Rachel Clark on the Mend

by Rose Clark
Rachel Clark had her back surgery November 16 at Mott Children’s Hospital in Ann Arbor. The surgery went as well as expected and she is expected to have a complete and full recovery. She will be missing about four weeks of school as she is recovering at home. Cards or phone calls or text messages (or she is on Facebook) would be appreciated.

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Proposed By-Law Changes

by Bruce Birr
1) Change Article IV (Membership), Section 1, Subsection A, part (2) to read “(2) Family - One or more adults living in the same household and their related children through High School. (italics replace “under 16 years of age”).

2) Change Article IX (Membership Meetings), Section 2 to read “Voice & Vote. All GLDRA Family, Individual, or Life members who are 16 years of age and older will have voice and vote at general meetings. [effect: adds voting authorization for Life members].

Photos Needed for Banquet

I would like people to send me their endurance photos, old or new. My son is putting together a power point presentation for our banquet. They can email them to cam.cooper3@yahoo.com or they can send them to me at 22655 16th ave. Conklin, MI 49403. Pics can be of anything, riders, vets, camp, crews etc. Thanks! Stacey Cooper

Note to Members

As some of you might have noticed, I did not send out many reports this year. With the new website being updated so quickly with points and standing and with most of you having access to e-mail, it was decided that we could save GLDRA some money by sending mileage reports electronically. If this was a problem for any of you, please feel free to contact me and ask for a paper copy of whatever report you want or need. Thank You, Kathy M
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Hall of Fame Nomination - Horse

We received a call the summer of 2002 from Wayne Gastfield asking us to come to Hopkin’s Creek to see our Lucas compete in this sport called endurance. What an adventure it turned out to be. Kari came home and couldn’t wait to start conditioning Lucas’ little sister, Leah. After a few months of riding they were ready to try White River Fall. They did it right, taking it slow and learning from each other those first few seasons. They had no idea where they were headed. This past summer Leah retired with over 2100 LD miles, 16 best conditions and 100% completion rate in 82 rides over eight years. She has placed top five in 78 rides with 23 wins.

In 2008 and 2009 she completed 44 rides, 585 miles each year.

In 2008 she won the AERC’s Midwest Regional Best Condition award and was second place in the Regional LD Mileage program. She also won the continued on page 3
GLDRA and UMECRA LD championships and the GLDRA Best Condition award.

In 2009 she received third place in AERC’s Regional LD Mileage program. She also won the GLDRA LD championship, came in second in the UMECRA standings and received the GLDRA Best Condition award.

That little part arab mare with the crooked back legs suprised us all! She is now retired and bossing all her siblings around in the big pasture. She’s fat, happy and waiting for spring to meet her new boyfriend and start the third generation at our farm. She whinnies at Kari everytime she rides out on her little brother, we’ve debated whether she’s jealous or screeming out last minute instructions for Shado to take care of mom. Kari’s unsure whether she’ll have that kind of connection with another horse - she and Leah seemed to have that rare bond that comes once in a lifetime. I would like to nominate MA Mara Leah for the GLDRA Horse Hall of Fame.

Dale Hanes

Pit Crew of the Year Nomination

I would like to nominate Shelley Dake and Karen Graham for Pit Crew of the Year.

Not only do I trust Shelley and Karen with my life, I also trust them with my horses lives. As I pondered attempting my first 100, my first concern was having the perfect pit crew. Gene said we would ride it together (he promised not to leave me) and Shelley would pit crew for us. We also I lassoed Karen in as well. It’s a long day for one person and two riders. So at the Fall White River RideGene and Zafirah and myself and Nykawin left camp in the early morning darkness to begin our adventure. I honestly can say that there was not one moment I wished to be finished, not one time did I say to myself, “Oh my goodness, I’m never going to make it”. I enjoyed every step Nykawin took (except the few she took at 80 miles). I believe the reason it was such a fantastic 100 miles was because of my pit crew. They were calm and relaxed and took great care of all four of us. I have spent many miles on the trail with both Shelley and Karen and they have served as my mentors and friends for many years. I value their knowledge of the sport and their positive approach to endurance. I trust them. Shelley and Karen both have crewed for me many times over the years and for that I am thankful for as well. Having a crew that knows you and your horse is profound in distance riding. Their experience with endurance was reassuring. Riders often suffer from DIMMER (Distance Induced Mental Retardation). It can kick in anytime after 25 miles, sometimes, sooner. It was nice to know I had my two best friends watching over me and Nykawin that day.

