

Police and animal control reunite wolf hybrid with owner

■ Animal traveled from Holly to Argentine Township

By Hannah Ball

Argentine Township police helped capture and reunite a wolf-hybrid dog with its owner on Monday, May 16.

The animal was not injured. Police Chief Daniel Allen said around 1 p.m., May 16, Argentine Officer Terry Balewski responded to an address in the 1100 block of Lahring Road on a report of a loose dog. He found a confirmed wolf hybrid.

After investigating, it was discovered that the owner, who lives in another state, had been visiting an address in Holly with their wolf hybrid “pet,” Allen said. The wolf hybrid managed to escape and the owner was not able to locate it. The animal

traveled from Holly to the address in Argentine that Officer Balewski responded to. Balewski contacted Genesee County Animal Control who captured the animal and were able to make contact with its owner to reunite them.



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Fenton resident's team is top raiser for Walk MS: Milford

■ More than \$61,600 raised for multiple sclerosis research and education

By Hannah Ball

Milford — The music wasn't loud enough to drown out the cheers and applause as Fenton resident Adam Powell crossed the finish line at Walk MS: Milford on Sunday, May 22.

More than 60 people came out to support him. All proceeds from Walk MS go to the MS Society, which funds research and works to educate the public about the disease.

"I finished it. It took a while. I took about four or five breaks but I got it

See **WALK** on 15

Gazebo work unlikely to interfere with concerts



A contractor with Dibbleville Woodworks sands a post at the Fenton Gazebo on Tuesday, May 24. City officials and the owner of Dibbleville Woodworks said the reconstruction project will not prevent the Concerts in the Park series from taking place at the gazebo. They expect to be finished with the majority of the work by the end of May. See full story on page 3. Photo: Hannah Ball

Sheriff's office to increase lake patrols

■ Memorial Day weekend kicks off unofficial start of summer

Oakland County Sheriff's marine deputies will be out in force on county lakes for the upcoming Memorial Day holiday weekend. Marine deputies will be staffed to help ensure the unofficial start of summer is safe and enjoyable for residents and visitors navigating our county waterways.

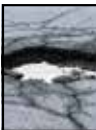
Oakland County remains a popular destination for water sports with its 450 navigable lakes and 83,000 registered boats (the most of any

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“Linden softball dugout — For those of you curious about who selected the pictures for the dugout wrap, all of those pictures are of the regional championship team from last year. All the wraps were donated by a Linden softball supporter, not the school or the booster club.”



“Thank you, Hannah Ball, for such a nicely written story on the Fenton Center of Hope fundraiser event. They are a shining star organization doing such an amazing job in the community.”



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— Compiled by Sharon Stone —

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Senate Resolution 128: Assert Senate opposition to college COVID mandates

To adopt a non-binding resolution asserting that the state Senate opposes "mandates related to COVID-19 at all public and private colleges and universities in Michigan," and send it to the Michigan Association of State Universities, the president of Michigan Independent Colleges and Universities, and the president of the Michigan Community

College Association.

Passed 22 to 15 in the Senate

Sen. Ruth Johnson (R-Dist. 14)	YES
Sen. Jim Runestad (R-Dist. 15)	YES
Sen. Lana Theis (R-Dist. 22)	YES
Sen. Jim Ananich (D-Dist. 27)	NO
Sen. Ken Horn (R-Dist. 32)	YES

Senate Bill 996: Ban nitrous oxide paraphernalia

To add selling an object specifically designed for ingesting or inhaling nitrous oxide to a 1988 law that banned the sale of drug "paraphernalia," subject to 90 days in jail and a \$5,000 fine.

Passed 37 to 0 in the Senate

Sen. Ruth Johnson (R-Dist. 14)	YES
Sen. Jim Runestad (R-Dist. 15)	YES
Sen. Lana Theis (R-Dist. 22)	YES
Sen. Jim Ananich (D-Dist. 27)	YES
Sen. Ken Horn (R-Dist. 32)	YES

Senate Bill 994: Create another gov- ernment opioid commission

To create a 26-member "opioid advisory commission" comprised of specified political appointees and state officials, and would provide annual reviews of state government's activities

in this area. This would be in addition to a separate "Prescription Drug and Opioid Abuse Commission," which itself replaced an earlier Controlled Substances Advisory Commission, and an Advisory Committee on Pain and Symptom Management.

Passed 33 to 0 in the Senate

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

Senate Bill 995: Restrict certain local government lawsuits against phar- maceutical makers

To prohibit local governments from filing lawsuits related to claims defined in two legal settlements against certain drug producers, one called the "Janssen settlement" and another called the "National Prescription Opiate Litigation."

Passed 33 to 0 in the Senate

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

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Dr. Hampton also has interests and extensive experience working with a variety of clinical issues and diverse populations. She predominantly uses a cognitive-behavioral approach to therapy that is person-centered in nature, as well as psycho-education and various skill-based interventions to support treatment progress. Hampton Psychological Services provides individual therapy and diagnostic evaluations to children, adolescents and adults. Hampton Psychological Services is located inside the Fenton & Linden Regional Chamber of



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Gazebo work unlikely to interfere with concerts

■ First concert is Thursday, June 2

By Hannah Ball

Fenton — Reconstruction continues at the Fenton Gazebo, and city officials said that it shouldn't interfere with the Concerts in the Park series.

Starting in June and ending Sept. 1, the city invites bands to play at the gazebo on Thursdays for Concerts in the Park. It's an ideal spot with the Shiawassee River in the background and enough grass space for the audience in front of the gazebo near Fenton City Hall and the butterfly garden.

This year, contractors are busy reconstructing the gazebo. The structure was built in the late 1970s and has been in need of repairs.

Dibbleville Woodworks, who has performed repairs and replacement work for the gazebo in the past, is doing the reconstruction.

