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**BULLDOG** Mike Mandich and Akron-Fairgrove's Kyle Aldrich get up from the turf after colliding in Friday's region 2 gridiron playoff contest in Owendale.

## OWEN-GAGE SURVIVES

### Bulldogs headed to Bellaire Saturday

Owen-Gage improved to 8-2 overall Friday with a region 2 playoff win over neighboring rival Akron-Fairgrove. More importantly, with the 52-48 victory, Coach Steve Hollocker's Bulldogs stay alive in the state's 8-man gridiron playoff picture.

"It was a very exciting night for not only our players, but our community as well. It is my understanding that we had never hosted or won a playoff game before, so it was a big step forward for our program.

"We are thrilled to be moving on and look forward to traveling to Bellaire for the next round. As happy as we are to be one of the final 8 teams still playing in 8-man football, we know there is still a lot of work to be done as we continue to build toward our goal of winning a state

championship," Hollocker said.

Another outstanding showing from Owen-Gage's Quinn Smith wouldn't hurt Owen-Gage's chances in Bellaire either. The game's hosts beat up on Kingston in their opening playoff victory.

Smith was a major story in Friday's victory, according to Hollocker.

The junior running back raced for 360 rushing yards on 27 carries. He also had 145 return yards including a 90-yard kick return for what proved to be the winning touchdown late in the third quarter, which highlights just part of Smith's contributions on the night.

"Quinn had an astonishing 505 all purpose yards. He scored 6 touchdowns as well as 4 critical two-point conversions for 44 total points," said Hollocker, adding, "Jordan Kain had

a touchdown and conversion as well as rushing for 83 hard fought yards." Still, the night belonged to Smith.

"I can't say enough about Quinn's night. Rushing for his second straight 300+ yard game is an amazing accomplishment. Our seniors, fullback (Jordan) Kain, guard Eric Rievert, and center Mike Mandich did a great job of opening holes for him."

"Antonio Torrez also had some big runs for us, pounding for 2 fourth quarter first downs that allowed us to run out the clock."

Defensively, Antonio Torrez led the Bulldogs with 14 solo tackles, while Ben Good had 11 tackles and a sack. Dan Good, Adam Retford and Mandich also recorded sacks.



**CASS CITY** spiker Meagan LeValley lines up a shot against visiting Reese as Red Hawks Shania Chambers and Lauren Potter (middle) close in on the action during the Parents' Night gathering.

## Marlette, Caro win Division 3 Regional in Harbor Beach

Cross Country season came to an end for Cass City Saturday at the Division 3 regional in Harbor Beach.

In the boys' field it was a familiar story as Marlette grabbed top team honors, while Caro captured the girls' crown. Both winners received medalist performances over the weekend.

It also was a familiar story locally. Among the boys, Cass City failed to enter a team tally due to a lack of numbers. No matter, Red Hawk Coach Jon Zdrojewski was impressed with the efforts turned in from 4 soccer players, who also double as part-time cross country runners.

"Cass City had 4 boys run in the contest as soccer season had already finished. The Hawks were paced by Bransen Stimpfel with a time of

18:18. He took nearly one minute off of his previous best time. Jose Torres (18:31) also ran his best time of the season by nearly a minute," said Zdrojewski.

Also taking nearly one minute off of his previous best mark was Keith Lounsbury (18:59), while Nick Karwowski (20:52) bested his previous efforts by nearly 30 seconds.

"I am looking for the freshmen - Bransen, Jose and Keith - to participate next year and with a stronger focus on running to be very successful," said Zdrojewski.

Turning to the girls' action, Cass City finished well out of advancing, but 4 of the Red Hawks ran their best times of the season.

"That is all you can ask for from your team," said Zdrojewski. "They were on top of their races as the sea-

son ended. Elizabeth Sanders (21:44) knocked 30 seconds off of her previous best, while Shelby Abell (23:38) took 3 minutes off of her time from last week when she was sick.

Ashtyn Janiske-Weiler (24:10) ran her best race of the season by one minute and Elisabeth Milligan (25:30) knocked 20 seconds off of her previous best time."

