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SPRING CLEAN UP DAYS 2006

June 9th & 10th (Friday /Saturday)
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Recycle Center Property on M-77
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These are the only Clean Up Days scheduled this year!

Grand Marais Calendar of Events

June 16, 2006 - June 18, 2006
6th Annual Splash-In on the Bay

Watch as Sea Planes "splash in" on the bay! With aviation games and a fish boil dinner on Saturday. A colorful event promoting Aviation in Grand Marais.

June 17, 2006

Pickle Barrel Yard Sale

~ Proceeds benefit the Pickle Barrel House Museum - Residents are invited to donate used household goods, clothing, toys, etc... beginning Saturday @ 9:00 am. Sale will be from Noon to 3:00 pm on the Green Space @ Bay-shore Park.

July 4, 2006

Annual 4th of July Celebration

Layla Saheb, of Kidz Ink, appointed by the Chamber as 4th of July Manager! Theme "A Walk in the Park" submitted by a Burt Township School student, Parade, Games, Contests, Street Dance with Cruisin' Back -n- Company, and the Fireworks Spectacular at Dusk.

July 15, 2006

Garden Tour

Presented to you by The Green Space "On-The-Bay" Committee 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

24th Annual Fly-In

at the Burt Township Airport - Plane Rides over Scenic Lake Superior & Grand Sable Dunes, Pig Roast at 1:00 p.m.

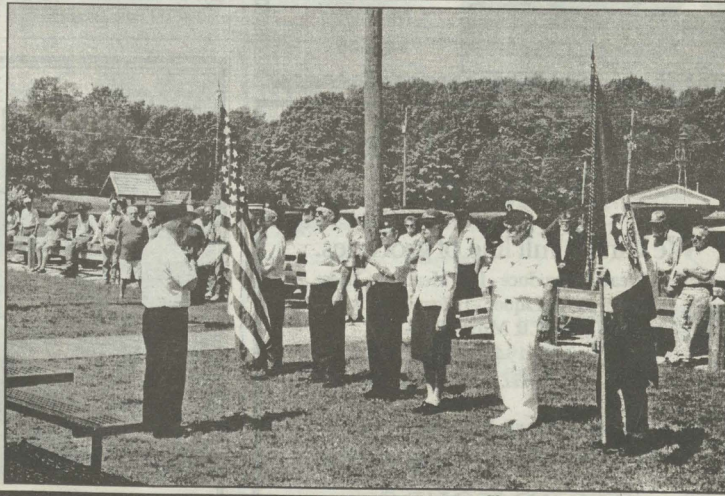
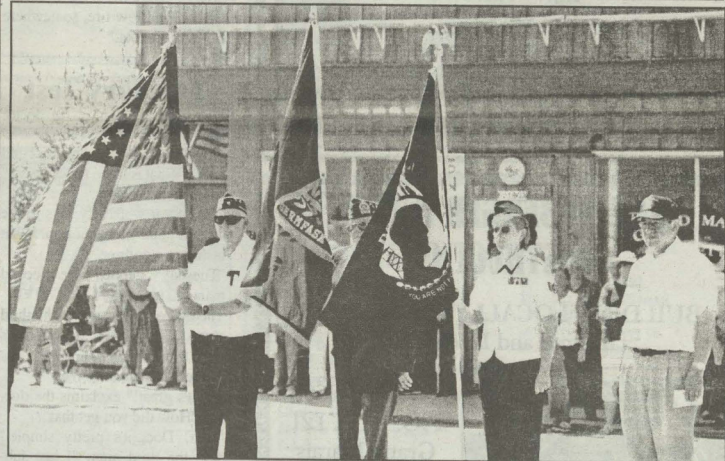
July 13, 2006 - July 16, 2006

22nd Annual Great Lakes Sea Kayak Symposium

More dates and events on page

MEMORIAL DAY 2006

Memorial Day was clear and warm this year as veterans from all the armed forces of Grand Marais, Germfask, Curtis and Seney remembered their comrades in arms. Following the services at the Veterans Memorial the Grand Marais Coast Guard Aux. Flotilla 28-12 held services for all those lost on the Great Lakes. The Grand Marais Women's Club held the potluck at the Community Center.



A special meeting of the Burt Township Board regarding the report from the "Ad Hoc Committee" regarding payroll tax account will be held on June 9th. All concerned citizens should plan on attending this meeting.

**REGULAR MEETING
OF THE
BURT TOWNSHIP BOARD
NOTICE of CHANGE**
The Regular Meeting of the Burt Township Board, originally scheduled for Tuesday, June 13 is rescheduled to
DATE: June 24, 2006
TIME: 12:00 p.m.
PLACE: Community Center

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**A Week
Back On Earth**

Two priests died at the same time and met Saint Peter at the Pearly Gates. St. Peter said, "I'd like to get you guys in now, but our computer is down. You'll have to go back to Earth for about a week, but you can't go back as priests. So what else would you like to be?"

The first priest says, "I've always wanted to be an eagle, soaring above the Rocky Mountains." "So be it," says St. Peter, and off flies the first priest.

The second priest mulls this over for a moment and asks, "Will any of this week 'count', St. Peter?" "No, I told you the computer's down. There's no way we can keep track of what you're doing." "In that case," says the second priest, "I've always wanted to be a stud."

"So be it" says St. Peter, and the second priest disappears. A week goes by, the computer is fixed, and the Lord tells St. Peter to recall the two priests. "Will you have any trouble locating them?" He asks.

