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Newberry, Michigan

Lent round-robin services begin today

By Kyle Kuehl

The Newberry Area Ministerial Association will be having the Lent Round-Robin midweek services again this year in order to help prepare us for Holy Week and Easter. Beginning today, and for the next five weeks, services will be hosted at different churches by different ministers.

Each service is at 7 p.m. Offerings will be collected at each service and will be given to the the Luce County Heating Fund.

—March 4 is at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (321 W John St) with Rev. Tim Callow preaching.

—March 11 is at United Methodist Church of Newberry (110 W Harrie St) with Rev. Melinda Vander-Sys preaching.

—March 18 is at Living Waters Church (5192 LP Mill Rd) with Rev. Mary Brooks preaching.

—March 25 is at First Presbyterian Church (113 W John St) with Rev. Jim Duflo preaching.

—April 1 is at Trinity Lutheran Church (711 Newberry Ave) with Rev. Kyle Kuehl preaching, and a soup/sandwich/dessert dinner preceding at 6 p.m.

Each church has Maundy Thursday worship, April 9, at their own place. Some churches have their own Good Friday worship, April 10, at their own place while there will also be an Ecumenical Good Friday worship at United Methodist Church of Newberry at 7 p.m.

Everyone is welcome at any round robin service. Lent began on Wednesday, February 26, and concludes on Thursday, April 9.

The Newberry Area Ministerial Association brings together the churches and ministers of Newberry with the goal of supporting the community and demonstrating God's love.



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A 3D model of the coronavirus, above, depicts a virus in blue with spiky proteins that enable it to enter and infect human cells. The new and highly contagious virus is traveling across the world much like influenza.

Coronavirus spreading It's when, not if, CDC says

By Carol Stiffler

The coronavirus is creeping closer to the U.P.

As of Tuesday morning, 350 people in Michigan were being monitored for COVID-19, the disease caused by the coronavirus. Though there are no confirmed cases yet in Michigan, there are presently four cases in Chicago, one in Madison, Wis., and 17 in Toronto, Canada. Nationwide, there were 105 known cases spread amongst 15 states in the United States on Tuesday. And there's no telling how many actual cases there are in the country, since most people will experience symptoms so mild they may not even know they're infected.

On Friday, February 28, the World Health Organization (WHO) raised the assessment of coronavirus to the highest level of risk. Their message: Get ready; it's coming.

Though the Upper Peninsula enjoys a remote location and a low population density, it has never been spared from the seasonal flu. And since the highly contagious coronavirus spreads much like the

Be prepared

- Wash your hands.
- Stay home if you're sick.
- Cover your cough.
- Disinfect surfaces.
- Be ready.
- Keep perspective - the flu is here now; coronavirus isn't yet.

-LMAS District Health Dept.

flu, it has the potential to reach our area, according to Kerry Ott, public information officer for the LMAS District Health Department.

"It seems like the planet is much smaller than it used to be," Ott said. "I can't say that it won't come here. We do have universities in the Upper Peninsula. We have travelers who come and visit Pictured Rocks, and Mackinac Island. They come from around the

world. It's just a matter of being aware and being prepared."

The LMAS health department is not currently aware of any district residents at risk or in need of being monitored, she said. But they're not sitting idle.

"We are doing everything to make sure our staff is prepared to respond," Ott said.

The Center for Disease Control has announced that it's not a matter of if, but when there is an outbreak at some level in the United States. "But the United States is probably as prepared, if not more prepared, than any country on the planet," she said.

The death rate, which officials estimate is approximately 2.3%, is not much different than the typical seasonal influenza, which killed 19,000 Americans in 2019. Death rates for COVID-19 appear higher because many people who contract the virus don't get sick

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Vote in the primary election on Tuesday

The presidential primary election will be held on Tuesday, March 10.

Additionally, local issues like the Tahquamenon Area Schools operational millage renewal will be on the ballot.

There is no political party registration requirement and any Michigan registered voter can participate in the presidential primary. At the polling place and on the absentee ballot application, voters will be asked to select a presidential primary ballot for either the Democratic or Republican parties that also may contain local election items.

Voters who do not wish to participate in the presidential primary may request a ballot that contains only local items, if there are local items on the ballot.

Citizens may register to vote up until 8 p.m. on Election Day. If a resident isn't registered, or needs to update their address, they may do so by appearing in person at their city or township clerk's office and providing proof of residency.

Voters can visit Michigan.gov/Vote to check their registration status, find out how to register and be able to vote on March 10, view the candidates and questions that will be on their ballot, get a map to their polling place and other helpful information.

Polls are open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Anyone in line at 8 p.m. will be allowed to vote. Additional information regarding Michigan's presidential primary can be found at Michigan.gov/Elections. Voter Assist Terminals will be available for voter with disabilities and any other voters who wish to use them.

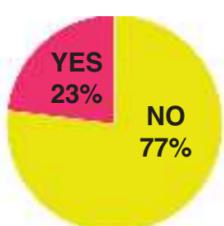
Absentee ballots

All eligible and registered voters in Michigan can request an absent voter ballot

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You voted

There are currently about 350 people in Michigan who are being monitored for COVID-19, an illness caused by the coronavirus. The CDC warns that it is spreading like the flu and recommends frequent handwashing. We asked on Facebook: Are you concerned about the coronavirus entering our community? With 147 votes, you said:



Newberry boys host Soo for homecoming

By Dan Hardenbrook

Winter Homecoming was slightly delayed by the wicked weather late last week. Originally scheduled for Friday night, the game was postponed and played Saturday. This year's opponent was the always tough Soo Blue Devils. The game served as a Straits Area Conference game as well, meaning the stakes for the showdown were even higher.

The Newberry boys came out red hot, fired up and in a frenzy for one of their biggest games of the year. The Indians were scoring early and often putting up 15 points in the first five minutes of the game and taking an 18-15 lead at the end of the first quarter. The adrenaline could only last so long though, as the Indians offense slowed in the second quar-



Caitlynn Canfield

Homecoming King Jared Wallace escorted Queen Lucy Seitz at the Winter Homecoming.

ter. Fighting the fouls, including a pair that were called on Matt Carroll quickly in the final seconds of the first, and turning it over to the Soo too many times, took the

tribe out of their rhythm. Newberry would only score five points in the second quarter and trailed at the half 25-23.

The 2020 Winter Homecoming

ceremony highlighted the halftime festivities with Jared Wallace and Lucy Seitz being crowned Newberry High School's Winter Homecoming King and Queen. After a performance by the Newberry Cheerleaders, it was time for the two teams to take the court. The Indians couldn't turn the trend around, and were outscored 25-17 in the second half for a tough 50-40 loss. The Indians were led by Luke Jordan who had a game high 18 points, one of his highest totals of the season. Logan Depew added eight for the Indians.

The Indians wrap up the regular season Thursday night in Newberry when they take on their rivals, the Engadine Eagles.



Luce County road seasonal weight restrictions begin

The Luce County Road Commission has announced the Seasonal Weight Restrictions will go into effect on the county road system this Friday, March 6 at 8:00 a.m. The restrictions shall remain in effect until further notice.

During the Spring Weight Restrictions, axle loads must be reduced by 35% to be in compliance with the Motor Carrier Law. The Luce County Road Commission is currently working with the Michigan State Police and the Luce County Sheriff's Department regarding enforcement of the Seasonal Weight Restrictions.

The effects to road surfaces from overloads during the thawing period result in higher maintenance costs and shorter pavement life.

Updates from McMillan:

Public appeals next week

By Jeannie King

The McMillan United Methodist Women held their first fish fry on Friday, February 28. It was a blizzard day, but everyone had been anticipating this event, so turnout was good - there were even folks attending from Manistique. The ladies do an excellent job, and the homemade food is delicious. The next fish fry is scheduled for 4 p.m. on Friday, April 3, at the Columbus Township Hall. Watch the paper for ads.

The Columbus Township Hall has just had all new LED lighting installed in the main hall and kitchen areas - it is very bright! This will improve visibility for anyone using the hall, especially in the evening. As a reminder, anyone wishing to rent the hall should contact Ed Auge to make arrangements.

Columbus Township Board of Review sessions for public appeals are scheduled for Monday, March 9 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Wednesday, March 11 from 3 to 9 p.m., all at the Township Hall.

Don't forget to vote in the Presidential Primary on Tuesday, March 10. Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

VIRUS, continued

enough to visit the doctor, said Ott. Those infections will never be recorded and without record of them, they can't be factored in to bring the death rate figure down.

About 80 percent of people who catch the virus will experience only mild symptoms, with a small percentage of people experiencing severe symptoms and dying.

Symptoms include a fever, a dry cough, and eventually trouble breathing.

If you do get sick, drink plenty of water. That's what James A. Surrell, M.D., of Newberry says will be key for your body to flush out the virus.

"The human body is 60% water," Surrell said. "Unless someone is on

a medical fluid restriction, they should consume a minimum of 60 ounces of fluid every day."

Fluids can include water, coffee, tea, sugar-free electrolyte drinks, and anything that doesn't have sugar - sugar feeds the virus, he said.

And get rest. The immune system repairs itself while you are asleep, he said, so get 7-9 hours of sleep a night and, when you're sick, extra rest in the day.

It doesn't hurt to have some extra things set aside in case you get sick and need to self-quarantine for the recommended 14 days, but officials warn against panic-induced grocery spreeds. Still, shelves in some grocery stores across North America are running bare and shoppers report having a hard time finding face masks,

rubbing alcohol, toilet paper, and bread.

Quarantine is an effective tool to control the spread of the virus, however. It'll be one to consider in the event of an outbreak at a school, and state officials are working with districts to be prepared for anything.

Other effective ways to help minimize the spread are to stay home if you're not feeling well, wash hands regularly, cover your cough, and don't share close quarters with people who are sick. Health officials recommend you call your doctor before visiting the office, as a surprise visit could expose many more people to the virus. When you do go out, the WHO recommends maintaining a distance of three feet from anyone who is coughing or sneezing.

Getting to know you: Tony Salter

By Sarah Pleiman

Tony Salter is a Newberry native who loves the small town lifestyle and doesn't plan on ever leaving. He graduated from Newberry High School in 1991 before going to Lansing Community College and receiving his Corrections Certificate.

He worked as a corrections officer at the Newberry Correctional Facility for 13 years, then switched it up to work in the warehouse four years



Tony Salter

ago and has been there ever since.

Tony always wanted a big family, and he's thankful to say that's exactly

what he has. He married his wife, Kristen in 2017, and together they have four daughters, two sons, and one granddaughter.

Tony enjoys gardening in the summer, and his large yard is filled with both flower and vegetable gardens. He generously shares his extra vegetables with friends and family, and is always willing to lend a helping hand.

Coaching is one of Tony's passions. He has 18 years of coaching experience in sports such as t-

ball, softball, football, basketball, and soccer.

Tony was the Newberry Sports Booster president for nine years, and he's been involved in other local organizations, including the Luce County Fair Board and NYBA. He enjoys working with the youth in the community and hopes to do so for many years to come.

