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Inside today's Observer you have an opportunity to read about outstanding students - past and present.

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Yes, it's been 10 years since the first group of scholars was selected to represent the area's best and brightest high school students. Today they are all successful adults who continue to impress their families, their colleagues and their communities.

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This 1995 team of students is among the most scientifically oriented we've seen. Indeed, 11 of 12 say they'll go into either engineering, science or medicine.

Read about their accomplishments, the parents and teachers who have inspired them in their academic success and their hopes and dreams for the future.

Susan Rosich,
Managing Editor

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School funding priorities mulled



School board members questioned what will be done with more than $500,000 saved by the district through early teacher retirements. One board member suggested reducing the 2.3-mill tax hike on the June 12 ballot with the savings.

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BY M.B. DILLON
STAFF WRITER

Not all school board members are happy with adjustments being proposed by Plymouth-Canton administrators in the district's $89 million budget for 1995-96.

Sixty-four school employees opted last month to accept the district's early severance package, saving the district $534,000 in salaries and fringe benefits.

The administration suggested at Monday night's budget workshop to use the $534,000 to hire four teachers; purchase textbooks; increase block grants to individual school buildings; replace personal computers at the high schools; replace the Salem High School pool lockers; and increase the capital outlay budget.

School officials have said revenue from the 2.3 mills voters will be asked to approve in June would be spent on textbooks, teacher training, and instructional materials.

Administrators recommend spending $100,000 in salary savings on textbooks. Board Treasurer Roland Thomas asked whether the $100,000 had been taken out of the proposed millage budget.

"We have to have the integrity to spend what we say we are going to spend it on. . . . or reduce the millage by half a million dollars," said Thomas. Susan Feiten, board vice president, questioned the proposed 5-percent block-grant increase.

"The whole block grant budget needs to be overhauled. I have some real questions about where the money goes," she said.

"Philosophically, I have trouble

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May Day



BILL BIESSLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Medieval tradition: *Casey Swanson (above), blindfolded, tries to tag Terry Zelek. Kristin Young (at left) and Karen Gundry assemble flower baskets. Humanities students at Plymouth Salem and Canton high schools commemorated May Day, a medieval spring tradition that symbolizes growth and fertility. On tap were traditional Renaissance games, the classic maypole dance, and the making of May baskets. May Day is known as a pagan tradition that welcomed spring and brought about fertility of men and their fields.*



Nankin backs SMART

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

The Nankin Transit Authority, of which Canton is a member, is officially supporting the Wayne Transit Authority's millage vote May 23 to finance the SMART regional transportation system.

"If the vote is approved the four communities will have continued funding for Nankin," said Canton resident Ralph Shufeldt, Nankin chairman.

The four communities involved are Garden City, Westland, Wayne and Inkster. Canton also is a part of Nankin but township officials in April opted out of the Wayne Transit Authority and allowing residents to cast ballots May 23 for a dedicated .33-mill to finance SMART.

"This has no impact on Canton," Shufeldt said, referring to Nankin's support of the May 23 vote. "Canton will continue receiving the same level of service from Nankin as it always has through the end of June."

Nankin receives money from SMART, including municipal credits from the state that are distributed through SMART to local transit systems. Nankin also receives money directly from its five participating communities.

If Canton had stayed in the Wayne County Transit Authority and the .33-mill vote passes, Nankin would have received double the state credits from Canton. The township currently receives $43,700 in municipal credits. Nankin also receives $44,500 from Canton's general fund.

The township board in mid-April

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Canton police nix idea of filing lawsuit

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Canton Public Safety Director John Santomauro says a counter suit will not be filed against a Waterford man who has accused two detectives of harassing and threatening his family.

"We have looked at the possibility of a counter suit. We can't sue as a municipality. We have no civil remedy against an individual," Santomauro said.

Oakland County Circuit Judge Barry Howard on April 26 denied a request by Waterford resident Eric Maloney for a preliminary injunction against Canton detectives Bill Keppen and Dave Schriener from harassing, threatening and stalking him; his wife, Christine; and his mother, Shirley. Howard's clerk said a date will be set for a hearing on a request for a restraining order.

"My concern with Maloney is that his actions were indicative of trying to intimidate officers on the street and through litigation," Santomauro said. "We obviously feel his allegations are without validity. The officers handled the situation well."

Maloney, who did not return the Observer's inquiries, filed a suit against Canton detectives Dave Schreiner and Bill Keppen April 7 following an incident in which the detectives were staking out Maloney's mother's house in Northville looking for his brother, Chris Maloney.

"That was the last known address on him," Capt. Alex Wilson said, referring to Chris Maloney.

Police have an outstanding warrant against Chris Maloney on charges of stalking a female physician at Canton Oakwood Healthcenter and malicious destruction of property. Both charges are felonies.

While detectives were outside Shirley Maloney's house in Northville,

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Homeowners plan upgrade

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Homeowners in the 20-year-old Pickwick Village subdivision will be asked to spend some money to give their neighborhood a facelift as Canton Township continues to develop westward with new houses and subdivisions.

"You don't want older neighborhoods graying," said Barb Bergenty, a director of the homeowners association for the neighborhood in eastern Canton.

At 2 p.m. Sunday, May 7, residents in the 291-home subdivision east of Lilley, will be asked to support a special assessment on themselves to pay for $35,960 of improvements in commons areas and the subdivision's two parks. If approved, each homeowner would pay a one-time $124 assessment.

The assessment is needed to make improvements because regular annual dues from homeowners are used for snowplowing and maintenance of commons areas and parks, with little, if any, left for

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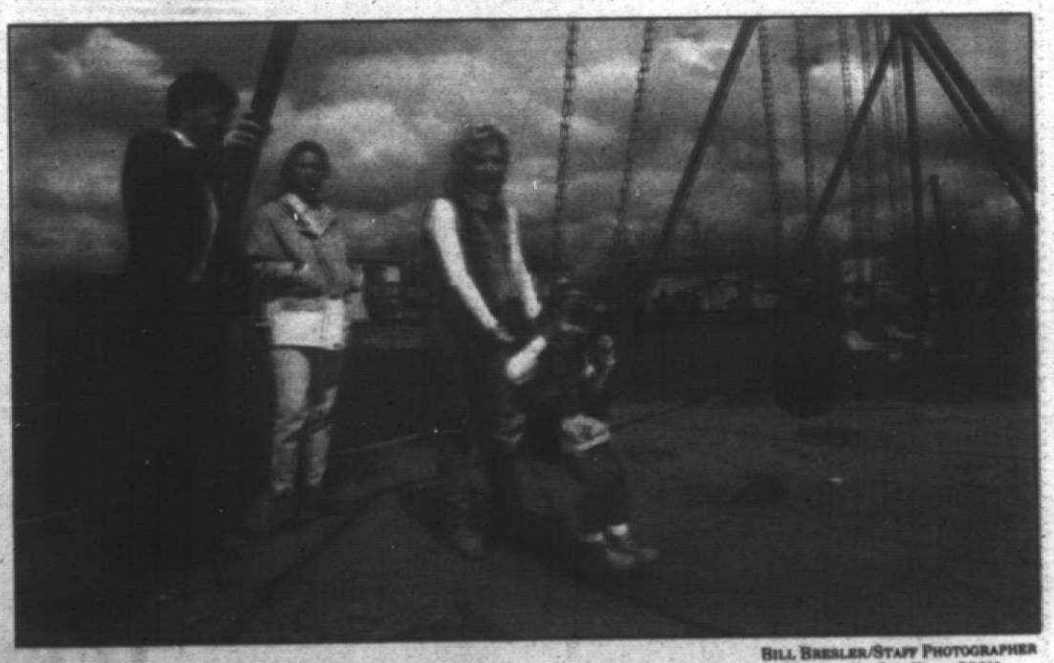

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Investing: *Pickwick Village Homeowners Association directors (from left) Pat Williams, Jill Berry with her daughter, Victoria, 3, and Barb Bergenty are asking homeowners to pay for improvements in their eastern Canton subdivision.*

Family ties



BILL BRESSLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Day one: *Newly elected Canton clerk Terry Bennett spends a moment with her husband, state Sen. Loren Bennett, former township clerk, after she is sworn into office Monday morning, her first day of work.*

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authorized paying Nankin $8,500-$8,600 out of Canton's general fund to Nankin — equal to Canton's share of municipal credits — if the May 23 vote results in Canton losing those credits. The payment would ensure service to Canton through June 30, the end of Nankin's financial year.

Canton Supervisor Tom Yack has organized a study team with Shufeldt, trustees John Burdziak and Bob Shefferly, as well as Canton residents who use Nankin, to develop transporation alternatives for the township. Burdizak is a Nankin board member and Shefferly is a former board member.

"They are looking at all possibilities," Yack said.

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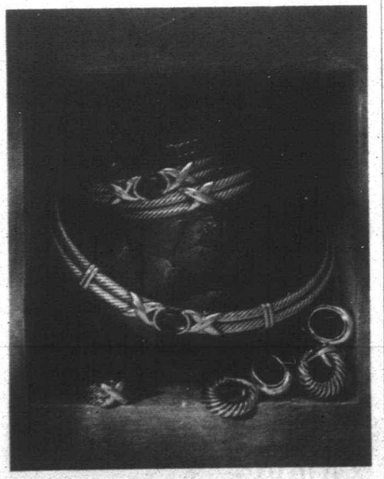

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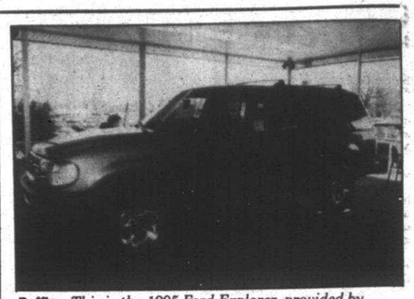
NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Editor's note: *Listed below are construction projects, residential and commercial, as well as road projects, proposed or underway, that may interest Canton residents. This column will be published intermittently to keep residents abreast of development in the community.*

- **Rezonings:** Applications to rezone some 1,000 acres for residential development have been brought to Canton Planning Services in the past few months. Property includes large tracts, mainly on the west side of the township, Beck Road west. One of the larger tracts is 630 acres, west of Beck, between Cherry Hill and Geddes, which would provide 1,000 new residential lots.
- **New developments:** New projects in the township review process include North Point West, a 60-lot subdivision, west of Beck, south of Joy, for which the planning commission recently recommended denial. Also included is Cobblestone Ridge, south of Ford, east of Beck, that would add 153 new sites and was recommended for approval. Other projects that will come before the planning commission in the near future are Fairways West, a 308-lot subdivision, south of Cherry Hill, west of Beck; and Royal Pointe'ok", on the southwest corner of Warren and Ridge, with 132 lots.
- **Road projects:** The following projects are planned for Canton this construction season: Engineering design work for the extension of Morton Taylor Road, Ford to Warren, is underway. It is expected to be bid for construction this summer. Plans call for a two-lane road, with a $1.2 million price tag, paid mainly with federal road money through Wayne County. Landscaping is proposed for both sides of the new road, financed by the township. The road is expected to be open in spring 1996. Canton Center Road, Cherry Hill to Ford, will be widened to five lanes. It is expected to be bid for construction this fall. Future plans include expanding the road, Ford to Warren, to five lanes. The Michigan Department of Transportation will resurface Ford Road, Canton Center east to Marlowe, this spring and summer. Work will begin in early May, with reasonable access maintained for all driveways. Questions about this project may be directed to MDOT resident engineer John Sanford, 397-1717.
- **Restaurant:** McDonald's is meeting with planning staff this month to discuss a possible restaurant on the north side of Michigan, just west of Canton Center Road. The plans would require special land use approval and commercial site approval.
- **Shopping center improvements:** Jacob Bakal of Ford Road Associates, the new owner of Canton Landing shopping center, has proposed plans to improve the shopping center and site, on the north side of Ford, between Sheldon and Canton Center roads. He wants to add decorative brick walls, improve parking lot landscaping, update the center's sign from a pole sign to a ground sign, and construct a new building facade. The site plan was approved this month by the township.

For more information about project development in Canton, call planning services, 397-5390; call engineering and public works for information about infrastructure improvements and new subdivisions, 397-5405; building-related and ordinance questions should be directed to building and inspection services, 397-5400. For information about the Summit on the Park community center and Pheasant Run Golf Course, call parks and recreation, 397-5110.



Raffle: *This is the 1995 Ford Explorer, provided by Blackwell Ford, that is being raffled June 1 with proceeds to be given to the Canton Community Playscape.*

Raffle aids project

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

A new 1995 Ford Explorer may be waiting for you.

The Canton Community Playscape project, in conjunction with the Canton Community Foundation, is hosting a raffle of the Explorer to benefit the Heritage Hideout playscape.

The raffle will be at 7 p.m. June 1, at Blackwell Ford, which provided the Explorer for the fundraiser. Tickets are $50 each. They are available by calling Lee Bittinger of Re/Max Crossroads at 453-8700.

Bittinger approached Len Gossman, Blackwell sales manager, and Joan Noricks, foundation executive director, about the benefit raffle for the playscape, which will be built by volunteers in Canton's Heritage Park June 7-11.

"We are 10-20 percent of the way there," Bittinger said, of ticket sales. Tickets also are available at the Outback Steakhouse on Ford Road, as well as at Rock Financial on Ford Road.

The maximum number of tickets that will be sold is 2,000, but a minimum of 600 must be sold for the Explorer to be raffled. If less than 600 ticketa are sold, the prize will be $10,000, Bittinger said.

The Explorer, with a $27,100 sticker price, is charcoal gray with XLT trim and has four-wheel drive, a luxury package, performance axle, trailer towing package, all-terrain tires and stereo with cassette.

The Explorer is on display at Blackwell Ford, 41001 Plymouth Road. It will also be on display during the Canton Fishing Derby 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 6, near the ponds in Heritage Park, behind Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

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Support for school millage measure pondered

BY M.B. DILLON
STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth Canton Board of Education heard from citizens regarding the June 12 millage election and the proposed 1995-96 budget at its workshop Monday night.

Don Kronig of Plymouth said the district faces a serious problem.

"Maybe none of you can admit this in public, but if the vote was taken today, it (the 2.3-mill proposed increase) would be a failure. We really need to open up the campaign and come up with strong reasons why voters should pass this."

Volunteers who serve on the Class-size Action Partnership said they spent Sunday afternoon going through the budget, and came up with $562,000 in savings that could be used to hire teachers.

"In the past, the thought was to keep it quiet, and just get the people out who are in support of the millage. If we follow that strategy this time, the negative vote will come out in force," said Kronig, adding that he's spoken with many people in the community.

The district, he said, should address challenges raised by the Observer: a)"Why didn't the previous $12 million bond issue solve our problems?; b)What will the millage money be used for, and why should it be supported? We must overcome inherent voter distrust."

Kronig suggested that while Superintendent Charles Little deserves credit for his efforts, letters to the editor should be sent to newspapers. "These questions should be answered in writing. A lot of people pick up the newspaper and that's the only input they get. If the millage fails, the schools and our children will fail," he said.

Little said information on the millage is going home in school newsletters. Also, representatives from the district's speakers bureau are addressing many of Plymouth-Canton's 70 homeowners' groups.

"The distrust issue is real. It's being addressed a little at a time," Little said. "We need to foster a sense of connectedness that doesn't exist, for whatever reason. The trust will come as people realize there is a reason to be connected."

Board Treasurer Roland Thomas said the $12 million bond sale was never meant to be the end-all for high technology. "Let's not have selective memories," he said. "About four years ago, we were sitting in this room asking, 'Is $12 million enough?' We knew it wasn't enough, and we were up-front. We were aware there was some grant money available," and went after it. It was an election year, and while Plymouth-Canton was deserving, the money went to Texas, Thomas recalled.

The district wants to purchase software, computers and related equipment with millage revenues.

Trustee Mark Horvath agreed that letters to the editor would be helpful.

"We aren't taking advantage of all the things available to us. We need to get our message out in public," he said.

Judy Mardigian of the Class-size Action Partnership said the district's problems can't be solved without a long-range plan. "I just hope we aren't here next year asking the same questions," she said. "CAP has identified the need for 20-30 teachers."

The second half of the workshop was devoted to long-range planning. The board is considering hiring an outside consultant to facilitate planning in the district.

CAP members met Sunday and pared $562,000 from next year's budget, said Kronig, a CAP member. Kronig said savings could be realized by deducting $200,000 from the health insurance budget; $220,000 from the fund balance; and $82,000 in energy program costs. He said elimination of the Employee Assistance Program would save $45,000, while eliminating the increase in Blue Cross stop loss insurance would save $15,000.

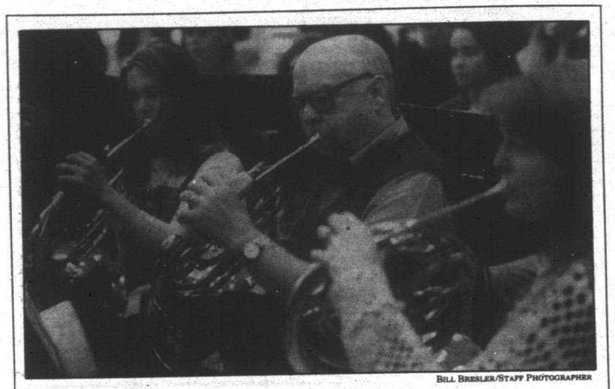
An unknown amount will be saved due to administrators taking advantage of the district's early severance package.

Savings could be used to hire 12 teachers, Kronig said, adding that a grant writer could be hired to generate more funds.

"We have real money here if we are willing to dedicate it to teachers," Kronig said.

Thomas disagreed, saying the proposed cuts would be ill-advised.

Board Vice President Susan Feiten commended CAP's efforts and noted that "if it weren't for you and our board candidates, this room would be almost empty. It's a real sad commentary on our community."



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Concerto concert: *Professor Louis Stout rehearses with the PCEP symphony band in preparation for Tuesday's concerto concert.*

Musicians get rave reviews

The Plymouth-Canton Educational Park Symphony Band — which drew rave reviews from band directors at the Mid-West International Band Clinic in Chicago last December — featured four concertos at its May 2 concert. Appearing with the PCEP musicians as guest performer was professor Louis J. Stout of the University of Michigan.

Kicking off the evening's entertainment was the 80-member concert band, under the direction of James Griffith. The band performed "His Excellency March" by Henry Filmore, "Fortress" by Frank Techeli, and the "First Suite in E Flat" by Gustav Holst.

The performance was evaluated by band directors from the University of Michigan, Michigan State University and Eastern Michigan University, since the band will not be attending the state band festival this year.

The symphony band opened its portion of the concert with the "Celebration Overture" by Paul Creston. Concertos were then performed by members of the symphony band, including "Polacca" from "Second Concerto for Clarinet" featuring Dan Hodge, Rusty Shedd and Oriana Vigliotti; "Andante and Rondo" featuring bassoon soloist Benjamin Greanya; "Concertino for Marimba and Band" with marimba soloist Chris Konovaliv; and "Concerto for Four Horns" with a French horn double quartet including Mercedes Shriver, Jennifer Nagy, Amanda Humphrey, Jodi Wilson, Jennifer Carter, Leslie Calhoun, Katie Darling and Stout.

The PCEP Bands Finale Concert for 1994-95 will be at 8 p.m. Friday, June 2, in the Salem auditorium. The concerts are free and open to the public.

Adjudicators for the concert band were H. Robert Reynolds, director of bands, University of Michigan; John Whitwell, director of bands, Michigan State University; and Dr. Max Plank, director of bands, Eastern Michigan University.

Condo plans near Mettetal have some pilots unhappy

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

Some Mettetal pilots are unhappy with plans to build condominiums on Warren and Old Haggerty, not far from the state-owned airport.

"I'd rather have to take my plane down on an office building than an apartment with eight families," a Mettetal pilot told Canton planning commissioners. "I don't think you would want to live there. I don't think you would want to put your family at risk."

Planning commissioners recommended rezoning of acreage on the southwest corner of Warren and Old Haggerty — by the historic Hough School — from office to single-family residential. Developer Mel Belovicz plans to build 72 attached condominiums near the Fox Creek subdivision.

"Basically, it's a good transitional site," Belovicz said, referring to building condominiums near the subdivision.

Fox Creek residents urged Belovicz to maintain his promises to them regarding buffer zones and drainage concerns on the property. It is approximately 30 percent wetland, which will require state Department of Natural Resources involvement.

Mettetal pilots also have expressed concern about the Coves of Canton condominiums on the northeast corner of Warren and Lilley, immediately south of Mettetal.

A pilot told planning commissioners he believes the township had agreed earlier not to rezone the property from office to residential because of air traffic. But planner Jeff Goulet said he was unaware of any such promise. The rezoning is consistent with the future master land use plan.

"Canton itself is growing. We cannot stop the growth," said Vic Gustafson, commission chairman. "It comes to the point where the community and the airport have to work together."

Another resident said planning commissioners should look at the noise, airport and nearby railroad tracks before approving a rezoning to residential.

Belovicz, who was unavailable for further comment, has apparently agreed to restore the historic Hough School that sits on his property. He has long tried to get someone to remove the house from his property.

"We suggested when he came in with his concept that the school — it sits on a wing off his main piece of property — can be split off from the rest of the development," said Trustee Melissa McLaughlin, planning commissioner and Canton Historic District Commission member.

Apparently, Belovicz will restore the house into a single-family home. "It will be small but not that smaller than the condominiums."

The Hough School is a designated historic building.

Absentee voting could be easier

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

It may not encourage more people to vote, but it would make absentee voting a lot easier.

State Sen. Loren Bennett recently introduced Senate Bill 366 that would eliminate the requirement that voters must check off one of six specific reasons why they are applying for an absentee ballot. The bill is expected to be voted out of committee within the next few weeks.

"The requirement may have had a reason at one time. Now it's silly," said Bennett, former Canton clerk.

Deputy Canton Clerk Connie Roessler said that, currently, staff must check to be sure a reason has been checked for an absentee ballot. In reality, there is no enforcement mechanism to be sure a voter is not fibbing about one of the reasons.

"Clerk's don't verify these things. The actual language says you expect to be out-of-town on an election. No one really takes it seriously," Bennett said.

The requirement adds clerical time because the clerk's staff has to be sure a reason is checked off. Sometimes that causes lines for voters waiting to hand in their absentee voter applications, Roessler said.

"It really is a clerical thing. Some people are hesitant to say they are absent from the community all day," Roessler said.

While clerk, Bennett worked to increase absentee voting. The clerk's office mails absentee voter applications to all people 60 years and older who have voted absentee in the past. With updated computer software, the clerk's staff can mark any person who has previously asked to receive a absentee voter application, Roessler said.

"We have doubled the absentee voter list," she said. "A good percentage of the voters in Canton are absentee voters."

Bennett is doubtful his bill will increase voter turnout. "Those who are voting will continue to vote," he added.

Playscape committee to meet

The Canton Community Playscape children's committee will meet from 1-3 p.m. Saturday, May 6, in the Canton Recreation Center at Michigan Avenue and Sheldon Road.

All kids are welcome to join in the fun of working on projects for the Heritage Hideout playscape. Kids will make signs to direct people to the playscape construction site in Heritage Park. Kids are asked to return their penny cans and to bring empty milk jugs and cans so those working on construction June 7-11 can keep nails in the containers.

For more information, call Lana Tatom, 981-2914, or Kim Sanford, 453-6407.

Mettetal meeting

The public is invited to attend the monthly Canton-Plymouth Mettetal Airport Advisory Board meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 4, in the E.A.A. hangar at the airport on the southeast corner of Lilley and Joy.

Senior party

Parents of seniors graduating from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem high schools are needed to volunteer for the senior class party. Volunteers are needed for card dealing and to act as chaperones. For more information, call 459-3816.

School election

The last day to register in the June 12 school election is Monday, May 15, either at the Secretary of State office in North Harvard Square shopping center or Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

The three items on the ballot will be a renewal of the tax on non-homestead properties, 2.3 enhancement mills for two years and the election of two new board members.

Applications for absentee ballots are available from the election office at the E.J. McClendon Educational Center, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, or by calling 416-3095.

Absentee ballots will be available after May 23. The school district election office will be open during regular business hours and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 10, to request absentee ballots.

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taking the savings from the severance package and investing just one-third of that into teachers," she added. "Teachers and students are the first thing we are about in this district. We talk about class size all the time.

"I know we have needs that have been unmet for years because of cuts, but it's difficult when we have a problem as large as this. We talk about doing business differently; I don't see evidence of that."

Trustee Mark Horvath said it bothers him that there aren't answers to questions such as: How much does it cost to educate one child, and how much will it cost Plymouth-Canton to meet state mandates on textbooks?

"We have to start answering some of these questions. Saying 'Next year at this time' isn't going to get it any more," said Horvath. "This hit-and-miss list has to change. If we came into $500,000 tomorrow, we should know what is the next thing we would get."

"If you look back at the district's budgets," said Trustee Jack Farrow, "you will see the percentages for wages and salaries have steadily increased, while the percentage of the budget for everything else has steadily decreased. We've put teachers in the classroom without adequate texts and tools, maybe not in the best interest of students."

Superintendent Charles Little said the proposal is "my idea of a balance. I don't know where to begin except with a short list. The list isn't comprehensive; it's a short list of what needs to be done. A bond will be needed shortly for all the projects."

Board President David Artley said, "I admit this isn't as clear as it should be. With all due respect to the longtime board members, we haven't always had these conversations. That was perhaps an error on our part."

The administration also is recommending the hiring of an individual to assist administrators Donna Aveck and Dave Rodwell in training staff in the use of high technology.

A detailed study showed the district's needs are many, said Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for business.

"We have $9 million in unfunded projects; $5.4 million of it in furniture and equipment that's badly in need of repair and replacement."

No formal action was taken on the budget.

Canton Waste Recycling is changing its Saturday cleanup and recycling hours as of May 13.

On the second and fourth Friday and Saturdays of each month, Canton residents may take items that are not normally picked up during regular curbside collection to the CWR facility, 42020 Van born Road.

Canton cleanup hours on Fridays are 10 a.m.– 4 p.m. and 8 a.m.– noon on Saturdays, beginning May 13. Recycling is also accepted during cleanup hours. CWR also has set aside certain Fridays for residents to bring in recyclable materials only.

Residents are reminded that yard waste cannot be collected in plastic bags. Paper compost bags are acceptable as well as reusable 30-gallon containers that are marked "compost."

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- ***October:*** Fridays, Oct. 13 and 27; Saturdays, Oct. 14 and 28.
- ***November:*** Friday, Nov. 10; Saturday, Nov. 11.
- ***December:*** Friday, Dec. 8; Saturday, Dec. 9.



Homeowners

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At 2 p.m. Sunday, May 7, residents in the 291-home subdivision east of Lilley, will be asked to support a special assessment on themselves to pay for $35,960 of improvements in commons areas and the subdivision's two parks.

additional needs, said Pat Williams, association director.

Improvements include subdivision landscaping; a neighborhood identification sign at the entrance on Barchester, off Lilley Road; a park pavilion; new park tables and benches; play equipment for toddlers; a playscape for smaller children; two portable soccer goals; park landscaping and maintenance; and the installation of small reflectors on the curbs at the Barchester/Lilley Road entrance.

"We have been moderate and tapped into other resources to reduce the costs," said Jill Berry, association director.

To reduce costs to homeowners for the improvements, the association — if the assessment passes — plans to work with Global Releaf of Michigan. Global Releaf will provide a reimbursement for planting trees up to $1,000. If the association plants $1,000 worth of trees, Global Releaf will do the same in the neighborhood. "They will come out and teach us how to plant them," Berry said.

The association also will work with Jennings Park Equipment, which offers a 10 percent discount on park equipment if the neighborhood recycles 20,000 milk jugs.

The improvements are designed to maintain the neighborhood, from Lilley to Courtland, and Brookshire to Greenwood, as newer homes are built in Canton. "We have got to do something to maintain our attractiveness," Williams said.

For example, homes in Canton have appreciated in value on the average of 6.7 percent. Newer subdivisions have increased in value 7-10 percent. Pickwick Village, however, increased only 4.2 percent.

"A lot of the younger families moving in here started looking at the parks and equipment and wanted to know if we could do better than this," Bergenty said, of the subdivision's two parks — North Park and South Park. "We are cleaning up our existing equipment and hope to buy new equipment. We are going to improve what we have here."

The association board conducted a survey of homeowners to find out what is needed to keep the neighborhood competitive. Priorities gathered from the survey included: repair of current park equipment, street lighting, repair of the South Park pathway, building a pavilion and repair or removal of the subdivision sign at Barchester and Lilley.

"We want to put new life into our subdivision," Berry added.

The association, according to its bylaws, needs 60 percent of the residents to participate in the May 7 vote. If not, the association can come back for a second vote, which requires a 30 percent turnout.

If the vote passes, association directors plan to take out the necessary permits from the township and get to work on the improvements within 60-90 days.

Lawsuit

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Eric Maloney confronted them. "I thought the detectives used considerable restraint. He was name-calling and saying a lot of obnoxious things," Wilson said, adding it appeared Maloney was trying to get the police to step out of their

In his complaint, Maloney, who is legally representing himself, charged that Keppen threatened to kill him, verbally abused him and that detectives shined lights into Shirley Maloney's house and made phone calls to her house.

Wilson said that after other detectives arrived at the Northville house, Maloney stood in front of a police car. "Maloney walked right into the front of the car. He began yelling that the officer struck him," Wilson said.

Northville police arrested Maloney for interfering with an officer, Wilson said.

Detectives went to Eric Maloney's house in Waterford because Chris Maloney did not appear at the Northville house. Detectives saw Chris Maloney's car parked in Eric Maloney's driveway.

"One detective and a Waterford officer entered his house with permission," Wilson said.

In his complaint, Maloney called the search illegal and "warrantless." Detectives did not find Chris Maloney at his brother's house. Maloney also charges that detectives rifled through Maloney's papers, left footprints throughout the house and released two cats that are now missing. They also left the front door open, Maloney charged.

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Women rave about health day event

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

Life is a series of problems. Don't be so hard on yourself. Imagine yourself how you want to be. The power of your mind is incredible, and whatever you give out has an amazing way of coming back to you.

These were the messages offered by Suzanne Paille, psychotherapist and certified hypnotherapist, at the first annual Women's Health Day sponsored by St. Mary Hospital Marian Women's Center last Saturday.

Paille was among nearly two dozen speakers relaying their expertise on subjects ranging from heart disease to life after 50 during a series of one hour sessions to a group of nearly 260 people in the Holiday Inn-West in Livonia.

Informative and inspirational is how Joset Jackson and Rita Grima, both of Livonia, described the event.

The day-long event focused on keeping women healthy and won hands-down approval from the two Livonia women.

"The sessions were geared toward women's health issues. It was hard to pick between the topics," said Grima.

"It was very specific to my life and gave me information to continue growing," added Jackson.

For Gail Florence, a registered nurse from Canton Township, Paille's lecture was a refresher on the benefits of positive thinking.

"Many of the things she said are things you may already know but it's good to write them down and think," said Florence.

Cheryl Spitler also attended Paille's presentation. The Westland resident is going to try to use the relaxation techniques at home.

"It's all about being good to yourself," Spitler said.

Julie Sproul, St. Mary's director of community relations, chairs the Women's Health Care Community Advisory Council that along with hospital staff planned the event.

The program was supported by Project SMILE, an organization established to enhance women's, children's and infants' health care services at St. Mary Hospital.

Among the sponsors were Baby Baby of Northville, Holiday Inn-West, Flowers from Joe's by Carolynn, Merri-Craft Florist, Dance World, and Talbot Kids of Livonia.

Exhibits, make-overs, massages, and health screenings were also available during the event. A luncheon complete with fashions from Jacobsons kicked off an afternoon of sessions on eating disorders in women, getting beyond depression and building relationships between mothers and adolescent daughters.

"We had a good response to Women's Health Day, especially in the areas of emotional help," said Sproul. "As a hospital we're known for providing help for physical ailments. We'd also like to be known for offering programs geared toward emotional help as well."

Marilyn Turner, co-host of WXYZ-TV Channel 7's morning talk show, "Company" served as honorary hostess for the event.

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Mind empowerment: *Suzanne Paille, a certified hypnotist and psychotherapist, talks about balancing life and increasing self-esteem during a Women's Health Day forum Saturday in Livonia.*

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Outgoing Catholic Central principal will miss school

By Laurie Curcuru
Special Writer

At the end of this school year, the young men at Catholic Central High will bid farewell to the Rev. Joseph Moffatt whose tenure as principal of the all-male school will end in June.

Moffatt, a native Detroiter, is a member of the Basilian order of priests who founded the school in 1928.

The superior Basilian Fathers routinely decide when a priest's tenure is up and assign him a new position. Moffatt was appointed principal of Catholic Central in 1989 and will leave this June.

"I have had six rewarding, pleasant, great years," said Fr. Moffatt. "I have thoroughly enjoyed them."

Before joining Catholic Central in Redford, Moffatt was principal of Aquinas Institute in Rochester, N.Y. Moffatt said his love for Catholic Central, his alma mater, attracted him to the position of principal.

The school had financial and enrollment difficulties at the time that Moffatt saw as a challenge. The experience of having been a principal before helped him to be a successful principal at Catholic Central, he said.

Among his greatest achievements at Catholic Central, Moffatt includes the accreditation of the school, a stead increase in enrollment, and financial solvency.

According to Greg Grabowksi, Catholic Central's associate director of development and public relations, Moffatt is directly responsible for Catholic Central having become fully accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

Catholic Central is one of only five private schools in the state to be accredited as a college preparatory school.

During his duration as principal, Moffatt has upheld the graduate rate of 99 percent of seniors who go on to colleges or universities and one percent to military academies. Enrollment averages about 1,000 young men each year from western Wayne County and surrounding communities.

As Moffatt reflects upon his years, he said there isn't a single occazion that stands out. "It's the totality. It's the staff. It's the students. It's everything from August 1989 through June 1995."

A member of the Catholic Central Class of 1951, Moffatt became the school's 15th principal. He said he learned quite a bit at Catholic Central — both times.

"I've learned a great deal from the parents. Catholic Central has great, cooperative, dedicated parents who expected the same things from their kids as we do."

He's also learned to appreciate the diverse areas in which Catholic Central students succeed. "The kids here are second to none. I'd put them up against any I've encountered, anywhere."

During Moffatt's tenure, the school has maintained its athletic reputation with many titles, including three State Class AA championships in football and hockey in the past five years.

But the school also has learned national esteem for its academic and artistic brillance. Catholic Central has a record status of 101 National Merit Semifinalists over the past 11 years. The school's Quiz Bowl team finished second in the nation in 1994 and the Marching Band has been recognized world-wide and has performed in London and Paris.

According to Grabowski, Moffatt has been highly popular with the kids and their parents. "He's a hands-on administrator. He can get the guys really pumped up, especially at events like school rallies. He is really very well-liked."

Moffatt also has supported Catholic Central's community involvement though blood drives, canned food drives, the Muscular Dystrophy Lock-Up, and Make a Wish Foundation's Fun Run.

Moffatt offers credit to his late Irish mother for his priesthood. In his younger days Moffatt dreamed of a career in broadcast journalism. "I wouldn't have had to be, you know, like Carmen Harlan or anything," he laughs, "I'd have just been happy dragging cords around the studio."

Moffatt earned masters degrees in English and music. A lover of music and enthusiast of Hammond organs, Moffatt has special affection for organist Ethel Smith. "I've heard her play. I've met her. And I have some of her arrangements," he gushes.

While not certain what his next permanent position will be, Moffatt (who is in his early 60s) make sit clear he's not retiring. "I'm just too young."

His plans may including helping out in area parishes and offering to substitute teach in Catholic schools. "I'd also love to study culinary arts."

Moffatt offers this advice to the Shamrocks' new principal: "Stay close to the kids and their parents. Quickly come to realize how rich the fabric of Catholic Central is and promote that."

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Sept. 30 at the Livonia Holiday Inn, Livonia.
(313) 824-8550 or (313) 886-0770

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Classes of 1970-1979
JUNE 30 AT THE WARREN VALLEY GOLF Club and Banquet Center, Dearborn Heights.
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CLASS OF 1960
Aug. 5 at the Embassy Suites Hotel, Livonia.
(810) 263-7023

Dearborn Sacred Heart
CLASS OF 1976
Oct. 14 at the Park Place, Dearborn.
(313) 441-1721 or (313) 522-4034

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CLASS OF JANUARY 1947
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(810) 474-0012

Detroit Cass Tech
CLASS OF 1950
Sept. 23 at the Somerset Inn, Troy.
(810) 465-2277 or (810) 263-6803
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Aug. 19-20 with open house, family picnic, dinner-dance at the Westin Hotel, Detroit.
(313) 937-4661 or Cass Tech 1972 Reunion, P.O. Box 7415, Bloomfield Hills 48302-7415.
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(810) 363-4039, (313) 535-3936 or (313) 886-9789

JANUARY-JUNE 1950-1951
Sept. 16 at St. Clement Hall, Dearborn.
(313) 273-1589

Detroit Cody
CLASS OF 1975
Aug. 12 at the Livonia Holiday Inn, Livonia.
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JANUARY-JUNE CLASSES OF 1970
Oct. 28 at the Novi Hilton Hotel, Novi.
(313) 886-0770

Detroit Cooley
CLASSES OF 1929-54
Reunion picnic Aug. 9 at Rotary Park, Livonia.
(313) 522-0752
CLASSES OF 1945
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(810) 338-0232 or (810) 478-4644

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CLASS OF 1950
Oct. 14 at the Sterling Inn, Sterling Heights.
(810) 585-2083 or (810) 647-3833
CLASS OF 1945
Sept. 17 at The Gourmet House, St. Clair Shores.
(616) 940-1521, (810) 263-5262 or (810) 347-1156

JANUARY-JUNE CLASSES OF 1975
A reunion planned for Oct. 13.
(810) 373-1031
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Nov. 25 at the Northfield Hilton Hotel, Troy.
(313) 886-0770
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Sept. 23 at the Hillcrest Country Club.
(810) 751-4981 or (810) 363-6622

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CLASS OF 1945
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Oct. 6 at the Ukrainian Cultural Center, Warren.
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(810) 349-5245 or (313) 837-0641
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CLASS OF 1965 REUNION
Oct. 28 at the Antheneum Hotel, Detroit.
(313) 886-0770

Detroit Northern
CLASSES OF 1930'S
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Health

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Turner initially joined forces with St. Mary Hospital as an advocate of women's health through Project SMILE, sponsor of Women's Health Day.

Denise Dador, Channel 7's health reporter, was the keynote speaker.

Jeanette Scott found the session on heart disease most beneficial to her. Another segment of the day she appreciated was the keynote address by Dador.

"I had a quadruple bypass so I was interested in that session but I found Denise Dador fascinating. She spoke about how she decides what stories to report on and how you need to take charge of your own health," Scott said. "I thought the day was well organized and a service to the community."

In an afternoon session, Mary T. Martin from the Livonia Chamber of Commerce, speaking about life getting better after 50, said "you can age in any way you want to age."

Age is a state of mind, said Martin. "I like to believe my life before 50 was just a build-up for what's yet to be."

Also featured was a session on breast cancer.

Information during the hour-long panel discussion dispelled myths about cancer spreading when air hits the cells during a biopsy. The panel also revealed the newest methods in detecting breast cancer.

In addition, women were given the National Cancer Institute's 1-800-4CANCER number to call for more information and pamphlets.

St. Mary's radiation oncology department chairman Omar Majid, MD, told how a new Michigan law did away with physician bias in deciding on the course of breast cancer treatment. Gone are the days when a woman awoke from a biopsy unaware that a mastectomy had been performed. Majid relayed facts like 40 percent of all women with the disease choose lumpectomies and the rest, mastectomies.

One woman in the audience asked how to find out if a mammmography center is certified. Majid relayed the process to log into the Internet in search of recognized centers and board certified cancer surgeons.

Veda Muthleb, MD, a pathologist at St. Mary Hospital, reiterated the main message of the day — she told women it's up to them to take control.



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After 50: *Mary Martin's talk on life after 50 was touched with light moments and laughter during Womens Health Day.*

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The Board of Trustees has the complete authority to establish that 2.27 mills be levied in 1995 from within its present authorized millage rate.

The maximum additional proposed millage rate would increase revenues for operating purposes from ad valorem property tax levies in 1994 otherwise permitted by Act 5, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982, by an estimated two and nine-tenths percent (2.9%).

The figure for increase in revenue for operating purposes is based on the latest estimate of state equalized valuation of property located within the College District. In the event that state equalized valuation as finalized is for any reason higher than the estimate used for this hearing, the Board of Trustees must hold another public hearing before levying millage on any higher valuation.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony and discuss the levy of an additional millage rate. Not less than seven (7) days following the public hearing, the Board of Trustees may approve all or any portion of the proposed additional millage rate.

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PATRICIA WATSON, Secretary

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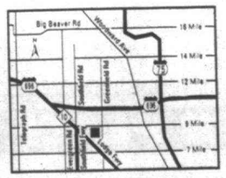

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"I was stunned at first," Jones said. "I thought my mom was pulling a joke on me. When I found out she wasn't, I don't know, I was just real happy. I've won stuff before, but nothing as big as this."

Brandon, who has delivered the Livonia Observer for 3½ months, will be accompanied by his parents, Brenda and Mark Henrickson, and his 16-year-old sister Kalisha.

"Some of my friends at school are carriers, too, and they've been bugging me about it," Jones said. "One of my friends said he'd been a carrier for five years and hadn't won anything."

To be eligible for the giant raffle, carriers had to turn their collection money in on time. Every month of timely collections earned them a raffle ticket. Jones's ticket was drawn April 5.

His prize package includes round-trip airfare, hotel lodging and admission to Magic Kingdom, Epcot Center and Disney/MGM Studios.

"I can't wait," Brandon said.

In addition to the grand prize, the raffle also yielded cash prizes to two carriers from each Observerland city. Here are the individual winners:

Livonia: Bryan Fitzgibbon ($100), Rachel DeWitt ($50).

Plymouth: Ryan Koet ($100), Steve Gordon ($50).