Michael Hart, assistant city manager and DDA executive director, said they expect work on the gazebo to continue for the next week or so and be complete in time for the first concert on Thursday, June 2 when the Fenton Community Orchestra, Simply Strings & the Fenton Jazz

See **GAZEBO** on 10



Construction began last fall on the Fenton Gazebo. Other than the roof and the posts, Dibbleville Woodworks reconstructed or built a majority of the structure. They made the handrails, the front panels and the moldings along the roof line, and they refurbished the brackets and other panels. Photo: Hannah Ball

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Building Brands

Say 'yes' to being transparent

Last weekend, my sisters, sister-in-law and my sister's future sister-in-law gathered in Atlanta, Georgia for a wedding dress shopping extravaganza. One of my younger sisters got engaged in February and with the wedding set for next May, it was time to dig into my favorite part — the dress.

Unfortunately, we were not able to seal the deal. Despite two days, at least 20 dresses and hours of trying, my sister did not say "yes" to the dress. I left the city feeling a little deflated and hoping that our mom will head south in a few weeks and have better luck.

On a positive note, I also left the city with some cool pieces from a local art fair and a valuable brand lesson.

One of the stores we had an appointment at is well-known thanks to the TV show "Say Yes to the Dress." When we arrived, however, it was clear that they didn't offer the type of boho-chic dress my sister is searching for. That didn't stop the owner and her team from being kind to us. As bridal experts, they knew

exactly the type of style my sister was looking for and were honest about the fact that the store didn't have anything like it.



Emily Caswell

Sometimes in business, we try to be everything to everybody, and I appreciated the team's ability to listen to a potential customer's wants and be transparent about not being able to deliver. While we left disappointed, it wasn't

because of a lack of customer service. I still highly recommend the store to anyone looking for what they offer.

The visit got me thinking about the importance of being transparent in business. It's a topic I've been thinking about a lot lately.

As you hopefully read a few weeks ago, View Newspaper Group has grown again thanks to our acquisition of Oxford Leader, Lake Orion Review, Clarkston News and The Citizen publications in Northern Oakland County.

I've had the pleasure of getting to know a few business leaders in these communities and it seems to me that what they appreciate most about

our meeting is that I'll tell them pretty much anything they want to know about our company and myself (regular readers can attest I'll share anything for a laugh or a good branding lesson).

More than one of those leaders has used the word "transparent" to describe us. That's a high compliment according to this brand manager.

A forbes.com article on the topic explains why transparency is important. The piece lists 10 things being transparent can do for your company, and while they are all good, two really stood out.

First, transparency leads to happier employees. From the article, "In more than one study, employees indicated that company transparency was the number-one factor in determining their workplace happiness. And why not? Transparency fosters trust, and trust is important for the health of every relationship under the sun."

The second factor that jumped off the page to me was "Helps you solicit great ideas from anywhere."

The idea is that a transparent company welcomes team members

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WHEN I WAS a kid, we didn't have drivers education or sex education; we learned how to do them both — practice, practice, practice.

FYI, WE'RE RETIRED and only drive around Fenton down to M-59 about 600 miles a month. We do all charging in our driveway. My wife's 92 and claims this EV is the safest car she's ever driven and that's why I purchased it for her; I knew it would be.

NOW THAT I have my electric car, how do I keep it in the slot on the track?

PAID \$4.45 TODAY for a gallon of gas in Fenton. How do people making minimum wage afford to drive 20 miles to and from work every day? How do they afford to switch to a pricy electric car? Our government leaders are to blame. They need to fix this now.

NICE ATTEMPT AT misdirection. No one is blaming Biden for the problems. We are blaming him for a total lack of ability to successfully address even one issue.

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

What advice do you have for high school graduates?

streettalk



"Go backpack Europe. Live on an island in the Caribbean. Play in a band that tours small venues. Whatever. Have fun. Learn about yourself and the world. Make mistakes. You'll have plenty of time left in your life to waste in a cubicle or a factory."

Brad Jacob
Fenton



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Faith Smith
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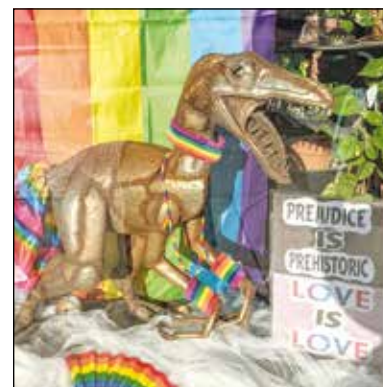
"Save every syllabus from every class. During school transfers or major changes, course names or course descriptions don't always line up and a course may end up not counting and you have to take it again. A syllabus shows course content, and can help you prove you already took fulfilled the requirements."

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Madelyn Hadji
Holland



The Fenton Pride Collective put on the first Pride event in Fenton in 2021. Approximately 45 people attended, and they're expecting more this year.

Submitted photo

Pride events coming to Holly and Fenton

■ Both events will feature information booths

By Hannah Ball

Holly and Fenton will both host Pride events this June.

The purpose of Pride events is to celebrate the LGBTQ+ community (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer) and promote acceptance.

Holly Pride 2022 will take place Tuesday, June 7 from 5 to 9 p.m. at Venue One Eleven. Holly ACTS,

which is putting on the event, has organized a lineup of speakers, music, resources, giveaways, a photo area, face painting and more.

The keynote speaker is Oakland County Executive Dave Coulter. Other guests and speakers are Buzz Thomas, president of Equality MI, Julia Music, Ferndale Pride president, and Oakland County Democratic Party President Jody Job. Also attending are Holly Police Chief Jerry Narsh and Holly Township Library Board President

April Brandon.

The public can bid on items at the silent auction table, which will contain baskets from local businesses. All proceeds will benefit Common Ground, which is Holly High Schools Gay/Straight Alliance Club.