If you can crew from the saddle, Gene did it that day. I knew Nykawin and I would be okay because Gene was there, and my crew was ahead with everything we needed.

Thanks to all of you for helping me reach a dream I thought I would never have the horse for or the crew for. A crew to be willing to endure the demands of 100 miles in one day. Thanks for being my friends, my mentors, my dream makers.

Stacey Cooper

Advertising in Newsletter

You can run ads in our newsletter for the following rates:

- Classifieds: $6.00 minimum or .10¢ a word
- Business Card: $8.00
- Quarter Page: $15.00
- Half Page: $25.00
- Full Page: $45.00

Checks for all ads must be mailed to Bruce Birr, payable to GLDRA (see page two for address) before they will be placed in newsletter. Send digital ads to Kari at montaleearabians@gmail.com.

The newsletter Hoofbeats is a quarterly publication released Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter.
### Tin Cup Springs

**Saturday, September 18, 2010**

**Competitive - 25 Miles**

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| Arabian | Whitney Meinders Honey | Grade Completion | 387.00 | 10.00 | 2          |
| Arabian | Rachael Meinders MS Dasani | Arabian Completion | 385.00 | 9.00  | 3          |

**Lightweight**

| Arabian | Dina Anderson HJH McCoys Magic | Arabian Completion | 400.00 | 11.00 | 1          |
| Arabian | Roseanna Clark Emalika | Arabian Completion | 397.00 | 10.00 | 2          |
| Arabian | Lisa Germann Over Brooks Image+/ | Half Arabian Completion | 377.00 | 9.00  | 3          |

**Competitive - 50 Miles**

**Lightweight**

| Arabian | Julie Roe Alada Kheanna | Arabian Completion | 357.00 | 22.00 | 1          |
| Other   | Beverly London Aramor Northern Catscades | Completion | 325.00 | 20.00 | 2          |

**Endurance**

**Heavyweight**

| Arabian | Carl Dosmann J Dalmaar Sharri +/ | Arabian Completion | 677.00 | 22.00 | 1 5:34 |
| Bred    | Jim Duverney Makin Art Wonder | Standard Bred Completion | 580.00 | 20.00 | 2 6:25 |
| Bred    | Stacey Cooper It's a Story | Standard Bred Completion | 600.00 | 18.00 | 3 7:03 |

**Lightweight**

| Arabian | Myra Fleming Vicktory Dance | Arabian Completion | 607.00 | 22.00 | 1 4:55 |
| Arabian | Linda Hamrick RTM First In Line | Half Arabian Completion | 695.00 | 20.00 | 2 4:55 |
| Arabian | Amy Scharmen Bear's Northern Light | Half Arabian Completion | 667.00 | 18.00 | 3 5:34 |
| Arabian | Karen Bahman HJH Ivory McCoy | Arabian Completion | 666.00 | 16.00 | 4 5:35 |
| Arabian | Katy Byrne Cea Aaron Halim | Arabian Completion | 14.00 | 6 5:24 |
| Other   | Nancy Mueller SCF Elatraz | Other Completion | 12.00 | 8 6:25 |
| Arabian | Shelley Dake Crucian | Arabian Completion | 495.00 | 10.00 | C 7:03 |

**Limited Endurance**

**Junior**

| Arabian | Mike Byard MSU Staying Power | Arabian Completion | 648.00 | 11.00 | 1 2:36 |
| Arabian | Kathryn Byard Thank Heaven | Arabian Completion | 615.00 | 9.00  | 3 4:17 |

