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A Transcendental Forum for Unobstructed Opinions and Observations

"We will walk on our own feet; we will work with our own hands; we will speak our own minds ... A nation of men will for the first time exist, because each believes himself inspired by the Divine Soul which also inspires all men." Ralph Waldo Emerson



EDITOR'S NOTE: IN LIBERTY



Dear Patriots,

Every time I think maybe we will have a slow news week, I'm proven wrong. It seems like over the past few years, calamity has become the staple of everyday life.

I don't know where to start!

Should we talk about the Chinese spy balloon that was allowed to transverse the entire United

States before being shot down over the Ocean? Or the other "balloons" floating their way into our airspace including our Lake Huron.

Should we instead focus on the release of chemical agents into the atmosphere by no less than three possibly 4 separate catastro-

phes within the border of our country and how the people of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Florida, Arizona and Michigan will be feeling the effects of this for years if not decades to come.

In the darkness there is always a light, and we are seeing that in the revival taking place on the campus of Asbury University, a private

Christian School in Wilmore. Kentucky. For ten days now, people from all over the world have been descending on the little town to take part in what can only be described as the very movement of God's people. There is something special about this college as this is not the first time it has happed. In 1970 they saw similar revival and many people found the Truth of Christ.

We live in some very interesting times but God will never forget or forsake His people. Rejoice for the Kingdom is at hand.

I hope you enjoy this week's edition of Patriot Press. If you have any questions, comments or articles for the paper please contact lilycreekheritageme at: farms@gmail.com.

In Liberty, m

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MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

UP PATRIOTS' MEET THE THIRD TUESDAY **OF EACH MONTH** 6:30PM AT THE SISKI-WIT BANQUET HALL **IN CALUMET**

Next Meeting FEBRUARY 21, 2023 Speaker: Pastor Mason "Breaking News...Does Media Make or Report the News?"

***THERE WILL BE NO MARCH MEETING WE** WILL BE JOINING WITH THE MTU PATRI-**OTS AS THEY WEL-COME BRANDON TA-**TUM

Letter from our Chair

search Center released a study as are walnuts, cashews, pecans showing that "for the most part, the large majority of Americans do not feel that information overload is a problem for them. Some 20% say they feel overloaded by information, a decline from the 27% figure from a decade ago, while 77% say they like having so much information at their fingertips. Twothirds (67%) say that having more information at their disposal actually helps to simplify their lives."

But with all of that information at our fingertips, how do we discern what is opinion vs. what is factual news?

If we are honest with ourselves, our own opinions aren't necessarily true for everyone, even if that opinion is based upon facts. Let me explain. I news and other information, we like almonds. My favorite are either the smokehouse or wasabi almonds. If I'm eating some almonds and the person next to me has a peanut allergy, should they try my almonds? I explain to them, although peanuts seem like members of the same nut family as almonds, they aren't. Peanuts are legumes, a separate plant family that includes lentils, beans, soy and peas like green split peas.

On December 7th, 2016, Pew Re- By contrast, almonds are a tree nut, and macadamia nuts. According to Food Allergy Research & Education, an allergy to a legume like peanuts is not a certain indicator that you will also be allergic to a tree nut, such as almonds. So, go ahead and try some almonds... Right?

> No. If peanuts cause someone to have anaphylactic shock, they are going to avoid tree nuts as well.

> This simple analogy points out that even with a vast amount of information available, we still use common sense and discernment what it comes to issues that greatly affect our lives. The same rationale needs to be applied when it comes to take in.

News outlets to a certain degree cater to public sentiment. This means that they write or report to get people to listen or read. The better the ratings, the more money they make. Thus, we have several options. One, we can be extremely cautious and make sure there aren't any peanuts in our news. Two, we can go the opposite direction and be broad in our news reading and listen to different news sources to discern if an almond is safe for me to consume based upon research and study. Three, we can avoid the news altogether (because sometimes I'm happier if I don't have to worry about the nuts).

Which option do we chose and how do we teach our children to be discerning individuals when it comes to these decisions and the information that exists in society today? This is what I hope to address in our next meeting as I talk about "Breaking News... Does Media Make or Report News?"

Have you ever read or watched a news report, and your blood begins to boil? Do you think your response was by accident? Abraham Lincoln once said, "With public sentiment, nothing can fail; without it nothing can succeed. Consequently, he who molds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions."

Pastor Brian Mason, Chair

U. P. Patriots

IF YOU CAN'T EXPLAIN IT SIMPLY; YOU DON'T KNOW IT WELL ENOUGH

ALBERT EINSTEIN



KEWEENAW EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS ALLIANCE (KEPA)

THE NEXT MEETING OF KEPA WILL BE MONDAY FEBRUARY 27 6:00PM AT THE NARA NATURE CHALET IN HOUGHTON. TOPIC FOR THE MEETING WILL BE HOE DEFENSE.

The February 13th meeting hosted Herbalist Wendy Wiegert as she spoke to protecting yourself from common viruses including COVID and how to detox if you have had a disease or have been around someone who has. Wendy's products can be found at By Nature in Houghton or visit her online at: https://godsherbsheal.com/

THE PREPONDERANCE | THE PREPONDERANCE - CHAPTER 1

By Jim Hafeman

What are the global elitists up to these days now that Trump, competent military personnel, Constitution-embracing government employees and most conservative Republicans are out of the way? Based on the preponderance of the evidence the devout citizens of the United States of America need to be well prepared for mass casualties, sustained black-outs, riots, starvation, and unconstitutional government edicts.

> Preponderance of the evidence is one type of <u>evidentiary standard</u> used in a <u>burden of proof</u> analysis. Under the preponderance standard, the burden of proof is met when the party with the burden convinces the fact finder that there is a greater than 50% chance that the claim is true. This is the burden of proof in a <u>civil</u> <u>trial</u>.

