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Tim Kraft cuts the ribbon to officially open the new Emerald Elementary School last Saturday. Kraft oversaw the building construction as project manager for the Wolgast Corporation. Superintendent John Chandler looks on. Holding the ribbon are elementary teacher Christi Ryan (left) and elementary secretary Janet Peterson.



Chandler acknowledges the work of former and current School Board members (standing left). Those who were serving on the board when the building bond issue passed in 2005 are also listed on a plaque inside the school.



The public packed the playground and parking lot for the ribbon-cutting, then moved inside to tour the new building.



Monday's first day of classes at the new school started with an assembly for all students, most of whom were wearing Emerald Elementary T-shirts purchased by the former Lincoln School PTO. (Pioneer-Tribune photos)

Emerald School opens its doors

Local history was made Monday, as Manistique Area Schools students attended their first day of classes at the new Emerald Elementary School. The occasion, commemorated with an assembly in the school gym, marked the first time that all MAS children, from pre-kindergarten through fifth grade, were being taught under the same roof.

The public got its first look at the new school building Saturday during an official ribbon-cutting ceremony and open house. The event turned out to be one of the best-attended local activities in recent history, with hundreds of parents, students and community members on hand. By some estimates, the crowd reached nearly 1,000 people.

The brief opening ceremony included remarks from MAS Elementary Principal Jason Lockwood, who recognized the contributions of Dax Richer from Integrated Designs Inc., the project architect, and Tim Kraft of the Wolgast Corporation, the firm that oversaw the construction.

Also speaking were Sheri Davie, a representative from the office of U.S. Sen. Debbie Stabenow, and Manistique Mayor David Peterson.

Peterson said the construction project required strong cooperation between the city and school district.

"It's an example of what we can do when we all work together," Peterson said.

Superintendent John Chandler thanked the community for backing the \$9.975 million bond issue that financed the construction. He also highlighted the efforts of two former superintendents: Ken Grah, who helped launch the long push for a centralized elementary school back in the 1990s, and Esther Mudge, who coordinated the district's efforts after the Lakeside School Fire in 2005, led the successful bond issue campaign later that year, and was in charge during the design, bidding and early construction.

In addition, Chandler thanked the current Board of Education members for their support and acknowledged the efforts of the 2005 board, whose members were also listed on a plaque just inside the school entrance.

After the ceremony, Chandler gave special thanks to MAS Maintenance Supervisor Randy Watchorn for his contributions.

"People don't realize how important he was," Chandler said. "He was really our go-to person on this project. His efforts and his expertise helped a lot. He had a lot of input that made this building much better than it would have been otherwise."

Other highlights of the ceremony included local Girl Scouts raising the American flag above the school for the first time and Manistique High School student Bonnie Lee singing the National Anthem.

The honor of formally cutting the ribbon went to project manager Kraft, who wielded the scissors as onlookers applauded.

The rest of the afternoon was devoted to building tours, as the crowds move inside to talk with teachers, check out the new classrooms and learn about some of the state-of-the-art technology installed in the facility. Refreshments were served in the cafeteria while the Gratitude Steel Band performed in the gymnasium.

The gym will host its first athletic event tonight (Thursday) with a junior high school basketball game. The boys' freshman basketball team will also be playing at the new school this season.

City voters keep incumbents, elect Hollister to council seat

by Paul Olson
 Despite a crowded field of challengers, the three incumbents held onto their seats in Tuesday's Manistique City Council election. Current council members Dan Evonich, Jan Jeffcott and Chris Rantanen were all elected by wide margins, as was newcomer Rick Hollister, who was tapped by voters to fill the fourth open council seat.

Jeffcott defeated Steven Jones 275-140 in their race for a two-year position. Jeffcott, who was appointed in 2006 to fill the vacancy created by Leon Jencuru's death, will now serve out the balance of the original term, which ends in April 2010.

Evonich and Rantanen received the highest number of votes in a five-way race for three seats. Both received 294 votes to win new four-year terms on the council. For Evonich, it will be his second term, for Rantanen her third.

With 282 votes, Hollister was the next highest vote-getter, winning the four-year seat that was formerly held by Tim Noble. Noble resigned from council in August. That seat is now being filled by former city Mayor Jack Hoag, who is serving a temporary appointment and did not run for election.

Manistique City Council Election					
Nov. 6, 2007					
	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4	TOTAL
Two-Year Seat (One Elected)					
Jan Jeffcott (I)	40	24	133	78	275
Steven Jones	22	23	62	33	140
Four-Year Seats (Three Elected)					
Doug Erickson	18	16	56	31	121
Dan Evonich (I)	50	36	138	70	294
Rick Hollister	44	27	134	77	282
Chris Rantanen (I)	42	27	142	83	294
Dan Steva	22	24	64	33	143
Turnout					
Number Registered	358	290	1,065	635	2,348
Number Voting	62	47	199	113	421
Turnout	17.3%	16.2%	18.7%	17.8%	17.9%

Results were unofficial at press time Wednesday, Nov. 7.

By comparison, the 2005 city election, which saw four candidates running for two seats, had a turnout of 37.6 percent. In an uncontested city election in 2004, just 4.5 percent of voters went to the polls.

Delisting meeting Tuesday

by Paul Olson
 The process of delisting the Manistique River and Harbor as an environmental area of concern will continue next week. A public meeting to discuss removing another of the area's "beneficial use impairments" will be held at City Hall next Tuesday, Nov. 13, at 6 p.m., prior to the regular City Council meeting that starts at 7 that night.

Manistique was listed as an area of concern (AOC) in the 1980s. The process of removing that designation began in 2000, after the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency completed its cleanup of PCB-contaminated sediments in the river and harbor.

In 2006, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality developed official guidelines for delisting AOCs in the state. The document spelled out criteria for correcting 12 of 14 beneficial use impairments, or BUIs, created by environmental contamination.

In Manistique, there were five listed impairments: degradation of benthos (aquatic organisms), loss of fish and wildlife habitat, restrictions on fish and wildlife consumption, restrictions on dredging and beach closings.

So far, only one of those BUIs has been removed, with the determination late last year that degradation of benthos was no longer a concern.

According to Julie Sims of the DEQ, their meeting next week will focus on the loss of fish and wildlife habitat.

