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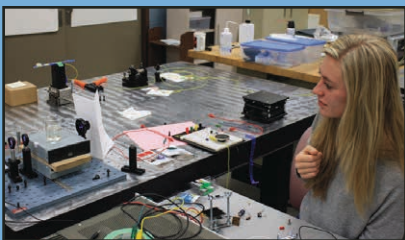
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Judge Terry L. Clark

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Judge M.T. Thompson, Jr.

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Jack Weston Nash

I want to thank the Michigan Banner for being the best news source for the Great Lakes Bay Region for the past 13 years.. Without the valuable information that is published in the Michigan Banner many of the

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19th century Midwest African-Americans remembered in SVSU lecture



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University Center, Mich. - The Saginaw Valley State University history department will host the 13th annual Hoffmann/Willertz Lecture Wednesday, Nov. 4 at 4 p.m. in the Rhea Miller Recital Hall. Jennifer Stinson, SVSU associate professor of history, will present "Laboring in Bondage in a Free Land: Remembering the 19th-Century Midwest's Enslaved and Indentured African-Americans."

Stinson will present an excerpt from her book manuscript on African-Americans and

those whose lives bridged African, Indian and Euro-American identities in the rural Midwest. Her presentation will examine antebellum lead diggings, farms, and forts of Wisconsin and Illinois.

There, amid mixture and contestation between Indian, French, British and U.S. American peoples, Stinson will address the following questions: What was it like to live in bondage in ostensibly free states and territories? What purposes did unfree labor serve, and what meanings did masters and mistresses assign to it? What forms did unfree people's resistance take? And how has unfree labor and resistance been remembered and forgotten in our region?

Stinson has presented at several national conventions, including those hosted by the Association for the Study of African-American Life and History, the American Historical Association, and the Organization of American Historians. She also has spoken at international events such as the International Inclusive Museum, Slaving Zones, and Many Faces of Slavery conferences. She co-led a seminar on race and the U.S. constitution at the SRH Hochschule/University in Heidelberg, Germany.

Stinson completed a bachelor's degree at Oberlin College and a Ph.D. at Indiana University. Her talk is part of SVSU's Fall Focus lecture series; all lectures in the series are open to the public and free of charge. For more information on the series, visit svsu.edu/fallfocus.

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Horn Hometown Tours: Michigan Sugar

LANSING, Mich. — State Sen. Ken Horn continued his Hometown Tours series with a stop in Blumfield Township Friday for an inside look at Michigan's sugar industry.

Owner Gary Reif and Horn met in one of the many fields owned by Reif Farms and started the tour by introducing Horn to the various equipment that would be used during the harvest.

"Each one of these tours is unique in many ways," said Horn, R-Frankenmuth. "As I was driving toward the location, I could see big dust clouds, several semi-trucks coming and going and a field full of massive harvesting equipment. I knew this would be a fantastic 'Pure Michigan' experience."

After a brief introduction to the harvesting methods and equipment, the operation moved into full swing. Horn boarded the harvester and they were off.

"Riding in the harvester was probably my favorite part," Horn said. "The equipment is massive; there is no other way to describe it. When I first arrived, Gary gave me a brief history lesson and mentioned he started out as a kid harvesting beets one row at a time. Now he's using a piece of equipment the size of a small house to do several rows at a time. The

advances in equipment and technology are amazing."

As the harvester moves through the field, the built-in holding area fills up with beets. Tractors with large trailers then pull alongside the harvester and the beets are unloaded into the trailers.

The tractors then drive the trailers full of beets over to the line of semi-trucks waiting for a load. Once the semis are loaded, they make their way to Michigan Sugar Company's scales to unload and receive a voucher based on the weight of the load.

"After we finished harvesting, Gary loaded up the semi and we made our way down the street to weigh the beets we harvested," Horn said. "As you pull into the Blumfield scale, all you can see around you are enormous, evenly distributed piles of beets."

Once they arrived at the scales and Reif was able to unload the harvested beets, scale manager Dave Ganton gave Horn a brief tour and explanation of the process they use to organize, store and ship the beets to the various factories in the region. Horn even had the opportunity to run some of the unloading equipment as other farmers

dropped off their harvest.

"The quantity of beets they receive during the fall harvest really shows the strong presence Michigan has in the sugar industry. We were only there for an hour or so, and in that time around 100 trucks came and went," Horn said. "The most fascinating part to me was that all of these beets stay in Michigan throughout the extraction process. Some go to Caro, Croswell or Sebawaing, but most go to Bay City for processing."

Blumfield Township completes the sixth stop on Horn's Hometown Tours series.

"I'd like to thank everyone who made this tour possible and successful," Horn said. "I want to personally thank Gary for having me out to the farm, and Dave for allowing us to take a brief tour of the Michigan Sugar Company's facilities. I owe both of them for sharing such great information about this 'Pure Michigan' industry."

