

# Brevort

By Lois Movalson

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Front porch visitors this week were Jack Gearing and an old friend, Bill Triner, from Massillon, Ohio. Sally Conklin and I enjoyed the front porch.

Charlie and Pam Movalson and their daughter, Chrissy, were at their cottage on Lake Michigan this weekend. It was good to go fishing, but the fishing was not good.

About that Gustafson family pontoon ride last week: Ernie Gustafson had forgot the keys to the boat, so Sharon Smith took the emergency oars and pushed the boat out of their way of other watercraft, and they just floated around the launch site.

That's why an extended tour is being looking forward to in the future.

Mary Carney is busy with visiting grandchildren this week, Katelyn and Brett, from Remus. Grandma is keeping them busy. Katelyn is taking a nature study course from MSU Extension and Brett is doing a study in garage painting.

Mr. Carney has built a greenhouse between the house and the garage. There are large numbers of butterflies in the butterfly garden in Mr. and Mrs. Carney's yard.

Norm Dyer has been visiting his parents, Jim and Ann Dyer, these past two weeks. Lee Dyer flew home from Phoenix, Arizona, for a few days. Norm will drive to Phoenix later this week.

Dot Glashaw participated in the 50th anniversary of the

Mackinac Bridge parade Saturday. She was one of many Jewels of the North Red Hat Society members on a float.

Mark Spencer, the elder, set a live trap in Dot's garden, hoping to catch the woodchuck that is eating her hostas.

Mike, Lara, Kristie, and Morgan Gustafson hosted yet another barbecue for neighbors, friends, and relatives on Saturday evening at their home east of the village. Fred Jasmund made a hit with his barbecue prowess, but his chef's apron was an even bigger hit. So unique and surprising.

Don and Beverly Liggett of Hamburg visited the area this past weekend and were guests at the Gustafson party.

Brian and Jeannie Rose have added a new cook to their staff in Brevort. Chris Gillespie is from Gould City and a graduate of the culinary school in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

Brevort walkers in the Relay for Life were Sharon Smith, Carol Faye Watson, Pega Kennedy, Joyce Gustafson, and Gail Lamoreaux. Ms. Watson, Ms. Gustafson, and Ms. Lamoreaux walked the survivor lap.

Kathy Reid's sister, Becky, and her fiancé, Terry, of Traverse City were visitors at Kathy and Bob's home on Monday.

Happy Birthday to Zach Movalson August 3, Don Gustafson August 5, Joe Chalmers August 6, and Dave Movalson Jr. August 8. Happy anniversary to Willie and Donna LaLonde August 1.

Get well wishes to Rosalie Robinson and to Chrissy Movalson.

A memorial service for Lee Quigley will be held Thursday, August 2, at 10 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Brevort. Pastor Tari Stage-Harvey and the Reverend Herb Agee will officiate.

Lorie and Joe Stewart joined Dave, Dave Jr., and me at Sand Bay Saturday evening for the great fireworks display.

On Tuesday of last week, smoke was sighted east of Brevort. Marilee Barthelemy and her son, Michael, drove to the site of the smoke. They spotted four young people standing beside US-2. It was determined that the four had driven their Jeep Cherokee off the pipeline into some shifty dune sand, and got stuck.

While trying to back out of a bad situation, the vehicle's manifold got very hot, and the Jeep caught fire.

The St. Ignace Fire Department responded in a timely fashion, but had to park the fire engine along the park road. The firemen donned their water packs and walked into the burning vehicle and put out the fire. In the meantime, another fire call came in from east of Moran off M-123.

Michael Barthelemy had his four-wheeler, as did his friend, Jimmy Campbell. They gave the firefighters rides out to the camp road to where their trucks were parked along with the firetruck. Once the six firefighters had been transferred, they were off to fight another fire.

Erin Barthelemy spent the weekend at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, participating in a cheerleading competition.

The Barthelemys hosted a family cookout at their home on Fishermen's Drive Sunday afternoon. Jody and Mike Gustafson, Jody's mother, Mary Lou and her husband, Graton, of Palm Harbor,

Florida, Lee and Pam Sikes from near Orlando, Florida, Chuck and Damian Sikes of Sarasota, Florida, Robbie and Jennifer Gustafson and family, Mike and Yvette Gustafson and family, Mimi and Jim Gustafson, Paul and Jill Gustafson, and Violet

Gustafson, all of St. Ignace, were guests.

