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## Ground broken for new bank

Ground was broken Friday, Oct. 8 for the new Cleveland State Bank building which is being constructed at 184 N. Lincoln St. in Elkhart Lake.

Cleveland State Bank employees joined representatives of the LaMacchia Group construction company, the Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce and State Representative Tyler Vorpapel in the ground breaking ceremony that afternoon.

Cleveland State Bank currently has a temporary office at 91 E. Rhine St. in the village. Full-time employees in Elkhart Lake are Branden Boerner, AVP Business Services; Alana DeRouin, Branch Operations Manager; and Abby Horness, Personal Banker.

### About Cleveland State Bank

The following information about Cleveland State Bank was provided by bank officials:

Cleveland State Bank not only brings 114 years of service experience, but we also bring our talents and resources to service small businesses and the residents within the Elkhart Lake community.

Our caring and local employees will be welcoming you at our Elkhart Lake office, similar to our Cleveland and Howards Grove locations. While we focus on providing compassionate service to new and returning customers, we also value financial education opportunities and volunteerism for the communities we serve. Decisions impacting the community's residents are made locally with your values and needs in mind.

Organizations and charities are continually a focus of ours but have never been more apparent since the inception of Cleveland State Bank's Charity Squads. Our employees gather together to form Charity Squads and collectively choose a charity or organization to voluntarily support throughout the year. We are proud to support countless organizations throughout Sheboygan and Manitowoc counties and are excited to continue this support within the Elkhart Lake community.

Along with the trust and compassion of a small-town bank, Cleveland State Bank sees the importance of embracing new technologies in the banking industry. We maintain a constant focus on forecasting the future needs of our customers and investing in tools to assist them on their financial journey. These tools include effortless access to Mobile and Online Banking, instant-issue debit cards, online mortgage inquiries, and more.

We are excited to continue our impact and presence within the Elkhart Lake community. For more information visit [clevelandstate.bank](http://clevelandstate.bank) or call 920-693-8256.



Taking part in the ground breaking ceremony were (top photo, from left) Branden Boerner, AVP Business Services; Steve Swenson, Director of Business Services for The LaMacchia Group; Lindsay Hermann, VP Compliance; Brad Dassler, VP Business Services; Tyler Vorpapel, State Representative; Tim Schueler, President and CEO; Matt Harms, Executive Vice President; Jerry Vogel, Board of Directors; Mark Wurtz, Board of Directors; Dennis Stuckmann, Board of Directors; Allen Kracht, Board of Directors; Melissa Koehler, Executive Director-Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce; and Alan Rudnick, Planning Commission.

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# Sharing our Journeys

By Carol Edler Baumann  
with contributions from Richard Baumann



## How Elkhart got its name

The Potowotomi Indians called it Great Lake since the lake’s general shape resembled an elk heart. Since there were no drones at that time to get an aerial view I imagine they trudged all around the lake and perhaps jotted its shape on a piece of birch bark or deer hide.

They also believed the lake had curative powers and if they bathed in it they would become rejuvenated and handsome. I wonder if the Indian maidens also thought it might make them more beautiful—well, at least a little bit prettier.

This whole belief in the restorative powers persisted long after the Indians left the area since Otto Osthoff (over 133 years ago) brought his ill wife to Elkhart to cure her illness. Oh, yeah, while he was here he felt others would feel the same way so he built a hotel for 120 guests and called it the Munsterland Hotel. Muster land was a region in Germany where he was probably born. I don’t know when he changed the name to Osthoff. Probably when other new hotels were named after the owners he thought “why not” use my name. (Good choice Otto).

Getting back to the Indians, there are a number of legends about the lake’s name but I like this one the best—it has romance and intrigue:

A handsome Indian warrior (he obviously bathed in the lake) wanted to prove his bravery so he killed an elk and ate its heart and became know as Elk Heart. Well, needless to say, this act of bravery attracted the maidens (I assume they had also bathed in the magic waters) and he started wooing one of them by the name of Silver Birch. Back hiding behind a teepee was another maiden

who was also attracted to the handsome warrior. Her name was Singing Bird. One night while Elk Heart and Silver Birch were paddling on the lake with a full moon shining down on them Singing Bird in a jealous rage pulled out her bow and arrow which pierced Elk Heart who fell in the lake along with Silver Birch. Singing Bird plunged into the lake to try and save Elk Heart (never mind about Silver Birch) but her attempt failed so all three were lost.

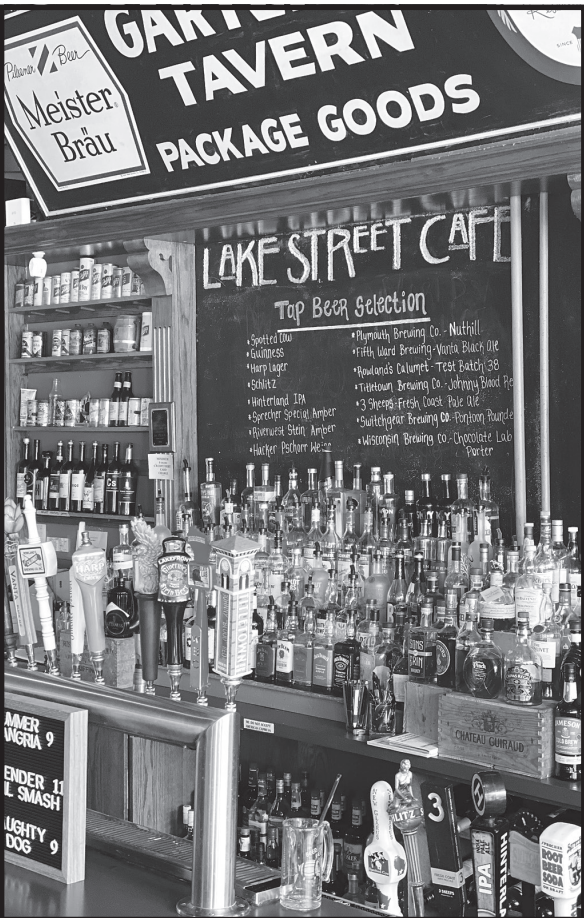
Now when the moon is full the spirit of Singing Bird passes over the lake crying for Elk Heart. She’s probably sorry for killing him. Silver Birch (his first love) is eternally silent.