The DEQ is recommending that BUI1 be removed, based on the fact that certain "restoration targets" have been met.

Those goals were developed by a group called the Manistique River Habitat Committee, made up of the DEQ, Department of Natural Resources, the EPA, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and representatives of the city, Manistique Papers Inc., and the Schoolcraft County Sportfishing Association.

The first target was removal of the benthos degradation BUI, which occurred last year.

Delisting

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Regional jail study gets funding, camp appraisal due next month

by Paul Olson
 Funding has been approved to conduct a study on regional jails in the Upper Peninsula. Among other things, the study will look at the feasibility of turning the former Camp Manistique correctional facility into a jail to house prisoners from multiple counties.

According to Matt Johnson, the U.P. representative for Gov. Jennifer Granholm, the state Legislature included \$120,000 in this year's Department of Corrections budget to pay for the feasibility study.

Johnson made the announcement last Saturday, while taking a tour of the former level-one facility in Manistique, which was shut down by the state Oct. 20.

Rather than looking at just the Manistique situation, the study will broaden its scope to evaluate the entire U.P. and determine if the regional jail concept could work.

The idea of combining county jails has been talked about in northern Michigan for many years. In the past, officials in this area had raised the possibility of building such a facility near Seney, to handle prisoners from Schoolcraft, Luce and Alger counties. More recently, with the shutdown of the local prison, the focus shifted to reusing that building for a regional jail in Manistique.

At the same time, officials in Delta and Marquette counties, along with the Hammettville Tribe, have been discussing a regional jail to serve their areas.

Johnson said the feasibility study will examine those ideas and others, addressing such issues as demand, funding, operations, staffing, jurisdictional questions and more.

Another possible outcome for Camp Manistique might involve a sale to a private party, for corporate or industrial use.

Manistique and Schoolcraft County officials, some of whom are serving on a state and local task force looking at reuse, have already met several times with representatives of a firm that might want to buy part of the prison property.

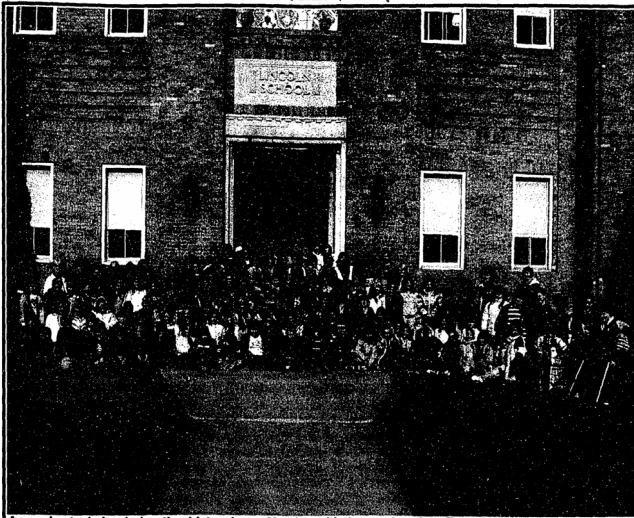
City Manager Sheila Aldrich

Camp tour

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Several city officials toured Camp Manistique last Saturday, along with Matt Johnson, the U.P. representative for Gov. Jennifer Granholm, and several of his public policy students from Northern Michigan University. Conducting the tour were (standing, left) Ward Pulfrey, business manager of the Newberry Correctional Facility, and Cathy Bauman, deputy warden at Newberry. (Pioneer-Tribune photo)



A new chapter in local education history began Monday, with the opening of the Emerald Elementary School... Above left: the staff and students of Lincoln Elementary School captured in a group shot last Thursday afternoon. Above right: Fairview students and teachers got together on Friday, the very last day of classes in the old building.



EDITORIAL

Mandate

No matter how you look at it, Tuesday's Manistique City Council election turned out to be a ringing endorsement of the current council, and by extension, the current direction of the city.

candidates are the same" or "nothing ever changes anyway, so why bother." These are the folks who, in their apathy and ignorance, end up deciding many more American elections than they would ever believe...

But wait, you say. How can you draw that conclusion when the turnout was so depressingly low? Only 421 voters - less than 18 percent - went to the polls.

Finally, there's the group of people who stayed home because they really were satisfied with the status quo, who felt comfortable with our current City Council and wanted to see those people continue in office.

It's a fair question, but the answer is simple. Even those who stayed home on Tuesday had a say in the races, whether they intended or not.

Add it altogether and you have your picture - not just of Tuesday's election but of 21st century American politics in general.

Based on long observation of local government elections, we can probably make some reasonable guesses about the 82 percent who didn't vote this week.

The 82 percent of Manistique voters who turned their backs on the process this week had as much of a voice as the 18 percent who didn't.

In broad numbers, a good 10 to 20 percent most likely belong to the clueless contingent, the ones who would scratch their heads if they read this, and say, "Election? What election?"

None of this, by the way, is intended to take away from the accomplishments of the winners, who did indeed earn their seats by clear and decisive margins.

Another 10 to 20 percent most likely meant to vote but didn't, or couldn't, for one reason or another - illness, family emergency, work emergency, a ride that fell through, a babysitter who didn't show up, a last-minute trip out of town.

They also can see a solid endorsement of the notion that City Council must be active, involved, concerned, pro-business, and always oriented toward growth and development.

There's another group, harder to gauge, that was fully aware of election day but simply didn't care enough to do anything about it.

If enough people had disagreed with that fairly simple but critically important idea, if they'd felt this election was about something else - a single controversial issue, a dissatisfaction with the current direction, a disagreement with past actions, or simply a chance to sweep the bums out of office - we would have seen a different outcome Tuesday.

It is tragic that 47 million Americans are uninsured and the current crop of long-term care policies are insignificant compared with the need, particularly when most of these policies will pay some minimal amount toward nursing home

The public clearly did not want to see that happen.

Low turnout or not, the election results provided a clear mandate. They sent a message that one can mistake.

It's time to carry on.

Letters to the Editor newsroom@pioneertribune.com

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When you are sick, where would you rather be treated? Beds are you would prefer the security and comfort of your own bed in your own home.

struggling with a disability, dealing with a chronic or terminal illness, or recovering from a recent hospital stay, home care professional caregivers have the answer.

care and less for home care, if they cover it at all.

