

**DESCRIPTION OF WPBN-TV PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

**1st Quarter 2016**

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>
7&4 News Today	M-F	4:30-7:00am
7&4 News at 5pm	M-F	5:00-6:00pm
7&4 News at 6pm	M-SU	6:00-6:30pm
7&4 News at 11pm	M-F	11-11:35pm
7&4 News at 11pm	SA	11-11:30pm
7&4 News at 11pm	SU	11-11:35pm

All of the above programs are locally-produced news programs presenting a mix of news, weather, sports and issue-related feature stories and segments. Issue-responsive program segments are usually (2 minutes) in duration, unless otherwise indicated.

DATELINE NBC	Saturdays	8:00-9:00pm
	Sundays	7:00-8:00pm

This is an NBC network program often featuring investigative reporting on controversial issues facing the American public. The program usually has multiple segments, 8-15 minutes in duration.

MEET THE PRESS	Sundays	9:00-10:00am
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This NBC News interview program usually has one or more guests being questioned about subjects in the news by moderator Tim Russert and other reporters.

TODAY SHOW	M-F	7:00-10:00am
	SA	8:00-10:00am
	SU	8:00-9:00am

NBC network news program offering a mix of news, weather, and features, including interviews and in-depth reports on issues of public concern.

NBC NIGHTLY NEWS	M-SU	6:30-7:00pm
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This NBC network news program provides a roundup of the days major news events, as well as in-depth reports on issues of public concern.

EDUCATION MATTERS	M-F	Within Newscast
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**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Everyday	Various Times
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Varying length announcements (:10, :15, :20, :30, :60, and :120) that air throughout the stations' broadcast day about issues of community interest

**PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

## ECONOMY

(Including business development, community infrastructure, small business development, and tourist attractions)

### Local News

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AT THE CENTER OF ALL GREAT INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS IS THE FIREWORKS DISPLAY AND WHILE FIREWORKS ARE ENJOYED FOR THEIR EXPLOSIONS OF COLOR, 7&4 NEWS IS TAKING A LOOK AT THEIR PRICE TAGS ON TONIGHTS FACT FINDER.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN LEARNING MORE TODAY ABOUT HOW COMMUNITIES IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN FIND THE FUNDS FOR FIREWORKS.

July 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S A HOME ON WHEELS ... AND MORE PEOPLE ARE TAKING AN INTEREST IN IT ... ESPECIALLY RETIREES. CAMPING WORLD IN HOUGHTON LAKE IS ONE OF THE LARGEST R-V STORES IN MICHIGAN. ITS GENERAL MANAGER MIKE BURNSIDE SAYS THIS YEAR IS THE BEST THEY'VE HAD IN THE R-V BUSINESS... WHICH THEY'VE BEEN A PART OF FOR MORE THAN THREE DECADES. BURNSIDE SAYS THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE BUYING R-V'S HAS GONE UP JUST MORE THAN TWENTY PERCENT SINCE LAST YEAR AT CAMPING WORLD. HE ALSO SAYS MORE THAN HALF OF ITS CUSTOMERS ... ARE RETIREES.

July 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AS PART OF INDUSTRY DAY --CHERRY INDUSTRY LEADERS -- FESTIVAL OFFICIALS AND THE NATIONAL CHERRY QUEEN CAME TOGETHER TO HONOR SOME VERY IMPORTANT PEOPLE. THE FESTIVAL HONORED AGRICULTURAL LEADERS THIS AFTERNOON FOR THEIR WORK IN THE CHERRY ORCHARDS.THE \*INDUSTRY PERSON OF THE YEAR\* AWARD WENT TO \*DOCTOR RON PERRY\*. RON IS ORIGINALLY FROM CALIFORNIA -- AND HAS A MASTERS AND P-H-D IN HORTICULTURE. HE'S CREDITED WITH HELPING TO MOLD THE FUTURE OF THE TREE FRUIT INDUSTRY HERE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN -- AND ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

July 6, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

GOVERNOR RICK SNYDER HAS SENT A LETTER TO CONGRESS ASKING FOR FEDERAL FUNDING TO RECONSTRUCT PORTIONS OF THE SOO LOCKS.THE LETTER ASKS THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO PAY FOR REPLACING THE AGING DAVIS AND SABIN LOCKS WITH A LARGER SINGLE LOCK. SNYDER SAYS IF THE LOCKS WOULD EVER SHUTDOWN FOR AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME IT COULD CREATE AN ECONOMIC COLLAPSE THE LOCKS IS A KEY PORTAL FOR THE U-S SHIPPING INDUSTRY.YOU CAN READ SNYDER'S ENTIRE LETTER BY GOING TO OUR WEBSITE-UPNORTHLIVE-DOT-COM.

July 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE SECOND ANNUAL \*GREAT LAKES EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL\* KICKED OFF TODAY! ONE-THOUSAND HORSES AND RIDERS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD -- MADE THEIR WAY TO THE FLINTFIELDS HORSE PARK IN WILLAMSBURG FOR THE SEVEN-WEEK SHOW-JUMPING COMPETITION. ORGANIZERS SAY THE UNIQUE FESTIVAL ATTRACTS ABOUT 5-THOUSAND PEOPLE TO THE AREA EACH WEEK.

July 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER YEARS OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT, THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HAS COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION OF THE NORTH WESTERN STATE TRAIL. THE TRAIL PROJECT COST A LITTLE MORE THAN THREE MILLION DOLLARS.FUNDING CAME FROM VARIOUS FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS AS WELL AS LOCAL CONTRIBUTIONS. THE THIRTY-TWO MILE TRAIL ALLOWS HIKERS AND BIKERS ALIKE TO GO FROM PETOSKEY ALL THE WAY TO DOWNTOWN MACKINAW CITY WHILE PASSING THROUGH ALANSON, PELLSTON AND LEVERING.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BEING "THE CHERRY CAPITAL OF THE WORLD" GROWERS HAVE BEEN WORKING HARD AROUND THE CLOCK TO PRODUCE THE BEST CHERRIES.WITH CHERRY SEASON RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER ITS JUST A MATTER OF DAYS UNTIL GROWERS START HARVESTING THE FRUIT OFF THEIR TREES.THE OWNERS OF CHERRY LANE FARMS SAY THEY GOT AN EARLY START, BUT DECIDED THEIR TART CHERRIES WEREN'T QUITE RIPE ENOUGH.THEY'LL BE OUT AGAIN THIS WEEKEND TO GIVE IT ANOTHER SHOT.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT LOOKS LIKE CONSUMER'S ENERGY WILL BE ROLLING OUT IT'S HIGH -TECH SMART METERS AFTER ALL.THE MICHIGAN APPEALS COURT HAS UPHELD A 20-13 DECISION TO ALLOW CONSUMER'S TO START USING THE METERS.THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE HAD ARGUED... THE COMPANY WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO RECOVER THE COST. SMART METERS ALLOW UTILITY COMPANIES TO TRACK ELECTRICITY CONSUMPTION WITHOUT SOMEONE GOING TO EACH HOME TO READ THE METER.

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL MAY BE OVER BUT THE ECONOMIC IMPACT IT BRINGS TO THE SURROUNDING AREA REACHES FAR PAST THIS WEEK.FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 20-YEARS THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL IS CONDUCTING AN ECONOMIC IMPACT STUDY. THE FESTIVAL BRINGS IN HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE TO TRAVERSE CITY EACH YEAR.THE GOAL OF THE STUDY IS TO UNDERSTAND HOW FAR THE FESTIVAL'S FINANCIAL IMPACT REACHES WITHIN THE COMMUNITY.

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ITS THE BUSIEST TIME OF THE YEAR FOR MACKINAC BRIDGE EMPLOYEES AS THEY HANDLE INCREASED TRAFFIC AND ONGOING REPAIRS. ACCORDING TO THE MACKINAC BRIDGE AUTHORITY, NEARLY TWENTY-THOUSAND VEHICLES ARE NOW CROSSING THE BRIDGE EVERY DAY.BRIDGE EMPLOYEES ARE WORKING TO HANDLE THE HEAVY TRAFFIC WHILE ALSO DOING REPAIRS UNDERNEATH THE BRIDGE AND ON ITS SOUTH SIDE SPAN. THE INCREASED TRAFFIC HAS BEEN PARTIALLY CREDITED TO IMPROVED ECONOMICS CONDITIONS, ALLOWING FAMILIES TO TRAVEL FARTHER FROM HOME FOR THEIR SUMMER VACATIONS.

July 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PLANS TO BUILD THE LARGEST PARTICLE BOARD MILL IN NORTH AMERICA ARE MOVING FORWARD RIGHT HERE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN.THE ARAUCO (AHR-OW-KO) COMPANY IS COMING TO GRAYLING.RIGHT NOW THE PLANS ARE IN THE FINAL ENGINEERING PHASE.. WITH CREWS CUTTING DOWN TREES AT THE SITE.THE COMPANY'S VICE PRESIDENT OF OPERATIONS TELLS US THEY CHOSE GRAYLING BECAUSE OF THE AVAILABLE RAW MATERIAL.. THE MARKET DEMAND.. AND THE AREAS WORKFORCE. A TOWNSHIP BUILDING OFFICIAL SAYS ARAUCO WILL CREATE UP TO 800 JOBS IN THE AREA OVERALL.THE

STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITY IS SET TO BREAK GROUND NEXT SPRING... AND BE UP AND RUNNING BY THE END OF 2018.

July 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME GOOD NEWS TODAY ABOUT JUST HOW MUCH DAMAGE LAST FRIDAY'S STORMS CAUSED AREA VINEYARDS AND FRUIT FARMS.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES HAS BEEN FOLLOWING UP WITH LOCAL GROWERS TO SEE HOW THEIR CROPS WERE EFFECTED HE JOINS US LIVE RAPHAEL, WHAT ARE YOU HEARING FROM AREA FARMS?

July 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHWEST MICHIGAN WORKS HAS RECEIVED A STATE GRANT TO HELP EMPLOYEES AT THE PUGSLEY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY FIND NEW JOBS. THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS ANNOUNCED IN MAY THAT THE PRISON -- LOCATED IN KINGSLEY -- WOULD BE CLOSING IT'S DOORS IN SEPTEMBER.THE FACILITY HAS 230 EMPLOYEES -- MANY OF WHICH WILL NEED TO FIND NEW JOBS. WITH THE 420-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT -- NORTHWEST MICHIGAN WORKS WILL BE ABLE TO HELP DISPLACED EMPLOYEES SEARCH FOR NEW JOBS -- BUILD THERE RESUMES -- AND PROVIDE SPECIAL JOB TRAINING.

July 13, 2016

5:00-6:00PM

Time :30

WITH DESIGN AND RENOVATION TELEVISION SHOWS MAKING RE-IMAGINED FURNITURE POPULAR RIGHT NOW, GOODWILL FOUND A WAY TO SELL ONE OF A KIND PIECES WHILE ALSO HELPING THE COMMUNITY 'FRESH START FURNISHING' IS A NEW 90 DAY PROGRAM THAT GIVES PEOPLE WHO ARE HAVING A HARD TIME FINANCIALLY, THE OPPORTUNITY TO PICK THEMSELVES UP AGAIN. MEMBERS OF THE PROGRAM LEARN TO RE-FINISH FURNITURE THAT HAS BEEN DONATED -- THEN IT GETS SOLD AT GOODWILL STORES.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS OWNERS ACROSS THE UPPER PENINSULA ARE WONDERING IF A SINGLE SENTENCE IN A STATE ACT IS GOING TO END UP COSTING THEM MILLIONS. THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION HAS AGREED TO A PETITION FROM WISCONSIN ENERGY TO HAVE U-P ELECTRIC UTILITY PROVIDERS PROVIDE SIXTY MILLION DOLLARS IN OPERATING COSTS FOR THE PRESQUE ISLE POWER PLANT IN MARQUETTE.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS SPENT THE DAY TALKING WITH CLOVERLAND ELECTRIC.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A STATE PANEL HAS DECIDED TO REGULATE A FISHING PRACTICE KNOWN AS "CHUMMING."IT'S WHEN ANGLERS PUT PARTS OF DEAD FISH OR OTHER ORGANIC MATERIAL INTO THE WATER TO ATTRACT LIVE FISH.THE REGULATION WENT INTO EFFECT IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE MICHIGAN NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION APPROVED IT THURSDAY.NOW - THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES SAYS ANGLERS CANNOT USE ANY ORGANIC CHUM MATERIAL ON ANY DESIGNATED TROUT STREAM. THAT INCLUDES FISH EGGS, CORN, RICE, NOODLES, OATMEAL AND MAGGOTS.DETAILS ABOUT TYPES OF STREAMS ARE POSTED ONLINE AS PART OF THE STATE'S FISHING GUIDE.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ROTARTY CHARITIES IN TRAVERSE CITY IS MAKING CHANGES TO THE WAY IT GIVES OUT GRANT MONEY NORTHERN MICHIGAN 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES TELLS WHAT CHANGES ARE BEING MADE AND WHY.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A PARKING METER MISHAP IS COSTING SOME PEOPLE MORE THAN THEY WERE EXPECTING. MULTIPLE PEOPLE IN TRAVERSE CITY SAY THEY'RE BEING TICKETED EVEN WHEN THEY STILL HAD TIME LEFT AT THE METER.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH ONE OF THE PEOPLE WHO GOT A TICKET...

July 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ATTENTION RED WINE LOVERS! BLACKSTAR FARMS WILL SOON BE GETTING A SPECIAL PIECE OF EQUIPMENT THAT WILL HELP THEM AND OTHER WINE MAKERS TO PRODUCE BETTER QUALITY RED WINE.JUST LAST WEEK -- BLACKSTAR FARMS FOUND OUT THEY WERE AWARDED A 210-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. THE MONEY WILL ALLOW THEM TO BUY A SPECIAL PROCESSOR THAT WILL HELP CREATE MORE TANNINS -- COLOR -- AND HIGHER SUGARS FROM RED WINE GRAPES. BECAUSE NORTHERN MICHIGAN'S WINE SEASON IS MUCH SHORTER THAN OTHER PARTS OF THE U-S - - BLACKSTAR FARMS SAYS THIS WILL BE A HUGE GAME CHANGER FOR THE LOCAL INDURSTRY.

July 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE HEAD OF THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL IS MAKING A MOVE.FESTIVAL DIRECTOR, TREVOR TKACH WAS NAMED THE NEW PRESIDENT AND C-E-O OF TRAVERSE CITY TOURISM. TKACH SAYS HE WILL CONTINUE WORKING FOR THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL THROUGH SEPTEMBER.THATA'S WHEN HE OFFICIALLY TAKES HIS NEW JOB. IN HIS REMAINING TIME WITH THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL HE WILL PUT TOGETHER A TRANSITION PLAN FOR THE FESTIVAL TO MAKE SURE IT DOESN'T LOSE ANY MOMENTUM GOING INTO THE 91ST YEAR.

July 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN... HARVEST SEASON FOR TART CHERRIES IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN IS IN FULL SWING.GALLAGHER FARMS IN LEELANAU COUNTY IS WELL INTO ITS SECOND WEEK OF HARVESTING.TODAY THEY WERE ABLE TO SHAKE 76 TANKS WORTH OF CHERRIES.EACH DAY COULD BE A DIFFERENT AMOUNT... ESPECIALLY WITH SO MANY GROWERS AND THE STRONGEST TART CHERRY CROP SINCE 2009.

July 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY WAS THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING'S LAST BOARD MEETING BEFORE A MILLAGE PROPOSAL GOES TO A VOTE IN EXACTLY TWO WEEKS FROM TODAY. THE MILLAGE IS 80-PERCENT OF THEIR FUNDING AND IF IT DOESN'T PASS -- WE'RE TOLD THE COMMISSION WILL HAVE TO CLOSE ITS DOORS NEXT YEAR.CONCERN IS GROWING THIS YEAR OVER VOTER TURNOUT.BECAUSE THE AUGUST SECOND PRIMARY ISN'T TIED TO ANYTHING PRESIDENTIAL... BOARD MEMBERS ARE WORRIED THEY'LL HAVE LOWER NUMBERS THAN USUAL. NOW THE COMMISSION IS PUSHING FOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS TO HELP GET AS MANY VOTES AS POSSIBLE.

July 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MICHIGAN SENATOR DEBBIE STABENOW MADE SEVERAL STOPS TODAY, FOCUSING PRIMARILY ON MANUFACTURING IN THE STATE.7&4'S TOM KRAMER CAUGHT UP WITH OUR SENIOR SENATOR AS SHE TOURED A FACTORY IN MASON COUNTY.HE JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.TOM?AS YOU MENTIONED, ONE OF THE SENATOR'S STOPS TODAY WAS IN MASON COUNTY, AT HARSCO RAIL, MAKERS OF RAILROAD TRACK MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT.

July 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CHANGES UNDERWAY FOR ROTARY CHARITIES. DOZENS OF PEOPLE GATHERED FOR AN INFORMATIONAL MEETING TODAY HELD BY ROTARY LEADERS. ROTARY CHARITIES IN TRAVERSE CITY HAS GRANTED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS TO NON-PROFIT AND LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS TODAY OFFICIALS EXPLAINED THE NEW APPROACH AND HOW IT WILL IMPACT THE COMMUNITY FOR THE BETTER.

July 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

CADILLAC'S YMCA MAYBE ONE STEP CLOSER TO PAYING OFF IT'S BUILDING DEBT. TWO YMCA MEMBERS HAVE EACH AGREED TO MATCH UP TO \*20-THOUSAND DOLLARS\* IN DONATIONS MADE BY DECEMBER 1ST. IF THOSE GIFTS ARE MADE...AND THEN MATCHED... THE Y WILL ONLY OWE \*85-THOUSAND DOLLARS\* OF THE MORE THAN 800-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DEBT THEY STARTED THE YEAR WITH.

July 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE IS A NEW WAY TO GET ACROSS TOWN..THAT IT'S FOUNDER HOPES WILL PREVENT WOMEN FROM BECOMING THE VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ASSULT. IT'S CALLED TRANSPORT-HER...AND THE RIDE SHARING SERVICE WILL USE WOMEN DRIVERS TO PRIMARILY DRIVE OTHER WOMEN AROUND. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES MET UP WITH THE ONE OF THE CO-FOUNDERS TO FIND OUT WHY HE STARTED THIS COMPANY.

July 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S A BUSY WEEKEND IN MANISTEE BOTH ON AND OFF THE WATER. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM MANISTEE'S MUNICIPAL MARINE, RIGHT THERE IN DOWNTOWN MANISTEE.

July 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TROPHY FISH... LIKE LAKE TROUT... IS THE DRIVING FORCE BEHIND THE GREAT LAKES FISHING INDUSTRY. BUT TROUT AND OTHER FISH ARE BEING THREATENED BY INVASIVE SPECIES. NOW... BIOLOGISTS AT THE JORDAN RIVER NATIONAL FISH HATCHERY ARE WORKING TO EVEN THE ODDS. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS THE DETAILS ON A NEW FACILITY THAT WILL HELP.

July 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TRAVERSE CITY COULD BE ONE STEP CLOSER TO GETTING ANOTHER BIG BOX RETAILER AND A SAFER RUNWAY AT THE AIRPORT. TODAY SENATORS DEBBIE STABENOW AND GARY PETERS ANNOUNCED THAT THE NORTHWESTERN REGIONAL AIRPORT COMMISSION WILL RECEIVE MORE THAN 1 POINT 5 MILLION DOLLARS. THE MONEY WILL BE USED TO FIX UP THE RUNWAYS AT CHERRY CAPITAL AS WELL AS BUY THE LAND NEXT TO IT FOR DEVELOPMENT..ON THE NEW AIRPORT PROPERTY WHICH COULD INCLUDE A COSTCO. THE FUNDING COMES FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION AS A PART OF THE RUNWAY INCURSION MITIGATION PROGRAM.

July 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S HOT ON THE BEACH DURING THE DAY... SO ARE THE DOG DAYS OF SUMMER HELPING.. OR HURTING LOCAL BEACH BUSINESSES? AT MANISTEE'S FIRST STREET BEACH, THE CURRENT CONTRACTOR RUNNING THE CONCESSION STAND IS IN HIS SECOND YEAR. TURNS OUT - THE SALES HAVE DOUBLED OVER LAST YEAR! THE ASSISTANT MANAGER

BELIEVES THE WEATHER IS NOT ONLY DRAWING A LOT OF CUSTOMERS... BUT IS ALSO PLAYING A ROLE IN \*WHAT IS BEING ORDERED.

July 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

REPORTS SHOW, WOMEN IN THE WORK FORCE INCREASED FROM \*30-MILLION\* IN 1970... TO \*72-MILLION\* IN 2010. AND FOR THE PROFESSIONAL WOMEN WHO WEAR MULTIPLE HATS -- LIKE BEING A WIFE AND A MOM - BALANCING ALL THOSE ROLES CAN BE CHALLENGING.7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON WHAT GOES IN TO BEING A MODERN DAY \*WORKING MOM\*.

July 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THOUSANDS ARE IN TOWN THIS WEEK... FOR THE 12TH ANNUAL TRAVERSE CITY FILM FESTIVAL. THAT INCLUDES THE MICHIGAN FILM OFFICE. THEY'RE HERE TO LEARN ABOUT THE TALENT THAT'S ALREADY HERE AND HOW TO ATTRACT EVEN MORE. SINCE THE MICHIGAN FILM INCENTIVE WENT AWAY IN 20-15.... ORGANIZATIONS LIKE THIS ONE ARE PUTTING MORE FOCUS ON CREATING JOBS IN THE INDUSTRY. THEY SAY... THERE'S NO BETTER PLACE TO DO THAT... THAN HERE AT THE FILM FESTIVAL.

July 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CLARE COUNTY COMMISSION VOTED TO CUT OFF FUNDING FOR MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION IN THE COUNTY YESTERDAY.A PART OF THE EXTENSION IS THE COMMUNITY 4-H PROGRAM WHICH WILL GO AWAY WITHOUT THE FUNDING FROM THE COUNTY. THIS CUT WILL GO INTO EFFECT ON OCTOBER FIRST, THE BEGINNING OF THE FISCAL YEAR. PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN IN THE PROGRAM TOLD US THEY'LL BE SAD TO SEE IT GO.THE DECISION COMES AS A SHOCK TO EXTENSION EMPLOYEES.

July 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WEXFORD COUNTY IS WORKING ON TYING UP LOOSE ENDS BEFORE THE AUGUST 2-ND ELECTION THE COUNTY'S FINANCE COMMITTEE MET TONIGHT TO DISCUSS AN OFFICIAL PROPOSAL FOR THE COUNTY'S CENTRAL DISPATCH SERVICES.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT HAS BEEN FOLLOWING THE DETAILS OF THE PROPOSAL.SHE JOINS US LIVE IN WEXFORD COUNTY.ALLISON- WHAT IS THE PLAN?

July 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A SAILBOAT THAT SANK NEAR THE SHORES OF PYRAMID POINT THIS WEEKEND IS NOW BACK ABOVE THE WATER ON LAKE MICHIGAN. BUT NOT WITHOUT SOME HELP. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI TOOK A TRIP OUT ON THE WATER THIS AFTERNOON WITH THE CREW RESPONSIBLE FOR BRINGING THE \*WHO DO\* BACK TO THE SURFACE.

July 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

DOZENS OF CLARE COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS GATHERED THIS MORNING AT A SPECIAL COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING. THEY MADE THEIR PLEAS TO SAVE THE COUNTY'S \*MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSTIY EXTENSION OFFICE\*. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAD PUT THE OFFICE ON THE CHOPPING BLOCK DUE TO A DEFICIT OF NEARLY ONE-MILLION DOLLARS. THE EXTENSION OFFICE WAS CUT IN PART BECAUSE OF ITS NON-ESSENTIAL STATUS.BUT FOR MANY, SERVICES OFFERED HAVE A BIG IMPACT ON THEIR FAMILIES.

July 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

HOP GROWERS THROUGHOUT NORTHERN MICHIGAN ARE GETTING READY TO START HARVESTING IN AUGUST. BRIAN TENNIS, THE OWNER OF NEW MISSION ORGANICS SAYS THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST CROPS HE'S SEEN IN THE LAST COUPLE OF YEARS. HE SAYS THE WEATHER HAS BEEN A HUGE REASON FOR WHY THE CROPS ARE DOING SO WELL. TENNIS HAS BEEN GROWING HOPS IN THE AREA FOR NEARLY A DECADE AND HE ALSO SAYS HE CAN'T BELIEVE HOW RAPIDLY THE INDUSTRY IS GROWING.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW PUBLIC RAILROAD SYSTEM CONNECTING NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN MICHIGAN IS A STEP CLOSER TO BECOMING REALITY BUT AS 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES TELLS US-THIS PROJECT STILL HAS A LONG WAY TO GO. HE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO-RAPHAEL MEGHAN, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE GROUNDWORKS CENTER, WHICH IS THE GROUP PUSHING THIS PROJECT-SAYS IT IS TIME TO GET THIS IDEA MOVING DOWN THE TRACKS.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TOURISTS AND LOCALS ARE FLOODING TRAVERSE CITY THIS WEEK FOR THE TRAVERSE CITY FILM FESTIVAL. AND WHILE IT'S OBVIOUS THAT RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS ARE GETTING MORE CUSTOMERS... OTHER BUSINESSES ARE ALSO BENEFITING FROM THE LARGER CROWDS. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH LOCAL BUSINESSES ABOUT WHAT THEY'RE SEEING THIS WEEK.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

HOUSING IS HARD TO FIND IN TRAVERSE CITY. BUT SOME POSSIBLE CHANGES.. COULD CREATE SOME MORE OPTIONS FOR PEOPLE. TONIGHT THE CITY COMMISSION DISCUSSED THE OPTION OF EXPANDING \*GRANNY FLATS. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS AT TONIGHT'S COMMISSION MEETING.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THIS WEEK, A SPECIAL JOB FAIR IS HAPPENING IN BENZIE COUNTY. THE FAIR IS TO FIND NEW JOBS FOR THE 140 WORKERS THAT WILL SOON BE LAID-OFF WHEN THEIR FACTORY SHUTS-DOWN LATER THIS SUMMER. GRUPO ANTOLIN ANNOUNCED IT WAS CLOSING ITS BENZIE COUNTY PLANT LAST MONTH. THEY PURCHASED THE PLANT FROM MAGNA IN 2015, THE PLANT MAKES INTERIOR COMPONENTS FOR THE AUTO INDUSTRY.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A FIXTURE IN DOWNTOWN MANISTEE FOR MORE THAN 30 YEARS IS DARK TONIGHT. OLESON'S GROCERY STORE CLOSED ITS DOORS ON SATURDAY IN A STATEMENT TO EMPLOYEES LAST MONTH-OLESON'S SAYS THE MANISTEE AREA JUST WASN'T ABLE TO SUPPORT THE NUMBER OF GROCERY STORES CURRENTLY OPEN.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A TRAVERSE CITY GROUP WHO'S HOPING THAT THE PUBLIC CAN DECIDE THE FATE OF FUTURE TALL-BUILDINGS IS ONE STEP CLOSER TO ITS GOAL. THE GROUP... CALLED SAVE OUR DOWNTOWN... TURNED IN A PETITION TO THE TRAVERSE CITY CLERK THIS AFTERNOON WITH ALMOST 12-HUNDRED SIGNATURES. THE GROUP IS HOPING TO GET AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY'S CHARTER ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOT. THE AMENDMENT WOULD ENTITLED THE



PUBLIC TO VOTE BEFORE ANY BUILDING COULD BE CONSTRUCTED THAT EXCEED 60- FEET IN HEIGHT.

August 2, 2016

5:00-6:00PM

Time :30

TONIGHT... THE TRAVERSE CITY PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HEAR ABOUT A PROPOSAL TO BUILD A \*120-UNIT APARTMENT COMPLEX\* IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA.THE 4-STORY COMPLEX WOULD SIT ON PROPERTY BORDERING \*NORTH UNION AND GARLAND STREETS\*. DEVELOPER THOM DARGA SAYS... THE APARTMENTS WOULD RANGE BETWEEN 600 AND 12- HUNDRED SQUARE FEET AND THERE WOULD BE AN INTERIOR PARKING DECK.

August 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GOVERNOR SNYDER TOOK A TRIP UP TO CENTRAL LAKE TODAY FOR A TOUR OF THE VILLAGE AND TO DISCUSS THE BENEFITS OF A NEW STATE-WIDE PROGRAM. THE GOVERNOR MET WITH COMMUNITY LEADERS AT CENTRAL LAKE HIGH SCHOOL WHERE HE HEARD THEIR CONCERNS ABOUT WHAT THEY THINK IS HOLDING THEIR COMMUNITY BACK. CENTRAL LAKE WAS ONE OF TEN COMMUNITIES CHOSEN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PILOT PROGRAM \*\*RISING TIDE\*\* -- WHICH AIMS TO HELP AREAS IN NEED TO COME UP WITH NEW STRATEGIES TO ADVANCE THEIR ECONOMIC GROWTH. SOME OF THE CONCERNS SHARED WITH GOVERNOR SNYDER INCLUDED DRUG ABUSE -- A LACK OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING -- AND STRUGGLES WITH EXPANSION.

August 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE ALL HAVE TO MAKE TIME AND MONEY TO DO IT... AND THAT'S GO GROCERY SHOPPING. SO, WHAT'S A GOOD METHOD TO GET THE MOST BANG FOR YOUR BUCK... HOW DO YOU PLAN FOR IT... AND WHO, IN THE FAMILY, IS LIKELY TO BE PUSHING THE SHOPPING CART? 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE OF HOW ONE FAMILY, BREAKS IT ALL DOWN.

