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These Jazz Band members will be part of the ensemble performing on Tuesday, May 27th at the Fowlerville Centennial Park. From left, front row, are Anna Wills, Jocelyn Paramo, Addison Ellens; back row, Logan Koenemann, Madelynn Willard, Sienna Dutton, band director Matthew Leslie, Amelia Koenemann, and Colton Huff. There are 19 students in the Jazz Band this year.

Fowlerville High School Jazz Band to kick off 'Music at the Park' schedule on May 27th

'Music at the Park' begins its schedule of outdoor shows next Tuesday, May 27, with a performance by the Fowlerville High School Jazz Band starting 7 p.m. at the Centennial Park Gazebo (next to the EMS station).

The band is led by Matthew Leslie, the high school band director, and the ensemble will be playing an assortment of jazz standards and contemporary pieces.

'Music at the Park' will once again feature a June Series and a Summer Series, with a total of ten performances on the

schedule. However, this year all of the concerts will be held at the Centennial Park due to a construction project planned at the Fowlerville Community Park.

All of the concerts are scheduled on Tuesday evenings, with all but one having rain dates later in the week.

Next up on the schedule will be Velocity Shift set for Tuesday, June 3. The three-member band plays classic rock from the '60s thru the '90s. One of the members is Mark Gastambide who was the music teacher at Smith Elementary for 30 years prior to retiring three years ago. He's looking forward to coming back and playing for the Fowlerville folks again. The show starts at 7 p.m. and there is a rain date of Thursday, June 5.

The rest of the June Series includes Blake James on June 10

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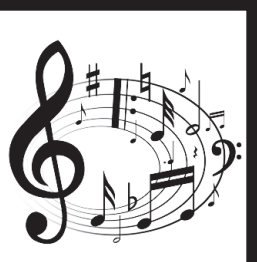


Fowlerville Alumni Scholarship recipients

These soon-to-be graduates were among the five recipients of the Fowlerville High School Alumni Scholarship that were announced at the May 7th Senior Honors Program. They are Damien Hudson and Aubrey Loomis who were unable to attend the event.



Saluting the Seniors in the Fowlerville High School Band & Choir Programs



The graduating seniors who have been part of the Fowlerville High School Band & Choir Programs are being saluted during the next few weeks. High School Band Director Matthew Leslie asked each of them the following questions:

--Your plans for next year;


--Your favorite band or choir memory.



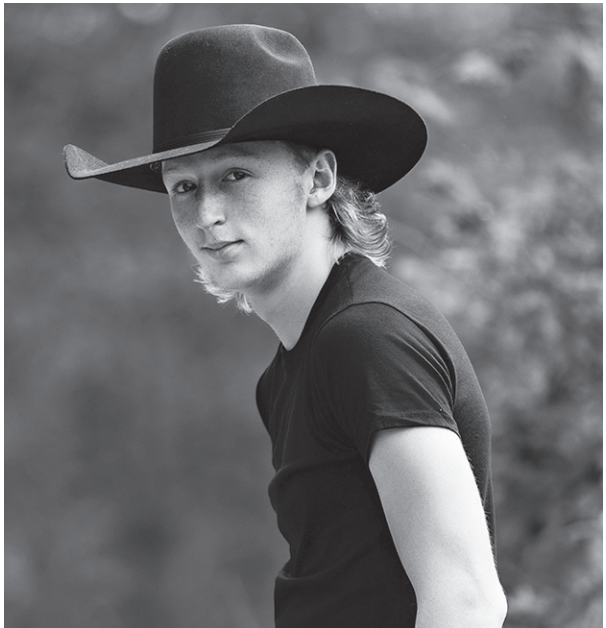
Aurora Furlong (choir):
Plans for next year: Going to Ferris State University to study elementary education.
Favorite memory from choir: Arranging a choir song and replacing the lyrics with quotes from the Minecraft movie.



Mercedes White (choir):
Plans for next year: Taking a gap year, and then going to Wayne State University for funeral directing.
Favorite memory from choir: Performing "The Macarena" while singing choir warm-ups.



Daniel Pounds (Band - Trombone)
Plans for next year: Going to college to study as a mechanical engineer.
Favorite memory from band: The ending of the band camp dance during his senior year.



Blake James (Band - Percussion)
Plans for next year: Attending Ferris State University to study the Music and Entertainment Business and participating in Ferris' Marching Band.
Favorite memory from band: Going to McDonald's after a band practice and watching a friend spill his orange drink all over the place. After cleaning it up, he received a free chocolate sundae, and proceeded to spill that as well.

Fowlerville High School Jazz Band to kick off 'Music at the Park' schedule, continued

(with a rain date of June 12), the Livingston County Concert Band on June 17 (no rain date), and Stronghold Quartet on June 24 (with a rain date of June 26).

The June Series concerts are sponsored by the Village of Fowlerville Downtown Development Authority.

The Summer Series will feature the Potts Road Band on July 8 (with a rain date of July 10), Bryce Engle on July 15 (with a rain date of July 17), Harmonized Steel on July 29 (with a rain date of July 31), Benny B. and The Ropewalkers on August 5 (with a rain date of August 7), and Kari Holmes on August 12 (with a rain date August 14),

The Potts Road Band is sponsored by Vermeer Midwest, a local business, while Kari Holmes is being sponsored by Bob Maxey Ford of Fowlerville, a local auto dealership. The other three concerts are being sponsored by the Rotary Club of Fowlerville.

All of the concerts start at 7 p.m., with the exception of the Livingston County Concert Band which has a warm-up at 7 p.m., followed by their performance at 7:30 p.m.

"It's nice to welcome back the High School Jazz Band to launch our concert season," said Dawn Horton, who organizes the event. "We have other returning performers and have added a new one. We've tried to offer a variety of musical styles. There will be country, classic rock, gospel, marches and show tunes, swing and R&R, and blue grass."

FOWLERVILLE AREA FIRE AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED 2025/2026 BUDGET

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Tuesday, May 27, 2025, the Fowlerville Area Fire Authority will hold a public hearing to consider the Authority's proposed 2025/2026 budget. This hearing will begin at 5:30 p.m. at 9110 W. Grand River Ave., Fowlerville, Michigan 48843.

The Authority may not adopt its proposed 2025/2026 budget until after the public hearing. A copy of the proposed 2025/2026 budget including the proposed property tax millage rates is available for public inspection upon request.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budgets will be a subject of this hearing.

This notice is given in order of the Fowlerville Area Fire Authority.

Anna Fraser
Fire Authority Administrative Assistant
(5-18-25 FNV)



Student of the Week—Salene Kalis

Salene Kalis, a distinguished senior in the Class of 2025, has earned the title of Salutatorian through her unwavering dedication and academic excellence. A hardworking and kind individual, Salene has excelled in a demanding college preparatory schedule, including multiple Advanced Placement courses such as AP Language, AP Physics, AP Calculus, AP Literature, AP Biology, and AP U.S. History.

In addition to her AP coursework, she has taken advantage of dual enrollment opportunities to further challenge herself and prepare for college. Salene also serves as an officer in the National Honor Society, demonstrating leadership and a commitment to service. Outside the classroom, she brings the same level of determination and teamwork to the ice as a dedicated ice hockey player. Salene Kalis is a shining example of what it means to be a true Gladiator.

Fowlerville Junior Varsity Softball Team splits two games against Mason

The Fowlerville Junior Varsity Softball Team split two games against Mason on Tuesday, May 13th. Ava Rose pitched game one, allowing only two earned runs and striking out five. Bella Shreve led the Gladiator offense with 2 RBIs. Brynn Goulding, Sailor Lee, and Mya Lanza each contributed a hit. Despite that effort, the Glads lost 15-13.

Brynn Goulding started on the mound in game two, allowing only three earned runs and striking out five as the team went on to win 18-9. Kourtne Koven and Kendra Chase each had multiple hits. Charlotte Szilagyi, Ava Rose, Mya Lanza, Bella Shreve, Kendra Peterson, and Kendra Chase all contributed RBIs.

The Glads finish out their season on Monday, May 19, at Holt.

Why is there hate?

By Jace Arledge

I am a very inquisitive person. I believe that not a day goes by that we shouldn’t be trying to learn something new, and in an age of technology with information literally at your fingertips one must be diligent to not be pulled into false information or, as the saying is these days, “fake” information.

So I decided to ask Google WHY IS THERE HATE, and here is what they said:

Hate stems from a complex interplay of psychological, social, and historical factors. It often arises from ignorance, fear, anger, a sense of injury, or a perceived threat to the status quo. Bias, a preference for or against a group, is a key driver, and when unchecked, it can escalate into hate. Furthermore, hate can be fueled by dehumanization, propaganda, and the perception of an “other” as a threat.

The psychological piece would be bias, fear and anger, dehumanization and sense of injury. The social piece is stereotypes, scapegoating, social norms, lack of exposure to diversity. Historical pieces would be power dynamics, conflict and violence, propaganda, and dehumanization. All these are things that, if we could only see what we have in common, wouldn’t even be an issue.

I see the issue stemming from the heart. Hate is a heart issue. We should be happy for other people, life shouldn’t be a competition, it’s hard enough to just be. Then when you put expectations on top of just simply living that’s where jealousy, bias, dehumanizing, violence and everything else comes from.

Look at the unfortunate people who have been so distraught from having lots of material goods. I won’t say everything, because let’s be honest, when there isn’t love, hope, friendship (true and real), and support money only buys you fake. You could be surrounded by many people, but will they stand with you and carry you when you fall? Would they be there when bad times hit or most important, if you didn’t have all the things—riches, houses, cars. Would they even give you the time of day?

There may be a few who would, but my bet is, not really.

My message to my own children and the kids that I had the honor of teaching or being their bus driver was to always stay true to yourself, be kind, treat others the way you want to be treated, never lie to get what you want, work hard, help others when they ae down and just be a good person...not matter what. Oh, and send thanks and gratitude to Jesus for what you do have, because it is a blessing, and to share. It’s actually very

Memorial Day observances being held in Fowlerville & Webberville May 26th

Memorial Day observances are being held on Monday, May 26th, in Fowlerville and Webberville.

A parade and ceremony will take place in Webberville at 8 a.m. The parade will form at the high school and proceed along Grand River to the Veterans Monument at the Main 4 Corners. Services will then be conducted.

A ceremony will also be held in Fowlerville at 10 a.m. Participants will gather on Cemetery Road at the south side of Greenwood Cemetery by the Post Office, then proceed to the main entrance. Services will then be conducted at the site of the memorial cannon.

simple to do the things I shared with you, it just takes putting other people first and knowing that you are doing what is right. It’s not about others reciprocating, but rather hoping that they will follow suit after seeing how you treat others and them.

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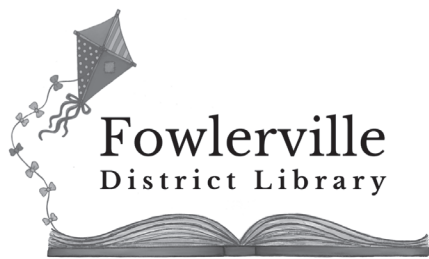


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KIDS & FAMILY
Save the Date - Join us for a Noon Ribbon Cutting to celebrate our new space. We will have a fun day with refreshments, tours and giveaways. Fri, June 6 • 12-6

Family Storytime (Ages 1-5) - For families with “littles” to learn, play and grow through a variety of stories, songs, rhymes, movements, and activities. Playtime and crafts included! Tues • 10-11am

Toddler Storytime (Ages 0-3) - A storytime for the “littlest littles” to learn, play, and grow through a variety of stories, songs, rhymes and movements that appeal to short attention spans. Wed • 10-11am

Kids Club (Ages 6-12) - All the fun of Lego Club, but with more! Now you can play a game, complete a craft or activity, and still build with your favorite bricks. Thursdays • 4pm

Graphic Novel Book Club - Read the book and then come to discuss it. Snacks provided. Books are available at the front desk and are yours to keep. Next meeting, we will discuss DUCK AND MOOSE, DUCK MOVES IN by Kirk Reedstrom. Mon, May 19 • 4pm

Book Boxes (All ages) - Fill out the online form by visiting the events page on our website. Let the librarians pick a surprise selection of books for you. Register the first two weeks of every month to get next month’s box, which will be ready to pick up the first of the following month.

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TEENS
History of NASCAR - Ever wonder where NASCAR came from? How do drivers get their starts? All this and more will be covered as we celebrate NASCAR Day. Mon., May 19 • 3-5pm

Dungeons & Dragons (Ages 12-18) - Come play D&D 5th Edition! No prior experience needed. Wed. • 2:30-5pm

Switch Free Play (Ages 10-18) - Open gaming time with the library’s Switch. Fridays • 2:30-5 pm

Maker Space Open House (All Ages) - Join us for a Maker’s Space Open House. Connor will be on hand to help with the 3D Printer and Glowforge. What will you create? Tues • 4-5 pm

ADULTS
Shell Trinket Holder
Join us for craft night. We will be making a pretty, little ring or trinket holder for yourself or as a thoughtful gift. Each one will be unique. Registration is required. All supplies are included. Thurs., June 12 • 6 pm

The Founding Fathers
Calling all history buffs! Owen McMaster is back by popular demand to present an engaging and entertaining program on our nation’s founding fathers. Thurs, May 22 • 6pm

Beekeeping 101 - Brian and Denise Richards from BEE

RICH will be here to discuss the benefits and “how tos” of raising honeybees. Wed., June 11 • 6:30pm

Find Your People at the Library - We are thrilled to continue this popular working group to explore the Ancestry Library Edition and other valuable genealogy resources. Bring your laptop or use one of our computers. Registration Requested. Thurs, June 12 • 2-3 pm

Jam Session (Adults and teens) - Open Jam Sessions are becoming a monthly tradition. Led by community members who love to learn, share and connect; all levels, instruments and genres are welcome! Newcomers are encouraged to lead tunes when they feel called. Song leads call out chords and changes. Questions? Email kjdamerow@gmail.com, OPENJAM in the subject line. Tues, June 10 • 5:30 – 6:45pm

Cardmaking (Adults) - Greet your friends and loved ones with beautiful homemade greeting cards-made by you! You will make four different cards to take home. All supplies included. Registration is required. Thurs, May 29 • 6:30 pm & Fri, May 30 • 11am

Scrapbooking (Adults) - Make the most of your memories and join us for a fun day of scrapbooking your favorite photos. Stay the whole time or for just a few hours. Everyone gets their own table. Light refreshments will be provided. Registration is required. Sat. June 21 • 10:30 – 3:30

Shelf Indulgence Book Club (Adults) - Members take turns facilitating the discussions. Come and enjoy some literary camaraderie! Register to get a free copy of the book, while supplies last. Registration begins one month before each scheduled meeting. Next up we will discuss WHEN WE MEET AGAIN by Kristin Harmel, June 19 • 2pm

Sewing (Adults) - Bring your sewing machine and learn from a master seamstress. All levels of skill are welcome. Registration is required. Fri, June 13 • 10-2 pm & Wed, June 18 • 5:30pm

You Can Be Tech Savvy! - Call the library to sign up for Internet & Email Basic Classes. Internet Basics Classes will be offered Thurs. May 22 • 12-1:30 pm. Email Basics Classes will be offered Thurs. May 29 • 12-1:30 pm


Small Towns, Big Stories - The Livingston Centre Historical Society invites you to join us to discuss Livingston County history guided by a historical society volunteer. This will be an informal gathering, and long-time residents are welcome as well as those new to the area with an interest in local history. Mon, June 9 • 1-2:30pm

Historical Home Stewardship Talk - Lisa Crowell will be on hand to discuss the importance of caring for historic homes to protect community identity and cultural heritage with practical advice for homeowners. Wed. May 28 • 6 pm


Did You Know? - Did you know that we are a food collection location for the Family Impact Center? Non-perishable foods may be dropped off in the cafe area, and we thank you!