Erin Zdrojewski led the Red Hawks with a time of 21:34 and a 34th place finish.

Medalists on the day included Caro's Monica Ellicott with a time of 18:59 and Marlette's Jacob Bowman with a blistering time of 15:58.

"Cass City was in a very tough regional and unfortunately our season ended on Saturday with no one advancing to the state finals."

## Reminder: Deer on the move

Tuscola County Sheriff Lee Teschendorf reminds motorists that with fall and the hunting season in full swing, deer populations will be on the move. This activity heightens the chance of a car/deer crash occurring.

Last year more than 53,000 acci-

dents in Michigan involved deer.

"Most often, you'll see a deer near dawn or dusk," Teschendorf said. "Motorists are encouraged to look beyond the beam of their headlights for eyes of deer that may be near the path of your vehicle."

Trying to dodge a deer is not a good

idea according to the sheriff, who noted deer often move erratically, and swerving may cause you to lose control of your vehicle, resulting in injury or even death.

In 2011 1,295 injuries and 8 deaths were reported as a result of a car-

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## Tough road ahead for Cass City volleyball team in district play

It won't be easy for Cass City to advance from Class C district volleyball action this week at USA High School.

To do so, Coach Beth Howard's squad will need to defeat 3 conference champions, starting with undefeated Greater Thumb East champs Ubly. An upset over the Bearcats on Tuesday would advance Cass City into Thursday's semifinal contest, where Greater Thumb West co-champion USA awaits. In Friday's district title game, Bad Axe, who shared GTW honors with USA, is expected to reach the title game.

Mission impossible for the Red Hawks? Maybe, considering middle hitter Meri Dzielinski was injured over the weekend at the Laker Invitational. Just how effective the senior front row specialist will be is unknown.

"Meri went down in the first set and sprained her other ankle," said Howard.

With Dzielinski out, Howard turned to freshman Macy Dickinson to help fill the void on the front line.

"Macy had to fill in the middle for the day. She has never played that position, but did a really nice job and led the team in blocks."

Still, Cass City finished with a 1-3-

1 record on the day.

In pool play, the Red Hawks suffered losses to Reese and Deckerville, while splitting with Bay City All Saints. In bracket play, Cass City came out on top against Vassar, before bowing to eventual champions USA.

**GTW GAMES**

Cass City ended its regular season last week, suffering defeat to Bad Axe and Reese in straight games.

The Hatchets posted wins of 26-16, 25-14 and 25-17 Tuesday over the visitors.

"We had a night where not too much went right. We didn't have any blocks, only 11 kills and 31 dig errors," said Howard.

On Thursday, host Cass City bowed in similar fashion during a Parents' Night contest with Reese. The scores were 25-15, 25-23 and 25-16.

"We played Reese a lot better than we did the first time. Even though we lost, the team played better in every area."

Individually, Dzielinski was credited with 10 kills, while Gracy Hollis chipped in 9 kills and Maegan LeValley, 6, for Cass City. Shania Chambers had 23 digs in vain.