August 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NOW THAT THE ELECTION RESULTS ARE IN FOR MORE THAN 500 ISSUES ON TUESDAY'S BALLOT... SOME COMMUNITIES ARE COMING TOGETHER TO TALK ABOUT SOME OF THE OUTCOMES.A HOT ITEM ON THE BALLOT FOR WEXFORD COUNTY... WAS THE POSSIBLE CHANGES FOR THE COUNTY'S CENTRAL DISPATCH.HERE ARE THE NUMBERS..WITH 100% OF PRECINCTS REPORTING.51-PERCENT OF VOTERS CHOSE \*NOT TO SUPPORT 9-1-1 SURCHARGE... AND 49-PERCENT VOTED YES 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS IN A SPECIAL MEETING TO DISCUSS THE NEXT STEP TO FUND THE COUNTY'S CENTRAL DISPATCH SERVICES.

August 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NORTHERN MICHIGAN FACTORY... SET TO CLOSE ITS DOORS THIS SUMMER... HOSTED A JOB FAIR TODAY.THEY'RE HOPING TO FIND JOBS FOR THE 140 EMPLOYEES THAT WILL SOON BE LAID OFF. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW FROM OUR \*VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO\* IN MANISTEE.

August 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE STATE OF MICHIGAN AND THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO ARE WORKING TOGETHER TO INCREASE THE COMPETITIVENESS OF THE GREAT LAKES AUTO INDUSTRY. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES HAS MORE ON WHY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAY THIS AGREEMENT IS SO IMPORTANT.

August 4, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

ACROSS NORTHERN MICHIGAN FARMERS SAY THEIR CROPS ARE AT A POINT WHERE THEY NEED TO START GETTING SOME RAIN.7&4'S TOM KRAMER SPOKE WITH A CROP SPECIALIST WITH MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY WHO SAYS 70 PERCENT OF THE STATE.. IS WELL BELOW AVERAGE.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MORE CONTROVERSY TONIGHT WITH THE \*ENBRIDGE OIL TRANSPORTATION COMPANY\* AND THEIR NORTHERN MICHIGAN PIPELINE. ENBRIDGE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL BILL SCHUETTE THIS WEEK... SAYING THEY VIOLATED THEIR AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE. THIS COMES AFTER ENBRIDGE ANNOUNCED THEY'D HAVE TO INSTALL MORE ANCHORS TO SECURE THE PIPELINE. ACCORDING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERALS LETTER, ENBRIDGE NOW HAS NINETY DAYS TO CORRECT THE VIOLATION.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ACROSS NORTHERN MICHIGAN FARMERS SAY WE'RE AT A POINT WHERE WE NEED TO START SEEING SOME RAIN. THE WEATHER STATION RUN BY MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY IN BEAR LAKE REPORTS.... A LITTLE MORE THAN 7 INCHES OF RAIN FROM APRIL FIRST TO AUGUST 5TH.LESS THAN HALF OF WHAT FELL \*LAST YEAR\* IN THAT TIME AND ABOUT HALF OF THE FIVE YEAR AVERAGE.IT'S SIMILAR STORY IN LUDINGTON.... AND BOTH HART AND BEZONIA ARE ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THAT FIVE YEAR AVERAGE.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ANOTHER POINT OF CONTROVERSY HAS EMERGED REGARDING THE ENBRIDGE OIL TRANSPORTATION COMPANY AND THEIR NORTHERN MICHIGAN PIPELINE. ENBRIDGE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL BILL SCHUETTE THIS WEEK... SAYING THEY VIOLATED THEIR AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON SPOKE WITH ENBRIDGE TODAY.

August 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A PUBLIC FORUM TO DISCUSS GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP WITHDRAWING FROM GRAND TRAVERSE RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENT IS GOING ON RIGHT NOW IN INTERLOCHEN.WHEN FIRST STARTING THE PROCESS OF WITHDRAWING FROM RURAL FIRE... GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS SAID THEY WERE UPSET THAT THEY WEREN'T INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS. TONIGHT IS JUST ONE OF THREE OPPORTUNITIES FOR PEOPLE TO VOICE THEIR CONCERNS AND ASK QUESTIONS. GREEN LAKE TOWNSHIP HAS BEEN IN THIS PROCESS FOR MORE THAN A YEAR NOW. THE TOWNSHIP HAS UNTIL DECEMBER 31ST TO FINALIZE THE DECISION.

August 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE ARE 12-MILLION SINGLE PARENT HOMES IN OUR COUNTRY. MORE THAN 80-PERCENT OF THEM... ARE SINGLE MOMS. THAT'S ACCORDING TO THE U-S CENSUS BUREAU. SO HOW IS THE WORKLOAD FOR \*TWO\*... BALANCED BY \*ONE\*? 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON THE STRUGGLES AND THE TRIUMPHS OF SINGLE PARENTHOOD.

August 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHERN MICHIGAN IS KNOWN FOR IT'S GREAT OUTDOORS.AND PLANS FOR A NEW RECREATION TRAIL IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY ARE IN THE WORKS.THE TRAIL WILL BE DISCUSSED AT ACME TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEE'S MEETING TONIGHT.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WILL BE AT TONIGHT'S MEETING.

August 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A BENZIE COUNTY MEDICAL CARE FACILITY HAS SAT EMPTY FOR MORE THAN A YEAR NOW. BUT A REPORT FROM THE FIRE INSPECTOR... HAS YET TO BE RELEASED. THE BUILDING WAS CONSTRUCTED WITH TAXPAYER MONEY... BUT THE ROOF DOESN'T MEET FIRE SAFETY CODES. NOW THE CHAIR OF BENZIE COUNTY'S BUILDING AUTHORITY SAYS... THE ARCHITECT IS TO BLAME.ALTHOUGH THE COUNTY HAS ALREADY INSTALLED A SPRINKLER SYSTEM AND SPRAYED THE ROOF SHEETING WITH FIRE-RETARDENT... IT'S STILL UNCLEAR IF IT'LL SATISFY FEDERAL AGENCIES.THE OTHER OPTION IS TO REPLACE THE ROOF.

August 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE RELOCATION OF A POPULAR GUN RANGE IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY IS NOT SITTING WELL WITH SOME RESIDENTS.THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES PLANS TO MOVE \*THE HOOSIER VALLEY SHOOTING RANGE\* TO UNION TOWNSHIP NEAR KINGSLEY. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WILL BE AT UNION TOWNSHIP'S MEETING TONIGHT WHERE SEVERAL RESIDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO VOICE THEIR CONCERNS.

August 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A POPULAR BEEHIVE MANUFACTURER IS BRINGING MORE THAN 60 JOBS TO NORTHERN MICHIGAN.TODAY \*\*MILES APIARIES\*\* {APEY-ARIES} HOSTED AN OPEN HOUSE FOR LOCAL BUSINESSES AND COMMUNITY LEADERS. THE PLANT IN WATERS WILL MAKE BEEHIVES FOR THE LOCAL BEE INDUSTRY AS WELL AS ACROSS THE UNITED STATES AND 95-PERCENT OF THE MATERIALS USED WILL BE FROM RECYCLED WOOD.IT IS EXPECTED TO PRODUCE 500 BEEHIVES PER WEEK.

August 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE SURFACE TEMPERATURE OF LAKE MICHIGAN IS ABOUT 5 DEGREES WARMER THAN THE AVERAGE TEMPERATURE OVER THE LAST 14 YEARS.NOT ONLY IS THAT WARM WATER BRINGING MORE PEOPLE OUT TO THE BEACH, BUT IT'S ALSO IMPACTING THE FISHING. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.

August 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME UPGRADES ARE COMING TO THE CHARLEVOIX MUNICIPAL AIRPORT SOON. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WENT UP TO CHARLEVOIX TO FIND OUT EXACTLY WHAT'S CHANGING AND WHY HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN STUDIO...RAPHAEL WHAT CAN PEOPLE EXPECT TO SEE WITH THESE UPGRADES?

August 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE PUBLIC HAS A CHANCE TO WEIGH IN ON A CONTROVERSIAL DEVELOPMENT ON OLD MISSION PENINSULA IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY TONIGHT.A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE PENINSULA TOWNSHIP'S REGULAR MEETING.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WILL BE AT TONIGHT'S MEETING.

August 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE BROKE GROUND ON A 5 MILLION DOLLAR ADDITION TO THE DENNOS MUSEUM CENTER TODAY.7&4'S GABRIELLA WAS THERE AS THE SHOVELS WENT INTO THE DIRT.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 35-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT WILL HELP DEVELOP A NEW REGIONAL RECYCLING PROGRAM IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN. THE MONEY IS AWARDED TO THE ALLIANCE FOR ECONOMIC SUCCESS AND COMES FROM THE UNITED STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE. IT WILL HELP FUND A STUDY OF TYPES AND AMOUNT OF WHAT'S CURRENTLY BEING RECYCLED IN AND AROUND MANISTEE COUNTY. LEADING THE PROJECT IS \*IRIS WASTE DIVERSION SPECIALISTS. THE COMPANY'S PRESIDENT SAYS GOALS INCLUDE MAKING RESOURCE RECOVERY MORE SUSTAINABLE FOR PEOPLE AND BUSINESSES IN MANISTEE AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHAT STARTED AS A WAY TO FUEL ECONOMIC GROWTH IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY -- HAS NOW TURNED INTO AN EFFORT TO HELP AREA VETERANS. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH COUNTY LEADERS TODAY TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT \*\*PROJECT CHERRY TREE\*\*. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH THE DETAILS.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE TOLD THERE ARE NOW TWO PART-TIME POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS. THIS COMES THE COUNTY CUT THE ANIMAL CONTROL DIVISION AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR BECAUSE OF A BUDGET SHORTFALL. THAT'S WHEN THE ANIMAL CONTROL RESPONSIBILITIES WERE SPLIT UP BETWEEN THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT.. THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.. AND THE CHERRYLAND HUMANE SOCIETY. A FEW MONTHS IN THE COUNTY REALIZED THEY COULDN'T KEEP UP WITH ALL THE SERVICES. YOU CAN FIND THE JOB OPENINGS ONLINE AT GRAND TRAVERSE DOT ORG.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A SERVICE STATION IS ON IT'S WAY TO COMPLETION FOR THE CADILLAC JUNCTION PROJECT IN WEXFORD COUNTY. CREWS ARE WORKING TO PUT TOGETHER A \*J-AND-H OIL STATION\* THAT WILL BE CONNECTED TO A TIM HORTONS. IT'S ALL APART OF THE CADILLAC JUNCTION PROJECT THAT SITS ON 142-ACRES OFF OF M-55 NEAR U-S 131. THIS PHASE OF THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETE IN THE FALL. DEVELOPERS SAY THERE WILL EVENTUALLY BE SEVERAL BIG BOX STORES -- A HOTEL -- AND A SENIOR LIVING CENTER.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF IS RUNNING OUT OF TIME TO RECEIVE A GRANT FOR A NEW PLAYGROUND FOR THE CIVIC CENTER. THEY NEED TO RAISE 50-THOUSAND DOLLARS BY THE END OF AUGUST TO GET A MATCH FROM THE MICHIGAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION. THEY HAVE BEEN FUNDRAISING SINCE JULY AND NOW THEY HAVE 2 WEEKS LEFT TO REACH THEIR GOAL. THE PARKS AND REC DIRECTOR IS NOW ASKING THE COMMUNITY TO RALLY TO RAISE THE MONEY.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU'RE TAKING A LIVE LOOK AT THE MACKINAC BRIDGE WHERE TRAFFIC IS EXPECTED TO INCREASE OVER THE NEXT COUPLE MONTHS. THE MACKINAC BRIDGE ASSOCIATION SAYS AUGUST IS ALWAYS A BUSY MONTH BECAUSE OF THE NUMBER OF UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE STRAITS OF MACKINAC. WE'RE TOLD NORTHBOUND TRAFFIC IS USUALLY THE HEAVIEST ON THURSDAYS AND FRIDAYS.. AND SOUTHBOUND TRAFFIC IS HEAVIEST ON SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS. THIS IS THE 20TH STRAIGHT MONTH OF INCREASED TRAFFIC YEAR TO YEAR.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BUT THIS YEAR'S WARM AND HUMID WEATHER HAS BEEN GOOD FOR THE CROPS.  
7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH WINERIES IN GRAND TRAVERSE AND LEELANAU  
COUNTIES.SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW BEER PRODUCTION FACILITY IS COMING TO BENZIE COUNTY VERY SOONSTORMCLOUD  
BREWING COMPANY ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL BUILD A 10-THOUSAND SQUARE-FOOT  
PRODUCTION BREWERY IN FRANKFORT'S INDUSTRIAL PARK.THIS NEW BUILDING WILL  
ALLOW STORM CLOUD TO PRODUCE MORE BEER AND OPERATE A BOTTLING LINE.THE  
COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER TOLD US THAT THEY HOPE THIS WILL HELP EXPAND  
DISTRIBUTION THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE'S A RENEWED EFFORT TO ADDRESS TRAFFIC CONCERNS IN TODAY WAS THE FIRST  
MEETING FOR THE NEW \*TRAFFIC CALMING COMMITTEE\*.CITY PLANNING COMMISSIONERS  
MAKE UP THE GROUP - AND FIRST ON THE AGENDA IS TO SIMPLIFY THE TRAFFIC  
CALMING POLICY AND MAKE IT MORE USER FRIENDLY.SOME OF THE ITEMS TO BE  
ADDRESSED INCLUDE SPEEDING CONCERNS AND CONGESTION ON CITY STREETS.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME KALKASKA RESIDENTS ARE VOICING THEIR CONCERNS TONIGHT ABOUT A PROPOSAL  
TO BUILD AN APARTMENT COMPLEX IN A VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD.7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI  
SPOKE WITH ONE OF THOSE RESIDENTS AND JOINS US FROM KALKASKA WHERE VILLAGE  
LEADERS ARE SET TO DISCUSS THE ISSUE TONIGHT.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ONE OF NORTHERN MICHIGANS MOST RECOGNIZABLE SPORTS CENTERS IS GETTING A MAJOR  
UPGRADE.STATE AND CITY OFFICIALS WERE AT THE INTERNATIONAL 500 SNOWMOBILE  
RACE TRACK IN SAULT STE MARIE TODAY FOR A GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY THE  
CEREMONY CELEBRATED THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRAND NEW STATE-OF-THE-ART COMMAND  
POST THAT WILL BE USED TO BETTER COORDINATE THE ANNUAL RACE.THE NEW COMMAND  
POST WILL FEATURE SPECIAL VIP ROOMS AND A KITCHEN AREA TO FEED THE HUNDREDS  
OF VOLUNTEERS WHO COME FROM ACROSS THE UPPER PENINSULA TO HELP OUT WITH  
THE RACE.

August 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HAS MORE THAN 12-MILLION DOLLAR BUDGETED  
FOR UPGRADES AT TWO FISHERIES FACILITIES, INCLUDING ONE IN MANISTEE COUNTY.  
7&4'S TOM KRAMER SPOKE WITH THE D-N-R ABOUT THE UPGRADES TODAY.HE JOINS US  
LIVE NOW FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GROUP TRYING TO LEGALIZE THE RECREATIONAL USE OF MARIJUANA IN MICHIGAN...  
HAS FAILED TO GET THE QUESTION ON THE BALLOT THIS FALL.WE'RE TOLD 354-  
THOUSAND SIGNATURES HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED.. WHICH IS ENOUGH TO GET THE ISSUE ON  
THE BALLOT..

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ENBRIDGE IS GETTING SOME HELP MONITORING ITS PIPELINE IN THE STRAITS OF MACKINAC FROM THE SURFACE OF THE WATER. WITH HELP FROM MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY.. THE COMPANY IS DEPLOYING \*BUOYS TO KEEP TRACK OF WEATHER DATA -- LIKE WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED, AIR TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE, AND WAVE HEIGHT. THE BUOY IS EQUIPPED WITH SENSORS AND WILL SEND OUT SOUND WAVES TO MONITOR CURRENTS NEAR THE LAKE BED. ENBRIDGE SAYS THIS WILL HELP THEM ANTICIPATE ANY POTENTIAL RISKS AFFECTING LINE 5.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MORE THAN 7-HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS IN GAMING REVENUE WENT TO DOZENS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN ORGANIZATIONS THIS MORNING.THE \*GRAND TRAVERSE BAND OF OTTAWA AND CHIPPEWA INDIANS\* IS REQUIRED GIVE 2-PERCENT OF ITS GAMING REVENUES TWICE A YEAR TO LOCAL UNITS OF GOVERNMENT AND AN ADDITIONAL 8-PERCENT TO THE STATE. THIS YEAR THE GRAND TRAVERSE BAND HAD NEARLY 84 APPLICATIONS. TRIBAL COUNSELORS SAY KEEPING SOME OF THOSE FUNDS LOCAL IS IMPORTANT TO THEIR WORK IN THE COMMUNITY.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IF YOU HAVE EVER BEEN TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE -CHANCES ARE YOU MIGHT HAVE HAD TO WAIT A LITTLE BIT. BUT MAYBE NOT ANYMORE.THE TRAVERSE CITY SECRETARY OF STATE OFFICE IS NOW USING \*MI-TIME.\* IT'S A SERVICE THAT ALLOWS CUSTOMERS TO USE THEIR PHONES OR COMPUTERS TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS OR HOLD THEIR PLACE IN LINE. 24 OF THE BUSIEST SECRETARY OF STATE OFFICES IN THE STATE NOW OFFER THE SERVICE.ALMOST 2.9-MILLION CUSTOMERS HAVE USED IT SINCE IT LAUNCHED IN JANUARY 2014.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE COMMISSION ON AGING WILL BE THE NEXT DEPARTMENT IN GRAND TRAVERSE TO UNDERGO AN ASSESSMENT...WHICH COULD LEAD TO SOME CHANGES. BUT SOME C-O-A LEADERS HAVE CONCERNS THAT THOSE CHANGES MAY NOT BE FOR THE BETTER. BOARD MEMBERS EXPRESSED THOSE CONCERNS DURING A SPECIAL MEETING THIS MORNING. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI WAS THERE AND JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH THE DETAILS.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NOW THAT IT'S JUST ABOUT HARVEST SEASON.. APPLE GROWERS ARE TAKING A GOOD LOOK AT THEIR CROPS.OFFICIAL ESTIMATES ARE IN FROM \*THE MICHIGAN APPLE COMMITTEE\* WHO SAYS... THIS YEAR IS GOING TO BE A RECORD-SIZED CROP FOR MICHIGAN.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH APPLE GROWERS IN ANTRIM COUNTY TODAY.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER ONE HUNDRED YEARS, THE SONG OF THE MORNING DAM ON THE PIGEON RIVER HAS BEEN REMOVED.MEMBERS OF THE CONSERVATION GROUPS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DAMS REMOVAL GATHERED TO CUT A RIBBON UNDER THE NEW PIGEON BRIDGE AND CELEBRATE THE AREAS RESTORATION. THE DAM WAS FIRST CONSTRUCTED TO HELP WITH LOGGING OPERATIONS BUT ALSO RESTRICTED THE AREAS ECOSYSTEM AND WILD LIFE. THE RESTORATION WILL ALLOW THE RIVER TO GROW HEALTHY AGAIN AND RECONNECT TO THE GREAT LAKES.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

EAST JORDAN CITY OFFICIALS ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO THE COMPLETION OF A NEW TWO-STORY BUILDING THAT WILL BE HOME TO SEVERAL BUSINESSES. LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF MAIN AND MILL STREET IN DOWNTOWN EAST JORDAN, THE 13 THOUSAND SQUARE FOOT BUILDING WILL HAVE THREE BUSINESS TENANTS.THE BLUE SMOKE RESTAURANT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED TO MOVE IN SOON WHILE THE OTHER TWO SPOTS WILL BE USED FOR RETAIL SHOPS. THE PROPERTY WAS PURCHASED IN 2014 BY CANNONBALL LLC, A LOCAL FAMILY OWNED DEVELOPMENT COMPANY.

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER MORE THAN TEN YEARS OF DEVELOPMENT, THE FIRST PHASE OF A MASSIVE NEW BIKE TRAIL WAS OFFICIALLY COMPLETED THIS MORNING IN YOUNG STATE PARK.BIKERS, HIKERS AND JOGGERS ALIKE ARE NOW WELCOME TO ENJOY THE FIRST THREE-POINT-TWO MILES OF THE BOYNE CITY TO CHARLEVOIX NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS AT TODAYS OPENING TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE ECONOMIC IMPACT THIS PROJECT COULD HAVE.

September 1, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

COMMISSIONERS ALSO TALKED ABOUT RATES AT HICKORY HILLS FOR THE UPCOMING WINTER SEASON GOOD NEWS FOR SKIERS - TONIGHT WE'RE TOLD PRICES WILL MOST LIKELY \*NOT\* BE GOING UP. THE PARKS AND REC SUPERINTENDENT SAYS \*LAST YEAR THEY RAISED THE PRICES BECAUSE THE SEASON WAS SHORTER THAN USUAL-- AND THEY NEEDED TO MAKE MORE MONEY.

September 1, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

THE TRAVERSE CITY PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION DECIDED NOT TO APPROVE FUNDS FOR A REMODEL OF THE TRAVERSE CITY SENIOR CENTER. TONIGHT.. THE SENIOR CENTER MANAGER ASKED THE COMMISSION TO CONSIDER USING MONEY FROM THE BROWN BRIDGE TRUST FUND FOR THE REMODEL.... BUT THE REQUEST WAS DENIED. SHE SAYS IT WILL COST AROUND 1-MILLION DOLLARS.RIGHT NOW THE SENIOR CENTER HAS A LITTLE MORE THAN 220-THOUSAND DOLLARS RAISED--AND THEY WERE HOPING THE CITY WOULD MATCH THAT AMOUNT.THEY ARE ALSO ABOUT STARTING A CAPITAL CAMPAIGN TO RAISE MORE MONEY.

September 2, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

YOU MAY BE ABLE TO FIND A SPOT ON THE BEACH THIS WEEKEND... BUT FINDING A CAMPSITE IS A DIFFERENT STORY.LABOR DAY WEEKEND IS ONE OF THE BUSIEST CAMPING WEEKEND OF THE YEAR. IN ORDER TO GET A SPOT - PEOPLE HAVE TO BOOKS MONTHS IN ADVANCE.TODAY WE'RE TOLD THE TRAVERSE CITY STATE PARK.. THE PETOSKEY, GAYLORD, LUDINGTON AND PERE MARQUETTE RIVER K-O-A'S ARE COMPLETELY FULL THIS WEEKEND.

September 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU MAY HAVE NOTICED DOWNTOWN TRAVERSE CITY SEEMS EVEN BUSIER THAN USUAL TODAY-- BUT THAT'S NOT ONLY BECAUSE IT'S A HOLIDAY WEEKEND BUT IT'S ALSO THE TRAVERSE CITY SALMON CLASSIC-- A CHERISHED LONG TIME TRADITION.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES HAS THE STORY

September 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IF YOU RECENTLY TRIED GETTING A SPOT AT A CAMPGROUND NEAR TRAVERSE CITY FOR THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND-- THEN YOU PROBABLY DIDN'T HAVE ANY LUCK. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES CHECKED OUT A COUPLE DIFFERENT CAMPGROUNDS AND FOUND OUT THAT MOST OF THEM HAVE BEEN FILLED UP FOR WEEKS.

September 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU CAN'T GO VERY FAR IN TRAVERSE CITY WITHOUT SEEING A "M-22" STICKER ON A CAR OR SOMEONE WEARING THE LOGO ON THEIR T-SHIRT.

AND THAT ICONIC SYMBOL IS THE SUBJECT OF A LEGAL BATTLE BETWEEN THE STATE AND THE M-22 STORE 7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN HAS BEEN DIGGING INTO THIS STORY ALL DAY



September 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CONSTRUCTION OF A LUCKY'S MARKET AT THE BUFFALO RIDGE CENTER IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY HAS BEEN DELAYED...FOLLOWING A FEUD BETWEEN DEVELOPERS AND GARFIELD TOWNSHIP LEADERS. THE DEVELOPERS OF THE IMAX THEATRE -- \*\*TRAVERSE CITY CENTER PARTNERS\*\* HAS FILED A COMPLAINT IN 13TH CIRCUIT COURT AGAINST THE TOWNSHIP -- FOLLOWING DISAGREEMENTS ON WHEN A BIKE PATH WAS SUPPOSED TO BE BUILT. THE BIKE PATH WAS PART OF ORIGINAL CONDITIONS FOR THE IMAX THEATRE PROJECT.NOW THE TOWNSHIP PLANNER IS WITHHOLDING THE PERMIT REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN ON THE LUCKY'S MARKET. TRAVERSE CITY CENTER PARTNERS PRINCIPAL -- JOE SARAFI SAYS THE LAWSUIT IS A LAST RESORT.

September 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BENZIE COUNTY IS ONE STEP CLOSER TO FINALIZING THEIR BUDGET FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR. THE BUDGET TOTALS MORE THAN 6-MILLION DOLLARS.LIKE MANY COUNTIES, BENZIE IS DEALING WITH DECLINING REVENUE AND HIGHER OPERATING COSTS.NOW COMMISSIONERS ARE ASKING DEPARTMENT HEADS TO TRIM MORE THAN 100-THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THEIR BUDGETS.THE COUNTY WILL USE 177-THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM ITS GENERAL FUND TO BALANCE NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET.

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CONSTRUCTION BUSINESS IS HOT RIGHT.. INCLUDING HERE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN.. BUT THE PROBLEM IS.. THERE AREN'T ENOUGH CONSTRUCTION WORKERS TO FILL THE HUNDREDS OF JOBS.7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPOKE WITH CONTRACTORS AND THE HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION..SHE JOINS US NOW LIVE IN THE STUDIO.. GABRIELLA.. HOW THEY ARE TRYING TO BUILD UP THE WORKFORCE?

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE OFFICIAL START OF FALL IS \*ALMOST\* HERE...AND THAT MEANS IT'S ALSO TIME FOR PUMPKINS! \*PAHL'S PUMPKIN PATCH\* IN BUCKLEY SAYS DESPITE THE DRY SUMMER...THE PUMPKIN CROP IS LOOKING REALLY GOOD THIS YEAR.PAHL'S DOES USE AN UNDERWATER IRRIGATION SYSTEM AT THEIR PUBLIC PUMPKIN PATCH BUT SAYS THE PUMPKINS AT THE LARGE FARM -- WHICH DO NOT RELY ON AN UNDERWATER SYSTEM...ARE LOOKING GOOD TOO. THEY HAVE 12 DIFFERENT VARIETIES OF PUMPKINS IN ALL DIFFERENT SHAPES -- SIZES -- AND COLORS AND OWNERS SAY SOME ARE READY TO PICK NOW!

September 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE PUSH TO CREATE \*WATER TRAILS\* ALL ACROSS MICHIGAN WAS THE TOPIC AS DOZENS OF STATE AND LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS GOT TOGETHER TODAY IN ANTRIM COUNTY.THE \*DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES\* ALONG WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS ARE WORKING ON A PLAN TO MARK THESE TRAILS.... MAKING THEM MORE ACCESSIBLE TO CANOERS OR KAYAKERS. THEY WILL ALSO BE PUTTING IN MORE ACCESS POINTS TO WATERWAYS AROUND THE STATE. THE SIGNS ALONG THEM WILL SHOW WHERE BOATERS CAN GET IN AND OUT OF THE LAKE AND THE DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY FOR CANOING OR KAYAKING..

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GOVERNOR SNYDER WAS IN CRAWFORD COUNTY TODAY TO TALK ABOUT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE TO NORTHERN MICHIGAN COMMUNITIES... SNYDER AND STATE SENATOR DARWIN BOOHER JOINED A ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION WITH LOCAL COMMUNITY LEADERS AND TALKED ABOUT WHAT THE AREA COULD USE MOST TO

BOLSTER ITS ECONOMY.THEY DISCUSSED THE BENEFITS OF BEING A PART OF THE "RISING TIDE" PROGRAM WHICH WAS CREATED BY THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TALENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. AMONG THE TOPICS DISCUSSED WERE CAREER TRAINING, AFFORDABLE HOUSING, AND TRANSPORTATION.THE GOVERNOR EVEN TOOK QUESTIONS FROM SOME GRAYLING FOURTH GRADERS

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LT. GOVERNOR BRIAN CALLEY WAS IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY TODAY BRINGING AWARENESS TO THE STATE'S GROWING CONSTRUCTION LABOR SHORTAGE.

\*CALLEY\* LED A NEWS CONFERENCE AT \*PATHWAY HOMES DEVELOPMENT\* HIGHLIGHTING HOW THE SHORTAGE IS IMPACTING THE HOME-BUILDING INDUSTRY. FOR GARY JURKOVICH, THE CEO OF PATHWAYS, FINDING SKILLED WORKERS IS A TOP PRIORITY.RIGHT NOW CALLEY SAYS THERE ARE HUNDREDS IF NOT THOUSANDS OF JOBS OUT THERE GOING UN-FILLED BECAUSE THERE'S JUST NOT ENOUGH QUALIFIED PEOPLE TO FILL THEM.

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE OLD CARMIKE HORIZON MOVIE THEATRE IN TRAVERSE CITY IS GETTING A FACE LIFT VERY SOON. THE OLD MOVIE THEATRE WILL BE HOME TO THE NEW \*LUCKY'S MARKET\*. LUCKY'S IS GROCERY STORE THAT SPEICALIZES IN WHAT THEY CONSIDER HEALTHIER FOODS.ORGANIZERS EXPECT TO BREAK GROUND BY THE END OF THE MONTH ONCE THE LAST FEW PERMITS ARE IN.

September 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A TEAM OF ENGINEERING PROFESSORS AND THEIR STUDENTS VISITED THE MIGHTY MAC TODAY TO INSTALL SOME BRAND NEW TECHNOLOGY.SEVERAL PROTOTYPE SENSORS WERE PLACED UNDERNEATH THE BRIDGE AND WILL BE TESTED FOR SEVERAL MONTHS.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS WITH THE TEAM TODAY.