His best advice is, as he tells the kids, "Be the best you can be;" and "Never stop having fun with whatever you do in life."

Bob Powell's Snow Report

NOAA Weather Spotter Bob Powell says that at his NWCM4 reporting station in Newberry, we saw three days of below-zero weather and 17 days of measurable snow amounts in February.

Powell has been tracking the Newberry snowfall. He originally predicted we'd receive 252 inches of snow this winter.

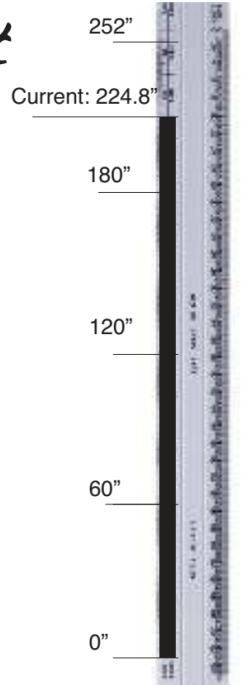
Here's what's landed so far, and how it stacks up.

Month	2017	2018	2019/2020
Oct.	2.5	6.0	2.7
Nov.	28.4	43.1	57.5
Dec.	33.8	14.8	69.2
Jan.	54.6	56	57.8
Feb.	60.3	25.1	*43
Total	179.6"	145"	*224.8"

*to March 2

Bob's quote of the week: Rogue waves are an open water phenomenon, in which winds, currents or other conditions cause a wave to briefly form that is far larger than the average large occurring wave.

Be kind to one another and may the peace be with you all.



Sons of the American Legion
BREAKFAST
Sunday, March 15
 8:00am - 12 Noon
 American Legion Post 74
PUBLIC WELCOME
ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT - \$10.00

BENEFIT FOR PEGGY CHAMBERS & RAY WILSON
 We are trying to help them with medical expenses for heart surgery for Ray and housing for Peggy.
SPAGHETTI DINNER
 Sunday, March 8th
 Zellar's Village Inn - Bar
 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.
 \$7.00 suggested donation
 • 50/50s • Silent Auction •
 Music by Gloryland Singers & Kountry Kickers & Guest
 Contact Glenna Haindl at (906) 293-5738

Irish humor:
 What do you call a great, big Irish spider?
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Tahqua-Land Theatre
 Downtown Newberry
 (906) 293-3372

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thru
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BSA Troop 130 Court of Honor

BSA Troop 130 celebrated their recent accomplishments during a Court of Honor held Tuesday, February 25 at the Newberry Masonic Lodge.

A scouting court of honor is held at least once, but usually several times throughout the year. It gives the scouts the opportunity to recognize the accomplishments of their fellow troop members.

This formal affair is completely planned by the scouts themselves and gives them the opportunity to learn how to plan an event, budget for what they have planned and organize the set up and clean up. Adults are only involved in setting the date and making sure the awards are on hand.

Most court of honors are simple ceremonies during a regular meeting night where the scouts receive the badges for rank they have earned along with any merit badges and special awards recognition, but can

be as elaborate as the scouts wish.

Courts of honor are open to family and the public. This event included the scout's families along with guest Rick Minard from Luce County Veterans Services.

Patrol Leader Aaron Edie opened the ceremony and presentations were made by Scoutmaster David Edie.

Special recognitions went to Aaron Edie – Paul Bunyon Woodsman Award and the Camping segment (the 1st of 5) of scouting's National Outdoor Achievement Award. Taliesan Cox earned the Camping merit badge. Rank recognitions went to Grayson Kilburn – Scout, Mark McTiver and Joseph Vincent – Tenderfoot, Taliesan Cox – Second Class, and Ethan Stilson attained the rank of First Class.

Desserts and refreshments were served afterward. The Troop's next court of honor will be May 19th.



Pictured from left to right: Grayson Kilburn, Joseph Vincent, Mark McTiver, Taliesan Cox, Ethan Stilson and Aaron Edie.

Woodchoppers Ball this Saturday, March 7

Put on your lumberjack gear and head to the American Legion Hall on Saturday, March 7, for the 38th Annual Woodchoppers Ball. Roast beef and pork dinner will be served from 5-7 p.m. and will include "U.P. Power" bean soup, veggies, salads, desserts and beverages. Tickets for the dinner and dance are \$12 and must be purchased by March 6. If you only want to attend the dance, tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at the door. Music by the Greg & Lou Variety Band will be played from 7 – 11 p.m.

The event will also feature live and silent auctions, a cash bar, raffle prizes, and the selection of a Woodchoppers Ball King and Queen.

Purchase tickets from John Waltman, A.J. Downey, Marie McNamara, Linda Anderson-Paine, or Don & Thelma Kimbler.

All proceeds will benefit the Tahquamenon Logging Museum.

ECA to hold arts and crafts family fun night

The Erickson Center for the Arts will hold a Family Fun Night on Saturday, March 21 at 4:00 p.m.

Visit the creation stations or play games with the family. Please dress your little ones in clothes that can get messy.

All children must be accompanied by an adult. All ages are welcome. A soup din-

ner and beverages will be provided by Chamberlin's Ole Forest Inn.

The family fun night is sponsored by the Manistique Lakes Lions' Club and there is no charge to attend.

For more information call the Erickson Center at 586-9974.

Show Me the Money Day today

The Community Economic Development Association of Michigan is hosting a Show Me the Money program today, March 4 from 4 to 6:00 p.m. at Tahquamenon Area Schools.

The event is designed to help participants maximize their tax refund toward financial empowerment, like starting an emergency savings account or working to-

ward homeownership. The program will connect them with vendors that can provide diverse resource information.

Show Me the Money day is a free statewide event held during tax season. It features free tax assistance information, financial workshops and access to community resources in order to maximize your income tax refund.

Curtis week at a glance

Wednesday, March 4

-The Curtis Quilt Club meets at Curtis Library from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. For additional information you call Linda at 5 8 6 - 9 4 1 1 .

Thursday, March 5

-Marcy's Pantry the Curtis Food Pantry will open from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Call 586-9525 for more information.

Saturday, March 7

-Recycling will be open from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Monday, March 9

- Ask the Tech at Curtis Library. Tech Whiz Trish Sanders will be on site from 10:30 – 11 a.m. Bring your devices and your questions.

- Book Discussion at 1 p.m. on The Gown by Jennifer Robson.

Tuesday, March 10

-The Curtis Library Reading Program will be held at 11:00 a.m. and will discuss seeds. Children of all ages are welcome.

-Portage Township Board Meeting 7 p.m. in the Community Building.

Ongoing events:

The Student Art Show exhibit can be seen at the Erickson Center for the Arts Monday-Friday from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. This can be seen until March 27th.

Contact Kayleigh Petrie at kayleighpetrie@yahoo.com with items for Curtis At a Glance.

St Patrick's Day Dance at the LINK

Visit the LINK on Friday, March 13 for a dance that will last from 6 – 9 p.m. The dance is free, and concessions will be available. DJs Greg and Steve Goudreau will provide music. For more information, call the LINK at 293-3729.



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Letters to the Editor:

All Letters to the Editor must be no longer than 350 words. To be considered for publication they must be signed by the author with an address and telephone number included for verification only. **Personal attacks, thank you notes, form letters and letters promoting political candidates/issues above a statewide level** will not be accepted. All letters may be edited or rejected at the discretion of the editor. All letters reflect the opinion of the letter writer and not necessarily the opinion of the Newberry News. It is a privilege, not a Constitutional right, to have a letter published in a privately-owned publication.

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Obituary pricing is determined by the number of words. The minimum cost is \$100, which includes a photo and up to 400 words. For each additional 50 words, the price increases by \$20. Death Notices may run for free, but do not include a photo. Death notices may contain the person's name, age, birth and death dates, birth and death locations, parents, memorial/funeral services and where memorials/condolences may be directed.

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The Newberry News does not charge for Weddings/Engagements as long as editing rights are given. Announcements that include an invitation or that the family wants published exactly as submitted can be placed in the paper at the rate of a display ad (\$6.00 per column inch). A photo can be included at no additional charge. Announcements are scheduled on a space-available basis.

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There is no charge for Births/Anniversaries as long as editing rights are given. When the announcement includes an invitation, it can be placed in the paper at the rate of a display ad (\$6.00 per column inch). An anniversary photo can be included at no additional charge. If the birth announcement includes a picture, it would be placed as an ad and charged accordingly.

All pictures sent to us electronically should be at least 200 dpi.

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*Sale Prices Effective thru March 31, 2020

OBITUARY



Joseph H. Belanger

May 9, 1965 – February 17, 2020

Joe went home to be with the Lord Jesus Christ unexpectedly, but peacefully in his sleep on February 17, 2020 in Grand Marais, Mi.

Joe was born to Sandra (Russell) Belanger and Theodore Belanger on Mother's Day, in Grand Rapids, Mi. He lived in Newberry the majority of his life and was a 1984 graduate of Newberry High School.

After graduation, he served in the United States Navy on the flight deck of the large aircraft carrier the USS Saratoga (CV-60) and was stationed in Jacksonville, Florida.

He was honorably discharged in 1988 at the rank of Airmen, receiving a Unit Expeditionary Medal issued by President Ronald Regan for service in a wartime situation during conflict with General Momar Kadaffi, and also received two sea service ribbons for duty at sea.

He then returned to Newberry and at one point became a voice on WNBX Radio Station for a time with his own radio show.

Joe was a good, kind and loving man who made others laugh with his great sense of humor and expressions. He was very artist, creative and expressed himself in a multitude of ways, with drawings, photos, videos, but mostly through his love of music.

He was an excellent guitarist, bassist and all around musician, and he composed many songs over the years. He had the pleasure along with his brother Ted and their band "Piq Pocket" to open concert for the band "Fuel" in Munising, Mi. in June of 2013.

He was an avid reader, extremely intelligent and technologically savvy, to which he could create, operate and repair computers and technological devices. He combined his love of music, artistic talents, creativity and his sense of humor using photos, imagery, his own videography and music compositions to compile videos and presentations, along with writings to bring joy, educate and touch the lives of his family, friends and the people around him, through his eyes and expressions.

Joe is preceded in death by his grandparents, his father Theodore Belanger and many aunts and uncles.

He is survived by his daughter Magen Belanger and his five grandchildren of Newberry. His mother Sandra Belanger of Newberry, brother Ted (Jolene) Belanger and niece Nicole Belanger of Munising. Sister Tania Anderson, niece Chanda (Paul) Kropp and nephew Kyle Hummelgard of Newberry.

Brother Trevor Belanger of Newberry and niece Anastacia Maynard of Wi. Sister Shiloh Belanger, niece Cadence, nephew March of Kalamazoo. Step-sister Mandi (Ty) Chasey, nephew Liam of West Branch, two great-nephews and two great-nieces.

Cremation services were accorded. Graveside services are being planned for spring 2020 at Lakefield Cemetery in Lakefield.