Pride Night 2022: Celebrating Progress in Fenton is Thursday, June 16 from 5 to 9 p.m. Attendees can meet at Rackham Park at 7 p.m. to walk through town with the group.

Kyle Switala, president of the

Fenton Pride Collective, said they're taking advantage of the Thursday night activities in Fenton. The Farmers Market is on Thursday in front of the Fenton Community and Cultural Center and there will be music at the gazebo.

The Laundry will have a DJ and offer drink specials. Switala said a few businesses are offering specials for Pride Night. Various LGBTQ+ groups will set up informational booths

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Argentine	Argentine Dam	Temporary traffic signals in place	May 16 - June 24	none	Repairing gate
Argentine	Lahring Rd. near Bird Rd.	Closed to thru traffic	May 16 - June 22	none	Replacing culvert
Flint	Bristol Rd. bridge between I-69 and Linden Rd.	One lane open in each direction	April 4 - August 29	none	Bridge rehabilitation
Davison	Bristol Rd. between Atlas Rd. and Lang Rd.	Detour posted	April 4 - June 24	Bristol to Irish to Atherton to M-15	Rubbilization
Grand Blanc	Baldwin Rd. 900 feet west of Holly Rd.	Detour posted	April 18 - May 26	Fenton to Cook to Holly	Widening to 3 lanes
Grand Blanc	Misty Meadows	Open to local traffic	May 2 - May 24	none	Rehabilitation
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Domestic violence

The civil trial between actors Johnny Depp and Amber Heard has certainly been in the news over the past few weeks.

It involves a defamation claim by Mr. Depp against his now ex-wife Ms. Heard regarding an opinion piece she wrote in 2018 claiming she was the victim of domestic violence.

His position is that her allegations are false, his reputation was damaged, and he suffered a loss of income as a result. She’s filed a defamation counterclaim in response.

The trial has brought domestic violence to the forefront and now seems like an opportune time to provide a brief criminal law primer in this area.

Generally speaking, domestic violence refers to physical violence against another in a household setting. All 50 states and many countries have criminal domestic violence laws.

Since there are so many laws, I will use Michigan’s as the basic example.

In Michigan, domestic violence is defined as when an individual assaults or assaults and batters their spouse or former spouse, an individual with

whom they had or have a dating relationship, an individual with whom they have a child in common, or a resident or former resident of their household.

An “assault” is an intentional attempt to cause a battery that causes a reasonable person to fear the battery. The perpetrator must have had the ability to commit the battery, appeared to have the ability, or thought they did.

A “battery” is the forceful, violent, or offensive touching of the person or something closely connected to them.

Domestic violence is a misdemeanor, which carries up to 93 days in jail or up to a \$500 fine.

If there is a second offense or a serious physical injury, the penalty increases to up to one year in jail and/or a \$1,000 fine.

A third offense is a five-year felony.

Nationally, 36.1% of women and 25.8% of men experience some form of domestic violence during their lifetimes with 4,000 women dying each year because of it.

Nearly half of all domestic violence is not reported.

Indeed, domestic violence is a serious matter.

However, there is both hope and help available for victims. One very important resource is the Michigan Domestic and Sexual Violence Prevention and Treatment Board website available online.



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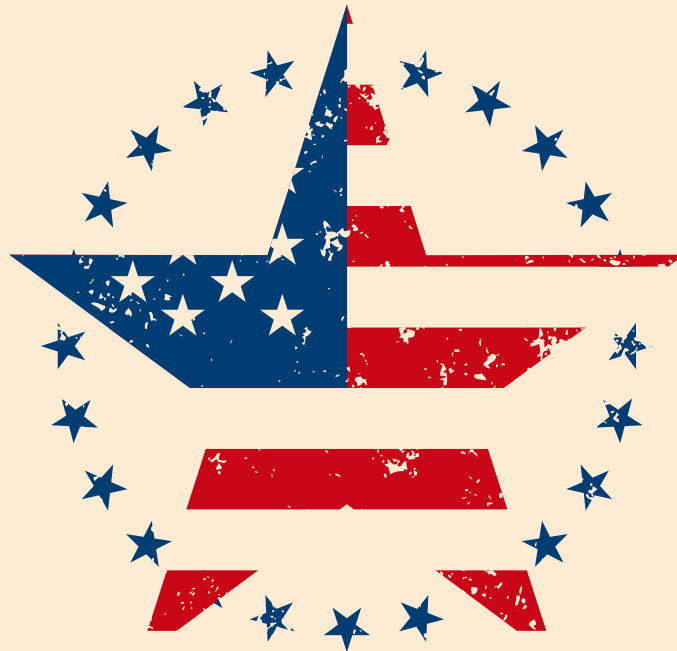
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GAZEBO

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Orchestra are slated to perform.

“They’ve made a lot of progress,” he said. “They are absolutely heavily involved right now in the reconstruction.”

The city has used the Fenton Community & Cultural Center for concerts in the past when needed.

The Fenton DDA approved this project in June 2021. It costs approximately \$65,000. Due to the specialized and complex nature of the restoration work, the city’s architectural firm, The Spicer Group, reached out to Dibbleville Woodworks, to obtain an estimate for the restoration project. Terry Steffey owns Dibbleville Woodworks and serves on the DDA board. Steffey abstained from voting

on the topic. He offered a \$20,000 discount to the city, which brought down the cost from \$84,998.

Restoration includes:

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- Removal and disposal of debris

“It’s going really well,” he said. Construction began last fall when they started making pieces in their shop.

Steffey said they expect to finish the bulk of work by the end of the

month, and they are waiting on a shipment of material they will use to restore the steps and the lower section. The current stairs will remain until this shipment arrives.

Other than the roof and the posts, Dibbleville Woodworks reconstructed or built a majority of the gazebo.