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

\*SHORTS BREWING COMPANY\* JUST BROKE GROUND ON THE EXPANSION OF THEIR PRODUCTION FACILITY IN ELK RAPIDS. 7&4S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN ELK RAPIDS TODAY AND SPOKE WITH ONE OF THE PEOPLE IN CHARGE, WHO SAYS THIS WILL MAKE THEM A LOT MORE EFFICIENT. HE JOINS US IN THE STUDIO...RAPHAEL, WHAT KINDS OF CHANGES DID HE TELL YOU WE CAN EXPECT?

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CITY OF GAYLORD IS ABOUT A WEEK INTO A PROJECT THAT IS REBUILDING INFRASTRUCTURE AND ALSO BEAUTIFYING THE DOWNTOWN. THE SIDEWALK ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WEST MAIN STREET IN GAYLORD HAS BEEN TORN OUT TO REPLACE THE WATER MAIN, WHICH HAS HAD PROBLEMS IN RECENT YEARS. WHEN PUTTING IT BACK TOGETHER..... CITY OFFICIALS SAY THEY PLAN TO IMPROVE THE SIDEWALKS AND CURBS. THE PROJECT HAS A PRICE TAG OF ABOUT \*TWO-MILLION DOLLARS\* AND IS PRIMARILY BEING PAID FOR BY THE CITY OF GAYLORD.M-DOT AND OTSEGO COUNTY HAVE ALSO CHIPPED IN TO HELP WITH THE COST AND TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS WAS DONATED BY RESIDENTS.

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

DARGA WORKS INCORPORATED IS TRYING TO REZONE SOME PROPERTY LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF GARLAND AND UNION STREET THE REZONING WOULD SWITCH THE AREA

FROM C-4-A LAND TO C-4-B LAND... WHICH BASICALLY MEANS THE MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT WOULD GO FROM 45 FEET TO 60 FEET.THOMAS DARGA, THE C-E-O OF DARGA WORKS, SAYS THE CHANGE WOULD ALLOW MORE RESIDENTIAL UNITS TO BE BUILT.

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE EAST JORDAN IRON WORKS FOUNDRY WHICH HAS STOOD SINCE 1883 MAY BE ON THE MOVE TO A NEW HOME SOON. THE COMPANY ANNOUNCED PLANS THIS WEEK TO TRANSFER THE FOUNDRY TO A NEARBY LOCATION.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS IN EAST JORDAN TODAY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE POTENTIAL MOVE AND WHAT IT MEANS FOR THE COMPANY'S EMPLOYEES.

September 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU'VE PROBABLY SEEN TINY HOMES ON TV AND ONLINE, AND A TRAVERSE CITY MAN HAS SPENT THE LAST YEAR BUILDING HIS VERY OWN.BRIGGS CHAPMAN SAYS HE SPENT AROUND 20-THOUSAND DOLLARS AND COUNTLESS HOURS, REALIZING HIS DREAM OF OWNING HIS VERY OWN TINY HOME.HE GOT THE IDEA WHEN HE WAS LIVING IN A STUDIO APARTMENT AND NOTICED ALL THE WASTED SPACE.CHAPMAN SAYS NOW THE PLAN IS TO DRIVE HIS TINY HOME ACROSS THE COUNTRY SO HE CAN LIVE IN OREGON.

September 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY'S LOOMING 52-MILLION DOLLAR PENSION DEBT MAY BE WORSE THAN ORIGINALLY THOUGHT. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPOKE WITH THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR TODAY ON THESE FINDINGS. SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE ON HOW THIS HAPPENED.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 130-MILLION DOLLAR EXPANSION PROJECT AT SAINT MARY'S CEMENT COMPANY IS BRINGING MORE JOBS TO THE CHARLEVOIX AREA.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM CHARLEVOIX..

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

CONSTRUCTION ON THE HEADLANDS DARK SKY PARK'S NEW CONSERVATORY IS WELL UNDERWAY.7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN WAS THERE TODAY TO SEE THE STATUS OF THE PROJECT.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM THE PETOSKEY BUREAU.. WITH A CONSTRUCTION UPDATE... \*AND WHY OUTDOOR VIEWING \*TONIGHT MAY BE A SPECIAL EVENT.

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

HARVEST IS BEGINNING AT AREA WINERIES AND MANY GRAPE GROWERS IN LEELANAU COUNTY ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A GOOD HARVEST THIS YEAR.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT HAS BEEN IN THE VINES THIS AFTERNOON.

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

STATE OFFICIALS PLAN TO CUT DOWN OAK TREES ON NEARLY 2-THOUSAND ACRES OF STATE-MANAGED LAND. THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES SAYS OAKS IN KALKASKA COUNTY HAVE SUFFERED FROM DROUGHT, OLD AGE, AND GYPSY MOTH INFESTATION FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS.WE'RE TOLD ANY OF THE WOOD THAT IS IN GOOD CONDITION WILL BE SOLD.AS FAR AS REPLACING THE TREES - RED PINE WILL BE PLANTED ON AT LEAST 700 ACRES.

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MICHIGAN DRIVERS LISTEN UP.THERE'S A NEW BILL ON THE TABLE THAT COULD GIVE YOU MORE OPTIONS WHEN IT COMES TO YOUR MEDICAL COVERAGE FOR AUTO INSURANCE -- AND POSSIBLY LOWER YOUR RATES. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH THE REPRESENTATIVE INTRODUCING THIS BILL. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH TONIGHT'S FACT FINDER REPORT TO TELL US MORE ABOUT HOW IT \*\* COULD \*\* SAVE US SOME GREEN.

## **PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

### **HEALTH**

(Includes exercise, dieting, disease prevention, as well as new treatment options)

#### Local News

July 5, 2016

5:00-6:00pm

Time :30

WHEN IT COMES TO HEALTH AND WELLNESS IT CAN BE TOUGH ESPECIALLY WHEN YOU DON'T KNOW WHERE TO START.A COMMUNITY RESOURCE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN IS AIMING TO CHANGE THAT THEY'RE GOAL IS TO EDUCATE FAMILIES ON HEALTHY EATING HABITS AND ACTIVE LIFESTYLES. IN THIS MONTH'S YOUR HEALTH MATTERS 7&4'S MELISSA SMITH TELLS US ABOUT SHAPE-UP-NORTH.

July 12, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

WITH TODAY'S HIGH TEMPERATURS THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING IS REMINDING THEIR CLIENTS TO STAY SAFE IN THE HEAT. KEEPING FANS ON -- DRINKING PLENTY OF WATER -- AND WEARING LIGHT CLOTHING IF YOU MUST GO OUTSIDE... ARE SOME OF THE THINGS THAT CAN HELP -- ACCORDING TO THE COMMISSION. THE AIDS WHO MAKE HOME VISITS ARE TRAINED TO LOOK FOR SIGNS OF DEHYDRATION IN THEIR CLIENTS. BECAUSE MANY CLIENTS DO NOT HAVE AIR CONDITIONERS...DEPUTY DIRECTOR LAURA GREEN SAYS SENIORS CAN BE AT A VERY HIGH RISK ON HOT DAYS LIKE TODAY.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

A BOIL ORDER ADVISORY COULD IMPACT THE CITY OF GRAYLING FOR SEVERAL DAYS. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN CRAWFORD COUNTY TODAY TO SEE HOW THIS IS EFFECTING HOMES AND BUSINESSES.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO.

July 16, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

AN EMPLOYEE AT A METRO DETROIT CHILDREN'S DAY CAMP WHO WAS DIAGNOSED WITH BACTERIAL MENINGITIS -- HAS DIED. \*THE MACOMB DAILY\* OF MOUNT CLEMENS REPORTS THAT THE MACOMB COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONFIRMED 21-YEAR-OLD KRISTY MALTER'S DEATH SATURDAY IN A NEWS RELEASE.MALTER, OF SHELBY TOWNSHIP, WAS ADMITTED TO A HOSPITAL EARLIER THIS WEEK. SHE WORKED AT THE LIFETIME FITNESS

CAMP IN ROCHESTER HILLS, NORTH OF DETROIT. OAKLAND COUNTY HEALTH OFFICIALS SAID ROUGHLY 200 CHILDREN AGES 5-12 WHO ATTENDED THE CAMP BETWEEN JULY 1 AND MONDAY MAY HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO BACTERIAL MENINGITIS. PARENTS WERE BEING NOTIFIED MENINGITIS IS AN INFECTION OF THE FLUID SURROUNDING THE SPINAL CORD AND BRAIN. BACTERIAL MENINGITIS IS TRANSMITTED THROUGH CLOSE CONTACT, PRIMARILY EXCHANGING SALIVA. MOST PEOPLE WHO GET THE INFECTION RECOVER.

July 19, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

WE KNOW THAT TECHNOLOGY CAN AFFECT OUR EYES... AND OUR SLEEP ... BUT WHAT ABOUT OUR RELATIONSHIPS? A NORTHERN MICHIGAN THERAPIST SAYS ONE OF THE TOP THREE ISSUES COUPLES CAN IN TO GET HELP FOR IS... DIGITAL DEVICES AND THE IMPACT IT HAS ON THEIR INTIMACY. 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON THE DIGITAL DIVIDE.

July 21, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

TEMPERATURES DIPPED A BIT AS THOSE STORMS ROLLED THROUGH NORTHERN MICHIGAN, BUT THIS TIME OF YEAR, THE HEAT CAN BE A REAL THREAT TO OUR HEALTH. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER SPOKE WITH AN EMERGENCY PHYSICIAN EARLIER TODAY ABOUT SOME OF THE RISKS EXTREME HEAT CAN PRESENT AND HOW TO PROTECT OURSELVES. TOM JOINS US NOW FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE. TOM, WHAT SHOULD WE BE THINKING ABOUT WHEN THE TEMPERATURE GOES UP?

July 21, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

GRAND VALLED STATE UNIVERSITY NURSING STUDENTS ARE GETTING A UNIQUE EXPERIENCE THIS SUMMER ON BEAVER ISLAND. BUT IT'S ALSO CREATING BIG OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE HEALTH CENTER THERE. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI TOOK A TRIP TO THE ISLAND TO FIND OUT HOW. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH THE STORY. MEGHAN?

July 22, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

TODAY HAS BEEN HOT... AND WHILE MANY PEOPLE ARE CHOOSING TO STAY IN THE AIR CONDITIONING OR EVEN HEAD TO THE BEACH... OTHERS ARE OUT IN THE SUN FOR A LACROSSE TOURNAMENT. THE CHERRY BOMB LACROSSE TOURNAMENT IS GOING ON THIS WEEKEND... AND HEAT IS A BIG CONCERN FOR PLAYERS AND FANS. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH CHERRY BOMB LACROSSE TOURNAMENT STAFF.

July 24, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

GRAND VALLED STATE UNIVERSITY NURSING STUDENTS ARE GETTING A UNIQUE EXPERIENCE THIS SUMMER ON BEAVER ISLAND. AND IT'S ALSO CREATING BIG OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE HEALTH CENTER THERE. THE PARTNERSHIP IS ALL ABOUT A NEW INITIATIVE WITH G-V-S-U TO GIVE STUDENTS THE ABILITY TO LEARN ABOUT CHALLENGES IN HEALTHCARE -- WHILE ALSO PROVIDING CLINICS WITH SOME HELPING HANDS. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI TOOK A TRIP TO THE ISLAND TO FIND OUT HOW.

July 28, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

IT'S IMPORTANT TO TAKE CARE OF OUR HEALTH... BUT WHEN IT COMES TO THE DOCTOR... REPORTS SHOW... ONE GENDER IS FAR LESS LIKELY TO GO THAN THE OTHER. 7 & 4'S

COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON WHY IT'S HARD FOR SOME MEN TO SEE THE PHYSICIAN.

August 2, 2016

5:00-6:00pm

Time :30

THERE'S NEVER AN EASY WAY TO SAY GOODBYE TO A LOVED ONE WHEN END OF LIFE IS NEAR. THAT'S WHY MUNSON HEALTHCARE'S HOSPICE PROGRAM IS AVAILABLE TO HELP NOT ONLY PATIENTS BUT THEIR FAMILIES AS WELL. IN THIS MONTH'S YOUR HEALTH MATTERS, 7&4'S MELISSA SMITH TALKS ABOUT A NEED FOR MUNSON HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS AND THE IMPACT OF THE PROGRAM.

August 4, 2016

11:00-11:35pm

Time :30

AS WE GET FURTHER INTO AUGUST... IT'S TIME TO START THINKING ABOUT SENDING YOUR KIDS BACK TO SCHOOL AND THOSE FALL SPORTING EVENTS. ALONG WITH SPORTS COMES THE RISK FOR INJURIES AND EVEN CONCUSSIONS. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS IN CADILLAC THIS EVENING FOR A CONCUSSION CLINIC.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

MORE AND MORE RESTAURANTS AND STORES ARE OFFERING GLUTEN FREE OPTIONS. BUT WHEN IT COMES TO GLUTEN FREE.. WHAT GOES INTO MAKING THE PRODUCTS... AND THE PRICE YOU PAY FOR THEM? 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON THE BREAKDOWN OF THIS SPECIALTY ITEM.

August 5, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

THE CHIPPEWA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAS ISSUED A SWIMMER'S ITCH ADVISORY IN SAULT STE MARIE. OFFICIALS SAY SWIMMERS ITCH HAS BEEN FOUND ON THE SURFACE WATERS OF \*LAKE SUPERIOR\* NEAR SHERMAN PARK AND THE LAKESHORE SUBDIVISION. SWIMMERS ITCH IS AN ALLERGIC REACTION TO MICROSCOPIC PARASITES RELEASED INTO THE WATER FROM INFECTED SNAILS.. WHICH INFECTS SOME BIRDS AND MAMMALS. WE'RE TOLD CHILDREN ARE OFTEN AT A GREATER RISK TO GET THE SKIN RASH. ALL SWIMMERS ARE ADVISED TO TOWEL OFF IMMEDIATELY AFTER GETTING OUT OF THE WATER.

August 5, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

SWIMMERS AND PET OWNERS ARE BEING ASKED TO BE AWARE OF ALGAE BLOOMS ON LAKE CADILLAC. BLOOMS CAN APPEAR AS A FOAM, SCUM, OR MATS ON THE SURFACE OF THE WATER. THE BLOOMS ARE NATURALLY OCCURRING, BUT ACCORDING TO THE MICHIGAN SEA GRANT, THE BLOOMS CAN BECOME TOXIC AND HARMFUL TO PEOPLE AND PETS. LAWN FERTILIZERS, DISHWASHING DETERGENT AND MALFUNCTIONING SEPTIC SYSTEMS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO AN INCREASE IN HARMFUL BLOOMS SINCE THE 19-90S. KNOWING IF A BLOOM CONTAINS HARMFUL TOXINS CAN BE TOUCH, THE MICHIGAN SEA GRANT ADVISES PEOPLE TO STAY OUT OF THE WATER IF THERE SEEMS TO BE AN ABUNDANCE OF ALGAE.

August 11, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

AT LEAST TWO PEOPLE CAME DOWN WITH SWINE FLU AT THE MUSKEGON COUNTY FAIR LAST MONTH. AND ONE PIG BEING SHOWN WAS FOUND TO HAVE THE VIRUS. NEWS OF THE INFECTION HAS SPREAD TO OTHER FAIRS IN MICHIGAN. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER WAS AT THE WESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR IN MASON COUNTY TODAY.

August 14, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

AFTER SAYING NEARLY 80-THOUSAND GALLONS OF RAW SEWAGE WAS SPILLED INTO THE AU-SABLE RIVER... THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS IS NOW SAYING IT'S NOT NEARLY AS BAD AS THEY INITIALLY THOUGHT.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WENT TO GRAYLING TODAY TO FIND OUT WHAT REALLY HAPPENED.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

AS A PARENT... MANY OF US TRY AND FIND WAYS TO REACH OUT AND CONNECT WITH OUR CHILDREN... AND A CRISIS CENTER IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN IS DOING THE SAME THING. 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON HOW TEENS AND ADULTS ARE GETTING HELP... THROUGH TEXT COUNSELING.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

A NEW COMMUNITY CPR TRAINING CLASS BROUGHT DOZENS OF PEOPLE TO MACLAREN NORTHERN MICHIGAN HOSPITAL IN CHEBOYGAN COUNTY TODAY THE FREE CLASS IS PART OF A NEW PROGRAM FROM THE HOSPITAL TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ON BASIC RESUSCITATION TECHNIQUES.PARTICIPANTS WERE TAUGHT LIFE SAVING SKILLS SUCH AS CPR.. AND ALSO THE HEIMLICH MANEUVER.HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WERE ON HAND TO DEMONSTRATE HOW TO HELP ADULTS, CHILDREN, INFANTS AND PREGNANT WOMEN IN AN EMERGENCY.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

BIRTHDAY PARTY THEMES...BUT ONE LOCAL WOMAN WANTED TO DO SOMETHING totally DIFFERENT? MARIAN SAUR DECIDED THAT INSTEAD OF HAVING A 'REGULAR' PARTY SHE WANTED TO CELEBRATE HER 75TH BIRTHDAY BY HOSTING A BLOOD DRIVE.IT WAS AT THE MAIN LIBRARY IN TRAVERSE CITY SAUR IS A VOLUNTEER AND DONOR WITH \*MICHIGAN BLOOD\*--A NON PROFIT BLOOD BANK. SHE SAYS SHE HOPES TO GET 75 DONORS IN HONOR OF HER TURNING 75.THE EVENT TOOK PLACE TODAY FROM 10AM UNTIL 4PM...AND WILL CONTINUE TOMORROW AT THE SAME TIME

August 22, 2016

5:00-6:00PM

Time :30

TIME NOW FOR ANOTHER EDITION OF ASK THE PHARMACIST... MARK THOMPSON FROM THOMPSON PHARMACY IS LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH US.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

PEOPLE IN NEED BY OFFERING WALK-IN HOURS WEEK. THE STEHOUWER FREE CLINIC IN CADILLAC USUALLY TAKES APPOINTMENTS FOR SERVICES.BUT AT A SPECIAL EVENT TOMORROW STAFF IS OFFERING TO TAKE PATIENTS ON A WALK-IN BASIS FROM FIVE TO EIGHT P-M.OFFICIALS HOPE OPENING THE DOORS FOR THIS EVENT WILL INTRODUCE MORE PEOPLE TO THE HELP AVAILABLE IN THEIR COMMUNITY.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

FLU SEASON IS STILL A COUPLE OF MONTHS AWAY -- BUT DOCTORS AT MUNSON MEDICAL CENTER SAY THEY'RE ALREADY PREPARING. FLU SEASON IS EXPECTED TO HIT IN LATE FALL OR EARLY WINTER -- BUT MUNSON SAYS EMPLOYEES WILL BE VACCINATED IN OCTOBER. RIGHT NOW...THEY'RE PREPARING TO SCREEN AND VACCINATE PATIENTS AS EARLY AS NEXT WEEK. THE STRAINS WE NEED TO BE AWARE OF THIS YEAR ARE \*H-1-N-1\* AND \*H-3-N-2\*. THE CDC RECOMMENDS THAT PEOPLE START VACCINATING IN OCTOBER...OR SOONER IF NECESSARY.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

THE CADILLAC AREA Y-M-C-A IS NOW OFFERING FREE MEMBERSHIP TO ANY SEVENTH GRADER.THREE YEARS AGO, THEY STARTED GIVING FREE MEMBERSHIPS TO SEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS IN CADILLAC SCHOOLS.NOW WITH DONATIONS FROM THE CADILLAC AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, MERCANTILE BANK AND AN ANONYMOUS DONOR THEY ARE OFFERING IT TO SEVENTH GRADERS FROM ANY SCHOOL.THE ONLY REQUIREMENT IS THAT THEY USE THE MEMBERSHIP AT LEAST FOUR TIMES A MONTH. WE ASKED THEM WHY THEY DECIDED TO CHOOSE SEVENTH GRADERS...

August 31, 2016

5:00-6:00pm

Time :30

THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS HAS JUST ISSUED A BOLD STATEMENT REGARDING CHILD IMMUNIZATIONS.THE ORGANIZATION SAYS NON-MEDICAL EXEMPTIONS SHOULD BE ELIMINATED ACROSS THE COUNTRY. CHRISTINE VANTIMMEREN TALKED WITH EXPERTS ABOUT WHAT THIS STATEMENT MEANS FOR PEDIATRICIANS.SOME SPECIALISTS SAY... IT'S A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

September 2, 2016

5:00-6:00pm

Time :30

A GROUP OF CANCER SURVIVORS TURNED THE TOWN TEAL TODAY IN DOWNTOWN ELK RAPIDS.THEY TIED TEAL RIBBONS AROUND LAMP POSTS AND PASSED OUT INFORMATION ON THE DISEASE ABOUT TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND WOMEN ARE DIAGNOSED WITH OVARIAN CANCER EACH YEAR...AND THERE IS NO TEST FOR EARLY STAGES, JUST THE SYMPTOMS

September 10, 2016

11:00-11:35pm

Time :30

DOZENS OF PEOPLE CAME OUT TODAY TO THE TRAVERSE CITY CIVIC CENTER TO.... WELL... WALK AND TALK.SOUNDS PRETTY SIMPLE, BUT THE ORGANIZER OF THE \*SUICIDE PREVENTION WEEK WALK AND TALK\* IN TRAVERSE CITY, SAYS IT MAKES A HUGE DIFFERENCE.THIS MORNING WAS THE 4TH YEAR THEY'VE HELD THIS EVENT. HOW IT WORKS IS... PEOPLE WHO HAVE LOST LOVED ONES TO SUICIDE, COME TOGETHER TO SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER.SHALENE SOMMER SAYS THIS EVENT IS ESPECIALLY MEANINGFUL TO HER.

September 13, 2016

11:00-11:35pm

Time :30

A HEALTH CLINIC IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY IS GEARING UP TO SERVE MORE PEOPLE. TRAVERSE HEALTH CLINIC IN TRAVERSE CITY IS GETTING CLOSER TO OPENING THE DOORS OF ITS NEW FACILITY.A CELEBRATION WAS HELD TONIGHT AT FOX GRAND TRAVERSE.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT'S WAS AT THE OPEN HOUSE PARTY. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO. ALLISON-WHAT WAS THE PARTY FOR?

September 14, 2016

11:00-11:35pm

Time :30

MILLIONS OF AMERICANS ACROSS THE COUNTRY HAVE BEEN HIT HARD BY THE SKYROCKETING COST OF EPINEPHRINE AUTOINJECTORS, OR AS THEY'RE MORE COMMONLY KNOWN, EPIPENS. AND THEY'RE CRUCIAL FOR ANYONE WHO SUFFERS FROM SEVERE ALLERGIES THAT CAN CAUSE ANAPHALAXTIC SHOCK.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS A SPECIAL FACT FINDER REPORT TONIGHT ON HOW A GROWING NUMBER OF PEOPLE RIGHT HERE IN MICHIGAN ARE TURNING TO A SURPRISING SOURCE TO GET AROUND THIS HIGH PRICED PROBLEM.

September 16, 2016



6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

IF YOU DON'T HAVE ANY PLANS THIS WEEKEND.. HOW ABOUT GETTING SOME FREE DENTAL WORK? LAKEWINDS DENTAL CENTRE IN LUDINGTON IS HOSTING IT'S 3RD ANNUAL DENTISTRY FROM THE HEART EVENT THIS SATURDAY.DENTAL STAFF WILL BE VOLUNTEERING THEIR TIME TO DO FREE CLEANINGS.. FILLINGS.. AND EXTRACTIONS FOR PEOPLE OVER THE AGE OF 18.REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 7:30 A-M.. AND WILL BE DONE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS.WE'RE TOLD THE OFFICE IS GUARANTEEING THE FIRST 50 PATIENTS WILL BE SEEN.

September 22, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

A NORTHERN MICHIGAN HOSPITAL IS GEARING UP FOR A MULTIMILLION DOLLAR RENOVATION AND EXPANSION PROJECT. OTSEGO MEMORIAL HOSPITAL IN OTSEGO COUNTY IS MEETING WITH THE PUBLIC TONIGHT TO DISCUSS ITS PLANS.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH HOSPITAL STAFF ABOUT THE PROJECT.SHE JOINS US LIVE IN GAYLORD. ALLISON?

September 25, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

NORTHERN MICHIGAN NURSES ARE BEING TAUGHT ABOUT THE EFFECTS OF CANNABIS IN THE HUMAN BODY.TODAY \*PATIENTS OUT OF TIME\* HELD AN EVENT AT THE N-M-C HAGERTY CENTER IN TRAVERSE CITY TO DISCUSS THE ROLE OF MEDICINAL MARIJUANA. THE ORGANIZATION FOCUSES ON EDUCATING HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS AND THE PUBLIC ABOUT THERAPEUTIC CANNABIS. THE PRESIDENT OF THE ORGANIZATION SAYS EVERY PART OF THE PLANT CAN BE A USEFUL-- AND HOPES TO SEE IT BECOME MORE ACCESSIBLE.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

THERE'S A BIG POSITION UP FOR GRABS AT MUNSON HEALTHCARE CHARLEVOIX HOSPITAL. THE C-E-O, LYN JENKS, HAS ANNOUNCED SHE IS RETIRING. MS. JENKS BEGAN WORKING FOR CHARLEVOIX AREA HOSPITAL FOUNDATION IN 2005 AND WAS APPOINTED CEO OF THE HOSPITAL IN 2012. BOARD MEMBERS SAY JENKS HAS PLAYED A BIG ROLE IN IMPROVING THE HOSPITAL'S FINANCIAL CONDITION, AND STRATEGIC AND OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE.WE'RE TOLD THE SEARCH PROCESS WILL LIKELY BEGIN WITHIN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS AND MAY TAKE UP TO SIX MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

WITH OCTOBER BEING BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH, MANY EVENTS ARE TAKING PLACE THROUGHOUT NORTHERN MICHIGAN.INCLUDING A SHOWING OF TWO SHORT FILMS AND A PANEL DISCUSSION ON MONDAY AT THE STATE THEATER IN TRAVERSE CITY. BOTH FILMS TELL THE STORY OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH BREAST CANCER AND DEALING WITH THE STRUGGLES THAT COME WITH IT. A PANEL OF CANCER EXPERTS AND A BREAST CANCER SURVIVOR WILL BE PRESENT TO ANSWER QUESTIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE.

September 30, 2016

6:00-6:30pm

Time :30

CANCER IS AN ILLNESS THAT AFFECTS MOST PEOPLE IN SOME SHAPE OR FORM-- AND THERE ARE MANY SUPPORT GROUPS THROUGHOUT NORTHERN MICHIGAN TO HELP PEOPLE DEAL WITH IT. THE YOUNG SURVIVAL COALITION IS A NEW GROUP IN TRAVERSE CITY FOR WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER UNDER THE AGE OF 40.ORGANIZERS SAY THE PURPOSE OF THE GROUP IS TO MAKE IT EASY FOR WOMEN, WHO ARE GOING THROUGH A SIMILAR SITUATION, TO FIND EACH OTHER.

## PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

### *EDUCATION*

(including education standards, school safety, and alternative schools)

#### Local News

July 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE WILL BREAK GROUND ON A \*8-POINT-EIGHT MILLION DOLLAR\* STUDENT HOUSING AND FITNESS CENTER NEXT WEEK.CONSTRUCTION WILL BEGIN JULY 11TH ON THE 140 BED HOUSING FACILITY LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EAST HALL ON N-M-C'S FRONT STREET CAMPUS.THIS IS THE FIRST STUDENT HOUSING BUILD ON CAMPUS IN MORE THAN 40 YEARS THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETE BY AUGUST OF 20-17.N-M-C STUDENT HOUSING HAS BEEN AT CAPACITY FOR THREE YEARS.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A COUPLE OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN NEWLYWEDS DECIDED TO MAKE THEIR BIG DAY... A DAY OF DONATIONS.KRISTY AND VINCE TOMCZAK GOT MARRIED THIS PAST WEEKEND ON JULY 2ND..AND INSTEAD OF TRADITIONAL WEDDING GIFTS... THE COUPLE ASKED THEIR GUESTS TO BRING SCHOOL SUPPLIES!WE'RE TOLD THEY GAVE THEIR GUESTS A WISH LIST CREATED BY STAFF AT THE TRAVERSE HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.THE GIFTS INCLUDED EVERYTHING FROM BACKPACKS.. TO COLORING SUPPLIES... TO SHOES, CLOTHES, AND BOOKS!WHEN WE ASKED THEM WHY THEY DECIDED TO DO THIS... THE ANSWER WAS SIMPLE.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE LAKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT IS RENEWING HIS CALLS FOR THE COMMUNITY TO HELP PAY FOR NEW SECURTIY MEASURES IN THE COUNTY'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS. BALDWIN SCHOOLS RECENTLY INSTALLED BOOTS ON EVERY DOOR IN THEIR SCHOOL BUILDINGS. THE TOTAL COST..ABOUT 27-THOUSAND DOLLARS. NOW, LAKE COUNTY'S SHERIFF IS HOPING THE COMMUNITY WILL HELP OFF-SET THAT COST BY ADOPTING DOORS.THE SHERIFF SAYS THE GOAL OF THE BOOT DEVICE IS SIMPLE.

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE ROSCOMMON COUNTY CLERK HAS RECEIVED A PETITION.. CALLING FOR THE REMOVAL OF THREE HOUGHTON LAKE SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS.THE PETITION IS TO PLACE THE ISSUE ON THE NOVEMBER THIRD BALLOT.IN JUNE THE FORMER SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNED UNEXPECTEDLY.MEANWHILE - SOME WANT TO BRING BACK BRENT CRYDERMAN. THE SCHOOL BOARD NOW HAS TEN DAYS TO APPEAL.IF THE APPEAL HAPPENS... THE COURTS WILL HAVE 40 DAYS TO REVIEW THE FILE AND MAKE A DECISION ON THE ISSUE.