Historical (and true) note: Having no connection to Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin—probably they never even heard of Wisconsin much less Elkhart Lake—in 1851 Sir Edwin Landseer was commissioned by the British House of Peers to have a painting done of a Scottish elk (aptly call Monarch Of The Glen). It was to hang in their dining room. Years later (they probably wanted a change) it ended up in the collection of the Scottish family that owned Dewars Scotch and eventually it ended up in the Guinness Beer Family. In 1905 Louis Laun (Elkhart Lake resident) owned a lithograph of the painting (he probably bought it when he was on a trip to England). And I’ll bet he said, “By golly—this would be a good symbol for us folks back in the village”. Yes it would be good and the village made it the official symbol. Check the beautiful stained glass window at the village hall.

My real question is when was the “E” taken out of “Heart” so that Lake Elk-Heart is now Lake Elkhart?

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The NHHS’s refurbished Victorian-era home will be open for public viewing on Friday evenings as well as Saturday and Sunday afternoons starting Nov. 26, 27 and 28. December opening dates will be 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18 and 19. Open hours on the Friday evenings will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday hours will be from 1 to 4 p.m. and Sunday hours will be 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

First-floor rooms of the historic residence will be decorated in holiday fashion using items from the NHHS’s collection and some pieces on loan for the holiday season. Christmas tunes will be played for visitors on the Timm family’s original Steinway box grand piano and seasonal “goodies” will be served in the home’s kitchen. Tours will be self-guided with NHHS docents on hand to answer questions. Admission is \$5.

# Mindfulness nature walk set for Oct. 27

Glacial Lakes Conservancy and Mental Health America of Sheboygan County have partnered up once again for a very important nature hike.

Join Rachel Haas—MHA in Sheboygan County director of wellness, mindfulness instructor and certified forest bathing guide—for a mindful nature walk and forest bathing at Willow Creek Preserve on Wednesday, Oct. 27 from 5:15 to 6:15 p.m.

Forest bathing, or Shinrin Yoku, is a way of practicing mindfulness by taking in the forest’s atmosphere through all the senses. This practice is a potent, proven method for relieving stress, boosting mood and immunity while fostering deeper bonds with nature.

RSVP to [abbey@glaciallakes.org](mailto:abbey@glaciallakes.org). This is a free event in partnership with MHA of Sheboygan and GLC.

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# Elkhart Lake Village update

## Housing development possible

The Trick or Treat hours have been set for the village.

Trick or Treat hours will be on Sunday, Oct. 31 from 3 to 5 p.m.

### Information session

The Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustees and Planning Commission have been approached by General Capital about a housing development on the property located at 604 S. Lincoln St.

The initial proposal will include two apartment buildings with approximately 55 units in each building. There will be one building for workforce/affordable housing and one building that is market rate apartments. There is then a potential third phase of single-family housing.

The Planning Commission and Village Board will be holding additional meetings over the coming months, so please watch the website and posting places for more information. This project is in the beginning stages and a public information session will be held to provide more information on the project on Nov. 2 from 4 to 6 p.m. There will be two brief presentations of the plan at 4:15 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. at the Grashorn Civic Center. If you have any comments or questions, please contact Jessica at 920-876-2122.

### Victory Park Subdivision

There are two models available to view in the Victory Park Subdivision. One is a single-family ranch home, and one is a duplex. There will also be a Kensington model available for move in by the end of the year. If you are interested in touring one of their models or purchasing a lot, please contact Werner Homes at 920-458-4104.

### 2022 budget

The Village Board will hold a public hearing on its 2022 budget on Nov. 15 at 5:50 p.m. More information will be posted on the budget over the coming weeks. Please watch the posting places and Plymouth Review for the official public hearing notice for the 2022 budget.

### Yard waste dumpster

The yard waste dumpster is open for the year. The dumpster will remain unattended for the foreseeable future. Please follow the signs about using the dumpster; you are on camera. If you require assistance, we ask that you set up an appointment with the Public Works Department (920-876-2231) so someone can help you. The dumpster is provided at the Village Garage from the end of May through Nov. 15. This dumpster is for yard waste only, not lake waste. A truck for large brush or trees can be obtained by calling the village garage at 920-876-2231.

