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Council spikes development



The city council rejected a proposed 130-home subdivision that residents said would destroy trees and create potential traffic and flooding problems. The developer said he would revise his plans.

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Bowing to strong residential opposition, the Westland City Council has rejected a 130-home subdivision that had been proposed in the city's far northwest corner, near the Canton Township boundary.

The decision followed a strong protest from Westland and Canton Township residents who blasted the proposed Forest Creek Estates development, planned on the east side of Eckles between Joy and Koppernick. One by one, residents addressed the council and drew applause from

the audience as they voiced concerns that the project would harm the environment, cause traffic snarls and disrupt what they described as a peaceful way of life.

Councilwoman Sharon Scott, calling the area "beautiful," made the motion to deny the request from J&B Community Homes, which sought special approval to build the subdivision.

"If I were a resident out there, I would be with you out here protesting," Scott told the homeowners. Her motion was approved in a 6-0 vote

with one council member absent. Developer Steven Schaefer indicated that plans would be revised and submitted again to the council, though residents have made it clear they will fight development in the area.

"The people who already are (living) there have rights, too," said Westland resident Mary Brent, who lives on Armstrong Lane in Briarbrook condominiums.

She pleaded with the council to avoid "rubber-stamping" the project, and she warned that residents would

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Graffiti-busters are busy



ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Paint job: Youths perform community service by painting over gang graffiti sprayed behind a business in the Merriman-Ann Arbor Trail area.

Youth project aims to wipe out graffiti

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Hoping to curb gang graffiti, the Westland Youth Assistance Program has launched a new project aimed at painting over the gang symbols and scrawlings that have defaced some local businesses.

The cleanup will be done by youngsters performing community service projects for Youth Assistance, a program that provides mentors, tutors, counseling and other services for troubled youths ages 7-16.

The "graffiti-busters," as Youth Assistance director Ronaldo Bow-

man referred to them, began their work Friday, painting over gang graffiti sprayed on businesses in the Merriman Road and Ann Arbor Trail area.

More than a dozen youth gangs are known to be operating in Westland, city police officials have said.

The supervised Youth Assistance workers continued working near Merriman and Ann Arbor Trail early this week, with plans to move south along Merriman to Avondale and Palmer later in the week, Bowman said.

The project is in support of Mayor

Robert Thomas' campaign for "zero tolerance" of gangs in Westland.

"We are constantly trying to display a positive image in Westland," Thomas said, "and projects like this help us do just that."

Most youngsters helped by the Youth Assistance program have been in trouble for such problems as truancy, vandalism, anti-social behavior and shoplifting. Many have experienced problems at school or in the home.

Youngsters are referred to the program by schools, police, juvenile courts and family members.

The graffiti-busting project has been boosted by donations of paint or to supervise a painting crew may call 467-7904. Businesses wishing to have graffiti painted over also may call the number, but Bowman said they should be willing to pay for supplies, if necessary. The same number may be called to make referrals to Youth Assistance.

Others interested in donating to the project or volunteering to paint or to supervise a painting crew may call 467-7904. Businesses wishing to have graffiti painted over also may call the number, but Bowman said they should be willing to pay for supplies, if necessary. The same number may be called to make referrals to Youth Assistance.

Low price for Internet impresses users

BY EMORY DANIELS
STAFF WRITER

The response is overwhelming to the new version of O&E On-Line with complete Internet access.

System operator Greg Day said volume was so heavy the first week (July 6) that the number of incoming lines had to be increased by 60 percent to eliminate a problem with busy signals.

Of those users contacted by the Observer & Eccentric, the primary reason was the low flat rate price of \$9.95 a month for one year's connection with no add-on or premium charges.

A free on-line user's manual is readily accessible.

The low price was one of the attractions for Gary Gilmore, 35, of Dearborn, a guitar technician for the band Bad Company of England.

"My friends just cannot believe I am getting full Internet for \$9.95 a month," said Gilmore.

"Our lighting director in California is thinking about signing up with O&E and paying the long-distance phone connection because it may still be cheaper for him."

One of the enthused O&E Internet users is George Klocicz, 40, of Plym-

outh, a programmer/analyst.

"What I've seen of the new O&E On-Line I like very much. Lynx and ftp are great for surfing around this newfangled super-duper info highway."

Lynx is a popular tool to access data bases, bulletin boards and other computer information sources. File Transfer Protocol (ftp) is the tool to obtain free software and text files on the Internet. The files are discovered using a search tool known as Archie.

"I basically use Internet for IRC and the news groups," said Joshua Welble, 14, of Livonia. "I got new and

exciting friends and stuff to do in my spare time." IRC is an international instantaneous chat feature in which users talk "live" to others using the keyboard. News groups are hundreds of discussion groups on shared interests of users.

"I use the Internet for everything," said Gilmore. "With e-mail I contact friends all over, some of them band crew members planning the next tour. One crew member lives in Phoenix, another in Atlanta, and my guitar player in England is just getting on

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Top employee

Westland's Carol Penrod has been named the employee of the month at Garden City Hospital. Penrod is a nursing assistant in the orthopedics department. A nurse's aide for 22 years, Penrod admitted that when she first applied for a hospital position, she had a clerical background but there weren't any clerical jobs available so she took the nurse's aide class and "loved it."

Tournament coming

The Westland Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its first mixed bowling tournament Saturday, Aug. 20, at Westland Bowl, on Wayne Road, north of Ford. There will be a cash first prize and donated prizes for second- and

PLACES & FACES

third-place finishers as well as door prizes, a 60/60 drawing and optional jackpots. Fee for a five-person team is \$12 with registration to start at 6:30 p.m. that afternoon and the tournament to get underway at 8 p.m. Advance registration is available at Westland Bowl and the Westland Chamber of Commerce office, on Ford between Central City Parkway and Newburgh. On the committee are coordinator Cathy Barrett, Lisa Harlow, Ethel Bollinger, Joyce Wheeler and Doris Smith.

Western dance

Stavo Bertich of the W4 country music station

will be the disc jockey for a Westland Therapeutic Recreation Program benefit Friday night at the Bailey Recreation Center, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh, directly behind City Hall. Admission is \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. The benefit is called the "Bailey Boot, Scoot and Boogie" with dancers encouraged to wear their western clothing. The admission charge covers pizza, soda pop, dessert and a raffle ticket. Persons interested in volunteering for the benefit dance may contact recreation supervisor Margaret Martin, 722-7620.

Announcements for this column are welcomed from groups and individuals. Information must be in writing and directed to the Westland Observer editorial department, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is 981-7279.

Driver charged with causing deaths of 2 toddlers

By Darrell Clem
Staff Writer

A Romulus man has been charged with causing the deaths of two Westland toddlers when his truck slammed into their family's car June 17 on Van Born, between Middlebelt and Inkster Road.

Alan Paul Gervais, 34, was arraigned Monday in Westland 18th District Court on two counts of driving drunk/causing the deaths of sisters Jimiere Adams, 5

months, and Laura Johnson, 22 months. The sisters died shortly before 10 p.m. June 17 when the family's 1984 Chrysler New Yorker was struck broadside by a 1988 Ford pickup truck driven by Gervais, Westland police officer James Dexter said. The accident occurred as the family was pulling away from their house in the 28200 block of Van Born.

The father, 37, and the mother, 25, were injured along with their two sons,

ages 4 and 3, but all four survived the accident, Dexter said. Police initially believed the father was driving at the time, but a subsequent investigation indicated that the mother was behind the wheel, Dexter said.

Neither parent faces charges at this time, he said.

A not-guilty plea was entered for Gervais when he was arraigned Monday before 18th District Judge Gail McKnight.

He was expected to post \$1,000, or 10 percent of a \$10,000 bond, to be released from custody.

Gervais has been ordered to return to court July 28 for a preliminary examination that will determine whether he should stand trial in Detroit Recorder's Court on the felony charges.

He could face a maximum 15-year prison term if convicted.

A post-accident investigation revealed

that Gervais was driving about 62 mph in the 45-mph zone when his truck slammed into the car, Dexter said. That finding was based on an accident-reconstruction study by Westland police.

Dexter also said that Gervais had a blood-alcohol level of .16, above the .10 level that is considered legally drunk for Michigan drivers, Dexter said.

No one in the family's car was restrained by seat belts, Dexter said.

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"remember at election time" if the council approved the subdivision.

Schafer had asked the council for special approval to place homes on 7,200-square-foot lots that would have a 60-foot frontage. Current zoning calls for 8,400-square-foot lots with a 70-foot frontage.

Schafer rejected residents' claims that the development didn't include proper plans for water drainage, which some residents said would cause flooding.

Kathleen Koenig of Canton Township said the area already floods easily, and she worried that

the project would cause water from a nearby drain to rise in her back yard. Koenig, who is physically impaired and uses an electric scooter, said she depends on a back-door ramp at her home because her front yard is too steep.

"If the water comes in there, I am virtually a prisoner in my own home," she said.

Westland resident Jack Smiley, among nearly a dozen citizens who voiced opposition Monday, said he envisioned the area around Koppernick as a nature preserve where youngsters could go camping and learn about nature.

"Please don't cave in to the developer," he said.

Schafer said the development had been carefully planned to save as many trees as possible, and he said developers wouldn't intrude on area wetlands, as some opponents charged.

"The most choice trees on the site fall into the areas we are trying to preserve," he told the council, adding later, "It's also not my intent to put basements in wetlands."

Most opponents didn't accept his argument.

"I think you're being sold a bill of goods here," Canton resident

Gerald McDermott told the council, "and I think it's a false bill of goods."

Although Schafer said some trees would be replaced, Westland resident Jan Hunter responded, "Just the idea of pulling trees out of an area and replacing them is revolting to me."

Schafer, indicating that developers won't abandon plans to develop the land, asked the city council for a special study session to receive guidance on a residential proposal that might be acceptable. The session hasn't yet been scheduled.

Area resident opens medical practice

A Livonia resident, Daniel S. Mihalo, D.O., recently opened a practice at the Oakwood Canton Health Center, 7300 Canton Center Road, Canton.

Mihalo, a board-certified internal medicine physician, is a member of the medical staffs of Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn and Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

A primary care internist, he sees both adults and adolescents.

He earned his medical degree from Chicago College of Osteo-

pathic Medicine in 1975 and completed his internal medicine residency in 1980 at Wayne State University Affiliated Hospitals, Detroit Medical Center.

He is a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine.

A hospital-based internist for 10 years, Mihalo in 1989 and 1990 served as medical director for Wayne's internal medicine resident outpatient clinic at Gari City Hospital.

Internet from page 1A

Internet account. We pass information among us on the Internet because we know it will arrive in seconds, because we can confirm its arrival, and because the other person doesn't have to be there when the message arrives."

Laura Shapiro, 43, of Livonia, is a former police officer from California.

"I spend a lot of time in the Chat zone," said Shapiro.

"I do search around all the gophers but am not too comfortable with gopher yet. But I downloaded the free on-line user's guide and that's helped me extensively, especially in the chat zones. I've met some friends on-line using chat and we actually get together once in awhile" — off-line.

Shapiro has a 5-year-old son and she wants to learn the Internet to teach it to him in a couple of years when he's in school and finds out about this technology. Her father is interested in genealogy and she expects to help him in researching the family tree.

Pete Cooke, 38, of Dearborn, is a lead software developer for a major insurance company based in Dearborn. "So far I've learned to use Archie to search for files and then do ftps from different sites. The other day I was looking for a Windows communications program that works good with a particular terminal emulation and downloaded it from Australia. I also use IRC a bit."

Cooke also makes frequent use

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Center Library.

The presentation is sponsored by the Livonia Arts Commission. For tickets call Fred at 535-8962.

Ticket price for all seats is \$3. The performance is recommended for children of all ages.

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Man pleads guilty

Franklin Paulus of Westland has entered a guilty plea and was sentenced on charges of conspiracy to traffic in stolen vehicles as well as possessing and selling them, U.S. Attorney Saul Green announced.

Judge John Felkens sentenced Paulus, 42, to a prison term of 63 months, to be followed by three years of supervised release. The court further ordered restitution of approximately \$44,000 and a special assessment of \$100. No fine was imposed.

Green, in a statement, said that Paulus "conspired with a codefendant and others to deal in stolen Mercedes-Benz automobiles, whose vehicle identification numbers were altered, between May 1990, and January 1992, which he sold at various times in late 1991. He originally pleaded guilty to these charges in January 1993, but fled the jurisdiction and remained a fugitive until he was apprehended on May 21, 1994."

Under a renegotiated plea agreement with the government, Paulus was subject to a maximum potential penalty of 71 months in prison and a \$250,000 fine.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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Playing through: In his traditional Scottish garb, Rev. Willet Herrington strolls through the garden at St. Andrew's Church in Livonia, where he is associate pastor.

ART: EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Piping up

Retiree keeps heritage alive

BY LEANNE ROGERS
STAFF WRITER

As a good Scotaman and a member of St. Andrew's Society, Willet Herrington knows the answer to the old question about what a Scotsman wears under his kilt.

"Why, his shoes, of course," quips Herrington of Garden City. "The biggest adjustment to wearing a kilt was sitting on a leather (car) seat in winter. You learn to tuck it under."

Seven years ago after retiring at age 60, Herrington learned to play the bagpipes after joining the St. Andrew Society, a benevolent group that works to assist people of Scottish heritage and preserve and promote Scottish customs and traditions.

"I go different places. I play at schools and things. I like to keep my hand in it," he said. Herrington has different types of kilts, hats and other accessories appropriate for various occasions.

Many of his numerous activities stem from his love of history and experience as a teacher.

Retired after nearly 30 years as a teacher with Redford Union Schools, Herrington is busier than ever with his involvement with the Scottish benevolent group, as associate pastor at St. Andrew Episcopal Church in Livonia, a CPR and first aid instructor and history buff, in particular a Civil War re-enactor.

"My area was medieval and Renaissance history which is basically church history," Herrington said. "Teaching is a typical clergy job."

The Episcopal Church operated a school of theology in Detroit and Herrington was tapped to attend the seminary.

"I went to seminary to be a vol-

unteer. The bishop thought I was a person they wanted as a non-stipendiary clergy," Herrington said. "I prefer the term tentmaking clergy, like St. Paul."

After becoming a deacon in 1967, Herrington worked for many years at St. David's Church in Garden City.

"I came to St. David's six and a half years ago. I was loaned here for three months and have been here ever since," said Herrington, who serves as chaplain to both the Livonia police and fire departments.

For about 40 years, Herrington has taught first aid and emergency care to police officers and firefighters, as well to American Red Cross instructors. He has taught part time at Henry Ford Community College, Mercy College and currently at Schoolcraft College.

It was membership in the St. Andrew Society that led Herrington into Civil War re-enactments including an appearance in the movie "Gettysburg."

"Dr. William Phoenix was president of the society and curator at

Fort Wayne," Herrington said. "What do you do with a retired history major? I volunteered there and started to get interested."

When participating in re-enactments, Herrington takes on the role of William Way, a chaplain from Plymouth with the 24th Michigan Volunteers — a unit decimated on the first day of battle at Gettysburg.

Way wrote about the war as a correspondent for a Detroit newspaper, providing Herrington with a lot of information about his character.

"It's interesting learning about the ceremonies and becoming knowledgeable about religious services and how the liturgy was done," he said.

When speaking to groups, Herrington said he finds that using humor, costumes and props are effective in getting the information across to groups whether it be seniors or students.

"I let them know that freedom and liberty have a cost. We are accountable for what we do," he said.

A slide program on the making of "Gettysburg" was the recent topic of a slide show Herrington presented at a Westland nursing home. Many years ago after his mother-in-law was at the nursing home, he began presenting slide shows for the residents every other Saturday.

Herrington's wife, Joan, often accompanies him to re-enactments and other activities. Married 37 years, the couple has three children and eight grandchildren.

"I lost a bet and took her to dinner. She was the school secretary. I was very fortunate. She is a friend," he said.

Wayne-Westland schools offer latchkey program

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A new latchkey program will be offered this fall in Wayne-Westland schools for working parents who need supervision for their children before and after school.

The Wayne-Westland school board has approved a revamped program that will be run by Children's World, a private company that became the district's top choice after several latchkey proposals were studied.

The latest move means that the latchkey program will no longer be supervised by the Wayne-Westland Family YMCA. School officials had received some complaints about the former program.

Parents who use the service will pay the same per-child hourly rate of \$2.25 that was paid last year, said Greg Baracy, assistant superintendent for general administration. The before-school program will start at 7 a.m.; the

after-school program will end at 6 p.m.

Last year, parents registered 240 children for latchkey programs, though only 90 to 100 youngsters participated on any given day, Baracy said. Many parents don't need the service every day, he said.

The latchkey program will continue at eight elementaries: El-Hott, Stottlemeyer, Madison, Hamilton, Kettering, Wildwood, Monroe and Patchin. Officials also plan to offer the service at Schwelzer Elementary if the crowded school can accommodate the program, Baracy said.

Educators also hope to offer a latchkey program at Titus Elementary School. The school had

to cancel a program last year because of a lack of participants.

"We plan to pursue a program at Titus and to market it," Baracy said.

The Children's World program offers more structured activities for children than some of the other programs studied by an ad hoc committee, which recommended the company to the school board, Baracy said.

"We think the program will fit the needs of the Wayne-Westland district," he said.

The school board approved Children's World in a 5-0 vote, with two board members absent. The program won board approval during a special meeting Wednesday, July 13.

Young botanists get boost from greenhouse at school

BY MARIE CHESTNEY
STAFF WRITER

Through a \$14,000 gift from parents, Hayes Elementary in Westland this fall will become the first elementary school in Livonia Public Schools to sport a greenhouse.

The 18-foot by 24-foot greenhouse is a dream come true for principal Gerald Nehs, a longtime horticulturist, and to Hayes teachers who will now be able to enhance science lessons with hands-on experiments.

"This is a golden opportunity for students to measure, record, to do endless kinds of science things with soil," said Nehs.

The state-of-the-art greenhouse, complete with climate control, heater and watering timers, will sit to the left of the school's front entrance, off the parking lot. It will have a clear roof and frosted plastic walls.

Hayes teachers have long taught botany by having students grow plants in starter trays that could be wheeled from classroom to classroom.

Teachers liked the idea of teaching science in a greenhouse, but the high cost of the addition — some up to \$25,000 — stalled efforts to get one.

"Because the cost was out of sight, I had almost dropped the idea," Nehs said. "But the PTA was supportive of the idea. Jeff Douglas, a parent, kept searching for one, making phone calls. We feel this is an incredible price. The PTA has been putting money aside for this for two-three years."

The greenhouse will come from BFG Greenhouse and Nursery Supplies in Belleville. Entrance will be gained by converting a window into a door.

Nehs' interest in things green is evident throughout the school at

30600 Louise, from the plantings around the school to the annual beautification prizes earned by students.

On Monday, the Livonia Board of Education accepted the \$14,000 gift from the Hayes PTA.

The trustees also accepted a \$2,505 gift from the Roosevelt PTA for basketball hoops, backboards and aluminum benches.

"I tip my hat to Hayes PTA and to other schools which fund-raise," said trustee Frank Kokonka.

One downside to greenhouses, suggested trustee Ken Timmons, is that they have a tendency to fall into disuse.

"School greenhouses have a history of becoming albatrosses," Timmons said. "I hope this doesn't happen to you."

It won't, Nehs said, because, beside him, both the parents and the teachers support the idea.

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July 23

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WONDERLAND MALL

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SPRINTAK

Wayne father cleared of stalking school official

By BARBARA WILSON
STAFF WRITER

A Wayne man charged with stalking a Garden City school administrator was cleared of charges Tuesday in 21st District Court.

Judge Richard Hammer Jr. ruled that the prosecution had not provided sufficient evidence in meeting all elements of the stalking charge and, therefore, he

could not justify sending the case to trial.

Carulus Giddings Jr., 37, formerly lived in Garden City and reportedly made threats against Garden City pupil services director Mark Gutman. Giddings was also investigated earlier for making threats against Wayne-Westland school Superintendent Larry Thomas.

The dispute with school officials reportedly stemmed from the placement of one of Giddings' children, a special education student with behavioral problems.

Hammer said in stalking cases at least two contacts between the defendant and victim have to be proved and Prosecutor Thomas Trzinski failed to offer such evidence.

After the dismissal, Giddings called the entire proceeding a "kangaroo fareo" and vowed to continue fighting for his children. He said his son has been unjustly accused of crimes and school districts have failed him.

"I won't send my kids to Garden City or Wayne-Westland schools. I'll teach them myself at home if I have to," Giddings said. "This is not over at all. I'll go right over them. This is between me and the state of Michigan now."

Six witnesses were called to testify for the prosecution. A representative of the Michigan Protection and Advocacy Agency testified about a call she received in which Giddings reportedly threatened to shoot Gutman.

Garden City Public Schools'

Superintendent Michael Wilnot testified about action the district took in order to ensure Gutman's safety including hiring of a security guard for central office. He also testified about what the district did to accommodate the Giddings children.

Gutman testified Monday about his efforts to work with Giddings and the fear he felt after threats were made.

After the dismissal Tuesday, Gutman said he was disappointed in the decision, but understood Hammer's position.

"I have tremendous faith in Judge Hammer. He's one of the best things to happen to this community," Gutman said. "I am still concerned for my safety though. The man (Giddings) is very erratic."

Gutman said the district accommodated most of Giddings' wishes in regard to his son's education, but Giddings continued to keep his son out of classes for an entire semester and refused to attend conferences.

"Most parents merely want a solution and then we move on," Gutman said.

The school administrator testified in court that he bought a weapon when the threats began and he notified his home police department requesting they watch his house.

"I really think he is dangerous, if I didn't I would not have pressed charges," Gutman said. "I really resent having to own a gun, but I feel I have no choice. I will always be looking over my shoulder."

New owner on tap at Dunleavy's pub

By LARRY O'CONNOR
STAFF WRITER

Dunleavy's Pub is about to change ownership but no Irish wake is in order, according to the buyer.

Farmington attorney Anthony Domol is buying the Grand River Avenue restaurant from owners Jack Dunleavy and Marty Burke. Sale price is undisclosed.

Dunleavy and Burke have been partners since 1977 in the business, which is known for its lively St. Patrick's Day celebrations.

Farmington City Council approved the transfer of the Class C liquor license with dance permit to Domol's D&D Restaurants Inc. Monday. No major

changes are planned for Dunleavy's, Domol said.

"I plan to keep it just the way it is," said Domol, who also intends to retain the Dunleavy name.

Current owners cite several reasons for selling.

Burke said he's thinking of retiring. Dunleavy is looking into a Lansing-area business, Burke added.

Dunleavy couldn't be reached for comment.

Burke, 67, joined Dunleavy to open the restaurant, which was previously known as Brendan's Irish Pub and the Purple Plum prior to that.

"It's been wonderful," said Burke, who used to be part owner of The Press Box in De-

troit's Corktown neighborhood.

"It's a great neighborhood, and they've been some of the finest customers I've met since I've been in this business."

Negotiations have taken several months to complete, Domol said. This is Domol's first restaurant venture.

Some upgrades will be made to the restaurant's appearance, Domol said. He told council he plans to be a hands-on owner.

"I have a couple of friends who are also lawyers and who are also restaurateurs," said Domol, whose law practice is on Grand River Avenue. "I got some encouragement from them."

"It's a new life for me, going from an attorney to doing this."

Road improvements planned

By LARRY O'CONNOR
STAFF WRITER

When making a left turn from Nine Mile Road onto Farmington Road, drivers will soon be able to look at each other square in the eye.

They can't at present, and that's been the problem.

An obstructed view of oncoming traffic is created by an offset in left-turn lanes on Nine Mile Road. This has led up to an estimated 31 percent of accidents at the intersection, officials said.

A restriping of Nine Mile Road, bringing the left-turn lanes in line with each other, is seen as a solution. Farmington City Council approved the idea Monday.

"I'm glad to hear that," said Dena Kukla, who works as a bookkeeper at Motorama Engineering on Nine Mile.

Kukla wrote to the city of Farmington, requesting something be done about the intersection. She turns left onto Farmington Road daily en route to her Lincoln Park residence.

"You basically had to sit there until the light turns red to make a left-hand turn, or you took your chances on getting hit," Kukla said.

Nine Mile, east of Farmington Road, will be reconfigured. Eastbound traffic will be narrowed to one lane to accommodate the added left-turn lane. A solid left-turn lane will be marked for eastbound

traffic on Nine Mile, west of Farmington Road.

Completion date is tentatively set for Sept. 1. Restriping was suggested after a review by the Farmington Traffic and Safety Board and Farmington Hills traffic engineer Kevin McCarthy.

Nine Mile, west of Farmington Road, is within Farmington Hills city limits. Hills is expected to pick up two-thirds of the cost, which is estimated between \$6,000 and \$7,000. Farmington will pay less than \$2,000.

Council backed the plan, but some members wondered if more can be done.

One worry is the amount of traffic exiting onto Nine Mile from M-102. Farmington Public Safety director Gary Goss said Michigan Department of Transportation has been asked to put a stop bar on the exit ramp.

Councilman William Hartssock was concerned about the amount of potential traffic lining up to make left turns south onto Farmington Road.

"You're going to have offices letting out, and you'll have some stocking up there," Hartssock said.

The left-turn lane can be lengthened to include more cars, Goss said. The public safety director sees restriping as an alternative to a left-hand turn signal.

"We'll do that if this doesn't work," Goss said. "As a council knows, that is a very expensive option."

Councilman challenges costs of renting Xerox copy machine

By DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Westland taxpayers have paid \$1,850 in the last two months for a Westland City Hall copy machine that is being leased from the Xerox copier company.

City Councilman David Cox, alarmed by the leasing costs, has asked the city administration for a report to determine if buying a copier could be cheaper than leasing one.

The city pays Xerox \$650 a month just to lease the machine, Cox said. That, alone, would amount to \$1,300 for the last two months.

But the city also has to pay a charge for each copy (less than a penny per page) that comes through the machine, budget director Tim McCurley said.

During a council session Monday, Cox said he was stunned to see the city billed \$550 for copies. It appeared the charge was for one month, but further inquiry by the Observer on Tuesday revealed

that the \$550 tab was for 61,453 copies made during the last two months.

With the total two-month tab at \$1,850, Cox has questioned whether the city is spending taxpayer money wisely by leasing the City Hall copier, rather than buying one.

"It's common to pay a per-copy charge as part of a lease agreement."

"It's like leasing a car and paying for extra mileage," Cox said Tuesday.

But he said he would like a cost comparison to ensure that taxpayer money isn't being wasted.

McCurley said that the city has leased copiers for years but that arguments can be made on both sides — for leasing and for buying.

Mayor Robert Thomas said Tuesday, "I don't know if there is a real clear-cut answer."

Buying a copier like the one at City Hall would cost \$26,000,

Thomas said, but he added that the city wouldn't be able to replace the copier as easily if it stopped working.

The city also would likely keep a copier that it owned for a longer period of time, which would increase the risk of potentially expensive repair costs, administration officials said.

Moreover, the mayor said he wants to be sure that "we're not saddled with a machine that we can't get parts for."

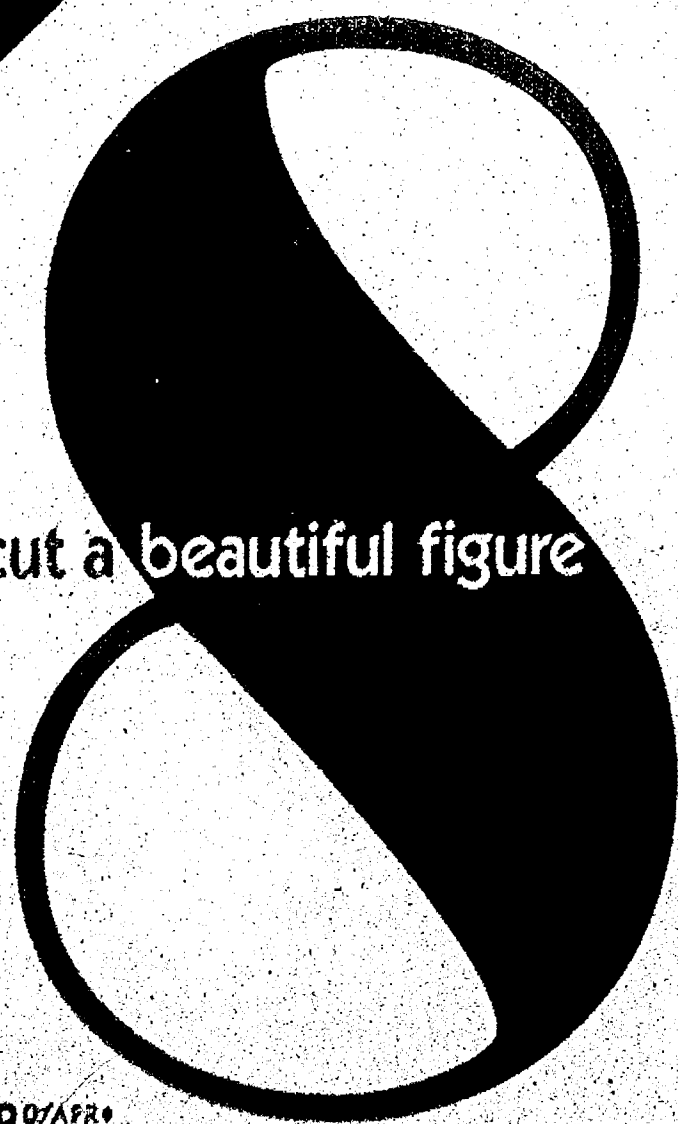
Cox also questioned whether the city could save money by hiring a third party, other than Xerox, to service the copier.

But Thomas said the service agreement is tied to the Xerox lease. Moreover, he said he believes the company that made the copier is probably best at providing service to it.

Cox said he hopes to receive an administration report that will clarify whether it would be cheaper to buy or lease a copier.

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Congress candidates plan debate Tuesday

The 13th Congressional District candidates will have a debate beginning 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, July 26, at the Sheraton Inn, 3200 Boardwalk in Ann Arbor.

The 13th District includes Canton and Plymouth townships, Plymouth, Westland, Garden City and the southeast quadrant of Livonia.

The Democrat candidates are David Gelsa of Wayne, state Rep. Lynn Rivers of Ann

Arbor and Fulton Eaglin of Ann Arbor.

The Republican candidates are Glenn Kassel of Wayne, John Schall of Ann Arbor, Cynthia Wilbanks of Ypsilanti Township and Dennis Fassett of Belleville.

Breakfast will be served for \$10. Call 665-4433.

The sponsors are the Ann Arbor Area Chamber of Commerce and the Ypsilanti Area Chamber of Commerce.

Women's group endorses 3 candidates

The National Women's Political Caucus has endorsed state Rep. Lynn Rivers, D-Ann Arbor, for U.S. Congress in the 13th District; state Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, for the U.S. Senate; and state Sen. Debbie Stabenow,

D-Lansing, for governor.

In a press release, caucus president Harriett Woods said, "The women running for political office in Michigan are examples of the fresh new leadership voters are responding to in 1994."

Woods was expected to attend fund-raisers for Rivers in Ann Arbor and Pollack in Grand Rapids.

The caucus reports that a record number of women are running in the Aug. 2 primary, including 13 candidates for federal

and statewide office, 25 for state senates and 89 for state houses. In Michigan, two women are running for U.S. Senate, one for governor, and eight for the U.S. House.

810 area code mandatory beginning 8-10

The new 810 area code for Oakland County and six other counties will be mandatory beginning Wednesday, Aug. 10.

Most of Wayne, Washtenaw and Monroe counties will keep the 313 area code.

Until Aug. 10 callers may reach phones in the 810 area code by dialing 810 or 313. After Aug. 10 callers must use the new area code.

Ameritech officials say the ad-

ditional area code is needed because they're running out of phone numbers. The popularity of facsimile machines, cellular phones, computer modems and pagers has greatly increased the demand for phone numbers.

Some northern Livonia residents will be in the 810 area code. To find out if you're one of them, or if you have other questions about the new area code, call (800) 831-8989.

Holocaust archive presented

A benefit reception to introduce the University of Michigan-Dearborn's Holocaust Oral Archive, a collection of audio and video tapes gathered by history professor Sidney Bolkosky, has been set for 7 p.m. Thursday, July 28, in the Mardigan Library on campus.

Bolkosky has conducted more than 160 interviews, gathering

more than 600 hours of audio tape and 60 hours of video tape documenting the experiences of Holocaust survivors, since he began the project in 1981.

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Local students attend Summer Institute at Madonna

Six area students are among nearly 100 high school students from all over Michigan attending the Michigan Board of Education Summer Institute for the Arts and Sciences at Madonna University through July 23.

The students will have the opportunity to learn information from experts as well as have access to resources and facilities not available in their high schools.

Madonna is one of six host schools for the institute in Michigan, intended for teen-agers 15-17 years old.

Areas of study include molecular genetics and genetic engineering, architecture, Japanese language and culture, music video production, sign language, journalism, printmaking, consumption and waste.

Shannon Farkas of Canton Township, a Plymouth Canton High School student, is studying political journalism at the institute. She has earned awards in debate and forensics and is involved in student council, Junior Achievement and the German Club. The daughter of Stephen and Marie Farkas, Farkas' career interests are law, government and broadcast journalism.

Dawn Borbeau of Redford Township, a Thurston High School student, is studying journalism at the institute. Borbeau is a member of the National Honor Society, French club, Students Against Drunk Driving, and the Science Olympiad, and is active

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in school plays.

Jennifer Sloan of Farmington, a Farmington High School student, is studying architecture at the institute. She is a National Honor Society member, and has earned the national English Merit Award. Her school activities include marching band, symphonic band, jazz band, symphonic orchestra, school musicals and the environmental club.

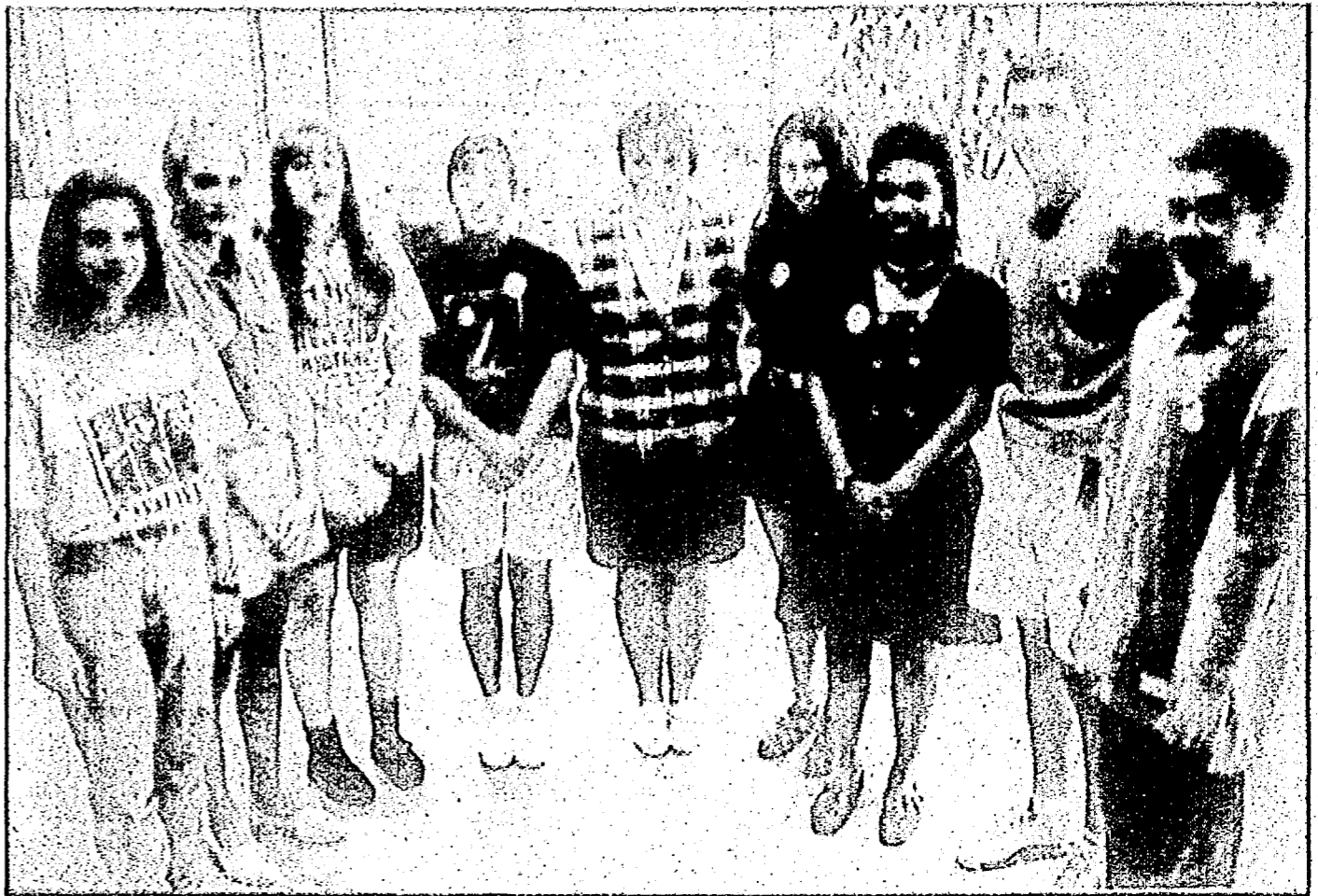
Matthew Citrin of Farmington Hills, a Harrison High School student, will be studying molecular genetics at the institute. He is a member of the National Honor Society and the 4.0 Club as well as being involved in cross coun-

try, track, school plays, Quiz Bowl, the literary magazine and the photography club.

Jessica Klugman of Farmington Hills, a Harrison High School student, is studying molecular genetics and genetic engineering at the institute. She is a member of the National Honor Society and the 4.0 club as well as being vice president of Students of the World and a French tutor to children in her neighborhood.

Hillary Lum of Farmington Hills, a North Farmington High School student, is studying molecular engineering and genetics at the institute. Her honors include the Superintendent's Award of Excellence and the Math Department Award of General Excellence. She is active in varsity gymnastics, track, the environmental club and the school restructuring group for teachers and students.