OBITUARY



Keith Franklin Gehrett

Our dear, sweet husband, father, brother, grandfather and great grandfather, Keith Franklin Gehrett, passed away peacefully at home on Monday, February 17, 2020 surrounded by his family. He was born September 9, 1942 in Newberry, MI to Cleo and Donna Mae (Lowry) Gehrett.

He joined the Air Force in December 1961 and received an Honorable Discharge in December 1965. He achieved the rank of Airman Second Class. He was a member of the Army National Guard from September 1977 to September 1978.

Keith married Rebecca Lynne Pope in Curtis, Michigan on September 7, 1974. He owned his own TV repair business in Newberry, Michigan for a couple of years and then worked at Grand Blanc Fisher Body in Flint, Michigan. Keith began working in cable TV in 1968 and also worked as an electrician for a time, but primarily worked in cable TV. He was active in Boy Scouts and approximately 10 years.

Keith loved fly-fishing and yearly fishing trips to Canada with his sons and grandsons and was a huge fan of the Green Bay Packers.

He is survived by his brother Garry and wife Gayla (Harkness) Gehrett; his sister Carolyn (Gehrett) Rushford; five sons: Scott Franklin and wife Seraphine (Gerber) Gehrett, Travis Darren and wife Dawn (Rolli) Gehrett, Bryan Keith and wife Mabel (Berzins) Gehrett, Troy Williams Gehrett and Lance Elliot and wife Elizabeth (Ferrie) Gehrett. He is further survived by 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his two previous granddaughters, Faith Dadat Gehrett and Harper Eleanor Gehrett.

Keith will be laid to rest in Curtis, Michigan in July 2020. He is deeply loved and missed by all who have had the privilege to know him.



OBITUARY

Murray McGill Bruton

Mr. Murray McGill Bruton, age 87, of Port Huron, passed away on February 21, 2020, with his family by his side.

He was born on March 15, 1932, in Detroit, to the late Cecil and Hazel Bruton.

Murray married Joan Sher on March 30, 1951, in Royal Oak. She preceded him in death on February 22, 2019.

He was a longtime Architect, enjoyed camping and traveling, listening to country music, bowling and was a real people person. He also loved his dogs.

Murray is survived by his son, Mark Bruton of Engadine, Michigan, daughter, Ellen Migliore of Howell, daughter, Julie (James) Wileman-Kincheloe, son, Christopher Bruton of Goodells, grandchildren, Traci, Christopher Jr., Timothy (Chrissy), Monica, Anna, Val, Tim, Zach, Jennifer Rose, Robert (Amanda), Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Daniel) Grzech; 7 great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews and his best buddy, his dog Junior.

He was preceded in death by his grandson, Michael Bruton and a brother Jay Bruton.

Services will be held at a later date. Cremation arrangements in care of, Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Avenue, Port Huron.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Blue Water Area Humane Society.

To view the obituary and share memories, please visit www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com



OBITUARY

Zatha Phillips Carl

Engadine/Newberry resident, Zatha Phillips Carl, 97, died Saturday February 22, 2020 at the Castle Rock Retirement Center in St. Ignace.

Born December 1, 1922 in Jackson, daughter of the late Fred and Helene (Phillips) Cate, Zatha was a graduate of Jackson High School. In March of 1945, she married Nelson Edwin Carl Sr. and resided in Parma and Jerome, Michigan and also Queretaro, Mexico before settling in the Somerset Center area. In addition to being a homemaker raising her family, Zatha was employed as a seamstress at Camp International in Jackson for ten years until her retirement. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, member of the Order of Eastern Star and attended Somerset Center United Methodist Church. Zatha enjoyed knitting, sewing, playing cards, computer games and most of all spending time with her family.



In addition to her parents, Zatha is preceded in death by her husband Nelson in 1991; son Charles Carl in 2018; grandson Stephen at infancy; brother Brinton Cate; son-in-law John Spencer; sister-in-law Ann Cate and niece Debbie Campbell.

Survivors include her children Sharon (Phillip Dennis) Spencer of Naubinway, Nelson (Maria) Carl Jr. of Cibolo, TX, William (Kathie) Carl of San Angelo, TX and Carrie Carl (Peter) Schreiber of Spring, TX; 14 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild along with several nieces and nephews.

Per request, cremation services were accorded. A gathering of family and friends will take place at a later date with interment in Somerset Center, Michigan.

Memorials may be directed to the American Legion Post #290 in Engadine in her memory.

Condolences may be expressed at www.beaulieufuneralhome.com.

Beaulieu Funeral Home in Newberry is assisting the family.



Counseling Corner:

When it's time to take action

Most of us have few hesitations about taking actions to correct life's small problems. We might complain about poor restaurant service, return yesterday's defective purchase, or visit our doctor about a troubling health issue.

But are we are ready and willing to take action when the problem we're facing turns out to be the actual life we're living?

Too often our response to real life issues and disappointments is to simply push them aside, or to feel sorry and depressed that things aren't going right. Unfortunately, allowing yourself to wallow in anger or blame or feelings of helplessness when life isn't giving you all you expect from it, doesn't fix anything. Instead, you need to turn such feelings into positive energy to help in building the

better life you desire.

A starting point is simply sitting down with yourself and identifying what things have you feeling that your life isn't working out the way you once planned. While the realities of daily living often take a toll on the optimistic visions we all once had, you need not surrender totally to the problems and shortcomings you face.

Instead, you can begin to take small steps toward living the life you really want. One step is simply finding your own voice. It's necessary to be able to express your feelings when things are disappointing you. Speaking up doesn't mean that you're being selfish or overbearing. You simply want to be honest and to have others better understand what's troubling you.

If the demands of an overly-busy schedule don't leave you time for

people and events that would make you feel more positive about your life, learn to say, "No" when necessary. Your aim should be for the changes, even small ones, that help you move toward the life you want.

Identify your strengths and interests and then put time into nourishing them. Begin by taking one daily action that moves you closer to your desired life. It can be something simple, like rewriting your resume, cleaning out old files or a cluttered closet, or reconnecting with an old friend.

Your goal is to create an overall balance in your life. A life that is too busy often ends up without room for those people and activities that can help you better connect with the real you and the life you feel you should be living.

From the American Counseling Association

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Just Bill

The trouble with cows is all the work it takes

By Bill Diem

Last week I went to see a new documentary, "Cyrille," about a 32-year-old guy who inherited a small dairy farm from his mother. It was sized for 35 cows, the same as the farm my brother-in-law had for almost 20 years in Brittany. When I first came to France, I spent a week with him learning to milk cows. I think I could still squirt some milk out of one of those four teats on a cow's udder. I was sure the film would be full of nice reminders.

Many images could have been from Didier's farm: the milk room, cleaning up the floors, pitching hay, feeding the cows, and calling them in for their milking. He made his own butter and sold it every two weeks at a farmer's market, which was new for me. However, he had no wife, no child, no house even. He had a pal

who helped sometimes, but he worked every day, mostly alone, with just himself and his dog to talk to.

He had some bad luck. He had purchased 10 cows, and eight of them died within six months. Another cow, which had a difficult pregnancy, died two days after a \$300 visit from a vet. Cyrille had only 20 cows, and their milk that sold for 13 cents a quart wasn't bringing in more money than he was paying out.

Cyrille turned to an organization set up to help struggling small farmers, and they bought him six months, but in the end, he was bankrupt and lost it all. The credits at the end of the film said he was looking for work.

My brother in law did marginally better. He took more vacation time than Cyrille did, by arranging with a neighboring dairyman. Each pulled

double shifts once in a while, doing each other's work so the other could take a break. And he switched to organic milk, which brought in more money than regular. But several years of drought forced him to buy expensive organic hay, and that ended his dairy days. He sold the cows, sold the farm to two young women who plan to raise goats, sold his tractor and retired.

After the movie, I went to the big exposition hall in Paris where they have the Paris Auto Show and the Paris Boat Show and other huge events. This trip was for the annual "Salon de l'Agriculture." This event draws families from all over France, and politicians from all over France. Right there at the edge of Paris all the best cows and pigs and sheep and goats were being shown in a big ring, just like the UP State Fair, while others waited to be admired.

Opinion:

Our local wellness centers are very good

By James A. Surrell, M.D.

We are truly very fortunate here in Newberry and in the surrounding area to have two Helen Newberry Joy Wellness Center facilities. One wellness center is located at the lower level of the Helen Newberry Joy Hospital (HNJH) in Newberry and the other one is located in Curtis. I recently had the opportunity to spend some time at the Newberry facility and I remain very impressed with the professionalism of the staff and the state of the art equipment they have at these wellness centers.

The stated mission of these Helen Newberry Joy Wellness Centers is to provide individuals with state of the art care to help individuals achieve their personal health and fitness goals. They do so by providing care to Newberry, Curtis, and the surrounding areas that are so well served by our Helen Newberry Joy Hospital facility. These wellness Center facilities truly equip many

individuals with the proper and professional advice they need to maintain their health.

The HNJH Total Health & Wellness Centers offer a vast array of membership options, exercise equipment, personal training, fitness appraisals, and body composition testing. Members and visitors have the opportunity to utilize the following state of the art exercise and fitness equipment.

Following is a brief summary list of available exercise equipment at the HNJH facilities: back machines, ellipticals, free weights, leg press, multi-hip machine, NuStep, rowing machine, shoulder press, stair stepper, recumbent bicycles, stationary bicycles, treadmills, tricep/bicep machines, and weight lifting equipment.

Further, the numerous services offered at these wellness center facilities include the following: body composition testing (known as BMI, or Body Mass Index), shower facilities,

free towel service, lockers (at the Newberry location only), and personal training.

There are multiple membership options to use these great state of the art HNJH wellness center facilities. They offer multiple economical options to use these facilities including a regular membership, senior membership, student membership, and active and retired military memberships as well. They also offer daily, monthly, 3, 6, 9, or 12 month, and family membership options.

Of course, you can learn much more about these facilities by paying either of them a visit or by calling HNJH at (906) 293-9182. You can also learn more about membership options at the Helen Newberry Joy website at www.hnjh.org.

In my judgment, you will be impressed with these facilities and the great value they provide for all of us to maintain our good health and wellness.

Letters to the editor

All letters reflect the opinion of the letter writer and not necessarily the opinion of the *Newberry News*.

To the Editor:

It may seem like Congress is divided on every issue these days, but there is one area that they agree on – we must do all we can to make Alzheimer's disease, and all dementia, our priority.

This is an issue that touches the lives of so many people. I was a teenager when my grandmother was buried in the pouring rain. About seven years before she died, she told me that I looked "so familiar". Now I'm preparing for my mother to leave this world. It was about seven years ago when she couldn't remember my name. Alzheimer's is a devastating disease.

Dedicated caregivers would greatly benefit from increased resources and support to help them navigate the strain of caregiving and improve their health and quality of life. The Younger Onset Alzheimer's Act (S.901/H.R. 1903) and the Improving HOPE for Alzheimer's Act (S.880/H.R. 1873) were introduced in Congress this year. Both pieces of legislation have hundreds of co-sponsors from both political parties, including Jack Bergman.

Endorsed by the Alzheimer's Association, the Younger Onset Alzheimer's Act would give these caregivers and their families much needed support by providing more services though the Older Americans Act.