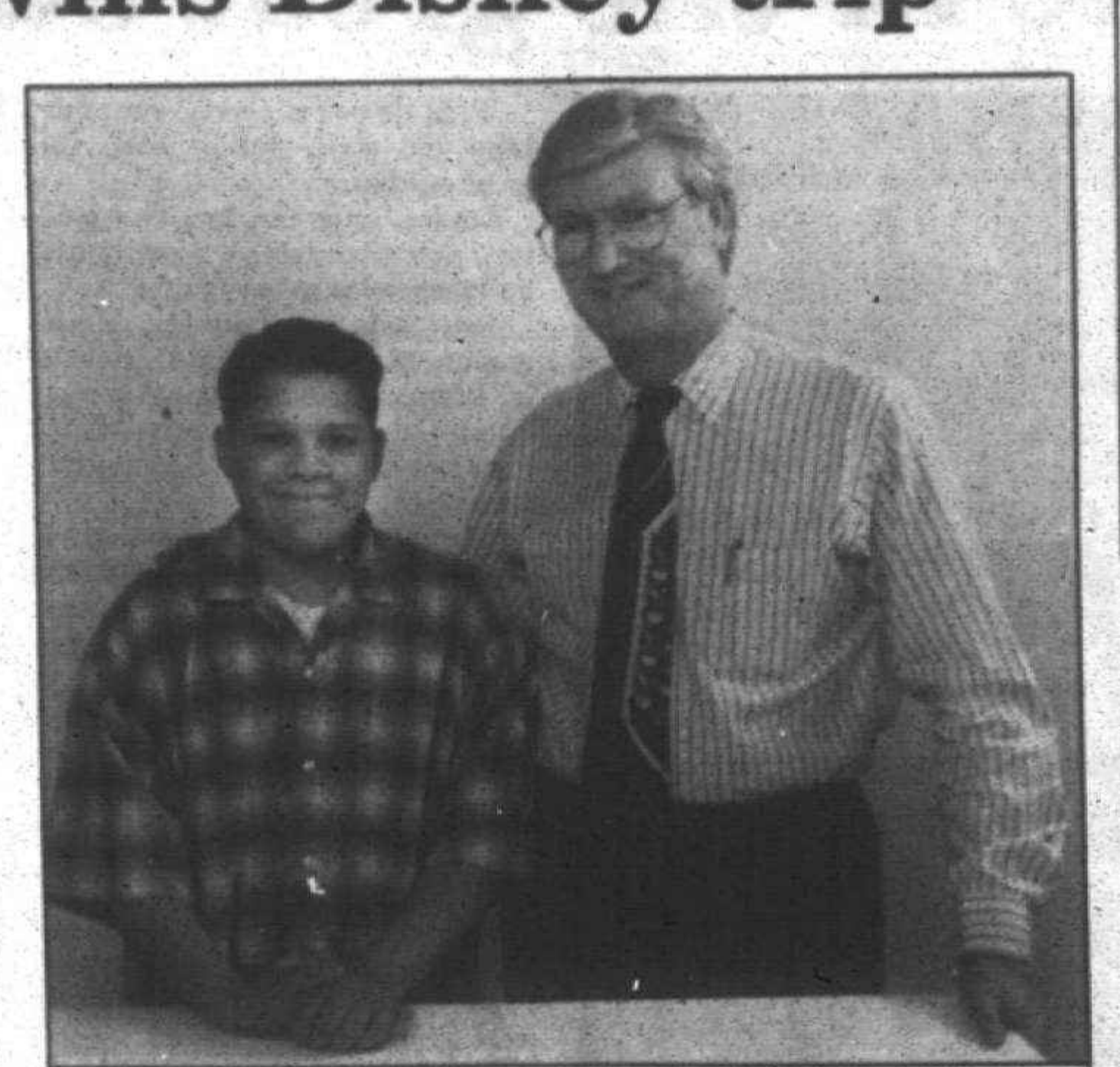
Canton: Steve Bernecki ($100), Nick Oswalt ($50).

Redford: Chris Beaman ($100), Brian Mackie ($50).

Westland: Lindsey Broadbent ($100), Robert Warren ($50).

Garden City: Rosanna Swalley ($100), Brian Jaskolski ($50).

Farmington: Melissa Watson ($100), Dan Paulson ($50).



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Disney bound: *Brandon Jones (at left), a Riley Middle School student, has won the Observer Newspaper Carrier Incentive Program's biggest prize, a four-day stay at Disney World in Orlando, Fla. Standing with Jones is Observer Publisher Banks Dishman.*

Area kids savor Quiz Bowl

Hundreds of Michigan's brightest high school students recently participated in the Super Bowl of Academics — the eighth annual McDonald's state championship Quiz Bowl, sponsored by Senate majority floor leader Dan DeGrow, R-Port Huron.

Local participating teams included Detroit Catholic Central in Redford, Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem in Canton Township, and Stevenson High in Livonia (Class A).

Sixty-three teams representing high schools from across Michigan in the double elimination tournament on the campus of St. Clair County Community College in Port Huron.

Besides DeGrow, the competition is co-sponsored by the Southeastern Michigan McDonald's Operators Association, the state Board of Education and St. Clair County Community College. The Michigan Association of Secondary Principals also approve the contest.

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A cash bar will be available, and a $5 donation is requested. For more information, call (313) 885-5618. The event is sponsored by the metropolitan Detroit chapter of Irish Northern Aid.

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Outdoors: *Students from West Middle School learned how to deal with outdoor life during a class outing.*

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The Metric Magic and their classroom teachers Betty Abraham, Kathy Borg, Mary Ann Foss, Lynn Gordon and Jodi Ring visited the camp April 3-5.

The Upstairs Rulers, under the direction of their classroom teachers Tom Williams and Cindy Ontko, attended the camp April 5-7.

Teachers Dave Greenwood, Mary Ann Martin and Jodi Ring also accompanied the Upstairs Rulers. Additionally, both teams were chaperoned by parent volunteers and other Plymouth-Canton teachers.

Excitement grew as students participated in a wide variety of activities, most of which met objectives from the sixth grade life science curriculum.

Following the tree lab, students could identify several trees by examining the trees' size, bark, leaves or needle bundles.

During nature activities the students learned how various animals use their senses. The youngsters relied on hearing in a game where individuals were blindfolded and assumed the role of either a moth or a bat.

In a camouflage game, sight was the tested sense. Another part of this activity found the students identifying unnatural items along a trail. They learned how these unnatural items can harm animals and what people can do when they find such items in the outdoors.

As part of the pond life activity, students used skimmer nets to collect creatures such as snails, tadpoles, dragonfly nymphs, and even a bluegill.

This type of learning experience is impossible to duplicate in a school setting. As sixth-grader Emily Brewington put it, "I learned that I could live without a TV, without a phone, without Nintendo, and I could stay outdoors all day."

Another student, Brian Balfour, summed it all up this way, "This trip was awesome. It's the best one I've ever taken." 30

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OBITUARIES

DAVID M. MOORE

Services for David M. Moore, 29, of Ann Arbor, will be 11 a.m. Friday, May 5, at St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44800 W. Warren Road, Canton. The Rev. George Charnley will officiate. Burial will be at Stoney Creek Cemetery, Ypsilanti.

He was born Nov. 26, 1965, in Ann Arbor and died Friday, April 28, in Plymouth. He was a graduate of Chelsea High School in 1983. He was nearing completion of his bachelor of arts degree in fine arts at the University of Michigan. He was a library assistant at the University of Michigan and interested in musical theater.

He is survived by his parents, Barbara Graning of Plymouth, and C. Archie Moore of Plymouth; grandparents, Hazel and Clyde Moore of Ypsilanti; sister, Lynette Bush of Grass Lake.

Mass offerings may be made to the church, or to Arbor Hospice, 3810 Packard Road, Suite 200, Ann Arbor 48108.

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RUTH ELLEN DOBBINS

Services for Ruth Ellen Dobbins, 46, of Canton were held Monday, May 1, at Uht Funeral Home. The Rev. Calvin Brown officiated. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery in Livonia.

She was born Aug. 15, 1948, and died Tuesday, April 25. She was a nurse's assistant at Garden City Hospital.

She is survived by her former husband, Phillip Dobbin Sr.; son, Phillip Dobbins Jr. of Westland; daughters, Audrey Thomas of Romulus, and Roseanna Dobbins of Canton; mother, Mary Keller of Wayne; father, Ronald Baker; brothers, Bob Baker, Steve Baker, and John Keller; sisters, Kathy Zagroli and Barb Baker.

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JAMES GRANT STIMPSON SR.

Services for James Grant Stimpson Sr., 81, of Estero, Fla., were in Ft. Meyers, Fla.

He was born April 22, 1914, and died Wednesday, April 26.

He is survived by his children, James Stimpson Jr. of Florida, Joyce Kenyon of Maui, Hawaii; grandchildren, David and Jeffrey Fehlig of Plymouth, and Scott Stimpson and James Stimpson III of Florida.

Student wins leadership award

■ Divine Child principal Sister Mary Elena Sabalausky nominated Darmanin for the Principal's Leadership award, a $1,000 college scholarship.

Competing against about 6,500 school winners from throughout the United States, Jennifer Darmanin, a Plymouth resident and Dearborn Divine Child High School senior, has won a national leadership award.

Divine Child principal Sister Mary Elena Sabalausky nominated Darmanin for the Principal's Leadership award, a $1,000 college scholarship. The honors were presented as part of National Student Leadership Week, April 24-30, by the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) and Herff Jones, Inc.

Principals in high schools throughout the country could nominate one of their student leaders. The 150 winners were selected based on their participation in service organizations, clubs, and athletics; achievements in the arts and sciences; employment experience; and academic record. They also had to write about their personal leadership style and how it was developed through student activities.

"Jennifer has built a record of outstanding service and scholarship while in high school," said NASSP executive director Timothy J. Dyer. "Her leadership potential clearly is demonstrated by winning the Principal's Leadership Award. She is a fine example of the outstanding caliber of young people in America's high schools."

Some of Darmanin's achievements while at Divine Child High School are vice president of the National Honor Society chapter, board member on Michigan's State Honor Society, member of the varsity softball team, forensics national qualifier, and news editor of the school paper. This fall she plans to attend the University of Michigan to study nursing.

Plymouth-Canton swimmers lauded

Six swimmers from the Plymouth-Canton Cruisers Swim Club recently competed in the United States Swimming Michigan short course championship meet — the highest level of age group competition in the state.

To qualify to swim in this meet, a swimmer must meet certain time standards.

The results were: Jonathan Loch (Miller Elementary School) 7th 50 free (29.47), 7th 200 free (2:24.97), 5th 50 back (34.84), 3rd 100 back (1:13.28) and 3rd 100 I.M. (1:12.50). Loch placed 8th in total points scored.

Ben Dzialo (Miller Elementary School): 26th 100 free (1:11.46), 19th 200 free (2:33.87), 8th 50 fly (33.75), 5th 100 fly (1:15.18) and 18th 200 I.M. (2:57.47). Dzialo placed 23rd in total points scored.

Adam Sonnanstine (Miller Elementary School): 28th 100 free (1:12.02), 24th 200 free (2:35.00), 22nd 100 back (1:23.00), 9th 50 breast (39.20), 9th 100 breast (1:26.61), 13th 100 I.M. (1:20.68) and 16th 200 I.M. (2:52.37). Sonnanstine placed 25th in total points scored.

Jason Rebarchik (Central Middle School): 23rd 50 free (27.65) and 14th 50 breast (35.39). Rebarchik placed 40th in total points scored.

Lorenzo Carlson (Tonda Elementary School): 13th 50 breast (40.76). Carlson placed 46th in total points scored.

Bobby Keith (Miller Elementary School): 20th 50 fly (37.46).

The boys 10 and under medley relay of Loch, Sonnanstine, Dzialo and Keith placed 4th. in the state (2:21.58) and their freestyle relay placed 3rd in the state (2:04.70). Both relays broke team records.

The Plymouth-Canton Cruisers placd 15th in total team points — points are scored through 16th place.

High school alumni directory in the works

Looking for that old high school buddy or sweetheart, or maybe just wondering what the old gang is up to?

Plymouth-Canton Community Schools is announcing a great project that will get all Plymouth Salem, Plymouth Canton and Plymouth High School alumni together in one place.

It's the school's first directory of alumni and will include the current names and addresses of all alumni of the school across the country.

If you have a list of alumni from any class year, any updated names and addresses or you know someone who has either, please call Emily Brazzi at 1-800-654-4548. Or fax a list to 1-800-829-4142.

The mailing address for the directory project is: Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Directory of Alumni, Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company, Inc., 22 Koger Center, Norfolk, Va. 23502-4169.

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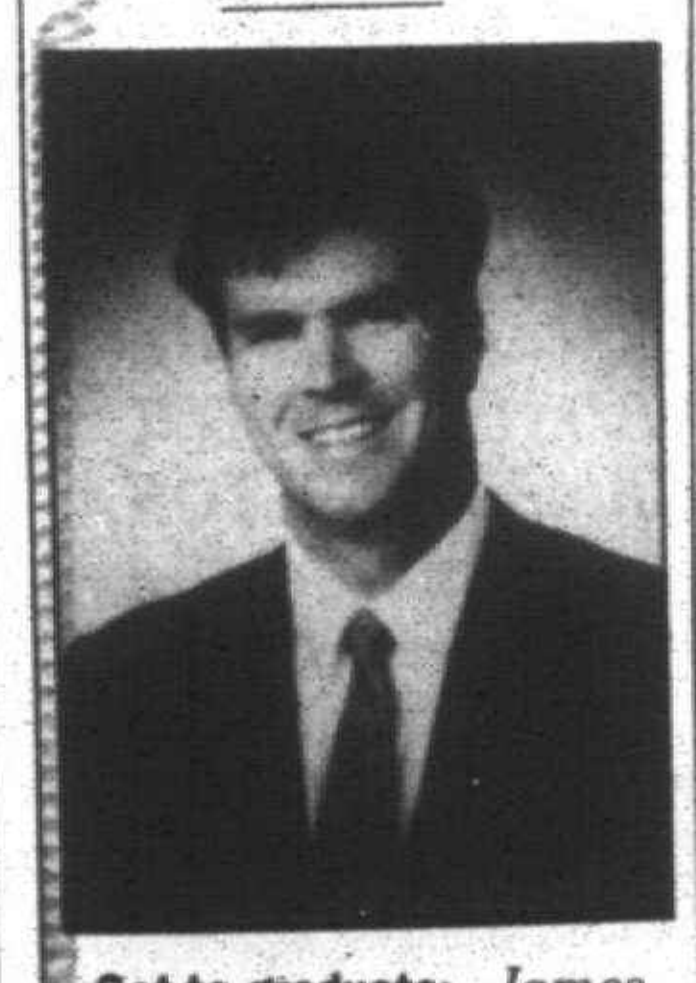

Set to graduate: *James Pilkington, a 1982 Plymouth Canton High alumnus, will graduate May 13 from Michigan State University's College of Human Medicine. While in medical school, he was selected as the student representative to the American College of Surgeons' 80th Clinical Congress and was inducted into the medical school honor society, Alpha Omega Alpha. He will begin his residency in general surgery July 1 in Grand Rapids. His parents are Roy and Helen Pilkington of Plymouth.*

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THE FIRST ACADEMIC ALL-STARS TEAM

CLASS of 1985

LOOKING BACK AFTER 10 YEARS

This year marks the 10th anniversary of the Observer's Academic All-Star program. This year's team - 13 strong - is profiled in a special section found inside today's paper.

The first Observer Academic All-Star team was presented to readers on Thursday, May 2, 1985. Twelve outstanding scholars from local high schools told of their college plans and career ambitions.

The Observer attempted to contact that first group of All-Stars to report on their successes a decade later.

In the end, 10 members now living on the east and west coasts and points in between and beyond responded to our questions. Here's an update on members of that first team - the Observer Academic All-Star Class of 1985.

BY MARY RODRIQUE



JAMES AKAO
Churchill High School, Livonia

Akao was a national merit scholar finalist and winner of the Michigan Math Prize Competition.

"He got a splendid scholarship to Emory University in Atlanta," said his mother, Susan Poupart of Livonia.

"Then he went straight into the Ph.D. program at Berkeley. He won some prestigious awards along the way. He's worked hard and yet he always says 'I can't believe how lucky I am.'"

Akao was reached by phone at his job at the Institute for Advanced Math Study in Princeton, New Jersey. He reflected on the last 10 years.

"I think there was a whole series of good teachers at Churchill, people like Dick Braun, a physics teacher, and Mary Buda for math," he said.

"I feel lucky to be doing science now. At this point, I'm living a dream. The things I work on now are thrilling.

"My general area is computational physics. Essentially I set up experiments on a computer and often in a situation where there are millions of related equations. I try to find an overall solution to a collection of problems."

Akao earned bachelor's degrees in math and physics from Emory University in 1989.

"I liked the atmosphere of a smaller school," he said.

He then accepted a fellowship offered by the Office of Naval Research to study at Berkeley, where he earned a doctorate last spring. He's doing post doctoral research now at Princeton and eventually would like to become a math professor at a research facility.

"I've got one year to go here," he said. "I'd like to teach at a research school like the University of Michigan, Wisconsin or Seattle."

Akao is single and says his schedule is pretty demanding. He enjoys deep sea diving and kayaking.

Dividing his time between teaching undergraduate math and doing research would be the best of both worlds, he said.



ANDREA BREUHAN
Harrison High School, Farmington Hills

Breuhan graduated from Harrison with plans to attend the University of Michigan and possibly pursue law or other graduate studies.

She's now working on a Ph.D. in economics at Stanford University in California.

"Hopefully I'll be done by the end of 1996," she said.

She received a bachelor of arts degree in economics from the U-M in 1989, graduating Phi Beta Kappa. She spent her junior year at the famed London School of Economics. She worked in Washington, D.C. for two years for the U.S. Department of Labor Statistics.

"It was an interesting job. I worked as an economist _ a computer industry analyst. Then I came out here (California)," she said.

"I taught my own course last summer. Currently I coordinate the teaching assistants in the economics department."

Her eventual goal is to get a teaching job in a liberal arts college.

Breuhan credits many strong women teachers, especially her 7th and 10th grade math teachers Laura Minor and Susan Schultz, with being early guiding forces.

"The key to economics is math. I never felt any obstacle to what I wanted to do, or that girls shouldn't like math," she said.

Breuhan is single and enjoys outdoor activities and cooking Southeast Asian and Indian dishes. Her parents, Marilyn and Ronald Breuhan, live in Farmington Hills.



MIDORI HARRIS
Mercy High School, Farmington Hills

Harris was a National Merit Scholarship finalist whose paternal grandfather paid the tuition for her to attend Mercy, an all-female, Catholic school.

In March 1990, she graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor of science degree in biochemistry. That year, she began a doctoral program in biochemistry, molecular and cell biology at Cornell University.

"I'm still here," she said from her home in Ithaca, New York. "I have one year left on the program. I did two semesters as a teaching assistant. Now I'm spending all my time doing research in the lab."

She works with yeast and her experiments center on genes involved in the process of DNA replication.

"Every time a cell appears to divide, it has to make another copy of DNA, exactly once and at the right time. The genes we work on we think are involved in some of that control — when to start the process."

Her future career plans including doing post doctoral research for up to five years. After that, she would like to teach.

"I'm not sure I want to run a lab like my professor does," she said. "I might teach at a small college."

Harris received a fellowship from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute.

Outside the laboratory, she likes to sing and is a member of the Cornell Choral this year. Her parents, Richard and JoAnn Harris, live in Detroit in the same house where Midori grew up.



MARK LADD
John Glenn High School, Westland

Ladd was a National Merit Scholarship finalist and winner of an all-expense paid trip to Germany, courtesy of the American Association of Teachers of German.

Coincidentally, he's back in Europe now on assignment for GE Medical Systems at University Hospital in Zurich, Switzerland.

"He's writing some software for them," said Floyd Ladd, his father, who lives in Westland with Mark's mother, Novella.

"Mark never made less than a 4.0 grade point average at the U-M," said his father. "He was awarded three fellowships and accepted one from the Office of Naval Research."

Ladd received a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering from U-M in 1989, and a master's degree in the same field in 1991 from Stanford University. He went to work for Milwaukee based GE Medical Systems after graduation. He was the liaison engineer sent to Zurich when the company sold positron emission tomography (PET) to the hospital.

While at Stanford, Ladd co-authored technical papers with a professor and monitored earthquake equipment. He speaks fluent German, aided by living in Germany for 16 months.

"My German teacher in high school, Mrs. Hildegard Kelley, led me to that opportunity," said Ladd by phone from Zurich. "Naturally my parents early on were very influential for me.

"Being an Observer academic all-star was interesting. I didn't realize I was part of the first team."

Ladd enjoys skiing and traveling. His father planned to visit him in Zurich in April.

"My dad was stationed in Germany after World War II. We plan to go there," Ladd said.

He plans to stay in Zurich after his current work assignment ends to pursue a doctorate at the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology. He will continue research work for his employer.

THOMAS MUELLER
Stevenson High School, Livonia

When he graduated from Stevenson, Mueller had an eye on medical or dental school and a scholarship waiting from Indiana University.

"Ten years ago I didn't have a clue that I'd end up here," said Mueller from his home in suburban Houston.

"One of the main reasons I went to Indiana was that I wasn't certain of a career path and they allowed that flexibility."

Mueller graduated from Indiana in 1989 (Phi Beta Kappa) with a degree in chemistry. He minored in history and economics.

"Junior year I shifted gears to business. I was hired by Shell Oil in Houston after graduation."

After nine months of training, he moved back to Michigan where he was in sales for Shell Oil with the entire state his territory.

"I was there three years and then came back to Houston to take a head office position," he said.

He is now base oils manager.

"We're the commercial products division that handles non-gas products, basically lubricants. My job entails pricing, economics and product planning."

Mueller met his wife, Gretchen, at IU where she earned a degree in math in 1990. Married 3/4 years, she works for Birmingham, Michigan based Motoresearch out of a home office in a job that requires a lot of traveling.

"We're very active in the Indiana Alumni Club which has a large Houston chapter and we have season tickets for Indiana football," he said. "We're sports fans in general."

Mueller's mother, Sharon Phillips, now lives near Indianapolis. His father is deceased. He has a brother at Western Michigan University.

"I grew up in Livonia. Stevenson was a great high school. I particularly remember Ron Quick, an English teacher. He was difficult and demanding and I got more out of that than I realized at the time."



STEVEN PEDLOW
Plymouth Canton High School, Canton

Pedlow was class valedictorian. He was a Michigan Math Prize finalist and was headed for the University of Michigan.

"I graduated from U-M in 1989 with bachelor of science degrees in math and in statistics, with high honors," said Pedlow from his home in Chicago.

The former Plymouth resident is now finishing his dissertation for a doctorate in statistics from the University of Chicago. He received a fellowship from that university to study statistics.

"I expect to finish in June or in August and I have a full-time job lined up with the National Opinion Research Center in Chicago."

He is already employed there as a survey statistician, mostly collecting and analyzing data from large government surveys.

"One project I'm working on now is for the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, OSHA. I'm helping them redesign a survey to make sure companies are following OSHA record keeping standards."

Pedlow has been married for 4 1/2 years to Linda J., an accountant he met while both were students at U-M. The couple enjoy living in Chicago's Hyde Park neighborhood near the university on the city's southside.

"I think I was very lucky to be in the school district I was in," he said of Plymouth Canton. "There were a lot of good teachers."

His mother Lois Pedlow and father and step-mother Edward and Marlene Pedlow, now live in Westland.



CHRISTOPHER RITO
Detroit Catholic Central, Redford

Rito won a Kmart National Merit Scholarship to Kalamazoo College. He also won a first place award in the Detroit Science Fair and was a member of the All Scholastic Catholic team and the Scholarship Athlete team.

He was on the Observer all area team for cross country two times.

"I still run, but certainly not as fast," he said from his office in Indianapolis, where he works for the Eli Lilly Co. as an organic chemist.

"I still have my (academic all-star) certificate with my running medals down in the basement."

Rito earned a degree in chemistry from Kalamazoo in 1989, then a master's degree in organic chemistry from the University of Wisconsin in 1991. He did internships at Upjohn and Kellogg Co. in Battle Creek before joining Eli Lilly in January 1992.

He met his wife, Debe, of Deer Lodge, Montana while doing a research project at the University of Montana. The couple has two daughters, Victoria, 2, and Angelina, 10 months. A former music student, Debe now teaches music out of their home.

"Since I started here at Eli Lilly, I was working in diabetes research," he said. "I helped develop a drug for diabetic retinopathy, to help prevent diabetics from going blind. Testing in humans will be coming soon. That's been a major accomplishment here."

Rito is also athletic director at his parish, St. Thomas Moore in Mooresville and he coaches a junior high basketball team.

His parents are Robert and Aline Rito of Westland.



BETH SADLER
Mercy High School, Farmington Hills

Sadler was a National Merit finalist and winner of the Madame Curie award from the Society of Women Engineers.

"I graduated from U-M in 1989 with a bachelor of science degree in cellular and molecular biology," she said.

She went to work for Parker Amchen, an industrial metal finishing company in Madison Heights.

"I'm a technical service chemist," she said.

Half her responsibilities involve traveling around the country and Canada visiting customers and acting as a technical service representative. She is also involved in research and in-house training programs in her Madison Heights office.

"Our customer base includes the auto industry, anyone who buys metal furniture and appliances _ basically anything that requires rustproofing."

Sadler says she always enjoyed math and science and "the teachers at Mercy were wonderful."

"I always knew I would go into the science field, but what I do is more business oriented," she said.

She's single and enjoys traveling.

"I just got back from Mexico last month," said Sadler, who also won a certificate of merit in Spanish in high school.

She lives in Livonia, as do her parents, Robert and JoAnn Sadler.



DOUGLAS TROJANOWSKI
Lutheran High Northwest

A National Merit Scholar and class valedictorian, Trojanowski planned to major in computer science.

He graduated from Lawrence Technological University with a double major in math and computer science. He was hired by Electronic Data Systems as a systems engineer and has worked in the company's Troy, Warren and Southfield offices.

"I work in Southfield now. My particular job is developing and maintaining computer systems," said Trojanowski, who is single and lives in Farmington Hills. His alma mater, Lutheran High, has since moved to Rochester Hills.

He enjoys fencing and is involved with the fencing club at Schoolcraft College.

"My career is going the way I anticipated it would," he said. He still has his academic all-star certificate and the article that appeared in the newspaper announcing the team.

He is the son of Jerome and Diane Trojanowski of Farmington Hills.

JEANNE WAKENHUT
Franklin High School, Livonia

Wakenhut was a National Merit Scholarship finalist. She planned to pursue neuroscience or psychology with an emphasis on biology.

"She's busy running a computer software business in Amherst, Massachusetts," said her mother, Launa Wakenhut.

Wakenhut attended Amherst College on a scholarship and received a bachelor of science degree in 1989 after double majoring in religion and neuroscience.

"She took a couple of years off," said her mother.

Then she went to Drew University in Madison, New Jersey, where she earned a master's degree in theology and bioethics.

"She's back in Amherst now and quite busy running her business with some partners. It's a computer software design company called Micro Magic," her mother said.

Jeanne is single and "very involved in social justice issues. She also enjoys herb gardening and sewing. She's in a beautiful area of western Massachusetts. She's very happy."

Jeanne is the daughter of Alan and Launa Wakenhut of Livonia.

*Efforts to contact two academic all-stars or their family members from that first team were unsuccessful. They are **Christopher Adamson**, a Westland John Glenn graduate, and **Tamara Christie**, a Redford Union alumna.*

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Community Life

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Family Room



Karen Meier

Friend's fear is now our fear

Lately, around dinner tables, on front porches, in barbers' chairs and in classrooms, some old words and phrases have been dusted off. Words and phrases like the fall of Saigon, Tet offensive, Viet Cong, Vietnamese refugees.

These words and phrases have a grainy, black and white feel to them. The expressions are old and from another time and found mostly in the pages of dusty history books now.

But because of the anniversary of the fall of Saigon, the event that ended the war in Vietnam 20 years ago, these old words and phrases have sprung to life again. And I have a friend whose story has those very words and phrases woven into it.

Her story is rich with color and warmth and lessons of the heart. And more than anything right now, I'd love to tell it to you. But I can't.

I can say this much: My friend was born in Vietnam. And when she was young, her father decided that the family must escape the bombs and the terror. So my friend, with her brothers and sisters and mother and father, fled from her homeland, never to return. My friend and her family left Vietnam exactly 20 years ago, when Saigon fell.

I can't tell my friend's story because she's afraid. And I can't blame her. She spent all her young years running from bombs and hiding in basements and praying her whole family would be fine come morning time. She spent those

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For group, life goes on gluten freely

■ Forget the pizza, the pasta and the bread if you have Celiac Sprue. But an area support group is showing people with the chronic illness that there's more to being gluten-free than meat and vegetables.

By Christina Fuoco
Staff Writer

Delores literally was wasting away. The avid runner and health nut, she was so weak that she couldn't even lift her legs while she was running.

"I'm a runner and I was running and my legs each day kept feeling heavier and heavier and it was more of an effort," said the Plymouth resident who asked that her real name not be used. "One day I just fell over flat. My legs were just gone. I got myself up and I started to run again and I just fell down again."

Doctors tested her for a multitude of neurological and muscular diseases, including Multiple Sclerosis. Meanwhile, she was deteriorating.

"My legs started getting huge like elephant legs," she said. "I couldn't use them. I couldn't even get them up the steps at my house. That went on for like six weeks before any other symptoms started at all.

"I said, 'You need to send me to someone because I'm wasting away every day.' So the doctor finally sent me to this gastroenterologist. He took one look at me and said I know what's wrong," she said.

In October, she was diagnosed with Celiac Sprue, a chronic illness that is characterized by damage to the lining of the small intestine.



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Digging in: *Marion MacLeod of Westland (left) and Kathy Davis of Auburn Hills, both of whom have celiac sprue, try some of the dishes at the Tri-County Celiac Sprue Support Group's recent potluck.*

The culprit? Food containing gluten, a gray, sticky protein substance that contains gliadin. It's found in wheat, rye, barley, oats and many food additives. Grain-based foods like pizza, bread, malt, dry cereal, most gravies and even some medications are poison to people who have Celiac disease.

Delores's first response was: "Just shoot me and put me out of my misery. I was a bread and pasta eater. I don't eat meat. That was a real change because he said to me that I can eat eggs and meat. These are things I weaned myself off many years ago. I thought, 'Now what am I going to do?' "

Two weeks after starting the gluten-free diet, however, her body had begun to heal.

Not so common

About one in every 5,000 people in North America is afflicted with Celiac Sprue. The disease destroys the villi in the intestine making the organ unable to absorb nutrients adequately, leaving the patient malnourished, said Dr. Thomas Alexander, a gastroenterologist who practices at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

The most common symptoms for adults include weight loss, chronic diarrhea, abdominal cramping and bloating, intestinal gas, muscle wasting or weakness, and lack of energy and fatigue. Common symptoms in children include diarrhea and failure to grow, Alexander said. The stomach of some people with Celiac disease swells immediately after eating a product made with gluten. Although Delores's family doesn't have a history of Celiac Sprue, there is evidence that the disease is genetic.

Celiac Sprue is diagnosed through a blood test and if that is

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positive, a biopsy is taken of the intestine. If the biopsy shows Celiac Sprue, Alexander said, then the person must stick to a gluten-free diet. Six months later another sample is taken to monitor the healing process.

Alexander realized how tough it is for patients to find tasty, gluten-free foods so he along with Kathy Davis of Auburn Hills and Marcia Campbell of Farmington Hills co-founded the Tri-County Celiac Sprue Support Group.

"We started the group with some of our own patients several years ago because there wasn't a local chapter...As a physician, it was not that difficult to make the diagnosis. The unfortunate thing was for the patient to follow the diet and to be able to find something that's palatable. Many of these old (gluten-free) foods were horribly grainy and dry and quite unpalatable. That was the push behind the group."

Davis said she hopes the group eases the hopelessness that many newly diagnosed Celiacs have. One way they do that is by offering a 75-page information package, a 105-page shopping guide and most of all — support from fellow Celiacs.

"That's what makes the difference in the acceptance and adjustment of the lifestyle and diet," said Davis, also a diagnosed Celiac. "Here we're very positive and we try to reinforce that. That's the purpose of the group. Cheating is not an option. Substitutes are really everything."

That's who Delores turned to when she was frustrated with her new diet restrictions. Recently the group held a potluck dinner — a dream for people with Celiac disease. Food made with allowed ingredients filled the long banquet tables. The members and their families ate from a buffet of enchiladas, moist chocolate cupcakes, angel hair pasta, cornbread and a multitude of other dishes.

Hard for children

While adults — no matter how stubborn — can understand the consequences of eating gluten, it can be tough on young children, said Jim Lyles, the support group's president and the father of a Celiac. Gluten is everywhere in schools from Play-doh to cupcakes brought in by a child for a celebration. Parents of children with Celiac Sprue should supply teachers with gluten-free Play-doh and snacks like Sunkist fruit roll-ups, Fritos, popcorn cakes or non-refrigerated puddings. Advance preparation is needed for class field trips.

Special events can even be trying for adults. Davis had to make special arrangements for her son's wedding reception and rehearsal dinner. She and her niece, who also has Celiac disease, talked with the chef prior to the event. He made special plates for them.

"It was wonderful. They just had all this food. I thought I died and went to heaven," Davis said.

Delores's main concern when she was diagnosed with Celiac disease was eating out.

"I was worried to death about it," she said. "My husband was not terribly thrilled either, quite frankly, about the prospects of going through some grueling dialogue at the table about everything."

She resolved her problem by calling ahead of time. The chefs she spoke with were more than understanding and actually looked forward to the challenge of making a gluten-free meal, she said.

"I was shocked at how receptive they were. I was literally shocked to the point where I spoke to the chef of our favorite restaurants and I said I'm going to bring my own pasta. He said, 'Well bring it. That's what I'll cook. I'll tell you which of my sauces we can use on it,'" Delores said.

Sometimes, she admits, a common misunderstanding stands in the way of her meals, she said. For example, she asked a waiter at an area restaurant to ask the chef what he would recommend for dinner.

"He came back a few minutes later and he looked at me and said, 'I didn't get to talk to him but I talked to the kitchen assistant, and none of these things are made of wheat flour. They're all made with regular flour.

"I was surprised that a lot of people, especially a waiter at a table at a lot of these restaurants don't have a clue that flour is wheat. I was surprised to find people walking down the street who don't know that flour is wheat."

The Tri-County Celiac Sprue Support group can be reached c/o 34638 Beechwood, Farmington Hills, MI 48335. The next meeting is at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 8, when members of the Greater Detroit Restaurant Association discuss "Placing Your Order", at Southfield Presbyterian Church, 21575 W. 10 Mile Road, Southfield. The group will hold its gluten-free summer picnic at Kensington Metropark on Sunday, June 25. Call Jim Lyles at (810) 634-4610 for more information.

The forbidden foods

It may seem easy to cut gluten out of a diet. But people who suffer from Celiac Sprue have to prepare foods like breads, breading, crumb toppings, croutons, pastries, sauces or gravies, pizza, cakes and cookies, pasta and donuts with substitued flours.

"Allowable" flours include those made with rice, corn, tapioca, soy or potato, and cornstarch.

They also need to keep an eye out for grain vinegar, caramel food coloring and malt or malt flavoring (found in most commercial cereals except Kellogg's Corn Pops).

Also watch out for sulphites, MSG, cheese mixes, salad dressings with gluten stabilizers, additives, artificial flavorings, dextrins, emulsifiers, hydrolyzed plant or vegetable proteins, natural flavorings, preservatives, starches and modified food starches.

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years looking over her shoulder to see if the enemy, dressed in black uniforms, was behind her or behind her school or behind her house.

Yes, my friend is still afraid. Any person would be after having been a target for that long of a time.

And now, 20 years later, my friend is worried about the people who still harbor feelings of ill will toward anything or anyone connected to that unpopular war. Too much angry sentiment was expressed by those people furious with the U.S. government for its involvement in Vietnam.

And she doubts that that anger could have just gone away. Although the war ended two decades ago, there are things people just don't let go of, so she who once was a Vietnamese refugee and now is an American citizen, a citizen just like you and me, fears for her safety. She is afraid that if she is recognized as the Vietnamese person she is, someone might get angry with her. And if that anger turned ugly, she could become a target for criticism, harassment or worse.

Before Wednesday, April 19, 1995, my friend's fear could have easily been sloughed off. For some, it may even have been easy to label her fear "unfounded," "paranoid" or "silly." After all, U.S. citizens still angry over U.S. government involvement in something occurring years ago? And that anger now turning ugly? And then someone who is innocent of any wrongdoing becoming a target of ugly, angry hatred? Highly unlikely, most of us thought.

But now, as we all know, my friend's "unfounded" fear has become grim reality. The bomb in Oklahoma put her kind of fear into all of us. The whole nation, the whole world, has witnessed the type of anger she has been afraid of all along.

And so who can disclaim her fear now? Can anyone say that kind of fear is extreme? Unfounded? Difficult to understand? I don't think so. In the aftermath of that terrible act of hatred in Oklahoma, that type of fear now is easy, too easy, to understand.

In all this, the 20-year-old Vietnam story, the two-week-old Oklahoma story, there are frightening parallels: the anti-government sentiments spoken 20 years ago and then again two weeks ago. The bombs effectively crushing lives and security. Innocent victims. Innocence, a victim. Fear and suspicion, the new credo.

And then there's the terrible coincidence I've just learned of — the quiet town making headlines in recent days, the one home to a man sought in connection with the Oklahoma bombing, is the same town my friend found refuge in all those years ago when she escaped the terror and the bombs. My frightened friend and that frightening man in one place. Those parallels and that coincidence make my friend's fear all the more palpable.

Her fear is, indeed, a sad thing. Her story, with all its rich color and its good lessons, cannot be told. That, too, is a sad thing. But what is more profoundly sad is that we all understand why this has to be.

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 48150.

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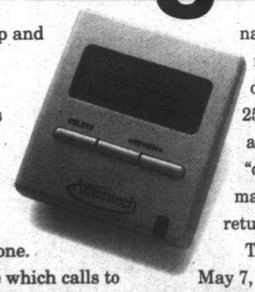

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WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS

Springer-Misiak



Charles and Sherry Springer of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristie Lynn, to Christopher Clement Misiak, son of Clements and Elaine Misiak of Posen, Mich.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and Schoolcraft College with associate's degrees in criminal justice and business management. She is employed by Clayton Environmental Consultants in Novi as a marketing associate.

Her fiance is a graduate of Posen High School, Schoolcraft College and Lawrence Technological University with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He is employed by Schoolcraft College as the culinary arts administrative technician and as a part-time chef instructor.

A May wedding is planned in St. Edith's Catholic Church, Livonia.

Emrich-Park



Richard and Kathleen Emrich of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Lynn, to Arnold Young Park of Canton, son of Dr. Ro Jong and Young Ja Park of Three Rivers, Mich.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is employed as an editor for Gale Research Inc. in Detroit.

Her fiance is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is employed as a statistician for Augat Inc. in Clinton Township.

A June wedding is planned in St. Aidan's Catholic Church, Livonia.

McComb-Visnaw



Dean and Marilyn McComb of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracy Irene, to James Edward Visnaw II, son of James and Martha Visnaw of Plymouth.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ladywood High School in Livonia and Western Michigan University with a bachelor of business administration degree in marketing. She is employed as a construction coordinator with Pulte Homes of Michigan.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and Eastern Michigan University with a bachelor of business administration degree in management. He is employed with S&A Restaurant Corp. as a manager.

An August wedding is planned in St. Kenneth Church in Plymouth Township.

Kohler-Westerman



Donna Westerman and Scott Kohler were married March 11 in The Little Wedding Chapel, Farmington Hills, by the Rev. Shari Johnson. She is the daughter of Mrs. Beverly J. Westerman of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Alice Kohler of Farmington Hills and Richard Dauphinias of Statesville, N.C.

The newlyweds are making their home in Redford.

Biess-Azure



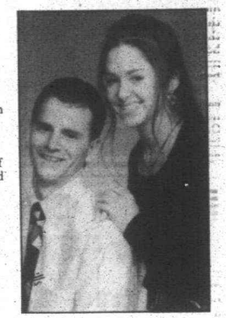
Donald and Jeannette Biess of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy L., to Mark P. Azufe, son of Peter Azure of Livonia and the late Jean Azure.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Glenn High School and the University of Michigan-Dearborn with a degree in elementary education. She is employed as a substitute teacher in the Livonia, Plymouth-Canton and Garden City schools.

Her fiance is a graduate of Churchill High School and is employed by Paper and Graphics, a division of Resourcenet, in Ann Arbor.

A November wedding is planned in St. Theodore Catholic Church, Westland.

Paravantes-Mortzfield



James and Marilyn Paravantes of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Cherylann Marie, to Kevin Dean Mortzfield, son of Art and Sue Mortzfield of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and is a junior at the University of Michigan's School of Nursing.

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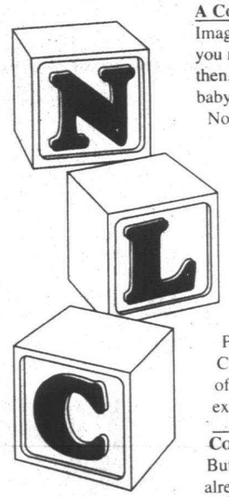

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Prior to starting a project, he assembles his materials for the given task. This saves time in preventing hit or miss starts or retracing steps later on. His retentive memory can also be a timesaver. What he starts he completes. When in command, he emphasizes method and order. He wants everything around him neat and in its proper place. Once he has worked out his schedule it bothers him to have to rework it.

