SUV stolen from Fenton Township recovered

Three pistols stolen from car in Fenton Township not yet located

By Sharon Stone

on Quail Ridge Court in Fenton Township on Friday, Sept. 30 at 5:47 a.m., was later recovered from Pineview Estates in Genesee Township on Monday, Oct. 3 by the Genesee County caught on Ring surveillance video exiting a

Two days prior to the reported auto theft. three pistols were stolen from an unlocked vehicle that was parked in the 1600 block of A Buick Enclave that was stolen from a home Aspen Hollow, also in Fenton Township.

> Sheriff Chris Swanson said the two larcenies likely involve the same suspects.

At 1:32 a.m. on Sept. 28, two males were the keys were in the Enclave.

Chevrolet Cruze. They were seen checking the doors of vehicles on Aspen Hollow.

The three pistols have not been recovered.

At 5:47 a.m. on Sept. 30, Ring surveillance video showed a male suspect walk into an open garage on Quail Ridge Court and drive out of the garage in a Buick Enclave. The sheriff said

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Can you ID this suspect?



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Heading south on I-75 this weekend?

■ Changes coming Friday for modernization project

Changes are coming to the ongoing I-75 modernization project this weekend, with two ramps See I-75 on 10

Fired deputy arraigned on criminal charge

Attempted to meet who he believed was 15-year-old girl through social media



Jared Salisbury

A fired Oakland County Sheriff's Deputy was arraigned Saturday, Oct. 1 on a felony charge for attempting to solicit a person he believed was a See FIRED DEPUTY on 10



A young girl uses a fire hose at the Argentine Township Fire and Rescue Open House on Sunday, Oct. 2. The purpose of the event, which had numerous activities, free food and more, is to spread information about fire prevention. Photo: Hannah Ball

Families enjoy fire department open house

■Fire Prevention Week is Oct. 9-15

By Hannah Ball

Argentine Twp. — Fire trucks lined the parking lot of the Argentine Township Fire Department on Sunday, Oct. 2 for its annual Open House.

The department brought in a bounce house, fire prevention activities, free food and more to invite families to meet members of the department and learn about fire prevention, which was the purpose of the event, said Fire Chief Jeremy Kurtz.

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66 Now that we know who is running for the local school boards, be sure to research their social media. Their posts over the past few years will tell you a lot about them. If their accounts are private, be leery as they are not being transparent."



6 € Have you seen the new quarters? Ole George is looking

the other way, with a mullet."



L Slow down. Rut season is here, and deer are everywhere."





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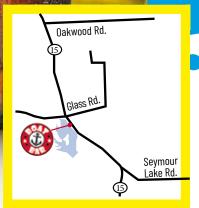




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Crime novel set in Holly

Local author will sell books at Witches Night Out in Holly this Friday, Oct. 7

By Hannah Ball

Working in the violent crimes division of the FBI, Jane Newell has seen her fair share of the dark side of humanity.

However, nothing could prepare her for when her father's copycat killer begins murdering people in her hometown of Holly.

This is the premise of "Jane's Journey," a crime/psychological thriller written by Jill Wagner, a Fenton native. The story is set in Holly. The cover depicts train tracks and the old Holly Depot train station.

"I've always been a writer at heart," she said. In the '90s, when she was a stay-at-home mom, she took mail order courses on writing but didn't have the time to fully dedicate herself to the craft like she wanted. After retiring from her career as an insurance agent, Wagner decided it was time to get back into writing.

"I said, 'you know what? I'm going to do this," she said. Her daughters bought her a desk and chair, and Wagner found a refurbished computer online. Her family and friends have been very supportive.

"Jane's Journey" is her first published

novel and first in the "Mother Killer" series. It took her around eight months to storyboard the plot, outline, write and have it professionally edited. It's now available to buy on Amazon and Kindle.

"It is a dream come true," she said. "It's beyond my wildest imagination that people are buying it and my reviews are really good. It's been selling well."

The debut author has been invited by Altered Designs in Holly to sign copies of her book at Witches Night Out on Friday, Oct. 7.

"Which is a huge thrill," she said. Wagner set the plot in Holly because she loves the village.

"It's just a very neat village. There's some really good rural areas. I've always been the imaginative sort," she said.

Bottoms Up is featured a few times when the FBI team has dinner there, as well as state-owned land and the Michigan State Police post on Dixie Highway.

Wagner, a voracious reader and lover of crime thrillers, said her favorite authors are Allison Brennan, Karen Rose, John Sanford and Lee Childs.

"Most have badass female protagonists. I relate to that. I wish I could be a badass. I can live it through my stories and imagination," she said. "I guess I like the suspense. I'm such a rule follower by nature so



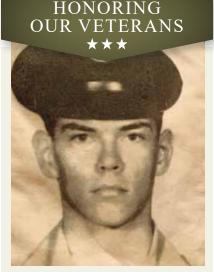
I suppose reading crime thrillers brings out the badass that I want to be. I'm not much for sappy love stories or anything like that."

Wagner has an author Facebook page called Jill Wagner-Author.

Description:

"Jane Newell's goal to hunt and cage serial killers began when she learned that her father had been torturing and murdering women her entire life. She was orphaned at 15 years old when she watched law enforcement storm her house and arrest him.

"Jane's quest to speak for the victims of See **NOVEL** on 12



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Sharin' the Spotlight

By Editor Sharon Stone

'm sure you've seen those TV ads where home health care companies show smiling elderly folks enjoying daily visits with their hired care givers. To me, the men and woman who are being cared for at home appear to be so happy and carefree as they play puzzles, sip on coffee or change into their nighttime gowns. I've been paying much closer attention lately since I'm seeing firsthand how getting old isn't just about reminiscing over old photo albums and having cookies with the great grandkids.

There are oftentimes so many aches and pains associated with growing older and there's little these caregivers or younger family members can do to alleviate the discomfort completely. I can see their pain, which sometimes lurks just behind their smiles. I know I'm blessed to still have my 92-yearold mom alive and well and living at Provision Living in Fenton but she had a recent health scare that resulted in her spending nearly a week at the hospital.

I was bouncing between work, home and the hospital to help assure her she'd be fine. She's much better now but she still has her aches and pains

Health care workers, Halloween and elections

that she will live with forever. I must say the staff and all the aides where she lives are like angels with the way they care for her and all of the other residents. The men and women who go into this profession of caring for our older parents, grandparents and even our great grandparents are special.

Not only do these workers chat with their adopted family, they assist with their bathing, hair, hearing aids, dentures, getting them down to the dining room, medicine management, wound care, lift assists, occasional manicures, lend a comforting ear when



Sharon Stone

When my mom returned, a waiting for her signed by several people at her place they missed her and were praying for her recovery. The EMS workers from Medstar Ambulance also were really gentle and reassuring with mom. Many

thanks to everyone.

Changing to a much more fun topic, now that it's October, Halloween is on everyone's mind. I'm not much into the scary or gory stuff — yes, I even

See **SPOTLIGHT** on 9

depression strikes and more. greeting card was even there who wanted to let her know

> YOU JUST NEED to worry about your own germs. I wear the mask to keep away from the people who are trying to spread their germs to me. That has always been the only reason I wear it. Not because of the actual COVID problem; mostly

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time, we had wars and a recession.