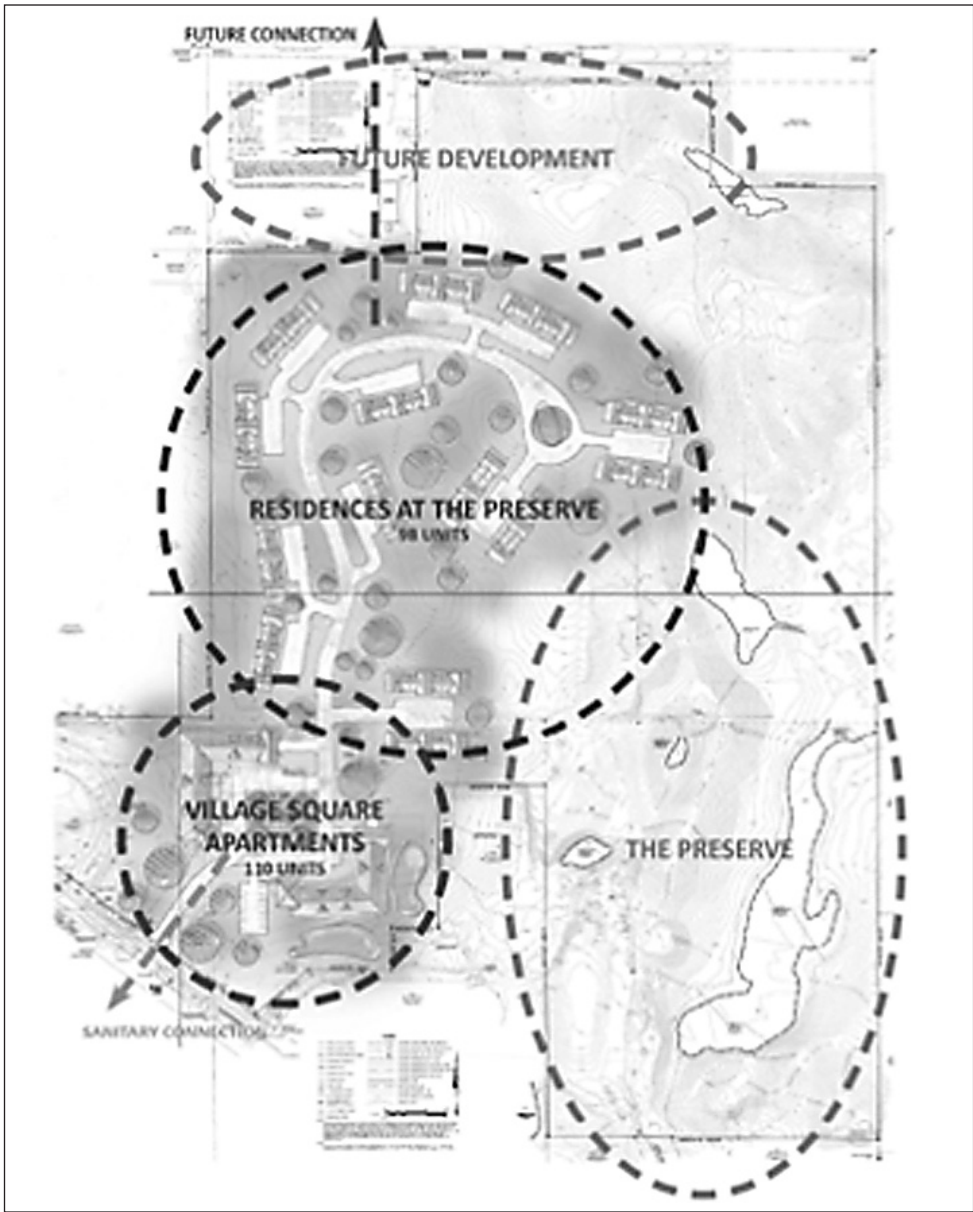
### Winter rules begin Nov. 15

Winter parking regulations go into effect on Nov. 15. As a reminder, here is the ordinance.

Parking is allowed overnight in the North East Street parking lot overnight



These are some tentative representations of a possible housing development which could be coming to the village of Elkhart Lake.



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**PARKING REGULATIONS**  
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(b) Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be removed from the streets and stored, and such removal and storage shall be at the expense of the owner of said vehicle.

Vehicles violating this ordinance will be ticketed.

**Snow Removal**  
Ordinance 10.03 Removing Snow from Sidewalks: residents must clean snow and ice from sidewalks within 14 hours of any snowfall in a 24-hour period.

Snow cannot be blown or plowed onto village streets. Residents must also shovel out any hydrants near their home.

**Snow Removal Warning**  
As in past years, you will not be notified that snow needs to be removed. If you have not shoveled in the prescribed time, the village will shovel your walk and bill the property owner. Also, the entire width of the sidewalk must be shoveled. A path is not sufficient and you will be in violation.

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- near Village Square Park;
- South Lake Street near Elm Street;
- Osthoff Avenue;
- Lions Park;
- East Rhine Street near Charlene's;
- East Rhine Street near Two Fish Gallery;

■ We are looking at adding a couple along Victory Lane in the coming months.

### Email notification list

The village would like to keep you informed of news and changes that may occur on occasion. We would like your email address. These will be kept confidential. We will remind you of changes in the garbage collection schedule and any other things that come up periodically.

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Happy Halloween!



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If you are interested in finding out more about Werner Homes visit them at [www.wernerhomes.com](http://www.wernerhomes.com).



Werner Homes is busy developing 56 lots in Victory Park in Elkhart Lake.



# Fresh Meals on Wheels needs volunteer drivers

Fresh Meals On Wheels (FMOW) is seeking volunteer drivers to help deliver the approximately 1,500 meals prepared each week for Sheboygan County’s elderly, disabled and homebound residents.

Delivering meals can be a rewarding experience for individuals, couples, friends, co-workers and groups from churches and other organizations.

“We appreciate all of our volunteers. Grab a friend, coffee group or Bible study and pick a day in the rotation that works for you. It’s also great when service groups or businesses pick up one or two routes a month and rotate various staff members as volunteers,” said Jennifer Madson, FMOW volunteer coordinator. It provides an opportunity for fellowship and team bonding when two go out for delivery together. “It also makes navigating much easier,” Madson added.

Kohler Power Systems, Sheboygan Service Club, Ebenezer Church and First Congregational UCC are just a few of the organizations that have long been committed to delivering meals on a regular basis.

Volunteer applications are available online at [FreshMealsOnWheels.org](http://FreshMealsOnWheels.org). A thorough background check is completed for all volunteers once an application has been submitted. Drivers must be at least 18 years old, have a valid driver’s license and auto insurance card, and agree to wear a mask during delivery.

“Best practice recommendations for emerging from the pandemic safely include minimizing variables. To that end, we will continue to have volunteers wear masks while delivering meals, limit contact between volunteers and clients as much as possible during delivery and use only sanitized FMOW vehicles for delivery, which means all routes will be picked-up at FMOW,” said CEO Kelly Anderson.

Meals are delivered in two shifts—10 a.m. to noon and 12:15 to 2:15 p.m. All drivers use FMOW vehicles for delivery. The food is preloaded and ready to go when they check in with the volunteer coordinator.

FMOW is also seeing vaccinated volunteers to help in the kitchen with packaging, food prep and cookie dough scooping.

If anyone would benefit from freshly prepared meals to meet various dietary needs, please contact Fresh Meals On Wheels. There are no age or income requirements. Meal recipients have the option of selecting from three delivery models—bulk delivery (one hot meal with a number of frozen meals delivered once a week), daily hot meal delivery, or daily hot and cold meal delivery (dinner and supper). A full color hot meal Choice Menu makes meals selection easy and fun.

For more information please contact FMOW at 920-451-7011, email [volunteers@freshmealsonwheels.org](mailto:volunteers@freshmealsonwheels.org), or visit [www.FreshMealsOnWheels.org](http://www.FreshMealsOnWheels.org).

For 51 years, FMOW has provided tasty, nutritious, home-delivered meals to Sheboygan County’s senior, disabled and homebound residents. Since 2012, meals have been made in FMOW’s Christopher Family Kitchen using fresh, local ingredients from the FMOW gardens, or donated by local farmers and gardeners.

Fresh Meals On Wheels of Sheboygan County has no waiting list or income restrictions. For more information call 920-451-7011 or visit [www.freshmealsonwheels.org](http://www.freshmealsonwheels.org).

