



**HUBBARDSTON AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
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**Tentative Business and Activities Calendar
HAHS 2004**

- May 29 - Second Annual Meeting and Election
Dinner (Irish Stew) - 11:30-1:00 PM
By Donation only
Hubbardston Irish Dancers- 1:30 PM
Board of Directors Election- 2:15 PM
"Year in Review" – 2:30 -3:00 PM
St. John the Baptist Parish Hall
Public Welcome**
- June and July-No Meetings-Summer Break**
- Aug. 8 Dr. John Lattimer "Lindberg"
Post 182 at 3:00 PM
Chicken Barbecue-serving from Noon**
- Aug. 26- Antique Clothing- Fall Social
Potluck Dinner-6:00PM
Masonic Tuscan Lodge
Public Welcome**
- Sept. 23"Barns of Bloomer"-Tom Haradine
Celtic Path @ 7:00PM**
- Oct. 28 Ruth Brooks-"Doll Repair"
Celtic Path @ 7:00PM**
- Nov. 18"Tonsorial Delight" Barber Al Kelly
Straight Razor Demo on Volunteers
Celtic Path @ 7:00 PM**
- Dec. – Holiday Break-No meetings**
- Jan. 27 "Burr Smith" Greenville Daily News
Hubbardston History
Celtic Path @ 7:00PM**
- Feb. 24 Show and Tell
Celtic Path @ 7:00 PM**
- Mar. 24 Mary Caris – "Colonial Recipes"
Board of Directors Nominations
Celtic Path @ 7:00PM**
- Apr. 28 Dept. of Michigan State-Schafer Heating
Board of Directors Candidates Roster
Celtic Path @ 7:00PM**
- May 26 Third Annual HAHS Meeting**

All general membership meetings are held the 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM at the Celtic Path in Hubbardston; Board Meetings at the Hubbardston Village Hall at 7:00 PM unless otherwise announced.

Just close you eyes and open your heart and feel your cares and worry depart. Just yield yourself to the Father above and let Him hold you in His love. For He hears every prayer and answers each one when we pray in His name, "Thy will be done." And the burdens that seemed too heavy to bear are lifted away on the wings of a prayer.



John and Shirley Burns, Bud and Joanne Howard, Al and Janet Kelly on the "Andy Cooney Western Caribbean Cruise" in February, 2004 out of Ft. Lauderdale.

Second Annual Memorial Day Social, Irish Stew Dinner, and Membership Drive –May 29, 2004

Memorial Weekend in Hubbardston is an event. Our annual meeting is a wonderful opportunity to meet old friends, have a scrumptious lunch, pay your membership dues, enjoy the Hubbardston Irish Dancers and purchase autographed copies of the beautiful new [Hubbardston Genealogy 1780-1930](#). There is a carnival ongoing for the weekend as well as softball tournaments Saturday and Sunday. Mass is at 7:00 PM on Saturday and the fantastic silent "Light Parade" will happen at dark (9:00PM).

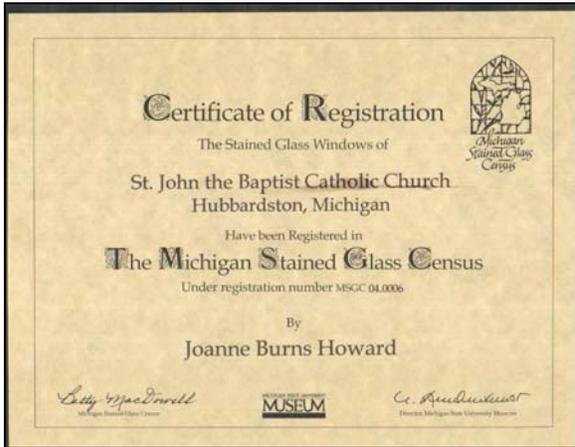
On Sunday Post 182 will trek to the various cemeteries to decorate the veteran's graves and salute their heroism starting at 10:00 AM.