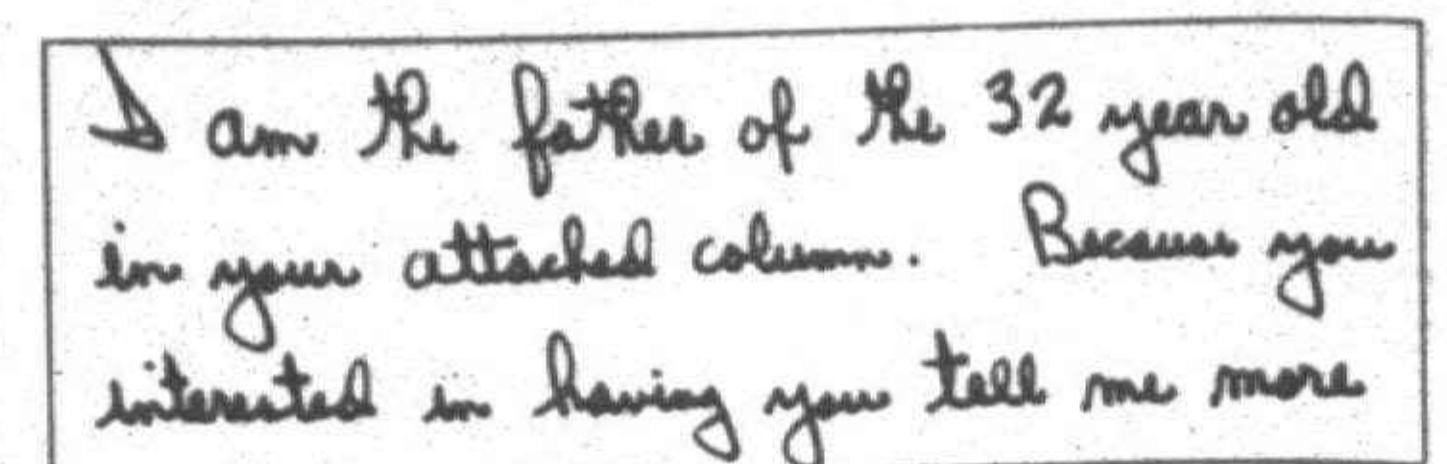
This man is creative in a practical way. He has a highly developed sense for structure and proportion. He functions well in designing and directing active projects.

There is a directness about this man in speaking as well as writing. He wants practical information which can help him to attain his purposes as efficiently as possible. He can cut right through red tape to the heart of a problem. His astute mind thinks sequentially, exposing all sides of a question.

Another commendable trait I detect is the ability to say things in a tactful charismatic manner, possibly even a tad charismatic at times. I am cognizant this may sound paradoxical to the direct manner I just mentioned. However, all of these approaches are found here and can be used by the writer where appropriate.

His views of circumstances and people are usually unbiased. He looks at both sides without becoming emotionally committed. He believes in justice and has a sense of fairness.

The writer likes a little formality because it denotes respect. He appears to be discreet about his personal affairs and may resent apparent invasions of his privacy.



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The future of treatment of people with mental illness will be in the forefront when the Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Michigan stages its 10th anniversary conference, "Forging the Future – Realizing the Dream," Friday through Sunday, May 5-7.

The conference will be held at the Novi Hilton Hotel, 21111 Haggerty Road, north of Eight Mile Road, Novi. It is being co-sponsored by the AMI Affiliates of Southeastern Michigan – Downtown Detroit, Eastside, Suburban West, Wayne-Westland, Macomb and Oakland – and the Community Mental Health Services Boards of Detroit/Wayne County, Oakland County and Macomb County.

Registration will be at 8 a.m. Friday, followed by a plenary session on the national perspective on treatment and services for persons with serious mental illness, presented by Dr. John Talbott, past president of the American Psychiatric Association, at 9:15 a.m. A second plenary session on the perspectives of the mentally ill in the criminal justice system will be presented at 12:45 p.m.

Three of the five workshop sessions offered during the conference will be presented on Friday, with AMI's annual membership meeting at 5:15 p.m. and awards banquet at 7 p.m. closing out the day.

Saturday's lineup will include two more plenary sessions – the multicultural issues of mental illness at 9:15 a.m. and an afternoon of research plenaries, presented by doctors from the University of Michigan, starting at 1 p.m.

Sunday's program will start with a religious service at 9 a.m., followed by the last series of workshops at 10:15 a.m. and brunch at 11:30 a.m.

Closing out the conference will be a plenary session at 12:15 p.m. on living with mental illness. The presenter will be Fred Frese, director of psychology at Western Reserve Psychiatric Hospital in Northfield, Ohio, and on staff at Case Western University. Married and the father of four children, Frese has schizophrenia. He was able to earn his doctoral degree over a 10-year period, despite numerous hospitalizations.

Cost of the three-day conference is $160, including meals. The conference-only cost is $25 per day for Friday and Saturday and $15 for Sunday. Scholarships are available to cover conference registration only. To request a scholarship, or for more information, call the AMI office at (810) 552-9485.

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OPINION

744 Wing, Plymouth, MI 48170

Militia ties?

Whyman must be treated fairly

For nearly a year, there have been rumors that State Rep. Deborah Whyman, R-Canton, is either a member of the paramilitary Michigan Militia or has ties to it.

Those rumors resurfaced in the wake of the Oklahoma bombing.

In an interview with the Observer, Whyman denied them. There are those who won't believe her denial and others who probably hope she does belong to the militia.

Apart from those witch-hunt-style rumors being spread by her political opponents, nobody has been able to present any solid proof she is a militia member.

Proving membership in such a group as the militia is difficult. This isn't the Canton Rotary Club, which has membership lists and regular public meetings.

That's why it's so easy to use possible membership as a political smear. It's similar to the McCarthy era during the early 1950s when we were seeing Communists under every rock.

If that's what Whyman's political opponents are doing, they should be ashamed of themselves. By implication they are trying to blame Whyman and others of her political ilk with the Oklahoma bombing.

It's wrong to link Whyman with the militia, just because some of her political ideas

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are similar. It also should be pointed out that membership in the militia isn't illegal.

According to Whyman, the rumors started a year ago when she was photographed at the state Capitol during a rally she was holding to question the use of U.S. troops on United Nations missions. It attracted militia members.

That photographic image has been used to claim she is a member. Photographs and videotape don't tell the entire story.

Also, it must be understood that all sorts of people show up at numerous events at the capitol. On any given day you could probably take a picture of Gov. John Engler standing in front of a group of liberals. But to conclude that he is one is more than a reasonable person could believe.

There has been no solid proof presented that Whyman is member of the militia, only rumors. In our current political climate it benefits all of us not to engage in McCarthy-style witch hunts.

Congratulations, '95 All-Stars!

Wait until you meet them, this Observer Academic All-Star Team representing the Class of 1995.

This is the 11th All-Star Team we have fielded since we began this very important event 10 years ago.

It was 1985 when then-Redford Union Principal Robert Schramke offered up the idea of presenting a team of students from our suburban high schools who would be acknowledged for their academic achievements.

At the time we had high school All-Star teams for every sport and season. Schramke thought our brightest high school students should have their shot as well.

Our first three teams were confined to the front page of our feature section. It was 1988 when we published our first special section devoted to Academic All-Stars. And we are grateful to those local universities — for the past two years it has been Madonna University — that have taken their turns supporting it.

Selection has always been based solely on the numerical combination of grade point average and either SAT or ACT scores, whichever is higher. Scoring is done by a committee of the Michigan Association of Secondary Principals from throughout our circulation area and headed by Larry Boehms of Troy High School.

Stevenson High School Principal Dale Coller has been a member of the committee since the Observer launched this project in 1985. Our special thanks to him for sticking with it all these years.

This 1995 team of students is among the most scientifically oriented we've seen. Indeed, 11 of 12 say they'll go into either engineering, science or medicine.

One thing they all have in common is outstanding academic achievement coupled with unparalleled extracurricular involvement. They are lettered athletes, musicians, club and class officers.

Their applications are very thoughtful, as they write of their career goals and of their supportive and loving parents and the special teachers who have motivated them thus far.

The recurring theme the students find most helpful is a supportive environment encouraging independent thinking and a belief of being able to achieve whatever they put their mind to. For these young people, it has been a formula for success.

As a community newspaper, the Observer devotes a great of space to the good things that people do in each one of our seven communities. But the Academic All-Star Team is extra special for us because it focuses on young men and women getting ready to leave the community and make their mark in college.

It gives us a chance to honor and share with our readers the good things outstanding students are accomplishing.

Congratulations to the 1995 team: **Nancy Lin** of Churchill High School, **Sara Chakel** of Stevenson High School, **Gregory Ayres** of Catholic Central HIgh School, **Julie P. White** of Churchill High School, **Jason Pawlowski** of North Farmington High School, **Benjamin Sommers** of North Farmington High School, **Christopher Cortellini** of Plymouth Canton High School, **Casey Moothart** of Plymouth Canton High School, **Benjamin Mumma** of Catholic Central High School, **Timothy Harden** of Stevenson High School, **Daniel Mawby** of John Glenn High School, **Carolyn Owen** of Farmington High School, and **Sara Andersen** of Ladywood High School.

Community Voice

Question:

It's opening day. Do you care about the real Tigers?



We asked this question at the Canton Library.

'Yeah, but I've got mixed emotions. It's the money.'
Wayne Wayerberg
Canton



'I'm a hockey fan. I've lost interest in baseball. It's just a business.'
Wally Hill
Canton



'I'll always be a baseball fan, but I'm happy to see attendance down. It'll send a message.'
Jeff Wynn
Trenton



'I really don't care.'
Anne VanDervill
Canton

Arkie Hudkins



Letters

Ignored

In the wake of the Oklahoma bombing, the planned execution of hundreds of federal workers and children, the words "how awful" and "those poor innocent people" have resounded from the lips of each of us. We have watched horror and the miracles unfold before our eyes. We have asked for the blood of the bombers. We have felt the fury of injustice.

Each of us has driven past a flag flying at half-mast honoring the victims who have been murdered, the survivors whose lives have changed forever, and the families who are forced to carry on without their loved one. As we pass the flags at half-mast, we feel honor and respect for the Americans who were brutally murdered. As we pass the flags that fly oblivious to our nation's tragedy, we feel the indignation of disrespect.

On April 24, Common Ground held a noon commemoration at the Oakland County Commissioners' Auditorium for victims of violent crime in honor of National Crime Victims' Rights Week. The Oakland Press, the Detroit News and Free Press, the Metro Times, and the Reminder were not in attendance. The television stations who have broadcast the vivid stories of victims and stated their support were not there. The Republicans and Democrats who built their campaigns on crime, were not there to honor crime victims in Oakland County. The voices who had uttered "how awful" or "those poor innocent people" were nowhere to be seen.

Citizens of Oakland County are being traumatized by crime every day. Innocent people in our neighborhoods, our neighbors, our friends, and our family members, are forced to endure the violence of sexual assault, domestic violence, homicide, drunk driving, robbery and other violent crimes every day. It's time for Oakland County to stop talking about crime and help to do something about it.

The individuals and agencies who came in strong support to honor crime victims in Oakland County include: the Honorable Edward Sosnick; Prosecutor Thompson; Oakland County Victim Witness Unit Coordinator Emily Zubel; Reverend-Minister Nancy Doughty; and representatives from Parents of Murdered Children, Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Haven, Women's Survival Center, Triangle Foundation, and Common Ground's Victim Assistance Program.

In addition to saying "how awful," "those poor innocent people," the next time you hear about violent crime on the television or the radio, also ask yourself what you can do to help victims of violent crime in Oakland County.

Lara Lynne MacQuarrie
Victim Assistance Coordinator
Common Ground Crisis Center

Bad timing

The tragedy in Oklahoma City has left us all shaken. Understandably, our reactions will differ. Fear, anger, and grief are emotions we will all share in its aftermath. But the reaction from state Rep. Deborah Wyman is deplorable and dangerous.

A week after this historically devastating incident — with the impressions of innocent men, women, and children bleeding and dying fresh in our minds — representative Wyman has introduced legislation to abolish all federal funding for the United Nations.

There was so much she could have done to represent her constituents with the dignity and class they deserve. Instead, she has chosen to pander to a small minority's overblown, illogical fears. By doing so she is fanning the very flames that caused this tragedy. Deborah Wyman should be ashamed. But more importantly, she should be removed from office.

Chris Gearns, Plymouth

Out of step

During her campaign, Terry Bennett endorsed the initiatives for road repair and expansion of the library. After her successful election on April 18, it seems she is out of step with the majority of Canton residents. Politics as usual.

Larry Thatcher, Canton

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— Philip Power

Points of View

Resisting is useless when it comes to dental work



Guest Columnist
Dorothy Matsu

Let us now praise fabulous dentista! Anytime I am tempted to bemoan "these days," I try to keep in mind that there must've been a fair portion of "bad old days" to balance the "good old days."

When it comes to the remarkable advances in dentistry, old-fashioned sentiments fly right out the window. When was the last time you heard a sane person waxing nostalgic for a set of wooden choppers?

I still see in dreams where the paint was scraped off the armrests of the chair at my childhood dentist who inexplicably gave out lollipops after every visit.

Ah, careless youth — tooth-shattering Jujubes, Turkish Taffy, spareribs, caramels and crusty French bread. No matter what role one plays in daily life, you can drop the attitude in the old scaredy-cat recliner.

My apprehension of visits is overcome by sheer dread of the terrible consequences risked by aversion.

For the first two years I lived here I coordinated my checkups with holiday trips back home, baffled as to how I might choose a dentist locally.

There was an office above a business I went to frequently. Since I had never heard any screams wafting downstairs, and his neighbors spoke very highly of him, I screwed up my courage and introduced myself, requesting an appointment. One of the wisest moves I daresay I ever made.

The office was like a comfortable apartment as opposed to a rumpus room for the Spanish Inquisition. The doc and assistant are friendly, thorough, genuinely sympathetic beings. My previous dentist was so skillful that he often did work without Novocain, and while that is admirable indeed, cursed with a vivid imagination, I secretly longed for total sensory deprivation.

My current dentist can only be described as a wizard who need only pass his hand over my fat head and all is well. Not only does he have a deft touch and a marvelous manner, he is most considerate, not making you beg when the going gets rough.

Frankly, this April has been one non-stop Fool's Day. Among many preposterous calamities, I, with my usual good fortune, launched a gondola upon my first root canal. Hysteria began creeping in when my dentist said he would not be doing this himself, but referring me to a colleague immediately. She has proven to be as incredible as he.

On my first visit, I waited in the hot seat, wound up tighter than a cheap watch while the creature in the next room gasped and moaned.

When someone came to check on me, the wisecracking was strangled and tears for fears rolled shamelessly down my big, white face.

I tried to blame it on a sad old song piping through the office, but they didn't have to twist my arm when laughing gas was suggested.

My crown foolishly ricocheted across the room so they pointed out the bright side of being able to drill it outside instead of inside.

Bantering and chuckling, their confidence reassured me greatly. They earn your trust, respect and gratitude, sending you off grinning maniacally like Mr. Sardonicusi instead of trembling with trauma.

It isn't over yet, but I'm gaining control of my cowardice. Now, if only the plumbers weren't jackhammering their way to China in my basement . . .

Dorothy Matsu is a Plymouth Township resident. She is a frequent guest columnist. For more information about writing a guest column, call Jeff Counts, the editor, at 459-2700.

We can all expect the bullying to just get worse



*Tim Richard

In times like these, I recall Sgt. Len Kenzer.

Kenzer (not his real name) ran our unit of Weekend Warriors. That was in the days of the Kennedy Administration's saber rattling. Twice, during the Berlin Wall and Cuban missile crises, we were "alerted," a prelude to being called to active duty.

Sgt. Kenzer was ecstatic as he contemplated active duty. His eyes glowed. By God, he was going to crack the whip and shape up the outfit. He was going to show everyone who was boss. He was going to make everyone toe the mark. And more threats.

I asked myself: 1) If this guy wants active duty so badly, why doesn't he leave his family and ask for active duty? 2) If we warriors were so bad, why not shape us up immediately? All of us were imbued with the work ethic.

Kenzer, I believe, wanted active duty so he could push folks around. The top brass would be too busy to hear complaints; no one under him could retaliate. Despite the Uniform Code of Military Justice, a sergeant can make life miserable with impunity, despite what you see in the movies.

Kenzer was a bully. Bullies like to flaunt their authority. Bullies like to push people around, to intimidate, to require others to answer idiotic questions like "What do you think this is, a Boy Scout outfit? Are you trying to be funny?"

In times like these — the Oklahoma City bombing — Congress and the president feel compelled to "do something," to concoct "tough new laws" to protect property and people. About 95 percent of the restrictions wouldn't have saved a soul if they had been in place April 19, 1995. The authorities, however, feel compelled to "do something."

In such an environment, bullies thrive. They have a perfect excuse to shove people around.

This is not a tirade against government or its officials. It's about bullies, the one person in eight who abuses his or her authority. Bullies abound in police departments, in private security firms, in customs check lanes, in federal law enforcement. In the last week or so, I culled these examples of bullying from decisions by Michigan's second highest court:

■ A Ferndale cop pulled over a driver in 1992 and found the car's plates had expired a day earlier. The driver had a suspended license and outstanding arrest warrants. The cop arrested him and prepared to impound the car. Out came the driver's mother, who gave the cop the correct spelling of her son's name (helpful), declared the car was hers (correctly), and refused to let it be impounded (correctly). Mom also used some bad language on the cop (not good.)

The cop called for backup and impounded the car — improperly, said the trial judge. The prosecution appealed, but the Court of Appeals backed the trial judge, saying: "The police officer illegaly seized the vehicle. Defendant Douglas was entitled to resist the illegal seizure of her property."

■ A Detroit police officer raided a house at 11:30 one evening and broke down the bedroom door of a man named Watts, interrupting him with his girlfriend. As Watts tried to dress, the cop pointed a shotgun at his head, slapped him, handcuffed him and poked him in the back with a flashlight. Another officer asked Watts if he ever had sued the state; yes, said Watts. Why did he want to take taxpayers' money? asked the cop. When Watts attempted to respond, the cop slammed Watts' head into the wall.

At the cop's request, the trial judge summarily dismissed Watts' suit for assault, battery and gross negligence. The Court of Appeals reversed, sending the case back for trial or settlement.

■ Oakland Prosecutor Richard Thompson seems to be facing a lot of "double jeopardy" appeals these days. In 1990 his office nailed a woman for possession with intent to deliver less than 50 grams of cocaine; she got one to 20 years. So far, so good.

Then the prosecutor got a grand jury indictment and tried her again, this time for conspiracy to possess with intent to deliver more than 650 grams of cocaine. The jury found her guilty only of possession with intent to deliver between 50 and 225 grams of cocaine; she got 10 to 30 years. The Court of Appeals said the same evidence was used in both trials; hence she was placed in double jeopardy; her conviction was reversed. In addition, the Court of Appeals said the 30-year sentence was invalid because it exceeded the statutory maximum of 20 years.

I say the two cops and the prosecutor are bullies. These cases all started between 1988 and 1992. The Court of Appeals slapped down the bullies. It will be worse, now that Sgt. Kenzer's pals have Oklahoma City as an alibi for their intimidating behavior.

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

Exploring the mistrust of government



Philip Power

I want to choose my words carefully here, for this is a meditation on the Michigan roots of the terrorist bombing in Oklahoma City, a serious subject by any measure. I'm groping for insight and understanding, not trying to excuse or justify.

As some part of the plot has to do with farming communities in the Thumb, I started by calling John Snyder, editor of The Farmer's Advance, Michigan's largest farming newspaper and a sister publication to this one. John talked with Dawn Schoen, a sales rep for The Advance who lives in Sandusky, about 15 miles east of the now-famous Decker, where the Nichols brothers live.

Dawn said that Sandusky last week was overrun with limousines disgorging blow-dried network news correspondents. The sight of uniformed drivers trying to maneuver their Mercedes around the John Deere tractors pretty well illustrates the cultural chasm between the New York/LA media types and ordinary folks in the Thumb.

Could it also illustrate the chasm between horrified ordinary folks, trying their best to understand how something ghastly like this could happen, and members of the militia groups who are also ordinary folks who happen to like to play with heavy weapons and spout words filled with hate? Dawn reports that the Nichols brothers are indeed well-known and well-regarded in the community.

I wondered what had happened to the farmers in the Thumb, that a few of them had concluded that their government was a betrayer, not a friend.

John explained that in the late '70s the U.S. Department of Agriculture had encouraged them to expand, "plant fence row to fence row," take on loads of debt and export to the world. That went all right until the dollar strengthened, commodity prices plummeted, and debt-ridden farmers couldn't make their loan payments. And then came the fall flood of 1986, the worst in memory.

So people think: First the government encourages you to expand and take on debt, and then lets you twist slowly in the mud while the bank repossesses your farm. Surely this is cause for anger, possibly the first whiff of paranoia.

It also helps me understand one of the most bizarre aspects of the whole thing. Is this the twisted logic that justified James Nichols in turning in his driver's license and Social Security card and refusing to vote on grounds that everything the government did was corrupt, but then taking $36,522 in wheat, feed grain and disaster aid payments from the federal government and complaining that he was owed more? I wonder.

Pile on the increasingly intrusive effect of government regulations. Remember the Clean Air and Clean Water Acts, up this year for reauthorization? Ordinary farm folks barely hanging on by their fingernails don't take kindly to letters from the government instructing them to install a new septic field or prohibiting draining that wetland.

And don't leave out the subtle effect of the political and media environment, increasingly filled with violent and demonizing rhetoric. A March ad by the National Rifle Association, headed by Michigan conservation leader Tom Washington, called federal agents "storm troopers," while Gov. John Engler last month gave a speech which argued that America is being "ruled by twin tyrants," the judges and the executive branch.

If our leaders are talking like this, why shouldn't ordinary folks?

Our history as a country is punctuated by episodes of violence and alienation by groups of ordinary folks who are missing out on the American Dream and who feel betrayed by their government.

I knew a fair number of people like that the last time America faced something like this back in the 1960s. They were ordinary college kids, mostly, who felt impotent and betrayed by their government's war in Vietnam. Some of them carried guns; a few blew up innocent people.

We got over that. Finally. And I pray to God we'll get over this, too.

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NEW VOICES

BRIAN and **LAURIE LIETZ** of Livonia announce the birth of **AMANDA RENE** March 23 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has two brothers, Branden Michael and Nicholas Brian. Grandparents are Richard and Mickey Santo of Plymouth and George and Susan Lietz of Inkster.

SCOTT and **LAURA SINCLAIR** of Westland announce the birth of **MATTHEW SCOTT** March 26 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Walter and Marie Sinclair of Livonia and Richard and Frances Peters of Saginaw.

MARTIN and **PAMELA RHODES** of Canton announce the birth of **BRANDON ALEXANDER** March 31 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother, Tony, 2. Grandparents are Phil and Sharon Longley of Canton and Joe and Karen Rhodes of Marquette.

MARIO and **KATIE DIAZ** of Westland announce the birth of **SARA LOUISE** April 1 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a brother, Mario, and a sister, Amanda. Grandparents are Jack and Julia Naughton of Garden City and Mario and Sharon Diaz of Livonia.

JAMIE and **KELLY ROGERS** of Canton announce the birth of **EMILY LAUREN** March 17. She has two brothers, Eric, 4½, and Justin, 21 months. Grandparents are Darrell and Diane Fletcher of Garden City and Ellen Rogers of Westland. Great-grandparents are Helen Perkowski of Garden City and George and Marion Simpson of Belleville.

DAVE and **DIANNE CLEMONS** of Canton announce the birth of **MATTHEW JORDAN** March 24 at the Macomb Hospital Center in Warren. He has a brother, Bradley, 8. Grandparents are Phil and Eleanor Tissue of West Branch.

KENNETH and **LORI TAUBE** of Westland announce the birth of **AMY MARIE** April 5 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a sister, Sara Michelle. Grandparents are Peter and Doreen Walkuski of Livonia and Thomas and Patricia Taube of Canton.

WILLIAM and **AMANDA PARRIS** of Westland announce the birth of **MATHIEU TREVOR** April 4 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother, Michael. Grandparents are Audrey Anderson of Westland, Tom Anderson of Detroit and Hobert and Tammy Parris of Redford.

DON and **KELLY WILKINSON** of Plymouth announce the birth of **LEAH NICOLE** March 2 at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. She has a brother, Max, 2. Grandparents are Jerry and Paulette Voorheis of Brighton and Joseph and Donna Wilkinson of East Lansing.

ANTHONY JAMES CLAXON and **TRACI DAWN HUEY** of Canton announce the birth of **ANTHONY JOHN** April 5 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are John and Teresa Claxon of Grosse Ile, Philip and Carolyn Tackett of Westland, David and Lisa Huey of Glen Campbell, Pa., and Trish Lynch of Erie, Pa.

DANIEL and **JULIE ANN NEW** of Westland announce the birth of **CHRISTOPHER LEE** April 11 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Albert and Sandra New III of Wayne and George and Mileva Ristevski of Redford.

ELIZABETH McFARLAND of Canton announces the birth of **MASON KENDALL** April 16 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Kenny and Faye McFarland of Plymouth.

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ON THE MARQUEE



KEELY WYGONIK

Martha Reeves will be 'Dancing' at Mercy High

Martha Reeves was in Farmington Hills Tuesday to rehearse with Mercy High School's Mercyaires for a benefit concert 2 p.m. Sunday, May 21, at Mercy's Rosemary Clooney Auditorium. A recent Rock and Roll Hall of Fame inductee, Reeves is best known for her classic Motown hit "Dancing in the Streets."

She will be joined in this special concert by the Honorable Myron H. Wahls and his trio, and "Dr. Beans" Bowles who will direct the New Greystone Jazz Orchestra. The Mercyaires will join Martha, "Beans," and the jazz orchestra to musically salute Mercy High School's 50th anniversary.

Patron tickets, which include reserved seating and champagne afterglow are $50 per person; reserved concert seating $20 per person; general seating, $10 per person. Call (810) 476-3270.

■ Farmington senior citizens will be honored as guests by the Farmington Community Band at a concert 3 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at Harrision High School, 12 Mile Road, between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills.

"We feel it is our responsibility to share our talents and to provide a service to residents of neighboring nursing homes to enjoy a day out," said band business manager Ginny McDonald. "Nursing home residents are bused to the concert and given refreshments before and after the concert."

The annual event is a joint effort of many Farmington community groups, including the Farmington Area Arts Commission, public schools, and service groups working together to honor and transport senior citizens and disabled individuals to the concert.

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Dining — *DePalma's in Livonia offers fine Italian cuisine and entertainment.*

Theater — *Check out Entertaining Choices to find out what's on stage in your community.*

Movies — *Don't hold your breath for Rudy Ray Moore and Jeff Jackson to apologize for their often controversial work.*

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Music — *Barley 20 when they formed eight years ago, members of Ned's Atomic Dustbin are just getting to know each other.*

Looking ahead

- *What's on stage in your community.*
- *John Monaghan reviews movies.*



SHARON LEMIEUX/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Corporate types: *Erik Carlson (Gatch, left), Bob Smitham (Jenkins), and Geroge Monticello (Finch, center) in a scene from "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying."*

MUSICAL HAS SKYROCKET-BRIGHT MOMENTS

Moments to remember:

Biggley and Finch having a ripping good time with the rousing "Grand Old Ivy," a hilarious paean to Biggley's alma mater. About a half-dozen cast members cracking up the audience with the zany, crazily costumed "Pirate Dance," an (almost) all-male chorus creating what is perhaps the show's most genuinely funny moment with the toe-tapping "Brotherhood of Man." And finally, the grand finale, performed by the entire company with energy, enthusiasm and style is truly grand.

BY VICTORIA DIAZ
SPECIAL WRITER

REVIEW

Farmington Players are currently staging the Frank Loesser-Abe Burrows musical, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying." The play, about a clever window washer who slithers his way to the top of the heap, was about as slick and splashy as they come when it debuted on Broadway in the early 1960s.

Thirty-plus years later, on stage at this relatively small theater, "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," though not exactly dazzling, still has its skyrocket-bright moments.

As that ambitious window washer, J. Pierrepont Finch, the blue-eyed, carrot-topped George Monticello is a real charmer. He carries a large chunk of this production on his shoulders from curtain to curtain. Ultimately, it's not his spotty vocal or acting talents that see him through; rather, something like an innate sense of fun does the trick. Picture the devil cute, and you have a good idea of his scheming, conniving Finch. A sort of idiot's-delight smile he turns on the audience at certain moments is about the craziest thing you ever saw. But it never fails to work its goofy magic on playgoers.

Ralph Rosati makes his mark as the pretentious-but-wimpy J.B. Biggley, always suckered in by Finch's fast talk, and oily charm. Tim Belanger does a commendable job as the dorky Bud Frump, the nephew who's advancing his career by way of nepotism. (Nephew, nepotism — get it? This is about as sophisticated as the comedy gets in this aging musical).

Cast in a minor role, Chick Fisher Twimble makes an important, fun-to-watch contribution. As

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ON STAGE

"How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying"

Theater: Farmington Players Barn, 32332 W. 12 Mile Road, (between Farmington Road and Orchard Lake Road), Farmington Hills.

Curtain time: 8 p.m. Thurs. Fri. & Sat., May 4-6; 7 p.m. Sun., May 7. Show closes May 20.

Tickets: $10, call (810) 553-2955

Attractive set, slick performances in thriller

BY MATTHEW DELEZENNE
SPECIAL WRITER

Plymouth Theatre Guild opened its production of Ira Levin's classic two-act thriller "Deathtrap" last weekend at the Water Tower Theatre in Northville, where an attractive set and some slick performances managed to carry a slightly inconsistent effort.

Set in 1946, the action takes place in the study of Sidney Bruhl's home in Westpoint, Conn., which is

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beautifully decorated in the period, lending an asthetic quality throughout the play. Bruhl, played by James Dereniak, is a middle-aged author of murder mysteries for the stage who hasn't had a hit for years. He sustains himself with seminars — and his wife's slowly depleting bank account — until he receives a script entitled "Deathtrap" from a young writer seeking his suggestions. Bruhl complains to his wife, Myra, that the script is a sure commercial success, something he wishes desperately to have himself. So desperately, in fact, that he wonders if he could kill for it.

Francine Jo Hachem, as Myra, seems able to convince Bruhl to collaborate with the aspiring playwright instead. The young man, Clifford Anderson is invited to the Bruhl home to discuss his play. From that point it is impossible to describe

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Thriller: *Sidney Bruhl (James W. Dereniak, left) examines a script written by Clifford Anderson (Bradd W. Szonye) in "Deathtrap."*

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the plot without "giving away" the surprises that pervade it.

"Deathtrap" is a play within a play, or a play that is writing itself on stage. With that mechanism at work anything can happen, and it does.

Dereniak's portrayal of Bruhl with a grossly exaggerated New England dialect and outrageously pompous demeanor work to add a bit to the moments of dry humor, but they become tedious quickly. Dereniak is consistent in his character, and his many credits in the performing arts are evident in his ease on the stage.

Hachem's character is on a turbo-charged psychological roller-coaster as the plot twists and dives around her. The veteran actress handles the chaos well, considering the time compression in the script doesn't allow for "realistic" responses to events.

Unfortunately, Dereniak's fluidity and Hachem's emotion serve to amplify the woodeness of some of the younger, less experienced performers. Bradd Szonye, 23, making his debut with the Guild, is effective in his portrayal of Clifford Anderson, but he never seems to be fully "in character."

The cast is completed by Wayne State University theater graduate Adam Carey, and University of Michigan junior Kristin Curle. Carvey plays Bruhl's attorney, Porter Milgrim, in a change of casting from the original program. Carey may not have had time to adequately prepare for the role, but he does seem a bit stiff — even for an attorney.

Curle, on the other hand, is as loose as the Gypsy garb she wears in her portrayal of the psychic neighbor Helga Tendorp. What Curle lacks in technical skill on the stage she more than makes up for in zeal.

Lisa Brandow's manipulation of actors is very good. They are crossing the stage, switching positions in relation to one another. This not only takes advantage of the set design, it illustrates the constant reversals of plot and the character's psyches.

Matthew Delezenne of Canton is a freelance writer who specializes in theater and entertainment.

ON•STAGE

"Deathtrap"

- **THEATER:** Plymouth Theatre Guild, Water Tower Theatre, campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road, Northville, (west of I-275, between Haggerty and Northville Roads).
- **CURTAIN TIME:** 8 p.m. Fri. & Sat., May 5-6, 12-13, 6 p.m. Sun., May 7.
- **TICKETS:** $8 adults, $7 senior citizens, youth. Call (810) 349-7110.

Tel-Twelve Mall hosts music week celebration

"Music Gives Value to Life" is the theme of the 72nd annual observance of National Music Week, sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs Inc.

Birmingham Musicale and Farmington Musicale will jointly celebrate National Music Week, Sun., May 7 to Thurs., May 11 at Tel-Twelve Mall in Southfield.

There will be late morning, afternoon and evening concerts. All performances are free and open to the public. Highlights include:

■ Gentleman Songsters of Detroit — Oakland Chapter, 7:45 p.m. Mon., May 8.

■ Livonia Youth Philharmonic of Michigan, Flute Ensemble, String Orchestra, Concert Orchestra and Philharmonic, 6 p.m. Tues., May 9.

■ West Maple Middle School Band 11 a.m. Wed., May 10, Birmingham Musicale Chorus, noon; Farmington Musicale Vocal Ensemble, 2 p.m. and Chime Ringers of Southfield, 6 p.m.

■ Birmingham Musical String Ensemble performs 10 a.m. Thurs., May 11, followed by Groves High School Choir, Southfield-Lathrup High School, Madrigal Singers, Class Act Show Choir and Concert Band perform at 3 p.m.

Outstanding soprano explores power of love

Soprano Edith Diggory and pianist Joyce Weintraub Adelson explore the power of love through music and song, 6:30 p.m. Sat., May 6 at the Birmingham Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile between Inkster and Middlebelt in Farmington Hills.

There will be an afterglow with the artists after the concert, presented by the Vivace Music Series. Tickets are $14, students and senior citizens $12. For information, call (810) 647-4632 or (810) 288-3953.

The songs portray the newly smitten lover, the betrayed lover, the grieving lover, as well as the unconditional love of a doting parent. Diggory will entertain the audience with love songs that depict the gamut of this human emotion. Her program features songs from around the world a variety of composers.

Diggory is also a recording artist who has appeared with the San Francisco, Detroit and Indianapolis symphonies.

Adelson is on the faculty of Oakland University and has appeared in chamber concerts with members of the Detroit, Cleveland and Pittsburgh Symphonies.

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This year's program "Melodies of Love," will feature WJR's Mike Deja. The public is invited, there is no charge. Homemade refreshments will be served. The program will be repeated 8 p.m. Monday, May 8, at South Lyon High School. Call (810) 476-5014 or (810) 489-3412 for information.

■ There's still time to get tickets for Livonia Symphony Orchestra's "Jazz with Class," 8 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at the James P. Carli Auditorium, Churchill High School, Newburgh Road south of Joy Road, Livonia. Tickets are $12 adults, $8 senior citizens, $5 students. Tickets available at the door, Hammell Music in Livonia, Jacobson's at Laurel Park Place, Madonna University, and Livonia Civic Center Library. For more information, call (313) 421-1111.

James Dapogny's Chicago Jazz Band are the featured guest artists. They will be joined for the symphony, under the direction of Francesco DiBlasi for "On the Road," and "Berlin Medley," and also present several selections of their own.

■ The PRCUA Syrena Polish Folk Dance Ensemble is looking for alumni from 1975 to 1994 to participate in its 20th anniversary recital — "Melodies of Love" — 6 p.m. Saturday, May 20, at the Henry Ford Community College Adray Auditorium, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn. They are also planning a 20th reunion in October. For information, call Darlene Radowick (313) 565-9865.

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a dancing chorus guy, he's a laser-bright spot, making it all look breezily effortless.

Debbie Nymshack, a brown-haired gal who plays a stereotypical dumb blonde, goes about as far as she can with such a musty role. Who knows what she aimed for? But her Hedy LaRue comes out somewhere between Marily Monroe and Peg Bundy.

Jan Forhan as Roesemary, the girl who's smitten with Finch and looks forward mistily to the day when she can stay home and keep his dinner warm, sings sweetly, but she's over burdened with the white-gloved, tritely-perky character she plays.

The remainder of the large supporting cast usually succeeds, although some voices struggle.

Moments to remember: Biggley and Finch having a ripping good time with the rousing "Grand Old Ivy," a hilarious paean to Biggley's alma mater. About a half-dozen cast members cracking up the audience with the zany, crazily costumed "Pirate Dance," an (almost) all-male chorus creating what is perhaps the show's most genuinely funny moment with the toe-tapping "Brotherhood of Man."

And finally, the grand finale, performed by the entire company with energy, enthusiasm and style, is truly grand.

Regrets: a set that could have been a lot more fun, plus some odd lighting quirks and glitches in off-stage sound.

Victoria Diaz is a Livonia-based freelancer, who specializes in arts and entertainment articles in the metro area.

Livonia Civic Chorus 'Shakin' blues away'

■ **PREVIEW**

Livonia Civic Chorus will present its 30th annual spring concert "Shakin' the Blues Away," May 5-6, at Clarenceville High School, Livonia.

This year you'll be entering an unusual medical clinic where there's a medical cure for whatever ails you. Did you say you've had your tonsil's removed and then your appendix? Well, why not take "All of Me!"

Need a better outlook on life? Then you'd better "Accentuate the Positive." Problems with your love life? Try "Love Potion No. 9."

Chorus members promise the evening will be fun filled with song and dance for everyone.

Advance tickets are available at the Livonia Parks and Recreation Department, Five Mile Road at Farmington Road, (313) 261-2260. Tickets will also be on sale at the door.

■ The Music Department of St. James Presbyterian Church, 25350 W. Six Mile Road, Redford, is presenting a musical "Made in the U.S.A," 6:30 p.m. Fri. & Sat., May 12-13. The show includes jazz, blues, barbershop, country, Micky Mouse, the Harrison High School Jazz Band, and more. A dinner at 6:30 p.m., which is included in the price of the ticket, will preced the show. Tickets are $10 adults, $5 for children 12 and under. Call (313) 534-7730.

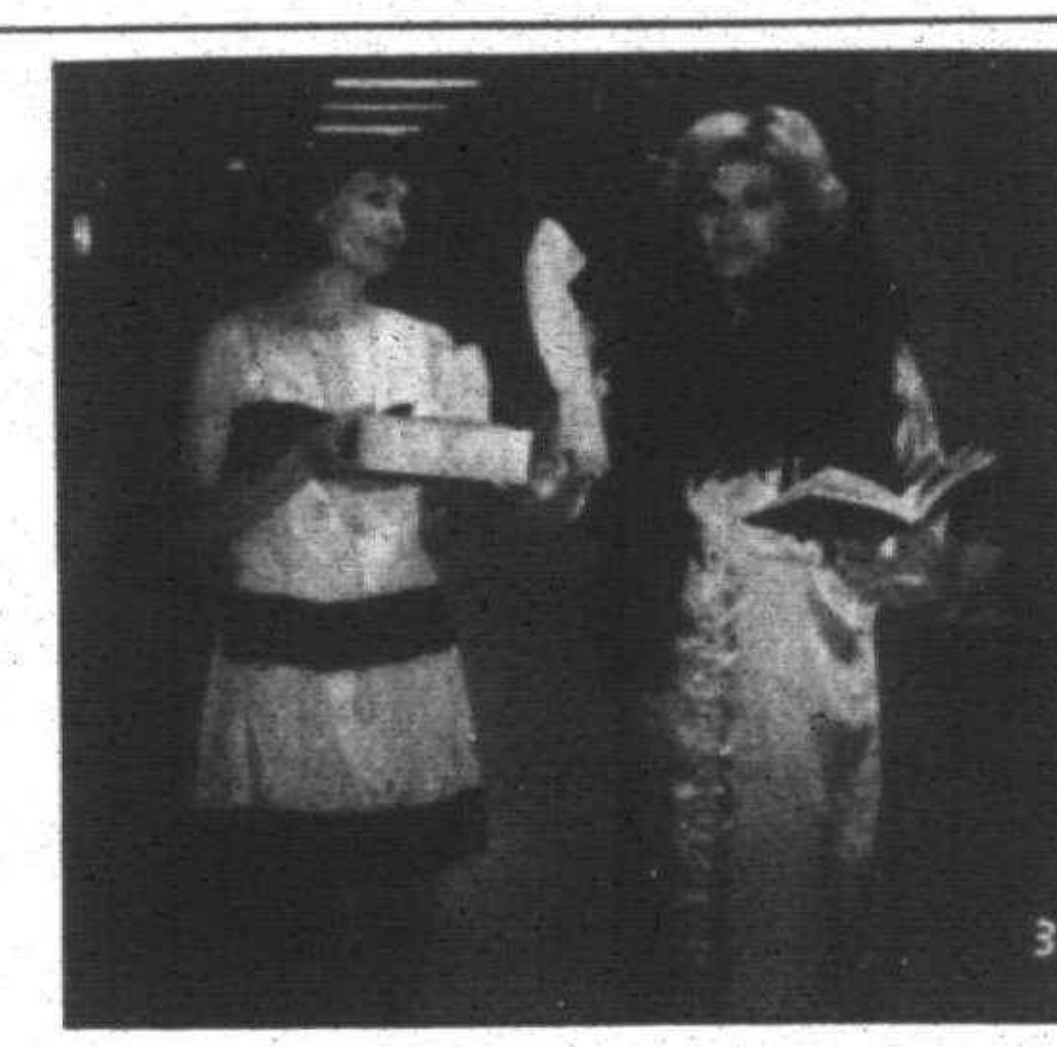
■ Farmington Community Chorus, over 80 voices strong, presents its 15th anniversary concert, "As Time Goes By," 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 12-13, at Harrisen High School, Farmington Hills.

The chorus, under the direction of Steven SeGraves, accompanied by Susan Garr, will sing songs from the last six decades including "As Time Goes By," "Rock-A-Round the Clock," and "42nd Street."

Several soloists and small ensembles will also perform, and there will be some comical numbers too.

Get your tickets early, they sold out last year. Advance tickets are available from any chorus member, and at the Farmington Hills Department of Special Services, 31500 11 Mile Road. For more information, call chorus manager, Kathy Hall, (810) 471-4516.

Farmington Community Chorus is sponsored by the City of Farmington Hills, Dept. of Special Services.