Also, four Madonna faculty and staff members received a "Community of the Future Award" from Music Television on July 13. The awards are meant to recognize teachers who use cable TV in instruction. The winners are media production services director Patricia Derry, video communications instructor Charles Derry, producer/editor Suzanne Boyd, and TV systems engineer Daniel Boyd. The award was given in recognition of two videos produced at last year's summer institute.



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Scholars: These are the area students who are attending the Michigan Board of Education Summer Institute for the Arts and Sciences at Madonna University. From left, they are Jennifer Sloan of Farmington, Jayme Okma of Bloomfield Hills, Dawn Borbeau of Redford Township, Hillary Lum of Farmington Hills, Beth Storms of Dearborn Heights, Jessica Klugman of Farmington Hills, Ebony Reed of Lathrup Village, Matthew Citrin of Farmington Hills and Jason Chan of Troy. Not pictured is Shannon Farkas of Canton Township.

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- "Under the Great Kapok Tree." Follow the book called "A Tale of the Amazon Rain Forest" and create origami frogs, papier-mache snakes and animal masks.
- "We Just Call It Garbage." Based on a song, this class will create musical instruments and crafts from recycled materials.
- "Marvelous Masks." Class begins with personalized masks and moves on to other sculpture techniques and media.
- "Button! Button!" Organizing, sorting and patterning come alive using buttons, games, stones and crafts.
- "Sunflower Art." Patterns in nature provide the focus for this class.

Call 420-3331, or drop by the school after 8 a.m. Tuesday to sign up.

In a first-of-its-kind move, the Michigan Department of Transportation will work with a contractor to improve more than five miles of heavily-traveled I-275 in Farmington Hills and Livonia.

The improved roadway will be designed, built and maintained for three years by the contractor, with work being done under the lights to minimize possible motorist delays.

"The contractor must guaran-

I-275 5 mile stretch to be repaired at night

tee its work for three years, so if it hasn't done a good job and the pavement needs more work within that time period, any extra costs will be completely paid by the firm," said deputy director of the Bureau of Highways Bob Welke in a press release. "Our aim is to allow contractors to use their own initiative to get a job done. They may be able to reduce the overall cost of the job, which means more money for other vital transportation needs."

Thompson-McCully Co. of Belleville will take full control of the repair of 5.3 miles of I-275 from I-96 to north of 10 Mile Road.

Built in 1976, the section of I-275 to be repaired is in bad condition. All work on the section will be performed between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. on weekdays, with some weekend work.

"If there are lane closures outside the specified hours, the contractor will be severely penal-

ized," said Welke. The fine for every 15 minutes that traffic is impeded is \$1,000.

Initial repair work is expected to begin in August and will be completed by Nov. 1, 1994.

After that, the contractor will maintain the road until Dec. 31, 1997, under the continuing contract.

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Court backs prosecutor on misbehaving parolees

By RALEGH R. ECHINAW
Staff Writer

Wayne County chief assistant prosecutor George Ward, a Plymouth Township resident, has won a state Court of Appeals ruling that means big trouble for reoffending parolees.

In a July 5 decision, the Court of Appeals backed up Ward's assertion that parolees who commit felonies while on parole must serve the remaining portion of their first sentence before beginning their second sentence.

"The repeat offender is responsible for most of the crime that destroys a community's quality of life," said Wayne County Prosecutor John O'Hair in a press release. "For once, instead of just talking about how the justice system is nothing but a revolving door, we have a decision that aims at stopping it."

Ward argued successfully that

a 1988 law that has never been widely enforced requires longer periods of incarceration.

The law, MCL 768.7a(2), says that parolees convicted of a felony while on parole must serve "the remaining portion" of the initial prison sentence before serving any part of the second sentence.

For example, a man serving a sentence of 2-10 years may be paroled after about 18 months. Now he commits a felony while on parole. Heretofore, the unserved portion of his sentence would be waived and he would return to prison to serve only a portion of the new minimum sentence.

Hereafter, assuming the appeals court decision is upheld, the reoffending parolee will return to prison to serve the rest of his maximum sentence before beginning the minimum sentence for the second crime. He won't be eligible for parole until he serves 80

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percent of the second sentence.

The ruling came in the case of Gregory Lee Young, who has a total of 15 felony convictions to his credit.

Young committed a breaking and entering offense in September 1991 while on parole for armed robbery. While Young was in the Wayne County Jail awaiting trial for breaking and entering, the Department of Corrections released

him from parole.

When Young was sentenced for breaking and entering, Ward demanded to know why the consecutive sentencing statute was not enforced.

At an August 1992 hearing, the Department of Corrections said Young had been mistakenly discharged from parole. So Wayne County Recorder's Judge Lawrence Silverman sentenced Young

to consecutive prison terms in accordance with MCL 768.7a(2).

Silverman held that Young must serve nine years to finish his armed robbery sentence plus three years for the breaking and entering before being eligible for parole again.

The Parole Board argued that it could consider Young for parole again after he served 80 percent of his new 3 1/2 year minimum.

When the Department of Corrections balked at Silverman's interpretation of the law, a declaratory judgment by Wayne County Circuit Judge Susan Bleke-Neilson was requested. Bleke-Neilson backed Ward, and the case went to the state Court of Appeals.

Young's attorney, Stuart Friedman, said Tuesday that he will appeal the ruling. The deadline for appeal is July 26.



Crusader: Wayne County chief assistant prosecutor George Ward has found a way to put reoffending parolees back in prison for a long time.

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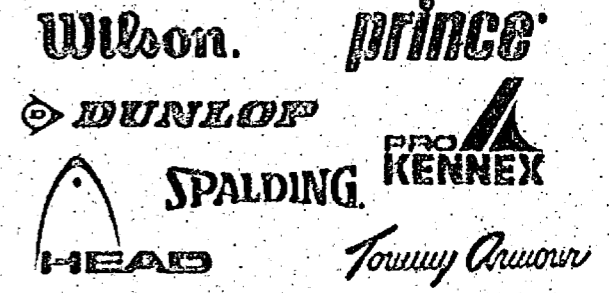
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Curriculum report stirs controversy in Lansing

By TIM RICHARD
Staff Writer

Michigan public schools are undergoing "a quiet but irreversible intellectual revolution" in their curriculum, according to a State Board of Education document.

But the fight may get noisier when the report, called "Core Curriculum Content Standards," is submitted to public hearings late this summer.

"It's magnificent work. It exceeds that done in every other state in the nation," said Dr. Robert E. Schiller, a centrist who is state superintendent of public instruction. Most board members agreed.

Two of the eight, however, say they're bothered by some departures from tradition. "Too much touchy-feely stuff," said board

member Marilyn Lundy, R-Detroit, an advocate of Latin and parsing of sentences.

Under one of the Proposal A laws passed last Christmas Eve by the Legislature, the State Board is to update its core curriculum standards in reading, math, science, and such social sciences as history, geography, economics, American government and writing.

Thursday the board "accepted" the report, written by consultants and university professors. In August it's due to vote and send it out for yet-to-be-scheduled public hearings.

"I thought there might be room for deviltry in the economics area," said member Gary L. Wolfram, R-Hillsdale, a libertarian market-economics guru for the Engler administration. Instead he

'There is no mention of the classics — what T.S. Eliot called the eternal. . . There's nothing about spelling. There's nothing about grammar. You might expect to see something about diagramming sentences.'

Gary L. Wolfram
Hillsdale professor

was highly pleased.

But Wolfram raised an eyebrow at the reading standards. "There is no mention of the classics — what T.S. Eliot called the eternal. . . There's nothing about spelling. There's nothing about grammar. You might expect to see something about diagramming sentences."

"Look at standard 7: 'explore, identify and use themes.' What the heck does that mean? Look at

the second standard: 'Know language patterns in the mall.'"

Referring to student essays, Wolfram, a Hillsdale College professor, said, "If a word is misspelled in every sentence, it disturbs the reader's train of thought."

"I think understanding is more important than diagramming a sentence," replied board co-president Annetta Miller, D-Huntington Woods. "I'm concerned you're

pushing us back to the 19th Century instead of forward to the 21st."

Referring to stories by her elementary-grade grandchildren, Miller said, "Children should be encouraged to write everything so they will feel comfortable with the language. They will learn, as they go along, to spell the words they're now sounding out. I don't want them to be inhibited."

Board treasurer Dorothy Beardmore, R-Rochester, praised the report but feared it failed to address two problems she encounters in letters to newspapers and talk radio: (1) "Where are the basics — reading, writing, addition, subtraction? They're not here in words of one syllable." (2)

Lundy, the board traditionalist, said, "The feeling I get is that

we're more interested in getting youngsters to have opinions than in grounding them in tools. . . Yes, you need to understand a theme, but you need to analyze the sentences and thoughts."

"We learned on the health curriculum (Michigan Model) about objections to 'decision-making' and 'problem-solving' areas. We don't teach them to ask, 'What's the law? What do my parents say? What does my church say?' We need to put it in writing that we're teaching basics."

Lundy ran smack into the chief objection that modern educators have to traditionalists. Said a math professor consultant: "We can err on the other side. We can teach how to factor polynomials, and the student has no idea what situation would require the factoring of polynomials."

Curriculum reflects alternative concepts

The state Department of Education's "Core Curriculum Content Standards" pushes the revolution going on in education.

As drafted, it says schooling in the last century was "based on dissection of learning into discrete facts and skills . . . through lecture and recitation."

The new "constructivist" movement is based on research by cognitive psychologists, learning theorists and educators, "its roots firmly grounded in the work of John Dewey" (1950-1952, pragmatic philosopher, psychologist and educator).

The movement emphasizes "in-

formation processing, critical and creative reasoning" and "solving REAL problems. In other words, it is no longer sufficient to simply 'know' mathematical facts; learners must be able to 'understand' the concepts and be able to apply them to problems and situations in the real world."

Here is how the report compares the old and new approaches:

Traditional — "relying heavily on textbooks, workbooks and drill sheets . . . a hierarchical and authoritarian structure in which students work alone . . . students memorize basic facts . . . there is

one correct answer to every question."

Constructivist — "emphasis on big concepts. Students learn how to use and apply important ideas . . . exploration of student questions . . . authentic tasks calling for problem-solving and critical thinking . . . expressing divergent points of view . . . dialogue in a learning community where students and teachers work cooperatively."

In the geography section, there is no mention of memorizing national capitals or rivers. Rather the student will "describe, com-

pare and explain the locations, and characteristics of economic activities, trade, political activities, migration and information flow."

The civics section doesn't mention the classical structure of government but says the student will "identify the purposes of national, state and local governments." In group discussions, students "will engage their peers" in constructive conversation about matters of public concern by clarifying issues, considering opposing views, applying democratic values and anticipating consequences."

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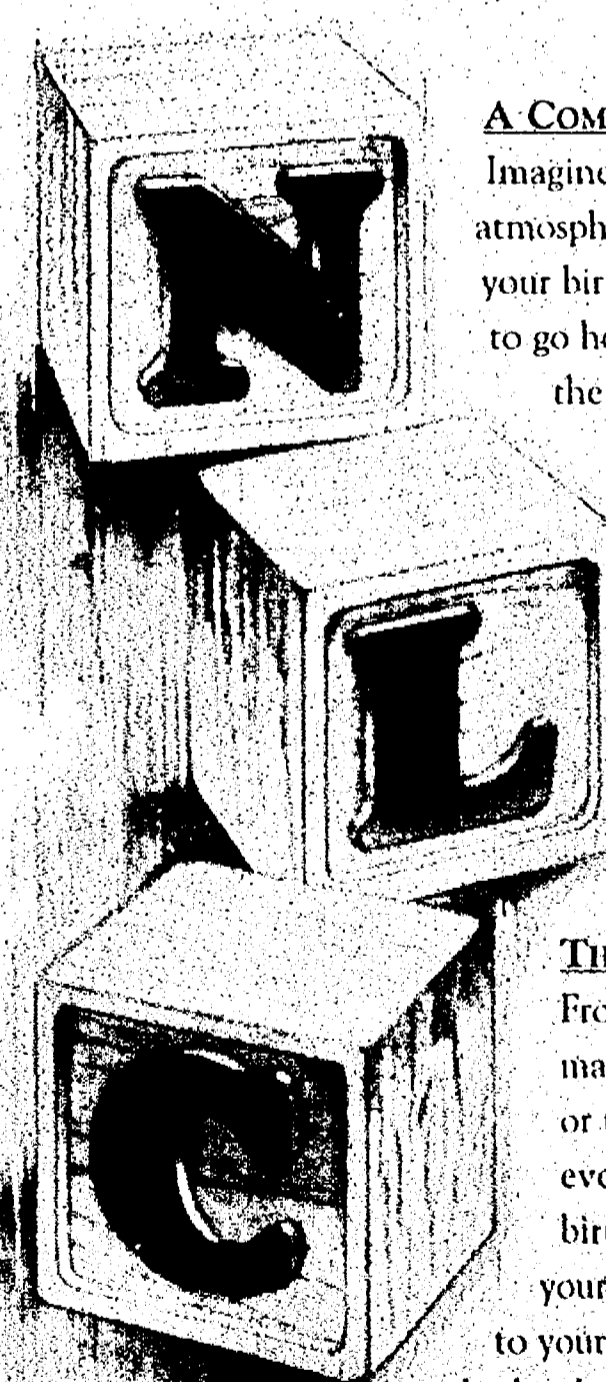
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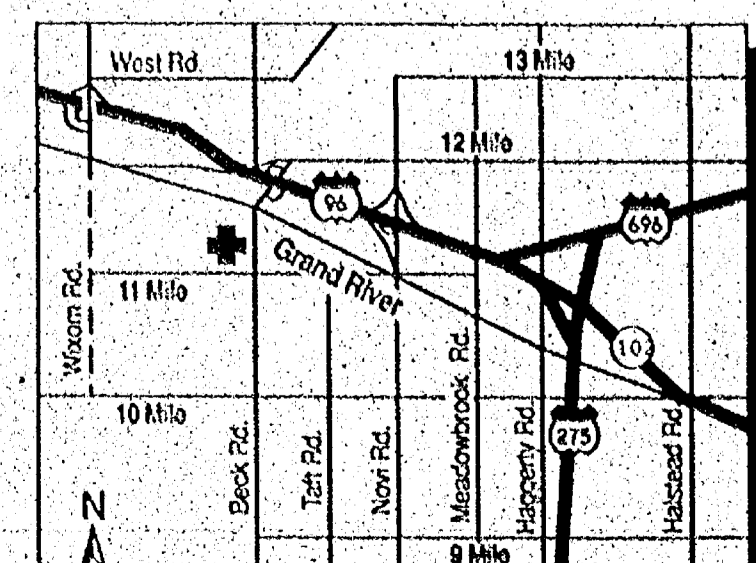
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World War II vet recalls fateful mission

BY M.H. DILLON
STAFF WRITER

July 29, 1944, is burned into the memory of John Batsakis, whom many Plymouth residents recognize as their curly-haired, dimly-retired letter carrier. On that day, 50 years ago during World War II, Batsakis survived a crash that killed four of 10 B-24 bomber crew members.

The former radio operator/right waist gunner says he lived because the crew commander traded spots with him in the aircraft.

Batsakis' crew realized all was not well after their plane, part of the Eighth Air Force 849th bomb squad, struck a target in Germany and was returning to their air base in England off the North Sea.

Batsakis recalled that "on our 18th mission, we struck a target in the Rhine River area. The flak was heavy and we sustained damage to our aircraft. The number-

three engine began to give us trouble after we completed our bomb run, and a crew member was hit with a piece of flak.

"Very soon after we dropped our bombs, number-three engine became so disruptive that it had to be feathered. The number-four engine began to give us trouble as the pilot was experiencing difficulty in operating it at the same speed as the other two engines.

"We were unable to stay in formation with our squadron. I recall a fighter flew in close and placed himself immediately behind our right wing to let us know that we were being escorted as long as their fuel permitted."

Bad weather presented more trouble: a low ceiling and inarguable visibility.

"A low-flying B-17 bomber cut us off in the landing pattern, and we were the recipients of a great deal of prop wash," he recalled. "I was standing, looking out the

right waist window. The tip of the right wing was slightly below the tops of the trees. The fuselage was above the narrow asphalt road. Houses lined both sides.

"There appeared to be a burst of speed, as if to break out from the trees and gain altitude. I became concerned with the damage being sustained by the wing, and with my free-swinging right waist machine gun as well as the left waist gun, which could serve as deadly battering rams.

"All at once, I became cognizant of spent shells, parachutes, flak suits and three other crew members that were being tossed about, similar to a chef mixing a tossed salad."

Batsakis, the only Michigani-an, saw flames and sparks in the bomb bay area.

"It seemed like an eternity. My last thought was that my departure was imminent, and would occur with a heavy blow to the

skull."

Batsakis woke up in the infirmary.

"I found out later from friends that our bomber proceeded down the road, smashing trees for about a block until reaching a fork in the road where an MP post was located."

The bomber struck a thick oak stump, slipped, and began burning furiously. No one on the ground was hurt.

A few weeks later, Batsakis and the pilot were released from the hospital and joined the 490th bomb group. Batsakis flew 17 more missions before retiring from combat. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, five air medals and a Purple Heart.

An Alpena native, Batsakis moved to Plymouth in 1954 and has lived here ever since. Batsakis taught in Lyon Township and Walled Lake for 20 years and worked for the post office for nine.

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TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the City Council intends to issue special assessment bonds of the City in total principal amount of not to exceed \$4,500,000.00 (the "Special Assessment Bonds") for the purpose of defraying part of special assessment districts' share of the cost of certain public improvements, including street improvements, in the City, and general obligation limited tax bonds of the City in total principal amount of not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 (the "City Share Bonds") for the purpose of defraying the City's share of the cost of said improvements. The Special Assessment Bonds and the City Share Bonds shall mature serially in not to exceed twenty (20) annual installments with interest payable on the unpaid balance at a rate of not to exceed 12% per annum or such higher rate as may be permitted by law.

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THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Section 5(g) of Act 279, Public Acts of Michigan, 1909, as amended, and Section 7(2) of Act 320, Public Acts of Michigan, 1927, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the City Clerk-Treasurer's office.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER
City Clerk-Treasurer
City of Garden City

OBITUARIES

AMOS L. O'BRIEN

Services for Mr. O'Brien, 94, long-time Garden City resident, were July 16 at the Santelino and Son Funeral Home with interment in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery. Bill Sheehan of American Legion Post 396, Garden City, officiated.

Mr. O'Brien died July 14 of congestive heart failure in Garden City Hospital.

Born Nov. 23, 1899, in Vincennes, Ind., and was a member of Legion Post 396, the 40&8 veterans group, was past president of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers' Union, Detroit, and past president of Journeyman Stonecutters and Carvers Union of Bedford, Ind.

He retired in 1965 after working 30 years as a Mobil Oil Co. maintenance employee. His hobbies included cabinet work and grandfather clocks. He was a Garden City resident for 45 years.

Survivors include: two sons Harry of Kersy, Colo., and James of Mountain Home, Ariz.; daughter Betty Mitchell of Ann Arbor; nine grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; brother Raymond, and sister Susan Baldwin, both of Vincennes.

Preceding him in death was Erna Flossie (nee Cato), his wife of 66½ years, who died eight years ago.

MARY E. MINER

Services for Mrs. Miner, 87, of Garden City were July 11 from the R. G. and G. R. Harris Funeral Home with burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West. The Rev. Raymond Baab of the Merril-

man Road Baptist Church officiated.

Mrs. Miner died July 9 in Middlebelt Nursing Home, Livonia. Born July 29, 1906, in St. Louis, she was a saleswoman at the Dearborn Winkelman's store for 12 years.

Survivors include: grandchildren Donna McClure of Redford Township, Diane Sheehan, and Donald Fellows of Garden City, and six great-grandchildren. Preceding her in death was husband Joseph Fellows.

CHARLES L. MOULAND

Services for Mr. Mouland, 76, of Westland were July 1 from the Manns-Ferguson Funeral Home, Livonia, with interment in Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia. The Rev. Wendy Bailey of St. Paul Presbyterian Church officiated.

Mr. Mouland died June 27 at home. Born May 2, 1918, in Newfoundland, Canada, he was a Ford Motor Co. parts inspector, member of St. Paul Church, member of a Masonic Lodge, and served in the Canadian armed forces.

Survivors include: daughter Sandra Liebertz; grandchildren Jon and Kim, and brothers John and Eugene. He was preceded in death by his wife, Charmaine.

BERTHAM R. JACOBS

Services for Mr. Jacobs, 76, of Westland were July 19 from the L. J. Griffin Funeral Home with burial in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

He died July 14 in Providence Hospital, Southfield. Born June 24, 1918, in Columbus, Ohio, he was a certified dental technician.

Survivors include: wife Rose; sons Patrick and Dominic; daughters Joyce Davidson and Linda Sabo; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

HARRY J. KILLING

Services for Mr. Killing, 87, of Wayne were July 16 from the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with interment in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Rev. Anthony DeOrio officiated.

Mr. Killing died July 12 in Westland. Born July 22, 1906, in England, he attended school in Canada and was a Kirks Carburetor employee and longtime mem-

ber of Grandale Presbyterian Church, Detroit.

Survivors include: Dorothy, his wife of 58 years, and son Donald of Farmington Hills.

GARY LYNN SCHEWE

Services for Mr. Schewe, 43, of Clinton, Mich., were July 21 from the Uht Funeral Home, Westland, with interment in Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne. Rev. Robert Miller officiated.

Mr. Schewe died July 17 in University of Michigan Hospital, Ann Arbor. A former Wayne resident, he was a painter.

Survivors include: brothers Charles Ray, Darryl Gene and Jimmie Lee of Garden City; and sister Marlene Carol. He was preceded in death by a brother, Herman William.

LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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The Livonia Public Schools Board of Education, Livonia, Michigan, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids on

MISCELLANEOUS ASPHALT REPAIRS (2 SITES)

Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. on the 3rd day of August, 1994 at the office of the Board of Education, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan. At this time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the office of the Board of Education in the Purchasing Department.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part in the interests of uniformity, design, equipment, delivery time or preference, to waive any informalities and to award to other than low bidder.

Any bid submitted will be binding for ninety (90) days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

Any questions regarding this bid please call Mr. Dave Watson, Director of Operations at 523-9156.

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AROUND WESTLAND

Soccer sign-ups

The World Cup soccer tournament is over, but local interest hasn't waned in the sport. The Wayne-Westland Soccer League will conclude its annual fall registration campaign 1-3 p.m. Saturday with sign-ups scheduled at the Wayne Community Center, on Annapolis and Howe. The league is for youngsters age 19 and younger. New players are required to bring proof of age and their Social Security number. Fee is \$10 for players age 8 and under and \$45 (fee) and \$25 for a uniform for those age 9 and older. Interested persons may call 458-7786.

Dance lessons coming

The Westland Therapeutic Program will sponsor folk dance and music lessons in an artists-in-residency workshop Sunday afternoon, July 31, in Bailey Recreation Center, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh. The workshop, open to the public, is appropriate for all ages and abilities, including those in wheelchairs, according to the Westland recreation department. To direct the workshop, to be held from 4-9 p.m., will be Betty Appleton, a professional performer, teacher and therapist, and Sheila Ritter, musician, psychologist and music therapist. Fee is \$1 for program members and \$1.50 for resident non-members. For information, call 722-7620.

Top students

Several Westland students were honored for outstanding academic achievement at their universities or colleges. At the Detroit College of Business, local students on the dean's list were Dawn Bartos, Marcy Lynn Bustraan, Valerie Cramer, Stacy Ann Eglinton, Debra Elaine Hebert, Dennis Kanowski, Brian Edward Marsee and Stacey Jill Wohfeil. They had a 3.5 or higher grade point average for the spring semester. Timothy Roberson of Westland was named to the dean's list of the University of Wisconsin-Parkside. He had a 3.54 grade point average.

Groups and individuals are encouraged to submit information for this column. Information must be in writing and directed to the Westland Observer editorial department, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is

Sentencing closes bridal salon saga

Reactions ranged from satisfaction to disappointment on the sentencing of the owners of a now-closed bridal salon. The business left some 400 brides-to-be in the lurch after failing to deliver promised gowns.

BY GREG KOWALSKI
STAFF WRITER

Chris Schuster is "quite satisfied" with the sentence given to Gary and Donna Gottschling, the former owners of the now-closed Boulevard Bridal Salon, which went bankrupt after either delivering floor-sample gowns or failing to deliver gowns ordered by more than 400 brides-to-be.

Other reactions ranged from general satisfaction to disappointment among the approximately 40 brides and family members present in Oakland Circuit Court Judge Edward Sosnick's courtroom to hear the sentence last week.

The wronged brides dealt with Today's Bride, Boulevard Bridal and Sue Gordon's in Birmingham, Kitty Kelly shops in Troy and Dearborn, or Boulevard Bridal in Royal Oak.

The Gottschlings, of Birmingham, had pleaded no contest to defrauding the brides, who came from across Wayne and Oakland counties, and their families.

Judge Sosnick handed down a

multi-pronged sentence. The Gottschlings will serve one year on electronic tethers, being allowed to travel only to and from work and to the Greenery Health Care Center in Independence Township, where they will spend eight hours every Sunday for the next two years helping to take care of people suffering from spinal cord injuries.

They also were placed on probation for five years and told to liquidate their assets to pay back the defrauded customers.

They already have raised \$100,000, and were ordered by Sosnick to raise \$28,000 more.

Prior to sentencing, which had been delayed from last month while attorneys computed the amount of damages, several brides, grooms and family members gave their recommendations for sentencing.

"This was a catastrophe for us," said Paul Zachos of West Bloomfield Township. "We would like to be repaid in full and see the defendants go to jail."

Zachos and wife lost \$1,200 on a

dress. He said after the sentencing that he still felt the Gottschlings should spend time in jail.

Margaret Spies agreed. Her daughter, Cheri, lost a \$300 deposit on a dress that wasn't delivered.

"I would like to see them go to jail," said Margaret Spies. But she added that she thought the community service work at the Greenery was a good thing.

Margaret's husband, Robert, agreed with the judge that the Gottschlings wouldn't earn money to make restitutions if they are in jail.

"They should have gone to jail for a time," said Patricia D'Agostino. She and husband Anthony lost \$2,000. But they also agreed that the order to work at Greenway was appropriate.

Sosnick said he chose to include that in the sentence to impress on the Gottschlings the feeling of what it means to lose a dream.

He said the bridal gown is the most memorable aspect of a wedding because "without the gown, nothing makes a difference."

Sosnick added, "Probation is necessary because not all the money has been collected" from the Gottschlings.

He said during the five years, "I will have my hands in their pockets. Their lives from this day forward will be dedicated to paying back" the victims.

Gary Gottschling made a brief

statement to the court prior to sentencing.

"We're both very sorry and remorseful. We intend to do our best to see that the victims will be repaid," Gottschling said.

Sosnick said he had read every letter sent to him by victims.

"I have spent many hours on this case. This is a very complicated case. We have been working diligently for the last several weeks examining each and every claim," the judge said.

Assistant prosecutor Roman Kalytiak said he spoke with a lot of victims over the course of the nearly two-year case.

"They have suffered mental anguish and financial loss," Kalytiak said.

He read portions of several letters sent to the prosecutor detailing the plight of people who did not get gowns they ordered, got used gowns passed off as new ones, got altered gown that did not fit or didn't get any gown and lost their deposits.

Complaints from brides began surfacing in the fall of 1992 and were brought to the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office, which shut down the stores.

Following sentencing, the Gottschlings were handcuffed and led out of the courtroom. They showed little emotion.

"This should finally put the matter to rest," Sosnick said.

Fund-raiser to go Bowling for Life July 31

A Bowling for Life fund-raiser will be held Sunday, July 31, in Livonia by the Wayne County, West and Downriver chapter of Right to Life-Lifespan.

The fund-raiser will be from 2-5 p.m. July 31 in Woodland Lanes, 33775 Plymouth Road in Livonia.

Participants may bowl three games free by collecting pledges

from sponsors to help support pro-life educational programs. Prizes of bonds and cash will be awarded for the most collected pledges and for high game (with handicap) for men,

women and children; and for high series (with handicap).

For sponsor sheets or further instructions call Right to Life-Lifespan at 422-6230 or Pat at 522-3185.

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CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND WESTLAND

DIAL FOR DATES

For updated events in the area, call 953-2005.

EVENTS

COMING CLEAN

The Garden City High School varsity and junior varsity basketball teams will hold a benefit car wash from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Friday, July 22, at the SuperAmerica gas station, on Ford at Harrison.

OUTDOOR CONCERT

Music in the park sponsored by Mayor Robert J. Thomas, will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday, July 24, at Central City Park, south of Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh. Music of the 1950s and '60s with the Caution Band will be featured. All ages welcome. Bring your own chair or blankets to sit on. In case of rain, the concert will be held in Bailey Recreation Center whenever feasible. Call 722-7620 or 522-3918 to confirm.

BENEFIT GET

The Westland therapeutic department will hold a fund-raiser to benefit the Westland Therapeutic Camp Fund from 7-11 p.m. Friday, July 22, at the Bailey Center. Join Steve Bertich from W4-Country for an evening of country music and line dancing. The cost is \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door. Includes: pizza; soda; dessert; and one raffle chance. Proceeds will benefit the Camp Fowler Fund. Volunteers are needed. 722-7620.

CLUBS

VFW LADIES

VFW Post 7575 auxiliary will sponsor a luncheon/card party at noon, Tuesday, July 26, at the hall, 33011 Ford, west of Venoy. The cost is \$4. 422-5360.

THUNDERBOLT SQUADRON

The Civil Air Patrol, Thunderbolt Squadron, meets Tuesday evenings in the Livonia Police Station basement, Farmington Road south of Five Mile.

TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Mich. 53 Westland, meets 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays at St. John's Episcopal Church, 555 S. Wayne Road, Westland. Kellee Hassell, 522-1641, or Rosalie Fisher, 723-0299.

CAMPING CLUB

Moonliters Camping Club meets 8:15 p.m. the last Tuesday of the month at Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, south of Ford, Dearborn Heights. Family camping with all ages, scheduled campouts during the camping season. Harvey and Marion Grigg, 427-3069.

WEEKENDERS

The Weekend family campers meet the second Wednesday of the month in Franklin High School, on Joy east of Merriman. 531-2993.

TOASTMASTERS

Toastmasters International Club No. 6694-28 meets 6 p.m. Thursdays at Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road, Westland, for people who want to practice and develop public speaking skills. 421-0264.

HOLY SMOKE MASTERS

The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meets 6 p.m. Thursdays in Den-

ny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road. 455-1635.

DEMOCRATS

Garden City Democrats meet at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at Maplewood Community Center, Room 5. Alice Leclercq, 421-1169, or Billy Pate, 427-2344.

UNITED WE STAND

United We Stand, America's Michigan 13th Congressional District, meets at 7 p.m. every first and third Thursday of the month at the Roman Forum, on Ford, west of I-275 on the south side, Canton. A social gathering begins at 6 p.m. Maggie Sutton, 485-3998.

GARDEN CITY LIONS

The Garden City Lions meet 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of every month in the Silver Saloon, 5651 Middlebelt, Garden City. Contact Ivan Nunneley, 422-6656, or Henry Tolk, 421-4954.

HOST LIONS

The Westland Host Lions Club meets 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday of the month in the Red Lobster Restaurant, on Wayne Road, north of Ford.

CHILD BIRTH ASSOCIATION

Classes for childbirth preparation are being offered at several Wayne County locations. Morning and evening classes available. Registering new classes every month. Newborn care classes and Caesarean preparation also offered. 459-7477.

WESTLAND JAYCEES

Westland Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Bova VFW Post, on Hix south of Warren. Hot line, 261-7856.

CORVETTE CLUB

The Corvette Club of Michigan meets 8 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month in Les Stanford Chevrolet, Dearborn. Glenn Simms, 675-5633, or Paul Jenkins, 981-4254.

CAMARO BUFFS

The new Eastern Michigan Camaro Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at Gordon Chevrolet, on Ford west of Merriman, Garden City. 326-6658.

AMBASSADORS

Ambassadors Junior Civitan is seeking people ages 13-18 for community service activities. The club meets 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of each month in the Westland Historical, Cultural and Community Meeting House, 26993 Marquette, east of Newburgh. 729-5409.

PURPLE HEART

The Military Order of Purple Heart meets at 8 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month in the VFW Hall, on Ford, west of Venoy. Meetings are open to combat-wounded veterans.

CRAFTS

SEWING EXHIBITORS

For Kettering School's eighth annual craft show from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 12, in 1200 S. Hubbard, Westland. Information, Kathy at 722-7433 or Donna at 326-6659.

CRAFTERS WANTED

Knights of Columbus are looking for crafters for show held from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept.

Bands perform



Free music: The Phil Gram Band, with vocalist Dawn Marie, performed last week in the ongoing series of free band concerts. The next concert will be at 6 p.m. Sunday, July 24, at Central City Park, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh. People are advised to bring lawn chairs or blankets. In case of rain, the concert will move inside to the nearby Bailey Recreation Center. The annual series is sponsored by the Westland Cultural Society with businesses or public officials helping with sponsorship.

24, in 31500 Van Born Road, east of Wayne Road. One table \$25, two tables \$45. Information, Guy and Mary, 427-5347.

TABLE RENTAL

Applications for table rental at the PRCUA Syrena Parents Club Holiday craft show are now being given. The craft show will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 19, in the Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Tables are \$19 and \$16. Information, 565-9865 or 383-1821.

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Crafters needed for the Fall Craft show on Nov. 19, in Franklin High School, 31000 Joy Road, Livonia. Hot line, 523-0851.

RECREATION

OPEN SKATING

The Westland Sports Arena will be available for open skating thru Aug. 28 from 4-5:45 p.m. Fridays; 1-2:45 p.m. Saturdays; 1-2:45 p.m. Sundays. Admission is \$2.50 for children (17 & under), \$3 for adults, \$2 for seniors (60 and up), \$2 for skate rental. The arena, on Wildwood near Hunter, will be closed Monday, Sept. 5. 729-4560.

OUTDOOR SWIMMING

The Westland outdoor swimming pool behind Bailey Center will have open swimming from noon to 4 p.m. and 5-8 p.m. seven days a week. Swimming lessons are available from 9 a.m. to noon weekdays. The pool is available for birthday parties for \$4 per person, which includes pizza, pop, entry to the pool, use of the playground, games and prizes. The supervised pool is behind Bailey Center, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh. 722-7620.

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CRUISING TIME

Westside Classic Car/Street Rod Association sponsors "Thursday Night Cruise" 6:30-9:30 p.m. at Fiesta Lanes, 38250 Ford Road, Westland. Festivities will be Thursdays through Sept. 1. Parking is on a first-come basis; absolutely no reserved parking. There will be food and beverages and open bowling. Families and clubs welcome. 722-1450.

FOR DISABLED PEOPLE

A recreational get-together for teens and adults who are disabled will be the second Friday of each month at the Westland Bailey Center. 722-7620.

OPEN SWIM

The Wayne-Westland YMCA has daily open swim available 7-8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1-3 p.m. Saturday. Family swim is 8-8:45 p.m. Friday and 3-4 p.m. Saturday. The YMCA is at 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland. 721-7044.

FUN-SEEKERS

The Fun-Seekers, a group of singles and couples ages 21-45, meet one Saturday a month. To receive a quarterly flier on future events such as hayrides, mystery trips, theme parties and whirlyball, call 522-2166.

SCHOOLS/PRESCHOOLS

UNITED CHRISTIAN Enrollment is now being accepted for preschool through 12th grade at United Christian School, on the corner of Middlebelt and Florence. For information or application forms, 522-3099.

ST. RAPHAEL

Registrations now being accepted at St. Raphael School, 31500 Beechwood, Garden City. There are openings in grades two, five and six; possible openings in grades three, four, seven and eight. 425-9771.

ST. DAVID

Has immediate openings for 3-year-olds (Tuesday and Thursday) classes beginning in September at St. David's Nursery School, 27600 Marquette, Garden City. Betty, 427-5915, Madeline, 422-1462.

GARDEN CITY

Garden City Cooperative Nursery is accepting applications for next fall's class for 3-year-olds. The school is located in the Garden City Presbyterian Church, 1841 Middlebelt, Garden City. Diane, 425-4549.

MCKINLEY

McKinley Cooperative Preschool, at Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 N. Wayne, is accepting applications for children ages 2-4. Call Denise Gillette 421-0015 about 4-year-olds, Chris Hickson 261-4843 regarding 3-year-olds and Susan Cruz at (810) 488-1639 about toddlers. The preschool is administered by parents and taught by certified teachers, not church-affiliated.

BENEFITS

BLOOD DRIVE

Annapolis Hospital will host a blood drive from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday, July 25, at the hospital, on Annapolis west of Venoy, Wayne. Drop-ins are welcome. For appointments, call 467-8555.

GOLF

The Wayne-Westland YMCA annual Michael

Sunk Memorial golf day to benefit the children of Mike's House will start at 11 a.m., Thursday, July 28, at Fellows Creek Golf Course, 2936 Lotz Road, Canton. \$100 per ticket. Call Tom Brown, 467-3183, YMCA office, 721-7044, or Rich Perowski at 721-7044.

GARAGE SALE

The Westland Chamber of Commerce summer garage sale will be 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 30, at Cintas Parking lot, 39145 Webb, south of Warren Road, west of Hix. All spaces are \$20. Spaces scheduled by reservation only. 326-7222.

PATCHIN SCHOOL

Westland's Patchin School is selling commemorative plates depicting the three schools to raise money to pay for state historical commission marker to be installed Oct. 9. 595-2615.

GARDEN CITY LIONS

Will have a garage sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Saturday, Sept. 16-17, at 29218 Florence, in Garden City. They are looking for furniture, books, baby items. Pickup is available. Call Dorothy Maddox at 425-4569.