Horn's Hometown Tours feature various communities in the 32nd District. If you are interested in having Horn visit, please contact his office at (517) 373-1760, toll-free at (855) 347-8032 or by email at SenKHorn@senate.michigan.gov.



State Sen. Ken Horn, R-Frankenmuth, poses for a picture in the back of a semi loaded with sugar beets.



State Sen. Ken Horn, R-Frankenmuth, stands with Gary Reif, owner of Reif Farms, as Reif gives him a lesson on the anatomy of a sugar beet.



State Sen. Ken Horn, R-Frankenmuth, unloads the day's harvest at Michigan Sugar Company's Blumfield scale.

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Joseph Stricker hands over a check to the Frankenmuth Rotary Club for over \$1,500. This was a percentage of the proceeds raised at last year's Cinco 5K Run/Walk, which is held each year. The Frankenmuth Rotary has a hand-washing project in the Dominican Republic and this money will

help support that program. A hand-washing station will be built to help prevent the spread of diseases in that area of the world. This is just another reason why you should come out and support this year's "Dia De los Muertos" Cinco K, 5K Run/walk happening November 7th 2015.

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Is the 4% rule still a good idea?



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Back in the early 1990s, a California financial planner named William Bengen developed a retirement income strategy known as “the 4 percent rule.” Basically, it

says that as long as you withdraw no more than 4 percent of your initial portfolio, adjusted for inflation, each year during retirement, you shouldn’t run out of money.

For years, financial professionals used this “rule” to determine how much clients should withdraw from their retirement assets each year. But today, many are not so sure it’s a good idea. Here’s why.

The 4 percent rule was developed in a different economic time.

- In the 1990s, it seemed like you couldn’t lose in the stock market. Today, investors are more likely to experience volatility, making it nearly impossible to count on a consistent return.
- Back then, the yield on a three-month Treasury bill was 6 percent. Today, it’s close to zero. Even in 2002, the five-year U.S. Treasury yield was still 4.5 percent. Today, it’s less than 2 percent. Without an interest rate at or above 4 percent, investors can’t be sure that they’ll replace the assets they take from their portfolio each year.

Some now use 4 percent as a starting point.

Some financial professionals believe in using the “4 percent rule” as a starting point for retirement income planning, rather than using it as a hard and fast rule. That way, they can incorporate flexibility into the strategy, giving clients a greater chance of having income throughout for as long as they live.

Here are a few suggestions for your retirement income strategy:

- Adjust your spending based on market performance.
- If the market performs well, take a little more.

If it performs poorly, take a little less.

- That way, you’re consistently pulling out a similar percentage of your current assets – not your initial balance.
- Don’t take it if you don’t need it.
- There may come a time when you’ll need a larger percentage of your assets for health reasons, so if you don’t need it now, don’t take it.
- Consider adding guaranteed income to the mix.

By investing a portion of your assets in an annuity, you may be able to receive enough guaranteed income each year to cover some everyday expenses in retirement. Some variable annuities offer income benefits that provide withdrawals of 4 percent each year. Adding guaranteed income to the mix can give you more flexibility with your other assets, as well as more confidence that your assets will last as long as you do.

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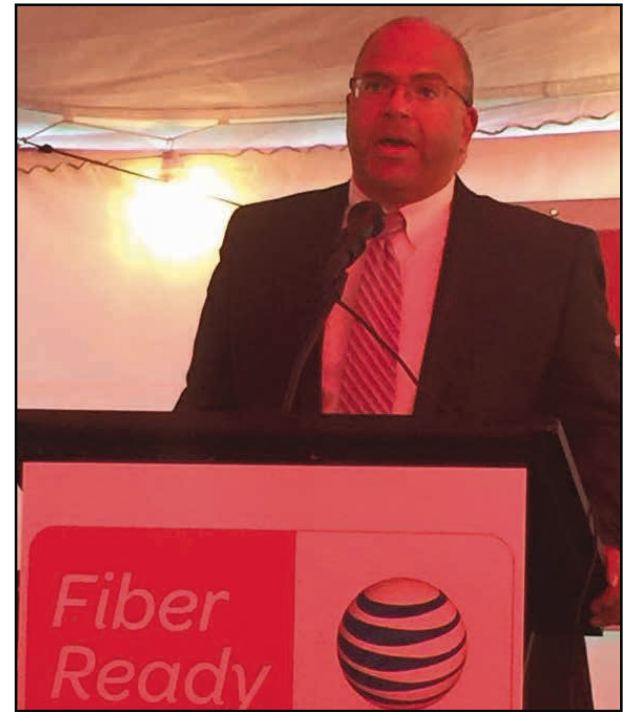
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Kevin Dobson takes position at Tri-Star Trust Bank as Investment Associate

SAGINAW, Mich. – Tri-Star Trust Bank welcomes Kevin Dobson to its Saginaw office location. Dobson joins the Tri-Star team as an Investment Associate who will work directly with Tri-Star's Chief Investment Officer, Steven Witten, and the entire Investment Department. Dobson brings finance management and reporting experience to his new role at Tri-Star, previously having served as Special Education Finance Coordinator of the Saginaw Intermediate School District and Business Manager of the International Academy of Saginaw.

