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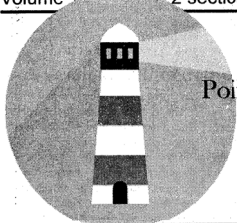
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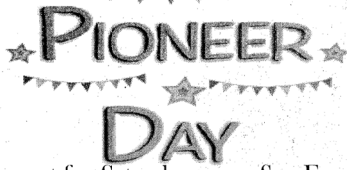
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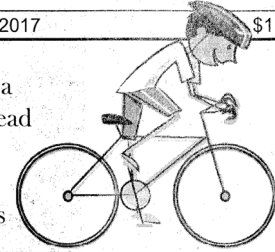


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## Meeting reveals staffing concern

Possible alternative school staff reduction proposed

MANISTIQUE — Members of the public spoke out Monday about the possible reduction of staff at the Jack Reque Alternative High School. The comments were made during the Manistique Area Schools Board of Education meeting.

Resident Steve Latterman, an alternative high school advisory board member, was first to express his concern.

"The (advisory) board is concerned about any reduction in the number of teachers at alternative education," he said. "Bringing it down to one (from two) could have the school board setting up that program for failure."

Latterman proceeded to provide background on the alternative high school — noting that it has been operational for 20 years.

"They've had 177 graduates — this has reduced the number of dropouts, overall, in the school district," he explained.

"These are a lot of students who would not have been able to graduate without being in alternative education. The school has provided them a future and hope and a great deal of encouragement for their own future."

Over the past 20 years, the alternative school has averaged 25 students a year, Latterman noted, with that number hitting 30 a few times. This coming year, 17 students are expected to enroll in the school.

"Again, alternative adds students throughout the year as it goes on," he said.

Since 2002, Latterman said teachers Trina Nedeau and Kathy Seaman have been a "consistent team" at Jack Reque.

"They provide care and support for a great many of students," he explained.

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## Upcoming Events

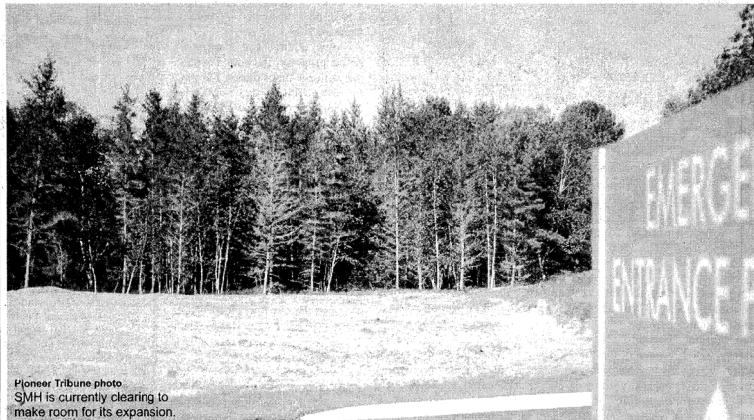
**June 24** — Schoolcraft County Historical Society's Pioneer Day, Manistique Marina, 10 a.m.

**June 24** — Emerald City Independence Day Celebration Bake Sale, Shopko, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

**June 24** — Bike Helmet Rodeo, Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

**July 1** — Manistique Fourth of July celebration, Parade at 12:30 p.m., fireworks at dusk.

**July 7,8** — Manistique Folkfest, downtown Manistique, Friday 5:30 p.m.-12 a.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-12 a.m.



Pioneer Tribune photo. SMH is currently clearing to make room for its expansion.

## EXPANSION AHEAD

Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital plans addition to facility

MANISTIQUE — Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital is growing from within — prompting the need for an expansion expected to get underway by early next year. The hospital is currently in the preliminary planning stages of the project.

According to the hospital's CEO, Robert Crumb, the need for an addition to the existing hospital — which opened in 2013 — is directly associated with the growing staff.

"We've been very successful this year in acquiring physicians and providers," explained Crumb. "We have a new nurse practitioner, Tracey Marino, who's helping in RediCare. We've hired Janet Pratt, who's a psychiatric nurse practitioner, to begin to do some mental health man-

agement within the clinic. We've hired a surgical podiatrist, Dr. John Niemela. He does everything from the knee down, so he's been able to bring a lot of specialized care."

Crumb noted that Niemela also treats children — a service no other podiatrist in the Upper Peninsula offers.

"That's pretty exciting," he added. In addition to medical staff currently on board, the hospital will also gain a full-time cardiologist in August.

"He'll be bringing a number of new procedures that we'll be able to do here and keep people close to home," Crumb said.

Also, in the fall, an ear, nose, and throat specialist will come aboard to offer services to adults and children.

"He also is board certified as a head and neck plastic surgeon, which he does mostly for skin cancers," explained Crumb. "Dermatology is very hard to find in the U.P. as well, so that's going to allow a number of people to stay here and get treated."

The staff additions, Crumb pointed out, has led to the hospital being "out of space" — necessitating the expansion.

"We're looking at expanding the clinic," he said. "Also, there were some people that never got into the (new) building, so we

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## DNR partners with Schoolcraft County to improve local Rainey Wildlife Area

MANISTIQUE — This spring and summer, Michigan Department of Natural Resources wildlife division staffers are improving the Rainey Memorial Wildlife Area in Schoolcraft County, with the help of county community corrections workers.

The 100-acre wildlife area is situated about seven miles northwest of Manistique, off Wawaushnosh Drive in Hiawatha Township. The site has a walking trail and elevated observation platform offering great opportunities for watching eagles, trumpeter swans, a variety of migrating songbirds, ducks and other wildlife.

Recently, the 93rd District Court Community Corrections Program of Schoolcraft County helped DNR wildlife division workers place cedar wood chips and mulch along the 800-foot-long pathway, and picked up garbage throughout the area.

The District Court includes Schoolcraft and Alger counties and Judge Mark Luoma presides over court cases from those two jurisdictions.

Magistrate David Madcox said the court is pleased to assist the DNR with this type of project. Community corrections workers are expected to continue to help the DNR throughout the summer at the site.

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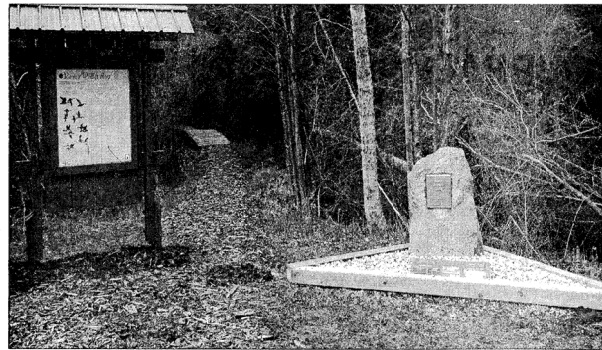


Photo courtesy DNR. Above, the entrance to the improving Rainey Memorial Wildlife Area in Schoolcraft County is shown.



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# FUN(DS) DAY

The CBC Fund Drive came to a close in April, but the giving continued last week when the CBC chairs distributed checks to the pre-selected charities. The American Cancer Society, Bay Cliff Health Camp, and St. Vincent de Paul's medical support services each received \$17,500 from the approximately \$59,300 earned during the fund drive. Pictured above are: Sally Stram (mBank), Roger Irie (Bay Cliff), Alan Barr (second chairperson), Jim Weber (first chairperson), Dick Ketcik (ACS), Robert Crumb (third chairperson), Julie Burrell, and Bonnie Garvin (both with St. Vincent de Paul).

Pioneer Tribune photo

## Seney Refuge releases event schedule

SENEY – The Seney National Wildlife Refuge is gearing up for a summer season full of fun for the whole family. The following is a list of upcoming events:

### Children's Fishing Day - June 24

Join them for Children's Fishing Day – Catch the Excitement! The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, in cooperation with the Seney Natural History Association, invites residents to participate in the 28th Annual Children's Fishing Day.

### Morning Bus Tours - Mondays and Fridays July 3 to August 28

Would you like to get more out of your trip to Seney National Wildlife Refuge? Some wildlife can be difficult to see, but trained staff and volunteers know where to look or listen. Join them Monday and Friday mornings at 10 a.m. to experience a guided tour of the Refuge. The tour will take between two and two and a half hours depending on the topic of the tour.

We will be on the lookout for a variety of wildlife while sharing information on the animals we see, the history of the refuge and current management practices.

### Wildlife Wednesday Tours - Wednesday Nights June, July and August

Tourists and locals alike love this tour. Join them Wednesday Evenings in June, July and August for an evening guided auto tour of the refuge backcountry. The tour begins at 7 p.m. and lasts approximately two hours. Please arrive at least 15 minutes early so we can coordinate vehicle logistics. They'll be on the lookout for a variety of wildlife while sharing Refuge history and management practices.

