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## Superintendent's Message

Janet Sifferman, Superintendent

We had a wonderful beginning to our 2009-10 school year. We were excited to welcome our students and begin our year's activities. Now fall sports have begun, our students have settled into their classes and MEAP testing is around the corner. The 2009-10 school year is definitely in full swing!

The Board of Education and the district's administration are looking ahead to the next few years and making plans to guide us through the projected hard times for school finance. At the September 14, 2009 Board of Education meeting, there was discussion about running a Bond issue in February of 2010. This Bond issue would continue the work that began in 2006 on renovating our facilities and maintaining the smooth and efficient operation of our district's buildings and equipment during difficult financial times. We must do everything we can to maintain programs for our students as well as an appropriate learning environment. This Bond issue will focus on HVAC systems, energy efficiency, improving building and facility functionality, upgrading and updating technology systems, and buses. By using bond funds for these necessary items, it removes some of the strain from the district's general fund. It will require NO INCREASE in current taxes and will extend the current debt for a minimal number of years. The Board and administration see this issue as a piece of the puzzle needed to maintain the quality of Hartland Consolidated Schools through these next few years of financial difficulty. You will be seeing more information regarding this issue in the coming months.



Alice Andrews, Director of the Hartland Senior Center



Michelle Otis, Director of Hartland Community Education

## Encore Youth Theatre Presents:

## The Legend of Sleepy Hollow

The Hartland Players' ENCORE YOUTH THEATER proudly presents Washington Irving's classic Halloween story- *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow*. Come visit with the villagers of Sleepy Hollow, their new schoolmaster- Ichabod Crane, Katrina Van Tassel and Brom Bones as they tell the tale of the Headless Horseman. This wonderful production, staged by local actors ages eight to eighteen, is sure to keep you on the edge of your seat!



Please join us for this SPOOKtacular event on **November 6 and 7 at 7:30 pm and November 8 at 2:30 pm** at the historic **Hartland Music Hall**, 3619 Hartland Road (Avon), Hartland, MI 48353. Tickets are \$5.00 and may be purchased at the main branch of the Cromaïne Library beginning October 3. Tickets may also be purchased at the door, if available. We hope to see you at the show! For more information, please check out our newly revised website at [www.hartlandplayers.org](http://www.hartlandplayers.org)

## Welcome Wal-Mart

### Grand Opening held August 26

On August 26, at the Grand Opening of the new Hartland Wal-mart store, many area organizations were awarded grant money. Awards totaling \$20,000.00 were handed out to the following: Gleaners Food Bank-\$5,000; Livingston County Sheriff Dept-Canine Unit-\$3,000; Livingston Recycle-\$3,000; Hartland Consolidated School-Community Education Department-\$2,500; Cromaïne District Library-\$2,500; HAYAA-\$2,000; Hartland Senior Center-\$1,000 and the Hartland Area Historical Society-\$1,000.

Thank you Wal-mart and welcome! We all appreciate your fabulous generosity to our community.



## Wal-Mart donates 10 acres to Land Conservancy

Vernal pools mixed with swamp white oak, green ash, and red maple helps make prime habitat for the endangered Indiana Bat. That is the nature of the ecosystem of the Livingston Land Conservancy's newly acquired preserve on Blaine Road in  
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# Editor's Page



**Hartland Community Education**  
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## Community Life Advertising Rates

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1/8 Page	\$ 55.00	+ \$ 5.00	3 1/4" x 4 3/4"
1/16 Page	\$ 35.00	+ \$ 5.00	Business card size

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## Thanks for the donations

We received a total of **75.00** in donations for FY 08-09 to help offset the cost associated with publishing *Community Life*. Your support is appreciated for the only paper dedicated to promoting news about the schools and the Hartland Area for the past 75 years.

**Thank you:** Anonymous, the Heier family, Don & Julie Hill and Robert & Sigrid Luttmann.

## Deadlines 2009- 2010

Listed below are the Community Life deadlines for articles and advertisements for each month. Please note the deadline is the first Monday of the month by 6:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted. **All advertisements must be prepaid.**

Every effort is made to mail Community Life on the last Wednesday of each month. REMEMBER: I am always working a month ahead. Scheduled mailing dates are listed below. Please note these dates when writing press releases. Thank you!

ISSUE	DEADLINE	MAILED
<b>November 2009</b>	<b>October 5</b>	<b>October 28, 2009</b>
December 2009	November 2	November 25, 2009
January 2010	December 7	December 30, 2009
February 2010	January 4	January 27, 2010
March 2010	February 1	February 24, 2010
April 2010	March 1	March 31, 2010
May 2010	April 5	April 28, 2010
June 2010	May 3	May 26, 2010

Articles must be typewritten, single space and preferably in Times New Roman size 12. If you submit an article on disk, please include a printed copy of the document as well. You may also e-mail articles to the editor at: [nadinecloutier@hartlandschools.us](mailto:nadinecloutier@hartlandschools.us). Please send email articles as an attachment in Word. Any photos should be sent separately as a jpeg. No handwritten articles will be accepted.

When submitting photos, please do not write on the back. Instead type the caption information on a separate piece of paper and attach a label to the back of each photo with a corresponding number. If you want your photos returned you must include a S.A.S.E. Photos will be held for three months in the "will-call" folder and then discarded.

Please forward all news and advertising to: Editor, Community Life, Hartland Community Education, P.O. Box 282, Hartland, MI 48353. Hand deliver to Hartland Education Support Service Center at 9525 Highland Road in Howell, MI 48843 (former high school on M-59). If you have any questions call Nadine Cloutier at 810.626.2142 .

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## Community Life

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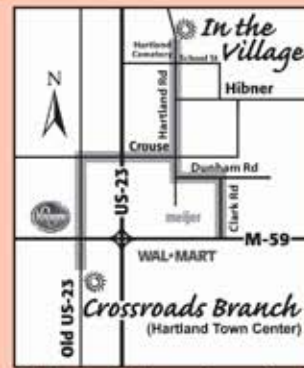


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**Saturday**  
 9 am - 4 pm  
**Sundays**  
 @ Crossroads Branch  
 1 pm - 5 pm

Author Visits, Ghost stories, Skulls, Music and More this Month at Cromaine Library!

*Your Journey Begins Here!*



**adult PROGRAMS**

**Tuesday, October 6 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Adult Book Discussion Group - The Girls by Lori Lansens. Drop in - Village.

**Saturday, October 10 @ 10:00 am**  
 Tour the Village - Registration required - Village.

**Tuesday, October 13 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Author Author - Author Tekla Dennison Miller. Registration required - Village.

**Saturday, October 17 from 1:00 - 3:00 pm**  
 Genealogy Help - Registration required - Village.

**Monday, October 19 - Thursday, October 22 @ 8:00pm**  
 Cromaine Computer Introduction Camp - Registration required - Crossroads.

**Tuesday, October 20 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Live Juicy! Write! - A writers' group. Registration required - Crossroads.

**Thursday, October 22 @ 7:00 pm**  
 A Community Conversation about the Shape of Your Library Today, Tomorrow, and in Twenty Years - Registration required - Village.

**Saturday, October 24 from 2:00 - 3:30 pm**  
 Musical Saturdays @ Crossroads featuring Tony Viviano. Drop-in - Crossroads.

**Tuesday, October 27 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Dark and Deadly Author Visit - Vampire Slayer Author Colleen Gleason. Registration required - Village.

**Thursday, October 29 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Beware ~ Ghostly Hauntings - Author and ghost hunter Brad Mikulka. Registration required - Village.



**youth PROGRAMS**

**Thursday, October 1 @ 7:00 pm**  
 Every Child Ready to Read @

Your Library - Parents of 4- and 5-year-olds. Registration required - Village.

**Friday, October 2 @ 10:00 am**  
 No School Day - Fun @ the Library!  
 Fairy Houses - Registration required - Village.

**Friday, October 2 @t 2:30 pm**  
 Picturing America - American Art and Andy Warhol's style! Registration required - Village.

**Tuesdays, Beginning October 6 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
 Chess - Drop in - Village.

**Saturday, October 31 @ 10:00 am**  
 Happy Halloween - Parade around the library. For ages preschool through 4th grade. Registration required - Village.

**Reading to Rover** returns - check our website or visit the youth department for date, time and location!



**teen PROGRAMS**

All programs are for students in grades 7 through 12.

**Thursday, October 1 @ 4:00 pm**  
 TAB: Teen Advisory Board - Drop-in - Village.

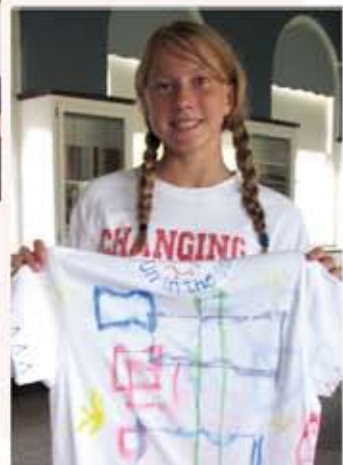
**Wednesday, October 7 @ 5:00 pm**  
 Skulls - Registration required - Village.