Library Closure - The library will be closed on May 24, 25 & 26 in observance of Memorial Day.

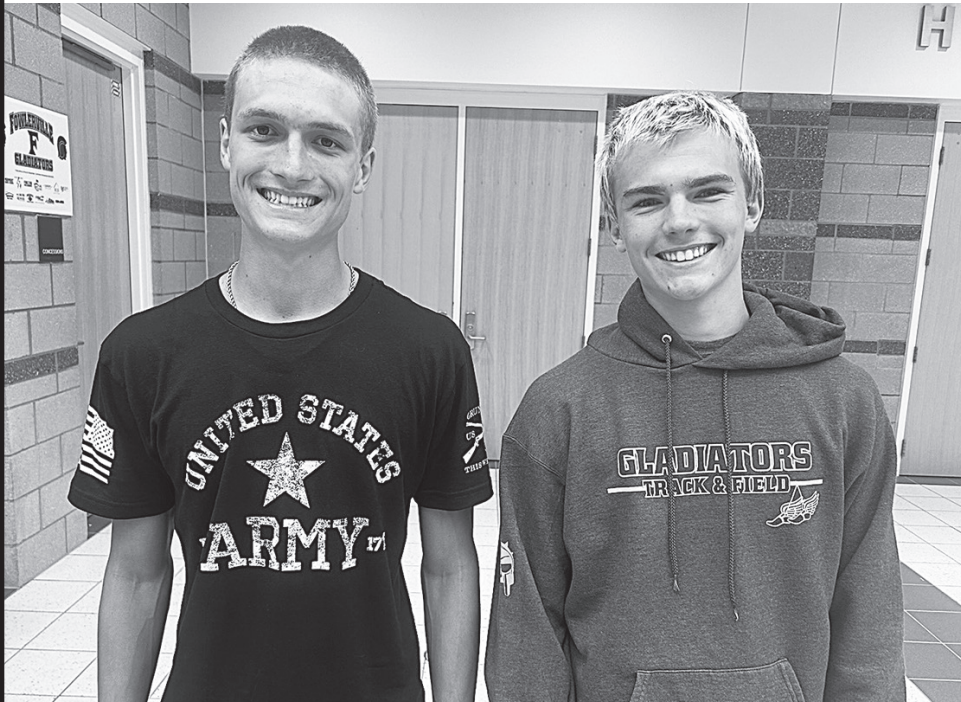
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Fowlerville High School’s “ATHLETES” OF THE WEEK



Jud Scott



Boys Track and Field

Alex Tyler - Alex is a first-year track and field athlete and his performances this season have left the other coaches and I wondering where he has been the last four years. Alex currently holds the fastest 100m dash time on the team this season with 11.47 seconds and his work ethic is nothing short of great.

Zachary Rinehart - Zach is one of our hurdle athletes and this season he has put forth tremendous effort in getting better each day, and it hasn’t gone unnoticed. Each meet and practice he’s out on the track giving his all which is something greatly appreciated and respected.




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All Good Things Come to an End

By Susan Kretchman

“Taking a break was refreshing, but I’m back and ready to shine”. (Unknown source)

Does time fly? Can we go back in time? Is there anything new under the sun?

Interesting concepts to ponder, aren’t they?

At the end of March, I temporarily said “goodbye” to my normal schedule that is created from obligations—primarily in a couple of roles at my church home—along with bidding my readers, those here in the *News & Views* as well as my personal blog and social media, an announcement that I needed a sabbatical. Looking back, March’s date seems to be a very far past point in my life. Now, in the midst of mid-May, I’m re-entering so to speak, all that was very routine for me day-to-day, week to week.

Does time fly? Yes, it does. Can we go back in time? No. To do so physically is impossible; however, memories from our past live on in our minds and hearts, especially when returning “home”.

When I planned my sabbatical I made a list of personal goals that I hoped to cross off my bucket list. I will write about them in the future and share experiences that have become part of fond memories. Some of my goals were to get away alone for a few days, rejuvenate my relationship with God, spend time with some relatives who live near the area I traveled to, get outside on hiking trails, meet new people. I even chose the exact date I would travel north to spend time alone in a beautiful home offered by the generosity of very dear friends. But, another goal I had listed was to have God interrupt me on the path laid out for me, to encounter what I like to refer to as “divine appointments”.

I didn’t leave on the day I had originally planned. My departure was delayed when I learned that my dear cousin Willie was hospitalized in Saginaw, my home city. Each text I received from his family informed me of his serious condition, his body fighting a fierce infection. On Tuesday, April 8 I made the drive alone to Saginaw to visit and possibly say my “goodbye”. Since I knew the day would be mine alone to choose any activities, upon my arrival in Saginaw I drove to my childhood home. The neighborhood was quiet, no traffic or people in yards. I parked my car and sat for a few minutes, taking in the changes that have been made to the house my dad built in the mid-50s, noting some need for repairs, wondering about the current owners.

From there I drove down the street to my elementary school that shares a large parcel of land with a city recreation area. A fence stands now around the kindergarten wing of the school; huge swing sets that were under tall shade trees in the rec area are gone. There’s no evidence of many summers playing games, swinging, or forming a competition of four square on the pavement. I left the area feeling sad.

On familiar streets that took me to Covenant Hospital, I saw many businesses that had closed or became home to different retail offerings. Once grand homes along Michigan Avenue were faded, run down, or boarded up. I couldn’t help but recall the beauty of these homes every time we drove by on our way to a favorite library, church on Sunday, taking dad to work or picking him up when mother needed the car.

I arrived at the hospital late morning. Willie was non responsive except for occasional moments he opened his eyes. A daughter-in-law was with him and this was my first time meeting her. More of describing my time with Ursula can come another time.

In short, Willie died on Good Friday. I can’t think of a better time to depart earthly life in exchange for eternity with God. I waited over the Easter weekend to learn of funeral arrangements and when they became known, I was able to leave for northern Michigan the following Wednesday.

“Many are the plans in a person’s heart, but it is the LORD’s purpose that prevails.” (Proverbs 19: 21)

I don’t know if my original plans for driving north would have given me different experiences or not. This is what I do know, that by surrendering my schedule to God, being open and flexible to accept interruptions along the way of everyday life, I was given precious memories, glorious opportunities to experience embracing recollections from the past, and in the midst of saying goodbye to a loved one, I found peace, joy,

Livingston County United Way 23rd Annual ‘Day of Caring’ on August 6th

Livingston County United Way announced that the 23rd Annual ‘Day of Caring’ will be held on Wednesday, August 6th. Volunteer and work site registrations are now open and ready for people to sign up. ‘Day of Caring’ is the largest single-day community service event in Livingston County. *One day. One Community. Amazing Results.*

In 2024, we were able to bring together 762 volunteers who accomplished a total of 55 projects. These included assisting senior citizens with home related repairs and improvements, helping support project referrals from our local agencies and schools, collecting school supplies and packing school backpacks, as well as organizing local personal care drives that resulted in over 40 boxes of donations.

Volunteers are invited to register individually or as a group. They can designate preferences for location, type of project, special skills and specific shift times (9:00 a.m. – noon or 1:00-4:00 p.m. or a full day commitment). Deadline for volunteer registration is June 30.

Companies, clubs and organizations are invited and encouraged to participate together. What better way to showcase an organization’s volunteer spirit while making a difference, improving employee morale and enthusiasm through team building and connecting individuals to their community and coworkers.

If you are unable to participate in this wonderful community service event but still want to help, consider a company sponsorship, a personal donation or consider holding a food drive or personal care drive in the weeks before the event. There are so many ways to make an impact in our community.

To register, get involved or learn more, visit <https://livingstoncountyunitedway.org/day-of-caring/> or call 810-494-3000.

and hope.

I arrived in Saginaw under a blanket of sadness, but when I left to return home, after spending time soaking in old memories and meeting new family members, I came back with a heart full of gratitude.

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fellowship and engage with brothers and
sisters who also served in the various
branches of our armed forces.
Mark your calendar and bring a fellow
veteran along for the memorable meeting.

MARION TOWNSHIP
SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED
MINUTES
MAY 8, 2025

The regular meeting of the Marion Township Board was held on Thursday, May 8, 2025 at 7:30 pm. Members Present: Andersen, Witkowski, Donovan, Lowe, Beal, and Lloyd. Members Absent: Fenton. The following action was taken: 1) Call to Order. 2) Motion carried to appoint Tammy Beal chairperson in the supervisor’s absence. 3) Call to the Public. 4) Motion carried to approve agenda; motion carried to approve consent agenda. 5) Pickleball Court site plan update. 6) Discussion with attorney regarding zoning administrator’s interpretation of zoning ordinance. 7) ZBA Report. 8) Correspondence & Updates. 9) Call to the Public. 10) Motion to adjourn at 8:47 pm.

Tammy L. Beal, MMC
Township Clerk
William Fenton
Township Supervisor
(5-18-25 FNV)

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Foreclosure by Advertisement

Notice is given under section 3212 of the revised judicature act of 1961, 1961 PA 236, MCL 600.3212, that the following mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at a public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash or cashier's check at the place of holding the circuit court in Livingston County, starting promptly at 10:00 AM, on July 2, 2025. The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information:

Name(s) of the mortgagor(s): Robert Steven Tilson, a single man and Melanie Ann Tilson, as joint tenants, with full rights of survivorship

Original Mortgagee: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns

Foreclosing Assignee (if any): Carrington Mortgage Services LLC

Date of Mortgage: June 6, 2020

Date of Mortgage Recording: June 15, 2020

Amount claimed due on date of notice: \$183,955.01

Description of the mortgaged premises: Situated in Township of Hamburg, Livingston County, Michigan, and described as: Parcel A:

Being a part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 12, Town 1 North, Range 5 East, Hamburg Township, Livingston County, Michigan, more particularly described as follows: commencing at the South 1/4 corner of said Section 12; thence along the south line of said section, North 89 degrees 25 minutes 06 seconds West 1066.11 feet to a point on the centerline of Hamburg Road; thence along said centerline, North 21 degrees 43 minutes 04 seconds East 287.24 feet to the point of beginning of the land to be described; thence continuing along said centerline, North 21 degrees 43 minutes 04 seconds East 130.96 feet; thence along the Southerly line of a 66 foot wide right-to-way, North 87 degrees 56 minutes 48 seconds East 228.84 feet; thence South 02 degrees 40 minutes 52 seconds West 120.41 feet; thence South 87 degrees 56 minutes 18 seconds West 271.34 feet to the point to beginning.

Easement Parcel:

A non-exclusive pedestrian easement to Ore Lake described as being part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 13 and part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 12, Town 1 North, Range 5 East, Hamburg Township, Livingston County, Michigan. More particularly described as follows: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of Section 13, Town 1 North, Range 5 East, Hamburg Township, Livingston County, Michigan; thence along the North line of said Section 13, South 89 degrees 58 minutes 19 seconds West 1066.11 feet to a point on the centerline of Hamburg Road and the point of beginning of the easement to be described; thence along the centerline of Hamburg Road South 19 degrees 21 minutes 26 seconds West 19.54 feet; thence along a previously surveyed and monumented and shown on a survey drawing by Patrick I. Benton, R.L.S. No. 19826 and having job No. 81-A-3926, East 407.46 feet; thence along said previously surveyed line, South 67 degrees 27 minutes 46 seconds East 258.22 feet; thence South 77 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds East 189.52 feet; thence along said previously surveyed line, South 34 degrees 17 minutes 03 seconds East 100.55 feet; thence continuing along said previously surveyed line, North 53 degrees 19 minutes 47 seconds East 9.04 feet; thence continuing along said previously surveyed line South 36 degrees 17 minutes 04 seconds East 95.63 feet to traverse point "B", a found 3/4 Iron Pipe; thence continuing South 38 degrees 17 minutes 04 seconds East to the Water's Edge of Ore Lake; thence Southeasterly along the Water's Edge of Ore Lake; thence North 04 degrees 19 minutes 56 seconds West to traverse point "A", a set 3/4 iron rod, a meandering traverse line bears South 43 degrees 12 minutes 03 seconds West 51.70 feet from traverse point "A" to traverse point "B" thence from traverse point "A", North 31 degrees 19 minutes 56 seconds West 210.77 feet; thence North 77 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds West 209.70 feet; thence North 67 degrees 27 minutes 46 seconds West 265.34 feet; thence North 89 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds West 48.26 feet to a found 1/2 iron rod; thence South 89 degrees 58 minutes 19 seconds West 349.16 feet to a point on the centerline of Hamburg Road; thence along the centerline of Hamburg Road, South 19 degrees 21 minutes 26 seconds West 59.41 feet to point of beginning.

Common street address (if any): 7915 Hamburg Rd, Brighton, MI 48116-5104

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a; or, if the subject real property is used for agricultural purposes as defined by MCL 600.3240(16).

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of the Revised Judicature Act of 1961, pursuant to MCL 600.3278 the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage at the telephone number stated in this notice.

This notice is from a debt collector.

Date of notice: April 27, 2025

Trott Law, P.C.

31440 Northwestern Hwy, Suite 145

Farmington Hills, MI 48334

(248) 642-2515

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(4-27, 5-4, 5-11 & 5-18-25 FNV)

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
LIVINGSTON COUNTY**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate**

CASE NO. and JUDGE
25- 23370-DE

Court address and telephone no.
204 S. Highlander Way #2, Howell, MI 48843
(517) 546-3750

Estate of Leon Lazar

Date of Birth: 08-19-1946

TO ALL CREDITORS:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Leon Lazar, died 05-22-2024.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Jessica B. Blake, personal representative, or to both the probate court at 204 S. Highlander Way #2, Howell, and the personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Personal Representative:
Jessica B. Blake
P.O. Box 7038
Huntington Woods, MI 48070
313-424-8685

(5-18-25 FNV)

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS
DECEDENT'S TRUST**

**DENNIS J. ODINE AND MAUREEN S. RILEY
LIVING TRUST,
DATED JUNE 24, 2011**

TO ALL CREDITORS:

The decedent, Dennis J. Odine, a Settlor of the Dennis J. Odine and Maureen S. Riley Living Trust, dated June 24, 2011, who lived at 10843 Monticello, Hamburg Township, MI 48169, died May 5, 2025. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the Trustee: Kevin O'Callaghan, 1623 Rose Ln, Trenton, MI 48183, within four (4) months after the date of publication of this notice.

Dated: May 14, 2025

Reid M.E. McCarthy (P67846)
Ann Arbor Elder Law, PLLC
100 Huronview Blvd.
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103
(734) 945-9693

(5-18-25 FNV)

Reach Out Barn at Oak Grove United Methodist Church now open for season

The Reach Out Barn at Oak Grove United Methodist Church is open Monday and Thursday 3:30 - 6:30 pm - Wednesdays and Fridays 10:30 am - 1:30 pm. through Friday, October 3. Come shop for treasures and other items. We may close due to extreme weather conditions. We accept donations of clothing, kitchen items, small appliances, shoes/boots, toys, books, etc. All proceeds help clients of Love INC Livingston County.

Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage at the telephone number stated in this notice.

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Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kevin Richardson and Nancy Richardson, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Quicken Loans Inc., Mortgagee, dated April 15, 2016 and recorded April 29, 2016 in Instrument Number 2016R-012981 Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by JP-Morgan Chase Bank, National Association, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Four Thousand Six Hundred Twelve and 32/100 Dollars (\$164,612.32).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the circuit court within Livingston County, Michigan at 10:00 AM on JULY 2, 2025.

Said premises are located in the Township of Brighton, Livingston County Michigan, and are described as:

Part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 6, Town 2 North, Range 6 East, described as: Commencing at the Southeast corner of said Section 6; thence North 00 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds West along the East line of Section 6, 1805.52 feet to the point of beginning of the parcel to be described; thence South 89 degrees 26 minutes 41 seconds West 696.97 feet to the centerline of a 66 foot wide private road easement; thence North 00 degrees 33 minutes 20 seconds West along said centerline, 200.64 feet; thence North 89 degrees 26 minutes 05 seconds East, 697.91 feet to the East line of Section 6; thence South 00 degrees 17 minutes 10 seconds East, 200.76 feet to the point of beginning. Together with the right of ingress and egress across the following described 66.0 foot road easement described as: Beginning at a point South 89 degrees 26 minutes 40 seconds West along the centerline of McClements Road 688.50 feet from the Southeast corner of said Section 6 for the centerline of said 66 foot road easement; thence North 0 degrees 33 minutes 20 seconds West 2651.30 feet; thence North 26 degrees 12 minutes West 285.40 feet; thence North 1 degrees 46 minutes 55 seconds East 676.55 feet; thence North 28 degrees 23 minutes 05 seconds West 75 feet to the end of said easement.

613 Tracey Lane, Brighton, Michigan 48114

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

Dated: April 27, 2025

File No. 25-005274

Firm Name: Orlans Law Group PLLC

Firm Address: 1650 West Big Beaver Road, Troy MI 48084

Firm Phone Number: (248) 502.1400

(04-27)(05-18)

(4-27, 5-4, 5-11 & 5-18-25 FNV)

Fowlerville Junior Varsity Softball Team loses two games to Eaton Rapids

The Fowlerville Junior Varsity Softball Team lost two games to Eaton Rapids on Thursday, May 8th.

Ava Rose pitched her best game of the season, allowing only one hit and giving up zero earned runs. The Gladiator offense, however, struggled against a strong Eaton Rapids pitcher, with the only hit coming from Kourtnie Koven. The final score was 2-0.

In game two, Brynn Goulding and Ava Rose shared responsibilities on the mound in the 19-2 loss. The offensive struggle continued, although Brynn Goulding went 2 for 3 with three RBIs and Ava Rose contributed one hit.

Kreeger Elementary

School News

CALENDAR OF KREEGER EVENTS

5-22-25

Spring Flower Delivery 11am-4pm

5-26-25

No School – Memorial Day

5-30-25

Kreeger Field Day

6-5-25

½ Day

6-6-25

½ Day – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

SPRING FLOWER DELIVERY MAY 22ND

Thursday, May 22nd– Your flowers arrive at Kreeger Elementary in the morning, pick up time is from 11:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Please note: If you are unable to pick up your plants on this date and time, please make arrangements with friends or family to have them picked up. We are NOT responsible for any plants not picked up.

FIELD DAY: MAY 30TH

3rd grade--1:45pm-3:15pm

4th grade-- 12:10pm-1:40pm

5th grade-- 9:40 am-11:15 am

We are still looking for volunteers for Field Day! If you are interested in helping out on Field Day, please contact Ms. Faucher: faucherk@fowlervilleschools.org


DRESS CODE

Just a reminder as the weather gets warmer: Dress that is disruptive to the educational process is prohibited. Clothing and/or accessories should not endorse any item or product related to tobacco, alcohol or other controlled substances.

All clothing must be neat and clean so as to present the best possible appearance. Sagging and baggy pants are not allowed, nor are chains or other gang related potentially dangerous accessories. Shoes must be worn at all times. Decency interpreted by the administration and staff is to be maintained at all times. Shirts that expose the midriff, short skirts, short shorts are not allowed. Hats, caps, bonnets, helmets, hoods, and head scarves are not to be worn inside Kreeger Elementary. At Kreeger, all sleeveless tops must have a minimum of two inches on shoulder.

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Sat. 9am-2pm, Sun. Closed

LEGAL NOTICES

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Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by LAWRENCE LIMONOFF, III, MARRIED MAN, to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR MIMUTUAL MORTGAGE, Mortgagee, dated September 9, 2019 and recorded September 13, 2019 in Instrument Number 2019R-024371 and Affidavit Affecting Reality recorded on May 12, 2025, in Instrument Number 2025R-008997, Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Nationstar Mortgage LLC, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Nine Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Nine and 76/100 Dollars (\$209,589.76).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the circuit court within Livingston County, Michigan at 10:00 AM on JUNE 18, 2025.

Said premises are located in the Township of Handy, Livingston County Michigan, and are described as: Unit 194 of RED CEDAR CROSSING, a condominium according to the Master Deed thereof, recorded in Liber 4533 page(s) 924 through 997, inclusive, Livingston County Records, designated as Livingston County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 311, and all recorded amendments thereof, if any, together with the rights in general common elements and limited common elements, as set forth in said Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended.

2669 Sycamore River Dr, Fowlerville, Michigan 48836

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

Dated: May 18, 2025

File No. 25-005303

Firm Name: Orlans Law Group PLLC

Firm Address: 1650 West Big Beaver Road, Troy MI 48084

Firm Phone Number: (248) 502.1400

(05-18)(06-08)

(5-18, 5-25, 6-1 & 6-8-25 FNV)

Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage at the telephone number stated in this notice.

Notice of foreclosure by advertisement. Notice is given under section 3212 of the revised judicature act of 1961, 1961 PA 236, MCL 600.3212, that the following mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at a public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash or cashier's check at the place of holding the circuit court in Livingston County, starting promptly at 10:00 AM on JUNE 11, 2025. The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of the sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information.

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by MELISSA GREENE, A SINGLE PERSON, to ABN AMRO MORTGAGE GROUP, INC., Mortgagee, dated May 28, 2003 and recorded November 7, 2003 in Liber 4235, Page 155 Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, as Trustee for the benefit of the Freddie Mac Seasoned Loans Structured Transaction Trust, Series 2019-3, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Nine and 9/100 Dollars (\$108,899.09).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the circuit court within Livingston County, Michigan at 10:00 AM on JUNE 11, 2025.

Said premises are located in the Township of TYRONE, Livingston County Michigan, and are described as: A PART OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 31, TOWN 4 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST, TYRONE TOWNSHIP, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS; BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 31; THENCE WEST 13 RODS; THENCE NORTH 9 RODS; THENCE EAST 13 RODS; THENCE SOUTH 9 RODS TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING.

6061 Linden Road, Fenton, Michigan 48430

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

Dated: April 27, 2025

File No. 25-005352

Firm Name: Orlans Law Group PLLC

Firm Address: 1650 West Big Beaver Road, Troy MI 48084

Firm Phone Number: (248) 502.1400

(04-27)(05-18)

(4-27, 5-4, 5-11 & 5-18-25 FNV)

Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage at the telephone number stated in this notice.

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Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by David W. Ledwidge and Monica J. Ledwidge, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Flagstar Bank, FSB, Mortgagee, dated January 30, 2018 and recorded February 2, 2018 in Instrument Number 2018R-002994 Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Nationstar Mortgage LLC, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixteen Thousand Two Hundred Forty-One and 2/100 Dollars (\$116,241.02).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the circuit court within Livingston County, Michigan at 10:00 AM on JUNE 4, 2025.

Said premises are located in the Township of Unadilla, Livingston County Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at a point on the South line of Lot 3, Block 7, The Plat of East Unadilla, as recorded in Liber 4 of Deeds, page 339, Livingston County Records, 152 feet West of the center of the street designated on said plat as State Street; thence North 172.0 feet to the center thread of Fish Creek; thence Southwesterly along the center thread of Fish Creek to a point which is South 59 degrees 02' 12" West 169.09 feet from the last described point; thence South 85.0 feet; thence East 145.0 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

20320 Kaiser Rd, Gregory, Michigan 48137

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

Dated: May 4, 2025

File No. 25-005559

Firm Name: Orlans Law Group PLLC

Firm Address: 1650 West Big Beaver Road, Troy MI 48084

Firm Phone Number: (248) 502.1400

(05-04)(05-25)

(5-4, 5-11, 5-18 & 5-25-25 FNV)

Fowlerville Police Report

for the Village of Fowlerville Council Meeting

Monday, May 19, 2025

The Fowlerville Police Department responded to 2231 calls for service over the past 4 weeks.

Total citations issued during this period: 74 moving and parking citations.

Warrant Authorized/Declined

Incident #25-00318- Obstructing Justice-- Warrant Authorized-FELONY

- 27 y/o male, Fowlerville, Friday, April 18th, 2025, at

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approximately 2146 hours.

- 21 y/o male, Fowlerville, Friday, April 18th, 2025, at approximately 2146 hours.

Incident #25-00323- Traffic Operating- Warrant Authorized

- 36 y/o male, White Lake, Sunday, April 20th, 2025, at approximately 2007 hours.

Incident #25-00309-CSC-Warrant Authorized

- 10 y/o male, Fowlerville, Wednesday, April 16th, 2025, at approximately 1200 hours.

Incident #25-00352-Juvenile Complaint-Warrant Authorized

- 16 y/o male, Fowlerville, Monday, April 28th, 2025, at approximately 1554 hours.

Incident #25-00342- Juvenile Complaint-Warrant Under Review

- 13 y/o, male, Fowlerville, Thursday, April 24th, 2025, at approximately 1432 hours.

Incident #25-00365- Assault- Warrant Under Review

- 23 y/o, male, Flint, Wednesday, April 30th, 2025, at approximately 1927 hours.
- 35 y/o, male, Flint, Wednesday, April 30th, 2025, at approximately 1927 hours.

Incident #25-00116- Flee & Elude/MDOP of Police Property - Warrant Under Review

- 22 y/o, male, Inkster, Monday, February 17th, 2025, at approximately 0727 hours.

Incident #25-00370- Retail Fraud- Warrant Authorized

- 36 y/o, male, Fowlerville, Friday, May 2nd, 2025, at approximately 1602 hours.

Incident #25-00380- Obstructing Police/MDOP of Police Property-Warrant Under Review

- 32 y/o male, Lansing, Monday, May 5th, 2025, at approximately 1900 hours.

Incident #25-00386- OWI-Warrant Under Review

- 26 y/o, male, Pinckney, Wednesday, May 7th, 2025, at approximately 0000 hours.

Incident #25-00400- Juvenile Complaint- Warrant Under Review

- 14 y/o, male, Fowlerville, Monday, May 12th, 2025, at approximately 1030 hours.

Officers Investigated the Following Types of Complaints:

- 26-Assist to EMS/FAFD
- 2-Alarm
- 524-Area checks
- 1-B/E
- 500-Building property check
- 6-Citizen assist
- 4-Community Policing
- 3-Disturbance
- 187-Follow up
- 1-Fraud
- 78-General non-criminal
- 3-Hazard
- 1-Hit & run
- 14-Info general
- 9-Juvenile complaints
- 1-K9 training
- 55-Liquor inspections
- 4-Lockout
- 1-Lost/found property
- 1-Meetings
- 1-Mental/CMH
- 1-Message delivery
- 4-Motorist assist
- 2-Open door
- 47-Ordinance Inv.
- 2-Overdose
- 5-Patrol info.
- 1-PBT request
- 4-PDA
- 4-Prisoner transport
- 2-Retail fraud
- 108-School events
- 55-School patrol
- 1-Shots fired
- 149-Subdivision patrol
- 2-Subpoena service
- 19-Suspicious Situations
- 219-Traffic detail
- 147-Traffic stops
- 1-Tree hazard
- 1-Unattended death
- 3-Unknown accident
- 1-Unknown medical
- 1-Vehicle fire
- 3-Vin Inspection
- 1-Warrant arrest
- 5-Welfare check
- 1-Abandoned vehicle
- 5-Animal complaint
- 1-Assist other agency
- 1-Civil complaint
- 3-DHS referrals
- 5-Domestic
- 7-Foot patrol

The above statistical information is retrieved using the computer aided dispatching module provided by Livingston County Central Dispatch. All supporting statistical documentation can be provided upon request.

Assist other agencies:

Officer Masterman assisted the MSP-Brighton Post with the apprehension of an organized retail fraud group who was targeting Walmart stores in southeast MI. The suspects were located inside Fowlerville Walmart and were taken into custody and turned over to MSP. FPD also has pending cases open against this group.

Additional information:

Officer Edmonds and I were asked to conduct an onsite Safety and Active Assailant Training at the Fowlerville Library. We met with library staff and volunteers to tour the new remodel and give insight and discussion of best practices to deal with an active shooter situation. If you have not had a chance to visit and look at the newly remodeled library, please take the time and do so as it looks amazing.

We have acquired Axon body-worn cameras to coincide with our Axon in car cameras that were purchased last year. Axon body-worn cameras enhance transparency, accountability, and public trust. These cameras provide clear, real-time documentation of interactions between officers and the public which can help resolve complaints, reduce use-of-force incidents, and improve officer training. Axon cameras also integrate seamlessly with evidence management systems, making it easier to store, review, and share footage for investigations and court proceedings.

I attended the VFW board meeting to discuss Memorial Day parade details and to meet members in attendance and to answer any questions they may have.

I attended the annual Military Send Off Reception held at American Legion in Howell. I was asked to be a speaker, and I spoke about my experiences last year when my son Kaiden was going to boot camp and AIT (specialized training) and what parents and family members can expect and how it felt. I also had my son Alex who is graduating this year in attendance and was sworn in as he is also going into the Army this summer. This is such a great event for the future soldiers and for family members and for me is such a proud moment seeing my sons choosing to be part of the military.

Respectfully Submitted
John J. Tyler, Chief of Police



Grace Life Community Church Youth Group. From L-R: Chuck Firman, Brayden Plumley, Louis Firman, Maria Firman, Jonathan Firman and Thomas Firman.



Drew Vielbig, Director of Development, for Ranger Power LLC explaining the proposed Headland Solar project.

Celebrations, Information & Flowers at the Fowlerville Senior Center

By Mark Thompson

The Fowlerville Senior Center hosted a very well attended Senior Celebration Day on May 8th. The celebration was sponsored by the Livingston County Consortium on Aging and our lunch was provided by Meals on Wheels. Musical entertainment was provided by Stephen Dean, Mark McLean from Abigal Hospice and his faithful therapy dog Yogi made numerous friends. Todd Robinson, Chairman of the Livingston County Consortium on Aging, was our master of ceremonies, while the sponsors from Age Ways Senior Services, Cortland Assisted Living, Medilodge Rehabilitation



Mike Brown, Conway Township Supervisor, discussing the proposed Headland Solar power project.



Irene Hursh having her blood pressure checked by Lt Mike Takovich and Assistant Chief Mike Lemaeux of the Fowlerville Fire Department.