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because of flu germs.

HOT-LINER 'IF YOU question...' spoken like someone who never left the local community or the tri-county area. If you think a little, the fact that complaints can be published freely indicates the country is great.

TO THE HOT-LINER who says 'you can't have it both ways' meaning you can't complain about our country and call it the greatest on earth. Let me educate you. It's called freedom of speech. And that makes it the greatest. We can love it and try to improve it, unlike any other country.



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

What do you think about living next to a short-term rental property such as an Airbnb or Vrbo?



"I would be all for it. What a great opportunity to meet new people. The vast majority of people using Airbnb are just like you and I and don't want to be disruptive. All local ordinances are still in place and should be treated as such. It's a great way for people to make some extra money with their property. I use them all over the country and have helped many people set them up."

Andrew Spiece, Fenton



"I love using Airbnb rentals for travel. But me personally, I'd much prefer long term neighbors to develop a neighborly relationships with."



"I think it brings riff raff into the community! This isn't a tourist location. People who have lived here for years and years shouldn't have to move farther and farther south to dodge the chaos of what should be a small town community."

Sarah McCanney Detroit

Scot Brothers Fenton

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"Coming from someone who has rentals, uses Airbnbs, travels and love my community. I think it's a great option. Perfect for overflow when friends and family come into town. I'd personally much rather stay in a place with privacy that feels like home over a motel or hotel. I love traveling to Airbnbs. The reviews also allow you to know exactly what you're getting before you arrive. I definitely welcome short term rentals to my community."

Katie Senter, Fenton



THIS WEEK'S GENESEE COUNTY ROAD PROJECTS

TOWNSHIP	WHERE	IMPACT TO TRAFFIC	TIMELINE	DETOUR	PROJECT DETAILS
Davison	Irish Rd. and Lippincott Blvd. intersection	Detour posted	August 8 - November 8	Atherton, Atlas, Lippincott, M-15, I-69, Irish	Intersection widening
Flint	Flushing Rd. between El Dorado Dr. to N. Ballenger Hwy.	One-way traffic	July 11 - Mid-October	none	Rehabilitation; Diet to 3 lanes
Grand Blanc	Baldwin Rd. between Gainey Dr. and Ruby St.	Detour posted	August 29 - November 18	Baldwin, Holly, McCandlish, Saginaw	Widening to 3 lanes
Montrose	Seymour Rd. 1500' north of Farrand Rd.	Detour posted	September 6 - October 15	Farrand to Nichols to Lake	High-friction surface treatment
Mundy	Wyndemere Sq. and Wyndemere Ct.	Closed to thru traffic	August 29 - October 21	none	Asphalt resurfacing
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HOT LINE CONTINUED

IF YOU CARE about your pension, 401k, retirement, Social Security, inflation, gas prices and other things that impact your wallet and bank accounts, you better vote red this November. And, when Republicans gain control, we cannot let up on them. They must turn things around for the better.

LOVE, LISTEN AND understand your children. Give them time to work through adolescence without making drastic gender changes at this tender age. Help them to enjoy their teenage lives and know they are loved and there is time when they're adults to look into some these major changes.

THE GOVERNOR AND her allies have stated they will 'fight like hell' to prevail. May we all 'fight like heaven' for life and love. There are a lot of hidden agendas in this proposal. Please know what you're voting for.



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Vladimir Konstantinov, Michigan's No Fault Act, the 17,000, and more

Hockey fans remember Vladimir Konstantinov as a talented defenseman in the 1990s who helped the Detroit Red Wings win a Stanley Cup in 1997.

His career ended June 13, 1997, when he suffered a traumatic brain injury and paralysis in an automobile accident.

Michigan's No Fault Insurance Act's lifetime personal injury protection benefits covered all of his medical expenses and all reasonable charges related to his care and rehabilitation. He will need care for the rest of his life.

Things change. Effective June 11, 2019, the No Fault Act was amended to address Michigan's high insurance costs and allow insurance companies to offer reduced benefits at reduced premiums. Additionally, mandatory benefits for services and care were significantly reduced.

The question then became would benefits be cut for the approximately 17,000 catastrophically injured victims (including Mr. Konstantinov) who were receiving full insurance benefits for pre-amendment auto accidents?

The insurance companies' answer was yes.

In 2019, a lawsuit was filed by

two plaintiffs in the Ingham County Circuit Court challenging this with the claims that the statute couldn't retroactively be applied, reducing benefits was a violation of the Contracts Clause of the Michigan Constitution, and was unconstitutional.

The plaintiffs lost in Circuit Court and appealed.

On Aug. 25, 2022, the Michigan Court of Appeals released its published opinion in Andary v USAA Casualty Insurance Company.

As to retroactivity, the court held that statutes and amendments are presumed to operate prospectively and to overcome this, the Legislature must clearly manifest an intention for retroactive application.

The court found that the Legislature didn't intend retroactivity and the amendment was prospective only.

The court then used a three-part balancing test to determine if there was a violation of the constitutional right to not have the state interfere with preexisting contracts by a law change.

The court found on balance that the amendment violated the Contracts Clause. It didn't rule on the constitutional claims.

On Sept. 29, the Supreme Court agreed to hear a further appeal but denied the defendant's request to delay the precedential effect of the decision.

What this means is that for now, the amendment's reduced benefits do not apply to the plaintiffs or the other 17,000 catastrophically injured individuals.

What happens next will probably be decided next year.

Pink Night Palooza back live Oct. 20

■Bra-Rtistry fashion show, live auction raises money for cancer patients

Presenting sponsor Hurley Medical Center and founding sponsor Financial Plus Credit Union are thrilled to be able to bring Mid-Michigan's premier breast cancer fundraising event back live.

Every year, local breast cancer patients are faced with unimaginable choices. They need extended treatments to save their lives, but when they can't work, bills go unpaid, it's difficult feeding their children and the stress of financial burdens threatens their recovery.

That's where the Hurley Breast Cancer Patient Navigation Program comes in. Through generous community donations, we are able to help patients keep fighting by relieving the financial stresses breast cancer creates.

This year's Pink Night Palooza, its Bra-Rtistry fashion show and live auction:

Thursday, Oct. 20 Davison Country Club 5 p.m.: Doors Open 5:45 p.m.: Pre-Pink Party 7 p.m.: Live Broadcast on CW46

New this year, sponsors and attendees can donate to help breast cancer patients or patients of any type of cancer that has touched their heart. Designate when you purchase tickets and sponsorships at pinknightpalooza.com.

Among the items to be auctioned: \$12,000 Electric Binelli Golf Cart from 75 North Auto Sales & Mid-Michigan Now, Greta Van Fleet signature bra and signed pink guitar, signed Jack Nicklaus Ally Challenge items from Townsquare Media, overnight stays for Soaring Eagle Casino and Firekeepers plus much more.