**Wednesday, October 14 from 5:00 - 7:00 pm**  
 Game Club - Drop-in - Village.

**October 18 - 24**  
 Teen Read Week - "Beyond Reality" this week!

**Tuesday, October 20 @ 6:00 pm**  
 Flubber - Registration required - Village.

**Wednesday, October 28 @ 4:00 pm**  
 Mini Monsters - Registration required - Village.



**Scary Events at Cromaine this month!**  
 Visit us online for details and to register for a program!

[www.cromaine.org](http://www.cromaine.org) for program details and sign-up

# Schools



**Hartland Consolidated School District**  
 9525 Highland Rd., Howell, MI 48843 • 810.626.2100

## 2009-10 REVISED SCHOOL CALENDAR

<b>October 2009</b>	2	Professional development (Teacher) - no students
	16	End of first marking period High School
<b>November 2009</b>	3	Professional Development (Teacher)/Parent-Teacher Planning - no students
	5	High School P/T Conf. following regular school day
	6	end of first marking period, K-8
	10	Elementary P/T/ Conf. following regular school day
	11	Farms P/T/ Conferences following regular school day
	13	Parent/Teacher Conf. during school day - no students
	16	Farms P/T Conferences following regular school day
	17	Middle School P/T/ Conf. following regular school day
	18	Elementary P/T Conf. following regular school day
	25-27	Thanksgiving Break - no school students or staff
<b>December 2009</b>	4	End of second marking period, High School
	23-31	Holiday Break, no school students or staff
<b>January 2010</b>	1	Holiday break, no school students or staff
	4	School resumes
	18	Martin Luther King Day - no school students or staff
	26	High School Exams, 1/2 day
	27	High School Exams, 1/2 day
	28	High School Exams, 1/2 day
		End of Marking Period, K-12
	29	Teachers Records Day no students
		<b>End of 1st Semester</b>

<b>February 2010</b>	26	Mid-Winter Break, no school students or staff
<b>March 2010</b>	12	End of fourth marking period, High School
	26	Professional Development (Teacher)/Parent-teacher conf. - no students
<b>April 2010</b>	1	End of third marking period, K-8
	2-9	Spring Recess - no school for students or staff
	30	End of fifth marking period, High School
<b>May 2010</b>	28	Professional Development (Admin) - no students
	31	Memorial Day - no school students or staff
<b>June 2010</b>	9	High School Exams, 1/2/ day
	10	High School Exams, 1/2 day
	11	High School Exams, 1/2 day
		<b>Last Day of School, 1/2 day school - PM Teacher work day</b>

**If needed, snow day make ups begin June 14**

Note: 7 hours of PLC (before or after school) counted as one teacher day  
 2 evenings of conferences for K-6 teachers counted as one teacher day  
 1 evening of conferences for 7-12 teachers counted as a half teacher day



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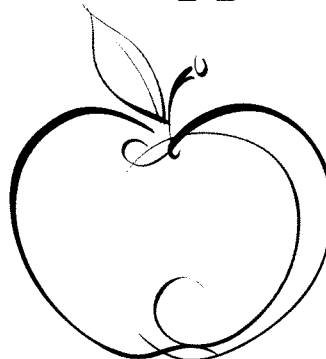
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# High School News



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## Principal's Corner

Chuck Hughes, Hartland High School PRINCIPAL

The school year is off and running. The first day of school was a huge success as every student was in class within 10 minutes of the opening bell and teachers set about the task of educating our future entrepreneurs, lawyers, mechanics, artists, engineers, etc...

A huge thank you to our parents for helping us prepare for the new school year by making sure that registration and LINK (freshmen orientation) were attended. These events help us to address scheduling and logistical problems well before the school year starts. The 2010-11 Registration and LINK dates will be published in early spring so that you may mark your calendars well ahead of time.

If you have not attended an athletic event this school year I encourage you to get out and support our students. If you attend a home football game you get to listen to the marching band. Our students are absolutely incredible to watch as their excitement and that of the coaching staff is contagious. Good luck to all our students participating in extra and co-curricular activities this fall.

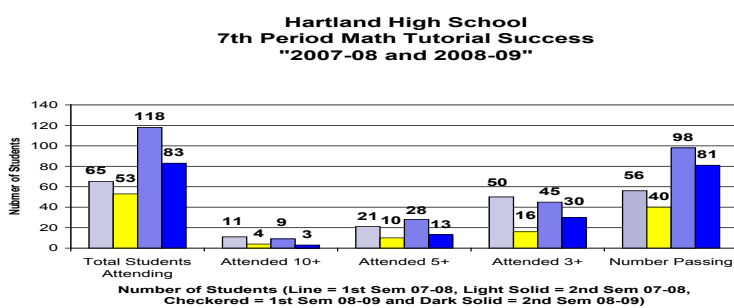
### Just a reminder of some important up-coming dates:

October 17	PSAT National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Exam for juniors
Oct. 30-Nov 1	Fall Play
November 5	Parent Teacher Conferences from 4-7 p.m.
November 13	Parent Teacher Conferences - 7:24-11 a.m./12noon-2:14 p.m.
December 10	PLAN Testing (Practice ACT for all sophomores)

## Math Tutorial Lab Gets Results

Three years ago, a district committee of parents and school district staff met to determine what needed to be done to ensure that students would be successful at Hartland High School under the new Michigan Merit Curriculum or high school graduation expectations. One idea was formulated that has been instituted for each of the past two years and will again be available for the 2009-10 school year. A free Math Tutorial Lab is available for math tutoring every day after school from 2:20 to 3:17. As educators, we understand that some students need a place to go for extra help in understanding mathematical concepts. It is our hope that by providing this service to students they will in turn demonstrate proficiency in Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II.

The chart below represents data collected for students who used the Math Tutorial Lab during the past two years. The data supports the practice of offering this opportunity and seems to support the notion that students who seek extra help are often successful in demonstrating proficiency in their math course.



### Math Tutorial Lab Open for Business in Room 212, 2:20 PM to 3:17 PM

**Algebra I and II:** Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

**Geometry:** Tuesday and Thursday



## Band Camp

Once again Hartland High School band students, led by Mr. Mike Letovsky, attended summer band camp at Adrian College from July 28 – August 2. The weather was great and the band's performance of "The Motown Influence" was wonderful. There were 13 instructors, 14 adult chaperones, and 121 students in attendance. Fun was had by all!

## FCCLA Goes To Nationals

For the first time, Hartland High School FCCLA (Family Career Community Leaders of America) sent a team to the National FCCLA competitions in Nashville this past July. Victoria Buelow, Sarah Devitt, and Lindsey Stark competed in the Chapter Service Project Display earning a bronze medal. Along with the competition, they participated in workshops, special sessions with guest speakers, networking with other FCCLA members from the state, as well as, the nation and had lots of fun checking out the Nashville area. Mrs. Baier, the FCCLA sponsor, was also recognized and received her "Spirit of Advising" award for the state of Michigan. The FCCLA members are gearing up for the new school year and have several service projects in the works. They are looking forward to working hard this year and earning the right to go to the Nationals again next summer in Chicago. FCCLA would like to thank the school and community for their support of their projects and endeavors and look forward to continued cooperation.



Congratulations to (from left) Lindsey Stark, Sarah Devitt, and Victoria Buelow for receiving a bronze medal in the national FCCLA competitions in Nashville in July.

## WCC Competition



Congratulations to Dean Heinonen, Drew Davis, Matt Macfarland, and Kip Pennala for participating in the regional building competition sponsored by Washtenaw Community College. Out of eight teams competing from around the state, Hartland High School took second place!

## Reading Workshop

This past August numerous teachers were inducted into the Reading Apprenticeship program created by WestEd and adopted by Livingston County three years ago. Slowly, the RAT (Reading Apprenticeship Teachers) "plague" has been spreading throughout Farms Intermediate School, Hartland Middle School at Ore Creek, and at Hartland High School. Numerous teachers at each building went to an extensive training over the past three summers. This past August, teachers throughout Livingston County including Kim Markby, of Ore Creek, and Andrea Kosla, of the High School, were among the Reading Apprenticeship instructors.

During the extensive training, teachers worked through their thought process while learning information and focused on making the "invisible, visible". Teachers worked on structuring class routines that allow for students-centered learning along with critical thinking and reading. This way of structuring class activities allows students to discover how their brains work and process information, so that not only can students learn course content, but also become critical thinkers and problem solvers who are literate and active members of our ever changing and technological society.

## Students Create Documentary Films

Last spring, seventeen Hartland High School sophomores in the American Studies block classes participated in the "Picturing Your Community in America" documentary film project sponsored by the Michigan Humanities Council. The four documentary videos about the community of Hartland, along with thirteen others created by students across the state, can now be viewed by the public on line.

"Picturing Your Community in America" is a program directing students to create humanities or oral history biographies of their communities through their eyes. The four videos created by Hartland students are "Fusion Shows: Bringing Youth Together" (Connor Meade, Olivia Rammage, Matt Fuchs, April Militzer, Emily Watt), "Spicer's Hartland Orchard" (Brittany Anderson, Briana Conway, Sara Luberto, Janeen Dusseau, Corbin Newcomb), "Urbanization of Hartland" (Chris Tomlinson, Zane Weigman, Eric Meaney, Nick Willis), and "Barns of Hartland Township" (Steve Rollins, Paul Townsend, Jack Tackett).

Students worked with Emmy award winning documentary film maker Donna Ryen from WFUM in Flint as their mentor. According to Ms Ryen, these students learned the basics of what it takes to create a good documentary. Ms Ryen's accomplishments include an Emmy for the mini documentary and series *WWII: Through the Lens of Duane Zemper* and another for the cultural and performing arts documentary *Bijou Orchestra*.