As the 21st century continues to unfold, the fundamental domestic issue becomes obvious: How will we provide high quality long-term care to our parents and eventually for ourselves?

As we prepare for Thanksgiving and recall our many

Inspiring Young Voters: It Has to Start With Parents

By Lucia Bill

Like mother like daughter, like father like son. The great irony of becoming your parents is that it happens sooner than you think.

At any given moment, there are thousands of students across the country whose hands are covered with band-aids from paper cuts they received from fliers posted around campus between classes and from spending their Saturday mornings canvassing - and that's just the beginning.

Contrary to what you may think, it doesn't just take place when your son notices his receding hairline or your daughter buys her ninth pair of silver stud earrings.

Now the demographic is getting ready for 2008. The internationally publicized daily news site Scoop08.com is designed for young people by young people.

You've undoubtedly taught your children to make the right choices - refrain from underage drinking, stay away from drugs, do not have unprotected sex, floss regularly.

It has potential to bring young voters together. This may be a great boost for established young voter mobilization groups like Rock the Vote.

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Although impressively successful in voter registration, even hoodies and Diddy cannot make up for the lack of a broad, focused network.

and if the apple doesn't fall far from the tree, they depend on you as the parent too.

The education of citizens should not begin at 17 when suddenly they receive a phonebook's worth of paper telling them to "Vote or Die."

Lucia Bill is a Warsaw, Poland, native who immigrated at age nine and settled in her now-home state of Arizona. Her career as an opinion columnist began at 19 when she published in The Arizona Republic. In her spare time, she coaches high school debate and serves as a teaching assistant in the political science department at Arizona State University.

Rotary to dish up spaghetti Saturday

The Manistique Rotary Club will hold its annual fall spaghetti dinner Saturday, Nov. 10, from 4 to 7 p.m., at the Elks Lodge on Walnut Street.

Like the club's long-running Super Bowl Sunday pancake breakfast, the dinner is a fundraiser, with proceeds supporting club projects in the local community.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for children under 12. They will be available at the door or can be purchased in advance from any club member.

A Look Back at the...

Pioneer-Tribune Archives

40 Years Ago November 9, 1967

The last drugstore soda fountain in town bowed to the inevitable last week, during remodeling at A.S. Patena & Company's former location.

Bids for the new Manistique elementary school came in at more than \$50,000 over the available funds at Tuesday night's bid opening by the board of education.

Questions and answers on Michigan's new state income tax was the theme of the Monday-noon meeting of the Manistique Rotary Club, with Bernard Brawley of the Michigan Department of Revenue office in Escanaba at the speaker.

A street on the new North Campus of the University of Michigan has been named in honor of the late J. Joseph Herbert of Manistique, former Regent of the University.

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20 Years Ago November 12, 1987

The city's grant application for the proposed recreation center was turned down by the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund.

Money is the only snag in securing an absolute promise from Lansing that Manistique will be home to the shock incarceration unit, according to Dan Smith, the Economic Development Corporation's administrative assistant.

The County Audit Board and the City Council decided this week to split the postage cost for 300 surveys to be sent by the Waterfront Development Committee.

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With that done, I turn my attention to a few household matters. This includes rinsing snack dishes to prevent their remains from petrifying.

Next, I decide which item to thaw for tomorrow's dinner, thus assuring that today's leftovers will face utter abandonment.

Speaking of desertion, I suddenly recall the clothes I left in the dryer. So I fold the wrinkled specimens with my last ounce of strength.

Then I jot down the next

day's To Do List. The experts I mentioned say that doing so allows your brain to let go of details so you can sleep -- only to obsess over them the next day.

And finally that long awaited moment arrives when I crawl under the sheets and pull my blanket up to my chin. I read a full paragraph from my book before conking out.

Perhaps I should start that bedtime routine BEFORE exhaustion occurs. Like around noon.



Officials and friends gathered last Friday for the grand opening of the brand new Limestone Federal Credit Union building in Manistique. Above, from left: Glenda Heminger representing the Schoolcraft County Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors, LFCU Treasurer Jean Vanderville, Roy Neiss of project builders Neiss Construction, Membership Officer Ron Provo, charter credit union member Harry Toennesen, Chairman Gilbert Sablack, Vice Chairman Ken Fagan, Chief Executive Officer Jennifer C. Watson and Lenore Derouin, executive director of the Chamber of Commerce. As he cut the ribbon, Sablack thanked the employees, management, credit union members and contractors for their support of the project, and said they were very proud of their new facility. "It's going to serve us and Schoolcraft County for many years to come," he stated. (Pioneer-Tribune photo)

Manistique councilperson listed in latest 'Who's Who in America'

Jan Jeffcott of Manistique has been selected for inclusion in the latest edition of "Who's Who in America." Marquis, the company that produces the annual volumes, says "Who's Who" has been published since 1899, "chronicling the lives of the most accomplished individuals and innovators from every significant field of endeavor."
Jeffcott works in private portfolio management, operating her business, Edumetrics, from her home in Manistique. She was the vice president of Manistique Manufacturing and Technology from 1991 to 1998 and president from 1999 to 2002, when she sold the firm, which is now known as Manistique Machine.
Before moving to Manistique, she spent 23 years as administrator of the media technology group at Madison (Wis.) Area Technical College. Appointed to fill a vacancy on the Manistique City Council in 2006, she was re-elected just this week to fill the two years remaining on the original term.
Among her many other community involvements, she served eight years on the Manistique Area Schools Board of Education and has worked with the Academic Booster Club, the Hiawathaland Library Cooperative, the Regional Library Council, the Schoolcraft County Chamber of Commerce, the local Habitat for Humanity affiliate and the Schoolcraft County Economic Development Corporation. She is also a member of the Manistique Planning and Zoning Commission.
Most recently, Jeffcott has been active with the economic development planning effort underway in the county, serving as captain of the "prosperity team" that secured a planning grant and a member of the task force that is carrying out the process.



Ryan Grimm

Grimm earns Jackson Officer of Year Award

Former Manistique resident Ryan Grimm was recently honored by the police department in downstate Jackson as their Officer of the Year. His award was presented at an annual banquet to recognize the work of local police personnel. Police Chief Ervin L. Portis described Grimm as a hard-working officer who shows dedication to the department and the community as a whole.

