-County Times

JUMBLE KIDS
THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME!®
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

The letters of these crazy words are all mixed up. To play the game, put them back into the right order so that they all make real words you can find in the dictionary. Write the letters of each real word under each crazy word, but only one letter to a square.

Now you're ready to solve today's Jumble for Kids. Study the picture for a hint. Play around with the letters in the circles. You'll find you can put them in order so that they make your funny answer.

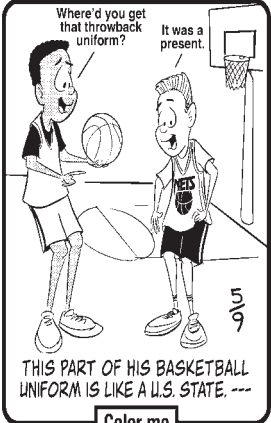
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SNAPPY ____ PANSY KIDDER ____ DRIED
ASPIRE ____ SPEAR TUSSLE ____ LUTES
PLANET ____ PETAL
GARGLE ____ REGAL

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MOWERS M WORSE M CASTER C STARE C
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Obituaries

Times

Norman J. Pfeiffer, Sr.

1952 - 2021

Norman J. Pfeiffer, Sr. - age 69, of Fenton, died Monday, October 25, 2021. Private services will be held. Norman was born April 14, 1952 in Flint, the son of William and Martha (Johnson) Pfeiffer. He retired from General Motors. Surviving are son, Norman Pfeiffer, Jr.; step-daughter, Tonya (Mark) Tietema; two grandchildren, Hawk and Kylie; brother, Arnold Pfeiffer; sister, Linda Kuhens. He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother; and two wives, Pamela (Hall) Pfeiffer in 1993 and Mary (Dexter) Pfeiffer in 2001. Arrangements by Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd., Fenton. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Alan Inman

Alan Inman - age 90, died October 31, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Bethany Pollard

Bethany Pollard - age 74, died November 1, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Alec Michael Thomas

1997 - 2021

Alec Michael Thomas of Newport Beach, CA passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at the young age of 24. Alec was born in Katy, TX to Michael



ft in the dark with headlamps to watch the sunrise from the summit of Mt. Whitney. He said it was one of the most beautiful things he's ever experienced.

and Marie Thomas. Alec grew up in Fenton, with his older brother Damon. They were inseparable. They especially loved being outside, playing basketball and rooting for the Pistons. Alec graduated from Fenton High School, class of 2015, and went on to play football at Ashland University in Ohio. Alec was a tremendous athlete and developed a deep fondness of music and the outdoors, especially fishing. If there was a body of water around, Alec was figuring out how to get his line wet. Alec moved to Southern California in 2018 and shortly thereafter met the love of his life, Julia Franzese. They were a perfect match. Alec was very creative and loved to learn. While in California, he immersed himself in the video production field and went on to work, and produce, many amazing projects. Alec also was able to participate in some incredible experiences, most notably hiking 14,500

Alec was preceded in death by his grandfather, John Thomas. He will be deeply missed by his son, Boston Thomas; parents, Marie Thomas and Michael (Amber) Thomas; brothers, Damon Thomas and Izaak Simons; sisters, Mariyah Saucier and Gabriella Thomas; grandmother, Mary Thomas; grandparents, David and Marjorie Wilson; uncle, Matt (Courtney) Wilson; aunts; Christina (Matt) Theriault, Victoria (William) Gillespie, Donna Davis, and Grace Glass; and Julia Franzese and the Franzese family. Also many cousins and other extended family and friends. Services will be held at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church, Fenton, on Thursday, November 11, 2021 at 11 AM, with family visitation from 9 - 11. In lieu of flowers, the family welcomes donations to an educational fund set up for Alec's son, Boston. Please make checks payable to 'M 529 Plan'.

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Jerry Hnilica

1946 - 2021

Jerry Hnilica - age 75, of Linden, passed away Monday, November 1, 2021. Funeral services were held 3 PM Friday, November 5, 2021 at



He enjoyed spending time outdoors and was dedicated to his family. He is survived by his wife, Sally; children, Andrea (Jason) Brooks,

Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel, 209 E. Broad St., Linden. Visitation was held from 1 PM until the time of service Friday. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make contributions to the family c/o Sharp Funeral Homes. Jerry was born February 6, 1946 in Flint, the son of Tony and Emma (Hasman) Hnilica. He married Sally J. Runyon on July 1, 1978. Jerry loved sports. He was an avid Detroit Lions, Detroit Tigers and University of Michigan fan.