**Senior**

| Arabian | Don Caldwell PF Court Jester | Arabian Completion | 753.00 | 11.00 | 1 2:32 |
| Arabian | Diane Maxey BKA Tiffany | Arabian Completion | 708.00 | 10.00 | 2 2:57 |
| Appaloosa | Karen Graham Rainbeau’s Adios | Appaloosa Completion | 686.00 | 8.00  | 4 3:40 |
| Arabian | Kari Hanes Bahara Shado | Arabian Completion | 772.00 | 6.00  | 6 4:01 |
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| Arabian | Dennis Byard DB Deoro | Half Arabian Completion | 543.00 | 3.00  | 9 4:02 |
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**Sunday, September 19, 2010**

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| Arabian | Rachael Meinders MS Dasani | Arabian Completion | 381.00 | 10.00 | 2          |
| Arabian | Whitney Meinders Honey | Arabian Completion | 372.00 | 9.00  | 3          |

**Lightweight**

| Arabian | Jessica Gruebner Party Party | Half Arabian Completion | 388.00 | 11.00 | 1          |
| Arabian | Diane Meinders Laceys Game | Grade Completion | 389.00 | 10.00 | 2          |
| Arabian | Julie Roe Alada Kheanna | Arabian Completion | 380.00 | 9.00  | 3          |
| Arabian | Lisa German Over Brooks Image+/ | Arabian Completion | 380.00 | 8.00  | 4          |
| Arabian | Roseanna Clark Emalika | Arabian Completion | 375.00 | 7.00  | 5          |

**Limited Endurance**

**Junior**

| Arabian | Mike Byard MSU Staying Power | Arabian Completion | 733.00 | 11.00 | 1 2:36 |

**Senior**

| Arabian | Becke Grams Shatto’s Sir Lance Lot | Half Arabian Completion | 761.00 | 11.00 | 1 2:26 |
| Arabian | Myra Fleming RTM Fancy | Half Arabian Completion | 769.00 | 10.00 | 2 2:26 |
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Pine Marten Run

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### Brighton Competitive Ride - Fall

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- Ashton Clark: Brittany Rolshedice Half Arabian Completion 378.00 11.00 1

#### Lightweight

- Roseanna Clark: Emalika Arabian Completion 383.00 11.00 1
- Lisa Germann: Over Brooks Image+ Half Arabian Completion 378.00 10.00 2
- Deb Zarish: Oakwyn Gypsy Rose morgan Completion 363.00 9.00 3

#### Competitive - 35 Miles

**Heavyweight**

- Jeanne Aslakson: SH Prince Soloman Arabian Completion 400.00 15.40 1
- Bonnie Mielke: ChariotsoffireNVF Half Arabian Completion 388.00 14.00 2
- Debby Seah: WOA Ravens Premier Half Arabian Completion 385.00 12.60 3
- Robin Schadt: Ra Ibn Maruf Arabian Completion 379.00 11.20 4
- Stacey Cooper: Lu-Nor Nykwain Arabian Completion 363.00 9.80 5
- Ken Wright: LW Raajsrflection Arabian Completion 342.00 8.40 6

**Junior**

- Rachel Clark: AhmduAllah Arabian Completion 385.00 11.00 1
- Ashton Clark: Brittany Rolshedice Half Arabian Completion 378.00 10.00 2
- Whitney Meinders: Honey Grade Completion 366.00 9.00 3

#### Lightweight

- Katy Byrne: Taking Namez Arabian Completion 390.00 11.00 1
- Roseanna Clark: Emalika Arabian Completion 385.00 10.00 2
- Deb Zarish: Oakwyn Gypsy Rose morgan Completion 378.00 9.00 3
- Beverly London: Kat Other Completion 373.00 8.00 4

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- Rachel Clark: AhmduAllah Arabian Completion 385.00 11.00 1

#### Lightweight

- Katie Baxter: Fox Other Completion 390.00 15.40 1
- Diane Meinders: Lacey’s Game Grade Completion 389.00 14.00 2

