

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

*BOWLINE*

DATE 4/17/89

FULL NAME Harold Parks SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY Ithaca STATE MI ZIP CODE 48847

DATE OF BIRTH Jan. 28 1933 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE 56 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)

RELIGION \_\_\_\_\_ NATIONALITY WASP

OCCUPATION Lt. Harold D Parks State Police Ithaca

EDUCATION Police Academy

WEIGHT 175 HEIGHT 6'0" RACE White

COLOR OF HAIR Gray COLOR OF EYES \_\_\_\_\_

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS Horses

MARRIED OR SINGLE Married (3rd time?) CHILDREN not with this wife.  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

NAME OF SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	POSITION	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
2430	Ithaca	Michigan	SC/CC	9/30/88	
016024	054136				
016025					

SPECIAL RECOGNITION \_\_\_\_\_

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

*Convicted of Abuse. see Article.*

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

**NOTED**

MAR 28 1990

CONFIDENTIAL

JOSEPH L. ANGLIM

MAR 8 1990

F. STARON

Signed [Signature]  
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Lake Huron Area Council

#265

READY FOR FILE  
APR 06 1990  
A. GRAVES

April 6, 1990

Mr. Floyd A. Siebert  
Scout Executive  
Lake Huron Area Council, No. 265

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Harold D. Parks

Dear Floyd:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Ineligible Volunteer File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: East Central Region

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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079, Irving, Texas 75015-2079  
214-580-2000

March 30, 1990

Mr. Richard L. Shepherd  
Scout Executive  
Tall Pine Council, No. 264

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: HAROLD D. PARKS

Dear Dick:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Ineligible Volunteer File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: East Central Region

*DEAR PAUL — BUT I DID  
THANK YOU — NOT SUBMIT THIS PERSON.  
R. L. Shepherd  
4-3-9  
Council #264*

*Accidentally sent letter to 264 should have been 265.  
Angie*



**LAKE HURON AREA COUNCIL #265  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

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*SERVING NINETEEN COUNTIES IN NORTHEASTERN MICHIGAN*

February 6, 1990

Mr. Paul Ernst  
National Office, BSA  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, TX 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

Enclosed is personal and confidential information concerning Harold D. Parks. Parks was a Michigan State Police post commander and Scouting Coordinator and Committee Chairman for the Law Enforcement Exploring post. While in an alcoholism rehabilitation center, Parks committed fourth degree criminal sexual conduct and was found guilty of that charge.

Parks is no longer with the State Police post or with the Explorer Post.

I recommend that he be added to the personal and confidential file.

Respectfully,

Floyd Siebert  
Scout Executive

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Enclosure

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POST E-2430

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ITHACA

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DISTRICT NAME & NUMBER  
EXPLORING 22 22 COUNTY GRATIOT

LOCAL UNIT NO.  
POST 2430

STATUS R

TERM (MONTHS) 12

RENEWAL DATE 9/30/89

CHARTERED ORGANIZATION NAME & ADDRESS  
MICHIGAN STATE POLICE-ITHACA ITHACA MI 103

EXECUTIVE OFFICER NAME, PHONE, ADDRESS  
HAROLD PARKS 000 875-4111  
ITHACA MI 48847

100% BOYS LIFE NO  
TOP LEADER TRAINED NO  
QUALITY UNIT NO  
46 MONTHS COMPLETED TENURE

MEETING PLACE AND DAY SPECIAL INTEREST CODE AND DESCRIPTION  
ITHACA STATE POLICE THU 0807 STATE POLICE/HIGHWAY PATROL

HANDICAPPED CODE:

BOYS LIFE: TERM BEGIN END  
12 12/88 11/89

ADULT MEMBER LISTING

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016026		SG-RC	MC R MARK	5640 C for mail 195 BARROWS 2	ITHACA MI	48847	3/42	M	[REDACTED]
054137		MC R	KAREN		ITHACA MI	48847	1/65	F	[REDACTED]
016025		CG-R	HAROLD		ITHACA MI	48847	1/33	M	[REDACTED]
016024		SG-M	HAROLD		ITHACA MI	48847	1/33	M	[REDACTED]

# State police commander facing arrest in sex case

BY CAROL MCGINNIS  
News Special Writer

The commander of the Michigan State Police post in Ithaca is under investigation for charges of fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct with a minor, according to his attorney.

The Gratiot County Sheriff's Department, capping a 10-day investigation, Friday issued a warrant for the arrest of 54-year-old Lt. Harold D. Parks.

The warrant stems from an April 3 incident involving Parks, a 34-year police veteran, and a female minor in Gratiot County, said Gratiot County Sheriff Jack Langan.

Parks is charged with fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct involving the use of force or coercion to accomplish sexual contact with a female. The charge carries a maximum sentence of two years in prison.

Deputies did not arrest Parks, who is on a medical leave of absence and is undergoing psychological observation and treatment for

alcohol abuse, said his attorney, Jeffery Riemersma.

The Alma attorney said Parks is in a mental health facility but refused to disclose the location or time when Parks was admitted.

"He will be brought in for arraignment when his physician indicates it's in his best interest," Riemersma said.

"I'm not certain of the sequence of events for what started the investigation," he said.

Sgt. Jerry McAllister, acting commander at Ithaca post, said Parks was relieved of his command prior to the April 3 incident. He refused to comment further about Parks.

Parks, who was named commander of the Ithaca State Police Post on April 1, 1979, once worked out of the Bridgeport post.

Parks came to the Bridgeport Post in 1958 from the Jonesville Post, according to News files.

However, details about the trooper's career at Bridgeport and Ithaca were not available late Saturday night.

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# MEMORIAL

## Former commander of Ithaca Post gets jail term

BY CAROL MCGINNIS  
News Special Writer

ITHACA — The former commander of the state police post here will serve time in the Gratiot County Jail on a fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct charge.

Circuit Judge Timothy M. Green Monday sentenced Harold D. Parks to eight months in jail, with five months of the term delayed until the end of a two-year probationary period.

Green also ordered the 56-year-old Parks to continue to undergo mental health counseling and to pay \$750 in fines and costs.

Parks is likely to avoid serving the remaining jail time if he completes his probation without incident.

Defense attorney Jeffery Riemersma of

Alma said he had not decided whether to appeal the sentence.

A 34-year state police veteran who had commanded the Ithaca Post from 1979 until earlier this year, Parks read a prepared statement before his sentencing.

He told Green he realized his actions had hurt many people, especially "a little girl who's confused and angry."

Parks blamed alcoholism for the April 3 incident in which he touched the youngster.

Prosecutors charged him in the wake of a 10-day Sheriff's Department investigation, and Parks pleaded no contest.

Citing the publicity surrounding the case as sufficient punishment, Riemersma asked Green not to sentence Parks to jail.

Parks, he said, had lost the "honor and respect" of the community, had voluntarily

retired from a job he loved and had voluntarily spent five weeks in a psychiatric facility.

Riemersma said Parks has done "everything humanly possible" to solve his problem.

Prosecutor Mark A. Gates argued, however, that Parks has "not come to grips" with the sexual assault or the factors that caused it.

Gates referred to a report in which a doctor wrote that Parks denied any sexual touching took place and accused Gates and County Sheriff Jack Langan of trying to get him.

"The court has gained the impression (Parks) feels he's being persecuted because he's a police officer," Green said. "You're being prosecuted because you violated the law."

Green called criminal sexual conduct cases involving children "an abomination of nature."

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