Todd (Pam) Davis, Kevin (Zia) Williams and Tiffany (Pat); grandchildren, Curtis Hnilica, Alyssa Brooks and many more grandchildren; brother, Fred Hnilica and Brad "Peno" Hnilica; sisters, Susie (Doug) Pattan and Cindy Bendel; many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Diane. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Clinton Crum

Clinton Crum - age 85, died October 29, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Dennis Pelky

Dennis Pelky - age 67, died October 29, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



George Kelch

George Kelch - age 78, died October 28, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



James Cook

James Cook - age 83, died October 26, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Obituaries

Times

Kathleen Gorsline
Kathleen Gorsline - age 77, died October 29, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Opal Smith
Opal Smith - age 94, died October 30, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Patricia Morse
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Gail Meserve
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Philip Tatus
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Russell Simms
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Thelma McKeller
Thelma McKeller - age 96, died October 31, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



William Sprague
William Sprague - age 72, died November 2, 2021. Services provided by Sharp Funeral Homes. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Johnnie Allen Hill
1943 – 2021



Johnnie Allen Hill – age 77, our teacher, mentor, friend and Papa Bear – has returned to his heavenly home on Wednesday, November 3, 2021. Son of Otis and Lillie Faye, brother to James, Ray (d), Danny, Mary (d), and Betty. John was a loving husband of Patricia's for 60 years. A devoted father to Mark (Alison), Kevin (Amy), Robin (Jeff) and Wendy (Rich). If you knew John, you knew his grandchildren were the light of his life, Melanie, Mackenzie, Brandon, Cuyler, Alexis, Erika, Chloe, Dalton and Sophia. The newest sparkles in his eyes were the addition of two great-granddaughters this past year, Lyla and Hattie. When forced by a time like this, to adequately describe the man that John was and what he meant to our family, how do you describe our 'everything?' There are no words for the warmest of smiles and the best bear hugs a person could give. Our great comfort during this time is the undeniable truth that John was

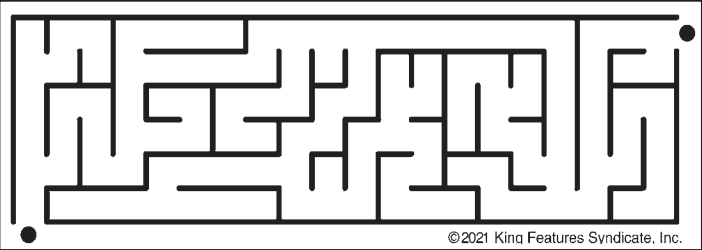
welcomed home by Jesus and that his body and mind are whole again. We will, one day, see John (Dad, Papa) again – we await our bear hugs! "Jesus said unto her,

I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live" ~John 11:25. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make contributions to Adopt-A-Pet of Fenton or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. There will be visitation and service held at The Rock Church in Linden on Saturday, November 13th. Visitation will be at Noon and service at 1 PM. A luncheon will follow the service. The service can be livestreamed through Facebook at <https://m.facebook.com/events/302396848376748/>. Arrangements provided by Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel, 209 East Broad Street, Linden. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Patricia Ann Foco
1934 - 2021

Patricia Ann Foco - age 87, of Jackson, formerly of Linden, passed away Wednesday, November 3, 2021. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Saturday, November 13, 2021 at Sharp Funeral Homes, Linden Chapel, 209 E. Broad St., Linden. Visitation will be held from 10:30 AM until the time of service. Burial will follow in Mt. Forest Twp. Cemetery, Pinconning. Patricia was born July 13, 1934 in Oil City, the daughter of Cal Herman and Correne Elizabeth (Harless) Morgan. She was married to Eugene Foco on September 24, 1951 in Pinconning; he preceded her in death on September 15, 2013. She is survived by her children, Robert (Paulette) Foco, Danial (Sarah) Foco, Sheryl (Ronald) Post, Timothy Foco, Angela (Ty) Overly; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild; sister, Selena (Bernie) O'Laughlin; many nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by her brothers, Cecil Morgan and Robert Morgan; sister, Mary Yost. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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Answers in this edition of the Tri-County Times

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWNSHIP OF ARGENTINE (Genesee County, Michigan)

Seymour Road Drainage Outlet Special Assessment District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Township Board of the Township of Argentine, Genesee County, Michigan, has received petitions from property owners to make certain public improvements (the "Public Improvements") consisting of:

The repair of the Drainage Outlet on Seymour Rd in the Township.