### Photo Tours - June, July and August

Do you have a small group of photographers interested in getting into the backcountry for a few hours? They may be able to accommodate you on Thursday mornings. Contact us to check on dates and make arrangements.

### Junior Duck Stamp Exhibit - July 3 - 23

Community members and visitors alike should mark their calendars for this exhibition of original art work by kids from across the country. The first place winners from each state and US territory will be on display in the Visitor Center.

### Fall Morning Tours - Sept. 8 and 22, October 13

Would you like to get more out of your trip to Seney National Wildlife Refuge? Some wildlife can be difficult to see, but trained staff and volunteers know where to look or listen. Join us fall mornings on Sept. 8 and 22 and Oct. 13 at 10 a.m. to experience a guided tour of the refuge. The tour will take approximately two to 2 1/2 hours. They will be on the lookout for a variety of wildlife while sharing information on the animals we see, the history of the refuge and current management practices.

### Fall Color Float - Sept. 30

Take a beautiful float down the Manistique River and see the fall colors. Join refuge staff for a 4-5 hour canoe/kayak trip Sept. 30. Fall is a beautiful time to visit the refuge. Hopefully we will catch the leaves changing color. Pack a lunch, dress for the weather (could be warm or cool), and remember to pre-register so they know that you're coming. Bring your own boat or rent one from one of the local outfitters. This year the Fall Color Float will depart from the Big Cedar Campground in Germfask, at 11 a.m. Please be ready to depart at

that time.

### Photo Contest - Photos due by Aug. 31 and displayed Sept. 11 to Oct. 20

Did you get some great photos while enjoying the refuge? Enter them in the Seney National Wildlife Refuge Photo Contest. In September and October we will display all the entries in the auditorium and on the Seney National Wildlife Refuge's Facebook page, where visitors

### Youth in the Outdoors - Oct. 7

Youth in the Outdoors will be held

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will vote for their favorites. When on display for voting, the entries depict an incredible array of Refuge experiences. Details can be found in the Visitor Center or on our website. Photos must be postmarked by Aug. 31.

### SAULT TRIBE COMMUNITY MEETING NOTICE

The Sault Tribe is conducting a series of public meetings to gather membership activities. The 2000 Consents Decree, which controls the tribe's treaty fishing activity on the Great Lakes, is set to expire and before negotiations begin the tribe wants input on the upcoming negotiation with the state and the Federal government of the Tribe's Great Lakes commercial, subsistence and recreational treaty fishing to know what is important to you. All meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. Other community meetings will be added at a later date.

June 26: Sault Ste. Marie, Kewadin Casino  
June 27: St. Ignace, Shores Casino  
June 28: Munising, Tribal Center  
June 29: Manistique, Tribal Center  
June 30: Newberry, Tribal Center

Any questions please call Linda Grossett @ 906-635-6050.

## Mackinac Financial approves dividend disbursement

MANISTIQUE – Mackinac Financial Corporation (Nasdaq: MFNC), the bank holding company for mBank (the "Bank"), announced the approval of a cash dividend by its Board of Directors on June 20, 2017. The Board of Directors declared a cash dividend of \$1.2 per common share, payable July 11, 2017 to shareholders of record at June 30, 2017. The dividend is unchanged from the prior quarter's dividend.

Mackinac Financial Corporation is a registered bank holding company formed under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 with assets in excess of \$980 million and

whose common stock is traded on the NASDAQ stock market as "MFNC." The principal subsidiary of the Corporation is mBank. Headquartered in Manistique, Michigan, mBank has 24 branch locations; 12 in the Upper Peninsula, four in the Northern Lower Peninsula, one in Oakland County, Michigan and seven in northern Wisconsin.

The Corporation's banking services include commercial lending and treasury management products and services geared toward small to mid-sized businesses, as well as a full array of personal and business deposit products and consumer loans.

### News Brief

#### Secretary of State office to close Fourth of July

LANSING – Secretary of State Ruth Johnson reminds residents that all offices and the Office of the Great Seal will be closed in observance of Independence Day on Tuesday, July 4.

Customers can hop online at ExpressSOS.com, which allows customers to renew their tabs and driver's licenses, get a duplicate registration, duplicate title, change their address and register to be an organ donor. The Print 'N Go feature also allows customers to renew online.

THE MANISTIQUE COMMUNITY CONCERT COMMITTEE  
Presents  
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SUNDAY, JUNE 25  
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## OBITUARIES

### Marilyn and Gerald DuFour

MANISTIQUE – A memorial service to celebrate the lives of Marilyn and Gerald DuFour will be held at St. Alban's Episcopal Church, which is located on the corner of Range and Oak Streets in Manistique, on Friday, June 30, 2017.

Visitation begins at 2 p.m. with a service to follow at 3 p.m. A light luncheon at the V.F.W. follows.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to St. Alban's Church.



### Collette L. Harbourne

GARDEN CORNERS, Mich. – Collette L. Harbourne, 77, of Garden Corners, Mich., died Sunday, June 18, 2017, at her home in Garden Township.

She was born Dec. 4, 1939, in Manistique, Mich., the daughter of Leo and Margaret (Davis) Popour and later moved to Warren, Mich., as a child. She was a graduate of Lincoln High School in Warren.

On Aug. 13, 1960, she married Donald J. Harbourne at Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church in Warren. They made their home in Center Line, Mich., for many years and moved to Garden Corners in 1997 from Berkley, Mich.

Collette was employed as an accounts manager working at a bank for many years.

She enjoyed trout fishing,

blueberry picking and playing cards. She was also a member of the Manistique Women of the Moose.

Collette is survived by her son, Brad (Kim) Harbourne of Madison Heights, Mich.; granddaughter, Kennedy Harbourne of Madison Heights; brother, Paul (Ruthann) J. Popour of Warren; and her sister, Peggy (Dave) D. French of Otsego, Mich.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother, Leo P. Popour and her sister, Joy J. Derington.

There will be no public services. Messier-Brouillere Funeral Home of Manistique is assisting the family.

Online condolences may be expressed at [www.mbfuneral.com](http://www.mbfuneral.com).

### Susan M. Rich

MANISTIQUE – Susan Marie Rich, 74, of Manistique, Mich., died on Sunday, June 18, 2017, at Christian Park Center in Escanaba, Mich.

She was born April 2, 1943, in Manistique, the daughter of Kenneth H. and Leslie F. (Gould) Wilson and was a graduate of Manistique area schools.

On June 29, 1973, she married Walter "Jerry" Rich, in Manistique. He preceded her in death on March 28, 2017.

Sue was a longtime resident of Manistique and worked at a local establishments including the Eat Shop and Bullard's Bar. She later lived in Sturgeon Bay, Wis. and Las Vegas, Nev., before returning to Manistique.

Playing bingo, cribbage, and cards, were her weekly fun times. Casino trips were always on the top of Sue's to-do list. Talented at crocheting, Sue shared her creations with family and

friends. She was always interested in and enjoyed her many nieces and nephews.

Sue is survived by her sisters, Joy (John) Anderson of Leland, Mich., Sally Nelson of Appleton, Wis., and Suzette Erickson of Manistique; brothers, Kenneth (Jan) Wilson of Manistique and David (Jolene) Wilson of Sturgeon Bay; and her brother-in-law, Gary Larson of Isipemich, Mich.; also surviving are her brother and sister-in-law and loving caregivers, Marsha and Tom Klarich and family of Manistique. Sue leaves many nieces and nephews and a large extended family.

In addition to her husband Jerry and her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Sheila Larson in 2015; and her brother-in-law Jim Erickson in 2009 and brother-in-law Ross Lang.

Private services will be held by the family.

### C. William Norman

MANISTIQUE – C. William Norman, 87, of Manistique (Island Lake), Mich., died Friday, June 16, 2017 in Fort Myers, Fla.

Listed among survivors is his wife, Doris.

Visitation will be held from 10-11 a.m. Friday, June 30, at the

Church of the Redeemer-Presbyterian in Manistique.

A memorial service will follow at 11 a.m., at the church, with Reverend Janice Reed officiating. Private interment will be held in the Hiawatha Township Cemetery in Manistique.

### Candace K. Robinson

MANISTIQUE – Candace K. Robinson, 65, of Manistique (Boot Lake), Mich., passed away unexpectedly on Monday, June 19, 2017, at her home in Hiawatha Township.

She was born March 8, 1952, in Manistique, the daughter of Norman and Ella (Prezsar) Rochefort. She attended school in Garden and graduated from Big Bay de Noc High School with the Class of 1970.

On Oct. 27, 1976, the former Candace K. Rochefort married Douglas R. Robinson in Marquette, Mich. They made their home and raised their family in Manistique.

Candi was employed as a hotel manager for many years.

