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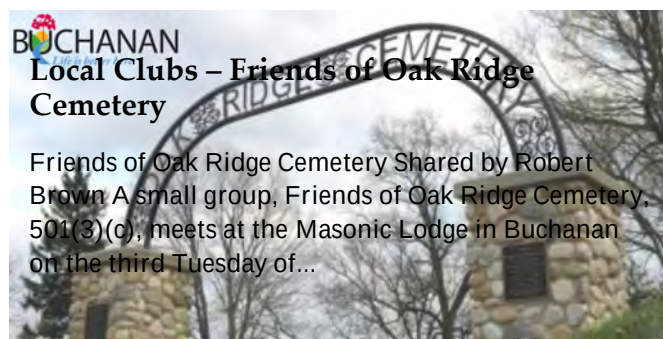
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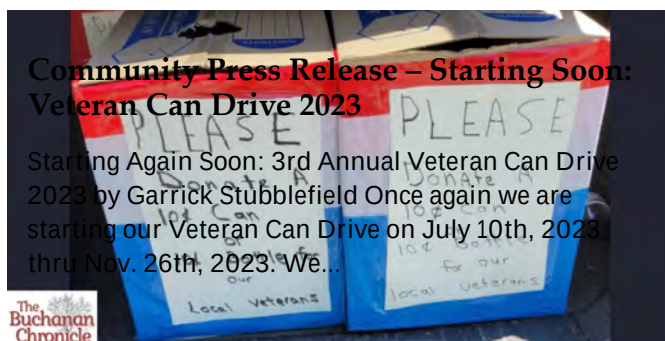
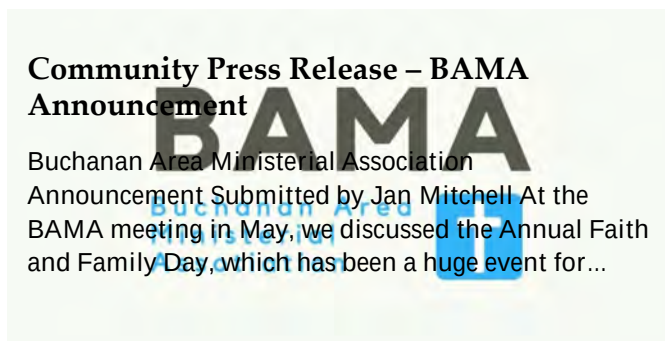
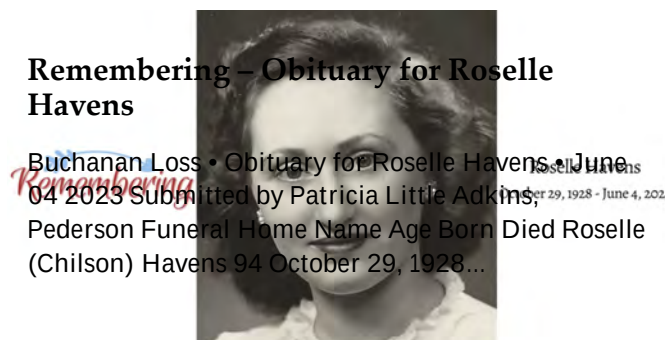
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Harbor Country Singers to Lead “Happy Songs” Sing-Along Submitted by Pat Putnam, Harbor Country Singers Producer Join the Harbor Country Singers for a summer outdoor sing-along “Happy Songs of Spring...



June BAMA Monthly Meeting Recap Submitted by
Nate Babcock, Buchanan Christian Church Pastor
June 6: Greetings everyone, We had a good BAMA
meeting this morning. We thank Dave & Jann
Mitchell...

A Note from the Editor – Issue 54

A Note from the Editor – Issue 54 by Rebecka Hoyt,
Editor Good Saturday morning readers! The start of
summer vacation has begun and summer is just a few
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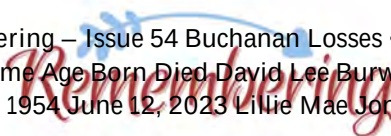
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This Doesn't Taste Right! by Garrick Stubblefield One
night I was having dinner with the family and things
were going well. My grandson was thirsty and asked if
he could...



Remembering – Issue 54

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Summer Begins in Downtown Buchanan 2023, Photo by Rebecka Hoyt

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Local Charity – Empty Bowls Record Donation to RAM



Buchanan Community Empty Bowls Project Makes Record Donation to Redbud Area Ministries

by Rebecka Hoyt, Editor & Photographer

Wednesday, June 7 2023 at Moccasin Elementary School, Redbud Area Ministries (RAM food pantry) received a record donation of \$6,000 from the Empty Bowls project! Marie Remington, Co-Chair (with Cathy Tapia) Liaison of Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan presented the check to RAM Director, Jan Nowak Walters in front of the seated 4th graders in the gymnasium during the beginning of their end-of-school-year awards.



Marie Remington with Empty Bowls RAM Donation 2023. Photo by Rebecka Hoyt.

Marie Remington of Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan gave a short speech to the students, telling them that they are superheroes in our community. "Empty Bowls has been going for 28 years. The money raised came from the Empty Bowls Soup Supper this spring, donations from businesses, families, and Buchanan Community Schools. We don't keep any of the money, it goes right into our community," stated Marie.

Jan Nowak Walters, RAM Director helped the kids imagine how much 44,000 pounds of food were as that's the amount they give to others in one year. "Imagine that a car weighs 2,000 pounds, and then line up 22 cars and you have 44,000 pounds!" They were amazed.



Empty Bowls RAM Donation 2023 with RAM Director Jan Nowak Walters, Matt Schlutt Moccasin Elementary Art Teacher, and Marie Remington Co-Chair Liaison of Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan. Photo by Rebecka Hoyt.

Next, Moccasin Art Teacher Matt Schlutt and a student, helped unroll the bright green poster of the amount of the check. Jan did not know the amount until this moment, and neither did the students. While being rolled out, Jan peeked around Matt Schlutt, her jaw dropped and was just blown away by the big \$6,000 on the poster! Jan even took the poster with her to show the workers at RAM the amount they received. Many claps and cheers were given by the students, families, and staff. Even some shedded a tear or two.

Art classes like a make and take it for Empty Bowls are free. Sign up, make and donate it as they sell it at the soup supper, or you can buy it. You can also see Miranda Barger's Empty Bowls Soup Supper article in a previous issue.



Marie Remington presents the check to RAM Director, Jan Nowak Walters, Empty Bowls RAM Donation 2023. Photo by Rebecka Hoyt.