“What we couldn’t refurbish and repair, we had to make new. Probably most of it is new,” he said. They made the handrails, the front panels and the moldings along the roof line, and they refurbished the brackets and other panels.

The city installed a security camera near the gazebo to deter vandals and record any crime.

After the gazebo is reconstructed, the area surrounding the structure will be redone.

“The whole area around the gazebo has to be reconstructed,” Hart said. This includes repairing or replacing the broken concrete, making American with Disabilities Act (ADA) improvements, and potentially a new pedestrian bridge.

This work will not begin until after all summer events are over. The DDA is also planning to pay a company to stain the gazebo when it’s finished.

“The whole area around the gazebo has to be reconstructed.”

Michael Hart

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PRIDE

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around the city.

The Fenton Pride Collective, a board of eight people, began meeting in March and was incorporated April 25. They decided in 2021 to put on a spontaneous Pride event during one of the Street Experience nights when the downtown roads were closed. Approximately 45 people attended the walk.

They’re expecting more this year.

“I’d be happy if there were 100 people. But the way it’s ending up and turning out, I wouldn’t be surprised if there was a lot more,” Switala said. “We want to do something bigger this year. We kind of evolved from that. We

want it to be known that there actually is a space for LGBTQ+ people here.”

This is their second official event. Switala said many members of the public work with the collective.

From fentonpride.org:

“The Fenton Pride Collective is a non-profit organization that aims to eliminate prejudice and discrimination of LGBTQ+ people in our community, to foster a sense of pride, unity, and diversity, and to promote acceptance and fair treatment of all individuals based on sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression. Founded in 2022, the group seeks to promote a positive image of the LGBTQ+ community throughout the Fenton, MI area through community activities, events, and services.”

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WALK

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done. That's all that matters," he said.

Powell was diagnosed with MS in June 2019. At one point, he used a wheelchair, a walker, two ACL braces and ankle braces. He now walks with walking sticks.

He is part of the team Mind over Myelin Sheath, which fundraised for Walk MS. This was his first year doing the event. His personal goal was to raise \$5,000 and his group's goal was to raise \$20,000. They surpassed those numbers easily. In total, they raised more than \$21,300. Powell took second place as the highest individual fundraiser with more than \$5,700.

"We all hit our goals and it's awesome," he said. "We wanted to get to that number one spot and then we passed by and we just kept going."

In total, the event raised more than \$61,600 with 296 participants. Mind Over Myelin Sheath was the top fundraising group at the event out of approximately a dozen other teams. While it was a competition, the groups were friendly. Powell said he made many friends leading up to and on the day of the event itself.

"There's a lot of people that came out," he said.

At Walk MS, which took place at Kensington Metropark/Maple Beach, attendees had the option of walking a one-mile or three-mile course. Powell walked the one mile and was joined by dozens of supporters, former cowork-

ers, family members and friends, all wearing team shirts that say "Mind Over Myelin Sheath" on the front and "MS'd with the wrong MF'r" on the back.

MS is a disease of the central nervous system that disrupts the flow of information between the body and brain, according to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. It can cause permanent damage or deterioration of nerves.

Royal Oak resident Kathy Chester, who was diagnosed with MS in 1998, said these events mean a lot to her because they're raising money for more awareness.

"Especially with COVID, so many of the MSers came together because that's all we could do," she said, adding that research breakthroughs in the last few years have given them hope. "For the first time, we are seeing a lot

of hope."

Chester, a certified personal and MS fitness trainer, works with autoimmune clients. During the pandemic, she expanded her reach online and met people from different countries. She also hosts a podcast called "Move It or Lose It," which is about autoimmune diseases. Powell was a guest on the show.

She said it was "fulfilling" to see Powell finish the walk.

"It's very exciting. It was so great seeing all the family members and friends come together. It could be such an isolating disease and to have you come together. It's overwhelming," she said.

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Fenton resident Adam Powell crosses the finish line at the May 22 Walk MS: Milford event at Kensington Park with family, friends and supporters behind him. His group raised more than \$21,300 for multiple sclerosis research and awareness. Submitted Photos

Communications officer joins Community Foundation staff

The Community Foundation of Greater Flint (CFGF) announced the hiring of Jaclyn Ermoyan as communications officer. Ermoyan comes to the organization with over five years of public relations and communications experience.

Ermoyan most recently served at Rock Ventures in Detroit where she served as public relations associate. Her work there included media relations, producing the WJR Opportunity Detroit radio show, and creating team processes for more than 20 clients. She continues to serve as student outreach coordinator for the Gray Panthers of Metro Detroit where she created and manages a website and assists with planning and hosting monthly social justice meetings.

Ermoyan earned a bachelor of arts degree in advertising and public relations, and minors in nonprofit administration and international

relations, from Grand Valley State University. This fall, Ermoyan will be completing her master's degree in social innovation from Grand Valley, which has allowed her to study complex social issues, like homelessness and hunger. Through Ermoyan's master program, she has studied the Flint water crisis and philanthropy.

In her free time, Ermoyan is an active volunteer in her community, including walking dogs at her local shelter. Her volunteer passion continues with Team Rubicon where she assists in the management and content of their local social media accounts.

"Our team is constantly growing," said Isaiah Oliver, president and CEO. "Culture is incredibly important to us. I am confident Jaclyn will be able to help us tell our story and reach new audiences."

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at any level to submit their ideas. I totally agree and take that concept even further — I'm open to ideas from anyone, even if they don't work for us.

Last week, I wrote a memo for the newly acquired papers sharing a bit about my role in the company, which includes event planning. I ask readers to share any ideas for events they thought would benefit their community. One day later, a city council person from one of the communities reached out to me about a potential collaboration on an event concept. While this would be cool in and of itself, the event

concept is something I've been thinking about doing since 2019. Finally, the forbes.com piece found that not surprisingly, customers prefer to do business with transparent companies.

