

School football team from Macomb Township, Michigan, on winning the 2006 Division 1 State title.

The Dakota High School Cougars are the first school in Macomb County history to win the Division 1 football State championship.

Mr. Speaker, this season belonged to the Cougars, whose overall record was 13 wins and only 1 loss. Coach Mike Giannoe did an excellent job of putting together a solid game plan and a solid coaching staff.

Quarterback James Stallons commanded the offense, while running back Greg Gay led the scoring attack and tied a State finals record with four touchdowns.

The offense moved the ball with the great teamwork of fullback Quentin Trotter, tight end Justin Sylvester and all of the linemen.

On defense, linebacker Bobby Hush earned himself two sacks, and kicker Joe Harla connected on a 31-yard field goal and made all five of his extra point attempts.

What a season, what a team. Go Cougars.

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, November 15, 2006.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,  
*The Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives,*  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on November 15, 2006, at 4:30 pm:

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 6326.

Appointments: Social Security Advisory Board.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS,  
*Clerk of the House.*

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DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on November 15, 2006, at 6:15 p.m.:

That the Senate passed without amendment H.J. Res. 100.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS,  
*Clerk of the House.*

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The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, November 17, 2006.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,  
*The Speaker, House of Representatives,*  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on November 17, 2006, at 10:30 a.m.:

That the Senate passed without amendment H. Con. Res. 175.

That the Senate passed without amendment H. Con. Res. 496.

That the Senate passed without amendment H. Con. Res. 423.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 5690.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 5103.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 4559.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 6121.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 5061.

That the Senate passed S. Con. Res. 101.  
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DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on November 17, 2006, at 3:15 p.m.:

That the Senate passed S. 2028.

That the Senate passed S. 4073.

That the Senate passed S. 3759.

That the Senate passed S. 994.

That the Senate passed S. 4014.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

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The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, December 4, 2006.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,  
*The Speaker, House of Representatives,*  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of

the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on December 4, 2006, at 11:20 a.m.:

That the Senate passed with an amendment H.R. 5682.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS,  
*Clerk of the House.*

#### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, the following enrolled bills and joint resolution were signed:

by the Speaker on Wednesday, November 15, 2006:

H.R. 6326, to clarify the provision of nutrition services to older Americans;

H.J. Res. 100, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2007, and for other purposes;

on Friday, November 17, 2006:

S. 101, to convey to the town of Frannie, Wyoming, certain land withdrawn by the Commission of Reclamation;

S. 4001, to designate certain land in New England as wilderness for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation system and certain land as a National Recreation Area, and for other purposes;

by Speaker pro tempore WOLF on Monday, November 20, 2006:

H.R. 2383, to redesignate the facility of the Bureau of Reclamation located at 19550 Kelso Road in Byron, California, as the "C.W. 'Bill' Jones Pumping Plant";

H.R. 3817, to withdraw the Valle Vidal Unit of the Carson National Forest in New Mexico from location, entry, and patent under the mining laws, and for other purposes;

H.R. 4000, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to revise certain repayment contracts with the Bostwick Irrigation District in Nebraska, the Kansas Bostwick Irrigation District No. 2, the Frenchman-Cambridge Irrigation District, and the Webster Irrigation District No. 4, all a part of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, and for other purposes;

H.R. 4559, to provide for the conveyance of certain National Forest System land to the towns of Laona and Wabeno, Wisconsin, and for other purposes;

H.R. 5061, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey Paint Bank National Fish Hatchery and Wytheville National Fish Hatchery to the State of Virginia;

H.R. 5103, to provide for the conveyance of the former Konnarock Lutheran Girls School in Smyth County, Virginia, which is currently owned by the United States and administered by the Forest Service, to facilitate the restoration and reuse of the property, and for other purposes;

H.R. 5585, to improve the netting process for financial contracts, and for other purposes;