On Monday, HAHS member Carolyn Cunningham will oversee the "5K Race" and the traditional activities continue throughout the day. Venders, Irish Dancers, Chicken Dinner at the Masonic Hall, Hot Sandwiches at the Legion, friends and great food at Shiels, all your picnic supplies at the Hubbardston Market, Irish Gift Gallery at the Celtic Path, a Gigantic Parade at 1:30 PM with area bands and floats, the Memorial Day Queen and her court, the Parade Grand Marshall and after all of that, you can sit with your friends and watch the "Tractor Pull" from the "Legion Hill." The crowds for Memorial Day number in the thousands as everyone comes "home" one more time. We hope to see you there!

How is it that we put a man on the moon before we figured out it would be a good idea to put wheels on luggage?

If a 911 operator has a heart attack, whom does she/he call?

Stress is when you wake up screaming and then you realize you haven't fallen asleep yet.



In 1993, the search began to locate the records on the 18 huge stained glass windows in St. John the Baptist Church in Hubbardston. The study was completed in April, 2004, and the above certificate indicates that the windows are now registered with the Stained Glass Census of Michigan and their history available in the new book, **Hubbardston Genealogy 1780-1930, "A Bit of History" and "A Bit of Blarney," Too.**



The stained glass motif in the first window on the south side near "Mary's" statue in St. John the Baptist Church.

Thank You Jennifer Churchill

Did you catch the April issue of Michigan History Magazine? On pages 50-53 we saw a feature on Hubbardston with the narrative by Jennifer Churchill, Media Specialist for HAHS. "During the 1900's Irish immigrants settled along the banks of Fish Creek, a tributary of the Maple River – the area later to be known as Hubbardston...readers can learn how this tiny Michigan town changed from a "bustling" lumber village to a small farming community."(Karen Phillips) What an honor and what a nice article. Jennifer covers nicely the early growth and potential of the lumber, water power and hope of the railroad. Apparently it was not meant to be and today the 'proud Irish town' is busy researching and recording an enviable history and heritage for future generations.

All 50 states are listed across the top of the Lincoln Memorial on the back of the \$5 bill.

How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated instead of just murdered?

Meet the Candidates For Board of Directors

The following people have consented to run for six positions on the HAHS Board of Directors.

Here are the candidates:

Julianne Burns McKenna, incumbent, is co-chairman of HAHS and was a major force for the formation of the Hubbardston Area Historical Society. She has been employed by the City of Ionia for the past 12 years. Prior to that, she was Admin. Ass. for the Grand Rapids Supt. of Schools and Admin. of the Legal Dept. for Steelecase. Julianne has been a facilitator in economic development activities, historic preservation and a successful 'grant writer' for the area communities of Belding, Saranac, Orleans, Lyons Muir and Ionia. She is a member of the Ionia Historical Society, Ionia Genealogy Society, and serves on the Board of Directors as a secretary for the Ionia County Economic Alliance. She graduated from Grand Rapids Community College and attended Aquinas College. She is married to Jim McKenna of Ionia and has two children.

Philip McKenna, incumbent, co-chairman of HAHS is President of McKenna Associates Inc., Landscape Architectural Firm in Northville, Mi. The son of Nick McKenna, Phil was raised on McKenna Road west of Hubbardston, and graduated from St. John the Baptist High School, Central Michigan University, completed graduate studies at Eastern Michigan University and post graduate work at Wayne State, University of Michigan, Illinois and Southern Illinois Universities. Phil was the organizer and the catalyst in the formation of the HAHS. His idea was to preserve in whatever way possible the heritage of the Hubbardston area. The organization was started when Julianne and Phil formed an alliance and formulated a plan for documenting the significant cultural heritage of area residents.

Quint Cusack, incumbent, is on the **Genealogy and Site-Search committee** and has lived all of his life west of Hubbardston on the Cusack Homestead built by his grandfather in the 1800's. He graduated from St. John the Baptist High School, was an Insurance Salesman and successful farmer all of his life. He and wife Agnes McGrath (a nurse for 40 years) from Houghton-Hancock, Mi. have 10 children and are active in all aspects of community and religious life with affiliations with numerous volunteer organizations and associations.

Duane Fahey, incumbent, is on the **Media and Communications Committee,** son of Bob Fahey and President of Visual Automation in Grand Ledge. He is a native of Hubbardston and is the force behind our very successful web-site www.hubbardston.org. Duane spends much time with his family in Hubbardston, and has traveled extensively throughout the country and the world.

