

Library, 312 W. Main St., at 1:30 p.m. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

Summer Concert – Jon Archambault Band, combine blues, jazz, funk and classic rock and roll, at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion at 7 p.m. Contact Barbara Pierce (989) 724-6666.

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AUGUST

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Visiting artist of the month, Chuck Schroder, pen and ink artist at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main St., Harrisville. Artwork on display all month. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery at (989) 820-9614.

Corn Hole Tournament at the Barton City Township Park, 9 a.m. until done. To support Suicide Prevention. Sponsored by parents. Contact Julie (989) 335-0984.

Fourth annual Alcona Music Project Fundraiser to support Alcona County’s non-profit all-volunteer community radio station WXFT Harrisville (WTF 97.9 FM) at the Lincoln Senior Center, 207 S. Church St. Six musical acts from 4 to 10 p.m. \$10 donation at the door. Food wagon by Clyde’s BBQ. Contact Joe at (989) 724-3052.

5 Cameron Zvara will entertain all ages with magic, comedy, juggling, stunts, and music at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. at 1:30 p.m. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

Summer Concert – The Money Gods, Greg Fodor original rock & roll band, at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion. Contact Barbara Pierce (989) 724-6666.

7 A special Frog Day Storytime and Craft at 10:30 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., where everything is Froggy. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

8 Heritage Day at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Special programs throughout the day celebrating Great Lakes shipping, fishing, lighthouse keeping, Audubon birding trail and more. Contact Lynn Vanderlinde (989) 724-7902.

Reception for artist of the month Isabelle Renaude, painter of oil paintings from 1 to 3 p.m. at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main St., Harrisville. Refreshments will be available. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery at (989) 820-9614.

Alcona Humane Society annual dinner and silent auction, held at the clubhouse at Lost Lake Woods Club in Lincoln from 5 to 8 p.m. Contact Jenna Richardson (989) 736-7387.

15 Alcona Masonic Lodge Golf Outing at Logger’s Trace in Harrisville at 9 a.m. Contact Mike Kerr (989) 657-1657.

Brownlee Lake annual Golf Outing at Eagle Ridge Golf Course, 3501 S. State (M-65) in Glennie. Registration at 10:30 a.m., tee-off at 11 a.m. Contact Deb Shaneour (989) 657-4319.

Craft Supplies & Trunk Sale 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Craftmakers’ Cabin. Cost is \$5 to sell your stash of art and craft supplies out of your car trunk. If rained out, will be August 16. Contact Nancy Miller (734) 904-0108.

Sunrise Side Music Festival. All day bluegrass and country music event at Lost Lake Woods Club. Open to the public, noon to 7:30 p.m. Gates open at 9 a.m. Advance tickets \$20, at the gate \$30. Children 12 and under free. Contact Nick Failla (586) 354-3600.

18-22 Alcona County Fair, at the ARA site (fairgrounds) on Barlow Road in Lincoln. Music, clown, bump & run, tractor pull, steak fry, livestock sale, livestock and horse show, Jim Pyne free ice cream social, merchants and home arts buildings, silent auction, horse pull and more. Contact Bill Thompson (989) 724-5077.

21 Swiss steak dinner from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Alcona Masonic Lodge 292, 316 E. Traverse Bay, Lincoln. \$12 adults, ages 12 and under \$6. Open to the public. Contact Thomas Mason or Eric Wagner (989) 739-8172.

21-22 Lincoln Lions 22nd annual Antique and Classic Car Show. Parking lot party and cruise on Friday at 5 p.m. in the

Alcona Motors lot. Car show on Second St., on Saturday. Hamburgers, hot dogs, brats, roasted corn and beer served by Lincoln Lions. 1950s music and raffles during the day. Contact Larry Elmer (989) 255-7960 or (989) 736-9965.

28 Special “Bug Day” Storytime Picnic at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. Storytime 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., picnic from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Everyone invited! Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

SEPTEMBER

4-5 Brownlee Lake annual garage/bake sale, in the Village of Lincoln, on Barlow Road between south and north Sleeper Dr. Contact Michele Weber (989) 737-4220, Mary Gillies (989) 335-1683 or Connie Buelow (248) 231-7431.