28th Annual Buchanan Community

EMPTY BOWLS

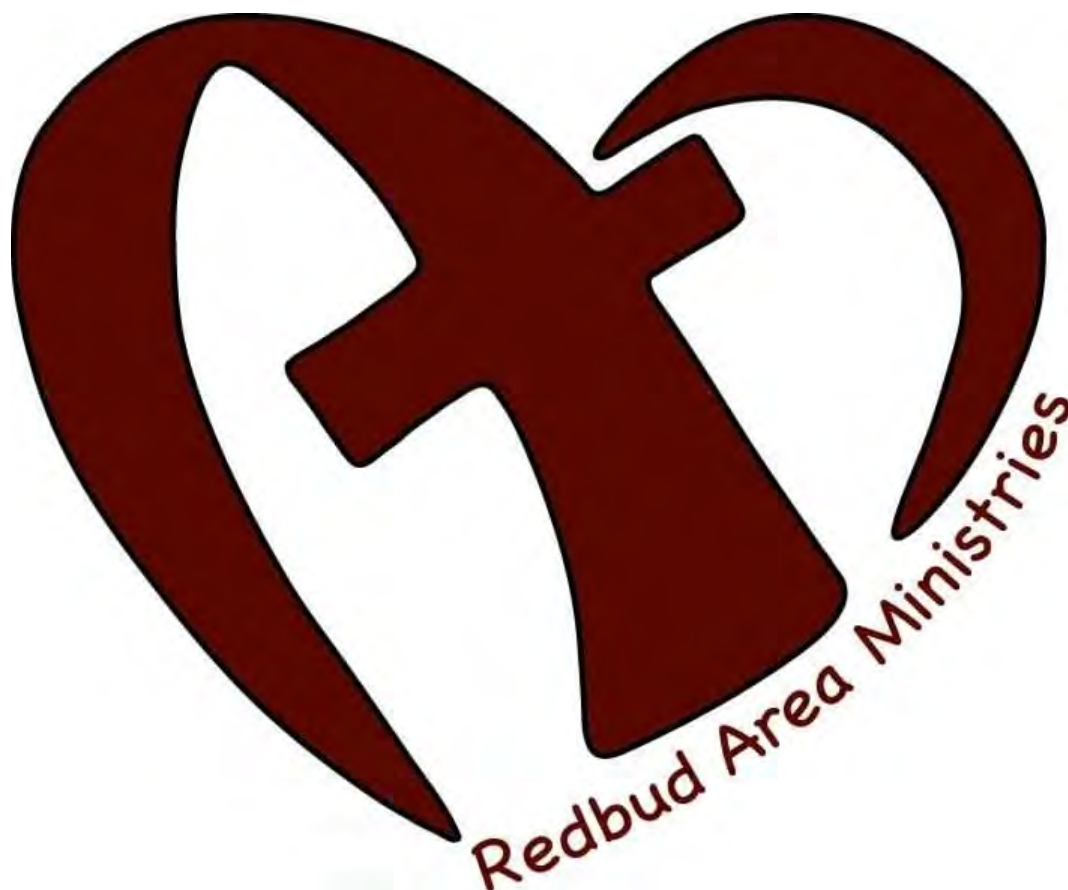


\$5 SOUP and CHILI Take-out Meal
including macaroni and cheese for the kids & vegetarian soup option

FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2023 4:00 - 7 P.M.
BUCHANAN HIGH SCHOOL AUXILIARY GYM

Pick out a clay bowl, take home supper and HELP FIGHT HUNGER!
All profits will be donated to Redbud Area Ministries' Food Pantry.
Sponsored by Buchanan Community Schools and Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan

PAST EVENT: 28th Annual Community Empty Bowls Charity Event flyer



About Redbud Area Ministries: RAM is an interdenominational and interracial ministry center started to organize the churches in the Buchanan and Galien School Districts to respond to individual and family needs.

269-695-5083

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Redbud Area Ministries Facebook Page

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Buchanan, MI 49107

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About Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan: The mission of the Roti Roti Art Center of Buchanan is to provide a place in our community dedicated to nurturing the arts by providing a quality educational program for all ages, as well as gallery exhibits, sales opportunities, and a gift shop that are supportive of class offerings and local artists, thereby enabling the Center to creatively enlist the power of the arts in promoting positive social change.

www.buchananartcenter.com

• Hours:

- Wed-Sun ~ Noon-6
- Mon-Tue ~ Closed (Classes Only)

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269-697-4005

117 W. Front St.

Buchanan, MI 49107

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About Buchanan Community Schools: Public School system for Buchanan, Michigan area. Our vision is to develop responsible, resilient, creative citizens capable of succeeding in a global society.

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Upcoming Event – Buchanan Pride 2023



Buchanan Pride on The Common is a Week Away!

Submitted by Adam Burck, BASC Executive Director

There is just over a week to go before Buchanan's first Pride on The Common, Sunday, June 25, 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 pm. Join us for an evening of great music to celebrate the historic advances supporting the LGBTQ+ community in Buchanan and Michigan. Presented by Cannavista Wellness, the event is free and open to all ages, and we welcome everyone who wants to help celebrate Pride and our community's historic achievements supporting the LGBTQ+ community, including:

1. In 2019, the cities of Saint Joseph and Buchanan were the first municipalities in Berrien County to add protections for sexual orientation and gender identity to their non-discrimination ordinance, in March and June respectively.
2. In July, 2022, the Michigan Supreme Court ruled that the protections, rights and freedoms afforded to all Michiganders under the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act (ELCRA) prohibits discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity.
3. In March, 2023, Governor Whitmer signed bi-partisan legislation that added sexual orientation and gender identity protections to the ELCRA.

These achievements warrant a celebration, so the BASC Pride Committee has planned a concert on The Common, 122 Days Avenue, Buchanan's beloved park that hosts the summer concert series, the Buchanan Farmer's Market, the One Book|One Buchanan annual city-wide book discussion, and more. The Pride Committee encourages you to come and enjoy the music and the offerings of participating businesses. The program features the following musical performances, so grab a picnic blanket, lawn chairs and your favorite goodies and get ready for a celebration of Pride:

- 5:00 pm: Wolf Ticket
- 6:30 pm: Ultrafab
- 8:30 pm: DJ Chuck Fry



Buchanan Pride 2023

For more details on the event, sponsors, participating businesses and more, follow us on Instagram and Facebook: @buchananmipride. The event is presented by Cannavista Wellness, sponsored by High Profile, Honor Credit Union, Pinnacle and Zen Leaf, and produced by the Buchanan Area Senior Center's Pride Committee. There are also several participating businesses: Blue Paw Pet Spa, Front Street Glassworks, Gustavsen Café, Sweet Shop Café Italiano, and Union Coffeehouse. In addition, we thank our Community Partners: OneBuchanan and The Tin Shop Theatre.

