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<u>Issue</u>	<u>Program Information</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>
Public Health Needs		
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	6/25-26	Troopers from the Wakefield post were dispatched to the Lake of the Clouds viewing area. A 37 year old mother and her 11 year old son were separated from their family while attempting to take another route back to the park.
	6/19-20	A new law in Michigan would allow accelerated benefits on life insurance in some cases. The measure would allow policy holders with a chronic illness or severe cognitive dementia to withdraw cash value from the policy.
	6/9-10	A measure in the works in Lansing would amend the public health code. The proposal would allow patients to see a physical therapist 10 times within a 21-day period without a doctor's referral.
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	6/2-3, 7-8	Catholics and protestants rallied and prayed together at Providence Park Hospital in downstate Novi, protesting abortion and doctors who perform them.
	6/5-6	Marquette General Hospital is expanding its emergency care across the U.P. with the addition of an air ambulance service.
	5/29-30	Michigan's Public Safety Communications System coordinated a high-angle rescue training exercise in northern lower Michigan. First responders and state and local agencies worked together to develop a system to rescue people who work at great heights.

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5/20-21		Dickinson County Health care System has received two Governor's Awards, as well as recognition by the Leapfrog Group with a safety grade of "A."	
5/19-20		The dialysis unit at Mackinac straits health system in St. Ignace will be shut down this fall as part of a cost-cutting move. Hospitals in Petoskey, Sault Ste. Marie and Rogers city have expanded their dialysis services and are drawing patients.	
4/30-5/1		The healthy Michigan plan is now providing health coverage to over 85,000 Michigan residents.	
4/28-29, 5/3-4		Legislation has been signed into law; it will require that patient medical complaints be reviewed by three doctors.	
4/28-29		The new surgery unit at Mackinac straits health system should be open this fall. The new unit will provide outpatient surgery and endoscopy services.	
4/24-25		A bill passed unanimously in the senate would ban "robo-doctor" machines that provide eyeglass prescriptions.	
4/21-22		Traffic crashes and deaths increased last year in Michigan, as 2013 Michigan traffic crash data is reviewed.	
4/18-20		A resolution has been reached on a freedom of information case of a resident of the iron county medical care facility. The resident had filed a civil lawsuit against the facility. The attorney for the facility had advised the facility to stop responding to the requests. He claimed the requests, which amounted to about one per day, were overly broad.	
4/10-12		Statewide work zone crash statistics released by the Michigan department of transportation show the number of serious injuries in Michigan work zones went up from 57 in 2012 to 107 in 2013, even while the number of overall crashes declined.	
4/7-8		Michigan law prohibits reading, manually typing or sending a text message while driving, but over 16% of respondents admitted to texting or emailing while driving. 31% admit to looking at incoming text messages and emails while driving.	
4/1		A new law will allow business and local governments to create waste diversion centers for collecting and disposing of unused pharmaceuticals and other household hazardous waste.	

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The Michigan Master Gardener Program offered by Michigan State University Extension provides home gardening information to Michigan residents from August 28th to December 4th, 2014 at Northern Michigan University.

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Upcoming blood drives throughout the Upper Peninsula will be on June 16th and 17th in Marquette, June 18th in Iron Mountain, June 19th in Sault Ste. Marie, June 21st in Pickford, June 23rd in Iron Mountain, June 24th in Negaunee, June 27th in Sault Ste. Marie, June 30th in Wakefield, and June 30th in Marenisco.

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The U.P. region blood center in Marquette is in critical need of A-positive, B-positive, A-negative, and B-negative blood.

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Michigan State University Extension is offering a training for the business community on the Affordable Care Act on June 9th at the Peter White Library.

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The Diabetes PATH program is a six week workshop designed to provide the skills and tools needed by adults living with diabetes. It will be held at Chocolay Township Hall, Monday afternoons from May 5th to June 9th.

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The Care Clinic will hold their annual LifeWalk on Saturday, May 17th.