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# Pops Concert scheduled at school Oct. 30

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School Band and Choir members will present a Halloween Pops Concert on Friday, Oct. 29 and Saturday, Oct. 30 starting at 6:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Local stories and myths meet music in this haunting concert. Enjoy an evening of original and classic music surrounding the American Halloween tradition. For \$5 at the door people can listen

to the ELGHS Band and Choir perform unique Halloween pieces. The event offers entertainment for the entire family. Come and show support by dressing up in a Halloween costume for the concert. For more information call (920) 876-3381. Instrumental Music Director is Jodi Voss. Choral Music Director is Holly Green. The proceeds from this concert will benefit music activities at the High School.

# Pie sale being held by school

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School Band's Annual Pie Sale is under way. On Saturday, Nov. 20, the band and family members will assemble pumpkin and cherry pies. The cherries are from Door County. The cherry pies can be frozen and baked at the person's convenience. The pumpkin pies are ready to eat or can be frozen. To place an order, call Jodi Voss, band director, at Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School at 876-3381 or e-mail her at [jvoss@goresorters.com](mailto:jvoss@goresorters.com). Prices are cherry, \$13; and pumpkin, \$10.



A cherry and pumpkin pie sale is being planned at Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School to support the band. Orders are being accepted through Nov. 1 for the pies.

# Poinsettias to help bring artists to school

The Music Department in the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School District is again working to bring in renowned artists to work with students. To help defray the cost of their residence, the district Music Department is organizing a poinsettia sale. Colors are red, white,

pink, burgundy and marble. Costs are as follows: Mini - \$6, Single - \$11, Double - \$21.0, and Triple - \$35. To order contact a music student or call 876-3381. The order deadline is Monday, Nov. 8.



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Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Schools officials recently introduced their 2021-'22 Distinguished Alumni to the student body during an in-school assembly. This year's inductees were introduced by High School Principal Ryan Faris. They are Kim Buechel Mesun (Class of 1975) and Strep R. "Dick" Kuehl (Class of 1978). Additional introductions to the public were made at the Homecoming game. Mesun spent much of her career working as an attorney in the Minneapolis area, while Kuehl rose to the rank of colonel in the U.S. Army.

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- OCTOBER 24**  
Stephanie Weill Center-CoCo 1pm Tale of family, fun and adventure
- OCTOBER 30**  
Stephanie Weill Center - The Rocky Horror Halloween Party, Costumes Encouraged! Party starts at 10pm featuring DJ Dolfin. Midnight movie showing.
- OCTOBER 30**  
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- OCTOBER 29-31**  
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- NOVEMBER 2**  
Grace Lutheran Church - Drive Thru Chili Supper, 210 N. Lincoln St., Elkhart Lake, 4-7pm. Enter church parking lot off of Cedar Lane.
- NOVEMBER 10**  
Stephanie Weill Center The State Ballet Theater of Ukraine presents Cinderella 7:30pm
- NOVEMBER 13**  
Stephanie Weill Center-SSO presents Isaac Selya 7:30pm.
- NOVEMBER 18-21 & 27-28**  
Plymouth Arts Center-Celtric Christmas Concert featuring the group Celtric Folk. See website for details: www.plymoutharts.org.
- NOVEMBER 18**  
Stephanie Weill Center-The Honeygoats perform at 7:30pm.
- NOVEMBER 19**  
Stephanie Weill Center-Back To An Up Close Christmas with John McGivern 7pm. Steady stream of holiday stories from his Eastside of Milwaukee childhood.
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Stephanie Weill Center-Boy Band Review 7:30pm.
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- NOVEMBER 28**  
Stephanie Weill Center-Free movie: How the Grinch Stole Christmas 2:30pm.
- DECEMBER 3-12**  
Osthoff - Old World Christmas Market.
- DECEMBER 4**  
Elkhart Lake 10th Annual Holiday Open House 12-5pm. Various retail locations.
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Why We Fly, Kimberly Jones

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Magic Tree House: The Knight at Dawn, Mary Osborne (GN)  
Sunny Makes a Splash, Jennifer Holm (GN)  
Super Turbo 3, Edgar Powers (GN)  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The library will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 25 for Thanksgiving Day.
- This fall, the Friends of the Elkhart Lake Public Library are seeking new members. The Friends support the library through service projects, fundraising and community outreach programs. Stop at the library for a membership form or contact Nancy Hanlon at naha0047@gmail.com for more information.
- Follow the library on Facebook and Instagram for up-to-date information on programs, services and more.

**CHILDREN'S NONFICTION**

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**KIDS PROGRAMS**

**Story Time**—now every Thursday. Story Time will be held every Thursday at 9:30 a.m. We will meet outside on the patio if the weather permits—bring a

blanket! In case of bad weather (and as it gets colder), Story Time will move indoors. Please note that adults will be required to wear a mask and children are encouraged to wear a mask if they are able to do so. Please skip Story Time if you or your child are unwell.  
**Take & Make Crafts**—New fall take-and-makes are available for preschoolers-middle school, while supplies last.  
**The Great Turkey Disguise**—Help the turkeys escape becoming Thanksgiving dinner! Stop at the library to pick up a paper turkey starting Nov. 1. Use any materials you have available to disguise your turkey to help them get past Thanksgiving Day. Turkeys can be decorated with anything you have available—crayons, pasta, craft supplies, paper, fabric, etc. Bring your disguised turkey back to the library and we will put your creativity on display.  
**School Year Reading Challenge**—Keep reading all year long with the School Year Reading Challenge. Read just three hours per month to earn monthly incentive prizes as well as tickets for the grand prize drawing at the end of May. Sign up on the Beanstack app or register at the library. JK-12th grade.

**DROP-IN PROGRAM**

**Mini Terrariums**—Drop in activity for adults and kids fifth grade and up (children under the age of 10 will need the help of an adult). Beginning Monday, Nov. 1, stop at the library to start your own mini-terrarium. Kids, turn your terrarium into an alien terrarium with the addition of an alien figure, while supplies last.

**ADULT PROGRAMS**

**Coffee Hour and Book Chat**—Wednesdays at 10 a.m. Interested in joining the conversation? Location for Coffee Hour and Book Chat during November is TBA. Contact us at [elcirc@monarchlibraries.org](mailto:elcirc@monarchlibraries.org) or 876-2554 to be placed on our Coffee Hour list to receive updates. Registration not required.  
**Book Club**—Friday, Nov. 12 at 1 p.m. at Vintage Elkhart Lake; "Early Morning Riser" by Katherine Heiny. "A wise, bighearted, boundlessly joyful novel of love, disaster and unconventional family." Order your copy on [monarchcatalog.org](http://monarchcatalog.org). Contact the library at [elcirc@monarchlibraries.org](mailto:elcirc@monarchlibraries.org) or 876-2554 to be placed on our book club list to receive updates.