The Improving HOPE for Alzheimer's Act would educate clinicians on Alzheimer's and dementia care planning services. Medicare covers care planning for those with cognitive impairment, but patients and providers are often not aware of this service.

I am thankful that Congressman Bergman sent a clear message of support to our nation's caregivers by signing on as a cosponsor to both pieces of legislation.

I look forward to attending AIM State Advocacy Day in Lansing on April 28. It will be a great opportunity to engage our legislators. Better yet, I have a face-to-face meeting with our State Representative Sara Cambensy in her capital office on April 29!

Sincerely yours,
Lisa Canning
AIM Volunteer Advocate
Newberry

Traveling through time: This week, through the years

By Sterling McGinn

From March 8, 1895
Local and County

Captain Thos. McCormick of Life Saving station No. 11 was a visitor in town Monday.

He came all the way by dog team and had a very pleasant ride. The three dogs carried him at the rate of about eight miles an hour.

He came near losing his way on the plains and thinks the township officials should do something to mark out the road for the convenience of travelers using the road from the Two Heart station.

Knights of the Bosoman' Stane

The Newberry and Soocurling teams had a contest in the Tagona rink, across the river, last Saturday afternoon. Sixteen ends were played.

The Soo team won

by a score of 17 to 14. Members of the teams were: Newberry-Geo. A. Nettleton, Judge Alex Main, S. Nelson and W. Nelson, skip. Soo-Alex McDonald, G. F. VanWyck, Geo. Miller and John Bone, skip.

After the contest the winning team played against the Canadians and were beaten. One member of the home team however did not play. - Soo News.

Seney and Grand Marais

Chas. Duval the popular tonsorialist has placed a new barber chair in his establishment and engaged the services of another barber to help him during the busy season. Chas. is a popular, pleasant man to deal with, has a comfortable, well appointed shop, and is a master of his trade.

From March 12, 1920

Luce County Grasses and Pure Water Make Good Beef and Mutton

The cattle and sheep industry bids fair to become one of the most important factors in the prosperity of Luce County farmers, and the coming season will see more cattle and sheep grazing on Luce county lands than ever before.

More and more people are engaging in the stock raising game, and while the industry is yet in its experimental

stage, there is small doubt but that this is to become one of the great industries of Cloverland.

Luce County farmers have for years been engaged in stock raising in a small way and all are increasing their herds and the flocks.

A number of local men are engaging in the business on a considerable scale. Among these are Messrs. Chas. and Leo Smith and Ed Stark who have leased 8000 acres from the C. I. Co. along the Newberry, McMillan county road where they will graze several hundred head of cattle and sheep.

They have already purchased one carload of sheep and will bring in several hundred head of cattle as soon as the snow leaves the ground in the spring. H.E. Perry will also take a flyer in the sheep game, besides turning out his usual herd of fat cattle in the fall.

Mr. Saxbee, who grazed several hundred head of cattle near McMillan last year is so well pleased with his results that he will bring in an increased number this year. John Corson, the pioneer western sheep man to locate in Luce county will increase his flock this spring.

Mr. Corson brought in 600 sheep last spring. In the fall he shipped a bunch of lambs to Buffalo that topped the market, 335 lambs aver-

aging 80lbs brought \$14.65 per cwt. Twelve culls sold at 13 cents a pound, the average for the total bunch of 482 lambs was 76.1 pounds per head. The gross receipts were \$5,262.83. Freight, yardage, hay insurance and commission amounted to \$417.41 leaving a balance of \$4845.42.

This information is very welcome to those interested in seeing the grazing industry get a hold here. It certainly combats the arguments of certain westerners who do not think this country is very good for grazing. The grass fed lambs seem to hold their own with those of the west. Grazers in Luce County were well satisfied with the season, and the coming year will see more cattle and sheep grazed here than ever before.

From March 5, 1970

Deer Park To Get Phone Service

Munising Telephone Co. has been authorized to establish a telephone service in the Luce County community of Deer Park.

The Michigan Department of Commerce said its Public Service Commission revoked an earlier order which authorized Drummond Island Telephone Co. to serve the community.

Munising Telephone appealed Commission's Feb. 6, 1969, order which had

awarded the area to Drummond Island Telephone. A PSC examiner held hearings on Munising's appeal last summer and fall and the full commission heard oral arguments on Jan. 29.

The Commission, in its new order, said "the public interest will be served best" by revoking its original order and granting Munising Telephone authority to establish telephone service at

Deer Park.

Deer Park is a resort community on the southern shore of Lake Superior. The rural area surrounding Deer Park is sparsely settled and the area has not previously been served or assigned to a specific telephone company. Residents in the area who have telephone service are served on a limited station basis by Michigan Bell Telephone Co.

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News from TAS

March is coming in like a lion. Winter sure wanted us to know that it is still here. Hopefully, by March 31 it is going out like a lamb and warmer weather will be here.

It is a busy week as our girls' basketball team begins district play on Wednesday, March 4 in Rudyard. Lance Bowler and Jacob Gribbell travel to Ford Field for the State Wrestling Finals. Boys' Basketball finishes up their regular season. High school Robotics Club is traveling to Kingsford for their first robotics competition this year.

Students of the French Trucking Hockey Team will be traveling to Kalamazoo to defend their state title. Lastly, Newberry is hosting a powerlifting event Saturday, March 7. We wish everyone the best!

Congratulations to Jared Wallace and Lucy Seitz for being crowned king and queen of the 2020 Winter Homecoming. The pep assembly was rescheduled for Wednesday, March 4 at 2:00 p.m. This will be a great time to cheer on all athletes that will be leaving for competition over the next few days.

Tuesday, March 10, 2020 T.A.S. will have their annual Operational Millage on the ballot. The district is saving thousands of dollars by having this election with the state election. **This is not an increase. It is a renewal ONLY.** We are asking for the same 18 mils as we have each year. This operational millage which is used for operational costs of the district.

Reading month has begun for grades K-6. A monthly calendar was sent home for fun activities to do each day. Students who return the calendar signed will be entered in a drawing. Our theme is Olympics.

Please remember to spring forward with your clocks next weekend. This is another sign of spring. **GO INDIANS!!!**

We are always seeking substitute teachers and bus drivers. If you are interested, please contact the school at 293-3226. - Stacy Price

Wednesday

- HS Robotics – 3:00-6:00 p.m.
- 7-12 Weightlifting – 3:00-4:15 p.m.
- United Way Event – 4:00-6:00 p.m.
- District play for Girls' BB at Rudyard

Thursday

- HS Robotics - 3:00-6:00 p.m.
- 7-12 weightlifting – 3:00-4:15 p.m.
- Reading Buddies - 2:50-3:50, Room 111
- JV/V Boys' BB vs. Engadine - 5:45 p.m.

Friday

- Half Day - Dismissal at 11:40 a.m. - sack lunch provided
- HS Robotics - 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Saturday

- Powerlifting – 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Upcoming Dates:

- Grades K-5 - Parents Invited to Lunch - Thursday, March 12 - more information coming
- Parent/Teacher Conferences - Thursday, March 12 - 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.
- Spring Break - March 30 - April 3
- No School Friday, April 10 - Good Friday
- Graduation - Friday, May 22 at 7:00 p.m.



Toni Depew

This "Money Tree" full of over \$800 in gift certificates will be raffled off tomorrow, Thursday, March 5 during the NHS boys' basketball game. Tickets will be on sale all day Thursday at Newberry Motors and during the game (PayPal also available) from Toni Depew or Wendy Morrison Sanders. All proceeds benefit the TAS Band.



Caitlynn Canfield

Newberry High School 2020 homecoming queen candidates: Laney Puckett, Julia Sietz, Gracie Obey, Carlee Curinth, Lucy Sietz, and Harley Kroll.

Tahquamenon Area Schools

7th-12th grades – 1st semester honor roll

7th grade: Damichia Foster, Alonna Loubert, Jude Taylor, **Honors.** Alazayah Bennett-Lee, Connor Carlson, William Dunbar, Nevaeh Mills, Sebastian Patterson, Ethan Pavey, Allie Whalen, **High Honors.** Amos Babin, Ethan Edwards, Aleesia Garrett, Sophia Johnson, Evan Lustila, Brenna Maxson, Spencer Neeb, Matthew Rahilly, Samuel Rahilly, Addison Schroeder, Amelia Shanley, **Highest Honors.**

8th grade: Ariana Hardy, Emma Miller, Liam Nalette, Natasha Robinson, Ethan Stilson, **Honors.** Camden Labadie, Patricia Littlejohn, Olivia Scheffer, **High Honors.** Kaylen Clark, Liam Rao, highest honors.

9th grade: Hailey Boulton, Derek Bowler, Calder Christiansen, Lucas Davidson, Ryan Huffman, Alexandria Leech, Nicholas Marks, **Honors.** Lola Depew, Emma Kellogg, Kortney Skidmore, **High Honors.** Mackenzie Dunbar, Lorin Lewicki, Rayne Palmer, Samuel Sevarns, **Highest Honors.**

10th grade: Parker Bosel, Jacob Brown, Devan Cameron, Margot Hendricks, Kamen Honeysette, Kayla Savola, Jalen Taylor, Annalise Wynn, Bailey Zellar,

Honors. Kraig Bodi, Caitlynn Canfield, April James, John Nutkins, LaTonya Resse, Nathan Seitz, Liam Shanley, Jorja Suriano, **High Honors.** Elizabeth Maki, Priya Rao, Collin Wallace, **Highest Honors.**

11th grade: Joshua Gielecki, Josephine Hendricks, Kyleigh Huntoon, Pamela Miller, Taylor Pavey, Annette Pedrin, Kaitlyn Rahilly, **Honors.** Logan Depew, Jennifer Dzelak, Morgan Fischer, Joshua Magnusson, Amy Smart, **High Honors.** Hayley Davidson, Ephram Evans, Nicholas Manty, Perry Mesloh, Claire Neeb, Hana Parker, Brenna Pavey, Abigail Smithson, Sophia Smithson, **Highest Honors.**

12th grade: Steven Brown, Seth Huff-

man, Kilian Maki, Samuel Massey, Grace Obey, Heather Patrick, Tristin Skidmore,

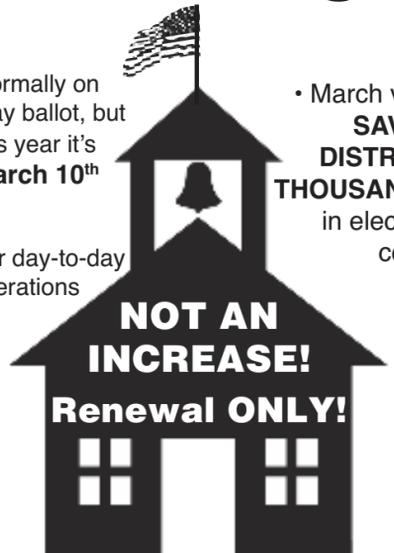
Honors- 3.0-3.49 GPA, **High Honors-** 3.5-3.79 GPA, **Highest Honors-** 3.8-4.0 GPA.