Two Fowlerville students among the graduates at Albion College

Fowlerville student Parker Douglass graduated from Albion College with degrees in biology and anthropology. Douglass is the child of John and Kelli Douglass of Fowlerville. Fowlerville student Amelia Otten graduated with a degree in kinesiology-exercise science and a minor in psychology. Otten is a resident of Fowlerville and is a graduate of Fowlerville High School. Albion College is a private liberal arts college of approximately 1,500 students and is nationally recognized for its academic excellence in the liberal arts tradition, a learning-centered commitment, and a future-oriented perspective.

and Wellness Center and Cooper & Riesterer PLC provided prizes for the games. A very good time was had by all and the information provided was helpful and insightful. We are all looking forward to next year’s event. We had our monthly Community Meeting and Drew Vielbig, Director of Development, for Ranger Power LLC, was our guest speaker. Drew spoke on the proposed Headland solar power generation project in Conway and Cohoctah Townships which is slated to start in 2027. Vielbig then answered numerous questions from Senior Center members. Also at our Community Meeting was Mike Brown, Supervisor for Conway Township, who also made a presentation regarding various possible impacts of the Headland Solar project and answered questions from Senior Center members. Both presentations provided Senior Center members with a plethora of good information regarding the project. Senior Center members then conducted our regular meeting regarding Senior Center business and operations. The topics included future trips and entertainment options, and it was decided we would like to participate in the Fowlerville Fourth of July Parade. The Grace Life Community Church’s Youth Group is refurbishing our small trailer which we have used to haul items. The trailer needed refurbishing,

and we appreciate their offer and endeavors with this project and look forward to seeing and using the trailer. Members of the Senior Center appreciate having their blood pressure screened monthly by members of the Fowlerville Fire Department. This month Assistant Chief Mike Lemieux and Lieutenant Mike Takovich, stopped by and performed the screenings with their usual professionalism. We had an anonymous bouquet of flowers delivered by Aleta’s Flowers in honor of Mother’s Day. Made more than one person smile. Mom, thanks for pretending my drawings were masterpieces.

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Seniors Recognized During Honors Night

On Wednesday, May 7, Fowlerville High School recognized the outstanding achievements of the Class of 2025 during Honors Night held at the Alverson Center for Performing Arts. During the event, 57 students from the senior class were recognized for their exceptional achievements, remarkable community involvement and outstanding character.

In addition, 40 local scholarships totaling more than \$37,000 were awarded to these remarkable individuals. The generous support from our community is a powerful testament to their dedication and unwavering encouragement they provide our students. The Honors Night not only celebrates academic excellence, but it also highlights the value of community and the commitment to nurturing the potential of every student.

Congratulations to all of the students who were honored and we express our deepest gratitude to everyone who contributed to making the night a resounding success!

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Summer Construction Projects to Start as Soon as School Ends

As the school year wraps up, several of our buildings will be closing to students and staff over the summer to allow construction crews to begin scheduled summer improvement projects. These projects are part of our continued commitment to maintaining safe, modern, and efficient learning environments for all students.

This summer's work includes the addition of HVAC systems in several buildings as part of our 2021 Bond, interior and exterior painting, concrete repairs, and the continued renovation of the Smith building to make way for the Little Glads program. To ensure the safety of everyone and to give contractors the time and access they need, we are asking staff and students to plan ahead for early closures and restricted building access.

Below is a list of buildings/athletic facilities that will be closed until August 18, 2025:

- **Natalie Kreeger Elementary School**
- **Fowlerville Junior High School**
- **Fowlerville High School** (credit recovery for HS students will take place at the Alverson Center for Performing Arts)
- **Fowlerville HS Track and Practice Infield** - will close after the last track meet to begin installation of new turf.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we make these important upgrades. Stay tuned for updates throughout the summer, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back to improved facilities in the fall.

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Fowlerville Archery Teams Headed to Championship

The Fowlerville Archery teams participated in the U.S. Eastern National Tournament in Louisville, Kentucky, May 8-10, and have now advanced to the National Championship in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, June 5-7. Hosted by the National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP), the event will be held at the Myrtle Beach Convention

Center. Three teams from Fowlerville will be represented at the National Championship including the Fowlerville High School Team, the Fowlerville Junior High team and the Fowlerville Junior High 3D Team. We want to wish all of our students the best of luck!

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**Open Enrollment is Available on Our Website
Kinder Academy & Kindergarten**

Registration continues to remain open on our website for both Kindergarten and Kinder Academy for Fall 2025 at Fowlerville Elementary School. If any families need assistance with registration, they are encouraged to call the school at 517.223.6008. We also want to thank WILX TV-10 for visiting our new school and filming a School's Rule feature. Be sure to check it out!

Little Glad Enrollment for Fall 2025 is Now Open!

Fowlerville Community Schools is excited to announce enrollment for the Little Glad Early Childhood Center is now open for Fall 2025-26. Michigan's Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) is ranked #1 in the nation, and now nearly all 4-year olds qualify for FREE preschool. Fowlerville's GSRP program offers full-day enrollment, Monday through Friday with seven hours of programming each day - at no cost to nearly all families.

We are also expanding our Little Glad Early Childhood Center with renovations to the H.T. Smith building. Our program has earned a five-star rating from Great Start Quality ensuring top-tier early childhood education.

To enroll, call 517.223.6480 and our team will assist you. Learn more about our programs on our website. We look forward to welcoming your family to the Little Glad Early Childhood Center for the 2025-26 school year!

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Summer School Update for Grades K-8

Fowlerville Community Schools is excited to offer an expanding summer learning program for students in grades K-8 made possible by a grant. Summer school will run for three weeks, Monday - Thursday from 8:30 am -12:30 pm during the weeks of July 7, 14 and 21 at Fowlerville Elementary School. Breakfast, lunch and transportation will all be provided through the grant.

Families of eligible students have already been contacted via email to complete the registration form which was due by May 14.

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New Course Offerings for 2025-26

Fowlerville Community Schools is pleased to offer two new course offerings for the 2025-26 school year.

At Fowlerville Junior High, choir will be available for grades 7-8. The course will be a combined 7/8 grade course offered during the third hour class period. Students were sent a Google Form to sign up a couple of weeks ago and we are already seeing significant interest in our new vocal music option.

In addition, at Fowlerville High School, a new Advanced Placement (AP) course in Macroeconomics is being added. If they have not already, interested students should contact Ms. Goossens.

Finally, we are in the early stages of creating some additional STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) courses and information on those additions will be shared soon.

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Mark your Calendar

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Yard Sale

Thursday, June 5

Friday, June 6

Saturday, June 7

The *Fowlerville News & Views* is once again co-ordinating and promoting the annual Fowlerville Community Yard Sale.

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Fowlerville Hosting District/Regional Play

Fowlerville High School will be hosting both baseball and softball districts on Saturday, May 31. We will also host the baseball regional semifinal game on June 4. Tickets for all of these events are \$7 and can be purchased on GoFan.

News From Fowlerville Elementary

On Wednesday, May 7, all Fowlerville Elementary School students took a walk to the high school track to participate in the All Children Exercise Simultaneously (ACES) program! Mr. Brown, our physical education teacher, plans this event every year. Students walked, ran, skipped and danced all around the track with help from Mr. Rickens and his high school physical education class.

Ms. Martin has been working hard on our first grade musical performance. There will be a dress rehearsal at 10:00 am on May 22, with an evening performance for our families at 7:00 pm. All performances will take place at the Alverson Center for Performing Arts.

Eighth Grade Students Visit Washington D.C.

This year, 47 of our eighth grade students traveled to Washington D.C. for three days to tour many of our national monuments including the Abraham Lincoln, Thomas Jefferson and Franklin Delano Roosevelt monuments as well as tours of the World War II, Korean and Vietnam War Memorials. The group also learned about and paid their respect to the fallen soldiers at Arlington National Cemetery, watched the changing of the guard ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and learned about the civilian and military victims of the 9/11 attack on the Pentagon.

This year, the group was also able to see the White House, tour the Capitol Building and visit the National Archives to see the Constitution and Bill of Rights. Finally, they toured several museums including the Museum of Natural History, the American History Museum, the Air and Space Museum and the African American Museum. On the way home, the group also made a stop at the Gettysburg National Military Park to learn about the three day battle during the Civil War.

Plans for next year's trip are already underway. If you have a seventh grade student interested in attending, they should see Mr. Campbell for more information.

Upcoming Calendar Events:

May

- 22 - First Grade Musical, Alverson Center, 7:00 pm
- 26 - Memorial Day, No School
- 27 - Board of Education Meeting, FHS Media Center, 7:00 pm
- 30 - Natalie Kreeger Elementary Field Day
- 31 - Fowlerville Hosting Regionals for Baseball and Softball

June

- 01 - Graduation Ceremony, 2:00 pm
- 04 - Half Day for students (grades 6-11 only)
- 05 - Half Days for all students
- 5-7 - Archery Teams to Nationals in Myrtle Beach, SC
- 06 - Last Day for students (1/2 day)

Local student named to Southern New Hampshire University President's List

Johnathan Maranian of Fowlerville has been named to Southern New Hampshire University's (SNHU) Spring 2025 President's List. The spring terms run from January to May.

Full-time undergraduate students who have earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.700 and above for the reporting term are named to the President's List. Full-time status is achieved by earning 12 credits over each 16-week term or paired 8-week terms grouped in fall, winter/spring, and summer.

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) is a private, nonprofit, accredited institution with a 92-year history of educating traditional-aged students and working adults. Now serving more than 200,000 learners worldwide, SNHU offers approximately 200 undergraduate, graduate, and certificate programs, available online and on its 300-acre campus in Manchester, NH.



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Addison Borowy to play women’s soccer at Cleary University

Addison Borowy, a senior at Fowlerville High School, is being celebrated for her outstanding achievements as both a student and an athlete. This spring, Borowy is graduating Cum Laude and has committed to play collegiate soccer at Cleary University in Howell.

A central figure for the Fowlerville Lady Gladiators, Borowy made her mark as a dedicated midfielder known for her leadership, determination, and skill. She also competed with the Michigan Jaguars FC, further elevating her game through high-level club competition.

In addition to her athletic accomplishments, Addison’s Cum Laude distinction honors her academic dedication, showcasing the balance she maintained between sports and school.

“I’m excited to continue both my education and soccer career at Cleary,” said Borowy. “I’m so thankful to my coaches, teammates, teachers, and family who’ve supported me every step of the way.”

Borowy will join Cleary University’s women’s soccer program this fall as part of the NAIA’s Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference (WHAC), where she is expected to make an immediate impact.

The Fowlerville community and high school staff applaud Addison’s achievements and look forward to following her journey at the collegiate level.



Addison Borowy is shown here with her parents and younger sister. From left are Kelly, Vivian, Addison, and Dan Borowy.

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- May 22: 1st Grade Musical
 - May 26: NO SCHOOL, Memorial Day
 - May 29: End of Year Party (5-7pm)
 - May 30: Popcorn Friday
 - June 2: Field Day
 - June 5: Half Day (dismissal at 12:02)
 - June 6: Half Day & LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
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Parents and guardians, as year-end approaches, if your child has medications in the office, please remember to stop by the school to pick up those medications during those last few days before summer break starts.

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Local American Legion Post forms Howell Veterans Association

American Legion Devereaux Post 141 announces formation of the Howell Veterans Association, a subsidiary of the local Post. The Howell Veterans Association (HVA) is comprised of one representative from each of the units and organizations within the Post 141 building, creating a combined joint group with the purpose of fundraising for American Legion Devereaux Post 141.

As a 501(c)(3) organization, Howell Veterans Association anticipates receiving additional gifts and grants on behalf of American Legion Devereaux Post 141 from donors seeking tax deductible status. These gifts and grants will be used by Post 141 to provide assistance to Active Military members, injured Veterans, surviving spouses and children, and for events that honor and promote recognition of Active, Veteran and deceased members of our armed forces. Fundraising will also be done as needed for expansion of facilities as the membership of the American Legion and its affiliated organizations increases.

One activity currently in the works is a game called King of Clubs, which is scheduled to begin June 6th. The concept is that people buy a ticket for \$1 which is put into a basket, with one ticket



Members of the new group are, from left, front row: Bob Witt, HVA Secretary, Marine Corps League; Chris Hatfield, Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary; Tara Pearson, designated Attorney; Stacey West, HVA Treasurer, American Legion Woman's Auxiliary. Back row: Alan Hatfield, Disabled American Veterans; Jim Clore, AMVETS; Jim Pringle, Vietnam Veterans of America; Rick Bennett, Sons of the American Legion; Bobby Brite, HVA Chairman, American Legion; Laura Goldthwait, American Legion Commander; Gary Dunn, American Legion; and Jim Grimes, American Legion.

drawn each Friday evening. The winning drawn ticket holder gets to choose a numbered envelope from the wall display, each of which contains a playing card. This is a progressive jackpot with the person that finally selects the King of Clubs card being the jackpot winner. Tickets are available at the American Legion Devereaux Post 141 at 3265 W. Grand River Ave, Howell, MI 48855.

The HVA is also in the planning stages of a Premium Kick-off Fundraising Event to introduce our organization to the community. More details about this event will become available as time progresses. We look forward to helping those that have given themselves to service of our beloved United States ~ All gave some, some gave All~

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Autumn Carr to play women’s soccer at Lawrence Technological University

Autumn Carr, a senior at Fowlerville High School, is being recognized for her exceptional accomplishments in both academics and athletics. This spring, Carr is graduating Summa Cum Laude, finishing in the Top 12 of her class, and has officially signed to play collegiate women’s soccer at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield, Michigan.

Carr has been a vital part of the Fowlerville Lady Gladiators soccer team, earning a reputation for her technical skill, versatility, and leadership on the field. Her strong performance has also been showcased in club soccer, where she consistently demonstrated high-level play

and commitment to the game.

“I’m incredibly honored and excited to take the next step in both my academic and athletic journey,” said Carr. “Playing soccer at the collegiate level has always been a dream, and I’m grateful to my coaches, family, and teachers who have helped make it possible.”

Lawrence Tech, a respected NAIA institution in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference (WHAC), is gaining a talented student-athlete in Carr. She will join the Blue Devils women’s soccer program in the fall of 2025 and plans to pursue a rigorous academic path alongside her athletic career.

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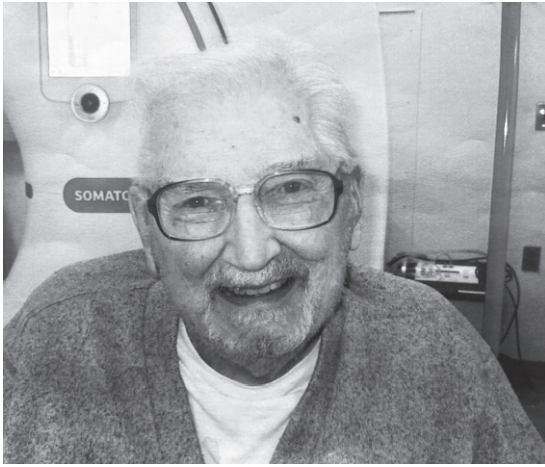
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A female softball player from Faulkerville, wearing a purple jersey and white pants, stands in front of a chain-link fence. She is holding a large white sign that reads: "TOMMI Career 50 Doubles 100 RBI #22". A yellow softball is visible in the bottom right corner of the sign.