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Emily Caswell is the brand manager for VIEW Group, the branding division of View Newspaper Group.

PATROL

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county in Michigan). Sheriff Michael Bouchard encourages residents and visitors to enjoy what is typically viewed by many as the first holiday of the summer season. Additional marine deputy patrols will be on the lakes for the holiday weekend to ensure all those on the water remain safe.

"We know the Memorial Day weekend is a focal point for gatherings and family outings," Bouchard said. "We want everyone to enjoy the many things that make Oakland County such an attractive destination, but we want the holiday to be a safe one. No matter whether you're behind the wheel of a car or operating a boat, don't drink alcohol and drive. There is only a downside for taking this kind of risk. Protect yourself, your family and your friends."

The Oakland County Sheriff's Office Marine Unit — one of the largest in the state — has more than 45 part-time deputies who can quickly respond to emergencies on any of the lakes within the county. The unit includes an elite Dive/Rescue Team comprised of 13 full-time deputies who train rigorously year-round in preparation for any water rescue scenario, regardless of conditions. The unit has 23 patrol boats, two rapid response jump boats, one hovercraft, six all-terrain vehicles, and three specialty boats deployed for search

and rescue emergencies.

The sheriff's office also contracts with 12 communities to patrol 19 lakes.

In 2021, the Marine Unit responded to 678 calls for service and spent more than 1,800 hours patrolling contracted lakes. Additionally, the unit was activated 13 times, spending 264 hours in search and rescue operations, and responded to six drownings and two near drownings.

Bouchard reminds boaters it is illegal in every state to operate a vessel while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, which includes canoes and rowboats.

Other boating safety facts include:

- About 86% of people who drowned in a recreational boating accident were not wearing a life jacket.
- Drowning was reported as the cause of death in 75% of all boating fatalities.
- Sun, wind, noise, vibration, and motion — stressors common to the boating environment — intensify the side effects of alcohol, drugs, and some medications.
- Impairment can be even more dangerous for boaters than drivers since most boaters have less experience and confidence operating a boat than driving a car.
- Alcohol use is the leading known contributing factor in fatal boating accidents; where the primary cause was known, it was listed as the leading factor in 23% of deaths, according to the U.S. Coast Guard.



Holly's Wilson Tschirhart competes in the pole vault.
Photo: StudioE Photography

Holly track program qualifies five for state meet

By David Troppens

The Holly varsity boys track team has five athletes headed to the D1 state meet.

The athletes earned those spots at the Division 1 regional track meet held at Lapeer High School.

Jaden Simmons and Wilson Tschirhart will be headed to the state event as regional champions. Simmons won the 100 with a time of 10.99 seconds. Meanwhile, Tschirhart was the pole vault champion, clearing 13-feet-3 at the event.

Simmons will help lead a relay at the state meet as well. He will team with Noah Cycholl, Jake DeVary and Marcus Mitchell to compete in the 400 relay. The team placed second at the regional meet (44.08).

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Sports Times

Linden girls track earns first-ever regional crown

■Eagles sending plenty of athletes from both programs to D2 state meet

By David Troppens

The Linden varsity girls track and field team finished the season a champion — a regional champion.

The Eagles took first at the Division 2 Williamston Regional, earning state-qualifiers in several events.

The Linden boys placed fifth and had its share of regional qualifiers as well.

The Linden girls had nine athletes earn placings in individual events and also had three of its four relays score points, just edging out Goodrich for the regional team trophy with 77 points. Four athletes — Victoria Osmond, Lauren Good-

man, Isabella Sisby and Hannah Wasilewski — earned state bids in events.

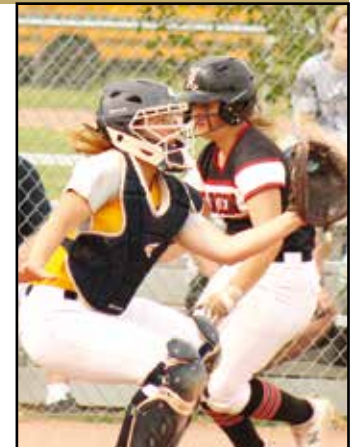
The Linden boys had eight athletes — Kyle Eberhard, River Meckstroth, Brandon Penington, Ethan Gomez, Brenden Shingleton, Grant Golombeski, Ryan Blackwood and Hayden Bradfield — earn state invites in individual events or relay events. Individuals or relays that finished in the top two of any event qualified for the D2 state meet while others could qualify by earning state-qualifying times or distances.

The Linden sprint team helped establish an early lead

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The Linden girls track team (above) celebrates their regional title. Four of Linden's state qualifiers are (from left) River Meckstroth, Kyle Eberhard, Lauren Goodman and Victoria Osmond.



Linden's Ava Siegwald scores a run in the Eagles' loss to Owosso in the Flint Metro League Championship Game. Photo: David Troppens

Linden softball falls short in league title game vs. Owosso, 6-1

By David Troppens

Owosso — It seems in recent seasons, the Flint Metro League championship always goes through what happens in the Owosso-Linden softball games.

It did again this season as the Flint Metro League held its first-ever official crossover championship game when the Stars Division champion Linden traveled to Owosso to face the Stripes Division champions and the defending D2 state champion Trojans.

And for a long time, it was a pretty entertaining battle as the squads' offenses had to fight to get whatever they could against each other's starting pitcher.

See **LINDEN** on 20



Fenton's Justin Miller cleared a personal-best 6-foot-9 at regionals in the high jump. Photo: StudioE Photography

Nine Fenton track athletes headed to state

By David Troppens

The Fenton varsity track program will have nine athletes headed to the Division 1 state meet.

The Tigers qualified those athletes in nine events at the Lapeer regional.