5 Chalk Art Contest on the Harrisville Tennis Courts from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Theme this year is “Pets.” All ages welcome, chalk provided, prize money. Sponsored by Harrisville Arts Council. Contact Carolyn Merkel (989) 724-7197 or harrisvilleartcouncil@gmail.com.

5-6 Harmony Weekend Arts & Crafts Festival. Hundreds of vendors, unique handcrafted items, music on the hill, concert, and food. Fun for the entire family. Sponsored by the Harrisville Arts Council. Contact Carolyn Merkel (989) 724-7197 or harrisvilleartcouncil@gmail.com.

6 Come join us for the annual Labor Day Weekend Parade in Harrisville at 1 p.m. Line-up at noon. Everyone welcome. All horses need to wear manure bag, please. Contact Ryan Mendyka (989) 724-5577.

10-13 Alcona Arts Retreat. Professional instructors from across Michigan lead three-day classes in one of four classes: Plein air painting, silver jewelry making, experimental water-color painting, and figure drawing/painting. Held at Lost Lake Woods Club, where rooms are available for students who live beyond the immediate area. \$225 per person. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

12-13 Harrisville State Park Hunters Education Weekend. Join us for the 13th annual Hunters Education Weekend, which is an opportunity for individuals to earn their Hunters Education and International Bow Education Program certificates. This course offers both classroom and hands-on safety on various hunting techniques with several knowledgeable instructors. Students aged 10 or under require a parent or adult guardian to be in attendance with them. Call the park prior to the event as pre-registration is required, (989) 724-5126.

18 Swiss steak dinner from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Alcona Masonic Lodge 292, 316 E. Traverse Bay, Lincoln. \$12 adults, ages 12 and under \$6. Open to the public. Contact Thomas Mason or Eric Wagner (989) 739-8172.

19 Reception for artist of the month, Linda Dean, accomplished paint in both watercolor and oils, at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main St., Harrisville from 1 to 3 p.m. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery (989) 820-9614.

19-20 Alcona Humane Society annual garage sale at the ARA site in Lincoln from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Contact Jenna Richardson at AHS (989) 736-7387.

21 Super Bingo at the Mikado Civic Center. Doors open at 4 p.m., bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. Contact Kay Lovelace (989) 464-7103. Sponsored by the Mikado Goodfellows.

OCTOBER

3 In honor of St. Francis Day we offer a brief service followed by an individual blessing for each animal at 11 a.m. at St. Raphael Catholic Church in Mikado. Contact Sue Wander (989) 335-4054.

8-11 Lost Lake Writers Retreat. Professional writers from across the nation offer lessons to aspiring and experienced writers in poetry and prose in a three-day retreat at Lost Lake Woods Club. \$350 per person, lodging and dining deals are available for those outside the immediate area. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

9-11 Harrisville State Park Haunted Halloween Weekend! come enjoy a frightfully fun outdoor experience. Weekend activities include children’s games, a site decorating contest, trick-or-treating, a haunted hayride and our spooky haunted trail. The event offers fun for all ages, so come enjoy a great fall weekend on the shore of beautiful Lake Huron. A current Recreation Passport is required for entry into the park, but all events are free. This year’s event sponsored by WXTF 97.9 FM. Contact Eric Ostrander (989) 724-5126.

10 Boofest – live local music, children’s games and activities, horse drawn carriage rides and face painting from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. On Main Street. Sponsored by the HBA. Contact Ben Dietrich (520) 349-2366.

Fall Festival open house, the last outdoor event of the season (weather permitting) at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main St. from 1 to 3 p.m. Refreshments to share and great artwork to enjoy. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery (989) 820-9614.

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22-24 Friends of the Library will hold a book sale at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. during regular library hours. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

31 Lincoln Chili & Soup Cook-off along with Trick or Trunk, best car decorated and best costume for pet. Starts at 11 a.m. and judging at 1 p.m. for costume. Contact Teresa Hart (989) 736-8936.

Halloween Party from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd., Glennie. Come join us for games, crafts and fun. Free to the public. Call (989) 735-2601 for details.

NOVEMBER

11 Veteran’s Day ceremony at the VFW Hall in Barton City at 11 a.m. Contact Jim Burger at (989) 590-0127 for details.

15 Hunter’s Dinner at the Barton City VFW Hall at 5 p.m. Sponsored by the Barton City Improvement Association. Contact Bill Lossing lossing46wh@yahoo.com or call (989) 335-3895.