"The first one should be easy," says St. Peter. "He's somewhere over the Rockies, flying with the eagles. But the second one could prove to be more difficult." "Why?" asked the Lord. "He's on a snow tire, somewhere in North Dakota."

Memory Test

Three old men are at the doctor for a memory test.

The doctor says to the first old man, "What is three times three?" "274" was his reply.

The doctor worriedly says to the second man, "It's your turn. What is three times three?"

"Tuesday" replies the second man.

The doctor sadly says to the third man, "Okay, your turn. What's three times three?"

"Nine" says the third man. "That's great!" exclaims the doctor. "How did you get that?"

"Jeez, Doc, it's pretty simple," says the third man. "I just subtracted 274 from Tuesday."



**Campgrounds Open at
Pictured Rocks**

(Munising) The three vehicle accessible campgrounds in Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore are open for the season. "Though the official opening date for the lakeshore campgrounds at Little Beaver Lake, Hurricane River, and Twelvemile Beach is May 10, visitors were able to begin camping at Twelvemile Beach and Hurricane River Campgrounds in mid April," according to Lakeshore Superintendent Jim Northrup.

The Lakeshore's three drive-in campgrounds -- Little Beaver Lake, Twelvemile Beach, and Hurricane River -- offer individual pull-out sites, tent pads, fire rings, and picnic tables. Vault toilets, solar-powered water systems, and garbage pick-up are also provided. Handicapped accessible campsites are available at each of the three campgrounds.

The three drive-in campgrounds at the National Lakeshore operate on a first-come, first-serve basis with no reservations accepted. The camping fee is \$12 per campsite per night, a \$2 increase over the fee charged in 2005.

Holders of the Golden Age Passport - available to persons over 65 years of age - pay half of the campground use fee. The Golden Access Passport for handicapped visitors also entitles the holder to the half-price camping fee.

In addition to the campground openings, full service rest rooms at Miners Castle and Sable Falls are also open. Picnic grounds and day use areas have been cleaned up after the snowy northern winter.

"Late spring is an excellent time to visit the Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore," remarked Northrup. "Spring wild flowers blanket the forest floor, many bird species migrating through the area, and the weather is ideal for exploring the hiking trails and canoeing on inland lakes."

"Although Alger County Road H-58 is closed for four miles between the Log Slide and upper Hurricane River Campground due to road construction, all other roads are open," concluded Northrup.

**THE BURT TOWNSHIP OFFICE
HAS A DROP BOX IN THE NORTH DOOR
OF THE TOWNSHIP BUILDING
FOR PAYMENT OF
TAXES AND WATER DEPARTMENT BILLS.**



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Tour**

Presented to you by the
Grand Marais Green Space "On-the-Bay" Committee
Proceeds to Benefit Grand Marais' Green Space On-the-Bay
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Saturday, July 15, 2006
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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ORV-ATV- ON ROADWAYS IN BURT TOWNSHIP

This is a repeat of an article from July 21, 2005. The problem still exists but if enough people complain to the Alger County Sheriffs Department, and both Michigan State Police Posts (Munising and Newberry) we might be able to get something done.

With all the complaints and comments about ATV's/ORV's, Golf Carts and other motorized vehicles around the area I requested an explanation of the motor vehicle laws by the Alger County Prosecuting Attorney, Karen Bahrman. Below is the letter I received from her in regards to my questions.

To the Grand Marais Gazette

You have asked my opinion as to whether non-traditional ORV's such as golf carts and 6-wheelers with roll cages, are subject to ORV regulation including the obligation to wear helmets, to purchase ORV stickers and not to operate on highways.

According to MCL 324.81101(m), "ORV" means a motor driven off-road recreation vehicle capable of cross-country travel without benefit of a road or trail, on or immediately over land, snow, ice, marsh, swampland or other natural terrain. ORV includes, but is not limited to a multi-track or multiwheel drive vehicle, an ATV, a motorcycle or related 2-wheel, 3-wheel, or 4-wheel vehicle, an amphibious machine, a ground effect air cushion vehicle, or other means of transportation deriving motive power from a source other than muscle or wind. ORV does not include a registered snowmobile, a farm vehicle being used for farming, a vehicle used for military, fire emergency, or law enforcement purposes, a vehicle owned and operated by a utility company or an oil or gas company when performing maintenance on its facilities or on property over which it has an easement, a construction or logging vehicle used in performance of its common function, or a registered aircraft.

The above definition is clearly broad enough to include golf carts and 6-wheelers, so the next inquiry is helmets.

MCL 324.81133(b) provides that a person shall not operate an ORV unless the person and any passenger in or on the vehicle is wearing on his or her head a crash helmet and protective eyewear approved by the United States Department of Transportation. This subdivision does not apply if the vehicle is equipped with a roof that meets or exceeds standards for a crash helmet and the operator and each passenger is wearing a properly adjusted and fastened safety belt.

The burden is therefore on each operator to ascertain whether the roof on his/her vehicle meets such standards; this seems unlikely with respect to a golf cart but possible where vehicles are equipped with roll cages. Operators also need to realize that seat belts are required wherever helmets are not.

Regarding licensure and use, ORV licensure is required (MCL 324.81115) unless the ORV is operated solely on private property (MCL 324.81102) and operation on highways is prohibited (MCL 324.81122).

Local units of government may open highways under their jurisdiction to ORV use by ordinance, and Alger County has done so, but it must be remembered that this excludes state and federal highways and the traveled portions of all public roads; ORV's are permitted only on the shoulders and right of ways of Alger County roads.