The Jackson Police Department has 71 sworn and 24 civilian personnel.
Grimm was a 1996 graduate of Manistique High School and earned his bachelor's science degree in criminal justice from Northern Michigan University in 2000. He was employed by the Schoolcraft County Sheriff's Department while attending the NMJ Regional Police Academy, which he completed in 2001. He started with the police department in Jackson in February 2002.

Grimm lives in Jackson with his wife, former Manistique resident Dawn Tenyson-Grimm. The couple has three children, Cooper, Chloe and Carson.
He is the son of Allen and Irene Grimm of Manistique. Dawn's parents are David and Laurie Tenyson of Manistique.

Church to hold craft fair

The First Baptist Church of Manistique will host its annual Christmas bazaar and craft fair this Saturday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., in the church multi-purpose room. The event will raise money to help families that need assistance with heating and utility bills.

Booths will feature many handmade items, including wood crafts, knitted articles, quilts, jewelry, centerpieces, ornaments and a variety of unique gifts.
The event will also include a bake sale, refreshments, and live Christmas music performed at scheduled times throughout the day.

For more information, contact Carol Dixon or Sue Bellville, or call the church at 341-2814.



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During World War II, Winter worked at the defense plant in Manistique. He is skilled in various areas of building maintenance, especially carpentry.
He has been involved with the Marygrove Retreat Center in Garden for many years, attending numerous retreats and lending a hand with facility and grounds maintenance.
Dioecese officials say many people who have attended retreats at the center refer to Winter as "Mr. Marygrove," and others point to his "inspirational support, wise direction and spiritual friendship."
Recipients of the Catholic Service Award receive a medallion engraved with the words "in the name of Jesus Christ, the son of God, Amen."
Nominations for the 2008 award will be accepted through next Aug. 15. Information and forms are available at www.dioecesofmarquette.org or by calling (906) 227-9102.

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18. Matron of honor was Marion Enstrom, sister of the bride. Sara MacGregor, daughter of the groom, was bridesmaid. Junior bridesmaids were, Courtney LaLonde and Kelsey LaLonde, both daughters of the bride.

Best man was Michael J. MacGregor, cousin of the groom. The groomsman was Bruce Enstrom, brother-in-law of the bride. Junior groomsman were Nicholas Pung and Danny Pung, both nephews of the groom.

The couple has made their home in Manistique.



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During World War II, Winter worked at the defense plant in Manistique. He is skilled in various areas of building maintenance, especially carpentry.

He has been involved with the Marygrove Retreat Center in Garden for many years, attending numerous retreats and lending a hand with facility and grounds maintenance.

Diocece officials say many people at the center refer to Winter as "Mr. Marygrove," and others point to his "inspirational support, wise direction and spiritual friendship."

Recipients of the Catholic Service Award receive a medal engraved with the diocese coat of arms.

Nominations for the 2008 award will be accepted through next Aug. 15. Information and forms are available at www.diocecefornet.org or by calling (906) 227-9102.



Officials and friends gathered last Friday for the grand opening of the brand new Limestone Federal Credit Union building in Manistique. Above, from left: Glenda Heminger representing the Schoolcraft County Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors, LFCU Treasurer Jean Vanderville, Roy Nees of project builders Ness Contracting, Membership Officer Ron Provo, charter credit union member Harry Toennesen, Chairman Gilbert Sablack, Vice Chairman Ken Fagan, Chief Executive Officer Jennifer C. Watson and Lenore Derouin, executive director of the Chamber of Commerce. As he cut the ribbon, Sablack thanked the employees, management, credit union members and contractors for their support of the project, and said they were very proud of their new facility. "It's going to serve us and Schoolcraft County for many years to come," he stated. (Pioneer-Tribune photo)

Manistique councilperson listed in latest 'Who's Who in America'

Jan Jeffcott of Manistique has been selected for inclusion in the latest edition of "Who's Who in America."

Marquis, the company that produces the annual volumes, says "Who's Who" has been published since 1899, "chronicling the lives of the most accomplished individuals and innovators from every significant field of endeavor."

Jeffcott works in private portfolio management, operating her business, Edumetrics, from her home in Manistique.

She was the vice president of Manistique Manufacturing and Technology from 1991 to 1998 and president from 1999 to 2002, when she sold the firm, which is now known as Manistique Machine.

Before moving to Manistique, she spent 23 years as administrator of the media technology group at Madison (Wis.) Area Technical College.

Appointed to fill a vacancy on the Manistique City Council in 2006, she was re-elected just this week to fill the two years remaining on the original term.

Among her many other community involvements, she served eight years on the Manistique Area Schools Board of Education and has worked with the Academic Booster Club, the Hiawathaland Library Cooperative, the Regional Library Council, the Schoolcraft County Chamber of Commerce, the local Habitat for Humanity affiliate and the Schoolcraft County Economic Development Corporation.

She is also a member of the Manistique Planning and Zoning Commission.

Most recently, Jeffcott has been active with the economic development planning effort underway in the county, serving as captain of the "prosperity team" that secured a planning grant and a member of the task force that is carrying out the process.



Ryan Grimm

Grimm earns Jackson Officer of Year Award

Former Manistique resident Ryan Grimm was recently honored by the police department in downstate Jackson as their Officer of the Year. His award was presented at an annual banquet to recognize the work of local police personnel.

Police Chief Ervin L. Portis described Grimm as a hardworking officer who shows dedication to the department and the community as a whole.

The Jackson Police Department has 71 sworn and 24 civilian personnel.

He is the son of Allen and Irene Grimm of Manistique. Dawn's parents are David and Laurie Tennyson of Manistique.

Church to hold craft fair

The First Baptist Church of Manistique will host its annual Christmas bazaar and craft fair this Saturday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., in the church multi-purpose room. The event will raise money to help families that need assistance with heating and utility bills.

Booths will feature many handmade items, including wood crafts, knitted articles, quilts, jewelry, centerpieces, ornaments and a variety of unique gifts.

The event will also include a bake sale, refreshments, and live Christmas music performed at scheduled times throughout the day.