Rehearsing: *Livonia Civic Chorus members Ann Van Ess and Linda Rainford are ready to "Shake the Blues Away!"*

Ballet companies celebrate spring

Michigan Classic Ballet Company presents, "The Seasons of Spring" 4 p.m. Sat., May 6, at the Smith Theatre for the Performing Arts, on Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills. Call (810) 661-4349 for ticket information.

A ballet and jazz workshop will be offered 7-9 p.m. Friday, May 5, at the Smith Theatre. Mary C. Geiger, artistic director, and Renee Gramattico, choreographer and artistic director of Ann Arbor Dance, will conduct. The fee for participants, who must be at least 12 years of age, is $15; the observation fee is $5. Dancers can participate in the workshop, and attend the concert for $20.

Here are some other dance events you won't want to miss.

■ Henry Ford Community College's Full Circle Dance Circle is presenting its annual spring dance concert May 9-10 in the Adray Auditorium of the MacKenzie Fine Arts Center on campus in Dearborn. Tickets $6 adults, $4 students, senior citizens and children. Call (313) 845-6314.

■ Oakland Festival Ballet Company will perform Tchaikovsky's "Sleeping Beauty," Act III and classical divertissements, in a series a shows in the Lila Jones Johnson Theatre on Oakland Community College's Royal Oak campus, 739 S. Washington, May 5-7. Tickets $10 adults, $5 children. Call (810) 544-5588 for ticket information, and show times.

■ More than 60 Cranbrook Kingswood Upper School students will present "An Evening of Dance," 8 p.m. May 11, 12 & 13 at Cranbrook's Lerchen Hall, 550 Lone Pine Road. Tickets $4 adults, $3 students and seniors. For more information, call (810) 645-3441.

■ Detroit Dance Collective is celebrating its 15th anniversary with family concerts, sponsored by Target, May 11-12 at Southfield's Millennium Center.

Tickets for a reception after Friday's concert are $10. Call (810) 552-7000.

Concert highlights include Kramer's work, "Fine Folk," made possible through a Creative Artist Grant to Kramer by the Arts Foundation of Michigan in conjunction with Michigan Council for the Arts and Cultural Affairs.

The piece features music by popular singer and musician Dean Rutlege, formerly with The Kingston Trio, and The New Christy Minstrels.

■ Center Stage Dance Comapny will present "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," the ballet 5:30 p.m. Sat., May 13, Marquis Theatre, downtown Northville. Tickets $5 each. Call (810) 380-1666.

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LET'S GO! DINING

DePalma's offers flavorful taste of Italy

Editor's note: Livonia Jaycees Susan and Scott Horsburgh wrote this review of DePalma's Ristorante as part of an Individual Development project called "Restuarant Write-Up." Project objectives included building written communication and verbal presentation skills, and broadening the knowledge of restaurants the city of Livonia has to offer. DePalma's donated dinner for two to the Livonia Jaycees for this project. The article was also published in the Jaycees' newsletter.

My husband Scott and I recently had the pleasure of celebrating our four-year wedding anniversary at DePalma's Ristorante on Plymouth Road between Merriman and Farmington Road in Livonia.

Upon entering the restaurant, owned by Chef Vito DePalma, we were immediately impressed by its authenticity. The decor was modest in keeping with genuine Old World tradition. A musical duo, aptly named the Strollers, sang authentic Italian songs, wandering among diners and taking requests. The Strollers are David Pasalaqua on the accordion and Francesco Cavallini on mandolin. Chef DePalma even makes his rounds to each table.

Manager Ray Borden seated us, and our waitress, Nina, presented us with a moderately priced wine list and took our drink order. Shortly thereafter, we received our appetizers and a bread basket, which included homemade garlic bread, a flat bread sweetened with cinnamon, and bread sticks. For an appetizer, I suggest their Pepperoni di Casa — roasted red peppers with basil or Melenzane al Forno — marinated baked eggplant with Mozzarella balls and tomato sauce.

All meals include choice of soup or salad, and some include a potato, pasta or vegetable. For those who prefer pasta, and a little spice of life, I suggest Penne pasta with Arrabiate sauce (spicy tomato sauce with fresh herbs), which is served piping hot and "delizioso" accented with a glass of Montelpulciano D'Abruzzo burgundy wine. Another great meal choice for those who prefer a less spicy dish is their Fettucini Alfredo con Salmone alla Griglia (Fettucini Alfredo with broiled salmon).

If you are a veal lover, you must try one of their signature items — Vitello arrosto alla DePalma, (roast veal braised in white wine, served in mushroom sauce).

DePalama's also serves great chicken and fish dishes with steaming oven roasted potatoes and a choice of pasta or vegetable.

Portion sizes are generous relative to their price, but you must save room for luscious cheesecake, a cannoli or Tiramisu for dessert. Yum!

Send recommendations for restaurants to feature in Let's Go! to: Keely Wygonik, editor.

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Thursdays: *7-10 p.m. – David Passalaqua and Francesco Cavelli, accordion and manadolin.*
Fridays and Saturdays: *7-11 p.m. Ron DePalma, piano and vocals.*

Restaurant Specials

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Great cast shines in uplifting drama



BOB WEIBEL

■ REVIEW

The Theatre Guild's closing show of the season is a CAPA production of "The Miracle Worker." CAPA is an enhanced Creative and Performing Arts program for Livonia high school students. Director Gail Susan Mack has fashioned one of CAPA's better shows — including perhaps two of their finest performances to date.

"The Miracle Worker" dramatizes the early life of Helen Keller. Born blind and mute in 1880, she went on to earn international recognition as an educator and author.

Whatever the astronomical odds are of being born with such an affliction, they are nothing compared with the possibility of Helen Keller coming up with the care of Annie Sullivan who taught her how to read, write and communicate with sign language.

Kelley Guarneri, in the role of Anne Sullivan, gives a remarkable performance. Her assured, incisive interpretation of a caring, determined Annie Sullivan belies the fact that she is a high school student. Guarneri would be a stand-out on a stage full of adult, seasoned performers.

Leslie Soranno, as Helen Keller, gives a stunning performance as a bright young girl trapped in a confusing dark world. Unable to practice the most basic forms of human communication — Soranno is able to physically show us a range of emotions from human to almost animal-like without ever speaking a word.

Now, there is a real affliction for most performers. But Soranno is more than up to the task. And that includes the famous scene at the dinner table.

Sullivan refuses to give into Keller's temper tantrum. The scene is mighty close to a primal scream session. Yet Soranno never goes over the top, and Guarneri lovingly stays the course. In the end, we are uplifted as a young blind girl takes one small step forward by the simple act of folding a napkin.

Others in the large cats of 22 turning in good performances include Scott Rigley and Michelle Mudge as Helen Keller's father and mother, who are never quite sure Sullivan will improve their daughter's condition.

ON★STAGE

"The Miracle Worker"

- **THEATER:** The Theatre Guild, 15138 Beech Daly, (one block south of Five Mile), Redford.
- **CURTAIN TIME:** 8 p.m. Fri.-& Sat., May 5-6; 12-13.
- **TICKETS:** $8 adults, $6 students, senior citizens. Call (313) 531-0554

Jason O'Beirne as Helen's brother, James, and Jennifer Patrny, as Aunt Ev, also turn in solid performances in supporting roles. Doug Miller, as Sullivan's crippled brother Jimmie, effectively portrays troubles in their life during flashbacks.

Except for a minor glitch or two, the setting, costumes, lights and sound effects are on par with the rest of the show. They work well together to give an authentic late 1800s feel to the play, and support an uplifting evening of theater.

Bob Weibel of Westland is a freelance writer, who has spent more than 25 years in community theater as a director, designer and performer.



Inspirational drama: *Kelley Guarneri (left) as Annie Sullivan, Leslie Soranno as Helen Keller in "The Miracle Worker."*

James Dapogny's Chicago Jazz Band to play with LSO

James Dapogny's Chicago Jazz Band will join the Livonia Symphony Orchestra for "Jazz with Class," 8 p.m. Sat., May 6 at the James P. Carli Auditorium, Churchill High School, (Newburgh Road south of Joy Road), Livonia. Tickets are $12 adults, $8 senior citizens, $5 students.

Tickets available at the door, Hammell Music in Livonia, Jacobson's at Laurel Park Place, Madonna University, and Livonia Civic Center Library. For more information, call (313) 421-1111.

James Dapogny's Chicago Jazz Band specializes in spirited traditional jazz music from the first 50 years of jazz history. They play turn-of-the-century ragtime, New Orleans and Chicago Jazz of the 1920s, and small-band swing of the 1930s and early 1940s. Members of the band can be heard individually on over 150 albums, and as a band they've made seven with a Grammy nomination for "Sippie," their Atlantic recording with blues singer Sippie Wallace and Bonnie Raitt.

■ PREVIEW

They will be joined for the symphony, under the direction of Francesco DiBlasi for "On the Road," and "Berlin Medley," and also present several selections of their own.

The symphony will perform Brahms' Academic Festival Overture, Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral from Wagner's "Lohengrin," three dances from the Gayne Ballet of Khachaturian, and Polovetsian Dances from Prince Igor of Borodin.

Also of note:

■ Musica Viva International Concerts is presenting its third annual Michigan Flute Festival 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. Tickets are $10, $15, $20 and $35. Call (313) 833-3700.

As a prelude, a master class with Italian flute virtuoso Raffaele Trevisani will be offered 2:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, L Building Room 208. Participation fee is $20, audience admission is free. Call (810) 471-7699 or (313) 482-2166 for information.

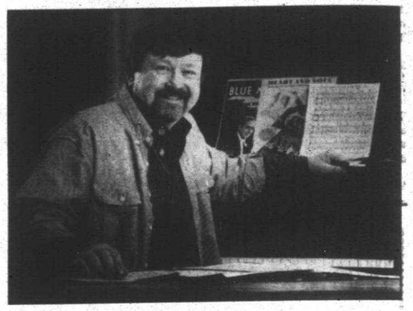
Trevisani will be performing at the festival on Sunday with musicians from over 120 Michigan cities including soloists, ensembles, flute choirs, and the Mass Flute Choir consisting of 200 to 400 flutists.

Guest artist Raffaele Trevisani has collaborated with James Galway, Jean Pierre Rampal, and others. A professor at the Conservatory of Music in Milan, Trevisani performs as a soloist with the orchestras in Milan.

Included in the program are a world premier of a work for flute and piano by Chinese composer Wang Shu, performed by Ginka Ortega, first prize winners in three categories — junior high, high school, and university, the Michigan Flute Orchesra, the Ann Arbor Flute Choir, the Ortega duo, and a performance by Richard Sherman, a professor of flute at the School of Music at Michigan State University, former principal flutist of the Rochester Philharmonic.

■ Over 160 members of the Livonia Youth Philharmonic of Michigan will perform at a spring concert 6 p.m. Mon., May 15 at Laurel Manor in Livonia. Tickets are $7. For more information call, (313) 422-6194.

Philharmonic members are from 21 communities in southeast Michigan, and range in age from five to 18.



Guest artist: *James Dapogny's Chicago Jazz Band will be performing with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra on May 6. Dapogny is the band's leader and arranger.*

Concert features Japanese choir

Yokohama Mokuyokai and Ann Arbor Cantata Singers, and Plymouth Oratorio Society will be featured this weekend in concerts at local churches.

■ A joint choir concert featuring the Yokohama Mokuyokai and Ann Arbor Cantata Singers will be presented 3 p.m. Sat., May 6 at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, Redford. There is no admission charge, and a short afterglow will follow the concert. For information, call (313) 937-3170.

■ PREVIEW

The Mokuyokai choir hails from the city of Yokohama, Japan where they began singing in 1939. They perform a broad repertoire of songs including Japanese folk music, and sacred music from around the world.

Ann Arbor Cantata Singers are dedicated to performing all types of music from baroque to contemporary.

■ Plymouth Oratorio Society will be presenting its ninth choral concert 7:30 p.m. Sun., May 7 at St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren Road, Canton. No tickets necessary — free-will offering will be taken during intermission, and a reception will follow concert. For more information, call (313) 455-8353.

POS will be performing "Requiem" by Gabriel Faure and "Gloria" by Francis Poulenc. Featured soloist is soprano Carolyn Pratt, a soloist in the Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minnesota community.

■ Nardin park United Methodist Church Music Series presents Anne and Todd Wilson, renowned solo keyboard performers, 7:30 p.m. Sun., May 21 at the church, 29887 W. 11 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. There is no admission charge, a reception will follow concert. For information, call (810) 476-8860.

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LET'S GO! MOVIES

Filmmakers don't apologize for controversial work



JOHN MONAGHAN

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■ PREVIEW

Don't hold your breath for Rudy Ray Moore and Jeff Jackson to apologize for their often controversial work. In an era where filmmakers wear political correctness like a badge, Moore and Jackson pride themselves on telling stories their way.

So it's not surprising that both should find themselves on screen this week at Ferndale's Magic Bag Theatre. Moore will appear live with his 1975 movie "Dolemite" on Friday and Saturday while Jackson's "Death and Taxes" makes its Midwestern debut Tuesday through Thursday.

Though out of the spotlight since his initial success in the 1970s, Moore has garnered new fans with his movies on video. In "Dolemite" and "The Human Tornado," Moore plays a superstud (and Disco-era fashionplate) who pits his martial arts skills against a usually white villain.

The movies are different than the countless other "blaxploitation" movies because they were actually produced and directed by African Americans. Distribution was limited during their original release, yet they enjoyed immense popularity at drive-ins.

Moore appeared with "Dolemite" during its premiere at Detroit's Grand Circus Theatre 20 years ago, making the weekend shows an anniversary of sorts. His standup routine — immortalized in a series of comedy albums — focuses on raunchy rhymes that have made him a hero to young rappers.

Still he continues to draw controversy. Some black and white viewers take offense at his persona of foul-mouthed superstud and his warped view of women as either Amazons or prostitutes. Moore himself always saw the movies as comedy, tongue firmly in cheek.

Jeff Jackson, meanwhile, finds himself at the center of a national debate. In the wake of the Oklahoma City bombing, what could be more un-PC than a sympathetic documentary about Gordon Wendell Kahl, practically a patron saint for the National Militia Movement?

Some see him as a folk hero, a North Dakota farmer who refused to pay his taxes, professing that the government was run by a big-bank conspiracy. A World War II veteran and father of six, Kahl was the subject of an intensive manhunt after a shootout left two federal agents dead in 1983.

News reports and the 1991 TV movie "Manhunt in the Dakotas" portrayed Kahl as "a radical, fanatic racist who deserved to be snuffed out by the government," according to Jackson.

Though some might call Jackson's documentary slanted, it's not propaganda either. "I did a lot more homework than the mainstream media," he says of his five-year project, which resulted in some 130 hours of interview footage of prosecutors, probation officers, IRS agents, along with Kahl's friends and neighbors.

"Death and Taxes" doesn't always follow a linear pattern, a device used in Errol Morris' groundbreaking 1988 documentary "The Thin Blue Line." That film resulted in the release of a death-row inmate convicted of killing a Texas policeman.

Jackson's aim is equally difficult. "I don't know that I can change history," he concludes, "but I can at least provide a footnote."

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Screen Scene

A sampling *of what's playing at alternative movie theaters across metro Detroit as reviewed by John Monaghan.*

■ **DETROIT FILM THEATRE**
Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 833-2323 for information. ($5; $4 students)

"Little Odessa" (USA — 1994). 7, 9:30 p.m. May 5-6; 4, 7 p.m. May 7. The setting is Brooklyn's Brighton Beach, also known as Little Odessa because of its Russian-Jewish emigre community. Here a professional killer (Tim Roth of "Pulp Fiction") has a new assignment that takes him back to the explosive neighborhood from which he is a fugitive. Edward Furlong co-stars.

"Franz Kafka's It's a Wonderful Life" (Britain — 1994). 7 p.m. May 8. Director Peter Capaldi takes us back to the moment when writer Kafka labors over the first lines of his story "Metamorphosis." What exactly, he ponders, is main character Gregor going to turn into? Shown with Mike Leigh's short "A Sense of History" (Britain — 1992).

■ **MAGIC BAG THEATRE**
22918 Woodward, Ferndale. Call (810) 544-3030 for information. (Ticket prices vary)

Rudy Ray Moore live with "Dolemite" (USA — 1975). 8, 11 p.m. May 5-6. Moore, a popular comedian from the 1970s, performs a live standup routine after a screening of "Dolemite," the first in a series of black-made exploitation movies about a standup comic/martial arts expert/superstud out to get even with "The Man." ($12 advance; $15 at door)

"Death and Taxes" (USA — 1994). 7 p.m. May 9, 11; 7:15, 9:30 p.m. May 10. A controversial new documentary about a North Dakota farmer whose refusal to pay taxes leads to a bloody gun battle with state troopers. Through countless interviews, director Jeff Jackson pieces together the real story of a man who some see as either bigoted cop killer or modern folk hero. ($5)

■ **MAIN ART THEATRE**
118 N. Main Street at 11 Mile, Royal Oak. Films play through at least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 542-0180 for information and showtimes. ($6.50; $4 students and matinee; $3 twilight)

"The Sum of Us" (Australia — 1995). When a son comes out of his closet to his father, dad not only accepts the news, but helps him get dates. This gay-friendly comedy stars familiar Australian actors Jack Thompson and Russell Crowe.

"Jefferson in Paris" (USA — 1995). Nick Nolte plays Thomas Jefferson, ambassador to France in the days shortly before that country's revolution. Though historians are having some trouble with it, expect loyal audiences to flock to this latest Merchant/Ivory production.

"Muriel's Wedding" (Australia — 1995). In this hit comedy from Australia, a young woman dreams of marriage but can't seem to get her life together.

■ **MAPLE THEATRE**
4135 W. Maple, Bloomfield. All titles play through at least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 855-9090 for information. ($5.75; $3.75 students and matinee; $2.95 twilight)

"Priest" (British — 1995). In this controversial new film, a young priest questions the church's rules of celibacy and sanctity of confession. What starts as an authentic portrait of the modern priesthood quickly turns into a manipulative and one-dimensional plea for tolerance and understanding.

"Funny Bones" (Ireland — 1995). From the director of "Hear My Song," the story of two separated half-brothers, both comedians, who only discover each other in adulthood. Jerry Lewis co-stars.

"Circle of Friends" (USA — 1995). An engaging (if utterly predictable) romantic comedy about three college girls in 1950s Ireland, their relationships with each other and various boyfriends. Chris O'Donnell co-stars.

■ **STATE THEATRE**
2115 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 961-5450 for information. ($1)

"Reservoir Dogs" (USA — 1992). 9 p.m. May 8. Quentin Tarantino's sleeper hit of a few years back is now a genuine cult classic. The story of a heist gone way wrong breathed new life into the hardboiled crime genre. Harvey Keitel, Lawrence Tierney head the cast.

Duo tickles historic ivories

■ PREVIEW

Lance Luce and Mike Przybylski will be performing 8 p.m. Sat., May 6 at the Historic Redford Theatre, 17360 Lahser Road, Detroit. Tickets $8, call (810) 258-5806 or (313) 537-2560.

Luce, who will be playing the Barton theatre organ, just returned from playing at the Regional Convention of the American Theatre Organ Society in Buffalo, New York. After touring the U.S., Canada, England and Australia, Luce has returned to his native Michigan where he concentrates on concerts, recordings, church work. He represents Rodgers Organs at Hammell Music in Livonia.

Przybylski will play his well-known boogie-woogie stylings at the piano in duet with Luce. Przybylski has performed at the Woodbridge Tavern in Detroit, Charley's Crab in Troy, and the Dakota Inn Rathskeller in Detroit on John R.



Soloist: *Organist Lance Luce will be featured at the Redford Theatre.*

Coming Attractions

There's something for everyone at the movies. Here's a list of what's in the wings:

Opening Friday, May 5

■ "Tom & VIV" — Untold and moving story of one of the century's greatest literary love affairs, between American writer T.S. Eliot and beautiful aristocrat Vivienne Haight-Wood. Stars Willem Dafoe, Miranda Richardson. Rated PG-13.

■ "French Kiss' — When a woman hears that her fiance's running off with someone else, she chases him all over France to win him back — unwittingly falling in love with a helpful but rascally Frenchman along the way. Stars Meg Ryan, Kevin Kline and Timothy Hutton. Rated PG-13.

■ "Bar Girls" — Exclusively at the Main Art Theatre, seriocomic melodrama about the lifestyles of eight lesbians who frequent the same neighborhood bar. Rated R.

Opening Friday, May 12

■ "Gordy" — A quirky pig-tale about a young pig named Gordy and his adventures. Rated G.

■ "The English Man Who Went Up A Hill, But Came Down a Mountain," — Quirky and captivating tale of two English mapmakers who find that they're no match for the people of Ffynnon Graw, who will stop at nothing to ensure that their hill is declared a mountain. Rated PG.

■ "Crimson Tide" — Action thriller about a split decision and rift between two U.S.S. Alabama nuclear submarine commanders on whether to carry out their original mission after a second mission they receive is inaudible. Stars Gene Hackman, Denzel Washington. Rated R.

■ "The Perez Family" — Two Cuban refugees journey to the United States to pursue a romantic destiny and discover how strangers become a family and a family becomes strangers. Stars Marisa Tomei, Anjelica Houston. Rated R.

■ "The Underneath" — Psychological thriller about seduction, betrayal and second chances. Stars Pete Gallagher, Elizabeth Shue. Rated R.

Opening Friday, May 19

■ "Die Hard — With a Vengeance" — Detective John McClaine is back in the thick of things, this time working to thwart a mad bomber. Stars Bruce Willis, Samuel Jackson, Jeremy Irons. Rated R.

■ "Forget Paris" — Funny, touching and insightful look at what happens when the honeymoon ends and the marriage begins. Stars Billy Crystal, Debra Winger.

■ "A Little Princes" — Story of a wealthy, precocious and loving child raised in India and sent to a New York boarding school when her father goes off to war. When she is informed that her father is presumed lost in combat and she finds herself alone and penniless, she must use her inner resources of warmth, imagination and principle to overcome adversity.

■ "Nina Takes A Lover" — Romantic comedy about a married woman who begins an affair with a Welsh photographer, and hopes to use the excitement of her dalliance to return the passion to her relationship with her husband, the man she really loves.



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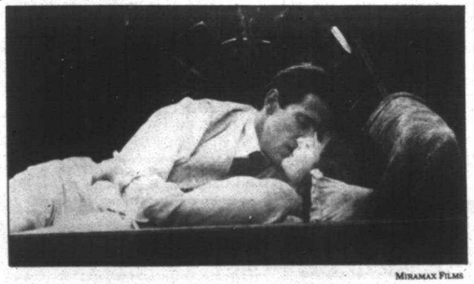
Love story: *Kevin Kline is Luc and Meg Ryan is Kate in "French Kiss."*



MIRAMAX FILMS

Literary love: *Willem Dafore (left) and Miranda Richardson in Brian Gilbert's "Tom & VIV."*

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CHRISTINA FUOCO

Seeing Danzig: good for laugh

I admit I was a geek in high school. I got great grades and hardly missed any school. But I had this punk rock side to me. (Or at least what was defined as "punk rock" to high schoolers back then.)

I went home from school, did homework and watched videos on this little-known show "MV3." The gloom and doom of bands like The Smiths, Duran Duran, The Cure and Depeche Mode really, ironically, pumped me up.

While I was in college, my love for that music grew stronger. Dancing in a darkened ballroom, lighted only slightly by black lights at Detroit's City Club to the Sisters of Mercy, The Smiths, Siouxsie and the Banshees, Karen Finley, Moave, and Public Image Ltd., rejuvenated me. The whole black thing — clothes, darkness and mood — still makes my heart race.

I can't say that I've grown out of that phase. My taste in music has gotten a little harder though and City Club has been substituted for Pantera, Prong, Orange 9mm, Rage Against the Machine, and Clutch concerts.

I guess that's why going to see Danzig, Korn and Marilyn Manson seemed pretty funny. I could "check up" on the people whose anger festers like the original City Clubbers and who wear black because they mean it (not because it's trendy).

I figured how bad could it be? I've been writing about music for nearly six years so I've been thrown in all kinds of weird situations that now make great party stories.

I figured that seeing Danzig, Korn and Marilyn Manson would be pretty harmless. Like everyone else with MTV in the world, Danzig's video for "Mother" is embedded in my mind. I was nearly craving to see Glenn Danzig come out looking like the Michelin tire man screaming the chorus.

As I stood in the line that wrapped around the building, girls in "Clockwork Orange" makeup passed us by. The promotion people for Z-Rock, which was celebrating its on-air anniversary, walked around handing out water balloons. Nobody accepted the challenge. (I guess it might ruin the makeup job.) Squinty-eyed guys were throwing their chains on the ground because they couldn't take them in.

It was cool six years ago at City Club, but seeing the children of the night walking around in bright daylight was as uncomfortable as seeing Dracula sunning himself.

It really hit me how that whole "black" scene had changed when I walked into the State. Knowing I was going to Danzig and I guess not thinking, that morning I threw on an off-white thermal dress and tights, black Doc Marten boots and a black leather coat. In a sea of black tar, I looked like Glenda the Good Witch from "The Wizard of Oz."

Souvenir stands sold Marilyn Manson T-shirts with the logo of the Salvation Army modified to say "Satanic Army." (A quick lesson about Marilyn Manson. The five men take first names of famous women and last names of mostly murders — i.e. Sara Lee Lucas, Twiggy Ramirez, Madonna Wayne Gacy, Daisy Berkowitz and Mr. Manson.) Other T-shirts have pictures of leader, Mr. Manson, with fake blood coming out of his mouth. For $10, you, too, can take home a poster of Glenn Danzig in his shirtless glory (of course) and wooden wings strapped to his arms.

Inside the theater proper, I sat through hours of choreographed head-banging and watched the mostly male crowd body surf up to their alleged devil-worshipping heroes. One guy in the "Beavis & Butthead"-sanctioned crowd proudly wore a shirt that read "Freak."

The most mind-bogling thing of the night was when the first band Korn stepped on stage. During their song "Chutes and Ladders," the lead singer strapped on bagpipes. Now, I just got back from Scotland and I didn't see any bagpipes there. But here I am at a head-banging, devil-worshipping contest and this guy with dreadlocks pulls out bagpipes.

Having seen Marilyn Manson before, I used that as my rest period. But I finally got to see the god old Michelin man. I'm sorry to say that seeing him sing "Mother" wasn't as funny as I thought.

I was right. Going to Danzig, Korn, and Marilyn Manson was good for a laugh. The next time I feel nostalgic, however, I'll happily go to City Club, veg on the couches, and smell the aroma of Clove cigarettes and "alternative" perfumes.

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Ned's Dustbin: From boys to men

■ Barely 20 when they formed eight years ago, Ned's Atomic Dustbin concentrated on being popular instead of getting to know themselves. Recording their latest album "Brainbloodvolume" changed all that.

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER



Holding together: *Ned's Atomic Dustbin — drummer Dan (from left), bassist Mat, vocalist Jonn, bassist/guitarist Alex and guitarist/keyboardist Rat — play St. Andrew's Hall May 9 in support of their record "Brainbloodvolume."*

Despite forming eight years ago, members of Ned's Atomic Dustbin are just getting to know each other.

"People are very kind of inside themselves a lot," singer Jonn (no last name) said via telephone from his home in England.

This didn't hit home until they returned from touring in support of "Are You Normal?" and began work on "Brainbloodvolume."

"When we sat down to write the third album and talked about what kind of music we liked, we were amazed and frightened to death," Jonn said. "We realized that we're really not into the same stuff at all anymore. We had little in common musically."

To ease the fear and nervousness, Ned's Atomic Dustbin recorded "Brainbloodvolume" in the leisurely pace of two years.

"What we had to do in the two years is see if we could work with those tastes and see if we could work together," he said. "We certainly came up with something we're all pleased with."

For "Brainbloodvolume," Ned's Atomic Dustbin stripped away most of its heavy pop influences and replaced them with a more industrial, corrosive — and sometimes even hip-hop — sound. The first single, "All I Ask of Myself Is That I Hold Together" is just as combative as the video set at a demolition derby. The youthful angst of "Are You Normal?" and "God Fodder" is long gone. Rational fear and rage as well as heartful sentiments take its place.

"Instead of having one single energy rush, we wanted to make songs that would carry their own mood so we could create a series of different kinds of emotions," Jonn said. "I want this to be the kind of album that makes the hair stand up on the back of your neck."

Learning more about each other was a tough job for Ned's Atomic Dustbin who barely knew themselves when the band formed in November 1988 at a West Midlands college dorm. A majority of the band, who named themselves after a skit from the Spike Milligan and Peter Sellers BBC series "Goon Show," was barely 20 while drummer Dan was 15. Two years later, they hit the stage of England's prestigious Reading Festival in front of 60,000 screaming fans.

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Jonn

"We were very young and we (hadn't) actually become our own individual persons ourselves let alone know each other," Jonn said. "It was 3½-4 years when things started happening for us. We were having a laugh and enjoying being famous. There wasn't a lot of communication going on and that's a really difficult thing to do."

There's still a comedic edge to them. A few years ago they contributed their version of the Bay City Rollers' single "Saturday Night" to the soundtrack of "So I Married an Axe Murderer."

"What we did was we took a horrendous song and made it quite bad. It was a lot better (however). It couldn't be much worse. I was horrified, but I thought it would be nice to do something with Mike Meyers," he said. "When I heard the song I was absolutely horrified. It was one of the worst songs ever. We just polished a turd."

Pushing sense of humor aside, their live show, which hits St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit on Tuesday, May 9, has a certain sense of newfound maturity as well, Jonn said.

"(During) Ned's gigs in the past, our heads were down and we thrashed it out to the end. This time we're working a bit more dynamics into the stuff."

Jonn admits that "Brainbloodvolume" is Ned's Atomic Dustbin's best work to date. It was a refinement of their musical craftsmanship as well as a polishing of their rough-edged personality.

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Ned's Atomic Dustbin and Orange 9MM play St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit, on Tuesday, May 9. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. for the all-ages show. Tickets are $10 in advance. For more information, call (313) 961-MELT.

Still rockin' with Dokken in the '90s

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

Nobody will admit it, except under intense pressure. It doesn't matter if the person being asked the question is a singer/songwriter, a 20-year-old college student, or a die-hard alternative rock fan. Chances are good that if you went to high school or junior high school in the '80s, you were a fan of Dokken.

Just thinking about them singing "In My Dreams," "Into A Fire," "It's Not Love," "Heaven Sent" and "Dream Warriors" is probably conjuring up images of fedoras and poker-straight long brown hair.

Well, good news. Just like Arnold Schwarznegger, they're back — and selling out clubs around the United States. Their Ritz show Friday, May 5, is close to being sold out.

"I got to admit secretly we felt that there was more of an audience than a lot of people perhaps were willing to give to us," said bassist Jeff Pilson, via telephone during a tour stop in Kansas City last week. "We were born in the '80s. Everyone stamped a big 'no' on bands in the '80s. Everyone told us we were going against the odds. But we kind of said all along, 'I think there's an audience out there.'"

■ 'Most bands are not using harmonies. It's almost a taboo thing. We have to do those vocals because that's who we are. There are three singers in the band. OK, it's not the most hip thing. But I'd rather be a trend-setter than a trend follower and be a positive influence for once.'

Jeff Pilson
Dokken

Dokken gained recognition in the '80s with five platinum-plus records and tours with Aerosmith, AC/DC, Van Halen and Metallica. The group disbanded, so to speak, in 1988 at the height of their success. Don Dokken went on to record a solo album, while Mick Brown and George Lynch formed the Lynch Mob.

This installment in the "saga" (as quoted from Don Dokken) isn't the Dokken All-Stars or Dokken Part II. The original lineup of vocalist/guitarist Dokken, guitarist Lynch, drummer Brown and bassist Pilson has reformed and is revved up for the '90s. Dokken's latest album "Dysfunctional" (Columbia) is due out May 15 and they didn't regress to the '80s to please fans.

"It sounds modern and fresh but at the same time it very much sounds like Dokken," Pilson said. "It wasn't like we sat down and thought we have to change with the times. We've grown musically. It's been seven years since we've been together. The natural evolution of musicians resulted in a new, fresher-sounding record.

"We write the music that we like and to me that's the only way."

Just like the old days, the harmonies are Dokken's strong suit despite the fact that, according to Pilson, harmonies are passe.

"Harmonies have always been a highlight or a trademark of the band; we didn't let that disappear," he said. "Most bands are not using harmonies. It's almost a taboo thing. We have to do those vocals because that's who we are. There are three singers in the band.

"OK, it's not the most hip thing. But I'd rather be a trend-setter than a trend follower and be a positive influence for once."

Dokken and Universal Stomp performs at The Ritz, 17580 Frazho, Roseville, Friday, May 5. Tickets are $17 in advance and doors open at 7 p.m. For more information, call (810) 778-6404.



Dokken sans fedora: *Many '80s rock fans are all in their glory now that the original Dokken — Mick Brown (clockwise from left), Jeff Pilson, Don Dokken and George Lynch — have reunited.*

Have a listen

To hear music by Ned's Atomic Dustbin (message 2), Dokken (message 3), Downer's Grove (message 4), Big Chief (message 5), The Bucket (message 6), Mary Karlzen (message 7), and Orange 9mm (message 8), you can call the Street Scene Music Line at (313) 953-2025 on a touch-tone phone. Fast-forward to the corresponding message by pressing 33. To repeat a message, press 4.

In Concert

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Thursday, May 4

SIMON BONNEY
With Volebeats at Magic Bag Theatre Cafe, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. (alternative/roots rock)
(810) 544-3030

CRASH WORSHIP
With Quintron at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (alternative rock)
(313) 961-MELT

THE WAILERS
Celebrate what would have been Bob Marley's 50th birthday at Majestic Theatre, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (reggae)
(313) 963-7680

GREAT WHITE
The Ritz, 17580 Frazho, Roseville. (rock)
(810) 778-6404

SUICIETY
With Flavored With Meat at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (rock)
(810) 334-9292

NEIL WOODWARD
The Ark, 637½ S. Main., Ann Arbor. (folk)
(313) 761-1800

DOWNER'S GROVE
Studio Lounge, 6921 Wayne Road, Westland. (rock)
(313) 729-2540

ONE ELEVEN
Formerly the Kristin Sayer Band at Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. (rock)
(313) 485-5050

THE BUCKET
With Tomorrow's Clown at Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. (alternative)
(313) 996-8555

STEPHEN GRANT WOOD
Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac.
(810) 332-HOWL

ROBERT PENN
Q Club, 29 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (blues)
(810) 334-7411

Friday, May 5

ESHAM
With N.A.T.A.S. at State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (rap)
(313) 961-5451

NRBQ
Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.
(313) 996-8555

DOUGIE MACLEAN
The Ark, 637½ S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (Scottish singer/songwriter)
(313) 761-1451

MIKE WATT
With Foo Fighters and Hovercraft at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (alternative rock)
(313) 961-MELT

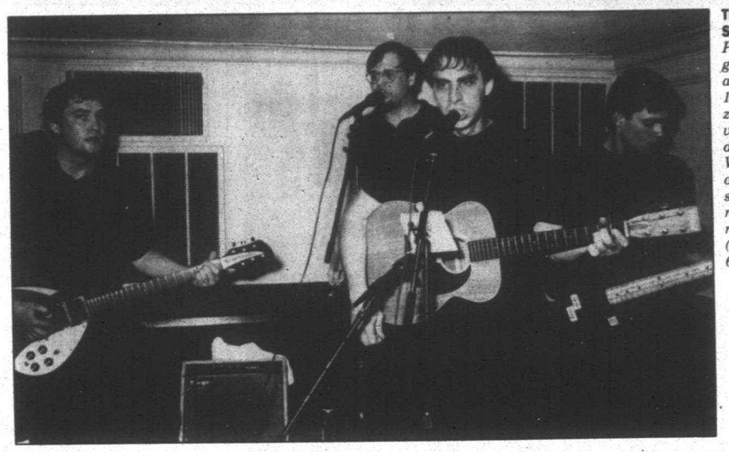
DOKKEN
The Ritz, 17580 Frazho, Roseville. (rock)
(810) 778-6404

VIKKI JAMES AND THE FLAMETHROWERS
Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. (blues)
(810) 412-1040

THE BOOGIEMAN
Sports, 166 Maple, Wyandotte. (blues)
(313) 285-5060

PAUL MARVIN BLUES BAND
Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (blues)
(313) 581-3650

CROMWELL
With Curtis's New Band at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (rock)
(810) 334-9292



The Smithereens: *Play their greatest hits at The Ritz, 17580 Frazho, Roseville, Saturday, May 6. Watershed opens the show. For more information, call (810) 778-6404.*

TREMOR RECORDS
"Electro-Magnetic Marathon," featuring Splatter (formerly Elvis Hitler), Happy Accidents, Kiss Me Screaming, Fortune & Maltese, Blaster and The Sidewinders at Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. (variety)
(313) 875-6555

BIM SKALA BIM
With Parka Kings at The Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (ska)
(313) 833-9700

NIKKI JAMES AND FLAMETHROWERS
Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. (blues)
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THE BOOGIEMAN
Sports, 166 Maple, Wyandotte. (blues)
(313) 285-5060

JASON MCCAULEY BERRY AND THE ALL Night Fish Market
Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit.
(313) 832-2355

YARDBOSS
With Red Tree at The Foundry, 18000 E. Warren, Detroit. (rock)
(313) 886-9960

EUREKA BLUE MOONS
Q Club, 29 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (blues)
(810) 334-7411

RUDY RAY MOORE
Magic Bag Theatre Cafe, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. (Dolomite)
(810) 544-3030

Saturday, May 6

MICHAEL COONEY
The Ark, 637½ S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (folk)
(313) 761-1451

THE SMITHEREENS
With Watershed and Broken Toys at The Ritz, 17580 Frazho, Roseville.
(810) 778-6404

BIG CHIEF
With Hoarse at Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. (funky rock)
(313) 996-8555

SPONGE
With Everclear and St. Francis Cadets at State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (rock)
(313) 961-5451

THE REV. MARC FALCONBERRY
Sports, 166 Maple, Wyandotte, (blues)
(313) 285-5060

VIKKI JAMES AND THE FLAMETHROWERS
Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (blues)
(313) 581-3650

DEMOGUISE
With Overthrow at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (rock)
(810) 334-9292

RANKIN FAMILY
The Ark, 637½ S. Main., Ann Arbor. (folk/pop)
(313) 761-1800

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(313) 285-5060

NIKKI JAMES AND THE FLAMETHROWERS
Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (blues)
(313) 581-3650

SLAUGHTER
With Illegal at Harpo's, 14238 Harper, Detroit. (rock)
(313) 824-1700

NOBODY'S BUSINESS
With Chickenhawk and Johnny Law at Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. (rockabilly)
(313) 832-2355

EUREKA BLUE MOONS
Q Club, 29 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (blues)
(810) 334-7411

"GEARED FOR LIFE"
AIDS benefit at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit.
(810) 358-9849

RUDY RAY MOORE
Magic Bag Theatre Cafe, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. (Dolomite)
(810) 544-3030

Sunday, May 7

FERRON
The Ark, 637½ S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (folk)
(313) 761-1451

REGINA BELLE
With Phyllis Hyman and Keith Washington at Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (R&B)
(313) 396-7600

THE FIGGS
With The Happy Accidents and The Deterants at The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (rock)
(313) 961-MELT

JACK LOGAN
With Mary Karlzen at 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (roots rock)
(810) 335-8100

Tuesday, May 9

NED'S ATOMIC DUSTBIN
With Orange 9mm at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. St. Johnny and Radial Spangle play the Shelter. (alternative rock)
(313) 961-MELT

KRISTINA OLSEN
With Karen Pernick at The Ark, 637½ S. Main., Ann Arbor. (blues)
(313) 761-1800

MUSTARD PLUG
Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross, Ypsilanti. (ska)
(313) 485-5050

THE INNOCENCE MISSION
With Stewart Francke at The 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (rock)
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(313) 961-MELT

Wednesday, May 10

RANKIN FAMILY
The Ark, 637½ S. Main., Ann Arbor. (folk/pop)
(313) 761-1800

REX
Formerly of Codeine at Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.
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BEST BETS

Thursday, May 4

THE WAILERS
Majestic Theatre, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (Bob Marley's band gets together and pays tribute to their leader who would have celebrated his 50th birthday this year.)
(313)963-7680

DOWNER'S GROVE
Studio Lounge, 6921 Wayne Road, Westland. (Downer's Grove provides heavy, melodic rock at its best on its debut tape and live.)
(313) 729-2540

Fnday, May 5

ESHAM
With N.A.T.A.S. at State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (Detroit's own "horrorcore" rappers Esham and N.A.T.A.S. come straight from the movie "The Fear" to the stage at the State Theatre in Detroit.)
(313) 961-5451

MIKE WATT
With Foo Fighters and Hovercraft at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (This is "The Place to Be" in 1995. Pearl Jam singer Eddie Vedder has been popping up on Mike Watt's tour, playing with the band Hovercraft and joining Watt as his guitarist. Foo Fighters is the new band by ex-Nirvana drummer Dave Grohl. The most interesting thing about this show is that Vedder, whose band is protesting TicketMaster, is playing at gigs where the tickets were sold by the company.)
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It's fun to share news about your family vacation with friends and neighbors by sending photos to the Observer.

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Lots of local talent 'Singin' in the Rain'

By Sue Suchytha
Special Writer

When Bob Ballard retired last June after 35 years of teaching vocal music for Livonia Public Schools, daydreams of his Houghton Lake cottage filled his head. Little did he know that his vocal music directing experience would lead him in another direction.

Community theater punctuated his short-lived retirement last fall when Players Guild president Brad Pfeifer, who had sung in Ballard's church choir, convinced Ballard to choral direct Gilbert & Sullivan's "H.M.S. Pinafore."

Since "Pinafore" was one of his favorite shows, Ballard accepted the challenge. That led to another show, "Singin' in the Rain," which opens May 5 and runs through May 21 at the Players Guild of Dearborn.