It should also be noted that it is unlawful to transport or possess open intoxicants on ORVs or to operate them while intoxicated, and if these events occur while the ORV is additionally being operated (unlawfully) on highways, the operator will be subject to corresponding charges under the motor vehicle code because ORVs still qualify as motor vehicles.

Obviously there are many other regulations concerning ORV use, summaries of which are available at Forest Service and DNR offices, but I hope this clarifies for you their application to non-traditional ORV's.

Sincerely,

Karen A. Bahrman

Alger County Prosecuting Attorney

Editorial Policy

We encourage our readers to use these pages as a community forum for a free exchange of ideas. Your letters are welcome.

The one stipulation is that letters to the editor must be signed. Pen names will not be accepted. We will not publish anonymous letters. We reserve the right to edit for space and clarity, and we will publish your comments as space allows.

Further, the views expressed by our writers and guest correspondents are welcome additions to the forum. They reflect, however, opinions of the writers and correspondents and are not those explicitly endorsed by the Gazette.

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GRAND MARAIS SENIOR MEALS SCHEDULE

Note: Meals listed for Wednesdays & Fridays are prepared on Monday and distributed cold. If you want these meals please call and place an order!

FRIDAY June 2

Baked Cod - Green Beans W/ Pimento - AuGratin Potatoes - Banana

MONDAY June 5

Meatballs - Mashed Potatoes - Italian Blend Vegetables - Plums

WEDNESDAY June 7

Roast Beef - Mashed Potatoes - Carrots - Peaches

FRIDAY June 9

Hamburger Steak W/Onions - Baked Potatoes - Baked Beans - Apricots

MONDAY June 12

Baked Ham - Sweet Potatoes - Cauliflower - Cherries

WEDNESDAY June 14

BB-Q Pork/Bun - Herb Baked Potatoes - California Blend - Applesauce

FRIDAY June 16

Beef Cubes W/Mushroom/ Onion - Mashed Potatoes - Rutabaga W/Parsley - Peaches

(Items subject to change.)

Senior Nutrition Program meals are provided by Alger-Marquette Community Action Board (AMCAB) for persons 60 or older & their spouses.

Join the Grand Marais Women's Club!

Dues are \$10.00 per year. Volunteers are needed, and will be greatly appreciated, to help with club projects. You needn't be a member to attend.

Meetings are the 2nd Thursday of each month.

Call Mary Alice Johnson for information 494-2644

WEATHER SUMMARY

DATA is compiled by Karla Bugg, Cooperative Weather Observer.

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
May 16	53	43	.06
May 17	51	43	.16
May 17	43	38	.50
May 19	44	39	.01
May 20	61	30	T
May 21	48	35	.24
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May 23	66	33	
May 24	78	51	
May 25	71	50	
May 26	62	44	.04
May 27	80	36	
May 28	81	60	.44
May 29	92	58	
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6 WLUC--Marquette (NBC)	29
7 WDIV-- Detroit (NBC)	30
8 WTBS--Atlanta, GA	31
9 CNN--Cable News Network	32
10 Fox Sports Detroit	33
11 ESPN 2	34
12 ESPN--Ent. Sports Network	35
13 WNMU--Marquette PBS	36
14 The Movie Channel... Premium	37
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16 WXYZ--Detroit (ABC)	39
17 A&E--Arts & Entertainment	40
18 The Discovery Channel	41
19 WMQF 19 Marquette (Fox)	42
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22 USA Network	45
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The Travel Channel	
AMC--American Movie Classics	
FX	
G.M. Community Channel	
Lifetime	
Sci-Fi Channel	
TV Land	
FRM--The Family Channel	
Home & Garden	
Hallmark	
Home Shopping	
QVC--Shopping Channel	
C-Span	
CHS - Country Music Videos	
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The Learning Channel (TLC)	
Speed Network	
Comedy Channel	

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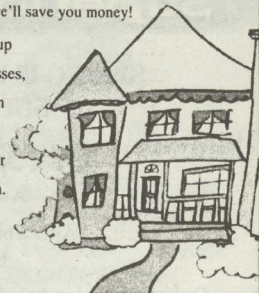
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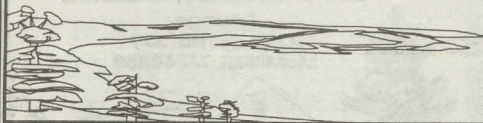
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AROUND THE BAY: BY EVELYN MORRISON



Memorial Weekend has passed and summer is just beginning. The Memorial Service was very nice also very hot. It was near 90 degrees, unusual for this time of year. I'm disappointed in the lack of people that show up. It is a great service they have at the war monument and then on the marina for people lost at sea. I miss seeing my Dad standing there with the color guard. I wonder who will make sure the flag gets raised at the proper time. He was a stickler for flag etiquette.

Sheri Shafer and mom Carol were able to meet Sheri's sister at Mackinaw City. They took a few days and played tourist.

Kay Wampler went down state for some schooling for the Clerk. She was also able to spend some time with her mom and do some daughter duties for her.

Jenny and Ben Cooley were up from Ithaca with son Logan. Jenny helped me plant several flats of flowers. The bugs were out in massive numbers and too warm for memorial weekend, but we got most everything planted. I even had Jenny crawl under Grandma Morrison's new porch and rescue some flowers that were covered up. Logan had a good time riding on Papa's backhoe and getting a lift in the condor. We also made it to the beach.

We went out to Bruce and Yvonne Essex's for a brook trout dinner. Bruce did a great job cooking, Yvonne was a great host. Pat Hulbert and son Al were there along with Doug the electric-man. Terry Hardy and Heeter were in too from GR.