Those government edicts imposed on the nonsophisticated citizens for "emergency purposes" during the <u>plandemic</u> went unchallenged by the judiciary. The 2020 and 2022 elections were also a test of the political and cultural will of the citizens, judiciary, and legislative bodies.

ILLEGAL ALIENS

The globalist are cleansing various cultures of the social and political undesirables and inserting them into the United States en mass. The purpose is to leave the highly compliant and productive persons in the country like they did in Venezuela and Brazil.

Along with citizens of the United States, the illegal alien intruders will be eventually sacrificed on the altar of corporate Nazism. That leads us to the most recent invasion of the United States.

SURVELLIANCE BALLOONS

The use of balloons to hover at an altitude much lower than satellites, which are equipped with geo-mapping electronics, is to upload intelligence information regarding electrical grids, military installations, industrial facilities, and productive mining operations.

The global elite corporatists are working closely with the largest corporations on earth, which includes China's Communist Party corporate board members.

The pending invasion of the highly productive island of Taiwan by Chinese forces is really only a corporate takeover of a more technologically advanced and profitable industry. They did it to Hong Kong and are making preparations to leap from Taiwan, to Japan, to the Middle East, to Indonesia, India, and eventually the entire eastern hemisphere.

There's no need for China to do any more on the other side of the planet except delete the non-productive population, e.g., those not working in <u>STEM fields</u>. China, Democrats and other <u>fascist allies</u> already control South, Central and North America.

As U.S. citizens move from blessed abundance to punitive despair, we need to ask to whom will they turn? God or the governments that entombed them in unyielding misery?



We are happy to announce the second season of the Chassell Farmers Market! Please register early to help us ensure your preferred spot location. Our website has been updated and there are additional features coming soon; please share the news!

> **Registration is now open for 2023**! **Click Here to Register**

2023 Vendor Map

2022 Year Review & 2023 Budget

We look forward to seeing you all again this year and hope you all are doing well. Feel free to contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

Moriah Goodall



CHASSELL FARMERS MARKET

LOCAL. NATURAL. SUSTAINABLE.

<u>DO YOU HAVE A FAVORITE NURSERY?</u>

Please visit our local nurseries and greenhouses for your plants this year. Amber Campbell at G&A Garden Center in Houghton Flowers by Sleeman | Nursery Houghton



DID YOU KNOW THAT?

Michigan has 702 wholesale greenhouses according to the Michigan State Extension Service. Most of which is downstate. What is most alarming, however is the fact that 651 of that total is controlled by the floriculture industry. In case you don't know what floriculture is, they produce flowers and house plants or ornamentals. Michigan is the third largest floriculture production state with a wholesale value of \$409 million. Now, I'm not against having flowers in your backyard, I just find it concerning when food costs are going through the roof that only 51 greenhouses are concentrating on the growing of food. I think going forward we may want to encourage our neighbors to put in a garden as it may be very hard to find enough greens to go around.

I guess you could just eat the flowers. m

The entirety of the UP is under "other"



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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

We have two exciting (national-recognition) speakers coming to Michigan Tech: Brandon Tatum and Patrick Wood. Posters for their presentations are attached.

Please mark your calendars and spread the word. We hope that you will attend these two presentations. Please also invite your family members, friends and neighbors.

I would also like to remind you about possible donations to Huskies for America that are explicitly used to support students events like these two. Details on how to donate you can find at:

https://huskiesforamerica.com/donate.php

Jarek

Brandon Tatum is an American conservative political commentator, former police officer and former college football player. He has become one of the most prolific speakers and exciting personalities on social media after making a Facebook Video that got over 70 million views. Brandon has a tremendous following of over 3 million people spread across various social media platforms.

Patrick Wood is a critical expert on Sustainable Development, Green Economy, Agenda 21, 2030 Agenda and the author of several books on historic Technocracy.

With his Biblical world view, he has deep historical insights into the modern attacks on sovereignty, property rights and personal freedom. Wood is a frequent speaker and guest on radio shows around the nation.

BE BRAVE WITH OFFICER BRANDON TATUM MARCH 21,2023 Tuesday—7:00PM MTU CAMPUS—FISHER 135



<u>HUSKIES FOR AMERICA</u> <u>NEWS</u> <u>Copper Island Academy</u>

Good morning,

I am Caleb Glenn, President of TPUSA at MTU. We are a pro-freedom/pro-Jesus organization on campus, and we are bringing a PRO-JESUS speaker to campus.

Over here at TPUSA MTU, we are looking forward to bringing someone who speaks on these issues facing our culture today.

However, people who don't want to see someone with our values on campus have created a petition to prevent funding. As the president of TPUSA at MTU I am asking you to please support our NON-PARTISAN event in order to set a precedent that we will not allow people to silence events like this. A counter-petition has been published and the link is below, please consider sharing this with your organizations.

Thank you for your time and consideration and God Bless America!

Learn more about Brandon Tatum: <u>https://theofficertatum.com/</u>

EVENT LINK: Link | Petition for funding from USG: https://chng.it/OnmKyXwWrj



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APRIL 6, 2023 Thursday—7PM CHEMSCI 101





BOOKS FOR YOUR LIBRARY



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MTU PATRIOTS

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE MTU PATRIOTS OR JUST WANT TO SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS PLEASE, CONTACT: LYNN ARTMAN: <u>LAARTMAN@MTU.EDU</u> OR JAREK DRELICH: <u>MICROTECHNOSOLUTIONS@CHARTER.NET</u>





WATERPROOF MATCHES

A great way to turn regular matches into waterproof ones is to use regular ole' candlewax. Start by melting some candle wax in a pot. **Then dip each match head into the liquid wax.** Allow the wax to harden before storing the matches. When you're finally ready to use the match, simply pick off the wax and light it like you normally would. This is by far one of the easiest methods for waterproofing matches.

