Pigeon Chamber plans '96 promotion schedule

While it can be a challenge to plan events once a month, week, month at a time, the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce is striving to work on its six month calendar a year in advance and a half ahead of time.

Finalizing Pigeon's 1996 Calendar events, completing plans for this year's "Country Christmas" promotion and announcing 1996 officers rounded out the agenda for last Monday night's First General Member Meeting held at Scheurer Hospital.

Led by President Edwin Eichler, Chamber members in attendance discussed retail Christmas hours, and were encouraged to closely follow them this holiday season.

Suggested hours include Sundays from Nov. 26 through Dec. 24, 2 to 4 p.m., Friday evenings until 8 p.m. and every evening the week before Christmas until 11 p.m.

While some Chamber members are looking forward to observing Christmas Eve Sunday, Dec. 24 as a holiday, many other members plan to conduct "business as usual," noting that many last minute shoppers depend upon them being open.

Pigeon's 1996 Calendar of events has been slated with the following dates:

Jan. 19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28... "New Beginnings "
March 6-10-16-18-20-21... "Mad About Quilts"
April 6-11... "Lamb's on the Street"
May 3, 10... "Moonlight Madness"
July 17... "Tri-City Oktoberfest"
July 23-25... "Farmers' Festival"
Aug. 25... "Com Rast"
Sept. 14... "Hog Wild Day"
Oct. 18-19... "Fall Heritage Days"
Nov. 21-22-23... "Christmas Extravaganza"

St. John's Cookie Walk is Dec. 9

How far would you walk for a few delicious cookies? You don't need to walk far if you visit St. John's Episcopal Church on Sand Point on Saturday, Dec. 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.

To get into the Christmas spirit, members of the church invite you to walk through the church's Parish Hall and select from a vast array of decorated Christmas cookies.

There are usually 65-70 varieties of delicious cookies, from sugar cookies to fruit bars to gingersnaps, oatmeal bars, butter balls, nut crescents, poppyseed balls and much more.

Production of the cookies starts as early as October by the women of the church, who batch bake the cookies and freeze them for baking in December.

The morning of Dec. 9, the freshly-baked cookies are brought to the Hall and arranged on long tables. As customers arrive, they purchase the choice of cookies they have selected as they write their names on a card to receive their cookies. The remaining cookies are sold to the public.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!
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The Newsweekly’s Catalog of Christmas Gifts

The Newsweekly is pleased to offer here a selection of worthy local organizations who have a list of 'Christmas Wishes' during the holiday season and all year long. While we are all busy with the 'hustle and bustle' of Christmas preparations, now is the time to find ways to help others who are less fortunate. Here is a thoughtful way to finish up your Christmas shopping.'
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**Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center**

Christmas Services

- **Services Offered:**
  - Counseling
  - Advocacy

- **Contact Information:**
  - P.O. Box 726, Caseville, MI 48725
  - Phone: 810-334-7530

- **Support:**
  - Contributions can be made to the center directly or through local businesses.

**Caseville Community Christmas Fund**

- **Purpose:**
  - Support children and families in need.

- **Contact:**
  - Colleen Poisson
  - 7022 Woodfield, Caseville or Marie Quinn at Box 112, Caseville.

**Huron County Department of Social Services**

- **Services Provided:**
  - Assist families in need of government assistance.

- **Support:**
  - Donations can be made directly or through local businesses.

**CA/N**

- **Mission:**
  - Prevention and education.

- **Contact:**
  - Huron County CA/N Council
  - 1125 Second Street, Bad Axe, MI 48415

**Friends for Life Hospice**

- **Support:**
  - Gifts for patients in need.

**Pigeon Area Food Pantry**

- **Mission:**
  - Provide food to those in need.

**Huron Memorial Hospital**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund hospital services.

**Bremen Foundation to**

- **Pigeon District Library**
  - 7236 Nitz St, Pigeon, MI 48755

**Habitat for Humanity Upper Thumb Chapter**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help build homes for families in need.

- **Contact:**
  - Ellen Rutherford, Treasurer
  - Box 111, Bad Axe, MI 48413

**Scheurer Hospital**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund hospital services.

- **Contact:**
  - 170 N. Caseville Rd., Pigeon, MI 48755

**Winor Township Firemen**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund fire station.

- **Contact:**
  - Mike LePage, Treasurer
  - Box 704, Michigan Area, Pigeon, MI 48755

**Bay Port Community Food Pantry**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund food bank.

- **Contact:**
  - Bay Port Community Food Pantry
  - 46 Westland Dr., Bad Axe, MI 48413

**H.E.L.P.**

- **Mission:**
  - Help and support for local families.

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund programs.

**USA Caring & Sharing Program**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund programs.

**Local Arts Groups**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund local arts programs.

**Scheurer Hospital**

- **Support:**
  - Donations to help fund hospital services.

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Elenbaum shares holidays with Father Christmas

By WALT RUMMEL

At calendar move into the next month, the scenery of the Christmas season, a season that is always marked by the spirit of giving. This is the time for men and women to give gifts to their loved ones. As the days grow shorter, the holiday season begins to unfold. The lights of Christmas trees sparkle in the windows of homes, and the sound of carols fills the air. It is a time of joy and happiness, a time to share with family and friends.

The tradition of giving gifts dates back to ancient times. In many cultures, it was customary to exchange gifts as a way of cementing relationships and expressing love. In the Christian tradition, the gift of a manger to baby Jesus is a symbol of the love and sacrifice of God. In the Jewish tradition, the gift of gold, frankincense, and Myrrah to baby Jesus is a symbol of the love and devotion of the Three Wise Men.