Bob and Renee' (Beaver) Stocking were in from GR. Bob has been fishing and Renee' enjoying her visit with her folks and friends. Ryan Whaley came in for business and he was able to bring daughter Paige with him. Grandma Renee' and Great Grandma Beaver were able to spend some time with her. Grandpa and Nana Whaley were able to have daughter Rhonda and granddaughter Gabby for the weekend.

It is nice to see Mike and Chris Lawless back in the hardware. Hopefully they can stick around for a little while.

Cathy and Bill Egerer are here. Not sure how long they are in town for. But nice to see them around.

Richard Bell family is in for the weekend. It's always great to see them again.

I also got a glimps of Joe Barsky. Not sure how long you are in for but welcome back.

Ted and Karen Fairfield were in from IN. They enjoyed spending time at their property. They would love to spend more time up here and that is their goal.

John and Cobina Whittingham were in from WI staying at their little cabin in the woods.

Jeff and Rachael Davis are in staying in their summer home on Campbell Street.

Stu Stuart is in for the summer from California. He will be here getting the Gallery opened and traveling to the Island doing his show.

Happy birthday to Evelyn (Tudy) Tornovish, Dorothy Morrison, Paige Whaley and Kay Wampler.

A get well to Bessie Capogrossa we wish you a speedy recovery!

Our hearts go out the Barney family. Mark fought hard to stay with his family. We all will miss him deeply.

Our hearts go out the Senecal family too. Charlie Senecal was a good man and a good friend to many. I will pick that favorite star out for both of you.

If you have any more news for Around the Bay let us know. Keep on smiling... Evie

A man is incomplete until he is married...
then he is finished.

Happy Birthday Tudy



Evelyn (Tudy) Tornovish celebrates her 90th birthday June 1st.

Tudy was born and raised in Grand Marais, moved to Holland, MI for much of her adult life & came back to Grand Marais in 2000.

We're glad you're back, we love you & wish you a very happy birthday.

From your
family & friends



BURT TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS GRADUATION IS SATURDAY, JUNE 3 AT 2:00 P.M.

OBITUARIES

MARK RICHARD BARNEY

Mark Richard Barney, age 73, of M-77 Grand Marais, died at 11:55 a.m. on Friday, May 26, 2006 at Marquette General Hospital. He was born on July 13, 1932 in Grand Marais to the late Ray and Edith (Trombley) Barney. Mark graduated from Grand Marais High School in 1950. He married Adele Mary Ann Mulligan on April 1, 1952. Mark joined the U.S. Navy in the early 1950's and served for four years. He continued his military career in the U.S. Coast Guard and retired after twenty years of service as a radioman. Mark briefly worked offshore for N.O.A.A. Following his retirement he and Adele returned home to Grand Marais. Mark was a member of the Holy Rosary Church, he enjoyed hunting small game and loved playing the piano. He enjoyed dogs (especially Sparky and Nick), spending time on the computer, and especially enjoyed taking long rides in the woods with Adele.

He is survived by his wife of over fifty-four years - Adele Barney of Grand Marais; four children - Mark "Butch" Barney of Ishpeming, Gary (Kathi) Barney of Gwinn, John Barney of Grand Marais, and Cindy (Dennis) Elliott of Marquette; six grandchildren - Penny Barney, Brooke (Ryan) Whaley, Brenna (Jason) LaBeau, Trisha (Steve) Dodge, Elsbeth (Jason) Heyboer, and Chase Elliott; three great-grandchildren - Paige, Blaine, and Dillon; sister - Edith Miller of Rockford, Michigan; and numerous nieces and nephews. Mark was preceded in death by his parents and an infant brother.

A Memorial Mass was celebrated by Father Paul Karottekunnel on Tuesday, May 30, 2006 at 11:30 a.m. at the Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Grand Marais. Interment will be at a later date at the Holy Rosary Cemetery in Grand Marais.

Mark's obituary and guestbook may also be viewed at www.bowermanfuneralhome.net

CHARLES L. SENECAI

Charles L. Senecal; 61, of Grand Marais, died suddenly Friday May 26, 2006 in Grand Marais.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Friday June 2, 2006 at 11:00 am at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Grand Marais with Fr. Paul Karottekunnel officiating. Rite of Committal will follow at Holy Rosary Catholic Cemetery. Friends may call at the church on Friday June 2nd from 10:00 am until time of services.

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Plans are in the works for a fishing derby out of Grand Marais Harbor! See Capt Jim's Forum ~ more info coming very soon!!!

August 11, 2006 - August 13, 2006

**25th Annual Music & Arts Festival
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August 26, 2006

6th Annual Memory Walk for Alzheimer's

Contact Gee Petruske for more information

Sept. 2, 2006 - Sept. 4, 2006

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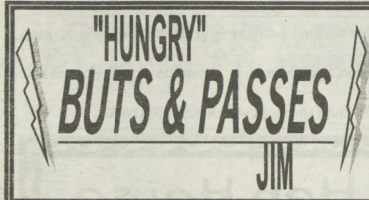
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"Big Brother" is getting bolder all the time. The FBI has acted as the Gestapo did in 1940 Germany. As I said previously, I didn't have a problem with most of the "Patriot Act" but I was concerned as to where it would lead. When the FBI illegally searched the residence of Congressman William Jefferson (Hm! Add a name and we have "Slick Willy") my fears materialized. This administration has brought this about using 9/11 as an excuse to violate citizens' rights, moving ever closer to a police state all the time. From the spying, lying & phone call investigation to the complete disregard for a citizen's rights, the comparison to the Gestapo has become more pronounced all the time. I imagine that there is sufficient evidence to justify a search warrant and thus follow the law that the FBI is sworn to uphold. That is, however not the major issue of my concern with this violation by the FBI. The threat of the Attorney General, FBI Director and some other "justice" big shot is unbelievable. What it is, is saying "If I can't break the law in order get evidence, I quit!" I was pleased to see Georgie Boy temporarily seal the "evidence" taken by the FBI but what good is a 45 day delay in using it to destroy this man in a country where we are supposed to be innocent until proven guilty? If this doesn't scare you about the direction that this administration is going, I don't know what will. Maybe I have watched too much TV but it seems to me that anything taken in this raid would be inadmissible as evidence in a trial. The real problem comes if our Congress doesn't prosecute those responsible for this crime. Without consequences we may as well put the shackles on.