Organizers give special thanks to their title sponsors Insta-Lube and Regional Medical Imaging and to the many businesses hosting minifundraisers throughout our community to raise money to help local cancer patients.



View Lady Classic raises \$7,077 for Delivering Hope

Emily Caswell, brand manager of the View Newspaper Group/Tri-County Times, along with Pete Clinton, advertising director and Bridget Koledo, marketing specialist, presented a \$7,077 check to Kristen Sobanski, founder and president of Delivering Hope on Friday, Sept. 30. The funds were raised at the inaugural View Lady Classic, put on by View Newspaper Group on Monday, Aug. 29 at Fenton Farms Golf Club. The event raised money for Delivering Hope, a Fenton-based nonprofit that gives food and school supplies to local students who experience food insecurity.



HOT LINE CONTINUED

NOTHING SWEETER THAN the sound of an internal combustion engine coming to your rescue when there is no electricity and won't be for weeks. Don't follow the sheep over the edge of a gorge.

OLD HORSE AND Buggy attitudes toward cars won't work against EVs. Tesla reports record third quarter sales. If you build them, customers will come.

I WAS IN Walmart Sunday, I asked one of their associates to please move her cart so that I could get to the item I needed. She responded with, 'I'm pulling an online order. I don't need you as a customer.' She's getting her wish.

DO YOU REMEMBER when you were a teenager? Our children are too young to be thinking about making life altering changes at this age. Help them get through this tough time in their lives. Adolescence is one of the hardest times of their lives. There aren't any easy fixes.

Local schools celebrate homecoming

■Students, staff and alumni connect through long-time traditions

By Sharon Stone

Lake Fenton Community Schools, Fenton Area Public Schools and Holly Area Schools held their homecoming events last week. Spirit week activities were held throughout the week, parades were held Friday afternoon, varsity football games were held Friday evening and the annual homecoming dances were held Saturday night.





Fenton High School's 2022 homecoming queen and king are Madelin Burnau and Ibrahim Sene.



Lake Fenton

Lake Fenton's 2022 homecoming king and gueen are Cole Storm and Samira Shalal. Photo: David Troppens



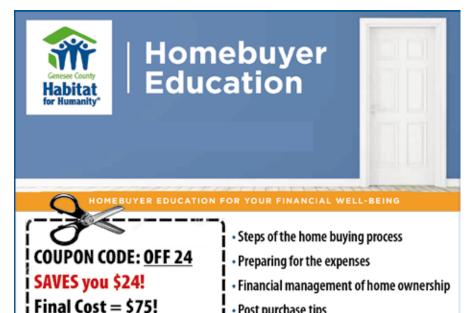




Last year's homecoming queen, Adrienne Kopicko, crowns Cole Storm as the 2022 homecoming king.



Samira Shalal and her mom pose for a photo after she was crowned the 2022 Lake Fenton homecoming gueen.



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Short-term rentals

Dear Editor.

I am so glad to see Linden is taking notice of the negative side of short-term rentals. My concerns fell on deaf ears in Fenton Township. There are no rules that can be enforced. Lot size or the number of tenants is really an issue. We don't feel safe in our own home. We can't sleep because of loud noise at all hours of the night, the smell of (legal) pot forces us off our deck. We are a residential lake community, not a resort community. It is like living next to a motel, the renters are on perpetual vacation. Sleeps six means nothing with blow-up beds, one-night stand internet hookups, to reunions and everything in between with no concern for the neighbors or community. Out of state owners making money for themselves while our property values decline. These Airbnb and Vrbos need to stop.

> Janet Kolly Fenton Township

SPOTLIGHT

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cover my eyes when watching predictably scary movies, but I do like to see unique and well thought out decorations. Driving around Fenton, Linden and Holly, I'm starting to see Halloween decorations. Let us at the Times know if there are some crazy creative decorations in the area. Send an email to news@tctimes.com to provide us with the details or photos.

THEFT

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Swanson it's likely that the suspects are the same. Multiple similar reports indicate that some individuals are going out at night in search of unlocked vehicles.

A credit card that was in the Enclave had been used at a gas station in Flint.

On Monday, the stolen Enclave was located and recovered. The sheriff said the vehicle was not damaged and it's been dusted for prints and other evidence was recovered for testing.

Swanson urges people never to leave firearms inside vehicles and to always lock the doors of vehicles, garages and homes. If anyone has information about these suspects or thefts they are asked to call (810) 257-3422 or 911. Three suspects are believed to be two white males and one black male.

The Genesee County Sheriff's Office seeks to identify these individuals believed to be involved with larcenies last week in Fenton Township. If you recognize them or their vehicle, call (810) 257-3422. **Submitted photos**

With so many races and proposals on the Nov. 8 ballot, the Times will publish information on proposals, from local issues to statewide proposals, this Sunday, Oct. 9. Then, on Sunday, Oct. 16, information on local races and candidates that residents in the tri-county area will vote on, from school boards to the governor's race will be published.

If you'd like to know exactly what is on your ballot, go to the Michigan Voter Information website at mvic.sos. state.mi.us. There you can enter in your county, jurisdiction and precinct to read your entire ballot. If you're planning to vote in person, making a copy of your ballot and marking how you will vote could assist you on election day.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

GOOD THOUGHTS, GOOD words, good deeds.

JUST BE YOURSELF, be kind, loving, and help others

AT LEAST WHEN the conservatives are doing things for the wealthy, they are at least doing something. When was the last time you saw a liberal do anything except promise what they were going to do. Did they ever do it?











to Fenton Youth Football & Cheer ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH



FIRED DEPUTY

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15-year-old girl for sexual purposes.

Jared Frederick Salisbury, 33, is charged with one count of accosting a child for immoral purposes, a four-year felony. He was released from the Oakland County Jail on a \$25,000 personal bond set by 52-1 District Court Magistrate Cody R. Ellwanger. As a condition of bond, Salisbury is to have no contact with minor children and is not to use a computer or the internet.

"Any behavior that targets young people is deplorable and anyone who does should be held to account for their actions," Sheriff Michael Bouchard said.

Salisbury was arrested Friday about 11 a.m. without incident outside his Waterford Township home by members of the Sheriff's Office Fugitive Apprehension Team.

Salisbury was a probationary deputy employed by the Sheriff's Office for five months. He was assigned to the midnight shift in the jail. New hires are on probation for one year. He was fired Sept. 6, after the sheriff's office was alerted to possible criminal activity involving Salisbury.

A resident reported seeing a social media post in which a man, later identified as Salisbury, attempted to arrange a meeting with someone he believed to be a 15-year-old girl and that the man may be an Oakland County employee. Detectives quickly linked the social media chat to Salisbury.

Salisbury is to appear Oct. 11 in Pontiac's 50th District Court for a probable cause conference.

I-75

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closing, two ramps reopening, and a closure of the southbound I-75 ramps to eastbound and westbound I-696.

Beginning at 10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7, crews will close the southbound I-75 ramps to and from 11 Mile Road. In addition, the southbound service drive will close from north of Gardenia Avenue to I-696. The closures are needed to allow the city of Royal Oak to install a new water main under the southbound service drive and will remain in place until Sept. 1, 2023.