Participating business Blue Paw Pet Spa will have a dog watering station and be offering vegetable-based spray on pride color dyes for your dogs fur coat for \$5 and the proceeds will be donated to the OutCenter in Benton Harbor.

Buchanan Area Senior Center (BASC), a non-profit charitable organization, is a community focal point on aging. We offer programs and services that promote physical, social, and mental well-being, including exercise, recreation, crafts, Senior Nutrition Services, transport to medical appointments, food commodities, a Senior Community Garden, and more. During the pandemic, older adults suffered isolation, and studies found that LGBTQ+ older adults suffered greater isolation as they are twice as likely to live alone, so we started a monthly LGBTQ+ social to build social connections and support. This group has grown and is organizing Buchanan's first Pride event on The Common. More at <http://www.thebasc.org>.

Ultrafab is one of the Michiana area's most in-demand dance and party bands, playing your favorite dance tunes from Stevie Wonder, to Lady Gaga, to Avicci, to Luke Bryan, to Pitbull. Based in South Bend, IN, Ultrafab plays shows in Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, and Ohio, we are sure to be in a city near you soon! More at <http://www.ultrafabband.com>, Facebook @ultrafabband

Chuck Fry is a renowned DJ and videographer who lives in the South Bend area. He is known for his excellent DJ skills specializing in House music and Electronic music. In 2015, he founded CHUCK, an award-winning boutique video production company based in South Bend, Indiana. Facebook @chuck.fry.35

Wolf Ticket is a pop/punk/emo/alternative band from South Bend. Facebook @wolfticketsouthbend.

Cannavista Wellness is dedicated to improving the quality of life for both our guests and our community through the provisioning of cannabis in a collaborative, safe, and inspiring environment. We promote the rights of patients and the healing power of the plant through advocacy, education and research while our curated selection of

premium recreational brands and products will satisfy the most discerning recreational users. Located at 120 E Front Street, Buchanan, <https://cannavistawellness.com/>;

High Profile cannabis stores curate and sell premium cannabis flower and other products, serving up high vibes across Michigan. Our goal is to be the essential cannabis destination for each community we serve. With a focus on full-spectrum products, we seek out and offer the industry's best brands for both medical and recreational customers. High Profile budtenders are experienced and down-to-earth, focused on helping you have the best possible experience with cannabis every time. <https://highprofilecannabis.com/>;

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Zen Leaf, a medical and recreational marihuana dispensary in the heart of Buchanan, 259 E Front St., is dedicated to serving the local community and providing customers a better quality of life through access to medical and adult use marihuana. We strive to improve the health of visitors by sharing the science behind marihuana and a dedication to providing our customers with top quality products, strains, edibles, and educational material. Visit zenleafdispensaries.com for more! <https://zenleafdispensaries.com>;

Buchanan Fine Arts Council/The Tin Shop Theatre encourages participation among citizens of the Buchanan area in all facets of fine arts. More at <http://www.tinshoptheatre.org> or 269-695-6464.

Café Italiano at the Sweet Shop is a Buchanan restaurant serving gourmet fresh-made authentic Italian-style gourmet 8" pizzas and toasted subs on French baguette, fresh home-made Cannoli, artisan gelatos and sorbets, super-premium ice creams. Facebook @BuchananSweetShop

Pinnacle Emporium Step into our eccentric Emporium, where nostalgia and aromas greet your senses. Before you meet our visionaries and growers in the showroom, wander down memory lane in our one-of-a-kind lobby. The memorabilia brings you back to a time when buying cannabis was done in secret. We are not ashamed of the counter culture or the fight to legalize cannabis. We believe in every product in our shop. Whether for medical or recreational use, we stand with you.

One Buchanan is the catalyst to create an inclusive community which values and celebrates our diversity so together we can thrive. One Buchanan's Mission is to promote awareness of our rich diversity through education, activities, and programs that strengthen an inclusive community.

The Tin Shop Theatre is operated by the Buchanan Fine Arts Council. The Council's purpose is to encourage participation among citizens of the Buchanan area in all facets of fine arts. This is to be accomplished through soliciting and selecting fine arts programs for citizens participation and enjoyment, planning exhibitions, concerts, demonstrations and any other programs that might allow citizens of the Buchanan area to experience and appreciate the fine arts.

Event Details:

- *Who:* Buchanan Area Senior Center Pride Committee
- *What:* [Buchanan Pride 2023](#)
- *When:* **Sunday, June 24, 2023 ~ 5-10pm**
 - 5 pm: Wolf Ticket
 - 6 pm: Ultrafab
 - 8 pm: DJ Chuck Fry
- *Where:* Buchanan Common
 - 2841 Niles-Buchanan Rd, Buchanan MI



BUCHANAN PRIDE!

On the Common in Buchanan, MI
SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 5-10PM
All are welcome to celebrate pride with us!

BUCHANAN PRIDE ON THE COMMON

Buchanan Common, 122 Days Ave, 49107 | All are welcome at this free event!

LINE-UP:

5:00 PM: WOLF TICKET @WOLFTICKETSOUTHBEND

6:30 PM: ULTRAFAB @ULTRAFABBAND

8:30 PM: DJ CHUCK FRY @CHUCK.FRY.35

Instagram & Facebook: @buchananmipride for event details,
participating restaurants and businesses and related events.

