Great fair
To the editor:
I want to congratulate everyone who worked so hard to make the Iron County Fair a success this year.
I enjoyed the displays, information, etc., and appreciated all those people who worked so vigorously at the fair.

The Senior Day was great, especially for the patients from the nursing home. I observed many smiles on their faces. No doubt, they look forward to this day for seniors.
The local and out-of-town bands did an excellent job in performing music for dancing. This was the first time for one band to attend the fair, and the members of the band were so thankful to be able to perform here in Iron County.
Just think of the exposure that the fair received this year and would promote more people from out-of-town and in-town to attend the fair next year.
-s- Rose M. Johnson
Iron River

Support WIC
To the editor:
I am a snowbird and property owner paying regular taxes, but I see a need for additional support for our West Iron School District to help provide the best possible educational opportunities in our local schools. I see so many fund-raisers for worthwhile causes, but none more important than education.
I decided to make a contribution to the schools and did not know the best way to do it. I called Chris Thomson, the school superintendent, and was surprised to learn there is a foundation already set up for people like me.
I assume that I am not the only person who would be willing to make a donation, large or small, to assist the schools without contributing to an increased tax burden on all the residents. The existing fund provides scholarships, but also answers requests such as the one from a teacher who needed three computers to help in a special education class.
I can see there are many unmet needs and can be covered by the generosity of people who want our schools to be the best they can be. I do not have children in the school district, so this is not a personal appeal.
If you would like to make a donation to the West Iron District Foundation (even $5 would be welcome), send a check to the Foundation in care of Chris Thomson, 601 Garfield, Iron River, MI 49935.
-s- Shirley Wisuri McCollum
Iron River