For more information, contact Carol Dixon or Sue Bellville, or call the church at 341-2814.

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Showing Fri-Thurs?

Saw IV
RATED R Running time: 95 minutes

Jigsaw and his apprentice Amanda are dead. Upon the news of Detective Kerry's murder, two seasoned FBI profilers, Agent Strahm and Agent Perez, arrive at the depleted police precinct and help veteran Detective Hoffman split through Jigsaw's latest grisly game of victims and piece together the puzzle. However, when SWAT Commander Pligg, the last officer untouched by Jigsaw, is suddenly abducted and thrust...

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CROSSWORD puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down sections.

You Make Us Proud
The Manistique Area Schools Foundation, which provides scholarships to graduating seniors...



An old newspaper photo of Lawrence Landwehr taken during World War II.

Lawrence Landwehr graduated from Manistique High School with the Class of 1938. He attended all of the class reunions and remembers classmates like Billie Doyle and Harriet Abramsen.

Those were the "good old days," he noted in a recent interview. Just out of high school, he attended business college for two years, served in the Seney Wildlife CCC camp for one year, and enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1941.



Pictured with just some of the garbage they collected with their classmates for "Make a Difference Day" are (from left) Ryan Barton, Allison Halpin, Andrew Johnson and Nick Gould.

Students at St. Francis clean up for Make A Difference Day

Thoughtful citizens across the grader Nick Gould, who found country took time out of their most of his trash along busy schedules last month to do cemetery fence line, said, "To something good for their clean up the town and the communities. They did so in graveyard so that more people honor of Make a Difference Day, and teachers say it's as important as anything students can learn inside the walls of a school."

Bay plans AutoCAD course

Bay de Noc Community College will offer a beginning level AutoCAD course in the evening during the upcoming winter term. Classes will begin on Wednesday, Jan. 16, and run through Monday, April 28.

SUDOKU puzzle and DOUBLE TAKE word search puzzle.

Fire plow Continued from A2

The speed and effectiveness of a crawler tractor equipped with a Michigan fire line plow has made it the primary wild-fire suppression tool for a majority of the wildfires in Michigan.

Does It Matter Where I Donate Blood?

Blood products collected by the U.P. Regional Blood Center, based at Marquette General Hospital, are distributed to 13 U.P. hospitals. The next Blood Center blood drive will be held...

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ROARING TWENTIES
In the grid below, twenty words can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each word that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid.

Word search grid with categories: INSECTS, WOODS, etc.

Pasty sale scheduled

The women of First United Methodist Church, 190 N. Cedar St., will hold their monthly pasty sale Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 14 and 15.



Saturday, Nov. 10

- Local participating vendors: Pampered Chef, Avon, Typeware, Lia Sophia, Scoothly Touch, Tastefully Simple, Pen & Ink Greetings Cards, Mary Kay, Donna Pomroy with new book 'Faded Glories'.

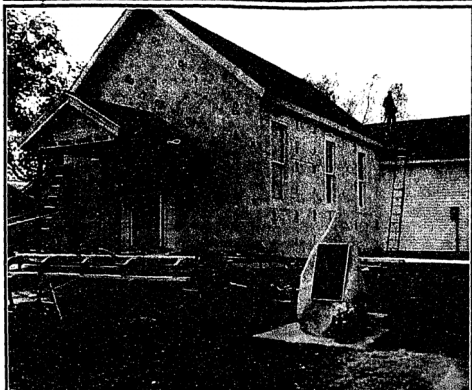
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The Garden Peninsula Historical Society is in the midst of giving a face lift to the Henessey School House Museum. Insulation, siding and a new roof will complete the renovation project. A wing added to the museum in 2006 contains many new displays, including a loom dating back to the 1860s. (Submitted photo)

Delisting Continued from A1

The second target required proof that the river supports a diverse fish community. The DEQ's delisting recommendation notes that a DNR fisheries survey for the river was completed last year, and it showed that the second goal had been met. From 1956 through 2006, surveys generally targeted game fish or fish that were larger in size, not taking into account smaller species such as minnows and shiners. But in October 2006, a survey was conducted for all observed fish species, and it determined that the river potentially sustains 30 species or

more. A total of 18 species were actually captured during the survey. The list included species such as alewife, black crappie, white sucker, and several types of minnows and shiners. It also included Chinook salmon, northern pike, pumpkinseed sunfish, rock and smallmouth bass, walleye, yellow perch and more. Darren Kramer, a DNR fisheries biologist, noted that the number of species observed in the river is "consistent with what is expected for this type of system."

Camp tour Continued from A1

Before any sale could occur, the property needs to be appraised — another step that is already in the works. Johnson said the state solicited proposals from appraisal firms and recently awarded a contract to Swanson, Mercer and Associates of Marquette. The company will provide a two-part appraisal, one part covering the complete property, the other dealing with the value of just the land, without the buildings. The results are expected in early December. Johnson, who also teaches public policy at Northern Michigan University, was in Manistique with a group of his students.

He said the class tackles a different policy problem each year. This year's project is looking at the closure and reuse of Camp Manistique. In addition to touring the site last weekend, the students have been pursuing other avenues, including researching regional jails elsewhere in the country. While it's too early to know what recommendations the class might develop, or how they would factor into the process of finding a new use for the prison, Johnson said past classes have successfully studied a number of real-life challenges and contributed to solving them. "They've worked on things that have led to real changes,"

as the Menominee River, support more species, while smaller rivers like the Sturgeon support fewer. "Therefore, the Manistique River, although not comparable to another river in Northern Lake Michigan, is consistent with fish diversity expectations relative to its size and location," the DEQ determined. Summing up the findings, the Habitat Committee concluded that the river provides diverse habitat characteristics, which in turn supports a diverse fishery. Quoting the DNR, they noted that "the habitat found in the AOC also supports the forage resources needed to maintain the current fish community and a healthy riverine environment."

Next week's meeting will give the public a chance to get more information on the DEQ's current delisting recommendation. It will also open a 30-day public comment period on the potential removal of the BUI, which will run through Dec. 13. Those unable to attend the session can send comments to: Julie Sims, AOC Coordinator, MDEQ, Water Bureau, P.O. Box 30273, Lansing, MI 48909-7773. Sims can also be reached by e-mail at simsj@michigan.gov or by phone at (517) 373-2732.