To view these and the other documentary videos on line, go to the Michigan Humanities Council at [www.michigan-humanities.org](http://www.michigan-humanities.org), click on "News," then click on "Picturing Your Community in America videos available."



## Welcome Back To School

We have had a very smooth opening of the 2009-2010 school year. Incoming students quickly learned their way around the building and have become very comfortable. The classes of 2014 and 2015 are off to a great start. Look for a school newsletter to be updated every two weeks with information about clubs and activities, the school calendar and lunch menu, and upcoming events. The newsletter is available on the school website ([www.hartlandschools.us](http://www.hartlandschools.us)) Hard copies are available in the front office.

### Tardy To School Policy

- Please help your child do his or her best. Attendance is a crucial factor for student academic success.
- Students tardy to school (i.e. late to Homeroom) must be signed in at the front office by a parent or legal guardian in order for the tardy to be considered excused.
- Unexcused tardies to school will result in disciplinary action.
- Excessive parent excused tardies may be referred to the Livingston County Attendance Officer.

### Parent Connect

Parent Connect allows parents with Internet access to monitor their children's grades. If you had a password assigned last year, it remains the same. Contact Karen Wilson at [pc@hartlandschools.us](mailto:pc@hartlandschools.us) for assistance.

### Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for November 13 and 17 as follows:  
Friday, November 13 from 7:40 to 10:30 a.m. and from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, November 17 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.  
Spring Conferences will be held at the end of March. Look for more details on the school website/the HMS newsletter.

### Phone Messages To Students In School

It can be very disruptive to call students out of class to deliver routine messages. Please make every effort to communicate after school plans with students *before they begin their school day*. We appreciate your help in keeping our school the best learning environment possible.

### Safety In The Parking Lot

The morning "drop off" time before school and afternoon "pick up" time after school means that students who are being driven to and from school must negotiate a very busy parking lot. PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY AND CAUTIOUSLY and put the safety of our students ahead of time issues.



Mr. Taylor welcomes his eighth grade English students.



Eighth grade English students can't wait for another year of reading and writing.



Students in Mrs. Rowe's seventh grade History Class listen on the first day of school.



The HMS cafeteria is once again alive with students.



Mrs. Burks helps her math students get organized during their first class.



Ms. Romano's sixth grade language arts students engage in two-student team Scrabble tournaments. Scrabble is an excellent teaching tool and improves students' vocabulary, spelling, spatial relations, math and teamwork skills. Students' favorite place to play is on the giant Scrabble rug in the reading corner of the classroom!



Ms. Mack's and Ms. Stitle's classes stop while on their building tour during their first day of classes.



Ms. Koski's students pause during a "Getting to know you" icebreaker activity during their first day of classes.



## Handicapped Parking Issue

There has been a persistent problem involving parents that drop their children off in the morning or pick them up after school. That problem is the lack of respect for the parking areas that have been designated for handicapped use. These areas are clearly marked with blue paint and/or signage. Please be aware of these areas and leave adequate room for those who need this special consideration. This also applies to the curb ramps designed to allow wheelchairs access to the building. **Please do not block these areas!**

## Market Day at The Farms

Just a reminder, to all parents, who participated in Market Day at their elementary school, that we continue this service at the Farms. Flyers are sent home each month with all students and pick-up dates and times are listed on the back of the flyers. **You may also purchase your items online at [www.marketday.com](http://www.marketday.com)**, and pick them up at the Farms on delivery day. The holiday specialty items are always very popular. All proceeds go to the Farms PTO and are used to support a variety of activities for our students. Share this information with friends, relatives and neighbors who do not have children here at FIS. It will greatly benefit our PTO which uses all money to support programs for our students.

## Do your Children Know What to do ????

Occasionally, emergency situations, such as power outages or other unforeseeable circumstances cause school to be cancelled, with little or no warning. Although we try to avoid it, there may even be times when it is necessary to send students home from school in the middle of the day. This can create confusion, tension and stress for parents and students alike. While these situations are rare, we need to anticipate them, and to make plans so that every child knows what is expected of them. **Please read the following scenarios and discuss with your child what they should do in each situation:**

Your child has been dropped off at the bus stop and both parents have left for work. There is a **last minute cancellation of school** and the bus does not show up. It is beginning to snow very hard and the temperature is dropping rapidly.

Mom, who is normally at home during the day, is shopping in Novi with a friend when school is dismissed due to a power failure. The children come home and the house is locked.

### Remember to:

- Make arrangements **ahead of time** with a friend, a neighbor or an older child in the neighborhood to care for your children if school is cancelled at the last minute.
- **Make sure your children are aware of where to go and what to do in case of an early release.**
- Make sure your children have **access to a house key** if they will need to return to your home to use the telephone, or to wait for the sitter.
- Contact your **daycare/latchkey facility** to find out what their procedures are on these days.
- If dropping your child off at school **wait to see if they are able to gain access to the building.** An empty parking lot would be an indication that school is not in session.
- Make sure the **numbers on your emergency card** are current. We will use them if necessary during these emergencies.
- Tune your radio to **WHMI 93.5 FM in Howell.** They are the first to be notified and will provide the most current closing information. If you have a radio alarm clock, put it on this station even on days when you don't suspect that school may be closed.

**Above all, make plans ahead of time for these situations and make sure your children understand them.**



## A Note from the Principal

Ms. Tracey Sahouri, Creekside Principal

I want to welcome everyone to our 2009-2010 school year. I am honored to have your children at Creekside Elementary School and am very excited to work with your family throughout the year. We will do everything possible to provide a safe and positive learning experience for your child. A huge thanks to our PTO and entire Creekside Team, who helped to create a successful start for our children.

I would like to welcome and take this opportunity to introduce our newest team member, Billie Jo Rhoades. She comes to us from Farms Intermediate School with many years of experience.

We, the Creekside Staff, look forward to working with all of you and being part of a successful, exciting, and productive year.



## Mackinac Island Trip

The fourth graders from Creekside Elementary finished the 2008-09 year by attending the annual trip to Mackinac Island to learn some Michigan history. On the trip the students visit, Fort Michilimackinac, Historic Mill Creek, and stay overnight on the Island. The students also attend four classroom sessions where they learn about the French Voyageurs, Michigan logging, Michigan Native America, and they take a hike to Arch Rock. Both students and parents alike loved the trip and we can't wait to go back next year.



Tiffany Nagoy learns what it's like to be a French Voyager in one of the classroom sessions.



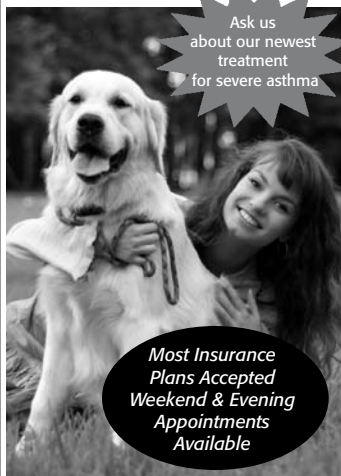
Creekside 4<sup>th</sup> graders and their parents learn about logging at Historic Mill Creek.



Creekside 4<sup>th</sup> graders enjoy learning about the Fort Michilimackinac and watch Flintlock Rifles being fired



Teachers pose for a picture in front of Arch Rock on Mackinac Island.



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After a busy morning, kindergarten students in Mrs. Knoefel's class do a thorough job of washing their hands before lunch.



Mrs. LaGuire-Quinn helps some of her new students make good choices at the fruit and salad bar for a yummy lunch.



Later in the afternoon, Mrs. Knoefel passes out treats to her students to celebrate Shaylee Nulf's birthday.



Students in Mrs. Zielinski's kindergarten class learn how to line up and sing a "Ready for the Hall" song before walking to the cafeteria.



Mrs. Langdon's kindergarten students enjoy dancing and singing in music class with Mr. Eaton, Lakes music teacher.

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## The 2009-2010 school year is underway at Round Elementary.

We would like to welcome a new member to our teaching staff this year. Mrs. Christine Griffon is coming to us from Village Elementary School. Mrs. Griffon taught at Round a couple years ago and we are lucky to have her back. She is teaching Kindergarten and we welcome her back to the Round family. Round would also like to welcome Mrs. Molly Polka who will be filling in for Mrs. Frasier who will be on maternity leave. We wish Mrs. Frasier all the best and welcome Mrs. Polka to the 1st grade!

There are many exciting dates to remember in the month of October.

- October 1: Fall Fun Run
- October 5: Picture Day
- October 9: Hartland Homecoming
- October 14: PTO Meeting

Again, thank you to all the wonderful people who have made the start of the school year a successful one. I am proud of the accomplishments our staff and students have made so far this year and look forward to watching all our students grow.



The Round School welcomes students and parents to another great year!



Students and parents enter the building to start the school day.



Mrs. Pigott's kindergarten class starts their exciting first day of school.



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# Village Elementary News



## 810.626.2800



Village Elementary kicked off the new school year with a Back to School Picnic held the week before classes started. All Village families were invited to check out the school, playground, and food sponsored by the Village PTO.



The wonderful staff at Village eagerly awaits the arrival of the students on the first day. Shown here are Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Cain, and Mrs. Wright.