SOME SHERIFFS WILL NOT BE FOLLOWING THE NEW ATF RULING

BY BRANNON HOWSE

FEBRUARY 6, 2023

Garland County Sheriff has joined several other sheriffs across the state of Arkansas in announcing Friday he will not enforce a new federal rule that requires the registration of stabilizing braces for pistols. The rule, signed by Biden regime Attorney General Merrick Garland, reclassified handguns equipped with these braces as short-barreled rifles, which already must be registered with the federal government. This new rule is a backdoor method of scooping millions of other weapons into the federal firearm database, which serves as a de facto national gun registry. When an arbitrary deadline set by the ATF arrives in May, it will become a felony to own braces that are not registered. If owners do not want to register the braces, the ATF said they can attach longer barrels, throw them away, turn the guns in to the agency or destroy them.

Garland County Sheriff Mike McCormick published an open letter Friday saying his office will not assist the federal government in enforcing this rule, calling it an infringement on Second Amendment rights. Several Arkansas sheriffs have said the same thing. Matt Bender, a University of Arkansas law professor, told the NBC affiliate: "They're going to essentially turn a blind eye to someone who's breaking the law.

They have the discretion to do that." What the esteemed professor refrains from mentioning is that the ATF was never empowered to "make law" by the Constitution. Congress bestowed upon them the

power to enforce laws, but they cannot make up new ones. And whether this new rule falls into that category will ultimately be decided by a court.

THE EVIL TWINS OF TECHNOCRACY AND TRANSHUMANISM



PATRICK WOOD





Michigan's 2024 budget will spend all but 3% of state's \$9B surplus

Whitmer has requested a record \$79B budget for 2023-24

By James David Dickson | February 9, 2023 | CAPITAL CONFIDENTIAL

If the 2023-2024 Michigan budget passes as recommended by Gov. Gretchen Whitmer, the state will spend all but \$250 million of its \$9 billion surplus, budget director Christopher Harkins said Wednesday.

"When we make changes to our tax code, and we make sure that we reinvest in our in our people and put money back in their pockets, that's a direct impact on our resources," Harkins said Wednesday, answering a lawmaker's question.

"This budget recommendation leaves about \$250 million on the balance sheet, between both the general fund and the School Aid Fund, at the end of fiscal year '24," Harkins added.

In a 62-page document, the governor's budget recommendation never mentions the word "surplus" once. Harkins spoke before the appropriations committees of the Michigan House and Senate, delivering Whitmer's 2024 budget recommendations. Whitmer recommends a \$79 billion budget, whose single biggest source of revenue is federal dollars. Federal money will account for 41% of Michigan's 2024 budget, according to the executive summary.

The governor recommends spending the surplus now instead of increasing the upcoming year's budget. For instance, Whitmer recommends spending \$44 million more on community colleges in the upcoming fiscal year, and about \$215 million on increasing current year community college spending.





DID YOU KNOW: Lake Superior is the largest body of freshwater in the world by surface area. The lake covers 31,700 square miles and has enough water to cover all of North and South America in twoinches of water. James Hohman, director of fiscal policy at the Mackinac Center, described this as "an imprudent way to do budgeting."

"There has been a tendency among our lawmakers to spend every dollar they have available," Hohman told <u>CapCon</u>. "You shouldn't just ratchet up spending because you've got money."

what your students are learning at mtu and why we must fight taken from their website Michigan Technological University

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https://www.mtu.edu/

"Our mission to create a just, prosperous, and sustainable world is expressed through our entrepreneurial spirit—equal parts curiosity and grit. It infuses everything we do. The lifeblood for an MTU Husky? Battling the North wind, trudging through 200 inches of snow each winter, and staying late in the lab to discover that one, new piece of the puzzle. It's hard work that fuels us." The university has over 125 undergraduate and graduate degree programs, enrolls over 6,800 students, and has a 12:1 student-faculty ratio. (Source: https://www.mtu.edu/about/) (Source: https://www.mtu.edu/about/facts/)

General Information

The Michigan Technological University's University Senate has recently passed a resolution titled "Condemning Hate Speech, White Supremacy, and Ethnically and Racially Motivated Intolerance," which acknowledges that, "American history, culture, institutions and practices are deeply and widely permeated with anti-Blackness and systemic racism." No mandatory Critical Race Training sessions are yet required of students. However, see developments below:

Actions Taken

Re-Imagining Policing

The Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Sense of Belonging (DEIS) Positive Action Team released the Spring 2022 Goals to implement DEIS initiatives across the university which includes academic projects as well as a public safety campaign with local police agencies.

Resources

- MTU is offering a "Diversity Studies" minor, consisting of courses such as "HU 3940 Language and Identity" and "HU 3401 Gender and Culture."
- In April 2022, the Office of the Vice President for Diversity and Inclusion launched a panel discussion on diversity issues in its Sense of Belonging Speakers Series.

AN IDEA TO THINK ABOUT:

There was a farmer who grew excellent quality corn. Every year he won the award for the best grown corn. One year a newspaper reporter interviewed him and learned something interesting about how he grew it.

The reporter discovered that the farmer shared his seed corn with his neighbors. "How can you afford to share your best seed corn with your neighbors when they are entering corn in competition with yours each year?" the reporter asked.

"Why sir," said the farmer, "Didn't you know? The wind picks up pollen from the ripening corn and swirls it from field to field. If my neighbors grow inferior corn, cross-pollination will steadily degrade the quality of my corn. If I am to grow good corn, I must help my neighbors grow good corn."