Technology helps counselor work from home

Sharla Kimmel of Manistique spent years as a physical rehabilitation counselor, helping others while silently struggling herself with bipolar disorder. Now, using technology and help from United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) of Michigan, she is better able to manage her disability as she works from home. In 2005, Kimmel received funding from the Michigan Telework Loan Fund to set up her home office and develop a client base through an Upper Michigan rehabilitation company.

As a teleworker, she now does both medical case management and vocational rehabilitation counseling, helping people through their physical recovery from injuries and the

return to employment. UCP Michigan recently recognized Kimmel's efforts as part of National Disability Employment Awareness Month in October. Linda Potter, executive director of UCP Michigan, says the observation was established as "a time to recognize the more than 290,000 working people in Michigan with disabilities who find creative ways to achieve balance in their lives."



Sharla Kimmel of Manistique, a rehabilitation counselor and case manager, established her home office several years ago with assistance from United Cerebral Palsy Michigan and the Michigan Telework Loan Fund. (Submitted photo)

Amity Group plans homemade auction

An auction of homemade items is on the agenda at the next meeting of the Manistique Amity Group, Wednesday, Nov. 14, at 9:30 a.m., at the Presbyterian Church on Main Street. To participate, simply bring two auction items to the meeting. The Amity Group always welcomes new members and guests. For more information about the club and its activities, call 341-6865.

Kimmel has worked in the field since 1994, and in 2001 earned a master's degree in rehabilitation counseling from Michigan State University. But the combination of an incorrect diagnosis and an inflexible schedule led her to change jobs

in the United States. More than 35,000 Michigan citizens live with the condition. For more information on the Michigan Telework Loan Fund go to www.michiganloanfunds.org. To learn more about UCP Michigan programs and services, visit www.ucp.org/ucp_local/cm/87.

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The St. Francis Raiders Cross Country Team at the starting line during one of their meets.



Runner Leah Cook during competition.



Runner Ryan Ramey during competition.

Cross Country kicked off the brand new sports program at St. Francis de Sales this school year. St. Francis planned to offer a variety of sports opportunities to their students, and because of the cooperative agreement entered into with Manistique Area Schools, all area students were allowed to participate.

Although their season got off to a late start, the cross-country team did a bang-up job! Coach David Winkel was really proud of all the kids, and said that they did great for their first year. Going into a brand new sport takes a lot of confidence and determination, and the athletes lacked none of that. They competed hard and medalled in many of their meets. We are all looking forward to more fun and a more experienced team next year!



Members of the St. Francis Football Club: (standing L to R) Ryan Ramey, P.J. Birr, Coach Al Stenberg, Ryan Jenerou, Matthew Michaels, Hunter Schnurer, (kneeling L to R) Colby Brazda, Nick Gould, Jake Burnis, Brett Annelin, Connor Hamlin, Jordan Ramey.

FOOTBALL CLUB

The youth St. Francis de Sales football club is going great. The players are learning to block, punt, pass and run. Any student who is in grades 4 - 7 is allowed to participate. The kids are having the time of their lives when they are out on the field during their scrimmages. One of the main goals for the club is to get students interested in football. It gives the kids a chance to get familiar with some of the fundamentals before they enter the Manistique Junior High football program.



Basketball

This year there are some students from St. Francis participating in basketball at the Manistique High School. These students are Maryse Hinkson, Darby Demers, Haley MacGregor, Kyra Lauzon, and Jennifer Desjarden. We have had a lot of practices and it's made us a lot better. The season is almost over but we had a lot of fun and made a lot of new friends.



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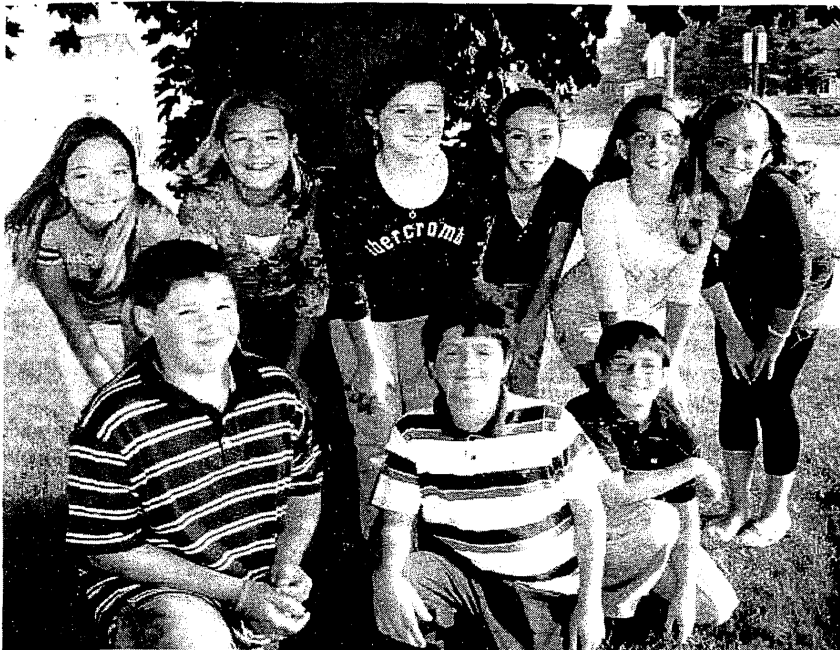
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Read Raider



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The Read Raider Staff: (standing L to R) Jennifer DesJarden, Cassie Walters, Hailey MacGregor, Maryse Hinkson, Darby Demers, Kyra Lauzon, (kneeling L to R) Hunter Majurin, Jared Johnson, Josh Hentschell. Not pictured: Ahna Jenerou

The seventh grade class is starting up a St. Francis de Sales School newspaper. Some of the skills the students are learning include: reporting real life events happening around them, managing the financial aspects of a newspaper, learning how to properly format articles to fit in a newspaper, and how to be active in the community. The newspaper is helping them develop real life skills for the future.