The petitions have been received from record owners of land constituting more than fifty percent of the total frontage of the public roads road in the proposed special assessment district described below.

The Township Board has resolved its intention to proceed on the petitions and pursuant to Act 188, Public Acts of Michigan, 1954, as amended, to make the Public Improvements in the Township. The Township Board has tentatively determined that some or all of the cost of the Public Improvements shall be specially assessed against each of the following described lots and parcels of land, which together comprise the proposed Special Assessment District:

Property located in the Township of Argentine, Genesee County, Michigan, and described by the following parcel numbers:

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FIRST PUBLIC HEARING

TAKE NOTICE that the Township Board of the Township of Argentine will hold a public hearing on November 22, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. in the Argentine Township Hall located at 9048 Silver Lake Road, Linden, Michigan, to hear and consider any objections to the petition, the proposed Public Improvements, the proposed Special Assessment District, and all other matters relating to the Public Improvements.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the plans and current cost estimate of \$ 65,000.00 for the Public Improvements are on file with the Township Clerk for public examination.

PROPERTY SHALL NOT BE ADDED TO THE PROPOSED SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE AND PUBLIC HEARING AND THE ORIGINAL COST WILL NOT BE INCREASED BY MORE THAN 10% WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE AND PUBLIC HEARING.

Appeal to the Michigan Tax Tribunal

TAKE NOTICE that a property owner of record or a party having an interest in the property must appear and protest at the second public hearing in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

Township Supervisor, Township of Argentine
9048 Silver Lake Road, Linden, Michigan 49058
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Joseph Graves, Clerk
Township of Argentine

PUBLIC NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED OF A REGULAR PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD TUESDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2021 AT 7:00 PM BY THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF FENTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AT 12060 MANTAWAUKA DR. FENTON MI AND ELECTRONICALLY. THIS HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:

OLD BUSINESS:

HO21-004 Leah Bauder, 12265 Dollar Lake Dr: Requesting a Home Occupation Permit for in home fitness instruction, parcel # 06-12-502-007.

NEW BUSINESS:

ZBA21-034 Jeff Collins, 16508 W. Horseshoe Trail: Requesting a sight line variance to place a 16'x24' addition to 16508 W, Horseshoe Trail, parcel # 06-31-651-018

ZBA21-035 Charles Mueller, 6036 Lobdell Road.: Requesting a 90-foot lot width variance and 1.72-acre lot size variance to create a new parcel for the Genesee County Drain Commission to construct a public utility structure.

HOME OCCUPATION RENEWAL:

HO10-004 Amy Gatica, 13256 Crane Ridge Drive: Requesting a renewal for a home occupation permit to allow a home salon business at 13256 Crane Ridge Drive, parcel # 06-14-554-023.

To the residents and property owners of Fenton Township, Genesee County, Michigan, and any other interested parties. Please take notice that a regular meeting of the Fenton Township Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on Tuesday November 23, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. IN PERSON and by ZOOM Meeting. The public may participate in the meeting in person or via the following web link:

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Members of the public will only be able to speak during the public comment portion(s) of the meeting and such comment will be limited to three minutes per person. To provide for orderly public participation, when the Chairperson or meeting moderator calls for public comment, a person wishing to speak must state their name and wait to be recognized before speaking. The Chairperson or moderator will recognize all persons wishing to speak during public comment. Prior to the meeting, if members of the public have certain questions or wish to provide input on any business that will be addressed at the meeting, such persons may contact the Zoning Board members through Michael Deem, Zoning Administrator, by email at mdeem@fentontownship.org, or by mail at 12060 Mantawauka Drive, Fenton, MI 48430. A copy of the meeting material may be found on the Township website homepage at www.fentontownship.org.

The Township will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 72-hour advance notice by contacting Robert Krug, Township Clerk, by email, phone, or mail at the below.

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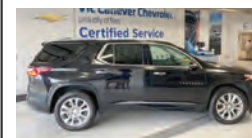
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Tues-Fri 7:30am-6pm
Sat 8am-2pm

PARTS:
Mon 8am-7pm
Tues-Fri 8am-6pm
Sat 8am-2pm

NEW & USED SALES:
Mon & Thur 9-8pm
Tues, Wed & Fri 9am-6pm
Sat 10am-4pm