Jordan Thorp, **Honors.** Loren Fountain, Jayci Gilbert, Katelynn Harrison, Jack Hetrick, Erin Holland, Maken Labadie, Brett Miller, Megan Nalette, Olivia price, Laney Puckett, **High Honors.** Carlee Corinth, Michenzie Davis, Elena Edwards, Madison Garrett, Luke Jordan, Harley Kroll, Julia Seitz, Lucy Seitz, Jared Wallace, Makayla Wolf, **Highest Honors.**


Luce County Pet Pals thanks Jennifer Dzelak for having her birthday party in support of the animals.

TAS Millage

- Normally on May ballot, but this year it's **March 10th**
- For day-to-day operations



- March vote **SAVES DISTRICT THOUSANDS** in election costs

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Chippewa-Luce-Mackinac Community Action Agency's Newberry Head Start and Early Head Start programs are accepting applications for the 2020-2021 school year.

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An OPEN HOUSE
will be held on
Tuesday, March 10th
from 4:00 pm until 6:00 pm at the
Newberry Head Start Center
located at 207 Newberry Avenue.



Please bring with you the following documents: Your child's birth certificate, immunization record, and your family's proof of income for the last 12 months, such as a recent federal tax return, W-2, Social Security or Cash Assistance.

For additional information call the Newberry Center at 293-8032 or call the CLM Community Action Agency toll free at 1-800-562-4963.

KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

- Tahquamenon Area Schools

The annual Kindergarten Round-Up for Tahquamenon Area Schools will be held **Tuesday, March 17th and Wednesday, March 18th, 2020**, at the Newberry Area School. Children who will be five years old on or before September 1, 2020 are eligible to register. Classroom placement will be made based on the final evaluation, which is compiled through our screening process. We will also have someone here for hearing and vision testing. **YOUR CHILD MUST ACCOMPANY YOU!** This process will take approximately 30 minutes per child.

Essential information required for registration includes:

1. Current immunization records
2. Official State birth certificate
3. 2 Proofs of Residency

Appointments for testing each child are necessary, so please call Sarah Pleiman at 293-3226. Ext. 1112 to schedule your child. Appointment times are 3:15-6:00 P.M. on Tuesday, March 17th and 4:30-7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, March 18th.

Three Lakes Academy Student of the Week: Matthew Robinson

Three Lakes Academy kindergartener Matthew Robinson was student of the week last week. Matthew, who prefers to be called "Junior," says his favorite sport is hockey because he loves playing it. He likes to eat hot dogs, pizza, oatmeal, McDonald's, and corn-dogs. His favorite things to do in his free time is spend time with his family, go camping, ride his bike, and play outside. If he had a million dollars, Matthew says he would buy a big truck.



From the Eagles' nest Engadine superintendent report

Let me start by thanking our custodial staff on their outstanding work sanitizing our building! Their efforts in protecting the students, staff, and community from illness are greatly appreciated. A reminder, the building will be closed through Sunday. This means open gym will be cancelled on March 1st.

I hope everyone is feeling well, rested, and energized to begin the new month on Monday. This week sees the culmination of our athletes' hard work as our teams begin District competition. Please see below for more details!

- Josh Reed

Athletic Milestones –

Congratulations to Sophia Vaughn who made her 1,000th point tonight against Newberry!!

Wednesday, March 4

- ECS Foundation Meeting 6:00pm
- Varsity Girls Bball Vs. Brimley (Districts) 7:00pm

Thursday, March 5

- PTO Meeting 5:30
- JV/V Boys at Newberry 5:45

Friday, March 6

- Varsity Girls Bball District Tournament at Rudyard 7:00pm

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Engadine Consolidated Schools 7th–12th grades – 1st semester honor roll

7th grade

Hali Butkovich
Courtney Byrns
Abigail Denney
Eden Freed
Gregory Fisher
Danielle Gehrke
Eli Germain
Cole Miller
Claire Oven
Michael Stephenson

8th grade

MaKayla Avery
Lilia Bigelow
Annie Carroll
Clara Gould
Korahlin Hopper
Leland Jordan
Allyson Loebach
Persson Mckeage
Aaliyah Nelson
Emma Ross
Makenna Schaap

Abigail Steffy

9th grade

Molly Burton
Kelsey Butkovich
Gracey Freed
Leah French
Luke Germain
Jack Gribbell
Zoey Hasenjager
Zachary Hoadley
Lauren King
Gracie Koerner
Mikka Luoto
Jesse Simon
Conrad Spieles
Bryce Zdebski

10th grade

Hana Belonga
Cora Bufford
Brianna Caswell
Drew French
Sophia Gustafson

Kathleen Krenek
Imani Miller
Asher Nelson
Travis O'Neil
Salem Pettey
Zoey Sowers
Haiden Vowell
Skyler White
Kaley Yerden

11th grade

Rodney Bigelow II
Camille Crandall
Elizabeth Derkatch
Alyssa Feneley
Wyatt Flatt
Caitlynn Gehrett
Anna Gouza
Dustin Hanselman
Lorissa Nance
Nicholas Nance
Kiela Neuenfelt
Kearra Paquin
Pedro Pardo

Austin Ruperd
Trinity Sapp
Corinne Vallier

12th grade

Steven Burton
Emma Butkovich
Rebecca Cameron
Shauna Chaffin
Mary Jane Cobe
Avery Dailey
Hunter Dennis
Haley Goodin
Anna Haney
Khloe Hopper
Alicia King
Isabella Kopsi
Andrew Legault
Breanna Martis
Ian McArthur
Hunter Sapp
Mirissa Sherwood
Sophia Vaughn
Michal Vigas

Whitefish Township Schools Wacky Games



Chippewa – Luce – Mackinac
community Action
Senior Lunch Menu
Newberry

Friday, March 6
BINGO
Baked Fish, Wild Rice
Green Beans, Fruit

Monday, March 9
Pasties
Beets
Coleslaw
Pudding

Wednesday, March 11
Corned Beef & Cabbage
Boiled Potatoes & Carrots
Dessert

All meals are served at 12:00 noon and include bread and milk. Donations are suggested, but not required. Discounted donations suggested for seniors 60+ years of age. This monthly menu may change due to circumstances out of our control.

The Newberry Senior Nutrition Center is located in the CLMCAA building, 207 Newberry Ave., 293-5621.

Chippewa – Luce – Mackinac
community Action
Senior Lunch Menu
Engadine

Thursday, March 5
Ham & Swiss Sandwich
Cottage Cheese
Broccoli & Cauliflower
Salad
Pudding

Tuesday, March 10
Closed for Voting
Meals resume Wednesday

Wednesday, March 11
Pizza
Tossed Salad
w/Tomato
Apricots

All meals are served at 12:00 noon and include bread and milk. Donations are suggested, but not required. Discounted donations suggested for seniors 60+ years of age. This monthly menu may change due to circumstances out of our control.

The Engadine lunches are served at the Garfield Township Hall, N6760 M-117. 906-477-6481

Chippewa – Luce – Mackinac
community Action
Senior Lunch Menu
Curtis

Thursday, March 5
Baked Fish
Wild Rice
Green Beans
Fruit

Monday, March 9
Pasties
Beets
Coleslaw
Pudding

Tuesday, March 10
Center Closed
Go Vote!
Meals resume Thursday

All meals are served at 12:00 noon and include bread and milk. Donations are suggested, but not required. Discounted donations suggested for seniors 60+ years of age. This monthly menu may change due to circumstances out of our control.

The Curtis meals are served at the Portage Township Hall, W17361 Davis St. 906-586-9411

Chippewa – Luce – Mackinac
community Action
Senior Lunch Menu
Paradise

Thursday, March 5
Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Green Beans
Tossed Salad, Oranges

Monday, March 9
Salmon Patty
Wild Rice, Fruit
Peas & Carrots

Tuesday, March 10
Center Closed for Voting

Wednesday, March 11
Baked Chicken
Oven Wedges
Coleslaw, Brownies

All meals are served at 12:00 noon and include bread and milk. Donations are suggested, but not required. Discounted donations suggested for seniors 60+ years of age. This monthly menu may change due to circumstances out of our control.

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CARDBOARD CLASSIC

The annual Cardboard Classic competition was held Saturday, February 22 at Big Valley Ski Hill. The sun was shining, track was fast, and crashes were often as the 12 participants competed for prizes.

The Tahquamenon Area Snowmobile Association groomed the hill in preparation for the event. Subway, McDonald's and Moose du Nord made donations for prizes.

Photos courtesy of Luce County Parks & Recreation



Above: Aho brothers Nolan (left) and Parker (right) face off on the slope. Below: George Ducsay gets a push down the hill.



Above: Youth Division winners: 1st place (three-way tie) – Nolan Aho, Duane Mortensen and Owen Davis; 2nd place – Parker Aho. Below: Owen Davis in the #3 Racecar (right) faces off against Duane Mortensen in the tank (left).



Above: Jacob Bowler, Owen Davis, Carl Bowler and Kimberly Davis earned the "Most People in One Sled" competition.

Below: Parker Aho was this year's youngest competitor at just 4 years old.

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Above: Adult division winners: 1st place – Jacob Bowler, 2nd place (four-way tie) – Brittney Kimbler, Hudson Chippewa, Janet Richard and Leland Jordan. Not pictured: 3rd place – Damon Palmer.

Below: Nolan Aho shows off his haul after tying for first place in the youth division.



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Sophia Vaughn was always going to be a star

By Dan Hardenbrook

I vividly remember when I knew Engadine Senior Sophia Vaughn was going to be a star. It was long before she scored 1,000 points. Long before the devastating injury that could have cost her career.

This was just another Wednesday night in Western Mackinac County. Nestled in the middle of nowhere, the Vaughn house was humming with activity. A game was on. Dinner was almost done. Ty Vaughn, Sophia's dad, and I are in the basement. As Ty runs me through one of his famous workouts, our conversation shifts to the one person we couldn't see, but certainly could hear. "That girl loves the game doesn't she?" I ask. Ty tells me exactly what he thinks, and now it's something we all know. "She's got the drive, man! She's gonna be a good one."

It starts slow and methodical. Sophia, then in middle school is dribbling a ball throughout the house. It starts in the bedroom, then makes its way above us in the kitchen. Her head shyly pokes in the door at the top of the stairs. Thump Thump Thump...all the way down the stairs. Most parents would be livid, but this is the Vaughn house. Work ethic is number one. "Keep Going. You're doing good," says dad. She sneaks back upstairs and I just shake my head. "That girl's got it for sure," I say.

I've covered thousands of games in my career. Seen hundreds of athletes. Very few are as fierce and determined as the Vaughn girls. Olivia, now in college, led Engadine to the State Semifinals her senior year. She racked up UP Dream Team and AP All State honors. She was the UPSSA Class D Player of the Year. She scored over 1,000 points in her career. Then she passed the torch to her younger sister.

Sophia was a freshman during that magical season. When Olivia graduated, it was widely assumed that younger sis would be the next great Lady Eagle. But the road was nowhere near easy. That's where that

killer instinct came in.