Beginning at 10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7 and ending by 5 a.m. Monday, Oct. 10, the southbound I-75 exit to eastbound and westbound I-696 will be closed. The closure is needed to allow crews to prep the area for retaining wall construction. In addition, the right lane of southbound I-75 will be closed from Lincoln Avenue to I-696. At 5 a.m. Monday, the two-lane ramp will have a single-lane closed until late February 2023. During the single-lane closure, access will be maintained to eastbound and westbound I-696.

By 10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7, both directions of 12 Mile Road under I-75 will reopen. In addition, crews will reopen the southbound I-75 exit ramp and the 12 Mile Road entrance ramp to southbound I-75. The northbound I-75 ramps to and from 12 Mile Road are expected to reopen in mid-November. In late February 2023, 12 Mile Road will be closed under I-75, along with the southbound ramps, to allow for the building of the southbound I-75 bridge over 12 Mile Road.

Follow I-75 modernization progress at Modernize 75.com or follow on Facebook or Twitter.

HOT LINE CONTINUED

WE CAN HAVE it both ways. Point out destruction Democrats have done in two years, we're still greatest best with conservatives running the country, energy independence, no national crime wave, immigration laws and on.

THE U.S. IS the greatest country because we can complain every week in the TCT. And we can vote to change things. I wonder if Biden voters expected this chaos. Let's start changing things in November.

NOT A SINGLE member of her own party was willing to introduce Whitmer's idea for a 45-cent gas tax in either the Michigan Senate or House of Representatives.

REGARDING SQUAW LAKE this is 'big government' sticking its nose where it's not wanted, and it won't end here. Let's all see to it Mr. Lorraine gets the help and resources needed to get this back in the hands where it belongs — the citizens. Utter nonsense.

country on earth. We're just at our very enforced, wall being built, could go on

BUSINESS BRIEFS

COMPILED BY SHARON STONE

Diane Hart selected as McLaren Flint's September Outstanding **Employee of the Month**

McLaren Flint is pleased to announce September's Outstanding Employee of the Month, Diane Hart. Hart was



Diane Hart

presented the honor by hospital leadership Sept. 29. "I've been an employee at McLaren for over 31 years, and to be recognized is a huge honor especially when there's so many amazing people here," Hart said. "Diane has always gone the extra mile for her patients, whether it be getting them a blanket to stay warm, providing them with food and water during their wait, or just holding a conversation with them to make them feel more comfortable and not alone, "said Jennifer LaPorte, supervisor of patient access, who nominated Hart. Though Hart has worked in various roles over the years at McLaren. She says she's meant to be in the Emergency Department. "I've had several different jobs throughout my career at McLaren, but being part of the ED Registration Team is my true calling," Hart said. The Outstanding Employee of the Month candidates are nominated by managers, directors, and McLaren Flint's executive leadership team. Criteria for nomination are based on the hospital's mission and core values: contribution to culture and core values, teamwork, going the extra mile, outstanding patient service, performance excellence, and commitment.



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OPEN HOUSE

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Fire Prevention Week is Oct. 9-15, and local fire departments are hosting open houses to spread this year's theme, which is "Fire won't wait. Plan your escape."

Kurtz said their goal is to help people who don't know how to set up smoke and carbon monoxide detectors or can't afford them. They used a recently obtained \$15,005 Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) grant to help implement a program to promote fire safety and offer free smoke alarm installations to local residents.

"Smoke detectors are the first sign of an issue ... We want to be the last resort. Anything that can prevent carbon monoxide poisoning and fires — that's what we're trying to push toward the public more. When we don't get called out, that's a good thing," Kurtz said.

Fire prevention includes implementing measures in your house or business to prevent a fire from occurring, such as keeping open flames away from drapes and other flammable objects, creating a family plan in case of a fire, practicing that plan and more.

Corrigan Towing attended and brought a tow truck. The Argentine Township Police Department and Linden Pay It Forward also had booths. The event offered free cotton candy, a spray house, a Jaws of Life demonstration, and they let kids wear firefighter equipment

These events help kids understand the purpose of fire trucks and other emergency vehicles and personnel. The Salvation Army was on scene to answer questions about its operations, and MMR Ambulance brought a vehicle and let kids climb inside and ask questions.

"I think it helps people not be as scared of them. That shows the kids that we're here to help you, that we're not scary people," said Jake Lewis, EMT from MMR.

Kurtz said they weren't sure how many vendors would come. This was the first open house they've held since the COVID-19 pandemic.

"Hopefully these events start getting bigger and bigger," he said.

One of the most popular activities was the spray station, where kids could spray a water hose at a small cutout of a house with "flames."

"It's a nice big community event," he said, adding that people can meet the firefighters and see what their tax dollars go toward.

He's also working to garner interest for a community CPR class.

NOTICE OF AIR PERMIT COMMENT PERIOD AND PUBLIC HEARING

The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) is holding a public comment period and a virtual public hearing, if requested, to allow the public the opportunity to comment on the proposed conditional approval of an air permit.

There is a public comment period from October 5, 2022, until November 21, 2022, and a virtual public hearing, if requested, on November 7, 2022, for:

Company: National Composites – American Recreational Products, LLC (American Recreational Products) located at 130 South Alloy Drive in Fenton, Michigan.

What American Recreational Products wants to do: Application No. APP-2022-0002 is for a new facility which will manufacture boats and fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP) composite products. The proposed facility will be a major source under Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 70 for hazardous air pollutants (HAPs). The major source threshold for HAPs is 10 tons per year (tpy) of any individual HAP or 25 tpy of total combined HAPs.

The public comment period and public hearing, if held, are to allow all interested parties the opportunity comment on the proposed conditional approval of a Permit to Install (PTI).

It has been preliminarily determined that the installation of the new boat and FRP composite products manufacturing facility would not violate any of EGLE's rules.

Provide comment in any of these ways by November 21, 2022:

- By email to EGLE-AQD-PTIPublicComments@Michigan.gov
- By voicemail by calling 517-284-0900
- In writing to: Mark C. Mitchell, P.E., Acting Permit Section Manager, EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260,

Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760

• At the virtual public hearing, if requested on November 7, 2022, starting at the close of the informational session. The sole purpose of the public hearing will be to take formal testimony on the record.

The VIRTUAL public hearing will only be held if requested in writing by October 31, 2022.

- Send hearing requests to the email or address listed above.
- If requested, send accommodation requests to Laura Gramza at 517-230-4404.
- If requested, links to attend the virtual meeting will be posted by November 1, 2022, at Michigan.gov/ EGLEAirPublicNotice.



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society's worst type of evil began when her diligence and hard work earned her a place on the most elite team in the violent crimes division of the FBI.

"When Jane's first case was to find her father's copycat killer in her hometown of Holly, Michigan, just two hours from where he was serving multiple life sentences, she did not know that she'd have to navigate her way through an entangled maze that began when she was only 15.

"As the body count grew, the lines Jane drew between the new kills and her father's began to intersect when she started receiving mysterious and cryptic text messages that implied a familiarity to pieces of her life that she'd kept hidden.