Jack Fahey, incumbent, is on the Genealogy and Site Research Committee and is the son of Joseph and Midge (Herald) Fahey. He is married to Anne, lives west of Hubbardston, and graduated from St. John the Baptist High School and Montcalm Community College. He is a member of the Carson City Crystal School Board, Lyons International, KC's and is a genealogist by choice. Jack is a charter member and one of the planners for the society.

Marie Marion Sweet, incumbent, is on the **By-Laws Committee and Secretary** of the HAHS. She was raised west of town on O'Brien Road, graduated from Carson City High School and Montcalm Community College. She moved to the Ionia-Montcalm area at age 13. She is active in many aspects of the community and is a practicing genealogist as well as a charter member of HAHS

Pat McCormick Baese owns the **Celtic Path Gift Gallery** in Hubbardston. She graduated from Wayne State University and did her graduate work at Michigan State University. She taught Science, Physical Education and Dance for 26 years before retiring to open her own gift gallery and artist's studio at 'The Celtic Path,' which is also the home of the Hubbardston Area Historical Society. Pat is a professional artist and director of the Hubbardston Irish Dance Troupe. She is a charter member of the HAHS and provided the "roof over our heads" to get started.

Helen Hoskins is on the **Archives and Artifacts Committee** and lived in Matherton while raising her family, working as an antique furniture refinisher and a musician in a local 'Bluegrass Band.' After her husband's death, she returned to college earning her BA degree in Anthropology from MSU in 1985. She was employed by the MSU Museum under Dr. Marsha McDowell in 1983. In 1986 a position with the "Ute" Indian tribe in Ignacio, Colorado kept her busy as an artifact and archival collector and organizer. Helen was on the Board of the American Ass. of State and Local History to incorporate Indian Museums into their associations and to review State and Federal Grants for equipment and training. In 2000 she returned to Michigan and acted as consultant to the "Ute" Museum until her replacement arrived. When HAHS was formed, she decided to offer her experience in museum and archival development. Helen is a charter member.

Jack Stoddard, a local historian is on the **Site Research Committee**. Jack was born in Lebanon Township and graduated from St. John the Baptist High School. He was one of 15 children of Edgar and Julia McKeone Stoddard. He served in the Army as a member of the European Occupation forces following WWII. He worked as a flood rescue worker in the soup-kitchens set up in the English countryside. Following his discharge he returned to Michigan to work at General Motors in Lansing for

35 years. He married Sondra Starkey from Crystal. Jack has lived all of his life in the Ionia-Clinton County area. He is an Historian at Walter T. Roach Post 182 American Legion Club where he is a 50 year member, Past Commander and Chaplain. He has been on the Parish Board of Directors, the Village Council and very active in organizing opportunities for youth baseball. **He is a charter member and responsible for the name HAHS.**

Rule of G's

- 1st Cousins share one pair of Grandparents
- 2nd Cousins share one pair of Great Grandparents.
- 3rd Cousins share one pair of Great Great Grandparents.
- Double Cousins share two pairs.
- Half -Share one ancestor.
- Removed -Share one pair of ancestors, but descendants are one or two generations apart. (Irish Gen. Soc. Of Wi.)

Those interested in Membership in the H.A.H.S. should complete the form below and send it with \$15 annual fee for one year or \$60 for a 5 year (one year free) membership, made payable to Hubbardston Area Historical Society. Send to: H.A.H.S. c/o Joanne Howard, Box 183, Hubbardston, Mi., 48845. **Memberships run June through May.**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: ___ ZipCode: _____

HomeTelephone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

List surnames you are researching: _____

NOTE: All information may be published in upcoming newsletters unless you indicate in writing otherwise.

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Al Capone's business card said he was a used furniture dealer.

The cruise liner QE2 moves only six inches for each gallon of diesel that it burns. (And we think we drive guzzlers!)

February 1865 is the only month in recorded history not to have a full moon.



Picture by Allen Kelley

The old gave way to the new in the summer of 1988. Pictured above, the old mill which was the oldest building in Hubbardston, the second bridge (1906) which replaced the 'flood destroyed' earlier structure and the first concrete of the new and beautiful Fish Creek Bridge tells the story. In 1905 the flood washed away the Hubbardston and Matherton bridges. The 1906 model above was the longest single span bridge in Michigan. It was replaced in 1988 due to age and weathering. The mill burned in the 1990's due to an electrical problem. And a bit of history passes.