It was early in Sophia's second year when she was transitioning to a sophomore star. The Lady Eagles were in a war with the Newberry Lady Indians. But the bad thing about war is there's always a casualty. There was a twist, a bend, and then the crash. Then the yell. As quickly as Sophia rose through the ranks, she went down, and she didn't get back up. The doctors confirmed the worst: Engadine's shining star tore her ACL.

Vaughn would miss all of that season and most of her junior year as well. When she finally came back, Engadine was winless. Looking for answers, and looking for a leader. Sophia ferociously fought her way back. She worked every day and night. While the games went on and the lights continued to shine, she sat in the quiet. While others played, she grinded. Never quit, never felt sorry for herself.

Within two weeks of her return, the Lady Eagles won their first game of the season. She soon got back into game shape, and then they upset Rudyard in the districts. The 1-19 Lady Eagles beat the tournament favorites at home. Now, almost a year later, they are 13-6. This year they are the favorite. Look no further than the leading scorer.

With her 24 point performance Tuesday night against Newberry, she came full circle. Senior Night, at home, against the rivals from the north. Dad sitting in the second row, then standing courtside as she got closer. There was the drive, the flip of the ball, then bank and roll. There were cheers. 1,000 career points. A milestone that only 6 other girls, including her older sister had reached. Then came the fist pump and the point to her old man.

We all just saw what he knew all along: Sophia Vaughn is a star.

To the kid constantly dribbling the ball around the house, always providing the soundtrack to my workout. Congratulations, Kid. You truly deserve it. I personally, couldn't be happier for you!



Caitlynn Canfield

NHS cheerleader Ryan Metzler performs a stunt at last week's homecoming game.

NHS and EHS girls prepare for districts

By Dan Hardenbrook

The 2020 MHSAA Tournament is underway for girls basketball teams around the state. While every team makes the field, only a few will make the magical run that will end at the Breslin Center in East Lansing. Locally, all eyes will be on the two teams that could possibly take on each other in the district finals.

Newberry and Engadine will both be a part of the four team field in Division 4 District 101. The MHSAA seeded the top two teams in each district for the first time this year. Rudyard earned the top seed in the bracket, and Brimley is num-

ber two. The other two teams were placed alphabetically from top to bottom in the bracket. That means Newberry hits the road to take on Rudyard tonight, but in a bizarre twist, despite being the higher seed, Brimley must beat Engadine at home to reach the district final.

Newberry and Rudyard have had a growing rivalry in recent years. The Lady Bulldogs beat the Lady Indians in both regular season showdowns, but the Lady Indians are the defending District Champions. Rudyard may be the one seed, but they are barely .500 on the season and were beat as the favorites last year. Newberry at Rudyard

takes place tonight with the tipoff at 6:30 p.m.

In Engadine, the Lady Eagles have earned the district's best record, but a slow start to the season and a weaker non-conference schedule took them out of the top two seeds. The Lady Eagles earned a huge win against the Bays two weeks ago, and hope to do it again in the semifinals. The battle between Brimley and Engadine is also tonight, starting at 6:30 p.m.

The two winners of tonight's contests will face off Friday night in the district championship. The winner advances to the MHSAA Regional rounds on March 10 and 12.

French Trucking beats the best

By Dan Hardenbrook

The TAYHA French Trucking hockey team took on the best Bantam teams in Wisconsin last weekend in the 2020 "Battle of the Blades" Bantam Tournament in Appleton. The tournament, with top teams from as far away as Chicago, was the final tune-up before this weekend's MAHA 14U B State Tournament in Kalamazoo. French Trucking played up a division, facing A-level travel teams. French Trucking is a B-level house team.

French Trucking came out on fire Friday night, knocking off the Northern Express, a travel team from Chicago that charges



Beth Rahilly

Blake Walther, Cameron Skeans, Carter Miller, Matthew Rahilly, Carter Deatsman, Austin Hinkson.

players up to \$4,300 for registration. French Trucking took the win 6-3. Manistique's Carsyn Hinkson led the way with a hat trick.

Saturday afternoon saw the Truckers take their sec-

ond win with a strong outing against Sheboygan. Carter Miller had four goals in the game to lead the way in a 7-4 win.

French Trucking found their toughest opponent in the Wausau Warjacks on

Saturday night. The game started after 11 p.m. Eastern; so late that the arena lights, which are on an automatic timer, went out late in the game.

It must have been sign: Wausau took the win at 4-2. But French Trucking came out strong again Sunday morning. They found their form, heading to the finals with a 3-0 win over the host Fox Valley Blades. Noble earned a shutout with 24 saves.

The Elmbrook Eagles also advanced to the finals, shocking the Warjacks in the second semifinal 7-2. The back-and-forth championship match went French Trucking's way: they took the Blades of Steel title with a hard-fought 4-3 win.

Newberry News Games of the Week

A big boys basketball rivalry wraps up the regular season, and the first of two straight State Championship weekends on the ice highlight this week's Newberry News Games of the Week.

Engadine and Newberry will battle Thursday night in Newberry in what will be the final game of the regular season for both teams. Engadine has overcome a slow start and looks to be peaking at tournament time, while Newberry would love to end a rough regular season with a win over their biggest rivals on Senior Night.

Details:
Thursday, March 5
JV: 5:45 p.m.
Varsity: 7:15 p.m.
Coverage on M123FM.com

The French Trucking 14U Bantams head to Kalamazoo for the Michigan Amateur Hockey Association's 14U B State Tournament. They intend to defend their title and bring home their second straight State Championship. There is plenty of pedigree with this group, including returning champs from last year,

and newcomers who moved up from the Pee Wee State Title team.

Details:
Friday, March 6
vs. Big Rapids 4:15 p.m.
Saturday, March 7
vs. Hawk Purple 8:15 a.m.
vs. Troy 5:50 p.m.
Sunday, March 8
Semifinals 9:45 a.m.
Championship 3:30 p.m.
Coverage on M-123FM.com and the M123FM.com Facebook page.

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Newberry Youth Wrestling results

Newberry Youth Wrestling brought 15 wrestlers to compete in Westwood on Saturday. They competed with approximately 200 wrestlers from across the UP.

In the first round, Quentin Bliss, Bianca Briggs (pin), Cayelynn Briggs (pin), Seth Butkovich (pin), Tucker Lesatz, Archer Nelson, and Hayden O'Neil, all reported wins.

In the second round of action, B. Briggs (pin), C. Briggs (pin), S. Butkovich, T. Lesatz, Lucas Nalette (pin), A. Nelson, Sheyenne Nelson (pin), and H. O'Neil (pin) were all victorious.

In the third round, Delaney Bliss, Q. Bliss, B. Briggs (pin), Isaac Fisher, T. Lesatz (pin), H. O'Neil, Brian Phillips (pin), and Matthew Robinson, all won their matches.

How they finished:
1st place: Bianca Briggs, Tucker Lesatz, Hayden O'Neil

2nd place: Quentin Bliss, Cayelynn Briggs, Seth Butkovich, Archer Nelson

3rd place: Delaney Bliss, Isaac Fisher, Lucas Nalette, Sheyenne Nelson, Brian: Phillips, Matthew Robinson

4th place: D.J. Phillips, Zoey Phillips.



Katie Bliss

Back row left to right: DJ Phillips, Archer Nelson, Hayden O'Neil, Brian Phillips, Seth Butkovich (shoulders), Tucker Lesatz, Quentin Bliss, Cayelynn Briggs (shoulders), Bianca Briggs, Delaney Bliss (shoulders), and Lucas Nelette.

Front row: Isaac Fisher, Matthew Robinson, Owen Davis, Sheyenne Nelson, Michael Bliss, and Zoey Phillips.

Cover to Cover: Bunnicaula By Deborah and James Howe

By Dion Mindykowski,

Tahquamenon Area Library Assistant, Linda Maki-Griffis recently came up with the idea of doing a children's area display featuring books that the library staff read as kids.

This is a very interesting idea, as it will give young readers a chance to see a little bit of what we were like when we were their age. Though that was a long time ago, it didn't take long for me to remember a few of the books that I was obsessed with, reading over and over.

From time to time, I would like to focus this column on children's books and revisiting one of these books I loved as a kid seems fitting for that. So, a couple weeks ago, I downloaded the audiobook of *Bunnicaula* by Deborah and James Howe from our Overdrive service

and read it while I snowshoed.

I had a lot of interests as a kid, but evidently, I enjoyed mysteries with talking dogs. No, *Bunnicaula*, isn't a *Scooby Doo* book, but it's definitely something that fans of that cartoon canine sleuth would enjoy. *Scooby Doo* was one of my favorite cartoons, so it makes sense that I also read mysteries with talking dogs.

Since a lot of elementary students at the Tahquamenon Area Library check out our books featuring that canine sleuth, his popularity seems as strong as ever.

Another popular genre among the young readers in our library is horror. The *Michigan & American Chiller* books are always circulating, as are the R.L. Stine books.

While *Bunnicaula* qualifies

as a mystery, it is also a horror book. The nice thing about it is that it isn't too scary for young readers. As you can probably guess by the title, *Bunnicaula*, a combination of bunny and Dracula, is a book about a vampire. However, no human is ever at risk from this creature of the night, nor are the other animals in the house. Vegetables though, should probably fear greatly.

Both our younger and older readers love series books. If you really enjoy a particular book, or characters in that book, it's exciting to find out that those adventures continue in more reading material. Luckily, for those that end up liking *Bunnicaula*, there are 12 other books between two series featuring that vampire rabbit and his talking animal companions.

Read all about it...

By Dion Mindykowski,
Tahquamenon Area Library Director

This past week, I attended a session of the Small & Rural Leadership Academy in Coopersville, Michigan. This training is created by the University of Michigan, in collaboration with the Library of Michigan. It is meant to give library directors the tools to excel at their job, despite not having all of the typical resources of a larger library with a bigger budget. It is a competitive program and all costs are covered through a LSTA grant. My application was accepted and I have been very fortunate to be part of the first class to work through this training.

This session featured a segment on library renovations and the best use of

space. I learned some important strategies and was inspired to think about the future of our library. One of the major concerns we always have is how to accommodate our collection of books, music, and movies. Each year, our collection grows to meet the demand of our community, and to keep things current and relevant for all audiences. With that growth, we do run out of shelving space. In a previous *Read All About It* column, I talked about one strategy to address this problem, which is weeding, but removing outdated information is only one way to manage that growth. Another way is to add more shelving. We have done this over the last 10 years, but always need to get creative. As I was shown presenta-



Dion Mindykowski

tions that included different ways libraries utilized their space, I was already drawing up plans in my head about ways to accommodate more shelving, without sacrificing our study or program space.