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News
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- 6/9-10, 14-15 Iron Mountain V.A. Medical center public affairs officers Brad Nelson is clarifying why the Oscar G. Johnson Medical center drew curtains across Christian religious objects in its chapel.
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- 6/5-6 The Oscar G. Johnson V.A. Medical center in Iron Mountain has come under fire in recent weeks for using a curtain to hide Christian religious objects.
- 6/4-5 Revive alive ministries has filed an amicus brief in the sixth circuit court of appeals in Cincinnati, Ohio in defense of Michigan's 2004 voter-approved marriage amendment.
- 5/26-27 A part of the funding is for the attorney general's office, and its continuation of the Deboer vs. Snyder case. The attorney general's office is defending Michigan's one man, one woman marriage constitutional amendment.
- 5/12-13, 17-18 This year marks the 60th anniversary of having the words “under God” in the pledge of allegiance.
- 5/9-11 Whether landscaping, planting trees, shrubs, or flowers this spring, upper peninsula power company reminds everyone to think safety first and call 8-1-1 or visit missdig.net before any projects involving digging.
- 4/16-17 A senate bill by senator Mike Noffs will increase consumer protection, ensuring that every Michigan resident will continue to have access to high quality home phone service. He says the administration recognizes the importance of residents, especially in rural areas, having access to reliable telephone service.
- 4/15-16 The Mackinac straits are still locked in with ice. The ice also stretches between Mackinac island and the mainland, delaying the start of the spring ferry season and freight shipments to the island.
- 4/11-13 Upper Peninsula power company has reported that more than 2,600 of its customers are four months or more behind on their utility bills. Those customers could face disconnection.
- 4/9-10 New law in Michigan will help set up standards and requirements for the department of treasury when auditing taxpayers in Michigan.

4/1-2	Additional funding is available for qualifying low income families to help cover energy bills. Funding is provided by the Michigan public service commission through the Michigan energy assistance program.
Focus on the Family REC Host: Jim Daly 2:00 PM – 2:30 PM 10:00 – 10:30 PM	
6/30	Pastor Dave Lomas encourages listeners to base their identity on being a beloved child of God rather than on things the culture values, such as success, personality and appearance.
6/27	Author and speaker Kathi Lipp offers parents practical suggestions from her book <i>21 Ways to Connect with Your Kids</i> .
6/25-26	Rev. Mike Adkins tells the humorous and poignant story of his efforts to befriend and share the Gospel with his neighbor Norman, who was a recluse and a social outcast.
6/23-24	Best-selling author Shaunti Feldhahn offers insights from research she's conducted on what makes for a happier, more fulfilling marriage. She also outlines practical ways to develop a more Christ-like relationship with your spouse.
6/20	Author and blogger Erin MacPherson explains how moms can more effectively handle the challenges of parenting toddlers.
6/18-19	Business consultant and psychologist Dr. Tim Irwin identifies and explains several principles that can help parents become more effective leaders of their children.
6/16-17	Counselor Ron Deal describes some of the unique challenges facing step-families and provides encouragement and practical advice to couples in a remarriage relationship.
6/12-13	Best-selling author and leadership expert John Maxwell shares life-shaping lessons he learned from his dad, who modeled personal integrity, marital purity and an unwavering positive attitude.
6/11	Greg Vaughn, the founder of Letters from Dad and Lyndy Edwards emphasize the value of writing letters of blessing to family members as precious keepsakes.
6/10	Pastor Tony Evans explains God's specific design for sex within marriage and addresses the distortion of that design in the culture and the confusion about it within the church.

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6/5-6		Cynthia Tobias and Jean Daly describe how parents can navigate the frustration and challenges of raising strong-willed children. Our guests also explain how couples can get on the same page in their parenting approach.	
6/3-4		Comedian Jeff Allen offers humorous insights on the family, and describes how God's grace helped restore his marriage and life.	
6/2		Authors Karen Ehman and Glynnis Whitwer share creative ideas for celebrating special occasions with your family throughout the year and explain how traditions can help forge your family's identity.	
5/29-30		Pastor Louie Giglio describes how the emotional baggage we carry negatively affects our interactions with others, and how listeners can let go of that baggage to improve the quality of their relationships.	
5/26		Focus president Jim Daly and John Fuller share listener-submitted stories of friends and family members who gave the ultimate sacrifice to protect the freedoms we enjoy as Americans.	
5/21		Author Sara Horn discusses why biblical submission is an unpopular idea among many women and describes how she undertook a year-long experiment to seek God's will for her life in this area of her marriage.	
5/19		Journalist and best-selling author Philip Yancey discusses the struggles with “why” questions that people experience in the midst of suffering, and emphasizes the need for the church to respond with compassion and practical help to those who suffer.	
5/12-13		FamilyLife president Dennis Rainey explains why fathers should interview their daughter's date, and offers practical suggestions for doing so.	
5/8-9		Author Melanie Shankle offers encouragement to moms as she discusses the blessings and challenges of motherhood.	
5/5-6		Former pro football coach Tony Dungy and his wife, Lauren, share a candid glimpse into their marriage of more than three decades, describing the joys and hardships they experience along the way.	
4/28-29		Psychologist Dr. Larry Crabb helps get to the root of disillusionment and disappointment in today's marriages, and points to “God's heart for men and women to enjoy true oneness in marriage.	
4/24-25		Author Gary Thomas describes how a wife can more effectively influence her husband to become the man of God he is called to be.	
4/22-23		Focus on the Family president Jim Daly discusses his new book, <i>The Good Dad</i> , and the importance of being a responsible father.	