Seating: BYO chairs/blankets (large comfortable lawn area)

OTHER PRIDE MONTH EVENTS:

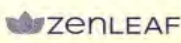
June 1: OutCenter Fundraiser at Sweet Shop Café Italiano, info at 269-409-8186

June 9-17: The Normal Heart play at Tin Shop Theatre, info at www.tinshoptheatre.org

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Buchanan Pride 2023 flyer



About The Common: The Common is Buchanan's very own outdoor amphitheater. Sitting in the heart of Downtown, it's an ideal spot to stretch out on the lawn and enjoy a play or concert. The common is host to several music concerts during the summer months. Whether you enjoy jazz, country, bluegrass or rock & roll, the Common has something to suit everyone's musical tastes. Stop by on a lunch-hour break when you get a chance and enjoy one of the "Stop, Lunch & Listen" plays put on during the noon-hour throughout the summer.

www.facebook.com/TheCommonConcertSeries

www.cityofbuchanan.com/community/page/common

122 Days Ave

Buchanan, MI 49107

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About BASC Pride Committee: During the pandemic, the isolation faced by seniors was a significant concern for BASC Board and staff. This isolation was even more serious for LGBTQ+ people, as they are twice as likely to live alone. Social isolation is shown to have a negative impact on health and well-being, particularly cognitive function (<https://bit.ly/3M7RpbO>). In response, a year ago, the BASC launched a monthly LGBTQ+ social to build connections among LGBTQ+ older adults. The program is a great success, and we hold the social on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, contact Adam at the BASC, 269-695-7119 or adam@thebasc.org. Members of the social group have formed a Pride Committee that is holding the first-ever Pride celebration on The Common in Buchanan. We are celebrating the many positive developments for the LGBTQ+ community in Michigan, and we invite you to join us on June 25, 5-10 pm on The Common in Buchanan. We have two bands and a DJ arranged for a musical celebration of Pride, plus local restaurants will be offering food-to-go for attendees! More on Facebook and Instagram: @Buchananmipride .

www.facebook.com/buchananmipride

Buchanan, MI 49107

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About Buchanan Area Senior Center: Buchanan Area Senior Center provides a complete facility, a friendly and efficient staff, and active volunteers that enhance the quality of life of seniors in our community. We offer programs and services designed to promote physical, social, and mental well-being, including exercise, recreation, and crafts, as well as Senior Nutrition Services, food commodities, and a Senior Community Garden.

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Local Clubs – Friends of Oak Ridge Cemetery



Friends of Oak Ridge Cemetery

Shared by Robert Brown

A small group, Friends of Oak Ridge Cemetery, 501(3)(c), meets at the Masonic Lodge in Buchanan on the third Tuesday of every month from April through September. Our mission is to "Preserve Our Heritage." We began in 2003 by cleaning and repairing grave stones in the old part of the cemetery, and holding cemetery walks.

We published an index to burials in 2005. An updated version (through 2017) of the index is available at the Buchanan District Library Local History Room or online at <http://www.buchananlibrary.org> and click on Local History Room. (There are two versions: alphabetical and by Section & Lot. There are also maps to the cemetery, including the newest Section I.)

We published a quarterly local history newsletter from 2006 to 2016 which is available at the Buchanan District Library Local History Room or online at The Buchanan Preservation Society's web site, <http://www.preservebuchanan.org> (including an index).

Nick Bailey, Cemetery Sexton, met with the group in April to talk about the many projects they have in progress, and possible ways in which the Friends may be of help. Our meetings are open to the public and we encourage visitors and new members. For more information, email Bob Brown at robtdbrown@aol.com, or call or e-mail Mary Lister at 269-470-5461, mary.lister522@gmail.com.

[For information about current regulations or purchasing a cemetery lot, etc., contact the Sexton, the Buchanan City Clerk, or see the cemetery information posted on the city's web site.]



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www.cityofbuchanan.com/public-services/page/cemetery

Upcoming Event – Buchanan's Thrill on the Hill 2023



Buchanan Announces Entertainment Line-up for Thrill on the Hill

Submitted by Ashley Regal, Main Street Manager & Assistant Director of Community Development

Buchanan's annual Thrill on the Hill Event, a weekend festival featuring music, food, and the main attraction: a five-hundred-foot water slide that runs right through Buchanan's downtown, has revealed their music line-up for the weekend.

Long time attendees will be pleased to hear that P.S. Dump Your Boyfriend will be returning for their traditional weekend debut on Saturday at 8:30pm. Saturday's line-up also includes an opening act by The Tentakills, playing an apropos set of surf rock tunes for attendees to jam to while sliding down the slide. There will also be a bonus appearance from local celebrity, DJ Big Perm, and newly minted slide hype man. But the fun doesn't stop when the bands wrap their set. Starting at eleven o' clock, families send their children home and Thrill on the Hill's Adult-Only Midnight Run begins.

Not to be outdone, Friday's line-up also boasts an impressive main act from The 1985, known to bring an instant party as soon as they step up to the mic. Rounding out the musical performances is Red Hot Voodoo, bringing a modern take on surf, rockabilly, and rock and ThreeShots featuring rock-infused, roadhouse rhythm and blues. Sunday is our family day. DJ Ron Cornelius will be orchestrating the vibes for a party like no other featuring

games and activities for all ages.

Says event manager Ashley Regal, "Our team is so excited to be bringing this event back for the community bigger and better than ever!" More information about the event can be found at cityofbuchanan.com or on their Facebook page at facebook.com/BuchanansThrillontheHill.

2022 Concert Video: <https://fb.watch/lcoeg8MUm7/>



Buchanan's Thrill on the Hill 2023 graphic

Event Details:

- *Who:* City of Buchanan
- *What:* Buchanan's Thrill on the Hill 2023
- *When:*
 - **Friday, July 14 ~ Slide Runs: 12-10pm**
 - 4PM – *THREESHOTS*
 - 6:30 PM – *RED HOT VODOO*
 - 8:30PM – *THE 1985*
 - **Saturday, July 15 ~ Slide Runs: 10am-10pm**
 - 12PM – *DJ BIG PERM*
 - 6:30PM – *THE TENTAKILLS*
 - 8:30PM – *PS DUMP YOUR BOYFRIEND*
 - * 11PM: ADULT ONLY SLIDE RUN
 - **Sunday, July 16 ~ Slide Runs: 10am-8pm**
- *Where:* Front Street, Downtown Buchanan
- *Details:*
 - 500' of Fun! Waterslide into Buchanan!
 - Weekend Fun Pass: Only \$25 for 3 Days
 - \$10/day or \$25/Weekend (Concert Tickets Sold Separately)
 - Unlimited Rides – Bring Your Own Tube
 - Children's Play Area, Activities, DJ, Food & Vendors, Beer Garden
 - Visit **CITYOFBUCHANAN.COM** for Tickets & More Info

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 8:30PM - THE 1985

SATURDAY

12PM - DJ BIG PERM
\$15 6:30PM - THE TENTAKILLS
 8:30PM - PS DUMP YOUR BOYFRIEND

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TICKETS & MORE INFO

*Bring your own tube
 **Concert tickets sold separately

Buchanan's Thrill on the Hill 2023 flyer



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Remembering – Obituary for Roselle Havens