#### Competitive - 35 Miles

**Heavyweight**

- Bonnie Mielke: ChariotsoffireNVG Half Arabian Completion 385.00 15.40 1
- Jeanne Aslakson: Cinbob Go Chief Arabian Completion 376.00 14.00 2
- Stacey Cooper: Lu-Nor Nykwain Arabian Completion 372.00 12.60 3
- Ken Wright: LW Raajsrflection Arabian Completion 312.00 11.20 4
- Sandra Wright: ELD Jetta Bee Arabian Completion 267.00 9.80 5

**Junior**

- Rachael Meinders: MS Dasani Arabian Completion 368.00 15.40 1

#### Lightweight

- Katrina Matterson: Rome Dome Half Arabian Completion 0.00 C
- Summer Powers: Lookouts Chance Other Completion 0.00 C
- Shelby Powers: Tshabarr Other Completion 0.00 C
- Shannon Powers: MSU All American Other Completion 0.00 C
- John Powers: Pacs Speedy Ole Man Other Completion 0.00 C

#### Sunday, October 10, 2010

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**Junior**

- Rachel Clark: AhmduAllah Arabian Completion 382.00 11.00 1
- Ashton Clark: Brittany Rolshedice Half Arabian Completion 378.00 10.00 2
- Rachael Meinders: MS Dasani Arabian Completion 373.00 9.00 3
Whitney Meinders Honey Grade Completion 369.00 8.00 4
Mary Goericke My May Flyer Thoroughbred Completion 388.00 11.00 1
Diane Meinders Lacey's Game Grade Completion 386.00 10.00 2
Roseanna Clark Emalika Arabian Completion 377.00 9.00 3
Deb Zarish Oakwyn Gypsy Rose morgan Completion 376.00 8.00 4
Beverly London Kat Other Completion 375.00 7.00 5

Competitive - 75 Miles

Carl Dosmann J Dalmaar Sharri +/ Arabian Completion 1175.00 36.30 1
Christine Gulowski Wave In The Breeze Other Completion 1037.00 33.00 2

Heavweight

Novice - 15 miles

Robin Schadt Kayheart Other Miles Only 0.00
Debby Searle Sir Earl Other Miles Only 0.00
Sarah George Diego Other Completion 0.00 C
Kimberly Matteson Rome Dome Half Arabian Completion 0.00 C

2010 GLDRA Year End Banquet
February 5, 2011
at the Doherty Hotel in Clare, MI

Social hour starts at 5:00 p.m. with dinner following at 6:00 p.m.

Karen Bahrman will talk about the bridge, CCW laws and the spectre of horse haulers needing CDLs, as well as animal protection law.
The presentation will start at 10:00 a.m. and last until approximately 11:30 a.m.

The annual Meeting will be from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Please remember your silent auction item! Tables will be set up starting at 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning.

Name: _____________________________________________________________

Address: ___________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _____________________________________________________

Number of Meals: ___Adult/$20 each (age 13+) ___Children/$10 each (ages 6-12) ___5 and under (Free)

Reservations and payment for dinner must be to Wayne Gastfield by January 31st. Mail this form to Wayne Gastfield, 723 N.Warner Ave., Fremont, MI 49412, 231-924-2605 (He will not be giving reminder calls)

The Doherty Hotel will again be setting aside a block of rooms for us. Please call for reservations by January 15, 2011 at 800-525-4115. Prices for block rooms are $$82/$88/$110, check in at 3:00 p.m./check out at noon.
2010 GLDRA RIDE RESULTS
ENDURANCE

HEAVYWEIGHT - EXTENDED DISTANCE
1) GENE DAKE – CSA ZAFIRAH  206.0 – GRAND CHAMPION
2) STACEY COOPER – LU-NOR NYKAWIN  128.0

LIGHTWEIGHT - EXTENDED DISTANCE
1) MYRA FLEMING – VICKTORY DANCE  154.0 – RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
2) CATHY COOK – RED CLOUD  145.0
3) KAREN BAHRMAN – HJH IVORY MCCOY  130.0
4) LORI WINDOWS – ELLA N FIRES JANE DOE  124.0

HEAVYWEIGHT – RESTRICTED DISTANCE
1) CARL DOSMANN – J DALMAAR SHARRI+/  84.0 – RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