She enjoyed sunshine and the many winters spent in Florida with Doug. She especially enjoyed camping and fishing with her family. She was very fond of her children and grandchildren. Most importantly, she loved her family very much.

Candi is survived by her loving



Candace K. Robinson

husband, Douglas Robinson of Manistique; daughters, Rebecca (Jeff) Baker of Manistique and Amanda Weber (Greg Ellison) of Kalkaska, Mich.; grandchildren, Matt Emilly, Dominick and Addison; her brothers, Barry (Bonnie) Rochefort of Garden, Brent (Sardy) Rochefort of Manistique and Brian (Shauna) Rochefort of Garden; and her sisters, Diane (Jerry) Jyrkila of Manistique and Debbie (Jerry) Sitkoski of Fayette.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her son, Adam.

A memorial gathering will be held from 1-3 p.m. Friday, June 23, at Messier-Brouillere Funeral Home in Manistique. A memorial service will follow at 3 p.m., at the funeral home, with Reverend Father Ben Paris officiating.

Messier-Brouillere Funeral Home of Manistique is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.mbfuneral.com](http://www.mbfuneral.com).

### Margaret Ann Beach

BENTON HARBOR, Mich. – Margaret Ann Beach, 84, of Benton Harbor, Mich., passed away Wednesday, May 31, 2017, at Lakeland Regional Medical Center in St. Joseph, Mich.

Margaret was born Feb. 15, 1933, in Adrian, Mich., to Howard and Margaret (Marburger) Sherman. Her grade school years were spent in Homer, Mich., and she shared many stories of her grandparent's farm and apple orchard. Margaret attended Western Michigan University and graduated in 1955 with a degree in teaching. Her teaching career took her to Colorado, Minnesota and Michigan, teaching Home Economics and Food Service, retiring in 1986.

In 1983, she opened the Marina Guest House Bed and Breakfast in Manistique. She enjoyed meeting and talking with the guests and shared her love of cooking. Margaret continued to share her gift of cooking at the Soup Kitchen in Benton Harbor. She often prepared



Margaret A. Beach

cakes and meals for the Thursday Night Community Dinner at First Presbyterian Church where she became a member in 2005.

Margaret is survived by her daughter Ruth, niece Cynthia (Robert) George of Jacksonville, Fla., and nephew Dan Cermak of New York City. She was preceded in death by her sister Eleanor May Cermak.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, June 24, at First Presbyterian Church, 475 Green St., Benton Harbor, with Rev. Deborah McCreary officiating. Private burial will take place at Fairview Cemetery in Homer, Mich.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in Margaret's name may be made to the Food Pantry at First Presbyterian Church or Open and Wide Building Fund at First Presbyterian Church in Benton Harbor. Those wishing to sign Margaret's memory book online may do so at [www.starks-menchinger.com](http://www.starks-menchinger.com).

## MSU Extension to offer shoreline training

NEGAUNEE – Michigan State University Extension is offering training in Curtis and Watersmeet this summer on the benefits of natural lake shorelines and the techniques and tools property owners and local governments can take to maintain or recreate natural shorelines.

Inland lakes are places where family and friends gather to enjoy each other and the recreational opportunities that abound. Memories created during these times inspire a generation to share the experience with the next.

Lakefront property owners, other citizens, and all communities benefit socially and economically from healthy lake ecosystems. With over 11,000 inland lakes and more than 1,850 units of government in Michigan, it is evident that all local governments play a role in protecting the state's waters too.

The MSU Extension workshop will teach lake property owners and local officials the benefits of maintaining shorelines in a natural state and teach about tools and

resources for property owners to plan and protect natural shorelines. Additionally, local government officials will learn how to better accommodate lakes in plans and local regulations.

Specific topics include Introduction to Shorelines; Planning, designing your natural shoreline project; Maintenance and Natural Shoreline Successes; Planning and Zoning for Natural Shorelines; Michigan Shoreline Rules and Regulations; and Michigan Shoreland Stewards Program.

Participants will also enjoy a field component examining local natural shoreline projects.

Two workshop locations are planned for July. The workshops run from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The cost is \$40 for individuals if registered on or before July 6 (\$60 after), or \$60 for a couple only receiving one set of materials (\$80 after July 6). Registration includes snacks, lunch, and a copy of the MSU Extension bulletin Natural Shoreline Landscapes on Michigan's Inland Lakes – a \$25

resource. Early registration ends July 6, with late registration available through July 20.

Workshops will be taught by natural resource and public policy experts from MSU Extension. The workshop locations and dates are: July 27 – Curtis, Portage Township Community Building, W17361 Davis St.

July 28 – Watersmeet, Lac Vieux Desert Resort Casino, US Hwy 45  
For more information and to register, visit <https://events.ans.msu.edu/upnaturalshorelines>.

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## Seney events

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Oct. 7 so save the date. There will be several different activities to choose from which include mini sessions, long sessions, and half day sessions. If you have kids, grandkids, friends with kids, or are a kid, and you want to participate send an email to [seney@fws.gov](mailto:seney@fws.gov) to be added to their mailing list and

registration materials will be sent to you in August.

Visitor Center and Drives Close – Oct. 20

For more information contact the Seney Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center at (906) 586-9851, Ext. 15 or visit the website at [Seney@fws.gov](http://Seney@fws.gov).

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Lifestyles Briefs

Jack Reque HS honor roll students named

MANISTIQUE - The Jack Reque Alternative High School has announced the honor roll for the fourth marking period of the 2016-17 school year.

Students who have received a "B" average or better include: Brent Schuetter and Arianna Jenerou.

The teaching staff includes Kathy Seaman and Trina Nedeau.

Alma College names area dean's list honors

ALMA, Mich. - Alma College has named Reinaa Blair of Wetmore, to the dean's list.

The honor was for outstanding academic performance during the 2017 winter term.

Community Concert Committee's chamber music series to kick off

MANISTIQUE - The Community Concert Committee's summer chamber music series begins at 7:30 p.m. June 25. The series takes place at the Church of the Redeemer Presbyterian in Manistique.

This concert is the first of three concerts this summer and is entitled "Summer Potpourri". Paul Lundin, the music director of the series and a violinist, is joined by Escanaba born cellist Eli Bender and pianist Joey Arkfeld.



Paul Lundin

concert series accompanying his wife, soprano Tory Wood, who is a native of Escanaba. Eli Bender is a graduate of Es-

canaba High School and is currently performing and teaching in Vancouver, Canada. Bender has a music degree from Michigan State University.

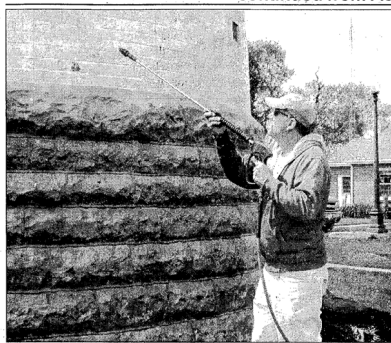
Lundin is also a graduate of Escanaba High School and has been music director of the Community Concert Committee since 1994. He has performed and taught in New England, Louisiana, Wisconsin, and now in southeast Michigan.

The concert will include an art show during intermission. Reception with light refreshments follows the concert. Tickets are \$10 and will be available at the door before the performance. Patrons under 18 will be admitted free.

The dates for the two other concerts planned this summer are July 16 and Aug. 6.

Lighthouse updates

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Courtesy photo

Above, Behrend works on the lighthouse at Seul Choix Pointe.

used for duck hunting. Gulliver residents Don and Barb Gardner donated the building to the Gulliver Historical Society in 2006.

After moving the building to the entrance of the park in 2006, the DNR would not allow it to be moved into the park at that time. Leasing property from the neighbor next to the lighthouse, the Historical Society waited 10 years for permission to finally move the structure into the park.

"We put the building on the exact same site when it first was a barn, but first we had to have an 'archeology dig' mandated by the state," said Marilyn Fischer, president of the Gulliver Historical Society. "The DNR did a great job doing all the landscaping surrounding the building."

Historical Society volunteers Ken Burch and Glenn Fischer have been restoring the interior of the building and getting it ready to become the new home for the Gulliver Research/Genecology Library.

The interior and exterior of the fully operational Seul Choix

Pointe Lighthouse was first painted by Behrend in 1994. That was in anticipation of the Lighthouses Centennial Celebration held by the Gulliver Historical Society Aug. 5, 1995.

On that day, more than 1,000 visitors stood in line to climb the 96 steps to the top of the lighthouse. Previous to that time, the lighthouse had never been open to the public.

Monies raised through gift shop sales, memorials, donations, and entrance fees assist with the upkeep of the buildings, year-round phone, electric, and heating fees, insurance, and lawn maintenance.

Volunteer Tour Guides keep the well-stocked gift shop and museums open daily from Memorial Day through the end of September, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

"We encourage our area people and tourists to come visit one of Schoolcraft County's most beautiful National and Michigan Historic sites," said Fischer. "See the new paint jobs, climb the light tower, and help support its continued operation."