A native of England, Dobson is a former member of the Royal British Army. He received his Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting from Saginaw Valley State University.

"Kevin will be a valuable addition to the Investment team," said Steven Witten. "His analytical and people skills will allow him to make an immediate contribution. It's a credit to Tri-Star that we as an organization are able to attract such bright, energetic, and talented individuals. I'm excited for the role Kevin will play in Tri-Star's future."

Dobson and his family reside in Freeland, where his wife, Joy, teaches third grade, and their three daughters attend school. He believes strongly in giving back to the community, taking part in several nonprofit organizations such as the St. Agnes Church, Underground Railroad, and Relay for Life among others.



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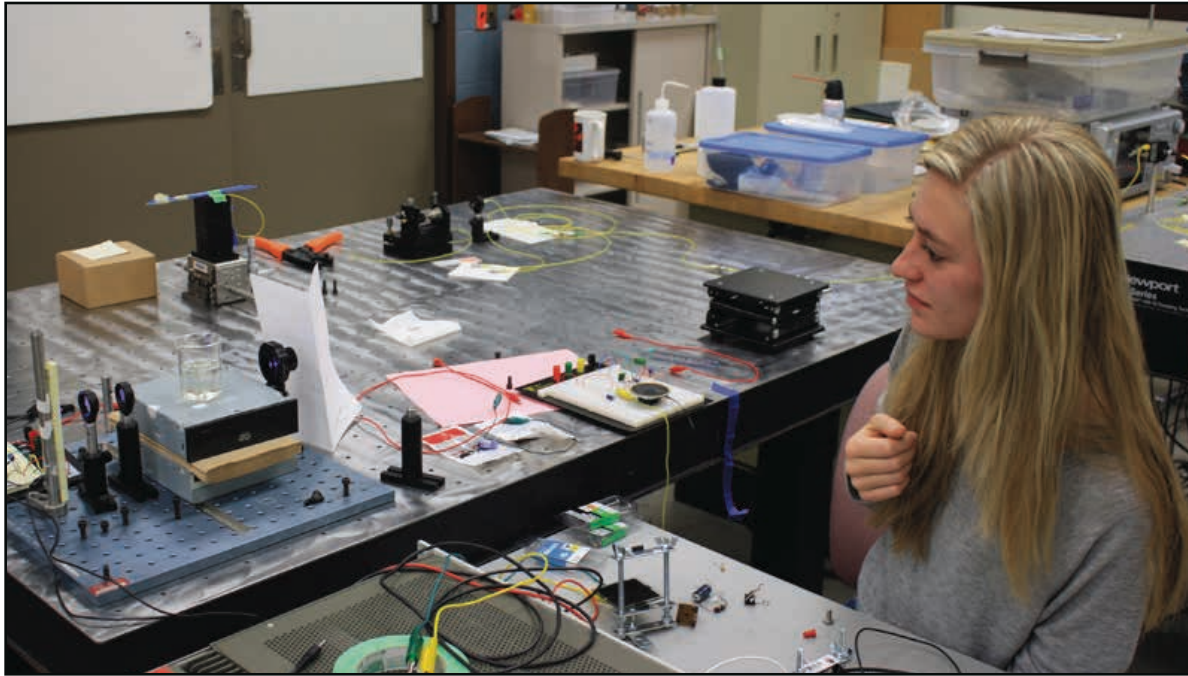
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CMU receives \$5 million from The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation

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Mount Pleasant, Mich. - A \$5 million donation from The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation to Central Michigan University will fund efforts to put middle school students throughout the Great Lakes Bay Region on a path toward STEM careers — those in science, technology, engineering and math.

The substantial investment, received by CMU's College of Education and Human Services, will fund creation and delivery of programming and educational experiences for children aged 10 to 15 and professional development for their teachers.

"This gift from The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation is a direct investment in children and in employers who desperately need highly skilled STEM professionals," CMU President George E. Ross said.

"We at Central Michigan University are proud to leverage our 123-year history of leadership in teacher education and to have been selected to spearhead this massive,

groundbreaking effort to improve the lives of our youth and the economy of the region."

The initiative will be coordinated through CMU's Center for Excellence in STEM Education.

"In 2014, we joined our partners to fund an assessment of STEM education resources in the Great Lakes Bay Region," said Mike Whiting, president of The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation. "Some of the findings of the STEM Impact Study were that the STEM teacher pipeline is declining and there is limited STEM-focused professional development. One of the recommendations was to improve fifth- through eighth-grade math achievement. We are pleased to support CMU and its initiative to directly address these issues."

The CMU project will include efforts such as design and deployment of:

- math and science tutoring resources;
- project-based STEM learning experiences such as drone camps, software engineering

and programming opportunities, environmental science research, and tinkering studios;

- opportunities for children and teachers to connect with STEM industry experts;
- on-site programs for girls, students of color, economically disadvantaged and rural populations;
- daylong workshops and a weeklong STEM Summer Institute that arm teachers to better integrate STEM into their classrooms;
- a weeklong research program at the CMU Biological Station on Beaver Island; and
- local experiential learning nights for students and families.