Of course, with things like additional shelving comes change and not everyone is a fan of change. This subject was also covered in the training. I thought back to a few of the changes I made at the Tahquamenon Area Library. One of those was the movement of the comfortable reading chairs from the center of a library to the Northeast corner. Some of you probably remember this change. At first it wasn't the most popular idea because they were moved away from the natural light of the big windows. What was achieved, however, was creating a quieter space for reading and reflection. Imagine, sitting down to read a book, or newspaper, or magazine and suddenly being surrounded by 30+ middle school students on a class visit. Even if they're talking in quiet voices, when multiplied by 30 or more, it can be quite distracting. This was frequently the case, as the comfortable chairs were in the middle of the Young Adult shelves. In order to best manage class visits and the public needs for a quieter, more private space, the change was made. Despite the initial opposition to it, I haven't had anyone ask to go back to when they were trying to read in that sometimes chaotic setting. While we don't have immediate plans to add more shelving, it is almost guaranteed this change will come in the near future. When that change does occur, our friendly library staff will be ready to help you find exactly what you're looking for until you're used to the new setup.

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**State of Michigan
Probate Court
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Notice to Creditors
Decedent's Estate**
File No. 2020-3956-DE
Estate of Robert Lee Mitchell
Date of birth: July 27, 1933

Notice to Creditors:
The decedent, Robert Lee Mitchell, died October 1, 2019.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Sandra Mitchell, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 407 W. Harrie St., Newberry, MI 49868 and the personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date March 4, 2020

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The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of the sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information.

The foreclosure sale is

pursuant to the terms and conditions of a Mortgage made by APPLE GROVE PROPERTIES, INC., a Nevada Corporation, Mortgagee, to First National Bank of America, Mortgagee, dated March 8, 2006, and recorded March 13, 2006, in Liber 153, Page 289, of Luce County Records, Michigan, which mortgage has been assigned by mesne assignments to Rose Acceptance, Inc., Mortgagee Assignee, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this notice \$44,551.13, including interest at 11.0% per annum.

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Dated: February 26, 2020

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McMILLAN TWP BOARD

Regular Meeting Minutes February 24, 2020

The regular meeting of the McMillan Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Schultz at 4:30 p.m.

Present were: Schultz, Villemure, Rahilly, Nutkins Medelis and Eric Gravelle.

Motion by Rahilly, supported by Nutkins to approve the bills. Those being GENERAL checks 7538-7578 totaling \$54,543.17.

Ayes-All, Motion carried. Motion by Villemure, supported by Nutkins to accept the Treasurers report. Ayes-All. Motion Carried.

Motion by Rahilly, supported by Nutkins to adjourn. Ayes-All, Motion carried.

These minutes are unofficial until approved at a future meeting.

Mackinac County Sheriff's Office Weekly Activity Report

For the week of 2-23-20 through 2-29-20 the following activity was reported by the Mackinac County Sheriff's Office:



- Deputies responded to 3 crashes, 2 involving car vs. deer.
- Deputies provided 4 agencies assist involving EMS, SIPD and MSP.
- Deputies conducted 1 wellbeing check.
- Deputies investigated 1 larceny of fuel complaint, 2 suspicious situations, 1 involving a suspicious vehicle.
- 8 subjects were booked into the Mackinac County Jail: 6 Males and 2 females. 2 were warrant arrests.

VILLAGE COUNCIL VACANCY

The Village of Newberry is seeking to fill a Village Council Trustee position. Individuals must live in the village. Interested candidates should submit a completed pre-appointment questionnaire (available from the VON office or www.villageofnewberrymi.com) to the attention of Village President, Lori A. Stokes at 302 E. McMillan Ave, Newberry, MI 49868 or email to villagepresident@newberrymi.gov. Submissions will be accepted until 5:00pm Wednesday, March 11, 2020.

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Notice: There will be no 92nd District Court this week.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC ACCURACY TESTING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: There will be a public test of the electronic voting equipment to be used in the March 10, 2020 Presidential Primary Election. This test will be conducted on Thursday, March 5, 2020 at 10:00 A.M. in the basement of the McMillan Township Community Building at 405 Newberry Avenue, Newberry, Michigan. This test is open to all interested parties.

Joseph Villemure
McMillan Township Clerk

PENTLAND TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

will meet with taxpayers
Monday, March 9, 2020 from 3:00 to 9:00pm and
Tuesday, March 10, 2020 from 9:00am to 3:00pm
at the Pentland Township Hall on M-28.

Janet Maki (MAAO, PPE)
Supervisor & Assessor
Pentland Township

Pentland Township Notice of Public Accuracy Test of Voting Equipment

To the qualified electors of Pentland Township, Luce County, State of Michigan: Notice is hereby given that a Public Accuracy Test for the electronic equipment that will be used in Precinct One for the Presidential Primary of March 10, 2020 is scheduled for Thursday, March 5, 2020 at 1:00 pm at the Pentland Township Hall, located at 15474 M-28, Newberry, MI 49868.

The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to demonstrate that the computer programming used to tabulate the votes cast at the election meets the requirements of Michigan election law.

Greg Rathje, Pentland Township Clerk

LAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP MARCH BOARD OF REVIEW 2020

- Organizational Meeting March 3, 2020 at 5pm
- Thursday, March 12, 3pm to 9pm and
- Friday, March 13, 9am to 3pm

The Board of Review will meet at the
Lakefield Township Hall
26344 Co. Rd. 98
(906) 586-6971

Thomas Kitzman, Assessor

NOTICE SENEY TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING MEETING

The Seney Township Board will hold a Public Budget Hearing on the proposed Township Budget for fiscal year 2020-2021 at the Seney Township Hall at 1578 Railroad Street on Monday, March 16th, 2020 at 7:00 pm. The Regular monthly meeting of the Township Board will immediately follow the hearing.

The Property Tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public inspection after Monday, March 9th, 2020 by calling Janice Bonifield, Seney Township Clerk at (906) 499-3394 to arrange a time for inspection.

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR RESIDENTS USING VILLAGE GARBAGE SERVICES:

Village of Newberry Public Notice: Effective Wednesday, April 1, 2020, the cost of unstickered garbage removal will increase from \$3.00 per bag to \$5.00 per bag. The Village of Newberry encourages all garbage customers to utilize garbage stickers which can be purchased for \$1.50 at the Village of Newberry office or at any of the three financial institutions in town.

PORTAGE TOWNSHIP PROPERTY OWNERS BOARD OF REVIEW

2020 Public Board of Review dates are as follows:

- Monday, March 9, 2020 from 9 a.m.-3p.m.
- Thursday, March 12, 2020 from 3 p.m.-9 p.m.

These meetings will be held in the Portage Twp. Office at W17361 Davis St., Curtis.

PH (906) 586-9522 • portageassessor@att.net
The organizational meeting for the Board of Review will be held: **Tuesday, March 3, 2020 at 9 a.m.**

Paula Fillman, Assessor
906-586-9522x5,
portageassessor@att.net

CLASSIFIED AD DEADLINE:
MONDAY 4:00 PM

DISPLAY AD DEADLINE:
FRIDAY 5:00 PM

PUBLIC NOTICE

GRAYMONT COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND
2020 APPLICATION PERIOD OPEN

Proposals accepted through May 15, 2020

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) approved a land transaction request from Graymont through direct purchase and exchange in March of 2015. As part of the land transaction Graymont agreed to establish a Community Development Fund. The Community and Economic Development Fund was established in cooperation with organizations in the Eastern Upper Peninsula of Michigan to provide opportunities for enhanced economic growth and support for regional initiatives and projects which can benefit those living and working in the communities in and around the State Land by providing funding to organizations for small business support, assistance for schools and educators, human services, road and infrastructure improvements, conservation and the enhancement of recreational opportunities, health and wellness.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND FORMS CAN BE FOUND AT:
<https://www.lssu.edu/business-engagement-center/graymont-community-economic-development-fund/>

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER 5PM EDT MAY 15, 2020
WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

ATTENTION PROPERTY OWNERS OF SENEY TOWNSHIP

Please take notice that the Seney Township Board of Review will meet on the following days:

Wednesday, March 11th, 2020 from 9am to 3pm
and

Thursday, March 12th, 2020 from 3pm to 9pm
at the Seney Township Hall at 1576 Railroad St., Seney, MI

Property owners wishing to protest their property assessment may protest to the Board of Review on the above dates. If you are not able to attend a letter of protest can be mailed to the Seney Township Supervisor, Marc Schooley, at P.O. Box 116, Seney, MI 49883 or to the Assessor, Janet Maki, at 6402 County Road 457, Newberry, MI 49868. Mail must be received before the last date of Board of Review.

CLASSIFIEDS

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CLASSIFIED DEADLINE MONDAY BY 4:00 P.M.



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RAHILLY'S IGA is accepting applications for positions in the deli, bakery, and cashiers. Benefits include paid holidays, vacations and retirement plan. Pick up applications at the service counter. 3/4TFC860

HELP WANTED: Local retail store looking for full-time employee. Previous retail experience a plus, but not required. Please send resume to or drop off at Newberry News office, nbynews@jamadots.com. P880

CUSTODIAL POSITIONS AT TAHQUAMENON AREA SCHOOLS (thru EDUStaff): Part-time and full-time positions available, \$10.50 - \$11.00 per hour. Responsibilities include cleaning, lifting and operating small machinery. Applications available on Tahquamenon Area Schools website: taschools.org (Quick Links, Employment Opportunities) or by stopping in Central Office. Applications may be emailed to jane@taschools.org, dropped off in the Central Office, or mailed to TAS - 700 Newberry Avenue - Newberry, MI. 49868, Attn: Jane Freeborn. 2/26-3/11C5160

SEASONAL MUSEUM JOBS AVAILABLE at Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum, Whitefish Point, Michigan. Seeking retail sales, custodial/maintenance, housekeeping, marine operations, and tour guide personnel. Competitive wages and flexible schedules, full or part time. Please contact Bruce Lynn, Executive Director, at 906-635-1742, or blynn@shipwreckmuseum.com 2/12-4/29C13920



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LOST & FOUND: A free service to help reunite lost items with their owners. Contact the *Newberry News*, 316 Newberry Ave, 293-8401, nbynews@jamadots.com.

Luce County Sheriff Log

February 24 – March 1

February 24 – Domestic violence, W. Harrie St., Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

February 24 – Aggravated assault, Railroad St., Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

February 24 – No insurance, E. Avenue A, Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

February 25 – Minor in possession of vapor pens, E. John St., Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

February 27 – Property damage accident – one vehicle, M-28, Pentland Township. Investigated, report taken.

February 27 – No Insurance, M-28, Columbus Township. Investigated, report taken.

February 28 – Driving while license suspended – third offense, M-28, Columbus Township. Investigated, report taken.

February 28 – Property damage accident – one car, M-28, Pentland Township. Investigated, report taken.

February 28 – Intimidation, CR 403, Pentland Township. Investigated, report taken.

February 29 – No insurance, M-123, Pentland Township. Investigated, report taken.

March 1 – Animal at large/abuse, E. Truman Blvd, Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

March 1 – False alarm, W. Helen St., Newberry. Investigated, report taken.