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE LEADERS BROKE GROUND TODAY ON THEIR FIRST STUDENT HOUSING COMPLEX SINCE 19-73. THE \*8-POINT-EIGHT MILLION DOLLAR\*

ADDITION TO CAMPUS WILL HAVE 140-BEDS AND A FITNESS CENTER.THE NEW HOUSING WILL BE BUILT ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EAST HALL ON N-M-C'S FRONT STREET CAMPUS. N-M-C'S PRESIDENT \*TIM NELSON\* SAYS THE ADDITION HAS BEEN A LONG TIME COMING.

July 12, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

\*SERRA OF TRAVERSE CITY\* PRESENTED CAMP QUALITY OF MICHIGAN A CHECK THIS AFTERNOON FOR 8-THOUSAND DOLLARS. THE MONEY CAME FROM THE DOLLARS RAISED AT A 5-K RUN THE DEALERSHIP HELD SEVERAL MONTHS AGO. CAMP QUALITY IS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROVIDES FREE PROGRAMS TO KIDS WITH CANCER. THEY SERVE FAMILIES ALL OVER THE STATE... INCLUDING AT THEIR LOCATION IN LAKE ANN.

July 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FOR MANY PARENTS... IT'S IMPORTANT TO ESTABLISH CHORES AND CERTAIN TASKS FOR THEIR CHILDREN...BUT WHAT AGE DO THEY START THE PHYSICAL LABOR AND.... WHEN THEY DO... WHAT WORK SHOULD YOU GIVE THEM?7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON AGE-APPROPRIATE RESPONSIBILITIES FOR YOUR KIDS.

July 13, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

STUDENTS FROM ACROSS THE WORLD ARE IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN THIS SUMMER... TO GET THEIR PILOT LICENSES. IT'S PART OF NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE'S AVIATION PROGRAM. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT SPOKE WITH SOME OF THE FOREIGN STUDENTS. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO.ALLISON- WHAT ARE THEY LEARNING?

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

A SPECIAL MUSICAL GROUP WAS IN TRAVERSE CITY TONIGHT FOR A PERFORMANCE AT KIRKBRIDE HALL AT THE GRAND TRAVERSE COMMONS.THE \*BLUE LAKE INTERNATIONAL\* JAZZ ORCHESTRA IS A 16-PIECE ORCHESTRA.IT'S MADE UP OF 16 MUSICIANS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 15 AND 23.THE STUDENT MUSICIANS PLAY BIG BAND AND JAZZ CLASSICS. BLUE LAKE IS BEST KNOWN FOR THE FINE ARTS CAMP LOCATED IN MUSKEGON COUNTY.

July 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SCIENTISTS AT CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY'S BEAVER ISLAND BIOLOGICAL STATION ARE CELEBRATING FIFTY YEARS OF RESEARCH AND DISCOVERY THIS WEEK.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS AT THE ISLANDS OPEN HOUSE TO SPEAK WITH THE BIO STATIONS STAFF ABOUT THEIR PAST SUCCESSES AND WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS FOR THE GREAT LAKES THEY HOPE TO PROTECT.

July 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHEN THE PETOSKEY NORTHMEN TAKE THE FIELD FOR THEIR FIRST FOOTBALL GAME NEXT MONTH, THEY'LL HAVE A BRAND NEW STADIUM TO CALL HOME. NORTHMEN STADIUM IS CURRENTLY HAVING ITS SYNTHETIC FIELD TURF INSTALLED THE NEARLY FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLAR STADIUM WILL ALSO BE PUT TO USE BY THE SCHOOLS SOCCER TEAM, LACROSSE CLUB AND MARCHING BAND.THE STADIUM, WHICH IS BEING BUILT RIGHT IN BETWEEN PETOSKEYS HIGH SCHOOL AND MIDDLE SCH, WAS PAID FOR BY BONDS AND NUMEROUS COMMUNITY DONATIONS.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE SOUND OF PADS THUMPING AGAINST ONE ANOTHER HAS RETURNED TO BOYNE CITY HIGH SCHOOL. THERE WAS NO GAME TODAY BUT INSTEAD A SPECIAL FOOTBALL CLINIC

WAS HELD FOR PLAYERS AND COACHES.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS ALSO OUT ON THE FIELD TODAY TO SEE HOW CLINIC IS HELPING PLAYERS ENJOY THE SPORT THEY LOVE IN THE SAFEST WAY POSSIBLE.

July 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

COUNSELING WAS PROVIDED FOR STUDENTS AT KINGSLEY HIGH SCHOOL TODAY-- FOLLOWING THE TRAGIC DEATH OF A FELLOW CLASSMATE.HALEY ELIZABETH STEVENS -- WHO WOULD HAVE BEEN A SENIOR THIS YEAR -- AND AUDREY ELIZABETH FISCHER WERE KILLED AFTER THEIR CAR WAS HIT BY A SEMI TRUCK ON THURSDAY.SCHOOL COUNSELORS SAY ITS IMPORTANT FOR STUDENTS TO TAKE THE TIME TO GRIEVE THE LOSS .

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MORE KIDS IN OTSEGO COUNTY WILL HAVE FOOD FOR THE WEEKEND THIS YEAR.AND IT'S ALL THANKS TO A 5-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT FROM \*GREAT LAKES ENERGY'S PEOPLE FUND\* THE OTSEGO COUNTY BACKPACK PROGRAM FILLS 250-BACKPACKS A WEEK WITH NUTRITIOUS FOOD FOR KIDS TO TAKE HOME EVERY WEEKEND.STAFF WITH THE PROGRAM SAY 20-PERCENT OF THE COUNTY NEEDS FOOD ASSISTANCE AND THIS GRANT WILL HELP THEM -- HELP OTHERS IN NEED.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS MILLAGE IS UP FOR RENEWAL TOMORROW IN PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY AND OFFICIALS THERE ARE HOPING TO SEE IT GET THE GREEN LIGHT. THE MILLAGE PAYS TO KEEP LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN AND AROUND THE COUNTYS SCHOOL DISTRICTS.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON LOOKS AT WHAT THE MILLAGE HAS BEEN PAYING FOR AND WHY LAW ENFORCEMENT THINKS IT IS IMPORTANT.

August 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE TRAVERSE CITY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET TOMORROW NIGHT AT 6.THE BOARD IS EXPECTED TO DISCUSS THE POSSIBLE DONATION TO KEEP \*OLD MISSION PENINSULA SCHOOL\* UP AND RUNNING.SUPERINTENDENT PAUL SOMA SAYS.... THEY'VE CONFIRMED THAT THE POTENTIAL \*800-THOUSAND DOLLAR\* ANONYMOUS DONATION IS VALID.TOMORROW NIGHT'S MEETING COULD DETERMINE THE DISTRICT'S NEXT STEP IN EITHER CLOSING OR KEEPING THE SCHOOL OPEN.THE BOARD WILL ALSO DISCUSS A PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR THE OLD LONG LAKE SCHOOL PROPERTY

August 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE IS TRYING TO ADVANCE NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION THE COLLEGE REQUESTED A FACT FINDING ANALYSIS. THAT MEANS A NEUTRAL. AND STATE-APPOINTED REPRESENTATIVE WOULD COME IN AND CREATE A NON-BINDING REPORT ON THE REMAINING DISPUTES. WE'RE TOLD NMC REQUESTED THE FACT FINDING BECAUSE FACULTY BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVES HAVE ADVISED THE COLLEGE THAT THE BARGAINING UNIT MEMBERS WILL LIKELY REJECT ITS LAST PROPOSAL.NMC BELIEVES PUBLICIZING THE FACTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS WILL HELP BOTH PARTIES FIND COMMON GROUND.

August 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN... TRAVERSE CITY PATRIOT GAME T-SHIRTS ARE OFFICIALLY ON SALE STARTING TODAY.IT'S A FOOTBALL GAME THAT PITS T-C WEST AND T-C CENTRAL AGAINST EACH OTHER... BUT THE RIVALS COME TOGETHER TO SUPPORT

LOCAL VETERANS. PART OF HOW THEY DO THAT IS BY SELLING THESE T-SHIRTS.THIS YEAR, STUDENT ARTISTS COMPETED FOR THE WINNING DESIGN.THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WILL BE WEARING T-C WEST'S KEIRRA TRUDEAU'S T-SHIRT. THE TEAMS WILL HIT THE FIELD ON SEPTEMBER 9TH.YOU CAN BUY YOUR SHIRT AT BILL MARSH AUTO... FOX MOTORS... SERRA OF TRAVERSE CITY... WILLIAMS CHEVY AND NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE.

August 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MEMBERS OF THE TC WEST PERCUSSION SESSION STEPPED OFF FOR THEIR SECOND ANNUAL DRUM-A-THON EVENT THIS MORNING.THE 12-HOUR GIG STARTED AT THE GRAND TRAVERSE COMMONS... AND WILL TAKE THEM TO FIVE DIFFERENT SPOTS IN TRAVERSE CITY.. ENDING AT THE OPEN SPACE DOWNTOWN.STUDENTS TELL US IT'S NOT JUST ABOUT HITTING DRUMS NON-STOP.. BUT THERE ARE A VARIETY OF INSTRUMENTS BEING PLAYED.

August 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PAPER, PENCILS, FOLDERS... THERE ARE JUST SOME OF THE BASIC BACK TO SCHOOL ESSENTIALS FOR STUDENTS... BUT WHEN THE BACK-TO-SCHOOL PREP IS ALL SAID AND DONE.. IT CAN REALLY ADD UP!SO TODAY HUNDREDS OF FAMILIES CAME OUT TO VAN CITTERS (KITTERS) FIELD IN SAULT STE MARIE FOR THE SIXTH ANNUAL PROJECT BACKPACK EVENT.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS THERE TALKING WITH PARENTS AND STUDENTS ABOUT HOW THE EVENT HELPS PREPARE KIDS FOR CLASSROOM SUCCESS.

August 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NORTHERN MICHIGAN BANK HAS TEAMED UP WITH A TRAVERSE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT TO HELP COLLECT SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR THE NEW YEAR.TRAVERSE CITY STATE BANK IS USING PART OF IT'S \*\*PAY UP TO DRESS DOWN\*\* PROGRAM TO COLLECT THE MUCH NEEDED SUPPLIES FOR TRAVERSE CITY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS. THE BANK IS COLLECTING EVERYTHING KIDS AND TEACHERS COULD NEED TO START THE SCHOOL YEAR OFF RIGHT INCLUDING THINGS LIKE PENS -- PENCILS -- NOTEBOOKS -- GLUE AND SCISSORS. ORGANIZERS SAY THEY WANTED TO HELP OUT FAMILIES THAT MAY NOT BE ABLE TO AFFORD ALL OF THE NECESSARY SUPPLIES.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MARION PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD HAS VOTED 6 TO 1 TO HIRE AN OUTSIDE COMPANY TO MANAGE THE DISTRICT'S BUS DRIVERS.THE DECISION WAS MADE TUESDAY... AFTER A CONTENTIOUS PUBLIC INFORMATION BATTLE BETWEEN THE DISTRICT'S SUPERINTENDENT.. AND THE MICHIGAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER WAS IN MARION TODAY HE JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BACK TO SCHOOL IS QUICKLY APPROACHING FOR MANY STUDENTS... AND SOME ARE MAKING HUGE TRANSITIONS. 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON WHAT PARENTS - AND STUDENTS - NEED TO KNOW AS THEY SAY GOODBYE TO HIGH SCHOOL AND HEAD OFF TO COLLEGE.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SCHOOL IS RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER.. AND NOW WE NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE SURE STUDENTS AND CLASSROOMS ARE STOCKED WITH THE SUPPLIES THEY NEED.7&4 NEWS IS PARTNERING WITH SEVERAL LOCAL SCHOOLS AND BUSINESSES FOR THREE SUPPLY DRIVES

THIS WEEK.ON WEDNESDAY... WE'LL BE AT CADILLAC JUNIOR HIGH STUFFING THE BUS WITH SCHOOL SUPPLIES. THEN ON THURSDAY... WE'LL BE COLLECTING ITEMS FOR PETOSKEY SCHOOLS AT SUBARU BY THE BAY ON U-S 31.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE OPENED ITS DOORS TODAY TO WELCOME STUDENTS TO ITS NEW GRAYLING HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER.LOCATED JUST OFF OF I 75....THE NEW BUILDING FEATURES INTERACTIVE CLASSROOMS, A SURGICAL TECH ROOM, CONFERENCE CENTER, AND NEW SIMULATOR TECHNOLOGY. THEY OFFER CLASSES LIKE NURSING AND SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY ALONG WITH GENERAL EDUCATION. THE BUILDING IS DESIGNED TO REPLICATE A REAL HOSPITAL EXPERIENCE.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHILE YOU MAY BE FOCUSING ON BACK TO SCHOOL SHOPPING, ONE MICHIGAN LAWMAKER IS FOCUSING ON INTRODUCING A NEW GRADUATION REQUIREMENT FOR YOUR KIDS.ONE STATE REP WANTS KIDS TO PASS AN AMERICAN GOVERNMENT EXAM BEFORE THEY GRADUATE HIGH SCHOOL. OUR POLITICAL REPORTER NICK MINOCK JOINS US NOW FROM LANSING TO EXPLAIN.. NICK?

August 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BACK-TO-SCHOOL IS QUICKLY APPROACHING... AND PARENTS AREN'T THE ONLY ONES MAKING SURE EVERYTHING IS READY FOR THE FIRST DAY. THAT'S RIGHT... \*BUS DRIVERS\* HAVE THE IMPORTANT RESPONSIBILITY OF MAKING SURE OUR KIDS TO GET TO AND FROM SCHOOL SAFELY. AND TODAY... THEY WERE TRAINED ON HOW TO BE READY FOR AN EMERGENCY. 7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN SAW FIRST-HAND... HOW THEY'RE PREPARING.

August 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AND THE TRAVERSE CITY SUNRISE ROTARY WANTS TO MAKE SURE YOUR STUDENT IS PREPARED WITH BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS AT SABIN ELEMENTARY WHERE VOLUNTEERS ARE FILLING BACKPACKS FOR STUDENTS.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE NOW LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AWAY FROM THE START OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.. AND IT'S IMPORTANT THAT EVERY CHILD HAS THE SUPPLIES THEY NEED FOR A SUCCESSFUL YEAR IN THE CLASSROOM. THIS WEEK 7&4 NEWS HAS PARTNERED WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS GIVING YOU THE CHANCE TO HELP OUT KIDS IN YOUR COMMUNITY... 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM THE STUFF A BUS EVENT IN WEXFORD COUNTY.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FOOTBALL SEASON IS FINALLY HERE. AND WHILE THE FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON IS ALWAYS AN EXCITING ONE.. TONIGHT THE PETOSKEY NORTHMEN AND THE COMMUNITY HAVE AN \*EXTRA REASON TO BE EXCITED.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM PETOSKEY'S NEW.. 15-MILLION DOLLAR STADIUM...

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THIS WEEK 7&4 NEWS HAS BEEN PARTNERING WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS TO MAKE SURE KIDS HAVE WHAT THEY NEED FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR. TODAY'S SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE IS BEING HELD AT SUBARU BY THE BAY.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS THERE RIGHT NOW...

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SUMMER BREAK IS WINDING DOWN AND IT'S TIME TO START THINKING OF HEADING BACK TO SCHOOL.THIS WEEK 7&4 NEWS HAS BEEN PARTNERING WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS AND HOLDING SUPPLY DRIVES TO PREPARE KIDS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR...AND TODAY IS THE LAST DAY. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS AT TRAVERSE CITY STATE BANK ON GRANDVIEW PARKWAY FOR ITS SUPPLY DRIVE.

August 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AN ANONYMOUS DONATION FROM A NON-PROFIT COMMUNITY GROUP COULD HELP KEEP A GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY SCHOOL OPEN.TRAVERSE CITY AREA SCHOOLS AND PENINSULA TOWNSHIP MET TONIGHT FOR A SPECIAL MEETING TO HEAR MORE ABOUT THE PLAN. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS AT THE MEETING WHERE RESIDENTS EXPRESSED THEIR THOUGHTS. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FRIDAY NIGHT WILL BE CONSIDERABLY QUIETER THIS FALL IN BENZIE COUNTY. COACHES AT BENZIE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL TOLD THEIR VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM LAST NIGHT THAT THEIR SEASON IS OVER BEFORE IT REALLY BEGAN.7&4'S TOM KRAMER SPOKE WITH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS, COACHES, AND PLAYERS TODAY.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

STUDENTS... FACULTY AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY ARE TEST DRIVING VEHICLES TODAY TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE \*TRAVERSE BAY AREA CAREER TECH CENTER\*. TBA-ISD IS PARTNERING WITH FOX GRAND TRAVERSE IN AN EFFORT TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE SCHOOL FOR EVERYONE WHO TEST DRIVES A VEHICLE AND AND FILLS OUT A SURVEY... FORD WILL DONATE 20-DOLLARS... UP TO 6-THOUSAND-DOLLARS.THE MONEY CAN BE USED FOR THINGS LIKE SPORTS... BOOSTER CLUBS... AND MUSIC PROGRAMS.YOU CAN TEST DRIVE ONE OF THE 11-FORD VEHICLES AT THE CAREER TECH CENTER UNTIL 7 P-M.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MANTON SCHOOL STUDENTS WILL BE SEEING AN UPGRADE THIS YEAR WITH NEW IPADS AND CHROME BOOKS AS PART OF THE CURRICULUM.THIS YEAR FIFTH THROUGH TWELFTH GRADERS WILL EACH HAVE A TABLET.MONEY FROM A BOND MANTON VOTERS APPROVED WILL PAY FOR THE TABLETS.TWO YEARS AGO, KINDERGARTEN THROUGH FOURTH GRADERS RECEIVED TABLETS, THANKS TO A STATE GRANT.NOW THAT THOSE STUDENTS WHO ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE TECHNOLOGY ARE MOVING UP, THE SCHOOLS DECIDED TO PROVIDE THEM FOR THE OLDER GRADES.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MEANWHILE - EAST JORDAN IS ONE OF THE COMMUNITIES TAKING PART IN THE NATIONWIDE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROJECT.THE PROGRAM WAS LAUNCHED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.IT'S DESIGNED TO MAKE ROUTES SAFER FOR KIDS WHO HAVE TO WALK TO SCHOOL.LAST YEAR, M-DOT GAVE EAST JORDAN A 396-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT TO IMPROVE INTERSECTIONS NEAR THE MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL. NOW THERE ARE NEW SIDEWALKS, TRAFFIC SIGNAGE, CROSS WALKS

AND STORM DRAINS.A RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY WILL BE HELD AT 9 O'CLOCK TOMORROW MORNING.

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S THE ONLY LICENSED SCHOOL OF ITS KIND... IN THE ENTIRE STATE. THE GREAT LAKES BOAT BUILDING SCHOOL IN THE EASTERN U-P TEACHES STUDENTS HOW TO MAKE WOODEN BOATS. INSTRUCTORS TEACH WOOD WORKING.. BASIC DESIGN.. AS WELL AS TRADITIONAL AND MODERN BOAT BUILDING TECHNIQUES.THE SCHOOL GOT STARTED WITH THE HELP OF SOME RESIDENTS WHO SAW A NEED TO HELP THE LOCAL ECONOMY DURING THE WINTER MONTHS.

September 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL IS NOW IN THE BOOKS FOR MANY STUDENTS IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

STUDENTS ALL ACROSS THE REGION STEPPED OFF TO CLASS TO START A NEW YEAR THIS MORNING. AT EASTERN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN TRAVERSE CITY... STUDENTS EAGERLY PACKED INSIDE THE CLASSROOMS. WHILE SOME OF THE DAY WAS SPENT WORKING ON MATH AND OTHER SUBJECTS - LUNCHTIME INCLUDED TIME TO CATCH UP WITH FRIENDS.

September 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AND WHILE MANY OF THOSE STUDENTS WERE PROBABLY SENT HOME WITH THEIR FIRST HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT... SOME STUDENTS IN TEXAS WERE NOT.. AND THEY WON'T BE FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR!THE TEACHER'S NEW HOMEWORK POLICY WENT VIRAL IN AUGUST.IT'S SAYS STUDENTS WILL \*ONLY\* HAVE HOMEWORK.. IF THEY DON'T FINISH AN IN-CLASS ASSIGNMENT. IN TONIGHT'S NEW PERSPECTIVE 7&4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SET OUT TO SEE WHAT TEACHERS AND STAFF IN YOUR AREA THINK ABOUT THE POLICY.

September 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MAYBE YOU HAVE A SON OR DAUGHTER, OR EVEN A GRANDSON OR GRANDDAUGHTER THAT PLAYS SPORTS AT SCHOOL. WELL, WHAT WOULD IT MEAN TO THEM IF THAT SPORT GOT CANCELED? YET ANOTHER NORTHERN MICHIGAN SCHOOL HAS CANCELLED ITS FOOTBALL SEASON.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES MET UP WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SUTTONS BAY SCHOOLS TODAY.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO - RAPHAEL.. WHY DID THE SCHOOL DECIDE TO DO THIS

September 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT IS THE NIGHT OF A TRAVERSE CITY FOOTBALL RIVALRY THAT HONORS THOSE WHO SERVED FOR OUR COUNTRY. IT'S THE 5-TH ANNUAL TRAVERSE CITY PATRIOT GAME BETWEEN CENTRAL AND WEST HIGH SCHOOLS 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WILL BE AT TONIGHT'S GAME.

September 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GRAND TRAVERSE AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS TODAY KICKED OFF ITS CAMPAIGN TO BUILD A NEW 12 MILLION DOLLAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN TRAVERSE CITY AS 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES TELLS US-THE CAMPAIGN IS ALREADY OFF TO A GOOD START

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30



FAMILY, STUDENTS AND FACULTY CAME OUT TO HONOR A LONGTIME NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE PROFESSOR TODAY.TODAY WAS THE MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR \*SONJA OLSHOVE\* AT THE HAGERTY CENTER IN TRAVERSE CITY.OLSHOVE WAS FOUND DEAD ON A GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY BEACH LAST SUNDAY.THOSE WHO KNEW OLSHOVE FROM N-M-C SAY... THEY CAN'T BELIEVE THAT SHE IS REALLY GONE.

September 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A LOCAL GROUP IS \*NOT HAPPY\* AFTER THEY SAY... THEIR FLAG HONORING 9/11 VICTIMS WAS TAKEN DOWN AT NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE. MAGUIRE WARD SAYS.... SECURITY GUARDS TOOK DOWN THE FLAG THEY ADDED TO N-M-C'S DISPLAY TODAY. THE GROUP SAYS... WHILE THEY NEVER GOT PERMISSION FROM THE COLLEGE TO CHANGE THE FLAG DISPLAY... THEY ARE DISAPPOINTED THAT THEIRS WAS REMOVED.

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A POPULAR MANISTEE COUNTY COACH SAYS.. HE'S THE VICTIM OF A WITCH HUNT AFTER THE SCHOOL BOARD VOTED TO NOT RENEW HIS CONTRACT.7&4'S TOM KRAMER SPOKE WITH THE COACH AND THE SUPERINTENDENT OF MANISTEE AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS TODAY. HE JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.TOM, WHAT LED TO THE SCHOOL BOARD'S DECISION?

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

REGISTERING TO VOTE JUST GOT EASIER FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS THROUGHOUT MICHIGAN.A SECRETARY OF STATE \*MOBILE OFFICE\* WAS AT \*FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY\* TODAY AS PART OF A STATE WIDE INITIATIVE TO GET MORE COLLEGE KIDS TO THE POLLS. WITHIN 20 DAYS, THE MOBILE REGISTRATION WILL TOUR 18 COLLEGE CAMPUSES.ONE STUDENT TODAY SAYS IT WAS AN EXTREMELY EASY PROCESS..

September 14, 2016

5:00-6:00PM

Time :30

STUDENTS AT FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY NOW HAVE ACCESS TO AN EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRY.THE PANTRY OPENED UP AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SEMESTER, AND IS LOCATED INSIDE THE WESLEY HOUSE RIGHT OFF CAMPUS.THE DIRECTOR OF THE PANTRY SAYS THEY DECIDED TO TAKE ON THIS CHALLENGE WHEN THEY REALIZED SOME STUDENTS CAN'T AFFORD BASIC ESSENTIALS TO MAKE IT THROUGH THE SCHOOL YEAR.SO FAR, IN THE FIRST MONTH THEY'VE HELPED ABOUT A HALF DOZEN STUDENTS.

September 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

EVERY YEAR THOUSANDS OF STUDENTS IN THE GRAND TRAVERSE AREA QUALIFY FOR FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH PROGRAMS..BUT THAT ONLY PROVIDES THEM WITH ONE MEAL ON SCHOOL DAYS.NOW - THE FATHER FRED FOUNDATION IN TRAVERSE CITY IS WORKING TO FIX THE PROBLEM.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WENT TO THEIR EVENT TODAY AND JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM THE FATHER FRED FOUNDATION...

September 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

33 NINTH GRADERS WERE CHOSEN FOR A NEW \*COMMITMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM\* IN MANISTEE COUNTY.IT'S PART OF THE \*LAUNCH MANISTEE\* INITIATIVE. OVER THE NEXT FOUR YEARS.... THE STUDENTS WILL PARTICIPATE IN A VARIETY OF EVENTS ALL GEARED TOWARD PREPARING THEM AND THEIR FAMILIES, TO LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL. AFTER GRADUATION... THE STUDENTS WILL BE ABLE TO GO TO \*WEST SHORE COMMUNITY COLLEGE\* TUITION FREE.... FOR 60 CREDITS OR THREE YEARS.

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME HELP CAME TODAY FOR MISSAUKEE COUNTY STUDENTS IN NEED.A-T-&-T DROPPED OFF 30 BACKPACKS FULL OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES TODAY AT MCBAIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL JUST AS SCHOOL GOT UNDERWAY THIS MORNING.THERE ARE BACKPACKS FOR KIDS IN KINDERGARTEN THROUGH THIRD GRADE, AND THEN FOURTH GRADE AND UP. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF MCBAIN SCHOOLS SAYS HE'S NOTICED AN INCREASE IN THE POPULATION OF AT RISK STUDENTS IN THE DISTRICT.

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S A TOPIC OF CONCERN WHETHER FACE-TO-FACE OR ON THE INTERNET - BULLYING. A RECENT STUDY HAS RANKED MICHIGAN AS THE WORST STATE WHEN IT COMES TO BULLYING PROBLEMS.IN A NEW PERSPECTIVE REPORT... 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS LEARNED MORE ABOUT THE STUDY AND SPOKE WITH LOCAL SCHOOLS ABOUT WHAT THEY DO TO TEACH THEIR STUDENTS GOOD BEHAVIOR.

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S HOMECOMING NIGHT IN LEELANAU COUNTY.BUT TONIGHT'S BIG GAME WON'T BE PLAYED BY THE FOOTBALL TEAM BUT RATHER THE SUTTONS BAY NORTH BAY SOCCER TEAM. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS AT THE HOMECOMING FESTIVITIES TONIGHT.

September 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME STUDENTS IN CHIPPEWA COUNTY ARE GIVING THANKS TO AREA LAW ENFORCEMENT. A GROUP OF STUDENTS AT ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL IN SAULT STE. MARIE MEET EACH WEEK DURING LUNCH TO DO COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS.THIS WEEK THEY CREATED GOODIE BAGS TO HAND OUT TO TROOPERS WITH THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE. THE SWEET TREATS INSIDE EACH BAG HAD A SPECIFIC MESSAGE TO GO ALONG WITH THEM SHOWING SUPPORT AND RESPECT FOR WHAT POLICE DO EVERY DAY FOR THEIR COMMUNITY. THE SIXTH THROUGH EIGHTH GRADERS MAKE UP THE "SEEK YE FIRST" GROUP.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY NURSING STUDENTS ARE GETTING A UNIQUE EXPERIENCE IN LEELANAU COUNTY. FOR THE FIRST TIME -- THE MEDICINE LODGE HAS OPENED ITS DOORS TO ALLOW THESE NURSING STUDENTS TO COME IN -- AND LEARN ABOUT RURAL AND TRADITIONAL MEDICINE. IN A SPECIAL REPORT...7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI WENT TO THE MEDICINE LODGE AND SPOKE WITH A STUDENT WHO IS GOING THROUGH THE PROGRAM.

September 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A SMALL COMMUNITY OUTREACH CLUB RUN BY STUDENTS IS MAKING A BIG DIFFERENCE IN THE SOO COMMUNITY.THE CLUB IS CALLED SEEK YE FIRST AND MEETS DURING THE LUNCH HOUR AT SAINT MARY'S SCHOOL.THIS WEEK A GROUP OF 15-STUDENTS IS WORKING ON A NEW PROJECT.THEY'RE CUTTING HUNDREDS OF STRIPS OF CLOTH FOR PRISONERS AT KINROSS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.FROM THERE, THE INMATES WILL TIE THE STRIPS INTO HUNDREDS OF CHEW TOYS FOR THE ANIMALS AT THE CHIPPEWA COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER.

September 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THIS FRIDAY TRAVERSE CITY WEST VARSITY FOOTBALL IS SCHEDULED TO PLAY AN AWAY GAME AT BENTON HARBOR... LAST WEEK BENTON HARBOR WAS PLAYING AN AWAY GAME AT WYOMING GODWIN HEIGHTS WHEN THERE WERE REPORTS OF POSSIBLE GUNSHOTS OR FIREWORKS AND THE STADIUM WAS PLACED ON LOCKDOWN. SAYS THE GAME WILL ON AS PLANNED AGAINST BENTON HARBOR. TCAPS ADMINISTRATORS SAY THEY SPOKE WITH M-H-S-A-A AND BENTON HARBOR ATHLETIC DIRECTORS. THEY'VE DETERMINED THERE IS NO REASON FOR THEM TO CANCEL THE GAME OR TO BE CONCERNED.