So is with our lives... Those who want to live meaningfully and well must help enrich the lives of others, for the value of a life is measured by the lives it touches. And those who choose to be happy must help others find happiness, for the welfare of each is bound up with the welfare of all...

Oven-Roasted Salmon with Charred Lemon Vinaigrette

INGREDIENTS

- 1 lemon
- 2 bulbs fennel, thinly sliced
- 2 small red onions, thinly sliced
- **1 1/ 4 lb.** skin-on salmon fillet
- **2** 1/2 tbsp. olive oil, divided
 - Kosher salt and pepper
 - receiver sait and popper



• **1 tsp.** stone-ground mustard **3 C.** BABY ARUGULA

DIRECTIONS

STEP 1

Heat broiler. Cut pointed ends off lemon, halve crosswise, and place on a rimmed baking sheet, center cut sides up. Broil on top rack until charred, 5 minutes; transfer to a plate and set aside.

STEP 2

Reduce oven temperature to 400°F. On rimmed baking sheet, toss fennel and onions with 1 1/2 Tbsp oil and 1/4 tsp each salt and pepper; arrange around edges of sheet. Place salmon in center of sheet and season with 1/4 tsp each salt and pepper. Roast until vegetables are tender and salmon is opaque throughout, 17 to 20 minutes.

STEP 3

Juice charred lemon halves into a small bowl and whisk in mustard and remaining Tbsp oil. Remove baking sheet from oven and fold arugula into vegetables. Drizzle charred lemon vinaigrette over fish and vegetables and gently toss vegetables.

Dear friends and fellow alumni.

Recently I posted on FB Michigan Tech Alumni site. To say it received a few comments would be an understatement. A small recap for those who didn't see the post; Alumni Relations moved out of the Alumni House right before Winter Carnival to an Office Building located across from Seaman Museum which is a car drive up past the SDC and football field.

Our Alumni Relations is now located at the farthest point from campus, unless you include Alberta Forestry complex. The Alumni House is today used by Advancement for office space. All the effort by Brenda and the Alumni Association is gone and it is no longer a "welcome center" for alumni. The second part of my post was about the Alumni/President's House is to demolished in the 5 to 10 year "Master Plan."

What Happened to *Celebrating Traditions. Creating Connections?*

We are erasing the past and no longer going with the "human connections" offered by the Alumni House "welcome center" manned by alumni relations. I hope you would all consider calling or sending an email to the President or Bill Roberts voicing your opinion of the latest moves by Alumni Relations.

On another subject I ask for your help. Please get involved and pay attention to what is going on at Michigan Tech. It's not like it was just a few years ago. Michigan Tech is no longer different from other Universities, the faculty, staff and administration have become extremely left leaning and "woke."

Yes, I said it, I got political. But I'm not. Please just review for yourself the official Michigan Tech (MTU) Website and review some of the things going on and statements of the various organizations.

Two years ago, the Faculty Senate voted to supported BLM. This year a MTU Department called ADVANCE sent an email out denouncing a faculty member that was running for the Senate. This Faculty member, Jaroslaw Drelich, is an Advisor to the group "Huskies for America." I met with Drelich; he is a refugee from Communist Poland. When he was fighting the Soviets in 1980 I was patrolling along the West/East German Border expecting an invasion from Russia into Poland.

Drelich knows socialism upfront and personal, so he has taken on the role of advisor. A few years ago, many faculty, students and administrators demanded his resignation when he dared to disagree in some comments made by others on campus. His letter was leaked to the public. On campus today there are outright attacks on conservative groups. Their approved posters are torn down and trashed and the administration does nothing.

Since the Senate voted to support BLM, we have sent all our donations to Huskies for America. Please consider sending some of your donations or just support Jaroslaw (jwdrelic@mtu.edu) in his effort to have conservative voices heard on campus. Stop by campus and meet with some of the students within the group. They are bringing two speakers to campus this year and hope to send some students to the Reagan Ranch this summer. Go Huskies.

Edwin Eiswerth, '77 Forestry Past President MTUAA Life Member MTUAA

ONTONAGON COUNTY PATRIOTS **Ontonagon Patriots Rally for UP Statehood**



They will be hosting a UP wide rally April 29th at Marquette Mountain. Details are being worked out over the next few weeks. As news comes in we will keep you up to date.

If you are interested in joining the Ontonagon County Patriots, please contact Skip Schultz at: <u>sschultz@jamadots.com</u>







: a native or resident of the Upper Peninsula of Michigan - used as a nickname.

> -"Yooper." Merriam-Webster Dictionary. 2014



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Poll: Majority Doubt Joe Biden's Mental Fitness After Physical Exam

A majority of registered voters doubt President Joe Biden's mental fitness to serve as President of the United States after he was pronounced "fit to serve" upon physical examination on Thursday, a Harvard Cap/Harris poll released Friday found.

The poll asked respondents, "Is Joe Biden mentally fit to serve as President of the United States or do you have doubts about his fitness for office?"

Fifty-seven percent doubted Biden's mental fitness to serve, while 43 percent said he is mentally fit. Notably, 66 percent of independents had doubts. Thirty-four percent did not.

Doubt about Biden's mental capacity has ticked up in just a few months among independents. In December, 64 percent of independents <u>doubted</u> Biden's mental fitness. Overall, 58 percent of respondents said they doubted his mental ability.

The poll also asked respondents, "Do you think Joe Biden is showing he is too old to be president or do you think he is showing he is fit to be president?"

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Sixty-three percent said he is too old, while 37 percent said he is not. Seventy-one percent of independents said he is too old, while 29 percent said he is not.

The polling comes as the White House physician <u>claimed</u> on Thursday that the president is fit to serve, calling him "fit for duty."