The donation funds programming for five years and creates an endowment that will allow activities to continue beyond that. It is one of the two largest private foundation gifts ever awarded to CMU. The other was a \$5 million contribution, also from The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation, in 2000 for CMU's College of Health Professions.

"The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation is a major influence in helping to set and pursue a dynamic vision for the region," said Dale-Elizabeth Pehrsson, dean of the College of Education and Human Services. "This grant will fuel essential collaboration among middle schools, CMU, other colleges and universities, employers, and community leaders.

"The Great Lakes Bay Region already is a leader in STEM through its major corporations, newer technology companies and health care providers," she said. "With this gift engaging our youth in the excitement and power of STEM fields, the region will be an ever-greater hub in science, technology, engineering and math, producing tremendous outcomes for our communities and our residents."

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It Takes a Village to Build Safe Schools and Healthy Students



Tiffany Pruitt Courtesy Photo

By Tiffany L. Pruitt, Saginaw Public Schools' Parent Family & Community Engagement Specialist

There is an old African proverb that states that "it takes a village to raise a child." With that wisdom in mind, Saginaw Public Schools through its' Safe Schools Healthy Students initiative, is hoping to raise students' academic achievement levels by teaming up with community organizations that will help families, students, and staff better understand social and emotional behaviors that impact student success.

"Safe School Healthy Students is a collaborative effort between schools, parents, families, students and other youth-serving organizations, proven to be successful in creating safe and secure schools in communities," said Lisa Coney, Project Manager for Saginaw Public Schools Safe Schools Healthy Students project.

The Safe Schools Healthy Students initiative was first implemented to address youth violence and promote wellness of children, youth, and families in communities. In 2013, Saginaw Public Schools was selected as one of three Michigan pilot communities to receive the Safe Schools Healthy Students four-year grant. Through the U.S. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMSHA), Michigan Department of Education, and Michigan Department of Community Health, this collaboration affords opportunities for state and local education agencies and community organizations to work together on coordinated

programs.

"Safe Schools Healthy Students recognizes that schools alone do not have the capacity to respond effectively to the broad range of the social and emotional needs of students," Coney said. "Therefore, Safe Schools Healthy Students strengthens the role of schools as healthy learning environments that support the academic, social, and emotional growth of students."

Through collaboration with law enforcement, juvenile justice, social service, mental health agencies and other community agencies, Safe Schools Healthy Students are implementing programming that focus on five elements that will promote and sustain a safe and healthy environment for all stakeholders. By creating a safe place for students and their families, Saginaw Public Schools is developing a culture and climate that is conducive to learning, thus preparing students to become productive citizens that make positive contributions to society. The five core elements of the Safe Schools Healthy Students project are:

Element 1: Promoting Early Childhood Social & Emotional Learning & Development:

This means not only will Saginaw Public Schools address the needs of our younger youth in Pre- K, but will also provide opportunities for parents and families to learn about the different stages of social and emotional learning and development. Social and emotional learning is highly important for helping pre- school children to understand and manage their emotions, feel and show empathy for others, establish healthy relationships, set positive goals and make responsible decisions. By integrating social and emotional learning into the early childhood school curriculum, SPSSD is creating a foundation that will prevent risky behaviors, such as bullying, violence, drug use and dropping out of school as student's transition in the different stages of development and learning.

Element 2: Promoting Mental, Emotional, and Behavioral Health: Individuals will have the opportunity to enhance the appropriate task and skills for youth overall well- being. This includes teaching coping skills, promoting pro- social behaviors, decision- making, self-awareness and positive relationship building. Students will have access to community mental

health providers that will help facilitate students' access to school – based services. School staff, students, parents, and community partners will be provided with strategies for identifying and working with students with mental health needs, mental health awareness, and crisis prevention. The potential benefits of promoting mental, emotional, and behavioral health are the greatest when efforts are focused on young people and schools offer a natural setting to foster such promotion.

Element 3: Connecting Families, Schools, and Community: Families, schools and communities are linked together to strengthen and increase the quality of involvement and engagement among families, schools, and communities related to planning and implementing programs and activities that assist students. Parents, staff, and community partners will have the opportunity to receive free training and be linked to diverse resources that focus on parenting, communicating, volunteering, learning at home, decision making, and collaborating with the community. Special emphasis will be placed on promoting pro- social behaviors and skills to parents on safety, violence prevention, and much more. Research shows that when parents and families are involved in all aspects of the educational process, students' grades and test scores improve, negative social behaviors are decreased, graduation rates increase and there are more positive established relationships among students and their peers, teachers, families and the community.