September 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IN HONOR OF \*NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY\* TODAY... A TWO DAY REGISTRATION DRIVE IS BEING HELD AT NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE. THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS IN GRAND TRAVERSE AND LEELANAU COUNTIES SPENT HOURS REGISTERING VOTERS ON CAMPUS TODAY.CLERKS FROM BOTH COUNTIES SAY... MAKING SURE THE YOUNGER GENERATION HAS A VOICE IN THIS HISTORIC ELECTION IS IMPORTANT.

September 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A THREE-YEAR TENTATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED BETWEEN TRAVERSE CITY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND IT'S TEACHERS. THE AGREEMENT BEGINS SEPTEMBER 1ST 2017 AND RUNS THROUGH AUGUST 31ST 2020. IT INCLUDES A ONE-POINT-FIVE PERCENT INCREASE IN PAY EACH YEAR AS WELL AS STEP INCREASES -- ALONG WITH NEW INSURANCE PLANS THAT ARE EXPECTED TO SAVE EMPLOYEES SOME MONEY. SUPERINTENDENT PAUL SOMA SAYS THIS AGREEMENT WILL NOT ONLY BENEFIT TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATION...IT WILL ALSO BENEFIT THE STUDENTS.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NORTHERN MICHIGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RECEIVED A HUGE HONOR THIS AFTERNOON.. KINGSLEY ELEMENTARY IS ONE OF ONLY A \*FEW HUNDRED\* PUBLIC SCHOOLS ACROSS THE COUNTRY TO BE NAMED A \*\* 2016 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE\*\*. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI WAS THERE THIS AFTERNOON AS THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE TO THE STUDENTS AND STAFF....

September 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

STUDENTS AT TRAVERSE CITY WEST HIGH SCHOOL ARE DOING THEIR PART FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH. THE T-C WEST PINK GAME IS AN ANNUAL FOOTBALL GAME USED TO BRING AWARENESS TO BREAST CANCER. YOU CAN BUY A T-SHIRT OR SWEATSHIRT TO HELP SUPPORT THE CAUSE A PORTION OF THE MONEY RAISED GOES TOWARDS RESEARCH.

## **PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

### ***CRIME & SAFETY***

(Including crime prevention, alcohol and drug abuse, fire safety and police conduct)

## Local News

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FIVE PEOPLE ARE BEHIND BARS AFTER AN UNDERCOVER DRUG INVESTIGATION BY THE TRAVERSE NARCOTICS TEAM. A 51-YEAR-OLD MAN WAS ARRESTED FOR SELLING DRUGS TO AN UNDERCOVER DETECTIVE AT A HOME OFF M-22 IN LEELANAU COUNTY T-N-T SAYS WHEN THEY SEARCHED THE HOME THEY FOUND SEVERAL GRAMS OF HEROIN AND ABOUT 15-HUNDRED DOLLARS IN CASH.THEY ALSO ARRESTED A MAN AND WOMAN FROM TRAVERSE CITY WHO WAS INSIDE THE HOUSE. THE INVESTIGATION THEN LED T-N-T OFFICERS TO THE TURTLE CREEK CASINO WHERE THEY BEGAN SURVEILANCE ON A MAN FROM DETROIT. DETECTIVES SAY THEY ARRESTED THE MAN AND A WOMAN WITH HIM ON AFTER STOPPING HIS CAR WHEN HE LEFT THE CASINO.

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE D-J WHO IS NOW BANNED FROM TORCH LAKE... IS TAKING HIS FOURTH OF JULY BASH TO A DIFFERENT NORTHERN MICHIGAN LAKE THIS WEEKEND. \*D-J FADE\* POSTED AN EVENT ON FACEBOOK PROMOTING THREE DAYS OF NON-STOP PARTYING ON WIXOM LAKE IN MIDLAND COUNTY.ACCORDING TO THE POST - IT'S HAPPENING AT PONTOON ALLEY - JULY 2ND THROUGH THE 4TH - FROM NOON TO DUSK - ALL THREE DAYS. DJ FADE IS BANNED FROM TORCH LAKE FOR FIVE YEARS.. AFTER PROMOTING A HUGE EVENT THAT DREW THOUSANDS TO THE TORCH LAKE SAND BAR LAST FOURTH OF JULY.

July 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

RIGHT NOW WE'RE TAKING YOU BACK TO THE TRAVERSE WOODS APARTMENTS IN PETOSKEY. WHERE MICHAEL GORDON HAS MORE DETAILS ON A FIRE THAT HAS BEEN IN PROGRESS SINCE JUST AFTER TWO THIS AFTERNOON. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN THERE SHORTLY SINCE AFTER THE FIRE BROKE OUT.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW WITH MORE DETAILS - MICHAEL WHAT DO WE KNOW?

July 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LAW ENFORCEMENT IN EMMET COUNTY ARE LOOKING FOR MORE INFORMATION IN RELATION TO THREE POSSIBLE ATTEMPTED CHILD ABDUCTIONS IN PETOSKEY.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT.... IS IN PETOSKEY.

July 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE HAVE CONTINUING COVERAGE TONIGHT OUT OF LEELANAU COUNTY WHERE CREWS ARE SEARCHING FOR A SWIMMER WHO WENT UNDER THE WATER IN BIG GLEN LAKE IT IS A STORY YOU FIRST SAW HERE ON 7 & 4 NEWS AT FIVE.7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN IS AT A COMMAND CENTER THAT HAS BEEN SET UP AT A BOAT LAUNCH SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW...GABBY WHAT IS THE VERY LATEST.

July 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A MANISTEE COUNTY MAN IS BEHIND BARS... AFTER HIS GIRLFRIEND SAYS... SHE FOUND NUDE PICTURES OF HER CHILD ON HIS CELL PHONE. IT'S A CASE BEING HANDLED BY MULTIPLE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR \*VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO\* IN MANISTEE.

July 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

OFFICERS WITH THE PETOSKEY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY ARE FOLLOWING LEADS IN A STRING OF ATTEMPTED CHILD ABDUCTIONS. POLICE SAY... ON JUNE TWENTY-

EIGHTH... AN UNKNOWN WHITE MALE STOPPED A YOUNG FEMALE AND TRIED TO GET HER INTO HIS CAR. HE'S ABOUT 50 YEARS OLD... WITH MEDIUM LENGTH BLONDE BEARD. HE WAS DRIVING A RED SUV TYPE VEHICLE.SINCE THEN.... TWO MORE YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE BEEN APPROACHED BY MEN MATCHING THE SAME DESCRIPTION.. BUT WITH A DIFFERENT VEHICLE. AUTHORITIES SAY THE INCIDENTS MAY BE CONNECTED.

July 6, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

CENTRAL DISPATCH SERVICES COULD SOON BE CHANGING IN WEXFORD COUNTY.THE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HAD A MEETING TONIGHT WHERE THEY DISCUSSED NEW OPTIONS OF CARRYING OUT SERVICE 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS AT THE COMMISSION MEETING TONIGHT AND SPOKE WITH THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR.

July 6, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

IT'S BEEN IN THE WORKS FOR YEARS... BUT THE NEW WEXFORD COUNTY JAIL IS A STEP CLOSER TO BEING BUILT.THE WEXFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AWARDED A BIDDER TONIGHT.GRANGER CONSTRUCTION... WHICH IS A LANSING BASED COMPANY... WAS AWARDED THE PROJECT OUT OF 8 TOTAL BIDDERS.THE NEW JAIL WILL BE LOCATED ON LINCOLN STREET IN CADILLAC.CURRENTLY THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR SAYS THE OLD JAIL IS OVERCROWDED WITH AROUND 30-BEDS... BUT THE NEW JAIL WILL HAVE 158-BEDS.

July 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHETHER YOU'RE AT THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL OR ANY CROWDED PLACE.... THERE'S A FEW THINGS POLICE SAY \*YOU\* CAN DO TO HELP KEEP YOUR CHILDREN SAFE IF YOU GET SEPARATED. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPOKE WITH PARENTS AND OFFICERS ON HOW THEY'RE PREPARED FOR THE WORST CASE SCENARIO.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

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July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TRAVERSE CITY POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING SEVERAL ASSAULTS THAT TOOK PLACE THIS WEEK TARGETING PEOPLE IN THE HOMELESS COMMUNITY. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH INVESTIGATORS.

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A MECOSTA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS ADDED ANOTHER MEMBER TO ITS CREW - AND IT'S IN THE FORM OF A DRONE.BIG RAPIDS TOWNSHIP FIREFIGHTER CHRIS LONDON DID SOME RESEARCH AND WAS ABLE TO GET A GRANT FROM TRANS-CANADA CORPORATION TO GET TWO DRONES FOR THE DEPARTMENT.HE SAYS IT CAN BE USED TO GET AN OVERHEAD VIEW OF STRUCTURE FIRES... WILD LAND FIRES... HAZMAT SCENES... AND SEARCH AND RESCUE MISSIONS.LONDON SAYS THEY'RE THE FIRST FIRE DEPARTMENT IN MICHIGAN WITH A DRONE NOW.

July 12, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

OFFICIALS SAY MULTIPLE VIOLENT INCIDENTS THAT BROKE OUT AT KINROSS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.. MAY BE RELATED TO PRISON GANGS. WE'RE TOLD SEVERAL INMATES GOT INTO A FIGHT... WHICH LEAD TO A PRISON SERGEANT AND AT LEAST ONE INMATE GETTING STABBED.THE PRISON WAS PLACED ON LOCKDOWN.. AND NEARLY 20 INMATES HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED TO OTHER FACILITIES.BOTH VICTIMS INJURED IN THE FIGHT ARE EXPECTED TO BE OKAY.

July 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THREE DOWNSTATE KAYAKERS APPARENTLY DIDN'T HEAR THAT WARNING. THEY SPENT NEARLY AN HOUR IN LAKE MICHIGAN BEFORE BEING RESCUED THIS AFTERNOON IN LEELANAU COUNTY.THE HIGH WINDS AND HIGH WAVES SENT A FATHER, HIS DAUGHTER AND HIS SON-IN-LAW INTO THE WATER OFF LEE POINT JUST SOUTH OF SUTTONS BAY.THE THREE HAD LIFE PRESERVERS AND A CELL PHONE AND CALLED 911 FOR HELP.

July 12, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

TODAY, BERRIEN COUNTY AUTHORITIES ANNOUNCED THE INMATE WAS HANDCUFFED IN THE FRONT WHEN HE SHOT THE TWO BAILIFFS.NOW - AS AUTHORITIES ACROSS THE STATE GRIEVE FOR THEIR LOSS... SOME ARE ALSO LOOKING TO LEARN FROM IT.IN MACKINAC COUNTY - DEPUTIES SAY DETAILS FROM THE BERRIEN COUNTY INVESTIGATION COULD CHANGE THE WAY THEY MOVE INMATES AUTHORITIES SAY THE MOST DANGEROUS PARTS OF AN INMATE TRANSFER IS WHEN MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE NEARBY AND WHEN THEY ARE OUTSIDE BETWEEN THE JAIL AND THE COURTHOUSE. EVEN NON-VIOLENT INMATES HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO MAKE ESCAPE ATTEMPTS COMING BACK TO JAIL FROM THE COURTHOUSE AFTER RECEIVING SENTENCES THEY DON'T AGREE WITH.

July 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SINCE THE TRAGEDY BOTH HERE IN MICHIGAN AND IN DALLAS... THE GRAND TRAVERSE SHERIFF'S OFFICE HAS RECEIVED A GREAT DEAL OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT FROM THE COMMUNITY. CARDS.. NOTES.. EVEN BAKED GOODS HAVE BEEN SENT IN OR DROPPED OFF FROM DIFFERENT BUSINESSES AND CITIZENS THANKING LAW ENFORCEMENT FOR THEIR SERVICES. CAPTAIN CHRIS CLARK SAYS THE SUPPORT IS A GREAT REMINDER.

July 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE WILL SOON HAVE A GREATER PRESENCE IN ONE NORTHERN MICHIGAN COUNTY THERE WAS A TIME WHEN TWO STATE POLICE TROOPERS WORKED OUT OF THE HONOR DETACHMENT IN BENZIE COUNTY THAT ENDED A FEW YEARS AGO, FOLLOWING A REORGANIZATION OF THE STATE POLICE.PLAN TO BRING A TROOPER BACK TO HONOR IS WELCOMED BY BENZIE COUNTY'S SHERIFF WHO HOPES THE TROOPER WILL ALLOW HIM TO

HAVE ROAD PATROLS 24 HOURS A DAY.CURRENTLY, THERE ARE NO DEPUTIES ON THE ROADS FROM 3 AM TO 7 AM.

July 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT WE'RE LEARNING MORE ABOUT NEW SECURITY MEASURES THAT \*COULD BE COMING\* TO THE EMMET COUNTY BUILDING IN PETOSKEY THE PROSECUTOR WHO PROPOSED THE CHANGES SAYS.... HIS PROPOSAL WASN'T BECAUSE OF THE BERRIEN COUNTY SHOOTINGS.. BUT IT DID CREATE A SENSE OF URGENCY.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON EXPLAINS.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GOVERNOR RICK SNYDER HAS SIGNED A PAIR OF BILLS AIMED AT PROTECTING VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE.THE BILLS ALLOW DOMESTIC ABUSE VICTIMS TO LEGALLY SEPARATE THEIR CELL PHONE PLAN FROM AN ABUSER. ALL THEY HAVE TO HAVE IS AN ORDER FROM A JUDGE PRIOR TO THIS LAW-A VICTIM WHO WAS NOT THE PRIMARY ACCOUNT HOLDER COULD NOT CUT THE PLAN WITHOUT THE ABUSERS CONSENT.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY CHAIRWOMAN ARRESTED FOR DRUNK DRIVING IS SPEAKING UP TONIGHT. CHRISTINE MAXBAUER RELEASED A STATEMENT TO 7&4 NEWS FOLLOWING HER ARREST.. SHE SAYS. "I WOULD LIKE TO SINCERELY APOLOGIZE TO MY FAMILY, MY FRIENDS, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY TO MY CONSTITUENTS AND THE PUBLIC AT LARGE FOR MY ACTIONS OF JULY 7.I AM DISTRAUGHT OVER WHAT HAS OCCURRED BUT I AM FULLY PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE CONSEQUENCES OF MY ACTIONS, WHATEVER THEY MAY BE..." SHE GOES ON TO SAY SHE'S THANKFUL FOR THE KIND WORDS OF SUPPORT AND COMPASSION FROM THE GRAND TRAVERSE COMMUNITY.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE LOCKDOWN AT KINROSS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IN THE UPPER PENINSULA IS NOW LIFTED. WE'RE TOLD THE FACILITY WENT ON LOCKDOWN EARLIER THIS WEEK AFTER SEVERAL INMATES GOT INTO A FIGHT... LEADING TO A PRISON SERGEANT AND AN INMATE GETTING STABBED.OFFICIALS SAY THE FIGHTS MAY BE RELATED TO PRISON GANGS.NEARLY 20 INMATES HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED TO OTHER FACILITIES.

July 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT'S BEEN MORE THAN 10-YEARS LEELANAU COUNTY'S EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS HAVE BEEN UPGRADED-BUT THAT COULD CHANGE SOON.COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR \*CHET JANIK\* SAYS THE PROBLEM IS TECHNOLOGY HAS CHANGED QUITE A BIT SINCE THEN AND THE COUNTY NEEDS TO CATCH UP.TO COMMUNICATE BEST -- HE SAYS EVERYONE HAS TO BE ON THE SAME WAVELENGTH... LITERALLY. AND THAT MEANS NEW FIELD RADIOS AND SEVERAL OTHER ITEMS.IT'LL COST THE COUNTY ABOUT 3-POINT-2 MILLION DOLLARS BUT \*JANIK\* SAYS IT'S A NECESSITY BECAUSE MOST OF THEIR EQUIPMENT IS OUTDATED AND COSTLY TO REPAIR.

July 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

COMMISSIONER CANDIDATE \*ALISA KROUPA\* HAS TAKEN THE POKEMON PHRASE -- 'GOTTA CATCH THEM ALL' TO A WHOLE NEW LEVEL SHE'S OFFERING A 25-HUNDRED DOLLAR REWARD TO ANYONE WHO CATCHES PEOPLE VANDALIZING POLITICAL SIGNS.\*KROUPA IS RUNNING FOR GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY COMMISSIONER THIS TERM. AND GET THIS, SHE'S SPECIFICALLY ASKING FOR HELP FROM 'POKEMON GO' PLAYERS. SHE SAYS WITH THE

RECENT POPULARITY OF THE APP, AND HOW IT REQUIRES PLAYERS TO ADVENTURE AROUND TOWN, WHY NOT USE IT FOR A GREATER PURPOSE.

July 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT INVESTIGATORS ARE WORKING TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE MAN WHO SHOT AND KILLED THREE OFFICERS IN BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA. POLICE SAY THE OFFICERS WERE RESPONDING TO A CALL OF SHOTS FIRED WHEN THEY WERE AMBUSHED AT A GAS STATION. THREE OTHERS WERE HURT THE RECENT DEATHS IN LOUISIANA FOLLOW A DEADLY MONTH FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPOKE WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT FROM ACROSS NORTHERN MICHIGAN TO GET THEIR REACTION TO THE RECENT SHOOTINGS.

July 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

CADILLAC'S POLICE DEPARTMENT IS SHIFTING GEARS A BIT. THEY ARE STARTING A NEW FOCUS ON COMMUNITY POLICING. CADILLAC'S POLICE CHIEF SAYS THE INITIATIVE WILL ALLOW HIS OFFICERS TO HAVE MORE CONTACT, AND THEREFORE A STRONGER CONNECTION, TO THE NEIGHBORHOODS THEY SERVE. IN FACT, PART OF THE PROGRAM WILL ASSIGN TO EACH OFFICER A GEOGRAPHIC AREA OF THE CITY. THAT OFFICER WILL BE THE CONDUIT BETWEEN THAT AREA'S RESIDENTS AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

July 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A MANTON INTERSECTION IS NOW SAFER THANKS TO SOME UPGRADES AT A RAILROAD CROSSING. THE CROSSING ... LOCATED ON EAST 14 ROAD NEAR 131 HAS GATES AND HAZARD SIGNALS FOR THE FIRST TIME. THE UPGRADES WERE INSTALLED ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO. MANTON'S MAYOR SAYS... THE INTERSECTION WAS CONSIDERED HIGH RISK - - AND ONLY HAD A YIELD SIGN TO WARN DRIVERS OF A POSSIBLE TRAIN. A WOMAN WAS KILLED IN 20-15 WHEN HER CAR WAS HIT BY A TRAIN... AND THE MAYOR SAYS THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL OTHER CRASHES AND DEATHS THERE.

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

MORE THAN TWO DOZEN NORTHERN MICHIGAN LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES WILL BE GATHERING IN CADILLAC TOMORROW FOR A TRAINING EXERCISE. \*THE NORTHERN MICHIGAN MUTUAL AID EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM\* TEAMED UP WITH WOLVERINE POWER COOPERATIVE TO MAKE THE TRAINING POSSIBLE. IT WILL TAKE PLACE BEGINNING AT 9-AM AT THE VACANT WOLVERINE POWER FACILITY BUILDING LOCATED OFF OF WATERGATE ROAD. ABOUT 60 OFFICERS AND EMT'S WILL TRAIN ON HOSTAGE NEGOTIATIONS -- ACTIVE SHOOTER SCENARIOS -- BUILDING ENTRY -- PERIMETER SECURITY -- AND OTHER EMERGENCY RESPONSE TACTICS.

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

THE LEELANAU COUNTY PROSECUTOR IS TAKING OVER CHRISTINE MAXBAUER'S CASE. PROSECUTOR BOB COONEY FILED A PETITION... ASKING FOR A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR TO TAKE OVER. MAXBAUER WAS ARRESTED ON JULY 7TH AFTER POLICE SAY SHE HIT A PARKED CAR ON WEST FRONT STREET IN TRAVERSE CITY. WE'RE TOLD THE CHAIRWOMAN BLEW TWICE THE LEGAL LIMIT ON A BREATH TEST.

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

AN ONTARIO WOMAN ACCUSED OF KILLING A YOUNG MAN FROM THE U-P IN A DRUNK DRIVING CRASH HAS ENTERED A PLEA. STACY LINKLATER PLEAD NO CONTEST TO OPERATING UNDER THE INFLUENCE CAUSING DEATH. HER TRIAL WAS SUPPOSED TO START TOMORROW. DEPUTIES SAY.. LAST DECEMBER.. LINKLATER HIT ANOTHER CAR HEAD-ON



IN CHIPPEWA COUNTY. 19-YEAR-OLD JARED BARAGWANATH WAS KILLED. LINKLATER WILL BE SENTENCED IN SEPTEMBER.

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

SEVERAL THEFTS HAVE BEEN HAPPENING IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY. AND FOR ONE INTERLOCHEN WOMAN... A SENTIMENTAL PIECE OF JEWELRY WAS TAKEN FROM HER AND SHE'S OFFERING A REWARD TO GET IT BACK.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO.

July 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

AS REPUBLICANS NOMINATE DONALD TRUMP FOR PRESIDENT.... MICHIGAN STATE POLICE ARE IN CLEVELAND... HELPING KEEP THE PEACE. OUR POLITICAL REPORTER NICK MINOCK JOINS US FROM THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION.

July 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GAYLORD WOMAN -- WHO IS H-I-V POSITIVE -- IS NOW BEING CHARGED FOR ALLEGEDLY SOLICITING SEX VIA CRAIGSLIST.7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPOKE WITH THE INVESTIGATOR AND THE PROSECUTOR ON THE CASE.SHE JOINS US NOW LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE.GABRIELLA DO WE KNOW HOW MANY PEOPLE RESPONDED TO THE AD?

July 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

OFFICERS FROM ALL OVER NORTHERN MICHIGAN TOOK PART IN A LARGE TRAINING EXERCISE TODAY IN WEXFORD COUNTY.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN THE MIDDLE OF IT ALL\_RAPHAEL, WHAT WAS IT LIKE TO SEE THE ACTION UPCLOSE?

July 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TOP LEVEL INTELLIGENCE EXPERTS WILL BE IN TRAVERSE CITY THIS SUNDAY TO DISCUSS THE THREAT OF TERRORISM COVENANT DEFENSE IS BRINGING IN A FORMER U-S GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL AND A POLITICAL ANALYST FROM ISRAEL TO TALK ABOUT THE REAL IMPACT OF TERRORISM IN OUR LIVES. THE FOUNDER OF COVENANT DEFENSE TOLD US THAT ONE OF THE GUEST SPEAKERS BELIEVES EVEN A LESS POPULATED AREA LIKE NORTHERN MICHIGAN SHOULD KNOW THE THREATS.

July 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GROUP OF BOY SCOUTS IS SET TO TAKE OFF ON WHAT THEY'D SAY IS \*AN ADVENTURE OF A LIFETIME\* 10-BOY SCOUTS FROM TROOP 2-67 FROM BENZIE COUNTY AND ONE SCOUT FROM KINGSLEY ARE GOING ON A 2-WEEK TRIP TO ALASKA.THE SCOUTS RAISED AROUND 30-THOUSAND DOLLARS TO PAY FOR THEIR TRIP.THE GROUP WILL GO DEEP SEA FISHING... EXPLORE A BEAR INFESTED ISLAND... AND CLIMB GLACIERS. THEY ALSO PLAN ON DOING SERVICE PROJECTS WITH THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD IN SITKA, ALASKA.

July 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE LAKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZED TWO MEN FOR HELPING CATCH A MAN RUNNING FROM POLICE.THIS PAST FEBRUARY, THE LAKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARMENT WAS TRANSPORTING A MAN WHEN HE RAN OFF.HE RAN FROM THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, ACROSS M-37, TO A GAS STATION.THAT'S WHEN HE WAS NOTICED BY TWO MEN, BOTH HAD SERVED IN THE MARINES THEY TACKLED THE MAN AND HELD HIM DOWN UNTIL DEPUTIES ARRIVED.

July 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

EMMET COUNTY SHERIFF PETE WALLIN IS LOOKING FOR COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS TO SERVE IN VICTIM SERVICES UNIT.WALLIN BEGAN THE EMMET COUNTY VICTIM SERVICES UNIT IN 2004.THE GROUP IS MADE UP OF VOLUNTEERS WHO HELP VICTIMS OF MAJOR CRIMES AND EMERGENCY INCIDENTS. THE UNITS MAIN GOALS IS TO PROVIDE COMFORT TO VICTIMS, MAKE REFERRALS TO APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND SERVE AS A GO-BETWEEN FOR THE VICTIMS AND EMERGENCY SERVICE PROVIDERS.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE LEARNING MORE TONIGHT ABOUT THE TWO TEENAGERS WHO WERE KILLED LAST NIGHT IN A CAR CRASH NEAR FIFE LAKE. IT HAPPENED JUST BEFORE SIX AT THE INTERSECTION OF U-S 131 AND M-186 NEAR THE \*BEACON AND BRIDGE\* GAS STATION. THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT SAYS 17-YEAR-OLD HALEY STEVENS OF KINGSLEY WAS THE DRIVER -- AND HER PASSENGER WAS 17-YEAR-OLD AUBREY FISHER OF FIFE LAKE. DEPUTIES SAY STEVENS STOPPED HER CAR AT THE STOP SIGN AND PASSED THROUGH THE INTERSECTION -- BUT WAS HIT BY A SEMI TRUCK THAT HAD THE RIGHT OF WAY. BOTH TEENS IN THE CAR WERE KILLED. THE SEMI DRIVER, A 54-YEAR-OLD MAN FROM WHITMORE, WAS NOT HURT.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

17-YEAR-OLD HALEY STEVENS WAS A STUDENT AT KINGSLEY HIGH SCHOOL AND 17-YEAR-OLD AUBREY FISHER ALSO ATTENDED SCHOOL THERE DURING HER FRESHMAN YEAR. I SAT DOWN WITH THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL TODAY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT BOTH OF THE GIRLS.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THURSDAY NIGHT'S CRASH NEAR FIFE LAKE HAS MANY QUESTIONING THE SAFETY OF THAT INTERSECTION.7&4 NEWS SPOKE WITH SEVERAL PEOPLE WHO DIDN'T WANT TO GO ON CAMERA... BUT THEY ALL SAY THE INTERSECTION OF \*U-S 131 AND M-186\* IS DANGEROUS.THE SPEED LIMIT ON THE HIGHWAY IS 55 MILES PER HOUR AND TRAFFIC DOESN'T HAVE TO STOP AT THE INTERSECTION.AND WHILE CROSS TRAFFIC HAS A STOP SIGN... LOCALS SAY IT CAN GET CONFUSING WITH SO MANY VEHICLES IN THE AREA.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE NEWEST MEMBER OF ROSCOMMON COUNTY'S K-9 DIVISION IS GETTING A MAKEOVER.GHOST HAS BEEN ON ACTIVE PATROL SINCE MAY.NOW THE 2-AND A HALF YEAR OLD GERMAN SHEPHERD IS GETTING A SPECIAL BULLET AND STAB PROTECTIVE VEST.EACH VEST IS WORTH AROUND 2-THOUSAND DOLLARS. GHOST'S VEST IS BEING DONATED BY THE NON-PROFIT "VESTED INTEREST IN CANINES".GHOST IS CERTIFIED IN TRACKING PEOPLE AND DRUG DETECTION.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE TOLD THE FACILITY IS MAKING PROGRESS IN TRANSFERRING BOTH WORKERS AND INMATES... IN ORDER TO COMPLETELY CLOSE NEXT MONTH. SINCE THE FACILITY ANNOUNCED THE CLOSURE ON MAY 31ST... THEY HAVE TRANSFERRED NEARLY 500 INMATES. TONIGHT THERE ARE STILL AROUND 800 INMATES THAT WILL BE TRANSFERRED IN WAVES OF AROUND 300 UNTIL THE CLOSURE IN SEPTEMBER. THE DEPARTMENT IS ALSO WORKING ON TRANSFERRING THE STAFF IN WAVES. SO FAR 58 OFFICERS AT PUGSLEY AND OAKS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY HAVE BEEN GRANTED VOLUNTARY TRANSFER REQUESTS.

August 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD IS URGING SAFETY DURING WHAT'S BEEN A BUSY SEASON OF PADDLE CRAFT RELATED ACCIDENTS. AS MORE PEOPLE TRY THEIR HAND AT KAYAKING AND STAND UP PADDLE BOARDS... THE NUMBER OF RESCUES IS CONTINUING TO RISE FOR CREWS ACROSS THE GREAT LAKES.IN A ONE MONTH STRETCH.. FROM MID JUNE TO MID JULY.. MORE THAN TWO DOZEN PEOPLE NEEDED TO BE RESCUED BY THE COAST

GUARD.AND PADDLECRAFT RESCUES HAVE DOMINATED THE TOTAL NUMBER OF RESCUES ON THE GREAT LAKES.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT WE HAVE NEW VIDEO OF THE COAST GUARD AIRLIFTING A YOUNG CAMPER FROM PICTURED ROCKS.IT HAPPENED JUST AFTER 10 PM WEDNESDAY AT THE \*COVES GROUP CAMPGROUND\* IN THE BACK COUNTRY OF \*PICTURED ROCKS NATIONAL LAKESHORE\*. THE 14-YEAR-OLD CAMPER WAS AIRLIFTED TO THE HOSPITAL AFTER HE FELL AND HIT HIS HEAD ON A ROCK. OUR SISTER-STATION WLUC REPORTED THAT VALLEY MED FLIGHT WAS UNAVAILABLE AT THE TIME SO CREWS FROM COASTGUARD AIRSTATION TRAVERSE CITY RESPONDED. THE BOY WAS LATER TREATED AND RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL.