SENIOR CENTER NEWS

BY CONNIE FRENETTE

making it a huge success.

Donations were received from Gilbert and Sue Studinger, Brenda Lester, Ray and Rosie Krall, Guenda Frenette, Kim Chartier, Pam Beaudre, George and Anna McNally, Sherry Falturn Nancy Brown, Elizabeth Owens, Connie Rousseffe, and myself.

Volunteers included Kim Chartier, Pam Beaudre, Gale Sobieski, Dianna Ylfinen, Mary Burns, and Joanne Milavec. A great big "thank you" to those that donated and those that took the time to make purchases. You not only gave the center a boost, you helped the Special Olympics also, as leftovers were directed their way. David and Sheila Marks do an awesome job for the Olympics and are still looking for more donations. Give them a call at (906) 450-0986 or 450-0984.

The center has been notified that a family has an electric hospital bed, along with a privacy screen, to be donated. If anyone is in need, please contact the center at 341-5923.

The AARP Driving Course is fast approaching. We have scheduled the class for July 20 between the hour of 10 a.m. - noon and 1-3 p.m. John Batchelder will be the instructor. The cost is \$15 for AARP members and \$20 for non-members. You are encouraged to check with your insurance company, as several give a discount after completing the class. Call 341-5923 to register.

The Feeding America Food truck is scheduled to be in Manistique on June 28 and July 26. We are forever grateful to Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital and mBank for making this possible. I am sure that many do not realize there is a cost to bring it to town. Those receiving should take the time to thank these

businesses for being so generous.

It will once again be a drive through and will be located the drive past the new hospital. We ask that you bring a sturdy (non-returnable) container, as it will be swapped out for an already filled box.

Many are asking how they qualify. You must be a Schoolcraft County resident, and please don't take it if you are not in need. Elder Law Attorney, Amanda Filizetti will be at the center with her staff, giving free 20 minute consultations. Call (906) 226-4600 for an appointment. They have been coming to the center for the past several years and are getting to be pretty well known in the area.

Our monthly potluck was held this past Thursday and those that attended had the chance to listen to Mary Larson and Dick Henry, who volunteered as entertainment. Our next month's potluck is scheduled for July 20 and the entertainment will be volunteer Don Carlson.

The Medical Loan Closet received donations from Mindy Cole, Donna Lester, Roberta Smith and Jessie McBurney.

It seems like there is always something needing fixing. That's when we pick up the phone and have never been told "no" by Mudecat (Ralph Burt). You're the best!

Bridge - June 12, Larry Savoie; second, Sandy Pettrille; third, Eva Wendling and fourth, George Hough. Card Fund: Julie Hoholik.

June 16 - first, Mary Lou Marx; second, Patsy Calhoun; third, Janice Redecker; fourth, Linda Lowman and fifth, Rosie Krall. Card Fund: Sandy Pettrille. Hostess: George Lowman.

June 19 - first, Audrey Savoie; second, George Lowman and third Julie Hoholik. Card Fund: Nancy Brown. Hostess: Linda Lowman. Birthdays this week: June 20 - Jim LeMaster and Charlene Turek; June 21 - Jane Pryor; June 22 - Jim Miller. Happy birthday to all!

The Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard and Plymouth Bus Trip, scheduled for Oct. 7-15 still has room available. As many of you know by now, we are currently working on filling the second bus. Our current count is 72 going. The cost of the trip is \$739, double occupancy. Included: • Motorcoach transportation • Eight nights lodging, including four consecutive nights in the quaint Cape Cod area • 14 meals: 8 breakfasts and 6 dinners • A visit to Plymouth, Mass. and famous "Plymouth Rock" • A visit to lovely, artistic Martha's Vineyard • A guided tour of the "Outer Cape", including Provincetown and Chatham... and more!

We ask for a \$75 deposit, with the remaining due by July 31. You need to bring your passport or enhanced driver's license as the bus will be traveling through Canada.

For further information, give the center a call at 341-5923. Can you help us out? The center would like to be in the Fourth of July parade and we are looking for donations of candy. Donations can be dropped off at the center Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

We sincerely thank Rosie Meryman and Vi Sundling for dropping off a bunch of candy for the parade. Rosie and Vi are well known for keeping our candy bowl filled.

The fundraiser committee was very pleased with the total from their recent garage sale. They asked that I share with you the amount raised, which was \$256. The committee, along with myself and the senior center board, wish to thank the many that took part in

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## Staffing concern

Since the alternative high school began, it has boasted two teachers who teach approximately 23 subject areas, including geometry, life skills, biology, chemistry, government, and English. These subjects span grades nine through 12.

"Not all students are on the same level," Latterman said. "They are teaching multiple subjects - it might be in the same class, but there are different chapters, different books."

In the advisory board's research into successful alternative high schools, Latterman pointed out that one constant was the presence of at least two teachers.

"(This is) for the program, and for the safety of the teachers and the students," he said. "The real concern is, if this is reduced to one teacher, with an aide, it will not provide the quality education or individual services to these students."

Additionally, Latterman handed out an informational packet which noted that there are "rarely any discipline problems in the alternative education setting," and that teachers teach through six periods without a prep period and also complete most or all breakfast and lunch duties, janitorial work, and secretarial

duties. Diane Stimac was next to speak during the public comment period to voice her support for the continuation of two teachers at the alternative high school.

"I feel it's very vital," she explained. "I've subbed there for the past nine years and I've seen what those two teachers do and how important it is to have two staff that are committed and interested for those students."

Nicki Nedeau said she agrees with Stimac, noting that her son attended the alternative high school and that the teachers ensured his success.

"They would even go pick him up if he needed a ride," she said. "Those two teachers are wonderful and I just think that it's a great school."

Jackie Jenerou pointed out that she currently has a student enrolled at the alternative high school.

"This is my second child that I've had at alternative school," she said. "Kathy and Trina are such a good team out there - they wear so many hats. They're mentors, they are, sometimes, referees... they are advisors, they are teachers, and they are very good with the parents,

too. I have huge concerns, as a parent, having just one teacher there," Jenerou continued. "I think it would be overwhelming... and I worry about the care our students will get there."

Following Monday's meeting, Superintendent Maryann Boddy explained that the comments made during the meeting were in response to a MAS Board of Education finance committee meeting held last week.

"Representatives from the alternative education advisory board requested to make a presentation to the board committee and discussed their concerns regarding an administrative recommendation to reduce the teaching staff at alternative education," she said. "Currently there are two full-time teachers assigned to alternative education."

Last spring, the enrollment was 19 students and the projected enrollment for the fall is 17 students. The administrative recommendation is to move one teacher from alternative education to the middle school to fill a void created by a departing teacher and replace that teacher at alternative education with a full-time education assistant.

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We feel the support the students need would be maintained with the second adult in the classroom and curriculum would be maintained by streamlining delivery and continuing online options for students" Boddy continued. "With early elementary classrooms at Emerald reaching 27-29 students per teacher, it is hard to justify placing two teachers with 17 teenagers when they can be supported appropriately by one teacher and an education assistant for support."

Additionally, Boddy said that the district values the "niche that the alternative high schools serves in meeting the needs of many of our high school students."

"We have spent a great deal of time and energy over the past year to provide additional educational opportunities for our alternative education students and created a classroom space that they are proud of," she explained. "As a district we need to look at everything we do and make wise fiscal decisions that will have the least impact on programming. For those reasons, we believe this is a change that needs to be made."

No action on the matter was taken during the meeting.

## SMH expansion

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still have people in the old medical office building - the fitness center, rehab, education, and home health and hospice.

We're talking about a 12,000 square-foot addition that would be able to bring those people together, plus expand the rural health clinic," he added.

Currently, the hospital is in the preliminary stages of the proposed expansion - clearing trees from property near the existing west-end parking lot.

"We cleared the trees out because that's where the parking will need to be," explained Crumb. "We're hoping to get the parking lot done yet this year - maybe even the footings for the new building... if possible."

These steps would allow for construction on the project to begin early next year.

"We're, right now, in the phase of trying to pick an architect/engineering firm," said Crumb. "That should go to the board

Monday for approval." Currently, in the preliminary stages, Crumb said it is estimated that the project will cost approximately \$4 million.

Once completed, Crumb said the expansion and added medical staff will not only serve the needs of residents, but also draw in others from around the Central U.P.

"I expect we'll draw from that entire area," he added. In the meantime, to accommodate the growing needs of the RediCare Clinic, Crumb said the other administrative staff will be temporarily moving to the old medical office building until the expansion project is completed.

"We're just right out of space in the clinic," Crumb explained, adding that the change will take place at the end of the month.

