

## Grass Lake Alumni Update – June 16, 2015

### Grass Lake Farmers Market and “Music in the Park” Tomorrow Night –

Once again the Farmers Market will be open at the Whistlestop Park tomorrow night, Wednesday, June 17, at 5:00 PM, joined by “Music in the Park”. GLHS alum Joe DeBoe will be presenting “Ghostriker Karaoke” as entertainment for the night beginning at 6:00 PM.

Coming up at “Music in the Park”:

July 1 – The Bickel Brothers

July 15 – Mojo Lite

July 29 – Kelly Trudell

August 5 – Ian Stewart

August 19 – “Tasters Choice” with Dan Hawes and Jim Kaiser

September 2 – Acoustic Duo “Double Down” with Rob Whitaker and Curt Lingo

September 16 – Paul “The Piano Guy”

### Grass Lake Traffic Jam’In Will Be Held July 10 and 11 This Year –

If you are around town stop in at the Grass Lake Community Events Park adjacent to the car wash for nights full of entertainment, refreshment, food, games, and good times. On Saturday night GLHS Alumnus Kris Hitchcock and his band Small Town Son will again headline the show. In addition to Jam’In, Grass Lake will once again host boat races on July 11 and 12. Also, there will be the Traffic Jam’In 5K Run/Walk and 1 Mile Fun Run on Friday, July 10. Go to <http://www.grasslakechamber.org/images/2015trafficjam5k.pdf> for more information and to register. Go to <http://www.grasslakechamber.org/traffic-jamin-2013.html> to keep track of the events.

### Emily Sioma Headed for Miss Michigan Competition -

We wish good luck to 2012 GLHS alumnus Emily Sioma as she prepares for the Miss Michigan competition this week after winning the Miss Jackson Crossroads 2015 title earlier this year.

[http://www.mlive.com/news/jackson/index.ssf/2015/06/two\\_jackson\\_women\\_headed\\_to\\_mi.html#incart\\_river](http://www.mlive.com/news/jackson/index.ssf/2015/06/two_jackson_women_headed_to_mi.html#incart_river)



### **Tim White Recognized -**

Recently 1973 GLHS alumnus Tim White was recognized for his work with students teaching them about nature. Well done Tim. Tim is shown below getting recognition for all the love he gives his students and the school. Well done Tim. Your students are very fortunate to have your knowledge and enthusiasm.



### **GLMS 8<sup>th</sup> Grader Completes Eagle Scout Project –**

"Thank you" to Boy Scout Troop 312 member Daniel Fowler for completing his beautification project at Grass Lake Middle School, which was his Eagle Scout project. And thank you B&G Landscape Creations for your donations towards this project! The results are beautiful and we appreciate the planning and work that went into the project by Daniel and his friends. Well done Daniel!



### Grass Lake Community Sports and Trails Recreation Park Continues its Improvements -

For those of you who are not aware of the Grass Lake Community Sports and Trails Recreation Park, it is located on Willis Road just over the railroad tracks from W. Michigan Avenue west of the Village of Grass Lake. Well over \$500,00 in cash, time, materials and equipment donations and hours of volunteer time have been put into this excellent facility by private sources, local businesses, and the Chelsea-Area Wellness Foundation to bring it from a former weedy cornfield to a beautiful recreation area that serves hundreds of people every weekend. We continue to get congratulatory comments from folks from out of town on the beauty and functionality of this park. Thank you to everyone who has contributed. *(Thank you to Dale Fisher for his aerial photo of the park taken on Memorial Day, 2015.)*





### **Last Day of School –**

Our students left school for the summer on Wednesday, June 10. Below our elementary teachers wave goodbye to our students on the last day of school.



### **Grass Lake Area Historical Society Presents Its Quilt Show and the Interurban Car this Saturday -**

Grass Lake Area Historical Society is holding its 4th Annual Quilt Show as our 2015 Opening Day Event on Saturday, June 20. Unbelievable vintage and contemporary quilts and quilted items will be displayed throughout the Coe House Museum. The museum is located at the corner of W. Michigan Ave and Wolf Lake Road.

Interurban Car 29 will also be available for viewing in the village barn behind the village office on Lake St. All of you who have been keeping track of the progress on this huge renovation will be amazed to see the progress being made.

Events are held from 11:00 - 3:00 and, as always, are presented free of charge for our many visitors. Donations are welcome.



### **B&G Landscape Creation Donates 3<sup>rd</sup> Tree to George Long Elementary School –**

Greg Cagney of B&G Landscape Creations has continued his tradition of donating a tree to the school in the name of the outgoing 5<sup>th</sup> grade class as they prepare to enter Grass Lake Middle School. His donations continue to beautify the west side of the building. Thanks Greg!



### **Warrior Softball Team Wins 6<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Conference Championship**

Congratulations to our Lady Warriors Varsity Softball team for capturing their 6th consecutive Cascades Conference championship last night against Manchester. By taking both ends of their double header, the Warriors finished the conference season 14-0. Well done ladies and congratulations Coach! Go Warriors! <http://highschoolsports.mlive.com/.../grass-lake-softball-re.../>