Eric, Marilee, Michael, and Tyler Barthelemy all attended the Fisherman's Memorial dedication in St. Ignace this weekend. Marilee's grandfather, Alvin Gustafson, and uncle, Gary

Gustafson, lost their lives while raising their nets off the shore of Lake Michigan near Brevort in 1977. Their names, with others who were claimed by the deep waters of the local area while fishing, are inscribed on the monument.

# St. Ignace

By Miriam Blair

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Summer weather means everyone is surely having fun at the Sand Dunes and other local beaches.

Margaret Leonard of Holt will mark her 97th birthday in St. Ignace Friday, August 3. A long-time visitor to the Straits area, Mrs. Leonard has been celebrating her birthdays here since the early 1950s. Family friends are members of the Bentley family in St. Ignace. In years past, Mrs. Leonard enjoyed visiting the former Kurly Que Restaurant on State Street in St. Ignace.

This year, the Budget Host Motel, where the Leonard family often stays, will host Mrs. Leonard's party, with a cake made by the Bentleys.

While Mrs. Leonard has had a challenging year owing to health problems, reported her daughter, Beverly Leonard, she has so looked forward to coming to St. Ignace to mark her milestone birthday. The family considers the motel and the town a real "home away from home," she said.

We are happy to have Mrs. Leonard and the Holt family return to St. Ignace for such a happy occasion. Best wishes.

A message came to me that Joan Massey suffered a broken hip, but is healing as well as possible.

Family and friends of Al Stempki gathered at his home to



Margaret Leonard, of Holt, with her great-great-granddaughter, Kristin Mowatt.

celebrate his birthday Saturday, July 21. Everyone had good visits and food.

An employee luncheon was held Thursday, July 26, at Star Line. Many favorite dishes were sampled by all.

This week at the marina, Wednesday entertainment will be provided by C&T Express at 7 p.m. Thursday, August 2, Common Cent\$ will perform. Jean Kalbfleisch reports that her son, Charles, will be here from St. Ignace, along with the other

band members. VFW Post 5114 is looking for volunteers. Anyone interested may call after noon at 643-9602.

Birthday greetings to Pam Bentley and Paula Garries Wednesday, August 1, Dena Barker Friday, August 3, Ray Laakko Sunday, August 5, and Andy Stempki and Dick Marshall Tuesday, August 7.

Get well wishes to Dick Marshall. He was a patient at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey recently.

By Julie Freeman

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What a busy past weekend it was all around the area, from the Tahquamenon Valley Cruisers Car Show in downtown Newberry, the wine and cheese tasting and auction fundraiser at Chamberlin's Ole Forest Inn in Curtis, to the Mackinac Bridge 50th anniversary celebration in St. Ignace and Mackinaw City.

I was able to make it to just one event, which was the car show in Newberry, where people of all ages filled the downtown area with their cruisin' classics.

This was the first year the streets in the downtown area were blocked off and cars were on display all along the streets. It made it very convenient for everyone, and the cars were amazing.

Happy birthday to Jenna Livermore and Blane Butkovich

August 2, Alicia King and Emma Butkovich August 3, Jason Lesatz August 4, Heather Crawford August 5, Dan Plue and Mercy Freed August 7, Buster Peters August 8, and Terrie Slack and Danielle Chase

August 10. Happy anniversary to Todd and Lisa Flatt and Hal and Vicki Funke August 6 and Joe and Sandy Weber and Vince and Traci Leveille August 7.

Until next time, take care.

# EPA, Canadian Agency Begin Sea Lamprey Control Plan

Chemicals to kill sea lampreys are being applied to sections of Albany and Caribou Creeks in Chippewa County and McKay Creek in Mackinac County, between Tuesday July 24, through Saturday, August 4. Applications will be complete in two to three days.

The chemicals are not dangerous to humans, according to the U.S. Environmental Protection

Agency and Health Canada Pest Management Regulatory Agency. As with any pesticide, the public is advised to use discretion and minimize unnecessary exposure.

Persons confining bait fish or other organisms in stream water are advised to use an alternate water source, because lampicides may cause mortality among aquatic organisms stressed by crowding and handling.

Agricultural irrigation must be suspended for 24 hours during and following stream treatment, according to the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Sea lamprey larvae live in certain Great Lakes tributaries and transform into parasitic adults that migrate to the Great Lakes and kill fish.

Failure to kill the larvae in streams would result in significant damage to Great Lakes fishery, the agency reported.

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