BINGO

Wayne Civitan Bingo is 6:30 p.m. every Monday on Elizabeth between Michigan Avenue East and Michigan Avenue West next to the Farmer Jack in Wayne. Money raised helps support many projects in the community; such as youth, park equipment, Special Olympics, First Night Wayne and Reading Projects. Information, 728-3915.

METRO WAYNE DEMOCRATIC CLUB

The club holds bingo games at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at Joy Manor, 28999 Joy, two blocks east of Middlebelt, Westland. Proceeds go to help needy people and senior citizens as well as sponsoring two Little League baseball teams every year, and support for the Penrickton School for the Blind. Call Cliff, 729-8681, or Carol, 422-5025.

BINGO

Westland Jaycees hold bingo games at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday in Joy Manor, 28999 Joy, Westland. Three jackpots paying \$250, \$300 and \$300, progressive. 525-2962.

HISTORY ON VIEW

GHISTORY

The Garden City Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. Wednesdays in the Log Cabin on Cherry Hill east of Merriman. Admission is free.

VOLUNTEERS

A PLACE TO LIVE

Youth Living Centers are looking for families for abused and neglected teens who are in immediate need of a place to live. All teens are supervised by Youth Living Centers staff and are in school or working. 728-3400.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Youth Living Centers are looking for people interested in being an evening receptionist, a youth mentor or people to work with the youth assistance program. Dorothy Murphy, 728-3400.

SINGLES

CANOE TRIP

Selective Singles will offer two canoe trips during the month of August. Activities include camping, canoeing, tubing, casino gambling and golfing. The cost to camp is \$3, canoe \$11, and tube \$7. Trip dates are Aug. 26-28 or Aug. 22-28. Reservations and deposits are due by Friday, July 22. 1-800-807-0888.

FOCUS ON SINGLES

Focus on Singles will sponsor a dinner banquet 7-11 p.m. Thursday, July 28, in Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft. Featured guest Todd Drunson will speak on "The Gift of a Relationship." The cost is \$40 per person and includes dinner and entertainment by a classical guitarist. Reservations required by Friday, July 22. 523-1926.

THE CONTINENTALS

Ward Presbyterian Church will host an all-ages contemporary Christian music concert by The Continentals, Sunday, July 24. More than 35 cast members, including vocalists, instrumentalists, dramatists and technicians will present the award-winning musical, "Dreamer." Ward Presbyterian Church is at 17000 Farmington Road. 422-1150.

PWP STRIPES DANCE

The Wayne/Westland Chapter of Parents Without Partners will sponsor a "Stripes Dance" 8 p.m. to midnight Friday, July 22, in AMVETS Hall, 1217 Merriman. The cost is \$4 before 9 p.m. and \$5 after 9 p.m. The dance is open to the public. 397-8592.

WEST OAKLAND PWP DANCE

West Oakland Parents Without Partners will sponsor a singles dance 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, July 23, at 300 Bowl Banquet Room on Cass Lake Road. The cost is \$4 for members, \$5 for non-members. For information, call 673-3293.

TRI-COUNTY SINGLES

Tri-County Singles will host "Meet a Mate Dance" Saturday, July 23, in Burton Manor. The dance is open to anyone age 21 or older. Admission \$3. Cash bar. 842-7422.

ACTIVE SINGLES

Social group for singles who work afternoons, nights and weekends. Events include social, cultural and sports events, and brunches and tours in and around the metro area. Ages 24-44. (810) 478-1220.

WESTSIDE SINGLES

For the month of July, Westside Singles will hold dances from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. every Friday at Burton Manor, Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road. Admission before 8:30, \$2. 21 and older, dressy attire. Hot line, 562-3160.

WEDNESDAY DANCE

Wednesday Suburban Singles will hold a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Wednesdays in Vladimir's, 28125 Grand River at Eight Mile, Farmington. Age 21 and older, proper attire, no jeans. Cost is \$3. Hot line, 842-0443, or 477-8050.

MEGADANCE

Megadance, singles dance party, will be 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. every Sunday at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill. Dress is sharp, age 21 and over. Admission is \$3. Call 292-0760 or Roma's, 425-1430.

CALENDAR FORM

The Observer Newspapers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Westland Observer, 36351 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI. 48160, or by fax to 313-591-7278. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 853-2107 if you have any questions.

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Checking it out: Phil Wantin of Farmington Hills reads the label on a bottle of engine fuel while his friend Josh Humphrey of Novi looks for extra parts for cars and planes.



Hobbyists take model toys on soaring flights of fancy

By LARRY O'CONNOR
STAFF WRITER

Their world is often plastic, traveled vicariously on scaled-down trains, planes and automobiles.

A hobbyist's passion, though, seldom melts away with age. Just ask Joe Dallaire.

Dallaire, 76, founded Joe's Hobby Center on Grand River in Farmington, one of several outlets in the Detroit area.

He sold the business to the Josaltis family in 1985, concentrating instead on his wholesale venture, Dallaire Model Supply. He closed that business in 1991.

A few days a week, Dallaire still helps customers with model planes or trains at the Grand River outlet. It's to see the old gang and catch up on what's new in the industry, he said.

Added Dallaire: "I spent my whole life in it. I can't get away from it."

Neither can the legion of hobbyists who come into Joe's Hobby Center during lunch time.

Most are adults. A few tote sons and grandchildren.

Together, they survey scale model trains, remote-controlled planes, jet rockets and model cars with equal curiosity.

"It's something I can do with my son," said Rob Owens, who's into "anything radio controlled" with son, Alex, 7.

Leonard Hale traveled from New Hudson with his grandson,

"I love engines and all the fine things they bring about. They always sing such sweet songs."

W. 'Soup' Campbell

Raymond Stoney, 12. He watched as his progeny scanned the aisle, trying to decide how to spend a Christmas gift certificate from his grandparents.

Hale himself was an avid model plane builder. He made gliders and gasoline engine airplanes, which would be sent up to navigate their own course and had to be retrieved.

"We didn't have remote control then," he said.

Hale looked wistfully at the model craft before him. He still builds metal airplanes occasionally, he said, but is not fully involved anymore.

"If you had enough time, it would be fun to do it all again," Hale said.

For many adults, such pursuits are a connection to a simple time.

W. "Soup" Campbell of Detroit uses model airplanes to complement his career as a mechanical engineer.

He has 40 model airplane engines, and was buying balsa wood to build another craft. Three grandchildren were at this side.

"I love engines and all the fine things they bring about," Campbell said. "They always sing such sweet songs."

Such odes are heartening to hobby store operators. However, they see a troubling trend developing.

They don't see a new generation of hobbyists emerging. Too much TV and video games are hurting the business, Dallaire said.

"When we were growing up, we never thought anything of building a model airplane and riding our bikes 10 miles away to Southfield and Northwestern to fly it," Dallaire said. "Kids today don't want to cross the street."

With model airplanes or cars, kids could use their imaginations and dream. Dallaire's fancy with flight led him to become a Navy Air Corps flight engineer during World War II.

Some of his buddies who also flew model airplanes went on to become fighter pilots. "We lost some of them during the war," Dallaire said.

Lifelong hobbyists like Dallaire worry about who will carry on. But, where there's youth, there's hope.

A youngster tagging along with Campbell and his grandkids grabbed a foam glider off a rack. He asked if Campbell would buy it for him.

With no hesitation, Campbell said, "Yeah."

Store to sell scooters

By MARIE CHESTNEY
STAFF WRITER

Wayne County residents who because of a disability need a self-propelled scooter to get around won't have to travel far now to get help.

The grand opening of one of Livonia's newest businesses, the Amigo Mobility Center, Suite H, 11940 Middlebelt, will take place 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 29-30.

The Amigo is a battery-powered scooter devised 26 years ago by Al Thleme, an inventor who wanted to help people who have walking difficulties.

According to Success magazine, it has since become one of the top franchise opportunities in the country.

Livonia's franchise is owned and operated by Donajane Lapinski, an Allen Park resident who has more than 19 years experience in salaried positions for Ford Motor Co.

She owns the first Amigo franchise in Wayne County.

Lapinski became more aware of people with disabilities in her recent job with General Motors Corporation's mobility program.

"Through this program I became aware of the many ways cars and vans could be adapted to enable persons with disabilities be more mobile. Initially, I wanted to be a nurse and I've never lost my desire to help people. Since leaving Ford in 1986, I have looked for a business opportunity that would fill my needs as well as those of others. I wanted to do something that was useful, to reach out to help others."

The business, which also sells and services wheelchairs, tub lifts and van and car lifts, opened June 6 on the east side of Middlebelt, between Plymouth and Schoolcraft.

"Our customers range from those medically impaired by multiple sclerosis, stroke or heart disease to someone who, due to age, would just like to be able to shop all day and maintain their active lifestyle," Lapinski said.

Amigo scooters are a step above wheelchairs in that they don't have to be pushed.

"With wheelchairs, if there's no one to push you, you can't go if you don't have strength in your arms or legs. With the battery-powered Amigo, you can go anywhere."

Before Amigo franchises began, residents had to travel to Bridgeport, Mich., to buy one of the vehicles, she said.

Her mobility center joins 18 existing centers operating across the U.S. During the July 29-30 grand opening, free service labor will be available to owners of the vehicles.



Find out what you can expect at our Great Expectations seminar August 20.

Introducing *Great Expectations*, a free seminar for couples who are either thinking of having a baby or are expecting. The seminar prepares you with information on getting pregnant, life style changes which come with parenthood, how to choose a doctor and handling stress. Guest speakers include a physician, psychologist and maternal child health nurse.

After *Great Expectations*, you're invited to our Maternity Open House. Botsford's completely new Special Delivery Center has its own private entrance, waiting room/lobby and direct admission. Our specialized labor/delivery/recovery rooms allow you to stay comfortably in one room during childbirth with easy access to the latest technology.

The Open House will take place from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and will offer self-guided tours and mini-workshops covering topics such as financial planning, day care options and breast feeding versus bottle feeding. There will also be door prizes and free refreshments.

The free seminar is from 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and will include a continental breakfast, lunch and a chance to win a weekend getaway. Registration is required and limited. Call (810) 442-7986 for reservations today!

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Democratic vote Griffin best in Senate primary

Westland will have a new state senator next Jan. 1 for the first time in 28 years. Since early 1967, Sen. William Faust has served this community and other western Wayne County communities, including a small corner of Canton Township.

Following Faust's announcement this spring that he would retire from the Senate, a flurry of political activity erupted by public figures who want to succeed him.

The best choice for Democratic voters in the Aug. 2 primary is Westland City Councilman Charles "Trav" Griffin, who has compiled an enviable record in the past 24 years as a board of education trustee, city councilman, mayor, and chairman of the Conference of Western Wayne, a group formed nearly 20 years ago by elected officials of cities, townships and villages to discuss and propose solutions to regional problems.

As a former mayor and current councilman, he has dealt with problems from both the administrative and legislative perspectives. He learned through the CWW how to get things done on a cooperative basis.

While the Observer is philosophically uncomfortable with the idea of a longtime Michigan Education Association staffer joining the state Legislature and voting on collective-bargaining issues, Griffin has

demonstrated that he isn't a "single-issue" candidate running merely to improve the financial position of teachers.

Griffin has clearly thought through a number of other major state problems, such as crime, job creation, and reducing the state tax burden on small businesses.

The councilman knows the issues, understands state and local governments, and has the ability to deal with problems on a state level.

While Griffin's diverse background gives him the chance to be an excellent nominee and legislator, his primary election opponent, Van Buren Township Supervisor David Jacokes, is also impressive. Like Griffin, Jacokes has experience in local government as an administrator and legislator and knows the state's problems.

Regardless of who wins the Democratic primary Aug. 2, the nominee will face a tough general election campaign from Republican Loren Bennett, who is unopposed in the GOP primary.

The bottom line is that Westland and the balance of the district need someone in the state Senate who can identify problems that concern people, develop solutions, and work with other lawmakers in getting important legislation enacted. We believe Griffin can do the job.

Tap Wilbanks, Geiss in 13th

Voters in the 13th Congressional District have many good choices in the Democratic and Republican contests.

Nearly all the candidates have campaigned hard throughout the district, which includes Garden City, Westland, Plymouth, Plymouth Township, Canton Township and the southeast quadrant of Livonia.

This is a key election for both parties because incumbent U.S. Rep. William D. Ford is leaving Congress after 30 years in office.

Candidates in the Republican race are Dennis Fassett of Belleville, Glenn Kassel of Wayne, John Schall of Ann Arbor, and Cynthia Wilbanks of Ypsilanti Township.

Among the GOP contenders, two candidates stand out: John Schall and Cynthia Wilbanks.

Schall, who grew up in Livonia and attended Bishop Borgess High in Redford Township, was seeking the GOP nomination before Ford announced his retirement. Schall, a graduate of the University of Michigan and Harvard, is a bright, capable, and likeable young man who will appeal to many Republican voters.

In this race however, we recommend Cynthia Wilbanks.

A former aide to U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell, Wilbanks, 43, has governmental experience, proven leadership ability and a deep working knowledge of the 13th District. Her ideas come from grass-roots participation in community and political groups, not from special interests or bureaucrats from inside the Washington beltway.

Her stand on issues is refreshing and paints her as a moderate Republican - something we believe is in tune with most areas of the diverse 13th District.

Wilbanks has more than 20 years of involvement in southeast Michigan, ranging from managing a congressional district staff to

heading Michigan's Children, a statewide non-profit child-advocacy organization.

On the Democratic side, voters have three qualified candidates from which to select a nominee. They are Fulton Eaglin, 52, an Ypsilanti attorney with a broad background in business, labor and community service; David Geiss, 52, a former aide to Ford; and Lynn Rivers, 37, an attorney who represents the Ann Arbor area in the Michigan House of Representatives.

Voters looking to differentiate the candidates on issues will find it tough. They share similar concerns and stands. That leaves ability to get the job done and electability. Geiss and Rivers possess those qualities. On balance, though, we believe Geiss has a slight edge.

A congenial, pragmatic man, he knows the issues and doesn't couch them in obscure rhetoric. He describes himself as a blue-collar Democrat who understands the needs of working families.

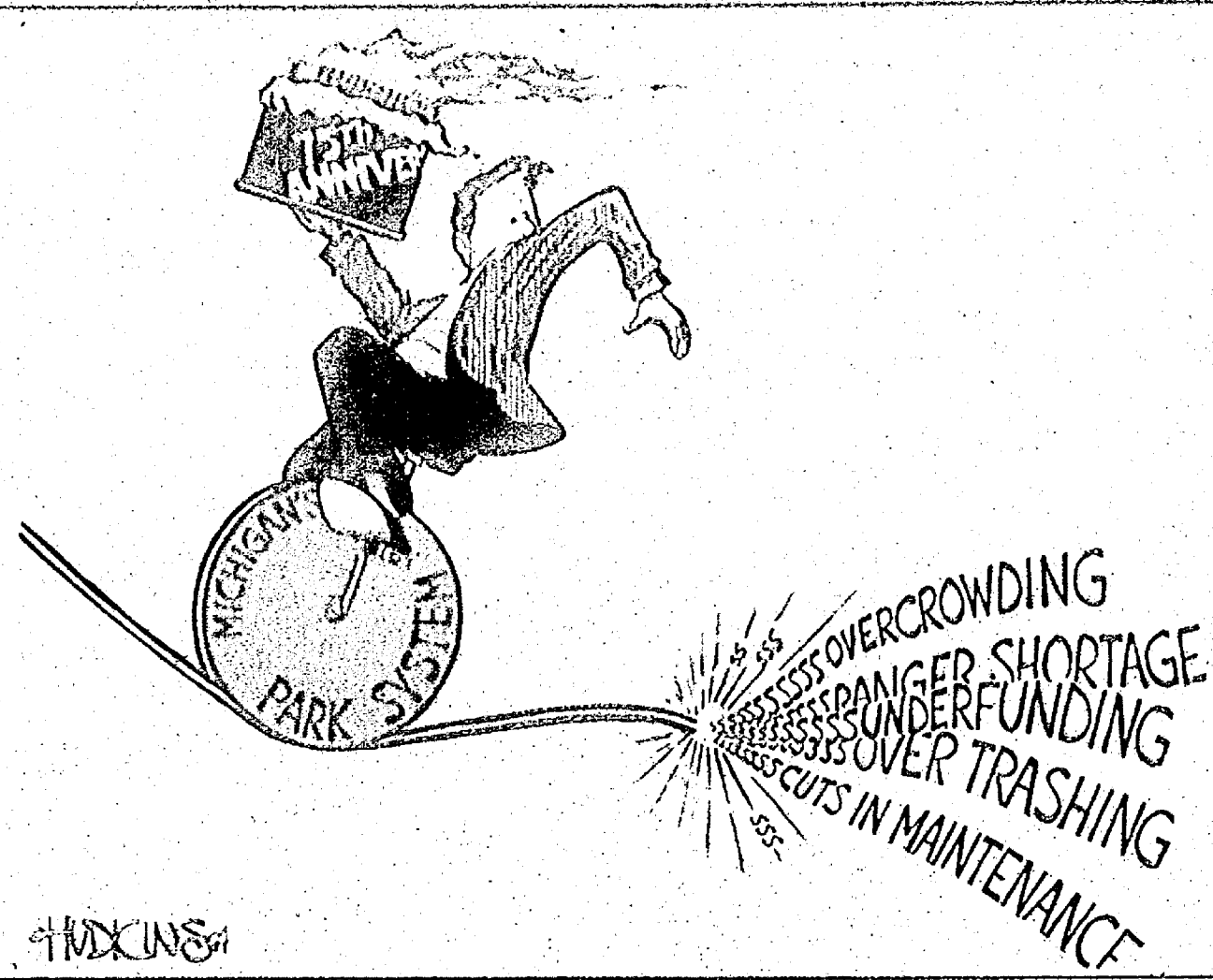
He attended Henry Ford Community College and is a tool and die maker by trade. Although he does not possess the educational degrees of other candidates, he believes strongly in the value of a good education and steered his children toward higher education.

He has experience in local government, county government, and Congress. Although he has been Ford's chief of staff for 12 years, Geiss is his own man. He doesn't perpetuate half-truths and myths among voters on many issues, including crime, a balanced budget, health care and spending cuts.

An intelligent student of the political scene, Geiss will not need to spend time learning the ropes. He can start working for the 13th District.

The primary is key to both parties. Election day is Tuesday, Aug. 2.

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

Candidate disputed

Contrary to state House candidate Walter Warren, the Bible does not say that money is the root of all evil. Much of what else he says is very true. The people complain like all get-out from one election to the next about the laws being passed then when election time comes they vote the same rascals back into office because they vote by name recognition or by party label.

When the voters start weighing the importance of each issue and examine how their elected officials voted on each issue and then vote accordingly, laying aside the party label, we will start having responsible officials. This applies to the election of the city council, judges, the Congress and the President and every official in between.

Two of our biggest worries are about crime and the economy. Since the economy is inversely related in many ways to crime, in the weighing of importance of issues it is time that we begin to put more on morality, character and integrity than we do upon economic issues. As the moral character of our cities/states/nation increases so the economic situation will improve.

Our nation became a great nation because we were a God-fearing nation. The more our elected officials try to - and do - rule God and Godly standards out of our nation the more we become like and subject to the opposite of Godly, namely evil.

Charles K. Benton, Garden City

Avoid railroad tracks

Every year dozens of people are killed and many more are injured walking down railroad tracks or fishing or swimming from railroad bridges. In 1992, 14 Michigan residents were killed and 16 were injured.

Most people who enjoy walking on railroad tracks or swimming or fishing from railroad bridges never think about the danger associated with the activity nor do they realize that what they are doing is illegal.

Railroad tracks are no different from someone's backyard - they are private property. The Michigan Railroads Association, in cooperation with Michigan Operation Lifesaver, is sponsoring a month-long campaign aimed at educating the public and saving lives. We need your help to spread the message: Walking the tracks is dangerous and illegal.

Many individuals, particularly youngsters, do not understand the danger associated with activity on the tracks. Trains cannot stop quickly. Sometimes individuals do not hear the train or cannot get off the tracks. And when a train is traveling fast enough, an individual can get sucked under the train if they are too close. In 1992, the Michigan Legislature passed a

law, strongly supported by the Michigan Railroads Association, that allows police agencies to cite trespassers on rail property and tracks on the first offense. Previously, a trespasser could only be cited if the officer could prove that the person had previously been given a warning. First-time trespassers can face jail for up to 30 days and/or fines up to \$100. People need to realize that activity including jogging, hunting, snowmobiling on the tracks or swimming or fishing from railroad trestles (bridges) is dangerous and illegal.

It appears that the new law may indeed have helped stem trespassing incidents. In 1992, 14 people were killed and 16 were injured trespassing on or near railroad tracks in Michigan. Preliminary statistics for 1993 show that eight people were killed and nine were injured. Railroad officials and police officers are making an effort to keep people off the tracks and cite violators as tough enforcement will save lives.

Parents have a special obligation to teach their children that railroad tracks are dangerous - and illegal - to be near. Michigan Operation Lifesaver, an organization promoting railroad crossing safety, is working with our schools to educate youngsters about the dangers associated with the tracks.

As in all behavior, individuals must take responsibility for their actions. . . . railroad tracks are dangerous and should be avoided. For a safer summer, know the facts, avoid the tracks.

Robert Chaprka, president, Michigan Railroads Association

Geiss is Ford 'clone'

William Ford's clone will guarantee the same socialist fascist programs which U.S. Rep. Ford provided and which raised our taxes to the highest in history.

It will mean even higher federal taxes, especially for Clinton's socialized government-run health care (or lack of health care) plan and higher state taxes to pay for federally mandated programs which come with no money for implementation.

How small will pay checks get before workers realize that taxes are bigger than take-home pay.

Beatrice Scallio, Westland

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COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

Do you think penalties are strict enough in domestic abuse cases?



"Sometimes yes and sometimes no."
Jerome DesBoullonne



"No, I do not. I think they should enforce more of the laws in this area."
Karyn Bizek



"No, I don't think they are. The penalties should depend on the amount of violence inflicted."
Bob Eisminger



"It depends what state you're in. I think California has a good one and I wish we had stricter ones here, too."
Dottie Flinck

We asked this question at the Westland Post Office.

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POINTS OF VIEW

Moon landing memories send dreams into the sky

Call it Moon Day, July 20th. Twenty-five years have passed since the world watched Neil Armstrong float across the moon...

I was a young girl then, in awe of the heavens, imagining herself up there someday. My parents had already bought me a telescope and star guide...

My parents influenced this fascination with trips to planetariums, astronomy books and star-gazing sessions in our back yard. So while NASA was making grand preparations for the moon landing...

Then I heard the best news of all. The landing was scheduled for my father's birthday.

ther's birthday. "Wasn't that nice of them?" he said to me. And being so young, I believed that those brave astronauts had indeed planned this in honor of Dad's birthday.

So on July 20, 1969, in our Livonia home, my family ate "moon" cake and watched our black-and-white TV, along with 600 million viewers, as Neil Armstrong became the first person to step onto the moon.

I needed no reminding, though. My eyes were fixed to the TV set watching the landing replayed over and over, all the while fantasizing how one day I might be the first woman to go to the moon...

Years later, sitting in a college astronomy class, I discovered that a certain crater on the moon was named B. Krieger — my father's initial and last name!

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EVELYN KRIEGER

highlighted. In his card I wrote, "In honor of your birthday, NASA has named a crater for you."

I became a teacher instead of an astronaut and carried my love of the sky into the classroom. In 1985 I eagerly sent for an application to the NASA Teacher In Space Program...

meet the application criteria for five years teaching experience, and I watched enviously as Christa McAuliffe was selected.

I told my first-graders the story of the 1969 lunar landing, trying to impress them with the idea of exploring the unknown, for their world was already so different from the '60s when science fiction shaped my ideas about space.

Then tragedy struck. The disbelief and sadness stayed with me for months. I listened to the commentary about how space travel had become commonplace in our minds...

I'm looking forward to the day my daughter is old enough to hear the story of how the first people touched the moon on her grandpa's birthday.

So this summer open your children's eyes to the heavens. Tell them that people in China, Africa, Israel and America all see the same moon.

Evelyn Krieger, a native of Livonia and former resident of Southfield, is an educational consultant and freelance writer in Natick, Mass.

As views of education change, we can all learn something

"No talking!"

If your school days were like mine, you heard teachers snarl that often. The theory seemed to be that talking was wasting time.

To learn, you listened to authority figures lecture. You studied. Alone. Quietly — no talking. To get good marks, you memorized, too.

Lots of adults still think that's the way to go, particularly when it comes to authority. Listen to your parents — to hell with what an educator says.

Times change, and the military helps change them. I pointed out in a past column how Supreme Allied Commander Dwight D. Eisenhower, in planning the invasion of Europe 50

years ago, engaged in information gathering and group discussion first.

Ike had a devil of a time with Britain's Montgomery, who accepted no staff or peer input and offered solo battle plans with himself, naturally, at the center of the action.

Ike's view has come to dominate Michigan public education, though Ike doesn't get credit for it. Professors of education and educational psychologists are proving that small-group discussion is the way to go.

To be effective, small groups in literature must give students autonomy to discuss problems, to define group tasks, and to construct interpretations and solutions with their peers.



TIM RICHARD

English: When Do They Help Students?" from the Wisconsin Center for Education Research.

Three researchers studied groups of ninth-grade English students who either (1) worked on tasks they defined

themselves or (2) just executed tasks the teacher spelled out.

Teachers of the more autonomous groups gave students clear objectives, but didn't tell them exactly how to proceed. These students achieved higher literature test scores...

But classes that averaged five minutes of highly prescriptive group work scored only about one point lower on a test than classes without group work.

In management training, there's a

wonderful exercise, borrowed from the U.S. Navy, about a lifeboat. You're given a list of a dozen things available to take, and you have to decide which are most important.

First, you take the test alone. Then you take it as part of a group. Invariably, the group's score is higher than the individuals'. You do better by swapping ideas in discussion.

And now it's coming to public schools. There will be traditionalists who will screech that parents know best. We'll have to roll over them, the way Ike rolled over the Axis.

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 ext. 1881.

Suburbs build political importance

Facing an Aug. 2 election date, Michigan's most crowded and complex primary elections since 1918 are beginning to build up some steam.

Voters will select both Democratic and Republican nominees for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by retiring Sen. Don Riegle. Democrats will nominate a candidate to run against incumbent Gov. John Engler.

Whether it's Spencer Abraham or Ronna Romney, whether it's Bill Brodhead or Bob Carr or Joel Ferguson or John Kelly or Lana Pollack, whether it's Lynn Jondahl or Larry Owen or Debbie Stabenow or Howard Wolpe — all of them are facing one fundamental electoral fact this year: the suburbanization of Michigan politics.

More Michiganians live in the suburbs — today nearly 40 percent, and still growing — than in the state's central cities, small towns or rural areas.

Suburban growth has been explosive, more than doubling since 1950, when only 16 percent listed suburban residence.

Driving part of this growth has been the enormous out-migration from Detroit. Over 35 years, close to 1 million people have left Detroit, one of the largest voluntary population movements in human history.

But it is not unique. Throughout Michigan, a dominant demographic and political fact is the decline in center cities, whether Detroit or Flint, Lansing or Grand Rapids.

In 1960, the 11 largest cities in Michigan cast 35 percent of the vote for governor; in 1990 they represented 16 percent. In Ingham County, for example, the votes coming from Lansing dropped from 67 percent in 1960 to 40 percent in 1990.

Indeed, according to Public Sector Consultants, "It is conceivable that by the end of the decade people in Oakland County will cast more votes than all the residents of our largest 11 traditional cities.

Smart politicians will easily read conclusions from these numbers: appeal to the suburbanites.

How? It's easy. Talk taxes. The single word that most clearly defines suburban political attitudes is taxpayer. Subur-



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ban household income is more than 50 percent more than central cities and 2 percent more than rural households. While barely a majority of central city families live in homes they own, nearly 75 percent do in the suburbs.

Suburbanites get hit more by both income and property taxes than other Michiganians. A November 1992 poll by Public Sector Reports found that "compared to central city residents, nearly twice as many suburbanites identified taxation as the most important problem facing the federal government."

The other defining tendency of those who live in the suburbs is that they have chosen not to live in the center city. This means they are trying to avoid crime, deteriorating neighborhoods and economic malaise.

Therefore a candidate attempting to appeal to the suburban voter will talk tough on crime, emphasize stable and healthy neighborhoods and try to put forth a plan for jobs and economic development.

None of this is rocket science. But it will help you get a sense of the underlying base of fact that drives nearly all of the television ads that will be infesting the airways for the next two weeks.

(Editor's note: Much of the data in this column was presented in the June 17 issue of Public Policy Advisor, published by Public Sector Consultants.)

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LETTERS

Clarifies statement

I want to set the record straight concerning the Observer's July 11 article, "Candidates Won't Rule Out Social Security Cuts." I do not support cutting Social Security or Medicare benefits.

During the candidate forum that generated the article, I did say that entitlement programs as a whole make up a large portion of the federal budget. These entitlements cover a wide variety of programs, including federal employee pen-

sions, food stamps, student loans, energy assistance programs and farm subsidies. I believe that entitlement programs along with all other government spending will have to be given a hard look in any serious deficit cutting plan.

Social Security and Medicare are in a far different category. Recipients are receiving benefits for which they and their employers have been paying taxes over a lifetime. Those people have a right to receive that which they have paid for.

Cynthia H. Wilbanks, Ypsilanti Township

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Catholic Social Services seeks foster parents

If you are 21 years of age or older, enjoy working with children, and would like to open your home on a temporary basis to a child who has been removed from his/her home due to abuse or neglect, the Foster Parents Program at Catholic Social Services/Oakland County (CSS/OC) can help.

CSS/OC is in the process of screening, training and licensing married couples and single people who are interested in becoming

foster parents. Foster homes are needed throughout Oakland County. Special emphasis is being put on individuals willing to accept sibling groups of two or three children; black and biracial children; crack addicted babies; and people who are willing to accept children with mild to moderate behavioral and emotional problems. Homes are urgently needed for children with special medical needs.

Becoming a foster parent is a big step. By doing so you agree to serve as the primary care giver, role model, substitute parent, friend, motivator and disciplinarian for the child placed in your home. You agree to serve as an advocate for the child, looking out for his/her best interest in school and within your community.

This includes taking the child to medical appointments; seeing that he/she attends scheduled

court hearings; helping to facilitate visits with family members; and working with the case worker to ensure that the child's needs are being addressed.

Potential foster parents undergo close scrutiny. Not only are their backgrounds checked, but that of each member of the household is checked. Before children are placed in a home, it is thoroughly investigated to make sure that the environment is conducive

to raising a healthy and emotionally sound child; that it meets state safety guidelines and standards; and that there is indeed adequate space for the child. Every home must be licensed.

To become a foster parent you must be at least 21 years old; be in good physical, mental and emotional health; undergo routine criminal record and background checks; have a legal source of income; complete and file the neces-

sary paper work; and participate in state mandated training to ensure that you are equipped to handle situations and issues that may arise once a child has been placed in your home.

Foster parents come from various backgrounds, races, and income levels, but they all have some things in common.

To learn more about becoming a foster parent, call Kelley Parkinson at (810) 333-3700.

Schoolcraft registration

Schoolcraft College will register students for fall classes in August.

Mail-in registration for continuing education courses will be held Aug. 8-19.

For a copy of the course schedule, call 462-4448.

In-person registration for traditional courses will be held 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Aug. 8-22 in the registration center.

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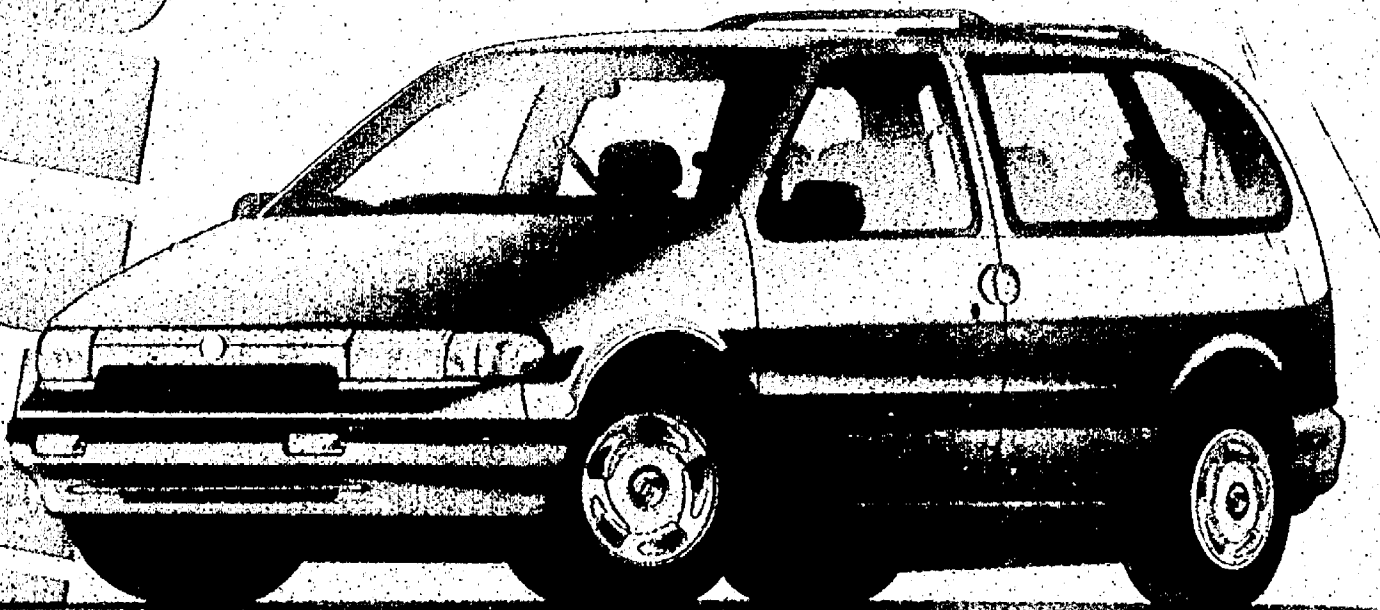
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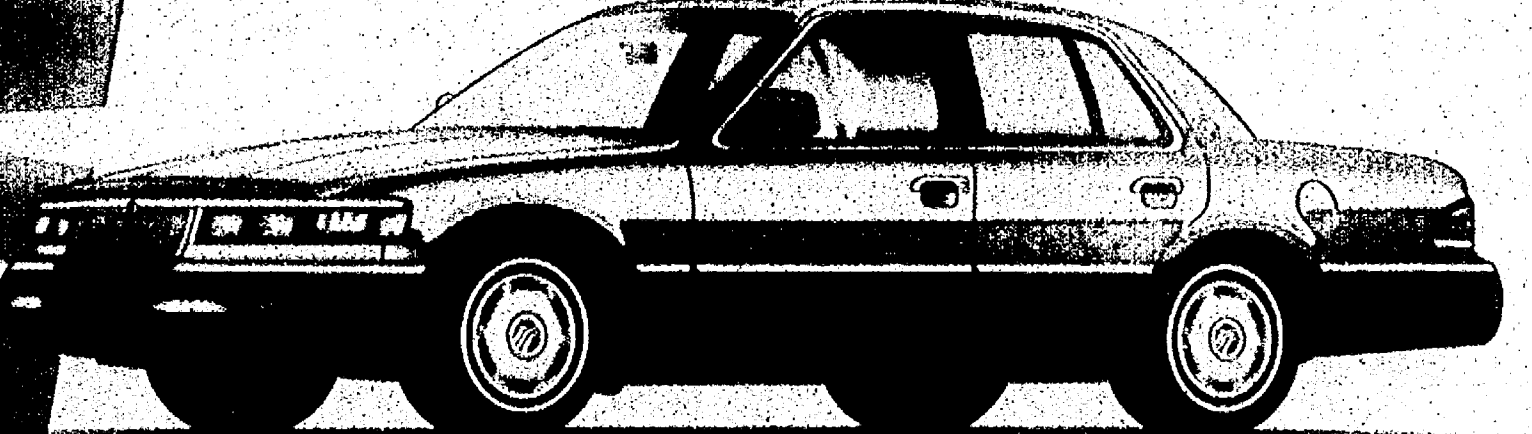
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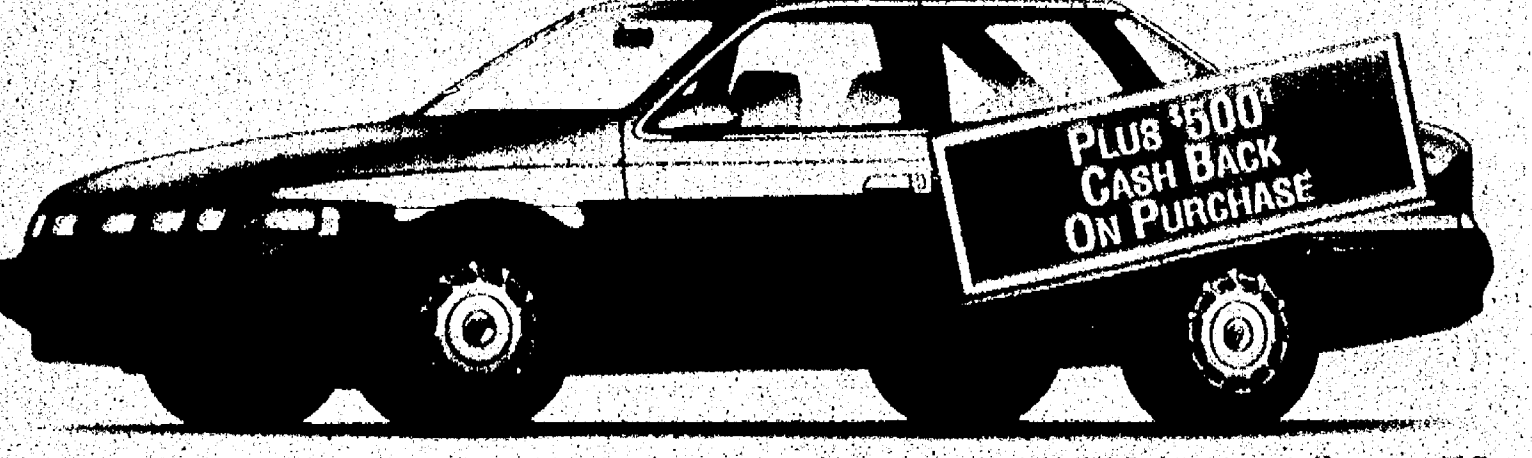
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Aboard Jazy, a 34-footer J-105, Livonia skipper Jerry Frabutt took first place in the PFRF Class E during last weekend's 70th Port Huron-to-Mackinac Island sailboat race. The 54-year-old Frabutt, who works in the insurance business, completed the 298-mile Cove Island course in 31 hours, 55 minutes and 22 seconds.