20 Swiss steak dinner from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Alcona Masonic Lodge 292, 316 E. Traverse Bay, Lincoln. \$12 adults, ages 12 and under \$6. Open to the public. Contact Thomas Mason or Eric Wagner (989) 739-8172.

22 Community Thanksgiving Service. Churches in Alcona County join together to offer a service of prayer, music and thanksgiving at Lincoln First Baptist Church at 5 p.m. Contact Sue Wander (989) 335-4054.

DECEMBER

4 Santa Claus comes to the Lincoln Train Station. Sing Christmas carols with the Alcona Community Choir at the fire hall starting at 6 p.m. The Lincoln Lions will serve free hot dogs, chips, coffee and hot chocolate. Contact Rich Gillies (989) 335-1682 or rgilliesjr38@gmail.com.

5 Harrisville’s Christmas in the Village from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. At least 40 vendors at Maria Hall behind St. Anne Catholic Church. Contact Christy Holmes (989) 724-5549, chamber office (989) 724-5107 or alconacountychamber@gmail.com.

Come join the fun during Christmas in Village. There will be hay rides, children’s crafts, Christmas cookies, hot chocolate and coffee from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sponsored by the Harrisville Arts Council. Call (989) 724-5107.

Christmas in the Village open house from 1 to 3 p.m. at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 E. Main St., Harrisville. Hot cider and other refreshments will be served. Artwork on display. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery (989) 820-9614.

East Shore Art Guild will be at Maria Hall during Christmas in the Village with items that are homemade for Christmas gifts. Contact Bernie (989) 724-6347.

6 Christmas decorating at the Barton City Park and a bonfire at noon. Contact Bill Lossing at lossing46wh@yahoo.com or call (989) 335-3895.

9 Christmas decorations judging in Barton City at 6 p.m. Contact Bill Lossing lossing46wh@yahoo.com or call (989) 335-3895.

13 Sunrise Ringers Handbell Choir’s Holiday Concert featuring seasonal and reflective winter selection. Location TBD. Doors open at 2:30 p.m., concert begins at 3 p.m. Donations accepted at the door. Contact Susan Haight (248) 871-8710.

FEBRUARY 2021

Kid’s ice fishing tournament in Barton City. Free to kids 15 and under. Fishing poles, bait and holes provided. Prizes awarded. Contact Bill Lossing (989) 335-3895

Alcona County Chamber 2020 Events Calendar

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Recurring Events

ARA Farm Market

Every Saturday, May 23 – October 24 (except Aug. 22) 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. ARA site on Barlow Rd. in Lincoln. Providing locally grown vegetables, meats, eggs, baked goods and handmade crafts to the community. Contact Billie Thompson (989) 724-5077.

Recycle Alcona, Inc.

2nd Saturday of each month 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Lincoln ARA site. Household type recycling paper, tin, glass, cardboard, plastic (1-7). \$5 donation. Contact Bill Thompson (989) 724-5077. June 20th only – tire recycling.

Harrisville State Park Programs

During the summer Patricia the Explorer Guide will host nature themed programs that will teach everyone about the world around us. The Explorer Guide Program offers fun and entertaining talks, hikes and other outdoor learning experiences which will help connect your family to nature. Programs vary from hiking the trails, listening for certain birds or looking for rare plants. Events are free but a current Recreation Passport is required to enter the park. Contact Eric Ostrander (989) 724-5126.

Alcona County Baby Pantry

The first Wednesday of each month, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. at St. Raphael Parish Church in Mikado. It is a support service offered to families in Alcona County that is run by a group of volunteers. New and slightly used clothing, diapers, formula, blankets and many other necessities are made available to families. The only requirements to receive this help are: The families must reside in Alcona County and provide proof with a valid ID, and the children must be between the age of infancy to age five. Contact Kay Lovelace (989) 464-7103.