In one event that the students covered named "Blessing of the pets," students took pictures of the animals around them and wrote an article on the event. They typed it up and formatted the article. The students were happy to be involved with reporting events happening around

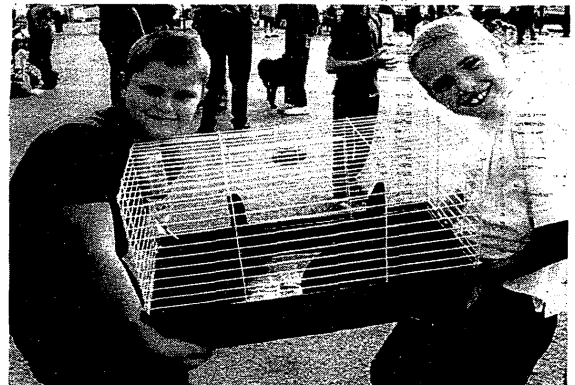
them. The students also wrote articles about sports that were taking place in the school and

took pictures with a digital camera.

Finally, the students went to businesses to get ads. This made the seventh grade class responsible for the funding of the newspaper. With the money, the students want to purchase a digital camera used by the class for the newspaper. By covering these events, the students are being involved in the school and the community.



Father Glenn Theoret blesses pets during the ceremony.



Charles Schuetter and Nolan Raredon show off rabbits.



Allison Halpin (left) and Gracie Barr stand with Gracie's horse, the largest pet at the ceremony!



New Security System At School!

This year at St. Francis we got a new security system. It has a camera at the front and back doors. Then there are phones that have screens on them to see who the person is in the pre-k and the office. The doors are locked all the time and the person has to ring a doorbell. Then the person's picture shows up on the screen and if they them to come in then they will unlock the door.

Blessing of the pets first arose because of the feast of St. Francis. St. Francis loved animals. Today we celebrate blessing of the pets in honor of him. Blessing of the pets was a great success. All of the children seemed filled with joy to have the pets around them.

There were various pets at the ceremony, dogs, cats, bunnies, a goat, a rat, and, a duck. The pets

and there owners were walking around the cemented area.

It was reasonably fair weather, the sun was out and also the children's smiles. Father Glenn wandered around viewing the pet.

Awhile after the ceremony slowed down Father gathered all the pets and began to bless them. After the blessing had taken place children gathered there belonging and went home.

Classroom Corner

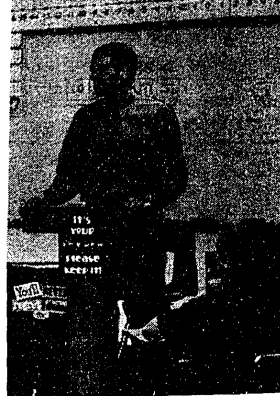
Halloween is here and the pre-k 3 year olds are in the mood. Last week was clown week in Mrs. Cathy's room. The clown passed out snacks and had some good laughs. Mrs. Mackie kept her distance, she doesn't like clowns. Some of the kids gave me some ideas of what they want to be for Halloween. Here are some cool ideas. Dora, a monster truck, Tinkerbelle, and a doodle bop. Some kids didn't even know what they wanted to be for Halloween. Good luck pre-school, I hope you get lots of candy.



The first graders are off to a great start. Not only are they growing but also their bean plants are spouting as well. Kanton Lauzon of the first grade commented that "I am learning a lot of new words" with the frequent spelling test. They are also learning new Spanish colors. Some of the kids were filled with excitement of Halloween filled the children's young minds.



The 3rd grade is doing many fun things. One thing they did is cut open an apple, they discovered a star inside. They are also growing green beans. Most of the plants are dead but three or so are still alive. They are about five inches long. Another thing they did is put a piece of celery in a jar with colored water in it. If the celery is in the jar long enough it will turn that color of the water. The colors are yellow red and blue. That's a little bit of the third grade.



There are many things happening in the sixth grade classroom. They say, "We have a lot of work, but we still have fun." Right now they are working on long division in Math and DNA cells in Science. Besides the work they have fun with other things. They have Spanish and Art. They are enjoying learning a new language. Some of the sixth graders are in cross country and the football club. The three that are in cross country are Vanessa McNamara, Leah Cook, and Ryan Ramey. Football club member P.J. said, "Its fun to run and block and you learn good fundamentals." The sixth grade sounds like a fun learning class.

This year students in seventh grade at St. Francis are working on a news paper. The newspaper is going well, the kids have been writing articles like crazy.

In language arts the kids are working on parts of speech.

In reading they read the book called Freak the Mighty by Rodman Philbrick. Now they are reading a book called The Pig man by Paul Zindel.

In math the children have been adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing integers.

In science they are learning about weather. Science is really clicking to some of the students. Mr. Winkel has tried to help the students understand by using experiments.

In Social Studies the students are working on things about Europe. They are going to take a test on it soon. I hope they all pass.

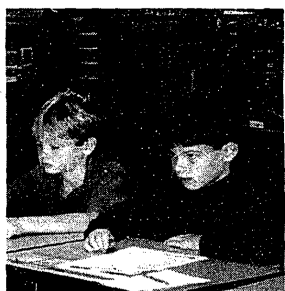


The four year old pre-k class this year have been working with things on dinosaurs. They also took a field trip to the post office and are going to see if the fire pup and the fire truck can come and visit St. Francis for career week.



The kindergarten class was so excited for Halloween! They had a really great time at the annual St. Francis de Sales Halloween Party. They all looked so cute in their costumes. They had fun showing off to all their friends. Besides the fun they were having with the holiday, they were busy with their academics as well. They mounted their magic carpet and flew to Escanaba. While they were there, they went to Burger King and the magic garden for lunch and snacks. Although the kids love our yummy hot lunches, they had a good time eating the M&M math homework.

The 2nd graders are doing a lot this week. First in science they are learning about plants and there functions. Next in social studies they are learning about world terms. Such as desert, forest, peninsula, lake, mountain, gulf etc. Plus in social studies they are learning map skills like the compass rose and directions. Last in reading they read about three stories, chose there favorite, and wrote about it. This was the story of Frog and Toad. They are hanging in the hall by the girl's bathroom. Good job 2nd grade!! ☺



The fourth grade class this year is having a great year. In social studies, we are working on longitude and latitude lines on the globe. So to do something interesting with it, we went into the gym and made a model of the Earth out of yarn. We labeled the degrees latitude and longitude, the equator and prime meridian, put the directions North, South, East, and West, and found out what hemisphere each continent is on. We all want to do something like these again!