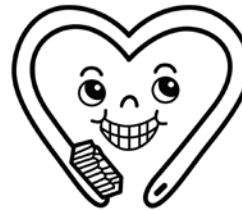
Third grader Becca Nicholas heads into school to find her classroom.



4<sup>th</sup> graders Claudia Gehan, Grace Norris, Tara Petersen, and Renna Yang are excited to start the new school year.



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## Kirk Evenson, Principal

The start of 09-10 school year has been great! Our school is filled to capacity, as we have expanded our student population by over 25%. The continued demand is largely due to the increased popularity of the LEGACY tradition. The students at LEGACY are awesome and they are successful because they enjoy coming to school to learn.

The staff at LEGACY is phenomenal and the major reason behind our success. The LEGACY program has become a very popular educational offering in the county. There is now a waiting list of students, anxious to enroll for 2nd semester. As a school of choice program, a limited number of seats will be available by application in December for 2nd semester.

This past summer, the entire LEGACY staff was hard at work planning and preparing for the students to return to class. A special training activity was presented by the Dale-Carnegie organization. Mr. Mark Will and Ms. Kathy Tosian led a day-long retreat on teamwork, vision, mission, and the skills and attributes of a successful organization. The opportunity was a huge success and the staff at LEGACY has benefited greatly from the experience.

The LEGACY team is looking forward to another great year.



Legacy staff is moving forward in their school improvement plan. The Vision and Mission statements are being revisited with facilitator Mark Will at the staff in-service day.



## Art Program

Legacy art students are back, hard at work, making décor for the wildflower garden that they created behind the Community Education Building during the summer under the auspices of Workforce Investment Act/American Recovery Reinvestment Act Grant funding. Unique stained glass mosaic covered bowling balls will be available for sale late in September. Tickets will be sold for a bird bath to raise funds for the art department and student activities.

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## Eco-Garden Shed

This summer, as part of the LEGACY summer program-Eco-Garden/Green Project, students constructed a shed for the purpose of storing tools and equipment needed to maintain the Eco-Garden. Students researched and designed the shed, learned all components to building a shed to include, design, measuring, and the actual construction.

Heading up the shed construction project was Randy Pomeroy. Randy (left in photo) works with students during the school year at LEGACY as a youth social worker. Also featured in the picture is LEGACY student James Monta in the doorway of the shed.

The summer youth program is funded through Livingston County Michigan Works.



# Hartland Community Education Preschool is looking for you!

Preschool is just under way and Hartland Community Education is looking for a few very bright and shiny children to help fill our two or three remaining slots to top off our preschool program. Our first day was great, full of smiles and happy giggles. Hartland offers a wonderful play-based developmental preschool program for three and four-year olds. Our preschool is one of the longest running programs in Livingston County and, if we may boast a little, one of the very best. The teachers and their assistants are in close contact with the Hartland Consolidated School District's Early Childhood Specialist in the elementary schools to ensure that the program we offer your child will enhance their transition into the ever expanding curriculum of the Hartland Kindergarten program. Give us a call if your little one qualifies and would like to grab one of those last remaining spots. We would love to have your little one join us. Call Kathy Lampe for more information at Hartland Community Education 810.626.2780





## Hartland Community Education Upcoming enrichment classes for October

In case you missed seeing or accidentally discarded the special 12-page Enrichment brochure insert in the September Community Life, listed below are some of the classes we will be offering in October.

We still have copies of the brochure in all the school offices, Com Ed office, Senior Center and both Cromaine Library locations. Or visit our website [www.hartlandcommunityed.com](http://www.hartlandcommunityed.com) and navigate to the Fall 2009 Registration tab. Click on that to then view, download or print the PDF version of our fall brochure. Or simply open the Course Catalog tab and scroll to the class of interest.

### COMPUTER CLASSES

#### Beginning Word

<b>C101 F ♦</b>	<b>Microsoft Word</b>
Mon.	3 sessions (6 hrs) \$60
SSC/Rm 15	10/5-19 7:00-9:00 p.m.

#### Advanced Word

<b>C102 F ♦</b>	<b>MS Word Advanced</b>
Mon.	3 sessions (6 hrs) \$60
SSC/Rm 15	10/26-11/9 7:00-9:00 p.m.

#### Maintaining Your Computer

<b>C201 F ♦</b>	<b>Maintaining Your Computer</b>
Tue.	4 sessions (8 hrs) 10/6-27
SSC/Rm 15	7:00-9:00 p.m.
\$80 (plus book fee \$27 payable to the instructor at first class)	

#### Advanced Excel

<b>C301 F ♦</b>	<b>Advanced Excel</b>
Wed.	3 sessions (6 hrs) \$60
SSC/Rm 15	10/7-21 7:00-9:00 p.m.

#### Microsoft PowerPoint

<b>C302 F ♦</b>	<b>PowerPoint</b>
Wed.	2 sessions (4 hrs) \$40
SSC/Rm 15	10/28 & 11/4 7:00-9:00 p.m.

*Our computer lab is equipped with Windows XP and Office 2003. Instructor for computer classes is Ron Greener.*

### ADULT ENRICHMENT

#### Child Birth Education Seminar or Class

Any expectant moms and support persons

**Instructors: Andrea Pietila RN, BSN or Lisa Kastamo RN, BSN**

Join us to help prepare you to meet the challenge of labor. You will learn about the process of labor and delivery, discuss options to deal with pain. Learn about medical interventions you may encounter and learn what to expect postpartum with you and your baby. Need a min. of 4 couples to offer this seminar 6 couples to offer class. Bring a pillow & blanket.

<b>AE751 F ♦</b>	<b>Child Birth Education seminar</b>	1 session	Sat.
SSC/Fitness Rm	11/7	9am-1pm	\$90
<b>AE761 F ♦</b>	<b>Child Birth Education class</b>	3 sessions	Tue.
SSC/ Rm 31	11/17-12/1	6:30-9pm	\$85

#### Birth Review

All expectant moms and support persons

**Instructors: Andrea Pietila RN, BSN or Lisa Kastamo RN, BSN**

This is a refresher class for those who have already experienced childbirth or who desire to try natural birth after a C-section. Need 3 couples to offer this class. Bring a pillow & blanket.

<b>AE770 F ♦</b>	<b>Birth Review</b>	1 session	Thur. 10/15	6-9 p.m.	SSC/Rm 31	\$65
<b>AE771 F ♦</b>	<b>Birth Review</b>	1 session	Thur. 12/10	6-9 p.m.	SSC/Rm 31	\$65

#### Basics of Selling on eBay

For ages 18 and up

**Instructor: Bill DiSessa with B2BZone**

You will get an overview of eBay that includes creating a free account and a successful auction listing. Materials include a Student Manual and exclusive Student Resource Center on CD-ROM which you keep.

<b>AE700 F ♦</b>	<b>Basics of Selling on eBay</b>
Thur.	1 session 10/8 SSC/Rm 15 6-9 p.m.
\$25 individual/\$30 couple (plus \$20 materials fee due to the instructor at class)	

<b>AE701 F ♦</b>	<b>Basics of Selling on eBay</b>
Thur.	1 session 12/10 SSC/Rm 15 6-9 p.m.
\$25 individual/\$30 couple (plus \$20 materials fee due to the instructor at class)	

### BUSINESS & FINANCE

#### Strategies for Managing Retirement Income

This educational workshop is essential for those who are retired and those ready to retire. You will learn helpful principles about how to convert your hard-earned assets into a continuous stream of income. You will understand how to identify risks involved, tax implications of choices, and how to meet the challenges of not outliving your assets. All materials provided.

<b>AE400 F ♦</b>	<b>Strategies for Managing Retirement Income</b>
Tue.	1 session 10/6
SSC/T-lab	6:30-8 p.m.
\$15 indiv/\$20 couple	

#### Adding Checks and Balances to your Investments

The goal of this class is to educate you about the option of adding checks and balances or alternative investments to your investment portfolio. Possible benefits include the potential for: regular investment income, tax deductions and credits, opportunities for appreciation, added diversification to your investments, and creating the potential for less risk for your overall investments portfolio. Examples of these types of investments can include: real estate, oil, natural gas, equipment leasing and other commodities.

<b>AE401 F ♦</b>	<b>Adding Checks &amp; Balances to Investments</b>
Thur.	1 session 10/8
SSC/T-lab	6:30-8:00 p.m.
\$10 indiv/\$15 couple	

#### Taking Control

**A Financial Management Workshop for Women, By Women**

Single or married, divorced or widowed, busy raising children or living alone for the first time? You have unique needs in managing your money and making it grow. This is a comprehensive financial management workshop. Topics include cash management, risk management, investment planning, tax planning, retirement planning, divorce and widowhood, and estate planning. Take home a 150 page workbook with tools for financial security that will last a lifetime. \$15 material fee paid to the instructor at class. Payable to Sovran & Dillaman, LLC

<b>AE402 F ♦</b>	<b>Taking Control A financial workshop</b>
Thur.	3 sessions 10/15, 22 & 29
SSC/T-lab	6:30-8:45 p.m. \$49

#### Get Your Slice of the Tax Cut Pie

**Instructor: Beth Yarmak, CPA, EA**

There is a lot of government stimulus money available. Are you getting your share? Join us as we discuss the many new tax laws and credits available to help keep money in your pocket. If you think October is too early to talk taxes, think again. Remember, the first person to the table can call dibs on the biggest piece of pie.