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# Homecoming highlights

Homecoming was recently celebrated at Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School. At right is the Homecoming Court comprised of (from left) King Aaron Roth, Queen Haley Mersberger, Kyle Jens, Malorie Prigge, Yuki Sesoko, Alyssa Tegen, Jonathan Kalbacken, Lexi Miller, Jack Bunke, Gracie Funk, Hayden Schultz, Ella Feldmann, Maggie Elias and Brady Hassinger. A variety of floats were in the parade, including one on which the Pep Band rode while playing. One of the district's Distinguished Alumni (see photo elsewhere)—Col. Dick Kuehl—waved out of the window of the pace car from Road America in which he was riding.

LesTension Photo





## November mystery photo



## Can you identify the photo?

Take a look at the November mystery photo above. Do you know anything about it? Where is/was the location?

If you know, let us know!

To enter the November contest, send an email to [depotdispatch@elkhartlake.com](mailto:depotdispatch@elkhartlake.com) or a letter with as many details as you can to the Elkhart Lake Chamber, P.O. Box

425, Elkhart Lake, WI 53020, or drop off at the chamber office, 41 E. Rhine St.

The person with the best submission will receive a finely matted, quality enlarged print of the original, courtesy of Schamberger Gallery in Elkhart Lake.

Please share your guesses and help us keep the contest up to date.



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## September mystery photo



Dawn Bagemehl guessed that this photo includes the present-day Lake Street and Paddock Club cafes in Elkhart Lake. Jim Lanser said he thought it was Coast to Coast Hardware in Plymouth on Mill Street. But the correct answer came from Mike Crawley who said it was Fremont Street in Kiel in the 1890s.

## October mystery photo



The October Down Memory Lane photo generated a number of responses.

Tamara Harvey wrote to say the photo is from the farm of Ray Meerstein at the intersection of STH 57 and CTH C in Plymouth. The current owners are two of Ray's grandchildren, Jeff and Jay Kohlmann.

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Paul and Kathy Sartori of Plymouth wrote, "The 'Verifine Dairy' barn sign is located just east of STH 57 on CTH Road C (old Hwy. 23) on the south side of CTH C. The barn is still there, owned by Jay Kohlmann and Family (Covenant Plumbing & Heating). The painting is hard to read, so this photo must be from at least 30 or 40 years ago. The Verifine Dairy, located in Sheboygan, was owned by the Grasse brothers from Sheboygan.

"Whenever you would ask the Grasse brothers 'How are you today?' their response would always be 'Verifine, thank you.' Great old photo from the past...nice to see it in clear, vibrant colors."

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Marilyn Brott of Plymouth wrote, "The Verifine picture in the paper was the southeast corner of highways 57 and now Business 23.... I can remember my grandpa Henry O. Miller driving up the ramp for 57 traffic to use to get to 23. He was going the wrong way. I must have been about 5 so it was around 1951. It was when two-lane roads were just starting and they would confound those already driving on a one-lane road. I enjoy the paper very much."

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Katherine Suemnicht wrote, "The Verifine Barn is on the outskirts of Plymouth

on CTH C. This was my aunt and uncle's farm, Ray and Leona Meerstein. Many days my family would visit and play. My aunt and uncle raised mink and had a small farm. Today my cousin Jay Kohlmann lives there with his family and has a hobby farm there. It's over 60 years old."

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"This is at W4785 CTH C, just east of STH 57," Tammy Harvill wrote. "My brother always said you can't eat ice cream in the winter. A few days later we saw the barn that says eat ice cream for daily happiness, so I took a picture of it and sent it to him. This happened a few years ago, so we would like to get the framed copy so we can give to him."

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"October mystery photo is a barn located at W4785 Road C, Plymouth. It is still standing and I remember it since I was 5 years old."

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John Struebing and Jim Lanser also knew the right location, while Heather Zimbal said, "I know exactly where that photo is located. It's on a barn located in the southeast corner of STH 57 and CTH C, kitty corner from Fleet Farm. I've always admired this sign from when I was a little girl on and would run to Fleet with my grandpa for farm stuff. Then when I got engaged, my now husband and I had our engagement pictures taken there. We even bought ice cream and have more pictures of that."

Zimbal's submission has been declared the winner for October.



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Celtic Folk is ready to present “Celtic Christmas” at the Plymouth Arts Center in November.

# ‘Celtic Christmas’ to be performed

The Plymouth Arts Center is presenting “Celtic Christmas,” a live musical concert featuring the group Celtic Folk. The concert features vocalists Tom Clegg, Julie Henze, Neal Horneck, Kerrylynn Kraemer and Roy Schwab, under the direction of Clegg and Kraemer with accompaniment by the Celtic Folk musicians, Tom Armstrong, Rachel Stoyke, Bill Rathmann, Ramona Tritz, Steve Vogt and Andrew Krueger. The show is

sponsored by Masters Gallery, Sargento and the Wisconsin Arts Board. The show dates are Thursday to Saturday, Nov. 18-20 and Saturday, Nov. 27 at 7:30 p.m.; Sunday matinees, Nov. 21 and 28 at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are: PAC members \$13 for adults, \$5 for children 12 and under; non-member adults \$15 and \$6 for children ages 12 and under, tax included. PAC box office hours are Tuesdays to Fridays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; closed on Mondays and holidays.

The group Celtic Folk originated in 2013 at the Plymouth Arts Center under the direction of co-creators/directors Kraemer and Clegg. Their first production was “Celtic Christmas” in 2013. The success of this show encouraged the directors to design additional shows—Celtic Christmas in 2014, 2017, 2019 and 2020; “Memories” in 2017; “History” in 2019; and Sentimental Journey in Song in 2021.