Roselle Havens

October 29, 1928 - June 4, 2023

Buchanan Loss • Obituary for Roselle Havens • June 04 2023

Submitted by Patricia Little Adkins, Pederson Funeral Home

Name	Age	Born	Died
Roselle (Chilson) Havens	94	October 29, 1928	June 04, 2023

Roselle Havens, (nee Chilson), born October 29, 1928 in Chicago, Illinois, daughter of Leslie and Christine (nee Campagna,) Chilson died Sunday, June 4, 2023 at Provision Living in Grand Rapids. Like most things she did in life, she planned ahead. She wrote her own obituary in 2007, which she updated in 2009 and again in 2020. With few updated details and additions, what she wrote follows:

The Chilson Family's struggles during the Depression ended when they moved to Michigan at the start of World War II to work for the war effort. Roselle graduated from Buchanan (Michigan) High School in 1945. She married Dwight Havens on June 14, 1947 and became the mother of three children; Deborah and Randall Havens and Lynette (nee Havens) Doelee; the grandmother of Ian Haight of Ramstein, Germany, Bradley Havens of Grand Rapids, Sarah (nee Doelee) DeLaat, and Regan Doelee; the great grandmother of Henry, Brennan and Henna Roselle Haight, Makayla DeLaat, Harrison and Hudson Doelee. She leaves two nieces, four nephews, four great nephews and three great nieces in addition to many cousins.

Roselle attended Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, Michigan earning an undergraduate degree in elementary education. She earned a Masters Degree in Counseling from Michigan State University in East Lansing, Michigan. She taught music for the Allegan Public Schools; served as a substitute teacher for two years before becoming a full-time teacher of fourth and fifth grades for the Godfrey-Lee Schools in Wyoming, Michigan and sixth grade at Parkside and Valley View Elementary Schools in Rockford, Michigan. She served as Principal of Valley View, Belmont and River Valley Elementary Schools as well as the Director of Special Education for a total of 27 years in Rockford and 35 years in education. She was awarded "Outstanding Educator of Rockford" in 1970, and "Outstanding Special Education Advocate" by the Michigan Association of Children with Learning Disabilities" (MACLD) in 1986. Upon retirement, she became a Coordinator of Student Teachers and an Adjunct Professor at

Grand Valley State University in Allendale.

Upon leaving Grand Valley, she bought a mini-storage business in Middleville with her son, Randall, and moved to Middleville. She served on the Middleville Village Planning Commission, as Administrative Assistant to the Village Manager and as Village Clerk. She was a charter member of the Progressive Democrats of West Michigan.

Her favorite pastimes included planning and cooking elaborate dinners for her family and friends, reading, driving her Suburu hither and yon, decoding cryptograms and solving puzzles. She always marveled that she had learned to cook, sew and operate a computer out of books and had collected a large supply of "how-to" books. She passed along her pie-making skills to her family members for posterity! She spent several decades researching the genealogy of both her ancestors and her husband's families and leaves an extensive collection of volumes of information for her descendants*. Additionally, she had become a world traveler having traveled to Italy, Great Britain, South Korea, Mexico and Canada as well as seeing America on trips with a truck and trailer. She led a full, productive and happy life and leaves with few regrets. Amen!

A memorial service will be held at 11AM on Friday, June 9, 2023, at Pederson Funeral Home, 127 N Monroe St, Rockford, MI 49341, in Rockford, Michigan. Live Streaming of her service will be available for those unable to attend by visiting her obituary page at www.plaisierfuneral.com. A reception will follow. Interment will be at the Mount Ever-Rest Memorial Park in Kalamazoo, Michigan at a later date. Donations to the Rockford Area Historical Society would be appreciated in lieu of flowers.

* The "Roselle Havens Collection of Delbert Havens Post WWI Occupation Forces, Europe" was dedicated in 2018 and housed in the Zhang Legacy Collections Center, Western Michigan University, for the purposes of student and public research. Roselle Havens was inducted into the Rockford Public Schools Hall of Fame in 2020. To share a photo, memory and sign the family's online guestbook, please visit www.plaisierfuneral.com

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Roselle Havens
October 29, 1928 - June 4, 2023

Remembering – Roselle Havens

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Community Press Release – BAMA Announcement



Buchanan Area Ministerial Association Announcement

Submitted by Jan Mitchell

At the BAMA meeting in May, we discussed the Annual Faith and Family Day, which has been a huge event for many years (over 20).

We have always had Christian music, given out backpacks, and had a food truck, bouncy houses, and other treats for the kids.

We discussed and agreed, as a group, that the need for the backpacks is no longer present. Since the onset of this event, more and more churches and agencies are distributing backpacks to the children. We feel as if we were doing some duplicating, and that there is a better way to reach out to our community. We are still discussing and praying about what the next step would be.

We would like to take this opportunity to extend a heartfelt thank you to the people, churches, and organizations that have supported this event for so many years. We could not have done it without you.

A very special thank you goes out to Alice Kring for her years of helping us plan the event, put together the music groups, print the flyers, and all the hands on work she has done to help this event succeed each year.

We are thankful for such a kind, caring, and supportive community.

And as they say, it really is true that "life is better here."



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Community Press Release – Starting Soon: Veteran Can Drive 2023



Starting Again Soon: 3rd Annual Veteran Can Drive 2023

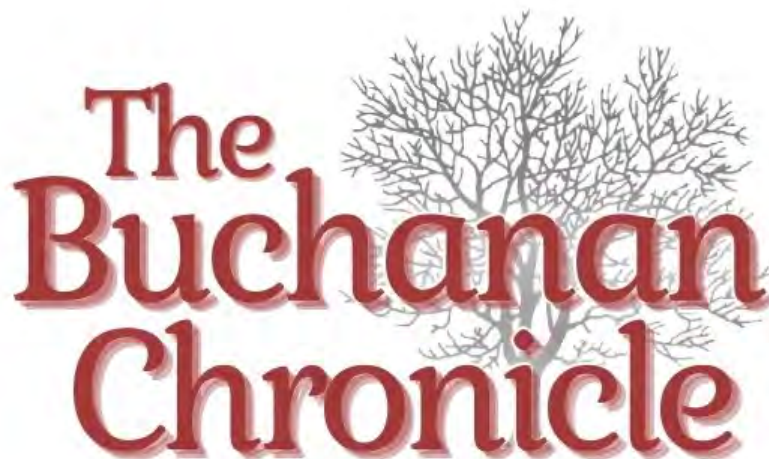
by Garrick Stubblefield

Once again we are starting our Veteran Can Drive on July 10th, 2023 thru Nov. 26th, 2023. We will have drop offs at the following places:

1. Buchanan Harding's
2. Buchanan District Library
3. Buchanan Area Senior Center
4. Redbud Hardware
5. Buchanan Laundry Mat (new location)
6. Hilltop Cafe (new location)

I (Garrick Stubblefield) will pick up your cans at your house if you would like me to do so. My number that I can be reached at is (269.259.0547). I tend to screen my phone so if you are a person that would like me to pick them up, please leave a clear message. I'm asking for a \$5 surcharge for gas money with the collection of cans. The following days are when I'm available: Monday thru Friday 9:30am to 11:15 am & 12:15pm to 2pm.