4/21	Author Kathi Lipp discusses the scriptural reasons for why we should pray, and how prayer has helped improve her marriage, parenting and general quality of life.
4/16-17	Author Gary Thomas explains how God has created each of us with different spiritual temperaments and how those temperaments uniquely impact family relationships.
4/14-15	Film-maker Tim Sisarich discusses how the documentary <i>Irreplaceable</i> quickly became a very personal journey as he began to discover the root of his own questions surround family.
4/11-12	Christian hip hop artist Lecrae explains how important it is for us to break down the wall between “sacred” and “secular” and to be living representations of Christ in every aspect of culture.
4/9-10	Teske Drake shares the spiritual journey she and her husband underwent with the loss of a newborn and subsequent miscarriages, and offers hope to others grieving the loss of a baby.
4/3	Arnie Cole and Michael Ross encourage listeners to break free from spiritual malaise by engaging the Bible multiple times throughout the day.
4/1-2	Frank Peretti discusses the childhood emotional pain he endured as a result of being bullied and warns parents about the impact bullying can have on a child's heart and mind.
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6/30	Free music lessons are being given this summer at City Bible Church in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.
6/30	The Friends of the Negaunee Library will hold its annual pioneer days book sale on July 10 th .
4/10-30	AMCAB Head Start is accepting applications for enrollment in their preschool programs. The child must be 3 or 4 years old by October 1 st , 2014. Free preschool development screening will be held in Traunik on April 21 st , in Munising April 22 nd , in Gwinn April 28 th , in NICE April 14, in Marquette April 30 th , in Negaunee April 16 th , and in Ishpeming April 23 rd .

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4/7-27		“Michigan Gold and Silver” is the title of Dan Fountain's program in the community room of the Ishpeming Carnegie public library on April 27 th .	
4/8-15		Bay College West will be holding an open house of their state of the art human simulation laboratory on April 15 th in the Nursing Arts Lab.	
4/1-14		The Marquette area public schools family life advisory committee is scheduled to meet on April 14 th in the Marquette senior high school library.	
4/1-9		The Laughing Whitefish Audubon Society will host a presentation on “the Acadia Birding Festival, Mt. Desert Island, Maine.”	
4/1-5		There will be a blowout sale of used books at the Carnegie public library in Ishpeming on April 5 th .	
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6/30		A WIC clinic will be held at the Marquette county health department through the month of July.	
4/15-6/6		North Country Publishing of Skandia and the Falling Rock Cafe and Bookstore of Munising announce the second annual U.P. nature writing contest. The winner will receive a \$250 prize and publication in the Marquette Monthly and the Munising News, with other publications by permission. The deadline for entries in June 6.	
4/30-5/30		A WIC clinic will be held at the Marquette county health department each week day through the month of May.	
5/6-16		North Star Academy will have the empty bowls fund-raiser on May 16 th . The goal is to raise awareness and funds for people who experience poverty and are facing hunger.	
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- 6/19-30 Activity Nights at Messiah Lutheran Church Tuesdays and Thursdays. It is free for all children.
- 6/10-18 There will be a free, home-cooked meal, open to the public, sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Gwinn. This month we will be serving: sloppy joes, watermelon, and potato chips, on Wednesday, June 18th.
- 5/13-6/4 Messiah Lutheran Church in Marquette will host its monthly community meal on Wednesday, June 4th.
- 5/12-21 There will be a free home-cooked meal, open to the public sponsored by The First Baptist Church of Gwinn on May 21st.
- 5/1-19 “Leaving a Legacy: Family, Church, and Charity.” A financial planning workshop with Theresa Sell from Thrivent Financial, will be held on May 19th. Learn about estate planning and planned giving options. This workshop is for educational purposes.

Education

News
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- 6/27-29 State Representative Tom McMillen, a republican from Rochester Hills said that the Governor signing the state school aid budget means that the state of Michigan is helping fight against the nationalization of education.
- 6/16-17, 21-22 A parents group has sought legal backing in its fight to support those seeking to opt children out of the smarter balance assessment Internet pilot test.
- 6/16-17 Legislation enhancing the Michigan merit curriculum to allow students more educational options and opportunities have been approved. The legislation allows high school graduation credit requirements to include vocational education course work.
- 5/26-27, 5/31-6/1 The Michigan department of education in coordination with the smarter balance consortium is piloting a field test, aligned to Michigan's common core standards.