## Cass City Schools Winter Sports Schedule 2012-13

Boys' Basketball		Girls' Basketball		Wrestling	
All games at 6 p.m.		All games at 6 p.m.		12/5	Imlay City/Capac 5:30 p.m.
12/4	Sandusky	11/27	Harbor Beach	12/8	Marlette Team Tourney 8:00 a.m.
12/7	Capac	12/5	Sandusky	12/12	Caro/Cros-Lex/Yale 6:00 p.m.
12/11	Harbor Beach	12/12	Reese	12/15	Cros-Lex Team Tourney 8:00 a.m.
12/20	Ubly(JV)	12/14	Vassar	12/28	Mayville Tourney TBD
12/21	Ubly (Varsity)	12/19	Imlay City	1/3	Memphis/Lakers 6:00 p.m.
12/28	Caro	12/20	Ubly (JV)	1/5	North Branch Team Trny 9:00 a.m.
1/3	Marlette	12/21	Ubly (Varsity)	1/9	Bad Axe/Marlette 6:00 p.m.
1/8	Bad Axe	12/28	Caro (Varsity)	1/12	Imlay City Invite 9:00 a.m.
1/10	BCAS	1/4	Marlette	1/16	Sandusky 6:00 p.m.
1/16	USA	1/9	Bad Axe	1/19	Mayville Team Tourney TBA
1/18	Brown City	1/11	BCAS	1/23	Brown City/Vassar 6:00 p.m.
1/25	EPB Lakers	1/15	USA	1/26	Bullock Creek Team Trny 9:00 a.m.
1/30	Reese	1/17	Brown City	2/2	GTC Leag. Meet @Sandusky TBD
2/1	Vassar	1/24	Lakers	2/6	Team Districts TBD
2/6	Bad Axe	1/29	Reese	2/9	Individual Districts TBD
2/8	BCAS (Snowcoming)	1/31	Vassar	2/13	Team Regionals TBD
2/15	Brown City	2/5	Bad Axe	2/16	Individual Regionals TBD
2/20	USA	2/7	BCAS	2/22-23	Team St. Finals @Battle Creek TBD
2/22	Lakers	2/14	Brown City	2/28-3/2	Ind. St. Finals @Auburn Hills TBD
2/26	Reese	2/19	USA		
2/28	Vassar	2/21	Lakers		
	Districts	2/28-3/2,4	Districts		
<b>Gymnastics</b>		<b>Junior High Boys' Basketball</b>		<b>Junior High Wrestling</b>	
12/13	Vassar 6:30 p.m.	All games at 5:30 p.m. unless noted		All games at 5:30 p.m. unless noted	
1/17	Vassar 6:30 p.m.	11/5	Memphis	11/12	Sandusky/Bad Axe
1/21	Farmington Invite 8:30 a.m.	11/7	Vassar	11/19	EPB Lakers/Brown City
1/26	Vassar/Freeland 6:30 p.m.	11/12	Marlette	11/26	Bad Axe/Mayville
1/22	Freeland 6:00 p.m.	11/14	USA	11/28	Mayville
1/26	St. John's Invite 10:00 a.m.	11/19	Harbor Beach	12/1	Caro Tourn. 9:00 a.m.
2/16	Freeland Invite TBD	11/26	Reese	12/3	Marlette 6:00 p.m.
		11/28	Memphis	12/5	Vassar/Memphis
		12/3	Vassar	12/10	GTC Leag. Meet @Br. City
		12/5	Marlette		
		12/10	USA		
		12/11	Harbor Beach		
		12/17	Reese 4:30 p.m.		

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Home games in bold.

# A Sportsman's Paradise

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**NICE START.** Aaron Hulburt, 11, bagged his first deer during the 2012 archery season while hunting in Tuscola County. He arrowed this impressive 8-point buck.



**NO SURPRISE HERE.** Local Matt Lynch with a pair of fall turkeys.

## Deer moving

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deer collision. Tuscola County recorded 920 accidents with 18 injuries.

"The best way to avoid a deer/car collision is to slow your car down, flash your headlights and/or blow your horn to try and scare the animal. Deer travel together, if you see one chances are others are coming so please proceed with caution," Teschendorf said.

Remember to heed deer crossing signs. If you do hit a deer make sure you report it to your local police or the sheriff's office.

For more safety tips, visit the Michigan Sheriffs' Association website at [www.misherriff.org](http://www.misherriff.org) where you can sign up to receive monthly newsletters. Founded in 1877, the Michigan Sheriffs' Association is the oldest law enforcement organization in Michigan.



**DEADEYES.** Cousins Jesse Nye and Logan Schenk had success on opening day of pheasant season, hunting on private property. Jess is the son of Gary and Christie Nye, Logan is the son of Jim and Kathy Schenk.

## BOWLING

### Wednesday Nite Trio as of Oct. 24

Scheurer Hospital	34
Prographix	33
Curtis Chrysler	31
Scheurer Healthcare Network	26
Rooney Contracting	23
Kelly & Company	23
Martin Electric	20
Walsh Farms	20
Nicol & Sons, Inc.	18
JEBCO	17
Individual High Games & Series: Ed Schmalz 256; Terry Lutz 235-212 (639); Jeff Mathewson 223; James Smithson 231; Dan Curtis 200.	
Team High Game: Scheurer Hospital 1605.	