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“Example” of the Official HAHS Ballot

May 29, 2004

These nine (9) people have been contacted or volunteered their names to the nominating committee (Bud Howard, Mary Stoddard Caris, and Allen Punk Kelly) as candidates for the Board of Directors. Please place an X beside each of the candidates of your choice. Mark only six (6) choices. The six people with the majority of votes will fill the exiting seats on the board.

X your six (6) choices

- Julianne Burns McKenna _____
- Philip McKenna _____
- Marie Marion Sweet _____
- Duane Fahey _____
- Quint Cusack _____
- Jack Fahey _____
- Patricia McCormick Baese _____
- John Stoddard _____
- Helen Hoskins _____

When you have marked six names with an X, fold the ballot and have it ready for collection. Thank you.

We are proud of our HAHS development and our accomplishments during the two and a half years we have been organized and welcome all of you who are interested in your ancestry and your area to join our society. The Hubbardston Area Historical Society encompasses a “4-County” immediate area and the vital membership extends far beyond.



Tim Burns, Lucille Geller Burns and Ford Burns confer with Joanne Burns Howard on “Local Color” tales. (Jan.2004)

**Hubbardston Genealogy, 1780-1930
plus “A Bit of History” and
“A Bit of Blarney,” Too!**

Of course you've wondered what ever happened to, or is there a “rest” of the family. How are we related to “that family?” Peter J. Burns spent over 30 years compiling the genealogy of 147 families who immigrated from Ireland into North Plains Township, Ionia County Michigan from the early 1800's. Nick Burns, Peter's brother, travels worldwide on a regular basis as a part of his position with Amway Corporation in Grand Rapids. To while away the 'travel hours,' he began to delve deeper into his “study of the Irish” and his own family connections to “Eire.” Significant research and time produced the still incomplete “Irish Origins” folder. The first 123 ship loads who had passengers who made their way to North Plains and were at one time in their lives, a resident of the Hubbardston area are listed in alphabetical order. From the first group of Barretts (#1) to the last group (#123) you can find your family ancestor, your 'kin,' their birth date, their parish and County of origin in “the ould sod.” The study is ongoing and future publications will no doubt contain the complete data and “treasured research” on particular “family origins” far back into Irish History. We have to thank Eric Gallagher for formatting this 'excel' document to fit our needs.

After completing his work to the 1930's, Pete decided he would like to publish his findings. He approached Joanne Howard about adding some local color stories to create a little more interest specifically about some of these early adventurers. She agreed and over the past three years, “A Bit of History and “A Bit of Blarney,” too! was written.

Joanne Burns Howard and Peter J. Burns are proud to announce that “Hubbardston Genealogy, plus “A Bit of History” and “A Bit of Blarney,” too! is now available for your reading and researching pleasure. You may order your copies by e-mail from mjh655@pathwaynet.com or from pejabur@aol.com. You may place phone orders to 989-584-3803. This book is a comprehensive study of the early Ionia County area residents who made their way from Ireland to Michigan on to locations throughout the world. Any questions about genealogy will be gladly answered by Peter J. Burns.

“Anger is a stone thrown at a wasp's nest.” (Ecclesiastes 7:9)

“We learn from experience. A man never wakes up his second baby just to see it smile.” (Philippians 4:9)

“Laughter is a tranquilizer with no side effects.” (Proverbs 17:22)

It is impossible to sneeze with your eyes open.

You've all seen those auctions on WKAR- TV to make money for Public Television and many other community projects. In April, Pat Baese submitted a decorated box called "Welcome." The thatched cottage and bright doorway overflowing with flowers are a sight often seen in the countryside. The Celtic knot gracing the box is an eternity knot which has no beginning and no end. In the center of the knot is a claddagh, the Irish symbol for love, loyalty and friendship. "Failte" which is the Gaelic word for 'welcome' is on the lid. This item was auctioned off on April 21 for \$325. Pat was absolutely astounded. Great work, Pat!

In 1883, Edward Warren of Three Oaks, Mi. (pop. 2,949) patented featherbone, made from turkey quill feathers. It cinched the market as the stiffening material used in corsets.

On a Canadian two dollar bill, the flag flying over the Parliament building is an American flag.