More Recurring Events

Alcona Authors

September 2020 – May 2021; 10:30 a.m. Professionally led sessions for aspiring writers of any genre. Two hours of readings from the attendees with gentle discussion. Current members have self-published three books written during the series. \$25 for six sessions. Meets in the conference room of the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

Dockside Jams

Every Tuesday, 6 p.m. Open mic nights. During most of the year, the music happens at the Dockside Cafe in downtown Harrisville. During the summer, the fun moves to the Harrisville Harbor pavilion. Free to musicians and listeners at both locations, but the cafe would appreciate a purchase. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

Summer Art for Youth

June 2020, dates to-be-decided based on when the school year ends. Two weeks of art lessons for kids in third to eighth grade in early summer. Sign up with Brooke Green at Alcona Elementary School. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

Glennie Friends of the Library Summer Book Sale

July 4th through Labor Day. Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd., Glennie. Call (989) 735-2601 or visit the website at www.curtistwp.org for details.

Art for Adults

Every Saturday, 12:30 p.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library. A professional artist leads adults in a series of lessons from drawing to painting. No previous experience is required. \$30 for six weeks, space is limited. Sign up with the library. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

Grand Art

Early-release Fridays on Alcona Elementary School calendar. Arts and crafts fun for Alcona fourth through fifth graders plus senior citizens at the Lincoln Senior Center, on all early-release school Fridays. All seniors are invited to participate either as helpers or as learners. Children who attend may stay for dinner for free. Alcona Community Schools selects and buses the students to the Senior Center. Kids sign up with the school, seniors may simply drop in. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

Free Guitar and Ukulele Lessons

Mondays during the school year at 3:30 p.m. Professional teacher offers lessons to Alcona High School students immediately after school each Monday during the school year. Sign up with the school. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

ALA/FINRA Exhibit

September 11 through October 23 the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., will host the ALA/FINRA exhibit “Thinking Money for Kids.” The display is available to explore during regular library hours. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

APRIL

4 Kids ages 0-13 are invited to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library from 1 to 2:30 p.m. to participate in the annual Egg-Stravaganza. Meet the Easter Bunny, decorate an egg, and make a craft. All kids will receive an Easter candy treat, and will be entered in a drawing to win prizes. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

11 Spaghetti Dinner Scholarship Fundraiser at the Barton City Eagles Hall from 4 to 7 p.m. This will help fund a scholarship to be given to an Alcona High School graduate. Contact Bill Lossing (989) 335-3895.

11 Village of Lincoln Easter Egg Hunt at the fire department from 11 a.m. to noon. Hot dogs and prizes following from noon to 1 p.m. Contact Teresa Hart (989) 736-8936.

17-19 Brownlee Lake Association Texas Hold ‘em at Vista Lanes (Huron Poker Room), 5214 US-23, Oscoda. Contact Kathy Putsky (989) 736-8747.

19 Sunrise Ringers Handbell choir’s Spring concert, featuring “From the Forest Suite” and local accompanists. Spruce Presbyterian Church, 6230 Gillard Rd., doors open at 3:30 p.m., concert begins at 4 p.m. Donations accepted at the door. Contact Susan Haight (248) 871-8710.

21 Michigan notable author Barbara J. Barton will discuss her book “Manoomin: The Story of Wild Rice in Michigan” at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. at 1 p.m. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

Russell Alger’s 1888 presidential run presented by Keith Myers at 7 p.m. at the Lincoln Deport. Sponsored by the Alcona Historical Society. Contact Lynn Vanderlinde (989) 724-7902.

Alcona Job Fair, employers can sign up by contacting Nichole at (989) 306-7288 through March 30th. Event is free and open to the public. To be held at the Alcona County Commission on Aging in Lincoln from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Contact Nichole Keyes, Michigan Works! (989) 306-7288

23-25 Friends of the Library will hold a book sale at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St., during regular business hours. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

25 Alcona GospelFest. A mass choir of local singers, plus individual performances, celebrate gospel music. Singers (\$15) come at noon to learn songs. A chili and pie dinner begins at 4:30 p.m. and the public concert begins at 6 p.m. Nominal charge for dinner; the concert is free. The whole day of activity takes place at the Alcona High School Auditorium. Contact Will St. John (989) 736-3000.

MAY

3 Alcona Spring into Summer Expo, noon to 4 p.m. at the ARA site (county fairgrounds), admission is free. The expo allows small businesses and organizations a place to show what they do. Cost is \$5 per table. Contact Bill Thompson (989) 724-5077.