For more information about the hospital, its services, events or a list of physicians, visit [www.scmh.org](http://www.scmh.org).

## Wildlife area improvements

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"Judge Luoma continues to value the role that community service plays in the judicial process, and projects like this highlight that commitment," Maddox said. "We look forward to collaborating with the DNR on similar projects in the future."

DNR wildlife biologist Cody Norton, who works at the Casino field office in Shingleton, said additional work at the wildlife viewing area being completed this year includes clearing saplings from in front of the viewing platform, repairing rotting or broken lumber on the viewing platform and kiosk, and re-doing the landscaping around a memorial located at the site.

"The community corrections workers have been a big help in our efforts to make repairs and improvements at the Rainey Wildlife area," Norton said. "We greatly appreciate their help on this cooperative project."

The walking trail at the site is accessible to all, including the lower platform at the viewing area, with scenic boardwalk areas and a crossing over a wetlands area. From the platform, Smith Creek, Indian Lake and Smith Slough are visible.

Check out more information on the site at [www.visitmanistique.com/rainey.shtml](http://www.visitmanistique.com/rainey.shtml).

In 1984, the Michigan Conservation Foundation received

a gift of 100 acres from the Roland Dorothy Hoholik and Donald and Cecile Hoholik families. The land was deeded to the DNR by the foundation, with a stipulation the project would be funded by the foundation, with help from the Rainey family, in memory of Gary L. Rainey (1954-1981), who was an avid outdoorsman.

The wildlife area is one of many vacation, recreation and nature attractions in the area.

"Southern Schoolcraft County is a great part of the Upper Peninsula to visit," said John Pepin, DNR deputy public information officer. "In addition to the fantastic birdwatching available at the Rainey Memorial Wildlife Area, Indian Lake State Park, the sites and shops of Manistique, with its picturesque Lake Michigan boardwalk, and the state's largest free-flowing spring at Palms Book State Park are all here."

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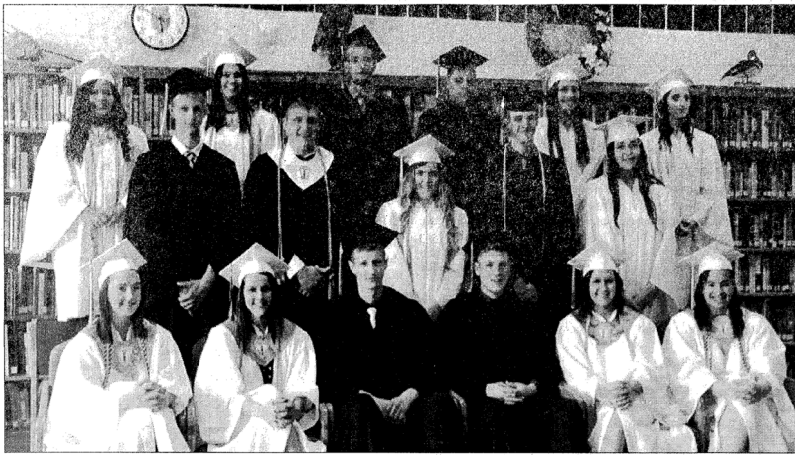
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# SCHOOL'S OUT

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At left, the Big Bay de Noc graduating class of 2017 included, sitting left to right: Caitlyn Seifick, valedictorian; Ariel Cousineau, secretary; Tyler Johnson, president; Nathan Chandler, vice president; Marissa Rochefort, treasurer; and Allison Roberts, salutatorian. In the middle, from left to right: Erik Johnson, Robbie Ray, Aniela Anderson, Zach Middaugh, and Elizabeth Moberg. In the back row, left to right: Alexis Henry, Halle Potvin, Dalton Pilon, Mason Yonker, Brianna Halvorson, and Stephanie Wyrembelski. Above, students fundraised under the guidance of Lori Dalgord and Tammy Rochefort and were able to enjoy a trip to Disney for a week.

*Editor's Note: The following information is from Manistique Public Safety dispatch lookbooks recorded at the time the calls were received.*

**Tuesday, June 6, 2017**  
 10:04 a.m., Lockout, E. Lakeshore Drive.  
 3:06 p.m., Traffic hazard, Deer Street.  
 8:04 p.m., Disorderly person, Pearl Street.  
 Wednesday, June 7, 2017  
 9:15 a.m., Traffic control, U.S. 2 and Maple Street.  
 9:55 a.m., Citizen assist, Garden Avenue.  
 10:25 a.m., Burn permit, N. Houghton Avenue.  
 11:23 a.m., Careless driving, N. Cedar Street.  
 12:00 noon, Suspicious situation, Saginaw Street.  
 12:10 p.m., Blight, Intake Park Road.  
 8:30 p.m., Burning complaint, Intake Park Road.  
 12:50 a.m., Expired operator's license, U.S. 2 and Range Street.  
 1:10 a.m., Suspicious person, Lake Street.  
 Thursday, June 8, 2017  
 9:25 a.m., Careless driving, City ski hill.  
 11:00 a.m., Abandoned bicycles, S. Maple Street.  
 11:56 a.m., Burn permit, N. Houghton Avenue.  
 1:17 p.m., Lockout, E. Elk Street.  
 1:57 p.m., Fire alarm, Main Street.  
 2:00 p.m., Tanker training,

County Road, 442.  
 3:25 p.m., Smoke, N. Houghton Avenue.  
 6:30 p.m., One car PDA, Chippewa Avenue.  
 6:20 p.m., Larceny, N. Maple Street.  
 2:45 a.m., Domestic, N. Cedar Street.  
 Friday, June 9, 2017  
 9:20 a.m., Weed and grass violation, Arbutus Avenue.  
 10:20 a.m., Weed and grass violation, Manistique Avenue.  
 10:30 a.m., Weed and grass violation, Manistique Avenue.  
 11:00 a.m., Abandoned bicycle, Oak Street.  
 11:00 a.m., Civil issue, E. Elk Street.  
 12:30 p.m., Weed and grass violation, N. Second Street.  
 2:10 p.m., Weed and grass violation, N. Third Street.  
 2:17 p.m., Blight, Intake Park Road.  
 2:30 p.m., Illegal parking, N. Cedar Street.  
 4:45 p.m., Traffic hazard, N. Cedar Street.  
 6:10 p.m., Fire, Oak Street.  
 11:40 p.m., Department assist, Manistique boat launch.  
 Saturday, June 10, 2017  
 9:00 a.m., Fire hydrant leak, Oak and Steuben Streets.  
 10:00 a.m., Threats, Westside boat launch.  
 11:15 a.m., Weed and grass violation, N. First Street, N. Third Street, W. Elk Street, S. Fifth Street, Alger Avenue, N. Maple Street.  
 1:35 p.m., MDOT violation,

U.S. 2.  
 2:15 p.m., Weed and grass violation, S. Maple Street.  
 2:20 p.m., Suspicious situation, E. Lakeshore Drive.  
 4:00 p.m., BOL/OWI, Tannery Road.  
 4:17 p.m., Line down, N. Kendall Road.  
 4:45 p.m., Retail fraud, E. Lakeshore Drive.  
 6:00 p.m., Breaking and entering, N. Second Street.  
 6:00 p.m., Possible down line, N. Mackinac Avenue.  
 6:00 p.m., Lockout, Tannery Road.  
 6:20 p.m., Power line down, N. Houghton Avenue.  
 6:35 p.m., Downed line, N. Houghton Avenue.  
 8:00 p.m., Domestic violence arrest, Main Street.  
 8:50 p.m., Well being check, Main Street.  
 Sunday, June 11, 2017  
 6:14 a.m., Assault, N. Fourth Street.  
 2:35 p.m., Child custody dispute within the city.  
 4:30 p.m., Alarm, Oak Street.  
 5:55 p.m., Verbal dispute, U.S. 2.  
 6:05 p.m., Road rage within the city.  
 7:00 p.m., Citizen assist, Chippewa Avenue.  
 7:05 p.m., Burning complaint, Manistique Avenue.  
 7:29 p.m., OUII/35001, within the city.  
 7:10 p.m., Animal complaint, N. Cedar Street.