Another example of the Hell of war has surfaced. This time it is a group of Marines that allegedly killed twenty-some Iraqi citizens. I certainly don't condone this kind of horror but it happens in every war. In my last article I reported that these same soldiers were not given the mental health tests that are required; had they, maybe this incident would have been avoided. If true, these allegations are the work of soldiers that were so angry that they became mad. We don't put mentally incompetents in jail or carry out capital punishment on them; we put them in mental health centers where they will be helped. It may be for the rest of their lives but they are at least treated like human beings. I don't know from personal experience but from observation, military personnel in military prisons are given few comforts. Why should civilians with mental problems be treated better than our veterans?

The Senate has bowed to the protests of criminals with the ridiculous bill it passed on immigration reform. Unlike the House Elephants and Asses who passed a real reform bill the Senate's pretty much follows Georgie Boy's demands. It is disgusting to me that this country's government will be rewarding law breaking in order to save a couple bucks on a head of lettuce or piece of fruit. I do agree that the best deterrent is to come down hard on the people who employ these illegals; however the border with Mexico must be made secure. A couple thousand National Guard troops won't do the job; it will take a commitment by this government to spend the manpower and money necessary. Cutting out the war-mongering and nation building would save plenty of money to do the job.

The amount of taxpayer money that is being spent to destroy a farm and its buildings in order to search for Jimmy Hoffa's body is also ludicrous. What difference will it make if they find the body? I imagine that restoring the property will cost a pretty penny

too. I know that when I was working for the railroad every time a train hit a cow it was blue ribbon one that gave forty barrels of milk per day. At least it is good for a few jokes; the best of which I heard was delivered by David Letterman. "Jimmy Hoffa was last seen going duck hunting with Dick Cheney".

At a Michigan Township Association seminar last week I heard the probable fate of the Commercial Forest Act tax and it ain't good. For those who don't know, CFR is property that can not be used for anything except a forest designated for harvest for commercial purposes. To make a long story not so long, the tax on it was frozen at \$1.10 per acre on the owner and \$1.20 by the state. The freeze was supposed to come off last year and if done so according to the original rules, the owner would pay \$4.40 per acre and the state \$4.50. That would mean our present income from this tax would quadruple from \$24,000.00 per year to \$96,000.00 per year plus another amount because of the recent approval of the Emergency Service millage bringing our CFR income to over \$100,000.00 per year. The new proposal is \$.20 per year added each five years. If passed there is a question as to whether this hike will be retroactive or not. Regardless our income from the original act will be cut by at least 50%. I imagine that if the act was not changed, the state would cut our revenue sharing and other state aid.

And finally. The kids and grandkids were up last weekend for the annual paint ball fight and poker tournament at the "camp". While I did not participate in the paint ball portion, I did sit in at the poker game; I finished fifth out of nineteen but out of the money. It was however enjoyable and the crew treated this old man very well. I guess they have sympathy for old people like my daughter-in-law, man is she ever old! I really think it is nice that all these Grand Marais young adults still get together and party without any bad behavior (well not terribly bad). During the weekend Sean and I went fishing; I caught a few pike and he caught nothing. Later we took Hoo, Dizzy and Too out to try their luck. We were skunked but in their defense the weather had changed drastically and by the time we came in the wind was blowing at 30 mph plus and the rain was coming down. Had a heck of a time getting the boat out; the little leak in it is bigger. On Saturday, Lizzard and Doc came to our house and the "five greatest grandchildren" were all crowded together in one bed. When I got home, midnight, they were all still awake. I have no idea who went to sleep when. Speaking of Lizzard, she becomes a teen-ager on Wed. June 3rd. Pug and Too celebrate their birthday on June 9th, Jackson and I on Fathers Day, the 18th. Am going with Mrs. Ross' class to Green Bay this (T,W&T); there ought to be a story in that and a trip by Lambeau Field. The rest of my family will come on Saturday for one of my nephew's graduation and the baptism of another nephews new twins.

And finally, finally. Memorial Day was Monday the 29th. I hope that we all honored those who have given the ultimate sacrifice for this nation. The memorial service here is always respectful and well attended. I will miss Andy Bailey this year. I recall him standing straight and tall at the ceremony. Two other veterans will also be absent for Memorial Day; Mark Barney and Charlie Senecal. I will never forget hearing about the cribbage games he and Saki Olli had; it depended upon whom you asked who was winning more games. Charlie was quite a character; he took after Pickle I guess. They will both be missed around here. My sympathy goes out to their families. I salute everyone involved with our Memorial Day celebration. I hope that some day the leaders of the world will find a way to settle differences without the killing. I also hope that soon, our leaders will quit giving its veterans lip service and give us what we were promised and earned. I will also take a moment to pray for those young men and women in our armed forces today, especially those who find themselves in harms way. Until next issue.