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	5/19-20, 24-25	Representative Greg McMaster opposes common core policy in public schools; he says it restricts a school's ability to teach religion and the documents of the founding fathers.	
	5/5-7	Michigan technological university's board of control has approved a general fund budget and tuition rates for the 2015 fiscal year. The budget increased by 5%, to \$168.2 million.	
	5/5-6	A senate bill sponsored by senator Mark Jansen protects the religious expression of students in public schools and state universities.	
	4/28-29	Bay Mills community college in Brimley has chosen to sign on with Merit Network.	
	4/21-22, 26-27	A measure sponsored by senator Patrick Colbeck protects data collected by Michigan public schools.	
	4/25-27	The student statesmanship institute in Lansing has announced its summer leadership program, designed for high school students.	
	4/23-24	Energy saving projects in the Breitung township school district continue to benefit the district in the area of energy efficiency.	
	4/14-15, 19-20	A measure by senator Mark Jansen protects the religious expression and viewpoints of students in public schools and higher education.	
	4/7-8, 12-13	A senate bill at the capitol sponsored by senator Mark Jansen protects the religious expression and viewpoints of students in public schools and higher education while challenging secular education.	
	4/2-3	Pink hair is causing a stir at west Iron county high school. Student and track athlete Mike Barker dyed his hair pink to show support for his mother in her fight against breast cancer.	
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	6/9	Former U.S. Secretary of Education Dr. Bill Bennett challenges the common assumption that most high school graduates should get a college education to succeed in life, and cautions parents to consider all the options available before plunging into tremendous debt or potentially wasted years in the university experience.	

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5/29-6/13 Upper Michigan Christian Home Educators will have its annual curriculum fair on June 13th, at Bethel Baptist Church in Marquette.

4/1-21 Christian Homeschoolers of Upper Michigan will be hosting the final homeschool rollerskating event for this school year on April 21st.

Corrections/
 Courts

News
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6/24-25, 28-29 An amicus brief has been filed in the sixth circuit U.S. Court of appeals, in defense of the Michigan marriage protections amendment.

6/27-29 Anthony Michael Adams, from Ramsay, was sentenced for a minimum of 12 to 30 years. Adams was responsible for a string of local home invasions and breaking and enterings.

6/27-28 Detectives from the Upper Peninsula substance enforcement team arrested a 31 year old sawyer man, on two counts of felon in possession of a firearm and one count of receiving and concealing stolen property.

6/26-27 A recent phone scam has affected several board of light and power customers. The scam threatens customers that their electric power service will be disconnected within 45 minutes to an hour if they do not provide financial or credit card information.

6/24-25 A Grand Rapids man has pled guilty to one count of forgery and one count of illegal re-entry by an alien.

6/21-23 UPSET detectives assisted troopers from the Gladstone state police post with the arrest of 46 year old Bruce Michael Sever from Ontonagon for larceny by false pretenses, two counts of forgery and larceny from a building less than \$20,000.

6/13 State police are investigating the death of a man at the Gogebic county jail.

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6/12-13		A downstate man has been sentenced to two years in prison. 58 year old James Francis Ortman of Maple Rapids was sentenced for submitting false claims to the U.S. Department of housing and urban development.	
6/6-8		Governor Snyder announce plans for the cyber civilian corps, a civilian group to serve as a rapid response team to assist the state and industries across Michigan in times of a major cyber incident.	
5/30-31		Jeffrey Richter, formerly of Grandville Michigan pleaded guilty to filing a false federal income tax return. According to court records, Richter failed to accurately report all of his income for the 2007 through 2011 tax years. Richter underreported his income by over \$995,000 over the five years.	
5/23		Four Lansing men were sentenced in U.S. District court. The four defendants were found guilty of abducting and murdering Lansing resident 19 year old Shayla Johnson in an effort to obtain drugs.	
5/20-21		A bipartisan package before state lawmakers seeks to help parolees gain employment upon their release.	
5/19-20		Law enforcement agencies across the state are stepping up seat belt enforcement for the annual “click it or ticket” campaign.	
5/15-16		37 year old Seamus Dillon of ADA Michigan has been sentenced to two years in federal prison after pleading guilty to conspiracy to commit mortgage fraud.	
5/12-13		A downstate man has been convicted on several charges in connection with a ponzi scheme. 43 year old David McQueen of Byron Center was convicted of six counts of mail fraud, six counts of money laundering and three tax counts stemming from a \$46,000,000 ponzi scheme.	
5/9-10		A federal grand jury has returned a nine-count indictment charging a west Michigan man with producing and possessing child pornography.	
5/8-9		Governor Snyder has signed legislation designed to give law enforcement tools to combat metal theft. The measure includes common-sense reforms that make it more difficult for people to quickly and easily sell stolen metals.	
5/7-8		A coast guard investigation has led to the sentencing of a man for piloting commercial ships on the Great Lakes with a fraudulent coast guard license.	
5/6-7		An Escanaba man has been sentence to prison. 27 year old Dustin Anthony Menard was convicted of one count of third degree criminal sexual conduct by force or coercion.	