11:00 p.m., Citizen assist, Chippewa Avenue.  
 Monday, June 12, 2017  
 10:00 a.m., Embezzlement, Garden Avenue.  
 10:20 a.m., Two car PDA, N. Maple Street.  
 10:30 a.m., Found property, Oak Street.  
 10:45 a.m., Long Grass, Arbutus Avenue.  
 10:54 a.m., Long grass, Park Avenue.  
 12:13 p.m., Unwanted person, N. First Street.  
 5:28 p.m., 911 open line, U.S. 2.  
 7:20 p.m., Found wallet, Garden Avenue.  
 10:07 p.m., Assault, N. Maple Street.  
 10:30 p.m., Car vs. deer accident, U.S. 2 at Thompson.  
 Tuesday, June 13, 2017  
 8:45 a.m., Landlord dispute, Alger Avenue.  
 2:55 p.m., Larceny, W. Lakeshore Drive.  
 7:15 p.m., Unsupervised minor/ CPS, Alger Avenue.  
 2:00 a.m., Domestic, Alger Avenue.  
 Wednesday, June 14, 2017  
 9:25 a.m., Larceny, within the city.  
 7:00 p.m., 911 hang ups, Center Street and N. Houghton Avenue.  
 11:30 p.m., Alarm, Oak Street.  
 5:05 a.m., Suicidal person, River Street.  
 Thursday, June 15, 2017  
 1:10 p.m., Disturbing the peace, Walnut Street.  
 4:15 p.m., Family-custody

dispute, within the city.  
 6:05 p.m., Harassment, Rivers Bend Drive.  
 11:15 p.m., Lockout, W. U.S. 2.  
 11:50 p.m., Disturbing the peace, N. Maple and New Elm Streets.  
 Friday, June 16, 2017  
 11:00 a.m., Retail fraud, E. Lakeshore Drive.  
 11:15 a.m., Internet fraud, within the city.  
 2:00 p.m., Suspicious vehicle, W. U.S. 2.  
 2:20 p.m., Lockout, W. Lakeshore Drive.  
 9:20 p.m., Probation detainee, Schoolcraft Avenue.  
 Saturday, June 17, 2017  
 6:00 a.m., Larceny, W. Lakeshore Drive.  
 9:14 a.m., Careless driver, U.S. 2.

11:14 a.m., Lockout, N. Cedar Street.  
 11:49 a.m., BOL/Fugitive, Garden Avenue.  
 11:53 a.m., Animal complaint, Oak Street.  
 11:54 a.m., ATV on roadway, U.S. 2.  
 12:35 p.m., Noxious smoke, within the city.  
 1:40 p.m., Suspicious situation, Alger Avenue.  
 2:05 p.m., Lockout, S. Cedar Street.  
 2:54 p.m., Lockout, E. Lakeshore Drive.  
 3:10 p.m., Citizen assist, W. U.S. 2.  
 6:29 p.m., Fugitive arrest, U.S. 2 at Stony Point.  
 8:30 p.m., Search warrant/fugitive arrest, Lake Street.

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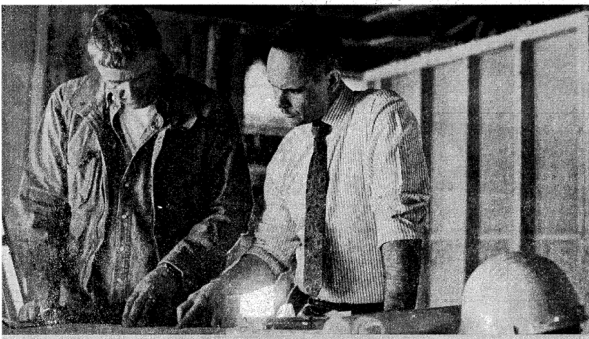


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# M Sports



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Thursday, June 22, 2017

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## Indian Lake Golf to hold annual 4-Man Scramble

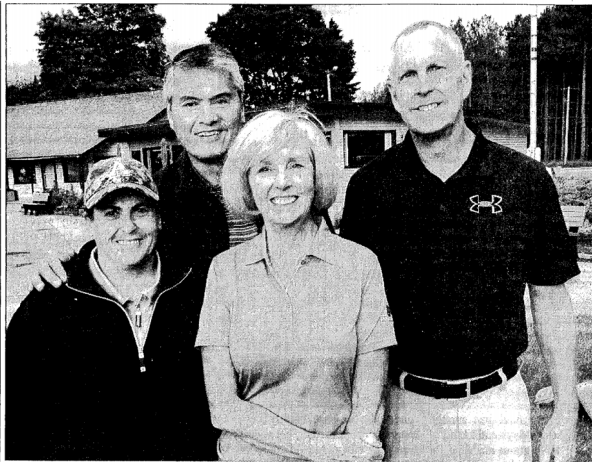
MANISTIQUE — June 24 and 25 will mark the 35th consecutive year of the Indian Lake Golf Club 4-Man scramble in Manistique.

This double shotgun start will attract 288 golfers from both Upper and Lower Michigan, Wisconsin, Canada and other golfing venues across the United States.

Last year's event marked the most exciting second day in the history of the tournament with 10 teams within one shot of the lead entering the Sunday finale. At the end of Sunday's drama, the first-ever championship team of Jim Nelson, Greg Nelson, Adam Schultz, and Jon Micoft were crowned the 2016 winners.

Play begins at 7:45 a.m. Saturday morning with a shotgun start for the first half of the field with the remaining groups teeing off at 2 p.m.

The public is invited to attend the event and teams looking to join the waiting list to enter future tournaments can contact the Indian Lake Golf Club at 341-5600.



## Fore!

Courtesy photo

Area foursomes recently competed at Indian Lake Golf Club to raise funds for recreation projects in the city of Manistique. At the completion of 18 holes, the State Savings Bank team shot a 10 under par, 62, to win the event. A total of approximately \$2,500 was raised with 48 golfers participating in the tournament. Manistique recreation projects are enjoyed by people living throughout the county and state. Included on the winning team were, from left: Kate Steider, Bob Males, Sherry Larche, and Mark Larche.

## Still time to preregister for annual Paper Chase

MANISTIQUE — There are just a few weeks until this year's Manistique Paper Chase annual 5K and 10K run/walk events.

The family-friendly event will again be held during the annual Folkfest weekend celebration July 8.

Runner and walker registration and packet pick-up will be available on July 7, from 7-8 p.m. at the Manistique Senior Center on Main Street and again beginning at 7:30 a.m. until 8:30 a.m. July 8.

Participants are being reminded that no registrations will be accepted after 8:30 a.m. on the morning of the race.

For those who prefer to sign up

early, forms can be picked up at the Pioneer Tribune. Email inquiries can be sent to manistiquepaperchase@gmail.com.

Pre-registration by June 24 is \$15 per individual. Registration after June 24 will be \$20. A \$2 discount is extended to Upper Peninsula Road Runners Club members.

On July 7 a family discount is being offered. The cost per family member is \$12 when registration forms are mailed together prior to the June 24 cutoff.

For more information, call race co-directors Roger Pratt at 341-5557 or Jackie Burns at (906) 286-2001.

## Area athletes compete in 2017 UP All-Star Game

MARQUETTE — The U.P. Football All-Star Game has finalized the schedule and players for this year's event.

2017 marks the 10th anniversary of the U.P. summer football classic. The biggest change for this year's game is that the teams will not be aligned East vs. West, or North vs. South, which

has been the case each of the first nine years of the game. Instead, all players selected as all-stars were drafted by the coaches, just like NFL fantasy football leagues. They will either be on the Red Team or the Black Team.

The draft took place on March 18 and the picks were reported live on social media for all who wanted to follow the progress.

The game will be played in Marquette at the Superior Dome, on June 24. Game time is set for 1 p.m., with the doors opening at noon. Many activities were planned throughout the week for the players and coaches.

Playing on Team Red from the Emeralds will be Jake Arnold.

The Team Black coaches include Jeff Olson and George Niemi from Ishpeming and Tom Tereshinski of Manistique. That staff is rounded out by St. Ignace's Marty Spencer, Les Therrian, Chris Marshall, Chuck McCall and Mike Shepard and Bark River-Harris' Al Stenberg.

Team Red includes Todd Kangas of Manistique, Pete Paramski of Newberry, Sam Eggleston of Superior Central and is rounded out by Garle Kangas of Pickford; Cody

Kangas, formerly of Gladstone; Ken Klein and Leon Sutherland of Lake Linden-Hubbell; and Jim Belec of Carney-Nadeau.

Friday evening is the All-Star Banquet, with the guest speaker, Steve Mariucci. Players also get recognized for their accomplishments during the Skills Challenge and they also receive their All-Star Rings.

The U.P. Football All-Star Game will also be donating proceeds to the following U.P. charities: Beacon House, The U.P. Sports Hall of Fame, as well as Carney-Nadeau and Gwin High Schools. A lottery drawing was performed to select the two schools, and donations will be made directly to the football program of those schools chosen. Several other schools (St. Ignace, Kingsford, Calumet and Pickford) will also receive donations in the form of All-Star Game equipment, including the practice jerseys and footballs.