A photograph of three people sitting in front of a blue and gold volleyball court backdrop. On the left is a woman with glasses and a black jacket over a grey shirt. In the center is a woman with blonde hair wearing a blue t-shirt that says "LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL". On the right is a man wearing a black hoodie, a grey baseball cap, and a black vest with "FD" and "LANSING" visible. The backdrop features large gold letters "F" and "L" and white Spartan head logos. A purple tablecloth is in the foreground.

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—Area Deaths—



Richard G. Hutchins

Richard G. Hutchins went to be with Jesus on Friday, May 9, 2025, at the age of 95. A man of deep faith, steady service, and boundless generosity, Richard lived a life marked by love—for his country, his family, his community, and his Savior.

Born on April 29, 1930, in Gaylord, Michigan, to Archie and Viola Hutchins, Richard's commitment to service began early. After graduating from high school, he joined the Army National Guard in Detroit and later served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War from 1950 to 1953. Following his time in the Marines, he returned to the National Guard, where he continued serving with honor until his retirement in 1989 as a Master Sergeant. He was a proud member of The

Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, honoring the legacy of those who served before him.

In the early 1980s, Richard began working at McPherson Hospital, now Trinity Health in Howell, Michigan, where he continued to serve others well into his 80s. His work ethic and kind spirit left a lasting impression on all who knew him.

Outside of his professional life, Richard was a skilled woodworker with a generous heart. Each year, he handcrafted hundreds of wooden toys, which he donated to the Family Impact Center of Fowlerville and the Salvation Army to bring joy to children in need.

In 1987, Richard met and married the love of his life, his sweetheart Mary. Together, they shared 37 joyful years filled with travel, antiquing, visiting battlefields, camping, singing, and home projects. Their shared passion for history led them to co-author six books, including four focused on Civil War veterans in Livingston County.

A devoted member of Fowlerville United Brethren Church, Richard cherished welcoming everyone at the door, teaching Sunday School, and ringing the church bell. His faith in Jesus was not just part of his life—it was the foundation of everything he did.

Richard is survived by his beloved wife Mary; his brother Charles of Monterey, California; his son Ron (Sherry) Hutchins of Sault Ste. Marie; stepdaughter Sandee (Rob) Engardio of Charlotte; five grandchildren: Holly (Drew) Filkins, Mark (Alexis) Hutchins, Sarah (Lance) Haavisto, Sabree Wilson, and Natalee (Theo) Miller; and seven great-grandchildren: Jack, Ida, Eliza, Georgie, Clayton, Keeven, and Lyle.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Archie and Viola; his brother George; and his son Steve.

Visitation was being held at Herrmann Funeral Home on Thursday, May 15, from 4 PM to 7 PM. A celebration of Richard's life took place on Friday, May 16, at 11 AM at Fowlerville United Brethren Church.

Richard's legacy of faith, service, and kindness will live on in the many lives he touched

Memorial contributions are suggested to City Rescue Mission of Lansing or Fowlerville UB Church.

Arrangements entrusted to Herrmann Funeral Home. Online condolences may be expressed at pjherrmannfuneralhome.com

Kenneth Leroy Coll

Kenneth Leroy Coll was born April 22, 1938, the son of Charles H. and Agnes (Devine) Coll. Ken went to school in Howell. He married Alice Gallup (40 years); she preceded him in death.

Ken worked at Master Cast as a foreman and die setter. He also worked at Oldsmobile in Lansing and then retired from Howell Public Schools as a custodian. He is survived by his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Per Ken's wishes, cremation has taken place, and no further services will be held.

Arrangements entrusted to Herrmann Funeral Home. Online condolences may be expressed at pjherrmannfuneralhome.com.



Donna “Dilly” Jean Dillingham-Smyth
February 4, 1933 – May 13, 2025

Donna “Dilly” Jean Dillingham-Smyth, 92, of Fowlerville, Michigan, peacefully passed away on May 13, 2025. Born and raised in Fowlerville, Donna lived a life marked by unwavering faith, deep compassion, and a servant’s heart.

She was first married to Richard Dillingham, who preceded her in death. Later, she found love again with Donald Smyth, who passed away in January of 2024. She was also preceded in death by her parents; her beloved sisters Ruth, Gertrude, Doris, and Virginia; her stepdaughter Lori Smyth; sister-in-

law Anna Dillingham; brother-in-law Robert Dillingham; her lifelong best friend of over 90 years, Betty Kane—who shared many laughs and endless cribbage games with her—and lifelong friend Charlotte Ott.

She is survived by her devoted son Chuck Dillingham and his wife Jeanne, whom Donna absolutely adored. Jeanne wasn't just a daughter-in-law—she was Donna's best bud and one of her greatest joys in life. The two shared countless adventures, shopping trips, heartfelt conversations, and laughter-filled games of "aggravation." Their bond was deep, genuine, and full of love.

She is also survived by her grandchildren Brittany Hess (Dean Hess), Bert Kangas, Mitchell Ramsey, Jesse Ramsey, Stanton Trumble, and Dalana Trumble; and great-grandchildren Henry Hess, Declan Hess, Veda Hess, Renee Ramsey, Miranda Ramsey, Alana Ramsey, Evan Ramsey, and Dalton Trumble. Donna also leaves behind her beloved grand-dog, Mr. Weiner, who was a cherished companion.

Donna is survived by her stepchildren Norma Jean, Doug Acker, and Jim Smyth; many step-grandchildren, step-great-grandchildren, and step-nieces and nephews. She also leaves behind a host of loving nieces and nephews who will carry her memory with them always.

Affectionately known as "Dilly," Donna was the kind of woman who always put others before herself.

Her famous peanut butter cake became a symbol of comfort and celebration for anyone lucky enough to receive one. In her later years, she found peace and joy in bird watching—especially when a cardinal, her favorite bird, appeared at her window.

Donna was a devoted Catholic and a woman of strong and steady faith. She lived her life as a reflection of Christ's love, touching countless lives through her kindness, humor, quiet strength, and unwavering generosity.

Her legacy of love, friendship, and faith will live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 am on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at St. Agnes Catholic Church in Fowlerville. Dilly's family will receive friends on Monday, May 19, 2025, from 4-7pm at Watkins Brothers Funeral Homes, MacDonald Chapel and again Tuesday at St. Agnes Catholic Church one hour prior to Mass.

The advertisement features a central logo for CGM Services LLC. The logo consists of the letters 'CGM' on the left and 'LLC' on the right, both in a serif font. Between them is a stylized evergreen tree. Above the tree, the words 'SERVICES' and 'LLC' are written in a large, serif font, with 'SERVICES' arched over the tree and 'LLC' to its right. Below the tree, the phrase 'SAVE A TREE, SPRAY A TREE' is written in a smaller, sans-serif font. To the left of the logo is a large, dark, multi-pointed starburst containing the text '14 Years Experience' in a bold, sans-serif font. To the right of the logo is another large, dark, multi-pointed starburst containing the text 'Fully Licensed and Insured Pesticide Applicator' in a bold, sans-serif font. Below the logo, the contact information is listed: 'Charles Mayhew - Owner • charlesmayhew78@gmail.com', '687 Fowlerville Rd, Fowlerville, MI 48836', and 'Office: 517-219-2054'. At the bottom, there is a list of services: 'Spring Clean-Up', 'Tree Spraying', 'Deep Root Fertilizing', 'Tree & Shrub Installation', 'Lawn Maintenance', 'Landscaping', 'Trimming', 'Brush Hogging', 'Land Clearing', 'Tree Removal', and 'Stump Grinding'. On the right side, there is a large, dark, multi-pointed starburst containing the text 'SPRING 2025 SPECIAL 10% OFF Any Service' in a bold, sans-serif font, with 'New Customers Only' written below it in a smaller font.



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Iosco Township Notice of Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting June 4th, 2025, 7:00 P.M. Iosco Township Hall 2050 Bradley Rd., Webberville, MI 48892

The Iosco Township Zoning Board of Appeals will be holding a meeting at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday June 4th, 2025, to review a petition for a zoning variance for the following:
A petition has been filed by Steve Neil, 9795 Crofoot Rd., Fowlerville, MI 48836, Property ID # 4709-04-300-006, for a variance of the Iosco Township Zoning Ordinance at the property referenced above that would allow for a reduction in the distance between a dwelling and an accessory structure.
The Public has the right to appear before the Zoning Board to express their views and opinions on the request. Written comments should be sent to the Township at the mailing address above, Attention: Harold Browning, ZBA Chair.

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Webberville Report



Senior Spotlight—Riley Schultz By Keegan Bowen

Riley Schultz is widely recognized as an intellectual presence at Webberville High School. Despite the challenges of transitioning between four different schools, he has demonstrated remarkable resilience and determination by remaining focused and committed to his academic success.

When reflecting on his time at Webberville, Riley’s favorite memory is how welcoming and friendly everyone was upon his arrival. He expressed a special appreciation for Mr. Allen’s Earth and Space Science class during his junior year, saying, “I’m a science nerd and like getting into debates with people about science.”

Mr. Allen shared that “Riley is very intelligent. He’s able to put information together, he’s outgoing, and speaks his mind. He does his own research so that he can add to class discussions and keeps things interesting.”

He believes Riley is destined to succeed.

Outside the classroom, Riley is equally hardworking. He currently holds a job, taking proactive steps toward building a successful future. His hobbies include working out, caring for animals—especially reptiles—and playing Rocket League with friends. His passion for animals began with his first pet, Leo the Ball Python, and has grown ever since.

Close friend Keegan added that “Riley is definitely one of my favorite friends because he always finds a way to make a boring situation fun. I believe Riley will go very far in life, and I hope to stay friends with him for a long time.”

Riley’s hard work has earned him acceptance into Saginaw Valley State University. He plans to pursue a degree in Pre-Veterinary Medicine with a double major in Spanish. His ultimate goal is to transfer to Michigan State University to earn a Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine, specializing in exotic animals. With a clear vision and a strong support system, Riley is more than ready to chase his dreams and make a lasting impact.

Webberville Girls Track Team places 4th at recent Concord Invitational

The Webberville Girls Track Team took 4th place at the Concord Invitational held on May 9th. Makayla Culver placed 1st in the 100 meter dash. Ella Howard was 4th in the high jump. Yazmine Beverly was 5th in the 800 meter and 1600 meter run. Emma Peterson was 7th in the 400 meter dash. Haley Proctor placed 4th in the 300 hurdles. Jolie Bryan was 7th in the 100 meter hurdles. Makayla Culver was 2nd, Haley Proctor 3rd and Ella Howard 5th in Long Jump.

Haley Proctor and Lexi Proctor were 7th in Pole Vault. Candace Huff was 7th in shot put. The 4x100 relay team of Ella Howard, Haley Proctor, Jenna Lycos and Makayla Culver was 3rd and they also placed 4th in the 4x200 relay.

NIESA Fire Report (Northeast Ingham Emergency Service Authority)

On Wednesday May 7, 2025 NIESA responded to six calls. One call was in the City of Williamston for a medical response. Two calls were in Leroy Township with both being citizen assists. One call was in Locke Township for a medical response. One call was in Wheatfield Township for a medical response. One call was in Williamstown Township for a medical response.

On Thursday May 8, 2025 NIESA responded to five calls. Two calls were in Wheatfield Township with both being medical responses. Two calls were in Williamstown Township with both also being medical responses. One call was in the City of Williamston for a citizen assist.

On Friday May 9, 2025 NIESA responded to three calls. Two calls were in Williamstown Township with both being medical responses. One call was in Leroy Township for a citizen assist.

On Saturday May 10, 2025 NIESA responded to five calls. Three calls were in Leroy Township with one a citizen assist, one a vehicle accident on M-52 and Grand River Ave, and one a medical response. One call was in the City of Williamston for a medical response. One call was in Wheatfield Township for a vehicle accident on I-96.

On Sunday May 11, 2025 NIESA responded to three calls. Two calls were in Leroy Township with both being medical responses. One call was in the City of Williamston also for a medical response.

On Monday May 12, 2025 NIESA responded to five calls. One call was in Wheatfield Township for a medical response. One call was in Locke Township for a vehicle accident. One call was in the Village of Webberville for a medical response. Two calls were in Williamstown Township with both being medical responses.

On Tuesday May 13, 2025 NIESA responded to five calls. Three calls were in the City of Williamston with two being citizen assists and one a medical response. One call was in Williamstown Township for a medical response. One call was in Leroy Township for a medical response.

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May 22 Cards 9-11:45-Exercise 10:30-Book Club ‘A Storied Life of AJ Fikry’ by Gabrielle Zevin 12:45
May 26 Memorial Day CLOSED
May 27 Cards 9-11:45-Mind Benders 12:30
May 28 Cards 9-11:45, Exercise 10:30-Mitch & Earl present ‘The Walter Estes Story’ 12:30-Needle Work Group 1-3
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Strong hitting sends Webberville Varsity
Softball Team past Corunna

Webberville Varsity Softball scored 11 runs in the second inning of game one, which helped them defeat Corunna 19-0 on May 5th. Haley Proctor singled, scoring one run, Payten Sholty singled, scoring one run, Katelyn Kubiak doubled, scoring one run, Jaidyn Josselyn grounded out, scoring one run, Valerie Grosser grounded out, scoring one run, Proctor singled, scoring two runs, Lexi Proctor drew a walk, scoring one run, an error scored one run, and Ayla Haas singled, scoring two runs.

The Lady Spartans got on the board in the bottom of the first inning after Olivia Wolff doubled, scoring one run, Jenna Lycos doubled, scoring one run, Kubiak doubled, scoring one run, Grosser singled, scoring two runs, and Wolff tripled, scoring one run. Makayla Culver earned the win for Webberville. The starting pitcher surrendered zero hits and zero runs over three innings, striking out five and walking none.

In game two, Jenna Lycos drove in four runs on three hits to lead Webberville past Corunna, 26-7. The Lady Spartans jumped out to the lead in the top of the first inning after Lycos drew a walk, scoring one run, an error scored one run, Katelyn Kubiak drew a walk, scoring one run, Amelia Banks drew a walk, scoring one run, Ayla Haas drew a walk, scoring one run, Valerie Grosser drew a walk, scoring one run, Haley Proctor drew a walk, scoring one run, Makayla Culver drew a walk, scoring one run, and a wild pitch scored one run.

Webberville scored seven runs on five hits in the top of the second inning. Coraline Castle drew a walk, scoring one run, Lycos singled, scoring two runs, and Banks singled, scoring one run.

Then, Webberville scored nine runs on six hits in the top of the fourth inning. Lycos tripled, scoring one run, Culver tripled, scoring one run, Castle grounded out, scoring one run, Grosser singled, scoring one run, Lycos singled, scoring one run, and Culver singled, scoring two runs.

Kubiak earned the win for the Lady Spartans. The starter allowed nine hits and seven runs (four earned) over four innings, striking out three and walking four. Webberville piled up 11 hits in the game. Culver and Lycos were tough to handle back-to-back in the lineup, as each drove in four runs. Grosser and Banks each collected multiple hits. Proctor led Webberville with three walks. Overall, the team had a strong eye at the plate, accumulating 14 walks for the game. Haas, Grosser, Proctor, and Culver each stole multiple bases.