"Singin' in the Rain," which features a "movie within a play," includes musical favorites, "Be A Clow," and the title song "Singin' in the Rain." Ballard has tried to recapture the jazzy spirit of the 1920s era through the show's musical numbers.

"I want to get everyone's toes tapping," he said. "I enjoy the show, and working with a community theater group is definitely different than working with high school students."

After serving as choral director for 22 school musicals during his 28 years at Franklin High School in Livonia, Ballard counts "South Pacific," and "Fiddler on the Roof" among his all-time favorite shows.

"Singing' in the Rain" also features local playwright/actress Lisa Andres, her husband, Don, and their son Nicholas.

Nicholas, a fourth grader at Kennedy School in Livonia has acted in several productions his mom has directed, but this is the first time they've appeared in a show together.

Lisa plays the role of Kathy Seldon, the sweet, aspiring actress. Nicholas tap dances as young Cosmo in a flashback sequence.

Don, appears briefly in the show's film sequence. He is currently teaming up with his daughter, Brooke, in Michigan Opera Theatre's production of "Tosca," opening May 13.

Other local residents cast in "Singin' in the Rain," are John Reider of Birmingham as Don Lockwood; Russell Lamoreaux of Redford as studio executive, R.F. Simpson; Talli Borg of Westland as Zelda Zanders; Amy Hendrickson of Garden City as the stripper; and Livonia residents Nancy Valentini as Lena Lamont; Lonnie Valentini as the production tenor; Dorothy Andres as Dora Bailey; Penny Link as Ms. Dinsmore; and Leslie Kerrigan as a dancer and member of the chorus.

Sue Suchyta is a freelance writer who specializes in theater.

ON-STAGE

"Singin' in the Rain"
- **Theater:** Players Guild of Dearborn, 21730 Madison, near Monroe and Outer Drive.
- **Curtain time:** 8 p.m. Fri. & Sat., May 5-6; 2:30 p.m. Sun., May 7. Show continues weekends to May 21.
- **Tickets:** $10, call (313) 561-TKTS, for information, (313) 277-5164.

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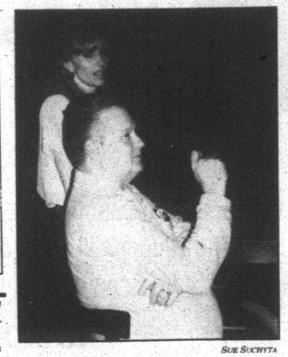

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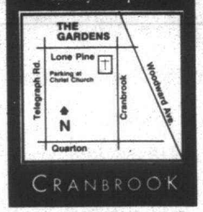

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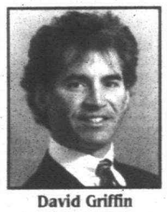

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LET'S GO! TRAVEL

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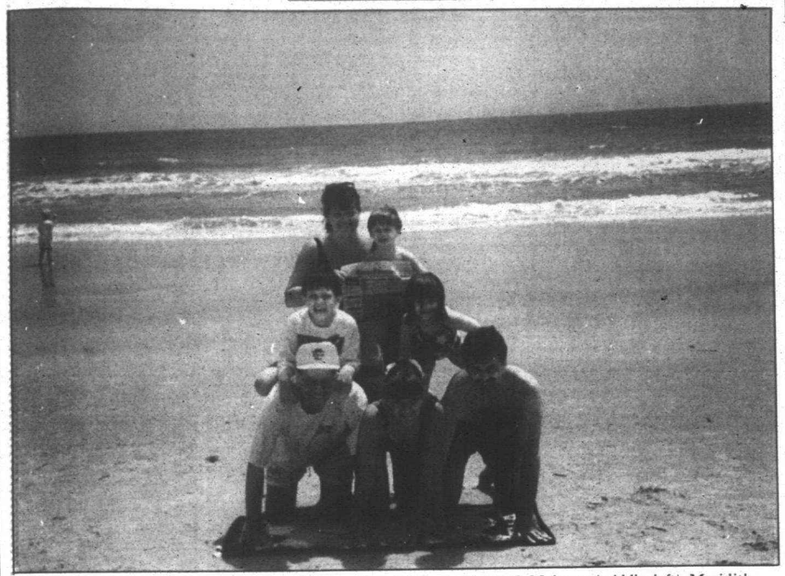
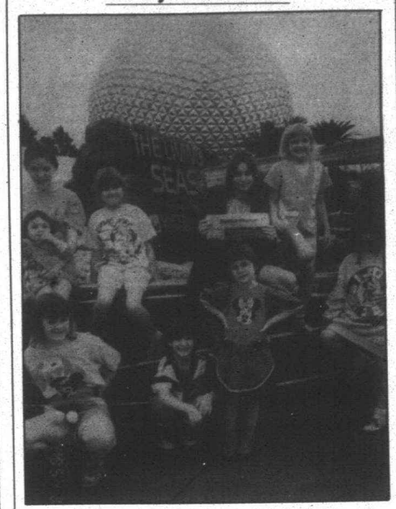


Sunny escape: *Sally and Patrick Bailey of Canton (top, left to right); Jacob Maloney (middle, left), Meridith Bailey; Mike Maloney (bottom, left), Gail Maloney and Bud Bailey on their spring vacation in Myrtle Beach. "There was something to occupy everyone, from golf to putt putt, outlet shopping and amusement rides," wrote Sally. "One of the nice Southern folks took our picture with our favorite newspaper. We had a great time with our friends the Maloneys."*

Wish you were here



Family reunion: *Three sisters and their children, the Madoles of Plymouth, Krasuski-Swans, and Clippingers of Orlando, got together for a reunion at Disney — Epcot World. In the picture are their children, (left to right, bottom), Meggie, Margery, Mitchel and Jessie. Top row, (left to right), Vonnie, Jenna, Becci, Elyse and Clariece.*

Wish you were here



Exploring caves: *Robby (left to right), Dan, Joey and Donna Harris of Canton 300 feet underground in the Mammoth Caves of Kentucky. The Harris family spent their Spring break exploring the caves. Dan has been an Observer Newspaper carrier for three years. Lucky for us he remembered to take the paper on vacation.*

Great Escapes

Send items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax (313)591-7279.

Travel films

WALES
On Friday, May 12, at 7:30 p.m. the City of Southfield presents the travel film "Great Little Country of Wales" narrated by Bob Chrysler, in the City Council Chambers at 26000 Evergreen Road. Tickets $4, and include light refreshments.
(810) 354-4717

Hotel Specials

CHIPPEWA HOTEL
Hotel on Mackinac Island is nearing completion of an extensive renovation and expansion of its guest rooms. The Harbor View Restaurant, Patio Grill & Bar, Victorian Room and pool areas also were refurbished. In-season rats start at $120 per room, $205 per suite. Off-season rates start at $90 per room, $140 per suite.
1-800-241-3341

Close to home

DETROIT ZOO
The zoo, 10 Mile at Woodward Ave., is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Admission is $6 adults, $4 senior citizens, $3 children 2-12, free children under 2. The Detroit Zoological Society is offering a Zoo Pass, which allows DZS members unlimited, free admission to the Detroit and Belle Isle Zoo and Aquarium for one year; free parking; express entrance; and invitations to members-only events. The cost is $35 for an individual, $45 for an individual plus one guest or $50 for a family.
(810) 541-5717

BELLE ISLE ZOO
Is open for the summer. New exhibit features five lion-tailed macaques, an endangered species. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Admission $2 for ages 12 and up, 50 cents for ages 2-12; free for children under 2, and $1 for seniors, 62 and older.
(810) 398-0900

Tours

LITHUANIA
Mysteries of Ancient Lithuania, June 22 to July 7, explore castles, palaces, and other historic places. Registration deadline May 5. The cost from Detroit is $2,499 per person. Sports and Music Festival Tour, July 27-Aug. 12, cost $2,499, registration deadline May 12.
(810) 646-8588

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to State Law 257.252, the following vehicle(s) will be sold at public sale at B & B Towing, 934 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth, Michigan, on the date and time listed below:

Thursday, May 11,th, 1995 at 4:00 p.m.

VEHICLE(S):

YEAR/MAKE/STYLE/VEHICLE ID NUMBER	CASE NUMBER
1982 PONT 2D 1G2AS872XCN526801	95-2604
1976 CHEV 2D 1X27D6W246012	95-2551

Inquiries regarding these vehicles should be directed to Officer Ron Bianchi, City of Plymouth Police Department, at 453-8600.

LINDA J. LANGMESSER, CMC
City Clerk

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP
PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR USE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL CONDITIONS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission has received a request from River Oaks Enterprises, Inc. to approve the Use Subject to Special Conditions for custom furniture sales associated with furniture manufacturing in the IND, Industrial District pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The subject property is located in the Metro West-Beck Road Subdivision on the west side of Beck Road, north of CSX Railroad, south of Five Mile Road. Application No. 1302. Tax I.D. No. 78-005-01-0015-303.

The Planning Commission seeks input to determine if approval of the Use Subject to Special Conditions should be issued under Section 15.2 of Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The land is currently zoned IND, Industrial District.

Questions regarding the request may be directed to the Community Development Department during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Planning Commission will consider the request at its regular meeting on May 17, 1995, commencing at 7:30 p.m. Written comments concerning the request will be received prior to the meeting. The meeting, application review and address for written comment is: Plymouth Charter Township, Community Development Department, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170. Telephone Number 453-3840, Ext. 209.

DONALD SPROGELL, Secretary
Planning Commission

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PLANNING COMMISSION

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission has received a request from F & G Services, Inc. to approve the Use Subject to Special Conditions for a gas station with car wash in the C-2, General Commercial District pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The subject property is located on the southeast corner of Beck Road and Five Mile Road. Application No. 1307. Tax I.D. Nos. 010-99-0017-001 & 010-99-0022-000.

The Planning Commission seeks input to determine if approval of the Use Subject to Special Conditions should be issued under Section 12.3 of Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The land is currently zoned C-2, General Commercial District.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission has received a request from First United Methodist Church of Plymouth to approve the Use Subject to Special Conditions to temporarily house persons on Church property in the R-1-S, Single Family Residential District pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The subject property is located on the south side of North Territorial Road, west of Sheldon Road, east of Hidden Creek Condominiums. Application No. 1305. Tax I.D. No. 031-01-0165-002.

The Planning Commission seeks input to determine if approval of the Use Subject to Special Conditions should be issued under Section 6.2 of Zoning Ordinance No. 83. The land is currently zoned R-1-S, Single Family Residential District.

Questions regarding the request may be directed to the Community Development Department during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Planning Commission will consider the request at its regular meeting on May 17, 1995, commencing at 7:30 p.m. Written comments concerning the request will be received prior to the meeting. The meeting, application review and address for written comment is: Plymouth Charter Township, Community Development Department, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170. Telephone Number 453-3840, Ext. 209.

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Singles Mingle

Send items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax (313) 591-7279.

Dance parties

DANCE PARTY
Tri-County Singles presents its "Astrology Dance" 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Saturday, May 6, at Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Livonia. Ages 21 and up. Fashionable attire. Admission $3. Arrive early for hot hors d'oeuvres.
(810) 842-7422 or (810) 842-0443

COALITION BENEFIT DANCE
Farmington Single Professionals, First Society of Detroit, Ford Singles, Selective Singles, Metropolitan Single Professionals, Active Singles, Selective Professionals, Windsor Singles will sponsor a "Singles Coalition Benefit Dance," 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 12 at Livonia Holiday Inn Hotel, Six Mile east of I-175, Laurel Park Mall, Livonia. Dressy attire, men must wear a coat and tie. Admission is $12 advance, $15 at the door. Proceeds to benefit Children's Hospital of Michigan.
(810) 851-9909.

WEDNESDAY DANCES
Wednesday Suburban Singles hold dance parties every Wednesday 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. every Wednesday at Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Exit 177, Livonia. Admission $3. Proper attire, No jeans.
(810) 842-0443.

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.
(313) 292-0766 or (313) 425-1430.

Ballroom dancing

FAIRLANE SINGLES
The Dearborn Fairlane Singles present "Ballroom Dancing" 8:30-11 p.m. every Thursday, at Bishop Foley K of C Hall, 15800 Michigan Ave., (3 blocks west of Greenfield). Popular live bands, couples welcome. Cost $4. Dance lessons by instructor, Nick Dean, 7-8 p.m. for $2.
(313) 565-3656 or 425-688.

STARLITERS
Ballroom dancing for singles age 40 and older will be 9 p.m. to midnight every Friday in the Northwest YWCA, 25940 Grand River, at Beech Daly, Livonia. Dressy attire, no jeans. Married couples welcome.
(313) 525-8913.

ANN ARBOR SINGLES
Ann Arbor Singles Ballroom Dancers meet 8:30-11:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the Grotto Club of Ann Arbor, 2070 W. Stadium Blvd. Live band. Admission $4.50 per person. Dance lessons available 7-8 p.m. for a fee.
(313) 930-1892, (313) 665-6013 or (313) 487-5322.

Single groups

TEMPLE BAPTIST SAM
Four separate classes meeting 9:45 a.m. on Sundays, at Temple Baptist Church, 23800 West Chicago, Redford. Groups divided by age and life situation. Weekly activities; sporting events, concerts, trips, Bible studies, prayer times, Girls Night Out. Check us out.
(313)255-3333.

SELECTIVE PROFESSIONALS
Selective Professionals is a group for professional singles that sponsors seminars, brunches, speeches and varied activities.
422-8700.

BETHANY
Bethany, a support and social group for divorced and separated Christians, meets 8 p.m. the third Saturday of each month at St. Kenneth Church, Haggerty Road south of Five Mile, Plymouth Township. A special evening of entertainment featuring the Earth Angles, a dance/lip-synch group of 9-15 year old boys and girls will be Saturday, April 22. Donation $5.
(313) 261-9123.

NEWBURG SINGLES
Newburg Singles ministries meets 7 p.m. on the third Sunday of each month in Guthrie Hall of Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, east of Newburgh, Livonia. Everyone, single or married is welcome. Light refreshments served.
(313) 663-0014.

FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS
A nonprofit social group for singles ages 25-40, who share common interests and want to form new friendships. It's not limited to the Farmington area and members participate in more than 200 activities per year.
(810) 478-9181.

SINGLE PLACE
Single Place Adult Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main, Northville, presents a social group called Single Place, which meets 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at the church.
(810) 349-0911.

SINGLE PLACE
Single Place Presents a seminar "Dealing with Trauma and Achieving Success" with speaker Darcel Du'Bois, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, in the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 East Main St. Cost $4.
(810)349-0911.

SINGLE POINT
The Rev. Paul Clough leads Scripture messages relevant to daily single living 10:45 a.m. Sundays, in Knox Hall, Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, at Six Mile Road, Livonia. Talk It Over (TIO), 7:30 p.m. second and fourth Friday of each month, in Knox Hall of Ward Presbyterian Church. Also available, volleyball, 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays.
(313) 422-1854.

EXPRESSIONS
An adult discussion group meets 7:30-11:15 p.m. the second and fourth Friday of each month in First Unitarian-Universalist Church, 1917 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor. The program is not church-affiliated. The group is open to those age 21 and older. Admission is $5 per person and $2 for volunteers. Snacks are served at each meeting.
(313) 996-0141.

METRO MINGLERS
The Metro Minglers, a singles group for people with disabilities ages 21-35, is sponsored by the Easter Seal Society.
(313) 338-9626 or (810) 646-3347.

ACTIVITIES GROUP
The Activities Group is single adults participating in a variety of activities on an organized year-round basis. They are not affiliated with any self-help group, religious or political organization. Membership fee is $30. The first golf outing of the season is Friday, April 14, at Copper Creek. A Toronto theatre weekend is planned April 22. Call 810-669-5333 for information.
(810) 624-7777.

ST. EDITH SINGLES
St. Edith Singles, 21 and over, meet at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at St. Edith Church, on Newburgh south of Five Mile.
Jack Mastan (313) 840-8824.

PWP/LIVONIA-REDFORD
The Livonia-Redford Chapter 130 of Parents Without Partners meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at the Cadillac Cafe, 30555 Grand River, Farmington Hills. Orientation is 8 p.m., the general meeting 8:30 p.m., followed by dancing.
(313) 464-1969.

PWP WAYNE-WESTLAND
The Wayne-Westland Chapter 340 meets the second and fourth Fridays of the month in the Wayne AMVETS Hall, 1217 Merriman, Westland. Meeting is 8-8:30 p.m. Dance is set for 8:30 p.m. to midnight. Admission is $4 before 9 p.m., $5 after 9 p.m. New members welcome.
(313) 525-6937.

CATHOLIC ALUMNI
The Catholic Alumni Club is for Catholics who are college graduates and are free to marry in the Catholic church.
(313) 561-7564, (810) 939-1558 or (810) 647-7076.

VOYAGERS SINGLES
Voyagers Singles is a non-denominational singles group for adults 45-years and older, which meets at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile Road, in Livonia. Molly Keep from Botsford Hospital will speak on "Optimal Wellness," at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 21. There will be a cost of $3.50.
422-3091.

SELECTIVE SINGLES SOCIAL/TRAVEL Club
Selective Singles Social and Travel Club comprises 600+ interesting, educated singles ages 25 and older, in the extended tri-county area. Wednesday, May 10, they will meet 5 p.m. for a Tremors Single Mingle, at the Holiday Inn, Six Mile and I-275, Livonia. Dancing after 9 p.m. reservations required. Many ongoing and varied social activities and trips.
(800) 867-0888, (810) 553-7960, or Martha (810) 553-2105.

Sports/Recreation

BYOS
Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church presents "Bring Your Own Sneakers at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 6 at the Livonia Family YMCA, Stark Road north of School, Livonia.
(313) 422-1854.

GOLF SIGN-UP
The Activities Group Golf Leagues will have sign-ups Friday, May 12, at Maple Lane; Monday, May 15 at the New Pontiac Municipal Golf Course.
(810) 624-7777.

TRAVELING GOLF
The Activities Group Traveling Golf Club meets Saturday, May 13 at Rackham Golf Club. Non members welcome to participate, no partner needed, Golf club membership is available. Every week the club will meet at a different golf course. 18 hole Tee time begin at 1 p.m., 9 hole Tee times begin at 3:30 p.m. Prepayment required. Members, 18 holes/$26, 9 holes/$18, cart extra, non members add $3. Send check payable to The Activities Group, 2160 North Pontiac Trail, Commerce Township, 48390-3161.
(810)624-7777.

GOLF CLINIC
Single Place presents a Spring Golf Clinic 6-8 p.m. Sundays, May 7 and 14, at Oasis Golf Center, Five Mile east of Haggerty, Livonia.
(810) 349-0911.

CO-ED SOFTBALL
FSP is forming a singles co-ed softball team playing Sunday nights beginning May 7 for 10 weeks. Cost $45/player, $48/non-member player and includes a team shirt and hat. Games will be in the Farmington area. Mail check to F.S.P.; P.O.Box 3162, Farmington Hills 48332-3162.
(810) 851-9909.

WHITE WATER RAFTING
FSP will go White Water Rafting June 23-25 in southwestern Pennsylvania. The trip includes 3 days and 2 nights accomadations at the Holiday Inn Holidome, rafting on the "Lower Youghiogheny" and 4 meals (Saturday breakfast, lunch on the river, dinner at Gleason's and Sunday brunch at the Holiday Inn). Cost $197/FSP members and $210/non-members. Mail a non-refundable $55 deposit to F.S.P.; P.O. Box 3162, Farmington Hills 48332-3162. A pre-trip meeting is scheduled 7:15 p.m. on Wednesday, May 31. Balance due at this time.
(810) 851-9909.

MIXED GOLF
Single Duffers Mixed Golf League will meet 5:30 p.m. Fridays at Hawthorn Valley golf Course, Westland. They need men and women and subs.
Lillian 728-9679 or Bob 562-8722.

CATHOLIC ALUMNI
The Catholic Alumni Club of Detroit sponsors indoor volleyball every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Birney Middle School in Southfield on the corner of Evergreen Road and 11 Mile Road. The cost is $3 for members/$5 non-members.
(810) 682-1807.

VOLLEYBALL
Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbeterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington Road, Livonia, has free Volleyball 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday in Knox Hall.
(313)422-1854.

BOWLING
The Activities Group, comprised of intelligent adults who enjoy participating in a variety of sporting and cultural events, meet at 7 p.m. every other week at the Northwestern Bowling Club in Farmington Hills. No partners are needed, teams are arranged by group. A nearby restaurant visit follows.
(810) 624-7777.

BRIDGE
Singles bridge group meets 7:30 p.m. Mondays in the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Lessons are offered 7:30 p.m. Thursdays.
(313) 349-9104 or (313) 420-3177.

WALLEYBALL
Farmington Single Professionals play walleyball at 6:45 p.m. Tuesdays and 7:15 p.m. Thursdays at Racquetball Farmington, Nine Mile between Farmington and Drake Road, Farmington. There are courts designated beginner, intermediate and advanced. Cost $4 for FSP members and $6 for non-members.
(810) 478-9181.

RUNNERS/WALKERS
Farmington Single Professionals meet 6:45 p.m. Wednesdays in the parking lot by the tennis courts at Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, Farmington Road just south of I-696.
(810) 478-9181.

EUCHRE NIGHT
Farmington Single Professionals sponsors a regular Euchre game night 7:30-9:30 p.m. Mondays, at the Historic Longacre House of Farmington Hills, 24705 Farmington Road, between 10 and 11 Mile roads. Casual attire and a $5 admission is required. Munchies and something to drink should be brought along.
(810) 478-9181.

Other activities

BEGINNING AGAIN
"Life After a Relationship has Ended" will be forming. Pre-registration by phone before May 10. Cost $20.
(810) 615-0137.

RECOVERY WORKSHOP
Single Place Presents a "Divorce Recovery Workshop" 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, May 11-June 22 in the Library/Lounge, First Presbyterian Church, Northville. Cost $30.
(810) 349-0911.

LOVE AND INTIMACY
An opportunity for growth workshop: "Finding Love and Intimacy: A class for Singles" will be 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, May 4-25 at the Forum Room, First Presbyterian Church, Northville. Cost $30.
(810) 349-0911.

WORKSHOP
A workshop, "Living Beyond Divorce - Phase II" with speaker Pam Jacobs, will be 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, May 11-June 15 at Boll Hall, First Presbyterian Church, Northville.
(810) 349-0911.

EUCHRE
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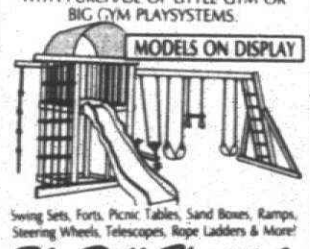
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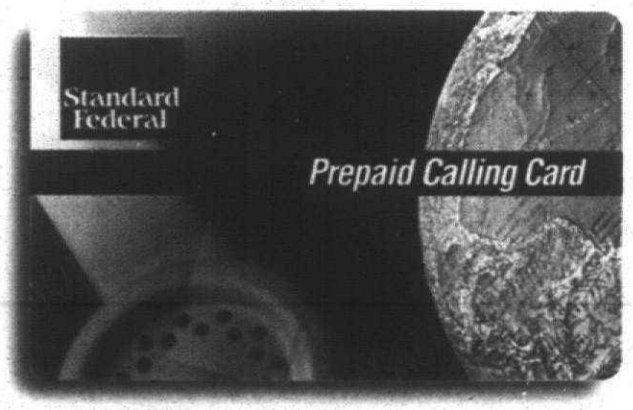

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CANTON SPORTS SCENE

Coaches still

The news hit with the impact of an avalanche.

Not just two coaches retiring — two coaching legends, known and highly respected throughout the state in their respective sports.

Tom Moshimer, the only football coach Plymouth Salem has ever had, and Fred Thomann, the dean of Observerland basketball coaches who's also been at Salem for nearly two decades, both leaving?

At the end of this school year?

It's true — but fans of Salem's football and girls basketball programs needn't worry. Both Thomann and Moshimer are taking the early retirement offered to them.

But both will continue to coach.

"No, heck no," said Thomann when asked if he was giving up coaching. "I'll still be coaching; I just won't have to get up in the morning.

"I'll still do the part of the day I always liked to do best."

Which is coach, something that Thomann — who will turn 53 in August — has proven extremely adept at.

Both he and Moshimer have been teaching 30 years, which made them eligible for a buyout and early retirement.

But while full-time teaching will be part of their past (Thomann said he may serve as a substitute teacher), coaching certainly won't be. Neither would even estimate when they would give it up.

"I throw it around every year, because it's time to think about it," said Moshimer, who's 60. "But it's something I really enjoy doing."

Unlike Thomann, Moshimer — who coached at the old Plymouth HS (now Central Middle School) starting in '67 — plans to continue his daily routine next fall, arriving at Salem at 6:30 a.m. But instead of teaching classes, he'll be "working full-time at football, something I really love to do."

Indeed, both will be able to devote more time to coaching, and that spells trouble for opposing teams.

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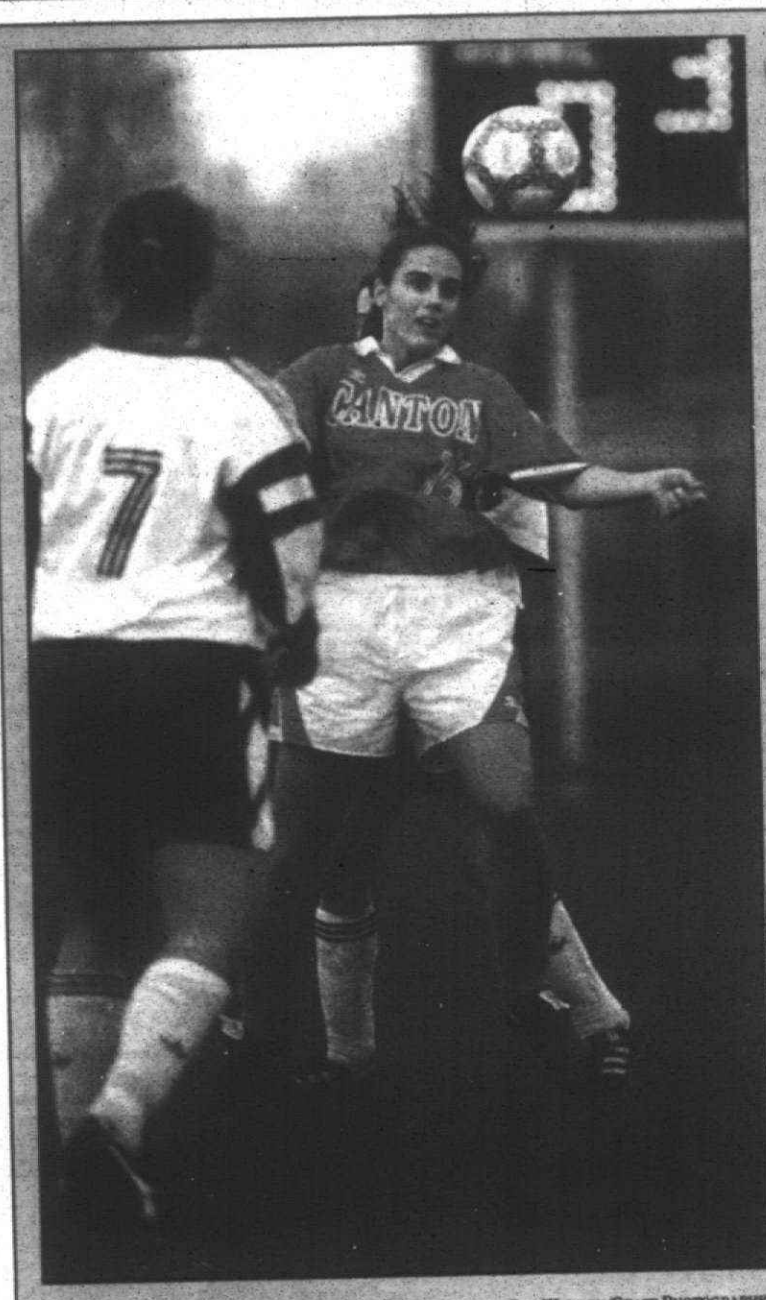

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Goal-scorer: *Melissa Tomei (16) provided Canton with two second-half goals in the Chiefs' win over Salem.*

Canton comeback stuns Salem, 4-2

Uncertainty remains the one consistent factor when Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem meet on the soccer pitch, a point reinforced by Wednesday's surprising outcome, with Canton derailing the previously unbeaten Rocks.

By C.J. Risak
Staff Writer

A year ago, Plymouth Salem was a .500 team in girls soccer. Plymouth Canton ended up playing Livonia Stevenson for the Western Lakes Activities Association title. When they played each other in the regular season, however, they tied.

Last fall, Canton's boys soccer team lost one match all season en route to its first-ever state championship. That's right — the Chiefs were destroyed by Salem, 5-1.

Given this history, Wednesday's result could hardly be classified a shock — Canton turning its game up a notch to destroy the previously unbeaten Rocks, 4-2 at CEP.

Frankly, the only true surprise was that Salem could be so lackadaisical against its city rival.

That's how it looked, anyway. The Rocks started fast, and it resulted in a goal at the 10:05 mark, off a free kick just outside the Canton penalty area.

An apparent defensive error by the Chiefs (their wall simply disintegrated) gave Kelly Lukasik a wide-open shot at the goal. Which she took advantage of, lining a shot past Chiefs' keeper Sarah Warnke for a 1-0 Salem lead.

That should have shifted the momentum to the Rocks and pushed Canton further into its shell. The Chiefs (7-3-1) were coming off a disappointing 1-0 loss to Livonia Churchill Monday, a loss that ended their WLAA title hopes.

And, as Canton coach Don Smith admitted, there was doubt within his team's ranks. "The girls were saying after practice, we haven't scored on a good team yet."

With Salem already owning a one-goal lead, Canton was certainly primed for massive deflation.

But instead, Salem slacked off and Canton grabbed the momentum.

It paid dividends when Melissa Marzoff popped up a corner kick from Dawn Koontz. Jenny Parviainen headed it past Julie Buczek to knot the game at 1-1 with 8:47 left in the first half.

Just 1:20 later, Parviainen broke free down the right wing and centered the ball in to Marzoff, who dribbled a header past Buczek to put the Chiefs in front 2-1.

The tide had shifted. And it would not change again.

Salem never got its offense in gear. Canton did, getting two goals from Melissa Tomei in the last 10:24. The first came on a direct kick.

Her second was was a defining moment. The Chiefs outfought Salem for possession, and Tomei drilled a shot into the corner from 15 yards out.

Salem's Lukasik converted a penalty kick in the last minute for the final 4-2 score.

"Our girls will learn from this," said Salem coach Ken Johnson, his team now 9-1-1.

Pitching elevates Rocks

BASEBALL

Three games, three wins, three shutouts — can't be much more dominating than that.

Plymouth Salem proved its worth, once again, by sweeping a double-header from Plymouth Canton 8-0 and 5-0 Saturday, then by edging Westland John Glenn 1-0 in eight innings Monday.

The wins improved the Rocks' record to 10-1 overall and kept them a perfect 4-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association's Lakes Division, and ran their streak of scoreless innings to 34. Glenn slipped to 5-5 overall, 2-2 in the Lakes; Canton's 5-4 triumph over Livonia Franklin Monday gave it an 8-6 record.

In Salem's win over Glenn, Justin Marcis was again the decisive factor. The senior righthander (now 4-0) struck out 17, pitching all eight innings and allowing four hits and two walks.

"Primarily, he just had his fastball," said Salem coach Dale Rumberger. "We felt from the beginning he was overpowering and they couldn't get around on him. His velocity was on and he spotted his fastball well."

The game-winning rally started with one out in the eighth on a Sam LaGrow double. With two out, Kaz Kurisu (who had two hits in the game) was intentionally walked, bring Brad Lear to the plate. He made the Rockets pay for the strategy by singling in the winning run.

The hit ended a string of frustration for the Rocks. They had men on second and third in the fifth, sixth and seventh but failed to score. Glenn threatened in the top of the eighth, with runners reaching second and third with two down, but Marcis ended it with a strikeout.

In the two wins over Canton, Ryan Andrzejewski and Ted Bentley tossed impressive shutouts for Salem. In the first game, Andrzejewski stopped the Chiefs on just two hits, walking two and striking out seven; in the second, Bentley was even more effective, giving up just one hit and one walk, fanning five.

Eric Stidham took the opening loss for Canton, giving up six runs in four innings.

Bill Styles had three hits for Salem, including a solo homer in the first, driving in three runs and scoring three in the opener. Lear also had three hits and an RBI, while Ahmande Grimes and Jeff Mackiewicz each had two hits.

In game No. 2, Jason Mortiere started and took the loss for Canton, going five innings and allowing four runs.

The Chiefs' only hit in the game was Anthony Pastor's second inning double. Salem got two hits and three RBI from Jason Gradinac, including a two-run single in the third, and three hits from Ryan Rumberger. Dave Bol contributed two hits.

■ **PCA 14, Franklin Road 8:** The streak is over.

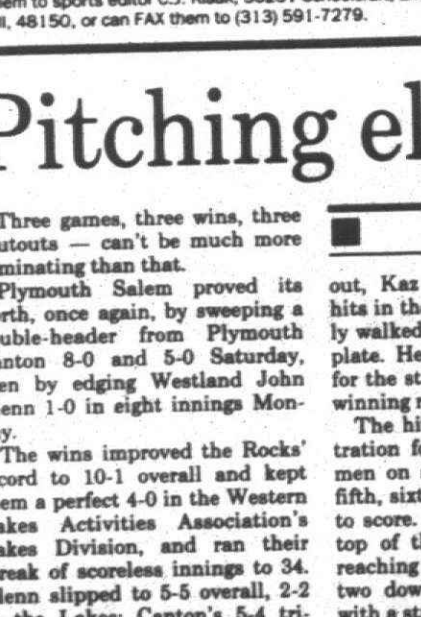
Plymouth Christian Academy was 0-17 last year, and the Eagles started this season with two losses. But their losing ways ended Tuesday when they handled host Southfield Franklin Road Christian.

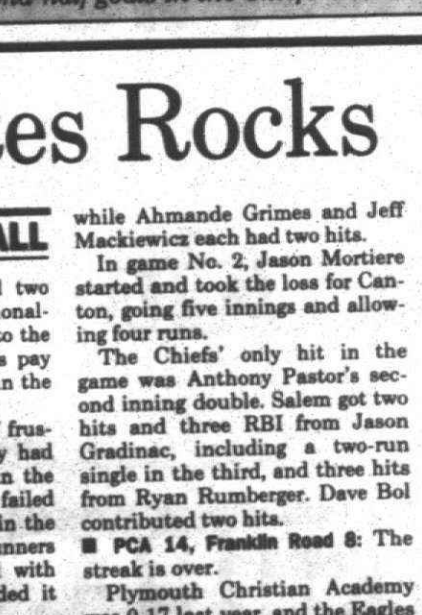
Pitchers Chris McCoy, who got the win, and John Pugno combined to give up just three hits. McCoy struck out nine and walked one in four innings.

Jim Speier led the offense, going 4-for-4 with three doubles, including a two-run job in the first. He totaled four RBI. Pugno added a two-run double to spark PCA's five-run fifth.

PCA is 1-2; Franklin Road is 1-4.

Rivals collide





Rocks rule: *Canton's Dave Markiewicz (left) battled Salem's Gabe Burnstein (right) in No. 2 singles Monday, with Burnstein emerging with the win. His Salem teammates did likewise. For more, turn to 4C.*

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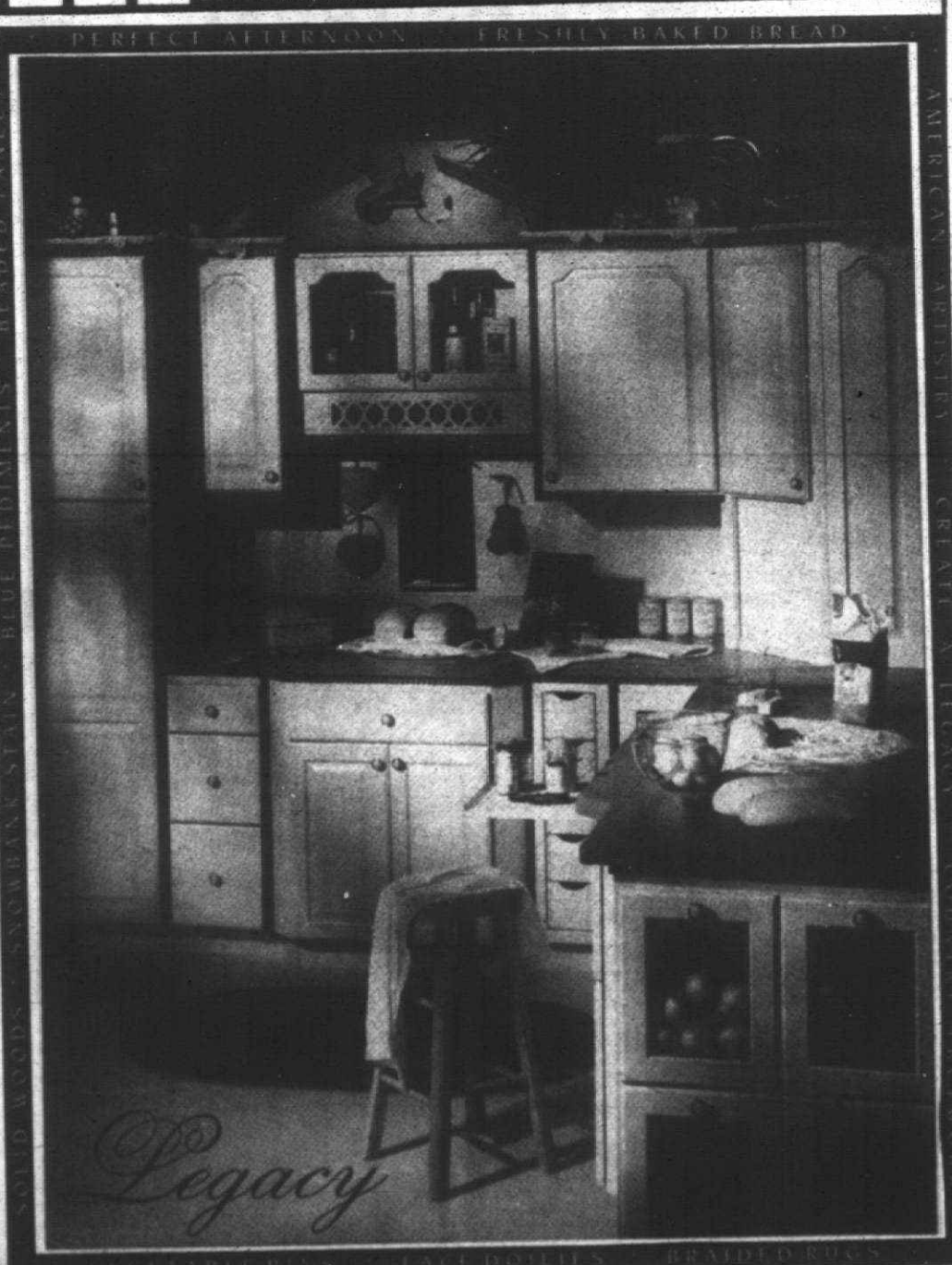

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Chiefs reverse trend, edge Franklin

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

BASEBALL

Although outscored 24-0 in the previous three games, Plymouth Canton first-year baseball coach Scott Dickey wasn't about to panic.

The Chiefs righted themselves Monday with a 5-4 victory at Livonia Franklin in a key Western Division game in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

"Basically I told our guys to keep playing like they have been," said Dickey, whose team is 8-6 overall and 3-1 in the division. "Except for the Harrison game (a five-inning 11-0 mercy rule loss on Friday), we've played pretty good defense all year. Against Salem (a double-header loss Saturday), they (Salem) just hit the ball early against us and we got our heads down. Then we came up flat.

"But today we made the plays. This was a big game for us."

Franklin, one of the preseason Western Division favorites, dropped to 8-4 overall and 1-3 in the division.

"We're going to have to readjust our goals the rest of the season," Franklin coach Jim Karoub said. "We've lost three in the division and a lot has to happen for us to get back into the race.

"We have to put some (winning) strings together now."

Kevin Kovachevich was the difference offensively for Canton.

After a first-inning Franklin error, Kovachevich made Patriot starter Mike Aubuchon pay with a two-run homer.

The Patriots, however, rallied to gain a 4-2 advantage with a four-run third inning. Franklin strung together four straight hits during the surge with Tony Granata belting a two-run double followed by Ray Maleyko's two-run single.

Dickey, however, stuck with starter Anthony Pastor, a junior.

"We're young with our pitching staff and I thought we were OK," Dickey said after the Franklin rally. "Pastor always seems to get better as the game goes on."

In the top of the fourth, Pastor gave himself a lift when he looped in a two-run single, tying the count at 4-4 after a Patriot mishandled a bunt with two runners aboard and no outs.

Kovachevich then got ahold of another Aubuchon pitch, got up into the wind, and it sailed over the left field fence for a solo homer in the fifth in what proved to be the game-winning RBI.

The Chiefs then squashed a potential game-winning Franklin rally in the seventh.

With a runner at first and no outs, Franklin's Tim Miller rocketed a shot to the gap in left-center which looked to be an extra-base hit, but Canton center fielder Brian Dixon made a nice running grab.

Pastor, who scattered six hits over seven innings, then put away the final two batters to post the victory.

Aubuchon, meanwhile, pitched well enough to win. He allowed just five hits, one walk and struck out seven.

"I thought both pitchers did a nice job, even our pitcher (Aubuchon) who gave up those two homers," Karoub said. "But we also made a couple of mistakes (four errors total to Canton's one) and that hurt.

"We're our own worst enemy. We play good baseball and play with confidence, but we don't play with intensity."

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Win keeps Canton in division race

SOFTBALL

With the softball season now about half over, one indisputable fact has been determined:

There are four very solid teams in the Western Lakes Activities Association's Western Division.

Last Friday, Plymouth Canton battled defending WLAA champ Farmington Harrison down to the wire before dropping a 2-1 decision. On Monday, Livonia Churchill played the Hawks to the same result.