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5/5-6		Kenneth Sandoval, age 36 of Dearborn, was sentenced to up to 20 years in prison on one count of conducting a criminal enterprise, and two counts of larceny. Sandoval defrauded approximately 84 victims out of \$914,151.	
5/6		State police are investigating a Chocolay township breaking and entering.	
5/5-6		54 year old Roger Lee Andrews of Coopersville Michigan has been convicted by a jury of wire fraud in connection with a bogus land deal in Indiana. Andrews solicited more than one million dollars from long-time friends, business acquaintances, and a bank.	
5/3-4		Senators Rick Jones and Steve Bieda have introduced legislation at the capitol that will prohibit the posting of explicit pictures on the Internet without the permission of the person in the photo.	
4/30-5/1		Police arrested an Iron Mountain man after observing him smashing out the windows of a police vehicle in broad daylight. The 21 year old man is charged with destruction of police property.	
4/30-5/1		State police are warning Upper Michigan residents of a new phone scam. Callers are portraying themselves as I.R.S. Agents, and advising victims they owe back taxes. The callers have middle-eastern accents and speak poor English.	
4/15		The Ishpeming police were called to a home in the 1800 block of Hewitt street on a report of domestic violence. The suspect, a 33 year old man was lodged at the Marquette county jail on a charge of home invasion first degree.	
4/11		The Marquette county sheriff's office is warning residents of recent IRS phone scams requesting payment of back taxes. The call may state that he or she is an agent with the IRS and request that a certain amount of money be paid with a money order.	
4/11-12		A Hancock man sustained minor injuries Thursday evening after a traffic stop. Marquette city police stopped a vehicle for tailgating. The male driver fled the scene, lost control of his vehicle, and crossed the highway. The vehicle rolled multiple times and came to rest along the shore of Lake Superior.	
4/1, 4/5-6		Representative Joe Graves has a gender-neutral bill at the capitol. If it becomes law, those who entice men or women into prostitution would be prosecuted.	
4/6		Marquette city police responded to the report of a shooting in the 200 block of west bluff street. Two victims had sustained non-life threatening gunshot wounds.	

4/2	State police are investigating an incident that took place Monday evening at Sunnyside estates in Ishpeming township. Troopers found an intoxicated 26 year old man with a cut on his hand. Investigation showed the man had been at another address earlier in the evening and allegedly forced his way into the trailer.	
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6/16-20	The Michigan state police, Marquette county dispatch, and Negaunee regional communications center would like to invite the public to attend the complex's open house at the Michigan state police Negaunee post in Negaunee.	
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4/1-4	Officers from the Michigan state police Negaunee post and the Marquette Disaster Action Team will discuss community issues with community members on April 4 th .	
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Substance Abuse

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6/25-26	A controlled substance bill sponsored by Marquette representative John Kivela gives police another tool to crack down on meth production.	
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6/24-26	UPSET detectives arrested 6 people, Monday, in four separate incidents.	
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6/13-14	Three Manistique residents were arrested on drug charges. Detectives say a 48 year old male, a 40 year old male, and a 32 year old female were arrested and charged with manufacturing over 100 marijuana plants and maintaining a drug house.	
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6/11	Detectives from the Upper Peninsula Substance Enforcement Team arrested a rapid river man Tuesday; he is charged with two counts of delivery of cocaine and one count of conspiracy to deliver cocaine.	
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6/4	An Ontonagon county resident is back in Upper Michigan to face drug charges. Gogebic county issued an arrest warrant in March for 37 year old Jeremy Todd Rollins of White Pine. Rollins was arrested in Ohio and held on the Michigan warrant.	
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5/23		A 45 year old man was arrested Thursday for the illegal sale of prescription medication.	
5/15-16		Three Upper Peninsula residents have been sentenced on drug charges in connection with involvement in distributing two powerful “bath salts” commonly known as alpha-PVP, and pentylone.	
5/13-14		Law enforcement officers arrested 451 motorists during a three-week impaired driving crackdown in March and April. 85 were charged with a blood alcohol content of .17 or higher. Officers from 26 counties conducted stepped-up enforcement during the three-week period, resulting in more than 13,700 traffic stops and nearly 8,000 citations and arrests.	
5/12		Detectives from the Upper Peninsula Substance Enforcement Team last week removed meth related components from several locations.	
4/12-14		Detectives from UPSET and troopers from the 9 th district hometown security team arrested a female from Forsyth township on various meth related charges.	
4/12-14		Detectives from UPSET arrested two Marquette county residents after meth components and finished meth product were located in Negaunee.	
4/13		Detectives from UPSET, the Chocolay township police and the Marquette city police removed meth components from a motel room at the Marquette motor lodge in Chocolay township.	
4/10-11		Measures are before State lawmakers that would provide for drug testing of welfare recipients. Senator Rick Jones says the testing would be only for those recipients who show signs of drug use.	