Hungry Jim

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The bank robbers had tied and gagged the bank cashier after learning the combination to the safe and had herded the other employees into a separate room under guard. After they rifled the safe and were about to leave, the cashier made desperate pleading noises through the gag. Moved by curiosity, one of the burglars loosed the gag. "Please," whispered the cashier, "take the books, too. I'm \$7,500 short."

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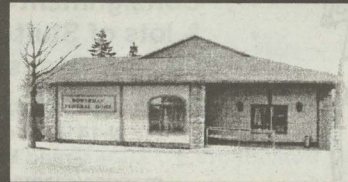
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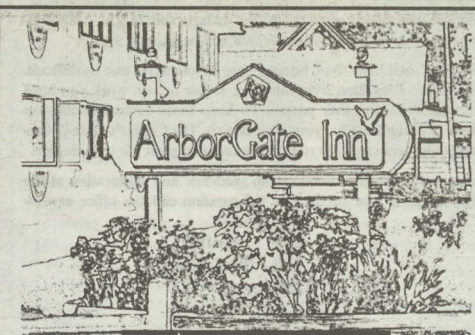
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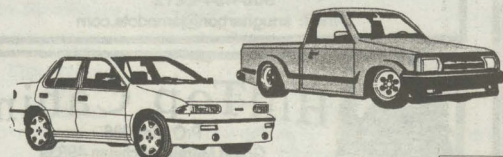
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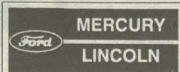


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The Historical Society held their first-ever Spring Plant Sale on the Greenspace on Saturday, May 27. Local gardeners donated perennials, and Nicole Filizetti offered vegetables and annuals as a fundraiser for her Horticulture class at Burt Township School. This was a very productive partnership! The Historical Society raised \$580 to benefit the Pickle Barrel, and Nicole raised over \$200 to buy supplies and equipment for her class.

The Historical Society would like to thank Nancy McDonald, Louisa Calcaterra, Marion Curtis, Barb Whaley, Cathy Egerer, Jewell Bowman (Cathy's mom) and anyone else we may have forgotten who brought plants for the sale. Thanks to the generosity of Grand Marais folks, this plant sale will go down as a resounding success!

If you missed this plant sale, don't forget there will be another Plant Sale in conjunction with the Garden Tour on Saturday, July 15th. Proceeds from that sale will benefit the Greenspace fund and the Eastern UP Search and Rescue. Mid-July is a perfect time to thin your garden and make room for some new plants! Please donate if you can.

I had the Lord riding with me

A drunk and a preacher were driving up a mountainside in different vehicles. The drunk was swerving from side to side; the preacher was driving straight and true. All of a sudden, the preacher lost control and drove off the edge of a cliff. The drunk noticed the preacher going off the edge, so he stopped his car and went to see if he was all right. He noticed the preacher was climbing up the hillside. He yelled down at the preacher, "Are you alright?" And the preacher replied, "Have no fear my son, I had the Lord riding with me." The drunk then yelled back, "You had better let him ride with me next time cuz your gonna get him killed!"

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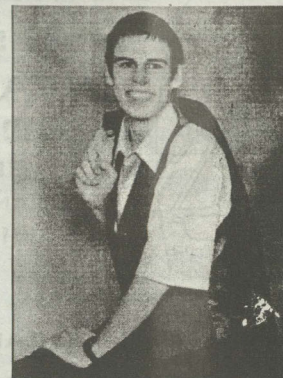
Ashlea Kristine Cook is the daughter of Jan and Dan Cook of Curtis. She was the team captain of the volleyball team, a member of the youth group S.A.D.D., and took part in the drama club. Her favorite subjects in school were English and Art. Ashlea plans on attending college in the fall, majoring in Elementary Education with a minor in Art.

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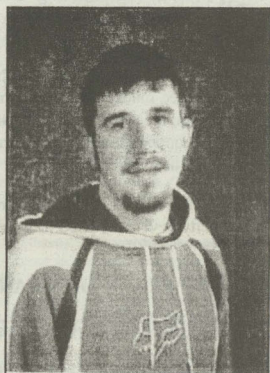
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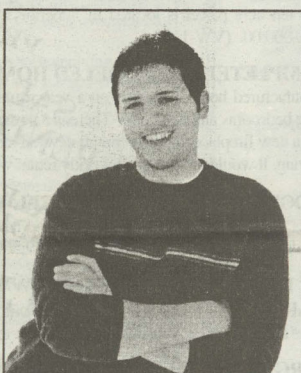

Salutatorian



Dan Norris is the son of Carolyn Norris and Bernie Conlon of Germfask. He is a member of Big Brothers/Big Sisters, was on the school varsity basketball and soccer teams and a member of the drama club. His favorite subjects in school were English and History. He is planning on going to college studying for a Criminal Justice major.



Kevin Brekke is the son of Louise Daul of Grand Marais. His favorite subjects in school were Physics and English. He likes to tutor kids at the youth center after school. He plans on joining the Air Force, go to tech school and hopefully take up accounting or become an electrical line tech.



Ali Saheb is living with his grandmother Theresa Swain of Grand Marais. Ali was the captain of the soccer team, a member of the school basketball team, student representative to the Board of Education and president of S.A.D.D. His favorite subjects in school were Science and Music. He plans on attending Northern Michigan University in the fall.



Justin Tuttle is the son of Steven and Mary Tuttle of Curtis. He was a member of the school C.E.R.T. team. His favorite subject in school was Math. Justin likes playing basketball, hunting and fishing. He plans on attending Bay College in Escanaba, working towards an Automotive Tech degree.