Element 4: Preventing Behavioral Health Problems: Students and their families have access to programs and activities that will prevent and reduce behavioral health problems, which includes substance abuse. Stakeholders will be engaged in team and individual evidence- based support programs aimed at giving students healthy alternatives to drug use such as participation in "Prevention Plus Wellness Sport" which gives students access to workout facilities and personal trainers that not only provide physical training, but resources to prevent substance abuse. In addition, to combat behavioral health problems, Safe Schools Healthy Students will implement the "Project toward No Drug Use."

JUMP TO PG 18, IT TAKES A VILLAGE

FROM PG 17, IT TAKES A VILLAGE

Element 5: *Creating Safe and Violence-Free Schools:* In order to create safe and violent-free schools, activities, programs and services have been put in place for students, families, staff, and community partners to address issues, conditions, behaviors, and structures that contribute to unsafe school environments and violence in schools. Restorative Justice practices strategies and training is provided for stakeholders. A diversity of school safety workshops for students, parents, and staff and community partners are provided as well as professional resource training for the district security staff. In addition, a “Think Respect Pledge” is integrated with school culture and climate initiatives to promote pro-social behavior. The implementation of Element 5 will afford on-going opportunities to reduce exposure to aggressive behavior and violence in schools and to improve the safety for all students, which in turns, decreases the amount of out of school suspensions, lost of instructional time, and other factors that can have a negative impact on the academic and social success of students.

Safe Schools Healthy Students currently receives the following community support for implementation of the core project goals:

- Bodies By Ron
- Department of Health and Human Services/ Pathways to Potential
- Health Delivery Inc. School Based Health Centers
- Local Law Enforcement Agencies
- Prevention and Youth Services
- Saginaw County Community Mental Health/ Saginaw MAX System of Care
- Saginaw Intermediate School District
- Saginaw Public Schools Parents & Families
- Sodexo Magic

For more information about the Saginaw Public Schools’ Safe Schools Healthy Students program and services or to learn about partnership opportunities, contact Project Manager Lisa Coney at (989) 399-6592.

For parent, family and community engagement activities and services, contact Tiffany L. Pruitt, Parent Family & Community Engagement Specialist at (989) 399-6593.

You may also visit www.ssh.samhsa.gov/ for more information on SAMHSA’s Federal Safe Schools Healthy Students Initiative.



News Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

FREE PARENT WORKSHOP

Talking to Teens about Abstinence and Sexuality!

On **Saturday November 14, 2015 from 11:30am-2pm at Victorious Believers Ministries (624 S. Outer Dr Saginaw, 48601)**, Health Delivery, Inc. along with Victorious Believers Ministries will be hosting the nationally recognized **Talk Early & Talk Often** parent workshop! The two-hour workshop is **free of charge** and will help parents and caregivers of middle and high school youth recognize and use opportunities to open the door for conversation and to listen and respond with greater confidence and skill. **Lunch will be provided at the workshop, and a drawing for prizes will be held at the end of the workshop. This will be an adult only workshop. No childcare services will be provided.**

Parents are the prime educators of their children. Continued communication at home is vital in helping unprepared youth avoid serious consequences of pregnancy, HIV and sexually transmitted diseases.

For nearly a decade, **Talk Early & Talk Often** has consistently received high praise from parents, educators and community leaders. The workshop was developed with support from several state agencies working in the area of teen pregnancy prevention.

Parents or caregivers may pre-register for this workshop by calling or emailing:

Amanda Forsmark at 989-399-6125 or aforsmark@helathdelivery.org

Or

**Devonya Brown at 989-907-2737 or dbrown@healthdelivery.org
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*For program information, the media may contact
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Resource Parent Training

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Resource Parent Training is a curriculum that was developed out of the work of the National Children's Traumatic Stress Network. It is an 8-module training format that is led by a parent and clinician.

This Training was initially developed for foster parents; however, it has since been adapted to train all forms of caregivers, including the community at large as well as system partners.

This program is presented in cooperation with Saginaw County Community Mental Health Authority, Saginaw MAX System of Care, and parent partners.

For more information, contact Ashley Wilcox at 989-272-7229 or awilcox@sccmha.org

