

# Bridges and Our Communities

Bridge walks held on Labor Day in Leelanau County are a great way to help build a community spirit. The walks on bridges spanning the Lake Leelanau River. While overused, a good time was, indeed,

## Walk hits 19 years



**UNCLE SAM**, better known locally as Garth Goodenow, accompanied walkers across the Leland Bridge on Monday at noon.



**LEADING THE 20th annual Leland Bridge Walk** on Labor Day this year were members of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7731 from Lake Leelanau.

A couple blocks requiring a leisurely stroll of about five minutes — were awarded a certificate of achievement. The march began at the state boat launch parking lot on the Leland River and ended on the lawn of the Old Art Building.

Finishers also received refreshments in the form of cookies from Trish's Dishes and lemonade supplied by the Leland Mercantile.

— Photos and story by Eric Carlson

## Glen Lake bridge walk



Participants stroll the Glen Lake bridge walk.



**WALK ORGANIZERS**, from left, are Yogi Beare of Empire, Bill Thompson of Glen Arbor and Tom Plasman of Empire.

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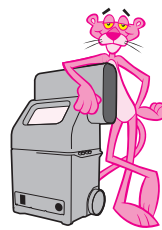
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