Christmas Wagon is ready to tour Sebewa

By DUANE QUERNERT

Sebewa will have a special Christmas Wagon to travel throughout the area. The wagon will be decorated with lights and garlands, and will be pulled by a horse or a donkey. It will be a perfect way to enjoy the holiday spirit and get into the Christmas spirit.

SANTA GETS HIS Christmas Wagon ready for the tour

The Christmas Wagon will be a special attraction for all who visit Sebewa. It will be a wonderful way to celebrate the season and get into the Christmas spirit.

Ambulance Services Need Help!

Applications now being accepted for our EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN TRAINING COURSE

Class is held Tuesday & Thursday 8 - 1 pm
January 31, 2017 - June 29, 2017
Application Deadline: January 20, 2017

All interested citizens are encouraged to apply. Applicants must be at least 18 years old and be a high school graduate. The course will cover topics such as first aid, CPR, and emergency medical procedures.

Christmas Specials

WHIRLPOOL ELECTRIC RANGE

Model 51
- 31 Cu. Ft.
- 16" Bar & Oven

Model 36
- 22 Cu. Ft.
- Min $395.95

NOW ONLY

Save Up To 70%

$329.95

$199.95

Husqvarna FOREST & GARDEN

REX BINDER SALES

1264 E. Caro Rd. (517) 673-4367 CADO

Christmas Specials

All Artificial Trees

10-30% off Wide Selection For You To Choose From.
- Nut Trees
- Wreaths
- Handmade Crafts
- Special Orders Taken

Florida Air Specials

First Class Round Trip

Detroit Special Rates

$149.00

(with tax)

Adventures In Travel

(810) 743-3117

126 W. Huron - Downtown Carson
From The Pages Of
The Unionville Crescent

75 YEARS AGO
NOV. 12, 1920
Roswell Fox has taken
charge of the woodworking
department at Schwartz’s
Blacksmith Shop.

In the wrestling match bet-
 tween Walter Gelinsky and
Frank Labrit last Saturday
 evenning, Gelinsky was an
easy winnen in just nine min-
teas. A large crowd was in
attendance.

55 YEARS AGO
NOV. 7, 1930
Born Friday, Oct. 31, at Unionville Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Uhl, a daugh-
ter, Kathlene.
The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Keyser, (Bihel Tubbell), five miles south-
est of Unionville burned Wednesday noon. Nearly all contents were saved.

55 YEARS AGO
NOV. 8, 1930
Chas. Thomas is fishing this
week with two boats, the
Samoser and the Venetia. It
just
off the bar. He is securing
some perch but the greater
amount of his catch is bur-
ning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold
Becker returned home Sun-
day from their honeymoon
trip through the northern part
of Michigan and Wisconsin.

45 YEARS AGO
NOV. 10, 1950
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoppe, 482 Main, Unionville, Nov. 2, at Mercy Hospital, Bay City:
Mrs. Hoppe is the former
Gertrude Kramer.

Leon Swail was cut pick-
ing corn last week. Leon had
his left foot cut off several
weeks ago in a combine but is
getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Black and family have moved into the
Prentis home west of Unionville formerly occu-
pied by the Peter Schuchas.

30 YEARS AGO
NOV. 10, 1965
Mrs. Marge Aichmacher
and family have moved into
the Milan Bush house.

Carol Elizabeth Guth became
the bride of Daniel D.
Buttlered Saturday, Oct. 22
at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church.

25 YEARS AGO
NOV. 12, 1970
A break-in at Unionville
Community School biddi-
ages and losses between
$1,000 and $1,500. Head cus-
todian Don Striter discovered the break in Wednesday morning, Nov. 4 when he ar-
ived at work at 5:20 a.m.

Unionville Junior Varsity
football team, coached by
Roger Reman, completed an
undated season with a
solid 44-28 win over arch-
ival Sebewaing.

A son, Mark John II, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark
Wiese Wednesday, Nov. 4.

Mrs. Wiese is the former
Sue Blehem of Unionville.

15 YEARS AGO
NOV. 12, 1980
Arlman Brian Duke, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Duke
of Fairgrove, has been as-
signed to Lowry Air Force
Base, CO, after completing
Air Force basic training.

Elected as executive offi-
cers of Tuscola County Farm
Bureau at a recent meeting of
the board of directors were
David Sting of Unionville,
President; John Roek, Jr. of
Clifford, Vice-President; Ken-
neth Hofmeister of Gage-
town, Member of Executive
Committees: Loretta Kirk-
patrick, Secretary-Treasurer.

50 YEARS AGO
NOV. 9, 1945
Sgt. George Kuhl met with
his brother, CPL. Kenneth
Kuhl, who was stationed in
LeHarve, France, on Nov. 5.

Koen served with the 5th Ar-
mored Division and George
with the 3rd Infantry Divi-
sion, 7th Infantry Regiment.

Rev. G.F. Wacker cele-
brated his 30th anniversary
as pastor of St. John’s Luther-
ian Church at Bemid on Sun-
day. He was presented with a
purse of money.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bin-
dler, Pigeon, celebrated their
25th wedding anniversary with
friends and family.

Regan L. Eberle, Bay
Port and Gordon Dafer,
Gwendale, have been recom-
pended for postmasters of
their respective towns.

70 YEARS AGO
NOV. 13, 1935
Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew
Binnder, both of Pigeon, cele-
bated their 25th wedding an-
iversary with friends and
family. They were presented
with a purse of money.

Mr. and Mrs. John F.
Conn, of Owosso, are the
parents of a daughter, Betty
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