Webberville Varsity Softball Team
falls to Merrill in doubleheader

Jenna Lycos collected four hits in five at bats, but Webberville Varsity Softball Team lost to Merrill, 10-9, in game one on May 7th. Lycos singled in the third inning, singled in the eighth inning, singled in the first inning, and singled in the seventh inning.

Webberville collected 10 hits and Merrill had 11 in the high-scoring contest. Merrill got on the board in the second inning after one run scored on another play. Webberville then scored five runs on seven hits in the bottom of the third inning. Valerie Grosser singled, scoring one run, Lycos singled, scoring one run, Culver singled, scoring one run, and Payten Sholty doubled, scoring two runs.

Haley Proctor hit a sacrifice fly, which helped Webberville tie the game at seven in the bottom of the seventh. Merrill jumped back into the lead in the top of the eighth inning, however.

Culver took the loss for Webberville. The starter went eight

innings, allowing nine runs (five earned) on 11 hits, striking out four and walking three. Webberville collected 10 hits in the game. Sholty, Grosser, and Lycos each drove in two runs.

Even though Webberville Varsity Spartan collected 16 hits to Merrill's 14, they still fell 18-17 in game two. Olivia Wolff led Webberville with four hits. Makayla Culver drove in five runners in the loss. The outfielder went 3-4 on the day.

Webberville was the first to get on the board in the first when Culver doubled, scoring one run. Webberville flipped the game on its head in the top of the second, scoring six runs on four hits to take the lead, 7-1. The biggest blow in the inning was a single by Culver that drove in two.

The Lady Spartans scored five runs on five hits in the top of the third inning. Jenna Lycos singled, scoring two runs, Culver tripled, scoring two runs, and an error scored one run. Merrill scored five runs on three hits in the bottom of the third inning. Then in the bottom of the fifth, Merrill scored eight runs on four hits to take the lead, 18-17.

Lycos took the loss for Webberville. The lefty went three and two-thirds innings, surrendering 10 runs (four earned) on 10 hits, striking out two and walking three. Webberville accumulated 16 hits in the game. Payten Sholty, Valerie Grosser, and Lycos each collected multiple hits. Kiara Matiyow helped with with two walks. Overall, the team had patience at the plate, accumulating six walks for the game.

Bats stymied
for both teams
as Webberville
Varsity Baseball
loses 1-0

Both teams were strong on the mound, but Merrill was just a little bit stronger at the plate in their 1-0 victory over Webberville.

Kaleb Matiyow led Webberville with one hit in three at bats. Austin Johnson took the loss for Webberville. The hurler went seven innings, giving up one run on two hits, striking out six and walking two.

In game two, both teams were again strong on the hill, but Merrill was just a little bit stronger at the plate in their 3-0 victory over Webberville.

Kyle Kubiak took the loss for Webberville. The pitcher went six and two-thirds innings, allowing three runs on six hits, striking out seven and walking three.

Joshua Boschma led Webberville with one hit in three at bats. The Spartans turned one triple play in the game.

Webberville Cribbage Report

Carol- 24 & Phyllis-22

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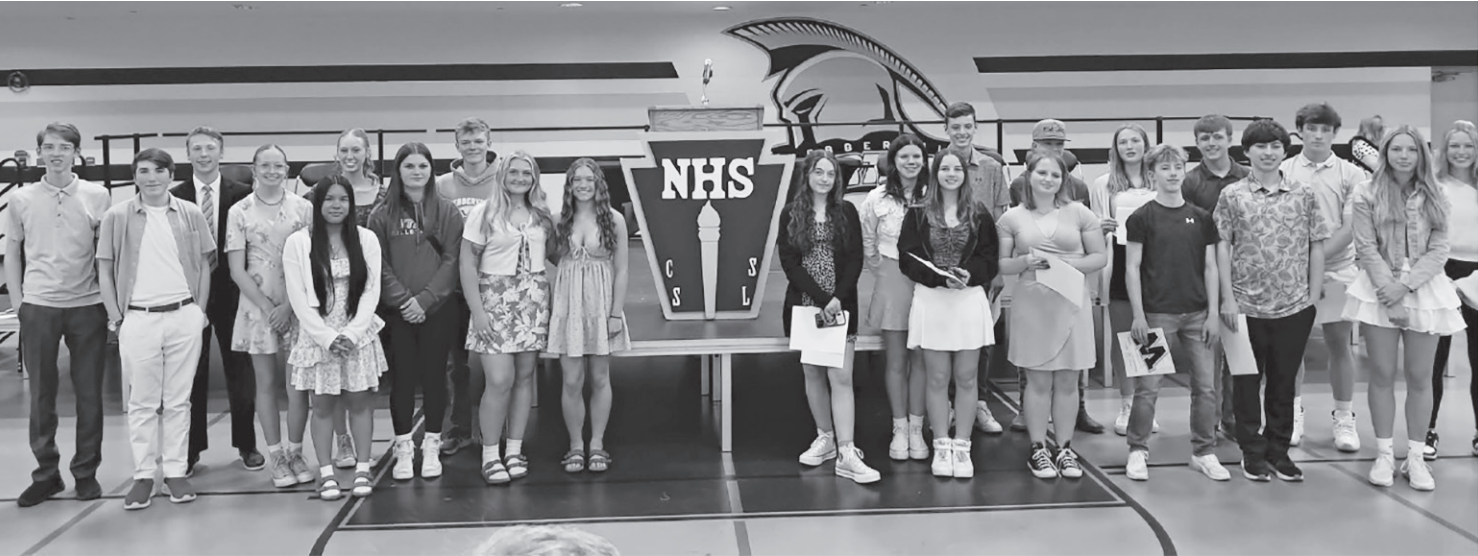
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New NHS members were inducted this evening, joining the current members. The NHS is a prestigious organization that recognizes outstanding high school students who demonstrate excellence in scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

Left side, current NHS members LR- Will Schriner, Conor Kiernan, Ethan West, Ella Howard, Valerie Grosser, Mackenzie Wyatt, Gavin Howery, Payten Sholty, and Makayla Culver.

Right side, new inductees L-R- Fiona Chuba, Shawna Davis, Cecilia Bedwell, Jonah Spencer, Ayla Haas, Colt Blanchard, Jolie Bryan, and Elijah Gillespie.

Webberville Community Schools recognizes student achievements

Last week, the Webberville Middle School and High School came together for an evening dedicated to recognizing student achievements. Families, friends, teachers, and staff filled the Spartan Center to honor students for their hard work, growth, and accomplishments throughout the academic year. Middle School awards began the evening at 5:30pm with High School awards taking place afterwards.

The event featured a variety of awards celebrating excellence in academics, leadership, and community service. Teachers and administrators took turns presenting the honors, offering heartfelt words of encouragement and praise for students who had gone above and beyond both in and out of the classroom.



Ally Aldridge and Kaiden Pressel (not shown) received the Middle School Kindness Award.



Middle School Citizenship Award was presented to Logan Nixon and Aaron Hicks.



Principal Jeannette Kiernan presented the Middle School Principal's Award to eighth grade student Owen Derian.



Payten Scholty received the All Around Journalism Award for her commitment and dedication to the HS Journalism program.



High School Band Director, Gary Franks, presented the Patrick S Gilmore Award to Ethan West. The Patrick S. Gilmore Band Award is a national award given to high school band students, recognizing their achievements and commitment to the band program.



Madison Culver and Korbin Matiyow received the Middle School Leadership Award.



The Middle School Spartan Award is given to students who exhibit a culmination of kindness, leadership and citizenship. This award was given to Kassidy Schriner, Mason Cimba, Evaleen Diaz, Tyler Kubiak, Ramona Ellis, and Gentry Bird (not shown).



U.S. Senate Report

By Elissa Slotkin, Michigan 119th

Bill Aims to Supercharge Startups & Create Jobs

During the start of National Small Business Month, U.S. Senator Elissa Slotkin (D-MI), Senator Jacky Rosen (D-NV), Senator Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH), and Senator Tammy Baldwin (D-WI) introduced the *Tax Relief for New Businesses Act*, legislation to provide tax relief to entrepreneurs looking to start a small business and reduce barriers for startups.

The bill would increase the startup tax deduction from \$5,000 to \$50,000 and allow businesses to write off additional expenses to compensate for the increasing cost of starting a business. Currently, small business owners can only deduct up to \$5,000 in startup costs in the first year, yet a recent survey found that they spend an average of \$40,000 to get their businesses off the ground.

“Entrepreneurs and our small businesses are the backbone of our economy, that means they do yeoman’s work to create jobs, innovate and grow our economy, and we must do more to help them succeed,” said Slotkin. “The Tax Relief for New Business Act supercharges tax incentives to help entrepreneurs and will provide much-needed tax relief, to help innovators invest and turn their ideas into reality.”

The *Tax Relief for New Businesses Act* is also co-sponsored by Senators Chris Coons (D-DE), Ron Wyden (D-OR), Richard Blumenthal (D-CT), Ruben Gallego (D-AZ), Amy Klobuchar (D-MN), Martin Heinrich (D-NM), and Angela Alsobrooks (D-MD).

Statement on Administration Weakening of Clean Water Rule to Curb Forever Chemicals

U.S. Senator Elissa Slotkin (D-MI) released the following statement regarding the Trump Administration’s weakening of the Environmental Protection Agency’s clean water rule aimed at reducing forever chemicals.

“In Michigan, clean water isn’t partisan – it’s our heritage. It is about our community and our economy. Our drinking water. Our kids being able to swim in our lakes and rivers. And the Trump Administration’s rollback of protections to curb these harmful chemicals will make our drinking water less safe.

“Case in point is in Oscoda, Michigan. For years, this community has fought tooth and nail to get the Air Force to cleanup forever chemical contamination that was poisoning their water. And they are sick and tired of roadblocks, red tape and inaction.

“We’ve made real, bipartisan progress on PFAS over the last few years, and it has been a real priority for me,

including the push for the EPA set a standard that keeps people safe. For all those Michiganders who’ve worked on this issue, I know this is a gut punch. I urge you to stay in the fight, I am right there with you.”

In her six years in the House, Slotkin championed legislation to protect Michiganders from forever chemicals. This includes legislation like Prioritizing PFAS-Free Cleaning Products Act, DOD PFAS Cleanup Act of 2024 and the PFAS Strictest Standard Act.

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2024 Water Quality Report for the Village of Webberville

Water Supply Serial Number: 6970

This report covers the drinking water quality for the Village of Webberville for the 2024 calendar year. This information is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided to you in 2024. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) and state standards.

Your water comes from 3 groundwater wells, each over 200 feet deep. Two wells are located at 425 S. Maple St. and one well located at 180 Pine St. The State performed an assessment of our source water to determine the susceptibility or the relative potential of contamination. The susceptibility rating is on a seven-tiered scale from “very-low” to “very-high” based on geologic sensitivity, well construction, water chemistry and contamination sources. The susceptibility of our source is moderately-high for each well.

There are no significant sources of contamination in our water supply. We are making efforts to protect our sources by participating in a wellhead protection program and conducting regular source water monitoring.

If you would like to know more about this report, please contact: Ryan Jones, Public Works Superintendent, at (517) 375-8671 or rjones@webbvill.com

• **Contaminants and their presence in water:** Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the **U.S. EPA’s Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)**.

• **Vulnerability of sub-populations:** Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. U.S. EPA/Center for Disease Control guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the **Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)**.

• **Sources of drinking water:** The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. Our water comes from wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- **Microbial contaminants**, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- **Inorganic contaminants**, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- **Pesticides and herbicides**, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses.
- **Radioactive contaminants**, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.
- **Organic chemical contaminants**, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.



In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the U.S. EPA prescribes regulations that limit the levels of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. Federal Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which provide the same protection for public health.

Water Quality Data

The table below lists all the drinking water contaminants that we detected during the 2024 calendar year. The presence of these contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done January 1 through December 31, 2024. The State allows us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. All the data is representative of the water quality, but some are more than one year old.

Terms and abbreviations used below:

- **Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG):** The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- **Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):** The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- **Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):** The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- **Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG):** The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

- **Treatment Technique (TT):** A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.
- **N/A:** Not applicable
- **N/D:** not detectable at testing limit
- **ppm:** parts per million or milligrams per liter
- **ppb:** parts per billion or micrograms per liter
- **pCi/L:** picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity).
- **Action Level (AL):** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.
- **Level 1 Assessment:** A study of the water supply to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.
- **Level 2 Assessment:** A very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an *E. coli* MCL violation has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions.

Regulated Contaminant	MCL, TT, or MRDL	MCLG or MRDLG	Level Detected	Range	Year Sampled	Violation Yes/No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Arsenic (ppb)	10	0	8	N/A	2020	No	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes.
Barium (ppm)	2	2	.24	N/A	2016	No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge of metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits.
Chlorine ² (ppm)	4	4	Average .20	.04-.55	2024	No	Water additive used to control microbes
Cyanide (mg/L)	N/A	0.2 mg/L	ND	N/A	2023	No	Industrial contamination
SOC (synthetic organic chemicals)	N/A	N/A	ND	N/A	2023	No	List available upon request
Nitrate (ppm)	10	10	ND	N/A	2024	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
Sodium ³ (ppm)	N/A	N/A	ND	N/A	2022	No	Erosion of natural deposits
TTHM Total Trihalomethanes (ppb)	80	N/A	ND	N/A	2024	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
HAA5 Haloacetic Acids (ppb)	60	N/A	ND	N/A	2024	No	Byproduct of drinking water disinfection
Alpha emitters (pCi/L)	15	0	2.2	1.4-3.3	2023	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined radium (pCi/L)	5	0	4.3	N/A	2023	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Uranium (ppb)	30	0	ND	N/A	2024	No	Erosion of natural deposits
Total Coliform	TT	N/A	ND	0	2024	No	Naturally present in the environment
E. coli in the distribution system (positive samples)	See E. coli note ¹	0	0	0	2024	No	Human and animal fecal waste
Fecal Indicator – E. coli at the source (positive samples)	TT	N/A	0	0	2024	No	Human and animal fecal waste

¹E. coli MCL violation occurs if: (1) routine and repeat samples are total coliform-positive and either is E. coli-positive, or (2) the supply fails to take all required repeat samples following E. coli-positive routine sample, or (3) the supply fails to analyze total coliform-positive repeat sample for E. coli.

²The chlorine “Level Detected” was calculated using a running annual average.

³Sodium is not a regulated contaminant.

Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)							
Regulated Contaminant	MCL, TT, or MRDL	MCLG or MRDLG	Level Detected	Range	Year Sampled	Violation Yes/No	Typical Source of Contaminant
Hexafluoropropylene oxide dimer acid (HFPO-DA) (ppt)	370	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Discharge and waste from industrial facilities utilizing the Gen X chemical process

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Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)							
Perfluorobutane sulfonic acid (PFBS) (ppt)	420	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Discharge and waste from industrial facilities; stain-resistant treatments
Perfluorohexane sulfonic acid (PFHxS) (ppt)	51	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Firefighting foam; discharge and waste from industrial facilities
Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA) (ppt)	400,000	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Firefighting foam; discharge and waste from industrial facilities
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFNA) (ppt)	6	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Discharge and waste from industrial facilities; breakdown of precursor compounds
Perfluorooctane sulfonic acid (PFOS) (ppt)	16	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Firefighting foam; discharge from electroplating facilities; discharge and waste from industrial facilities
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) (ppt)	8	N/A	Not Detected	0	2024	No	Discharge and waste from industrial facilities; stain-resistant treatments
Inorganic Contaminant Subject to Action Levels (AL)	Action Level	MCLG	Your Water ²	Range of Results	Year Sampled	Number of Samples Above AL	Typical Source of Contaminant
Lead (ppb)	15	0	1ppb	0-3 ppb	2024	0	Lead service lines, corrosion of household plumbing including fittings and fixtures; Erosion of natural deposits
Copper (ppm)	1.3	1.3	0.1ppm	0-0.2	2024	0	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits

²Ninety (90) percent of the samples collected were at or below the level reported for our water.