August 4, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IT WAS AN OPERATION THAT SUPPLIED COCAINE AND HEROIN TO NORTHERN MICHIGAN FOR YEARS. TODAY.... THE HEAD OF A \*MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR DRUG TRAFFICKING RING\* WAS SENTENCED IN THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN THE COURTROOM FOR THE ENDING OF A CASE THAT BEGAN ON THE STREETS OF DETROIT.

August 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MAN AND WOMAN WHO WERE KILLED ON THE MOTORCYCLE WERE BOTH IN THEIR FIFTIES.. AND FROM INDIANAPOLIS.THE CRASH HAPPENED ON THIS CURVE ON M-22 AROUND FOUR-THIRTY.THE LEELANAU COUNTY SHERIFF SAYS.... THEY WERE HEADING NORTH WHEN THEY LOST CONTROL... CROSSED THE CENTER LINE... AND HIT AN ONCOMING CAR.THE DRIVER OF THE CAR WAS NOT HURT.TONIGHT INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO WHAT MIGHT HAVE CAUSED THE CRASH.

August 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU'VE PROBABLY DRIVEN THRU THERE A TIME OR TWO. YOU MAY HAVE NOTICED A NEW CROSSWALK ON GRANDVIEW PARKWAY THAT SEEMS TO BE LEAVING BOTH DRIVERS AND PEDESTRIANS CONFUSED ABOUT WHO HAS THE RIGHT OF WAY.7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE CITY LEADERS TO FIND OUT THE ANSWER.

August 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AND IF YOU PLAN ON GOING TO THE FAIR THIS YEAR, YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT THERE ARE SOME CHANGES BEING IMPLEMENTED FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY.TEMPORARY 35 MILE PER HOUR SPEED SIGNS ARE NOW PLACED UP AND DOWN BLAIR TOWNHALL ROAD.THE CHANGES COME AS A RESULT OF A FATAL CRASH LAST YEAR.KELSEY PURCHASE WAS KILLED AFTER SHE GOT INTO A CRASH ON THE CORNER OF M-37 AND BLAIR TOWNHALL.THE PRESIDENT OF THE NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR SAYS THAT THEY WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT EVERYONE COMING AND GOING TO THE FAIR IS SAFE.

August 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ONE MAN IS BEHIND BARS AND ONE WOMAN IS DEAD -- FOLLOWING A BIKE CRASH YESTERDAY IN EMMET COUNTY. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH INVESTIGATORS AND WITNESSES TODAY.SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE ON WHAT HAPPENED. MEGHAN DO WE KNOW WHO WAS AT FAULT YET?

August 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE ARE CURRENTLY INVESTIGATING A MURDER - SUICIDE IN RUST TOWNSHIP, JUST OUTSIDE OF HILLMAN IN MONTMORENCY COUNTY. THE ALLEGED SHOOTING TOOK PLACE EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING AT ABOUT SIX. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN WORKING ON THIS STORY ALL DAY.

August 9, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHAT BEGAN AS A STANDARD MILITARY EXERCISE IN CAMP GRAYLING YESTERDAY EVENING HAS SPARKED A LARGE FIRE THAT CONTINUED INTO TODAY. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS IN GRAYLING TODAY TO SEE HOW THE FIRE AND THE LARGE SMOKE CLOUDS THAT CAME WITH IT, AFFECTED THE AREA.

August 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE SEARCH FOR A FORTY-TWO-YEAR-OLD WOMAN WHO WENT MISSING IN JULY HAS COME TO A TRAGIC END.STATE POLICE INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY'VE FOUND THE REMAINS OF A PERSON BELIEVED TO BE HEATHER YOUNG.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN FOLLOWING THIS STORY ALL DAY.. AND JOINS US LIVE FROM THE PETOSKEY BUREAU..

August 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 55-YEAR-OLD MAN WAS CHARGED TODAY... IN THE DEATH OF A WOMAN WHO WAS VISITING NORTHERN MICHIGAN. HEATHER YOUNG'S REMAINS WERE FOUND TUESDAY... IN THE WOODS... ON PROPERTY IN PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY TONIGHT... WE'RE LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE MAN ACCUSED OF MURDERING HER.

August 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE TOLD 78-YEAR-OLD CLAIRE MACDONALD PASSED AWAY FRIDAY NIGHT IN GRAND RAPIDS. MACDONALD WAS PULLED FROM A HOUSE FIRE ON 8-MILE ROAD NEAR ONEKAMA IN MANISTEE COUNTY EARLY FRIDAY MORNING.HER DAUGHTER.. 53-YEAR-OLD LESLEE HEATH.. WAS ALSO INSIDE AT THE TIME OF THE FIRE... BUT NEVER MADE IT OUT.THE 84-YEAR-OLD FATHER WAS TREATED FOR SMOKE INHALATION AFTER REPORTS SAY A FORMER FIREFIGHTER DRIVING BY THE HOME WAS ABLE TO PULL HIM OUT.AN AUTOPSY WILL DETERMINE THE EXACT CAUSE OF DEATH FOR MACDONALD.THE CAUSE OF THE FIRE.. REMAINS UNDER INVESTIGATION.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MORE THAN 6-THOUSAND SOLDIERS, AIRMEN, AND MARINES CAME TOGETHER TODAY TO TAKE PART IN THE NORTHERN STRIKE TRAINING EXERCISES AT CAMP GRAYLING. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON REPORTS.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A MONTHS-LONG ANIMAL HOARDING CASE CAME TO A HEAD IN TRAVERSE CITY. CREWS FROM MULTIPLE AGENCIES INCLUDING A HAZMAT TEAM - POLICE AND FIREFIGHTERS MET AT A TRAVERSE CITY HOME TO REMOVE SEVERAL CATS - SOME WERE ALIVE AND OTHERS FOUND DEAD INSIDE. 7&4'S TOI CREEL WAS THE FIRST REPORTER ON SCENE AS IT WAS ALL UNFOLDING:

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY SHERIFF IS CONCERNED ABOUT A RECENT UP-TICK IN GUN VIOLENCE. THIS PAST WEEKEND LAW ENFORCEMENT WITH THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND THETRAVERSE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT WERE CALLED TO FOUR INCIDENTS INVOLVING

HAND GUNS. WHILE NO ONE WAS SERIOUSLY HURT IN THESE RECENT SITUATIONS - THE SHERIFF IS HOPING THE COMMUNITY STEPS UP TO REVERSE THE DISTURBING TREND.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A REQUEST FOR A 9-1-1 SURCHARGE IN WEXFORD COUNTY WILL BE ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOTS. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MADE THE DECISION DURING A SPECIAL MEETING MONDAY NIGHT -- DESPITE COMMUNITY MEMBERS VOTING THE PROPOSAL DOWN DURING THE AUGUST ELECTION. IF APPROVED THE PROPOSAL WOULD AUTHORIZE A MONTHLY SURCHARGE OF \$2.25 FOR PHONE LINES IN THE COUNTY. BUT COMMISSIONERS AREN'T SURE YET WHETHER THE POSSIBLE INCREASE WOULD GO TOWARD KEEPING THE 911 SERVICES LOCAL...OR CONTRACTING THEM OUT. COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR PATRICK JORDAN HOPES A STATE EVALUATION WILL DETERMINE THAT.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MICHIGAN STATE POLICE ARE THE LATEST GROUP OF FIRST RESPONDERS TO BE ARMED WITH A NEW TOOL TO SAVE LIVES. TODAY WAS TRAINING DAY AND 7 & 4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS THERE HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO RAPHAEL - TELL US MORE ABOUT WHAT M-S-P TROOPERS LEARNED TODAY.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

YOU'RE TAKING A LIVE LOOK AT THE REQUIRED TRI-ANNUAL TRAINING AT THE CHERRY CAPITAL AIRPORT IN TRAVERSE CITY. ONE OF THE EXERCISES IS DESIGNED FOR AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATION. THE SCENARIO STARTS AT THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AIR STATION AND THEN UNFOLDS AT THE AIRPORT FOR A DRILL INVOLVING LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND FIRST RESPONDERS. IN THE PAST TRAINING HAS BEEN DONE FOR BOMB THREATS... FIRES AND NATURAL DISASTERS. THE DRILLS DO NOT INTERRUPT REGULAR AIRPORT BUSINESS.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE TOLD THE NORTH LAKE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY IN BALDWIN... WHICH IS OWNED BY THE GEO GROUP... WILL \*NOT BE IMPACTED. WE SPOKE WITH THE PRISON'S WARDEN TODAY WHO SAID THE BALDWIN PRISON IS CONTRACTED BY THE VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND IS NOT ASSOCIATED WITH THE FEDERAL SYSTEM. THERE ARE SOME PRISONS OWNED BY GEO HOWEVER THAT DO CONTRACT WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. ACCORDING TO THE GEO GROUP, THE IMPACT OF THE DECISION BY THE OBAMA ADMINISTRATION ON ITS OTHER 63 FACILITIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY IS STILL NOT KNOWN. HOWEVER, GEO JUST ANNOUNCED TODAY THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS EXTENDED ITS CONTRACT FOR ITS PRISON IN GEORGIA THROUGH SEPTEMBER 20-18.

August 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THREE PEOPLE ARE DEAD AND TWO MORE ARE INJURED AFTER A CRASH IN LEELANAU COUNTY THIS MORNING. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS AT THE SCENE OF THE ACCIDENT.. HE HAS THE STORY..

August 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 21-YEAR-OLD WOMAN HAS BEEN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING NEAR A LAKE IN NORTHEASTERN MICHIGAN. THE WOMAN WAS HURT FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT GRAND LAKE IN PRESQUE ISLE. EAST GRAND LAKE FIRE CHIEF RON FOURNIER SAYS CONDITIONS WERE STORMY AND THE WOMAN WAS SITTING IN A WOODEN SWING NEAR A BEACH HOUSE WHEN SHE WA

STRUCK.THE WOMAN WAS NEAR A BEACH HOUSE WHEN SHE WAS STRUCK. C-P-R WAS PERFORMED AND SHE WAS TAKEN TO AN AREA HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT.

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED SHUTDOWN U-S 31 NEAR DOWNTOWN PELLSTON. THE CONSTRUCTION WORKER IS CURRENTLY IN CRITICAL CONDITION AT THE HOSPITAL. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN ON THE SCENE IN EMMET COUNTY...

August 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

US-10 IN CLARE COUNTY IS BACK OPEN TONIGHT AFTER A DEADLY CRASH INVOLVING A WRONG WAY DRIVER SHUT IN DOWN MONDAY FOR SEVERAL HOURS.7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN WAS AT THE SCENE AND SPOKE WITH FIRST RESPONDERS.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO.CONNOR.. WHEN DID THIS CRASH HAPPEN?

August 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE FIVE CATS THAT WERE REMOVED FROM A TRAVERSE CITY WOMAN'S HOME LAST WEEK HAVE UNFORTUNATELY BEEN EUTHANIZED THIS COMES AFTER AN INVESTIGATION THAT BEGAN IN JUNE...AND IS STILL ONGOING. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH POLICE AND NEIGHBORS TODAY.SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN STUDIO WITH THE LATEST.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A LARGE SCALE DRUG BUST HAS LED TO ARRESTS IN BENZIE COUNTY MICHIGAN STATE POLICE AND THE BENZIE COUNTY SHERIFF SAY THAT A SIZEABLE AMOUNT OF MARIJUANA WAS SEIZED AFTER THEY EXECUTED THREE SEARCH WARRANTS.THIS HOUSE ON CINDER ROAD WAS RAIDED AFTER A THREE MONTH INVESTIGATION.UNDERCOVER AGENTS ARRIVED HERE TODAY AROUND THREE AM AND WERE STILL ON SCENE LATE THIS AFTERNOON. THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE, T-N-T NARCOTICS DIVISION, AND THE BENZIE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WORKED TOGETHER ON THE INVESTIGATION AFTER RECEIVING A TIP FROM A CITIZEN.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY COUPLE ESCAPES A HOUSE FIRE THANKS TO A BEEPING SOUND, BUT IT WASN'T THEIR SMOKE DETECTOR. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS DOWN AT THE SCENE TODAY TALKING TO FIREFIGHTERS.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO... RAPHAEL, HOW BAD WAS THE FIRE?

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A UNIQUE RESCUE BY MEMBERS OF \*COAST GUARD STATION MANISTEE\* OVER THE WEEKEND.TWO WOMEN WERE STRUGGLING IN THE WATER AT MANISTEE'S FIFTH AVENUE BEACH.7&4'S TOM KRAMER WAS AT THE BEACH TODAY, AND SPOKE WITH ONE OF THE COAST GUARDSMAN WHO WENT INTO THE WATER SUNDAY NIGHT.

August 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

CONSERVATION OFFICERS WITH THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HAVE CHRISTENED THEIR NEWEST LIFE-SAVING PATROL BOAT IN SAULT STE MARIE.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS ON BOARD TODAY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT HOW THE PATROL BOAT WORKS TO PROTECT THE GREAT LAKES.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 35-YEAR-OLD CO-PILOT IS BEHIND BARS TONIGHT...AFTER TRAVERSE CITY POLICE SAY HIS BLOOD ALCOHOL CONTENT WAS FOUR TIMES THE LEGAL LIMIT TO DRIVE A CAR. THE MAN WAS A CO-PILOT OF A CHALLENGER CHARTER PLANE OUT OF NEW YORK THAT WAS SET TO FLY OUT THIS MORNING AT CHERRY CAPITAL AIRPORT. POLICE SAY.... THEY GOT THE TIP AROUND EIGHT THIS MORNING AFTER THE PILOT NOTICED HIS PARTNER ACTING STRANGELY DURING THEIR PRE-CHECK. WHEN POLICE ARRIVED -- THEY FOUND THE CO-PILOT WEARING HIS HEAD SET AND PREPARING FOR TAKE OFF.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WEXFORD COUNTY LEADERS CAME TOGETHER THIS AFTERNOON FOR A GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY FOR THE NEW JAIL.THE SHERIFF -- UNDERSHERIFF -- COUNTY JUDGES -- COMMISSIONERS -- AND SEVERAL OTHER GROUPS PUT THEIR SHOVELS IN THE GROUND TO MARK THE SPECIAL OCCASION. THE NEW JAIL WILL BE LOCATED ON LINCOLN STREET IN CADILLAC AND WILL HOLD 158 BEDS. THE CURRENT BUILDING ONLY HAS 32 BEDS AND WAS BUILT IN 1962.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE IS A DIFFERENT KIND OF GAME FOR KIDS AND ADULTS VISITING THE EMMET-CHARLEVOIX COUNTY FAIR THIS YEAR.ITS CALLED THE VIRTUAL DRIVER INTERACTIVE SIMULATOR.MACLAREN NORTHERN MICHIGAN HAS PARTNERED WITH MICHIGAN STATE POLICE TO DISPLAY THE SIMULATOR, WHICH FOCUSES ON SHOWING MOTORISTS THE DANGERS AND CONSEQUENCES OF DISTRACTED DRIVING.THE SIMULATOR USES THE MOTORISTS OWN CELL PHONE TO SHOW HOW TEXTING WHILE DRIVING CAN LEAD TO ACCIDENTS, FINES AND EVEN DEATH.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CO-PILOT POLICE SAY WAS DRUNK WHEN HE WAS PULLED OUT OF THE COCKPIT OF A CHARTER FLIGHT THURSDAY WAS CHARGED THIS AFTERNOON 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN THE COURTROOM.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN STUDIO.RAPHAEL WHAT WAS THE CO-PILOT ACTUALLY CHARGED WITH THIS AFTERNOON.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BRUCE TOWER, RONALD SNYDER AND DONALD SCHULTZ HAVE ALL BEEN ARRAIGNED ON MULTIPLE DRUG CHARGES. THE THREE WERE ARRESTED ON WEDNESDAY AFTER A THREE-MONTH INVESTIGATION THAT LED TO A RAID OF A HOUSE ON CINDER ROAD IN BENZIE COUNTY. MICHIGAN STATE POLICE AND THE BENZIE COUNTY SHERIFF SAY THAT A LARGE AMOUNT OF MARIJUANA WAS SEIZED FROM THE HOME. ALL THREE SUSPECTS ARE EXPECTED TO BE BACK IN COURT ON SEPTEMBER 15TH.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW CLASS OF MICHIGAN STATE POLICE TROOPERS ARE READY TO SERVE.THIS AFTERNOON 47 RECRUITS JOINED THE RANKS AS THEY GRADUATED FROM THE 129TH TROOPER RECRUIT SCHOOL. GOVERNOR RICK SNYDER ADDRESSED THE CLASS DURING THE CEREMONY IN LANSING.AFTERWARDS THE GOVERNOR TALKED ABOUT WHAT THE POLICE MEAN TO THE STATE.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THREE PEOPLE WERE GIVEN LIFE-SAVING AWARDS TODAY FOR SAVING A YOUNG BOY FROM DROWNING IN JULY.\*EMMET COUNTY SHERIFF PETER WALLIN\* HANDED OUT AWARDS TO MATTHEW PAYNE.... MARILYN EARLY AND REAIAH {RAY-UH} EARVIN {UR-VAN}.



THEY SAVED A YOUNG BOY... KALEB PRICE... FROM DROWNING IN A HOT TUB AT BOYNE HIGHLANDS.MARILYN WAS TEACHING A SWIMMING CLASS, WHEN MATHEW CARRIED KALEB OUT OF THE HOT TUB AFTER SEEING HIM AT THE BOTTOM. EARLY AND REAIAH DID C-P-R ON KALEB BEFORE THE AMBULANCE ARRIVED.

August 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AN UPDATE TO A STORY WE FIRST BROUGHT YOU YESTERDAY. MICHIGAN STATE POLICE HAVE RELEASED THE NAMES IN THE DOUBLE HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION OUT OF MONTMORENCY COUNTY.WE ALSO NOW KNOW THERE WERE A TOTAL OF FOUR VICTIMS... TWO WHO ARE DEAD AND TWO MORE INJURED. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS THE FIRST REPORTER ON THE SCENE.HE TELLS US MORE ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A SUSPECT HAS BEEN CHARGED AND WE HAVE NEW INFORMATION TONIGHT ON THE DOUBLE HOMICIDE THIS WEEKEND IN MONTMORENCY COUNTY.7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN HAS BEEN FOLLOWING THIS STORY AND JOINS US LIVE NOW OUTSIDE THE STATE POLICE POST IN ALPENA

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A TRAVERSE CITY CYCLIST... HIT BY A CAR... AND SENT TO THE HOSPITAL. 7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN HAS BEEN TALKING WITH POLICE AND WITNESSES

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE DAUGHTER ORIGINALLY CHARGED WITH OPEN MURDER OF HER FATHER HAS BEEN SENTENCED ON LESSER CHARGES.ANGELA HEMPEL WAS SENTENCED TODAY TO ONE YEAR IN JAIL AND FIVE YEARS OF PROBATION. HEMPEL PLEADED GUILTY TO LYING TO A PEACE OFFICER, CONCEALING A DEATH OF AN INDIVIDUAL AS WELL AS ACCESSORY TO A FELONY AFTER THE FACT.THIS CASE STARTED BACK IN MAY WHEN DEPUTIES RESPONDED TO A REPORT OF A BODY FOUND IN THE BACKYARD OF A SURREY TOWNSHIP HOME. THE BODY BELONGED TO LEONARD HEMPEL...WHO HAD BEEN MISSING FOR WEEKS. ANGELA'S BOYFRIEND, JAMES KUHNS WAS ALSO CHARGED WITH OPEN MURDER...HE WILL BE IN COURT ON OCTOBER 9TH.

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MASON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT IS WARNING PARENTS ABOUT A POSSIBLE PARTY THIS LABOR DAY WEEKEND SOME ARE QUESTIONING IF THE INFORMATION POSTED ON SOCIAL MEDIA IS REAL OR JUST A HOAX.BUT SHERIFF KIM COLE AND HIS STAFF DECIDED IT WAS BETTER TO BE PROACTIVE. AND THURSDAY MORNING POSTED A WARNING TO PARENTS ON SOCIAL MEDIA.EVEN THOUGH POLICE DON'T KNOW WHERE THE PARTY MIGHT HAPPEN, THEY HOPE PARENTS KNOW WHERE THEIR KIDS ARE THIS WEEKEND.

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHEN WE HAVE CHILDREN... WE WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT NO MOMENT IS MISSED - WHETHER THAT BE WALKING FOR THE FIRST TIME... OR WALKING FOR THAT FINAL TIME AT GRADUATION. BUT WHEN IT COMES TO SHARING THOSE MOMENTS ON SOCIAL MEDIA... HOW MUCH IS TOO MUCH? 7 & 4'S COURTNEY CURTIS SHARES A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON WHY ONE MOM SAYS... YOU WON'T BE SEEING PHOTOS OF HER SON ON SOCIAL MEDIA ANYTIME SOON.

September 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PLANS TO BRING A NEW COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER TO LUDINGTON \*COULD\* BE A LITTLE DELAYED... AFTER A FIRE DESTROYED PART OF THE ORGANIZATION'S BUILDING THIS MORNING. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH THE ORGANIZATIONS AND INVESTIGATORS TODAY.SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH WHAT SHE FOUND OUT.

September 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WHO ARE TRAVELING THIS HOLIDAY WEEKEND WE HAVE SOME IMPORTANT INFORMATION TONIGHT TO PROTECT YOUR MONEY THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IS WARNING EVERYONE ABOUT SKIMMERS-A DEVICE CRIMINALS INSTALL IN GAS PUMPS TO STEAL YOUR CREDIT CARD INFORMATION. AS 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES TELLS US-THIS TYPE OF CRIME IN GROWING BUT THERE WAYS YOU CAN PROTECT YOURSELF.

September 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE ALSO WANT TO REMIND YOU THERE WILL BE INCREASED PATROL OUT ON THE ROADS THIS WEEKEND. IN 2015... 15 PEOPLE DIED IN TRAFFIC CRASHES OVER THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND. NINE OF PEOPLE WERE NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS. AND NEARLY TWO-THIRDS OF THE CRASHES INVOLVED ALCOHOL. THE FEDERALLY FUNDED EXTRA PATROLS THIS WEEKEND ARE PART OF THE DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER CAMPAIGN.

September 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

DRIVERS HITTING THE ROADS THIS WEEKEND MAY HAVE NOTICED SOME EXTRA MICHIGAN STATE POLICE CARS ON PATROL. THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND PATROLS WERE FEDERALLY FUNDED AS PART OF THE DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER CAMPAIGN. IN 2015 -- 15 PEOPLE DIED IN TRAFFIC CRASHES OVER THE HOLIDAY WEEKEND. NINE OF THOSE PEOPLE WERE NOT WEARING SEATBELTS AND NEARLY TWO-THIRDS OF THE CRASHES INVOLVED ALCOHOL.TROOPERS WERE IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY NEAR CHUMS CORNERS TODAY CHECKING FOR SPEEDERS -- DRUNK DRIVING AND SEATBELTS.

September 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

RESCUE CREWS REMAIN ON LAKE MICHIGAN AT THIS HOUR SEARCHING FOR A MAN WHOSE KAYAK OVERTURNED MONDAY NIGHT 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN HAS BEEN FOLLOWING THIS STORY ALL DAY SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM THE SEARCH COMMAND CENTER IN BENZIE COUNTY. GABRIELLA... WHAT'S THE LATEST?

September 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE'RE LEARNING MORE TONIGHT ABOUT THE COLLEGE INSTRUCTOR WHOSE BODY WAS FOUND ON A BEACH IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY SUNDAY. 49-YEAR-OLD {SON-YUH} SONJA {OL-SHOVE-EE} OLSHOVE WAS AN INSTRUCTOR AT NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT ABOUT THE LATEST IN THE INVESTIGATION -- AND SOME OF HER CO-WORKERS. SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH THE STORY.

September 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SHERIFFS DEPUTIES, STATE POLICE AND THE FBI ARE RIGHT NOW LOOKING FOR THE MAN WHO ROBBED THE HUNTINGTON BANK IN EMPIRE THIS AFTERNOON 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES HAS BEEN ON THE SCENE ALL AFTERNOON.

September 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MAN WHO POLICE BELIEVE ROBBED HUNTINGTON BANK YESTERDAY IN EMPIRE... HAS BEEN ARRESTED.THIS IS INFORMATION WE LEARNED DURING THE LATEST NEW CONFERENCE TODAY WITH THE LEELANAU COUNTY SHERIFF.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS THERE RIGHT NOW.

September 8, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IN ADDITION TO THE EMPIRE BANK ROBBERY.OVER THE PAST YEAR OR SO... THE HONOR BANK IN LAKE ANN HAS ALSO BEEN ROBBED AT GUNPOINT... NOT ONCE... BUT TWICE. AND THAT PERSON.. WAS NEVER CAUGHT. NOW INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY BELIEVE THE INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN YESTERDAY'S ROBBERY -- COULD BE THE SAME PERSON LINKED TO THE TWO IN LAKE ANN BECAUSE OF SIMILARITIES IN ALL THREE ROBBERIES. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI HAS BEEN DIGGING THROUGH ALL THREE CASES TODAY. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH THE DETAILS AND EVIDENCE.. IN TONIGHTS FACT FINDER REPORT.

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AND JUST INTO OUR NEWSROOM A LITTLE OVER AN HOUR AGO.AN OFFICER FOR THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS SAYS HUNDREDS OF INMATES HELD A PROTEST THIS MORNING AT THE \*KINROSS CORRECTIONAL FACILITY.\*THIS IS IN CHIPPEWA COUNTY. M-DOC REPORTS BETWEEN 200 AND 400 INMATES WERE PEACEFULLY ASSEMBLING AND MARCHING AROUND IN A CIRCLE DURING THEIR NORMAL YARD TIME.OFFICIALS ARE STILL INVESTIGATING WHY THE INMATES HELD A PROTEST.. AND SO FAR, THERE ARE NO REPORTS OF INJURIES.

September 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PEOPLE HAVE BEEN HONORING THE FALLEN HEROES OF SEPTEMBER 11TH ALL THROUGHOUT NORTHERN MICHIGAN TODAY. IN TRAVERSE CITY..... MANY CAME OUT TO THE GRAND TRAVERSE METRO FIRE DEPARTMENT.A STEEL BEAM SALVAGED FROM THE \*NORTH TOWER\* OF THE WORLD TRADE CENTER IS THE CENTER PIECE OF A MEMORIAL THERE. THE \*SEPTEMBER 11TH FAMILIES ASSOCIATION\* PROVIDED THE BEAM TO THE CITIZENS OF THE GRAND TRAVERSE AREA.

September 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT THE SEARCH IN ON FOR A STOLEN BENCH IN LEELANAU COUNTY. THE BENCH WAS A BACK-TO SCHOOL GIFT FROM GRANDMA GIVEN TO TWO KIDS IN MAPLE CITY.WE'RE TOLD THE BENCH WAS THERE FOR KIDS TO SIT ON WHILE THEY WAITED FOR THE BUS.UNFORTUNATELY.. NOT A LOT OF KIDS GOT TO SIT ON IT BEFORE IT WENT MISSING IN LESS THAN 24-HOURS.THE THEFT IS MAKING SOME FAMILIES WORRY ABOUT SAFETY.

September 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MAN LAW-ENFORCEMENT BELIEVES \*COULD\* BE CONNECTED TO THE RECENT BANK ROBBERY IN LEELANAU COUNTY.69-YEAR OLD \*WILLIAM {my-nore} MINORE\* IS NOW OFFICIALLY CHARGED WITH DRIVING A STOLEN VEHICLE. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN WAS IN THE COURTROOM AND JOINS US NOW LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE. GABRIELLA?

September 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FAMILY AND FRIENDS HAVE PLANNED A CELEBRATION OF LIFE CEREMONY FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE - PETER PATTALIA.THE STATE REPRESENTATIVE WAS KILLED LAST NIGHT WHILE RIDING HIS MOTORCYCLE ON M-33 IN MONTMORENCY COUNTY. WE'RE TOLD PETTALIA WAS ON HIS WAY FROM THE ALPENA COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY HEADQUARTERS.. TO LANSING WHEN HE WAS HIT BY A PICK UP TRUCK.THE 59-YEAR-OLD WOMAN DRIVING THE TRUCK WAS NOT HURT.PETTALIA WAS WEARING A HELMET.. BUT WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE.

September 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PETTALIA LIVED IN PRESQUE ISLE.. AND IS SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN.TONIGHT FELLOW LAWMAKERS ARE STILL IN SHOCK ABOUT THE LOSS. REPRESENTATIVE PETTALIA HAD BEEN SERVING IN THE STATE HOUSE SINCE 2010. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH SOME OF THEM TODAY.. AND HAS MORE ON HOW THEY'RE REMEMBERING HIM.

September 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE WOMAN BEHIND THE WHEEL DURING A DEADLY CRASH LAST DECEMBER, LEARNS HER FATE TODAY IN CHIPPEWA COUNTY. 23-YEAR OLD STACY LINKLATER WILL SPEND A DECADE BEHIND BARS FOR KILLING A TEENAGER IN A DRUNK DRIVING CRASH. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS IN THE COURTROOM THIS AFTERNOON AND HAS REACTION FROM THE VICTIM'S FAMILY.

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

JUST HOURS AFTER THE DRUNK DRIVER WHO KILLED THEIR SON WAS SENTENCED TO PRISON... A NORTHERN MICHIGAN COUPLE IS NEARLY HIT BY ANOTHER ALLEGED DRUNK DRIVER 7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN SPOKE WITH THE FAMILY AND THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT TODAY.HE JOINS US LIVE NOW FROM CHIPPEWA COUNTY...

September 14, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A CHEBOYGAN MAN ARRESTED FOR SEX CRIMES INVOLVING A MINOR.. IS OUT ON BOND TONIGHT.PETER RASH IS CHARGED WITH SECOND DEGREE CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT AND TWO COUNTS OF FOURTH DEGREE CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT.ACCORDING TO THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE, RASH TURNED HIMSELF IN AFTER THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE ISSUED A WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST FOLLOWING AN INVESTIGATION BACK IN MAY.RASH IS EXPECTED BACK IN COURT ON SEPTEMBER 26TH.