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4/8		Great Lakes Recovery Centers, the Peter White Public Library and the Marquette County Health Department are sponsoring a free screening of the documentary “The Anonymous People.” It is about 23 million Americans living in long term recovery. It will be shown in the community room at the Peter White library on April 8 th ..	
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Tourism/
Recreation

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- 6/27-29 Three antique planes will conduct a flyover of the Iron Mountain Independence Day parade.
- 6/25-26 The Marquette county road commission has announced that the sugarloaf parking lot is closed on June 26th for parking lot improvements.
- 6/25-26 A plan to narrow the I-75 business loop in St. Ignace further from the downtown area is being discussed, according to the St. Ignace news. The city wants to designate crosswalks for pedestrians.
- 6/20-22 Governor Snyder has signed legislation sponsored by state representative Bruce Renden, making ATV laws more consistent with those governing snowmobiles.
- 6/18-19 The Mackinaw city council has denied a proposal to build an elevated seafood restaurant. The property had been set aside in the past with the hopes of one day building a museum on the site.
- 6/11-12 The Michigan department of transportation will share plans for a major maintenance project on the portage lake lift bridge between Houghton and Hancock at a June 19th meeting.
- 6/2-3 The Menominee range historical foundation will open its three museums in Iron Mountain this week for the summer season.
- 5/22-25 The Michigan department of transportation is removing lane restrictions on nearly three-quarters of its road projects to ease traffic delays for Memorial Day weekend travelers.
- 5/14-15 Governor Rick Snyder has signed legislation authorizing more than \$27.6 million in Michigan natural resources trust fund grants, with nearly half the funding allocated to trail funding across the state.
- 5/14-15 City officials are looking at ways to ease congestion related to incoming freight on Mackinac island.
- 5/12 The Michigan department of transportation owns and maintains 32 roadside parks in the Upper Peninsula, and most of those parks will re-open to the public today.
- 5/2-4 All roadside parks operated by the Michigan department of transportation in the Upper Peninsula will remain closed until

remaining snow melts, facilities thaw, and water recedes. The parks are tentatively set to open May 12th.

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A 1.5% increase is projected in travel volume statewide for 2014, as well as a 4.5% increase in travel spending.

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A guided tour of a working iron ore mine and processing plant will be available to the public this summer as Cliffs Natural Resources' Michigan Operations will open its mining area and processing facility to visitors beginning on June 10th.

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The 55th annual national trappers convention and sports show is coming to Escanaba on July 24th to the 27th.

6/19-30

The Marquette beautification and restoration committee, inc. will sponsor the 21st annual garden tour on July 24th.

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The 12th annual Beaver Island music festival has announce the lineup for the 2014 festival on July 17th, 18th, and 19th on Beaver Island.

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On June 28th Run or Dye will be coming to downtown Marquette.

6/12-21

The 2014 Marquette Scandinavian midsummer festival will be back at Presque isle park on June 21st.

5/30-6/6

The 2014 Marquette Trails festival is scheduled for June 6th, 7th, and 8th. The events and races take place throughout the entire weekend.

5/5-7

The Fred Waara chapter of Trout Unlimited will host a “fishing after hours” program on Wednesday, May 7th, 2014 in the board room of the Landmark Inn.

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The Lake Superior Community Partnership will be hosting their 15th annual golf outing at Greywalls golf course on June 5th