Information about lead: Lead can cause serious health effects in people of all ages, especially pregnant people, infants (both formula-fed and breastfed), and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and parts used in service lines and in home plumbing. The Village of Webberville is responsible for providing high quality drinking water and removing lead pipes but cannot control the variety of materials used in the plumbing in your home. Because lead levels may vary over time, lead exposure is possible even when your tap sampling results do not detect lead at one point in time. You can help protect yourself and your family by identifying and removing lead materials within your home plumbing and taking steps to reduce your family’s risk. Using a filter, certified by an American National Standards Institute accredited certifier to reduce lead, is effective in reducing lead exposures. Follow the instructions provided with the filter to ensure the filter is used properly. Use only cold water for drinking, cooking, and making baby formula. Boiling water does not remove lead from water. Before using tap water for drinking, cooking, or making baby formula, flush your pipes for several minutes. You can do this by running your tap, taking a shower, doing laundry or a load of dishes. If you have a lead service line or galvanized requiring replacement service line, you may need to flush your pipes for at least 5 minutes to flush water from both your home plumbing and the lead service line. If you are concerned about lead in your water and wish to have your water tested, contact the Village of Webberville at (517) 521-3984 for available resources. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at <https://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

The Village of Webberville has zero lead service lines. We conducted our service line inventory and found no lead lines, 375 lead status unknown, and 472 total service lines. The service line inventory is available upon request by contacting the Village offices between 8:00am and 4:00pm.

Lead: There is no safe level of lead in drinking water. Exposure to lead in drinking water can cause serious health effects in all age groups. Infants and children can have decreases in IQ and attention span. Lead exposure can lead to new learning and behavior problems or exacerbate existing learning and behavior problems. The children of persons who are exposed to lead before or during pregnancy can have increased risk of these adverse health effects. Adults can have increased risks of heart disease, high blood pressure, kidney, or nervous system problems.

Copper: Copper is an essential nutrient, but some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over a relatively short amount of time could experience gastrointestinal distress. Some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over many years could suffer liver or kidney damage. People with Wilson’s Disease should consult their personal doctor.

Information about arsenic: While your drinking water meets the U.S. EPA standard for arsenic, it does contain low levels of arsenic. The U.S. EPA standard balances the current understanding of arsenic’s possible health effects against the costs of removing arsenic from drinking water. The U.S. EPA continues to research the health effect of low levels of arsenic, which is a mineral known to cause cancer in humans at high concentrations and is linked to other health effects such

as skin damage and circulatory problems.

We will update this report annually and will keep you informed of any problems that may occur throughout the year, as they happen. Copies are available at Webberville Village Offices, 115 S. Main St. This report will not be sent to you.

We invite public participation in decisions that affect drinking water quality. Our village council meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at the Village Offices located at 115 S. Main St. For more information about your water, or the contents of this report, contact Ryan Jones, Public Works Superintendent, at (517) 375-8671 or rjones@webbvill.com. For more information about safe drinking water, visit the U.S. EPA at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater>.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER Monitoring Requirements Not Met for the Village of Webberville

The village of Webberville is required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular bases. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During the monitoring period of August 1, 2024, to August 31, 2024, we did not complete monitoring for total trihalomethanes (TTHM) and therefore, cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time. The violation **does not** pose a threat to the quality of the supply’s water.

What should I do? There is nothing you need to do at this time. This is not an emergency. You do not need to boil water or use an alternative source of water at this time. Even though this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we are doing to correct the situation.

The table below lists the contaminant we did not properly test for, how often we are supposed to sample for this contaminant, how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date follow-up samples will be collected.

Contaminants	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	Date sample should have been collected	Date sample will be collected by
TTHM ¹	1 Every Year	0	August 1, 2024-August 31, 2024	August 1, 2025-August 31, 2025

What happened? What is being done? We collected a TTHM sample during the monitoring period of August 1, 2024, to August 31, 2024. However, it was not run at the laboratory, so it was not accepted for compliance by the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE). We will collect the required follow-up sample between August 1, 2025, to August 31, 2025. Our staff is making every effort to ensure this does not happen again.

For more information, please contact Ryan Jones at 517-375-8671.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

More information about your drinking water is available from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Water home page at: <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/dwinfo.htm>. This notice is being sent to you by the Village of Webberville.

¹TTHMs are tested by collecting one sample and testing that sample for all the TTHMs. TTHMs include bromodichloromethane, bromoform, chlorodibromomethane, and chloroform.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER Monitoring Requirements Not Met for the Village of Webberville

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During February 1 to February 29, 2024, we did not monitor or test for total coliform bacteria, nor properly monitor or test for chlorine residuals, and therefore cannot be sure of the quality of your drinking water during that time.

What should I do? There is nothing you need to do at this time. This is not an emergency. You do not need to boil water or use an alternative source of water at this time. Even though this is not an emergency, as our customers you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct the situation.

The table below lists the contaminant we did not properly test for, how often we are supposed to sample for this contaminant, how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date we collected follow-up samples.

Contaminant	Required sampling frequency	Number of samples taken	When all samples should have been taken	Date additional samples were/ will be taken
Total Coliform Bacteria	2 samples per month	0	February 1, to February 29, 2024	March 4, 2024
Chlorine Residual	2 samples per month	0	February 1, to February 29, 2024	March 4, 2024

What happened? What is being done? We inadvertently missed taking a sample within this required sampling period. We are making every effort to ensure this does not happen again. We returned to compliance on March 4, 2024.

For more information, please contact: Ryan Jones (517) 375-8671 or rjones@webbvill.com

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Michigan House Report

By Jason Woolford,
50th District

This week, the House Government Operations Committee passed my legislation prohibiting biological males from participating in women’s and girls’ sports. The bill now moves to the House floor for consideration by the full chamber.

I was privileged to be joined at the committee hearing by Payton McNabb, the young woman who made national headlines after she suffered a traumatic brain injury during a high school volleyball game when a biological male spiked

a volleyball in her face. She was knocked unconscious and rushed to the hospital, where she was discovered to have a concussion and internal brain bleed.

At the committee meeting, Payton testified about her story, detailing how she and her teammates were never asked whether they would be willing to compete against a male athlete, how no one intervened to protect them, and about the lasting health consequences she has suffered from her injury. Two years after the incident, Payton still suffers from partial paralysis, chronic headaches, vision impairments, and other conditions her doctors say they are not certain she will ever recover from.

Payton was gracious enough to sacrifice her time and resources to fly out to Michigan to share her story because she understands the dangers of the radical transgender ideology plaguing our educational institutions and our governing policy. While critics of my plan often point out that only two participants in Michigan’s female athletic divisions are biologically male, the far more important number is the 112,000 high school female athletes in Michigan whose parents can have no certainty that their children will not suffer the same harm as Payton and her teammates.

These young ladies’ schools and athletics associations didn’t step in to protect them, their coaches didn’t step in to protect them, and their elected lawmakers didn’t step in to protect them. I am working to make sure that abdication of duty ends.

Schools have allowed biological males into girls’ sports, the MHSAA has allowed it, and the State of Michigan, as of now, continues to allow it. It’s time to put an end to that. Until we get this legislation passed, the mothers and fathers of the 112,000 high school female athletes in Michigan will have no guarantee that their children will not be forced to share a locker room with males and be forced to compete against much larger, stronger, and aggressive athletic opponents.

As always, please reach out to me if you have any questions or input you would like to share. You can call my office at (517) 373-3906 or email me at JasonWoolford@House.MI.Gov.

LEGAL NOTICES

Attention homeowner: If you are a military service member on active duty, if your period of active duty has concluded less than 90 days ago, or if you have been ordered to active duty, please contact the attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage at the telephone number stated in this notice.

Notice of foreclosure by advertisement. Notice is given under section 3212 of the revised judicature act of 1961, 1961 PA 236, MCL 600.3212, that the following mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at a public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash or cashier’s check at the place of holding the circuit court in Livingston County, starting promptly at 10:00 AM on MAY 28, 2025. The amount due on the mortgage may be greater on the day of the sale. Placing the highest bid at the sale does not automatically entitle the purchaser to free and clear ownership of the property. A potential purchaser is encouraged to contact the county register of deeds office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge a fee for this information.

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Alaina E. Robling, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Summit Community Bank, its successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated September 21, 2011 and recorded October 5, 2011 in Instrument Number 2011R-028089 Livingston County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Forty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-Eight and 10/100 Dollars (\$49,968.10).

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the circuit court within Livingston County, Michigan at 10:00 AM on MAY 28, 2025.

Said premises are located in the Township of Cohoctah, Livingston County Michigan, and are described as: Part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Town 4 North, Range 4 East, Cohoctah Township, Livingston County, Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of said Section 15; thence along the North and South 1/4 line of said Section 15 and the centerline of Byron Road, South 00 degrees 14 minutes 02 seconds East, 132 feet to the point of beginning of the land to be described; thence continuing along said line, South 00 degrees 14 minutes 02 seconds East, 132 feet; thence North 89 degrees 31 minutes 39 seconds West, 330 feet; thence North 00 degrees 14 minutes 02 seconds West, 132 feet; thence South 90 degrees 31 minutes 39 seconds East, 330 feet to the point of beginning.

9975 Byron Rd, Howell, Michigan 48855

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA §600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. If the property is sold at foreclosure sale, pursuant to MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damage to the property during the redemption period.

Dated: April 27, 2025
File No. 25-005067
Firm Name: Orlans Law Group PLLC
Firm Address: 1650 West Big Beaver Road, Troy MI 48084
Firm Phone Number: (248) 502.1400

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SHORT FORECLOSURE NOTICE - LIVINGSTON COUNTY

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MORTGAGE: Mortgagor(s): Thomas Walker a single man and Lisa Burke a single woman joint tenants in common.

Original Mortgagee: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (“MERS”), solely as nominee for lender and lender’s successors and assigns

Date of mortgage: October 5, 2007

Recorded on October 11, 2007, in Document No. 2007R-033874, and re-recorded via Loan Modification recorded on August 10, 2012 in Document No. 2012R-027322

Foreclosing Assignee (if any): U.S. Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee on behalf of and with respect to Barclays Mortgage Trust 2021-NPL1, Mortgage-Backed Securities, Series 2021-NPL1

Amount claimed to be due at the date hereof: One Hundred Forty-Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty and 91/100 Dollars (\$143,120.91)

Mortgaged premises: Situated in Livingston County, and described as: Lot 68 of MCPHERSON’S PROSPECT PLACE ADDITION, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Liber 1 of Plats, page 2, Livingston County Records. Commonly known as 410 N Tompkins St, Howell, MI 48843

The redemption period will be 6 month from the date of such sale, unless abandoned under MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days from the MCL 600.3241a(b) notice, whichever is later; or unless extinguished pursuant to MCL 600.3238. If the above referenced property is sold at a foreclosure sale under Chapter 32 of Act 236 of 1961, under MCL 600.3278, the borrower will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period.

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U.S. Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee on behalf of and with respect to Barclays Mortgage Trust 2021-NPL1, Mortgage-Backed Securities, Series 2021-NPL1 Mortgagee/Assignee

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Former Michigan House Speaker Joe Tate announces U.S. Senate candidacy

By Kyle Davidson
Michigan Advance

In the latest announcement in the race to succeed Sen. Gary Peters (D-Bloomfield Township) as Michigan’s next U.S. Senator, former Michigan House Speaker Joe Tate has joined the ever-growing field of candidates.

Tate, a Detroit Democrat who currently serves as a state representative for Michigan’s 9th House district, made his announcement on Sunday, May 11th.

“I’m running for Senate to lay a foundation for the next generation of Michiganders, one strong enough to protect the promise Michigan holds for every family,” Tate said in a video posted to social media the following day.

Tate, a former NFL player who served two combat tours in Afghanistan as a U.S. Marine Corps officer, was Michigan’s first Black speaker of the House, leading the chamber during Democrat’s trifecta in Lansing from 2023 through the end of 2024.

Under the leadership of Tate and Senate Majority Leader Winnie Brinks (D-Grand Rapids), Democrats forged ahead on decades of pent-up policy priorities, repealing the state’s right to work laws, retirement tax and its 1931 abortion ban. Democrats also expanded the 1976 Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act to add protections against discrimination based on gender identity or sexual orientation, set a 100% clean energy standard for 2040 and passed sweeping gun reforms, including universal background checks, safe storage requirements and a series of policies allowing for extreme risk protection orders, also known as red flag laws.

However, Tate’s term as speaker ended on a sour note, as House Republicans walked off the floor, refusing to return unless Tate placed policies on road funding and policies looking to water down changes to the state’s minimum wage and sick leave laws on the agenda.

Tate joins a Democratic field that already includes U.S. Rep. Haley Stevens (D-Birmingham), State Sen. Mallory McMorrow (D-Royal Oak) and former Wayne County Health Director Abdul El-Sayed. On the Republican side, former U.S. Rep. Mike Rogers (R-White Lake) launched another Senate bid, after an unsuccessful campaign in 2024, which he lost to now-U.S. Sen. Elissa Slotkin (D-Holly) by just over 19,000 votes.

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From the Scrapbook
Community Ed secretary, motorcycle race flagman & sale of real estate office
By Steve Horton

Here are three news articles from 1985 and 1986—the beginning years when the *Fowlerville News & Views* first started publishing the weekly newspaper.

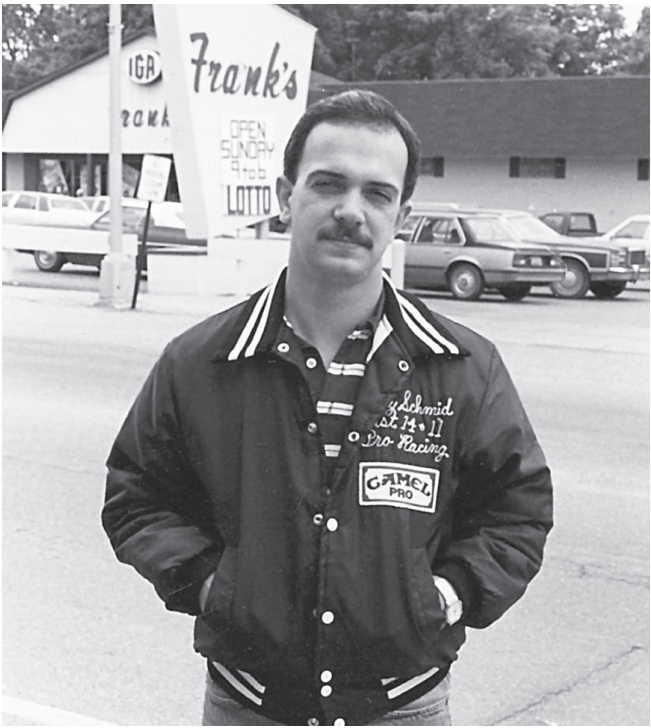


Doris Varcoe, Community Education Secretary
In the fall of 1984, the Fowlerville Community & Adult Education program was started at the school. Heading the department was Linwood Hibbard, a 1963 Fowlerville graduate who had headed the Howell Public Schools Community Education program. Assisting him and playing a key role was Doris Varcoe who had previously served as a teacher aide in the school's special education department. Featured in a What's Cookin' profile published in June of 1985, Doris said that being an aide was "A very rewarding job." As for her new position, she noted that "It's been exciting to get the new program off the ground."