# Pair join Marketing Dept. at Lakeshore Technical

Courtney (Pelot) Hansen and Tyler Freitag of Manitowoc have joined Lakeshore Technical College’s Marketing Department in roles developed to foster existing relationships and build new partnerships. Hansen is the social media coordinator. She focuses on using social media platforms to build awareness of the college and advocate for students. She works closely with current business and education partners while seeking new opportunities to collaborate with others in identifying creative ways to support and build the local workforce. Hansen also has been appointed to LTC’s Strategic Enrollment Recruitment Committee. Freitag, an LTC graduate, fills the new role of marketing coordinator. He sup-



Tyler Freitag

ports the Marketing Department and the college’s Workforce Solutions division, which is the arm of the college offering training and assessment services for existing workers in a wide variety of areas ranging from advanced manufacturing to leadership. Freitag also has been appointed to LTC’s Strategic Enrollment Economic Development Committee. “Bringing Courtney and Tyler on board will allow us to enrich relationships with our partners in business and education, especially in the northern part of our district,” said LTC President Dr. Paul Carlsen.



Courtney Hansen

“We are impressed with their history of supporting the needs of our community, especially within Manitowoc County and are excited they chose to join our team.” LTC is actively involved in many local organizations with board or committee representation on several, including Progress Lakeshore, the Chamber of Manitowoc County, United Way Manitowoc, Two Rivers Business Association, Farm Wisconsin, and others. In their new roles, Hansen and Freitag will be connecting with these organizations and more.



Sarah Malchow

# Cedar Community VP earns fundraising award

Sarah Malchow, vice president of development at Cedar Community, has been named among the Association of Fundraising Professionals Southeastern Wisconsin 2021 National Philanthropy Day awards recipients—receiving the Scott M. Cutlip Professional Fundraiser Award. The award honors a fundraising executive in Southeastern Wisconsin who has distinguished themselves professionally—exhibiting a proven track record of continued fundraising success, possessing a strong reputation as an ethical and respected fundraiser, exercising excellent stewardship of donor dollars, and demonstrating volunteer participation for the profession and the community.

Malchow is the executive leader of the marketing, sales, fundraising and volunteer engagement teams of Cedar Community. She has an extensive background in strategic and relationship-based fundraising practices, grant writing, donor stewardship and campaign development. “Sarah has a unique gift of building trust through kindness, genuine thoughtfulness, and her dedication to the mission, vision, and values of Cedar Community,” said Nicole Pretre, CEO.

Malchow has demonstrated continual advancement and commitment to professional development throughout her career—building upon her experience, knowledge and fundraising success. In 2020, she completed the rigorous requirements through education, experience, performance and examination and was named a Certified Fund Raising Executive (CFRE). “What a humbling and deeply appreciated honor,” Malchow said. “To be recognized by my peers at the Association of Fundraising Professionals—Southeast Wisconsin is truly a gift. Heartfelt thanks to AFP, the mentors who have graciously shared their time and expertise, and the selfless donors who make our work possible.”



# Veterans Day program in school gym

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School District will hold a Veterans Day Program on Thursday, Nov. 11 at 11 a.m. in the high school gymnasium.

The High School Band and Chorus will perform a few selections for this event, which will also include speeches and poetry readings from high school students. Guest speaker for the program is retired U.S. Air Force Major General Timothy M. Zadalis.

Major General Zadalis retired from the Air Force after 34 years of service. He graduated high school in Gwinn, Michigan and earned his undergraduate degree at the University of Alaska-Fairbanks in the Biological Sciences. Additionally, he holds two Master's Degrees, and served as a National Security Fellow at Harvard's JFK School of Government.

He was commissioned through Officer Training School in 1984 and during his Air Force career he commanded numerous operational units at multiple levels, deployed numerous times in support of Middle East Operations and the Haiti earthquake relief, and was assigned at the Pentagon on Sept. 11, 2001. His career culminated as the vice commander of Air Forces Europe/Air Forces Africa with responsibilities that encompassed 104 countries.

He is a command pilot with over 4,440 flying hours in nine different aircraft. Gen. Zadalis is a combat veteran earning two Bronze Stars, an Air Medal, and the U.S. Army Combat Action Badge.

In retirement, General Zadalis supports the Air Force leadership development program as an adjunct professor, the Air Force Research Laboratory as a researcher/operational expert, and supports Road America as a volunteer military ambassador.

The School District is inviting the community to attend and share in this event of honoring all who have served or are currently serving.



**The Elkan chapter of the National Honor Society at Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School teamed with B3 Recycling out of Green Bay to hold an electronic recycling event on Saturday, Oct. 2 on school grounds. The public was invited to drop off unwanted material, much of which was free to recycle. Proceeds benefit the ELG National Honor Society which holds the recycling event in order to help the environment, provide a public service, and provide funding for future NHS events. Over a dozen NHS members helped unload recyclable material from vehicles that Saturday morning. The organization plans to repeat the event next year. The NHS is advised by Nik Yasko.**

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# Lifelong hobby

## 8th graders take 20-plus mile bike trip as part of class

Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah eighth graders recently completed a Physical Education unit in biking related to Lifelong Fitness.

The unit culminated with a 20-plus mile bike ride. The first half of the ride started at the middle school, traveled past the Osthoff Hotel, around Crystal Lake, south on CTH C to the STH 23 underpass, and west along the county bike trail to the Greenbush Town Hall for lunch. The second half traveled north on Sugarbush, east on Glen Road with a stop in Glenbeulah at Hansen Park to rest, then back to school via CTH A.

Typically, this unit is experienced by the seventh grade class but was postponed last spring because of COVID interference. The current seventh grade class is scheduled to get things going again this spring as it will participate in a similar experience.

The students were accompanied by several faculty and parents who rode with the group and served as chaperones. Local Elkhart Lake police-school liaison officer Scott Niemi also rode along and a squad car followed the group with lights ablaze to mitigate traffic issues in congested areas.

Part of the school’s mission involves inclusion of all individuals in as many activities as possible. One class member, Rayner Giles, is unable to ride himself but through the generous donation of a towable wheelchair from the myTEAM TRIUMPH organization in Green Bay, Rayner was able to participate. Rayner’s teacher Angie Roth and Physical Education teacher Davin Hill alternated riding with Rayner. From the look on his face, it was a thoroughly enjoyable experience.

—M.D. McGill  
ELG Schools-publicity



Above is the group of eighth graders who took part in the 20-mile ride. Below, riders exit the Crystal Lake portion and head for Plymouth.

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Riders made their way up a big hill on Glen Road—actually the west side of a drumlin.