### Merchanettes as of Oct. 25

Nuts and Bolts	36
Just One More	31
Thumb Octagon Barn	29
No Shows	2
Individual High Games & Series: Chris Little 166 (421); Cyndi Martin 166.	
Individual High HDCP Game & Series: Lori Walker 229; Chris Little 227 (604); Cyndi Martin 227.	
Team High Game & Series: Just One More 620; Thumb Octagon Barn (1554).	
Team High HDCP Game & Series: Just One More 858 (2252).	
Splits: Joan Koch 3-10; Marlene Sieradzki 2-7-10; Dawn Carbeno 2-7.	
Strikes: Chris Little 3 in a row.	

## Schneeberger's ATHLETE of the WEEK

Schneeberger's honors Cass City Red Hawk Macy Dickinson as their "Athlete of the Week" award winner.

The freshman volleyball standout came up big over the weekend for Coach Beth Howard at the regular season-ending Laker Invitational.

Howard asked Dickinson to step in for injured senior Meri Dzielinski on the day, when Dzielinski went down during Saturday's first set with an ankle injury.

Dickinson did, and despite no game experience at the middle hitter position, led the Red Hawks in blocks on the afternoon.

Macy is the daughter of Janelle and Dan Dickinson.



Macy Dickinson

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# Obituaries

## Doris Cooper

Doris A. Cooper, 77, of Port Huron, passed away Thursday, Oct. 25, 2012 in Medilodge of Port Huron following a long illness.



She was born Feb. 19, 1935 in Cass City, the daughter of Maynard and Annie DeLong.

She married Robert P. Cooper April 23, 1953 in Port Huron.

Doris worked for 17 years as a nurse's aide with the St. Clair County Council on Aging. She was life member of both the Women of the Moose, Chapter 99, Port Huron and Port Huron Auxiliary 3702 FOE,

and she was also very involved in each organization's fundraising activities. She was also a member of the Garfield Church of Christ in Port Huron.

Doris enjoyed bowling, crocheting, and attending art shows. She was also a frequent visitor to area nursing homes.

Doris is survived by her husband of nearly 60 years, Robert P. Cooper; 4 children: Lynda (Michael) Marth of Chesterfield Township, Brenda (Daryl Smith) Sprouse of Folsom, Calif., Donald Cooper of Muskegon Heights, and Dennis Cooper of Fort Gratiot; 10 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; 2 sisters: Lucille Miskell of Sacramento, Calif., and Dolly Harrington of Port Huron; many nieces and nephews; and several sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law in Sarnia.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Cheryl Umbreit; and 3 sisters: Eunice Englehart, Irene DeLong, and Madeline Carlisle.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Oct. 28, at Smith Family Funeral Home-South, Port Huron, with Minister Lee Bracey, executive director of the Illinois Children's Home, officiating.

Interment will be in Cass City at a later date.

Contributions may be made in

Doris's memory to her family.

Family and friends may share condolences at [smithfamilyfuneralhome.com](http://smithfamilyfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements were made by Smith Family Funeral Home, Port Huron.

## Terry Draper

Terry Wayne Draper, 62, of Cass City, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2012, at Tendercare Cass City.

He was born Oct. 17, 1950 in Beardstown, Ill., the son of the late Henry and Janis (Hageman) Draper.

Terry served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He worked as a caregiver in foster care homes. He loved small town life in Cass City, horses, and the New York Yankees.

Terry is survived by his sisters: Carol Draper and Luann (John) Ketterer, both of Cass City; and nephews: J. T. and Justin Ketterer.

A private funeral service was held at Thabet Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Cynthia Parsons officiating.

Burial was in the Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City.

Family and friends may share condolences at [www.thabetfuneralhome.com](http://www.thabetfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements were made by Thabet Funeral Home, Cass City.