"Would Jane's secret pursuit for her unidentified adversary help solve the gruesome case? Or would it put an end to her career before it ever got started? Would her separate, off the books probe put her team and her family in danger?"



— Compiled by Sharon Stone —

MichiganVotes.org is a free, non-partisan website created by the Mackinac Center for Public Policy to provide concise, non-partisan, plain-English descriptions of every bill and vote in the Michigan House and Senate. This report was released Friday, Sept. 9.

The Michigan House and Senate convened but held no votes this week, so this report describes some bills proposing or revising fees charged by governments.

Senate Bill 1133: Increase fee to record deeds

Introduced by Sen. Wayne Schmidt R-Traverse City, to increase from \$2 to \$4 the fee charged by a county register of deeds to record deeds and other instruments, starting Jan. 1, 2023. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bill 4610: Increase marriage license fee

Introduced by Rep. Terry Sabo D-Muskegon, to increase the license fee imposed by counties for a marriage license from \$20 to \$50, except in Wayne county where no cap applies. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bill 6224: Prohibit certain above-cost fees charged by government

Introduced by Rep. Jeff Yaroch R-Richmond, to establish that the fees charged by the state for an application, license, registration, examination or similar government-mandated item must be reduced by the amount that it "does not bear a reasonable relation to the costs incurred" by the state. Agencies would have to give legislative appropriations committees annual reports on the "reasonableness" of their fees. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bill 6159 and 6161: Regulate sale of portable electronics insurance

Introduced by Rep. Mike Mueller R-Fenton Township and Rep. Richard Steenland D-Roseville, to impose regulation and a state licensure mandate on the sale of portable electronics insurance. This proposal includes a \$1,000 license fee, plus a \$500 renewal fee every other year, with lower amounts for sellers of 10 or less policies a year. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bill 5961: Revise canoe and kayak fee and registration exemptions

Introduced by Rep. John Damoose R-Harbor Springs, to expand the canoe and kayak exemption to boat owners having to register and pay fees. Under current law, the exemption applies to non-motorized canoes and kayaks up to 16 feet long. The bill would extend this 18 feet. Note: In the 1980s, the state imposed this mandate and was forced to repeal it and issue refunds because of public objections. Also, many current canoes and kayaks are longer than 16 feet (and many are also longer than 18 feet). Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bills 5358 and 5359: Impose licensure mandates on hunting and fishing guides

Introduced by Rep. Gary Howell R-North Branch and Rep. John Cherry D-Flint, to impose licensure and detailed annual reporting mandates on individuals who act as a commercial "sport fishing guide" on inland waters, with a \$150 license fee (\$300 for nonresidents), and a \$500 fine for guiding without a license (first offense). Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

Senate Bill 975: Reduce concealed pistol license fee

Introduced by Sen. John Bizon R-Battle Creek, to reduce the application fee to get a state concealed pistol license, from \$100 to \$50. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

Senate Bill 968: Double fee to register a boat

Introduced by Sen. John Bizon R-Battle Creek, to double the cost of boat registrations required by the state, and add a \$10 surcharge. Fees currently run from \$14 to \$448 depending on the size, and would increase to \$28 to \$896. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

Senate Bill 724: Double oil and gas extraction fee

Introduced by Sen. Jeff Irwin D-Ann Arbor, to double the regulatory fee imposed on drillers of oil and gas produced in this state and styled as a "monitoring, surveillance, enforcement, and administration fee," from 1% to 2% of the market value of their production. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

Senate Bill 575: Impose fees and registration mandates on tobacco "vape" sales

Introduced by Sen. Marshall Bullock D-Detroit, to impose an annual \$100 per location state license mandate on retail sellers of a "tobacco product, vapor product, or alternative nicotine product at retail," and also impose a registration mandate on vapor products. Referred to committee, no further action at this time

Senate Bills 269 and 270: Reduce hunting license fee for some non-residents

Introduced by Sen. Curt VanderWall R-Ludington and Sen. Ed McBroom R-Vulcan, to reduce nonresident hunting license fees for individuals who own property in Michigan, and on individuals who used to live in Michigan but have since moved elsewhere. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

House Bill 4004: Impose "literacy fee" on payday lenders

Introduced by Rep. Matt Hall R-Marshall, to impose a so-called "literacy fee" of \$200 on payday lenders, which would go into a new government "consumer education and financial services access and literacy fund." The bill would also permit these lenders to make "small loans" of up \$2,500 for 90 days, in addition to short-term "payday" loans. Referred to committee, no further action at this time.

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF LINDEN HYDRANT FLUSHING October 10-15, 2022

The City of Linden Department of Public Works (DPW) will be flushing water hydrants between the hours of 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. beginning Monday, October 10, 2022 and continuing through Saturday, October 15, 2022. During the flushing process, hydrant valves are opened to forcefully flush sediment from water mains. This process is necessary to ensure that the municipal water system effectively delivers the highest quality of water possible. In addition to flushing the lines, this process also allows staff the opportunity to inspect hydrants to ensure they are operating properly.

During this process, water to homes and businesses may become discolored. The discoloration is caused by the stirring of silt and iron in the system which may result in cloudy, brown, and/or reddish colored water. This process does not affect the safety of the water. If you experience discolored water, you should allow your cold-water faucets to run until the water runs clear. Homeowners should avoid running hot water while experiencing discolored water to avoid filling hot water tanks with discolored water. Water customers should avoid washing clothes with discolored water which can stain clothes. After flushing your water system clear, it is best to run a small wash cycle without clothes, or with dark clothes only. If clothing articles appear stained, keep articles wet and rewash the load using a clothing safe stain/rust remover. We apologize for any inconvenience this process may cause to our customers.

If you have additional questions, please call the Linden DPW at (810) 735-7980.



Lake Fenton's Caysen Brown makes a tackle in the Blue Devils' victory against Owosso. **Photo: David Troppens**

LF's Star Division title chances remain, defeat Owosso

By David Troppens

Lake Fenton — It wasn't that long ago, that it seemed Lake Fenton's varsity football team didn't throw the ball five times a game.

Times have changed the last handful of years.

Lake Fenton junior quarterback Carsen Lewis threw five touchdown passes en route to the Blue Devils' dominating 49-0 homecoming victory against the Owosso Trojans.

"It feels great," Lewis said about his five TD performance. "The O-line gave

me enough time, I put the ball where I needed to and my receivers played unbelievable tonight. It's a great feeling. We have an All-State running back (Lucas Storm). He's a baller. Our offensive line is playing great and our receivers

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Eagles soar to top of Stripes Division, beat Creek

By David Troppens

It's said frequently that defense wins championships in football circles.

The Linden varsity football team certainly believes that.

For five weeks, teams have tried to stop Swartz Creek's one-dimensional offense. Stop their run and the Dragons should crumble. For five weeks, opponents have failed in that mission.

Enter the Linden Eagles during the sixth week. Linden stifled the Dragons' potent ground attack all night long and took advantage of enough scoring chances of their own, earning a 23-7 road victory at Swartz Creek on Friday.