Jake Arnold

## MLB Standings

MLB Standings as of 06-20-17

Team	W	L
<b>American League East</b>		
1. New York Yankees	38	29
2. Boston Red Sox	39	31
3. Tampa Bay Rays	37	36
4. Toronto Blue Jays	34	35
5. Baltimore Orioles	34	35
<b>American League Central</b>		
1. Cleveland Indians	37	31
2. Minnesota Twins	34	33
3. Kansas City Royals	34	35
4. Detroit Tigers	32	37
5. Chicago White Sox	31	37
<b>American League West</b>		
1. Houston Astros	47	24
2. Los Angeles Angels	36	37
3. Texas Rangers	34	35
4. Seattle Mariners	35	37
5. Oakland Athletics	31	39
<b>National League East</b>		
1. Washington Nationals	42	28
2. Atlanta Braves	32	37
3. Miami Marlins	31	37
4. New York Mets	31	38
5. Philadelphia Phillies	22	46
<b>National League Central</b>		
1. Milwaukee Brewers	35	34
2. Chicago Cubs	35	34
3. Pittsburgh Pirates	32	38
4. St. Louis Cardinals	31	37
5. Cincinnati Reds	30	39
<b>National League West</b>		
1. Colorado Rockies	46	26
2. Los Angeles Dodgers	45	26
3. Arizona Diamondbacks	44	26
4. San Diego Padres	28	43
5. San Francisco Giants	26	46



Courtesy photo

## A little SOCCER

Challenger's British Soccer Camp, one of the most popular camps in the country, was held last week. The Manistique Recreation Department organized the camp, which has an innovative curriculum that develops skills, speed, and confidence in players of all ages and abilities. The British Soccer Camps provide boys and girls with the rare opportunity to receive high-level soccer coaching from a team of international experts right in the heart of their community. Above, the youngest level of the camp runs through their drills.

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Outdoors Briefs

Seney National Wildlife Refuge will host its free 28th annual Children's Fishing Day Saturday

SENEY - The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, in cooperation with the Seney National History Association, will host the 28th annual Children's Fishing Day June 24 at Seney National Wildlife Refuge.

Fish entries will be accepted between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Visitor Center. Fishing with non-lead tackle is allowed from the shore along the Fishing Loop, Show Pools, at C-3 Pool, and in designated rivers.

Participants to use at these stations. Activities and games for the whole family begin at noon at the Visitor Center, including arts, crafts, games, and more.

Complimentary fish dinner for all participants and their families will be held at 3 p.m., followed by the awards ceremony.

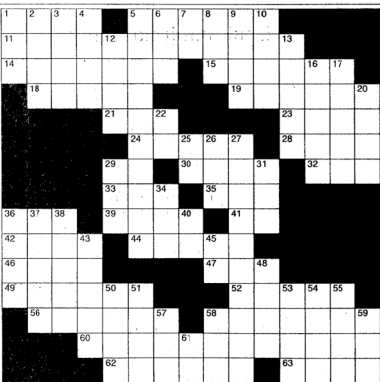
UP Trappers Convention boasts long list of presenters, takes place in Escanaba June 30, July 1

ESCANABA - Many famous trapping/outdoor experts will be on hand at the U.P. Trappers Annual Convention. The list of presenters includes: Les Johnson, Lesel Reuswaal, Harry Nestell, John Chagnon, Jeff Dunlap, Rusty Johnson, Rich Clark, and Greg Schroeder.

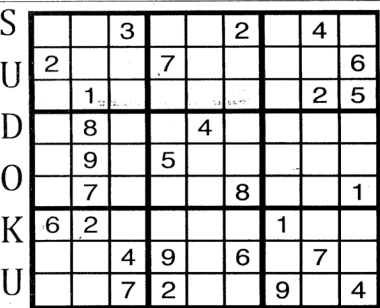
Complete biographies and the schedule of events can be found at www.uptrappers.com

The convention attendees will have the opportunity to purchase a wide variety of items from the hundreds of vendors and tailgaters.

The U.P. State Fairgrounds in Escanaba, June 30 (8 a.m.-5 p.m.) and July 1 (8 a.m.-4 p.m.). Admission is \$5 for both days with kids 12 and under admitted free.



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1. A minute amount (Scott)
5. Supernatural
11. Shortening
14. More firm
15. Other side
18. Philippine Island
19. More unnatural
21. Microsoft Surface Book
23. Ice T's wife
24. Domesticates
28. Only one time
29. In absentia
30. Crustlike surface of a healing skin lesion
32. Distress signal
33. Engine additive
35. 1990s female R&B trio
36. Very fast airplane
39. A reward (archaic)
41. Anno Domini
42. Golf supplies
44. Indian term of respect
46. French river
47. Turn down the lights
49. Blood-sucking
52. Provides info
56. Procrastinates
58. Tower with balconies
60. Where researchers work
62. Religious office
63. Must-have for office workers
CLUES DOWN
1. In possession of
2. Aborigines
3. Early Synan kingdom
4. Clip
5. Misleads
6. Cosmetic ingredient
7. Calcium
8. United Talent Agency
9. Hair problem
10. Took down
12. Round Dutch cheese
13. Bicycle manufacturer
15. Suffix plural
17. Painting technique
20. Small Eurasian deer (pl.)
22. Mr. T's character
25. Progressive nerve disease
26. Shock therapy
27. Able to be sold
29. Suffix
31. Binary coded decimal
34. Goes well with a carrot
36. A way to measure performance
37. Doctor children's book author
38. Jewish calendar month
40. Designated hitter
43. Polish village
45. Part of the mind
48. Hand (Spanish)
50. Hit with the open hand
51. Italian island
53. Shakespeare was one
54. Lake... one of the Great
55. Oswald and Marvin were two
57. Soak up using something absorbent
58. Kids' dish and cheese
59. Expression of disappointment
61. The ancient Egyptian sun god



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B. 14 24 8 5 14 2
C. 23 10 17 14 8 2 24 17 2
D. 17 8 2 19

Well, we sure have had enough rain the last few days and I kind of figure we have about made up for the moisture we did not receive this past winter with the lack of snow we had. If I heard it once, I heard it a dozen times, where people were saying how they are ready for summer weather where they can do a little boating and enjoy the outdoors.

There seems to be a few more people running around the area and for those people who run a business and count on the summer trade, this is so important. Being a businessman up here in the U.P. can sure be a challenge.

Being the nice quiet, unopinionated guy that I am, I have to say something about the article that was in last week's paper. I have said before in my articles that the use of GPS's is going to cause a lot of problems when it tends to change corner marking and property lines and this is happening all over.

Right off let me say thank goodness for a judge that seems to have had some common sense and a willingness to look at the facts instead of just rubber stamping what the government wanted.

Right here let me tell you how things have changed and where something like what took place should have never went this far and things should have been worked out between the two parties. Back when I was a youth growing up, my dad, his brother and cousins, had a hunting camp out in the national forest on a hill overlooking Mill Creek.

The Forest Service was well aware of our camp and I can remember them asking us to help them get back to an area where there was a forest fire during deer season one time.

In reading the article in last week's paper and having heard the story of what was taking place from a number of people around town, I took a real interest in the case.

When this happened it was felt what happened was when figuring out where his property was, they had inadvertently dropped a forty in their figuring. So what happened, I went out to the person's house and talked to him with the forester and things were worked out to everyone's satisfaction.

one of the things that really bugged people and in reading between the lines even the judge did not seem to be impressed with why wait until Nov. 15, the opening day of deer season, to raid the property? Was it so they could write tickets, if so, it was wrong!

I have to ask you why when a problem was found out did not the officer go into the camp and talk to the people that owned it to see why it was located where it was and why was the gate located where it

was? Why could not a couple of adults, when they see a problem, sit down and collect the facts and see just why things are like they are? Oh' how things have changed in my lifetime.

Now don't get me wrong, the things in this article are just my opinion and having worked in law enforcement I know there are some real jerks out there officers have to put up with at times, but in this case from what I understand, the people that owned the camp wanted to

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make things right so they could keep their camp and enjoy it for years to come. If nothing else, the way things were handled from all I hear sure left a bad taste in a lot of people's minds as to what does someone do when big government, whether it be the state or federal, comes after you. This case happened here in our area but truthfully, similar cases are happening all over the country and not all of them end up with the positive results like this one did.