## Catherine Easton

Catherine Elaine Easton 79, of Hot Springs Village, Ariz., passed away Wednesday, Oct. 17, 2012.



She was born Oct. 12, 1933 in Detroit, the daughter of James F. Colville and Doris Gill Colville.

Catherine enjoyed playing cards,

fishing and traveling. She was also a member of Faith Lutheran Church in Hot Springs Village.

Catherine is survived by a sister, Betty (Imre) Brasso of Boulder City, Nev., a brother-in-law, Richard (Patricia) Easton of Cass City; 2 nephews: Kenneth Foster of Boulder City, Nev., and Randy (Nancy) Easton of Lapeer; 2 nieces: Kathleen (Jonathan) Wendel of Ames, Iowa, and Karen (Anthony) Onica of Yakima, Wash.; 3 great-nieces, 3 great-nephews, 3 great-great-nieces; and 4 great-great-nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur L. Easton; a sister, Marion Grace; and a brother, Edward Colville.

A memorial service was held Monday, Oct. 29, at Faith Lutheran Church in Hot Springs Village, with the Rev. Mark Carnahan officiating.

Final resting place will be in the Faith Lutheran Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to Faith Lutheran Church 1196 Desoto Blvd, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909.

Family and friends may share condolences at [www.grossfuneralhome.com](http://www.grossfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements were made by Gross Funeral Home, Hot Springs, Ariz.

## VFW family open house slated

Veterans and their family and friends are invited to attend a family open house hosted by the Marlette VFW Post Saturday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"Besides snacks and a time to socialize, there will be information available concerning many veteran issues, (including) suicide aware-

ness, PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), veteran benefits and health issues," said Kris Leenhouts-Gamet, who noted there will also be a coloring contest for the kids.

"Helping our local veterans should be a community effort. Family and friends are often the first to notice a veteran is having trouble (but) only

realize it after it is too late," she said, adding the open house will provide an opportunity for the loved ones of veterans to become educated about issues that affect U.S. servicemen and women.

More information is available by contacting Leenhouts-Gamet at (989) 912-5594.

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Danielle Dickson is a graduate of Baker College and earned her degree in business administration, majoring in business management.

She earned the "Best Government Student Award" in her senior year at Cass City High School.

Danielle believes in and supports private property rights. Danielle also believes in and supports the Constitution.

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We also would like to thank all those in the area who reached out to our dad while living in Cass City. The stories we have heard about your involvement in Dominic's life mean so much to us. Thank you!

**Novesta Township Trustee**  
**Elect Bob Dickson**

Bob Dickson has been in attendance at 117 out of the last 118 township board meetings. Bob Dickson has taken two land division courses and also has taken a course in Township planning. Bob Dickson attended numerous seminars dealing with Constitutional issues.

Bob Dickson has studied the laws dealing with township issues and continues to study.

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## Remembrance service scheduled Sunday at Kranz Funeral Home

A Service of Remembrance will be held Sunday, Nov. 4, at 3 p.m. This 15th annual service is sponsored by Kranz Funeral Homes of Cass City and Kingston, and will be held in Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City.

The Service of Remembrance is a time of remembering and celebration. "Anyone who has had someone close to them die will appreciate this service. It is not a funeral but a time for us to come together as a community in remembering those we have loved," explained Debra Kranz, owner of Kranz Funeral Home.

The service consists of music and inspirational readings. Many talented musicians from the area participate. There is also a time for family members to make a floral tribute. Family members are invited to bring a flower to place in tribute of their loved one.

The annual event is a non-denominational service. All clergy are invited to participate or to attend in support of their church members who have experienced a death of a family member or friend.

"Death is one thing that touches all of us. It is one thing we all have in common," Kranz said. "We need to encourage our families in their grief process, allow them to still grieve, to still remember, and show them we remember too. The Service of Remembrance facilitates this."

"While the service is sponsored by Kranz Funeral Homes, anyone is invited to attend," Kranz noted.

The funeral home is located one half mile east of the light in Cass City at 6850 Main Street. Cookies, coffee and punch will be offered during a gathering time in the funeral home after the service. More information is available by calling (989) 872-2195.

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