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TOWN TOPICS

Elite Nutrition is now open in Lakeview in the old laundromat building next to Community First Federal Credit Union. They started a weight loss challenge on Wednesday of this week. You can still get in on it. Stop into the store for details.

Remus Heritage Days Festival is this weekend, July 15-18 in Remus. See the schedule of events on page 9.

VFW 3701 and its Auxiliary held their first meeting in their new building (506 Lincoln Avenue) last week. Renovations will commence soon to build a commercial kitchen, and create an event space plus meeting rooms

Traveling? Take the *Lakeview Area News* along with you and send us a picture with your location.

VFW 3701 AUXILIARY



is partnering with **HUMANA** to raise money to buy food for



We are asking for your help. Any donation will be appreciated.

See article in this issue for details

GOAL: \$500
deadline for donations:
August 1, 2021

Summer Forecast

Thurs., scattered thunderstorms, high 76, low 60; Fri., am showers, high 72, low 56; Sat., partly cloudy, high 80, low 59; Sun., mostly sunny, high 83, low 61; Mon., mostly sunny, high 85, low 64; Tues., mostly sunny, high 83, low 61.



Auto Repair Shop Has New Owner, New Name



New Owner of Five Corners Auto Repair, Dennis Merryman

By Linda Huckins

The auto repair shop on M-91, next to Five Corners Store has a new owner and a new name. Dennis Merryman bought JC Camp's Auto Repair shop on June 1, 2021 and changed its name to Five Corners Auto Repair.

"The business hadn't been listed for sale, but I heard through the grapevine that Jason (Jake) and Heather Bouwkamp were looking to retire," Merryman said, "so I con-

tacted Jason and asked if he was interested in selling."

The Bouwkamps wouldn't sell their business to just anyone, but they knew Merryman's reputation. "I wouldn't sell it to you if I didn't think you would be good for the business and take care of my customers," Jason Bouwkamp told Merryman.

Merryman said that Jason helped him through the whole process of acquiring the business. He

has the same philosophy as the previous owners – caring for the customers. "Customer service is number one with me," he said.

He has a lot of industry experience. He managed an auto shop in Sparta for 6-1/2 years. Before that he managed two other repair businesses, one in Rockford, and also worked in the repair department of a car dealership.

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Getting "Flagged" for a Good Cause



By Linda Huckins

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The auxiliary of the Hough / Pontius VFW 3701 has joined with Humana in a fundraiser for Feeding America. It is called "Uniting to Combat Hunger 2021: A Call to Action" and this is how it works.

We are asking individuals and businesses to join our auxiliary in combating hunger by donating any amount. Our goal is to reach \$500.

If you donate, we will put flags on your property to let people know that you support local veterans as well as the community. Getting "flagged" is an honor!

Every dollar donated will go to Feeding America where it will help provide at least 10 meals to people facing hunger!

Any person or business that donates will be recognized in the *Lake-*

Join us in the fight against food insecurity, but you must respond quickly. The deadline for donations is August 1, 2021.

Thank you, Lakeview, for your support of veterans and our community.

Make checks payable to VFW Auxiliary 3701, P.O. Box 501, Lakeview, MI 48850.

For more information, visit the auxiliary's Facebook page. Search for vfwaux3701 or you can call Amy at (616) 240-8835.



Lakeview Farmers Market



The 2021 Lakeview Farmers' Market is open now through September on Saturdays from 9 a.m.-noon. It is growing each week with more vendors and a variety of products.

Here are a few pictures of some of the items for sale this past Saturday. There were homemade baked goods, macrame hangers, homegrown vegetables and fruits, eggs, plants and flowers and much more. The Farmers Market is also a great place to meet friends.

If you'd like to be-

come a vendor the booth fee is \$5/week and payable to the market supervisor on duty each Saturday. (fee is waived for non-profit groups) Either cash or check made out to Village of Lakeview are accepted.

Items permitted for sale include: produce, baked goods, handmade items, artwork, plants, etc. Please note: the Farmers' Market is not intended for garage sale type items.

Set up on market days will be begin at 8:30 am. The market supervisor

will assist vendors with set up.

Please do not drive onto the lot as there is ample street parking. Bring your own tables/chair/awning. Complimentary table and pop up tent are available but must be requested in advance. Power is available (limited availability) and must be approved by the village office in advance. Questions can be messaged to the Farmers' Market Facebook Page or by emailing clerk@village-oflakeview.org.

FOUR SEASONS
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