The characters Bert and Ernie on Sesame Street were named after Bert the cop and Ernie the taxi driver in Frank Capra's "It's A Wonderful Life."



Three cousins enjoying a visit in the 'hometown hall.' Left to right: William P. (Pat) Burns, Joe McCrackin and Ray Burns

Once you're in heaven, do you get stuck wearing the clothes you were buried in for eternity?

From Readers:

I enjoyed the article about PR Cleary that Pete submitted to HAHS. PR was a nephew of my great grandmother Julia Cleary Needham. Julia's brother was P.R.'s father. Julia married Patrick Needham in Ireland according to her tombstone in St. John the Baptist Cemetery. Patrick and one son died in Ireland and are buried in Parish Kilboron, Tipperary, Ireland. She immigrated to the USA with six children. Her daughter Julia married Michael O'Brien. One of their sons, Patrick, was my father. As children we were always told that we were related to "P.R." but it was only in later years when I became interested in genealogy that we traced the connection. I believe Bridget Cleary whom we used to visit occasionally was his sister, but I am not sure. Look forward to your paper each mailing...Hold the presses. PR Cleary was my great grandmother's brother. (Sincerely, **(Florence O'Brien Hummel, Lansing, Mi.)** *I hope I have that correct, Florence. Ed*

I just received your notice of my message from Tokyo. Myself, Bridget and Heidi are now down in New Zealand (the girls are going to school here for the semester). I hope you enjoy the Irish data I sent you... March 12, I go to Hong Kong and China for three weeks, the plan is to go to Ireland for a month, then to mainland Europe to complete two work assignments in the Ukraine or Germany and the Netherlands. Then back to Ireland and I hope to get home to Michigan about June 15. I'll keep you posted from Ireland. (Nick Burns)

Hello, as you may have heard, "West Michigan Woman will no longer be published. In stead I will now be doing "Ionia-Montcalm Magazine." I am very excited about this new publication which will feature stories about local people. It will be published 6 times a year. My new book, The Woodworkers Complete Shop Reference is available at Robbins Book List in Greenville or online at www.amazon.com. (Jennifer Churchill)

Let me tell you that you people in Hubbardston have made the big times. What a surprise when we opened "The Michigan History" and found Hubbardston. The next surprise was the person who wrote it is a distant relative, Jennifer Churchill. When the story started out about an Irish girl named Bridget O'Connor, well that caught my eye and then reading about how she came to the states, it was all too much. Take a look at the article on the Round Oak Stove. We lived in that town for 30 years. Keep in touch. (Joie O'Connor Spencer, Muskegon, Mi.)

Enclosed are some articles and pictures of our first St. Patrick's Day Celebration in Grand Ledge. It was a huge success and we never thought it would be this big. The Bagpipe Band from Ontario, Canada was very good. The whole city supported us and "Sparty" was a big hit. The Queen, Jordan Lynwood, a junior at Grand Ledge High School was chosen for her winning essay, "What St. Patrick's Day Means to Me." Other contest winners were: The Peanut Gallery for the best decorated store, The Trinity Episcopal Church for the best Irish Stew contest, and Emory Macsay for the children's bike decorating contest The best float was Morton/McDairmid Street's Founder's Float. The Hubbardston Irish Dancers were a big hit at the Opera House and it was hard to believe that a modest neighborhood parade in 2002 and 2003 could grow into a city-wide event with crowds in excess of 3000 people. (John Dwyer, Grand Ledge, Mi.)

"If the roots are deep and strong the tree needn't worry about the wind."(Jeremiah 17: 7,8)

"A pint of example is worth a barrelful of advice." (Philippians 3:17)



These lovely ladies were witness to a parish happening 'on the hill' a few years ago. From left: Helen Stoddard, Helen Hiller, Geri Barker, Mary Myers and Pat Stoddard Osborne.

The Beauty of the Butternut Boys

The best thing since sliced bread – Steve Crouse and his Butternut Home-school Basketball team, have finally ended their stellar season with a 35-7 record. Crouse and the boys had a proud finish in the Home School National Finals losing a close game to Southwest Missouri at the Oklahoma City tournament March 20, 2004.