The exam showed Biden is suffering from at least five physical ailments, including <u>atrial fibrillation</u>, <u>hyperlipidemia</u>, <u>astroesophageal reflux</u>, a <u>stiff gait</u>, and <u>peripheral neuropathy in his feet</u>.

Biden's physical exam at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center appeared to not include a cognitive exam, though Republicans have demanded one be disclosed.

Despite Biden's struggles with several health concerns, White House press secretary Karine Jean-Pierre <u>told</u> reporters Tuesday, "We want to be transparent. We want to make sure you have the information."

The Harris poll <u>surveyed</u> 1,838 registered voters from February 15-16, 2023. The margin of error was not provided.

Follow Wendell Husebø on <u>Twitter</u> @WendellHusebø. He is the author of <u>Politics of Slave Morality</u>.



WHAT HAS 13 HEARTS BUT NO OTHER ORGANS? A DECK OF CARDS

THE ONLY THING THAT STANDS IN THE WAY BETWEEN US AND FREEDOM IS OUR INABILITY TO ACT.

WE CAN RESTORE FREEDOM AND LIBERTY BUT IT COMES AT THE COST OF OUR FREE TIME; OUR TV TIME, OUR ME TIME.

GET INVOLVED TO STAY FREE!!

IF YOU ARE NEAR ANY OF THESE COUNTIES, PLEASE JOIN THEM. IF YOU DON'T HAVE A PATRIOT GROUP IN YOUR COUNTY, FORM ONE! WE WILL HELP YOU. THE FIGHT IS COUNTY BY COUNTY AND IT IS NOW!

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ALGER COUNTY PATRIOTS



If you are interested in joining the Alger County Patriots, please reach out to Jeanne Verbrigghe: jcverb@tds.net

Alger County Patriots meet on the second Tuesday of the month 6:30pm at the Calvary Free Lutheran Church Eben Junction Michigan

BARAGA COUNTY PATRIOTS



If you live in Baraga and would like to be part of the new county group, please feel free to send Burt

Mason an email: <u>burtmason7345@yahoo.com</u>

Dickinson County Area meetings

Breen Township Board 1st Monday every month @ 6:00 pm Mission covenant Church W2376 Cemetery Rd., Foster city

Breitung Board of Trustees Dickinson County Republican Committee 2nd Thursday every month @ 7:00 pm Iron Mountain Senior Center 700 Crystal Lake Blvd. Iron Mtn https://dickinsongopmi.org

Dickinson County Board of Commissioners 2nd & 4th Mondays of every month @ 6:00 p.m. Circuit Courtroom of the County Courthouse 705 S. Stephenson Ave., Iron Mountain

Dickinson County Library Board 2nd Tuesday every month @ 5:00pm Dickinson County Library Main branch 401 Iron Mountain St, Iron Mtn. https://www.dcl-lib.org/about-us/board-of-directors

Iron Mountain City Council 1st & 3rd Monday every month @ 6:00 pm Iron Mountain City Hall 501 S. Stephenson Ave., Iron Mountain

Kingsford City Council 1st & 3rd Monday every month @ 6:30 pm Kingsford City Hall 305 S. Carpenter Ave., Kingsford

Fetch Township Board

lst Monday every month @ 6:00 pm Felch Township Community Center Board W4243 Highway M69, Felch,

Norway Township Board

2nd Monday every month @ 5:30 pm Norway Township Hall N1732 Mission Street, Vulcan Norway Township Michigan |

Sagola Township Board 1st Monday every month @ 6:00 pm Sagola Community Building 306 1st Street, Sagola

Breitung Township School Board 2nd Monday every month @ 6:00 pm Kingsford High School Media Center 431 Hamilton Avenue, Kingsford

Iron Mountain Board of Education 2nd Monday every month @ 5:30 pm Media Center 300 West B St. Iron Mountain

North Dickinson County School Board 2nd Wednesday every month @ 6:00 PM. Middle/High School Library of the North Dickinson County School W6588 Hwy M69 Felch Mi, 49831.

Kingsford, MI | Official Website Meeting Room 2nd & 4th Monday every month @ 6:30 PM Main Boardroom 3851 Menominee St Quinnesec

I hope you have been enjoying our newsletters ~ m If you have any news for The Patriot Press, please send it to:

LilyCreekHeritageFarms@gmail.com

Board of Education | North Dickinson County School

Waucedah Township Board 2nd Monday every month @ 7:00 pm W3930 Morgan Street, Loretto MI



If you are interested in joining the Dickinson County Patriots, please reach out to Angela Hall <u>angelasantinihall@gmail.com</u>

Calming Tea Recipe

Ingredients

- 2 parts lemon balm (*Melissa officinalis*) leaf
- l part chamomile (Matricaria chamomilla) flowers
- l part linden (*Tilia* spp.) bract and flower
- l part rose (Rosa spp.) petal
- $\frac{1}{2}$ part spearmint (Mentha spicata) leaf

Directions

Blend the herbs together in a bowl and store tea blend in a glass jar until ready for use. Note: each part can be any measure you'd like—1 teaspoon, 1 tablespoon, or 1 cup, etc. depending on the batch size you'd like to make.

To brew a cup of tea, use 1-2 tablespoons of the tea blend per cup of water.

Place the herbs in a heat-proof glass vessel with a tight-fitting lid, and cover with boiling water.

"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not be faint."

—Isaiah 40:31

US F-35 jets intercept 4 Russian fighter aircraft near Alaska, second action in 2 days

NORAD plays down concerns about second interception of Russian aircraft in two days, calling incident 'routine'

Two U.S. F-35 fighter jets intercepted Russian fighter aircraft Tuesday as they approached Alaska's Air Defense Identification Zone, officials announced Thursday.