Tim Meek is the son of Billie Jo Underwood. He is a member of the Burt Township student C.E.R.T. team. His favorite subject in school was Science. His future plans are to pursue a career in the Criminal Justice field.

The elementary students at Burt Twp. School were treated to 2 presentations on Wednesday, May 17. In the morning Lumberjack Stan shared historical pictures and great information about our rich heritage in the lumbering industry. In the afternoon Lumberjack Bill sang some fun songs and had students actively involved with some demonstrations using traditional logging tools! Lots of learning took place and a great time was had by all.

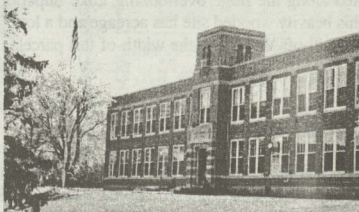
As a culminating activity to learning about our local lumbering industry students were asked to write either a poem or song about logging.

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Upper Peninsula	Oh, lumberjack!
Mill	You live deep in the woods.
Bunkhouse	You cut down trees.
Every one was happy	You haul them to the river and float them to the sawmill.
River	They cut them into boards.
Jam	Sing with me!
Axe	Oh, lumberjack!
Cookie	Oh, lumberjack!
Kitchen	You live deep in the woods.
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by Kelcie	They cut them into boards and you eat lunch in the woods.

by Timothy

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VIEW PARCEL: This is located along the ridge overlooking Lake Superior one mile East of Grand Marais. This heavily wooded site has acreage and a lot of privacy with access at the top of the hill off Webb Rd. the width of this parcel is 150 feet. It is priced at \$60,000.00. (VL-137)

SMALL HOME ONE MILE SOUTH OF GRAND MARAIS: This house sits on a parcel that is 300 feet on a year round road, and is 216 feet deep. The house has had a lot of work done lately such as: new electric service and wiring, new plumbing with new washer and dryer. The foundation appears to be in good condition. The home still needs a roof and some additional maintenance work. \$74,500. (R-165)

MAGNIFICENT VIEW PARCEL OVERLOOKING THE GRAND MARAIS HARBOR: This is unbelievable. The land is very deep and heavily wooded. It's 200 feet in width and the driveway is already in. Standing where a building site could be you can see downtown Grand Marais and the breakwall. It looks like it could be on a post card. \$149,500.00 (VL-130)

VIEW PARCEL: This 100 foot parcel is heavily wooded and overlooks Grand Marais Bay. \$60,000.00. (VL-136)

TWO 40 ACRE PARCELS WITH MARKETABLE TIMBER: These parcels are located on highway H-58, 15 miles west of Grand Marais in the National Park Buffer Zone. The road is seasonal, with no electricity. There is a substantial amount of marketable timber that has been appraised by a timber cruiser. \$65,000 each (VL-144 and VL-145)

VACANT PARCEL WITH WELL AND SEPTIC IN GRAND MARAIS: This parcel has 150 feet on a year round road and is 290 feet deep. It is high and dry and located 4 blocks from downtown Grand Marais; it has a Board of Health approved well and septic already in place and a temporary electric pole with service connected to the electric company. A completed foundation for a garage and a small home has been finished. The property is ready to build on. Remember, living in an RV is limited to 15 days per year in Burt Township. \$52,500. (VL-142)

100 FEET OF VACANT SANDY WATERFRONT BEACH ON GRAND MARAIS BAY: This is located right downtown and would allow an owner to walk to all stores and restaurants. Grandchildren can walk to the ice cream store! \$119,500.00 VW-144

SECLUDED BUILDING LOT IN GRAND MARAIS: Located four blocks from the downtown area and public beach, this property features nice hardwood trees which are high and dry. The parcel is 150 feet by 250 feet and fronts on a year round road with electric and cable. In the winter views of Lake Superior can be seen. \$39,500.00 (VL-141)

LAKE SUPERIOR WATERFRONT: 20 feet of nice beach with no large bluff. This ten acre parcel is located in Superior Dunes Development 9 miles East of town. \$150,000.00. (VW-141)

COMPLETELY REMODELED HOME ON TWO 100 FOOT LOTS: This manufactured home is located on a year round road about three miles from town. It has three bedrooms and two baths. There is a new roof, furnace, water heater, floors and walls, and a new fireplace. It looks "brand new". This is priced for a quick sale as the owners are moving. It would make a great weekly rental when you are not here. (R-167) \$68,500.

WOODED THREE ACRE PARCEL WITH SMALL CREEK: Located three miles from Grand Marais on a year round road, this property is very secluded. It is high and dry with beautiful hardwood trees. \$49,500. (VL-143)

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LARGE RESTORED HOME IN DOWNTOWN GRAND MARAIS: This famous home was built back in the late 1800's and has been remodeled with new plumbing, roof, kitchen, bath, electrical, and much more. Located on a corner lot in the quiet area of town this is a real show place. \$189,000.00 (R-153)

NEWER HOME ON TWO ACRE WITH VIEW OF GRAND MARAIS BAY: This cute chalet has a one car attached garage on a year round road. Located four blocks from downtown. This home was just completed two years ago and is on a very nicely wooded and peaceful parcel of land. \$149,500. (R-160)

TOTALLY RESTORED LOG CABIN ON SMALL CREEK: Located only 1 1/2 miles from downtown Grand Marais this is a lovely beautiful. \$129,000.00 (R-158)