PGA members unite

Matt Russell and Randy Grebeck attended junior high, high school and college together. So isn't it just par for the course that the two Livonia natives achieved their Professional Golf Association Membership in the same summer? Grebeck, 25, a golf professional at Western Golf & Country Club in Redford Township, became a PGA member July 1. Russell, 26, who is the head golf professional at Fairview Hills Golf Club in Mio, becomes affiliated Aug. 1. The pair attended Riley Junior High together and became interested in golf while students at Bentley High School under coach Ken Timmons. When Bentley closed, Russell finished up at Stevenson and Grebeck at Churchill before they reunited at Ferris State University, where they earned degrees in professional golf management. "The whole reason we got involved was coach Timmons," said Russell, who lives in Farmington Hills with his wife Sherri. "When neither of us had driver's licenses, he'd drive us all over the state to tournaments in his green Dart." To become a PGA member, one must pass a business school educational seminar, pass a playing test, an oral test and write a thesis on the teaching of golf.

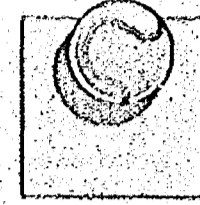
Waldecker wins crown

Livonia's Patricia Waldecker, carding an 80 (38-42), won the championship flight at the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association tournament stop, July 13 at Tyrone Hills in Fenton. She edged Farmington Hills' Nancy Coyne by one stroke.



Return engagement: Livonian Carrie Cunningham was back in town recently for the Joe Dumars Celebrity Tennis Tournament at Detroit Tennis & Squash Club in Farmington Hills.

Cunningham on comeback trail



BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Injuries are usually a curse in any professional athlete's career, but for Livonian Carrie Cunningham, she states emphatically, "It was a blessing in disguise." Wrist surgery kept Cunningham off the women's pro tennis circuit for nearly a year, but the physical setback gave the 22-year-old a new perspective on life. A sabbatical from the game, which she still loves, gave Cunningham an opportunity to try another avenue. "I didn't watch or follow tennis... I didn't have time to miss it because I was so busy with school," said Cunningham, who spent the past year completing 34 credit hours at Arizona State. "It was a good break psychologically. Nobody knew me as a tennis player. I was just like any other student. I was paying for my own schooling."

College student now

Cunningham, who made the dean's list (she had only one B), enjoys the college life. "I'm interested in architecture, but that's a difficult program," she said. "I've had thoughts lately of pre-med." Those academic pursuits, however, were put on hold. Last week, following six months of rehabilitation at the Phoenix Suns training facility, Cunningham began her comeback bid by splitting 1/2 pair of matches in a U.S. Tennis Association \$25,000 Challenger Series event in Evansville, Ind.

Livonian Carrie Cunningham is giving the women's professional tennis tour another shot after returning from wrist surgery. She will play in four tournaments in an attempt to regain her ranking prior to next month's U.S. Open.

She opened with a 6-1, 6-1 win over Bonnie Blecker, the two-time Indiana state high school champion. In the second round, Cunningham lost a three-setter to Stephanie Reece of Indianapolis, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4. Cunningham has been given an injury waiver by the Women's International Tennis Association, retaining a ranking in the top 150.

Returns to tour

This week, Cunningham is competing in another USTA Challenger Series event in Salisbury, Md. That is followed by four WITA tour stops — Stratton, Vt. (July 25), San Diego (Aug. 1), Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Aug. 8) and the Canadian Open (Aug. 15). Cunningham, who was ranked as high as No. 37 in the world, reached the round of 16 at the 1992 U.S. Open, but shortly after, her game began to deteriorate. She injured her wrist in January of 1993 at the Australian Open. "It was misdiagnosed," she said. "I was told it was tendinitis, but I found out after six months that the tendon sheath had torn completely away." After an MRI, Dr. Leonard Bodell suggested Cunningham have surgery. She was in a cast for 12 weeks before undergoing rehabilitation at the Phoenix Suns training facility. Cunningham, who was also accepted to the University of Michigan, decided to enroll at Arizona State. She enjoyed living in the Phoenix area af-

See COMEBACK, 2B

State champs

Mid-America wins 16-and-under

The Mid-America Mustangs 16-under girls slow-pitch softball team won the state championship last weekend against defending champion Finesse at Liberty Park in Sterling Heights.

The Mustangs, who have won four of the past five state championships, finished with a 6-1 record behind pitchers Alliea December and Lisa Colangelo, both of Livonia.

The Mustangs had to beat Finesse two straight times on Sunday to win the championship and did so with 6-3 and 10-9 wins.

The Mustangs battled from a 9-2 deficit and won the final game in eight innings. They scored five runs in the fifth inning, one in the sixth and one in the seventh to force extra innings.

The Mustangs loaded the bases with one out and December came home on a sacrifice fly hit by Heidi Wahl of Southfield.

The Mustangs also took advantage of the clutch hitting by Julie Jones to beat the Raiders 8-7 in 13 innings earlier Sunday. Jones had a bases-loaded single to break a 7-7 tie.

On Saturday, the Mustangs beat Southgate, 27-0, Garden City 19-12 and Michigan Sports 22-11.

SLOW-PITCH

Their sole loss in the tournament came Saturday to the Livonia Raiders, 2-1.

The rest of the team includes Stephanie Haggerty and Susanne Fulmer, Southgate; Lynn MacLoud, Lisa Rozum, Alrice Brell, Nicole Kuncic, Susan Huber of Canton; Julie Jones, Belleville; Patricia Kesner, Garden City; Anne Alloto, Plymouth; Amanda Boston, Centerville, Va.; Lauren Wright, Redford; Kim Shaw, Livonia; and Angela Cantu, Trenton.

The coach is Reggie Wallace Jr. John Desassure is manager, and Tony Alloto is scorekeeper.

The Mustangs travel to the World Tournament Aug. 4-7 in Lexington, S.C. and are scheduled to play in the American Softball Association national tournament Aug. 11-14 in Jacksonville, Fla.

14-and-under 2nd

Mid-America Motton came up one game short in the girls 14-and-under state slow-pitch softball tournament last weekend in Sterling Heights. Motton settled for second place

after Finesse jumped out to a 4-0 first-inning lead en route to an 11-1 championship victory.

Jillian Gross' RBI groundout in the bottom of the seventh capped a two-run rally to give Motton a 9-8 semifinal win over Finesse.

In the first round, Motton pounded Garden City, 16-0, scoring six runs in the first and six in the third. Gina Yaquinto and Diana Jastrzebski each collected three hits. Gross and Jastrzebski each knocked in three runs.

In the second game, Motton tallied 11 runs in the third inning before holding off the Michigan Trailblazers, 14-10. Annie Bolognino socked a pair of homers and finished with seven RBI, while Stephanie Volpe and Kari Flynn each contributed three hits.

In Game No. 3, Finesse handed Motton its first tournament loss, 13-8, despite three hits from Gross and two hits and two RBI by Volpe.

Motton bounced back with a nine-run fourth inning to win Game No. 4 over the Trailblazers, 15-1. Yaquinto led the way going 3-for-3, while Lisa Shaw added two hits and three RBI. Melissa Thompson went 2-for-3 with two runs scored.

FAST-PITCH

zaris clubbed a two-run single and Jessale Jenkins allowed two hits over five innings as the Gators, also the recipient of nine walks, scored an 11-1 triumph.

Astros sweep Slingers

The Astros took a twin bill Tuesday in the Incredible Fast-Pitch circuit, downing the Garden City Slingers twice at Livonia Franklin High, 10-9 and 18-4.

In the first game, winning pitcher Julie Bule and Kristin Kneip each collected two hits and two RBI for the victors. Kerry Morina and Lori Patalocco also contributed two hits apiece.

In the second game, Meghan Brady and Jami Grigal each had two hits and two RBI as the Astros (8-4 in league play), rolled to another big victory.

Winning pitcher Chrissy Harkless scattered six walks and three hits over four innings (time limit).

Gators devour foe in twin bill

The Livonia Gators improved to 9-3 overall in the Incredible Girls Fast-Pitch Softball League by sweeping the Farmington Hills Diamonds in a double-header Tuesday at Farmington's Shiloh Park.

Pitcher Alicia December tossed a two-hitter over five innings, and Danielle Sockolosky contributed an two-run single as the Gators won the opener, 7-3.

Wendy Roy had two hits and one RBI for the Diamonds. In the nightcap, Jenelle Ma-

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Garden City Collegiate slapped with stiff penalty

BY STEVE KOWALSKI
STAFF WRITER

Garden City won't be playing in the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League playoffs, regardless of how strong it finishes the regular season.

The first-year team, undefeated in 11 of its last 12 games (before Wednesday), is banned from the four-team playoffs by the LCBL for allegedly violating rules of reporting eligibility and team rosters.

Garden City coach Fred Holton also said he has been suspended this week by the LCBL, but may return Sunday for the regular season finale against Westland Federation.

The LCBL released a statement Monday to detail its actions. Co-director Gary Gray refused to comment about the statement Wednesday, but did say the league makes sure new teams are aware of eligibility rules throughout the preseason.

"That is an out-and-out lie, the league never reminded me of anything," Holton said.

BASEBALL

The LCBL received a protest from another coach, regarding the eligibility of Marcus Saranovsky, a Garden City player who resides in Livonia.

To play for Garden City, Saranovsky needed a release from Livonia-based coaches at Walter's Appliance and Little Caesars.

Holton presented the release for Saranovsky with the appropriate signatures to LCBL co-director Lyle Trudell on Friday, July 8. Holton also said he showed a release with signatures for Mike Marchetti, another Livonia resident playing for Garden City, but there was no protest filed over Marchetti's eligibility.

According to LCBL rules, it is a coach's responsibility to have legal contracts on all players before they are eligible to compete. Also, a coach must see that all of his rosters and contracts are checked and finalized by the final roster date (July 1, 1994).

Holton said he turned in his fi-

nal roster May 30 but admits failing to present releases by the July 1 deadline.

"It was stupidity on my part," Holton said. "Being now in the league it's not something I wanted to do, get into an administrative problem."

The LCBL will allow Garden City to keep its current 13-10-1 record. Saranovsky will also be able to complete the season.

Some teams have also questioned why Garden City isn't forced to forfeit all of its victories and tie.

Walter's Appliance and Little Caesars would benefit. Walter's has lost twice and tied Garden City once, while Caesars has lost three times to Garden City.

Holton said he has not felt welcome since his team's admission to the league.

One of the reasons he feels resentment is because one of his star players, Mark Rutherford of Livonia, left Little Caesars this year to join Garden City. Rutherford, who desired to play with some of his Eastern Michigan

University teammates on Garden City, could not obtain a release from Caesars coach John Moraitis, so he changed his address to join Garden City.

Moraitis wouldn't grant Rutherford a release because "I felt Mark owed me a year full time since I took him when he was 17 and last year when he also was playing on a Connie Mack team."

Holton also said he has been placed on probation by the LCBL until Aug. 31, 1995.

"Putting me on probation is not hurting me because I'm not coming back," Holton said. "For years, I thought this was a top-notch A-1 league, but I'm so disillusioned. This league is to promote young ballplayers, it shouldn't be a league run by politics. How could I survive another year? If I picked my nose, they'd kick me out."

"I've got 14 kids who never played in the league, no one ever wanted most of them. I'll take this bunch to the east side, Wyandotte, somewhere else."

Delwal picks up steam with wins against Westland

Delwal kept back into the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League post-season playoff race with three straight wins Sunday and Monday against Westland Federation at Livonia's Ford Field.

Delwal swept Westland 3-2 and 8-1 on Sunday and came back to win a make-up game Monday also by an 8-1 score.

Gary Mroz earned the pitching victory in Monday's game.

Westland starter Mark D'Antonio suffered the loss, allowing seven hits and seven walks in going the distance.

Delwal improved to 12-14 and with 24 points and four games remaining, owns the fourth and final playoff berth. Delwal surpasses Walter's Appliance, which has fallen to fifth place with four straight losses and a 9-15-1 record (19 points), and Garden City Collegiate, which has been ruled ineligible by the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League for the playoffs because of alleged roster violations.

Garden City, the hottest team in the league with 10 wins in its last 12 games, is 13-10-1 overall. "With John VanDanBrink, Mike Pesci and Mroz, Delwal has got the best pitching staff in the league," Westland coach Joe Vondracek said.

Delwal beat Westland ace Tom Wakefield in Sunday's first game.

LIVONIA COLLEGIATE BASEBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS (as of July 13)				
Team	W	T	L	Pts
Hines Park	18	8	0	36
Westland	16	10	0	32
Caesars	14	11	0	28
Delwal	12	14	0	24
Garden City	13	10	1	27
Walter's	9	15	1	19
Wendy's	8	19	0	12

LCBL SCHEDULE	
Thursday, July 21: Little Caesars vs. Delwal, 8 p.m. at Ford Field.	
Friday, July 22: Garden City vs. Westland, 6 p.m. at Garden City Park; Wendy's vs. Hines Park, 5:30 p.m.; Walter's vs. Little Caesars, 8 p.m. (both games at Ford Field).	
Sunday, July 24 (all double-headers): Hines Park vs. Wendy's, noon; Little Caesars vs. Walter's, 5:30 p.m. (all games at Livonia's Ford Field); Westland vs. Garden City, noon at Westland John Glenn.	

the bases in the first inning and put Delwal ahead to stay. Pesci was 1-for-3 with two RBI and two runs scored. DiLaura was 2-2 and Green scored two runs.

Dave Tykoski reached base five times in the twin bill with two hits three walks.

Westland, which is 16-10 and in second place with 32 points, bounced back with a 5-2 win Tuesday against Wendy's at Eastern Michigan University.

Westland John Glenn recent graduate Brian Morrison made his first appearance on the mound and scattered four hits with five strikeouts.

Joe Vondracek was 3-for-3 with two doubles and a sacrifice fly. Jeromey Cosby had a double and single and two RBI and Jeff Schuck contributed two RBI.

Morrison has spent most of the summer playing for the Westland Federation Connie Mack team.

"He did a very nice job," Federation coach Joe Vondracek said. "He was around the plate all day."

HINES PARK vs. WALTER'S 2: Walter's Appliance continued its slide in the standings, losing for the fourth straight time to Hines Park Lincoln Mercury 5-2 at Ford Field.

Walter's, which also lost a double-header on Sunday to Hines Park by scores of 9-2 and 9-3. Hines Park is in first place at 18-8 with 36 points.

Hines Park scored three runs in the seventh inning to break a 2-2 tie. Ed Gundry (Plymouth Salem), who went 2-for-3, had a triple to score Brian Burns to highlight the seventh-inning scoring.

Heath Fowler went 3-for-4 with a double and Jason McLoughlin was 2-4 with a run scored for Hines Park.

Dan Eller earned the pitching victory, scattering six hits in a complete game.

Mike Zielenki suffered the loss. Zielenki struck out five and walked one.

Tim Piccini had a triple, scored a run and knocked in a run. Kevin Foley had two hits and scored a run.

On Sunday, Craig Benedict (Plymouth Canton) tossed a six-hitter in the first game victory at Ford Field. Robin Roberts was 3-4, including a triple, with three runs scored. Fowler had a three-run homer in the second inning.

WENDY'S 8-4, GARDEN CITY 7-11: Last place Wendy's scored one run in the bottom of the sixth inning to break a 7-7 tie in the first game of Sunday's double-header at Eastern Michigan University.

The loss ended a 10 game unbeaten streak for Garden City, which regrouped and won the nightcap 11-4 behind the complete game pitching of Justin Black (Garden City).

The first game ended after six innings because of the two-hour time limit.

Garden City starting pitcher Marcus Saranovsky (Livonia Churchill) hit a Wendy's batter and allowed a single to put runners at first and third with no outs. Coach Fred Holton brought Jerry Nowawski (Redford Catholic Central) in to pitch and the first batter received an intentional pass to load the bases.

The cast batter hit a high bopper over the head of third baseman Matt Fournier (Livonia Franklin), who was playing in, to score the winning run.

Mark Rutherford (Livonia Churchill) had a double and triple and three RBI to lead Garden City. Teammate Eric Justice (Redford CC) was 1-for-3 with two RBI.

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Teammate of Jimbo

Cunningham was a teammate of Jimmy Connors and John Lloyd.

"Being in Phoenix was great fun and we were treated unbelievably well," she said. "I learned a lot from Connors... I formed the standpoint that he's such a great motivator. And it's great to see how a champion works."

Shortly after graduating from Churchill High School, Cunningham turned down an offer from Stanford University to become a touring pro. At age 18, Cunningham embarked on a three-year odyssey around the world.

On the average, Cunningham spent half the year away from home.

"I was on the road 27 to 28 weeks and I was tired psychologically and maybe a bit burned out," Cunningham said. "I missed my parents. That was the hardest part of getting away. I was homesick a lot. Those 33-hour flights to Tokyo are no fun and it can get lonely at times when nobody speaks the same language."

"But I don't regret any decision I've made so far. Maybe with only slight remorse, but I think I learned more traveling in three years than I could have learned in any other setting. I realized how beneficial it was for me to learn different

Celebrity appearance

Cunningham, who recently returned to play an exhibition match at the Joe Dumara Celebrity Tennis Classic in Farmington Hills, was glad to be back home.

"Charlie Rothstein (of the Detroit Tennis & Squash Club) called me out of the blue and I was happy to play, plus I wanted to give something back to the community," said Cunningham, who participated in the benefit for Children's Hospital of Michigan. "Joe (Dumara) is a good tennis player. He has good stroke and is so strong. He's just a great guy, personable and friendly."

With school temporarily on hold, Cunningham is eager to jump back into the women's tennis fray.

Since she left the tour, much has transpired — the Seles stabbing; Capriati's arrest; Steffi Graf going down in the first round at Wimbledon; the emergence of Mary Pierce; and Martinez denying Martina her 10th Wimbledon title.

"My wrist is strong and I feel I've been playing well," Cunningham said. "Five or six tournaments will decide it for me. I feel stronger than before. And mentally, I now have school to fall back on. I just feel relaxed and it's fun being on the court again."

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Tompkins family 1st

The Tompkins family of Westland knows how to enjoy their vacations.

Chris Tompkins, 13, won the Power-Bilt Junior Golf Classic boys 13-under division held July 11 at the Klinger Lake Country Club in Sturgis.

Later that week, the family packed up and traveled to Maryland where 17-year-old Jennifer Tompkins won the gold medal in the Starpower National Dance Championships.

The proud parents are Tom and Kathy Tompkins, who probably haven't had this much fun on vacation since their honeymoon.

"As long as it keeps them out of trouble, I'm a happy camper," Tom said.

Chris Tompkins, a left-handed golfer, calls professional Phil Mickelson his idol. That's easy to figure because Tompkins is also left-handed.

Tompkins, who is entering the eighth grade at Stevenson Junior High School, won a playoff against Bryan Lloyd of Buchanan and Austin Chapman of Grand Blanc.

The trio each finished the 18-hole course with 89s.

Tompkins and Lloyd each parred the first playoff hole, forcing a second playoff. Lloyd bogeyed the second playoff hole while Tompkins recorded a par-four, giving him his third title in two years.

GOLF

Tompkins sent his drive, a 5-wood, about 180 yards into a large divot. Despite the bad lie, Tompkins put his second shot seven yards from the green. He chipped on the green and landed his first putt in the cup for the championship.

Tompkins plans on playing five or six more tournaments this year, including the Pro-Select Junior Classic Aug. 5-6 in Jackson.

Livonian David Higham finished fourth in the boys 14-15 division, shooting a 78, four shots off the pace. Jennifer Tompkins attends John Glenn and dances for the Sing Sing Sing group which trains out of Susie's Dance Point in Westland.

POWER-BILT JUNIOR GOLF CLASSIC
Monday at Sturgis/Klinger Lake CC
Par 72 (6,000 yards)

Boys 14-15 division: 1. Dan Janson, Grand Rapids, 74; 2. Gary Robinson, Jackson, 75; 3. Aaron Vandenbergh, Holland, 77; 4. David Higham, Livonia, 78; 5. Jeff Irish, East Lansing, 79.

Boys 13-under: 1. Chris Tompkins, Westland, 89 (won on playoff); 2. Bryan Lloyd, Buchanan, 89; 3. Austin Chapman, Grand Blanc, 89; 4. (tie) Brian Downing, Northville, and Adam Rumsey, Coldwater, 91.

Items for the Sports Roundup must be submitted by noon Friday (for Monday edition) and noon Tuesday (for Thursday edition). Items run once only.

HORNETS' BREAK ENDS

The Livonia Hornets Mickey Mantle baseball team lost for the first time this season, dropping the first game of a double-header Saturday against High/White at Livonia Stevenson.

The Hornets, who are 15-1 overall, fell in the first game, 9-4, before winning the second, 11-8.

High/White, a team made up of players from Highland and White Lake, scored three runs in the third and three more in the fourth off losing pitcher Dave Young.

Todd Wilson, Kevin Marvin and Mike Corrie had two hits each for the Hornets. Marvin, Corrie, Todd Smith and Young had one RBI each.

In the second game, Mike Allison allowed two runs with four strikeouts and two walks in 5 1/2 innings to pick up the win. Scott Craver pitched in relief.

Wilson and Craver had four hits each and Allison contributed three hits.

On Monday, the Hornets dumped Novi 11-3 at Stevenson. The Hornets took a four-run lead in the first and Craver went 4 1/2 innings to earn the win.

Craver, Eric Curl, Marvin,

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Mark Dietrich and Wilson had two hits each. Curl led the way with three RBI.

SOCCER CHAMPIONS

Outdoing World Cup '94 champion Brazil by one, the Michigan Hawks '80, an under-16 girls team sponsored by the Livonia Family Y, won a pair of shootouts last weekend en route to the Portage Invitational title.

The Hawks, coached by Paul Dugan, beat the Spirit of Sarnia, Ontario in the championship, 3-2, on penalty kicks. In the semifinals, the Hawks and the Columbus, Ohio Soccer Association Express '78 battled to a 1-1 draw, but the Hawks won the shootout, 5-3.

Jenny Barker, an incoming freshman at Livonia Stevenson, came up with some key saves in the extra sessions. She shared the tourney goalkeeping duties with Northville's Megan Cauzillo.

Rounding out the Hawks' roster: Shannon Buckler, Allison Campbell and Leah McGrath, all of Livonia; Mia Sarkesian and Missy Simons, both of Canton; Tiffany Okopany, Farmington; Allyson Brodie and Allison Rackley, both of Birmingham; Liz Fernandez, West Bloomfield; Jackie

Rempel, Northville; Sue Desmond, South Lyon; Laurin Hendrickson, Commerce Township; Katie Spicer, Grosse Pointe; Felicia Fornos and Nicole LePlae, both of Brighton.

The Hawks' assistant coach is Amy Trunk. The manager is Barb Sarkebian.

SOCCER RUNNER-UP

The LYSC-Jets, an under-14 boys soccer team coached by Don Koszegi, finished second in its division at the Wolverine 16 Soccer Tournament held July 8-10 at Schoolcraft College.

Members of the Jets include David Beaver, Mike Felczak, Rich Gilbertson, Brady Kinnen, Ben Marcum, Chris Mills, Mike Mocerri, Kevin Morgan, Ron O'Connor, Tim Provost, Scott Tuggle, Joel Stage, Mike Freeland and Scott Cashmore.

Assistant coaches include Vince Mocerri and Karen Marcum.

SOCCER TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the Livonia Youth Soccer Club's boys Hitech level teams — under-17, under-18 and under-19 — will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Livonia's Bicentennial Park. The team will be trained by John Boots. For more informa-

tion, call 261-1670 or 421-6773. The Michigan Hawks girls under-14 soccer team is seeking a competitive goalie. For more information, call Tom Coyne at 427-3330.

Boys under-14 tryouts for the Livonia Youth Soccer Club Rangers will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Dickinson Field. For more information, call John Hunter at 531-3992.

For more information about boys under-13 tryouts for the Meteors, call 404-3616.

SOCCER SIGNUP

Fall soccer registration is on at the Livonia Family YMCA. The registration deadline is Aug. 5.

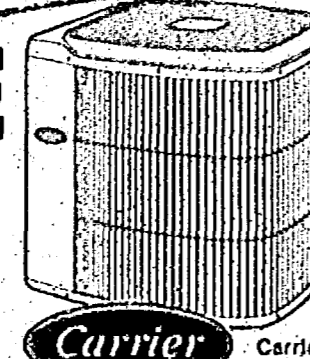
Practices begin the week of Aug. 29 with games beginning the weekend of Sept. 10. The season runs through the end of October.

The Livonia Y conducts three levels for its fall program:

1. Pee Wee (born Aug. 1, 1988, through July 13, 1990) — the program consists of half-hour instruction and half-hour games (Saturdays);

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KISS members take back goods at convention

BY JAY GROSSMAN
STAFF WRITER

Fans at a weekend KISS Convention in Troy were treated to a rare guest appearance by actual members of the heavy metal rock group.

Band members Gene Simmons and Paul Stanley showed up Sunday at the Northfield Hilton after they heard certain hawkers possessed KISS goods that were stolen in 1992 from a warehouse in New York City.

The stolen items included a studded jock strap, costume boots and other paraphernalia. The items were confiscated by Troy police and later released to Simmons and Stanley.

Attorney Kelly Allen, of the Bloomfield Hills law firm Howard & Howard, said the two members spoke to the 800-900 fans before leaving to explain why they were taking back the goods.

"It's really a part of their history, even though they never plan to

perform in that stuff again," said Allen. "They went on stage and told everyone that if they ever planned to showcase the stuff it would be through KISS and nobody else."

"The fans loved it — they went wild."

The group skyrocketed to fame in the 70s with their leather costumes, platform boots and garish makeup. They still perform, sans makeup, and are planning to tour

South America this fall.

Troy Lt. Bill Tullock said no arrests were made because it would be almost impossible to identify the thieves who stole the stuff in the first place.

According to an affidavit signed by Simmons, he filed a report with New York police in 1992 after realizing certain items were missing from a warehouse.

Simmons said he later saw a fan magazine called "KISS Un-

derground" which displayed photographs of the stolen items and suggested it was for sale.

He then learned about the Troy convention and heard there were "actual '70s costumes worn by KISS" on display.

A restraining order signed by Oakland County Circuit Judge Gene Schnelz allowed police to confiscate the goods. When no one showed up in court Monday to contest the order, Stanley and

Simmons were given permission to take home their belongings.

Howard & Howard has represented the group for over 20 years, Allen said. She said their weekend visit to Michigan was brief and to the point.

"They came in late Saturday, went to the convention Sunday and flew out early Monday morning after appearing in court," she said. "But I can't tell you how nice they were. Both of them were perfect gentlemen."

Golden Lantern set to be polished

BY TEDD SCHNEIDER
STAFF WRITER

A familiar place is getting a new look.

The Golden Lantern will get a major make over by early next year, bringing the unique, city-owned restaurant at Five Mile and Farmington roads into the '90s, decor-wise.

But Lantern regulars, including nearby city employees and 16th District Court watchers, needn't worry. The menu is the one thing that will remain untouched, according to owner John Gotsis.

Home-cooked meals and popular specialties like vegetable

soup — 10 gallons consumed every two days during colder months — aren't going anywhere, Gotsis said.

"This is like owning the same house for 30 years. Every so often you need to give it a face lift."

In exchange for nearly \$90,000 worth of improvements to the dining room, kitchen and parking lot, the city will extend the lease for the restaurant an additional five years, until Aug. 31, 2008.

The Livonia City Council was expected to approve the extension Wednesday.

The Gotsis family has operat-

ed the cozy diner in what eventually became Livonia's civic center since the early 1960s. The city bought the building as part of the master plan for the complex and then leased it back to the family.

The last renovation was nine years ago when an atrium was added to the west side of the building, increasing the diner's capacity.

In the months to come, Gotsis said, patrons can expect: new booths, counter, and stools; replacement of dark paneling with drywall; new carpet, paint and wallpaper; and a resurfaced parking lot.

"We're going to brighten it up," Gotsis said. "This interior is the original one."

Kitchen changes will include new cooking equipment, a new hot water tank and furnace repairs.

The new look is at least partly a response to Livonia's restaurant boom during the past few years. Business has been good, but competition with newer spots is increasing, Gotsis said.

Breakfast and lunch generate the most traffic, but dinner crowds will pick up on summer evenings when there's an outdoor concert or other event on civic center grounds.

Lab coats donated to Bentley Center

Some 18 lab coats have been donated by the Livonia Rotary Club to Bentley Center for use by students in the automotive program.

Under the direction of Alan Stegich, a General Motors employee during the day, Bentley students are learning auto me-

chanics. Some of them are obtaining automotive mechanic certification as a result of the training.

Stegich has been with the adult education program of Livonia Public Schools for about six years and several times had requested lab coats for learners in the automotive program.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF GARDEN CITY
REGARDING PROPOSED ADOPTION OF CITY ORDINANCE
TO ISSUE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LIMITED TAX BONDS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an Ordinance to Issue 1994 Special Assessment Limited Tax Bonds was introduced to the City Council of the City of Garden City at its regular meeting on Monday, July 18, 1994. The City Council will meet at 7:15 P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1994, in the City Offices, 4600 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, 48135 for the purpose of holding a public hearing on the adoption of the Ordinance. At said hearing, any person wishing to comment on the proposed Ordinance will be afforded an opportunity to speak.

PROPOSED ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE NOT TO EXCEED \$1,500,000.00 CITY OF GARDEN CITY 1994 SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LIMITED TAX BONDS TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE BONDS, TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY COUNCIL TO ISSUE THE BONDS IN ONE OR MORE DEFINITIVE SERIES, AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY HEREBY ORDAINS

SECTION 1. Determination of Necessity; Authorization of Bonds.

The City Council determines that it is necessary to issue bonds of the City in pursuance of the authority set forth in Act 278, Public Acts of Michigan, 1939, as amended, and the city charter for the purpose of paying all or part of the cost of certain public improvements within certain special assessment districts in the City including the cost of issuing the bonds, in an amount not exceeding \$1,500,000.00. Special assessment limited tax bonds are hereby authorized to be issued in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 subject to the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. Payment of Bonds.

The bonds authorized by this ordinance shall be payable primarily out of special assessments to be collected on the lands situated in the aforesaid special assessment districts. In the case of insufficiency of such special assessment collections, the bonds shall be payable from the general funds of the City as a first budget obligation. If necessary, the proceeds of all valuations levied by the City on all taxable property in the City for the payment thereof, within applicable constitutional, statutory and charter tax rate limitations. The limited tax rate shall, credit and resources of the City are hereby pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and interest on the bonds as the same shall become due.

SECTION 3. Bonds Subject to State Law; Determination of Details.

The bonds shall be subject to the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act, Act 152, Public Acts of Michigan, 1943 ("Act 152"), shall bear interest as determined upon this ordinance, but not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by law, and shall mature as permitted by Act 152 in not to exceed twenty (20) annual installments. The City Council shall determine by resolution to issue the bonds authorized by this ordinance in one or more series, specify the title and date of issue of each series, amounts of bonds maturing annually, redemption provisions, if any, and such other details as shall be necessary or convenient for issuance of the bonds.

SECTION 4. Sale of Bonds.

The bonds shall be sold subject to the provisions of Act 152 in a manner directed by resolution of the City Council.

SECTION 5. Repealer, Publication, Effective Date.

All ordinances, resolutions and parts thereof in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall be published as required by the city charter and shall take effect upon publication or ten days after its adoption, whichever is later, as provided by the city charter.

RONALD SHOWALTER
City Clerk-Treasurer
City of Garden City

Dated July 18, 1994
Published July 21, 1994
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF GARDEN CITY
REGARDING PROPOSED ADOPTION OF CITY ORDINANCE
TO ISSUE LIMITED TAX BONDS GENERAL OBLIGATION
WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM BONDS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an Ordinance to Issue Limited Tax General Obligation Wastewater Treatment System Bonds was introduced to the City Council of the City of Garden City at its regular meeting on Monday, July 18, 1994. The City Council will meet at 7:15 P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1994, in the City Offices, 4600 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, 48135, for the purpose of holding a public hearing on the adoption of the Ordinance. At said hearing, any person wishing to comment on the proposed Ordinance will be afforded an opportunity to speak.

PROPOSED ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE NOT TO EXCEED \$1,500,000.00 CITY OF GARDEN CITY LIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEM BONDS, TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE BONDS, TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY COUNCIL TO ISSUE THE BONDS IN ONE OR MORE DEFINITIVE SERIES, AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS.

THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY HEREBY ORDAINS

SECTION 1. Determination of Necessity; Authorization of Bonds.

The City Council determines that it is necessary to issue bonds of the City in pursuance of the authority set forth in Act 152, Public Acts of Michigan, 1943, as amended ("Act 152"), for the purpose of paying all or part of the cost of construction, installation, alteration, operation or improvement of the City's sewage system and storm drain system as a part of the Ridge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Program being administered by the County of Wayne, including the cost of issuing the bonds, in an amount not exceeding \$1,500,000.00. Limited tax general obligation wastewater treatment system bonds are hereby authorized to be issued in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 subject to the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. Payment of Bonds.

The bonds authorized by this ordinance shall be payable from such funds as the City may raise annually by taxation as the City Council may deem necessary to pay interest on the bonds, and to pay the principal thereof as it falls due, to the full extent authorized or permitted by Act 152 or law.

SECTION 3. Bonds Subject to State Law; Determination of Details.

The bonds shall be subject to the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act, Act 152, Public Acts of Michigan, 1943 ("Act 152"), shall bear interest as determined upon this ordinance, but not to exceed the maximum rate permitted by law, and shall mature as permitted by Act 152 in not to exceed twenty (20) annual installments. The City Council shall determine by resolution to issue the bonds authorized by this ordinance in one or more series, specify the title and date of issue of each series, amounts of bonds maturing annually, redemption provisions, if any, and such other details as shall be necessary or convenient for issuance of the bonds.

SECTION 4. Sale of Bonds.

The bonds shall be sold subject to the provisions of Act 152, Public Acts of Michigan, 1943, as amended, in a manner directed by resolution of the City Council.

SECTION 5. Repealer, Publication, Effective Date.

All ordinances, resolutions and parts thereof in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall be published as required by the city charter and shall take effect upon publication or ten days after its adoption, whichever is later, as provided by the city charter.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
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TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION LIMITED TAX BONDS

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THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY HEREBY ORDAINS

SECTION 1. Determination of Necessity; Authorization of Bonds.

The City Council determines that it is necessary to issue bonds of the City in pursuance of the authority set forth in Act 278, Public Acts of Michigan, 1939, as amended, and the city charter for the purpose of paying all or part of the cost of certain public improvements within certain special assessment districts in the City including the cost of issuing the bonds, in an amount not exceeding \$1,500,000.00. General obligation limited tax bonds are hereby authorized to be issued in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 subject to the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. Payment of Bonds.

The bonds authorized by this ordinance shall be payable from the general funds of the City as a first budget obligation. If necessary, the proceeds of all valuations levied by the City on all taxable property in the City for the payment thereof, within applicable constitutional, statutory and charter tax rate limitations. The limited tax rate shall, credit and resources of the City are hereby pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and interest on the bonds as the same shall become due.

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Airborne praying mantises have ear to hear bats coming



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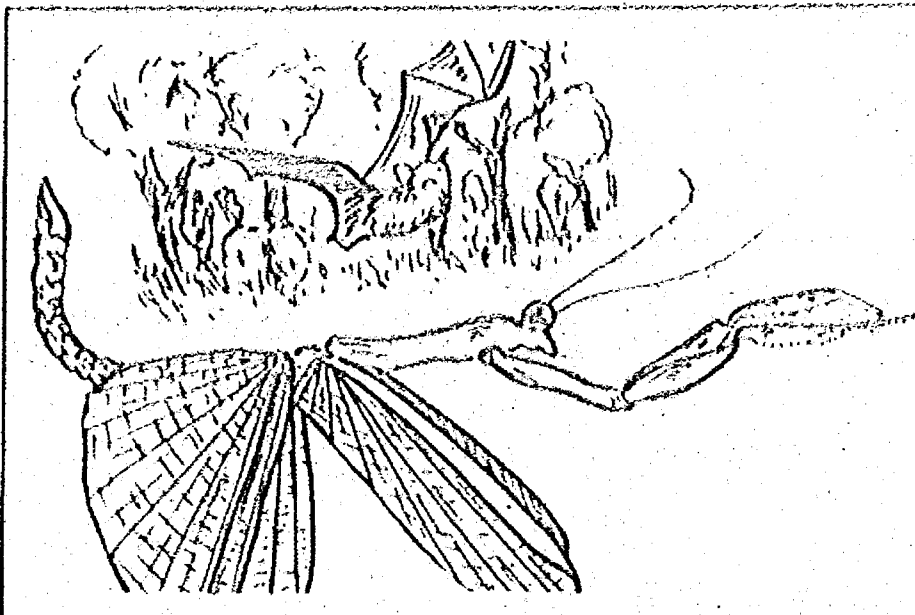
If you don't have a praying mantis in your garden, you should have one.

Praying mantises have only one ear. In the middle part of their body on the underside is a slit about one millimeter long. This is the organ

When a praying mantis hears the echo-location sounds of a bat, the mantis arches its body over its back, extends its front legs forward and plummets to the ground. One ear allows the mantis to hear the bat, but it cannot determine its location. So the only thing it can do is drop to the ground and remain still. Arching its back quickly creates a stall to its flight, and as a result, the insect drops to the ground.

ear.