The win means the Eagles remain the only undefeated team in the Flint Metro League's Stripes Division (4-0) with just one week remaining in the Division season. Who is that final opponent the Eagles will have to face to earn their first-ever Stripes Division title and earn their first-ever trip to the Flint Metro League crossover championship game? Of course, it's the Fenton Tigers (3-1 in the Stripes Division) at Linden High School on Friday.

Fenton remains in the division championship discussion.

If Linden wins, the Eagles are the outright division champions and will host the Stars Division championship participant the following weekend. If Linden loses, and Swartz Creek loses, the Tigers should be making their fourth straight trip to the league title game. However, if Fenton and Swartz Creek win next week, that would create a three-way logjam atop the division, and other tiebreakers would be needed to figure out the division's representative.

Of course, the Eagles can put an end to all of those mysteries by just earning a victory next week, as they did against the Dragons on Friday.

The Eagles got a second TD run from quarterback Michael Bush early in the second quarter when he ran eight yards for a score, giving the Eagles a 12-7 lead at the time. From that point, Linden would always lead in the game.

Linden threatened to score another TD in the fourth quarter, earning a first-and-goal at

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(Top photo) Linden's Caden Brown makes a tackle during the Eagles' victory against Swartz Creek on Friday. (Left photo) Michael Bush runs toward the end zone. Linden plays Fenton on Friday for a shot at playing in the Metro title game.

Photos: Mark Bolen



Linden's Kyle Eberhard broke a school record with his time of 15:20.9 at the Shepherd Invitational. **Photo: David Troppens**

Linden's Eberhard breaks school record at Shepherd invite

By David Troppens

The Linden varsity boys cross country team has a history of outstanding runners.

The program has won a state championship and knocked on the door to earn some others.

Yet, in the team's history, Kyle Eberhard did something on Saturday none of those great runners on those outstanding teams accomplished.

Eberhard ran a school-best time of 15:20.9 at the Shepherd Blue Jay Invitational on Saturday, helping lead the Eagles place 14th out of a deep 30-team field. It was a strong field. Eberhard placed third with his time. Anchor Bay's Thomas

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Tigers remain alive in title chase, defeat Kearsley Hornets

By David Troppens

The Fenton varsity football team has played in every Flint Metro League championship game since the league went to the two-division format.

When the Tigers lost to Swartz Creek earlier this season, it looked like their chance to be the Stripes Division representative were pretty dim. They've brighten up a little bit after Friday night.

The Tigers dominated their home-coming game, using its vertical passing game frequently to crush the Kearsley Hornets 43-8.

The win means the Tigers are 3-1 in Stripes Division play, one game behind the Linden Eagles (4-0) and tied with Swartz Creek (3-1). Fenton actually plays their local rivals on Friday at Linden High School. If Linden wins, the Eagles will represent the Stripes Division for the Metro championship game. If Fenton wins, the Tigers still have a chance to be the division representatives. If Swartz Creek loses its game next week and Fenton defeats Linden, the Tigers should be the representatives based on their victory against Linden. If Fenton wins and

Swartz Creek also wins, that would created a three-way tie atop the division with other tiebreakers having to figure out who the Stripes representative in the title game in week eight.

Kearsley never had much of a chance against the Tigers. During Fenton's first possession, quarterback Nolan Alvord completed an 18-yard pass to Chris Piwowarczyk followed by a 55-yard TD reception to Jake Nichols, giving Fenton a 6-0 lead with 9:29 left in the first quarter.

Kearsley was forced to punt after three plays on its next possession and then managed only a five-yard punt. Alvord took advantage immediately, running for a 25-yard TD scamper. Adam Barcome made the extra point and the Tigers led 13-0 with 8:31 left in the first quarter.

Kearsley attempted to convert a fourth down play on at the Fenton 2 after driving a large chunk of the field, but the play was stopped, giving Fenton possession at its own 1. A few plays later, Alvord hit Nichols in the middle of the field for a 65-yard TD reception. Fenton led 21-0 with 8:03 left in the half.

Fenton scored two more times before



The Fenton Tigers charge on to the field during the squad's recent Heroes Night game with Holly. Fenton remained in the Metro Stripes Division race by earning a victory against Kearsley on Friday. Photo: Mark Bolen

the half was over. The first was set up on a 47-yard reception from Alvord to Noah Dotson to the Kearsley 8. A couple of plays later, Cameron Dean scored

on a four-yard run around the left side. Fenton led 27-0 after Barcome's extrapoint kick with 1:01 left in the half.

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Fenton golf places second in Metro

By David Troppens

The Goodrich varsity girls golf team dominated the Flint Metro League season, and also dominated the Flint Metro League meet at Springfield Oaks Golf Course.

But, the Fenton Tigers had another pretty strong showing this season, taking second in league action overall, and finishing second at the Flint Metro

League meet. Goodrich had a score of 339 at the league meet while the Fenton Tigers shot a 375. Lake Fenton finished a solid league season, placing fifth with a 445 while the Linden Eagles took sixth with a 458. The Holly Bronchos took 10th with a 466.

Fenton was led by Katelyn Burkett's 43-42-85, placing third at the meet and earning first-team All-Metro honors. The rest of the Tigers' scorers were Payton LaRowe with a 93, Lily Reese with a 97 and Ava Herbert with a 100.



Fenton's Katelyn Burkett

LaRowe earned first-team all-league honors while Herbert and Reese earned second-team status.

The Blue Devils had two second-team all-league players — Laura Bell and Katie Bell. Laura Bell led the team with a 103 while Katie Bell carded a 105. Emilie Poirier followed with a 112 while Ava Goss finished the Blue Devils' score with a 125.

Linden finished the season

with two second-team players — Kaitlyn Schweitzer and Kayla Widner. Widner led the Eagles at the meet with a 104 while Schweitzer recorded a 111. The other two scorers were Callie Wallace with a 121 and Ella Kenyon with a 122.

Holly's Kendall Stilwell earned firstteam honors shooting a 101 at the meet. Stilwell didn't lead the team at the meet, however. Makenna McGee, who finished with second-team status, shot a 100. Emalee Dietzen shot a 109 and Caprice Dunn carded a 156.



Holly football back at .500, defeat Raiders, 21-14

By David Troppens

It's been said that the 2022 version of the Holly varsity football team is a better one than Bronchos' fans have seen in the recent past.

There was a little more evidence toward supporting that statement during homecoming on Friday night.

The Bronchos beat Flushing for the first time since 2016 and now have a .500 record after six weeks for the first time since the 2017 season after defeating the Raiders 21-14.

Holly never trailed in this contest, scoring the first two TDs.

The squads exchanged a few possessions, but the Bronchos broke that pattern by scoring on their second possession of the game. Earning possession at its own 23, Holly's Noah Cycholl got the drive going with a 55-yard run, moving the ball to the Flushing 22. A few plays later, the Bronchos faced a fourth-and-4 play at the Flushing 5, and Deshawn Willis scored the TD on that fourth-down play, scampering five yards into the end zone. Dylan Chereson made the first of his three extra-point kicks and the Bronchos led 7-0 with 1:59 left in the first quarter.