Government Issues

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- 6/27-29 Governor Snyder has signed a bill that dissolves the state list of professional interior designers and aligns the profession with state licensing regulations.
- 6/26-27 Governor Snyder announced that the U.S. Small business administration has approved his request for a physical disaster declaration for Newaygo and Osceola counties.
- 6/17-18 Governor Rick Snyder's office of constituent services is taking its state-wide mobile office tour to Northern Michigan and the Upper Peninsula. Staff will be available to provide information and assistance on a variety of issues, as well as take suggestions.
- 6/13-15 State lawmakers are working again on a long-term solution for road funding. Senator Tom Casperson says the amount of tax on gasoline is plenty, if it could all be designated for roads.
- 6/9-10 During construction last month at the St. Ignace city hall, workers discovered major damage to the building's roof. The roof is 40 or 50 years old and is leaking badly. A new roof could cost between 60 and \$80,000.
- 5/29-30 A proposal introduced this week by representative Ed McBroom would make all bills effective 90 days after they are signed by the governor and filed with the secretary of state.
- 5/22-23 House lawmakers have passed an initiative to address Michigan's deteriorating roads. Governor Snyder says modern, well-maintained roads are essential for Michigan's economy and quality of life.
- 5/21-22 Governor Rick Snyder has signed legislation designed to help encourage motorcycle operators to apply for a full operating endorsement. The new law allows a motorcyclist to apply for a temporary training permit only twice in a ten-year period.
- 5/16-18 A bill aimed at capping no-fault benefits in Michigan is out of committee. The bill would create a new Michigan catastrophic claims fund, and cap benefits.
- 5/9-11 Governor Rick Snyder has directed the Michigan state police to amend a recent emergency declaration for Marquette county to include eight additional Northern Michigan counties.
- 5/7-8 Road funding is once again in the spotlight in Michigan. Former representative Rick Olson says lawmakers have not yet fixed the

	long-term problem with road funding. He says the longer Michigan ignores the problem, the more costly it becomes.
5/7-8	Senator Dave Robertson has sponsored a bill dealing with elections of members of library boards and maintaining that free circulating reading rooms are always available.
5/1	The national day of prayer is being celebrated today at the capitol in Lansing. Organizers were expecting about 1,000 people for events scheduled on the capitol steps.
4/18-20	Governor Rick Snyder has declared a state of emergency for Marquette county. Communities have been coping with damage to water and sewer lines throughout the winter. The county has been under a local state of emergency since February 21 st , and detailed more than \$1.6 million in damages related to the cold temperatures and frost.
4/17-19	Governor Snyder has signed the first in a series of bipartisan bills that will provide more stable local government revenue for essential services, including police and fire protection.
4/9-10, 17-18	The secretary of state offices in Iron River and Newberry will be closed for remodeling April 21 st to 25 th .
4/15-16	Mackinaw city officials will review zoning after a 60-foot-long hot dog was added to the roof of a central avenue restaurant.
4/15-16	Although many parts of the Upper Peninsula remain snow-covered, the department of natural resources says firefighters have been responding to multiple wild fires in the lower peninsula.
4/14-15	With the harsh winter and the arrival of spring, Michigan is facing broken water lines, along with a gas line break in Marquette. Escanaba republican senator Tom Casperson says if enough damage is reported, the region may qualify for a federal state of emergency.
4/7-8	Mackinac county has joined a regional effort seeking emergency state funding for expenses caused by the harsh winter, according to the St. Ignace news.
4/3-4	State lawmakers have approved a \$330 million budget supplemental. The bill includes up to \$215 million for priority road projects and winter road maintenance.

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Area seniors are invited to meet Michigan Secretary of State Ruth Johnson during local town hall meetings state representative Ed McBroom has scheduled on Wednesday, April 16th in Delta, Menominee, and Dickinson counties.

Needs of the
 Elderly

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Governor Rick Snyder presented a special message on aging, and participated in a panel discussion with leaders from advocacy organizations for older adults, the business and non-profit community. The governor focused on four areas he says are critically important to improving the quality of life for older adults.

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June 19th to the 20th there will be a rummage sale at the Escanaba senior center.

Employment/
 Unemployment

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6/11-12

Equipment designed and manufactured by systems control in Iron Mountain is helping to keep lights on for people living in Libya and Columbia South America.

6/2-3

The Mackinac county road commission laid off 14 of its 20 full-time positions in May in an effort to save about \$50,000. The layoff was not expected to disrupt construction this summer.

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	5/28-29	Governor Rick Snyder has signed a bi-partisan measure that will raise Michigan's minimum wage by nearly \$2 per hour over the next four years.	
	5/23	The unemployment rate in the Upper Peninsula contracted seasonally to 9.1% during April, a monthly drop of 1.2 percentage points.	
	5/2-4	The Upper Peninsula jobless rate was little changed in March, edging down by 0.2 of a percentage point to 10.4 percent. 11 of the 15 Upper Peninsula counties reported a jobless rate decline in March.	
	4/4-5	The unemployment rate in the Upper Peninsula rose seasonally in February to 10.6%, a gain of 0.9 of a percentage point over the January rate of 9.7%.	
	4/3-4	Fifteen jobs will be eliminated and hours reduced for eight others at Mackinac straits health system. The hospital employs 300 people.	
Environment	News Local Hourly R.O.S. Basis	A U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service assessment crew will conduct work offshore near some streams and rivers in Alger and Marquette counties from late June through mid July to estimate the abundance of sea lampreys.	
	6/26-27	The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will apply lampricides to the carp river in Marquette county to kill sea lamprey larvae for about six days in early July.	
	6/24-25	This summer will be cool in the Upper Peninsula, according to the Iron Mountain Kingsford daily news.	
	6/19-21	Experts say Michigan is in for a brutal bug season, particularly for ticks and mosquitoes. Last year, 36 cases of mosquito-borne west nile virus, including two deaths, were reported in Michigan.	
	6/4-5	Governor Snyder has announced a state-wide plan designed to increase residential recycling access. Michigan's recycling rate for residential household waste is about 15%, while the national average is 35%.	
	5/16-18	A bill proposed by senator Tom Casperson will prohibit the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality from regulating wood-burning stoves.	