Please Remember: NO TRASH, cans and bottles only!



Community Press Release – McDonald's Celebrates Grimace's Birthday



McDonald's Celebrates Grimace's Birthday with Special Meal & Shake

Submitted by Spencer Wheelock

Whether you've attended an epic party at the [PlayPlace](#) or swapped the fancy dinner for what you were really craving, McDonald's knows that birthdays under the Golden Arches hold a special place in its fans' hearts. Now, McDonald's is inviting everyone to create new birthday memories. This time, they're celebrating Grimace's birthday!

Starting June 12, fans can get in on the festivities with the Grimace Birthday Meal – featuring a limited-edition purple shake inspired by Grimace's iconic color and sweetness. The Grimace Birthday Shake features McDonald's signature vanilla soft serve and berry flavors, and has an iconic purple hue. The meal also comes with the choice of a Big Mac® or 10-piece Chicken McNuggets®, and World Famous Fries®.

Some other ways to toast to Grimace's birthday this month include:

- **Birthday games:** McDonald's is launching an exclusive **video game** in collaboration with Krool Toys®, where fans can immerse themselves in Grimace's world as he races around classic McDonald's birthday scenes to find his pals – like Birdie and Hamburglar – all in a quest to cut his birthday cake. The game will be free to play on desktop and mobile beginning June 12.
- **Party outfits:** Dress to impress in Grimace-inspired merch – from tees to socks – available to purchase beginning June 12 on [GoldenArchesUnlimited.com](#), while supplies last.
- **In lieu of gifts:** Fans can help drive a donation to a charity near and dear to Grimace – **Ronald McDonald House Charities** (RMHC). RMHC is there when families need them most, and Grimace couldn't think of a better way to mark his birthday occasion than by having fans join him in giving to those in need. From June 13 – 14, fans can visit [McDonald's Instagram](#) story and share a picture of their favorite birthday memory via the “add yours” sticker. For every picture shared, we'll donate \$5 to RMHC up to \$200k.

Grimace is one of the original McDonaldland characters. He first debuted in June 1971. Although exactly what Grimace is has always been a bit of a mystery, throughout the years, fans have come to love Grimace for his

signature fuzzy purple look, friendly, playful personality and love for shakes.

The Grimace Birthday Meal and Shake is available at participating restaurants nationwide, while supplies last starting June 12 via the [McDonald's App](#), drive-thru, [McDelivery](#) or in-restaurant.



At participating McDonald's for a limited time. While supplies last. Meal includes choice of 10 pc. McNuggets® or Big Mac® © 2023 McDonald's



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Community Press Release – HCU Scholarship Winners



Honor Announces 2023 Community Commitment Scholarship Winners

Submitted by Kayla Smith, HCU Brand Coordinator

Berrien Springs, MI ~ June 12, 2023

Honor Credit Union proudly supports local, outstanding high school seniors with the annual Honor Credit Union Community Commitment Scholarship. Twenty-eight students throughout Michigan were awarded \$1,000 to be used towards furthering their education. Reinforcing Honor Credit Union's dedication to supporting the local community, emphasizing extracurricular activities and what that means for applicants, was included in each scholarship essay.

The following students exemplify a commitment to their communities and are positive role models for community service and academic success. These applicants were chosen through a blind selection process and awarded as the 2023 recipients.

28 Scholarship Winners

Honor extends congratulations to these 2023 scholarship winners and all graduating seniors.



Buchanan High School – Michael Wentworth and Karol Behrle, Photo provided by HCU

Battle Creek / Coldwater Area

- Sophia Laubscher – Coldwater High School
- Raegan Gothard – Harper Creek High School
- Abigale Keown – Pennfield High School
- Nadalie Pratt – Pennfield High School

Buchanan / Niles / Berrien Springs / Eau Claire Area

- Michael Wentworth – Buchanan High School
- Jayce Arend – Eau Claire High School
- Kailyn Miller – Niles High School

Benton Harbor / St. Joseph Area

- Harmony Dohm – Michigan Lutheran H.S.
- Lincoln White-Day – St. Joseph High School

Baroda / Stevensville Area

- Ananya Bommineni – Lakeshore High School
- Eden Gray – Lakeshore High School

Coloma / Hartford / South Haven Area

- Alexander Ruiz – Covert High School
- Abigail Garey – Hartford High School
- Elizabeth Sell – South Haven High School

Greater Grand Rapids Area

- Emma Johns – Jenison High School
- Kenadee Schnick – Jenison High School
- Ryan Anderson – Traverse City High School

Gwinn / Marquette / Negaunee Area

- Kayla Watt – Gwinn High School
- Brayden Dunstan – Negaunee High School
- Sophia Valima – Superior Central Schools

Greater Kalamazoo Area

- Cora Wegner – Dowagiac Union High School
- Lyla Elrod – Dowagiac Union High School
- Madison Vrba – Mattawan High School
- Addyson Thomas – Otsego High School
- Madison Hoffman – Otsego High School
- Amanda Towne – Paw Paw High School
- Ben Hunter – Portage Central High School
- Lucy Glerum – Vicksburg High School



HCU 2023 Community Commitment Scholarship Winners



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over 100,000 members in 27 member center communities throughout western and northern Michigan. Providing solutions for financial success and giving back to the communities we serve remain the driving forces behind Honor Credit Union.

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Community Press Release – SAM Sing-Along with HCS



Harbor Country Singers to Lead “Happy Songs” Sing-Along

Submitted by Pat Putnam, Harbor Country Singers Producer

Join the Harbor Country Singers for a summer outdoor sing-along “Happy Songs of Spring & Summer” on Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. EDT. All are welcome at this free event. The sing-along will take place on Spring Creek Stage, Arts and Education Center, 14 Maple St, Three Oaks, Michigan, facing Dewey Cannon Park. It will include songs “Feelin’ Groovy”, “Zip a Dee Doh Dah”, “Raindrops Keep Falling on My Head”, and “Morning Has Broken”, plus many others. Song books with music and lyrics will be provided. Musicians are welcome to bring instruments to play along. Please bring your own lawn chair or blanket. If it rains, the sing-along will be moved to the shelter house at Carver Memorial Park, U. S. 12 and Elm St., Three Oaks.