Special education teacher Angie Roth and her passenger Rayner Giles enjoy the ride.



Participants rode along the county bike trail near Greenbush.





# Road America Announces 2022 Season Schedule

Road America announced its 2022 season schedule today, including stops for every major North American race series. Nine events are on the 2022 season schedule for Road America, and you won't want to miss a minute of the action.

"America's National Park of Speed is poised and ready for another amazing summer full of thrills and excitement. Our schedule is loaded with weekends full of cars and motorcycles ranging from vintage to state-of-the-art," said Road America's President and General Manager, Mike Kertscher. "We look for-

ward to hosting the MotoAmerica Series, NTT IndyCar Series, NASCAR Cup Series, NASCAR Xfinity Series, the IMSA WeatherTech® SportsCar Championship which will also feature a 4-hour Michelin Pilot Challenge race. Plus weekends featuring the World Challenge Series, Sports Car Club of America, and three separate vintage events in 2022. Event tickets for the 2022 season will be available on October 4th, and season passes are now available at an amazing value."

The 2022 Road America Season Schedule is as follows and support series details for all

events will be determined at a later date:

- May 20-22 - SVRA Vintage Festival Weekend
- June 3-5 - MotoAmerica Superbike Weekend and Vintage MotoFest
- June 9-12 - NTT INDYCAR Series
- June 17-19 - WeatherTech Chicago Region SCCA June Sprints
- June 30-July 3 - NASCAR Cup Series Kwik Trip 250 presented by Jockey Made in America and NASCAR Xfinity Series HENRY 180
- July 14-17 - WeatherTech International Challenge with Brian

Redman (AAR Eagle feature)

- August 4-7 - IMSA SportsCar Weekend
- August 19-21 - World Challenge
- September 16-18 - Ariens Art on Wheels Vintage Weekend

Road America's season pass is the most affordable way to attend all the events. The season pass is available now at an advance price of only \$500 and the price increases to \$540 on October 4. January 1 through June 1, 2022, the price for a season pass is \$625. Each season pass provides admission, along with special events and incentives for club

events – details are available at [www.roadamerica.com/season-pass](http://www.roadamerica.com/season-pass).

Event tickets are available on October 4th. Campsites will be available on October 11th. Anyone 16 and under gets in FREE when accompanied by a paying adult at the gate. For full event details and information, visit [www.roadamerica.com](http://www.roadamerica.com).

To plan your visit, check out Road America's Frequently Asked Questions webpage at [www.roadamerica.com/faq](http://www.roadamerica.com/faq)

# New Road America Wisconsin Specialty License Plate Coming In October

Road America officials recently announced that the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) has approved a new Wisconsin "special recognition" license plate for the historic venue featuring the track outline, and Road America lettering in white over a solid black background. The "special recognition" plates, are an excellent way for Road America and Wisconsin motorsports fans to share their passion for "America's National Park of Speed." As one of the most storied and recognizable symbols of the track, the 4-mile, 14-turn outline was an easy choice to be the principal feature of the newly stamped license plate. The Road America plate fee will include an issuance fee of \$15. Personalized plates are available for an additional \$15 every year. There is no donation fee for this plate and all Wisconsin motorists will be able to apply for this plate.

The idea for the new "special recognition" plates stemmed from a group of passionate Road America fans, who brought the concept to Road America manage-

ment. Together, a signature campaign was created to qualify the new plates for production. After a few months and hundreds of signatures, the "special recognition" plate application was presented and approved by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

"I think it's wonderful when our fans come together in a creative way to share their enthusiasm for Road America," said Mike Kertscher, Road America's President and General manager. "We know how much our fans and season pass holders love this place, and now they can showcase it on their vehicles every day. We are extremely proud of how many supported this effort and we look forward to seeing the plates all over Wisconsin."

The new plate will be available to order on October 4, 2021. Road America fans wishing to personalize their plates can have one to six characters on their plates and they must be ordered online, as DMV Customer Service Centers do not issue special or personalized license plates. Additional details and pricing can



be found at the WisDOT FAQ (Frequently Asked Question) webpage here: <https://wisconsin.gov/Pages/dmv/vehicles/title-plates/pp-faq.aspx>

The process for ordering a Road America Wisconsin motor vehicle license plate

is extremely user-friendly; the page on the WisDOT website will go LIVE on October 4, 2021, and anyone interested can click here: <https://wisconsin.gov/Pages/dmv/vehicles/title-plates/new-plates.aspx>



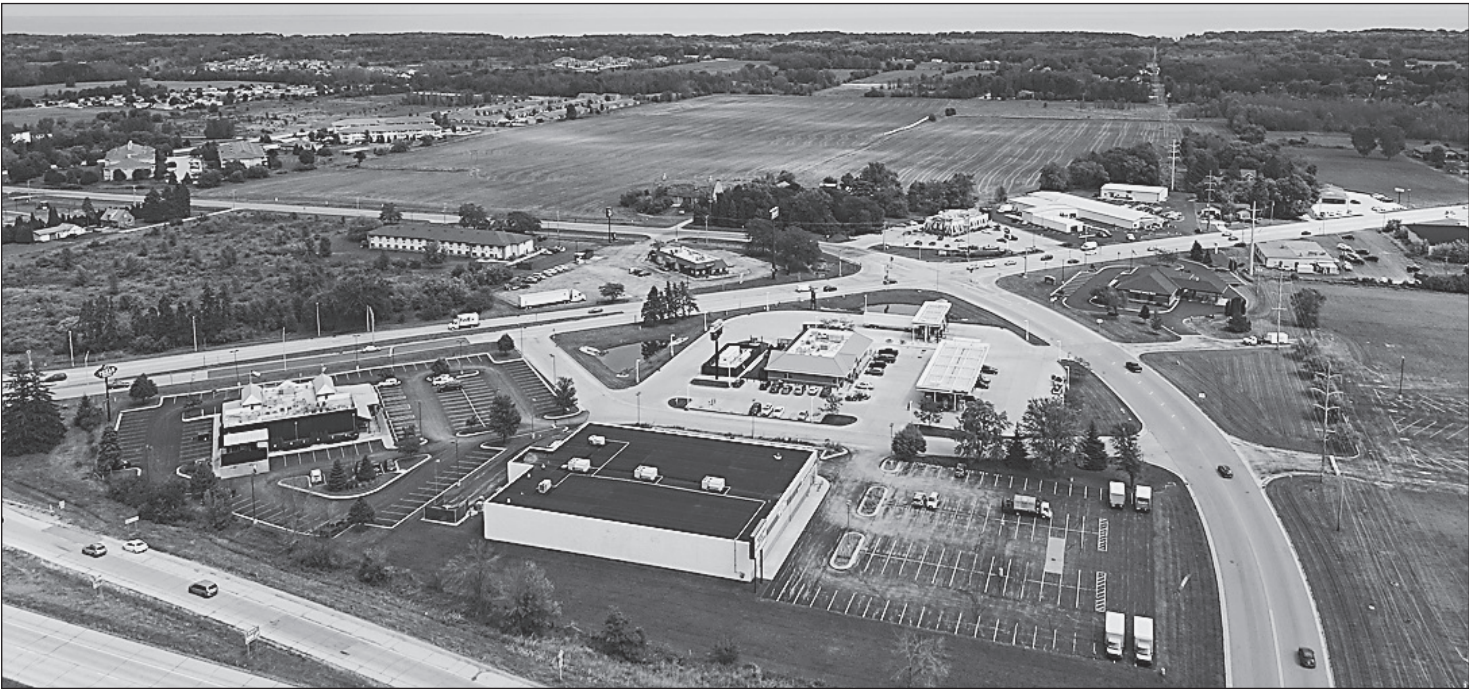
# Van Horn to develop property in county