This relationship indicates that the ear is used to detect bat predators. To verify this, scientists placed some mantises with an ear among a group of red bats. When the mantises were under attack by the bats they fell to the ground. Mantises that could not hear the bats were preyed upon.



Equipped for sound: A praying mantis responds to the sound of a bat approaching. Praying mantises have only one ear. In the middle part of their body on the underside is a slit about one millimeter long. This is the organ that can receive sound.

that can receive sound.

Why does it have an ear? I'm glad you asked. A mantis's ear can hear the sounds of a bat. So when they fly around at night, they can evade the attack of a bat. Scientists did not know this until recently.

It was recently discovered that other insects, like tiger moths and lacewings, can also hear the sounds of bats. Both these insects have two ears to locate the direction of the attacking bat. Mantises have only one ear.

When tiger moths and lacewings locate the direction of an approaching bat, they initiate evasive actions. They may twist and turn in an erratic pattern. Or, in the case of the tiger moth, it may produce a sound to confuse the bat.

Around the world there are about 2,000 species of mantises. Only those that fly have the single ear. Even in those species where the female does not fly and the male does, only the male has the

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Plymouth celebration features food, music

Great music and the savory aroma of mouth-watering delights will fill the air at the fourth annual Plymouth Music Celebration, July 29-31 in downtown Plymouth's Kellogg Park and the adjacent Gathering. Featvities begin 5 p.m. Friday, July 29 with the "Taste of Plymouth" featuring tastes from some of the finest restaurants in Plymouth. Saturday is Family Fun Day with activities focused on youngsters starting at noon. At 5 p.m. Reggae artists Black Market, and rhythm and blues artists James Wallin and Zoom will perform. On Sunday, local country artists entertain 1-9 p.m. Enjoy the musicianship, and expertly choreographed maneuvers of the country's top drum and bugle corps, including some from Plymouth, at the Ypsilanti Summer Music Games at Eastern Michigan University's Rynearson Stadium, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 2. Tickets are \$10 adults, \$8 children. Call (313) 483-4444. Look for the ad in this week's entertainment section to learn how you can win lawn tickets to the Aug. 4 Paul Anka concert at Meadow Brook Music Festival. Summer is family reunion time, and a lot of us are planning parties. Visit the new Gordon Food Service store at 39047 Grand River in Farmington Hills. It features a large selection of fresh produce, paper and grocery items, and an expanded selection of frozen foods at cost saving prices. Shoppers visiting the store will find a trained staff prepared to help customers plan special occasions with menu ideas and serving suggestions. Scott Lenter, 12 of West Bloomfield and I talked recently about his role in "Once Upon A Mattress" to be presented by the West Bloomfield Youththeatre, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 21-23; and 2 p.m. Sunday, July 24, at

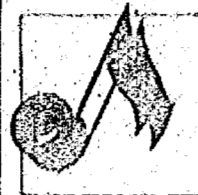
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LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Entertainment next week:

- What's new at the movies.
- Upcoming plays and concerts in your community.

Jazz fest showcases outstanding talent



Some of the Detroit area's finest jazz musicians will be performing during Jazzfest '94, July 28-31 in downtown Birmingham. Tickets are still available for headline concerts on July 29 and July 30. Don't miss out on the fun.

If you miss Joe Williams and Straight Ahead at the Birmingham Theatre, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 30, you'll be missing a treat. It's going to be a wonderful evening promises Debbie Wudyka who is co-chairing Jazzfest '94, July 28-31 in downtown Birmingham with Kevin Anushigian.

Jazzfest '94 is an indoor/outdoor jazz festival that brings together some of the Detroit area's finest jazz musicians. Concerts will be taking place all over downtown Birmingham — in Shain Park, at the Community House, Birmingham Theatre and restaurants.

Tickets are still available for the July 30 concert featuring blues vocalist Williams, who at age 75, is a classic in his own time, and Straight Ahead; five jazz musicians each of whom has contemporary musical influences ranging from R&B to classical.

Straight Ahead consists of Cynthia Dewberry, lead vocals and flute; Regina Carter, violin, background vocals; Eileen Orr, piano, synths, background vocals; Marion Hayden-Banfield, bass, background vocals; and Gayelyn McKinney, drums, background vocals.

Tickets are \$30 and \$25, and on sale now at Ticketmaster locations, and the Community House, 380

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South Bates Street. For information about this concert, and other Jazzfest '94 events, call the hotline, (810) 433-FEST. A complete schedule of Jazzfest '94 events will be published in the Eccentric newspapers on July 25, and will be available at the Community House during the event.

Another festival highlight a Tribute to Stan Kenton featuring Johnny Trudell and his 17-piece orchestra with Jerry McKenzie 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 29 at the Community House. Concert tickets are \$25 and available at the Community House and Ticketmaster outlets.

The Community House is also offering special dinner and concert packages for the July 29 and July 30 concerts.

The cost of dinner and concert on July 29 is \$50 with seatings at 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. Dinner/concert tickets for the July 30 concert are \$55. Dinner only on both days is \$25. Call (810) 644-5832 for reservations and information.

Other downtown Birmingham restaurants participating in Jazzfest '94 will also be offering special menus during the four day festival.



Guest artists: Straight Ahead, Eileen Orr (left to right), Cynthia Dewberry, Gayelynn McKinney, Marion Hayden-Banfield and Regina Carter will be performing 8 p.m. Saturday, July 30, at the Birmingham Theatre during Jazzfest.

Call restaurants for details. "I love music, particularly jazz," said Anisbigian. "We want to put on a big party for a diverse ground of people. Our goal is to have 10,000 people attend the event." "There's a whole variety of jazz," said Wudyka. "We've got something

for everyone, blues, Dixieland, big band and bebop." Jazz flutist Alexander Zonjic kicks off the festival with a free concert in Shain Park 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 28. Free concerts will be at Shain Park Saturday, July 30 and Sunday, July 31 starting at 11 a.m.

Greenfield Village hosts Taste of History

There's plenty of fun on the menu, along with red flannel hash, catfish poorboy, and sweet potato nuts at Greenfield Village's "Taste of History," July 23-24.

Visitors can sample foods from colonial times through the present at this taste fest that highlights the significance of food at community gatherings.

"People have been gathering together to enjoy food throughout history," said Cathy Cwiek, a member of the program planning team. She will spend the weekend cooking venison hash on an open hearth at the 1760s Daggett Farm.

"In the 18th century, work was frequently combined with entertain-

ment, so I'll be fixing foods for a community activity called a 'spinning frolic.' The colonial women would gather to spin yarn and thread but would also enjoy each other's company plus gossip and a good meal!"

At the 1880s Firestone Farm, the community will be getting ready for a Civil War reunion and cooking Army soup, hominy bread, plum cobbler, hard tack and brewing coffee.

At Mattox House, an African-American household of the 1930s is getting ready for a family homecoming with catfish poorboy and sweet potato pie, while at Henry Ford's birthplace, jars of pickled cauliflower and peach jam are being prepared for a church donation party.

Visitors can also visit a tasting tent on the Village Green to buy samples of the foods they'll see prepared at historic sites. Food samples at the tasting tent are priced from 25 cents to \$2.

Throughout the day, food-inspired activities will satisfy folks with an appetite for fun.

Kids can try their hands at corn grinding, play with their food to make bean pictures and macaroni jewelry, or play in a kitchen band using cooking utensils for musical instruments.

Parents can sign their children up for a mini-etiquette lesson at a children's tea party, and the whole family can team up for potato sack races and other traditional picnic pastimes.

A box-lunch auction will give visitors a chance to take home a gourmet meal that's also an unusual souvenir. Decorative baskets and other ingenious containers will be filled with private-label goodies for the lucky high bidder to enjoy.

Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village is in Dearborn, Michigan, 12 miles west of downtown Detroit. Directional signs are posted along I-75 and I-94, the Southfield Freeway (M-39), and Michigan Avenue (U.S. 12). Parking is free. Call (313) 271-1976 for information. Admission is \$11.50 adults; people 62 and older, \$10.50; children ages 5-12, \$5.75; children younger than 5, free.

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AUDITIONS

ROSEDALE PLAYERS

"The Nerd," readings from script, 8 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, July 25-26 at 21728 Grand River, 1/4 block east of Lahser. Call (810) 268-5368.

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YOUTH THEATER

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"Wizard of Oz," at the Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak, 7 p.m. Thursday, July 21, 7 p.m. Friday, July 22; 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, July 23, and 1 p.m. Sunday, July 24. Reserved seating tickets \$5. Call (810) 541-6430.

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"Wednesdays at Eight," concert series continues 8 p.m. Wednes-

day, July 27 with New Faith Chapel Singers, a gospel ensemble at Nardin Park United Meth-

odist Church, 20887 West 11 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. No admission charge.

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West Bloomfield High School, Orchard Lake Road north of Walnut Lake Road. Tickets are \$5 adults, \$3.50 students, and available at the door. Call 1 (800) 824-8314.

"It's really fun," said Lenter, who portrays the prince in this musical retelling of the classic fairy-tale "The Princess and the Pea." This production features over 50 performers ages five to 16 from West Bloomfield, Orchard Lake, Walled Lake, Bloomfield Hills, Beverly Hills and Southfield.

Lenter, has been active in youth theater since he was five.

"Once Upon A Mattress," also features Monica Jones of Franklin and Kim Palter of West Bloomfield as the princess in two different casts of the show. Don't miss it. This is a great opportunity to expose your children to theater. The show will appeal to children ages 4 1/2 and up. The show lasts about 1 1/2 hours, and there's

an intermission. Jazz vocalist George "Starburst" Green of West Bloomfield is performing with Harold McKinney, (piano and vocals), and Wendell Harrison (clarinet, tenor sax) at Excalibur, 28876 Franklin Road at Northwestern Highway in Southfield, 7:30-11:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Thursdays, and 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Fridays and Saturdays throughout the month of July. Call (810) 358-3355 for information.

"We play traditional jazz, there's something for everyone," said Green. "There's a dance floor and those who want to can drift back into yesterday."

Keely Wygonik is editor of the Taste and Entertainment sections of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. She welcomes your calls and comments, 953-2106, fax 591-7279, E-Mail keely@online.com or write: Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc. 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150.

Resident stars in 'Chess'

Joe Pokorski of Rochester and Sarah Ann Romine of Plymouth star in "Chess" to be presented by the Players Guild of Dearborn 8 p.m. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 22-24.

Tickets are \$10. The box office will open 45 minutes prior to curtain. The Players Guild of Dearborn is at 21730 Madison, near Monroe and Outer Drive. For reservations or ticket information, call (313) 277-5164.

"Chess" relates the struggle between American chess player Freddie (Chris McParland) and his Russian opponent Anatoly (Joe Pokorski) for a worldwide chess title during the height of the Cold War.

Also adding to the conflict is Florence (Sarah Ann Romine), Freddie's assistant, who falls in love with Anatoly, even though he's already married to Svetlana.

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The cast also features Mark Schwenkel as Motokov, Walter M. Krause Jr. of Westland as Walter, Mario Razo as the Arbitrator.

The music for "Chess" was written by Benny Andersson and Bjorn Ulvaeus of ABBA. Lyricist Tim Rice is responsible for the original concept, as well as lyrics, and Richard Nelson wrote the book.

"Chess" is under the direction of Bob Jones, with music direction by Randy Blouse and choreography by Marcie Urbaniak.

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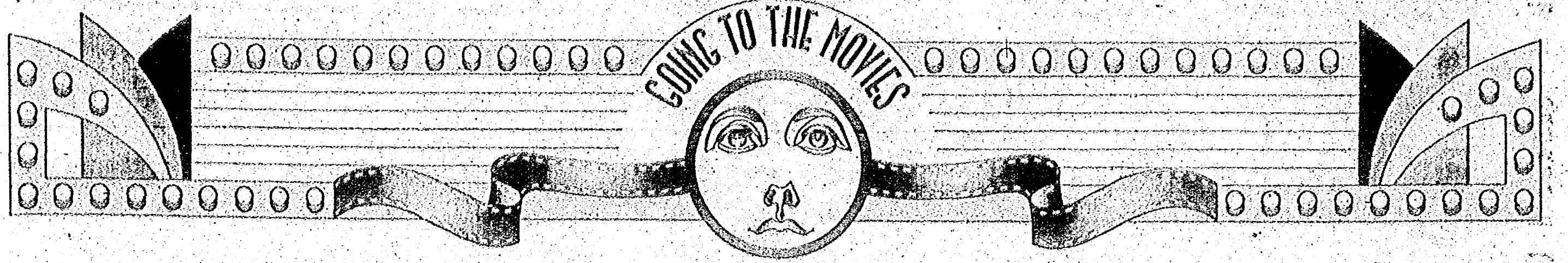
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Readers win 'Lassie' tickets

Ten lucky readers won tickets to take their family to a preview screening of "Lassie" which opens Friday at metro Detroit movie theaters.

Paddy Scott of Birmingham was the grand prize winner. Here's her winning entry.

"My dog Annie is a big black Newfoundland. Annie and I are the best of friends and we have a lot in common. We're about the same size (more or less) and we are the only females living in our house."

"We have to put up with living with two boys and a husband (mine)/master (hers). Sometimes we just look at each other and shake our heads. Annie sometimes flinging slobber over the floors and walls. I try not to get too upset because I know this might happen to me someday when I'm a little older."

"Unlike some people I know Annie has never made an unkind remark, answered me back or held a grudge. I'm not pointing my finger at anyone here, the guilty will recognize themselves. Annie's love is always given freely with no demands. Such qualities are hard to come by in spouses and friends, not to mention teenagers."

"I think a true test of friendship is recognizing that your friend is not perfect but you still love them despite their flaws. Some of these imperfections were evident early on with Annie. Not many friends eat your shoes, makeup and several pairs of glasses. I was patient and now she only eats my lipstick. We both like Chanel"



Best friend: Annie, a big black Newfoundland, is Paddy Scott's best friend. Scott's entry was the grand prize winner in the "Lassie" contest — tell us why your pet is your best friend.

"Sometimes Annie is alone all day and she just waits by the door hoping someone will arrive. She never gets sulky or demanding. At night she sleeps next to my bed and ferociously defends the family from raccoons and joggers that wander by our window. Once she got so excited that she jumped out the window in the middle of the night. Fortunately, there was another roof below. We thought Annie on the roof was probably quite a sight for anyone passing by our house. It's fun to have a friend who is so spontaneous!"

Boy seeks justice in 'The Client'



"The Client,"

a suspense-thriller based on the best-selling novel by John Grisham is now playing at metro Detroit movie theaters. It stars Susan Sarandon and Tommy Lee Jones and introduces Brad Renfro in the central role of young Mark Sway.

"The Client" tells the story of a young boy, Mark Sway (Renfro), who accidentally witnesses a suicide and learns a potentially devastating piece of information involving the whereabouts of a murdered U.S. senator.

When Mark finds himself pursued by both the Mob and an ambitious federal prosecutor (Jones), he hires an unlikely but feisty and resourceful woman attorney (Sarandon) to defend his rights, which fosters a remarkable relationship of trust between the two.

The film is directed by Joel Schumacher. Arnon Milchan and Steven Reuther are the producers.

"The story of 'The Client' is so human," said Schumacher. "It's funny and thrilling but deeply,

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deeply moving at the same time. It works on so many levels, and I think the story is affecting to all kinds of people."

To be sure, there are plenty of thrills and excitement in "The Client," but they share center stage with the relationship of the story's protagonists, 11-year-old Mark Sway and his quick-thinking, fast-talking, compassionate lawyer, Reggie Love. Their alliance is the heart of the story, and the bond that develops between these two outsiders is revealed not only in how they risk their lives to take on both the Mafia and the FBI, but in how they learn to understand, respect and love each other in the process of doing so.

Attorney Mike Cody, a Memphis lawyer who served as the film's technical adviser, said of the finished screenplay, "John Grisham's a friend and I enjoyed the book. But when I came to the end of the script I cried. It established a very moving relationship between Mark and Reggie."



Defending rights: Mark Sway (Brad Renfro) in court with his attorney Reggie Love (Susan Sarandon) and her assistant Clint Van Hooser (Anthony Edwards) in Warner Bros.' suspense-thriller, "The Client."

UPCOMING MOVIES

There's something for everyone at the movies. Here's a list of what's in the wings:

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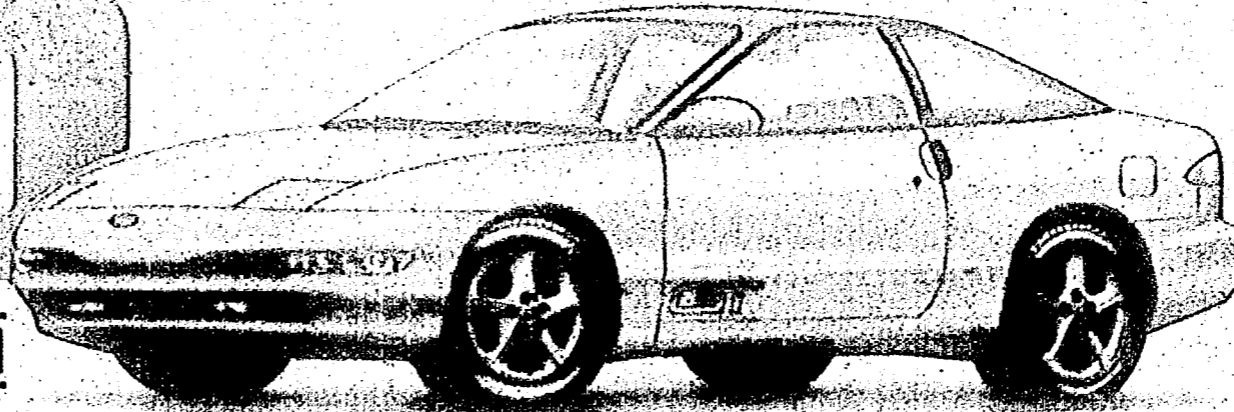
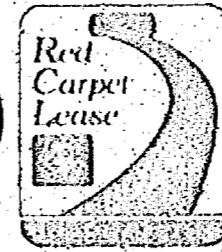
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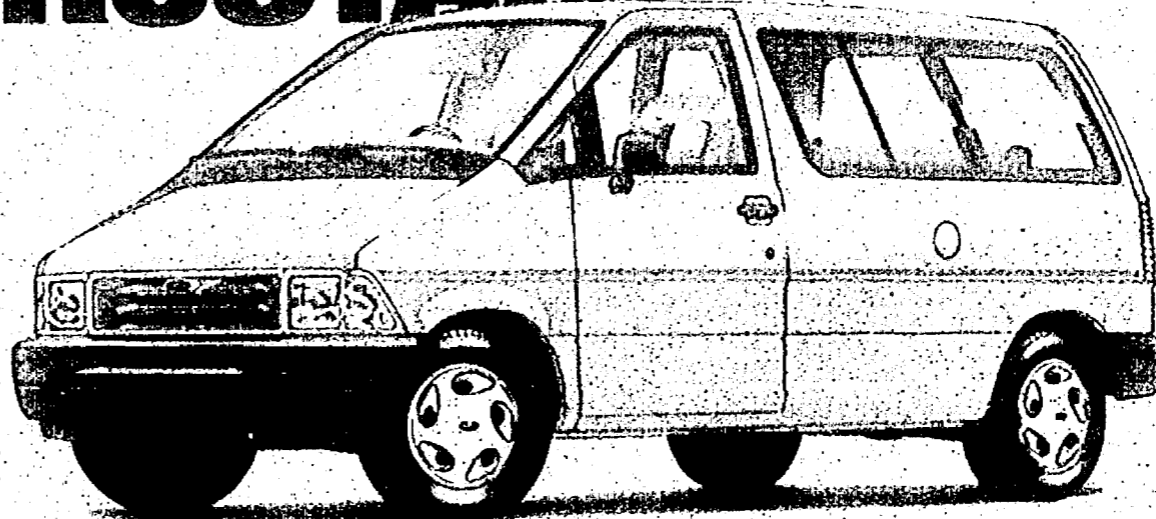
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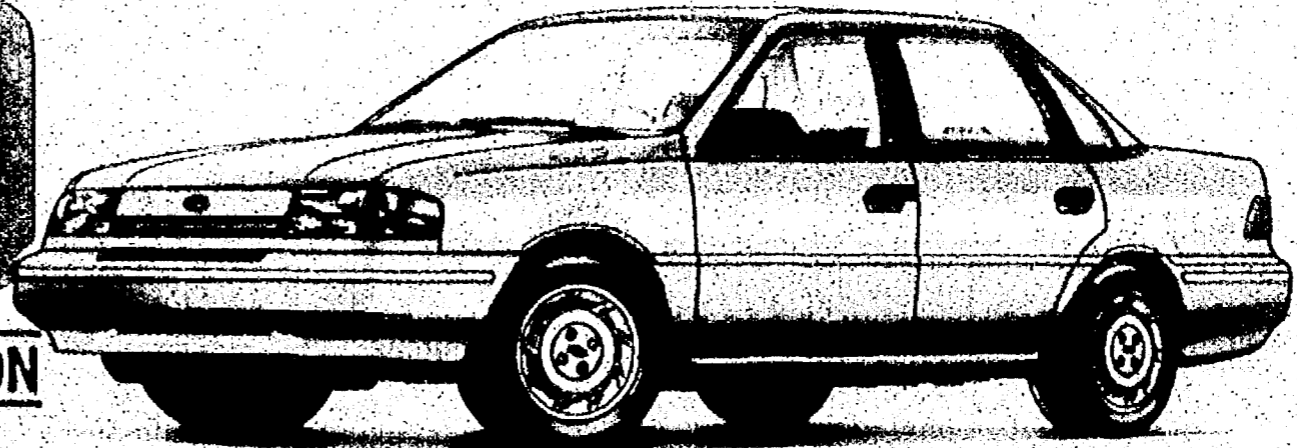
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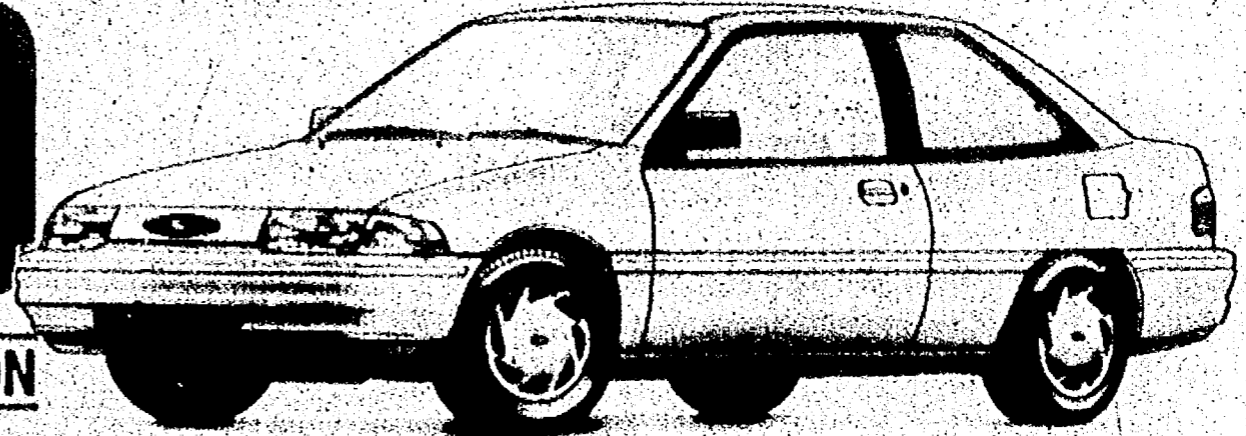
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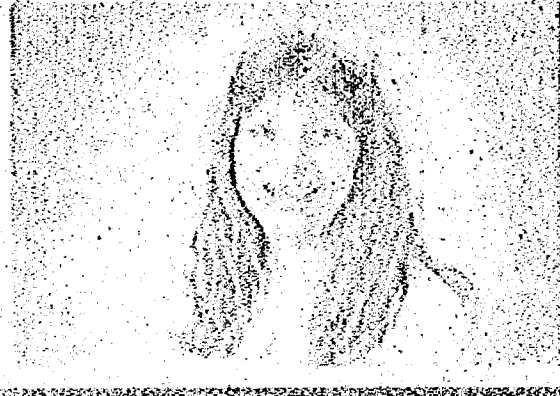
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FAMILY ROOM



KAREN MEIER

Meet my 'Anna of GreenTarp'

Remember Anna? She was one of the girls at my Moon Landing Birthday Party 25 years ago. Back then I figured she would fly to the moon one day. She was afraid of nothing and no one. And she had a wild streak in her a mile wide.

But that was long ago and far away. And things have a way of changing.

I saw Anna a couple of weeks ago. She came from her home in Grand Rapids, and I came from mine in Plymouth, and we met up in Traverse City - children, husbands and camping gear came, too.

We brought tents, stakes, lanterns, water buckets, bug spray and 2 1/2 tons of other et cetera. My stuff had been carefully inventoried, hers had not. I had divided my list into two categories: food and everything else. Food I'd subdivided into things for the cooler and things not for the cooler. Things not for the cooler I'd further subdivided into real food and snack food. I put real food in Bushel Basket No. 1 and snack food in Bushel Basket No. 2. I organized everything else in the same fashion with many subcategories and sub-subcategories.

Packing for Camping . . . My husband and I really click on this one. He can pack my highly organized stuff into the van so carefully and so efficiently that I always think he's left several things behind. But, no, it's always all there.

So with all our things organized to the hilt, my family traversed the highways and byways of Michigan. The traffic all the way across and up the state was very light; the weather was perfect, and the lunch stop at Arby's was uneventful, except for the parade of ants marching across Tony's fries.

Now don't get me wrong, this had nothing to do with Arby's cleanliness standards. It had to do with ordering take-out and sitting on the parking lot curb in front of our van to eat and squirting the little ketchup packet too hard so that ketchup went on the pavement near an ant colony creating an irresistible trail for all area ants to follow into Tony's french fry bag. Although Tony was incensed by the whole matter, in the scheme of things, the incident was minor.

Cherry of a jam

Now what was not too minor was the 90-minute traffic jam my family found itself in as soon as we hit the Traverse City city limit sign. We only wanted to get across town, but that seemed to be what everyone else wanted to do, too.

I enjoyed watching the people strolling about, taking in the sights and sounds of the National Cherry Festival, which was just getting underway. I also liked the view of the lake we had with its shimmering blue waters and graceful white sailboats. I pointed all these things out to my loved ones. Few of them, actually none of them, appreciated the beauty I was finding in the traffic jam.

Finally, we pulled into our campsite at the Yogi Berra Park to find Anna and her family already set up and well into supper preparation. There were happy greetings all around. Once supper had been eaten, the Dads took the children on woodsy adventures while Anna and I stayed to do the dishes. Doing dishes under a canopy of leaves with the aroma of campfire smoke circling about and the sounds of birds chirping in the trees is awful close to Housewife Heaven near as I can tell.

Later that night I dug into Bushel Basket No. 2 for the S'more ingredients. The children devoured several of the goodies plus chips and candy and juice drinks and brownies and Rice Krispie treats and pop and plums and roll-ups. It was truly disgusting.

After eating all of that and playing several games of Guess What I'm Writing in the Air with My Glowing Wood Stick, it was time to trek to the bathrooms with lanterns in hand and brush teeth and wash up.

In the middle of the night I heard crying in our tent. I called out to Joe - he's 2 1/2 - to see what was wrong. He didn't respond, but his 7-year-old sister did. Carmen's stomach hurt. Well, I was not shocked. I grabbed the lantern and her hand and we unzipped the tent door as quietly as we could, then made our way in the very scary, very dark woods to the bathrooms.

Once we were back snuggled inside our sleeping bags in the tent, safe and sound and feeling much better, I listened to the forest night noises for quite some time. Then just as I was drifting off, I heard another night noise, this time it was not coming from the forest, but from inside the tent. It was Carmen. Her stomach apparently still hurt. . . . A lot. . . . And the goodies caught up with her.

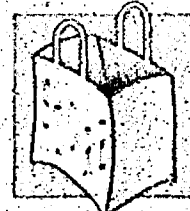
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Salesmanship: Janet Bennett (left) and Trudy Pinto offer service with a smile, and sometimes a laugh, at the Livonia Civic Center Library Gift Shop.



ART ENASUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Shops put gifts in the library



It goes without saying that you'll find books - plenty of books - in the public library. But more and more Friends of the Library groups are turning to gift shops to help raise money for their facilities.

By SUE MASON
STAFF WRITER

Blame it on Atlanta. That's where the Livonia Friends of the Library got the idea for a gift shop. Trudy Pinto and Janet Bennett say from behind the counter of the Livonia Civic Center Library Gift Shop. And that shop in turn has spawned a portable Friendly Gift Shop at the Canton Township Public Library, according to Marcia Barker.

Twenty years ago the Atlanta public library opened a gift shop that ran out of steam a year later. That one and similar ones opened in libraries in Cincinnati and Dallas was the impetus for the Livonia Civic Center Library Gift Shop, an eclectic collection of books, toys and novelties tucked into a room not much larger than a broom closet.

"We encourage browsing because there's so much to see in such a small space," said Bennett.

One wall is filled with books about Michigan and Livonia - cookbooks, nature books, historical books - and the like. Jewelry, trinkets and decorative pieces fill a corner niche while shelving behind the counter displays even more books, including one about a spider that after being read can be turned into the arachnid.

Dolls, toys like Jacob's ladder, finger puppets, paper fans and wor-

ry-dolls from Guatemala and other inexpensive items for children fill shelves along a third wall.

A chain dangles in the window, displaying a musical stuffed giraffe, bear and dog. Pull on their feet and they get longer. And they slowly return to their original shape to the tune Dr. Doolittle's "If I Could Talk to the Animals."

"The reward for working here is playing with the toys," said Pinto, showing a youngster how Jacob's ladder works. "We have children who bring their parents in here, but the best one to bring in is grandma."

Barker would love to have even a broom closet for the gift shop, but space is at a premium at the Canton library, so store manager Shirley Warpell and a cadre of 10 volunteers set up a rolling cart and table with their collection of books, toys, gifts and oddities.

"It's more challenging and difficult," said Barker, president of the State Friends of Libraries group, of the fledgling shop. "We hope we can prove to be successful and get a permanent place in the library."

The Canton Friends of the Library provided about \$2,500 in seed money that has been used to purchase the cart and gift items - books including ones about Michigan; imported items from Russia, China and India; candles;

and toys like the popular Hacky Sack. The shop, which was set up in the community service tent during the recent Liberty Festival, used the event to debut the first-ever Canton library T-shirt.

Bennett and Pinto give credit to longtime library commissioner Rosina Raymond, who pushed for the gift shop. When the library millage passed and the Livonia Friends of the Library decided they wanted a gift shop, room was set aside for it.

Certain style

But the job of making it a reality fell to Bennett and Pinto. The goal was to have a museum-style gift shop, and it was their responsibility to come up with an idea of how to furnish it.

So armed with a \$5,000 advance from the Friends of the Library, the two women went shopping.

They admit that they had butterflies in their stomach taking on such a task; neither one really had a lot of experience in buying, and only Bennett had any retail experience. She had worked in a friend's bookstore in Plymouth for 13 years - "I knew what books would sell," she said, Pinto, on the other hand, had been a school librarian.

But shop they did, filling the shop with things they thought would be attractive to customers. They admit it hasn't been easy, and they've learned a lot along the way.

"We saw some bookends of dinosaurs, but had to make a minimum purchase of \$100, so we stocked up on other things, including two gorgeous glass vases," said

Pinto. "And when they were shipped, we discovered that the insurance ate up the profit. Now we read everything very carefully."

The gift shop was a hit from the start. Bennett and Pinto were able to repay the advance in 5 1/2 months, and the shop now contributes \$15,000-20,000 to the Friends of the Library to buy things for the library.

Loyal staff

One of the reasons it's such a success is the staff - 30 or so volunteers. The shop is open 32 hours a week and staffed by volunteers working in pairs for two to four hours. Many are retirees who work at the library when they're in town.

"They're so reliable and so loyal," Bennett said. "They take just as much pride in it as if they owned it. And they take such delight in selling an item that might have been on the shelf too long."

And that kind of attitude has helped the shop offer its customers a more personalized service.

"We try to have a little more personal service where we can," Pinto said, ringing up an order for four finger puppets. "We try to have a notebook with stuff the customers want, so we can call them when it comes in."

The Canton shop has a way to go to rival the Livonia shop. It opened in January, following Livonia's museum-style philosophy, but generally, it's only been open three hours on any given day and during the summer will only be open during special events like the summer

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Hospital's gift shop has patients' touch



Showing off: Joyce Stevens (left) and Mona Johnson display some of their crafts.

By BARBARA WILSON
STAFF WRITER

Passers-by may now have a reason to stop and visit the Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital in Northville Township.

Staff and patients at the facility officially opened their new gift shop, The Treasure Tree, this month.

"This is another significant step in the remaking of this place into a hospital," said hospital director Walter G. Brown.

The shop is set up much like any other hospital gift shop. There are cards and trinkets that are available for purchase and there are crafts made by patients and staff members.

Items made by staff are sold on a consignment basis, with the money going back to the crafter. Proceeds from the crafts made by patients go into a special fund for patient activities.

"There are a lot of special things we would like to do for our patients, but the money isn't there," Brown said. "Money from the gift shop will go right back to the patients, none of it will go toward running the hospital."

The gift shop's July 6 opening celebration was attended by about 150 supporters of the project which took just over a year to bring into reality. Patients, hospital volunteers and administrators crowded into the shop on its first afternoon in business.

The shop will be staffed at first by hospital employees, but Brown hopes patients will be active in running the business in the future. Already, however, the patients' contribution to the store is apparent.

"We work with small groups to make the crafts, and we find it really helps them," said Gloria Morris, one of the activity therapists at the hospital. "Usually, it is the more introverted and quiet patients who are really good at the detailed crafts."

Craft items currently on sale at the shop include ceramic figures and vases, lace-decorated Bibles and baskets and tissue box covers.

A seven-member task force was appointed in spring 1993 to plan the project. They developed policies and procedures for the operation of the shop. In summer of that year the hospital sponsored a "Name the Gift Shop" contest among staff and patients. Architectural plans were completed by Dan Gasperini, a community volunteer.

Merchandise submitted for sale is evaluated by The Treasure Tree Gift Shop Jury Panel. Made up of volunteers, it will meet four times each year to select items for the shop.

The gift shop is open from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital is at 41001 Seven Mile Road, west of Haggerty Road.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

SINGLE POINT

Single Point Ministries will offer a grief support group which will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 21, in Room A-15 of Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia.

Single Point also will sponsor co-ed softball Wednesdays, July 27, at Riley Middle School, on Five Mile Road, between Middlebelt and Merriman roads, Livonia.

For more information, call (313) 422-1854.

SINGLE PLACE

Single Place Ministries of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville offers line dancing with Betty Byrd 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursdays, July 21-July 28, for a cost of \$32. The ministry also offers summer volleyball at 6:30 p.m. Sundays at the Park Place Apartments, on Eight Mile, between Meadowbrook and Griswold, Northville, and at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, on the back lawn of the church. Cost is \$1.

The group is offering three trips this summer. Participants can fish Lake Michigan or canoe the White River in Manistee National Forest from July 29-31. They can see "The Front Page" or "Lady Be Good!" at the Shaw Festival Aug. 20-21; or attend the July 23 Tiger Game against the Kansas City Royals. For information about any of the programs, call (810) 349-0911.

RADIO SHOWS

WAAM 1600 AM's radio show "What is This Christian Science and Who are These Christian Scientists?" continues throughout the summer at 9 a.m. Sundays. Upcoming shows will be "What about women in the Christian Science church?" on July 24, "How do Christian Scientists feel about wealth?" on July 31, "Is Christian Science adequate care for children?" on Aug. 7, "Why would anyone join the Christian Science church as an adult?" on Aug. 14, "Why don't Christian Scientists mix prayer with medicine?" on Aug. 21, "What are

Christian Science nurses?" on Aug. 28, "What kind of person was Mary Baker Eddy really?" on Sept. 4, "Media Coverage of Christian Science" on Sept. 11, "Why don't Christian Scientists take medicine?" on Sept. 18, and "Is it possible to heal without medicine?" on Sept. 25.

TEEN DANCES

Junior high and senior high school students are invited to attend "Saturday Night in the Park" from 6:30-9:30 p.m. July 23, Aug. 6, Aug. 20, and Sept. 10. School identification cards must be shown. For more information, call Newburg United Methodist Church at (313) 422-0149.

THE CONTINENTALS

The Continentals 1994 World Tour, featuring a concert of contemporary Christian music, will make a stop at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia, at 7 p.m. Sunday, July 24. Featuring more than 35 cast members, including vocalists, instrumentalists, dramatists and technicians, the Continentals will present the award-winning musical "Dreamer." After the performance, young people in the audience will have the opportunity to audition for upcoming tours. For more information, call (313) 422-1150.

CREATION CELEBRATION

The Christian Education Department of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church presents "Living in God's Creation" featuring songs, stories, crafts and lunch from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 27, in Livonia's Rotary Park on Six Mile Road between Farmington and Merriman roads. The program is aimed at children aged pre-kindergarten through the sixth grades.

Permission slips, pre-registration and more details are available at the church, 26701 Joy Road, between Beech Daly and Inkster roads, or by calling (313) 274-3820 between 9 a.m. and noon weekdays.

STUDENT UNION

The Student Union Youth Group of Covenant Community Church of Redford will join more than 15,000 teens in Washington, D.C., for a youth conference Wednesday through Sunday, July 27-31.

Responsibility: Rights' dance partner



REV. ROBERT SCHADEN

people in it with another set of eyes, more importantly with another kind of heart.

We like to pride ourselves on the sophistication with which we supposedly approach our world and its problems. We have an opinion on almost everything and everybody. We can judge the worth of a person with more speed and supposed accuracy than Solomon was capable of achieving. Be it politicians, sports and entertainment celebrities, relatives and

even our next door neighbor, we have a judgment.