School of American Music instructors Ron Spears and Tom Parisi will provide guitar accompaniment, and Maggie Martin will be on the piano. Harbor Country Singers members Diane Ruzevich, Donna Mitchell, Jill Christie, and Pat Putnam will be song leaders.



Pat Putnam, Donna M. Mitchell and Ron Spears lead a Harbor Country Singers Sing Along, Photo provided by School of American Music

The Harbor Country Singers is a program of the School of American Music and is supported by a grant from the Pokagon Fund. For more information, please contact the School of American Music at schoolofamericanmusic@gmail.com or by phone at 269-409-1191 or visit School of American Music on Facebook or the website <https://schoolofamericanmusic.com/>.



About School of American Music: The School of American Music was founded by D. Garth Taylor to serve as a music resource in Michiana. Currently serving as President of SAM, Taylor has been joined over the years by Executive Director, Donna M. Mitchell and a full Board of Directors. Their mission is to provide education, performance, and audience opportunities in music and the related arts in the Southwest Michigan area. The School of American Music, located in Three Oaks, Michigan, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. The school provides education, performance, and audience opportunities in music and the related arts in the Southwest Michigan area.

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Community Press Release – BCRD Latest Notices



Berrien County Road Department Latest Notices – June 2023

Berrien County, MI



BCRD Graphic – Construction Notice

June 15, 2023 – NAPIER AVENUE RESURFACING COMPLETED: PIPESTONE ROAD INTERSECTION REOPENED

- **TOWNSHIP:** Benton Township

- **LOCATION(s):** Napier Avenue from Plaza Drive to Crystal Avenue
- **CLOSEST CITIES:** St Joseph, Benton Harbor
- **START DATE:** Week of May 8, 2023
- **END DATE:** Thursday, June 15, 2023
- **PROJECT:** Napier Avenue from Plaza Drive to Crystal Avenue road project included milling, resurfacing, joint and crack repair. This road improvement project was originally scheduled for completion prior to 9/30/2023. Napier Avenue road improvement project has finished ahead of schedule.
- **Traffic Restrictions:** Napier Avenue and Pipestone Road intersection restrictions have been fully reopened as of approximately noon on Thursday, June 15, 2023.

[Three Page PDF with Construction Images HERE](#)

May 31, 2023 – GRIND AND GRAVEL DUST CONCERNS

The Spring of 2023 has provided construction complications with high temperatures and drought conditions. Due to the lack of rainfall and high temperatures, Berrien County is suffering greatly with dry conditions.

Traditionally, grind, gravel, prime and double seal construction improvement projects take place over a two-year construction season, or within a single construction season. Under normal conditions those roads that have road surfaces ground and graveled in the Spring (April – June) are primed and sealcoated in the Summer (June – August). Roads that are improved over two years are typically ground and graveled in the late Summer/early Fall (September – November) and then primed and sealcoated the next Summer (June – August). Typically, the grind, gravel, prime and double seal projects benefit from normal Spring weather. Spring rainfall provides moisture which aids in road compaction. This month Berrien County has been without measurable rainfall, which has led to gravel becoming extremely dry and the potential for increased dust concerns.

Staff are working as efficiently as possible on these road improvement projects. Despite the dry, dusty conditions, BCRD maintenance staff have developed a temporary solution for this situation. Until staff are able to prime and double seal the roads scheduled for 2023, crews will be facilitating the application of Dust Stop to these graveled roads. The listed road locations are anticipated to have Dust Stop in place within the month of June, weather and equipment permitting. This water-based solution will be applied at a 24' width. This will help provide additional stability to the new gravel under these extreme conditions.

This application will also help provide some relief to nearby residents and property owners without compromising future steps in the remaining grind, gravel, prime and double sealcoating process. If you have questions you are encouraged to contact the Road Department offices at the number listed above.

Alphabetical listing of project road locations anticipated to receive this Dust Stop treatment in June:

Road	Termini	Township	Treatment
Angling Rd.	Carmody Rd. to Hill Rd.	Bainbridge	Prime and Double Seal
Beaver Dam Rd.	Buffalo Rd. to Olive Branch Rd.	Galien	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Buffalo Rd.	Hampton Rd to Beaver Dam Rd.	Galien	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Duncan Rd.	Benton Center Rd to End	Hagar	Prime and Double Seal
E. Eureka Rd.	M-140 to Brush Lake Rd.	Pipestone	Prime and Double Seal
Hicks Ave.	Red Arrow Hwy. East to End	Benton	G, G, P, & DS 3"
Hicks Ave.	Roslin Rd. West to End	Benton	G, G, P, & DS 3"
Hudson Lake Rd.	Olive Branch Rd. to IN state line	Galien	G, G, P, & DS 6"
John Beers Rd.	M-139 to East End	Royalton	Prime and Double Seal
Kerlikowske Rd.	Coloma Rd. to Schmul Rd.	Hagar	G, G, P, & DS 3"
Lakeside Rd.	Forest Lawn Rd. to IN state line	Three Oaks	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Linco Rd.	M-139 to East End	Royalton	Prime and Double Seal
Madron Lake Rd.	Wagner Rd. to Miller Rd.	Buchanan	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Olive Branch Rd.	Nye Rd. to Beaver Dam Rd.	Galien	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Schmuhl Rd.	Bessemer Rd. to dirt	Hagar	Prime and Double Seal
Second St. Rd.	Pardee Rd. to Village Limits	Galien	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Wagner Rd.	Coveney Rd. to W. Clear Lake Rd	Buchanan	G, G, P, & DS 6"
Warren Woods Rd.	Cleveland Ave. to Gardner Rd.	Weesaw	G, G, P, & DS 6"

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May 30, 2023 – BERTRAND ROAD CONSTRUCTION: ROAD CLOSURE AND INTERMITTENT LANE CLOSURES

- **TOWNSHIP:** Niles Township
- **LOCATION:** Bertrand Road between M-51 and 21st Street
- **CLOSEST CITIES:** Niles, Buchanan
- **START DATE:** 5/30/2023
- **END DATE:** Summer 2023
- **PROJECT:** The Bertrand Road improvement project will include the roadway being widened prior to resurfacing with a 2" asphalt overlay. Final project will include paved shoulders.
- **Bertrand Road between M-51 and 13th Street Traffic Restrictions:** Bertrand Road will be closed to thru traffic between M-51 and 13th Street. All through traffic should seek alternative routes or utilize the signed detour route.
- **Bertrand Road (M-51 to 13th Street) Detour Route:** M-51 to Ontario Road to 13th Street
- **Bertrand Road between 13th Street and 21st Street Traffic Restrictions:** Bertrand Road will have intermittent lane closures between 13th Street and 21st Street.
 - Work schedule is weather and contractor permitting.