The Russian military aircraft included a TU-95 BEAR-H bomber, as well as SU-30 and SU-35 fighter jets.

North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD), which detected and intercepted the craft, said that it did not enter U.S. airspace.

NORAD stated that the incident was not related to the spate of unidentified aircraft seen in recent weeks, calling the situation "routine."

Two F-16 fighter jets were previously dispatched by NORAD to <u>intercept separate Russian aircraft</u> on Monday, which included a TU-95 BEARH-H and SU-35 fighter jet.

"This is the second intercept of Russian aircraft over two days. This Russian activity near the North American ADIZ occurs regularly and is not seen as a threat, nor is the activity seen as provocative," NORAD said Thursday.

Since 2007, Russian aircraft have been intercepted in the North American ADIZ six to seven times a year.

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The latest incursion comes amid increased tensions between Russia and the West over the war in Ukraine. Two Dutch F-35s <u>intercepted Russian military aircraft</u> near Polish airspace on Monday, according to defense officials.

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SHOCKING: MI Governor Admits Promoting This in Public Schools

By <u>Admin</u> | Published on March 5, 2022

Notice: This article may contain commentary that reflects the author's opinion.

According to national data, American schools are failing, especially in larger urban areas run by national teachers' unions. Instead of raising standards, far-leftists are instead feeding social justice into the schools, increasing racial tensions, while promoting more and more gender identities.

On the darker side of their efforts, in line with other dictators who from the beginning of world history have targeted children, an increasing amount of new curriculum is being used to indoctrinate the youth.

One of the worst is Michigan Democratic Gov. Gretchen Whitmer who has aggressively pushed for the insertion of critical race theory into her state's schools. Now her administration is providing devise, controversial material promoting race essentialism to teachers.

Whitmer's Educator Advisory Council has <u>published</u> a report called "Social Justice and Anti-Racist Educator Resources". It gives schools and teachers the materials they need to push race-essentialism, ensures that race is seen as a central determinative factor in everyday interactions, and teaches some children that they are oppressed and others that they are oppressors based entirely on the color of their skin.

The report's opening page includes; "The compilation aims to help colleagues begin, continue, and further their own work to FIRST educate themselves and then bring anti-racist teaching to all grade levels and subject areas."

To kick off their new instruction, the teachers are told to read an article <u>titled</u> 106 Things White People Can Do for Racial Justice. This piece, in what appears to be an update in their February 2022 article says, "Our work to fix what we broke and left broken. The work isn't done until Black folks tell us it's done."

In their mission statement, it <u>declares</u> "We, as members of the Governor's Educator Advisory Council, hear the moral outcry being should and felt throughout the world. ... We believe education is the key to promoting social justice in society."

"We realize we are battling two deadly viruses: COVID-19 and the virus of racism," it continues. "We pledge to promote educational policies, practices, and resources which will help put an end to systemic racism. We will fight for more diversity in all aspects of the educational profession."

The material references the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture. It instructs teachers that "whiteness and the normalization of white racial identity throughout America's history have created a culture where nonwhite persons are seen as inferior or abnormal."

"People of color must always consider their racial identity, whatever the situation, due to the systemic and interpersonal racism that still exists," and "whiteness (and its accepted normality) also exist as everyday microaggressions toward people of color."

Journalist Byron York tweeted out that this social justice museum advances the thought that black Americans cannot identify with "individualism,", "the nuclear family," and "hard work," etc.

The National Museum of African American History & Culture wants to make you aware of certain signs of whiteness: Individualism, hard work, objectivity, the nuclear family, progress, respect for authority, delayed gratification, more. (via <u>@RpwWilliams</u>) <u>https://t.co/k9X3u4Suas</u> <u>pic.twitter.com/gWYOeEh4vu</u>

- Byron York (@ByronYork) July 15, 2020

The Whitmer administration's guide also provides the controversial "Black Lives Matter at School Resource Toolkit" and recommends the core social justice books of, *How to Be an Antiracist* by critical race theory purveyor Ibram X Kendi, as well as *White Fragility* by Robin Di-Angelo.

After publication, the guide was shipped out to local school districts by the Michigan State Board of Education.

The Michigan House of Representatives <u>voted</u> 55-0 to effectively ban critical race theory being taught in K-12 schools. The Democrats collectively refused to even participate in the vote.

The Democrat-run state Board followed the vote by passing a resolution, 5-2, opposing the bill.

What is happening in Michigan, and in other blue states especially, is disturbing at all levels.

In the end, the children are the losers as they are still not "learning" the basic skills; reading, writing, and arithmetic, all necessary for success in life, while now getting indoctrinated into far left racist ideology, which offers no hope, just a lifelong status of victimhood.

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Line Stretches Half a Mile as the Fruit of Revival Is on Display at Asbury: 'A Very, Very Healing Experience'

WENDY GRIFFITH | 02-17-2023

WILMORE, Kentucky – The revival at Asbury University is now in its 10th day as thousands of people continue to make the spiritual pilgrimage to this town in hopes of encountering more of God.

The revival is now officially in overflow mode with the line of people to get inside stretching nearly a half mile long. CBN News spoke with folks from all over the country who were waiting patiently to get into Hughes Auditorium here at Asbury so they can experience revival for themselves.

Andrew Hager of Lexington, Kentucky said, "God is here! God is here and He's working right now, come and get you some, you hear me."



Supernatural Revival in the Age of Social Media: TikTokkers Help to Spread Asbury Move of God

Joao Pires, 29, drove all the way from Florida to ask God a simple question. "Lord, if you want me to go back to preaching, if you want me to plant this church that I've had in my heart for years to plant, I need someone to prophesy over me right now," he explained.