LIGHTWEIGHT – RESTRICTED DISTANCE
1) LINDA HAMRICK – RTM FIRST IN LINE 94.0 – GRAND CHAMPION
2) BECKE GRAMS – BEAR’S NORTHERN LIGHT  76.0
3) DIANE MEINDERS – LACEY’S GAME  73.0
4) MYRA FLEMING – SVG MAGIDA SUNN  66.0
5) KATY BYRNE – CEA AARON HALIM  38.0

JUNIOR ENDURANCE
1) RACHAEL MEINDERS – MS DASANI  79.8 – GRAND CHAMPION

LIMITED DISTANCE - SENIOR
1) DENNIS BYARD – DB DERO  148.0
2) BECKE GRAMS – SHATTO’S SIR LANCE LOT  125.0
3) DON CALDWELL – PF COURT JESTER  88.6
4) DJ BYARD – SELKET DEAN  87.2
5) AMY SCHARMEN – COOSA VALLEY INDIANA JONES  63.2
6) CARL DOSMANN – J DALMAAR SHARRI+/  53.0

LIMITED DISTANCE - JUNIOR
1) MIKE BYARD – MSU STAYING POWER  249.8 – GRAND CHAMPION
2) KATHRYN BYARD – ASAJR SATAR  28.8

BEST CONDITION - EXTENDED DISTANCE
MYRA FLEMING – VICTORY DANCE  2433.4 – GRAND CHAMPION

BEST CONDITION – RESTRICTED MILEAGE
CARL DOSMANN – J DALMAAR SHARRI+/  1088.7 – GRAND CHAMPION

BEST CONDITION – LIMITED DISTANCE
MIKE BYARD – MSU STAYING POWER  2934.3 – GRAND CHAMPION
2010 GLDRA RIDE RESULTS
COMPETITIVE

HEAVYWEIGHT - EXTENDED DISTANCE
1) KEN WRIGHT – LW RAJSHRFECTION 176.9 – RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
2) MAXINE BERNSDORF – CH SHAMM BASHIRE 128.2
3) JEANNE ASLAKSON – SH PRINCE SOLOMAN 123.4

LIGHTWEIGHT - EXTENDED DISTANCE
1) TALI SORENSON – LA ACCELANT 220.9 – GRAND CHAMPION
2) DIANE MEINDERS – LACEY’S GAME 160.4
3) ROSEANNA CLARK – EMALIKA 160.0
4) JULIE ROE – ALADA KHEANNA 155.0
5) MARY GOERICKE – MY MAY FLYER 91.4

HEAVYWEIGHT – RESTRICTED DISTANCE
1) JEANNE ASLAKSON – CINBOB GO CHIEF 67.0 - GRAND CHAMPION
2) SANDRA WRIGHT – ELD JETTA BEE 58.8
3) CARL DOSMANN – J DALMAAR SHARR I+/ 56.9
4) SANDRA WRIGHT – OCCIDENTAL SKKY 56.0
5) DENNIS HURLEY – JAZZ 44.0
6) TIM GERMANN – JUSTKIDDINGAROUND+ 41.0

LIGHTWEIGHT – RESTRICTED DISTANCE
1) AMY SCHARMEN – COOSA VALLEY INDIANA JONES 65.4 – RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
2) KATY BYRNE – CEA AARON HALIM 65.0
3) JESSICA GRUEBNER – PARTY PARTY 64.0
4) LISA GERMANN – OVER BROOKS IMAGE+ 48.0
5) LORI WINDOWS – JA BANNARR 47.0
6) KATHY MACKI – WADIAMOND JUBILEE 44.0

JUNIOR COMPETITIVE
1) WHITNEY MEINDERS – HONEY 212.7 – GRAND CHAMPION
2) ASHTON CLARK – MATUKS LEGEND+ 123.0 – RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
3) RACHAEL MEINDERS – MS DASANI 77.8
4) RACHEL CLARK – AHMDUALLAH 77.0
5) RACHAEL MEINDERS – THANK HEAVEN 63.0
6) ASHTON CLARK – BRITTANY ROLSTHEDICE 53.0