Perhaps Justin Miller will have the most eyes on him. Miller broke a school record with a leap of 6-foot-9 in the high jump, not only winning the boys regional championship in the event, but also earning the top seed for the D1 state meet. Miller won the

regional championship with a leap of 6-8 a year ago.

He's not the only one headed to the event. Randi Foor, Taylor Huntoon, Victoria Henson, Isabella Henson, Rayn Rutley and Emma Dubie will represent the girls team while Donovan Miller and John Dixner will also be there representing Fenton's boys team. The Fenton girls finished third at the meet while the boys placed fourth in the men's competition.

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Holly's Sokolowski headed to state tennis meet

Holly's Calli Sokolowski is headed to the Division 2 state tennis meet June 3 and 4.

The Bronchos' No. 1 singles player earned that spot by taking the runner-up spot at the Division 2 North Farmington regional meet.

Fenton finished fourth as a team at the meet while the Bronchos placed fifth.

Sokolowski entered as the No. 1 seed and cruised through her first two opponents, defeating Kearsley's Molly Gunn 6-0, 6-0 and then Avondale's Vennela Manepalli 6-0, 6-1. She faced Birmingham Seaholm's Sophi MacKinnon in the final, but lost a 7-5, 6-0 verdict.

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**Holly's
Calli Sokolowski**

Wolves edge Brandon/Holly in regional opener

By David Troppens

The Linden/Fenton varsity boys lacrosse team and the Brandon/Holly squad were co-Flint Metro League champions this spring.

The Wolves (11-9) won both regular season games against the Red Hawks, but both were close contests with Linden/Fenton earning wins by scores of 13-7 and 11-9.

The third game was the closest of all of them, but the results were the same. Trailing by a goal late, the Wolves scored two late tallies to earn a 10-9 regional opening victory against the Brandon/Holly co-op squad (10-6).

Trailing by one, Linden/Fenton's Rykerson Wright scored the game-tying goal with two minutes left on an assist from Brady James. The go-ahead goal came about a minute later when Mitchell Luck scored it. From there, the Linden/Fenton defense held off the final Red Hawks' attack.

Luck led the offense for the Wolves, scoring five goals. Max Ciesielski scored three goals while Wright finished with two goals. Brady James as-



Linden/Fenton player Rykerson Wright attempts a shot against Brandon/Holly goalie Ryan Marchrowicz. **Photo: Christopher Summers**

sisted three goals while Ciesielski and Luck assisted one each.

Ciesielski won five loose balls while Luck won four. Garrett Wagner had three loose balls collected while Jeff

Primm, Parker Raymond and Bryce Eliuk had two each.

One area the Wolves dominated were faceoffs, winning 15 of the 18 battles.

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Lake Fenton track program qualifies four to D2 state meet

By David Troppens

The Lake Fenton varsity track program will have four athletes headed to the Division 2 state meet after their efforts at the Williamston regional meet.

The boys and the girls will have two competitors each.

The Lake Fenton boys had the only regional champion, with Francis Senter earning the title in the high jump. He won with a leap of 6-foot-4. Malte Vollmers was Lake Fenton's other male to qualify. He placed fifth in the 200 with a state-qualifying time of 23.14 seconds.

The Lake Fenton girls had two regional runner-up efforts. Bella DeBoe was second in the high jump (4-9) while Lucianna Kamischke was second in the 300 hurdles (50.0).

The top two finishers in each event automatically qualified for the state meet while others could qualify if they met a state-qualifying time or distance

in their event. The top eight scored points for their team. The Lake Fenton boys placed seventh with 39 points. The girls scored more points (47) but recorded a ninth-place finish.

Five other LF boys placed in individual events. They were Nolan Schroeder, fourth in the 400 (25.48); Wyatt Marsh, sixth in the 400 (52.95); Nolan Pinion, third in the 3,200 (9:57.31), Abraham Beadner, eighth in the 110 hurdles (17.52); and Coleson Lessner, fourth in the high jump (6-0).

The Lake Fenton girls had three other athletes place in individual events. They were Claire Hunt, third in the 1,600 (5:41.80) and fourth in the 3,200 (12:38.39); Lonna Perna, fifth in the long jump (15-1 1/4) and eighth in the 100 (13.84); and Bella DeBoe, fifth in the 400 (1:05.70).

The D2 state track meet will be June 4 at Forest Hills Eastern High School.

Goodrich/Lake Fenton advance in tourney

By David Troppens

It was a good start to the regional tournament for the Goodrich/Lake Fenton co-op varsity boys lacrosse team.

The squad faced off against Bay City John Glenn and earned a 10-5 victory in its regional opener.

"We were able to move the ball around very well," Goodrich/Lake Fenton varsity boys lacrosse coach Tyler Stephens said. "We were down a few starters. The younger guys had to play a bigger role and we were able to play everyone on our team."

"Defense played a major role in shutting down everything John Glenn was wanting to do from an offensive standpoint."

The squad saw Lucas Storm

score a team-high four goals while Murphy Conley, Walker Ridgeway and Cooper Hallstorm scored two goals each.

The five goals allowed is the fewest the Goodrich/Lake Fenton squad has yielded since allowing just four in a 9-4 victory against Ovid-Elsie. John Glenn was limited to six goals against Powers, but scored as many as 16 goals just two games ago in a 16-2 victory against Bay City Central on May 6.

The Goodrich/Lake Fenton squad faces the top-ranked team in the region today at 6 p.m. when they face Okemos at Flint's Atwood Stadium. The winner plays in the regional final against either Bay City Western or Flint Powers on May 31 at 6 p.m. at Atwood Stadium.



Lucas Storm scored four goals for the Goodrich/Lake Fenton varsity boys lacrosse team in a 10-5 victory against John Glenn. Photo: David Troppens

Holly girls soccer defeats North Branch

By David Troppens

It was a slow start for the Holly varsity girls soccer team against North Branch.