September 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SAME BEER - DIFFERENT PACKAGING. IF YOU BUY A CASE OF BEER NEXT WEEK - YOU MAY NOTICE SOMETHING DIFFERENT ON THE PACKAGING. \*PROJECT STICKER SHOCK\* KICKS OFF NEXT WEEK IN CADILLAC. IT'S A CAMPAIGN PUT ON EVERY YEAR BY THE CADILLAC POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL.POLICE, ALONG WITH HELP FROM AREA TEENS, WILL BE PUTTING STICKERS ON DIFFERENT CASES OF ALCOHOL.. WARNING PEOPLE ABOUT THE DANGERS OF BUYING FOR MINORS.

September 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A 21-YEAR-OLD KALKASKA MAN IS STILL MISSING TONIGHT.. AFTER HE -- AND ANOTHER MAN'S KAYAKS OVERTURNED IN LAKE MICHIGAN. IT HAPPENED THIS PAST LABOR DAY.. AND SINCE THEN.. TYLER SPINK'S FAMILY -- FRIENDS -- AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS HAVE SPENT COUNTLESS HOURS SEARCHING FOR HIM. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI CAUGHT UP WITH TYLER'S FAMILY DURING THEIR SEARCH TODAY.

September 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT WE'RE CONTINUING TO FOLLOW A SHOOTING INVESTIGATION OUT OF GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY. RIGHT NOW POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR SHOOTING THE GUN THAT SENT A BULLET INTO A HOUSE. IT HAPPENED AROUND 1 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WAS THE FIRST REPORTER ON THE SCENE.

September 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MACKINAC BRIDGE HAS STOOD FOR FIFTY-NINE YEARS AS ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S FINEST ENGINEERING AND TRANSPORTATION ACHIEVEMENTS. IN A FEW DAYS..... THE MIGHTY MAC WILL BE GETTING SOME NEW TECHNOLOGY TO HELP KEEP TABS ON ITS STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON SPOKE WITH BRIDGE OFFICIALS TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE PROTOTYPE SENSORS BEING INSTALLED NEXT WEEK.

September 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

EMERGENCY SERVICES MAY NOT CROSS YOUR MIND UNTIL YOU NEED THEM, BUT ONE NORTHERN MICHIGAN FESTIVAL IS USING THIS WEEKEND TO CELEBRATE THE BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN WHO ANSWER THE CALL OF DUTY. THE 37TH ANNUAL MICHIGAN FIREMEN'S MEMORIAL FESTIVAL IS HAPPENING IN ROSCOMMON COUNTY TO CELEBRATE PAST AND PRESENT FIREFIGHTERS. IT KICKED OFF THURSDAY AND CONTINUES THROUGH SATURDAY FEATURING CARNIVAL GAMES AND FOOD, FIRE TRUCKS AND VENDORS, ALONG WITH FREE EVENTS FOR ALL AGES. ALONG WITH ALL THE FUN, PRESIDENT DOUG HODGES SAYS IT'S A GREAT TIME TO PAY RECOGNITION.

September 18, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

A 36-YEAR-OLD MOTHER OF FIVE DIED AFTER A HOUSE FIRE IN MANISTEE EARLY THIS MORNING. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS ON THE SCENE TODAY AND SPOKE WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. HE HAS THE STORY.

September 18, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

AUTHORITIES IN THE UPPER PENINSULA ARE SEARCHING FOR THREE PEOPLE, INCLUDING A 9-YEAR-OLD BOY, WHO DIDN'T RETURN AFTER AN AFTERNOON OF FISHING. THE BOY WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS FATHER AND ANOTHER MAN IN HOUGHTON COUNTY. STATE POLICE SAY THEY WERE HEADED TO LAKE SUPERIOR IN A 16-FOOT BOAT SATURDAY. ACCORDING TO THE COAST GUARD -- THE GROUP HAD MISSED A FISH FRY THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO BE AT SATURDAY NIGHT. THE BOAT'S TRAILER AND TRUCK WERE FOUND AT THE MARINA.

September 19, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

U.S. AND CANADIAN AUTHORITIES CONTINUED THEIR DESPERATE SEARCH FOR THREE MISSING BOATERS TODAY. THE BOATERS, INCLUDING TWO ADULTS AND ONE CHILD, WERE LAST SEEN SETTING OUT FOR A RECREATIONAL FISHING TRIP ON SATURDAY. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON HAS BEEN FOLLOWING THE STORY TODAY AND HAS MORE DETAILS ON THE SEARCH.

September 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WE HAVE AN UPDATE ON A STORY WE BROUGHT YOU ABOUT A MONTH AGO ABOUT A ROSCOMMON COUNTY WOMAN FIGHTING TO GET HER DOG BACK AFTER IT WAS SEIZED BY

ANIMAL CONTROL.CINDY HODGES WAS EXPECTED TO SETTLE IN COURT TODAY AND GET HER DOG SADIE BACK.BUT AT THE LAST MINUTE HODGES DECIDED THAT SHE WOULD RATHER TAKE THE CASE TO TRIAL.AS PART OF THE DEAL OFFERED-HIDGES WOULD HAVE TO PAY A FINE OF ABOUT 25-HUNDRED DOLLARS.ANIMAL CONTROL SEIZED SADIE AFTER SHE WANDERED OFF HER PROPERTY.ANIMAL CONTROL THEN GOT SURGERY ON THE DOGS HURT FOOT AND WANTED HODGES TO PAY FOR IT. HODGES SAYS THAT SHE NEVER AUTHORIZED THE SURGERY AND WAS ALREADY TREATING THE DOG AT HOME, FOLLOWING ORDERS FROM HER VETANARIAN.

September 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER NEARLY 26 YEARS ON THE BENCH ... JUDGE PHILIP RODGERS IS STEPPING DOWN FROM HIS POSITION IN THE THIRTEENTH CIRCUIT COURT -- AND RETIRING. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH JUDGE RODGERS TODAY WHO WAS REFLECTING BACK ON HIS TIME IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY ... AND LOOKING AHEAD TO THE FUTURE. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE ON WHAT HE HAD TO SAY.

September 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

STUDENTS AT GRAND TRAVERSE ACADEMY WERE SENT HOME FROM SCHOOL EARLY TODAY -- BECAUSE OF A BOMB THREAT. THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT GOT THE CALL AT 8-30 THIS MORNING AFTER A NOTE WAS FOUND IN THE SCHOOL THAT SAID "I HAVE A BOMB." THE NOTED PROMPTED SCHOOL LEADERS TO EVACUATE STAFF AND THE 12-HUNDRED STUDENTS. THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT BROUGHT IN THE DETECTIVE BUREAU AND SEVERAL BOMB SNIFFING DOGS TO INVESTIGATE. THEY SAY THEY'RE STILL TRYING TO DETERMINE WHO MAY HAVE LEFT THE NOTE.

September 20, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHAT STARTED AS A ROUTINE TRAFFIC STOP EARLY THIS MORNING TURNED INTO A FULL BLOWN POLICE CHASE IN OTSEGO COUNTY.7&4'S CONNOR HANSEN GOT POLICE DASH-CAM VIDEO OF THE CHASE

September 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

STUDENT LUNCH DEFICITS ARE TAKING A BITE OUT OF SCHOOL BUDGETS. AND THIS YEAR.... SOME DISTRICTS ARE CREATING \*NEW WAYS\* TO HELP PARENTS KEEP TRACK OF THEIR BILLS.7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH ELK RAPIDS PUBLIC SCHOOLS TODAY ABOUT HOW THEY'RE HELPING PARENTS TO STAY ON TRACK.

September 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NEXT MONTH.... A MASON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL WILL HOST AN \*ACTIVE SHOOTER\* TRAINING SESSION WITH LOCAL FIRST REpondERS BUT THIS TRAINING EXERCISE WILL INCLUDE SOMETHING THAT HASN'T BEEN PART OF PAST EXERCISES... STUDENTS. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE. TOM, WHY THE DECISION TO INCLUDE STUDENTS THIS TIME?

September 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE MICHIGAN STATE POLICE GAYLORD POST IS LAUNCHING A BOLD NEW PROGRAM TO COMBAT SUBSTANCE ABUSE.ITS CALLED THE ANGEL PROGRAM AND WILL TAKE DIRECT AIM AT HELPING PEOPLE WHO ARE CURRENTLY SUFFERING FROM PRESCRIPTION DRUG AND HEROIN ADDICTIONS. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON SPOKE WITH STATE POLICE OFFICERS TODAY TO FIND OUT HOW THE ANGEL PROGRAM WORKS.

September 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE ARE NEW MARIJUANA REGULATIONS NOW IN EFFECT - AFTER GOVERNOR SYNDER SIGNED BILLS AIMED AT HELPING CLARIFY THE STATE'S MEDICAL MARIJUANA LAW THAT WAS PASSED IN 2008. THE THREE-BILL PACKAGE, ACCORDING TO GOVERNOR SNYDER WILL HELP PATIENTS GET ACCESS TO SAFE PRODUCTS. IT WILL ALLOW MARIJUANA INFUSED PRODUCTS FOR PEOPLE WHO WOULD RATHER NOT SMOKE MARIJUANA. IT WOULD ALSO CREATE A "SEED TO SALE" TRACKING SYSTEM TO MAKE SURE IT HAS BEEN TESTED FOR SAFETY AND LASTLY IT WOULD GIVE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AUTHORITY TO REGULATE LOCATIONS AND THE NUMBER OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES.

September 22, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE'S A NEW STATE-WIDE EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM IN EFFECT. THE ALERT WOULD BE ISSUED IN THE CASE OF A TERROR ATTACK, MASS SHOOTING OR OTHER PUBLIC THREAT - AND IS SIMILAR TO HOW AN AMBER ALERT IS ISSUED. IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ON THE CRITERIA FOR USING THE ALERT LOG ON TO OUR WEBSITE UP NORTH LIVE DOT COM.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY ARE GETTING CLOSER TO FINDING WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ROBBING MULTIPLE BANKS IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN SINCE APRIL OF LAST YEAR. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN WAS ON SCENE WITH THE F-B-I TODAY AS THEY EXECUTED A SEARCH WARRANT. SHE JOINS US LIVE IN THE STUDIO WITH THE VERY LATEST.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT WE KNOW MORE ABOUT THE MAN WHO DROWNED IN ANTRIM COUNTY FRIDAY AFTERNOON. POLICE SAY \*58-YEAR-OLD STEVEN WINTER\* WAS FOUND FULLY CLOTHED, AND UNRESPONSIVE IN INTERMEDIATE LAKE. WE'RE TOLD WINTER LIVED AT AN ADULT FOSTER CARE HOME. WITNESSES SAY THEY SAW HIM PURPOSELY WALK OFF THE END OF THE DOCK... AND AT ONE POINT LOOKED LIKE HE WAS TRYING TO SWIM BACK TOWARDS SHORE. FOUL PLAY IS NOT SUSPECTED.. AND THE ANTRIM COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER SAYS AN AUTOPSY WILL NOT BE CONDUCTED.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE TRIAL OF SEAN PHILLIPS IS SET TO BEGIN THIS WEEK. THE 26 YEAR OLD IS ACCUSED OF KILLING HIS INFANT DAUGHTER, KNOWN AS BABY KATE, IN JUNE OF 2011. HER BODY WAS NEVER FOUND. TODAY THE COURT BEGAN SEATING A JUROR FOR THE TRIAL. HE'S FACING ONE COUNT OF OPEN MURDER. THE TRIAL IS ON THE SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT THREE WEEKS. SECURITY AT THE COURT HOUSE HAS BEEN STEPPED-UP. SHERIFF KIM COLE SAYS HE'S BEEN COORDINATING WITH JUDGE PETER WADEL FOR THE PAST MONTH ON HOW TO HANDLE THE EXTRA PEOPLE AND THE MEDIA.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE WILL BE A LOT OF HELICOPTER ACTION HAPPENING OVER WEST AND GRAND TRAVERSE BAYS THE NEXT COUPLE WEEKS... TODAY WAS THE FIRST DAY OF ANNUAL TRAINING FOR THE COAST GUARD AIR STATION TRAVERSE CITY CREW. THE TRAINING BRINGS IN INSTRUCTORS FROM THE USCG AVIATION HEADQUARTERS IN ALABAMA. THROUGHOUT THE NEXT TWO WEEKS THE INSTRUCTORS WILL CHECK THE TRAVERSE CITY CREW'S PROCEDURAL KNOWLEDGE AND FLIGHT STANDARDIZATION. WE'RE TOLD THE CREW MUST FLY AT LEAST FOUR TIMES A DAY. THE ANNUAL TRAINING WRAPS UP OCTOBER 7TH.

September 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A HEROIC AND LIFE SAVING ACT WAS CELEBRATED IN THE CITY OF CHEBOYGAN TODAY. SEVERAL EMERGENCY RESPONDERS WERE PRESENTED WITH CERTIFICATES OF COMMENDATION FOR THEIR WORK IN REVIVING ROGERS CITY RESIDENT \*LARRY KOZKOWSKI\*.KOZKOWSKI WAS STOPPED AT AN INTERSECTION IN DOWNTOWN CHEBOYGAN LAST SEPTEMBER WHEN HE SUFFERED A MAJOR HEART ATTACK. PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER MARK TORRENCE QUICKLY ARRIVED, BEGAN PERFORMING CPR AND HAD 911 NOTIFIED.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT POLICE ARE ASKING ANYONE WHO LIVES IN THE KALKASKA AREA.. TO \*BE ON THE LOOKOUT\* AFTER A STRING OF NEIGHBORHOOD THEFTS THIS WEEK.NEIGHBORS WE SPOKE WITH SAY THEY'RE SHOCKED 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WENT TO KALKASKA TODAY TO TALK TO THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE TARGETED AREA... ABOUT HOW THEY'RE NOW TAKING ACTION IN ORDER TO PROTECT THEIR HOMES.. AND FAMILIES.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER TWO AND A HALF DAYS.. A JURY HAS BEEN SELECTED FOR THE TRIAL OF 26-YEAR-OLD SEAN PHILLIPS.PHILLIPS IS CHARGED WITH KILLING HIS INFANT DAUGHTER, KATHERINE, IN 20-11.7&4S TOM KRAMER WAS BACK IN THE COURTROOM TODAY FOLLOWING THIS TRIAL..

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SOME BIG SECURITY CHANGES ARE BEING MADE TO THE CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BUILDING AND ITS COURTS.THE SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT HAS INSTALLED DOZENS OF NEW SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS THROUGHOUT THE BUILDING, INCREASING THEIR NUMBER FROM SIXTEEN TO FORTY-SIX. A DEPUTY HAS ALSO BEEN ASSIGNED TO MONITOR BUILDING SAFETY AND HELP ORGANIZE COURT BAILIFFS. ACCORDING TO CHARLEVOIX'S SHERIFF, THE SECURITY UPGRADES WERE MOTIVATED BY RECENT VIOLENCE AT COUNTY BUILDINGS, MOST NOTABLY THE JULY SHOOTING AT BERRIEN COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

September 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

OPENING STATEMENTS TODAY IN THE TRIAL OF SEAN PHILLIPS.PHILLIPS IS CHARGED WITH THE KILLING OF HIS INFANT DAUGHTER, KATHERINE OR BABY KATE, IN JUNE 2011.7&4S TOM KRAMER WAS IN THE COURTROOM TODAY.HE JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM THE MASON COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

September 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ARIAL COURTLAND.... THE MOTHER OF BABY KATE.... WAS BACK ON THE WITNESS STAND..... IN DAY TWO OF TESTIMONY IN THE MURDER TRIAL OF SEAN PHILLIPS. PHILLIPS IS CHARGED WITH KILLING HIS DAUGHTER IN JUNE 2011.7&4S TOM KRAMER WAS IN THE COURTROOM FOR THE DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.



## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/DEVELOPMENT**

(Including volunteerism, blood drives, revitalizing neighborhoods and mentoring)

### Local News

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT! PEOPLE LINED THE BAY TODAY TO GET A GLIMPSE OF THE BLUE ANGELS LAST REHEARSAL BEFORE TOMORROW'S BIG SHOW.IT'LL BE THE FIRST TIME THE NAVY ELITE FLIERS WILL PERFORM FOLLOWING THE DEATH OF ONE OF THEIR PILOTS. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WENT DOWN BY THE BAY FOR THE EXCITEMENT.

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MEANWHILE - THERE'S STILL TIME TO HEAD DOWN TO THE U-S COAST GUARD AIR STATION TRAVERSE CITY FOR THE ANNUAL "OPEN RAMP" EVENT IT'S HAPPENING NOW UNTIL 8 O'CLOCK... IT'S FREE.. AND IT'S OPEN TO EVERYONE.THERE YOU CAN MEET MEMBERS OF THE AIR SHOW TEAMS... THIS YEAR'S GRAND MARSHAL OF THE PARADE "PIPER" - AND MANY OTHERS.ALSO - NO LARGE BAGS, BACKPACKS, OR COOLERS ARE ALLOWED.

July 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LINING THE STREETS IN DOWNTOWN CHARLEVOIX.THE COMMUNITY IS CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF DALE BOSS... A MAN ALSO KNOWN AS MR. PETUNIA. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT WENT TO CHARLEVOIX TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE LEGACY HE'S LEFT...

July 2, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY MARKS THE FIRST DAY OF THE 90TH 2016 NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL... A NORTHERN MICHIGAN TRADITION FOR THOUSANDS.7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS THERE AS THE FIRST EVENT KICKED OFF THE START OF THE FESTIVAL.

July 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AS IM SURE YOU KNOW BY NOW, THIS WEEK IS THE \*90TH\* ANNUAL NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL.AND WITH 90 YEARS OF FESTIVALS THAT MEANS 90 YEARS WORTH OF HISTORY. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES HAS THE STORY.

July 7, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AND COMING UP ON SATURDAY IS THE BIG PARADE TO HELP CLOSE OUT FESTIVAL WEEK AND COMPANIES IN THE COMMUNITY HAVE BEEN WORKING HARD ON BUILDING FLOATS. FLOAT IS D-T-E ENERGY. THIS IS THE 15TH YEAR THAT THEY HAVE BEEN PART OF THE CHERRY ROYALE PARADE AND THEY WILL ALSO BE CELEBRATING 60 YEARS IN TRAVERSE CITY

July 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GROUP OF PEOPLE WHO ARE VISUALLY IMPAIRED GOT TOGETHER TODAY TO LEARN HOW TO ROW. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT CAUGHT UP WITH THE GROUP OUT ON LAKE LEELANAU TO CAPTURE THE IMPRESSIVE MOMENTS.SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO.ALLISON - HOW'D IT GO OUT THERE TODAY?

July 12, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

THE 52-ND ALPENFEST IN OTSEGO COUNTY KICKED OFF TONIGHT WITH ITS OPENING CEREMONIES. FESTIVAL STAFF ESTIMATE THAT AROUND 40-THOUSAND PEOPLE WILL COME OUT TO THE EVENTS DURING THE FIVE DAY SPAN.THERE ARE CARNIVAL RIDES... GAMES... FOOD AND LIVE ENTERTAINMENT.MANY OF ALEPNFEST'S ACTIVITIES MIRROR EVENTS IN SWITZERLAND... WHICH IS THE SISTER CITY FOR THE FESTIVAL

July 12, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

FOLLOWING THE OPENING CEREMONIES.. THE ALPENFEST PAGEANT.. AND A COUPLE OTHER ALPENFEST KICK-OFF EVENTS.. WAS THE ANNUAL \*BURNING OF THE BOOG.\*7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT HAS BEEN AT THE FESTIVAL ALL EVENING.. AND WAS THERE AS THE BOOG WENT UP IN FLAMES - ALLISON?

July 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE OLYMPIC GAMES ARE QUICKLY APPROACHING AND NORTHERN MICHIGAN WILL BE SENDING ONE OF ITS VERY OWN TO RIO.LELAND'S ALISHA GLASS WAS OFFICIALLY NAMED TO THE UNITED STATES OLYMPIC WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM FOR THE RIO GAMES. GLASS IS A FORMER LELAND VOLLEYBALL PLAYER AND HAS WON CHAMPIONSHIPS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE AND NATIONAL TEAM LEVELS.ALISHA'S MOTHER WAS ALSO THE COACH AT LELAND. LAURIE GLASS SAYS ALISHA HAS BEEN DREAMING ABOUT THIS SINCE SHE WAS LITTLE, CUTTING PICTURES OUT OF MAGAZINES AND POSTING THEM ON A BOARD WHEN SHE WAS VERY YOUNG.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FOR THE PAST YEAR, ON THE THIRD FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH A SPECIAL DELIVERY IS MADE TO THE LAKE COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES CENTER.BUT NOW THERE'S CONCERN THAT THESE DELIVERIES COULD BE COMING TO AN END.7&4'S TOM KRAMER JOINS US NOW LIVE FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE...

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

FEEDING AMERICA HAS RECENTLY TEAMED UP WITH THE MINI FLEET.AND AS PART OF THE MINI TAKES THE STATE TOUR... NEARLY ONE-THOUSAND MINI CARS CAME THROUGH SAINT IGNACE TO COMPLETE THE MICHIGAN STOP.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON SPOKE WITH SOME OF THE MINI DRIVERS TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE TOUR AND HOW ITS FUELED BY A SPECIAL MISSION TO HELP THOSE IN NEED.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY AND TOMORROW MEMBERS FROM THE SALVATION ARMY WILL BE TAKING TO TRAVERSE CITY WITH THEIR BELLS IN HAND IN HOPES TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE CHRISTMAS IN JULY KETTLE DRIVE. JUST LIKE THE CHRISTMAS SEASON SALVATION ARMY MEMBERS AND VOLUNTEERS WILL BE AROUND TRAVERSE CITY WITH THEIR RED KETTLES AND BELLS LOOKING TO RAISE MONEY FOR THOSE IN NEED.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MANISTEE'S HISTORIC MOVIE THEATRE PASSED ANOTHER MILESTONE THIS AFTERNOON. THE NON-PROFIT VOGUE THEATRE UNDERWENT A COMPLETE RENOVATION AND REOPENED IN DECEMBER OF 20-13.TODAY, THEY CELEBRATED THE 150-THOUSANDTH TICKET SOLD. VOGUE THEATRE BOARD MEMBERS SAY THE COMMUNITY'S REPOSE TO THE THEATRE CONTINUES TO EXCEEDED EXPECTATIONS.

July 15, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LESS THAN AN HOUR AGO A RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY WAS HELD FOR THE \*CADILLAC ROTARY PERFORMING ARTS PAVILION.\* THE DEDICATION OF THE NEWLY RENOVATED PAVILLION WAS MONTHS IN THE MAKING. \*THE CADILLAC ROTARY CLUB\* AND CITY OF CADILLAC HELD WILL FINISH THE CELEBRATION OFF LATER TONIGHT WITH A SHOWING OF the DISNEY MOVIE \*ZOOTOPIA\* AT THE PAVILLION AT AROUND 9:45.

July 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

VOLUNTEERS AT THE ELKS LODGE IN TRAVERSE CITY SPENT THEIR DAY PACKING FOOD BASKETS FOR PEOPLE WHO MIGHT NOT NORMALLY HAVE THE OPPURTUNITY TO EAT A FULL MEAL. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES SPOKE WITH EVENT ORGANIZER ON HOW AT RISK KIDS IN THE COMMUNITY HELPED PLAY A ROLE. HE SHARES MORE.

July 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE EIGHTY-SIXTH VENETIAN FESTIVAL KICKED OFF THIS PAST WEEKEND.BUT FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE FESTIVALS START, SIX MORE DAYS OF FUN AND EXCITEMENT LIE AHEAD.7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS AT THE FESTIVAL TODAY TO SEE HOW THE EVENT HAS GROWN FROM A SMALL BOAT PARADE TO ONE OF NORTHERN MICHIGANS BIGGEST SUMMERTIME PARTIES.

July 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TRAVERSE CITY ALREADY HAS A LOT OF ART DOWNTOWN.BUT NOW... THERE'S A NEW WAY TO EXPERIENCE IT... HANDS ON. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS LIVE DOWNTOWN... WHERE A UNIQUE COMMUNITY GIFT WAS JUST UNVEILED.

July 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A LOCAL ANIMAL SHELTER IS HAVING A SPECIAL ADOPTION EVENT THIS WEEKEND. A-C PAWS IS HOSTING AN 'ADOPT-A-THON' AT THE PETSMArt IN TRAVERSE CITY. VOLUNTEERS SAY THEY HOPE TO FIND HOMES FOR ALL OF THEIR ANIMALS. THEY'VE HAD TO TURN PEOPLE AWAY BECAUSE OF HOW PACKED THEIR FOSTER HOMES ARE.

July 23, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A WOODEN REPLICA OF A HISTORIC SPANISH SHIP IS DOCKED IN TRAVERSE CITY. EL GALEON IS ONE OF TWO SHIPS FROM A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION IN SPAIN.IT'S A REPLICA OF A SHIP USED FOR MARITIME EXPEDITIONS THROUGHOUT THE 16TH THROUGH 18TH CENTURIES. THIS IS THE SHIPS FIRST TIME IN FRESH WATER.CREW MEMBERS SAY THEY WILL BE TRAVELING ACROSS ALL OF THE GREAT LAKES.

July 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PREP WORK FOR THE LATEST TART TRAILS EXTENSION IS WELL UNDERWAY BEHIND THE Y-M-C-A IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY. STAFF WITH TART TRAILS SAY THE EXTENSION TO THE BUFFALO RIDGE TRAIL IS AN EXCITING TIME FOR THE COMMUNITY. ONCE ALL PHASES OF THE PROJECT ARE DONE -- THE BUFFALO RIDGE TRAIL WILL BE 4-POINT-5 MILES LONG. THE EXTENSION WILL CONNECT THE EXISTING TRAIL FROM THE GRAND TRAVERSE COMMONS TO THE YMCA ON SILVER LAKE ROAD.

July 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE TIME IS FINALLY HERE - THE 12-TH ANNUAL TRAVERSE CITY FILM FESTIVAL IS KICKING OFF RIGHT NOW. 7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS DOWNTOWN IN THE MIDDLE OF ALL THE ACTION...

July 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THIS SATURDAY WILL MARK THE SEVENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE LARGEST SINGLE LOSS OF LIFE AT SEA IN THE HISTORY OF THE U.S. NAVY. SINCE THEN HISTORIANS AND SCHOLARS HAVE SPENT DECADES RESEARCHING THE SINKING OF THE U.S.S. INDIANAPOLIS.. BUT THE BIGGEST QUESTION OF ALL STILL REMAINS... WHERE IS THE SHIP'S FINAL RESTING PLACE? 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON SPOKE WITH A BUSINESS OWNER IN MACKINAW CITY ABOUT HOW ONE OF HIS FATHERS WAR STORIES MY HELP LEAD TO THE DISCOVERY OF THE LONG LOST CRUISER.

July 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE VETERANS MEMORIAL AT THE OTSEGO COUNTY BUILDING IS GETTING AN UPGRADE. THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR SAYS THE MEMORIAL WAS IN ROUGH SHAPE -- AND HAD BROKEN CONCRETE THAT WAS CREATING A TRIPPING HAZARD. WORK BEGAN EARLIER THIS WEEK TO REBUILD THE AREA -- WHICH INCLUDES NEW BRICK PAVERS AND SOME NEW FLAG POLLS. THE PROJECT COST AROUND 25-THOUSAND DOLLARS AND IS BEING FUNDED BY THE COUNTY.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

HUNDREDS OF CYCLISTS ARE USING PEDAL POWER TO HELP WISHES COME TRUE. THE 29-TH ANNUAL WISH A MILE BIKE TOUR KICKED OFF TODAY FROM TRAVERSE CITY WITH A FINAL DESTINATION OF BROOKLYN MICHIGAN. THAT'S 300 MILES OF RIDING. WE CAUGHT UP WITH SOME OF THE CYCLIST WHEN THEY WERE RESTING IN WEXFORD COUNTY. MORE THAN TWO MILLION DOLLARS IS BEING RAISED WHICH WILL HELP BENEFIT THE MAKE A WISH FOUNDATION IN MICHIGAN.

July 29, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NORTHERN MICHIGAN COMMUNITY HAS A NEW SPORTS AREA...AND A FAMILY HAS A NEW REMINDER OF THEIR SON'S LEGACY. TODAY, AFTER MONTHS OF FUNDRAISING AND 3 MONTHS OF HARD WORK, THE TODD STEINER MEMORIAL SPORTS AND PICNIC AREA OFFICIALLY OPENED. THE PARK INCLUDES BASKETBALL COURTS, PICNIC AREA, AND AN OUTDOOR BOWLING LANE INTENDED FOR THE CLIENTS OF GRAND TRAVERSE INDUSTRIES. IT'S LOCATED AT GTI'S FACILITY IN MANCELONA, AND IS NAMED IN MEMORY OF TODD STEINER WHO WORKED AT THERE FOR YEARS.

July 30, 2016

11:00-11:35PM

Time :30

HUNDREDS OF COMMUNITY MEMBERS AND MORE THAN A DOZEN LOCAL BUSINESSES IN LEELANAU COUNTY CAME OUT IN SUPPORT TO HELP A FAMILY IN NEED TONIGHT.

TINA BAKER AND VIC CHIMOSKI LOST EVERYTHING IN A HOUSE FIRE THIS WEEK. THEIR HOUSE IN SUTTON'S BAY WENT UP IN FLAMES ON TUESDAY -- CAUSING THEM TO LOSE EVERYTHING EVEN IN THEIR FAMILY DOG. THE COUPLE ALSO OWNS CHIMOSKI BAKERY. AND TONIGHT... THE COMMUNITY HELD A FUNDRAISER AT V-I GRILL FOR THEM.