HIGH POINT HALF ARAB
COMPETITIVE COOSA VALLEY INDIANA JONES – AMY SCHARMEN
ENDURANCE RTM FIRST IN LINE – LINDA HAMRICK

PLEASE CONTACT KATHY MACKI kemacki@hughes.net WITH ANY QUESTIONS.
2010 DISTANCE AWARDS
HORSE MILEAGE PROGRAM

200 MILE CERTIFICATES
BKA TIFFANY
CEA AARON HALIM
COOSA VALLEY INDIANA JONES
EMALIKA
HIDDEN BONUS
MY MAY FLYER
PARTY PARTY
THANK HEAVEN
TRYLLERIKA

500 MILE PATCHES
LA ACCELANT
MS DASANI
RTM FIRST IN LINE
SERR EBA STAR
TAKING NAMEZ
CSA ZAFIRAH

1,000 MILE PICTURE FRAMES
DB DEORO
HJH IVORY MCCOY
MAKIN ART WONDER
MSU STAYING POWER
PLAUDIT MCULE

2,000 MILE BLANKET
ALADA KHEANNA
CSA RAZZAK
RED CLOUD

2010 DISTANCE AWARDS
PERSONAL MILEAGE PROGRAM

200 MILE CERTIFICATES
MARY GOERICKE
DIANE MAXEY
AMY SCHARMEN
ASHTON CLARK

500 MILE PATCHES
TREVOR BIRR
JILL BYARD
WHITNEY MEINDERS
AMY SCHARMEN

2,000 PICTURE ALBUM
DJ BYARD
MIKE BYARD
CATHY COOK

3,000 MILE SWEATSHIRT
RACHAEL MEINDERS

4,000 MILE AWARD
JEANNE ASLAKSON
STACEY COOPER

5,000 MILE AWARD
KAREN GRAHAM
TED KLOPFENSTEIN

9,000 MILE AWARD
BECKE GRAMS

13,000 MILE AWARD
GENE DAKE
You know you’re a horse person when...
1. You cluck to your car when you go up a hill.
2. Your horse’s hair is in better condition than your own.
3. You refer to your car as “my portable tack room.”
4. You are excited when your friend tells you there is a huge sale at the bridle shop, then you are disappointed when you realize they mean the bridal shop.
5. You have the vet’s number but not your kid’s pediatrician on your speed dial.
6. Your spouse can track dirt into the house all they want, but God help them if they muddy up the tack room.
7. Your house is a mess, but the barn is as neat as a pin.
8. Your nice clothes are the ones without horsehair all over them.
9. You have to go to your friend’s wedding wearing riding clothes because you took too long at the barn.

Murphy’s Horse Laws
* There is no such thing as a sterile barn cat.
* No one ever notices how you ride until you fall off.
* The least useful horse in your barn will eat the most, require shoes every four weeks, and need the vet at least once a month.
* A horse’s misbehavior will be in direct proportion to the number of people who are watching.
* Your favorite tack always gets chewed on, and your new blanket gets torn.
* Tack you hate will never wear out, and blankets you hate cannot be destroyed.
* Clipper blades will become dull when your horse is half clipped.
* If you approach within 50 feet of your barn in clean clothes, you will get dirty.
* The number of horses you own will increase to the number of stalls in your barn.
* Your barn will fall down without baling twine.
* Hoof picks always run away from home.
* If you fall off, you will land on the site of your most recent injury.
Great Lakes Distance Riding Association
2011 Membership Application

Membership includes quarterly newsletters, eligibility for year end points and awards programs, horse & personal mileage tracking, and yearly GLDRA ride schedule book.

___ Individual $20 ___ Family $30 ___ Junior (not 16 on January 1) $10 ___ Lifetime Individual $200

Check box to left of any item you do NOT want listed in our membership directory - otherwise it will be listed:

☐ Name(s): ________________________________
☐ Address: _________________________________
☐ City, State, Zip: ___________________________
☐ Phone: ___________________________ Cell: __________________
☐ Email: __________________________________

Please mail completed application with payment (payable to GLDRA) to:
Bruce Birr, 1633N West Kendall Road, Manistique, MI 49854

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