



Filmmakers In Alpena

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Film crews were in Alpena today as part of a documentary following the journey of a Michigan woman who lost her battle with cancer.

The film called "Maire's Journey" follows the life and death of a 24-year-old Marie Kent who died last October of a rare form of heart cancer.

Before she died, Kent's last wish was for her ashes to be placed in a small wooden boat and make their way from Michigan to the Atlantic Ocean.

Producers for the documentary say Marie's journey is an amazing one that has touched so many people along the way.

Marie's boat was taken in today by local girl scouts and made a stop at the Friends Together center in Alpena.

The names and pictures of local residents who lost their lives to cancer were added to the boat.

Maire's ashes are currently headed to Port Huron for her next stop on her journey.

Producers of the documentary hope to have the film complete by sometime next spring.

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