The Town of Sheboygan and Van Horn Development, LLC recently approved an agreement for the development of a 99-acre property located northeast of the I-43 and STH 42 interchange in the town of Sheboygan.

The mixed-use development is expected to include office, retail, multi-family, townhomes and single-family pocket neighborhoods, as well as open spaces and recreational facilities. The Town of Sheboygan will invest approximately \$4.7M for land acquisition and \$7.2M for infrastructure. Van Horn will invest more than \$48 million for building improvements. The town will finance and pay for its portion of the development using the tax increment revenue generated by the development over the next 20 years. The town’s newly-created Tax Incremental Financing (TIF) district allows for the project to pay for itself without affecting current tax rates.

The development and repayment of the town’s investment is secured by a Van Horn guaranty as well as an irrevocable letter of credit.

Town Chairperson Daniel W. Hein emphasized that TIF financing and the security provided by the developer will protect the town from unnecessary risk and prevent an increase in the town’s tax rate. Town taxes Hein said will not go up because of this development. Furthermore, the development agreement prohibits this property from being annexed, ensuring that the property and the development remain in the town.



The Town of Sheboygan and Van Horn Development, LLC recently approved an agreement for the development of a 99-acre property, located northeast of the I-43 and STH 42 interchange in the town of Sheboygan.

Hein and town officials have been working on the development of this property since at least 2017 and established the Town of Sheboygan Tax Incremental District No. 1 in 2020. “We’re excited to work with Van Horn Development to bring this project to life” Hein said. Chris Merklein, vice president of Van Horn Development, added, “We studied other mixed-use developments across the United States and took the ideas that would best fit the town of Sheboygan. There is nothing else like it

in the area.”

Final site design is under way and is expected to be complete by the end of the year. Construction will begin summer of 2022.

Van Horn Real Estate & Development began as a department within Van Horn Automotive Group, with the primary function of managing various auto dealership properties. As the business grew and opportunities presented themselves, Van Horn Development started to pur-

sue other real estate projects outside the dealership group. Merklein joined in 2017, bringing with him a proven record of experience and many local relationships. In September 2021, Van Horn Development, LLC separated from Van Horn Automotive Group, Inc. with a focus on growing the portfolio of real estate and development projects to include single and multi-family residential, retail, commercial, industrial and storage. For more information visit [www.vanhornre.com](http://www.vanhornre.com).

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For more info go to: [www.elkhartlakechamber.com](http://www.elkhartlakechamber.com)

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Event held from 4-6:30pm  
Tree Lighting at 6:30pm



# Victory Park

## SUBDIVISION

Village of Elkhart Lake



*Photo is of a different but similar Kensington model*

### Kensington Model

345 Victory Lane

**Completion in November 2021**

4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms

Finished lower level rec room with lookout windows  
1,624 square feet on main level, with 785 square feet on lower level. 2,409 finished square feet total.

**\$434,900**

### Duplex Condo

245 Victory Lane

1 unit available now, with more units under construction.

2 bedroom, 2 bath.

**Optional finished lower level with additional bedroom, bathroom and rec room.**

Approx. 1,767 square feet on main level,  
with approx. 779 optional square feet on lower level.  
Approx. 2,546 total finished square feet total available.

**\$385,900.** (Model with finished lower level \$435,900)



### Wilmington Model

230 Victory Lane

**Featured in 2021 Parade of Homes  
Show Home - Not Currently For Sale**

5 bedrooms, 3 Bathrooms

Finished lower level with walkout patio door  
1,893 square feet on main level, with 1,234 square feet on lower level. 3,127 finished square feet total.



Victory Park is a premier subdivision in Elkhart Lake that is conveniently located within walking distance to downtown and the excellent area schools.

**Flat, partial and fully exposed lots to choose from.**

**OPEN HOUSE**  
**at Wilmington Model**

**Wednesdays 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, 12/1 - 1:30-5:00pm**

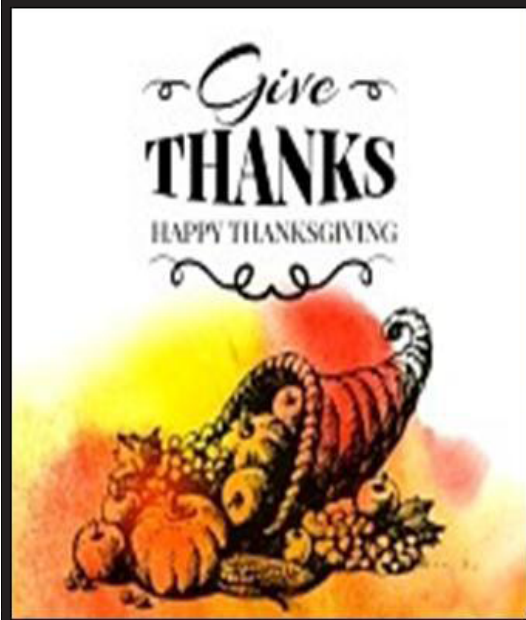
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