<b>AE320 F ♦</b>	<b>Get your slice of the tax cut pie</b>
Tue.	1 session 10/20
SSC/Rm T Lab	6:30-8 p.m. \$15

#### Organizing your Finances - Budgeting 101

**Instructor: Betty Huotari**

**Do you have the answers to these questions?**

- Are you in control of your budget?
- How much money is coming in?
- Where is your money going?

Come and spend an evening with Professional Organizer, Betty Huotari, Logical Placement LLC. 1. Gather your bills and bring your checkbook register or bank statement. 2. We'll work together to give you a better understanding of your budget. 3. And there will be less stress in your life!

<b>AE300 F ♦</b>	<b>Organizing your Finances</b>
Mon.	1 session 10/12
SSC/Rm 19	7-9 p.m.
\$30 indiv/\$40 couple	

#### How to Apply for Social Security Disability

ages 18 and over

**Instructor: Jeannette Mason**

This is a one evening class designed to assist those who have either applied for social security disability or are in the process of deciding whether or not to apply. A brief overview of the way the system works will be given. This will be followed by helpful hints on improving your chances of success, followed by a Q & A period. This is an ideal class for those who wish to apply on their own and also for those who are interested in seeking representation.

<b>AE310 F ♦</b>	<b>How to apply for Social Security Disability</b>
Mon.	1 session 10/19
SSC/Rm 19	6-8 p.m. \$22



**Seeking Instructors for Winter**

**Enrichment Brochure  
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#### INVESTMENT DISCLAIMER

The Hartland Community Education Center bears no responsibility regarding investment decisions based on information received in these classes or made with any instructor's advice given in these classes.

**BUSINESS & FINANCE**

**Change Your Thinking-  
Change Your Business**

Your business is a reflection of your dominant thoughts. Better thoughts produce better results. Learn simple techniques you can use to stop a negative thought in its tracks, create an optimistic state of mind and discover creative solutions to both business and personal challenges. The information shared in this class will benefit you for a lifetime. Min. 4

<b>AE202 F</b> ♦	<b>Change your Thinking- Change your Business</b>
Wed. 1 session 10/28	
SSC/T-Lab	6:30-8:30 p.m. \$24

**Want to get hired? Speak up!**

**For adults Instructor: Cindy Karns**

Based on the Speechcraft program from Toastmasters International, this 7-week course will help you build confidence and improve your performance in meeting the public, interviewing for jobs and selling yourself and your ideas. Each week the class format will give you plenty of opportunity to practice the techniques of Networking and Interviewing in a relaxed, enjoyable atmosphere. This course is intended especially for those people in Career Transition or are concerned they may be. Need a min. of 10 enrolled to offer this course.

<b>AE500 F</b> ♦	<b>Want to get hired? Speak up!</b>	Tue. 7 weeks 10/6-11/17
SSC/ Rm 32	7-9 p.m.	\$25 (\$5 materials fee paid to the instructor first class)

**Generating Referrals  
and Repeat Business**

Never make a cold call again! Instead, join us and discover a proven, step-by-step system for getting more repeat business and endless referrals. This class is packed with all the information, ideas and inspiration you need to attract, delight and retain your ideal client. Learn how to build a thriving, profitable relationship-based business that grows with ease. Min. 4.

<b>AE201 F</b> ♦	<b>Generate Referrals and Repeat Business</b>
Wed. 1 session 10/14	
SSC/T-lab	6:30-8:30 p.m. \$24

**STUDENT ENRICHMENT & RECREATION**

*For those with physical or cognitive disabilities (we offer two age groups - ages 6-12 and ages 13 & older) Instructor: Sarah Mallets*

Our new therapeutic recreation program provides recreation and leisure services to citizens in our community with physical, mental and emotional disabilities. This new program allows us to work with participants to enhance their health, independence and well-being. Services include therapeutic recreation programs and adaptive sports opportunities, which address the special needs of individuals with disabilities who have difficulty accessing and participating in recreational opportunities offered to the general public. Under the direction of Therapeutic Recreation Specialist, Sarah Mallets, activities and services are designed to maintain or improve the physical, cognitive and social functioning of those who have limitations. *Please feel free to contribute ideas for classes and activities. We will continue to add to these listings in the future.*

**Special Recreation Dance/Fitness**

We're going to dance it off! Wear workout clothes, tennis shoes and be ready to have a good time. We'll work out to fun fitness videos and music. Don't forget your water bottle. This class is designed for all ability levels. Minimum 4, Maximum 12.

<b>SRD6</b>	<b>Special Rec/Dance Fitness</b>	1 session	Tue.
SSC/Rm 31	10/13 Ages 6-12 yrs old	6-6:50 pm	\$10
<b>SRD3</b>	<b>Special Rec/Dance Fitness</b>	1 session	Tue.
SSC/Rm 31	10/13 Ages 13+ yrs old	7-7:50 pm	\$10

**Special Recreation Halloween Dance**

Recreation for those with physical or cognitive disabilities, ages 12 & up! Come spend the evening with us at our Halloween Costume party. We will enjoy snacks, while dancing the night away. We will award prizes for best costumes, and also have door prizes. Fee includes: snacks, cookies, and pop.

<b>SRHD</b>	<b>Spec Rec Halloween Dance</b>	1 session	Fri.
Apollo Center	2029 N. Milford Rd. Highland	10/30 6:30-8:30 pm	\$15

**¡Vamos a Comer! Let's Eat!**

*A Theme-Based Spanish Class for students in grades K-2 and 3-6*  
**Instructors: TBD**

Hungry for something different? Indulge your student's appetite for language and culture with our Vamos a Comer Spanish class. In eight exciting lessons, our class "amigos" Dani and Beto will help your students to sing, dance, create, play, and act their way towards fluency with food-related Spanish vocabulary. Min. 7, max. 16.

<b>SPAN 1 F</b>	<b>Vamos a Comer (grades K-2)</b>
Tue. 8 weeks 10/6-12/1*	
(*NO CLASSES 11/3)	7:00-8:00 p.m.
SSC/Rm 32	\$132
<b>SPAN 2 F</b>	<b>Vamos a Comer (grades 3-6)</b>
Tue. 8 weeks 10/6-12/1*	
(*NO CLASSES 11/3)	7:00-8:00 p.m.
SSC/Rm 28	\$132

**After School  
Volleyball Clinics**

**Program for girls in 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grade.**

<b>V121 F</b>	<b>Volleyball Clinic</b>	6 weeks
Tue. 10/27-12/8*	3:45-5:30pm	
FIS/gym	\$40.00	
*No Clinic 11/3-no school day		

**Babysitters Training Class**

*Students must be 11 years old the first day of class.*

**Instructor: Marcia Schultz**

<b>M101 F</b> ♦	<b>Babysitter's Training</b>
Thur. 2 sessions 11/5 & 11/12	
FIS/Rm 24	3:45-7:30 p.m. \$50

**ART & LEISURE**

**One-Stroke Painting:  
Autumn Landscape**

**For adults**

**Instructor: Donna Roskamp**

Everyone can learn to paint a beautiful landscape quickly and easily using the One-Stroke painting technique. Award Winning, Certified Instructor Donna Roskamp, ELITE OSCI Level II & HD Specialist will walk you through the steps as you complete a beautiful autumn landscape on canvas during class. Donna is currently the number one instructor in the nation for the THIRD year in a row. The instructor provides all supplies. Needs a minimum of 5 enrolled, max 16 students.

<b>AL200 F</b> ♦	<b>Autumn Landscape Painting</b>
Wed. 1 session	
SSC/Rm 3	10/7 6:30-8:30 p.m.
\$20 (plus \$12 materials fee to the instructor at class)	

**Beginning Silversmithing**

**For ages 12 and up**

**Instructor: Robert Krautheim**

Livingston Gem & Mineral Society member Robert Krautheim will share his knowledge and help you to make silver jewelry. **Materials fee will be based on the market price of the silver at class time.** Instructor requires a minimum of 3 students to offer this class Enrollment is capped at 4 students.

<b>AL500 F</b> ♦	<b>Beginning Silversmithing</b>
Wed. 4 sessions 10/14-11/4	
SSC/Rm 51	6:00-8:00 p.m.
\$50 (plus materials fee TBD by project at class time)	

**Dichroic Glass Jewelry**

**For adults**

**Instructor: Leslie Radabaugh**

Glass has emerged over the last few years as one of the hottest art forms. This class is an introductory to fused glass. You will learn the how to design fused glass pendants using dichroic glass. The instructor will cover safety and Kiln temperatures.