14 Community Appreciation Party at Harrisville Eye Care from 3 to 6 p.m. Food, games, activities and prizes. All community members welcome. Contact Ben Dietrich (989) 724-7440.

15 Swiss steak dinner from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Alcona Masonic Lodge 292, 316 E. Traverse Bay, Lincoln. Adults \$12, children 12 and under \$6. Open to the public. Contact Thomas Mason or Eric Wagner (989) 739-8172.

18 Super bingo at Mikado Civic Center, doors open at 4 p.m., bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. Contact Kay Lovelace (989) 464-7103. Sponsored by the Mikado Goodfellows.

19 Ford Motor Company historian, Robert Kreipke, presents the unique maritime history of Ford’s own fleet of ships on the Great Lakes at the Alcona Historical Society’s annual meeting at Rosa’s Lookout Inn at 5:30 p.m. Call Kristin for information and reservations (989) 471-2088. Public welcome.

23 Plant and Bake Sale, at the Lincoln Depot Museum from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Presented by the Alcona Historical Society. Contact Nick or Sandra Williams at (989) 727-4080.

23 Welcome to Summer Open House from 1 to 3 p.m. at Dragonfly Art Gallery, 116 Main Street, Harrisville. Enjoy coffee and refreshments while you preview this season’s selection of artwork. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery at (989) 820-9614.

Gently Use Items and Plant Adoption Day 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd.,

Glennie. Sponsored by Glennie Friends of the Library. (989) 735-2601.

25 Remembering our Veterans and honoring them. Ceremony at 9 a.m. at the VFW Hall in Barton City and on the courthouse lawn in Harrisville at 1 p.m. Contact Bill Lossing (989) 335-3895.

JUNE

5-7 Lincoln Lions 38th annual Lake Trout and Salmon Tournament. Powder Puff Tournament on Friday; 3-day Tournament Friday through Sunday; and the Super Tournament Saturday and Sunday. Contact Mark Feldhiser (989) 736-8151 days, (989) 255-6324 or mfeldhiser@alconatool.com.

6 Reception for visiting artist of the month, Ellen LaCross. 1 - 3 p.m. Enjoy refreshments while you view Ellen’s artistic collage creations. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery (989) 820-9614.

6-7 Brownlee Lake Association 2nd annual Carp Fishing Tournament on Brownlee Lake in Lincoln. Saturday at 6 a.m. through Sunday at 8 a.m. Contact Bill Putsky (989) 736-8747.

13 Kid’s Fishing Tournament in Barton City. Free to kids age 15 and under. Fishing poles, bait and fishing spots provided. Prizes awarded. Contact Bill Lossing (989) 335-3895.

17 Sign-up for the Summer Reading Program at any branch of the Alcona County Library during regular library hours. Harrisville (main branch) 312 W. Main St.; Caledonia branch, 1499 Hubert Rd. in Hubbard Lake; Lincoln branch, 330 Traverse Bay Rd.; and Mikado branch, 2291 S. F-41. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

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20 Community Garage Sale. In this annual event, residents in Harrisville area and beyond put out their “treasures” for sale. A map of sale locations is available a few days beforehand. Contact (989) 724-6384.

Alcona Humane Society summer garage sale, 223 N. 6th St., Harrisville, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Held in conjunction with the Community Wide garage sale. Contact Jenna Richardson (989) 736-7387.

24 Hawk Hill Raptors presents live birds of prey at 11 a.m. at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

26-28 Brownlee Lake Texas Hold ‘em at Vista Lanes (Huron Poker Room) 5214 US-23, Oscoda. Contact Kathy Putsky (989) 736-8747.

27 Lincoln Lions Lucky 13 annual Golf Scramble. Twenty 4-person teams compete in a scramble format for merchandise prizes. Golf at noon at Logger’s Trace at Springport Hills Golf Course. Dinner follows with raffles and entertainment. Contact Lonnie Crampton at LonRita@charter.net or (989) 724-9900.

Rosemary Myrick Memorial 5k Run/Walk through City of Harrisville and Harrisville State Park. Fun family community event to help raise funds and award two Alcona Tract Athletes college scholarships in Rosemary’s honor. Contact Maria Minch (989) 335-1515.