And also on Monday, Canton hosted Livonia Franklin, which came into the game unbeaten in the division. The Patriots didn't stay that way — a pair of two-run innings boosted the Chiefs to a 4-2 triumph.

Both Canton and Franklin are 3-1 in the Western; Canton improved to 8-3 overall, while the Patriots slipped to 6-2.

"Both pitchers pitched a fine game," said Canton coach Jim Arnold. "We made zero errors and have been playing great, solid defense lately. Our pitchers are keeping us in the game, and our bats are coming alive."

Senior Jackie Nicastri got the win for Canton, stopping Franklin on seven hits and three walks, striking out two. Tina Allen was the loser for Franklin.

After the Patriots jumped in front 1-0 with a run in the top of the second, Canton answered with two runs in the bottom half of the inning, one scoring on Amy LaGrow's double. Franklin tied it with a run in the top of the third, but run-scoring doubles by Jenny Sikora and Nicole Kovachevich gave the Chiefs their margin of victory.

Sikora was the only player from either team to collect two hits.

■ PCA 28, Franklin Road 3: This game truly was a mercy. Plymouth Christian improved to 2-1 with the five-inning rampage Tuesday at Southfield Franklin Road Christian.

Winning pitcher Katie Martin allowed just one hit, walking eight and striking out seven. Karin Reed led the Eagles' attack, going 4-for-6 with two runs batted in. Carrie Czegus had three hits and three RBI, and Lisa Erickson collected two hits and two RBI.

PCA augmented its 16-3 lead after four innings with a 12-run fifth.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

■ WILDCATS ROAR

The Western Wayne Wildcats 13-and-under AAU basketball team was unbeaten in winning the University of Michigan-Dearborn Spring Classic Shootout April 29-30.

Team members, from the Plymouth/Canton area, are Andy Brandt, Sean Galvin, Jake Gray, Rob Jones, Mike Korduba, Tony Jancevski, Chris Longpre, Chris Mason, Aaron Rypkowski, Nick Szczechowski and Adam Wilson.

■ SOFTBALL OPENINGS

The Canton Softball Center has openings for a host of upcoming tournaments.

The USSSA Men's E Qualifier May 6-7, four-game guarantee, $150 umpires included; USSSA Men's D and E Qualifier, May 13, $150; USSSA Men's C Qualifier, May 21-22, $150; Youth Baseball Warm-up Tournament, May 21-22, 14-and-under, 12-and-under, 10-and-under divisions, $150; USSSA Women's D Qualifier, May 21-22, four-game guarantee, $150; Co-ed qualifier, May 21-22, $150; USSSA Hall of Fame Tournaments, all adult division, $175; Girls Youth Warm-up Tournament, 16-and-under, 14-and-under, 12-and-under, 10-and-under, three-game guarantee, $150.

For more information, call (313) 483-5600, ext. 2.

■ CANTON BOOSTERS

The Canton Chiefs Football Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in room 165 of Canton HS. Head coach Bob Khoenle will be present, outlining the upcoming season with regard to conditioning, practice and game schedules. All parents of players, including incoming freshmen, are encouraged to attend.

In addition, a statistician is being sought by Khoenle and his staff. Anyone interested or with questions can call Gail Sarrault at 455-6234.

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Observerland Relays celebrating 25th year

BY STEVE KOWALSKI
STAFF WRITER

For an opinion on the 25th annual Observerland Track Relays, who better to ask than legendary starter Kermit Ambrose?

Here is a man who knows so much about track meets, he has one named after him: The Ambrose/Eccentric Relays, held annually after Memorial Day.

"There are a lot of nice teams," said Ambrose, who at 84 is Michigan's best-known and oldest starter. "I'm kind of interested in (Redford Catholic Central coach) Tony Magni and his wife Linda, they're terrific friends. And the Redford Union girls (meet workers), I'm really flattered by. Last year, they all ran over, visited and talked to me. That makes you feel like a million bucks."

Ambrose won't be the starter, but he'll be one of several dignitaries expected to be on hand for the historic event. The field events begin at 3:30 p.m. Saturday at RU's Howard Kraft Field, with the finals scheduled for around 7 p.m.

RU athletic director Jim Gibbons, the meet director, will present special awards to Howard Kraft, the former RU athletic director and co-founder of the Observerland Relays, and former RU coaches Mike Krafchak (currently the Plymouth Salem girls cross country coach) and Bob Ouellette.

Gibbons said he'd also like to recognize all the contributions made by Fred Price, the longtime Livonia Churchill coach and Observerland Relays meet director, who has retired.

Gibbons has an alumni run/walk planned for about 5:30 p.m., which should give the runners some comic relief in the middle of competition.

While spending the past few months preparing for the Silver Anniversary, Gibbons came across programs from each year and some original Observer articles about the event.

WHAT: 25th annual Observerland Relays.
WHERE: Redford Union's Howard Kraft Field (on 5½ Mile Road between Beech Daly and Inkster roads).
WHEN: Field events start at 3:30 p.m. An alumni run/walk is at 5:30 p.m. and the finals are scheduled for 7 p.m.
TEAMS: Farmington, North Farmington, Farmington Hills Harrison, Livonia Churchill, Livonia Stevenson, Livonia Franklin, Northville, Plymouth Canton, Plymouth Salem, Redford Catholic Central, Redford St. Agatha, Redford Union, Garden City, Redford Bishop Borgess, Garden City, Westland John Glenn, Wayne Memorial, Southfield Lathrup.
Past winners: 1971 — Farmington; '72 — Redford Union; '73 — (tie) Livonia Churchill, Stevenson; '74 — Churchill; '75 — Redford Union; '76 — Churchill; '77 — Churchill; '78 — Churchill; '79 — Stevenson; '80 — Stevenson; '81 — Plymouth Salem; '82 — Redford Catholic Central; '83 — Churchill; '84 — Redford Bishop Borgess; '85 — Churchill; '86 — Plymouth Canton; '87 — Westland John Glenn; '88 - Wayne Memorial; '89 — Churchill; '90 — John Glenn; '91 — Salem; '92 — Redford CC; '93 — Redford CC; '94 — Salem.

Ambrose was the head timer for the first Observerland Relays, on May 1, 1971. There are no current coaches who coached in the first Observerland Relays, but Price and Jerry Young (Farmington) are recently retired.

Another recognizable name from the first program is current RU boys basketball coach Homer Smathers, who must have earned his nickname "Tip" a few years later.

"Really top-notch track people have not only run in the meet, but officiated," Gibbons said. "I'm kind of a history buff and it's interesting to go through this."

Churchill has been the most successful team at the Observerland Relays, winning seven times and tying for first once with Livonia Stevenson. The Chargers won three straight seasons (from 1976 through '78).

The last decade has been more balanced, with Churchill, CC, Westland John Glenn and Plymouth Salem each winning twice and Plymouth Canton and Wayne Memorial once each.

Farmington High won the inaugural Observerland Relays, which was co-founded by Kraft and John Mackenzie, then coach at RU.

Price believes the Observerland Relays helped put Churchill's program on the right, uh, track.

"It was our first year with a varsity team, we were kind of overwhelmed and went over there without a clue and came away with a huge high jump trophy and just missed with the long jump," Price recalled. "As the school got larger, the team got larger, it was the kind of meet where the kids who didn't always get to participate in duals were getting points. It built depth because the third guy was just as important as the first. Traditionally, we'd always do well in the field events and people were trying to catch us the rest of the night."

Who can forget the '89 Observerland Relays when Churchill got far enough ahead in the field events and no one could catch the Chargers because snow and hail started falling?

The inclement weather caused cancellation of the last few events, awarding the championship to the Chargers.

One of the features of the Observerland Relays is running the finals under the lights. Some of the relays have turned into all-day outings and the runners have come prepared.

"The kids have brought their tents, cooked hot dogs," Price said. "It's like a Michigan football game, more a happening than a meet."

Chiefs split squad but still win title

TRACK

Plymouth Canton girls track coach George Przygodski split up his team last weekend, sending some to the Lyle Bennett Relays at Central Michigan University Friday and others to the Tiger Relays at Belleville HS Saturday.

The result: a first at the Bennett and a fourth at the Tiger.

The Chiefs scored 93 points at the 14-team Bennett Relays to edge runner-up Rockford, which had 91. The meet was decided in the last event, the 1,600-meter relay — Canton's Becky Bockstanz, Kelly Smith, Nancy Hoffman and Olive Ikeh won in 4:15.3. Rockford was second.

"We've been second twice," said Przygodski. "This is the first time we've won it. It's always nice to win a prestigious meet and run against some teams you don't normally see."

Canton got one other first, from the team of Nkechi Okwumabua, Alina Boyden, Bockstanz and Ikeh in the 400 relay (52.8). Becky Wolfrom accounted for the Chiefs' only second, in the 3,200 run (12:01.6).

Sara Israel was third in the discus (93-feet, 1-inch), and Hoffman, Becky Uryga, Jenna McWilliams and Wolfrom were third in the distance medley (14:02.0).

Placing fourth for Canton were Okwumabua in the long jump (15-9½), Bockstanz, Okwumabua, Smith and Ikeh in the 800 relay (1:53.6), and Uryga, Wolfrom, Tiffany Williams and Beth Knight in the 3,200 relay (10:56.5).

At the 10-team Tiger Relays Saturday, the Chiefs got a first from their discus relay team of Emily Moran, Katie Geary and Israel (237-1).

Seconds went to Amanda Grube, Jean Raven and Geary in the shot put relay (84-1); Diana Jastzrebski, Amy Sonnanstine, Leah Lashbrook and Stacy Boucher in the shuttle hurdle relay (1:13.6); and from Lora Hanson, Debbie Kaczmarek, Angkana Roy and Melissa Lomibao in the 3,200 relay (11:09.4). Jastzrebski added a third in the 100 hurdles (17.0).

Salem takes 2nd at Tiger Relays

TRACK

Three firsts and three more seconds got Plymouth Salem close to the top at Saturday's Tiger Relays, hosted by Belleville. But in spite of their impressive performance, the Rocks couldn't quite overtake the host Tigers, finishing second.

Belleville finished first with 71 points. Salem scored 66, with Romulus third with 59 and Walled Lake Central fourth with 50. Plymouth Canton scored 20 points and placed ninth.

"We scored in everything but three events," noted Salem coach Geoff Baker.

The best performance came from Dave Karmann, Scott Kingslien, Jared Biniecki and Scott Pengelly in the distance medley relay. They finished first in a school-record 10:57.5.

Other firsts went to Karmann, Scott Loewe, Andrew McDonald and Jason Barylski in the 3,200 relay (8:34.7), and to Biniecki, Pengelly, Karmann and McDonald in the 6,400 relay (18:55.0).

Placing second for the Rocks were Kingslien, McDonald, Loewe and Barylski in the 1,600 relay (3:30.1); Dan Johnson, Anson Tse, Yu Kobayashi and Dirk Schmiedel in the shuttle hurdle relay (1:08.1); and Pengelly in the 1,600 (4:31.9).

Other Salem scorers included Mike Ward, Dave Kester and Ashraf Youssef, fourth in the shot put relay (118-feet, 8-inches); Schmiedel, fifth in the 110 hurdles (16.0); Dan McKian and Andres Lopez, fifth in the high jump relay (11-6); Jason Barylski, fifth in the 100 (11.5); Biniecki, fifth in the 1,600 (4:43.5); Lawrence Nunn, Kevin Conte, Jason Gibson and Dan Webb, fifth in the 400 relay (46.02); and Lopez, Mike Rodriguez and Dan Kelly, sixth in the long jump relay (55-4¾).

Canton's best performances came from Ian Bedford, who finished third in the 1,600 (4:35.0), and the team of Jon Gallinger, Chris Benskey and Kevin Keil in the shot put relay (120-4).

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Salem claims 2 major wins

Two wins in two days is always nice. Two wins in two days against two of your biggest rivals multiplies the satisfaction.

Which describes Plymouth Salem's tennis fortunes to start the week. On Monday, the Rocks wrecked Plymouth Canton 6-2; on Tuesday, they survived four three-set matches to edge Livonia Stevenson 5-3.

That victory was sweet, said Salem coach Judith Braun of the Stevenson win. "We've beaten Canton before, but I can't remember the last time we beat Stevenson — maybe four years ago!"

In retrospect, she added, "It's nice having those two wins, right in a row especially."

Against Stevenson, there were three sets that were decided in a tiebreaker. Salem won by sweeping all four singles flights — three of them in three sets.

PLYMOUTH SALEM 5
LIVONIA STEVENSON 3
May 2 at Stevenson

No. 1 singles: Kinning Li (PS) defeated Mark Finding, 3-6, 7-6, 6-2.
No. 2: Gabe Bumsteen (PS) def. Chad Crosby, 7-6, 2-6, 6-3.
No. 3: Matt Potter (PS) def. Kosta Minajovski, 7-5, 4-6, 6-2.
No. 4: Dan Gordon (PS) def. Neal Karwande, 6-2, 6-0.
No. 1 doubles: Ben Gaffield-Brian Snyder (LS) def. Regis Buckley-Pat Chun, 6-4, 6-2.
No. 2: Brian Courville-Aaron Nemec (PS) def. Jason Gourley-Faisal Khan, 6-3, 0-6, 7-6.
No. 4: Mike Schmidt-Ryan Winkler (LS) def. Karanbir Gill-Nick Wojnar, 6-1, 6-2.
Dual meet records: Salem, 5-1 (Western Lakes); Stevenson, 5-1 (Western Lakes).

PLYMOUTH SALEM 6
PLYMOUTH CANTON 2
May 1 at Canton

No. 1 singles: Kinning Li (PS) def. Steve Shumard 6-0, 6-1.
No. 2: Gabe Bumsteen (PS) def. Dave Marwehe, 7-5, 6-3.
No. 3: Matt Potter (PS) def. Ryan Kerr, 6-3, 6-4.
No. 4: Dan Gordon (PS) def. Joe Hunter, 7-5, 4-6, 6-2.
No. 1 doubles: Regis Buckley-Pat Chun (PS) def. Sanjay Kataria-Jeff Ammons 6-2, 6-4.
No. 2: Chuck Newsome-Amit Bhai (PC) def. Brian Courville-Aaron Nemec, 7-5, 6-1.
No. 3: Jason Gourley-Faisal Khan (PS) def. Mari Fleiman-Eric Johnson 6-3, 7-6.
No. 4: Chris Mudloss-Adam Allen (PC) def. Karanbir Gill-Nick Wojnar 7-5, 7-5.

NORTH FARMINGTON 8
LIVONIA FRANKLIN 0
May 2 at N. Farmington

No. 1 singles: Seth Weingarten (NF) def. James Metsger, 6-2, 6-1.
No. 2: Ben Sommers (NF) def. Ojas Vahia, 6-1, 6-3.
No. 3: Steve Krieger (NF) def. William Green, 6-0, 6-3.
No. 4: Nomit Shah (NF) def. Scott DeRose, 6-0, 6-2.
No. 1 doubles: Robert Yost-Jason Speer (NF) def. Eric Kracht-Dan Schloff, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.
No. 2: Peter Goiaszewski-Steve Lehrman (NF) def. Dan Harris-William Trachsel, 6-3, 6-7, 6-3.
No. 3: Jeremy Lewis-Aaron Scheinfield (NF) def. Wade Johnston-John Hale, 6-2, 6-0.
No. 4: Michael Redisch-Brad Steel (NF) def. James Trachsel-Victor Feldbaum.
Dual meet records: North, 5-2 overall and 3-1 Western Lakes; Franklin, 1-5.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 7
WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 1
May 1 at Franklin

No. 1 singles: James Metsger (LF) defeated Thad Chmielewski, 7-5, 0-6, 6-4.
No. 2: Ojas Vahia (LF) def. Jason Becker, 6-1, 6-1.
No. 3: William Green (LF) def. Graem Kinnery, 6-1, 6-3.
No. 4: Scott DelRose (LF) def. David Fadi, 6-3, 6-4.
No. 1 doubles: Eric Kracht-Dan Schloff (LF) def. Arif Harsdia-Brodie Sullivan, 7-5, 7-6.
No. 2: Dan Harris-William Trachsel (LF) def. Reynaldo Rodriguez-John Crutchfield, 6-3, 6-7, 7-6.
No. 3: Sean Harris-Shane Manning (WLC) def. Ryan Beasley-Wade Johnston, 4-6, 6-3, 7-6.
No. 4: Victor Feldbaum-James Trachsel (LF) def. Mike Hammond-Mike Miller, 6-1, 7-5.

LIVONIA CHURCHILL 7
WALLED LAKE WESTERN 1
May 1 at Western

No. 1 singles: Matt Eszes (LC) def. Eric Cohen, 6-0, 6-1.
No. 2: Jeff Barnesky (LC) def. Brad Holcman, 6-2, 6-2.
No. 3: Rob Aloe (LC) def. Brett Barter, 6-3, 6-0.
No. 4: Paul Gale (LC) def. Mrtin Torp, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.
No. 1 doubles: John Webster-Matt Mc Bride (LC) def. Aaron Dikos-Brian Gibson, 6-2, 7-5.
No. 2: Bryan Stramecki-Bryan Green (LC) def. Sean Ginsberg-Mike Bohner, 6-1, 7-5.
No. 3: Neel Chokshi-Matt Thomson (LC) def. Jon Frohlich-Ryan Vicary, 6-3, 6-2.
No. 4: Nader Smith-Chip Norton (LC) def. Zach Lipov, Matt Kuether, 6-1, 6-1.
Churchill's dual meet record: 8-2 overall and 4-2 Western Lakes.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 5
FARMINGTON HIGH 3
May 1 at Stevenson

No. 1 singles: Mark Finding (LS) def. Scott McKay, 6-2, 6-0.
No. 2: Chad Crosby (LS) def. Wade Clark, 6-0, 6-1.
No. 3: Kosta Mihajlovski (LS) def. Dalon Mikhail, 6-1, 6-2.
No. 4: Scott Bowen (F) def. Neal Karwande, 7-6, 6-4.
No. 1 doubles: Daniel Odendaal-Andy Pieter (F) def. Ben Gaffield-Brian Snyder, 6-0, 7-6.
No. 2: Kevin Davis-Mike Hassan (F) def. Mike Schmidt-Brian Monteith, 6-3, 6-2.
No. 3: Scott Grandinett-Matt Stooos (LS) def. Todd Afflerbaugh-Neel Shah, 6-1, 6-0.
No. 4: Kim Karwande-Amit Patel (LS) won 6-2, 0-6, 6-4.
Farmington's dual meet record: 5-3 overall and 3-2 in the Western Lakes.

TENNIS

Top seed

Madonna seeking return trip to NAIA World Series

By C.J. Risak
Staff Writer

SOFTBALL

With the tournament two days away, nothing seemed too certain — but Madonna University's softball team has proven in the past to be very adept at adapting.

Madonna will be the host of the six-team NAIA Great Lakes Independent Section Tournament, which starts Friday at the Canton Softball Center. And the Lady Crusaders will also have the additional privilege of being the No. 1 seed.

Which is important, indeed. The top two seeds each get first-round byes, according to information available Tuesday, the first round tentatively would feature No. 3 seed Greenville (Ill.) against No. 6 Lake Erie College (Cleveland), and No. 4 College of Mount St. Joseph's against No. 5 Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis. Those games were scheduled for noon.

Madonna would then face the winner of the St. Joseph's-IUPUI game, with No. 2 Eureka College (Ill.) going against the Greenville-Lake Erie winner, at 2 p.m. Friday. The tournament is double-elimination; the final round would begin at 2 p.m. Saturday, with a potential second game at 4 p.m.

"We've never played any of these teams," admitted Madonna coach Jerry Abraham, whose team came back from an eight-day layoff Tuesday at Saginaw Valley State, losing twice by 7-2 scores. "So I have no idea what to expect. But we've played a very tough schedule, and that should help us.

"If we hit like we're capable of, we can be right in it."

With the pitching of Lynda Weichel, Shanna Streng and — if needed — Angie Van Doorn, the Crusaders are more than capable of winning the section tournament and advancing to the Great Lakes Regional, which will be hosted by IUPUI May 13.

Where Madonna has been lacking has been clutch hitting. In the double loss to Saginaw Valley, that deficiency was evident: The Crusaders had seven hits in the first game, two apiece by Jenny Czach (from Walled Lake Central) and Jeanie Baxter (Redford St. Agatha), and they collected 10 more in the second game.

Michelle Birchmeier (Redford Thurston), Baxter, Courtney Senger and Czach each had two in the second-game defeat. But they couldn't string enough of them together, and that proved costly.

Streng took the pitching loss in the opener, allowing six runs on eight hits and three walks, but just three earned runs. She struck out four in six innings. Weichel was the loser in game No. 2, giving up four earned runs on 10 hits and three walks in seven innings. She fanned five.

The two defeats left Madonna with an 18-15 record.

Abraham believes both the defense — the Crusaders committed six errors in the twinbill — and offense are better than they showed. They will have to be to survive the section tournament and make a return trip to the regional, which they won last year to qualify for the NAIA World Series in San Diego. The Crusaders finished fifth in the nation in '94.

Canton's offense stalls; Churchill wears crown

By C.J. Risak
Staff Writer

SOCCER

Time's up? Already?

Guess it is. Even Plymouth Canton soccer coach Don Smith was ready to concede the Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division title to Livonia Churchill after the Chargers eked out a 1-0 triumph over Canton Monday at Churchill.

And there's still seven games to play.

The reason is the victory boosted Churchill's division record to 3-0; Canton slipped to 3-1. The Chiefs have one division match remaining. After last night's game against Walled Lake Western, so does Churchill. Unless the Chargers (7-2 overall) lose twice, or lose one and tie one (both scenarios are highly unlikely), Canton's reign as Western Division champion is over.

"That's all right," said Canton coach Don Smith. "The girls played well. I'm proud of the way they played. I'm not upset with them at all."

Based on Monday's performance, there was no reason to be. Both teams performed well; there weren't a lot of good scoring chances for either. In the final analysis, the difference was not surprising:

Marie Spaccarotella.

The junior midfielder netted the game's only goal. It came with 10:11 left in the first half; Churchill's Margaret Wirth lifted a corner kick into the box in front of Canton keeper Sarah Warnke. Charger Kerri Verardi headed it toward the net, but Warnke made the save.

Unfortunately, Warnke knocked the ball out to Spaccarotella, and she made no mistake punching the ball into the goal.

Two minutes later, with 8:04 to go, Churchill had a chance to increase its lead when Spaccarotella was dragged down on a break in the penalty box. Verardi's penalty kick attempt, however, dribbled right to Warnke for an easy save.

In the second half, Canton pushed and got some good chances, but could not capitalize — extending a jinx for the Chiefs, who the previous Monday outplayed and outshot Farmington, but ended up with a scoreless tie.

Jenny Parvianen had three shots at net; she slid two from the left side through the crease and wide to the right. A third got over Churchill keeper Crystal Wright, but bounced off the crossbar.

None of it was unexpected by Chargers' coach Nick O'Shea. "They just run hard, and push hard, and chase hard, and make it a tough game," he said. "You know you're going to be in for a battle every Canton game."

The biggest battle among the Chiefs belonged to midfielders Emily Meier and Amicie Crayton, who took turns trying to guard Spaccarotella. For the most part, they did well.

Churchill had no such problem, said O'Shea, simply because Canton has good players but none with Spaccarotella's scoring talent. Which explains the Chiefs' biggest problem: scoring goals.

"We're young and we have trouble scoring against quality teams," said Smith. "But it's always hard scoring against a good team. That's what makes the game interesting."

It should make the rest of the season interesting for Canton, which will have to find a way to score if it hopes to survive its state district tournament.

As for Churchill, it has the unique opportunity of being both champion (of its division) and spoiler. The Chargers (and Canton, too) could play a pivotal role in deciding who represents the Lakes Division in the WLAA title match May 18. Plymouth Salem and Livonia Stevenson are tied for first; in their head-to-head match, they tied.

The next tiebreaker is best overall WLAA record, and that's where Churchill, which has already lost to Salem, and Canton come in.

So it's not all over yet.

■ **Salem 8, Franklin 1:** Mari Hoff, who has scored 26 goals for Plymouth Salem in nine games, missed Monday's match against Livonia Franklin because of the flu. It hardly mattered — the Rocks destroyed their quarry easily.

The loss left Franklin at 1-7-1.

Rally gets Crusaders a Siena Heights sweep

Kurt Wilczynski slugged a run-scoring double in the top of the ninth inning of Monday's second game, allowing Madonna University's baseball team to claim a 7-6 victory and a sweep of its doubleheader against Siena Heights played at Madonna Park.

The two wins upped the Fighting Crusaders' record to 27-20. Siena Heights fell to 21-36.

Wilczynski, who had three hits and two runs batted in in the game, drove in Tim Kasubowski with the deciding run. Jim Solak (from Redford) went the distance to pick up the pitching win; he surrendered six hits and a walk, and he had two hits himself. So did teammate Dan Taylor, while Aaron Jones clubbed a two-run double in the fifth.

Craig Peterson slugged a pair of home runs, one a grand slam, to propel Madonna to a 13-3 mercy of Siena Heights in Monday's first game. Peterson finished the game with three hits and six RBI.

Solak and Wilczynski each had two hits and two RBI, while Kasubowski had three hits and an RBI. Taylor added two hits and an RBI, and Shawn Penczak had two hits.

Sean Henkel (Livonia Stevenson) improved his pitching record to 7-2 with the win, giving up three hits and two walks in five innings, striking out one.

Last Saturday, the Crusaders traveled to meet the NAIA's 14th-ranked team, St. Francis College (Ill.), and earned a split. Madonna won the opener 8-3 behind the pitching of Craig Benedict (Plymouth Canton) and Eric Butler, but lost the second game 11-4.

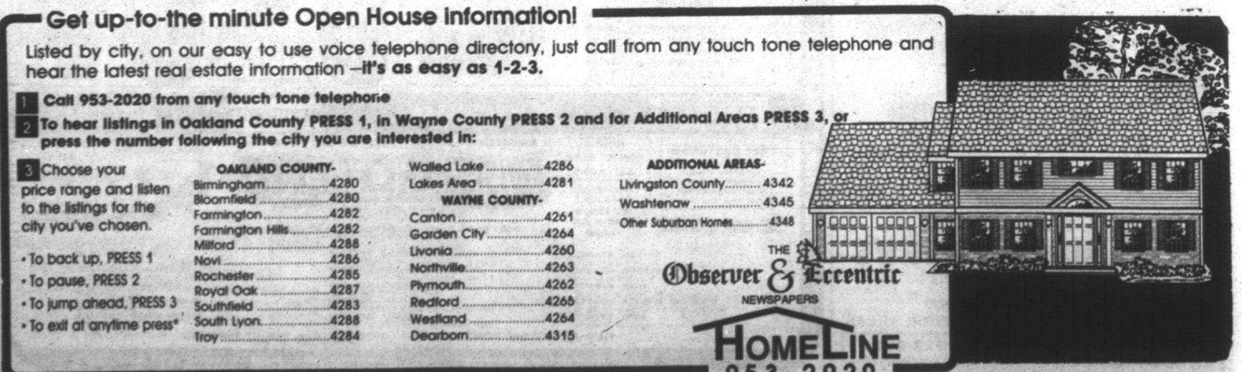
Benedict lasted six innings in the opener, allowing three runs on six hits and a walk, fanning four to improve his record to 6-1. Butler came in with two runners aboard and no one out in the seventh, and retired the next three.

Peterson had two hits and two RBI, Scott Anderson had a hit and three RBI, Pete Quinn had two RBI, and Wilczynski had three hits for Madonna.









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GIRLS' TRACK

OBSERVERLAND BEST GIRLS TRACK TIMES

Following is the first listing of Observerland girls best track times and field distances. Coaches should report updates to Dan O'Meara by phone (953-2141) or fax (591-7279) on Mondays.

SHOT PUT

Alisha Gordon (N. Farmington)	36-5
Danielle Robinson (Glenn)	33-5
Freda Peter (Glenn)	32-10
Mandi Berg (Harrison)	32-8
Angela Smith (Salem)	32-5
Kim Washnock (Farmington)	32-4
Beth Kummer (Ladywood)	31-10½
Jessica Geracz (Ladywood)	30-10½
Brittany Dixon (Farmington)	30-7
Shawntika Farr (Mercy)	30-7

DISCUS

Alisha Gordon (N. Farmington)	142-11
Devonnie Pruzi (N. Farmington)	113-9
Kim Washnock (Farmington)	104-0
Mandi Berg (Harrison)	99-8
Danielle Robinson (Glenn)	98-0
Sara Israel (Canton)	97-10
Patti Dizon (Harrison)	95-6
Kathy Telford (Mercy)	95-6
Jessica Geracz (Ladywood)	94-10
Dannielle Roberge (Ladywood)	90-10½

LONG JUMP

Krista Snow (Harrison)	16-10
Courtney Brown (Glenn)	16-6¼
Colleen Lesondak (Stevenson)	16-5
Heather Burcar (N. Farmington)	16-3¼
Olive Ikeh (Canton)	15-11¾
Nikechi Okwumabua (Canton)	15-9¾
Marcia Parker (Salem)	15-9½
Janaya Smith (Glenn)	15-9
Nicole Bolton (Salem)	15-7
Courtney Sheldon (Salem)	15-5
Vernesia Lawson (Glenn)	15-5

HIGH JUMP

Andrea Salyer (Farmington)	5-6
Colleen Lesondak (Stevenson)	5-4
Stacie Johnson (Ladywood)	5-2
Nicole VanHees (Salem)	5-1
Latosha Seay (Farmington)	5-0
Sarah Coombs (Glenn)	4-11
Marisa Kovach (Canton)	4-11
Came May (N. Farmington)	4-10
Amy Jenkins (Harrison)	4-10
Elizabeth Swanguarin (Glenn)	4-10
Kristin Kosik (Salem)	4-10
Michelle Marsee (N. Farmington)	4-10

100-METER HURDLES

Krista Snow (Harrison)	15.8
Mary Anderson (Canton)	15.8
Amy Buhl (Mercy)	16.0
Kimberly Sheldon (Salem)	16.2
Alisha Gordon (N. Farmington)	16.4
Jeannette Stojcevski (Stevenson)	16.5
Olive Ikeh (Canton)	16.7
Lisa Soash (Canton)	16.7
Nicole VanHees (Salem)	16.8
Stacie Johnson (Ladywood)	16.9

300 HURDLES

Mary Anderson (Canton)	48.2
Krista Snow (Harrison)	48.3
Jeannette Stojcevski (Stevenson)	49.2
Courtney Sheldon (Salem)	49.3
Nancy Hoffman (Canton)	49.8
Nicole VanHees (Salem)	50.1
Patti Dizon (Harrison)	50.9
Betsy Gignac (Mercy)	51.3
Lisa Maui (Salem)	52.8
Hannah Watts (Salem)	52.8

100 DASH

Lindsay Soter (Ladywood)	12.7
Felicia Bailey (Glenn)	12.8
Devron Kennedy (Harrison)	12.8
Monica Czerwinski (N. Farmington)	13.2
Nicole Clausen (Ladywood)	13.2
Kara McDonald (Ladywood)	13.2
Nikechi Okwumabua (Canton)	13.2
Leah Morski (Franklin)	13.2
Monique Anderson (Harrison)	13.4
Olive Ikeh (Canton)	13.4

200 DASH

Devron Kennedy (Harrison)	26.7
Olive Ikeh (Canton)	27.1
Shannon Swish (Ladywood)	27.3
Monica Czerwinski (N. Farmington)	27.3
Lindsay Soter (Ladywood)	27.4
Felicia Bailey (Glenn)	27.6
Heather Burcar (N. Farmington)	27.6
Nicole Clausen (Ladywood)	27.7
Monique Anderson (Harrison)	27.7
Courtney Brown (Glenn)	27.8
Nkechi Okwumabua (Canton)	27.8

400 DASH

Heather Burcar (N. Farmington)	1:01.6
Marcia Parker (Salem)	1:02.8
Shannon Swish (Ladywood)	1:03.1
Lindsay Soter (Ladywood)	1:03.5
Becky Unyga (Canton)	1:03.7
Nykiya Lee (Glenn)	1:03.8
Ava Lais (N. Farmington)	1:04.2
Amy Jenkins (Harrison)	1:04.6
Angiyana Roy (Canton)	1:04.9
Kelly Smith (Canton)	1:05.0

800 RUN

Eileen O'Connell (Mercy)	2:22.1
Allison Noe (Harrison)	2:28.0
Kelly Travis (Stevenson)	2:28.6
Sarah Hamilton (Salem)	2:28.7
Jackie Urbanczyk (Ladywood)	2:33.2
Tracey Finlayson (Farmington)	2:34.0
Kelly Prais (Stevenson)	2:34.3
Evelyn Rahhal (Salem)	2:34.5
Betsy Gignac (Mercy)	2:34.5
Nicole Bolton (Salem)	2:35.4

1,600 RUN

Eileen O'Connell (Mercy)	5:17.4
Allison Noe (Harrison)	5:25.0
Kelly Travis (Stevenson)	5:27.0
Kelly McNellance (Stevenson)	5:33.0
Nicole Bolton (Salem)	5:33.4
Evelyn Rahhal (Salem)	5:36.4
Betsy Gignac (Mercy)	5:38.3
Jenna McWilliams (Canton)	5:47.1
Sarah Dixon (Ladywood)	5:48.1
Jamie Vergari (Canton)	5:48.7

3,200 RUN

Kelly Travis (Stevenson)	11:37.0
Eileen O'Connell (Mercy)	11:41.2
Kelly McNellance (Stevenson)	11:51.0
Becky Wolfrom (Canton)	12:01.6
Allison Noe (Harrison)	12:10.0
Betsy Gignac (Mercy)	12:11.3
Meran Miles (Salem)	12:34.5
Nicole Bolton (Salem)	12:34.8
Jackie Segue (Mercy)	12:35.2
Beth Knight (Canton)	12:37.4

400 RELAY

Plymouth Canton	51.2
Farmington Hills Harrison	52.4
North Farmington	53.1
Livonia Ladywood	53.1
Livonia Stevenson	53.5

800 RELAY

Plymouth Canton	1:51.2
Plymouth Salem	1:51.9
Westland John Glenn	1:52.1
Livonia Ladywood	1:52.2
North Farmington	1:52.3

1,600 RELAY

Plymouth Canton	4:15.3
Farmington Hills Harrison	4:16.8
Plymouth Salem	4:17.9
Farmington Hills Mercy	4:17.9
Livonia Ladywood	4:19.1

3,200 RELAY

Plymouth Salem	10:03.9
Livonia Stevenson	10:04.1
Farmington Hills Mercy	10:17.8
Farmington Hills Harrison	10:30.4
Plymouth Canton	10:32.6

BOYS' TRACK

OBSERVERLAND BEST BOYS TRACK TIMES

Following is the first listing of Observerland boys best track times and field distances. Coaches should report updates to Steve Kowalski by phone (953-2106) or fax (591-7279) on Mondays.

POLE VAULT

Paul Terek (Franklin)	12-8
Damon Frendo (Garden City)	11-6
Eric Davey (John Glenn)	11-0
Scott Delane (John Glenn)	10-6
Jason Baker (John Glenn)	10-6
Craig Wasen (Redford CC)	10-6
Kevin Constantino (John Glenn)	10-0
Randy Glenn (John Glenn)	9-6

SHOT PUT

Rocky Johnson (Salem)	48-5
John Spolsky (Redford CC)	47-5½
Nick Williams (Farm. Harrison)	46-11
Jon Gallinger (Canton)	46-5
Nick Shaieb (Farm. Harrison)	45-11
Jeff Monneette (Redford CC)	45-6
Joe Washnock (Redford CC)	45-½
Corey McClelland (Wayne)	44-11
Matt Lawson (Franklin)	44-10
Brian Szostak (Redford Union)	44-9

DISCUS

Corey McClelland (Wayne)	149-11
Nick Shaieb (Farm. Harrison)	144-4
Joe Washnock (Redford CC)	142-10
Rocky Johnson (Salem)	141-4
Jeff Monnette (Redford CC)	132-1
Nick Bellovary (Garden City)	131-5
Jon Gallinger (Canton)	129-6
Mike Samples (John Glenn)	129-4
Steve Shaieb (Farm. Harrison)	128-4
Jim Tudgay (John Glenn)	127-10

LONG JUMP

Brent Washington (John Glenn)	21-2¼
Mike Poshadlo (Garden City)	20-2¼
Richard Buford (Wayne)	20-2
Kevin Quay (Redford CC)	20-4¼
Jason Crosby (John Glenn)	20-0
Torrance Walker (John Glenn)	19-6
Andres Lopez (Salem)	19-5
Dave Koshizawa (Canton)	19-3½
Jim Chetan (Canton)	19-2¼
George Diamond (John Glenn)	19-1

HIGH JUMP

Jason Baker (John Glenn)	6-2
Damon Guyett (Redford Union)	6-0
Doug Brodoski (Farm. Harrison)	5-8
Jim Chetan (Canton)	5-10
Dan McKain (Salem)	5-10
Mark Dzibuan (John Glenn)	5-8
Scott Delane (John Glenn)	5-8
John Rivard (Redford CC)	5-7
Steve Epacs (Redford CC)	5-7
Ben Nelson (Canton)	5-6

110-METER HURDLES

Todd Peterson (John Glenn)	14.6
Ken Riley (Wayne)	14.9
Kevin Bryant (Farm. Harrison)	15.1
Steve Catherman (Farm. Harrison)	15.3
Chris Watts (Redford CC)	15.6
Scott Gillard (Redford Union)	16.0
Dirk Schmiedel (Salem)	16.0
Adam Massey (Canton)	16.1
Jason Baker (John Glenn)	16.1
Todd Patzer (Franklin)	16.4

300 HURDLES

Ken Riley (Wayne)	39.9
Todd Peterson (John Glenn)	42.1
David Venning (Redford CC)	43.0
Dave McMullin (Franklin)	43.2
Chris Watts (Redford CC)	43.2
Ben Nelson (Canton)	44.8
Jeff Soash (Canton)	46.8
B.J. Page (Canton)	46.9

100 DASH

Greg Knight (Redford Union)	10.9
Jason Granger (Farm. Harrison)	10.9
Tom Kessel (Redford Union)	11.0
Ehsan Alos (Farm. Harrison)	11.2
Brent Washington (John Glenn)	11.2
Jason Barylski (Salem)	11.5
Phil Allen (John Glenn)	11.5
Damon Frendo (Garden City)	11.5
Gerard Johnson (Farm. Harrison)	11.5
Kevin Quay (Redford CC)	11.5

200 DASH

Greg Knight (Redford Union)	22.8
Jason Granger (Farm. Harrison)	22.9
Tom Kessel (Redford Union)	22.9
Brian Pollock (Redford CC)	23.6
Lorenzo Guess (Wayne)	23.7
Kevin Quay (Redford CC)	24.1
Kevin Heintz (Redford CC)	24.2
Damon Frendo (Garden City)	24.3
Danny Benishay (John Glenn)	24.6
Brent Washington (John Glenn)	24.6

400 DASH

Jason Barylski (Salem)	51.0
Tom Kessel (Redford Union)	51.1
Shamar Lott (John Glenn)	51.2
Greg Knight (Redford Union)	51.4
Richard Johnson (Wayne)	52.6
Brian Teefey (Redford CC)	52.9
Paul Terek (Franklin)	52.9
Corey Bergeron (Redford Union)	53.2
Joe Clouser (Redford Union)	54.2
Kevin Heintz (Redford CC)	54.3
Jason Crosby (John Glenn)	54.3

800 RUN

Tom Kessel (Redford Union)	2:02.1
Demck Faunce (Redford CC)	2:02.2
Joe Wojtowicz (John Glenn)	2:05.7
Rick Stachura (Redford CC)	2:06.1
Joe Leo (Redford CC)	2:08.2
Jason Banks (Wayne)	2:09.0
Jason Olewnik (John Glenn)	2:09.5
Jeff Burger (Canton)	2:10.9
Sanjay Sharma (Canton)	2:13.9

1,600 RUN

Scott Pengelly (Salem)	4:30.8
Joe Leo (Redford CC)	4:31.8
Ian Bedford (Canton)	4:35.0
Jared Binieckl (Salem)	4:36.0
Demck Faunce (Redford CC)	4:42.1
Dan Boynton (Redford Union)	4:46.0
John Griffin (Redford CC)	4:48.1
Mike Danic (Redford CC)	4:50.1
Sanjay Sharma (Canton)	4:55.2
Jeff Wojtowicz (John Glenn)	4:56.0

3,200 RUN

Joe Leo (Redford CC)	9:43.9
Scott Pengelly (Salem)	9:44.0
Ian Bedford (Canton)	10:00.1
John Griffin (Redford CC)	10:10.1
Mike Danic (Redford CC)	10:11.5
Dan Boynton (Redford Union)	10:15.2
Ryan Portrey (Canton)	10:44.9
Jason Vergari (Canton)	10:51.0

400 RELAY

Farm. Harrison	43.9
Redford Union	45.2
Wayne	45.6
John Glenn	45.7

800 RELAY

Farm. Harrison	1:32.6
Redford Union	1:32.9
Wayne	1:34.3
Redford CC	1:34.3

1,600 RELAY

Ply. Salem	3:30.1
Redford Union	3:32.8
Wayne	3:32.9
Redford CC	3:33.7

3,200 RELAY

Ply. Salem	8:19.3
Redford CC	8:24.2
John Glenn	8:26.2
Canton	8:53.7

GOLF

LIVONIA LADYWOOD 213
LIVONIA FRANKLIN 275
May 2 at Fox Creek

Ladywood scorers: Laura Kowalski, 43 (medalist); Sarah Andersen, 52; Lauren Agaston, 53; Amy Laczkowski, 65.
Franklin scorers: Beth Parnell, 64; Sarah Belcher, 69; Karen Holenbeck, 70; Kristen Koleczko, 72.
Dual meet records: Ladywood, 3-0 overall; Franklin, 0-4 overall.

PLYMOUTH SALEM 207
NOVI HIGH 222
May 2 at Brae Burn

Salem scorers: Katie and Kelly Collins, 48 each (co-medalists); Katie Murinas, 50; Terri Fullerton, 61.
Salem's dual meet record: 3-0.