<b>AL301 F</b> ♦	<b>Dichroic Glass Jewelry</b>
Mon. 1 session 10/5	
SSC/Rm 49	6:30-9:30 p.m.
\$30 (plus \$35 materials fee to the instructor at class)	

**Beginning Metalwork:  
Manipulating Sheet  
Pewter**

**Instructor: Leslie Radabaugh**

Have you ever wanted to make unique flat textured silver jewelry, but were afraid to mess up the silver? This is the class for you. We will fabricate sheet pewter into beautiful one of kind pendants and earrings. You will learn to cut, texture and finish the pewter to look like silver. This is the perfect way to make your fused glass pendants stand out from the crowd. Learn to make your own bails. In class you will make 2 pendants and earrings to wear home. Minimum of 6 students, max 10

<b>AL302 F</b> ♦	<b>Beg. Metalwork: Manipulating Sheet Pewter</b>
Tue. 1 session 10/20	
SSC/Rm 49	6:30-8:30 pm
\$20 (plus \$15 materials fee to the instructor at class)	



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## Seasonal Flu Shots are Coming

The Visiting Nurses Association will be staffing our annual flu shot clinic here at the senior center on Tuesday, October 6. The nurses will be dispensing the seasonal flu virus at this time. H1N1 (Swine Flu) shots may be given at the senior center at a later date. As of this printing, the V.N.A. had no information regarding these clinics. At this time, the priority for the H1N1 inoculations are for pregnant women and children and adults up to age 32. We will try to get you new information as we receive it on our website at hartlandseniors.org or in our October newsletter.

If you want to receive your seasonal flu shots here on October 6 please call the center at 810.626.2135 and schedule your shot. We have found that if we schedule 75 people per hour the clinic moves along quite nicely.

## Knit Christmas Stockings for our Service Men and Women

If you are interested in knitting these stockings for the men and women serving in our armed services please join our needlecrafts group on Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. If you don't know how to knit we will teach you.

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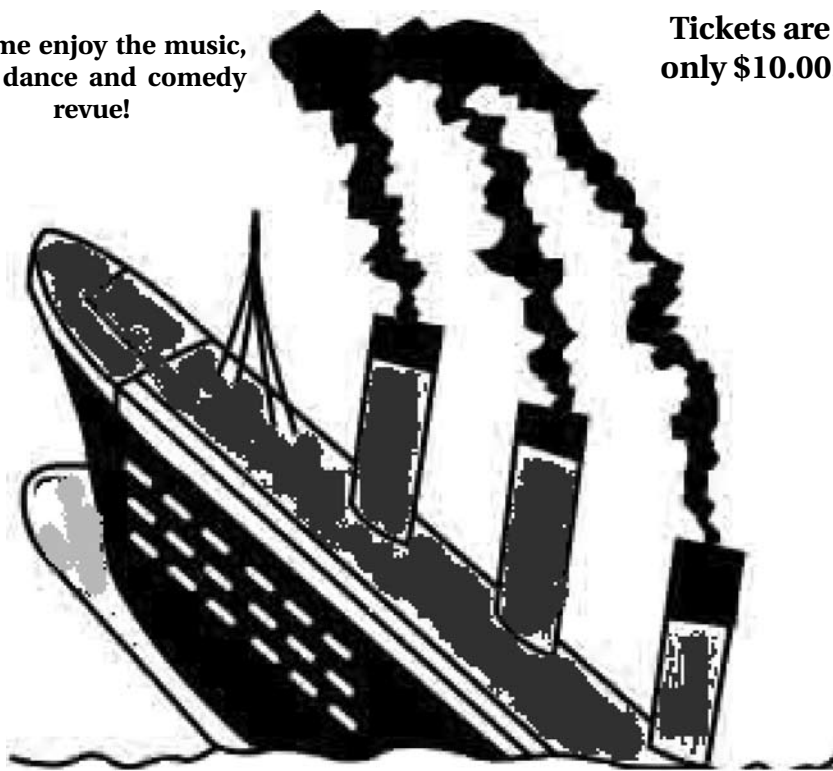
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[www.oursaviorhartland.org](http://www.oursaviorhartland.org)



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[hartlandumc@sbcglobal.net](mailto:hartlandumc@sbcglobal.net)  
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# Club & Organization News

## Hartland Area Historical Society Receives Walmart Grant

The historical society received a \$1000 grant from Walmart at the Grand Opening ceremony on August 26. The money will be used to continue building our virtual tour component linked to our web site at [www.hartlandareahistory.org](http://www.hartlandareahistory.org). Please view the website as we show the rebuilding of the interior and the exhibits associated with the local history of the area. Our first area that was reinstalled is the Post Office. Click on the various highlighted areas to learn more about the artifacts. The first portion of the website was built using a grant received from the Heartland Foundation. Featured in the photo are Emma Winegarner-webmaster, Tom Parshall-President of HAHS and Nadine Cloutier, Curator of the Florence B Dearing Museum.



## Heritage Day

The historical society ventured into new territory selling pulled pork sandwiches and corn steamed in the husk by the antique steam engine brought in by Leo Bard for the Heritage Day celebration. Thanks to the Geiglers for supplying the semi to help move the steam engine into the settlement. People raved about the sweetness of the corn donated by Dietrich Farms that grows annual Blue Ribbon corn. The Dietrich farm is located at Green & Faussett Roads and will now be selling wonderful pumpkins. Call 517.546.3916 for more information and hours.

The booth was a tremendous success and we sold out by 3:30 p.m. Thank you to Diana Wells who served the sandwiches and husked the hot corn all day long. Many thanks to Janet Frick, Chris Foley, Nadine Cloutier, Bob Ruby and Tom Parshall for assisting at the booth.

The museum gardens were dressed for fall with scarecrows, fall foliage, fresh mulch and mums. Thanks go to Scott Kulsavage, Hildy Foley and Janet Frick. Inside the museum Hildy handed out over 100 coloring books on postage stamps of the nation to children as they learned about the Post Office and responded to questions from students hunting for answers to their extra credit forms.

A special thank you to Scott Kulsavage for hours of prep work hauling tractors into the settlement, assisting with the steam engine, repairing the grounds to Nancy Nawrocki's property (thank you Nancy for the use), and driving the hay wagon tours.

## Meetings and Membership

The next meeting of the historical society is scheduled for October 12 at 7pm. We will be meeting at the MUSEUM. Come and see our progress and learn about where we now need more active help from the membership and community. Be part of the winning team. We are results-oriented!

Our meetings are posted on our website and open to the membership and public. **Please consider joining us!**

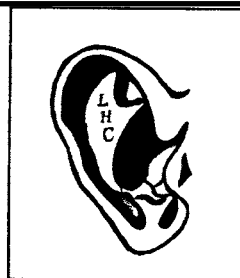


## Hartland Rotary Club

Hartland Rotary chartered on June 12. To celebrate this occasion, Waldenwoods was all decked out in balloons and flowers on August 12, with the promise that Hartland Rotary will be focused on serving the community. "Watch us Soar" was the mantra for the evening. Over 100 charter members and guests from twenty-two Rotary clubs in District 6380 were in attendance.

It was a special honor to have Michael Johns, Rotary International Director as keynote speaker. Mr. Johns traveled from Northeast Ohio to share his experiences and passion for Rotary. The three things that he believes will make a difference in each Rotarian's life: 1) Consider club membership a privilege; 2) Get involved in a local project, 3) Get involved in an international project – there is so much need. The evening concluded with the twenty Hartland Charter members receiving certificates of membership, Rotarian pins, and the challenge to make Rotary an important part of the Hartland community with projects and service that benefits all.

The Hartland Rotary meets Thursday morning, 7:15 a.m. at the Village Manor Retirement Center, 9501 E. Highland Road. They welcome anyone interested in serving the Hartland community to come meet with them. For more information, please contact Susanne Bianchette, Mgr. of Marketing for Village Manor Retirement at 810.632.6200.



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## Christmas For The Troops

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Some of the group efforts are hand knitting Christmas stockings and finding donations to fill them. The stockings are complete but the group is still seeking donations. The boys enjoy anything that helps pass time. Games, books, writing and drawing supplies, candy, single serving items and personal care items. If you would like to get involved or get a list of the items needed, you may contact Kathie Horning at [horning75@comcast.net](mailto:horning75@comcast.net) or call 810.599.7603. **Deadline for supplies is October 24 to ship in time for Christmas.** Donations may be dropped off at the Farmer's Market on Saturdays as well.

Another very special way to help our troops is to write a note or letter of support. If you would like to send something please get it in by the October deadline. Mail is probably the most appreciated thing they get from home.



## Hartland Home & Garden Club

### Lyme Disease program October 14

The garden club has some wonderful and new speakers for the 2009-1010 calendar year. At the October meeting, we will discuss Lyme disease with Chris Emery. Chris is a representative from the Michigan Lyme Disease Association of Michigan. She will talk about this common, but frequently misdiagnosed illness. If not caught early and treated properly, Lyme Disease can cause serious health problems. Please join us in October at 6:30 pm at the Hartland Senior. Bring all your questions and concerns about Lyme Disease or gardening in general. More information call Debbie Cadman 810.629.2136.

## FLASH from the FRIENDS

Once again the Friends are sending a million "Thank You" to those who helped to make the fall Book Sale a true success. Although it was lots of hard work, everyone had fun working together. Of course, we had a wonderful selection of donated books. All the profits from our sale go to help the library fill their special requests. The economy is suffering, and we know our efforts are always appreciated.

It is hard to believe, but the holiday season is just around the corner. We look forward to decorating both Cromaine in the Village and the Crossroads branch. Please meet in the Village at 10 am on December 2, and we will progress to the Crossroads. We hope you will join us on December 15, at the Village for a Holiday celebration between 6:30-8:00 pm. Everyone is welcome!

Congratulations to Sue Black, who will be serving as the "Friends" interim president.