Fifth grade had a new student in their class and her name is Taylor Cota. I interviewed the fifth grade and they all had something to say. Most of them said that they liked the food, they love the new basket ball hoops that are on the new playground, and the classes are happy to have Taylor back and they say that its good to have a new student because it is another student to add to the St. Frances De Sales school. And it is fun having Spanish as a new class.

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Untitled

By Jordan Ramey

I see my breath like fog. Pucks flying everywhere like bumble bees.
 I hear the coach yelling skate, and me huffing and puffing!
 I smell the sweat of my clothes like stinky socks.
 I taste a cold rubber mouth guard and the water.
 I feel my legs pumping fast and hard and I am cold and tired.
 I wonder if we will be a good team this year and if I will score a goal this year.

Grass

By Rebecca Desjarden

Grass you beautiful thing
 You get stepped on and crush with feet
 Grass I feel bad for you
 Is your heart in two?
 Grass, nice and fluffy
 That's why I lay on you
 Grass you're everywhere
 That's one of the reasons why I love you
 Grass you die easily
 You struggle too
 Grass when you get long
 You get chopped in two
 And that's all of the reasons why I love you

First Buck

By Hunter Majurin

On one rainy day in October, Hunter Majurin shot a nice 6 point buck with his Hoyt Tricon sport bow.

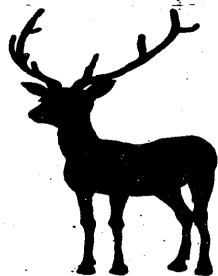
This is Hunter's story, on the opening day of bow season in 2007. Hunter went to bow camp with his step dad Dave. After a long night of playing cards and getting ready, Hunter was ready to go.

When he got to his tree stand he wasn't there a half an hour and a nice 6 point came in to Hunter's bait pile. Hunter drew his bow back and shot him in the heart at 34 yards. Hunter was so excited he ran back to

camp to tell his step dad who was getting ready to go hunting himself.

After he told him, Dave commented that he will look for him with Hunter after he goes hunting. Well, it ends up Dave shot a nice 8 point. So first we went to look for Dave's deer, we found him in a field about 46 yards from his tree stand.

Then we finally went to look for my deer, he didn't go 25 yards. After we got our deer cleaned out we hit the road. It was another successful year in Menominee.



PUMPKIN BARS

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| 1 C. oil | 2 t. baking powder |
| 2 C. sugar | 1 t. soda |
| 2 C. pumpkin | $\frac{1}{2}$ t. salt |
| 2 C. flour | 2 t. cinnamon |
| 4 eggs | |

Mix oil and sugar, add pumpkin & eggs. Sift all dry ingredients together, add to pumpkin mixture. Put in 2-3 x 9" cake pans which have been lightly greased and floured. Bake at 350° for 20-25 min. & frost.

FROSTING

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| 3 oz. pkg. cream cheese at room temperature | |
| 1 t. vanilla | $\frac{3}{4}$ stick oleo |
| 1 T. cream or milk | 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ cups powdered sugar |
- Mix and spread over cooled pumpkin bars.

Poetry Reading

There were 71 people who attended the poetry reading held at St. Francis de Sales in October. Refreshments were served before the program. To start the night off, the fifth grade teacher Mr. Stenberg read a poem he wrote in college titled *I Am From*.

Following him was the fourth grade teacher, Ms. Oman. She read a poem written during her college days as well. The poem was about her first day of kindergarten. After Ms. Oman was finished, eight of her fourth grade students read poems that they wrote.

Following the fourth grade, 12 fifth grade students read their poems. The fifth graders have been working on poetry for quite some time, and even decorated the school with their work! You could even find their writings on the walls of the restrooms!

After all the kids poems were read, the guest speaker, Jack Nelson, gave a talk on the truth and courage of a person who writes poems. Then he read a few of his favorite poems by various authors.

Before closing, Mr. Nelson shared some of his own original poetry. This was the first poetry reading that St. Francis has ever had, and it is an event that we hope will continue year after year!



As a reward to his students for doing so well at the poetry reading, Mr. Stenberg spent some time in class playing his guitar and singing songs. The students really enjoyed the entertainment. It was a fair trade for a job well done!



School Days

By Maryse Hinkson

School Days can be great.
 Just don't be late.
 School can be cool.
 But you must learn the golden rule.
 Sometimes it's work galore.
 Then you'll start to say no more.
 Sometimes you'll say hooray.
 Sometimes you'll have bad days.
 You will have to use your brain.
 So you will not be lame.
 These are things that are about school!

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To my angels...
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A MESSAGE OF THANKS
Manistique Community Schools Youth Football League would like to thank everyone that helped make this season a success for our 7th and 8th grade youth football teams.

THANK YOU TO THE PEOPLE OF SCHOOLCRAFT, DELTA AND MENOMINEE COUNTIES
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VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

November 9, 11 a.m.

Fredrickson Auditorium, Manistique High School

V.F.W. Post #4420
V.F.W. Auxiliary

American Legion Post #83
D.A.V. Chapter #26

- MASTER OF CEREMONIES:** Richard Ketcik
- POSTING OF COLORS:** Ed Wild, Color Guard Commander
- NATIONAL ANTHEM:** Manistique High School Band Director: George McClinchy
- CHAPLAIN:** Jules Rivard - Chaplain American Legion Post #83
- MUSIC:** Manistique High School Band Director: George McClinchy
- VETERANS DAY MESSAGES:** Meghan McKenzie, Chelsey Smith, Steve Young, Christie Rumrill - High School Student Council and Mr. Tony Williams
SSG Jeff Ryan - USA Air Force, former student
David Buttermore - Commander American Legion Post #83
George Fish - Commander V.F.W. Post #4420
Sandra DeRousha - Member of V.F.W. Auxiliary #4420
Mike Johnson - D.A.V. Chapter #26
Richard Ketcik - Master of Ceremonies
- Closing Remarks**
- RETIRING OF COLORS:** Ed Wild - Color Guard Commander

*The public is encouraged to attend the Veterans Day Program.
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