4/24-25		U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service personnel will apply lampricides to the Ford River tributaries in Delta, Dickinson, Marquette, and Menominee counties to kill sea lamprey larvae burrowed in the stream bottom.	
4/22-23		A senate bill would make it easier for motorists to take road kill. Under current law, a driver needs a permit to pick up an animal off the highway.	
4/17-20		Bridgestone has announced the finalists in its "Fuel the Cause" contest and an Upper Peninsula park is on the list: sunset road park in Ironwood township. One of the 12 finalist will win a \$25,000 gift from Bridgestone.	
4/7-8		A resolution before senate lawmakers urges the U.S. Environmental protection agency to forgo its recent proposal to tighten emission limits on wood stoves.	
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5/5-6/1		Applications for Michigan elk and bear hunting licenses are available now through June 1 st .	
4/1-8		The Michigan Department of Natural Resources' eastern lake superior management unit in fisheries division has announced public forums in Newberry and Munising. Forums will be held on Tuesday, April 8 th at the Tahquamenon area public library in Newberry and on Monday, April 14 th in Munising.	

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6/16-17		An estimated \$250,000 will be invested in transportation improvements to Mead Road in Delta County. Mead Road will be utilized by Omya's commercial and employee traffic to access the company's new multi-million dollar plant, currently under construction.	
6/10-11		The Chippewa County Airport will use a \$3.4 million grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation to rehabilitate its runway.	

5/27-28	The Michigan public service commission has directed Wisconsin electric power company to file additional documents and the M.P.S.C wants to make sure the U.P. has an adequate and reliable source of electricity moving forward.	
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5/13-14	Members of the Wisconsin congressional delegation are pushing to preserve full funding for a navy ship. The ships are built in Mobile, Alabama and at Marinette Marine in Marinette, Wisconsin.	
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4/23-24	A leading manufacturer of 3-D printers will locate in Michigan, according to governor Snyder. Voxeljet will locate its first U.S. Facility in Canton, Michigan.	
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4/21-22	A late spring means a shorter construction season on Mackinac island, raising concerns for businesses.	
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6/16-27	Michigan State University Extension is presenting a two-hour class on how to start your Michigan business on June 27 th at the Peter White Public Library in Marquette.	
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4/14-21	The guest speaker of Econ Club on Monday, April 21 st will be Aaron Popkey, director of public affairs for the Green Bay Packers.	
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Needs of
 Young People

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4/9-10	A bill to aid in child protection is in the works at the state capitol, sponsored by representative Joe Graves. The bill will ensure there is accountability when children are interviewed by child protective services.	
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Focus on the Family
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Host: Jim Daly
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5/27-28

Our panel of guests describes the current culture of video gaming, how video games and gamers have changed in recent years and how parents can teach their kids media discernment.

5/22-23

FamilyLife president Dennis Rainey describes the growing phenomenon of sexually-aggressive tween girls pursuing young boys, and urges parents to help their sons guard their sexual purity through the power of God's Word.

5/7

Bishop Aaron and Mrs. Mary Blake, along with Royal Family KIDS camp founder Wayne Tesch. Discuss ways to give hope to children in foster care, particularly during National Foster Care month.

4/7-8

Jim Burns offers advice to parents of teens on topics like balancing their child's desire for freedom with realistic discipline, navigating the media landscape, knowing when to say “no” on clothing choice and more.

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6/16-30

Bay Cliff Health Camp will have its 8th annual golf outing on July 10th at Greywalls Golf Course.

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The Upper Peninsula Children's Museum will hold its next Second Thursday Creativity Series program on June 12th.

5/2-10

Redeemer Lutheran Church in Marquette will have a children's clothing and toy resale on May 10th.

4/8-26

Big Brothers Big Sisters announces its 25th anniversary for Bowl for Kids' Sake on April 24th to the 26th at Superior Entertainment Center in Marquette and April 26th at Red Rock Lanes in Ishpeming.

4/1-19

The Chocolay township lions club in Harvey would like to announce their upcoming 13th annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19th.

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