Joao's prayer was answered when he ran into a well-known local preacher who said things that only God knew about him. "He prays over me and he literally just declares what I've been praying over my life and I thought it was insane," Joao told CBN News.

Dr. Jeff Gossmann, Regent University's director of Campus Ministries, drove 10 hours from Virginia Beach after hearing about what God is doing here.

"Well everybody at Regent right now, including all the executive vice presidents, are all crying out for revival - they're having extra prayer services over there right now. They want the presence of the Lord on campus so we're just so thankful that they sent us here to get whatever we can to bring back," Gossmann said.

On Thursday, persistent rains did not dampen spirits for those waiting to get inside.

Mark Vaught came from Cincinnati, Ohio. "When I was saved I got the Holy Spirit, but always looking for more and really hoping when I walk through the doors, it's poured out on me," he told CBN News.



21-year-old Student Body President Allison Perfater was there when revival broke out.

"You just didn't want to leave. It's not that anyone was saying 'oh let's see how long we can last,' we just didn't want to go. I came in, I had a lot of like anger issues and like really struggled with my anger and I was able to talk with God first and that never would have happened on my own time," she said.

Daniel Moye, a 24-year-old Asbury Seminary student, told us, "It's been a really hard couple of years, and not just for me but for a lot of my friends, and I just felt like the Lord was releasing me from a lot of bitterness and anger that I've had just about all kinds of stuff, even some of it towards God and so I would say for me personally, the biggest word I can use is that it's been a very, very healing experience for me."

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BERGMAN, PETERS, STABENOW INTRODUCE BIPARTISAN LEGISLATION TO SETTLE LONGSTANDING LAND CLAIMS OF THE KEWEENAW BAY INDIAN COMMUNITY, REMOVE DISPUTES AGAINST CURRENT LANDOWNERS <u>Washington</u>, January 31, 2023

Legislation Has Support of KBIC, Local Residents, and State & Local Governments

Washington - U.S. Representative Jack Bergman (R-MI-1), U.S. Senator Gary Peters (D-MI), and U.S. Senator Debbie Stabenow (D-MI) announced bipartisan, bicameral legislation to settle the longstanding land claims of the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community and remove the disputes against current landowners in the community.

Through two treaties signed in 1842 and 1854, the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community (KBIC) was guaranteed occupancy over a large area of land established as the L'Anse Reservation. However, between 1855 and 1937 - and despite the treaties still remaining in effect - thousands of acres of the reservation were taken by the federal government without compensation and awarded to the State of Michigan.

The KBIC contends that the inappropriate transfer of these lands created substantial economic and other harm through the loss of valuable land in prime locations along Lake Superior that could have been used for a variety of revenue-generating activities over the past 150 years. Meanwhile, non-Indian individuals, entities, and local governments have acquired the land in good faith and now want to ensure they possess a clear title to the land.

Bergman, Peters, and Stabenow introduced the *Keweenaw Bay Indian Community Land Claim Settlement Act of 2023* - in coordination with the KBIC along with state and local governments - to finally compensate the KBIC for this land while clearing the title of current landowners in the community.

Rep. Bergman stated, "Working together to find solutions to our toughest challenges is what makes our area so special. I'm proud of the work we've done to find a non-partisan solution to right the wrongs of the federal government and ensure that all parties involved - from the KBIC to the current landowners - have a lasting solution to this decades-long challenge."

"I'm proud to help lead this bipartisan, bicameral, and long-overdue effort to settle these claims brought by the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community," said Senator Peters. "I worked alongside the tribe and local community to bring forth this needed solution, and I'm pleased the bill will also provide legal clearance for local residents who currently own the property at issue."

"This legislation is a testament to what we can achieve when we come together and work in the spirit of cooperation," **said Keweenaw Bay Indian Community President Doreen Blaker.** "I am grateful to Senator Peters, Senator Stabenow, Congressman Bergman, and Governor Whitmer for coming together to find a resolution to these claims that have lingered for so long."

"The Community, just like any other property owner, has a right to be compensated when the federal government illegally takes its constitutionally protected lands," **said Keweenaw Bay Indian Community Vice President Toni Minton.** "I want to thank Baraga County, the Village of L'anse, and the Village of Baraga for understanding that and standing with us. We also owe a debt of gratitude to Senator Peters, Senator Stabenow, and Congressman Bergman for taking a stand and doing the right thing by the Tribe. I am proud of our Michigan Congressional Delegation."

Local leaders have also expressed support for the settlement of the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community's land claims. In a letter to KBIC, the **Baraga County Board of Commissioners** expressed its support for "a legislative settlement that will right this wrong with just compensation for the land that was taken." Likewise, the Villages of Baraga and L'Anse have voiced their support for the effort. In a letter to KBIC, **Village of Baraga President Wendell Dompier** said the Village supported "a legislative settlement that will allow the tribe to be made whole from the land that it lost." **Village of L'Anse Manager Bob LaFave** voiced his hope that such a settlement would "address all the various adverse effects the Tribe has suffered from such an extensive loss over so many years."

"I appreciate the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community's willingness to bring to light this important piece of history concerning the land grant acts affecting the L'Anse Indian Reservation and support federal action to address uncompensated takings from tribes," **said Governor Whitmer.**

The Keweenaw Bay Indian Community's (KBIC) land claims involve the dispossession of 1,333 and 2,720 approximate acres of land transferred by the United States government to the State of Michigan as compensation for the construction of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal, as well as approximately 2,743 acres of swamplands. The KBIC asserts that as a result of the 1842 and 1854 treaties, these lands were not available for transfer and therefore transferred illegally.

The *Keweenaw Bay Indian Community Land Claim Settlement Act of 2023* would right this wrong by authorizing federal funds through the U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI) that could be used by the KBIC for governmental services, economic development, natural resource protection, and land acquisition.