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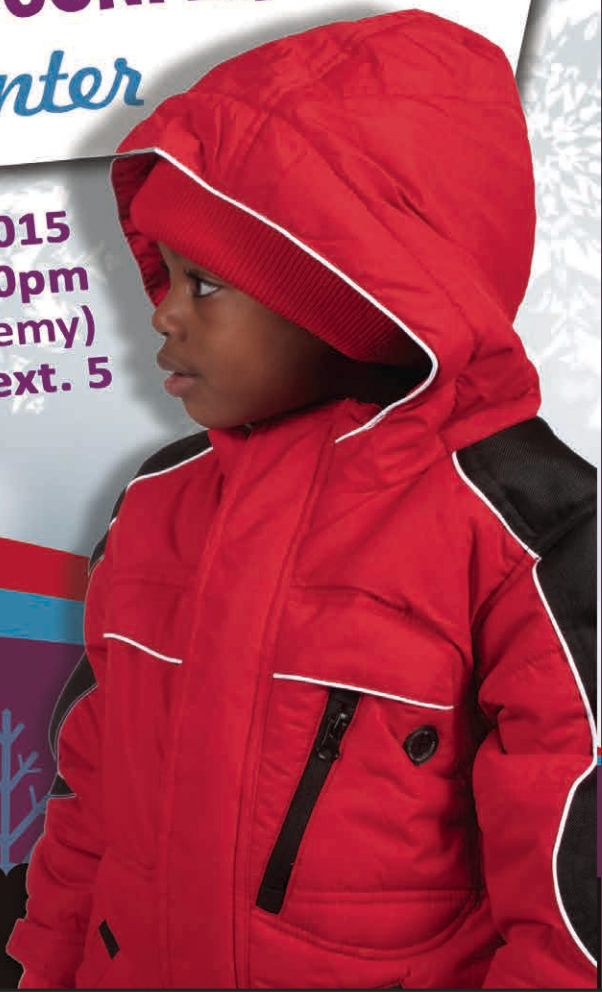
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COMMUNITY

SVSU graduate overcomes medical struggles, moves on to medical school



Micah Whitehead Courtesy Photo

University Center, Mich. - Micah Whitehead's career goal is to work as a cardiothoracic surgeon, helping patients experiencing problems with their hearts and lungs.

It's a goal that felt far-fetched to the Saginaw native not so long ago, when he struggled with his own medical issues. But now – fueled by his own perseverance, the support of faculty and staff at Saginaw Valley State University, and a second chance offered by his current school – Whitehead is on his way to achieving that goal.

After graduating SVSU in May with a bachelor's degree in biochemistry, Whitehead has embarked on a 5-year path to a medical degree from Michigan State University College

of Human Medicine. He started school at the East Lansing campus in July, enrolled in the school's Advance Baccalaureate Learning Experience (ABLE) program, a year-long initiative offered by the College of Human Medicine for disadvantaged students.

"SVSU provided me with the best foundation possible so that I can succeed in this rigorous program," Whitehead said.

Whitehead is one of 12 students currently enrolled in the program. Those who graduate from ABLE earn admission to the College of Human Medicine's traditional courses.

"I don't think I would be in this position if I hadn't gone to SVSU," he said. "I developed a strong support system there."

Whitehead applied to the program because his college transcripts reflect medical struggles he experienced during his sophomore year at SVSU, when he was diagnosed with Crohn's disease, which causes inflammation of the lining of the digestive tract. His medical struggles led him to withdraw from several courses that year.

Those struggles could have made applying for enrollment at medical schools - which accept students heavily based on high-achieving college transcript records - a futile effort. But Whitehead said his supporters and mentors at SVSU helped him regain his footing academically.

Among those supporters was Heidi Lang, SVSU's pre-health professions advisor. Lang serves as advisor to SVSU's Health Professions Association, a group that prepares students for graduate and professional schools relating to health professions. Whitehead was a member of the group while he attended SVSU, serving as its president during his senior year. He credited Lang's guidance in part for his admission to medical school.

"There were times when I was freaking out about something at 9 at night, and I would text her about it," Whitehead said. "Whatever it was, she would take care of it."

Lang said Whitehead is an outstanding

student because of his passion for learning as well as his leadership.

"I see him as having incredible potential," Lang said. "He is somebody who has such a heart and passion for serving others. Micah has the sensitivity, intelligence and the fortitude to be an excellent physician. He possesses great empathy for others and provides a listening ear for many of his peers. They seek him out."

Whitehead said he enjoys helping students in the early stages of developing an interest in the health professions.

"I found out through the Health Professions Association that most of the younger students are kind of lost," Whitehead said. "I remember being in their shoes, so I like to give them the kind of advice that was given to me. I love being a mentor to others."

Less than one semester into his time as an Michigan State University medical student, Whitehead is excited about the opportunity ABLE provides.

"The ABLE program at MSU is absolutely miraculous," he said. "We are in extremely tough courses right now, and the same attention I received at SVSU is being provided here. I look forward to waking up, and spending my days in the Gross Anatomy labs."

He said SVSU faculty such as Gary Lange, professor of biology, and Tami Sivy, associate professor of chemistry, helped prepare him academically for his current studies.

"Dr. Lange, and especially Dr. Sivy, my biochemistry adviser and professor during my undergraduate degree, provided the extremely important foundational work that lets me learn the material at a much faster pace. It's like trying to take a drink from a fire hydrant with how intense it is. Without SVSU, and the faculty who helped support me, I'm not sure I would be succeeding as I am right now."

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SCARSP host First Meeting of 2015-2016



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Saginaw, Mich. - The Saginaw County Association of Retired School Personnel (SCARSP), the local chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel (MARSP), held its first monthly meeting for the 2015-2016 fiscal year on Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at the Hellenic Banquet Center in Saginaw Township. There were 193 members in attendance. The Saginaw County Association of Retired School Personnel (SCARSP) is the local chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel in Saginaw County and has over 900 members.