North Branch scored first and had an early 1-0 lead.

However, after that the Bronchos picked it up and cruised to a 5-1 non-league victory on Friday.

Holly tied it on a Ambrielle Hoffman goal off an assist from Lauren Henry. Hoffman wasn't finished. She gave the Bronchos the lead for good by scoring their second goal as well.

After that, Olivia Corino took over the Bronchos' first-half scoring. She scored on a corner kick from Hannah Lee. And before the end of the half, Corino scored her second goal. The Bronchos led 4-1 at halftime.

The only goal by both teams came late in the second half when Alexis Lindley sent a pass to Eryn Bayer, resulting in a Bayer goal.

Holly cruises past Mustangs, 10-0

By David Troppens

The Holly varsity baseball team had some fun in its Flint Metro League crossover contest at Clio on Thursday.

The Bronchos' bats collected 14 hits and earned a 10-0 victory.

Many Bronchos (8-19) had strong offensive games. Mason Clark went 4-for-5 with three RBI, while Ashton DeHart went a perfect 3-for-3 with three runs scored, an RBI and a walk. Two of his hits were doubles. Jordan Compton went 2-for-4 with two runs scored from

the leadoff spot. One of his hits was a two-bagger. Meanwhile, Logan Winstead also had two hits and drove in a run. Keinen Melton had a hit and walked twice, while driving in a run.

On the mound, two pitchers had strong showings. Boston Curtis started and pitched the first three innings. He allowed two hits and struck out one. Bowen Moore pitched the final four innings and allowed no hits while walking two and striking out two.

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Fenton pitchers shut down Blackhawks

By David Troppens

In the battle of third-place Flint Metro League softball teams, the Fenton varsity softball squad proved to be the stronger program against Brandon in crossover action.

The Tigers (18-14 overall) won the first game 9-0 and were winning the second game 3-0 when it was suspended.

The Tigers scored three runs in each of the first two innings and pitcher Tammy Craven did the rest by tossing a two-hit-

ter. She walked none and struck out eight, throwing 58 of her 85 pitches for strikes.

In the Tigers' three-run first, Lily Turkowski hit a three-run double, plating all of the runs. In the three-run second inning, Sophie Collins hit a two-run triple, while Kariana Pelkey followed with a sacrifice, plating Collins.

Fenton also scored three runs in the seventh. Pelkey hit an RBI-single while Craven hit a two-run single.

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Linden softball wins Ogemaw Heights tournament

By David Troppens

The Linden varsity softball team had a busy weekend.

The Eagles opened weekend action with a doubleheader crossover event against Owosso on Friday, but that didn't even make up half of their activities. Linden also competed at the Ogemaw Heights tournament and six more contests.

The Eagles made it worth their while. After losing the first game to Gladwin 7-3, Linden rebounded to win five straight contests to win the tournament.

The Eagles also defeated Pinconning 6-0, Hillman 19-0, Gladwin 7-1, and Ogemaw Heights twice, winning the first game 6-2 and the second game 9-6.

The number of games the squad had to play had to with the first-game loss to Gladwin. That set off a run of six games in almost 10 hours. The Eagles showed

off their strong bats in the tournament, by pounding 15 home runs. Olivia Burke, Ava Sigewald, Megan Widner and Morgan Piotrovsky had three four-baggers each.

Widner had a super effective tournament. She batted .407, while pitching 20 innings with an ERA of 1.74 at the event. Opponents hit .197 against her. The no-hitter came in the victory against Pinconning. She threw just 71 pitches (48 for strikes) to earn the six-inning no-hitter. She walked two batters and struck out eight. She also went 3-for-4 at the plate, hitting one of her home runs during the contest.

The Eagles (27-6-1 overall) had to defeat Ogemaw Heights twice to earn the tournament title. In the opening game, they scored four runs in the top of the third to earn a 5-1 lead. From there, they earned the 6-2 victory.

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However, a few fluky hits and a few Linden fielding errors, helped Owosso score four runs in the fifth and another three runs in the sixth, earning the Trojans the outright league crown. Owosso captured a 9-2 victory. The two teams played a second game and that contest ended in a 6-6 tie.

"We lost two All-State players, our center fielder is playing at Mott and our Honorable Mention All-State player got hurt and we still made it to this game," Linden varsity softball coach Gordon Jamison said. "When you look at all that, I can't complain. I'm pretty happy we got here. I'm disappointed about the outcome, but not the effort. The girls practiced hard all week and we went at it the best we can. It's a tall order to come here to play for the championship. This is the third year in a row it's been decided here on this field for the championship between us and them."

"It's not our first championship game,



Linden's Cassie Sylvester tags an Owosso runner out at third base during the Eagles' 9-2 Flint Metro League Championship Game loss on Friday. Photo: David Troppens

and it does feel pretty amazing to be (Flint Metro League Stripes Division) champs," Linden varsity starting pitcher Mikayla Timm said. "We just fell short today."

Linden scored a run in the first inning. Megan Widner singled to start the contest and went to second after Cassie Sylvester's sacrifice bunt. An out later, Hannah Bollinger hit a two-out RBI-double, plating Widner. Linden led 1-0.

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for the women. Osmond won a regional championship in the 100 (12.72) and teamed with Goodman, Wasilewski and Sigsby to win the 400 relay (51.05). The 100 was super strong for the Lady Eagles as Goodman finished third (state-qualifying time of 12.97), Wasilewski was fifth

(13.34) and Sigsby was seventh (13.58). The 200 was a strong event. Osmond earned another state trip by taking second (26.7) while Goodman was fourth (27.85) and Wasilewski was eighth (28.40). The 800 relay team of Osmond, Reygan Acox, Shawna Schmandt and Victoria Bransford also placed third (1:52.26).