Motorist Assists: 0
Property inspections: 46
Liquor inspections: 14
Assist Other Agencies: 5
Assist Own Agency: 2
Investigative arrests: 9
OWI Arrests: 0
Concealed Pistol License Fingerprints Taken: 0
Process Servings conducted: 5
Hours Patrolled: 82
Miles Patrolled: 1419
Complaints taken: 12

Bookings (people logged into jail):
 February 24 – 26-year-old male, Domestic violence
 February 24 – 18-year-old male, Probation violation
 February 24 – 22-year-old male, Aggravated assault
 February 25 – 63-year-old male, Domestic violence
 February 27 – 41-year-old male, Domestic violence
 February 27 – 43-year-old female, Two counts Controlled substance – delivery/manufacture Marijuana
 March 1 – 60-year-old male, Fraud

REMINDER: With the new courtroom security being implemented, the only door open to the general public is the southwest door (where the veteran administration office is located/door #4).

Traffic Stops: 34
Traffic Citations: 9
Verbal Warnings: 31
Snowmobile Citations: 8
Snowmobile verbal warnings: 17

EMERGENCY, CALL 911
NON-EMERGENCY, 906-495-2140
(Central Dispatch)

2 positions available:
Luce County Park Manager & Assistant Manager
 Being able to live together in residence at Luce County Park preferred. Pay determined by experience. Applications can be picked up and returned to Luce County Parks and Recreation office.
 Application DEADLINE is 3-20-2020 at 5pm

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 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.
 Washington, D.C. 20500
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 Washington, D.C. 20514
 202-224-6221

Senator:
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 702 Hart Senate Office Building
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 Jack Bergman -R, 1st District
 414 Cannon HOB
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<http://bergman.house.gov/>

VOTE, continued

without providing a reason. They can visit their local clerk's office for an absent voter ballot application or download one at Michigan.gov/Vote.

Voter requests to have an absent voter ballot mailed to them must be received by their clerk no later than 5 p.m. the Friday before the election. If voters are already registered at their current address, they can request an absent voter ballot in person at their clerk's office anytime up to 4 p.m. on the day prior to the election.

CRIBBAGE LEAGUE

March 2, 2020

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Eagles	+201
Snowbirds	+136
Robins	+41
Canaries	-353
Hawks	-463

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If they're registering to vote or updating their address by appearing at their clerk's office on Election Day, they can request an absent voter ballot at the same time they register. If they request their AV ballot the day before the election or on Election Day, they must vote the ballot in the clerk's office.

Voters can also check with their clerk regarding the availability of a permanent absent voter list in their jurisdiction. If their clerk offers the service, voters can have an absent ballot application automatically mailed to them in advance of any future elections.

Candidates listed on the ballot

Although some of the presidential primary candidates have suspended their campaigns nationally, state law required the candidate listing to be finalized in December 2019. To have their name removed from the ballot, candidates had to submit a formal request in writing to withdraw their name to the Bureau of Elections by December 13. Therefore, the presidential primary ballots list some candidates who have since left the race.

If a voter wishes to spoil an absentee ballot they have already voted, they can submit a written request to their local clerk by mail if it is re-

ceived by 2 p.m. the Saturday before the election. The voter must sign the request and state if they would like a new absentee ballot mailed to them or if they will vote at the polls. An absentee ballot may be spoiled in person at the clerk's office until 4 p.m. the Monday prior to the election. The voter can obtain a new absentee ballot there or vote at the polls. There is no option on Election Day to spoil an absentee ballot that has been received by the clerk.

Photo ID & photography

Voters will be asked to present photo ID at the polls, such as a Michigan driver's license or identification card. Anyone who does not have an acceptable form of photo ID or failed to bring it with them can still vote. If the voter does not have a photo ID, the voter may sign a brief affidavit attesting to their identity. Their ballots will be included with all others and counted on Election Day.

If a voter wishes to take a photo of their marked or unmarked ballot in the voting booth, they may do so, but images of a voted ballot may not be shared within 100 feet of a polling place. Any other type of photography within the area where people are voting is prohibited. Selfies are only allowed outside the polling place.

Request for Bids

Helen Newberry Joy Hospital & Healthcare Center requests sealed bids on the following:

- 1: Experienced landscaper, at the HNJ Hospital site in Newberry, MI and additional properties.
- 2: Bounded and insured.
- 3: Able to maintain: flower beds, rock beds, mow lawns, light tree trimming, spring ground clean up, and fall ground prep for winter.

Detailed specifications, insurance requirements and bid forms can be obtained from:
 Jill Anderson, HNJH Administration, 502 W. Harrie Street, Newberry, MI.

All bids must be submitted on the Hospital's bid form to be considered.

Deadline for bids will be Monday, March 23, 2020 at 9:00am.

Helen Newberry Joy Hospital reserves the right to reject any or all bids and award the bid in the best interest of the Hospital.

Helen Newberry Joy Hospital & Healthcare Center
www.hnjh.org | 906.293.9200

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Fill out the form below and mail it to us along with your payment.

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 Number of weeks: _____
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Thank You!

Luce County Parks & Rec Yearly Update 2019

By Jessica Gould

I would like to thank all the Luce County residents for the continuing support of our Parks and Recreation!

I would also like to thank all the users of our facilities for your patronage and respect. Without your kindness and help, we would be unable to maintain and keep up all our wonderful facilities in the 29 hours a week we are allowed to work. Now, a little bit about each of the facilities we maintain and the activities provided:

Our most well-known facility, Luce County Park and Campground, had a record year in 2019, thanks to our patrons, nice weather, and our fabulous campground managers, Carl and Vicki Christiansen, who will be greatly missed in the 2020 season.

Last year, we tiled the shower room floors and a portion of the walls. We were also able to purchase two new splash pads which were placed at different depths for children to play on, in addition to our mainstay of the swim raft, which is located out past the life line.



Look for additional changes in 2020, as we will be adding some playground equipment. We do have a change in camping fees this year, as it will be changing to \$17 per night. If you want to pay at time of check-in for 60 days in a row, you will receive a \$50 discount. If you pay for 90 days in a row, you will receive \$100 off.

Charles Road Sports Complex added a pickle ball court and fencing to its array of opportunities like baseball, tennis, softball, and playground. We are also adding kickball in the summers for youth and adults at the sports complex.

M-28 softball fields were in amazing shape all year, even with the lack of rain. We added extra

sand to the infields and fertilized the fields with the help of Mike Stephenson and the softball league. We would love to see the co-ed and women's leagues make a comeback! Contact Mike if you are interested.

Zellar Meadow Trail is now connected to Hamilton Lake trailhead! With the connection of these two beautiful trail systems, you can have over two miles of hiking or biking just minutes from downtown Newberry. Yes, biking! The Hamilton Lake trail system has been widened and cleared enough for non-motorized bike travel.

We hosted a glow walk in the fall at Hamilton Lake trailhead. We had some hiccups, but learned from those and will host another event this fall that will be bigger and brighter! The proceeds from last year's event will help with signage on the trail system.

On the 18-hole disc golf course located at LMAS District Health Department, we were able to widen a few holes out and remove some trees as well as keeping the grass mowed. An event here is in the works for the winter of 2020! Yes, snow disc golf!

Through a joint effort with Tahquamenon Area Schools, the football field was kept in great shape. We were able to remove trees that were growing in and around the perimeter fence, and with the help of Veronica Edwards and a crew of volunteers, the home bleachers were power washed and painted!

Big Valley Tube and Ski has grown over the last three years with the addition of a new lift that allows tubers to be pulled back up the hill, but also allows skiers and snowboarders to utilize the same lift. Currently we employ six part-time employees there. We have 35 tubes and plenty of skis that you get use of with the just \$5 all-day lift ticket! We are open Friday 3-7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.

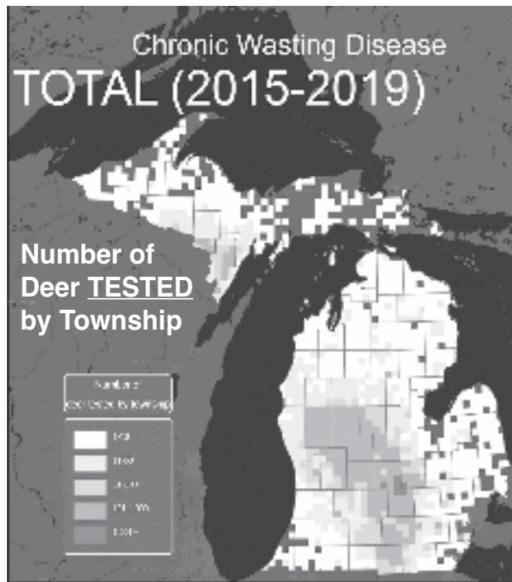
The Barn (ice rink) is one of the oldest natural ice rinks still in use in Michigan. We are able to provide rental skates at our open skates and, new this year, we have opened up Tuesday and Thursday open

skate from 3 to 5 p.m. There is also open skate on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 5-8 p.m.!

It's \$2 per person and \$2 more to rent skates.

We will have open skating as long as mother nature keeps blessing us with cold temperatures. 4H hosts the Ice Scrapers club at the rink. Our local hockey teams use the rink seven days a week, for practices and hosting games.

We will be having a glow night skate on March 13 (keep your fingers crossed for cold weather). Come out and enjoy skating with the lights out, and wear white as black lights will be on! \$3 will cover skating and complimentary glow stick. There will also be some glow items available for purchase.



Deadlines approaching for DNR programs

—**Salmon in the Classroom:** If area instructors and classes want to join the 300 Michigan schools raising Chinook salmon in the classroom next school year, they must apply by April 15. This program is for third grade classrooms and higher. Learn more at <https://bit.ly/3amAOMN>.

—**MAEOE Conference proposal deadline:** The deadline for proposals for the fall 2020 state environmental education conference on Beaver Island is also April 15. Proposal forms and other conference informational documents are being posted at maeoe.com/Conference. The conference will be held September 25-28 at the Central Michigan University biology station on Beaver Island.

—**Academy of Natural Resources:** The DNR's Academy of Natural Resources, held July 14-19, is filling quickly. If you are an educator looking for professional development, join the hundreds of teachers and non-formal educators that have attended "RAM Camp" since 2008. This summer, sessions include NatureQuest; Forests, Fields and Fins; and MEECS Week. \$100 scholarships from Safari Club International and SCECHs are available, as are graduate credits from Ferris State University.

ANR North is another opportunity for a smaller number of educators. Only one course is offered Aug. 2-7 at the Ford Center, Michigan Technological University's field campus west of Marquette. This summer's program features a timeline of cultural impacts on Upper Peninsula's natural resources and includes a look at U.P. geology, early Native American lifestyles and impacts of missionaries and the fur trade and the copper and iron trade. \$100 scholarships from Safari Club International and SCECHs are available.

Find more info and applications for both ANR Classic and ANR North at Michigan.gov/ANR.

—**Turkey Time curriculum:** Much of Michigan's landscape will soon host a plethora of wild turkeys searching for mates and filling the air with one of nature's most conspicuous sounds ... the gobble. You and your students can learn about one of America's greatest conservation stories, the return of the wild turkey. Register for the DNR's new Turkey Time curriculum at <https://bit.ly/2TuHrPA>.

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