*"Life is nothing without friendship." Cicero*

## Livingston County Genealogical Society

### Next meeting October 1

Jim Vichich, President of the Brighton Historical Society, will speak to the Livingston County Genealogical Society on Historical Brighton. At 7:00 p.m. The group meets at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints located at 1041 Grand River Avenue in Howell. The meetings are open to the public and there is no charge. Questions? Call 810.227.7745

HARTLAND AREA MAC USERS' GROUP  
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The Hartland Area Macintosh User Group (HAMUG) will meet Tuesday, October 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Macintosh computer is welcome to attend, regardless of your level of computer knowledge. Have questions or need information? Call Jim Sparks at 810.632.6630.

## Black Sheep Weavers Fiber Guild

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Gini Cooper's demonstration on October 1 will show all of the stages of working with Precious Metal Clay Silver from the raw material to finished pieces. She will also bring her kiln and dry, pre-fired pieces to fire during the demonstration.

Gini has been working with Precious Metal Clay Silver since 2002. She teaches PMC and lampwork glass beads at Holland Area Arts Council, South Haven Center for the Arts and one-day workshops around the country.

Our meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. for social time, a brief business meeting at 7 p.m. followed by the program. We meet in Room 23 at the HESSC (former high school) on M-59 the first Thursday of each month (except December) from September through May. We end our year with a potluck at a member's home in June. Annual dues are \$25.

If you are interested in weaving, spinning, knitting, dyeing, beading, crocheting, needle-felting, rug hooking, quilting, papermaking, basketry, raising alpacas and more, we are the group for you. Check out our website at [www.blacksheepweavers.com](http://www.blacksheepweavers.com) or call Peggy at 810.487.0261 or Nadine at 810.626.2142

## Hartland Audubon Nature Club

### Nature Conservancy of Michigan - October 6

The speaker for our October 6 meeting will be Chris May, Stewardship Program Manager of the Nature Conservancy in Michigan. The Nature Conservancy works in all fifty states and in more than thirty countries around the world to protect ecologically important lands and waters for nature and people. Come and learn more about this work and how it affects us in Michigan. The Hartland Audubon Nature Club meets at the Hartland Senior Center in the Hartland Education Support Service Center on M59 just west of US 23. The meeting will begin at 7:15 p.m. with a short business discussion and the program will follow. For more information, please contact Jami Bond at 810.632.5223.

## People in the News

Miss Anna Knighton, daughter of Bill and Holly Knighton of Hartland, has earned the prestigious title of 2009 National American Miss Michigan Junior Teen. She will be representing the great state of Michigan at the National Pageant to be held in Anaheim, California at Disneyland this fall, where she will have the opportunity to win her share of over \$500,000 in scholarships, cash, and prizes.



In addition to earning her title as Miss Michigan at the state pageant, Anna also won the optional Talent and Actress competitions, placed 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up in the Photogenic competition, and was awarded 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up for Best Resume.

The National American Miss Pageants are dedicated to celebrating America's greatness and encouraging its future leaders with a program that is designed to be age-appropriate and family-oriented. Each year, the National American Miss pageants award 1.5 Million dollars in cash, scholarships, and prizes to recognize and assist the development and success of young women nationwide. In addition, each girl that qualifies for the National Pageant has a chance to win a new 2009 Ford Mustang Convertible.

The pageant program is based on inner beauty, as well as poise and presentation. Emphasis is placed on the importance of gaining self-confidence, learning new skills, learning good attitudes about competition, and setting and achieving personal goals. The pageant seeks to recognize the accomplishments of each girl while encouraging her to set goals for the future.

Miss Anna Knighton's activities during her reign will include local volunteer service with the Last Chance Rescue organization, the March of Dimes, and Big Brothers Big Sisters of America. She will also remain active as a competitive dancer and an Honor Roll student.



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## From the Township Manager, James Wickman

Every day we are bombarded with more bad news about our economy, our investments, our home values, our jobs, and the list goes on and on. And where, in all this, is your local government—Hartland Township? We—that's the Township Board, me, our faithful and hardworking employees, and all of the citizens of Hartland Township—are all in this together. Like most businesses, revenue has leveled off with the slump in property values, and it looks like revenue will be declining. I'm speaking of the funding that pays for police and fire services, road maintenance, parks maintenance, senior citizens programs, cemeteries, and, yes, things like property assessing, tax collection, community development, and ordinance enforcement. The need for these required and basic functions remains, whether or not property values and tax revenues are up or down.

What are we going to do as everything is heading toward harder times? We are taking decisive action to use our resources wisely and find ways to avoid spending money without damaging our ability to do our jobs and serve the community. Unfortunately, we've had to reduce our staffing and tell employees that we must all hunker down and ride this thing out like everyone else.

Working on behalf of a fiscally conservative Township Board, minding our Ps and Qs in management, and getting a lot out of solid and dedicated employees has helped get the Township to where it is on modest taxes and shrinking revenue from the State of Michigan. Overall, Hartland Township is in an excellent position to weather this storm.

## Charter Township of Brighton

### Brighton Township Yard Waste clean-up

Brighton Township will once again be hosting **yard waste clean-up days** on **Saturday, October 17 and November 14 from 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon at the township hall located at 4363 Buno Road**. Yard waste includes grass clippings, leaves, and brush less than two inches in diameter. It must be delivered in paper compost bags or loose in trash cans. Material in plastic bags cannot be collected. Brush should be bundled for easy handling. Yard waste does not include sod, branches over two inches in diameter, dirt, pet waste, hay, stumps, trash or wood chips.

## Dust Off Your Dancing Shoes!

The Hartland High School Jazz Bands invite all to attend the first Swing Dance of the school year, November 6 from 7 to 10:30 pm. The evening provides musical entertainment suitable for dancing and socializing that appeal to all ages. Featuring performances by the Hartland High School Jazz Bands and professional ensemble, the Ambassadors Big Band, a complimentary group dance lesson and refreshments are included with admission.

The dance is held in the commons at Hartland High School at 10635 Dunham Rd, Hartland, MI 48353. Admission fee: \$5 for students and seniors, \$10 for Adults, and \$25 for an immediate family. Call 810.626.2291 or email [mikeletovsky@hartlandschools.us](mailto:mikeletovsky@hartlandschools.us) for additional information. Save the dates for Swing Dances planned for February 19 and April 16, 2010.

## Madcat and Kane at Celtic Kettle

### Hartland Music Hall on October 17

The Celtic Kettle is pleased to present Madcat and Kane on Saturday, October 17 at the Hartland Music Hall located at 3619 Hartland Rd. This is the concert we were all waiting for in the spring and had to cancel due to the power failure. So, we feel really lucky that they were able to reschedule. Madcat's extraordinary harmonica playing and Kane's smokin' blues guitar make for an outstanding evening. Doors open at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$8 presale or \$10 door and are available at Hartland Community Education office, Hartland Flowers, Milford Music, and Milford Feed. They are also available at [www.celtickettlecoffeehouse.org](http://www.celtickettlecoffeehouse.org) or will call at Blackberry Mountain Studio 248.684.9234. Children 11 and under are free. Refreshments are available. A portion of the proceeds from this concert will go to Gleaners of Livingston County. Hope you can make it!!

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## Understanding Life Sustaining Measures

You have decided to follow your Physician's advice and complete your Health Care Directive thus providing a clear understanding of your wishes as they relate to life sustaining measures. You understand the significance of having a Health Care Directive, but as you research the process you are confronted with a lack of understanding regarding what life sustaining measures encompass.

You are confronted with a myriad medical jargon. What are life sustaining measures?

Life sustaining measures (also commonly referred to as life support) can be defined as, "Any medical treatment in which the primary goal is to prolong life rather than treat the underlying condition." In such cases an individual's own body is not capable of sustaining proper functioning on its own without medical intervention. Examples of Life Sustaining measures include artificial nutrition and

hydration, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and mechanical ventilation. Depending on the circumstances, dialysis treatments may also be considered life sustaining.

**Artificial nutrition and hydration** are utilized when an individual is not receiving the nutrients necessary for health and well being. Artificial nutrition (tube feeding) requires a tube be placed into the stomach or the upper intestine. Hydration (fluid replacement) involves tube placement intravenously (IV) via a needle.

**Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR)** is used when an individual's heart beat and/or breathing has stopped. CPR includes treatments such as mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, chest compressions, electric shock and/or drugs to restart the heart. CPR can be life saving; however, there is a risk of broken or cracked ribs, punctured lungs and death.

**Mechanical ventilation** supports a

person's breathing when they can no longer breathe on their own. In this situation a machine called a ventilator forces air into the lungs via tubing in the mouth or nose.

**Dialysis** is the artificial process by which waste products and excess water are removed from the blood. It's used when the kidneys are no longer able to do this adequately.

These examples of life sustaining treatments are just a few of the more common measures taken to continue life when one or more body systems are not working properly. Deciding what, if any, treatments are right for you should depend on several factors:

Does the treatment relieve suffering, restore functioning, or enhance the quality of life? If so, these would be some of the benefits of treatment. Conversely, a treatment may be considered problematic if it is painful, prolongs the dying process or negatively affects the quality of life. Other

questions to ask yourself might be: What are my values as they relate to life prolonging measures? Who will carry out my wishes should I become incapacitated? If I start treatment and it does not improve my status will I want to continue that treatment? If so, when? (It should be noted that it is ethically and legally acceptable to discontinue a treatment that is no longer of benefit. It is the disease not the withdrawal of treatment that causes death.)