Holly's defense forced another Flushing punt after the Raiders failed to convert a third-and-13. Holly took over at its own 21 and eventually scored again. A 47-yard completion from Boston Curtis to Ashton DeHart gave the Bronchos a first down at the Flushing 30. Eventually, Holly scored on Cycholl's one-yard

run. Holly led 14-0 with 8:52 left in the half

Flushing got on the scoreboard on its next possession. Flushing drove 56 yards, eventually scoring on a fourth-and-1 play when Austin Williams scored on a six-yard TD run. The extra point by Julie McNamara cut the Holly lead to 14-7 with 5:15 left in the half. The teams went into the intermission with that score.

Flushing scored on its first possession of the second half, tying the game at 14-all. It came on an eight-yard TD run by Williams with 6:58 left in the third quarter. However, the Bronchos answered back with their last TD drive of the game. It came on a 47-yard flypattern catch from Boston to Chereson. The Bronchos led 21-14 with 3:51 left in the third quarter.

Holly's defense had to hold Flushing's offense two more times. The first time came on a fourth-and-11 play at the Holly 26. Flushing's pass attempt was broken up by Cycholl. Flushing had the ball one more time and faced a fourth-and 11 at the Holly 21. The Raiders attempted another pass on this fourth-down play and this time Holly's Kendall Murdock defended the pass with a bat down. Sixty-two seconds later the Bronchos had their third victory of the season, and their first Metro League Stripes Division victory of the season.

Holly (3-3) travels to Kearsley for their last Flint Metro League Stripes Division game of the season on Friday.

Holly's Dylan Chereson makes a catch in a recent contest. Photo: Mark Bolen

Holly places third atMetro meet; Fentonfinishes in eighth

By David Troppens

The Holly varsity boys tennis team had three flights make it to the championship match and placed third at the Flint Metro League Tournament.

The third-place finish at the tourney matched the Bronchos' third-place dual league season finish, earning the squad third overall. The Fenton Tigers placed eighth at the tournament and finished eighth overall.

The Bronchos' doubles teams enjoyed the most success, earning all of the finals trips in those flights. Walker Glass and Quintin Monty (No. 1 doubles) finished 2-1, losing to Flushing in the finals 6-2, 6-4. They also finished 2-1 at No. 3 and No. 4 doubles. Ethan Tillier and Drake Setera (No. 3) lost to Flushing in the finals 5-7, 6-2, 6-3 while Ryan Tiell and Eric Ranck (No. 4) lost to Flushing in the finals as well 7-5, 6-0.

The Bronchos had four other flights win one match.

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PREP REPORT

GIRLS SWIMMING

▶ Swartz Creek 133, Holly 47: The Bronchos saw Myra Nagelkirk record personal-best times in the 50 freestyle and the 100 butterfly, while Marie Halligan enjoyed a four-second drop in the 100 breaststroke. Claudia Klempp had a personal-best time in the 100 freestyle.

BOYS SOCCER

▶ Holly 3, Brandon 3: Cooper Anderson scored two Holly goals and Austin Jacopec scored a goal, leading the Bronchos to the Metro League deadlock.

Jacopec's goal gave Holly an early 1-0 lead, but Brandon scored three unanswered goals to give the Blackhawks a 3-1 lead. However, Anderson scored in the 40th minute and in the 54th minute, tying the contest. Ryan Nykiel assisted the first goal with a cross while Jacopec assisted the second. Douglas Lutz made a saving clearance on the line, helping preserve the shutout.

VOLLEYBALL

▶ Swartz Creek d. Holly 25-18, 19-25, 25-8, 25-11: The Bronchos' Angelina Azbell led the offense with six kills while Mary Grace McAninch and Ella Azbell had five kills each. Lily Parsons had 14 assists. Angelina Azbell had two blocks. Ella Azbell and Amanda Welch had two aces each.

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are making the plays."

The win lifts the Blue Devils' record to 3-1 in the Flint Metro League Stars Division, setting up an interesting battle with rivals Goodrich. With Goodrich at 4-0 and Lake Fenton at 3-1 in division play, it sets up a battle for first place in the Stars Division. However, Corunna is also 3-1 in division play, and if Lake Fenton and Corunna win next week, it could be a serious headache trying to figure out who would be the program to represent the Stars Division in the Metro League championship game during week eight. But before all of that can be an issue, the Blue Devils need to take care of business first and figure a way to defeat the Martians. The Blue Devils are the defending Flint Metro League champions.

"We need to be physical," Lake Fenton varsity football coach Marty Borski said. "They are a very physical team. They are excellent defensively. We are going to have to match that obviously, and we are going to have to take our shots when we have our opportunities.

"We are not going to focus on how this affects the league standings. It's Goodrich week. This is the one we circle and the one they circle. We will play it and let the chips fall where they may."

We are going to have to play as a



Lake Fenton's Jeff Husted and the Blue Devils' defense makes a tackle during their victory against Owosso. Photo: David Troppens

team, play fast and play physical," Lewis said. "We have to come ready to play. It's the biggest game of the year. This is our season here. This is what we've been looking forward to since the beginning of the year."

As expected, the Blue Devils had no troubles with Owosso. The Trojans did intercept a pass early in the game, but that only slowed down Lake Fenton's every other pass he tossed, hitting on 11of-12 passes for 233 yards.

Lake Fenton's offense was stopped on its first possession, but then scored on • hasn't finished worse than third in any each of its next seven possessions in the • contest.

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Linden stifled the Swartz Creek Dragons' usually potent ground game in the Eagles' 23-7 victory on Friday. Photo: Mark Bolen

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the 1, but was forced to settle for a Bush 22-yard field goal. Linden led 15-7 with 8:33 left in regulation.

After Linden took the eightpoint lead, the Dragons turned the ball over on downs at their own 40, and later was forced to punt. The Eagles got their insurance score with about a minute left after the Dragons made that final punt. Ethan Gomez rambled 50 yards for the score. Linden led 23-7.

Linden's defense has been outstanding all season long, allowing just 60 points in six games. No team has scored more than 14 points against Linden with three scoring less than double-digits.

Linden took the early lead, scoring the game's first TD with 9:40 left in the first quarter. It was scored by Bush on a one-yard QB keeper. Swartz Creek answered back with a long kickoff return • to the Linden 12. The Dragons eventually scored on a nine-yard completion from Brett Hoffman to Keagan Larion. Swartz Creek enjoyed its only lead of the game after Evan Lloyd converted the extra-point, giving the Dragons a • 7-6 lead at the time.

The Dragons never scored a rushing TD against the Eagles. In fact, Swartz Creek didn't have a running back collect 100 ground yards. Larion had 93 on 11 carries, but 43 of those yards came on just one attempt. The Eagles held Swartz Creek to just 125 rushing yards on its other 40 attempts. The Dragons have scored at least 26 points against any of their other opponents, scoring that amount of Fenton.

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Westphal won the event with a time of 15:14.3, while Utica's Trent McFarland finished second in 15:16.6. St. Johns Joey Bowman finished fourth (15:30.7) about 10 seconds behind Eberhard. Fourteen runners finished the race with a time less than 16 minutes.