- Traffic lane restrictions between 13th Street and county line are anticipated to occur typically between the hours of 7am and 8pm.
 1. Intermittent lane closures will be maintained by flaggers.
- The public should expect possible travel delays.
 1. Stopped traffic should be expected.
- Remember to reduce speeds when traveling through work zones.
 1. Watch out for construction workers and equipment.

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Local Faith – BAMA Meeting June 2023



June BAMA Monthly Meeting Recap

Submitted by Nate Babcock, Buchanan Christian Church Pastor

June 6:

Greetings everyone,

We had a good BAMA meeting this morning. We thank Dave & Jann Mitchell for their hospitality at Faith Victory! Those present were: Dave Mitchell, Jann Mitchell, Rebecka Hoyt, Officer Schmitz, Officer Ganus, Kevin Haislip, Tim Douglass, Bill Walters, Dan Barz, and Nate Babcock.

Notes from the meeting:

- Jann Mitchell wrote an article on behalf of BAMA which will be published in The Buchanan Chronicle. This article explains our decision to no longer hold Faith & Family Day, and it thanks the community for their support of this event through the years.
- Officers Schmitz and Ganus attended our meeting to help us get the ball rolling on plans for Faith & Blue weekend this year, which will be October 6th – 9th. We appreciate their presence with us, and we are grateful for the opportunity to partner with the Buchanan Police Department. The officers plan to be with us again for our July meeting, at which time we will bring more finalization to the plans for Faith & Blue 2023.
- National Night Out will be Tuesday August 1st at 6:00 pm.
- Concerning Life Plan: Dan Barz shared that the network of Lutheran churches of which St. Paul is a part is working toward a \$50,000+ donation to Life Plan. This is a combination of monies raised by the churches and a grant received by them for Life Plan. Praise the Lord!
- Concerning RAM: Bill Walters shared that in May Life Plan gave out \$17,500 in financial assistance and 3,622 pounds of food. Most importantly, 5 people gave their lives to Christ through the ministry of RAM in May! Praise the Lord!
- Concerning the Salvation Army: Tim Douglass shared that, due to their program budget being used up, the Salvation Army has discontinued the Feeding His Sheep program for the summer. It will resume in the fall. Also, Tim shared the exciting news that the Salvation Army is very close to purchasing a new building for their ministry in Niles! Praise the Lord!

The Niles Area Ministerial Association (NAMA) is inviting us to join them for their June meeting, which will be next Thursday, June 15th, at 9:00 am at the Lodge in Buchanan. Come for fellowship with our colleagues in Niles, and to hear from Del Fehsenfeld, Jr. about the work of Life Action Ministries across the country.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, July 11th at 9:00 am at Buchanan Christian Church.

– Nate

*If your church or club would like to highlight your meetings/events, please email us at:

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A Note from the Editor – Issue 54



A Note from the Editor – Issue 54

by Rebecka Hoyt, Editor

Good Saturday morning readers! The start of summer vacation has begun and summer is just a few days away. I hope that you're able to make it down to the Buchanan Farmers' Market and get some good finds or that last minute Father's Day present. Also, thank you for stopping by our booth last weekend to sign up for the first printed/ all printed issues and giving us words of encouragement. We greatly appreciate it! We'll be there again for our bake sale on July 29th and will also have subscription sign ups available as well.

As you know, our first printed issue is coming out very soon! Just this week, we turned it into the printer and you can find them next Thursday/Friday after 12 Noon at these Buchanan area businesses: Buchanan Area Senior Center, Buchanan City Hall, Harding's, and Honor Credit Union FREE of charge. If you would like to subscribe and have the September or future issues mailed to you, please fill out the subscription form on our website or you can contact us via email at buchananchronicle@att.net or by phone: (269) 697-9874. Let us know what you think about the printed issue as well and share it with those who haven't seen it yet, so don't throw it away when you're done, SHARE IT! Based on available funds, this will determine the amount that is printed. The more our readers subscribe and the more advertising we receive, then we will be able to have more printed issues. We cannot do this without your help. Donations are welcomed on our website, by mail or in person at the Buchanan Farmers' Market from \$5 – whatever amount you desire. We also offer advertising as low as \$15 in the printed issues.

I would like to give a shoutout to my dad, my husband Tom, and all the rest of the dads out there, to have a Happy Father's Day tomorrow! May your day be a great one! And if you're a golfer, I hope you can enjoy a round of golf or watch the U.S. Open in your favorite chair or spot on the couch!

Happy Reading,
Rebecka Hoyt

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Now That's Funny! with Garrick – Issue 54



This Doesn't Taste Right!

by Garrick Stubblefield

One night I was having dinner with the family and things were going well. My grandson was thirsty and asked if he could have something to drink. The dad said in reply there is a drink in front of you. So the grandson went and took a small drink and replied by saying that it tasted too minty to him. So, my wife quickly realized that grandpa had put mouthwash in it for the trip he went on. So, the grandson got another drink and said that this drink didn't taste minty like the other one did. I guess grandpa needs to learn not to put mouthwash in a drink bottle and have your grandson say his drink is too minty.

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Buchanan Losses • 05/30 – 06/12

Name	Age	Born	Died
David Lee Burwell Sr.	68	August 9, 1954	June 12, 2023
Lillie Mae Jones	71	June 30, 1951	June 11, 2023
Nancy M. Wright	78	July 19, 1944	June 10, 2023
Bernard "Bernie" L. Harroff	83	February 11, 1939	June 9, 2023
Charles "Chuck" S. Tidey	79	December 16, 1943	June 9, 2023
Ricky Joel McKaskle Sr.	64	June 22, 1958	June 5, 2023
Helen Jo Carpenter	79	September 6, 1943	June 3, 2023
Dolores V. Zebell	93	October 15, 1929	June 3, 2023
Nancy Kaye Shufelt	77	May 3, 1946	May 31, 2023
Caroline Sue Anderson	74	February 9, 1949	May 30, 2023
Jesse Hiter Marshall Jr.	51	May 30, 1972	May 30, 2023
Russell Charles Cole II	54	September 9, 1968	April 27, 2023

We wish to respectfully honor the memory of anyone we lose in the Buchanan community. Please do let us know any corrections or additions to the list.

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