

Coolbaugh camp funding restored

by **Pattie Hughes**

Coolbaugh Township Community Partnership Chairperson Clare Colgan brought good news for local kids to the February 17 board of supervisors meeting. The summer camp program, which was cut from the 2009 budget, will be funded by a \$5,000 grant from State Senator Robert Mellow.

The amount of the grant is not enough to fund to the entire program at the same level as last year. The kids will have camp, but the time frame may be shorter. Colgan suggested it may end up being

four weeks, rather than six as in past years. "The good news is we will be able to have camp," Colgan said.

Supervisor Robert Zito made a motion to advertise a change in the schedule for the second monthly meeting to start at 6 p.m. Prior to this meeting, the supervisors will hear a monthly report and update from business manager Doug Hein.

After some discussion, it was decided to keep the first hour of the meeting as a work session. The starting time of the regular meeting will remain

7 p.m. Work sessions and regular meetings are open to the public. The board authorized township secretary to advertise the change.

Local property owner Valeria Sowell appeared at the meeting to ask for help with a property she owns in Stillwater Lake Estates and ongoing sewer problems. Sowell told the board she needs to sell her property, but can't sell due to the moratorium on the sewer plant.

Sowell was under the im-

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