28 Rally for the Cure Golf Outing at Eagle Ridge Golf Club of Glennie, Inc. Contact Barb Orefice (989) 735-3500 or barb@golfglennie.com.

Log Cabin Days at the Craftmakers’ Cabin located at the intersection of US-23 and M-72 in Harrisville from noon to 4 p.m. Contact Nancy (734) 904-0108.

JULY

1-31 Emily Lewis, a talented potter, will be Dragonfly Art Gallery’s visiting artist of the month. View her artwork throughout the month at 116 E. Main St., Harrisville. Contact Lynne Frietag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery at (989) 820-9614.

1 Exotic Zoo, an educational wildlife program travels to the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. at 3 p.m. for some hands-on fun. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

3 Reception for artist of the month Mark Hermassen, painter of striking and colorful modern art and sculptor of

miniature concept cars. Enjoy refreshments from 1 to 3 p.m. at 116 E. Main St., Harrisville. Contact Lynne Freitag (989) 464-7306 or the gallery at (989) 820-9614.

3-5 Arts, Crafts & Vendors Fair at the Craftmakers’ Cabin located at the intersection of M-72 & US-23 in Harrisville. Friday, noon to 5 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Contact Nancy (734) 904-0108.

4 Barton City’s Biggest Little 4th in the North. Parade at 11 a.m. followed by kids games, music, food vendor area and beer tent at the township park. Fireworks at dusk. Contact Bill Lossing (989) 335-3895.

Glennie Friends of the Library Book Sale kick-off event at the Curtis Township Library, 4884 Bamfield Rd., Glennie. Call (989) 735-2601 for details.

Fireworks at dusk at the Harrisville Harbor. Come early and enjoy music by Rex Manning. Contact Alcona County Chamber of Commerce (989) 724-5107 or alconacountychamber@gmail.com.

At the Harrisville State Park, Smokey Bear will visit the campground host site for photos and high fives from visitors 11 a.m. to noon. Afterwards, follow Smokey into the resort town of Harrisville to watch or participate in the annual kid’s parade! Be sure to bring your cameras and decorated bikes. This event is open to all visitors. Later that evening, the City of Harrisville will be putting on their fireworks display over the Harrisville Harbor, which will be visible from the park’s beach. A current Recreation Passport is required to enter the park. Contact Eric Ostrander (989) 724-5126.

The 44th annual Children’s Parade at 1 p.m. in Harrisville. Decorate your bike, stroller or just yourself. Gather at Richard’s Pharmacy at 12:30 p.m. and parade down Main Street. Followed by a program at Harrisville Harbor Pavilion presented by Harrisville Arts Council. Contact chamber office at (989) 724-5107 or alconacountychamber@gmail.com.

Harrisville Lions Duck Race Fundraiser at the Mill Pond and Harrisville Harbor at 4 p.m. Contact Art Laatz (989) 724-5802.

5 Art Show at Sturgeon Point Lighthouse from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Contact Kristin Benghauser (989) 471-2088 or (989) 335-0302 for details. Sponsored by the Alcona Historical Society.

8 Summer Concert – Peter “Madcat” Ruth, a harmonica virtuoso at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion at 7 p.m. Contact Barbara Pierce (989) 724-6666.

10-11 Harrisville’s Great Junque Hunt, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days. A two-day market under the big tent at the Harbor featuring vintage, antiques and re-purposed finds. Contact harrisvilleartscouncil.com. Sponsored by the Harrisville Arts Council.

15 Thornapple Woodlands Beekeeping will present an entertaining and educational honey bee seminar at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main St. at 1:30 p.m. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

Summer Concert – Oxymoron Band at 7 p.m. at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion. Classic and folk rock songs of the 60’s and 70’s. Contact Barbara Pierce (989) 724-6666.

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22 There will be a live animal presentation by Ark Animal Encounters at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County Library, 312 W. Main. St. Two shows at 1:30 p.m. and 3 p.m. Contact Denise Bearre (989) 724-6796.

22 Summer Concert – Chelsea Marsh, acoustic tunes from the Beatles and Neil Young to Adele and Lady Gaga, at the Harrisville Harbor Pavilion at 7 p.m. Contact Barbara Pierce (989) 724-6666.

29 Learn about the art of Henna with master instructor, Anshu Varma, at the Harrisville branch of the Alcona County