S.195 - Keweenaw Bay Indian Community Land Claim Settlement Act of 2023 118th Congress (2023-2024)

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Saturday Silliness By Anthony Watts

The entire rationale for wind turbines is to stop global warming by reducing the amount of CO2 being returned to the atmosphere from the burning of fossil fuels.

In the attached picture, recently taken in Sweden, freezing cold weather has caused the rotor blades of a wind turbine to ice up bringing the blades to a complete stop.

To fix the "problem" a helicopter is employed (burning aviation fuel) to spray hot water (which is heated in the frigid temperatures using a truck equipped with a 260 kW oil burner) on the blades of the turbine to de-ice them.

The aviation fuel, the diesel for the truck, and the oil burned to heat the water, could produce more electricity (at the right time to meet demand) than the unfrozen wind turbine could ever produce. (Before it freezes up again).

The attached picture is a metaphor of the complete insanity of the climate change debate.

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Did Control Burn of Toxic Chemicals Make Ohio Train Derailment Worse?

BY ANNA SKINNER ON 2/14/23 AT 4:45 PM EST



ABOVE: <u>DETROIT MICHIGAN FEBRUARY 16, 2023</u> Train derails outside Detroit, Michigan, with one car carrying hazardous materials

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Officials identify man who died in crash that spilled nitric acid, closed I-10 in Tucson

Perry Vandell Arizona Republic



ABOVE: <u>KISSIMMEE FLORIDA FEBRUARY 16, 2023</u> Massive Five-Acre Fire Breaks Out at Florida Warehouse **By Ben Zeisloft** Feb 16, 2023 DailyWire.com



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Michigan State University Gunman's Note Had Possible Motive

Epoch Times

EAST LANSING, Mich.—The man who shot eight students at <u>Michigan</u> State University, killing three, was found with two handguns and a note containing a possible motive for the attack, police said Thursday.

The 9 mm guns, dozens of rounds of ammunition, and the two-page note were found with Anthony McRae when he killed himself Monday night after being confronted by police, said campus deputy chief Chris Rozman.

Investigators said they still were trying to pin down a motive, three days after the violence at the 50,000-student campus in East Lansing, but the note was a key point.

"It appears based on the content of the note that he felt he was slighted in some way by people or businesses," Rozman said at a news conference. "Did a mental health issue amplify that or was it a component of that? We're not sure at this point. We're working our best to try to determine that as best as possible."

McRae, 43, was the lone shooter and had no connection to the victims or to Michigan State as a student or employee, police said.

Rozman described the investigation as "massively complex."

The shootings happened Monday during evening classes at Berkey Hall and nearby at the MSU Union, a social hub where students can study, eat, and relax. Students across the vast campus were ordered to shelter in place for four hours—"run, hide, fight" if necessary—while police hunted for the <u>gunman</u>. Some residence halls were a mile away from the shooting scenes.

Students have described breaking windows and taking other desperate steps to escape Berkey Hall, which will stay closed through the spring term.

McRae walked nearly 4 miles toward his Lansing home after the shootings and said nothing before killing himself in front of police, said Lt. Rene Gonzalez of the state police. McRae's father, who shared the house, told police that "his son does not have any friends," Gonzalez said. "He pretty much sat in his room most of the time."

McRae had a misdemeanor gun conviction in 2019, though it didn't bar him from having the handguns, which Rozman noted were purchased legally but not registered.

The students who died were from suburban Detroit: Brian Fraser, 20, Arielle Anderson, 19, and Alexandria Verner, 20.

One of the five wounded students was upgraded to stable condition at Sparrow Hospital. The others remained in critical condition but with "signs of improvement," interim <u>university</u> President Teresa Woodruff said.

Two of the students are from China, according to a statement from the Chinese Consulate in Chicago.

Classes remain suspended through the weekend, Woodruff said.

The briefing by police followed a Wednesday night vigil on campus that drew thousands of students. Tom Izzo, the university's revered basketball coach and father of a student, offered words of comfort.

"Our hearts are heavy. Our loss has been great. Our lives have been permanently changed," said Izzo, head coach since 1995. "But with a shared commitment to help each other, and a promise to remember those we have lost, we will learn to find joy once again."

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Task force created to fight human trafficking in the Upper Peninsula

by: Ben Raymond | Posted: Mar 22, 2021 / 04:28 PM EDT | Updated: Mar 24, 2021 / 03:14 PM ED

MARQUETTE, Mich. (WJMN) – The Marquette County Prosecuting Attorney's Office and the U.P. Human Trafficking Task Force is addressing the fight against human trafficking and information related to the results of a recent sting operation conducted by law enforcement.

On Friday, The Marquette County Prosecuting Attorney's Office announced multiple law enforcement agencies recently were involved in a

recent undercover sting operation to combat <u>human trafficking and child prostitution in the Upper Peninsula</u>. The agencies involved included the Marquette County Sheriff's Office, the Marquette Police Department, the Michigan State Police, the Upper Peninsula Substance Enforcement Team (UPSET), and the Genesee County Sheriff's Office.

Also on Friday, Genesee County Sheriff Chris Swanson took to Facebook Live talking about a joint training effort with Genesee Human Oppression Strike Team or G.H.O.S.T. to create what he called the Upper Peninsula Human Oppression Strike Team. Swanson referenced an effort called, Operation Northern Exposure, where he says six people were arrested.

To learn about training and other resources related to human trafficking, the Michigan Attorney General has created this page.

If you suspect something is wrong, ask yourself these questions:

- Are there bruises or other signs of physical abuse?
- Are there signs of psychological abuse?
- Is the person submissive or fearful?
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