July 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE ARCHANGEL GABRIEL ORTHODOX CHURCH IN TRAVERSE CITY KICKED OFF THEIR CAMPAIGN FOR A NEW CHURCH CAMPUS TODAY. CHURCH MEMBERS MET AT THE SITE WHERE THE NEW BUILDING WOULD GO IN ACME. CHURCH LEADERS SAY ITS PERFECT BECAUSE OF ITS CENTRAL LOCATION. METROPOLITAN NICHOLAS OF DETROIT LED THE SERVICE THIS MORNING. THE CHAIR OF THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN SAYS ITS BEEN A LONG TIME GOAL OF THE CHURCH TO HAVE A PERMANENT CHURCH CENTER IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN.

July 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW BLUE STAR MEMORIAL WAS REVEALED TODAY AT THE BOTANIC GARDENS AT HISTORIC BARN PARK IN TRAVERSE CITY. THE FRIENDLY GARDEN CLUB OF TRAVERSE CITY DEDICATED THE MEMORIAL IN HONOR OF ALL OF SERVICEMEN AND WOMEN, BOTH PAST AND PRESENT. ORGANIZERS SAY ITS IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER EVERYTHING THAT THE MEMBERS OF OUR MILITARY DO FOR US. THEY SAY THIS IS JUST A SMALL GESTURE OF THEIR APPRECIATION.

July 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY THE TOWN OF INTERLOCHEN CELEBRATED A HUGE MILESTONE IN THE PROJECT FOR A NEW LIBRARY. THE \*INTERLOCHEN PUBLIC LIBRARY NEW BUILDING CAMPAIGN\* HAS REACHED 2-POINT-1 MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE PROJECT. THEY HELD A CELEBRATION AT THE SITE OF THE NEW BUILDING--WHICH INCLUDED FOOD, KIDS GAMES..AND A PERFORMANCE BY THE CHERRY CAPITAL MEN'S CHORUS. LIBRARY STAFF SAYS THAT IN A SMALL TOWN, LIKE INTERLOCHEN, THE LIBRARY IS MORE THAN JUST A PLACE TO CHECK OUT BOOKS.

August 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THIS MORNING HUNDREDS OF BIKERS TOOK PART IN THE TENTH ANNUAL CHERRY ROUBAIX RACE THE EVENT STARTED IN DOWNTOWN TRAVERSE CITY AND FINISHED OFF IN SUTTONS BAY. PEOPLE OF ALL AGES COMPETED IN ONE OF 3 RACES--A 20 MILE, A 52 MILE AND AN 86 MILE COURSE.

August 6, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

61ST ANNUAL GRANDE PARADE IN ELK RAPIDS. TODAY IS THE LAST DAY OF HARBOR DAYS A THREE DAY LONG EVENT FILLED WITH RIDES, FOOD AND FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY. HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE LINED UP THE STREETS TO SEE ALL OF THE FLOATS...AND ALSO MAYBE GET SOME CANDY. TOMORROW AT 8 A-M THERE IS A CLEAN UP VOLUNTEER BREAKFAST AT THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH LIGHTHOUSE.

August 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY TEEN WHO DIED LAST DECEMBER - WAS ALSO A MEMBER OF 4-H. 7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN SPENT THE DAY AT THE NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR WHERE \*HEATHER BARLEY\* HAD HOPED TO COMPETE THIS YEAR. SHE JOINS US LIVE NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH MORE ON HOW -- IN A WAY-- SHE STILL DID.

August 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

BILL MARSH SENIOR -- THE FOUNDER OF THE BILL MARSH AUTO GROUP AND A WELL KNOWN TRAVERSE CITY BUSINESSMAN...HAS PASSED AWAY AT THE AGE OF 80. MARSH DIED LAST NIGHT AT HIS LEELANAU COUNTY HOME SURROUNDED BY FAMILY -- FOLLOWING HIS RECENT BATTLE WITH ALZHEIMER'S. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH FAMILY AND EMPLOYEES TODAY ABOUT THE LEGACY HE'S LEAVING BEHIND. SHE JOIN SUS LIVE IN STUDIO WITH HIS STORY.

August 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IF YOU'RE LOOKING TO COOL OFF FOR A GOOD CAUSE - THERE'S STILL TIME TO REGISTER FOR THE SWIM FOR GRAND TRAVERSE BAYS TOMORROW MORNING.THE TWO-MILE SWIMMING FUNDRAISER IS TO PROMOTE CLEAN WATER IN WEST AND EAST GRAND TRAVERSE BAYS.SWIMMERS WILL DIVE IN AT 8-AM TOMORROW MORNING AT GREILICKVILLE HARBOR PARK... SWIM ACCROSS WEST BAY.. AND EVENTUALLY END THE RACE AT THE VOLLEYBALL COURTS BEACH. THE MONEY RAISED WILL BE PUT INTO A GENERAL FUND FOR \*THE GRAND TRAVERSE WATERSHED\*. THERE WILL BE A POST RACE CELEBRATION AT CLINCH PARK FROM 10 TO 3 WITH FOOD, DRINKS AND STAND UP PADDLE BOARD LESSONS.

August 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AS THE SKY CLEARED UP IN NORTHPORT IN LEELANAU COUNTY.... PEOPLE MADE THEIR WAY TO THE WINE FESTIVAL.THERE WERE 11 WINERIES AND 5 FOOD VENDORS OUT AT THE NORTHPORT WINE AND CRAFT BEER FESTIVAL TODAY.THE CO-CHAIR OF THE FESTIVAL SAYS IT STARTED BACK 19-82 MAKING IT THE OLDEST WINE FESTIVAL IN LEELANAU COUNTY.SHE ALSO SAYS THAT ALL OF THE HISTORY BEHIND THE FESTIVAL IS PART OF WHAT MAKES THIS EVENT SO SPECIAL.

August 13, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

MORE THAN 1-HUNDRED SWIMMERS AND PADDLERS FACED THE WEATHER TODAY TO SWIM ACROSS WEST GRAND TRAVERSE BAY.THE GRAND TRAVERSE WATERSHED HOSTED A 2 MILE LONG FUNDRAISER SWIM.SWIMMERS STARTED IN GREILICKVILLE IN LEELANAU COUNTY AND SWAM ALL THE WAY TO WEST END BEACH NEAR THE VOLLEYBALL COURTS IN TRAVERSE CITY.THE WATERSHED COMMUNICATION AND MARKETING SPECIALIST SAYS SHE'S THANKFUL PEOPLE CAME OUT EVEN THOUGH THE WEATHER WASN'T GREAT.

August 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THERE'S A NEW BAYKEEPER AT THE HELM IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY.HEATHER SMITH ASSUMED HER DUTIES AS THE WATERSHED CENTER'S NEW GRAND TRAVERSE BAYKEEPER AUGUST FIRST.AS BAYKEEPER SMITH WILL ADVOCATE FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OF THE GRAND TRAVERSE BAY WATERSHED. AFTER PURSUING AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE IN BIOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND A GARADUTE DEGREE IN WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT, THE NEW TITLE BRINGS THE LEELANAU COUNTY NATIVE CLOSE TO HOME DOING WHAT SHE LOVES.

August 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CHEBOYGAN COMMUNITY IS COMING TOGETHER TO RALLY AROUND A STUDENT WHO HAS BEEN TRAGICALLY TOUCHED BY CANCER. RILEY PROCTOR IS A JUNIOR AT CHEBOYGAN HIGH SCHOOL.THIS MONTH HE WAS DIAGNOSED WITH ESOPHAGEAL AND GASTRIC CANCER. BUT RILEY IS NOT ALONE IN HIS BATTLE AGAINST CANCER.TODAY MANY OF HIS FRIENDS PREPARED RIBBONS AND FAN SIGNS FOR THURSDAY NIGHT'S FUNDRAISER CONCERT.

LOCAL ARTIST \*NATE KING\* WILL BE PERFORMING AT 7 O'CLOCK AT THE CHEBOYGAN FESTIVAL SQUARE. ALTHOUGH THE EVENT IS FREE ADMISSION... ORGANIZERS SAY DONATIONS ARE MUCH APPRECIATED.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GROUP IN MASON COUNTY HAS TAKEN THE IDEA OF A BEACH CLEAN-UP ONE STEP FURTHER. NOT ONLY ARE THEY REMOVING TRASH FROM THE BEACH, BUT THEY'RE TURNING IT INTO ART. 7&4'S TOM KRAMER MET WITH SOME OF THE ARTISTS TODAY IN LUDINGTON. HE JOINS US NOW FROM OUR VOGUE THEATRE STUDIO IN MANISTEE.

August 18, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GENEROUS DONATION WILL GIVE SWIMMERS AT THE CADILLAC YMCA A BETTER IDEA OF JUST HOW FAST THEIR SWIMMING THEIR LAPS.. THE OWNER OF CADILLAC MORTGAGE SAW AN OPPORTUNITY TO DONATE A NEW SCORE BOARD AND TIMING SYSTEM FOR THE YMCA'S POOL. SHE DONATED TWENTY SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM HER COMPANY TO HELP THEM COMPLETE THEIR GOAL. IN THE PAST SIX YEARS KIDS IN THE SWIMMING PROGRAM HAVE RAISED ABOUT SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS.

August 19, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A CEMETARY STARTED OVER A CENTURY AGO HAS BEEN RE-DISCOVERED IN LAKE COUNTY. TODAY COMMUNITY MEMBERS AND THE DESCENDENTS OF THE PEOPLE BURIED THERE.. CAME TOGETHER TO HONOR THE NEW FOUND GRAVES. CONNOR HANSEN HAS THE STORY.

August 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

VOLUNTEERS WITH THE ELKS LODGE IN TRAVERSE CITY SPENT THEIR MORNING PACKING FOOD BASKETS. ALL OF THE BASKETS WILL GO TO HELPING PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY WHO ARE IN NEED OF A GOOD MEAL. ORGANIZERS SAY OLESONS FOODS PROVIDES ALL THE FOOD FOR THE EVENT AT COST-- AND ELKS NATIONAL PROVIDES A 10-THOUSAND DOLLAR GRANT TO MAKE THE EVENT POSSIBLE.

August 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LOCAL GROUPS ARE TAKING PART IN AN INTERNATIONAL WATER RESEARCH EFFORT THROUGHOUT THE GREAT LAKES. YESTERDAY THE \*INLAND SEAS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION\* TEAMED UP WITH EX-EXPEDITON AND THE LAKE CHARLEVOIX ASSOCIATION. IT WAS ALL IN EFFORTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE WORLD'S LARGEST SIMULTANEOUS MICROPLASTICS SAMPLING. MICROPLASTICS ARE ANY PIECE OF PLASTIC SMALLER THAN 5 MILLIMETERS THAT TYPICALLY ENDS UP IN BODIES OF WATER. THEY USUALLY COME FROM THE FACE-WASHES THAT HAVE SCRUBBING BEADS INSIDE AND CLOTHING FIBERS.

August 25, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IMAGINE NOT HAVING A CAR TO GET TO WORK.... GO TO THE STORE OR RUN ERRANDS WITH THE KIDS. HOW WOULD YOUR LIFE CHANGE.... HOW WOULD IT IMPACT YOUR FAMILY. GOODWILL SEES THE NEGATIVE IMPACT OF THAT EVERYDAY AND THAT IS WHY THEY STARTED A PROGRAM TO PROVIDE FREE CARS TO PEOPLE WHO NEED THEM 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES WAS IN CHARLEVOIX COUNTY TODAY WHERE SEVEN FAMILIES RECEIVED A LIFE CHANGING GIFT.

August 26, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IN 109 YEARS, EBE TOFFOLO HAS LIVED THROUGH TWO WORLD WARS, A GREAT DEPRESSION AND SO MUCH MORE. NOW THE SOO COMMUNITY IS PREPARING TO CELEBRATE HER BIRTHDAY AS SHE'LL BE TURNING 110 ON OCTOBER 19TH. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON VISITED WITH THE SOON TO BE BIRTHDAY GIRL TODAY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT HER LIFE AND SHARE SOME OF THE LESSONS THAT HISTORY HAS TAUGHT HER.

August 27, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

AFTER NEARLY A YEAR OF NEGOTIATIONS, WEXFORD COUNTY IS ONE STEP CLOSER TO HAVING A NEW YOUTH CENTER. IT MIGHT NOT LOOK LIKE MUCH NOW... BUT THIS OLD ABANDONED BUILDING WILL BE \*NEVER DOWN FOR THE COUNT YOUTH CENTER'S\* NEW HOME IN CADILLAC. BOXERS AND VOLUNTEERS MET AT THE OLD WAREHOUSE TODAY TO HELP CLEAN IT UP AND GET IT READY. \*NEVER DOWN FOR THE COUNT\* STARTED AS A YOUTH SERVICE THAT BEGAN AS A BOXING PROGRAM... BUT ORGANIZERS SAY IT'S BECOME A LOT MORE. THAT ALTHOUGH BOXING IS A FUN WAY TO GET KIDS ACTIVE, THE LIFE LESSONS THEY LEARN IS WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT.

August 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

10-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ABOUT 30 HOURS... THAT'S THE MISSION FOR THE GRAND TRAVERSE PARKS AND REC BOARD. THEY HAVE A WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEADLINE TO RAISE 50-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ORDER TO GET A MATCH FROM THE STATE TO HELP PAY FOR A NEW PLAYGROUND. THIS NEW STRUCTURE WILL REPLACE KIDS KOVE AT THE CIVIC CENTER WHICH WAS TAKEN OUT LAST YEAR FOR HIGH ARSENIC LEVELS. YOU CAN HELP OUT BY DONATING TO THE GET OUT AND PLAY PROJECT ONLINE. AT LAST CHECK, THEY STILL NEED ABOUT 95-HUNDRED DOLLARS. THE PARKS AND REC DIRECTOR IS OPTIMISTIC AND SAYS ITS VERY DOABLE.



August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

REMEMBER RYLEE? SHE'S THE TEN-MONTH-OLD DOG FROM ILLINOIS THAT FELL OFF OF HER FAMILY'S BOAT IN LAKE MICHIGAN ON SUNDAY -- SWAM MILES TO SHORE AND WAS REUNITED WITH HER FAMILY THE NEXT DAY? TONIGHT WE'RE LEARNING MORE ABOUT HER JOURNEY -- AND ONE MAN WHO PLAYED A HUGE ROLL IN SAVING HER LIFE. 7&4'S MEGHAN MORELLI SPOKE WITH RYLEE'S HERO TODAY

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WITH JUST HOURS LEFT TO DONATE... THE GET OUT AND PLAY CAMPAIGN REACHED THEIR GOAL OF 50-THOUSAND DOLLARS LATE THIS AFTERNOON. GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION DIRECTOR KRISTINE ERICKSON SAYS IT WAS A LAST MINUTE DONATION THAT CLOSED THE 4-THOUSAND DOLLAR GAP THEY NEEDED. ERICKSON SAYS SHE'S OVERJOYED WITH THE COMMUNITY AND THEIR RESPONSE IN A TIME OF NEED. THE MICHIGAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION WILL NOW MATCH THE COUNTY'S FUNDRAISING EFFORTS FOR THE PLAYGROUND AT THE CIVIC CENTER.

August 31, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

IMAGINE NOT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY TO FEED YOUR FAMILY EVERYDAY...? WELL UNFORTUNATELY THAT'S A REALITY MANY FAMILIES IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN HAVE TO DEAL WITH. KALKASKA AREA INTERFAITH RESOURCES, OR KAIR, HAS A FOOD PANTRY WHICH HELPS PEOPLE DURING TOUGH TIMES.. BUT THEY ARE HAVING A PROBLEM FINDING ENOUGH VOLUNTEERS TO KEEP IT RUNNING PROPERLY. 7&4'S RAPHAEL PIRES TALKED WITH THE DIRECTOR OF KAIR TODAY...

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TONIGHT COMMUNITY MEMBERS CAME TOGETHER TO EAT HOT DOGS.. SELL T-SHIRTS.. AND RAISE MONEY FOR A GOOD CAUSE. THE \*CAR AND STRIPES\* EVENT IS JUST NOW WRAPPING UP AT VARIOUS CAR DEALERSHIPS IN TRAVERSE CITY. THE EVENT WAS HELD TO SELL T-SHIRTS FOR THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL T-C PATRIOT FOOTBALL GAME BETWEEN T-C WEST AND T-C CENTRAL. THE GAME IS IN HONOR OF FALLEN VETERANS.. AND THE T-SHIRT MONEY GOES TOWARDS HELPING VETERANS. COMMITTEE MEMBERS SAY THE COMMUNITY HAS BEEN EXTREMELY SUPPORTIVE SINCE THE VERY FIRST PATRIOT GAME.

September 1, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

GOLFERS CAME TOGETHER THIS AFTERNOON IN GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY TO HIT THE LINKS AND RAISE MONEY FOR A GOOD CAUSE. LOCHENHEATH GOLF CLUB HOSTED THE FIRST \*BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN\* GOLF SCRAMBLE! AROUND 100 GOLFERS PARTICIPATED IN THE BIG EVENT TO RAISE AROUND 40-THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS. THAT MONEY WILL HELP BRING ABOUT 40 MORE CHILDREN INTO THE PROGRAM -- AND COVER THE COSTS OF THINGS LIKE BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR BIGS -- SUPERVISION -- AND ACTIVITIES. BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS SERVES ABOUT 400 CHILDREN EACH YEAR -- AND IS HOPING TO RAISE THAT NUMBER TO 500 BY 2018.

September 3, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A TRAVERSE CITY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT IS HELPING TO MAKE PICNIC TABLES THAT ARE WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE. A JUNIOR AT TBAISD IS HOPING TO EARN HIS RANK AS AN EAGLE SCOUT THIS YEAR BY BUILDING A WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE PICNIC TABLES. TIM HOOPER WILL GIVE THE TABLES TO TWO ORGANIZATIONS IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN ONCE

THEY'RE FINISHED.HOOPER SPENT AROUND 100-HOURS THIS SUMMER FUNDRAISING AND LEADING BOY SCOUT TROOP 33 IN THE PROJECT.

September 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

RIGHT NOW A PRAYER SERVICE IS BEING HELD FOR TWO HOMICIDE VICTIMS IN HILLMAN.69-YEAR-OLD KEITH ATKINSON AND 23-YEAR-OLD TREVOR HUBBARD WERE KILLED TWO WEEKS AGO. TONIGHT CHURCH LEADERS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE GATHERED AT EMERICK PARK TO HONOR THE TWO MEN.. AND PROVIDE HEALING AND HOPE IN RESPONSE TO THE RECENT VIOLENCE IN THE COMMUNITY.WE'LL HAVE MORE COVERAGE OF THE PRAYER SERVICE TONIGHT ON 7&4 NEWS AT 11

September 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

ALONG SIDE THE SWIMMERS IN THE WATER.. WERE THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE FROM ALL ACROSS THE COUNTRY.. WALKING ALONG THE MACKINAC BRIDGE.THE 59TH ANNUAL MACKINAC BRIDGE WALK KICKED OFF EARLY THIS MORNING NEAR ST. IGNACE. 7&4'S MICHAEL GORDON WAS OUT THERE WITH THE BRIDGE WALKERS BEFORE THE SUN CAME UP AND TRAVELED WITH THEM AS THEY PROUDLY MADE THE FIVE MILE TRIP ACROSS THE BRIDGE TO MACKINAW CITY.

September 5, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY MAN SWAM ALL THE WAY FROM \*MACKINAW CITY\* TO \*MACKINAC ISLAND\*... ALL FOR A GOOD CAUSE THIS WEEKEND. DAN BRADY SET OFF ON HIS \*7-POINT-2 MILE\* SWIM ACROSS THE STRAITS OF MACKINAC SATURDAY MORNING.THE GOAL IS TO RAISE 100-THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR THE HABITAT FOR HUMANITY GRAND TRAVERSE REGION. THAT'S HOW MUCH IT COSTS TO BUILD A HOUSE FOR ONE LOW-INCOME FAMILY IN THE PROGRAM.SO FAR BRADY HAS RAISED 22-THOUSAND DOLLARS.. AND HAS VOWED TO KEEP SWIMMING UNTIL HE REACHES HIS GOAL.ANOTHER SWIM IS BEING PLANNED FOR DECEMBER IN A WARMER LOCATION.

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY, VOLUNTEERS CAME OUT TO HELP LANDSCAPE THE SITE OF THE FUTURE \*SAFE HARBOR HOMELESS SHELTER.\* THE BUILDING IS ON WELLINGTON STREET RIGHT OFF 8TH STREET IN TRAVERSE CITY. 14-YEAR-OLD SPENCER MICHAELS ORGANIZED THE CLEAN UP TODAY HE'S DOING IT AS PART OF HIS EAGLE PROJECT FOR BOY SCOUTS.BUT ALSO SAYS... HE IS HAPPY TO HELP OUT THOSE IN NEED.

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

CLASSIC CAR ENTHUSIASTS FROM ALL OVER NORTHERN MICHIGAN WERE IN TRAVERSE CITY TODAY.THAT'S BECAUSE TODAY WAS THE 11TH ANNUAL \*MIKE MCINTOSH\* MEMORIAL TRUCK AND CAR SHOW.ORGANIZERS SAY IT'S NAMED AFTER MIKE BECAUSE HE PUT TOGETHER THE FIRST SHOW NEARLY 24 YEARS AGO.THEY ALSO SAY THAT IT'S BEEN A BIG WAY TO PROMOTE THE AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAM AT NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE.

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

TODAY STAFF AT THE \*INLAND SEAS EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION\* IN SUTTONS BAY ANNOUNCED THEY ARE GOING TO MOVE FORWARD WITH PLANS FOR A NEW BIOLOGICAL STATION.THE ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE DURING A TRIBUTE EVENT IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN TOM KELLY -- WHO FOUNDED \*INLAND SEAS.\* HE PASSED AWAY EARLIER THIS YEAR.

NOW STAFF AT INLAND SEAS WILL START A 5 YEAR PLAN TO GET THE NEW STATION UP AND RUNNING

September 10, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE RAIN DIDN'T STOP PEOPLE FROM COMING OUT TO SUPPORT A GREAT CAUSE IN TRAVERSE CITY TODAY.IT WAS THE SEMI-ANNUAL FATHER FRED GARAGE SALE -- WHICH THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE COME TO EVERY FALL. PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE GO TO THE FOUNDATION'S FOOD PANTRY AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR THE COMMUNITY.AND THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF FATHER FRED SAYS THIS EVENT WOULDN'T BE POSSIBLE WITHOUT ALL THE VOLUNTEERS

September 11, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NOT FAR AWAY FROM THE MEMORIAL.. LOCAL CHURCH MEMBERS PROVIDED LUNCH FOR LOCAL FIRST RESPONDERS.AFTER THEIR CHURCH SERVICE.... THE \*FEAST OF VICTORY LUTHERAN CHURCH\* IN ACME BROUGHT LUNCH OVER TO \*STATION 8.\*THIS IS PART OF \*GOD'S WORK.... OUR HANDS\*.... A YEARLY DAY OF SERVICE.VOLUNTEERS SAY THIS IS JUST A SMALL GESTURE TO SHOW THEIR APPRECIATION.

September 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW FOSTER CLOSET HAS OPENED IN CADILLAC TO PROVIDE FOSTER CHILDREN AND PARENTS WITH CLOTHING, TOYS, AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.APRIL NOWLAND DECIDED TO START THE CLOSET AFTER FINDING OUT FIRST HAND HOW HARD IT IS TO BE A FOSTER PARENT. SHE -- LIKE MANY OTHER FAMILIES HAD SOME FOSTER CHILDREN COME INTO HER CARE WITH VERY LITTLE NOTICE. THE NEW CLOSET HAS ITEMS FOR CHILDREN OF ANY AGE, INCLUDING TEENAGERS.SHE HOPES THIS ONE-STOP SHOP HELPS NEW FOSTER FAMILIES TO FOCUS ON WHAT'S MOST IMPORTANT.

September 12, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS HAVE LACED UP THEIR RUNNING SHOES.. AND ARE OFF RUNNING FOR CAUSE TONIGHT.7&4'S ALLISON SCOTT IS LIVE AT THE TORCH RUN....

September 16, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHEN YOU GET A VACATION... WHAT DO YOU LIKE TO DO? SLEEP IN.. SHOP.. WATCH TV MAYBE? WELL OVER SUMMER VACATION... A GROUP OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN GIRLS LEARNED THAT SOMETIMES.... OUR FREE TIME CAN BE BEST SPENT HELPING OTHERS. IN TONIGHT'S POWERFUL WOMEN... WE HEAD OUT WITH \*RIGHT TREE ADVENTURE CAMP\*... TO MEET THE POWERFUL WOMEN OF TOMORROW.

September 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SWITCHING GEARS NOW -- TO AN ANNUAL WALK \*HERE\* IN NORTHERN MICHIGAN. RECORDS WERE BROKEN TODAY DURING THE ANNUAL TRAVERSE CITY \*WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S\* MORE THAN 300 PEOPLE CAME OUT TO WALK TOGETHER AND BRING AWARENESS TO THE CAUSE THIS MORNING. PARTICIPANTS WERE CHEERED ON AS THEY STARTED THEIR WALK AND ORGANIZERS SAY EVERYONE IS WHO CAME OUT IS PASSIONATE ABOUT MAKING A DIFFERENCE.

September 17, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

SPARTAN FANS HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO WATCH \*THEIR\* TEAM TODAY...WHILE ALSO SUPPORTING LOCAL VETERANS.THE MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY BASEBALL TEAM WAS AT WUERFEL PARK IN TRAVERSE CITY FOR A SCRIMMAGE GAME. THE GAME WAS SET UP BY M-S-U ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TO HONOR AND THANK LOCAL VETERANS.

September 21, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

THE CASS ROAD BRIDGE IS NOW OFFICIALLY OPEN AFTER MONTHS OF CONSTRUCTION. FOR ONE TRAVERSE CITY NATIVE... IT WAS A LIFETIME IN THE MAKING TO SEE IT COME THIS FAR.7&4'S GABRIELLA PAGAN WAS AT TODAY'S RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY AS THE FIRST DRIVER MADE HIS WAY ACROSS THE BRIDGE.SHE SHARES MORE.

September 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

HUNDREDS OF VIETNAM WAR VETERANS FROM NORTHERN MICHIGAN GOT A LONG OVER DUE WELCOME HOME TODAY.A CELEBRATION WAS HELD AT THE US COAST GUARD AIR STATION IN TRAVERSE CITY TO THANK AND HONOR THE VETERANS.ORGANIZERS SAY WHEN MANY VETERANS RETURNED HOME FROM WAR YEARS AGO THEY WERE NEVER WELCOMED BACK. THE GENERATION OF VIETNAM VETERANS ARE SAID TO BE A FORGOTTEN ONE.

September 24, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

INSTALLING A CAR SEAT FOR YOUR CHILD \*COULD\* BE MORE DIFFICULT THAN YOU THINK. IN FACT, 7 OUT OF 10 CAR SEATS THROUGHOUT THE U-S ARE \*NOT\* INSTALLED CORRECTLY -- THAT'S ACCORDING TO A REPORT BY \*SAFE KIDS NORTH SHORE\* THE GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND METRO FIRE STATION TEAMED UP WITH \*SAFE KIDS NORTH SHORE\* TO HOST FREE CAR SEAT CHECK UPS. CREWS WERE OUT AT WILLIAMS CHEVROLET IN TRAVERSE CITY CHECKING DOZENS OF SEATS.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

WHILE YOU'RE OUT GROCERY SHOPPING THIS WEEK, YOU HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO HELP THOSE IN NEED. NOW UNTIL SATURDAY.... FATHER FRED WILL BE COLLECTING DONATIONS AT SELECT FAMILY FARE, OLSON'S AND TOM'S STORES THROUGHOUT THE TRAVERSE CITY AREA.FATHER FRED IS HOPING TO STOCK THEIR FOOD PANTRY BEFORE WINTER, WHICH IS THE MOST CHALLENGING TIME OF YEAR.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

A NEW \*VETERANS MEMORIAL\* IS COMING TO MASON COUNTY.THE LUDINGTON CITY COUNCIL HAS APPROVED PLANS FOR THE MEMORIAL ALONG THE CITY'S LAKEFRONT. IT WILL BE BUILT NEXT TO..... AND INCORPORATE THE EXISTING WAR MEMORIAL IN STEARNS PARK...AND INCLUDE A BUST OF MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENT WILLIAM CHARETTE.THE GOAL IS TO UNVEIL THE NEW MEMORIAL NEXT SUMMER.

September 28, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

NEXT WEEK - THERE WILL BE A \*24-HOUR FOOD DRIVE\* TAKING PLACE IN KALKASKA COUNTY.IT'S CALLED \*KAMP OUT FOR CARE\*. .. AND IT'S PUT ON BY BOY SCOUTS AND OTHER COMMUNITY MEMBERS EVERY YEAR THE BOYS SET UP CAMP AND COLLECT FOOD AND OTHER PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS FOR THE KALKASKA AREA INTERFAITH RESOURCE.... OR KAIR.THE EVENT TAKES PLACE OCTOBER 7TH STARTING AT 5P-M OUTSIDE THE BILL MARSH DEALERSHIP IN KALKASKA.

September 30, 2016

6:00-6:30PM

Time :30

PROFITS FROM A SUNDAY LUNCHEON AT A CHURCH IN ALANSON WILL BE GOING TOWARDS A VERY SPECIAL CAUSE.THE FUNDRAISER IS FOR JOSHUA SCHAEFER, WHO WAS DIAGNOSED WITH A RARE FORM OF MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY FOURTEEN YEARS AGO.THE FATHER OF TWO HAS BEEN WHEELCHAIR BOUND FOR THE LAST SIX YEARS. NOW, HIS FAMILY IS HOPING TO RAISE ENOUGH MONEY TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT ON A NEW WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE MINI VAN.