We fill the talk show waves with a solution to every problem under the sun, except the ones for which we knowingly or unknowingly act as midwives, if not as birth mothers.

Forrest Gump is too simple for our kind of sophistication. Oh, he does not buy all behaviors; not at all, but neither does he judge people. He is not nearly as concerned about what he has a right to as he is with the right thing to do. How absolutely refreshing!

To be against rights is to be against freedom. As that is tantamount to treason, I will not denigrate the sacredness of freedom. It has been said, however, that freedom unbridled from responsibility becomes license. History demonstrates quite definitively that license in turn leads to slavery. If this is true, then we would do far more for freedom by concentrating as much on the right thing to do, or even better as Aristotle

would suggest the right kind of person to be, than what we have a right to do or have done for us.

That human beings have rights is rather basic in the philosophy to which most of us subscribe, but rights, even God-given, are forever in jeopardy where right is ignored or pushed out to pasture to make room for political correctness.

Sophisticated people are always asking questions, more often than not in prosecutorial fashion. However, all too often they are the wrong questions, because they are asked in frameworks too narrow for the wider picture of reality.

Reality will forever be colored as much by our understanding of responsibility as by our insistence on rights. Responsibility does not deny rights, but it does attempt to focus on right.

Yes, we all have rights. Women have rights in regard to their bodies; parents have rights in regard to their children. Sick and pained people have rights to dignity. Students and teachers alike have

rights. But where do any of these rights go when looked at in isolation? What happens to the rights of any one person or group of people when any other one person or group of people forget about what is right because they are myopically focused on their rights as if they existed in a vacuum?

Forrest Gump is not a picture of sophistication, but then perhaps he is. It may still be true that unless we can view the world as a child we will continue to lose sight of the larger reality, a reality in which responsibility becomes the dancing partner of this thing called rights, when the right kind of person is as sacred as the person's rights.

The Rev. Robert Schaden is with Neuman House on the campus of Schoolcraft College in Livonia. If you have a question or comment, call him at 953-2047, mailbox number 1876, on a touch-tone phone.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Items for this calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

CHRIST THE KING

Children in preschool through the sixth grade are invited to attend a vacation Bible school 9:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. July 25-29 at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 9300 Farmington Road, Livonia. Pre-registration is requested. For more information, call (313) 261-2077.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Garden City Church of Christ, 1657 Middlebelt, Garden City, will hold its all-ages vacation Bible school from 7:30-9 p.m. Aug. 1-5 at the church. The theme is "His Banner Over Us Is Love." For more information, call (313) 422-8660.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth will hold its vacation Bible school 9:30 a.m. to noon Aug. 1-5 at the church, 701 Church St. The program, which costs \$5, is for children who have completed kindergarten through sixth grade. For more information, call (313) 453-6464.

BEREAN BAPTIST

Berean Baptist Church will have a vacation Bible school, "Outback Odyssey," for youngsters age 5 through the sixth grade 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Aug. 1-5 at the church, 38303 Eight Mile, Livonia. For more information, call 477-6365.

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church is offering vacation Bible school from 9 a.m. to noon Aug. 8-12 at the church, 14175 Farmington Road, north of I-96, Livonia. The class, open to children ages 4 through seventh grade, stresses a back-to-basics approach to Christian living. For more information, call (313) 522-6830.

COVENANT COMMUNITY

Covenant Community Church will have a family vacation Bible school 7-8:30 p.m. Aug. 8-12 at the church, Beech Daly and Student Street in Redford. The school will offer a weeklong opportunity for families to discover biblical truths about the "home" people have in Jesus. Activities include singing, games, crafts and an ice cream social. For more information, call 535-3100.

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Writer is gentle woman wanting smooth relationships

GRAPHOLOGY PROFILES



LORENE GREEN

Dear Ms. Green,
I read your column every week and enjoy your insightful comments. I am very interested in having you analyze my handwriting.
I am 48 years old and, truthfully, my handwriting has not changed much over the years. That should tell you something about me!
Thank you.

C.R., Canton

If her handwriting has not

changed much over the years, you can assume her personality has not made many significant changes either.

This handwriting is very legible and tells us she wants to communicate with others in a forthright manner.

She is a gentle woman. Her personality is characterized by compassion and empathy. A preponderance of garland connections between her letters and word endings tell us she wants to please others and have smooth relationships. Usually, she is flexible and will adapt to her surroundings. There is a need here for harmony as well as privacy.

Friction can be unsettling to her, so she often tries to placate or pacify those around her. She is inclined to tell people what they wish to hear. However, when things do not go well for her, she can be a tad defiant.

The center placement of her signature reinforces her desire to be a team player. The family name is larger than her given name suggesting that person looms large in her mind, for whatever reason.

People and social activities are sources of enjoyment for this woman. She is busy and active and has a strong desire to make an imposing appearance.

She is cognizant of what is considered proper behavior by those people who are most meaningful in her life. And she can be counted on to monitor her behavior to meet those standards.

Some repression is seen here. Perhaps she has been under the influence of someone with a rather dominant personality, but may now be feeling a need to assert herself.

Self-consciousness is also here. She appears to have a dread of being judged, so the next statement may sound paradoxical, but she also has a need for the limelight.

This is a practical woman. Material considerations appear to hold a greater interest than abstract matters.

Our writer is self-motivated. She is willing to assume responsibility. Time is used wisely and efficiently. She is more of a doer than a long-range planner. Determination and willpower are evident here. On occasion, however, a relaxed, possibly lazy streak may creep in.

I read your column every week and enjoy your insightful comments. I am very interested in having you analyze my handwriting.

There is a rhythmic pattern to her writing. This would be an asset, helping her perform tasks smoothly. It would also make her a good dancer.

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, signature and handedness are all helpful and objective feedback is always welcome.

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Fanella Felton



Melissa Cole



Anica Felton

2 teens earn Gold Award, adult scout gets Honor Pin

Two local teens have been awarded Girl Scouting's highest award, the Gold Award.

The Gold Award, the highest achievement a Senior Scout can receive, was presented to Melissa Cole of Livonia and Anica Felton of Redford during the Michigan Metro Girl Scout Council's volunteer recognition reception, held in Detroit recently. Only 10 Scouts from the MMGSC received the award this year.

To earn this award, girls must learn about themselves, explore careers, build on their talents and skills, develop leadership and conduct a service project in the community. The Gold Award reflects a personal dedication and commitment to oneself and the

community and provides a foundation for future growth and achievement.

Cole, a member of Girl Scout Troop 248 in Livonia, planned and carried out a three-hour father-daughter road rally as her service project. The rally allowed fathers and daughters time together and let them work as a team while experiencing Girl Scouting.

Felton developed and executed a lesson plan for teaching the French language to children on the kindergarten level to earn her award. At the conclusion of the program, the children demonstrated the French they had learned at the kindergarten graduation.

The 17-year-old is a member of the Senior Girl Scout Troop 227 in Detroit.

Felton's mother Fanella also was honored. She was awarded with the Girl Scout Honor Pin, presented to individuals who have shown outstanding service above and beyond the expectations of the positions held. MMGSC President Gloria Lara and Executive Director Penny Baier presented the award.

MMGSC, the fourth largest council in the United States, provides leadership, cultural and personal development opportunities for more than 31,000 girls in Wayne and southern Oakland counties.

'Thinking About College' helps back-to-schoolers

By BARBARA WILSON
STAFF WRITER

For those with a quiet voice in their head whispering "go back to school," a program is available to help look at all aspects of the decision.

The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College sponsors an event called "Thinking About College?" to help men and women through the maze of decisions that must be made when going back to school. The one-day session will be offered Aug. 3 in Livonia and Aug. 4 at the Radcliff Center, the Garden City campus of the school.

"In nearly all cases, something has prompted the person to move in this direction," said Nancy Swanborg, director of the Women's Resource Center. "Some do have a degree and a career, and they're looking for a job upgrade or just a change."

Sponsored in part by the Zonta Club, Northwest Wayne, "Thinking About College?" was first offered 1985 and is presented before each semester at Schoolcraft.

The day starts out with an ice-breaker so participants can meet with representatives from the various student services departments, such as admissions, financial aid, learning assistance and career planning and placement.

Topics will answer questions that the older student may have like how to get started and afford

college and keeping up with younger students. Faculty representatives will come from the areas of business, computer, science, child care development, fine arts, liberal arts, health care, technical fields and academic options.

"After lunch we have a re-entry panel with people who have successfully returned to college," Swanborg said. "Participants find this very helpful because they can ask questions about the positive as well as the negative aspects of returning to school."

According to some returning students, the experience has been a positive one for the family as well as themselves. Swanborg said the kids are sometimes more interested in studying, if they see mom or dad sitting down to study as well.

"The panel is really a welcome exchange of thoughts and feelings," she said. "Some families might be supportive at first and then they may complain about not always having dinner on time. But these panelists show that you can live through the difficult times and be better off for it."

Mini-workshop sessions are also available in the afternoon for participants to explore different career options. Deciding what you want to be when you grow up can be the most difficult decision of all for those re-entering college life, Swanborg said.

About 40 people usually attend the sessions, and Swanborg estimates half sign up for classes right away. Others might apply for a later semester, but they don't do long-term tracking of participants.

The session in Livonia begins at 9 a.m. and continues until 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 3, in Room LA 200 of the college's Liberal Arts Building 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six Mile and Seven Mile roads, Livonia. The cost is \$5, including lunch.

The Thursday, Aug. 4, session will be 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (check-in at 8:45 a.m.) at the Radcliff Center, 1751 Radcliff, south of Ford Road, Garden City. The fee will be \$2.50.

To register, stop by the Women's Resource Center on the Livonia campus. For more information, call 462-4443.

Car show benefits Hospice

Classic cars and street rods will take over the parking lot of the Kmart store in Canton Saturday, July 23, as part of a benefit for Hospice Services of Western Wayne County Inc.

The second annual Classic Car and Street Rod Charity Show will be 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the store, Ford at Sheldon. Classic cars, trucks and street rods will be displayed and judged throughout the day, with 60 class prizes to be awarded.

Radio personality "Boogie Brian" from Oldies Radio WHND-AM will be broadcasting live from the car show.

"We are accepting reservations to display cars right up to the start of the show," said Diane O'Hara, representing the Canton Kmart. "We are planning quite a special day. In addition to Boogie Brian broadcasting live, we will have some terrific entertainment, door prizes, bake sale and all the merchants in the plaza will have sidewalk sales."

"We're so pleased that Kmart manager Chuck Wagner and his store associates are interested in helping Hospice Services," said Maureen Butrico, executive director for Hospice Services. "While they will award many prizes to the show participants, the real winners are the patients and families which we serve. Proceeds from the show will go directly to help our patients and families."

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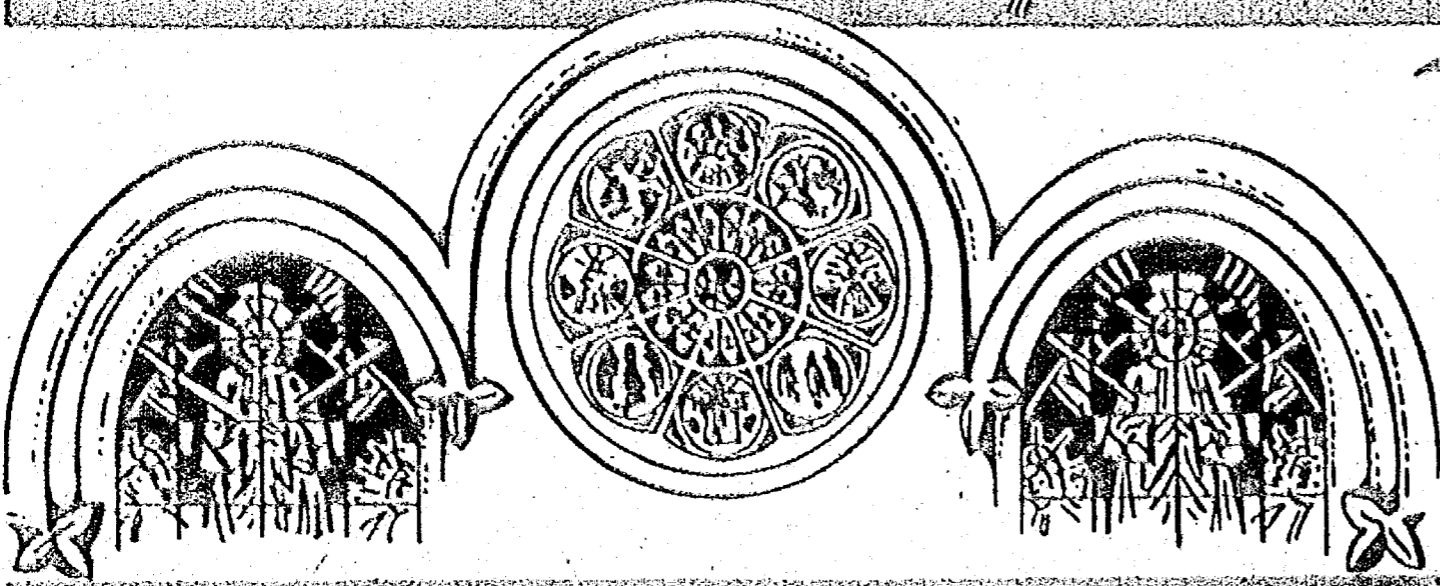
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ENGAGEMENTS

Wendel-Woodward

Howard and Patricia Wendel of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Wendy, to Mark Woodward, son of Pamela Woodward of Farmington Hills and Kevin Woodward of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Stevenson High School and Madonna University. She is employed by a dental office in Farmington Hills.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School.



He is employed at a computer company in Southfield. An August 1995 wedding is planned.

Judnich-Carozza

Bob and Ellen Judnich of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Jill, to Raymond Carozza, son of Virginia Carozza of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Churchill High School and Michigan State University. She is employed by DADCO as an inside sales manager.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Bishop Borgess High School and the University of Michigan. He is employed by NALCO as a sales representative.

A September wedding is planned in St. Mary's of Orchard Lake Church.



Barnes-Miller

Dan and Sue Barnes of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Susan, to Kenneth Robert Miller, son of Robert and Theresa Miller of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Central Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree in business administration. She is employed by Governor Computer Products as a customer service representative.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Central Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree in business administration. He is employed by Ford Motor Co. as a computer automation specialist.

An October wedding is planned in St. Edith Catholic Church.



Smithson-Hauk

Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Smithson of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Ann, to Ross Michael Hauk, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hauk of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Glenn High School in Westland. She is currently employed at Allmond Associates and attends Schoolcraft College.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and is currently employed at Century 21.

A September wedding is planned at St. Michael Luthern Church.



O'Neill-Sieira

Tiffany Dionne Sieira and Shawn Donald O'Neill were married May 21 in Faith Community Church in Novi by the Rev. Richard J. Henderson. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kazakos of Novi and Antonio Sieira of Livonia and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald O'Neill of Livonia.

The bride attended Novi High School and graduated from Stevenson High School. She is employed by Child Development in Livonia.

The groom is a graduate of Redford Union High School and is employed by International Industrial Contracting in Sterling Heights.

Mother of the bride Lucy Kazakos served as matron of honor with bridesmaids Brenda Foster, Lisa Wismueller, Ann Braunschiedel, Erin Hayes, Angela Dinsler and Kelly Bullock. Ali and Dani Kazakos served as junior



bridesmaids. Jack Parker served as best man with groomsmen Hugh Hayes, Rob King, Mark Hayes, James Nawnowoff and Tony Sieira.

The couple received guests at the Hotel Barronette in Novi before leaving on a Caribbean cruise. They are making their home in Novi.

Szymanski-Klimkiewicz

Debora Joan Klimkiewicz and Thomas Joseph Szymanski were married July 31, 1993, in St. Edith Catholic Church, Livonia. She is the daughter of Thomas and Joan Klimkiewicz of Livonia and he is the son of Thomas and Patricia Szymanski of Garden City.

The bride is a graduate of Churchill High School and Wayne State University with a bachelor of fine arts degree. She is employed by Donna Sacs of Farmington Hills.

The groom is a graduate of Garden City High School. He is employed by E & E Manufacturing of Plymouth as a quality engineer.

Kay Swenders, Lisa Segedi and Desiree Fischetti served as maids of honor with bridesmaids Patty Szymanski, Sharon Klimkiewicz



and Tricia Segedi. Marquel Sautural served as junior bridesmaid. Donnie Swinson, Eddie Dimaguila and Mike Nolan served as best men with groomsmen Dave Hutchinson, Thomas Klimkiewicz and Richard Klimkiewicz. David Arthusian was junior

groomsman. The couple received guests at St. Michael's Greek Orthodox Church Hall before leaving on a trip to Naples, Fla.

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reading program, Barker said.

But even with its limited hours, it still has made money — \$50-100 a month — although there is still plenty of fine-tuning to be done. At present, decisions are being made as to what to order in quantity, Barker said.

She also hopes that with the addition of more trained volunteers this fall, the shop will be able to expand its hours and set up a schedule to which library patrons will become accustomed.

The Livonia gift shop has developed a regular clientele and attracts newcomers who show up for meetings or the monthly concerts in the atrium.

The Livonia shop is popular with storytellers because of the choice of books and toys they can use for their storytelling. One even bought five brightly colored saashes to sew on a jacket she wears for storytelling.

"We had a lot of worries to start, but it's worked out nicely," Pinto said. "We get some fasci-

nating customers from the library, and we have our regular customers and our newcomers.

"We've had customers say, 'This is great; I can do so much (shopping) without moving too far.'"

The hardest job, the two women admit, is deciding on reorders. Sometimes some things sell well to start then die out; other times items sell so well the women wish they had ordered more, like the 25-cent worry dolls.

In addition to Canton, the success of the shop has caught the eye of other libraries. After checking into its operations, similar endeavors have been started in Rochester and Grand Rapids.

"We really did think there'd be a market, and it's turned out that there is," Bennett said.

"These are a thing of the future," added Barker. "There seemed to be a need for it. I think they happened because people would come to the library and need 3-by-5 cards and pencils and

WEDDINGS

Mykols-Fleming

Mr. and Mrs. R. Craig Fleming of Plymouth announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Lynn, to David Thomas Mykols of Plymouth, the son of Dennis Mykols of Grand Haven and Diana Mykols of Canton.

The bride is a graduate of Western Michigan University where she received a degree in elementary education.

The groom is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University where he received a degree in finance. He is currently a stockbroker at Roney and Company in Plymouth.

Nancy Paige served as maid of honor with Jill Wargin and Jennifer Stephens as bridesmaids.

Daniel Mykols served as best man with Donald Mykols and Mark Stephens as groomsmen. Ushers were Scott LaPointe and Andrew Wheeler.



The couple received guests at Ernesto's Country Inn in Plymouth before leaving on a boating trip up north. They are making their home in downtown Plymouth.

Stanley-Murphy

Gerie Sue Murphy and Donald Tolliver Stanley were married May 20 in Westland City Hall. She is the daughter of Patrick and Mary Murphy of Westland; he is the son of Jesslyn Taylor of Tennessee.

The bride is a graduate of Wayne High School.

The groom is a graduate of Romulus High School. He is employed by Davison Textron.

Jill Murphy served as maid of honor, while John Taylor was best man.

The couple received guests at Local 262 in Livonia before leaving on a trip to Tennessee. They are making their home in Westland.



Howard-Lambert

Karen Sue Lambert of Westland and Richard Shawn Howard of Westland were married July 2 in The Little Wedding Chapel, Farmington Hills, by the Rev. Shari L. Johnson.

The bride is a graduate of

Romulus High School and is employed by Allstate Insurance Co.

The groom is a graduate of Wayne High School and is employed by Ford Motor Co.

Cindi Chambers served as maid of honor and Michael Howard served as best man.

The couple received guests at the Chalet of Farmington Hills.

Advertisement for Easter Seals '94 featuring a rabbit and the slogan 'Give Ability A Chance.'

Main body of the Libraries article, including quotes from staff and details about the gift shop.

Continuation of the Libraries article, mentioning the Library Gift Shop and its hours.

Advertisement for 'Retired Figurine Exchange' featuring 'Christmas in July' and 'Possible Dreams' with various discounts.

Large advertisement for 'WICKER WORKS' featuring a '30th Anniversary Sale' with 50% to 80% off on various furniture items.

Advertisement for 'MEETING TOMORROW'S CHALLENGES TODAY' featuring the Navy Full Speed Ahead program.

Advertisement for 'Sunsational Savings!' by Home Door Products, offering discounts on entry doors, garage doors, and door openers.

Fash Bash celebrates 25th birthday

A unique combination of models, dancers and musicians will take the stage at the Fox Theatre for the 25th annual Fash Bash, a benefit for the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Hosted by J.L. Hudson's and the DIA's Founders Junior Council, Fash Bash will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 3. The silver anniversary will be celebrated with the same level of high energy and surprise that have made the event grow from a small fashion show in 1969 to the fund-raising powerhouse and "must-be-seen-at" event that it is today.

With the goal of raising more than \$300,000 to fund Detroit Institute of Arts programs and acquisitions, Fash Bash takes over the State and Fox Theatres in the Theatre District beginning at 5 p.m. with two pre-parties to get things moving.

At the State Theatre, \$100 and \$150 ticket holders will enjoy a strolling buffet, with hors d'oeuvres from more than 20 of the area's best restaurants. At

6:30 p.m., the live auction by Du-Mouchelle's begins with nearly 60 one-of-a-kind packages.

Highlights of this year's auction include two-year leases of a Ford Windstar and Probe; cruises aboard Royal Viking Line; getaways to Hawaii, the Sundance Film Festival, Germany, America's Cup and Portugal and tickets to a taping of the hit comedy show "Home Improvement."

At the Fox Theatre, the doors open at 6:30 p.m. for a pre-show reception, complete with entertainment and a cash bar.

At 8 p.m., Hudson's takes over the Fox with a dynamic fashion extravaganza. Always an energetic production, this theatrical event intertwines unique dance performance with the latest in fall fashion trends.

Myron Johnson, artistic director for the professional dance theater company Ballet of the Dolls, has creatively choreographed the six-segment show. Two talented musical groups will join his ballet

troupe in providing the fall fashion presentation with its theatrical appeal -- Savage Aural Hothead, a stimulating percussion group from Minneapolis, Minn., and The House Jacks, an award-winning northern California-based cappella sextet.

The fun continues at the State and Fox Theatres with After Bash parties scheduled at both venues for ticket holders. New this year is a silent auction at the State Theatre, complete with more than 40 incredible packages.

Fash Bash '94 celebrates 25 years of community involvement with the arts. The event began as a small benefit for the Detroit Institute of Arts in 1969. It was hosted by the Founders Junior Council, a young auxiliary of the DIA, and enlisted the support of local retailers who provided stylish outfits for modeling.

In addition to Fash Bash, FJC hosts educational and entertaining previews of exhibitions, behind-the-scenes tours of the DIA, one-of-a-kind trips to museums

and private collections in the United States, the popular 'YGIF' series to introduce new people to the DIA and visits to local artists' studios.

A new ticket designation for this year's Fash Bash is the \$150 gold patron level which offers all the perks of the \$100 ticket plus recognition in the program, the best seats for the fashion show, reserved seats with concierge service at the patron party and a special gift.

Other tickets are \$100 which includes the patron party and auction at the State Theatre, valet parking, seats in the Fox Theatre for the fashion show and the After Bash at the State and Fox Theatres.

The \$35 tickets include main floor and mezzanine seating at the Fox and the After Bash. The \$25 sponsor tickets include balcony seating at the Fox and the After Bash. For tickets, contact TicketMaster outlets or the DIA ticket office at (313) 833-2323.

ANNIVERSARIES

Hyland

Friends and family, including seven of their eight sisters, gathered July 3 to honor Bernard and Mary Hyland of Venice, Fla., formerly of Livonia.

The Hylands are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. They exchanged vows on July 1, 1944, at St. Cecilia Church in Detroit. She is the former Mary E. Jones.

Both retired for five years, the couple have five children -- Maureen Olschanski of Novi, Mark of Plymouth, Dennis of Cathedral City, Calif., Bernard of Canton and Brian of Morgan Hill, Calif. They also have 16 grandchildren.



Murphy

Mike and Evelyn Murphy of Northville, formerly of Livonia, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary at a surprise party given by their children.

The couple exchanged vows on May 1, 1954, at St. Francis De Sales Church in Detroit, followed by a honeymoon trip through Virginia. She is the former Evelyn Down.

Thirty-year residents of Livonia, they have six children -- Mike of Dearborn, Tim of Hollywood, Fla., Shawn Lewis of Lincoln Park, Kevin of Novi, Tom of Hartland and Allison Johnson of Livonia. They also have nine grandchildren.

He is an electrical engineer with the Ford Motor Company in



Dearborn and sings in the choir at Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville.

Family room from page 1C

A move outside

We tried cleaning things up quietly, in the 3:30 a.m. dark, with Joe and Jack's diaper wipes. I couldn't see how successful we had been in cleaning up, so I suggested that she and I go in the van and try resting in there until the sun came up.

Just as the sun rose, so did baby Jack. Ron, my husband, brought the baby to the van window so that I could see his hungry little face. I opened the door, gave my brief explanation and then took Jack from him. The baby wanted breakfast and I am his restaurant. So there I was nursing

baby Jack in the van in the wilds of the Yogi Bear campground with a daughter recovering from a goodly overdose in the backseat and I planning the breakfast I would be making for the two families when, suddenly, the rain began.

I would not be outdone by any of this. Anna, I knew, wouldn't be outdone by it either, if she were in my shoes. My shoes -- there they were still very soggy from when I jumped into the little wading pool to rescue a face down, floating Joe the night before. Anyway, if Anna, my fly to the moon, afraid of nothing and no one friend would not

be daunted by similar circumstances, then neither would I.

So after feeding Jack, I put him back in his little portable crib inside the dry tent, then came out into the rain and got about the business of making pancakes and bacon and coffee in the rain. It really wasn't too bad because Anna's green plastic tarp was tied to some trees and underneath it was our picnic table.

So you see, we were dry. And so we were happy. Well, I was happy. The others seemed a bit grumpy. They really shouldn't have been, because I could see the sky get-

ting brighter as each minute passed. Anna couldn't see it... she wasn't looking hard enough.

Karen Meier delves into where to find a fruit stand shaped like a giant cherry, how to prevent a tent from billowing and when is a good time to say "when" next week in Part Two of "Anna of Green Tarp." Meantime, if you have a question or comment for Karen Meier, call her at 953-2047, mailbox number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48160.

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THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1994

BOOK BREAK



VICTORIA DAY

On a beautiful day, a dark saga emerges

I am writing a mystery novel. This is so strange and unexpected for me that, any minute now, the world will surely come to an end.

While I often read mysteries and enjoy many of them, they always remind me of one of my most abiding blind spots: I am utterly helpless when it comes to solving literary crime. In fact, in all the whodunits I've come across in my life, I can remember being able to ferret out the villain only once. And maybe that doesn't even count, since it wasn't really a book I was reading, but a play I was watching (Agatha Christie's "The Mousetrap").

So, why write a mystery novel? If I can't take a crime apart, can I put one together?

Search me.

All I know is that an idea for a book tumbled out of the sky one day last spring, and fell at my feet. And, for whatever reason it was in the form of a mystery.

Grubbing around in the dark, damp earth of a backyard rose garden that day, I was fantasizing about impossible flowers that would surely flourish there in the coming weeks. My neighbor next door was planting a tree. The sun was shining. A bird sang. Some butterflies made an appearance. (I am not making this up.) Disney and Technicolor could not have done a better job on the bright and beautiful day.

And then suddenly, mayhem moved in - not real mayhem, but the thought of it. There, in my head, a scene: A woman coming home to an unlit apartment at the end of a long work day, suddenly attacked and brutally assaulted by someone she can't see.

Waiting for her. There. In the dark.

I had no idea at all where the image came from. (Keep in mind that this was weeks before the O.J. Simpson case.) At first, I didn't really pay much attention to it. In itself, there was nothing especially original about it. Crazy ideas, seemingly appropos of nothing, pop up in my head all the time, disappear, and never return.

But then, some characters I'd never met began to nuzzle their way into the gray periphery of my thoughts. Before I know it, somebody (me?) had put words into their mouths. I imagined them in an apartment, a schoolroom, a hospital corridor, a bar. They appeared to belong in an old, historic city I had once known very well, but haven't seen for years now. I imagined them strolling the streets of that city. I saw one of them hiding some place. I saw another running from something.

What if... I thought. And then what if... And then what if... And, finally, what if...

Eventually, I had a beginning, an end, and something in the middle, a few bits of dialogue, a scene or two (faintly drawn), and characters who wouldn't go away and leave me alone. It would appear the game was afoot.

But a skeletal structure does not make a novel. How best to cover the bones, and flesh out the story?

There is no secret recipe for writing the successful who-dunit, of course. And, even if there were, it occurred to me one wifful day that it would guarantee nothing - the difference between the recipe for the pie, and the pie itself being rather considerable.

Still, I examine a lot of "recipes."

Make an outline, or you're done for, some say.

Don't make an outline - you'll lose your spontaneity, others advise.

In a mystery, the plot's the thing.

In a mystery, start with characters.

An amateur sleuth is your best bet.

An amateur sleuth is not your best bet.

Go with the first-person viewpoint - always.

Go with the third-person viewpoint - always.

Go with multiple viewpoints - sometimes.

Oh my.

Also, I sample a lot of finished products. This probably helps more than I realize, but much of what I read is so well-crafted that I'm left feeling even more inadequate than when I started.

Julie Smith's "The Axeman's Jazz" almost did me in.

In the end, I am left with the writing, of course. No getting around it. John Steinbeck once said that the only way to write a good short story is to write a good short story.

I'm sure the same is true of writing a good

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LOOKING AHEAD

What to look for in Creative Living next week:

- Learn about the fine art of the animated film industry in a visit to the Animation Station in Plymouth.
- Native West hosts an indoor American Indian art festival in Plymouth.
- Exhibitions, art gallery listings.



Whittling whimsy: Roy Sipes of Westland carves everything from comical cowboys and dogs to vultures in wood.

Wood sculpture carves out fun



Whittle away the hours Aug. 6-7 at a Livonia wood carving show that's fun for the whole family.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

Listen long enough to a gathering of wood carvers conversing and you're bound to notice how the words fun and sharing keep popping up again and again. The camaraderie is apparently contagious.

The Livonia Arts Commission has joined with the Livonia Civic Center and Noble libraries to provide a taste of the artworks that will be on hand at the 20th annual Livonia Wood Carvers Club Show Aug. 6-7 at Eddie Edgar Sports Arena, 33841 Lyndon at Farmington Road, in Livonia.

Through July 29 showcases in both libraries feature the handiwork of a handful of the club's 170 members as a preview to the upcoming wood carving extravaganza

sponsored by the Livonia Parks and Recreation Department. More than 100 exhibitors from eight states and Canada will display wildlife, birds, animals, human figures, miniatures, marquetry and relief from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 6 and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 7.

Admission is \$1 per person, or \$2 for a family. A paid admission entitles visitors the chance to win their choice of carvings or tools in drawings to be held hourly throughout the show.

"The show's purpose is to promote the art of wood carving so that we can spread the interest and joy and creativity to others," said Pat Lea, Livonia Wood Carvers Club president.

Lea will exhibit miniatures in

See SCULPTURE, 4D



Team sport: Ernest Pfosch, a member of the Livonia Wood Carvers Club, hand crafted this World Cup Soccer player. Camaraderie plays an important role in the art of wood carving.

Birthday bash draws on creativity

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
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When Rosemary Abraham was planning her 9-year-old daughter Megan's birthday party a few weeks back, she looked for something different in the way of entertainment.

For previous celebrations, the Plymouth Township mother of two had hired clowns and cowboys or revolved activities around train rides and backyard carnivals. Abraham was running out of ideas fast when

she saw a flyer listing art classes for children at the Michigan Art Exchange in downtown Plymouth. The artist's cooperative gallery, which opened in February, offers an array of arts related services. They sent out one of their instructors and the party was on its way.

"The kids really enjoyed it. They were real engaged and it was a learning experience. My daughter Megan thought it was wonderful,"

said Abraham.

Nearly 20 children ages 9 to 12 attended the gala birthday event with award winning artist, Andrea DeZell. The Plymouth Township resident, best known for her realistic oil paintings, entertained the young party guests with a lesson on drawing faces. Parents were invited to stay and participate.

After setting up her easel under a huge weeping willow tree in

Abraham's backyard, DeZell instructed the budding artists in the proper placement of features like eyes. But first she had them turn and face the person next to them.

"You have to do something to interest both the boys and girls, so they did each other's portraits. It was extremely creative. When they were all done we had the birthday

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Arthead features vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Write: Arthead, Creative Living, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

■ EXTENDED DEADLINE
The new deadline for our High Hopes Sunflower Contest is Thursday, Sept. 1. Watch for details in the July 28 Garden Spot column.

■ WEARABLE ART
Looking for a gift for your favorite gardener or cat lover? Check out the new T-shirts bearing the art of Norma McQueen at The Art Gallery in Garden City.

Art Beat

McQueen transfers her watercolor and acrylic paintings of flowers, vegetables and cats to the shirts priced at \$18 each.

The Art Gallery is at 30116 Ford Road in Sheridan Square. Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday. For more information call McQueen at (313) 261-0379.

■ SCULPTOR DISPLAYS WARNINGS
Randall Lentz of Redford Township recently ex-

hibited three large-scale sculptures in the "Good Art Show" curated by Therese Swann at the Michigan Gallery in Detroit.

The primitive-looking works, crafted of found objects, primarily wood scraps, the powerful figures haunt and taunt the viewer with their towering presence. Capable of sending shivers up the spines of onlookers, the strange beings feature skull-like heads, metal rib cages, and tails.

The sculptures were originally exhibited in Lentz's one-man show, "The Raps of the Future: Dark Warriors in the New World Order" at Nelson's Gallery in Livonia last year. In March, Lentz won Best of Sculpture, including a \$250 cash prize, at the Seacab Club's all-media Silver Medal Exhibition in Detroit.

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Artsy Alternative:
Rosemary Abraham held an artsy party to celebrate daughter Megan's ninth birthday in the backyard of their Plymouth Township home.



girl choose the winner," said DeZell. "The parents as well as the children got right down on the grass and the parents had fun, too."

If the crowd had been younger, DeZell said, the game plan would have called for drawing animals from simple shapes like circles, squares and ovals.

For the second half of the party, DeZell provided separate palettes, brushes and water-based paints for the children to decorate themselves and each other. As the creative juices began to flow, panda bears popped up in strange places.

"Kids will get very bored, so we did two separate activities. One boy painted a green snake that coiled around his entire arm."

Total time spent drawing and painting at the party was less than two hours. Any longer amount, DeZell said, risked a loss of the children's attention.

When the cost of a clown's services for a party could run as high as \$100, the artsy birthday party was a bargain at just under \$60. Dezell supplied all of the art materials. All Abraham had to do was retrieve a roll of paper towels from the kitchen to mop up the

'You have to do something to liven up both the boys and girls, so they did each other's portraits. It was extremely creative.'

Andrea DeZell

splashes and splatters of paint.

If entertaining guests with activities like drawing and painting isn't your cup of tea, the Michigan Art Exchange offers artists/teachers demonstrating a variety of mediums that include jewelry making, sculpture, basket weaving, paper collage, the Japanese art of Oshabana using natural fibers to create framed artworks, and a chalk walk where students design murals on a sidewalk. A photo is then taken and transferred to a frame or T-shirt.

"We have 15 different artists we can send out to 15 different locations," said MAE co-owner, Frank Kuzak of Plymouth.

For information on the artsy birthday party, call the Michigan Art Exchange at (313) 459-1906.

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mystery novel. It certainly feels lonely, though, and especially for a writer who is used to "writing short," the road to novel completion looks mighty long at this point. But what can I do? I'm committed to this thing. After all, how often do book ideas fall from the sky, and land in my own backyard?

Victoria Diaz of Livonia, a longtime member of Detroit Women Writers, tracks the books and literary industry for the Observer and Eccentric Newspapers. She says she "has a lifelong interest in

reading, everything from great novels to cereal boxes." You can leave a message for her on a Touch-Tone phone by dialing 953-2047, then her mailbox number, 1854.

CLARIFICATION

Pictured in the photo for the Art in the Park story in last Thursday's Creative Living section was Livonia crafter Cathy LaCroix, not Laurel Ralsanen.

