

Lakeview Area News

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TOWN TOPICS

Congratulations to the Lakeview Varsity Wildcat Football team on your recent win against Central Montcalm. This win secured them a spot in the playoffs. Turn to page 11 to read all about it.

Also, congratulations are in order for the JV team on ending the season, 7-1.

The Annual Lakeview Area Community Fund Dinner is tonight at 6:00 p.m. in the Lakeview High School cafeteria.

There is still time to turn in your pumpkin for Leppinks Carve a Pumpkin contest. Deadline is Friday, October 28th, 5:00 p.m.

For area Trick or Treat times, turn to the back page.



EXERCISE CLASS FOR OLDER ADULTS AND SENIORS

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Starting date: November 1, 2016

WHEN: Every Tuesday from 3pm to 4pm
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Fall Forecast

Cloudy skies are in the forecast for today (Thursday) through Saturday. There is a 70% chance for morning rain showers on Sunday and a 30% chance for Monday night (Halloween). Mostly sunny skies end the week (Tuesday and Wednesday).

Highs in the 50s and lows in the 40s.



Lakeview Annexation Tabled



Montcalm County Commissioners



Police Chief Darin Dood, Lakeview Village Board President Ed Winter, Former Village Town Manager Jake Eckholm and Village Clerk Pam Main

By Shirley Pool

Former Lakeview Village Manager Jake Eckholm came from Muskegon Heights to join Lakeview Village President Ed Winter, Police Chief Darin Dood and Village Clerk Pam Main to

explain to the Montcalm County Commissioners the steps that had been taken to seek the property owners' permission to annex some adjoining property from Cato Township to the Village of Lakeview. The land is positioned along the west

corridor of M-46 from M-91 to Youngman Road. He also explained that it is part of a long term plan to bring more business and industry to Lakeview in order to provide jobs while encouraging families to live in Lakeview.

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Where the Lakeview Area News Has Been



Jim and Lee Wood took the *Lakeview Area News* to Danville, KY, to see their daughter, Lisa Arnold, run in the 200 mile relay race known as the Bourbon Chase. She was part of a Six Woman Ultra team. Lisa graduated from LHS in 1995. Her portion was 39 miles. Her average per mile was 8:37, a personal record for that distance.

Going on vacation? Take the *Lakeview Area News* with you, take a picture, then send it in to us by e-mail at lannewsroom@gmail.com.

Community First Federal CU Celebrates



Manager Tim Rasmussen

By Shirley Pool

The Community First Federal Credit Union chose to celebrate National Credit Union Days for the entire week and offered homemade cookies each day in all three locations. They have branches in Lakeview (989) 352-6031, Howard City (231) 937-9400, and Trufant (616) 984-9700. You can also visit them online at www.cffcu.biz. There were prizes given out each day as well as a grand prize at the end of the week at all three locations. Pat Clark was the

designated person to make cookies for the Lakeview branch. The peanut butter cookies were pure perfection on Thursday, October 20, 2016, the day we stopped in at the credit union.

The local credit union first opened in Lakeview with a committee consisting of Al and Jean Nienhuis, Mirth Brockway, Lavern Wilson, Dick Boomer, Bill Bessemer, Anne Martin, Eva Main, Charlie Custer, Abby Molitor, John DeVooge and Peg Domine.

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50 Years of Montabella Football



Gale Nesbitt

By Shirley Pool

There was a brief program prior to the Montabella football game on Friday, October 21, 2016 to remember the past 50 years of football since the consolidation of the Blanchard, Edmore, McBride and Six Lakes Schools in 1966 into what we now know as Montabella. The first football game played by this new school was held September 19, 1966.

came the sports fans and spoke and I will quote Gale: "On September 19, 1966 a brand new school played their first football game, that new school was Montabella. Tonight we wrap up season number 50. In between are the memories of all of us here tonight. We thought it might be a good idea to celebrate OUR 50 Years of Montabella Football and as you can see, a few others thought so as well."

Gale Nesbitt wel-

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