Among her duties were helping organize some of the youth programs and also the various trips sponsored by Community Ed.

At the time of the interview, Doris and her husband Richard had resided in Fowlerville for 15 years, having moved here with their family from Redford Township. Richard, a master plumber, started Cedar Plumbing & Heating after coming to the area, with Doris keeping the books.

The program would later take on the duties of organizing youth and adult recreation.



Larry Schmid, Motorcycle Race Flagman
For much of his working career, Larry Schmid worked at the grocery store in Fowlerville, first with Frank's IGA, then Rosatti's Market, and finally Curtis Grocery. At the time of the interview in May of 1986 (which was part of the 'In Focus' series sponsored by Bob Smith Ford), he had been with Frank's IGA for 18 years, starting as a stock boy at age 15. His father, Howard, worked at the store as the produce manager.
But the interview was mainly about his involvement in motorcycle racing, starting in 1980 as an amateur racer, followed by a year on the pro circuit, and then the past three years as a professional starter—or flagman. He was part of a crew that oversaw races in Ohio.
Larry also worked at other race events as a flagman in Michigan, Illinois, and even Daytona, Florida. He would continue this part-time job, done mainly on weekends, during the ensuing years.
A busy and friendly fellow, he also tended bar at special events (mainly wedding receptions, anniversaries, and class reunions) held at Woodshire Place. And he's still working.

Century 21 Real Estate business sold

One of the news articles in the Jan. 30, 1986 issue was Dennis Lintemuth selling his Century 21 Real Estate business to Bernard 'Bud' and Naomi Schultheis. Dennis had opened the office seven years earlier, housing it in the front of what had been his father, Marshall Lintemuth's tractor and farm implement sales and service building on East Grand River in Fowlerville. Dennis, a 1966 FHS grad, continued as the owner of the building which had other offices, but was taking on a position with a mortgage banking firm.

Bud & Naomi, who resided in Iosco Township, had both sold real estate since 1971 and owned their own firm—Schultheis Real Estate—in Howell for six years, from 1975-1982. A poor Michigan market had prompted them to move to Naples, Florida where they continued their sales careers.



From left were Dennis Lintemuth and Naomi and Bernard 'Bud' Schultheis

Deciding "there is no place like home," the couple had returned to the community the previous spring and were ready to get back into the real estate scene.

The couple would later move to the Village of Fowlerville and Bud served on the Council.



Michigan Governor's Report

By Gretchen Whitmer

Let's Finishing Fixing the 'Dam' Roads
This summer, across Michigan, we are moving dirt and fixing the damn roads to grow our economy, help Michiganders get to work, drop their kids off at school, and run errands safely. By the end of this construction season, we will have fixed, repaired, or replaced nearly 24,500 lane miles of roads and 1,900 bridges, supporting thousands of good-paying, local jobs.
I'm proud of the progress we've made, but the five-year, \$3.5 billion Rebuilding Michigan plan I launched in 2020 to fix our busiest and most economically critical roads and bridges will be ending soon. We need a sustainable, long-term solution that goes further by also fixing our local roads.
This summer, let's build on our momentum to pass a bipartisan local road funding plan, so we can keep fixing our damn roads and creating good-paying, local jobs.
Right now, not all of the revenue collected by the gas tax you pay at the pump goes towards fixing our roads. It should. Speaker Hall agrees that every penny drivers pay at the pump should go towards the roads. And we both agree that

we can cut red tape to find savings. I'll keep working with Republicans and Democrats in the legislature on a bipartisan road plan to fix the roads without slashing vital funding for public schools, safety, or health, or forcing commuters to pay more.
I look forward to working with Speaker Hall, Majority Leader Brinks, and others in the state legislature to get this done before the summer. If your local roads need fixing or you want to help us finish the job of fixing Michigan's roads, I urge you to make your voice heard and to contact your representatives in Lansing.
Let's work together and get it done.

Why are Michigan Roads in Such Bad Shape?
Before I took office, years of underinvestment left our roads in disrepair. In the late 90s, Governor Engler raised the gas tax, but it was short of what the business community and both parties in the legislature knew we needed to solve the problem. By 2007, road conditions briefly improved, but by 2012, they had deteriorated once again. Of the \$2.85 billion raised between 1997 and 2012, only 17% went to major road and bridge repairs. In 2015, Governor Snyder passed a \$1.2 billion funding package—what he called a "down payment" to begin addressing the gap.
In 2018, I ran to finish the job and fix the damn roads. People across Michigan want certainty that they can use our roads to get to work, drop their kids off at school, and run errands without popping a tire or cracking their windshield. And they want certainty that the repairs we are making will last for decades, instead of just being temporary fixes.
To do this right, we'll all have to recognize some hard truths.
• We're working to counteract years of underinvestment and patching potholes that have left our roads in

disrepair. Instead of just replacing the top layer of road, we have to continue completely rebuilding our roads with the right mix and materials, so they are built to last.
• As I've told my Republican and Democratic colleagues in the state legislature, fixing the roads for the long run means looking for new, fair sources of revenue without slashing vital funding for public schools, safety, or health.
• At the same time, cuts will need to be part of the solution. And we can't put this all on the backs of the middle class, forcing commuters to pay more.
• Our repairs must go beyond busy highways and bridges and fix critical local roads, too.
Earlier this year, I introduced the MI Road Ahead Plan, which proposes \$3 billion in investments to tackle road repairs, reduce car repair costs, and improve safety across the state. It starts by ensuring that every dollar paid by drivers at the pump goes toward fixing the roads. This plan includes more than \$1 billion for local roads, ensuring neighborhoods get the support they need to fix their streets.
I urge Republicans and Democrats to work together to come up with a road plan that will finish fixing all the roads. Both parties will have to compromise to get this done right, and that's the way it ought to be.

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U.S. Congress Report

By Tom Barrett,
7th District, U.S. House
of Representatives

Announces Reopening of Social Security Field Office in Owosso

Congressman Tom Barrett (MI-07) announced the reopening of the Social Security Administration (SSA) field office in Owosso, following a months-long closure that left residents of Shiawassee County without access to critical benefits and services.

The office officially reopened its doors to the public last Wednesday, May 14, with regular hours of Monday through Friday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

“This is a big win for Shiawassee County and the residents who depend on the Owosso field office for access to benefit services,” said Barrett. “I’m grateful to the Social Security Administration and the General Services Administration for responding to my letter, listening to our concerns, and taking action to get this location back open. This is how the government should work for the people of mid-Michigan, and I’m glad we were able to get it done.”

On May 5th, Congressman Barrett sent a letter to Acting Commissioner of the Social Security Administration, Leland Dudek, calling on the agency to immediately restore in-person services to the location.

The SSA office located at 1350 E Main Street in Owosso has been closed for more than four months due to unresolved facility issues, including the elimination of a pungent odor. As a result, residents in this community, many of them seniors and individuals with disabilities, were forced to travel nearly an hour or more just to access basic services.

Fowlerville Fire Department Report

May 8

4:03 a.m.-- Medical response on Iosco Rd in Iosco Township.

4:22 p.m.-- Personal injury accident on W I-96 in Handy Township.

6:18 p.m.-- Personal injury accident on W I-96 in Handy Township.

May 9

12:45 a.m.-- Medical response on Stow Rd in Conway Township.

1:50 a.m.-- Medical response on Weller Rd in Iosco Township.

9:42 a.m.-- Medical response on Iosco Rd in Iosco Township.

May 10

2:31 p.m.-- Medical response on Culver County Rd in Handy Township.

May 11

NO CALLS

May 12

12:40 a.m.-- Medical response on Iosco Rd in Iosco Township.

11:27 a.m.-- Personal injury accident on E Grand River Ave in the Village.

6:28 p.m.-- Medical response on Spencer Rd in Conway Township.

8:34 p.m.-- Reported grass fire on Stow Rd in Conway Township.

8:53 p.m.-- Medical response on Lange Rd in Iosco Township.

9:31 p.m.-- Odor investigation on Van Buren Rd in Handy Township.

10:47 p.m.-- Medical response on Van Buren Rd in Handy Township.

May 13

11:45 a.m.-- Medical response on Converse Rd in Conway Township.

12:48 p.m.-- Assist Livingston County EMS on W Grand River in Handy Township.

May 14

9:19 a.m.-- Medical response on Mason Rd in Iosco Township.

4:34 p.m.-- Medical response on Amanda Dr in Handy Township.

10:39 p.m.— Medical response on Spencer Dr in Conway Township.

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Williamston REPORT



Opening Day of the 2025 Season of the Williamston Farm & Artisan Market last Sunday, May 11th, was sold out for vendor space, had over 600 visitors and celebrated Mother's Day with perfect spring weather.

Photo by Market Manager Perry Youngs



Williamston Mayor Tammy Gilroy opened the Williamston Farm & Artisan Market 2025 Season in the ribbon-cutting ceremony on Sunday, May 11th at McCormick Park. Volunteers assisting from L to R are: Jane Reagan, Sowing Growth Board President Carol Grainger, and Past President Sharon LaPointe.

Photo by Meg Farness.

Williamston Farm & Artisan Market continues this Sunday, May 18th

Last week the Williamston Farm & Artisan Market 2025 season kicked off in a big way, with Williamston's Mayor Tammy Gilroy cutting the red ribbon, vendor spaces sold out, and over 600 visitors shopped on a beautiful spring day. The *Market Day Supporters* were Jim & Wendy Carr, in honor of Meghann, the adoring mom of their grandson Leo.

The Market operates every Sunday, including May 18th, with this week's theme *Community Services Day*, featuring a special exhibit by Williamston's Nature Discovery, owned by Jim and Carol McGrath, bringing their Michigan frogs for visitors to see up close and learn of their importance in our ecosystem. The Market has a new name, but still operates on Sundays from 10am to 2pm, and it's still in the large parking lot of McCormick Park, 123 High Street in Williamston, through Sunday, October 12th, rain or

Williamston Eagle Riders hosting Toby Keith impersonator on May 31st

The Williamston Eagle Riders are hosting a Toby Keith impersonator, Air Force veteran Dan Spencer, on Saturday, May 31st at the club. Steak dinner will be served from 5 until 7pm or gone, and includes potato, vegetable, salad and garlic toast for \$20.

Also, a Cash Raffle, with \$1000 first prize, \$500 second, \$250 third prize. (If less than 500 tickets are sold, it becomes a 50/50 drawing). Raffle tickets are available at the club after 5pm, \$5 each or 5 for \$20. (Need not be present to win). You won't want to miss this night of fun! Come down and have dinner and enjoy the show! No cover charge and free parking! Event is open to the public and doors open at 3pm. The club is located at 835 High St in Williamston, call after 5pm for more information at 517-655-6510.

none!), items made from Michigan beeswax, fabric, wood, wool, resin, plastic, and there's a wide variety of personal care products like goat milk soap, pottery, knife sharpening, and so much more.

In this week's Market children's craft booth, *Seedlings and Sprouts*, kids who stop by will make a "paper bag profession" by choosing their future career. Enjoy live mellow Market music all day, with The Justin Fiske Band performing covers from 10am to noon and maybe longer!

Vendors are invited to sign up for the remaining season of 22 more Sundays, or those Sundays that work in their schedule where there are still openings. Vendor information is at the Market website: [Williamston Farm & Artisan Market-Vendor Info](http://WilliamstonFarm.com)

This week's community service organization, represented in the *Pollination Station* booth, will be members of the of the Capital Area District Library- Williamston Branch who will share information about their current and summer reading programs for visitors of all ages.

At every Market, visitors show their support by bringing all their Michigan-returnable bottles and cans to the Can Van parked at the Market entrance. This popular fundraiser is a win-win: visitors leave the icky-sticky work to Market volunteers and every dime adds up to help defray Market costs. Sowing Growth, the non-profit that operates the Market, thanks all the bottle and can donors for their year-round generosity.

If your business collects bottles and cans, consider donating them as well. Special collections can be made directly at business addresses during the week. Just call Jane Reagan (517-525-4177) to make arrangements for special pick-ups.

Interested in becoming a *Sunday Market Supporter*? For any individual, business or friend of the Market, a \$100 contribution funds expenses unique to a Market day theme. Choose an available Sunday or based on that week's theme. For more information, contact Denise White, at Denise@SowingGrowth.org.

Next Sunday, May 25th, the Market theme is *Asparagus Day*, with live mellow Market music provided in the morning by the duo Denning & Johnson, playing folk music. Tana Denning plays fiddle, Celtic harp, and piano and vocals. Fred plays fiddle, guitar, and mandolin. In the afternoon, enjoy singer, songwriter and guitarist Gwen Doerfler Music. In the kids' craft booth *Seedlings and Sprouts*, the craft of the day will be painting with asparagus. The Market thanks Oak Bark Wellness for being the *Sunday Market Supporter*, in memory of Dr. Jack Kelly. It is a med spa that personalizes health care via specialties and relaxation, located on South Pennsylvania Avenue in Lansing.

For more information about Sowing Growth, the non-profit organization that operates the Williamston Farm and Artisan Market, to apply to become a vendor, to become a Market Day Supporter, to be added to the newsletter email list, to volunteer or to donate to the Market, contact Market Manager Perry Youngs at 517-231-2124, or MarketManager@SowingGrowth.org.

shine.

There will be over 30 vendors selling asparagus, plant starters (for tomatoes, herbs, peppers, eggplant, etc.), sprouts, flowering plants, baked goods (bagels, breads, rolls, baguettes, sugar cookies, granola, frozen quiche full pies or by the piece, to name a few), a small selection of produce this early in the season, as well as meat (lamb, rabbit, beef, pork, brats, bacon, etc.), eggs, cheese, kettle corn in a variety of flavors, breakfast burritos, sandwiches and salads, cuban food, flour and baking mixes from Westwind Farm, canned goods including pickles, mushrooms, sauces, olive oil, dog treats, hand-crafted jewelry, home goods, candles in all your favorite scents (or



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Contemporary & Classic Country Band
Tuesday, July 8 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, July 10)
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Velocity Shift
Classic Rock from the '60s thru '90s
Tuesday, June 3 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, June 5)



Bryce Engle
Covers & Original Songs
Tuesday, July 15 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, July 17)
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Blake James
Blue Grass & Country
Tuesday, June 10 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, June 12)



Harmonized Steel
Classic Rock
Tuesday, July 29 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, July 31)
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Livingston County Concert Band
Marches & Popular Music
Tuesday, June 17 @ 7:30 p.m.



Betty B. and The Ropewalkers
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Tuesday, August 5 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, August 7)
Sponsored by Fowlerville Rotary



Stronghold Quartet
Gospel Singing Group
Tuesday, June 24 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, June 26)



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Tuesday, August 12 @ 7 p.m.
(Rain Date: Thursday, August 14)
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