LIVONIA CHURCHILL 260
PLYMOUTH CANTON 263
May 1 at Fellows Creek

Churchill scorers: Jenny McLaughlin, 60 (medalist); Emily Bischoff, 63; Kim DeVitas, 67; Becky Gajda, 70.
Canton scorers: Kim Stafford, 63; Ann Attoto, 64; Sandra Pavlo and Alysan Young, 68 each.
Churchill's dual meet record: 4-1.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 222
WALLED LAKE WESTERN 231
May 1 at Fox Creek

Stevenson scorers: Andrea Khoury, 52; Kelly Kristy, 55; Kristin Bartholomew, 56; Jill Van Tiem, 59; Whitney Janaulis, 66.
Western scorers: Becky Vollmer, 51; Danielle Wilson, 56; Carolyn Huerst, 60; Alycia Matthews, 64.
Stevenson's dual meet record: Stevenson overall and 2-1 Western Lakes.

LIVONIA LADYWOOD 219
BIRMINGHAM MARIAN 241
May 1 at Plum Hollow

Ladywood scorers: Laura Kowalski, 51 (medalist); Sarah Andersen, 53; Elise Pratt, 57 Lauren Agaston, 58.
Marian scorers: Molly Syron, 53; Jacqueline Camilli and Amanda Zackerewski, 61 each; Emily Ford, 66.
Ladywood's Catholic League record: 2-0 overall.

PLYMOUTH SALEM 222
NOVI HIGH 241
May 1 at Brae Burn

Salem scorers: Katie Collins, 49 (medalist); Katie Murinas, 51; Kelly Collins, 53; Beth Cleland, 69.
Note: Salem finished 15th out of 24 teams with 436 points. April 29 at the Brighton Invitational at Oak Pointe. Katie Collins shot at 93 to finish 17th

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND CANTON

ON THE WEEKEND

■ FISHING DERBY
Canton Parks and Recreation Services is sponsoring its annual Kids Fishing Derby on Saturday. The Heritage Park Ponds will be stocked with rainbow trout. Awards will be given for the largest fish caught. First prize is $100 savings bond. Open registration the day of the event, space permitting.

■ CAR WASH
The Plymouth Salem softball car wash fund-raiser will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at Michigan National Bank on Ann Arbor Road near Haggerty.

■ DOLL SHOW
A doll and doll house miniatures show will be held 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. Admission is $3, $1 for youths under 12. Information, 455-2100.

■ 'DEATHTRAP'
The Plymouth Theatre Guild will present Ira Levin's "Deathtrap" May 5, 6, 7, 12 and 13. Showtime will be 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 6 p.m. Sunday. Adults $8 (door), senior/youth $7 (door). Group rates available for 20 or more at $5 each. General seating. Tickets are exchangeable but not refundable. Tickets may be purchased in advance for $1 off at Sir Speedy Printing Center, 485 S. Main, Plymouth, or Heavenly Bakery, 43053 W. Seven Mile, Northville (Highland Lakes Shopping Center), or by mail: PTG, Tickets P.O. Box 700451, Plymouth 48170. Information, 349-7110.

■ MAYBURY STATE PARK
Farm stories for children ages 2-6 will be held on the first weekend of each month. The first program in the series will be "Sheep Tales," 11 a.m. Saturday, May 6, and repeated 3 p.m. Sunday, May 7. Several stories will be read featuring sheep, followed by a wool-craft activity. Maybury Farm is located within Maybury State Park on Eight Mile Road one mile west of Beck Road in Northville Township. For further information, contact the park office at 810-349-8390. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into the park.

■ FARMER'S MARKET
The Plymouth Farmer's Market will be open 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Saturday through Oct. 21, at The Gathering in downtown Plymouth. Fresh flowers, fruits, vegetables, and baked goods. Information, 453-1540.

■ WSDP AUCTION
WSDP, 88.1-FM, will hold its 1995 radio auction from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, May 13. The auction raises money for WSDP, the student-operated station of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. Auction listeners will be able to bid on a wide assortment of items including restaurant gift certificates, a prom package and an autographed photo of the cast of the TV show "Seinfeld." Questions, call Bill Keith at 416-7732.

■ GRAND OPENING
Jim Malson and Terry Worful announce the grand opening of their showroom Outdoor Ingenuities at 8325 Lilley in Canton this weekend. They specialize in decks, gazebos and hot tubs.

CLUBS

■ FAMILIES ANONYMOUS
A 12-step self-help program for those affected by the alcohol, drug or behavior problems of a loved one. Meets 8 p.m. Thursdays at St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren, Canton. Information, 981-4528. Sunday meeting 8 p.m. at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon Road, Canton. Information, 397-8595, 24-hour information number, (810) 435-2027.

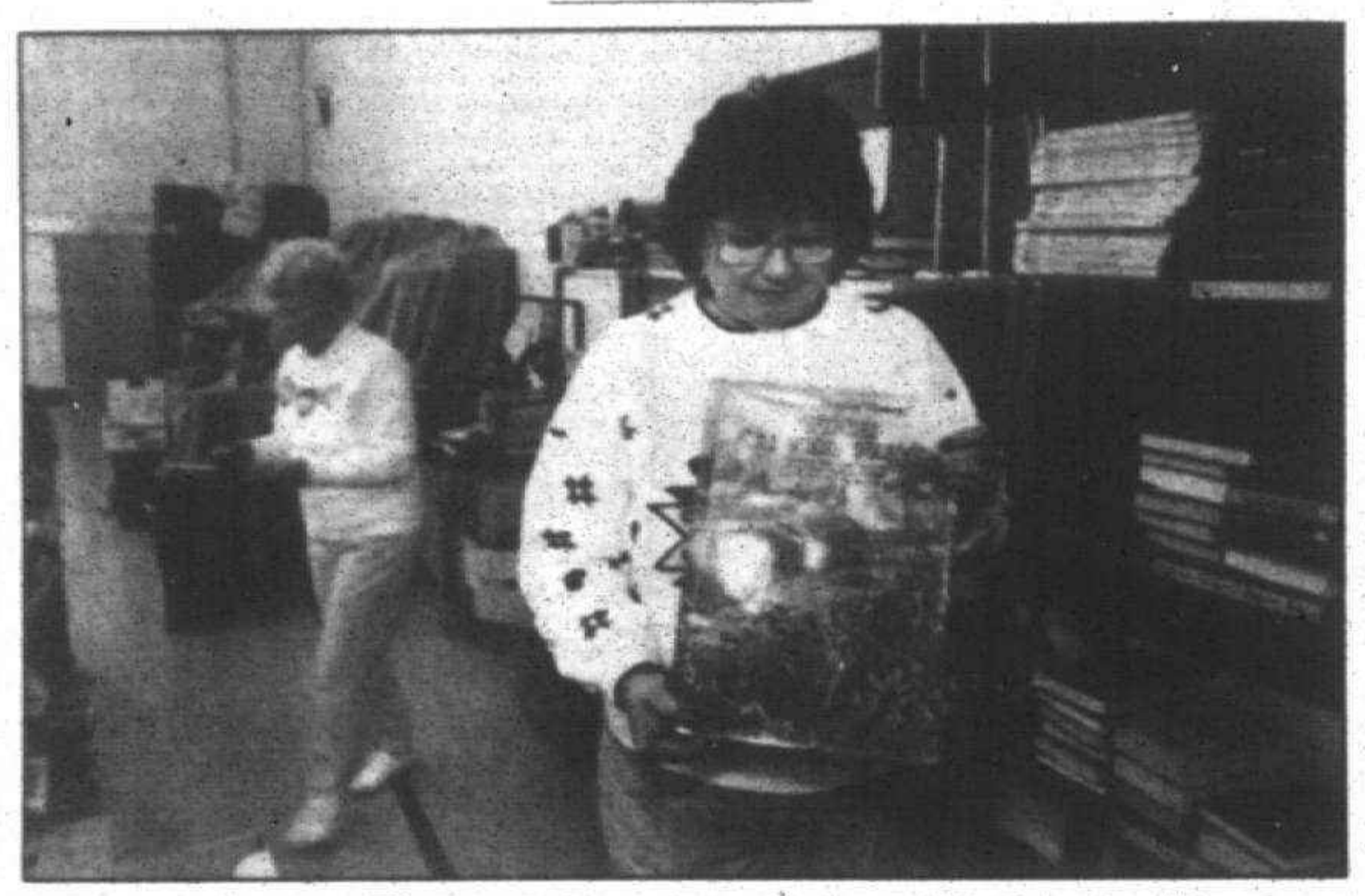
■ OA MEETS
OA meets 7:30 p.m. Mondays at Salvation Army, 9451 S. Main, in Plymouth. Call Chris at 464-9587.

■ HOME TOUR
The Ann Arbor Women's City Club will host its 43rd annual home tour from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, May 5. Five private homes and the Kelsey Museum will be on display. Lunch will be served at the City Club from 11:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. No reservations are necessary and the public is welcome. The price of the tour is $10 and the lunch is $9. Further details and ticket availability, 662-8279.

■ WOMAN'S CLUB
The Woman's Club of Plymouth will have its annual potluck salad luncheon noon Friday, May 5, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. Businesswoman, entrepreneur and TV talk show hostess Mary Louise Cutler will give advice on "How to Look 20 Years Younger." There will be an annual business meeting and installation of officers. There will also be Scholarship Awards May 18 and May 25.

■ AAUW
The American Association of University Women annual book sale will be held Thursday through Saturday, May 4-6, at Starkweather Gym, 550 N. Holbrok in Plymouth's Old Village in Plymouth. Thursday hours will be 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. all books are sold priced as marked. Friday hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and books will be half price and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. a bag of books will cost $5.

Book sale



Food for thought: *The American Association of University Women annual book sale will be held Thursday through Saturday at Starkweather gym, 550 N. Holbrook in Plymouth's Old Village. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. Above, A.J. Hallerman, book sale chairwoman, displays a coffee table-style book on the Civil War. Volunteer Mildred Kladzyk is in the background.*

■ KIWANIS CLUB
You're invited to the 1995 Kiwanis Prayer Breakfast 8 a.m. Thursday, May 11, at the Mayflower Hotel, Colony Room, Main at Ann Arbor Trail, in Plymouth. The guest speaker will be David Ralston, athletic trainer and travel coordinator for the Michigan Wolverines basketball team since 1990. In addition to his job at the University of Michigan, he is a deacon of his Baptist Church and actively involved with the Promise Keepers Ministry for Men, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the Christian Sports Medicine Association. Ticket price is $8.50 per person, available from Kiwanis members or call 459-4451 or 453-1234, Ext. 203.

■ PARKINSON SUPPORT
The Western Wayne Parkinson Support group monthly meeting will be held 7 p.m. Thursday, May 11, at the Livonia Senior Citizens Center, 155218 Farmington Road, (at Five Mile) in Livonia. The speaker will be Dr. Lawrence Singer, Podietrist, on care of your feet. The meeting is open to all Parkinsonians, care-givers, or anyone interested in the problems of Parkinsonians. Information, 459-0216 or 421-4208.

■ CHADD
The Northwest Wayne County chapter meets the first Thursday of each month in the vocal room at Holmes Middle School, located on Newburg Road, between Five and Six Mile Roads. It is a non-profit, parent-based organization formed to better the lives of individuals with attention disorders and those who care for them. The meeting will be 7:30 p.m Thursday, May 4. It will include a rap and discussion group. Information, 810-380-0847.

■ PWP
Livonia-Redford Chapter No. 130, Parents Without Partners, is meeting at the Cadillac Cafe, 30555 Grand River, Farmington Hills. They meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Parent and family activities are planned. New members welcome at 8 p.m. for orientation. General meeting at 8:30 p.m. After the meeting, they go into the lounge for dancing to music played by a D.J. Diane, 464-1969.

■ JAYCEES
The Plymouth/Canton Jaycees meet at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of the month at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer in Plymouth.

AROUND TOWN

■ ROLLER/INLINE CLASSES
Canton Parks and Recreation in conjunction with the Skatin' Station II of Canton, is sponsoring a series of Roller/Inline skating programs for all ages. Come learn the basics of inline or roller skating or join a rollerblade hockey league. Information, 459-6401.

■ CANTON CRICKETS
Fall "Canton Cricket" registration for Canton's Preschool Program for 3- and 4-year-olds at the Recreation Center, will be held from 8-10 a.m. Saturday, May 20, at Canton Township Administration Building on the first floor. Fall session is 18 weeks from Sept. 11 to Jan. 26; 17 per class. Canton residents only. Canton Township Administration Building on the first floor. Information, 397-5110.

■ NURSING HOME CARE
The city of Plymouth and the Senior Center will sponsor a discussion on the "Catastrophic Care Act of 1990," with its accepted alternatives to prevent spousal impoverishment by nursing homes, presented by Paul Leduc, financial expert, from 1-3 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer Road, in Plymouth. Information, 455-6623.

■ ARTS COUNCIL
The Plymouth Community Art's Council is offering its new facility at 774 N. Sheldon Road for rent for seminars, recitals and lectures. The facility has auditorium seating for 225 people. The parking lot has room for 28 cars and street parking is available. There are coffee pots, a slide projector and a piano available. Interested groups call, 416-4278.

■ FREE EXAM
Free examinations for skin cancer are being offered by Arthur W. Gulick, M.D. from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, at Starkweather Center, 550 N. Holbrook. Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society, these clinics are intended to promote the early detection and treatment of skin cancer. Information about other locations in the tri-county area can be obtained by calling 810-925-2271 or 810-557-5336.

■ SENIOR PARTY
Parents of seniors graduating from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem high schools are needed to volunteer for the senior class party. Volunteers are needed for card dealing and to act as chaperones. Information, 459-3816.

■ PLYMOUTH
Positively Plymouth will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, May 11, at Plymouth Manor. The 7th annual mixer and business expo allows residents to see what businesses there are in the Plymouth community. The event is sponsored by the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce. For more information, call 453-1540.

■ HISTORICAL MUSEUM
The Plymouth Historical Museum invites you to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Scopes monkey trial with a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. At 7:30 p.m., speaker Dr. Charles Little, superintendent of Plymouth-Canton Public Schools speaking on "Religion and The Public Schools." Preceding Dr. Little's talk will be a brief play regarding the Scopes trial.

■ SCHOOLCRAFT REGISTRATION
Walk-in registration for spring-summer Continuing Education courses at Schoolcraft College is being held 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, May 3-4, in the college's McDowell Center. Information, 462-4448.

■ ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS
The Plymouth Community Chorus is conducting a two-for-one early bird presale of 1996 Entertainment books. When a book is ordered before May 15, a free 1995 book will be supplied. The books are $40. The proceeds will go to finance a chorus trip to Washington, D.C. To place orders, call 459-6829.
of life."

■ GOLF OUTING
Monday, May 15, Angela Hospice will tee up its seventh annual golf outing at the Links at Pinewood. The all-day package at $150 includes 18 holes of golf with cart, buffet lunch, steak dinner, bar service, and several chances to win prizes from local businesses. Golfers can drive home a new car from Hines Park Lincoln-Mercury in Plymouth by sinking an ace on the par three third hole. The four-person scramble outing will have a shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. Information, Dorothy York at Angela Hospice, 464-7810, before May 1.

■ WALKATHON
The Michigan Parkinson Foundation Walkathon will be held 11 a.m. Saturday, May 20, at University of Michigan-Dearborn campus, University of Michigan-Flint campus and Owosso-Memorial Health Care Center. All those with Parkinson's, care providers and families are asked to participate in the annual walkathon. This is to raise funding to assist new support groups, train volunteers and support group leaders and to develop further programs to address the needs of those with Parkinson's. To register, call 745-2000.

■ LINCOLN EXHIBIT
The Plymouth Historical Museum in conjunction with the special exhibition, "A Lincoln Portrait," will feature the collection of Dr. Weldon Petz. On display at the museum. The Plymouth Historical Museum is at 155 S. Main St. in Plymouth. The museum is open 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, and 2-5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is $1.50 for adults, 50 cents for students (ages 5-17), children under age 5 free, family rate $4.

■ DONATIONS NEEDED
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district needs used exercise/fitness equipment for extracurricular Adaptive Physical Education Fitness Program. They are creating a fitness program for students who have physical disabilities. If you have a stepper, fitness tapes, stationary bike, treadmill, or any other fitness equipment to contribute, contact David Gerlach at 416-7708. Pick-up will be arranged. For tax purposes, a letter indicating your contribution to a non-profit organization can be provided.

CALENDAR FORM

The Plymouth and Canton Observers *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, Canton Observer, 744 Wing, Plymouth, MI. 48170, or by fax to 313-459-4224. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 459-2700 if you have any questions.*

Event:
Date and Time:
Location:
Telephone:
Additional info.:

CAMPUS NOTES

To submit *your academic honor or graduation announcement to Campus Notes, send the material printed or typewritten to: Bridget Moran, Plymouth-Canton Observer, 744 Wing St., Plymouth, Mich. 48170.*

■ RESIDENTS Matthew Ash, Kimberlyn Brown, Daniel Frusti, Jennifer Haskell, Sarah House, Andrew Johns, Carol Kovach and Carol Vettese were recently honored along with 120 business students at Schoolcraft College's 23rd annual Business Honors Banquet. The students received recognition for their academic achievements in the fields of accounting, business administration, computer information systems, management, marketing and office information systems.

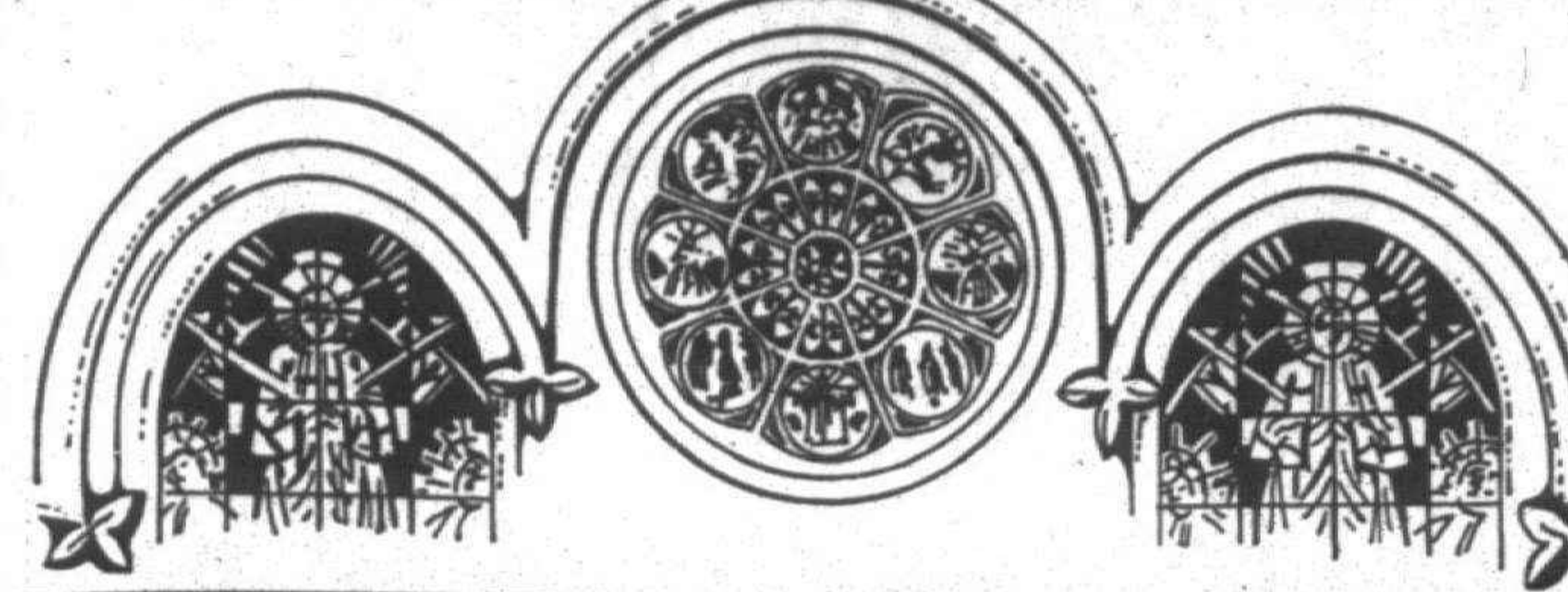
■ RON TEMPLE has been accepted to Taylor University for the fall 1995 term in Upland, Ind. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Phillip I. Temple.

■ KERRI REUTER of Canton will be honored as 1995 student employee of the year on Friday, May 5, at Schoolcraft College's faculty and staff recognition luncheon. For the last year and a half, Reuter has worked as a student employee at Schoolcraft's Radcliff Center Police Academy in Garden City. Reuter was selected from eight final nominees for the award, out of 200 students who work on Schoolcraft's two campuses. Reuter was evaluated on reliability, quality of work, initiative, professionalism, and uniqueness of contributions. The evaluation committee consists of people from several areas of the college, including faculty, counseling, and staff members. Reuter was praised in her evaluations for her work ethic, the example she sets for others around her, her enthusiasm, and dependability.

■ JOHN ROBERT DONAHUE, a sophomore at Plymouth Salem High School, has been named a United States National Award winner in science. He was nominated for this national award by W. Barnes, a chemistry teacher at the school. Donahue will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbok, which is published nationally. He is the son of James and Paula Donahue of Canton. Grandparents are Douglas and Mary Donahue of Redford.



Donahue



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35475 Five Mile Rd. 464-6722
MARK McGILVREY, Minister
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BIBLE SCHOOL (All ages) 9:30 A.M. & 10:45 A.M.
Morning Worship - 9:30 & 10:45 A.M.
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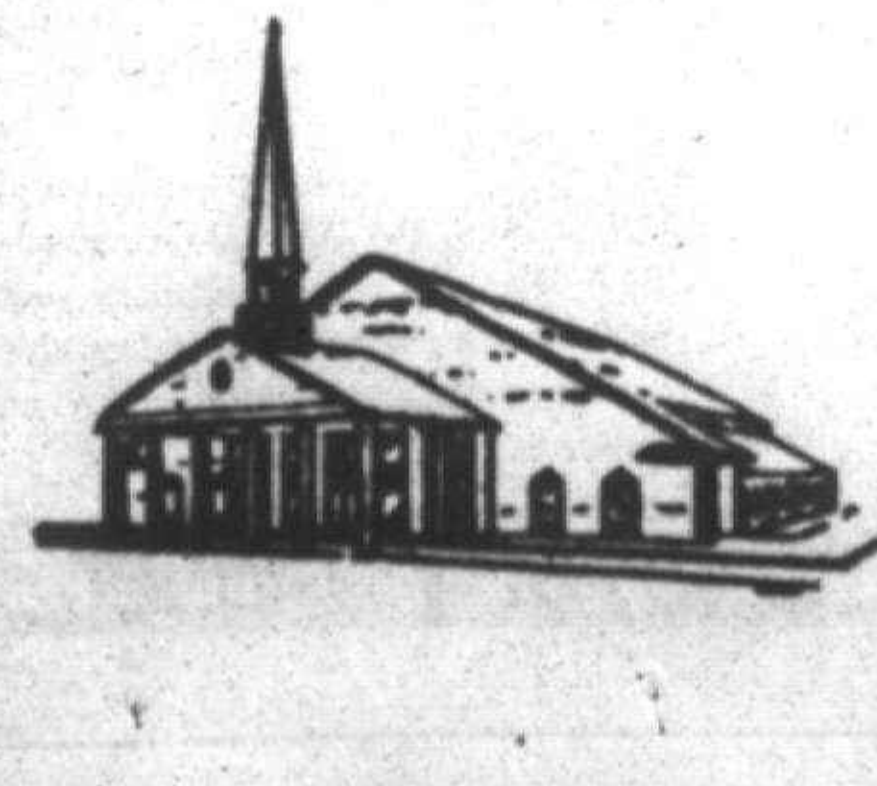

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Rev. Robert Bough

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Church School - 10:05 AM
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9:15 & 11:00 a.m.
May 7th
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Childrens Sunday School 11:00 A.M.
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Sat. 5:00 p.m.
May 7th
Scripture Focus: 23rd Psalm
Pastors Bob & Diana Goudie

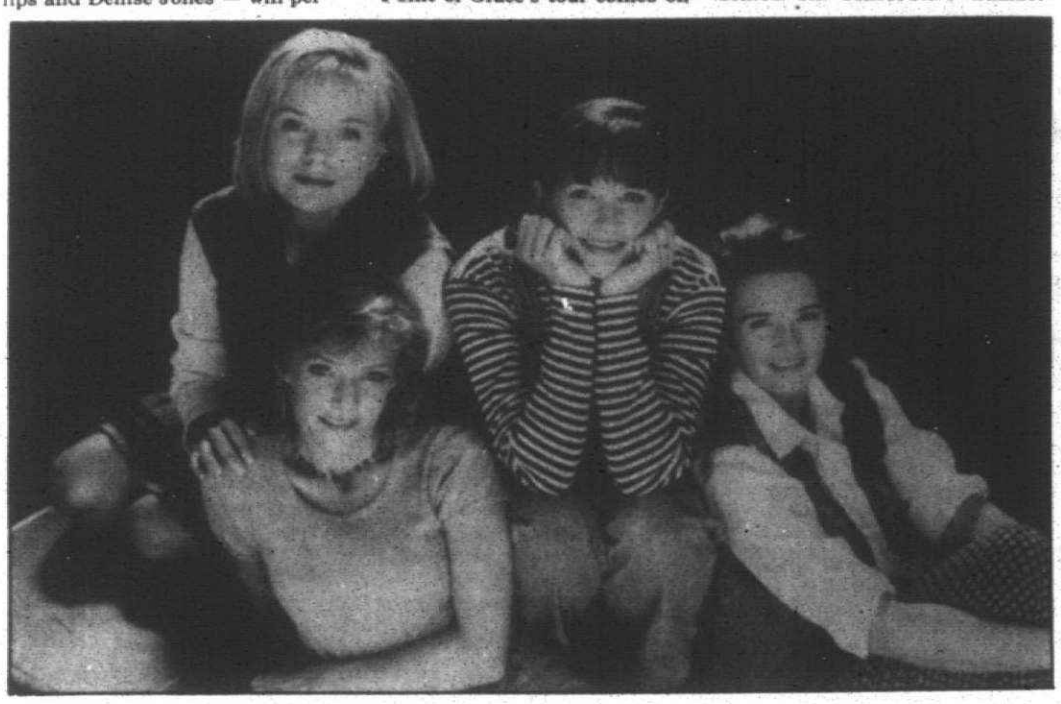
Point of Grace brings tour to Temple Baptist Church

When the stage lights come up Friday, May 5, at Temple Baptist Church in Redford, they will illuminate Christian music's hottest foursome.

Point of Grace — Heather Floyd, Terry Jones, Shelley Phillips and Denise Jones — will perform with with Phillips, Craig and Dean and special guest Cheri Keaggy at 7:30 p.m. at the church, 23800 West Chicago, east of Telegraph Road.

Tickets cost $11 and are available at area Christian bookstores.

Point of Grace's tour comes on the heels of the release of its second album, "The Whole Truth" and its first single "Great Divide" which topped the contemporary Christian music charts for nearly a month. Their self-titled debut album also spawned an unprecedented six consecutive number one singles.



Hot sound: *Point of Grace, Christian music's hottest foursome, has become known for their air-tight vocals and sweet harmonies, evident on their latest album, "The Whole Truth."*

In 1994, the quartet was honored with a Dove Award, Christian music's equivalent to a Grammy, from the Gospel Music Association as New Artist of the Year and Favorite New Artist by the fan-voted America's Christian Music Awards.

The group has been nominated for three Dove Awards this year — Artist of the Year, Group of the Year and Inspirational Album of the Year. In addition, their number one hit, "Jesus Will Be There," has been nominated for Song of the Year.

The group is well-known for their air-tight vocals and sister-like harmonies. They also work as national spokespersons for Mercy Ministries of America which they are joining on this 25-city tour to raise sponsorships for organization's homes for troubled girls and unwed mothers.

If one singer and songwriter is outstanding, then three of them working together should be something quite special. That's the philosophy behind Phillips, Craig and Dean.

Consisting of three experienced performers — Randy Phillips, Shawn Craig and Dan Dean — the trio combines the strengths of varied backgrounds into one act that offers something for every listener.

Phillips, Craig and Dean have established their skills as songwriters, penning tunes for some of the top names in Christian music. Individually, they have also written songs for the Gaither Vocal Band, the Archers, Michelle Wagner and Phill Driscoll among others.

■ 'We're all involved so much in church work. We have pastors' hearts more than evangelists.'

Randy Phillips

The group's style stems from many types of music, including, but not limited to, contemporary pop, country and R&B. The group's founder, Phillips said, "We want our listeners to hear fresh, new ways of saying the old themes."

The trio also said their songs focus on encouraging the body of Christ.

"I think it's a natural thing," Phillips said. "We're all involved so much in church work. We have pastors' hearts more than evangelists."

Cheri Keaggy first began writing songs in hopes of inspiring worship at her church. Today her unique melodies, versatile vocal stylings and heart for the church come together in her debut recording, "Child of the Father."

Keaggy's songwriting gifts are evident throughout the album.

"I try to write lyrics as we would naturally speak to God," she said. "God seems to be using me to help people express their hearts to him."

Her hope for the title cut is that it will awaken a sense of "the blessing of being loved and forgiven by God."

She has played the piano since age 7, and while in high school, she accompanied the choir. As a teenager, she also performed with her future husband, Eddie Keaggy, in a Christian band.

They married after high school and joined a newly formed church where she was soon added to the staff as a worship leader and began composing songs to supplement the services.

Requests for her music inspired her to record a tape and use the proceeds to help fund the church's homeless outreach. Two hundred tapes, complete with covers hand-colored by Keaggy and the women of the church sold in just 15 minutes.

It was that tape that caught the attention of record producers and led to her debut album, "Child of the Father."

For more information about the concert, call Temple Baptist Church at (313) 255-3333.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the *religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.*

■ DAY OF PRAYER

Thursday, May 4, has been historically designated by Congress as the annual National Day of Prayer. It will be observed in Livonia on the grounds of the Livonia City Hall, on Five Mile east of Farmington Road, 12:15-12:45 p.m. that day. For more information, call Judi Ellis at (313) 522-1840.

Members of the Plymouth-Canton Community Prayer Group invite residents to participate in "Meet at City Hall" on the National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 4. People should gather on the lawn of the Plymouth City Hall or Canton Township Hall 12:20-12:40 p.m. For more information, call Barb Schmid at 981-3442 and Claudia Garrett at (313) 981-0178 in Canton and Marilyn Oleszewski at (313) 451-9409. Questions also can be directed to Linda Kournoian at (313) 721-3240 in Westland.

■ SPECIAL DISPLAY

In observance of the National Day of Prayer, May 4, First Church of Christ Scientist, Plymouth, will have a special display on prayer at the Christian Science Reading Room, 445 S. Harvey, in downtown Plymouth, May 4-18.

The Reading Room, open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily except Sundays and holidays and 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, offers visitors a place to explore what the Bible, Mary Baker Eddy's writings and other literature have to say about the value and practicality of prayer in daily life.

■ SINGLE POINT

Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church will present a showcase, featuring Scott Wesley Brown, at 8 p.m. Friday, May 5, in the Sanctuary of the church, Farmington Road at Six Mile Road, Livonia. Dinner will be served at 6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall; cost is $5.

The organization also will sponsors its annual Eagle Run Saturday, May 6, at Maybury State Park in Northville. For more information, call (313) 422-1854.

■ RUMMAGE SALES

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Livonia will have its annual all-parish garage sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, May 5, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at the church, 16360 Hubbard, between Five Mile and Six Mile. A $2 a bag sale will be 1-2 p.m. Saturday. There also will be a plant and bake sale.

■ CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Church Women United of Suburban Detroit-West will have a May fellowship breakfast at 9:15 a.m. Friday, May 5, at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church, 30900 Six Mile, Livonia. The program will be "All Have a Place at the Table" with the Rev. Sandra Willowby.

The cost is $2 for the continental breakfast, and reservations can be made by calling Norma Roberts at (313) 591-2127. Child care will be available by reservation by calling Roberts. Participants are asked to bring love pillows for the children's hospitals.

■ 'BRING A FRIEND'

A "Bring a Friend" spaghetti dinner will be 5-7 p.m. Friday, May 5, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, Redford. Cost is $4 for adults, $2 for children and free for those under age 5. For more information, call (313) 937-3170.

■ JAPANESE CHOIR

A free concert, featuring the Yokohama Mikuyokai and the Ann Arbor Cantata Singers, will be presented at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 10000 Beech Daly, at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 6.

The Mikuyokai singers maintain a broad repertoire of Japanese Folk music and sacred music from around the world. The Ann Arbor Cantata Singers are well known in the metropolitan area and perform all types of music from baroque to contemporary.

The concert will feature each group performing separately as well as a number of joint selections. For more information, call (313) 937-3170.

■ 'BE YE EXALTED'

"Be Ye Exalted '95," featuring John P. Kee and the New Life Community Choir, the Williams Brothers and Rance Allen and the Rance Allen Group, will be presented at 7 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at the Fox Theatre, Woodward Avenue in Detroit. Tickets are available through all TicketMaster outlets and God's World, 13533 W. Seven Mile, Detroit. For more information, call (313) 862-8220.

■ BETHANY-WEST

The Bethany-West Chapter, a nonprofit Catholic organization which provides spiritual, social and educational assistance to divorced and separated Christians, will have a general membership meeting at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 6. Election of officers and honoring of mothers will be on the agenda. The meeting will be at St. Robert Bellarmine Church, on West Chicago east of Inkster Road. For more information, call Karen at (313) 261-3602 or Kathy at (313) 584-1158.

■ CHAI DINNER

Congregation Beit Kodesh will have its 36th annual Chai dinner at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at the synagogue, 31840 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. The honoree will be Rae Offerman. Entertainment will be by Jim Carmody, comedian and magician. There is a charge. For reservations, call Lynn Wagner-Ditzhazy at (313) 425-5116.

■ RADIO SHOWS

The radio series "What is this Christian Science and who are these Christian Scientists?" is being aired at 9:30 a.m. Sundays on WAAM-AM 1600. Topics include "What are these Reading Rooms about?" on May 7, "What Does Christian Science say about sin?" on May 14, "How can anyone have that much faith?" on May 21 and "Just what is a Christian Science practitioner?" on May 28. The series also can be heard at 8:30 a.m. Sundays on CKLW-AM. For more information, call (800) 886-1212.

■ WAILING WALL

Jews for Jesus's traveling musical evangelists, The Liberated Wailing Wall, will bring its Hebraic music, ethnic costuming and instrumentation and zeal to a program of music and testimony at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 9, at St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy, Westland. A freewill offering will be taken.

Jews for Jesus is an independent missionary organization, founded in 1973 by Moise Rosenn. Its goal is to let Jewish people know the gospel is for them — that belief in Jesus does not take away one's Jewish culture and heritage.

For more information, call (313) 425-0260.

■ MOTHER/DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Kenwood Church of Christ will have a mother/daughter banquet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 11, in the Fellowship Hall, 20200 Merriman, Livonia. The cost is $4 for adults, $2 for children 6-12 years of age and free for those 5 years and under. For more information, call (810) 476-8222.

■ 'MADE IN THE U.S.A.'

The music department of St. James Presbyterian Church in Redford will perform the musical, "Made in the U.S.A.," Friday and Saturday, May 12-13. The show features blues, jazz, barbershop, country, Mickey Mouse, the Harrison High School jazz band and more.

A dinner at 6:30 p.m. is included in the price of the ticket — $10 for adults and $5 for children 12 years and under. They can be ordered by calling (313) 534-7730. St. James is at 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford.

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VICTORIA DIAZ

Gover's works offer glimpse of ordinary folks

"White Boys and River Girls," by Paula K. Gover (225 pp., $17.95, Algonquin Books of Chapel Hill).

In this impressive collection of short stories by new writer, Paula K. Gover, you may meet some people you know. Maybe you'll encounter your next-door neighbor, or your brother-in law, or that loser who jilted you in high school, a relative, your ex, a teacher who cared, the loser that loser dumped you for . . . You may even meet yourself.

Gover, a Michigan native, sets most of these stories deep in the heart of her home state. One notable exception, however, is the title story, played out against a Georgia backdrop of winding waterways and crawling kudzu, not far perhaps from the spot where America's hero, Forrest Gump, contemplated his famous box of chocolates. Her gifts for evoking the distinct flavor of this part of the deep (and sometimes dark) South are considerable. For a non-native, they are practically astonishing.

In the story, an everyday, garden-variety good-old-boy goes looking for a pretty girl, and finds one at a place called the Tenderloin Ballroom. Only Yolanda Jean Louisell isn't just any pretty girl, he will learn. She may even be a witch. An unsung artist, she possesses an uncanny knack for seeing past the surfaces, in a way this rather unremarkable young man cannot.

Trust me. This is not some hokey tale of terror, riddled with demons, goblins, and gratuitous gore. It is a sensitive, beautifully detailed story about some mostly ordinary people, out at the edges of somewhere, trying to find their way, and seeing perhaps only a very small picture of a world that is large beyond their comprehension.

Threatening and unstable as it is at times, Gover's fictional landscape is not without humor. "My Naked Beauty," tells of a fat, hairy-legged flower child who grows up to give birth to a daughter who worships at the shrine of beauty pageantry. And it may just be one of the funniest stories you've ever read about how painful it can be to live with a deeply loved person afflicted with adolescence.

"While well-scented, she is at times deaf, dumb, and blind," the exasperated mother opines. Unfortunately, the beauty queen wannabe has also gone bald as an egg on the eve of the pageant.

Only a writer with special gifts can navigate successfully the razory, hard-to-find line that barely separates funny from awful. Told in the wryly comic (and perfectly sustained) voice of the exasperated mother, "My Naked Beauty" is a delightful example of what happens when

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LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for *in Creative Living next week:*

- Observerland residents display artworks in Center for Creative Studies 1995 Student Exhibition May 12-28.
- Visual Arts Association of Livonia members exhibit paintings in juried Spring Art Exhibit May 4-26 at Livonia City Hall.
- Marty Figley's Garden Spot column.
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Intricate patterns: *Hawkins' split twig armoire is embellished with peeled maple and cherry wood. The different types of trees used in the mosaic patterns create a range of colors mingling in the overall design.*



On display: *Traditional rustic or Adirondack furniture includes mosaic or split twig, and bent twig formats among others in styles influenced by Gothic, Eastlake, Victorian and Oriental like this sassafras table with black walnut stain.*

REVIVING AN AMERICAN TRADITION

MOSAIC TWIG FURNITURE

Mosaic patterns assembled from twigs, halved and laid side-by-side, decorate the furniture hand crafted by Larry Hawkins of Livonia. His work is patterned after a rare, inlaid type of ornamentation popular in rustic furniture from the mid-1800s to 1930s in America.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Larry Hawkins is reviving the rustic furniture tradition popular in America around the turn-of-the-century.

The Livonia resident hand crafts mosaic patterns formed with twigs gathered from nature to decorate cabinetry, tables and sideboards.

Rustic environments incorporating these furnishings bring a breath of nature indoors. Rustic furniture is defined as objects created from twigs, logs, roots, tree stumps, branches, and/or bark. Traditional rustic or Adirondack furniture includes mosaic or split twig, and bent twig formats among others in styles influenced by Gothic, Eastlake, Victorian and Oriental.

Intrigued by its beauty Hawkins, a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, began crafting rustic sidechairs from tree branches last September.

He then moved on to create naturally colorful geometric patterns in the mosaic or split twig tradition on an old chest of drawers.

Intricate work

Mosaic twig work or decoration requires the use of straight halved lengths of twigs applied to flat surfaces in elaborate patterns.

This intricate twig work represents the ultimate in artistry of the American rustic tradition born in New York's Adirondack region.

Hawkins only guide or instruction to decipher its lengthy and tedious process came from books.

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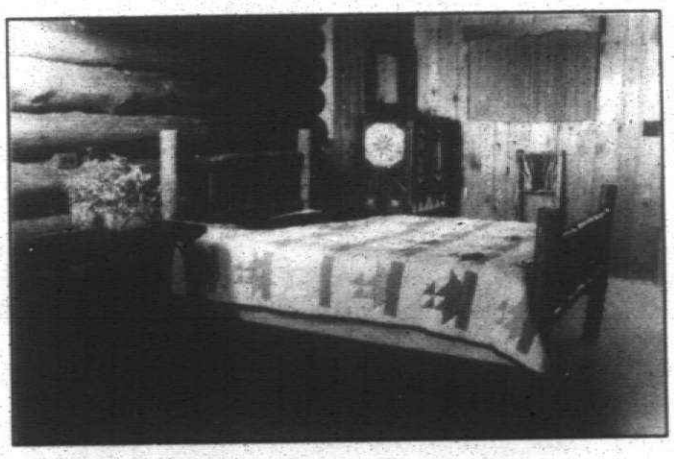

Sturdy: *This elm log bed is similar to those found in resorts in the the mid-1800s to 1930s in America.*

Garden City exhibit offers world of art

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

If you're in the market for a painting to brighten up your tired walls, don't miss the Garden City Fine Arts Association's Spring Exhibit and Sale May 8-13 at the Garden City Public Library, 2012 Middlebelt.

The 13th annual show offers something for everyone with an array of florals, portraits, landscapes, still life and genre scenes.

An awards presentation and reception will begin at 7 p.m. Monday, May 8, at the library. The public is invited.

Pastel artist Mary Tomas of Troy will serve as judge awarding Best of Show ($50) and First ($40), Second ($25) and Third Place ($15) in two categories of media: wet and dry.

Tomas, an instructor of portraiture at Paint Creek Center for the Arts in Rochester and recent juror for the 68th annual Scholastic Art Awards Competition in Lapeer, St. Clair and Macomb counties, had a one-woman show of her artwork at Livonia City Hall in February.

An admirer of French Impressionists like Edgar Degas, Tomas spent 11 years honing her color and design skills while working as an art director for Campbell-Ewald in Warren and D'Arcy MacManus & Masius (now Masius, Benton & Bowles) in Bloomfield Hills.

