Community Calendar

St. Ignace

•Wednesday, September 20: **Evening Book Club Organizational Meeting**, 6:30 p.m., St. Ignace Public Library. At this time those interested in forming the club will decide when to meet and what to read.

•Monday, September 25 and Tuesday, September 26: **Book Fair to Benefit Mackinac Straits Hospital Auxiliary**, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, and 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Mackinac Straits Long Term Care, Room 213.

•Wednesday, September 27: **Children's Story Time Starts**, 3 p.m., St. Ignace Public Library. Will continue every Wednesday at 3 p.m., throughout the school year.

•Thursday, September 28: **Silent Auction To Benefit Lasalle Girls Softball,** 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., LaSalle High School cafeteria.

•Saturday, September 30: **St. Ignace Punt, Pass, and Kick Competition,** 9 a.m., McCann Football Field, free to ages eight to 15. Call 643-8676 for information.

•Tuesdays in October and November: **Write to Share,** 3:30 p.m., St. Ignace Public Library. Write and record stories, while getting helpful writing hints. $5 registration fee. Stop at library to sign up or call 643-8318.

•Wednesdays: **County Veterans' Office Open** from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Room 110, Court House Annex at 100 North Marley Street. More information is available from Rick Litzner at 643-9411.

•Wednesdays: **Women's Prayer Meeting**, 7 a.m., Hillside House Restaurant.

•Thursdays: **Preschool Story Time**, 11 a.m., St. Ignace Public Library. Begins July 6 and continues through August 13.

•Wednesdays: **N.A. Meetings**, 8 p.m., Catholic Church Rectory.

•Wednesdays: **Bingo**, 6 p.m. at VFW at 1110 State Street.

•Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays: **St. Ignace Food Pantry** open for donations from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

•Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays: **Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings** Tuesdays at 7 p.m. at St. Ignatius Loyola Church at 120 Church Street, and Thursdays and Saturdays at 7:30 p.m., Straits Area Group, at 389 McCann Street.

•Fridays: **Men's Prayer Meeting**, 7 a.m., Hillside House Restaurant.

•Fridays: **Fish Fry**, 5 p.m. at VFW at 1110 State Street.

Les Cheneaux

•Thursday, October 5: **Les Cheneaux Snowmobile Club Meeting**, 6 p.m. meal and 7 p.m. meeting, Snowmobile Clubhouse, Cedarville.

•Friday, October 6: **Les Cheneaux Watershed Council Annual Meeting**, 7 p.m., Clark Township Hall, Cedarville.

•Monday, October 9: **Great Lakes School of Wooden Boatbuilding Curriculum Planning Meeting**, 7 p.m., Les Cheneaux Community Schools commons, Cedarville. Public encouraged to attend.

•Friday, October 13: **Application Deadline for Les Cheneaux Community Foundation Grants**, 4 p.m. Applications available at Les Cheneaux Elementary School and Cedarville High School offices, Les Cheneaux Community Library, Cedarville. Applications available online at www.uplccf.com.

•Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays: **Senior Citizen Luncheons**, noon, Community Center, Cedarville. $2.50 donation for seniors. Non-seniors younger than 60 pay $6. Bingo games Mondays, following lunch. Meals delivered to homebound. Call Community Center, (906) 484-1061 for delivery or lunch reservations.

•Tuesdays: **Yoga Classes**, 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Cedarville Inn, Cedarville. People interested in the class should call Wendy Wagoner at (906) 484-2415 to RSVP.

•Thursdays: **Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Club Trap Shooting,** 11 a.m. until dusk; trap and clay shooting at the clubhouse east of Cedarville. The public is welcome.

•Saturdays: **Children's Story Hour/Crafts**, 10 a.m., Les Cheneaux Community Library, Cedarville.

•Sundays: **Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Club Trap Shooting**, 11 a.m. until dusk; trap and clay shooting at the clubhouse east of Cedarville. The public is welcome.

DeTour Village

•Saturday, September 23: **Happy Apple Day,** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Contests, entertainment, and activities at participating businesses in DeTour. Call Annalee Buschbacher for more information at (906) 297-5165.

Drummond Island

•Saturday, September 30: **Island Harvest Sampler Quilt Display and Chocolate Cook-Off**, 11 .m. to 3 p.m., Drummond Island Township Hall. Chocolate recipes welcome in the contest.