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June 28 FLAT BROKE BLUES BAND Schoolcraft County Medical Care Facility
July 5 CHASING STEEL Comfort Inn
July 12 GENERATIONS Limestone Federal Credit Union
July 19 PETOSKEY STEEL DRUM BAND MSTQ Kiwanis & MHS
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Race Start: 101 Main Street, Manistique, MI Senior Citizens Center
REGISTRATION: Registration 101 Main St., Manistique, MI (Senior Citizens Center - Pearl St) Friday, July 7 from 7-8 P.M. and Saturday, July 8 from 7:30 - 8:30 A.M.
AWARDS: Awards to overall winners. Medals to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place male and female finishers in all 5K divisions. Medals to top five 10K male and female runners. Finishers' medal to all 10K participants. Guaranteed shirt size to pre-paid participants. Other participants while supplies last. Refreshments at the Manistique Marina finish line.
ENTRY FEE: Pre-registration by June 24, 2017 - \$15 Individual Pre-registration Family Discount by June 24 - \$12 per family member (mailed together) ALL registrants after June 24 - \$20 \$2 Discount UPRRC.
CONTACT INFORMATION: Co-race directors - G. Roger Pratt 906-341-5557 and Jackie Burns 906-286-2001
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Name: Age (on July 8, 2017) Sex M F
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Signature (Parent must sign if under 18)



# Outdoors

## State terminates independent contractor analyzing Line 5 risks



### FUNDS FOR TOMORROW

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Manistique High School student Mason Santi recently received \$200 to attend Trees For Tomorrow's Career Workshop near Eagle River, Wis. Mason was selected for one of 30 available slots, out of 36 applications, and was the only applicant from Schoolcraft County and Michigan. Presenting Santi with the check is Schoolcraft County Conservation District Manager Bruce Birr.

LANSING — The State of Michigan terminated a contract Wednesday with Det Norske Veritas, Inc. (DNV GL), the firm preparing a risk analysis report on the Line 5 pipeline below the Straits of Mackinac. The contract was terminated prior to the draft report being delivered to the state's project team.

Within the past month, the state's project team became aware that an employee who had worked on the risk analysis at DNV GL subsequently worked on another project for Enbridge Energy Co., Inc., which owns the Line 5 pipeline, while the risk analysis was being completed. This is a violation of conflict of interest prohibitions contained in the contract.

"We took the initiative to terminate the contract based on our commitment to the complete integrity and transparency of this report. Ultimately the state will have

to decide how to proceed with Line 5 and we can't do that if there is any doubt regarding the nature of the information," said C. Heidi Grether, director of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.

"The evaluations of Line 5 were supposed to be independent, not tainted by outside opinions or information, but that's not what happened. Instead, our trust was violated and we now find ourselves without a key piece needed to fully evaluate the financial risks associated with the pipeline that runs through our Great Lakes, this is unacceptable," said Michigan Attorney General Bill Schuette. "Terminating the contract is the only option we have to maintain the integrity of the risk analysis."

DNV GL was hired by the state in 2016 following an extensive request for proposal process including review and selection by a team with diverse technical backgrounds.

The contract requires that DNV GL employees working on the risk assessment maintain complete independence from any other project involving Enbridge during the term and length of the contract.

At the same time it hired DNV GL, the state also hired a separate firm, Dynamic Risk Assessments Systems, Inc., to prepare an alternative analysis report on the Line 5 pipeline.

"The State put strict rules in place that required both contractors to avoid any appearance of impropriety. We are disappointed that those requirements were not followed by DNV GL, as that rendered the work essentially unusable to us," said Valerie Brader, executive director of the Michigan Agency for Energy. "That led to us making today's decision to terminate the contract."

Dynamic Risk Assessment System's draft report is proceeding and will be delivered to the state project team by the end of this month.

Their draft alternative analysis will be posted on the Michigan Petroleum Pipeline website, www.mppetroleumpipelines.com, for public review and comment by the end of the month.

"Public discussion of the alternatives analysis will help inform next steps regarding the risk analysis on Line 5," said Keith Creagh, director of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. "Fundamental to the state's actions is a shared commitment to protecting our Great Lakes."

The state will hold three public feedback sessions on the report: July 24 in the Lansing area and Traverse City, and July 25 in St. Ignace.

The State of Michigan commissioned the two independent contractors to complete risk and alternative analyses on the Line 5 pipeline following a recommendation in the 2015 Michigan Petroleum Pipeline Task Force Report.

## UP FISH REPORT

PROVIDED BY THE DNR

**Lake Gogebic:** The walleye bite has slowed a bit however those trolling were still getting a few fish on crawler harnesses and crank baits. The smallmouth action picked up for those using stick baits and jigging around structure. A few smaller pike were caught. Those using worms caught bluegills, thumpkinseed, rock bass and the occasional perch.

**Keweenaw Bay:** Those trolling caught coho, steelhead, brown trout and splake along the shoreline or from the top 50 feet in 100 to 200 feet with spoons and stick baits. A few coho and brown trout were caught in Huron Bay or the South Entry in 20 to 30 feet.

**Marquette:** Fishing was slow with only a couple lake trout taken in 200 feet or more between the white rocks and Granite Island. A steelhead was caught on high lines in the same area. A couple coho and steelhead were taken off Shot Point.

**Menominee River:** Anglers report small walleye being caught between the Railroad Bridge and the mouth when slow trolling a

jig tipped with a crawler. Musky fishing was slow but a couple fish were taken on large spinners or crank baits.

**Little Bay De Noc:** Almost all walleye action was up near the Whitefish River. Anglers used stick baits and drifted or trolled crawler harnesses in 10 to 25 feet. A few used a jig tipped with a crawler in 12 to 28 feet. Fair to good smallmouth bass catches were reported throughout the Bay. Hot spots were near the Ford River, Escanaba River, Gladstone Bay near the highway, Hunters Point and Garth Point when casting plastics and spinners in 5 to 16 feet. Good pike fishing off the mouth of the Day's River with crank baits in 12 to 22 feet. Smaller fish were caught near the coal piles in Kipling in 12 to 20 feet. Perch were caught on minnows and crawlers in 24 to 30 feet near the green buoy at Kipling.

**Manistique River:** Had good walleye fishing throughout the river. Most were floating a jig and lead downriver with the current

but some did well with silver stick baits. Pike fishing was good and some were over 30 inches. Smallmouth bass were caught on plastics, spinners and crank baits near the banks. No salmon here yet but the action should start to pick up around the end of June.

**Au Train:** A couple limit catches of lake trout were taken off the flats near Shelter Bay. Salmon fishing was slow.

**Munising:** Water temperatures in the bay were in the low 40's. Boat anglers targeting chinook caught very few fish. Limits of lake trout were taken near Chapel Falls and the Twelve Mile beach but anglers put in their time to get them. Boat anglers need to watch for large floating logs and debris in the bay. Pier anglers reported slow fishing with only a couple splake taken on spawn and Menominee taken on worms. Carp appear to be spawning near the Anna River dock.

**Grand Marais:** Nearshore water temperatures within the harbor warmed into the mid to upper 40's with offshore

temperatures in the low 40's. The few boat anglers that were out for coho and steelhead did poorly. Lake trout anglers managed a few limit catches. Pier anglers targeting Lake Whitefish had mixed results as some did well getting fish up to 20 inches and other days the average was about 12 inches. The better days had a northwesterly wind. A fair number of Menominee were taken off the Sable River when using worms.

**Tahquamenon River:** Had decent fishing with lots of pike and rock bass caught. A few perch and pumpkinseed were taken off the Dollarville Dam. A few musky were also caught but anglers were putting in their time to catch them.

**St. Marys River:** Walleye fishing continues to improve with fish caught on small crank baits and a crawler harness in Lake George. Smallmouth bass are hitting on spinners of soft plastics. Pike slowed but a few were caught on minnows and spoons. In the Lower River, the walleye bite slowed in Munuscong Bay.

Most of the fish caught were sub-legal. Small musky were caught near Grassy Island and the mouth of the Munuscong River. Pike, walleye and musky were caught when trolling a small crank bait and a crawler harness. Hot colors were orange, fire-tiger, perch and chartreuse.

**Detroit:** A few chinook salmon were caught 40 to 55 feet down in 70 feet when trolling black and purple spoons. A mix of Atlantic salmon, lake trout and steelhead were taken 15 to 20 feet down in over 60 feet when trolling spinglo's out from the Detour Passage Boat launch.

**Drummond Island:** A few walleye were caught when drifting a crawler harness near the bottom or trolling small crank baits in 8 to 12 feet. Hot colors were fire-tiger, chartreuse, and orange. Smallmouth bass fishing slowed as the fish have moved to slightly deeper water and were caught by walleye anglers. Try casting body baits, spinners and top water lures in the early morning or evening in Scott Bay, inside Paw Point and

between Rutland and Peck Islands.

**Cedarville and Hessel:** Had no good perch reports and the few caught were mainly 6 to 7 inches. Smallmouth bass were caught by those casting spinners with double leaf blades at the mouth of Duck Bay and the Middle Entrance. A couple splake were caught near Little LaSalle Island when casting or jigging small orange and chrome spoons in six to eight feet.

**St. Ignace:** Had no reports. Shore anglers on the Carp River caught a couple walleye when drifting a slip bobber or crawler harness with worms but most of the fish were small. Pike and suckers were also caught. A couple walleye were taken in the Pine River when drifting worms or leeches with a slip bobber or a crawler harness near the mouth and up by the rapids but most were too small. A couple perch were caught near the mouth.

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