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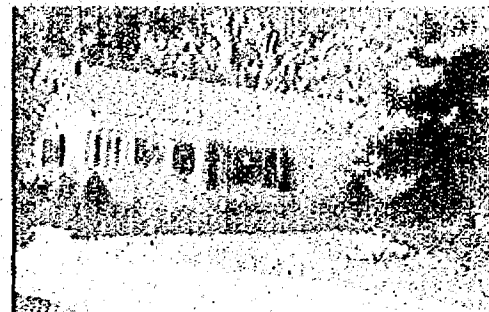
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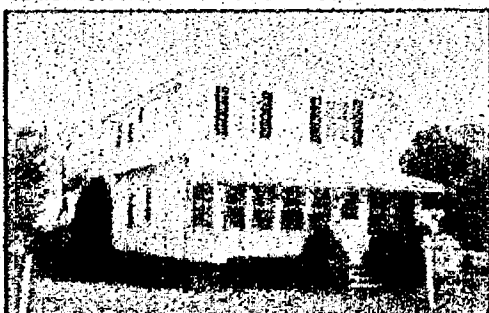
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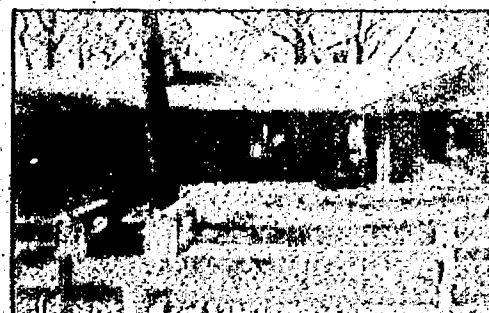
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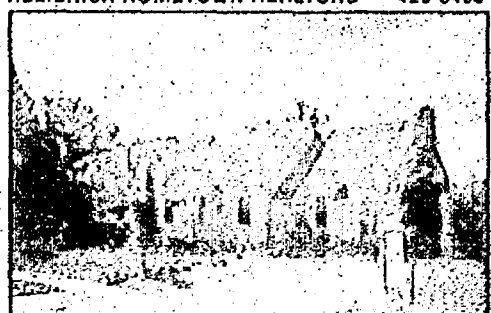
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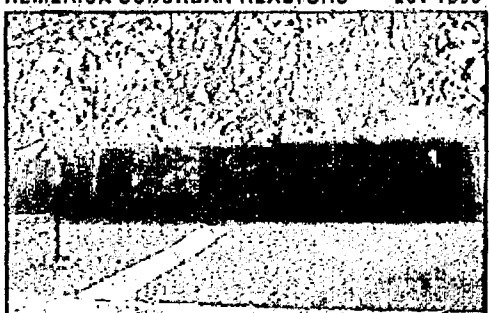
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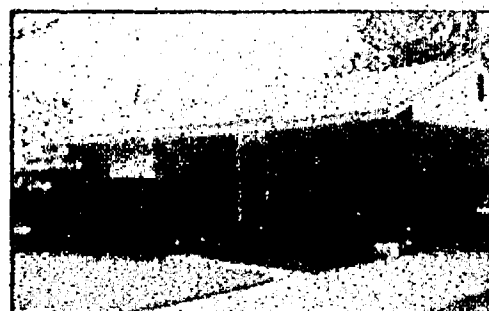
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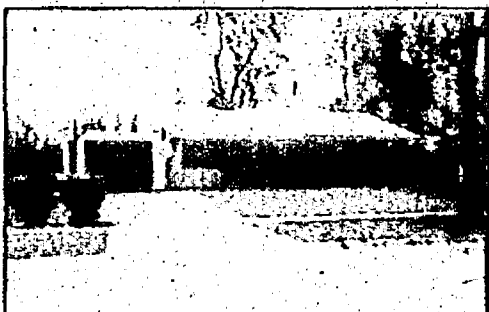
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cluding what's left of the 101 dal-matians she carved in 1992.

"There's a lot to see. Chain saw artist, Al Herou will be carving outside. He starts from a bare log. Last year, he carved a bear, a standing jack rabbit and an owl," said Lea of Livonia. "There'll also be a miniature carousel that really works playing music 15 minutes out of the hour."

A common misconception when people hear the term wood carving is to think ducks, decoys that is. But the sculpture on display in the show is art. Carvers will compete in 47 categories for First, Second and Third Place ribbons.

"There's a lot of very fine carvers, a lot of award winning carvers, including a champion

wood burner, gathered under one roof," said Lea.

In addition to exhibitors, the largest wood carving show in Michigan offers books, videos, carving tools, knives, and blanks or starters as well as different species of woods for beginning as well as experienced carvers.

Roy Sipes started carving 20 years ago after attending a wood carving show. What attraction does the time-honored craft hold for the Westland resident who retired from teaching art in the Livonia Public Schools three years ago?

"It's inexpensive. There are friendly people that are very helpful, and you don't need previous art experience. In fact, you don't

need to know anything about art," said Sipes.

"We're a social group," added club secretary, Pat Howell of Livonia. "We're not strictly competition."

Founded in 1975, the Livonia Wood Carvers Club boasts members of all ages and occupations. Weekly workshops on Tuesday evenings and Thursday mornings at the Livonia Senior Citizen Center on Farmington Road and Five Mile draw a lot of families, and retirees. Is there one common trait among people who like to whittle away their spare time in wood?

"We buy a lot of band-aids," quipped Sipes.

Angel workshop to be held

An Angel Workshop with Elaine Ulrich will be held noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 23, at Heart Light, 819 N. Mill, Plymouth.

Ulrich, who has been seeing angels since she was 4 years old, will explain what angels and spirit guides are and why they are here. Discover how you can make contact with your own personal angel. The workshop is \$40.

The Texas resident travels the

country sharing her wisdom and knowledge. Her appearance on Kelly & Company brought hundreds of phone calls. She will be available July 20-22 to draw your angel portrait. The cost is \$75 and requires a 45 minute sitting time.

"Elaine can see your guardian angel. As she's drawing, she shares a little bit about what's going on," said Heart Light co-owner, Tillie Van Sickle.

"She's never had a drawing lesson, but the portraits are just beautiful. When she was drawing mine she said Michelangelo was guiding her hand."

Heart Light is an awareness center/metaphysical shop specializing in New Age books, tapes, crystals, candles and Tarot cards.

To register for workshop and angel portraits call Heart Light at (313) 416-5200.

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JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN MUSEUM/GALLERY
Thursday, July 21 — "A Summer Show" continues through Aug. 18. Reception to meet the artists 6-8:30 p.m. Thursday. The main level gallery features local artists whose works personify the meaning of summer, including paintings by Judith Rogoff, Luda Tcherniak, Sandra Levin and Dodi Sikevitz and a 36-by-60-inch table of handmade and painted tiles by Judge Stephen Cooper depicting a Michigan beach scene. In the upper level gallery is "Stars and Flowers," an exhibit of photo images by Caren Nederlander of Franklin that include her early work — rock "stars" from her private collection of the '70s and '80s — as well as her most recent "flowers" images. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, in the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple at Drake in West Bloomfield, (810) 661-7641.

GALLERY: FUNCTIONART
Friday, July 22 — The works of Mark Haines and Guy Sabrie will be displayed to Aug. 22. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday. "Art from the Fire" is an exhibit of wrought steel furniture that captures the elegance of nature by transforming non-traditional materials. Gallery: FunctionArt is at 23-B W. Lawrence in Pontiac, next to the Lawrence Street Gallery. The entrance is at the rear of the building, accessible from the Pike Street Restaurant's parking lot. Call (810) 333-0333.

PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY GALLERY
Friday, July 22 — The gallery features the local talent of Michigan Glass Guild members displaying blown, fused and flat glass sculpture, decorative and architectural items. Opening reception to meet the artists 5-9 p.m. Friday. Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, noon to 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, by appointment only Tuesday, 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, (810) 332-6610.

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER
Friday, July 22 — Three exhibits

continue through Sept. 16 at 47 Williams in Pontiac. Reception featuring a presentation by the center's performing arts faculty 5-9 p.m. Friday, in conjunction with a Pontiac Gallery Crawl. The exhibits are works by the center's faculty: "Biomorphic Nudes," platinum print photographs by Dennis Collins; and "Falsies, Fairy Tales and Fallacies," work by local sculptress Sara Cummings. Call (810) 333-7849.

VAN HOOSIEN PARK
Saturday-Sunday, July 23-24 — The Pontiac Oakland Society of Artists will have an outdoor art festival under tents in conjunction with the Van Hoosen Museum Family Weekend, in the park on Van Hoosen Road, off Tiengen and one mile east of Rochester Road in Rochester. The Rochester Hills Museum will host a summer juried arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day in and around the Van Hoosen Dairy Barn; admission is \$1 per person, free for ages 5 and under (admission allows visitors to enjoy Van Hoosen Farmhouse tours, musical entertainment and firing demonstrations by costumed Civil War soldiers). Call the museum at (810) 656-4663 for more information.

THE SYBARIS GALLERY
Saturday, July 23 — "Summer Pleasures," a mixed media exhibition featuring works in clay by David Furman and Richard Newman, metal by Hoss Haley and Nancy Koenigsberg and wood by Dennis Elliott and Dan Kvitka, will continue to Aug. 18. Jewelry always available. Opening reception 2-5 p.m. Saturday. Special summer hours 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, closed Aug. 22 to Sept. 9 for summer vacation, 202 E. Third, Royal Oak, (810) 544-3388.

PARK WEST GALLERY
Through July 21 — A show of work by Peter Max, the official artist for the World Cup USA '94 soccer tournament, continues. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, (810) 354-2343.

CENTER GALLERIES
Through July 22 — "The Detroit Show: Objects For and About Detroit" continues. The exhibit is the largest presented by Center Galleries during its five years in the historic Park Shelton Building location. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, at Woodward and Kirby in Detroit, (313) 874-1955.

REVOLUTION: A GALLERY PROJECT
Through July 23 — "Nature," a group exhibit featuring works in all media (including painting, works on paper, ceramics, sculpture, photography and furniture), continues. With art works addressing issues of fantasy, function and the environment, the show reflects the diversity of artist interpretations that abound on

the subject of nature. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and by appointment, 23257 Woodward, one-half mile south of I-696 (10 Mile) in Ferndale, (810) 541-3444.

DRAGALIS STUDIO
To July 23 — The studio's second anniversary celebration will coincide with the Ann Arbor art fairs. Enjoy great art, ice cold lemonade and watermelon. Featured are the elegant work of Marian Draugalis, exquisite pencil drawings and hand-colored photographic reproductions of Patricia Green, wonderful mystic horses of Bonnie Penet and dolls of Kath Lathers. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., 805 W. Huron, between Seventh and Main and north of Washington in Ann Arbor, (313) 998-0838.

ANN ARBOR ART FAIRS
To July 23 — The Ann Arbor Street Art Fair (call (313) 994-5260), State Street Area Art Fair (call (313) 663-6511) and Summer Art Fair (call (313) 662-ARTS) take place 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. Hundreds of prominent artists from around the country, including local talents, are participating. Entertainment and food are featured; a shuttle bus and trolley are available.

TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY
Through July 29 — A display of woodcarvings by Troy resident Ray Ottjepica continues, covering the gamut of the American experience from the hunter in the woods to the Civil War era. Among the figures are a jazz musician, a fisherman's catch of the day, a town sheriff and an American Indian. Ottjepica served as a Troy Auxiliary firefighter and is a member of the Woodcarvers Association. The library is at 510 W. Big Beaver Road. Call (810) 524-3545.

Also at the library, Gerald Mulka of Troy is Artist of the Month through July 30. He is influenced by Michigan landscape and the seasons, he says. For his woodcut artistry, Mulka draws a composition on a block of wood, then re-

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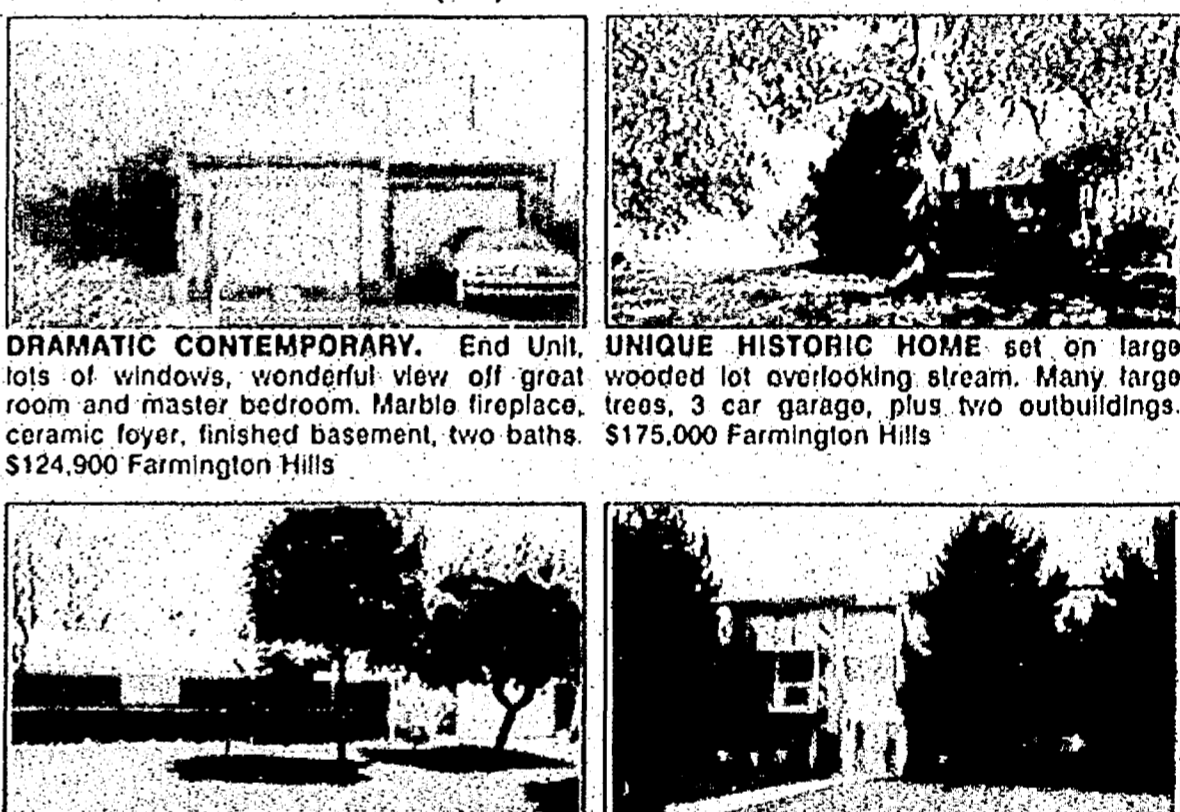
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• A puppet collection of Detroit Puppet Guild vice president elect Michael Joly is showing at the library to July 30.

• HABAYAT/SHAW GALLERY Through Aug. 27 — "Contemporary Clay" continues, featuring fine examples of the work of many of the artists represented by the gallery, exploring the depth and breadth of expression in contemporary ceramics. Among the artists in the group exhibition are

Thom Bohner, John Chalke, John Glick, Karen Karnos, Michael Lucero, Yun Dong Nam, Thom Phardel, Daniel Rhoads, Mary Roehm, Victor Spinski, Lee Stollar, George Timock, Marie Woo, John Woodward and Arnold Zimmerman. Hours for July and August are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, in the Tri-atria Building at 32255 Northwestern Highway in Farmington Hills, (810) 851-8767.

• ARKIVECTURA/IR-SITU A new collection of "21st century" furnishings from Europe is featured at 474 N. Woodward in Birmingham. Call (810) 646-0097.

• DACK IN BIRMINGHAM Artists Hans and Howard

Nordlund have a studio/gallery. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 6:30-9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, and by appointment, 359 S. Woodward, 1-1/2 blocks south of Maple in Birmingham, (810) 334-5980.

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• GALLERY ANIMATO Vintage and contemporary animation cels and drawings from animated film classics are featured at 574 N. Woodward in Birmingham. Call (810) 644-8312.

• GALLERY IV Specializing in 19th and 20th century collectibles, the gallery houses Michigan's largest collection of vintage posters, as well as fine art, art pottery, glass, vintage jewelry and watches. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 647 Inkster Road, one block north of Maple in Bloomfield Hills, (810) 932-1888.

• HAIG GALLERIES The gallery specializes in ancient, Asian and tribal arts. It displays and sells art pieces from Nepal, India, Africa, China and other countries; have Greek, Roman, Egyptian and pre-Columbian pottery, textiles and other items; and features Chinese court robes and original ceramics from the Han (200 B.C. to A.D. 200), Tang (A.D. 700-900) and Ming (A.D. 1400-1600) dynasties. Art is priced from \$50 to \$20,000 and up. Gallery owners are Paul Haig, owner of P.R. Haig Jewelers in Rochester, and Diane Haig, who has her own computer consulting company, Ticon, in Rochester. The gallery is at 311 Main in downtown Rochester. Call (810) 656-3759.

• JOIE DE VIE The shop at 700 N. Woodward in Birmingham features country French furniture. Call (810) 644-8448.

• JUDITH DRESHER GALLERY Raku pieces by Hannelore, multimedia works by Audrey DiMarco, pottery by Carole Berhorst and watercolors by Jerry Folwock are exhibited. The gallery is in the Claymore Building at 29260 Franklin Road, Suite 123, Southfield. Call (810) 352-1166.

• LUDA ART GALLERY One look on two different countries, Russia and the United States, with original paintings from Russia by Luda Tcherniak, in the gallery at 103-B E. Fourth, Rochester. Call (810) 652-7052 for an appointment.

• MEYAL STUDIO The studio at 534 N. Woodward in Birmingham presents contemporary jewelry of original design by Cary Stefani and Patrick Irla. Call (810) 258-8818.

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• RUSSELL KLATT GALLERY Exciting new pieces are on display, including the ever sly coyotes of Markus Pierson, brilliant and sophisticated raku by Greg Milno, fun art deco pottery boxes by Carolyn Joseph and colorful mobiles by Joel Hotchkiss. Also featured is a collection of limited edition serigraphs of Plisson, Roy Fairchild, Lyne and several more traditional and contemporary artists. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 1467 S. Woodward, Birmingham, (810) 647-6655.

• YAW GALLERY The gallery at 550 N. Woodward in Birmingham represents goldsmiths and silversmiths — artists who make jewelry. Call (810) 647-5470.

• THE ANDY SHARKEY GALLERY This Royal Oak art gallery offers an unusual collection of Michigan artists featuring painted furniture, pottery, glass, jewelry, a Kids' Corner, custom painting and more. The gallery is at 204 W. Fifth. Call (810) 546-6770.

• THE CEMENT SPACE The gallery is dedicated to presenting contemporary work by emerging artists; artists are encouraged to call about exhibit space and upcoming shows. Hours are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, 1501 E. Woodbridge, Detroit, (313) 259-9800.

• DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET Fore ART! Golf, an indoor miniature golf course with 18 holes by 22 artists, has been extended indefinitely due to popular demand. Hours are 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 300 River Place, Jos. Campau at Guoin in Detroit. Call 259-8345 for general information, 886-1623 for groups and parties.

• GALLERY VON GLAHN The gallery is now carrying the limited edition print series, "Star Trek — Art from the Final Frontier." The images include portraits of the command officers from the first USS Enterprise and "The Next Generation," and paintings of the Enterprise soaring through space. The gallery is at 319 S. Main in Ann Arbor. Call 663-7215.

• TOWN CENTER GALLERY The gallery exhibits original works by Michigan artists, limited editions by internationally known artists and open edition prints, and tracks down "sold

out" prints on the secondary market for customers. Its features include a design area with a professional design service, an extensive publishers catalog library, creative matting and a complete in-house framing production service. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 43267 Crescent Blvd. in the Novi Town Center, south of I-96 and east of Novi Road in Novi, 380-0470.

• SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE CENTER AND GALLERY Through July 28 — "Children's Art for Peace" continues, sponsored by the Muslim, Christian and Jewish Leadership Forum of the Detroit Interfaith Round Table. The art in the exhibit is by Jewish and Arab children at the Givat Haviva Institute for Peace and Coexistence in Israel. The institute fosters understanding between conflicting groups in the Mideast. Hours are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 33 E. Adams on Grand Circus Park in Detroit. For information, call (313) 965-5422 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

• CIVIC CENTER GALLERY To July 29 — A watercolor exhibit by Judy Ross continues. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 26000 Evergreen at Civic Center Drive, Southfield. Call Southfield Cultural Arts at (810) 354-4717 for information.

• LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY To July 29 — The 1994 Summer Invitational — an exhibit of painting, sculpture, ceramics, drawing, pottery, prints, watercolor, photography and ink by many award-winning area artists — continues. Hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, 29 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, (810) 334-6716.

• OAKLAND COUNTY GALLERIA To July 29 — The Detroit Puppeteers Guild presents "Puppets Past and Present: From the Collection of John Miller and Marilyn O'Connor-Miller." Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday in the Executive Office Building, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac. Call (810) 858-0415 for information.

• THE TROWBRIDGE Through July 29 — Watercolor paintings of garden delights by award-winning Bloomfield Hills artist Karen Halpern are displayed.

played in the atrium of The Trowbridge, a senior retirement community at 24111 Civic Center Drive in Southfield. The display, open to the public 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, is under the auspices of the Cultural Arts Division of the city of Southfield. Halpern teaches drawing and painting at The Community House in Birmingham and is owner and designer of Art Interior Systems, which supplies custom-designed paintings and murals to businesses, corporations and residences.

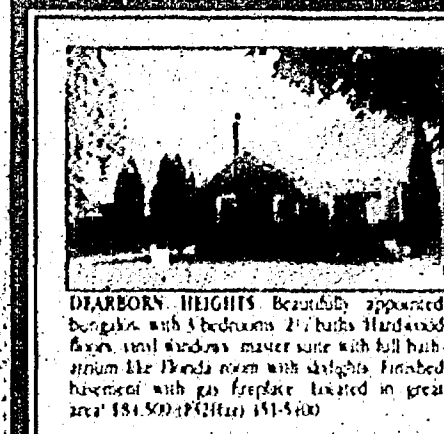
• LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY SHOWCASES To July 29 — Livonia Arts Commission presents 11 creations by members of the Livonia Woodcarvers. Carvings of people, animals, birds, miniatures, relief carvings, chip carvings, wood burning and toys are at Farmington Road and Fivo Mile. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sundays.

• DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET To July 29 — "Inside/Outside" continues. The exhibit, curated by Matthew Holland, features works by Norbert Freese, Justin Macconochie, Adam Lee Miller, Azucena Nava-Moreno and Peter Williams. Works in the show focus on translating mass culture into the art object and the art object into mass culture. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, to 8 p.m. Friday, 300 River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit, (313) 393-1770.

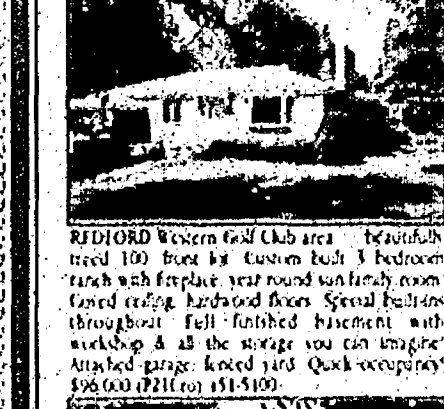
• GALERIA CASA DE UNIDAD Through July 29 — "A Tribute to Latino Warriors," an exhibit by artist Rene Lara, continues. Hours are 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1920 Scotten, Detroit, (313) 843-9598.

• DAVID KLEIN GALLERY Through July 30 — An exhibit of work by historically acclaimed artist Fernand Leger continues. Leger (1881-1955) produced sociopolitical work in diverse mediums. The show features works on paper from various time periods, monumental mosaics and bronze reliefs. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, (810) 433-3700.

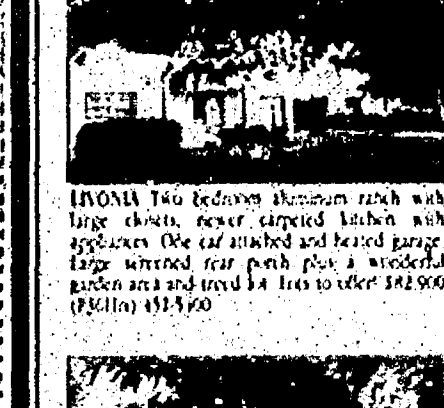
• WARREN CITY HALL GALLERY To July 31 — Oils by Harry Gowran are exhibited 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday at 29500 Van Dyke.



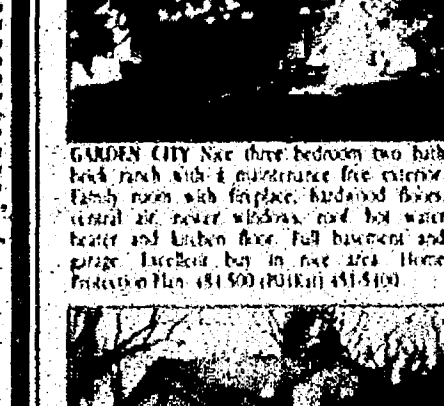
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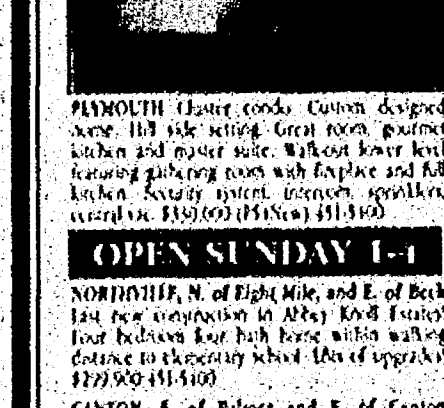
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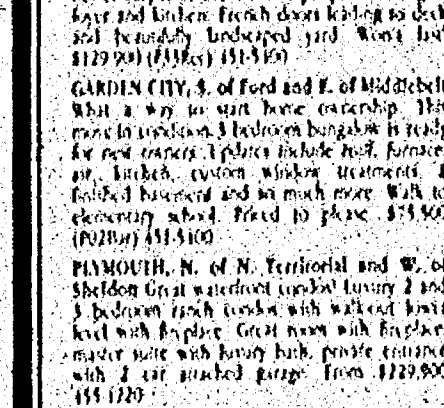
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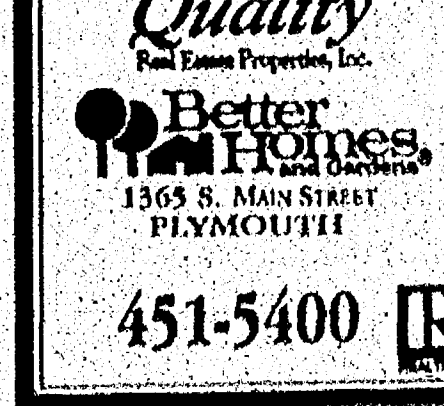
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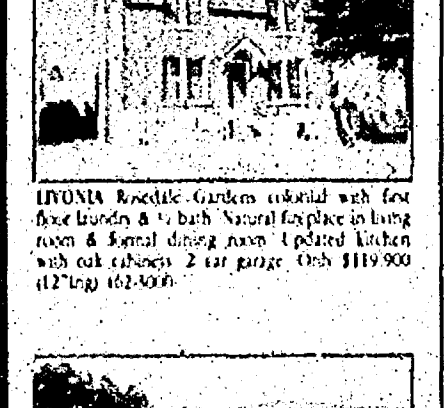
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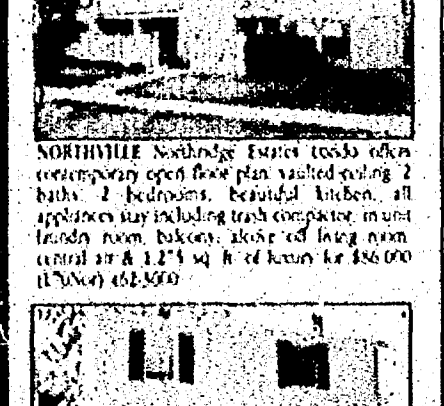
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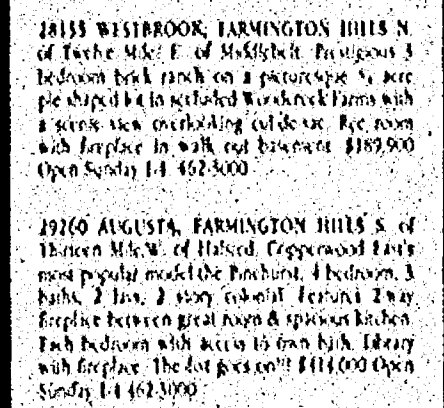
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QUALITY AWARD

Gerald Borregard, broker/owner of Century 21 Chalet, Livonia, received Century 21's quality service award during the organization's Super Rally at Laurel Manor in Livonia.

The award for superior customer service was presented by Bill McCullen, director of Century 21's metro one region.

Said McCullen: "We are extremely proud to recognize Century 21 Chalet and their sales associates for their outstanding commitment to meeting each and every client's needs."

"These accomplishments are a result of sales associates providing a level of services to clients that goes beyond all expectations."

TOP AGENT

Jay Parks of Berkley, a sales associate for ERA Bankers, Farmington Hills, was named agent of the month.

"The ERA commitment to providing innovative products and services enables me to make the process of buying and selling homes a positive experience for my customers," he said.

NEW ASSOCIATES

Leslie Faraci of West Bloomfield and Tauney Behrens of Farmington Hills have joined ERA Bankers, Farmington Hills, as sales associates.

"By joining a firm that is affiliated with the ERA Real Estate Network, with member brokers in all 50 states, Faraci and Behrens will be able to offer home buyers and sellers a wide variety of products and services," said member broker John Ross.

SATISFACTION AWARD

Michael Worley, a real estate counselor for ERA Accent Realty, Livonia, received a national award for customer satisfaction from Electronic Realty Associates, L.P. (ERA Real Estate).

Worley was nominated for the quarterly award through the use of follow-up customer satisfaction surveys that track the service of ERA members.

Worley says customer satisfaction is the single most important factor for real estate success.

Home improvements can do more than improve the appearance or comfort of your home — some translate into significant tax savings and a higher sales price later on.

Tax law differentials between general repairs, which simply keep the property in good shape and capital improvements, which increase property value, extend its life or adapt it to a different use, explains Farmington Hills-based Michigan Association of CPAs.

Repainting, fixing broken windows, and the like, are repairs. Remodeling a kitchen or bath, adding a master bath or a fireplace are capital improvements that offer a tax advantage after selling.

The cost of capital improvements can be added to the "basis" of your residence — or the price you paid for

the property. When you sell, your taxable gain is figured by subtracting the basis (purchase price plus improvements) from the selling price. The greater the basis, the lower the taxable profit.

Also, figure on recovering around 50 to 80 percent of the improvement's cost in the sales price itself, says Pat Stokes, manager of Weir, Manuel, Snyder & Ranke in Plymouth.

For example a \$10,000 bathroom could add \$5,000 to \$8,000 to your home's selling price.

"When it comes to improvements, people tend to think 'dollars in-dollars out,'" said Stokes. "You'll recover a good part of the cost, especially for a remodeled kitchen or bath, but probably not the entire amount (in the sales price)."

Before making an improvement,

consider if you'll recover the cost when you sell, advises the MACPA.

Besides remodeled or spruced up kitchens and baths, improvements that make a house more saleable include enlarging the master bedroom, adding a master bath, replacing old or leaky windows and adding an office, says Forrest Reed, broker/owner of RE/MAX in the hills in Bloomfield Hills.

On the other hand, building a greenhouse or installing a brick walk to the front door probably won't offer a payback when you sell. And chances are, you won't recover the cost of an improvement that boosts your property value above the neighborhood norm, says the MACPA.

"Replacing old aluminum windows in a house or condominium is much less expensive than people think and

is a very good investment in terms of resale," said Reed, estimating that vinyl replacement windows for an average-size residence run \$3,000 to \$4,000.

How you finance improvements also affects the ultimate cost, says the MACPA, who suggests paying cash to avoid interest charges.

If you can't pay cash, the group says consider a home equity loan or borrow against a home equity line of credit. The interest on these loans generally is less than other bank loans and, for most people, interest on a home equity loan is deductible.

"Avoid using your credit card to finance improvements. Interest rates on major bank cards is usually high and can tack on thousands of dollars to the actual cost of the improvements," warns the MACPA.

Lease transaction fee legal; put attorney fees in writing

CONDO QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q. Are you aware of any authority around the country where the association has been upheld for levying a processing fee for lease transactions? A. The courts generally upheld that the restricting of the ability to lease units constitutes an unreasonable restraint on alienation of the property. There are some courts around the country that have recognized that condominium living presents a unique situation whereby each co-owner must give up a certain measure of freedom to live in the condominium community.

Using this latter reasoning, courts in the condominium setting, particularly in Florida, have upheld amendments to the condominium documents, which serve to restrict or prohibit the leasing of units and, at least in one situation, the courts have upheld the authority of the condominium association to levy a "processing fee" for lease transactions.

These are provisions that can be placed in your condominium documents, assuming your counsel is aware of these precedents.

Q. We have an attorney who has been generally below market in regard to the rates charged in an effort, we presume, to get a substantial market share. He has now increased our rates substantially in proportion to what was being charged.

The members are upset because they believe he promised us that he would keep his fees below what the market bears as an accommodation to us. We do not have a written contract with our attorney and generally have been satisfied with the work, except the service is sometimes slow. How can we enforce the attorney's promises in connection with the fees?

A. It is generally recommended that the financial arrangement between the attorney and his or her client be in writing so that express terms and conditions of the agreement are clearly set forth.

While the attorney has a right to

raise his or her fees, you have the concomitant right not to accept the fee increase and to engage other counsel, should you deem it appropriate.

If the attorney had promised you he or she would keep his or her fees below "market rate," that will be hard for you to establish since it is difficult to determine what the "market rate" is for attorneys in community association law since it is based, in good part, upon the experience of the attorney, the recognition of the attorney in the community, the expertise of the attorney, and the difficulty, among other things, of the tasks that are being called upon to be performed by the attorney.

If you do not think your attorney is being fair with you, you should consult with him or her and if you cannot resolve the dispute, or cannot get the service to which you believe you are entitled, you should consider engaging other counsel.

Q. Our management company is proposing a clause in the management agreement whereby it has the right to automatically renew our contract for successive years,

unless we elect to terminate by a date certain before the expiration of the management contract. There is also a cost of living rider in the contract. Do you recommend this type of provision for the condominium association?

A. Generally not. Unfortunately, many boards do not adequately monitor the expiration of these contracts and find that the agreement has automatically renewed itself for another year or two, depending upon the terms of the contract.

While it may be appropriate for the association to have an option to renew the contract upon certain terms and conditions, the option should be left to the discretion of the association, as opposed to being automatically exercised under the terms of the contract itself.

Of course, situations may vary on each individual case, but my response to your question is based upon my general experience in reviewing these kinds of contracts and the problems attendant with them. You should have your contract reviewed by an attorney who does not have any affiliation with the management company.