Rudyard

•Wednesdays: **Preschool Story Time**, 10 a.m. at Turner-Howson School Library. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Strongs

•Mondays: **Non-smoking Bingo Games** at Strongs Town Hall on M-28, 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Goetzville, Raber, Stalwart

•Sundays: **Raber AmVets Auxiliary Bingo**, 6 p.m., Raber Township Hall, Goetzville.

•Friday, September 29: **Chippewa-Mackinac Area Retired School Personnel Chapter Meeting**, noon, Stalwart Presbyterian Church. Make reservations with Rodney Kauppula by calling (906) 478-6841. Reservations can also be made by sending e-mail to mills@sault.com before Monday, September 29.

Sault Ste. Marie

•Through September 30: **Michigan Watercolor Society Traveling Exhibition of 68 Pieces**, noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, Alberta House Arts Gallery at 217 Ferris Street.

•Through September 30: **Annual Sault Area Arts Auction Exhibit,** noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, Alberta House Arts Gallery.

•Wednesday, September 20: **American Red Cross Blood Drive,** noon to 5:45 p.m., Faith Lutheran Church.

•Saturday, September 23: **Downtown Soo Oktoberfest,** activities from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., live bands from noon to midnight on Portage Avenue between Ashmun Street and Governor Osborn Boulevard. Sponsored by the Downtown Development Authority.

•Monday, September 25: **EUP College Fair**, 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., Norris Center Gymnasium, Lake Superior State University. Free admission.

•Tuesday, September 26: **Teen Advisory Group Organizational**

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Public Meeting Calendar

Following is a schedule of open public meetings. This listing is for governmental and similar entities. Meetings of social and civic groups that are open to the public are listed in the Community Calendar.

Wednesday, September 20

•St. Ignace City Planning Commission, 7 p.m., City Hall

•Mackinaw City Public Schools, 7 p.m., High School

Thursday, September 21

•Clark Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinaw City Village Council, 7 p.m., Village Hall

•Mackinac Island Public School Board of Education, 6 p.m., Mackinac Island School

Monday, September 25

•Mackinac Straits Hospital Board of Directors, 4 p.m., Airport Meeting Room

Wednesday, September 27

•Hendricks Township Board, 7:30 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinac Island City Council, 5 p.m., Village Hall

Thursday, September 28

•Mackinac County Board of Commissioners, 2 p.m., County Courthouse Annex

Monday, October 2

•St. Ignace City Council, 8 p.m., City Hall

•St. Ignace Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 p.m. City Hall

•Marquette Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

Tuesday, October 3:

•Brevort Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinac County Road Commission, 1:30 p.m., St. Ignace Road Commission Office

Wednesday, October 4:

•Hudson Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinac County Planning Commission, 3 p.m., Airport Meeting Room

•Moran Township Board, 6 p.m., Township Hall

Thursday, October 5:

•Mackinaw City Village Council, 7 p.m., Village Hall

Monday, October 9:

•Public Safety Committee, 3:30 p.m., City Hall

•St. Ignace Area Schools Board of Education, 7:30 p.m., Middle School

Tuesday, October 10:

•Pickford Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Portage Township Board, 7:30 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinac Island Planning Commission, 3 p.m., Community Hall

Wednesday, October 11:

•Mackinac Island City Council, 5 p.m., Community Hall

•St. Ignace Recreation Advisory Committee, 7:30 p.m., Little Bear East Arena

•Bois Blanc Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Newton Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

Thursday, October 12:

•Mackinac County Board of Commissioners, 2 p.m., Courthouse Annex

•St. Ignace Township Board, 6:30 p.m., Township Hall

Friday, October 13:

•St. Ignace Downtown Development Authority, 8 a.m., City Hall

Monday, October 16:

•St. Ignace City Council, 8 p.m., City Hall

•Moran Township School Board of Education, 6 p.m., Gros Cap School

•Les Cheneaux Community Schools Board of Education, 7 p.m., Cedarville High School

•Garfield Township Board, 6:30 p.m., Township Hall

Tuesday, October 17:

•Mackinac County Road Commission, 7 p.m., Hendricks Township Hall

Wednesday, October 18:

•St. Ignace Planning Commission, 7 p.m., City Hall

Thursday, October 19:

