

Youngsters Win Les Cheneaux Contest

Mackinaw City Enjoys Carols, Parade



Above: Audrey Pearson and Ross Pearson pose in front of their gingerbread houses in the Les Cheneaux Community Library Saturday, December 5. The Pearsons won baskets of goodies for their winning entries in the Les Cheneaux Gingerbread House contest for the younger-than-eight age division.



At right: Joshua Goodell (left) holds the gingerbread house he made with his brother, Jacob Goodell (right) with his father, Scott Goodell, at the Les Cheneaux Community Library in Cedarville. The gingerbread house won the Les Cheneaux Gingerbread contest for the age 8-17 division.



Above: Mackinaw City residents sing Christmas carols by the community Christmas tree on the corner of Central Avenue Friday, December 4. Following the carols many residents enjoyed cookies, hot cocoa, and coffee.



At right: Rob Mackinaw City Planning Commission accepted the Northern Lights award from the Tacky Tinsel Town parade on behalf of the village Friday, December 4. The winner of the award was the Mackinaw City caroling truck, which paraded down Central Avenue during the Christmas in Mackinaw celebration.

OPEN HOUSE

After 32 years of service,
Police Chief Tim Matelski is retiring

Please come and wish him well

Friday, December 18th

11:00 a.m. to 2 p.m.
at City Hall

Raber Bay

Bar 'N' Restaurant

Open Thursday thru Sunday
SERVING LUNCH & DINNER
Noon to Close

We specialize in
ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT Dinners

TAKE-OUT FOOD AND BEER
VISA (906) 297-5701

Your Hosts
Rich & Mary Lou Harmon
18 miles east of Pickford or
16 miles from DeTour Village or
22 miles from Cedarville

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, December 13
2 til 6 p.m.
Moose Lodge
2999 Mackinac Trail

Adult \$6.00 • Kids \$2.50

Donation and Qualifying Guests

Are You Missing a Loved One?

Join Us for a
Candle Lighting Memorial Service
Thursday, Dec. 10th • Public Welcome

Reamer Galer Funeral Home
24549 S. M-129, Pickford

7 p.m. - Helpful hints for coping with the holidays - Wanda Erickson, Bereavement Group Coordinator, Hospice of the E.U.P.

7:30 p.m. Candle Lighting Memorial Service
Sponsored by Hospice of Chippewa County and Reamer Galer Funeral Home

~ Refreshments will be served ~

Call 906-647-3400 with any questions or if you need help with transportation.

FREE Family Fab Friday Skating

LITTLE BEAR EAST ARENA
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18TH
5 TO 7 P.M.

- Free Skate Rental
- Pizza & Pop • Live DJ

Free Fab Fridays every 3rd Friday of the month through March
Sponsored by Child Protection Roundtable

Straits Area Snowmobile Club is in **URGENT NEED** of Volunteers to help groom our 101 miles of trail. Anyone interested in grooming is invited to an open meeting **Saturday, December 19th** at 11:30 a.m. at the Super 8 Motel in St. Ignace. Pizza and beverages will be provided. Check out the equipment and a short video of the grooming operation. No experience necessary - training is provided. Groomers are stationed in St. Ignace and Brevort.

Help out your community and the sport of snowmobiling!

For more information,
Call Neil Hill at (906) 643-9374 or go to
www.StraitsAreaSnowmobileClub.com

Les Cheneaux Snowmobile Club is offering a
FREE Snowmobile Safety Course

For 12-17 year olds
(Must be 12 by April 1, 2010)
Taught by Certified Instructor

Saturday, December 19th
8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Les Cheneaux Snowmobile Clubhouse
1436 N. Blindline Road, Cedarville

Receive DNR Patch and Certificate

Pre-registration required by December 15th
Limited to first 50 students

Call Frank Harness at (906) 484-2385

Lunch will be provided

Holiday Gift Cards Available

25th Anniversary Open House
Dec. 16 - 19

Kids' Day
Saturday, Dec. 19

Weekly Drawings throughout December!
Large Gift Basket Giveaway
Wednesday, Dec. 23

Rosemary's Hair Gallery
Rosemary Gustin • Stephanie Dumas • Linda Wilkins

444 North State Street
Downtown St. Ignace
(906) 643-9555