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PREP REPORT

BASEBALL

► **Fenton at Saline Tournament:** The Tigers (18-7) lost two contests, falling to Hartland 1-0 and then to Saline 6-2.

Hartland scored the only run of the first game on a sacrifice fly in the sixth inning. The only hit Fenton starting pitcher Owen McCuan allowed was a double earlier in the inning. That hitter scored the winning run. McCuan tossed 5 2/3 innings of one-hit, two-walk ball, striking out four. Adam Barcome pitched 1 1/3 innings of shutout relief, striking out one.

In the second game, Brendan Phillips hit an RBI-triple to pace the Tigers' of-

fense. Barcome relieved in this contest as well and pitched two shutout innings, allowing just two hits.

GIRLS LACROSSE

► **Grand Blanc 13, Fenton/Linden 4:** The Fenton/Linden co-op program fell to Grand Blanc for the second time this season, losing in the opening round of districts.

► **East Lansing 22, Lake Fenton/Goodrich 3:** The Lake Fenton/Goodrich co-op ran into a strong East Lansing squad and lost in the opening round of regionals by a sizable margin.

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Carol Jean (Rodgers) Horning 1945 – 2022

Carol Jean (Rodgers) Horning - age 77, of Atlanta, MI, passed away peacefully with her family at her side on Tuesday, May 24, 2022. Carol was born January 3, 1945 in Fenton, the daughter of the late Roy and Geraldine Rodgers. Carol



Wernet, Dennis Horning, Craig Horning III, and Dylan Horning; two great-grandchildren, Jaxson Oros and Charley Oros; and her sister, Susie (Ken) Price. She was preceded in death by her parents; her in-laws, Roy and Florence Horning; her sister, Judy

was a loving wife to her husband Craig of 59 years, a devoted mother to her four children, and a caring Mimi to her six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was a fierce squirrel hunter, gardener, and an avid cook/baker. Carol enjoyed her retirement at Canada Creek Ranch in Atlanta. where she enjoyed golf, playing cards with the ladies pinnacle group and watching the wildlife. Carol is survived by her husband, Craig Horning Sr.; her fur baby, Deeks; four children, Fr. Roy Horning, Donald Horning, Craig (Christy) Horning Jr., and Jo (Don) Schofield.; six grandchildren, Courtenay (John) Oros, Becca (Austin) Butcher, Hayley (Joe)

Hill; and her treasured golden retriever, Murphy. Visitation will be held Thursday, May 26, 2022 at Chagnon Funeral Home in Onaway, from 2 – 5 PM with a 5 PM prayer vigil. Visitation will be held from 10 AM until the time of the funeral service at 12 Noon on Friday, May 27, 2022 at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church of Fenton, 600 N Adelaide St, Fenton. The Horning family would like to thank Hospice of Alpena for their extraordinary care and peace they brought to our family. www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Victoria Marie Kuhn 1942 – 2022

Victoria Marie Kuhn - age 79, of Fenton, passed away Sunday, May 22, 2022. Funeral services will be held 2:30 PM Thursday, May 26, at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd. Visitation will be held 11:30 AM until the time of service Thursday. Those desiring may



person who loved cooking, shopping and gardening. Victoria enjoyed watching the birds and wildlife around her house and was an avid tennis fan. Surviving are her husband, Kenneth; children, Deborah Kuhn-Glasgow of Bancroft and David Kuhn of Osaka, Japan; sister, Louise Williams; brother-

make contributions to St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. Victoria was born July 29, 1942 in South Bend, IN, the daughter of John and Wilma (Podlas) Nozykowski. She married Kenneth Kuhn on August 20, 1966. Victoria was Chief Dispatcher for the Fenton Police Department, retiring in 2000 after 26 years of service. She was a thoughtful and generous

in-law, Douglas Kuhn; sister-in-law, Barbara Burtch; sister-in-law Florine Novak; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Paul Novak. Tributes may be shared at <http://www.sharpfuneralhomes.com>.



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Horoscopes

For the week of May 23, 2022

ARIES

Mar 21/Apr 20

You may be questioning some of your relationships this week, Aries. Periodic reflection is good for your long-term well-being, but move ahead with caution.

TAURUS

Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, finding balance between your professional life and your home life may be challenging this week. Try not to hurry through your decision-making process.

GEMINI

May 22/Jun 21

Typical routines just aren't fulfilling you lately, Gemini. Avoid succumbing to frustration and dissatisfaction by trying a new hobby or brainstorming ways you can change.

CANCER

Jun 22/Jul 22

Avoid comparing yourself to friends and colleagues, Cancer. You may need a confidence boost, so hang around friends and family who have your back.

LEO

Jul 23/Aug 23

Has your love life affected your professional ambitions lately, Leo? Take a step back and analyze the situation to see what you can change for the better.

VIRGO

Aug 24/Sept 22

Take some time to audit your health, Virgo. What you eat, how much you are sleeping, how often you are exercising these are all factors that may require some change.

LIBRA

Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, watch out for power struggles at work, especially if you feel they are causing you to be treated unfairly. Bring issues to a supervisor if it comes to it.

SCORPIO

Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, fatigue may catch up with you if you have not been pacing yourself or taking enough time to care for yourself. Slow down and take a mental health day . or two.

SAGITTARIUS

Nov 23/Dec 21

You may be more sensitive than usual this week. Sagittarius. You may feel like family or friends are judging you, but that's not necessarily so.

CAPRICORN

Dec 22/Jan 20

Try not to take part in popularity contests or gossip sessions at work, Capricorn. It can only come back to bite you when you least expect it. Stay the course and keep working hard.

AQUARIUS

Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, you may be seeking greener pastures, both at home and in your professional life. Impatience can get the best of you, but a change will happen over time.

PISCES

Feb 19/Mar 20

You may have a tough time relating to others this week, Pisces. You view the world through a creative lens even when others don't.



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