•Clark Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

•Mackinaw City Village Council, 7 p.m., Village Hall

•Mackinac Island Public School Board of Education, 6 p.m., Mackinac Island School

Monday, October 23:

•Mackinac Straits Hospital Board, 4 p.m., Airport Meeting Room

Tuesday, October 24:

•Clark Township Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 p.m., Township Hall

Wednesday, October 25:

•Mackinac Island City Council, 5 p.m., Community Hall

•Hendricks Township Board, 7 p.m., Township Hall

Thursday, October 26:

•Mackinac County Board of Commissioners, 2 p.m., Courthouse Annex

Tuesday, October 31:

•Mackinac County Road Commission, 1:30 p.m., St. Ignace Road Commission Office

Red Letter Days

Major Community Events in the Coming Year

October
Autumn Apple Days & Great Pumpkin Roll, October 7, St. Ignace

November
General Election Day, November 7

December
Holiday Open House, Home for the Holidays Parade, December 1, St. Ignace

DEADLINES

ADVERTISING
Display Ads - 5 p.m. Friday
Classified - 1 p.m. Monday

NEWS ITEMS and SOCIAL NOTES
1 p.m. Monday

LETTERS to the EDITOR
Noon Monday

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Noon Tuesday

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POLICIES

• News of public meetings and events is printed without charge. Submissions a week in advance are advisable.

• Letters to the editor must be signed and include address and phone number. Names are withheld only in exceptional circumstances. Thank you letters are required to be placed as paid personal notes.

• Wedding photos will be printed only within 45 days after ceremony.

92nd District Court

The following dispositions are from 92nd District Court in St. Ignace, September 12 and 13, Judge Beth Gibson presiding. Arresting agencies are in parentheses.

• Loucinda Dutton, 20, of Freeland, pleaded guilty to operating an ORV while license is suspended and must pay a fine of $250 or spend 25 days in jail. (Department of Natural Resources)

• Tamela Prall, 43, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to operating while visibly impaired. She was assessed a fine of $1,175, 12 months probation, and 93 days in jail (with credit for one, and 92 suspended). (St. Ignace City Police)

• Roberto Gallo, 30, of Moran, must spend 15 days in jail for nonpayment of fines. (Mackinac County Sheriff's Department)

• Cheryl Poli, 37, of Lincoln Park, pleaded guilty to welfare fraud less than $500. She was assessed a fine of $500, 24 months probation, 90 days in jail (suspended), and attorney fees of $200. (Michigan State Police)

• Jason Litzner, 27, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to operating with the presence of a controlled substance. He was assessed a fine of $1,300, 18 months probation, and 93 days in jail (suspended). (Mackinac County Sheriff's Department)

• James Bazinaw, 60, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to possessing a firearm while intoxicated. He must serve 93 days in jail (with credit for three). (Mackinac Island Police Department)

• Hope Cassibo, 34, of Sault Ste. Marie, pleaded guilty to possession of attempted controlled substance (non-narcotic schedule 1234). She was assessed a fine of $1,000, 12 months probation, and 365 days in jail (with 335 suspended). (Michigan State Police)

• William Erbetta, 25, of Curtis, pleaded guilty to disorderly person and must spend 15 days in jail or pay a fine of $150. (Michigan State Police)

• Corey Convery, 23, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to assault and battery. He was assessed a fine of $150, six months probation, and 93 days in jail (with credit for one and 92 suspended). (Michigan State Police)

• Aaron Rickley, 21, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to malicious destruction of property of $200 or more but less than $1,000. He was assessed a fine of $200, 12 months probation, 365 days in jail (suspended), 30 hours community service, restitution of $776.71, and attorney fees of $200. (St. Ignace City Police)

• Randy Fountain, 40, of Cedarville, was bound over to Circuit Court on one count of possession of controlled substance less than 25 grams, one count of possession of marijuana, and one count of operating while intoxicated. (Michigan State Police)