How you choose to complete your Health Care Directive and what measures you choose to take are up to you. Talk to your doctor and don't be afraid to ask questions if you find the terminology confusing or you simply don't understand. Ultimately understanding your Health Care Directive and the medical terminology associated with it will enable you to communicate your wishes to those providing your health care and increase the likelihood that your wishes will be honored.

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# Recreation

## Farms students: North American Champions

Blake Heier and Justin Tulpa, both fifth graders at Farms Intermediate School, participated in the North American Roller Hockey Championship (NARCH) in July. Teams from across the United States and Canada traveled to compete in this highly competitive tournament. Blake and Justin's Roller Hockey Team, the Detroit Mission Stars, won the Championship Gold Medal in the Mite Silver Division. Blake also competed in the Skills Competition where he won the Fastest Skater Award in his Division. The NARCH Finals were held at the Hershey Centre in Mississauga, Ontario.



## JumpStart 2009!

*Offer workshops - October 24*

The Jumpin' Allstars, from Livingston County, are hosting their 3rd annual JumpStart! jump rope workshop for both adults and students. It will be held at Hartland High School in the gym on Saturday, October 24. The doors open at 8:30 a.m. and the workshop begins at 9:00 a.m. The Student workshop will be taught by 30 jumpers from across the U.S. who have been on the X-Box commercial and the movie "Jump In." The workshop will conclude at 3:00 p.m. with an awesome staff show at 3:15 p.m. Please invite your friends and family to the show - we will take donations for the show. The cost for the Jumper workshop is \$40 if registered by October 15 or \$45 starting October 16.

Registration information will be available on the Jumpin' Allstar website: [jumpinallstars.org](http://jumpinallstars.org). If you have any questions, please feel free to call Renee Nix at 810.772.6566 or email her at [reeneenix@provide.net](mailto:reeneenix@provide.net)



## Congratulations to the Hartland U9 Boys Select Team!

The Hartland U9 Select Boys team won the Midland Fusion Invitational Tournament, held August 28-30. The boys were undefeated in four games. The team scored 41 goals and allowed 8 goals. This was the team's first tournament and they are looking forward to a great season!

**(Pictured in photo) Back row:** Asst. Coach Tom Kantola Coach: Lonnie Spires  
**Middle row:** Joseph Ellison, Seth Buff, Dale Golla, Kazuma Bals, and Jackson Martin  
**Front row:** Breyden Spires, Easton Czamecki, Maximilian Olinzock, Kyle Kantola, Paul Schimeck (not shown).

## Fall 2009 Spirit Night

The fall 2009 Spirit Night is scheduled for **Thursday, October 1** at Hartland High School. Both the JV and Varsity teams will be facing Grand Blanc. The Hartland Community Soccer Association (HCSA) promotes Spirit Night and **all HCSA players are permitted free admission if they wear their jersey. Spread the word!** This is a great community event, and allows the younger players an opportunity to see the big kids play soccer. In addition, the kids will have an opportunity to kick the ball around the high school field during half time.

JV game begins at 5:30 PM  
Varsity game begins at 7:00 PM

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# Scouting News

## Lakes' Cub Scout Pack 385

The new school year has started and Pack 385 is back in action! After a fun summer that included both Day Camp and Overnight Camping, the Wolves, Bears and Webelos are preparing for another school year of community service, hiking, camping and building things, especially those speedy Pinewood Derby cars! We are pleased to welcome our new group of first grade Tiger Cubs. It's not too late to join. If you are in Grades 1 through 5, please feel free to contact Holly Houtman (248.684.8406) for more information on the pack.

## Boy Scout Troop 380

After a fun-filled (albeit hot!) week at Camp Tapico in June, the scouts from Troop 380 traveled to South Manitou Island for a camping weekend in July. Now they have started the 2009-2010 school year in full swing. It will be another exciting year of hiking and camping for the guys as they continue to progress through scouting, with a few of the older ones nearing the distinguished rank of Eagle! Orienteering and camping with the other Hartland Boy Scout troops are some of the first activities of the year. It's not too late to join in the fun; please contact Scoutmaster John Rembisz at 517.545.5668 for more details. We typically meet Monday evenings from 7-9 pm.

## Boy Scout Troop 380 Collection Dates

The following are the dates for Troop 380 Paper, "Returnable" Can and Bottle Drive.



**October 3**

**November 7, December 5**



Drop off is the first Saturday of each month from 10:00am-12 noon at the corner of School and Washington Streets in the village of Hartland. We accept all items delivered with your newspaper.



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E-Mail: [firemarshal@hartlandareafire.com](mailto:firemarshal@hartlandareafire.com)

### OCTOBER IS FIRE PREVENTION MONTH!

**This year I am going to change my tune about fire safety-Preparation.** Being prepared can save recovery time, extent of loss, and expense. As homeowners, we hear a lot about fire prevention and safety. We unplug the iron, talk to our children about escape routes and meeting places, and test and replace the batteries in our smoke detectors. We know what we are supposed to do during severe weather alerts, and where to take shelter when a storm strikes. But what happens, when despite all our best efforts to keep our homes safe, we experience a disaster anyway? Are we really prepared to react? I have included a dozen ideas to prepare you for a potential disaster.

1. Take a written inventory or video log of your household items, include model & serial numbers for electronic items, date of purchase, approximate cost/value of item, and place the list in a fireproof safe.
2. Place important photos such as wedding and baby pictures in a fireproof safe.
3. Any sentimental items that can be stored should be kept in a fireproof safe.
4. All important documents such as birth certificates, passports, social security cards, marriage licenses, mortgage and insurance documents should be kept in a fireproof safe.
5. It is sometimes helpful to keep a disposable camera in your fireproof safe as well, so that you can photograph the damage to your property if necessary.
6. Keep a credit card, ATM card or small amount of cash in a fireproof safe, in case you should need to pay for emergency items such as hotel rooms, clothing or other necessities.
7. Routinely backup important computer data to a CD, thumb drive, or USB external storage device and place in a safety deposit box at your financial institution. It is important to know that if you opt to place your data backup in a fireproof safe at home, it should be a safe that can withstand the extreme heat of a fire while keeping the internal temperature of the safe below 95 degrees Fahrenheit to avoid loss of data. Businesses can store data backups and corporate and financial documents at a data storage facility.
8. Keep a list of local resources and contact information for friends, family members, and anybody else that you need to reach following a disaster. Place in a fireproof safe.
9. Develop a plan for temporary living arrangements both short and long term, so that you know where to temporarily relocate your family in the event of a disaster.
10. Keep your storage items in plastic bins with lids to keep items dry should you experience a water loss, and keep computers, electronics and files off the floor.
11. Review your insurance policy with your agent annually to be sure that you know what your coverage is, and that it is adequate to cover any property improvements or content items that you may have acquired since your last review. Businesses should consider "business interruption insurance," which helps cover operating costs during the post-disaster shutdown period.
12. Make sure that you know who to contact at your insurance agency and how to quickly file an insurance claim.

Should you have any questions about the above topic or you wish to receive a free in home fire safety inspection, please feel free to contact me at 810.632.7676 during normal business hours.

*Yours In Fire Safety, Michael R. Bernardin - Fire Marshal*

## Land Conservancy Continued from page 1

Hartland Township known as the **Round Lake of Hartland Nature Preserve**. This 10-acre piece was recently given to the Conservancy by Wal-Mart Stores East as part of their development at M-59 and US 23.

The Conservancy is especially pleased with the potential of this property to have the bat's roosting habitat for the spring and summer months. This small bat has seen a decline in its numbers by about 50% since 1975 primarily due to loss of its winter hibernation habitat which consist of certain types of caves in Indiana. But impacts have also occurred in habitat loss of forest cover for its summer range, disturbance by humans, and the use of pesticides.

"We are very pleased to accept this property from Wal-Mart and look forward to studying the ecosystem more closely to search for these elusive creatures. This property is also a significant asset to the community by helping maintain open space and beautiful natural features that Hartland Township is well known for," commented Sara Thomas, the Conservancy's board president.

### *About the Livingston Land Conservancy*

Founded in 1991, the Livingston Land Conservancy is a private, non-profit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization working to protect the natural heritage and rural character of the greater Livingston County area by preserving quality natural areas and productive farmland as well as to promote an appreciation and understanding of the environment for the long-term benefit of the public. LLC funds their land protection activities through private donations, gifts from corporations and foundations, and fundraisers. The organization currently has over 540 acres under protection as nature preserves and conservation easements. For more information call 810.229.3290 or visit their website at [www.livingstonlandconservancy.org](http://www.livingstonlandconservancy.org).

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- Grilled Chicken Sub**.....7.99
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- Pizza Sub**.....6.99
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- Double Meat 2.00 Double Cheese 1.00**

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<b>Cheese</b>	5.99	6.99	7.99	8.99
<b>Add'l Items</b>	1.00	1.00	1.50	1.50

### TOPPINGS:

Pepperoni, Ham, Bacon, Ground Beef, Italian Sausage, Onions, Green Peppers, Black Olives, Yellow Pepper Rings, Jalapeño Peppers, Pineapple, Extra Cheese  
Add Steak, Chicken, or Shrimp 2.50 extra

## LARGE SQUARE DEEP DISH PIZZA

<b>Cheese</b> .....	8.99
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- #8. 4 Pc Dark w/Side, Drink & Biscuit.....7.39
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