Sixth in the nation? That's something to write home about – especially if your home happens to be the tiny vicinity of Butternut and especially if you happen to be home-schooled.... “No one ever heard of the unincorporated village of Butternut, Mi. before,” said Burch. “Thanks to a national title appearance, Butternut is now on the map...People will even be looking at the area now that 6-10 center Russell Monroe will be going to Liberty University, a Division I college that got to NCAA tournament this year.” In the eyes of the Carson City Gazette community, the Butternut Home-school Basketball Team is the best of the best. Congratulations, Boys. (Elizabeth Waldon, Gazette Editor)



Butternut, Mi. in the early days. The railroad passed through the village carrying freight until the late 1970's. Neighbor Willie McCrackin called it “The Wabash Cannon Ball!”

A positive attitude may not solve your problems, but it will annoy enough people to make it worth the effort. (S. Bondy)

If you want to be a leader with a large following, just obey the speed limit on a winding two-lane road. (Mary Caris)

A Look Back:

Command Now Under Major Gary Copp

In a change of command ceremony at the Grand Ledge armory on January 3, 1987, Lt. Col. John Rowland turned over his command of the newly formed 446th Attack Helicopter Battalion to Maj. Gary Copp. The ceremony was officiated by 72nd Commander, Col. Robert Secrist of Jackson. Copp, promoted to Lieutenant Colonel Copp on January 15 is a graduate of the Army's Command and General Staff College and spent 8 years with the active army, three years as a warrant officer before taking a commission as a first lieutenant. Two tours were spent in Vietnam where he served as a helicopter pilot and an aviation company commander. Gary served one tour in Germany. After serving as a battle staff officer for the 21st NORAD in Syracuse, New York, he was battery commander for Nike-Hercules missile site in Danvers, MA. He has been with the National Guard for the past 12 years. As a master aviator of both rotary wing and multi-engine fixed wing aircraft, Gary has over 2000 hours. He was awarded twelve air medals, two Bronze Stars, three Army Commendation medals and the Vietnam Cross of Gallantry. Lt. Col. Copp lives in Crystal with his wife Kathleen and sons, Anthony and Christopher. He is manager of Carson City Lumber Co. He serves his community as a board member of the Carson City Hospital, treasurer of the Knights of Columbus, committee person with the Crystal Boy Scouts and is director for Chemical Bank Montcalm. Gary earned his bachelor's degree from Aquinas College and a Master's in Business from Central Michigan University. (Carson City Gazette)

Janet Haradine is Citizen of the Year – 1986

Janet Haradine who operates the Harvey's Lawn and Harden Department at Harvey's Milling Company will be honored at a reception April 9, as the 1986 Citizen of the Year by the Woman's Club of Carson City. Janet was selected for her volunteer work in many projects and her concern for the good of the community. Janet and her husband Tom have four children; Jeanine, Andrew, Holly and Molly.

The C.O.T.Y. Award is given annually in an effort to show community recognition and appreciation to someone in the Carson City area who contributes time and effort to community projects and local organizations.

This is the 6th year of the awards and several worthy people were also nominated. They include: Paul Todd, Pauline Smith, Paul Geller, Lorena Braendle, Lois Daniel, Jerry Braendle and Mary Ann Wellwood. The C.O.T.Y. Reception Award Ceremony will be held at the Carson City Public Library. (Carson City Gazette)

Carson City Crystal Schools Name Top 10-1986

The Top 10 Academic Students of the Class of 1986 were announced by the high school principal Michael Holdship They are all members of the National Honor Society. Daniel Adkinson, son of David and Carol Adkinson of Palo, David Blaszkiewicz son of Marvin (Allen Park) and Vivian Blaszkiewicz of Carson City, Janice Bozung, daughter of Alvin and Beatrice Bozung of Hubbardston, Amy Dykhous, daughter of Dorothy and Harry Dykhous of Carson City, Patrick Fahey son of Jack and Ann Fahey of Muir, Brian Jason son of Sharon (Wyoming Park) and Elton Jason of Carson City, Lisa Keiffer, daughter of Delores and Lawrence Keiffer of Carson City, Mark Schafer, son of Sharon and John Schafer of Hubbardston, Brenda Smith, daughter of Patricia and Lawrence Smith of Sumner and Shelly Tasker, daughter of Linda and Bruce Tasker of Carson City. (Carson City Gazette)