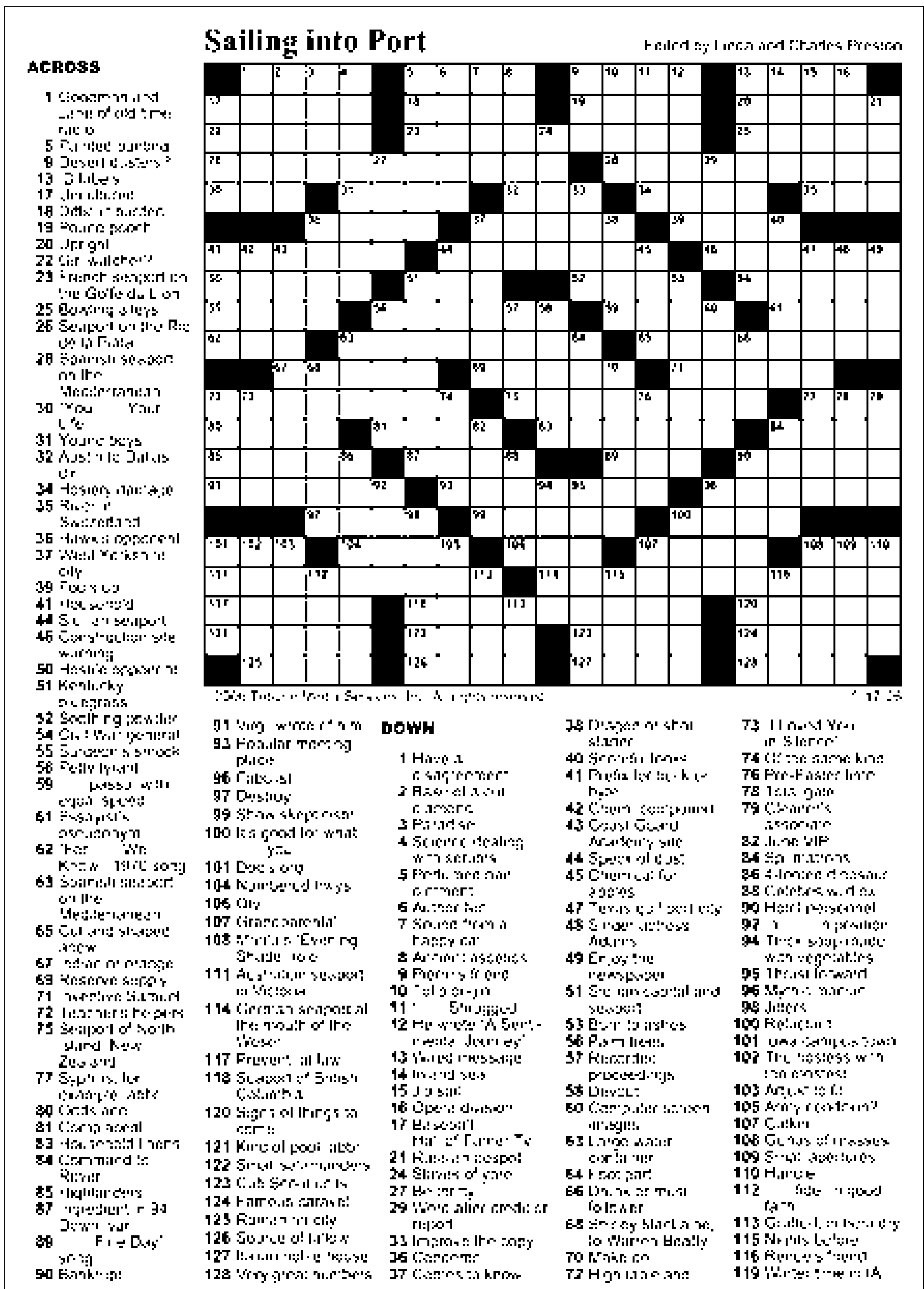
• Rodney Powers, 47, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to driving with license suspended and open intoxicants. He was assessed a fine of $350, nine months probation, attorney fees of $200, and 93 days in jail (suspended). (Mackinac County Sheriff's Department)

• Lakon St. Amour, 17, of St. Ignace, pleaded guilty to operating while intoxicated (second offense) and was assessed a fine of $1,100, 12 months probation, 365 days in jail (with 360 suspended), and 60 days on tether. (St. Ignace City Police)

For the Record...

In last week's Page 5 story about new food service employees at Les Cheneaux Community Schools, Kim Thompson's family information was mistakenly attached to Jackie McIntire's name.

Kim Thompson lives in Cedarville with her husband, Jerry, and her son is John Booth.



OBSERVER Crossword

Find the Solution to Last Week's Puzzle on the Classified Pages.