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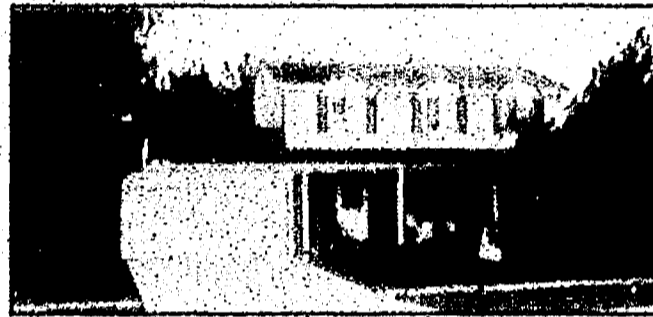
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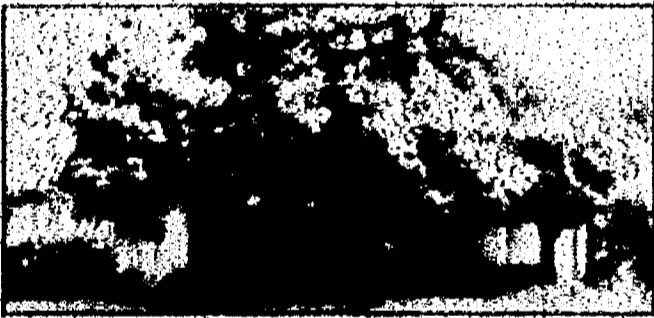
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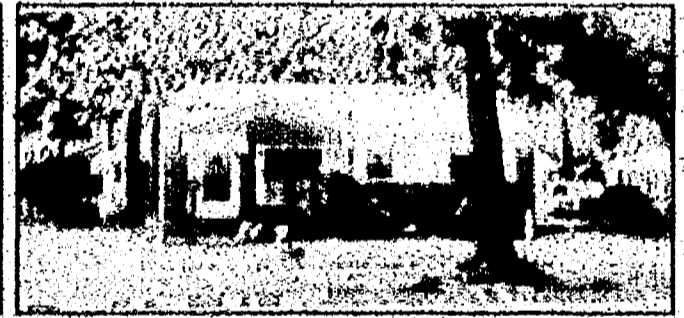
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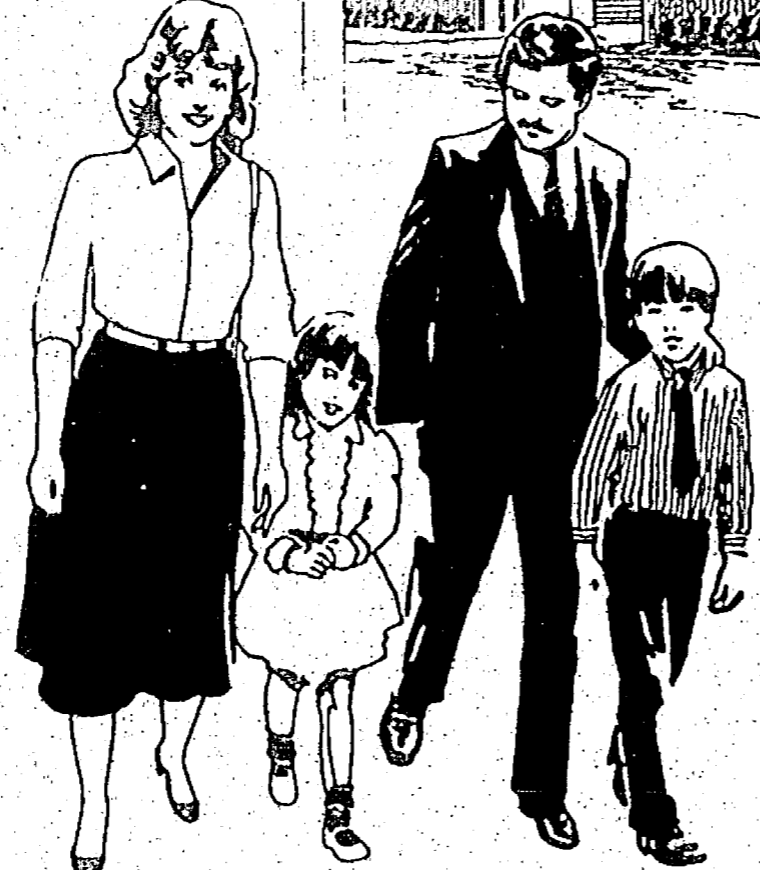
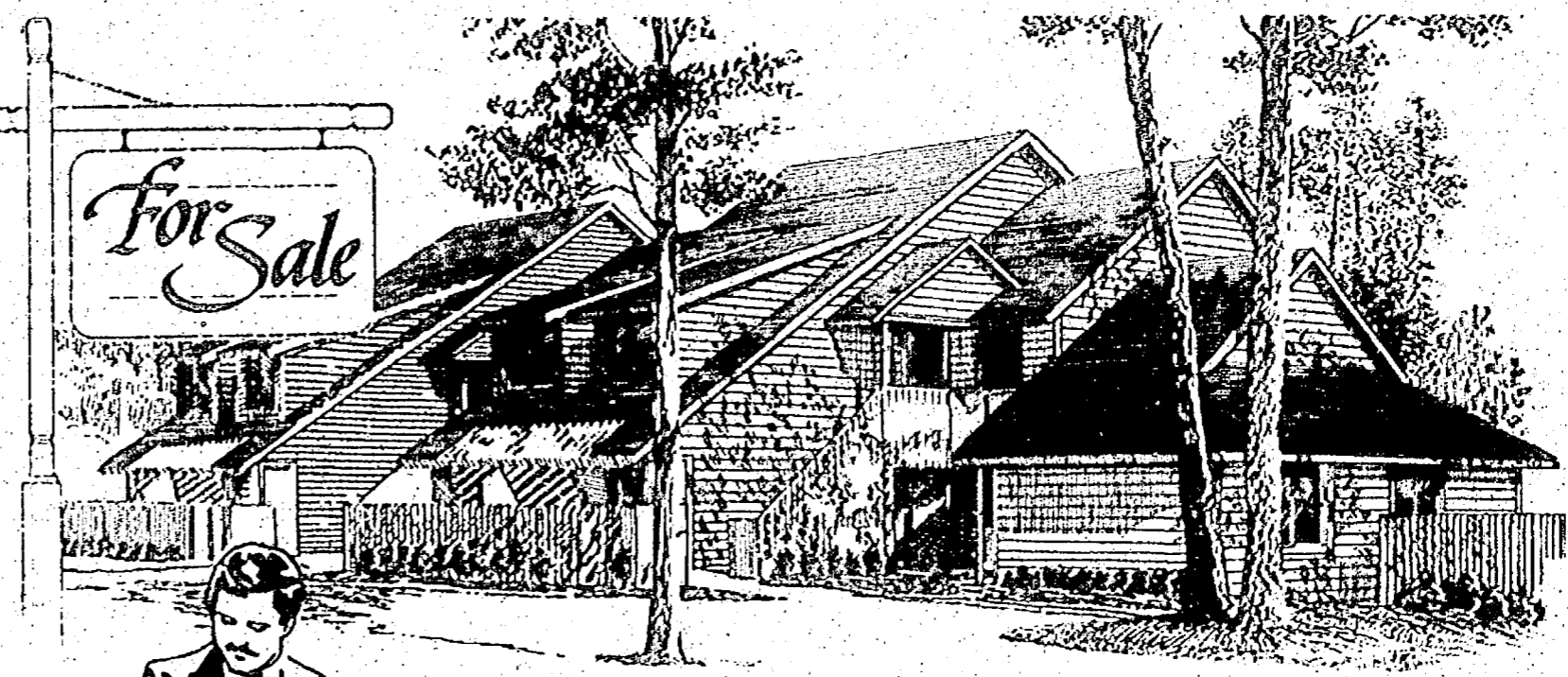
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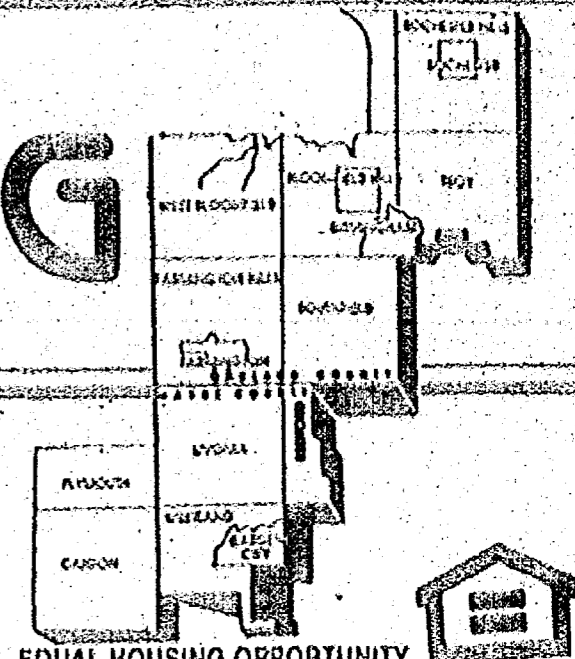
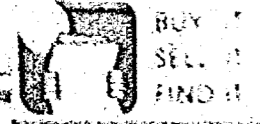
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BUILDING & BUSINESS OBSERVER STARS

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary - including the towns of residency and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired - to: Stars, Building & Business, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Kevin B. Gibbons was promoted to vice president for sales administration of Fred Harris and Associates Inc. He also was elected to the board. The agency, founded in 1970, is a manufacturer's representative firm serving the automotive and related industries.



Gibbons

William L. Kozyra of Rochester Hills was named president of the wheel and brake division of the Budd Co., in Farmington Hills. Kozyra had been chief engineer for the division, which produces brake components for light trucks as well as steel disc wheels for the heavy truck industry.



Kozyra

Ron Fukui of Livonia was promoted to vice president of Enprotech Corp. and general manager of Mechatronics Division in Livonia. Fukui started with the products group in Kalamazoo in 1986. Mechatronics Division provides automation equipment for industry.



Fukui

Steve White of Canton Township was named national sales manager for American Speedy Printing Centers Inc. in Bloomfield Hills. White will be responsible for providing training in outside sales and sales management to the franchise system.



White

Michael C. Porter of Beverly Hills was named director of client services of McCann/SAS, the advertising agency for the GMC Truck division of General Motors. Porter will oversee all account responsibilities relating to the advertising, marketing, merchandising and promotion of the GMC Truck brand. Before joining McCann/SAS, Porter was vice president, marketing, for the Stroh Brewery Co.



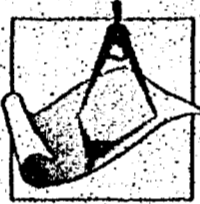
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French look: The Emeraude, with four bedrooms and three baths upstairs and plenty of space on the main level, provides luxury living at Kingspointe.

Kingspointe offers well-scaled luxury



The Brothers Mocerri have scaled back in their Oakland Township subdivision compared to one they're doing just down the road. The development and models, however, will still impress upper-end buyers.

By DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Dominic J., Frank and Mario Mocerri, third-generation builders, have picked up at their Kingspointe development in Oakland Township almost where they left off with Hills of Oakland in the township.

The Kingspointe models are smaller but still spacious. The runt of the litter measures in at 3,500 square feet. They're less costly, but the least expensive still prices out at \$411,000.

Kingspointe still offers luxury. Upwards of 30 houses have sold in the initial phase of 47 lots since

the February grand opening. Work is soon to begin on the second phase of 47.

Luxury hits visitors right at the front entrance off Dutton about a half mile west of Adams.

Brick pavers, limestone arches, large evergreens, traffic control signs on fancy, wrought-iron poles and all kinds of perennials quickly give the impression that Kingspointe is more than the typical subdivision for Oakland County.

"This is one of the most formal entrances in the Midwest," said Dominic Mocerri. "It's extremely elegant. It gives you an appearance of French countryside."

The models, themselves, follow that theme with limestone mixed with brick, wood trim, porticos, gently sloping roof lines, curved shutters, winged walls and planters.

"We're not trying to reinvent the wheel," Frank Mocerri said. "Just perfect things."

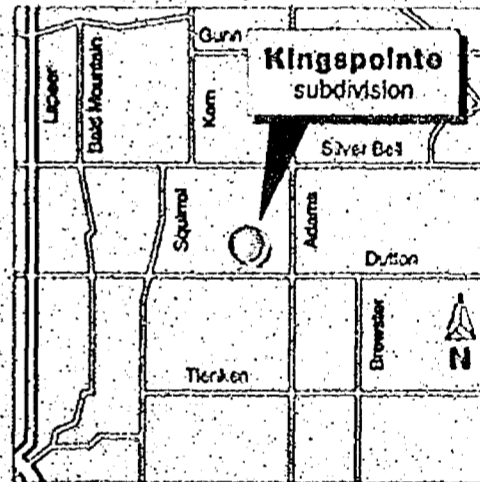
There are three models on site.

The Emeraude, 4,050 square feet, has four bedrooms and three full baths on the upper level. On the main floor, the living room flows into the dining room and an eating nook and sitting area leads from the kitchen into a family room that measures 20-by-17 feet.

A formal library, two powder rooms and laundry also can be found on the first floor.

The basic Emeraude sells for \$452,000.

The Monarque, 4,125 square feet, has a more traditional space-



for-use floor plan with a living room, library, family room and dining room on the main floor.

The Monarque, like the Emeraude, provides a more traditional powder room, plus a second service lavatory, off the first-floor laundry

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Housing permits surge in 1st quarter

By DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Southeastern Michigan shared in the national surge of residential building permits pulled during the first three months of this year, according to a reporting service based in Livonia that tracks those numbers.

Some 3,400 single family permits were issued in a 10-county area including Wayne and Oakland during the first quarter of this year, a 30-percent increase over the comparable period in 1993, U.S. Housing Markets reported.

"The economy is the big thing," said Brian Bragg, editor of U.S. Housing Markets. "The local economy has been pretty robust. People have jobs. People are working. All of that drives the housing market."

Nationally, 235,000 single family units were permitted January through March of this year, a 16-percent rise from the first quarter of 1993.

"The first quarter this year was the best in history for U.S. single-family home builders," said David Stewart, executive vice president for Lomas Mortgage USA, publisher of U.S. Housing Markets. "Residential builders maintained their momentum despite two daunting hurdles. This quarter is the third in

succession in which single-family volume in southeastern Michigan increased by double figures from corresponding periods during the previous year, U.S. Housing Markets reported.

Here's how southeastern Michigan compared to other major population centers in the Midwest:

- St. Louis, 2,782 single family permits, 40 percent increase.
- Detroit/Ann Arbor/Flint, 3,339 units, 30 percent increase.
- Indianapolis, 2,106 units, 23 percent increase.
- Kansas City, 2,228 units, 23 percent increase.
- Chicago, 6,690 units, 10 percent increase.
- Cleveland, 1,594 units, 9 percent increase.
- Cincinnati, 1,966 units, 5 percent increase.
- Milwaukee/Racine, 980 units, 1 percent increase.
- Columbus, Ohio, 1,570 units, no change.
- Minneapolis/St. Paul, 2,702 units, 2 percent decrease.
- Pittsburgh, 1,040 units, 6 percent decrease.

On a housing index developed by U.S. Housing Markets - total number of single family and multiple units permitted during the last four quarters per 1,000 population - southeastern Michigan landed at 3.8.

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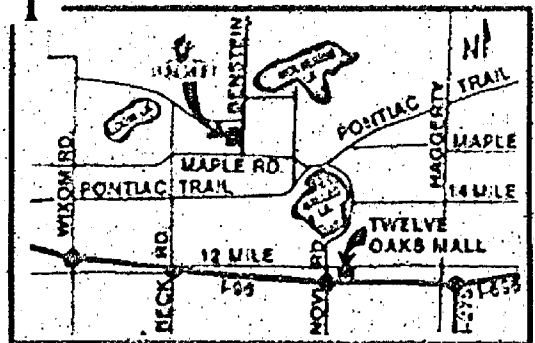
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and attached garage. Again, four bedrooms and three baths are on the second level.

The basic Monarque model also is priced at \$152,000.

The St. George, 4,000 square feet, orients the master bedroom suite on the first floor and offers a canopied eating nook. That floor plan also offers three bedrooms and two baths upstairs and a library, dining room, great room and laundry on the main floor.

The basic St. George carries a price of \$142,000.

The three models share common features. For starters, different types of ceilings - tray, cathedral, studio - are found in different rooms of the same house. All have multiple staircases.

All master suites contain a separate shower and whirlpool tub, walk-in closets and two-sink vanities. All kitchens have a walk-in pantry.

Other standard features include three-car, side-entry, attached garage; range, microwave, oven top, dishwasher and garbage disposal in kitchens; fireplace; two, energy-efficient furnaces; and basement.

Air conditioning, however, is an option.

"Surprisingly, young families is

what we find who's buying," Dominic Mocerri said. "These are truly successful people who had early success in their 20s. Entrepreneurs, engineers. Second move-up."

"Auto-related, obviously, being the area we're in," Frank Mocerri added. "Also, transferees."

"Part of our success was a comprehensive direct mailing to people in Rochester Hills, Troy, Bloomfield and north Birmingham," Dominic said. "A majority of our buyers, two thirds, I would say, come from within three miles of this location."

Kingspointe is served by city water and sewers. Each homeowner will be charged \$350 annually to maintain the common grounds.

The subdivision is in the Rochester Community Schools. Mussen Elementary is right next door.

The property tax rate for county, school and township services is about \$22 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value. That means the owner of a \$452,000 house in Kingspointe would pay about \$5,000 annually.

Christine and Glenn Stinson recently moved into an Emeralds with daughter Taylor.

"We were attracted to the model and builder by something we had

seen at Hills of Oakland," Christine said. "It was beyond our means, but we liked the quality and the way he built homes."

"We went back last fall and the model was up. We liked the layout. We liked the double staircase, we liked the amount of space, we liked that the kitchen and family room kind of went together, but it wasn't one big room. The walk-out basement was important to us."

"The thing we really like is we have started a family and the school is right next door," Christine said.

Dennis and Lea Cairo also bought an Emeralds for themselves and children, Matthew and Spencer, from blueprints after seeing the brother's work in Hills of Oakland.

"We heard about Mocerri Builders. We knew they were riding on a good reputation," Lea said. "They're really willing to work with you. I thought the line of communication was good."

"I like the limestone on the exterior. I like the ceilings - step ceiling, tray ceiling, studio ceiling. Another thing I like is the entranceway. It's one of the nicer landscaped areas," she said.

The sales office at Kingspointe (373-6200) is open 12-6 p.m. daily.

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Dr. Rick R. Petersen of West Bloomfield, an osteopathic obstetrician and gynecologist, joined the ObGyn practice of Dr. Jack Kartaginer. Dr. Petersen recently completed a four-year residency at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital.

The Michigan Peer Review Organization in Plymouth added four staff members. Martha J. Sawle of Plymouth was appointed senior staff associate for education and feedback. Marlynn J. Maroso was appointed senior staff associate for education, and feedback. Sari Vlahakis joined as an epidemiologist/biostatistician. Mare Zoden joined the staff as a biostatistician.

Joseph P. Aubin of Troy was promoted to senior vice president/client services for Rollins Hudig Hall of Michigan in Detroit. He's responsible for management of claims, loss prevention and financial services. Aubin, who has more than 36 years of claims experience, was bond manager for General American Insurance for 27 years.

Sally Repeck of Plymouth was appointed the new vice president of development and marketing for the Easter Seal Society of Southeastern Michigan Inc. Repeck formerly directed fund development for the Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan "Caring Program for Children," which provides health care coverage to uninsured Michigan children.

Walter W. Newgeon of Birmingham, a manager in Chrysler Corp.'s engineering division in Auburn Hills, becomes vice president of section affairs for the American Society for Quality Control. He's the chassis and drive train manager for Chrysler's electronic vehicle project.

Robert Filary of Westland, a student at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield, received the George L. Spencer Scholarship from the Masonry Institute of Michigan in Livonia. Gino Del Pup of Southfield, also an LTU student, received the Robert F. Ebeling Scholarship from the institute.

Michael H. Flowers of Farmington Hills becomes manager of manufacturing engineering for Newcor Inc.'s Eonic Division in Detroit. He had been manager of manufacturing engineering for Williams International for 12 years.

Kenneth L. Lesperance of Troy was promoted to director of the systems and product sales group for Mechatronics Division of Enprotech Corp. in Livonia.

C.T. (Chuck) Eisenstein of Saline becomes vice president-general manager for Grow Group, Inc.'s automotive division in Troy. He joined the producer of specialty chemical coatings, paints and household products 10 years ago and has handled a variety of assignments in the division.

Ed Barry was named vice president of sales and marketing with Dayton Walther Corp. Barry also has been vice president of sales for Fruedenberg-NOK, a producer of molded rubber seals and gaskets headquartered in Plymouth.

Peter J. Ulrich, a Birmingham native, moved from Chicago to become executive vice president of the Hayman Co., Troy. He will direct the company's commercial brokerage office. Ulrich is a graduate of Western Michigan University with a bachelor's degree in business administration.

Gary Johnson was appointed general manager of Truesdell Truck Inc. in Livonia. He will oversee the Livonia WHITEGMC dealership's expansion.

CPA Linda Hubbard, a construction and real estate specialist in the Southfield office of Plante & Moran, and CPA Susan Perlin, whose Southfield office-based practice includes school districts, manufacturing and not-for-profit clients, were promoted to partners with Plante & Moran in Southfield.

Stephanie Kallen was appointed assistant broadcast networks manager with Music Technologies International in Southfield. Kallen had been with the Chicago Bulls professional basketball team as a member of their special promotions division and cheerleading team.

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THURSDAY, JULY 21

TRADU FAIR
 The Greater Detroit Chapter of the National Association of Women Business Owners hosts its annual member trade fair 5:30-8:30 p.m. at the Southfield Marriott, 27033 Northwestern Highway. Cost, which includes buffet dinner, is \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members. Exhibit tables reserve for \$50, which includes dinner. Reservations due by July 18 at 851-8270.

REMODELING TIPS
 The Michigan Remodeling Association features Victoria Downing, a consultant and author who specializes in the unique remodeling market 3 p.m. at the Burton Manor in Livonia. Cost for the seminar and dinner is \$35 for members, \$65 for non-members. To register, call Gayle Walters at 669-3500.

EDUCATION'S VALUE
 The Association of Professional Mortgage Women hosts a dinner seminar "The Importance of Education to You, Your Career and Your Future" 5:30 p.m. at Gino's Surf, 37400 E. Jefferson, Mount Clemens. Speaker: Susan Bates, APMW regional vice president. Cost is \$15 for members, \$20 for non-members. For reservations, call Kris Dewstow at 827-3390.
FRIDAY, JULY 22

FINDING PROSPECTS
 Joe Tenca, a sales consultant, and Jeannette Selby, a human resources consultant, present a seminar "Getting Prospects to Buy: Expanding Your Customer Base" 8 a.m. to noon at Amercenter, 7 Square Lake Road,

Bloomfield Hills. Cost is \$150. For reservations, call 421-7051 or 335-6543.
MONDAY, JULY 25

COMMUNICATION
 The American Society of Employment sponsors a seminar "Win-Win Communication Skills" 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at its offices, 23815 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Cost is \$105 for members, \$225 for non-members. Advance registration requested at 353-4500.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE
 Erin P. Leon offers a free seminar "Financial Independence for Today's Women" 6:30 p.m. at Dean Witter Reynolds, 4000 Town Center, Suite 1900, Southfield. The session will be repeated at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 28, at the same site. Reservations requested through Elaine Young at 746-4571.

FINANCE BANKING
 The Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan hosts a seminar "Finance Banking" 9 a.m. to noon at its offices, 30375 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills. Focus is on how to shop for a bank that will best meet your needs and how to prepare to meet with bankers. Cost is \$20 for members, \$10 for additional members from the same company and \$35 for non-members. To register, call 737-4477.
THURSDAY, JULY 28

ALTERNATIVE INVESTING
 The Bank of Bloomfield Hills offers a free seminar "Will I Still Love You Tomorrow - Spotting Good and Bad in Contemporary Art" as part of its alternative investment series 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the Townsend Hotel in Birmingham. Speaker: Ray Fost Fleming, director of the Robert Kidd Gallery. For reservations, call Kathy Connor at 540-6224.

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JOIN SALES PROGRAM
 Mans Do It Center, 41900 Ford, Canton, and Wimsatt Building Materials, 36340 Van Born, Wayne, have joined the Andersen Window Center Program for 1994. Using product information and displays from the Andersen Window Center, store specialists offer advice and ideas for remodeling, new construction or replacement projects that include windows and patio doors. The dealers also sell Andersen's 120-page Brighter Home Ideas book and companion video for \$1.95 each. Andersen said its products are preferred two-to-one by builders and remodelers and outsell the next three largest competitors combined.

NEW LOCATION
 S/G Imported Car Parts, headquartered in Farmington Hills, opened its eighth store at 30406 Ford, at Henry Ruff, in Garden City. The phone number is (313) 261-2800. The new branch will serve import car owners in western Wayne county.

S/G opened more than 20 years ago distributing brands such as Bosch, Lucas and NGK.

COMMUNICATIONS AWARD
 Detroit-based Anthony M. Franco Inc. received six awards, including four wins, at the International Association of Business Communicators Detroit Renaissance Awards ceremony June 23. Julie Yolles of Birmingham, assistant director of media relations, received a first-place award in the special events category for her work on the Geo Metro EconoRun. Franco also took first place for an alternative investment series for The Bank of Bloomfield Hills.

AUTOMATED HOUSE
 Royal Oak-based HomeTek, L.L.C. teamed up with Honeywell TotalHome Automation to produce a house that does routine functions with the touch of a computer key pad or touch-tone phone. The system lets you call home before leaving work to turn on lights, air conditioning, heat or Jacuzzi. While on vacation, you can call home to review security, change the lighting or turn off heating or cooling. The system starts at around \$4,000 and can be built into a new house or added to an existing one. "It's as simple as an ATM machine," says Andy Sallan, HomeTek co-founder. "There's a Honeywell 800 hot line operating 24 hours a day that you can call to have your system reprogrammed

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Visitors can tour the house noon to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, July 9-10, at Royal Pointe subdivision, 6301 Royal Pointe Drive, West Bloomfield. Admission is free.

STAYPUTER INVENTION
 Joseph Smith Jr., a Troy inventor, has developed a product to keep items in a car trunk from sliding and bumping as the vehicle corners and stops. Stayputer, a 4-by-3-by-3-inch velour-covered metal bracket with Velcro on the bottom, can anchor such items as tool boxes, cartons, suitcases and bowling bags. Retail price for two is \$8.95 and \$16.95 for four. Smith's business phone is 539-3340.

CHARITY RELAY
 Several businesses in Oakland County will field teams to compete in the 24-Hour Relay for Easter Seals, an all-day, all-night sports competition as a fundraiser starting at 10 a.m. July 23. They include Century 21 Administration, Rochester Hills; Century 21 East, Rochester-Northwood office; Century 21 East, Novi-West office; Franklin Bank of Southfield; Ralph Nichols Corp., Troy; Rudgate Manufactured Home Communities, Troy; and Suburban Mortgage Corp., Rochester Hills.

Target Stores and Authorized Cellular also will field teams with employees from throughout the metro area. Teams, which paid an entry fee of \$2,400 to compete, will walk, run or wheel around a track non-stop. Other events and diversions are planned.

C.J. Barrymore's sports and entertainment complex, Hall Road between Garfield and Gratiot in Clinton Township, will host the event.

RELOCATE HEADQUARTERS
 Hiram Walker & Sons Inc. said it has restructured and moved headquarters from Walkerville, Ontario, to larger offices at 3000 Town Center, Suites 3200 and 3050, in Southfield. The telephone number is (810) 948-6500.

The offices house U.S. marketing, distributor operations, finance and the central division distributor and broker operations teams. "Since we conduct our business in the U.S., and Michigan is our sixth-largest market in sales volume, we felt it was in our best interest to move," said Donald Coe, president.

Ron Robillard, senior vice president, director of consumer marketing, will handle national brand consumer marketing, regional marketing, communication and marketing services. Robert Shea, vice president director of field operations/central division, becomes vice president business development.

VAL-TILE FLOOR
 Joel Ticula, proprietor of European Designer Marble & Tile, and Mark Peurasaari have opened a Val-Tile Floor franchise at 23389 Telegraph, Southfield. Val-Tile, a distributor of customized granite and marble tile, is the home company of the Val-Tile Layer, a machine designed to efficiently and precisely lay tile larger than 8-by-8 inches.

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603 Help Wanted Sales
NEED REAL ESTATE AGENTS
Commercial & Residential. Call Bob...

608 Help Wanted Sales
RETAIL SALES CLERK
To sell our exciting new products...

609 Help Wanted Sales
Beach By Day "Bucks by Night"
National company in Southeast...

607 Help Wanted Part Time
RECEPTIONIST
Light clerical work. Part-time. Monday...

608 Help Wanted Part Time
RECEPTIONIST
Light clerical work. Part-time. Monday...

609 Help Wanted Domestic
CHAUFFEUR/BUTLER
Executive residence. 10000 sq. ft. home...

609 Help Wanted Domestic
HOUSEKEEPER
For single working woman with large...

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For single working woman with large...

PEOPLE PERSON
Professional growth has created new...

SALES ASSOCIATE
Do you like sales, greeting cards and...

REMERICA HOMETOWN REALTORS
(313) 453-0012
TIRED OF THE SAME OLD ROUTINE?

607 Help Wanted Part Time
COOK
Cook for children's center. Hours: 11:00...

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COOK
Cook for children's center. Hours: 11:00...

609 Help Wanted Domestic
CHILD CARE/BABYSITTING
Seeking a responsible, dependable person...

609 Help Wanted Domestic
HOUSEKEEPER
For single working woman with large...

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HOUSEKEEPER
For single working woman with large...

609 Help Wanted Domestic
HOUSEKEEPER
For single working woman with large...

JO ANN STEUWE
The Prudential Village REALTORS
(810)349-5600

SALES PERSON
To sell our exciting new products...

\$\$\$ Real Estate Openings
• Free Training
• Computer M.L.S.
• Private Offices

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REAL ESTATE CAREER
START AT THE TOP
BEST FREE TRAINING
EARN WHILE YOU LEARN

SALES PERSON
To sell our exciting new products...

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE REPRESENTATIVE
18 hours a week. 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM...

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THE PRUDENTIAL WOLFE REALTY
RETAIL SALES ASSOCIATES
Dynamic people needed to work...

SHOE SALES
Sole for women's shoes. Only fashion...

APARTMENT SEARCH
MARKETING ASSOCIATE (RECEPTIONIST)...

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SALES Industrial Commercial
Entry level experience. Will train...

WHAT RECEPTION?
WE NEED TWO COMMISSION SALES...

ATTENTION PART-TIME WORKERS
See Charter Township of Plymouth...

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Child Care Center

Grid of child care center advertisements including: EARLY DISCOVERY CHILD CARE CENTER, Come Little Children Center, STAT IN PLAY DAY CARE, FRIENDSHIP CHILD CARE CENTER, LITTLE SMILES CHILD CARE, NORTH HILLS CHILD CARE CENTER, THUMBELINA'S CHILD CARE, and others.

Beauty Connection advertisement featuring a woman's portrait and text: "Your Beauty Connection" with contact information for various salons.

Advertisement for "To Advertise in this directory" with contact information for Marge 953-2076 or Shelley 953-2072.

The Bridal Directory advertisement: "The Bridal Directory appears in the Suburban Life Section of the O/E Newspapers..."

512 Jobs Wanted Male/Female advertisement: "ALTERATIONS & SEWING For men's & women's clothing..."

513 Business Opportunities advertisement: "A BUSINESS OF YOUR OWN Featuring a proven fast track..."

Susan's Styling Center advertisement: "In Now Under New Ownership Susan's Styling Center..."

Saranda's Salon advertisement: "Barbering/Styling, Coking, Pams/Manicures, Tanning..."

The Nail Lady advertisement: "Where You Always Score A Perfect 10 Acrylics/Wraps, Nail Art/Manicures, Pedicures..."

701 Antiques
A JULY SALE
AT THE
GREAT WESTERN
ANTIQUE FORUM
5233 Oakway, Waterloo

702 Antiques
ESTATE SALES
DEL GIUDICE
ANTIQUES

702 Antiques
DOWNTOWN ROMEO
TOWN HALL

702 Antiques
SHOP WHERE THE
DEALERS BUY!

705 Wearing Apparel
BUSTEN BROWN
CHILDREN'S WEAR

703 Garage Sales:
Oakland

705 Garage Sales:
Oakland

703 Garage Sales:
Oakland

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PERSONAL SCENE YOUR PERSONAL PEOPLE CONNECTION
1-900-454-8088
COST: 10¢ PER MINUTE
1. Call 1-900-454-8088. Respond to an ad that appeals to you by pressing 1.
2. Or browse through a selection of new and current greetings by pressing 2.
3. Leave a message. You'll hear a recorded greeting. Then you may leave your private message for the person you are looking for.
4. Call anytime, 24 hours a day! The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers PERSONAL SCENE line never closes - after all, you never know when the right person may have left a message for you.



620 Men Seeking Women
620 Men Seeking Women
620 Men Seeking Women
620 Men Seeking Women
621 Women Seeking Men
621 Women Seeking Men
621 Women Seeking Men
621 Women Seeking Men
622 Sports Interests
623 Seniors

THERE'S SOMEONE FOR EVERYONE
You Can Use Personal Scene To Find Someone Special.
PERSONAL SCENE
Appearing Every Monday & Thursday In The Observer & Eccentric Newspaper
For Details Call 591-0900

To place your own PERSONAL SCENE ad, call 591-0900/FAX 953-2232 or Mail us this coupon:
NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
PHONE _____ DAYS _____ EYES _____
Observer & Eccentric Newspapers/Classified
PERSONAL SCENE
36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150
Men seeking women 620 Sports Interests 622 Travel companions 624
Women seeking men 621 Seniors 623

763 Household Goods Oakland County

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717 Lawn, Garden, Ferns, Snow Equip.

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724 Cameras-Supplies Camcorders

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730 Sporting Goods Exercise Equipment

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733 Household Pets

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802 Snowmobiles

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HOUSEHOLD SALES CONDUCTED BY LILLY M. & COMPANY

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562-1387 569-2929
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SUMMER INVENTORY 25% OFF

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ALREADY LOW PRICES WITH THIS AD
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719 Hot Tubs, Spas & Pools

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720 Flowers-Plants Farm Produce

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727 Video Games Tapes & Movies

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740 Pet Services

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742 Musical Instruments

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ESTATE SALES BY DEBBIE

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715 Computers Sales & Service

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Blowout Sale advertisement for Moore's. Features images of a truck and a car, and text: 'Blowout Sale', 'Open Sunday this week only!', 'Only 2 left \$25,000 Discount', 'Only 3 left \$10,000 Discount', 'All Units Must Sell!', 'Raven available at similar savings!', 'All Units Must Sell!', 'Convinton 14 left at 5,000-10,000 Discount', '6684 Whitmore Lake • Whitmore Lake Exit 49, off US 23 (313) 662-4548'

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663 Ford MUSTANG 1993 LX... 663 Ford MUSTANG 1994 GT... 663 Ford MUSTANG 1993 LX... 663 Ford MUSTANG 1994 GT... HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY... FOX HILLS... STARK HICKEY

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VARSITY'S USED CAR MANAGER HAS GONE FISHIN' AND THE ASSISTANTS GONE BERSERK CUTTING PRICES... 0 Down ** 12 mos., 12,000 mile warranty... "Folks This Is Only A Sampling Of Our Huge Inventory" "No Reasonable Offer Refused"

SUMMER SAVINGS table with columns for car model, price, and features. Includes models like '89 PLYMOUTH COLT, '93 CADILLAC STS, '93 SATURN SW2, '91 ACURA INTEGRA LS, '85 PONTIAC FIERO, '90 NISSAN 4X4, '94 TOYOTA CAMRY, '93 LINCOLN MARK VII.

AT Village Ford AFTER THE BIG TENT SALE COMES THE "NO TENT SALE!" TRANSPORTATION SPECIALS FROM \$1994... Good Credit, Bad Credit Financing Available... 75 Quality Used Cars! Bring your Checkbook! Bring your Title!

Hyundai's Finest NEW 1994 HYUNDAI EXCEL \$129 per month NO MONEY DOWN Free service & maintenance... GLASSMAN HYUNDAI

HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY... HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY... HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY... HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY... HINES PARK LINCOLN-MERCURY

1991 FORD ESCORT LX 4 DR \$4995... 1990 FORD ESCORT GT \$5288... 1990 FORD TEMPO 4 DR LX \$5995... 1989 THUNDERBIRD \$5788... 1988 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS LS \$5995... 1988 LINCOLN TOWN CAR \$7888... 1988 TAURUS 4 DR LX \$6995... 2 MERCURY TOPAZ 2 DR GS \$6995... 1992 MERCURY TRACER LTS \$7995... 1993 FORD FESTIVA GL \$6995... 1992 TEMPO 2 DR GL \$6995... '8,000 & up, Luxury, Sport & More... 1992 MUSTANG GT HATCHBACK \$13,588... 1992 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS GS \$12,995... 1992 MERCURY COUGAR LS \$11,788... 1992 MERCURY SABLE WAGON GS \$11,995... 1993 FORD TAURUS 4 DR GL \$14,588... 1993 FORD MUSTANG GT CONV. \$17,388... 1993 LINCOLN MARK VIII \$25,388... '3995 & Under Budget Payments... 1991 FORD FESTIVA GL \$3288... 1992 FORD FESTIVA GL \$125/Mo... 1990 FORD ESCORT LX SPORT \$85/Mo... 1990 FORD MUSTANG LX \$123/Mo... 1994 GEO METRO \$136/Mo... 1991 CHEVROLET CAVALIER RS \$153/Mo... Select models. *On approved credit. **Plus tax & tags. **Extra

Uncle Sam BIG SAVINGS On Our Full Line of Genitly Used Vehicles... '91 Aerostar \$11,777... '92 Chevy Corsica \$9,449... '88 Dodge RAM 100 Pickup \$6,262... '89 Honda Accord LX \$8,448... Lou LaRiche CHEVROLET Geo 453-4800 ext 961-4797 40673 Plymouth Road, Plymouth

FAIRLANE SUMMER SIZZLERS! '89 ESCORT LX 2 door \$2,688... '92 TOPAZ 2 door \$6,288... '92 TAURUS Gold V4 \$10,475... '92 MUSTANG LX \$10,588... '92 THUNDERBIRD LX \$12,788... '93 TAURUS GL \$13,588... '92 THUNDERBIRD Super Coupe \$14,988... '94 MUSTANG Convertible \$18,488... Call 582-1172 FAIRLANE Ford 14552 Michigan Ave

Suburban NISSAN VOLKSWAGEN '92 NISSAN 300ZX TURBO \$23,900... '92 NISSAN PATHFINDER \$19,900... '92 MAXIMA \$15,900... '91 MAXIMA \$14,900... '92 HONDA ACCORD \$13,900... '91 MAXIMA SE 3 TO Choose \$13,900... '92 CAMRY LE \$13,900... '92 HONDA ACCORD EX \$13,900... '90 JETTA GL Reduced \$9,950... '91 VW GOLF GTI \$8,995... '93 VW FOX \$7,995... '91 NISSAN SENTRA \$7,895... '89 VW GOLF GL \$5,995... '89 NISSAN PATHFINDER 2 DR \$11,995... '89 NISSAN MAXIMA \$10,500... '87 NISSAN MAXIMA \$6,995... '92 VW PASSAT \$12,900... Suburban NISSAN VOLKSWAGEN TROY MOTOR MALL 649-2300

THE DEALS ARE HOT at BOB JEANNOTTE!! '88 FORD TEMPO \$1,655... '92 CHEVY CAVALIER Coupe \$2,700... '92 CHEVY CAVALIER 2-Dr \$2,995... '92 BATHUR SL2 \$2,995... '90 GRAND AM Coupe \$4,995... '92 ACURA INTEGRA LS Coupe \$11,995... '91 FORD ESCORT GT \$2,225... '92 BUICK LESABRE \$1,795... '92 FORD RANGER XLT \$4,995... '90 CHEVY BERETTA \$2,225... '92 CHEVY MONTE CARLO \$2,995... '91 FIREBIRD FORMULA \$2,225... '88 FORD ESCORT \$2,225... '88 GRAND PRIX \$2,225... '91 TRAILBLAZER \$2,225... '91 GMC RALLY VAN \$2,225... '91 CHEVY BLAZER \$2,225... '92 BONNEVILLE 65E \$2,225... '92 BUICK LESABRE \$2,225... '90 GRAND PRIX LE \$2,225... '88 BONNEVILLE 65E \$2,225... '91 FIREBIRD \$2,225... '92 GMC BONYON \$2,225... '91 GRAND PRIX LE \$2,225... '91 CHEVY ASTRO \$2,225... '92 GMC SIERRA \$2,225... '88 BUICK LESABRE \$2,225... '88 GRAND AM \$2,225... '91 GRAND PRIX LE \$2,225

SIZZLING SUMMER SALE HOT DEALS ON HOT WHEELS REBATES UP TO \$1750 UNDER 30 BUYERS ADDITIONAL \$400 SAVINGS ON GRAND AM & SUNBIRD... 1994 GRAND PRIX SE SEDAN \$15,279... 1994 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE COUPE \$11,545... 1994 SUNBIRD LE COUPE \$9,595... 1994 BONNEVILLE SE SEDAN \$16,995... 1994 SIERRA SPECIAL PICKUP \$12,399... 1994 SONOMA EXTENDED CAB \$13,699... 1994 JIMMY 4 DR FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE \$20,499... HARD TO FIND TRANS AM CONVERTIBLES... BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC-GMC TRUCK 14949 Sheldon Road (Just North of M-14, Jeffries Fwy.) 453-2500... BOB JEANNOTTE Pontiac-GMC Truck 453-2500

874 Mercury
 TRACER 1992 LTB, 4 door, air, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.
 TRACER 1992 LTB, loaded, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.

875 Nissan
 MAXIMA 1992 SE, 4 door, air, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.
 NISSAN 1992 2400SE, loaded, leather, 4 door, air, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.

878 Oldsmobile
 CALAIS 1992 Supreme, 4 door, air, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.
 CALAIS 1992-2 door, automatic, air, power windows, cassette, 100,000 miles, \$17,900. Call 425-8740.

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