SCARSP members received an Overview of the Effects of Trauma On Children by the Saginaw Max System of Care. The guest presenters for the month of October were Keva Clark, M.ED, Family Involvement Coordinator for Saginaw Max System of Care and Kelley Blanck, LMSW, Technical Assistant and Training Coordinator for Saginaw Max System of Care and Mental Health Consultant to Saginaw County Community Mental Health Authority (SCCMHA). They enlightened the membership on "The Effects of Trauma on Children—Caring for Children Who Have Experienced Trauma: An Overview".

Even though there were 8 Modules in this curriculum, the presenters gave the membership a brief overview of awareness, challenges, myths to avoid, what trauma means, how to respond to traumatic stress, how children respond to trauma, how the brain forms

connections, invisible suitcase, how to be an emotional container, and building a safe place while staying connected and taking care of yourself. They stated that we, the community and educators, could be advocates for children who have experienced some form of trauma in their lives. The membership also learned that children bring their traumas with them into our homes, neighborhoods, and schools—basically everywhere they go. Many retired teachers and other school personnel stated that this information would have been very helpful to them in their classrooms and school settings.

The Saginaw County Association of Retired School Personnel meets monthly from October through June and updates its membership regarding changes in Health and Pension Benefits. Program topics are presented at each meeting in regards to local, state and federal legislation; health and medicine; schools/youth/education, and community. SCARSP also supports various charitable organizations and provide scholarships to graduating seniors from Saginaw county high schools who plan to go into the field of education as well as college students pursuing a degree in the field of education.

The Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel is the largest State Organization of retired teachers, administrators, secretaries, bus drivers, etc. in Michigan. MARSP is the premier advocate for all retired school personnel and ensure that member's voices and views are heard in Lansing. MARSP and local chapters are also reaching out to active educators in order to keep

everyone informed regarding educational, health, and pension issues. For more than 60 years, MARSP has been the only organization totally dedicated to promoting and supporting the rights and needs of retired public school personnel and serving as their legislative voice.

Today, MARSP has more than 100 chapters in Michigan, Florida, Arizona, Colorado, Tennessee and Texas. MARSP has more than 45,000 members in Michigan and throughout the U.S.

The Guest Speaker for the November 18th meeting will be Tina Bennett of Exceptional Horseback Riders of Saginaw County. In addition, there will be a special presentation from Central Michigan University's School of Medicine discussing an opportunity for retired teachers to become standardized patients. Working as a Standardized Patient (SP) provides a unique opportunity to be involved in shaping the medical education of tomorrow's physicians and health professionals.

If interested in attending SCARSP meetings and be on the cutting edge of receiving viable information, please contact Sue Umphrey at (989) 401-2783 or email her at susieu@chartermi.net for reservations. For membership information, you may contact Loretta Wittkopp at lewittkopp@gmail.com or Linda Sanborn at linda.sanborn@gmail.com

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SVSU Announces 2015 Homecoming Court

University Center, Mich. - Saginaw Valley State University students elected Brandon Jones, a business management major from Saginaw; and Charnae Keith, a social work major from Redford Township, as the university's 2015 Homecoming king and queen. They were crowned Saturday, Oct. 17, during halftime of SVSU's home football game against Lake Erie College.

Students initially elected Jones and Keith to the 10-student Homecoming Court earlier in the month. Then Jones and Keith, who are friends, campaigned for the Homecoming king and queen titles as a tandem.

"We were pushing each other," Keith said. "So, when they called his name, I was scared that they weren't going to call my name. That was another fear - we wanted to win together because we did the race together."

Keith said she felt relieved after hearing her name announced. She and Jones represented SVSU's Office of Multicultural Services.

A graduate of Saginaw High School, Jones said he was honored to be selected, but what really caught the public's attention was his

mother Tonya Jones' reaction when she heard her son's name announced as Homecoming king.

"My mom's reaction was priceless," Brandon Jones said. "The announcer didn't even finish my name before she started screaming and shouting."

Jones said he "never expected to win."

"Each candidate was amazing and could have received the crowns and I would have been just as happy," he said. "I am so grateful and so humbled."

The two were joined on the Homecoming Court by:

- Marianna Cuevas, a social work major from Tecumseh
- Kevin Finley, an accounting major from Flint
- Sam Hudson, an English major from Port Hope
- Samantha Hull, a management major from Clinton Township
- Riley Hupfer, a communication major from Freeland
- Keshara Mumford, a social work major from Eastpointe

international travel experience; only 12 students per year are chosen for the program. He remains connected to his community, as well, serving as a mentor for students at Saginaw High School.

Keith also is active on campus. She is a founding member of Pretty Brown Girls, a registered student organization for female minority students; she also is a member of Valley Voices Gospel Choir and the Student Social Work Organization. Keith also serves as a mentor to other SVSU students through the King-Chavez-Parks 4-S P.A.S.S. grant, a program designed to increase graduation rates through effective instruction, counseling strategies, tutoring, and mentoring programs.