"The goal for the day was to stick on the top guys and see how long I could hang on for," Eberhard said. "I knew going into the race it was going to be fast, perfect weather. ... Throughout the race I could tell I was going to finish with a good time. I was still right on the top guys through halfway and I felt okay. I told myself if I can stay with them until the 4K,then I'll try to make a move to win.

"Then right after the 4K I was still with them and they started breaking up, so I made a move and got in front of them, but ended up getting caught by one of them in the final 200 meters, and never caught the top guy who was about 10 seconds ahead the whole race."

Eberhard has broken the 16-minute inevitable victory, as Lewis completed barrier three times this season, but this was the first time since Sept. 17 when he ran a 15:49.9 at the Holly Invitational. He's won five of his seven races and event.

> "I feel like the season has gone very well so far," Eberhard said. "I've been pretty consistent and hitting PRs often."

The Linden girls placed sixth in a 15team field while the Holly boys also were at Shepherd taking 10th out of 14 teams in the Boys Varsity Blue race.

The rest of the Linden boys top five runners were Ryan Blackwood in 36th (16:40.7), Clayton Akerman in 93rd (17:31.4), Ian Martin in 98th (17:34.0) and Blaise Gooding in 144th (18:02.0).

The Linden girls had two runners finish in the top 20. Colleen Blackwood led the Eagles with a 13th-place finish in 20:13.2. The rest of the Eagles' top-five finishers were Ava Fahrenkopf in 19th (20:46.3), Reagan Brooks in 31st (21:17.4), Stellah Strauss in 42nd (21:51.0) and Madelyn Strauss in 65th (22:39.4).

The Holly Bronchos were without their top runner for the weekend, but the boys still earned 10th and had some strong times. Holly's top five were Chase Cha-• lawich in 44th (18:22.9), Ryan Walker in 45th (18:28.7), Zachary Brown in 58th points in wins against Holly and (18:52.0), Ian Smith in 63rd (18:57.1) and Collin McMillian in 66th (19:00.2).

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Amber Marie Butcher



Amber Marie Butcher - age 37, of Fenton, passed away Thursday, September 29, 2022. Funeral services will be held 1PM Sunday. October 9, 2022 at Holly Seventh Day Adventist Church, 16180 Fish Lake Rd., Holly, Visitation will be held 4 - 8 PM Saturday at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 Silver Lake Rd., Fenton, Those desiring may make contributions to the family. Amber worked at Ascension Genesys where

she was a Respiratory Therapist. She was a member of Fenton Seventh Day Adventist Church. Amber is survived by her husband, Andrew; children, Emma (11) and Mason (9); grandmother, Janice Smith; brother, Nathan York; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Gordon and Brenda Butcher; sister-in-law, Kayla Butcher; brother-in-law, Richard (Destiny) Butcher. She was preceded in death by her mother, Debbie. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



Dennis James Whiteaker

1962 - 2022



Dennis James Whiteaker - age 60, of Fenton, died Monday, October 3, 2022. Funeral services will be held 1 PM Thursday, October 6, 2022, at Sharp Funeral Homes, Fenton Chapel, 1000 W. Silver Lake Rd., Fenton, with Pastor Peter Ahlersmeyer officiating. Interment will follow at Crestwood Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 2 - 4 and 6 - 8 PM Wednesday, October 5 and 12 - 1 PM Thursday at the funeral home. Those desiring may make memorial contributions to Adopt-A-Pet, Fenton (www.adoptapetfenton.com). Dennis was born April 8, 1962, in Flint, the son of Kenneth and Sondra (Curp) Whiteaker II. He was an avid photographer, boater and swimmer. He loved the lake and enjoyed gardening. Dennis was a caretaker to his grandparents prior to their deaths and most recently a

caretaker to his mother. He was a collector of many things but especially of Coca-Cola memorabilia. Dennis also volunteered at Adopt-A-Pet of Fenton. Surviving are son, Andrew (Jinwon) Whiteaker; daughter, Toni (Jason) Vanover; three grandchildren, Luke and Evan Whiteaker, Helena Vanover and one on the way; mother, Sondra Whiteaker; two brothers, Martin Whiteaker and Kenneth (Amanda) Whiteaker III; friend, Tara; many cousins, including the Saiko family and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Kenneth Whiteaker II. Tributes may be shared at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com.



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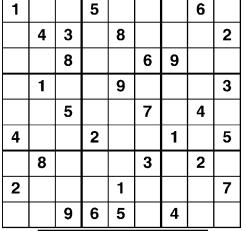
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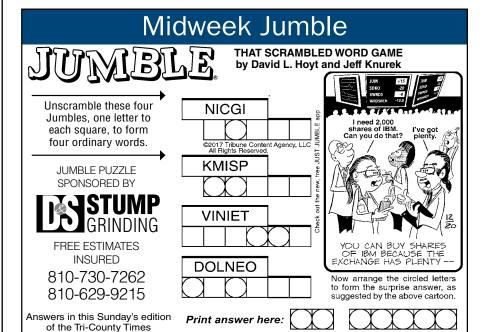
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Horoscopes

ARIES

Mar 21/Apr 20 Aries, others are counting on you this week, so you'll need to direct all of your attention toward a special project. Don't let distractions get in the way.

TAURUS

Apr 21/May 21 Taurus, rather than wishing for something to happen, figure out a plan to make it happen. Before taking action. consult with a few close friends for guidance.

GEMINI

May 22/Jun 21

Someone may come to you this week with a problem asking for your advice, Gemini. It's tempting to react right away. However, take a few hours to mull things over.

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CANCER

Jun 22/Jul 22 Someone at work may not agree with your point of view lately. Rather than cause friction, try to look at things through this person's perspective.

LEO

Jul 23/Aug 23 Leo, cooperation could be essential in the days and weeks ahead. This week you will benefit from being more open-minded to other people's suggestions.

VIRGO

Aug 24/Sept 22 It seems that you have been tasked with moving from one difficult situation into another one, Virgo. Find ways to set aside time strictly to unwind.

LIBRA

Sept 23/Oct 23 Keep careful track of your expenses, Libra. You may find that lately you have been going a bit overboard with expenditures and not bringing in any extra money.

SCORPIO

Oct 24/Nov 22

Maintain a positive outlook this week, Scorpio. Things may not go exactly according to plan, but that doesn't make it any less successful and satisfying.

SAGITTARIUS

Nov 23/Dec 21 Sagittarius, you may have to put others first for the next few days, particularly if you care for an elderly relative or a young child. It's a sacrifice worth making.

CAPRICORN

Dec 22/Jan 20 Capricorn, let another person lead a team or spearhead a project at work, even if you have an urge to take control. You can use a break from your responsibilities.

October 3, 2022 AQUARIUS

For the week of

Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, hands-on work not only helps save you some money, but also strengthens your skills. Think about a more DIY approach with your next project.

PISCES

Feb 19/Mar 20

Pisces, if life has been tedious and filled with analytical requirements as of late, take on a creative project that will work your brain in new ways.

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