LOWER LEVEL CONDO ON GRAND MARAIS BAY: This unit is on ground floor and allows one to walk out to the condo beach without using the stairway. \$120,00. (R-166)

UPPER LEVEL CONDO WITH TWO BEDROOMS AND TWO BATHS: The views are spectacular of the Bay and Grand Marais. \$150,000. (R-167)

10 ACRES WITH LOG HOME AND LOG SIDE GARAGE: This has to be one of the nicer wooded parcels in the area. It is high and dry with mature maple and beech trees, located at the end of a year round road. Lots of garden space and room to roam. \$150,000.00 (RR-148)

FORTY WOODED ACRES WITH A YEAR ROUND HOME AND GARAGE: This parcel is high and dry and located on a year round road 13 miles south of Grand Marais. With 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, hot water heat, and a steel roof, this would make a great snowmobile or hunting retreat. \$147,500. (R-164)

UNIQUE TWO STORY HOME ABOVE LARGE GARAGE IN GRAND MARAIS: This home has had extensive remodeling and has beautiful views of Lake Superior and Grand Marais Bay. Located on a year round road one block from downtown. \$158,000 (R-163)

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Summer Travelers Reminded to Not Move Firewood

Moving firewood spreads invasive species and diseases, including EAB, which has killed more than 15 million ash trees in southeast Michigan since first discovered in 2002. State parks and recreation areas, which have been seriously impacted by this invasive green beetle, have stepped up enforcement efforts to prevent the movement of firewood into DNR-managed lands.

Visitors to state parks and recreation areas across the state will see some changes in landscapes caused by EAB, exotic insects and other diseases. Trees have been cut down in some locations to help prevent the spread of EAB. The most dramatic changes can be viewed at Warren Dunes State Park in Berrien County. More than 8,000 ash trees, including 4,000 from the modern campground, were removed this spring after EAB was discovered.

"The EAB impact is very unfortunate and we are moving forward to seek grants and donations to implement a tree replacement program based upon a stewardship plan," said Ron Olson, chief of the DNR Parks and Recreation Division.

At Brimley State Park, the only location in the Upper Peninsula where EAB has been discovered, more than 300 ash trees were removed last year. The park staff and local community volunteers used a \$12,500 Forest, Mineral and Fire Management grant to replant 100 trees this spring, including 30 red maple, 20 red oak, 20 white pine, 15 spruce and 15 balsam fir trees. Volunteers from Brimley High School's environmental science class assisted with digging holes and planting trees.

"If people would like to provide a tax-deductible donation for tree replacements, please contact your favorite state park or recreation area," Olson said.

If you are going to be traveling in Michigan this summer, purchase all your firewood when you reach your destination and burn what you buy on site.

"Everyone can help us prevent further tree loss by complying with the laws prohibiting the movement of ash firewood and going one step further by not moving firewood of any species," Olson said.

Michigan residents and visitors should adhere to the state's ban on transporting hardwood firewood from quarantined areas or out of the Lower Peninsula. Violators face fines/penalties ranging from \$1,000 up to \$250,000 and face up to five years in jail if found guilty of transporting hardwood firewood into the Upper Peninsula. Additionally, a Land Use Order by DNR Director Rebecca Humphries prohibits anyone from bringing ash firewood onto any DNR-managed lands.

For more information about EAB, invasive species and the laws governing firewood movement, visit the DNR Web site at www.michigan.gov/dnr or go to www.michigan.gov/eab.

Project GO and Free Fishing Weekend Provide Opportunities to Enjoy the Great Outdoors

Whether it's a casting clinic, a fishing derby or a guided trail hike, June 10-11 will provide ample outdoor recreation opportunities for people to enjoy Great Lakes, Great Times and the Great Outdoors.

The weekend honors both Free Fishing Weekend and Project GO-Get Outdoors with events that celebrate outdoor recreation opportunities, including free fishing. For a complete list of events and locations, please visit the DNR Web site at www.michigan.gov/dnr.

Michigan's annual summer Free Fishing Weekend provides two days when Michigan residents and out-of-state visitors can fish without purchasing a fishing license. All other fishing regulations apply.

"Fishing in Michigan is part of our cultural heritage, and a great family tradition. Free Fishing Weekend, in conjunction with Project GO-Get Outdoors, provides opportunities for individuals and families to learn about and enjoy the incredible natural resources this state has to offer," said Kelley Smith, chief of the DNR Fisheries Division. "It is an excellent time for those who fish frequently to introduce others to this enjoyable pastime and to mentor others about the importance of conserving the state's aquatic resources and our fishing heritage, today and for future generations."

Project GO-Get Outdoors, started in July 2005, celebrates Michigan's outdoor recreation opportunities and the role they play in improving the quality of life for residents and visitors.

"As gas prices continue to rise, these events provide people with opportunities to explore state parks, recreation areas, and water access sites close to home," said Ron Olson, chief of the Parks and Recreation Division. "Fishing, boating, camping, hiking, horseback riding, running and all other outdoor activities improve the quality of life for Michigan's residents and our guests."

All motor vehicles entering a state park or recreation area must display a Motor Vehicle Permit, available for purchase at the park or recreation area entrance. Cost is \$24 for resident annual and \$6 for resident daily. A nonresident annual is \$29 and a nonresident daily is \$8.

The DNR is committed to the conservation, protection, management, use and enjoyment of the state's natural resources for current and future generations.



U.S. Flag Disposal

On the 4th of July around 7:30 p.m., the Burt Township vets will hold their 2nd annual proper burning of our flag. A public address system announcer will keep everyone advised to the goings on. If you have a flag that is damaged please contact us for disposal.

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