SVSU students Charnae Keith, left, and Brandon Jones immediately following their coronation as 2015 Homecoming king and queen. (Photo courtesy Mike Randolph, SVSU)

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Stand Beside Her

By Mel and Pearl Shaw
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Stand Beside Her is an example of a powerful new advocacy campaign launched by Girl Scouts Heart of the South. This national campaign encourages women and girls to support each other. It's a bold move to reduce comparisons and competition amongst women. The goal: changing our culture so every girl and woman can reach her fullest potential.

There's something wrong when women are more than 50% of the population and we still ask ourselves "why are women underrepresented in so many aspects of our society?" At a minimum change requires new public policies, new ways of interacting with each other, new roles for men, and a change in consciousness. Stand Beside Her focuses on how we treat each other as women and encourages us to change negative behaviors we have internalized, normalized and may not even be aware of.

This is no small goal. Like most advocacy campaigns it's about a big vision. It's right up there with curing HIV/AIDS, breast cancer, and Alzheimer's disease. Securing marriage equality. Eliminating racism.

Here are a few things we learned: 67% of women rate mentorship as highly important in helping to advance and grow their careers, yet 63% of women never has had a formal mentor. 39% of girls have been put down or discouraged when trying to lead. And, 92% of teen girls would like to change something about the way they look, with their body weight ranking the highest.

Girls are watching us and listening to us. How do we treat each other? And how do we treat ourselves? Each of us can be part of the solution. Invite a junior colleague for coffee. Introduce something new to your daughter. Create a mentoring program at work. Ensure you are an informed voter. Avoid negative words and phrases. Encourage others through your words. Volunteer and donate to help girls and women.

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PRAISE CONNECTIONS & LIFE

Emmanuel Catholic Church Co-Pastor to be Consecrated



Father James McCarthy Courtesy Photo

Emmanuel Catholic Church, 403 South Jefferson Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48607 announces that its Co-Pastor, Father James McCarthy, SGS will be consecrated as the first "Bishop of the Diocese of the Western Orthodox Catholic Church in America's new Diocese of St. Andrew" at a vigil mass on Saturday, November 21, 2015 at 4:00 PM in the sanctuary of First Congregational Church, 403 South Jefferson Avenue. Presiding will be +Bishop Christopher Fitzpatrick, +Archbishop Paul Seese, and +Bishop Robert Welch. The public is invited to attend the mass. A reception will follow the mass in the Church's Bradley House fellowship room. Emmanuel Catholic Church's

mission is to offer the gifts of Jesus to all who ask. Their doors are always open to the public. Jesus calls, and they answer. Rev. Father Chuck Howley is an Associate Pastor, Rev. Father Al Schexnauldre is a Celebrant, and Michael Kowalski is the Music Minister.

First Congregational Church is an acoustically-superb building, which dates to 1867, and is located on the corner of South Jefferson Avenue and Hayden Street in downtown Saginaw. The congregation, gathered in the 1857, is affiliated with the United Church of Christ, and rents out space to Emmanuel Catholic Church for its 9:00 AM Sunday mass, held each Sunday morning in the John Iliff Chapel.

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November 2nd
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*Soup & Frybread provided



Annual Food Taster

November 9th
Bovee University Center Rotunda
5:00pm-7:00pm
Admission \$5 students/\$7 General Public or
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followed by dance demonstration.

Soup & Substance: Indian 101

November 10th
Bovee University Center Terrace Rooms A-D
12:00pm-1:00pm
Native American Activism: LaDonna Harris, founder and
President of Americans for Indian Opportunity



Indian 101: with LaDonna Harris Documentary & Discussion

November 10th
Pearce Hall 128
6:00pm-8:00pm
Native American Activism: LaDonna Harris,
founder and President of Americans for Indian Opportunity
Documentary running time: 63 minutes

VETERANS DAY: Way of the Warrior Documentary & Discussion with: David Perez, Ogitchidaw Warrior Society

November 11th
Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College: West Room 2
12:00pm-3:30pm



Dakota 38: Documentary & Discussion

November 18th
Bovee University Center Auditorium
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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Joseph Boyden

November 19th
Anspach 161
6:30pm-8:00pm
*Book signing following

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He is best known for Three Day Road and Through Black Spruce.

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i am *a runner* *and go-getter*

For Lauren Little, it's all about making connections. The rhetoric and professional writing major spends her summers volunteering and works during the school year giving tours as a Club Red ambassador and an Orientation Leader. "A student's mom came up to me years after she took a campus tour, and she wanted to say hi," Lauren said. "That's the kind of connection I want to make."

Lauren hopes to go on to pursue a master's degree in Chicago and eventually to run her own public relations firm. Waking every day at 5:30 a.m., Lauren organizes her life around running, but ask her, and she'll tell you that learning is the top priority. "Education is my all, and SVSU is truly home for me; it makes it that much easier for me to love what I do every day. I simply love everything it has to offer — the campus life and all the opportunities for growth."

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