There will be a raffle of artwork donated by GCFAA members. Tickets are available for $1 each during regular library hours.

"The exhibit opens up a world of art to people. People will enjoy it," said GCFAA president and show chairman Ray Davison.

Founded in 1982, the Garden City Fine Arts Association provides a forum for area artists. Members hail not only from Garden City but Westland, Plymouth, Livonia, Redford Township, Dearborn Heights, Wayne and Inkster. Meetings, held the first Wednesday of the month at

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Artbeat features *various happenings in the suburban arts world. Send news leads to: Creative Living Editor, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.*

Art Beat

■ **SEW IN**

Westland artist Saundra Weed and Plymouth quilter Nancy Meyer bring their sewing and design expertise to the 14th annual Sewing Seminar 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Friday and Saturday, May 12-13 in the Liberal Arts Building at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road in Livonia.

Weed will discuss the use of fabric as an art form in a session on creating wall hangings, quilted paintings, free form vessels and soft boxes. Additional sessions by Weed cover designer tips for making creative vests, and remodeling and restyling dated garments. Meyer will present "Color for Quilters," a session on basic color theory and applying that theory to quilting. Additional sessions by other respected needle artists include topics on how to create wind socks and house flags, pictorial quilts, and watercolor quilting.

The cost for the two separate hands-on workshops held May 12 with Janet Pray on industrial shortcuts for the home sewer, and Horst Griesser on tailoring and couture is $65 and includes supply kit. On May 13 sewers may choose from 52 separate workshops at a cost of $57. For more information or to register call the college's continuing education office at (313) 462-4448.

■ **CALL FOR ARTISTS**

Attention all Observerland artists and crafters. Co-producers of the fine arts and craft show scheduled June 24-25 as part of the Liberty Fest in Canton Township's Heritage Park are looking for exhibitors. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Deadline for entry is May 15.

Last year's show spotlighted more than 50 artists fine artists and crafters displaying painting, pottery, fiber art, marbling and jewel-

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ry.

Three slides or photographs of paintings, sculptures, ceramics, jewelry, drawings, pastels and prints must be submitted along with a $5 jury fee (non-refundable) and $65 booth fee (returned if ineligible).

Artwork must be artist's original conception. No commercially produced merchandise or resale.

For more information call show co-producers Sharon Dillenbeck at (313) 453-3710 or Julie Giordano, (810) 348-0282.

■ DESIGN WINNERS

The Livonia Garden Club came out winners in the recent Ann Arbor Flower and Garden Show March 23-26 at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds. More than 30,000 garden enthusiasts attended the event.

Representing the Livonia club in the Lakeside Cottage Company's Coming Design Exhibit category were Winnie Boni, Dorothy Rutyna, Joan Peterson and Virginia Matley of Livonia and Linda Dotzenworth of Farmington Hills.

The garden group took second place for a buffet table for four or more which was accented by antique oars leaning against the wall to give it a cottage feel, a fieldstone fireplace sporting decoy ducks and a wreath decorated with fishing lures.

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the Maplewood Center in Garden City, spotlight lectures and demonstrations by accomplished artists.

Library hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, closed Friday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Redford basket makers to offer wares

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER

Heather and Fred Farrant of Redford Township specialize in Appalachian style basketry.

The husband and wife basket making team will bring more than 200 of their decorative and functional hand woven baskets to the Ann Arbor Spring Art Fair May 6-7 in an indoor heated facility on the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds. (This event formerly took place at the University of Michigan Track and Tennis Building in Ann Arbor).

Hours for the 17th annual fair produced by Audree Levy are 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is $5, children under 10 free.

The Farrants' weave their Appalachian style baskets with both flat and round rattan. Available in natural or stained, the baskets range in price from $8 for a small garlic container to $70 for large hampers or stair baskets.

"Any one of the baskets could be used. If they have a handle they can be used for carrying just about anything," said Heather Farrant, who wove her first basket 22 years ago after taking a class at the Farmington Community Center.

Originally, Heather made the baskets for giving as gifts to family and friends.

It wasn't until five years ago when serving as artist-in-residence at Silver Dollar City in Branson, Missourri that Farrant realized money could be made by selling them.



Functional Accents: *Heather and Fred Farrant of Redford will offer their hand woven baskets at the Ann Arbor Spring Art Fair May 6-7.*

"I like the history of the baskets like the egg basket. They're separated or divided to keep the eggs from banging against each other and breaking. The pie basket, we have a photograph showing how it looked over 100 years ago," Farrant said.

The husband and wife weaving duo exhibit in one dozen or more shows per year at sites ranging from Greektown to Muskegon, St. Clair, Atlanta, and Stone Mountain, Georgia. Their forays while peddling their wares have left them with tales, trying but fun.

Once they packed their car with all of their baskets only to realize their suitcases would not fit in so they pulled their clothes out of them and stuffed them in the baskets.

In addition to the Farrants' basketry, art fair visitors will find traditional and contemporary paintings, sculptures and pottery for their home or office.

They will also be able to purchase jewelry or hand woven clothing to brighten up their Spring wardrobe.

In 1993, Audree Levy's show was chosen one of the "Top 10 Art Fairs" in the country by Sunshine Publication.

The Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds is located at 5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Road.


NORTHVILLE. Traditional 4 bedroom colonial. Circular stairway and 2 story foyer grace entry. Professionally decorated with formal living room and dining, features step-up 'master' with 2 walk-in closets. $369,900. (L90Tal) 462-3000.


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"It's an old art form, mosaic twig or split twig furniture. It originated with English garden furniture in the 1700s and went out about the 1930s in America," said Hawkins, a 41 year old single father of two.

"Split twig is nailed to a flat surface to form a pattern. It's very time consuming. The problem was back in the 1800s it took so much time that's why only the wealthy could afford it. Rustic furniture and mosaic twig work was popular during the heyday of camps, hunting lodges and resort areas (many of them built by William West Durant, son of Union Pacific Railroad founder Dr. Thomas Clark Durant) in the Adirondacks from 1870 to 1930."

History of craft

Resort areas were popular during this era as retreats from life in cities grown out of and affected by the industrial revolution. Then came the Great Depression and a series of devastating forest fires that swept through the Adirondack camps leaving little behind, especially the wooden rustic furniture.

What still exists can be found in the Adirondack Museum in Blue Mountain Lake, New York.

The scarcity of rustic furniture from this period has forced its value upward. Once regarded as cottage furniture, today it is highly prized. In 1986, 12 chairs and a dining room table made by Ernest Stowe, who worked in the tradition from the 1890s to 1911, went for $45,000 at an auction in New York City. When it was resold a short while ago, it's price had skyrocketed to $100,000.

Seth Pierce, who worked in this tradition from the early 1800s to around 1910, is Hawkins hero. Pierce crafted large cabinets. His twig work corner cupboard is in the Adirondack Museum.

"Most of the work done was functional but some of these guys really got artistic," Hawkins said.

The 1950s and the use of plastics and aluminum saw changes in the resort furniture industry. Rustic furniture building reappeared briefly during the socially conscious 1970s back-to-the-earth movement.

"Today there about 500 rustic furniture builders in America but I have yet to find anyone who is reviving mosaic cabinetry."

Hawkins' style

Hawkins' split twig dresser or armoire is embellished with peeled maple and cherry wood. The different types of trees used in the mosaic patterns create a range of colors mingling in the overall design.

Other furniture pieces include a sassafras table with black walnut stain, and an elm log bed.

Hawkins never cuts down healthy trees but instead harvests diseased or dying ones. One large china cabinet still sports the strangling vines that killed it.

He gathers and recyles much of of this material: maple, cherry, black walnut and a variety of other twigs and branches from the 1¼ acre grounds surrounding the log cabin he rents in Livonia.

"I also drive around looking for bundles people have left out on the curb. I've always been fascinated by wood. To me, mosaic twig is simply decoration," said Hawkins, whose artistic cabinetry will be published in Daniel Mack's second book, "Rustic Scrapbook" scheduled for release in March 1996 by Sterling Lark.

Hardwoods, not soft, serve as the base underneath Hawkins' latest mosaic twig decoration on a large sideboard.

"I want these to be heirlooms. I use no paints only oils or stains. Oil is a preservative. It makes the natural colors come out."

Life's work

Hawkins, who works full-time as a grinder at a Redford tool shop, hopes to eventually support himself and daughters Bridget, 17 and Kelly, 13 on sales of his mosaic twig work.

Hawkins will exhibit his artistry in mid July at Art in the Park in Plymouth.

For more information about Hawkins' rustic furniture call him at (313) 462-4914.

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such a writer comes along.

I find myself thinking of these stories as a wonderful literary collage made up of kaleidoscopic images: Here, a child hopes to "know" her long-gone father through a box of old photos. A ground-down backwoods woman sits at a table, a picture of food at her place. A middle-aged man, wearing bobby pins and a shower cap, dyes his hair (late at night, so no one will notice). Camouflaged soldiers fill "canvas-backed trucks heading south to play war games, their tires dropping clots of red earth along the road."

Some of the images are larger than others. Some overlap (the same characters or places may appear in two or three different stories). Some are in black-and-white, some in vivid color. Each one is different (one delightful difference is Gover's varying voices, one as convincing as another). But all work together to form a riveting picture of a kind of maze, perilous with the betrayal of mirror-traps and blind, blind corners.

Though certainly not always a pretty picture, the collection is ultimately suffused with subtle light and hope. Set mostly on the shores of Lake Michigan, its concluding story, "Chances With Johnson," paints a stunning, moving word-picture of the many forms that love can take, and the surprising turns that life can make. Not every corner is treacherous and blind in Gover's fictional landscape. Around the next one, the dream of a lifetime may be barreling down on you. The collision may be of cosmological importance when it occurs. Who knows? Who can know? Anyway, be ready. It may help to close your eyes. You'll know when it happens. You can feel it all over the place. LAST WORDS: On Friday, May 5 (in celebration of Cinco de Mayo), Borders Novi and The Border Cantina (21420 Novi Road) will team up to host another Singles Night. Festivities begin at Borders at 7 p.m., with complementary chips and salsa, and mariachi music in the air. The fiesta continues at Border Cantina with food and drink specials for singles, and many giveaways.

Victoria Diaz of Livonia, a longtime member of Detroit Women Writers, tracks the books and literary industry for the Observer Newspapers. 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.

EXHIBITIONS

Send announcements *of art gallery exhibitions to: Creative Living Editor, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150; fax (810) 644-1314.*

■ AMERICAN HARVEST DISPLAY
Schoolcraft College's American Harvest Restaurant features the art work of Plymouth architect Erick Carne of Carne Associates Inc. Twenty-nine watercolors, ranging from subjects such as the Mackinac Bridge, Niagara River, Port Austin and Lake Superior are on display. The American Harvest art shows are coordinated by Schoolcraft's Institutional Advancement Office. Call 462-4417. The restaurant features gourmet specialities prepared by Schoolcraft's award-winning master chefs and culinary arts students. Call 462-4423 for reservations.

■ CANTON LIBRARY
Continuing — Three members of 3 Cities Art Club exhibit watercolor, oil and collage. Phyllis Hochlowski, Betty Manthey and Florence Constable, all residents of Plymouth, work in realism. The library is at 1200 Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill.

■ WOODWARD GALLERY
The gallery at 1357 Davis in Birmingham is the only dealer in the United States authorized to sell a limited edition series of photographs of jazz legends Miles Davis and Dizzy Gillespie. Gallery president and owner Dan Winter took the Davis photos. The Gillespie series spans this jazz great's career. Also available are original prints and paintings by more than 300 artists, including Peter Max, Karel Appel, Robert Indiana, Romare Bearden and Agam; an unusual collection of sports photos and posters; and vintage photos and newspaper articles. Call (810) 642-1357.

■ GALLERY: FUNCTIONART
"The Spirit of CCS," the first in the gallery's Design School Exhibition series, continues. The show features works by Matthew Norris, Gonzalo Rodriguez, Dave Gillespie, Jeff Tilley, Jessica Ingolia, Jason Coffer, Greg Hanson and Vincent Tingler. The gallery is at 23-B W. Lawrence in Pontiac. Call (810) 333-0333.

■ DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
To July 31 — "An Evolution of 20th Century Sculpture" continues at 5200 Woodward. The exhibit traces formal and thematic development in sculpture with American and European works from the permanent collection. Call (313) 833-7900.

■ INSTITUTE FOR THE HUMANITIES
Through October 1995 — A faculty exhibit features a variety of two- and three-dimensional works by the faculty of the University of Michigan School of Art. The institute is in Room 1524 of the Horace Rackham Building, 915 E. Washington in Ann Arbor. Call (313) 763-4438.

■ 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.

■ BRIDGE STREET GALLERY
The recently opened gallery features Alaskan art and designer glass. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 208 N. Bridge, Linden, (810) 735-1393.

■ 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. It is at 300 River Place, Jos. Campau at Guoin in Detroit. Call 259-8345 for general information, 886-1623 for groups and parties.

■ PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY GALLERY
The gallery features the local talent of Michigan Glass Guild members displaying blown, fused and flat glass sculpture, decorative and architectural items. 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) 332-6619.

■ 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.

Mother's Day brunch planned

The fourth annual Mother's Day Brunch at the Detroit Institute of Arts will take place 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, May 14, at 5200 Woodward.

Tickets, which include tax and tip, must be bought in advance. Cost is $18 for DIA members, $21 for non-members, $7.50 for children ages 5-10, free for children under 5. Call (313) 833-2323.

Tickets include a full brunch buffet of eggs, potatoes, sausage, breakfast breads, orange juice, coffee, tea, milk, assorted luncheon salads, chicken breast with wild rice and beef stroganoff; admission to the DIA; docent-guided tours 1 and 2:30 p.m.; and a special performance by actress Robin Lane in "Artful Lives: Portraits of Women Artists" 1 p.m. in the auditorium.

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REAL ESTATE News

Mix of loan options awaits home buyers

BY JANICE TIGAR-KRAMER
SPECIAL WRITER

There's only one way to skin a cat, but about 100 ways to obtain financing for a new or used home these days, according Shore Mortgage, a Birmingham mortgage broker that specializes in niche buyer products.

"The best news is there are more plans with lower downpayments available than ever before," said Jeff Jannett, Shore Mortgage loan officer.

That's especially good news for first-time home buyers who often have trouble accumulating a downpayment. Many mortgages now available to qualified buyers require only 3 to 5 percent down. Also, mortgages for investment property can be found for as little as 10 percent down instead of the standard downpayment of 35 percent, said Jannett.

More financing options also is good news for single home buyers, who may not have a substantial credit history, and for the self-employed, whose income often fluctuates from year to year.

The No Income Verification loan, a popular mortgage for the self-employed, doesn't require buyers to submit annual tax returns. The tradeoff is that borrowers need an excellent credit rating and at least a 20 percent downpayment.

"Financing like this has been available before, but the new mortgages have been modified," said Jannett.

Many lenders are becoming more lenient about approving loans for buyers who don't meet the standard 28/36 debt-to-income ratio. Lenders may allow a higher ratio of debt after looking at the applicant's savings pattern, credit history and earnings potential.

"The thing to remember is nothing is set in stone. Strong credit can offset a high debt ratio," said Jannett.

Mortgage interest rates have climbed some in the past year, but there still are enhancement programs to make home ownership affordable for first-time and repeat buyers.

The Michigan Credit Certificate offers qualified buyers a generous tax credit. The certificate can be used with any mortgage, but the home must be $80,000 or less and family income can't exceed $47,000. Also, applicants must not have owned a home for the past three years. The certificate allows buyers to deduct 20 percent of their monthly mortgage interest on their annual state tax return. For example, if monthly interest is $600, the homeowner deducts $120 a month ($600 times .20) times 12 months, or $1,440 a year. To qualify for a mortgage, lenders also will subtract the anticipated tax credit from the applicant's debt column, so the buyer often can qualify for more house. The interest rate is similar to the FHA rate.

"This sort of program can put some buyers over the hump," said Jannett.

Community Home Buyer programs for first-time buyers require 3 to 5 percent down (3 percent if the seller agrees to pay 2 percent) and the debt ratio is generally higher, said Jannett. To qualify, buyers are required to read material about home buying. There is a maximum loan amount and the interest rate is about one-eighth percent higher than the conventional rate.

There's also a No Doc mortgage for buyers with a big debt but lots of cash on hand. All the borrower needs is a credit report, home appraisal and 40 percent down.

The application fee for most Shore Mortgage loans runs $99 to $298 and can be rolled into the loan amount, said Jannett. Some loans are available with no closing fees.

Bill Yaw, senior vice president for Troy-based Standard Federal Bank, said every bank has a loan program that can be tailored to almost any borrower's needs.

Standard Federal's free Community Home Buyer programs run several times a month throughout Metro Detroit, northern Indiana and northern Ohio. Bank representatives discuss mortgage options and advise potential buyers how to repair their credit.

"It's important to be credit worthy," said Yaw. "But typically a (credit) discrepancy comes down to just one issue."

Deeds can be amended; know transfer tax limits

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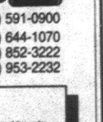

ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q I would like to know if a master deed for a condominium dated 1972 can be amended and changed. How much work would this entail, what would the approximate cost be, and what percentage of residents would be needed to initiate such action?

A A master deed for a condominium dated 1972 can be amended and changed, depending on what portion of the master deed you wish to amend, i.e., the master deed proper itself, the condominium bylaws, and/or the condominium subdivision plan. The requisite percentage necessary to amend the documents would be dependent upon that part of the master deed required to be changed.

Another question that would no doubt be raised is whether 1978 condominium act amendments that provide for amendments to the master deed upon the obtaining of two-thirds of the co-owners and mortgagees would be applicable to a condominium project existing prior to 1978. This entails a fairly esoteric legal interpretation of the condominium statute, which was passed in 1978, and amendments to it, which were somewhat inartfully drafted as related to the original condominium act.

As to the approximate cost, it would, of course, depend upon the amount of work that was involved, but our firm normally provides a flat fee for the initial draft of the condominium documents with changes to the draft and other matters incident to the amendment process being charged on an hourly basis.

As to what percentage of residents that would be necessary to initiate such action, normally, the board of directors initiates the action to amend the documents. However, if the co-owners have the authority to petition the directors to call a special meeting to take certain action, the bylaws usually provide for such an undertaking requiring at least a petition of one-third of the co-owners.

You may wish to consult with a condominium attorney who is specialized in this area to assist you in your endeavors.

Q How might I avoid the additional costs under the transfer tax when purchasing land and constructing on it?

A It is a good idea to separate the land from the structure for deed purposes. Make the land sale a written subject to the execution of a building contract and the building contract subject to the purchase of the land. Obviously, you want to structure the deal so that the owner purchases the land first and then hires a builder.

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Dorfman

Michael R. Dorfman of West Bloomfield has joined **Friedman Real Estate Group,** a commercial real estate firm located at 32300 Northwestern, Farmington Hills. He'll focus on the Bloomfield Hills/Birmingham area. Dorfman had worked for WJR Radio, Detroit.

■ TOP AGENT

Dianne Garwood, a sales associate in the Troy/Birmingham office of **Jack Christenson Inc. Realtors**, is the agency's top seller and listor for January.

Leslie Lievens and Pamela Vincil have joined the firm's East Troy office as sales associates. Lievens is a lifelong Oakland and Macomb County resident. Vincil worked in the real estate industry for more than six years before becoming a sales agent.

■ NEW AGENT

Pat Rice has joined **Century 21 West,** 24277 Novi Road, Novi, as a sales associate. She has more than nine years of real estate experience and belongs to Century 21's Masters Emerald Club. She has the GRI and VIP (relocation specialist) designations.

■ LEADERSHIP AWARD

Alice McIntyre, associate broker for **Real Estate One,** Bloomfield Hills, was awarded the Leadership Training Graduate (LTG) designation at the Women's Council of Realtors mid-winter meeting in Orlando. Realtors must demonstrate a high degree of day-to-day leadership to qualify for LTG course work.

To earn this designation, McIntyre passed four required courses, earned elective credits that involved participation at the local, state and national level, and completed an oral interview.

— Janice Tigar-Kramer, special writer

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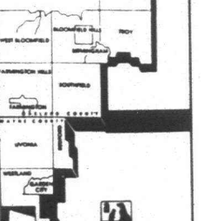

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BEVERLY HILLS OPEN SUN. 1-4 19940 DUNBLAINE 5/14 Mile, W/Southfield Three bedroom ranch, with many improvements. Kitchen w/oak cabinets, dinin-ave range & ceramic floor 12x8 Florida room w/picture windows & ceramic floor. Basement w/full bath, 2 car garage. $154,500. 642-2400 COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

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Farmington Hills Open Sun. 1:30-4:30 29275 Drake Rd. COUNTRY CHARM AND A 6 CAR GARAGE! Enchanting prarie style home with sweeping veranda porch. First floor master jacuzzi. Cherry kitchen lot, total quality throughout $348,500. Call Karen Remy at 810-309-5455 or 810-644-4700 - REAL ESTATE ONE

GREEN OAK TWP. OPEN SAT. & SUN. 1:30-5pm 10036 PEMBROOKE S. of 10 Mile, W. of Pontiac Trail, E. of Rushton Super contemporary colonial on 135x260 lot with walk-out basement, cedar deck, built-in pool. 4 bedrooms, 3½ baths, central air, 28x26 side entrance garage, first floor laundry, in-ground sprinklers, very well decorated, many more features. CALL BEN DENNY THE MICHIGAN GROUP 100 (313) 459-3600

HAMBURG TWP 4402 High Vista Open House - Sat-Sun, 1-4pm NEW CONSTRUCTION By G & A Custom Homes 2450 sq.ft., 1½ story on 1.4 acre lot. 1st floor laundry, 2½ baths, 4 bedrooms & much more. 10 Miles to US 23 or I-96. Brighton area schools. Take I-96 to Spencer Rd. West thru Brighton to Chilson Rd. South on Chilson to High Vista. Call Dale Bauser: (313)747-7500 Snyder & Co. Realtors

LATHRUP VILLAGE - (By owner) Open Sunday (1-5). 2200 sq. ft. 4 bedroom colonial. Must see to appreciate condition. Many up-grades. 27530 Sunset East, (E. of Southfield, S. of 12 Mi) $159,000. (810) 557-0729

LIVONIA, Open. Sat & Sun, 1-5. Country ranch on 3/4 acre lot. 1 bedroom, 1½ bath, great room with brick fireplace, 3840 John Dr., E of 275 & S of 8 Mile. $155,000. (810) 477-2865

LIVONIA - Open Sun. 1-4pm. Completely remodeled, 1900 sqft., 3 bedroom, 1½ baths, 2 car garage. 28707 Lyndon, S of 5 mile E of Middlebelt. Must see!

LYON TWP. OPEN SUN., 1-5 PM A beautifully landscaped 3 bedroom ranch on a private lot in a family neighborhood. 2 baths, 2 car attached garage, hardwood floors, fireplace. $139,900. (810) 437-6383

NEW LISTING!!! OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 1224 Robson - Bloomfield NiLong Lake & Wixom. Sprawling brick ranch on 1 acre park-like lot. 3 Bedrooms, 2½ baths, fantastic kitchen, hardwood floors, 2 fireplaces. Immaculate condition! $239,000. Call: Barb Schultz (810) 855-2000 x-202 Century 21 Today

OPEN SAT. SUN., 12-5 PM 1211 STERLING DRIVE Lyon Twp. 1700 sq.ft. colonial in a family subdivision. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, alarm, central vac, 2 car garage, privacy deck, many extras. $173,900. Immediate occupancy. (810) 486-1008

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 Gorgeous contemporary ranch. Designer kitchen, 2 fireplaces, first floor master suite, great room with fireplace, finished walk-out lower level, wraparound deck, professionally landscaped lot. $369,800. 453-6700 COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

OPEN SUNDAY 2-5 25410 Liberty Lane, Farmington Hills

INDEPENDENCE COMMONS - a place to call home. Trails, tennis courts, basketball, something for everyone. Affordable 4 bedroom, 2½ bath home with full brick wall fireplace in family room and large country kitchen, is waiting to call you home! Call LINDA RAMSAY for more information. (810) 870-2580 COLDWELL BANKER

OPEN SUN., MAY 7, 1-4PM HARTLAND SCHOOLS! "Sterling Pointe" 1.5 story home w/excellent floor plan & gorgeous overlooking the countryside. Spacious w/1846 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 1st floor laundry, dramatic great room w/fireplace, 1st floor master bedroom w/9' ceilings & extra windows ideal for future finishing, 2 car garage & 2.5 acre wooded site. Located off of easy access to US-23. $194,900. Take US-23 N. or Clyde Rd. to W. on Parshallville Rd. follow open signs to 7538 Ledgewood ENGLAND REAL ESTATE (810) 474-4530

OPEN SUN. 12-3pm 1780 BEAUTIFUL HOME! Large rooms, 2 full baths, finished basement with bar & family room. Must see. $124,900. (7715). Remerica PICKERING & ASSOC. (313) 458-4900

ORCHARD LAKE RD. & 12 Mile area. Exceptional country living on one acre. Full basement & much more. $279,900. Directions: North of 12 Mile & East of Orchard Lake Rd. (Dupont Tire) Building 15 ERA Layson (313) 437-3800

Pinckney OPEN SUN. 1-4 8811 Joyce Drive (M-36 to D-19, N. to Rush Lake, E. to Joey Drive) 1628 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, family room with fireplace & den/office, in/out sprinkling system, 2.2 acres mol. or less. $149,900. (CO69950) COLDWELL BANKER Brighton Area Country

PLYMOUTH TWP OPEN SAT. & SUN. 1-4PM DON'T MISS THIS all brick (maintenance free) 3 bedroom ranch. Open floor plan, family room with fireplace, 1st floor laundry, finished basement, 2 car garage. $127,500. Easy access to expressways, schools. Call GERT MARY or KATHY THE MICHIGAN GROUP 100 (313) 459-3600

ROCHESTER HILLS OPEN SAT. & SUN. 2-5 180 NEVADA W/Walton, E/Adams Charming ranch on 100x250 landscaped lot. Quality of cove ceilings, hardwood and many updates. Basement and garage. Hurry!! $124,900. COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

ROYAL OAK OPEN SUNDAY 2-5 2917 CARNAHAN S/Wiester, W/Crooks Brick ranch with open plan, fireplace & lots of windows! 2 baths & master has whirlpool. Courtyard entry, hardwood floors, central air & easy living with no stairs. $164,900. COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

TROY - Light, bright, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial. Fireplace. New Troy High, built 1993. $155,500. Open Sun. 12-3. 810-589-3894

TROY - OPEN SAT. 1-4 Absolutely charming 3 bedroom ranch in park-like setting. Delightful kitchen, hardwood floors, fireplace, finished basement, many updates. Hurry, offers coming in! $129,900. ROBERT WOLF CO. 810-352-6550 Pager 810-502-4749

303 Open Houses

OPEN SAT. 2-5PM 4047 W. MAPLE E. of Telegraph, S side of Maple, behind the B.A.C. 1300+ sq. feet, 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo., Pool. $98,250.

OPEN SUN., 2-5PM 4544 RANCH LANE N. of Lone Pine, E. of Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial, central air, inground pool, security & sprinkler system. $429,900. Dee Alaimo, RE/MAX In the Hills 646-5000, (Ext. 4266)

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4, 3 bedroom, 1 bath ranch, 2 car attached garage, 13161 Auburndale, S. 8 Mile & Merriman. $84,900. (313) 261-3140

OPEN SUNDAY, 1-4 19395 Inkster Between 7 & 8 Mile, West side Terrific 2 bedroom Ranch A Steal at $45,500 Don't Miss Out! Call Al REALTY WORLD Robert Olson Realtors (313) 981-4444

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 720 KENNEBEC COURT BLOOMFIELD TWP. S/Tone Pine & E/Lahser. This elegant 5 bedroom, 3½ bath home is situated on gorgeous 2 acre lot on low traffic cul-de-sac in prestigious neighborhood. Spacious rooms. Amenities +++, $699,900. Call Bea or Carol (810) 855-2000 Century 21 Today

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Fabulous 4 bedroom home in Orchard Lake comes with a boat slip on all sports Orchard Lake, gourmet kitchen, 3 full baths, Great Room with wet bar, family room with fireplace, den, 1st floor laundry, fireplace in master bedroom, jacuzzi, walk-out basement to nature lover's pond - All located on 3 beautiful pine-treed acres, 2 car attached garage, central air, zoned heat, circle drive plus more. $449,000. MICHELLE MICHAEL RE/MAX EXECUTIVE (810) 737-6800

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 6169 Country Ridge - Troy N. of Square Lake, E. of Coolidge Beautiful former model home 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, living room, dining room, family room, fireplace. Professionally landscaped & decorated. New price: $309,900 Call Demetra 879-3400, ext. 216 COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

OPEN SUNDAY 1-5 BLOOMFIELD HILLS SCHOOLS Newer 4 bedroom, 3½ bath home. Updated neutral decor, living room, dining room, family room, den, kitchen, nook, 1st floor laundry, central air 2½ car garage, full basement, deck, nice landscaping. Front views of the park area and pond. Located in the Troy's Hidden Valley Sub at the NE corner of Adams and Long Lake. Just $289,900. Immediate Occupancy! 5049 Longview 642-8686 641-1979 The Benecke Group

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320 Hartland

JUST LISTED! Beautiful 3200 sq. ft. contemporary on Dunham Lake's green belt. 9 bedrooms, 4 full baths, 2 fireplaces, centers of foyer, kitchen & conversation room. 1st floor laundry, master suite enlarged walk-in closet & door to deck, plus loft walk out sweet views, intercom system, heated 3½ car + car garage & much more! Enjoy the sandy beaches, park area & nature trails. $340,000. ENGLAND REAL ESTATE (810) 474-4530.

WALK TO DOWNTOWN HOWELL! Completely remodeled 4 bedroom, 1½ bath all brick ranch. Newer air, car garage, improvements, 91 roof, '90 windows, '93 complete wiring, '93 furnace. Other improvements too numerous to mention. Prudential Preview Properties Call Glen Peach 810-220-1471.

321 Highland

JUST LISTED! Highland Township. Attractive 1,800 sq. ft. ranch on peaceful 2.5 acre setting. Great floor plan. Full basement. Call Jim Mitchell at 313-632-7427 or Jim Wrieden at 313-887-8473. Laundry, deck off dining area for entertaining. Attached 2 car garage. $194,500. ENGLAND REAL ESTATE (810) 474-4530.

325 Livonia

★ BEAUTY ★ LIVONIA

Open Sun., 1-4

Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch, updated oak kitchen, newer roof, w/fireplace, family room, newer furnace & central air, basement & car garage! $123 W. Chicago, S of Plymouth Rd. Motivated seller.

Rachel & Susan Ron
RE/MAX 100 (313) 455-6789

ABSOLUTE BARGAIN
CALL DAN MULLAN
Just listed! Half acre treed private setting. Ranch features 3 bedrooms, 1½ bath, family room, fireplace in living room, family room off kitchen and attached garage. Priced at $ 6,300 under SEV to reflect need for TLC. Rare! Call at (810) 591-3500.
MAYFAIR REALTY, 522-8000

Alluring Homes

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This 3 bedroom Colonial features 2 car garage, central air, first floor laundry, new kitchen counters, new double sink counters in 2nd bath, huge master bedroom. Definitely a must see! $127,900.

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Central Livonia - 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, family room fireplace basement. Priced at $153,700.

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4 Bedroom Colonial, newer kitchen, family room, formal dining room, finished basement, den, central air, alarm & sprinkler. This home has it all! A must see! $209,900.

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AWARD WINNING OFFICE
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BY OWNER
Rosedale Sub. - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2½ car garage. Newer furnace, air, carpet & windows. $99,500. Call for appointment. (313) 422-5681. No Brokers Please.

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1st offering, 2 bedroom ranch on large lot features new kitchen, attached garage, updated kitchen and much more. Asking $67,900. Never Listings Lasting!

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CENTURY 21
ROW
(313) 464-7111

COVENTRY GARDENS
Open Sun., 1-5
Clarenz 3 bedroom brick ranch on wooded double lot. New kitchen, fireplace & family room. Priced at $141,900. By appt. (313) 421-6125.

DON'T DELAY!
See this freshly painted 3 bedroom brick ranch ASAP. Situated nicely on a beautiful ½ acre lot. Features 2½ car attached garage. Priced right to sell at just $97,500.

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GREAT BUY!

LIVONIA (By Owner) Open Houses May 7 12-6pm; 5667 Hubbard - 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, all brick, fireplace, 1st floor laundry. $125,900.

MAINTENANCE FREE 1600 sq.ft. 3 bedroom 2½ bath brick w/attached 2 car garage. Many extras. $164,900. (810) 474-2331.

MINT CONDITION 3 bedroom brick ranch on quiet street. Beautiful landscaped pool with updated kitchen and bath. Many extras. Must see. $118,900. Must see! $118,900. | Stock S. of Ann Arbor Trail, W. of Sheldon.

NEW LISTING. Nothing to do but move into this amazing clean 3 bedroom ranch with fireplace and bath. $134,900. 862CE.

CUSTOM COLONIAL
Beautiful custom home with 4 bedrooms, 2.5 bath, extra large master suite, 1st floor laundry, many extras and custom features throughout. Attached garage and more. $219,900. 858ef

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326 Milford

JUST LISTED. Historical home in the village of Milford! Over 1,900 sq.ft. finished. 2 full baths, 1st floor laundry, newer kitchen, windows & baths. Michigan basement, shed & garage. Many more extras! Asking $118,700. 644GR

MILFORD newer 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch w/cedar/cedar exterior. Finished basement w/family room, wet bar, screened porch, hardwood floors, security, interior! Newer roof, furnace, A/C. Asking $129,900. Call Esther Baxter 810-349-8222.

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TURN OF THE CENTURY
COLONIAL Charming 2 Bths from downtown. Northville / Walk to schools. Original Spacious country kitchen overlooks custom deck and backyard. Gorgeous grounds huge fieldstone porch. $171,700

CENTURY 21
HARTFORD SOUTH
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326 Milford

BY OWNER, 1992 colonial, 4 bedroom/2½ bath, 2000 sq ft. plus finished walk out basement. Family neighborhood within village. $184,900. (810) 684-0724

326 Milford

NEW CONSTRUCTION IN NOVI! 18 month warranty, first floor master, city water, city sewer, very private, many other extras $258,000
810-347-1975 or 810-229-2085

Novi
FRIENDS ON THE MOVE
Joint Open House Sun 12-5
Beautiful 3 bedroom 2254 sq. ft. Asking $198,900
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NEW CONSTRUCTION
Novi
OPEN SUN. 1-4
137 WAINWRIGHT - beautiful brick colonial, lake privileges, central air, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, head yard & garage. Lot large & private. $198,900. MLS#618
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NOVI SCHOOLS $239,500
Spacious 4 bedroom colonial w/2 story living room, family room, w/wetbar & fireplace, plus kitchen w/breakfast nook, master suite, huge deck, central air, extras! 810-348-8152

2833 sq.ft. NEW CONSTRUCTION 2 story entry, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths in Novi. Backs to park & pond. 60 x 160 lot. MLS#618 $272,900
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327 Orion Twn./ Lk. Orion/Oxford

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333 Pinckney

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$116,900
Cape on 2 Acres
4 Bedrooms/2 Baths
Enclosed Porch
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PINCKNEY
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Horse Farm/10 Acres
Elegant Country Ranch
Pond/Paddocks
18 Stall Horse Barn
Indoor & Outdoor Training
Excellent Business Potential
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334 Plymouth

A CASTLE IN
THE COUNTRY
Beautiful French Provincial approximately 2.5 acres, 5 bedroom, 2 master, 4.5 baths, 3 fireplaces, 3 car garage, large barn, deck and amenities galore! $698,000. 665PO

ORIGINAL OWNER
This 4 bedroom, 1.5 bath maintenance free home has been meticulously maintained and it shows. Large yard, 2.5 car garage and a great price! Plymouth sub $118,700 444GR

PLYMOUTH
UNDER $90,000
Charming 2 bedroom starter, neutral decor throughout, great yard, deep treed lot, 1 car garage located in desirable area close to shops, parks and schools. $88,900. 390JU

NEW ON MARKET
In town 3 bedroom ranch, large family needing double accommodations. Central air, updated kitchen, finished basement, large garage $ 95,900. MLS#618
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BRAND NEW
Custom built 4 bedroom 2½ bath offers formal living room/dining room, white bay cathedral ceiling, gas log fireplace, master suite with walk-in, side entry garage & full basement. All for only $202,550. Ready 6-30-95.

REMERICA
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329 Novi

CHARMING - Nov. 3 bedroom ranch, 1750 sq. ft., fireplace, 2½ baths, & cathedral ceiling. $184,000. Call 810-347-1708 or 810-348-1150

MYSTIC FOREST
New Residential homes ranging from $240,000 to $287,000.
Spec. homes are available.
A.J. Vanoyen Builders, Inc.
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329 Novi

NEW CONSTRUCTION IN NOVI!
Prospective buyers of Unit #2 June. Great floor plan that includes a kitchen with a skylight, and a full basement. Many options and colors. Priced right at $76,500.

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331 Orion Twn./ Lk. Orion/Oxford

HISTORIC
OPPORTUNITY
Vintage 1915 colonial is well sited on 2 acres in Historic Village of Oxford. Wonderful garage. Quiet setting, location offers privacy convenience and plenty of room to roam. Priced at $129,900.

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331 Orion Twn./ Lk. Orion/Oxford

HEART OF
PLYMOUTH
This 2 bedroom ranch beauty awaits a lucky buyer, finished basement, 1½ baths, sprinkler system, updates include furnace, A/C, roof & extra wide driveway. Appliances included. Central air & garage. Great location to living room, hardwood floors, minor cosmetics needed. $104,900.

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2 HOMES ON
2 ACRES
Unique 2,800 sq.ft. ranch w/loft on 2 acres. Massive great room with full wall stone fireplace. Lovely master suite overlooking inground pool & private yard. Vaulted ceilings, 1st floor laundry, 3 car garage, 2nd home w/1,000 sq.ft. $ 299,900.

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NEWER COLONIAL - 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, finished basement, dining room, eat-in kitchen, 2 car garage, deck, great neighborhood. $119,900.

(313) 455-6275

OPEN HOUSE SUN 1-3, attractive, 3 bedroom colonial, newer furnace, central air, windows. 10033 Eckles $131,900. (313) 455-4312

OPEN SUN 1-4pm. Custom brick colonial, 4 bedrooms, 2½ bath, 2 car garage, many extras. $189,900. 313-451-0216

PLYMOUTH OPEN SUN 1-4
10875 BROOKWOOD - nestled, wooded setting, beautiful contemporary 2 story on a cul de sac neighborhood. Great open living, light kitchen and wood windows! Vaulted ceiling in living room, first floor bedroom, sun room. Priced at $208,850 Offered by SYLVIA KEOUGH, CR, Coldwell Banker Preferred Realtors, 416-1233. S. of Ann Arbor Trail, W. of Sheldon.

334 Plymouth

★ PLYMOUTH TWP
Model Home

Immediate Occupancy
Fantastic custom design Cape Cod. 1,700 sq. ft. 3 bedroom, formal dining room, vaulted ceilings, special exteriors, special interior appointments, central air, FULLY LANDSCAPED, sprinkler system, move in condition, executive subdivision.

CALL BOB GERICH
453-1900
THE MICHIGAN GROUP 100

POPULAR
TRAILWOOD
Lovely home situated on professionally landscaped lot! 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths & remodeled spacious kitchen, finished basement, newer central air & roof. Above ground pool w/deck. Home warranty too! $199,900.

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PREMIUM
LOCATION
4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial. Country kitchen w/beautiful Amish style cabinets, 1st floor laundry. Library could also be a dining room or family room, basement finished with rec area & office. Hardwood floors upstairs, 99% efficiency furnace 97% efficient, new roof, well maintained home. $184,900.

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RANCH - 3 bedrooms, air conditioning, family room, 2 car garage, sprinkling. Easy access to I-275. $116,000. (313) 455-2713

STUNNING COLONIAL 39639 MAYVILLE, vinyl windows, new kitchen, new furnace & central air $148,900.

334 Plymouth

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Beautiful 2,500 sq.ft. quad. Almost 5 acres w/one acre stocked pond, 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, 2 fireplaces, 2 baths, large family room w/wetbar & full brick fireplace. Game room/sun room on entry level & more! $229,900. (77466)

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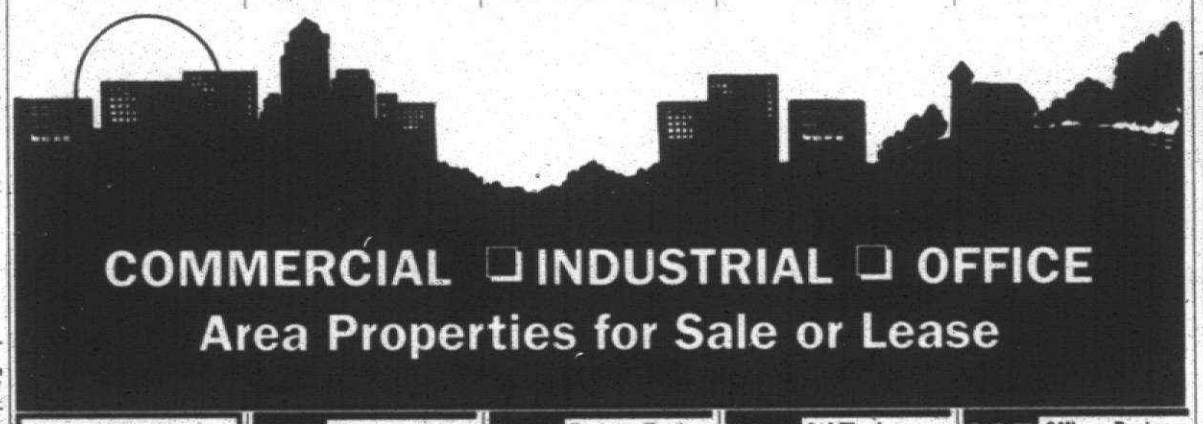

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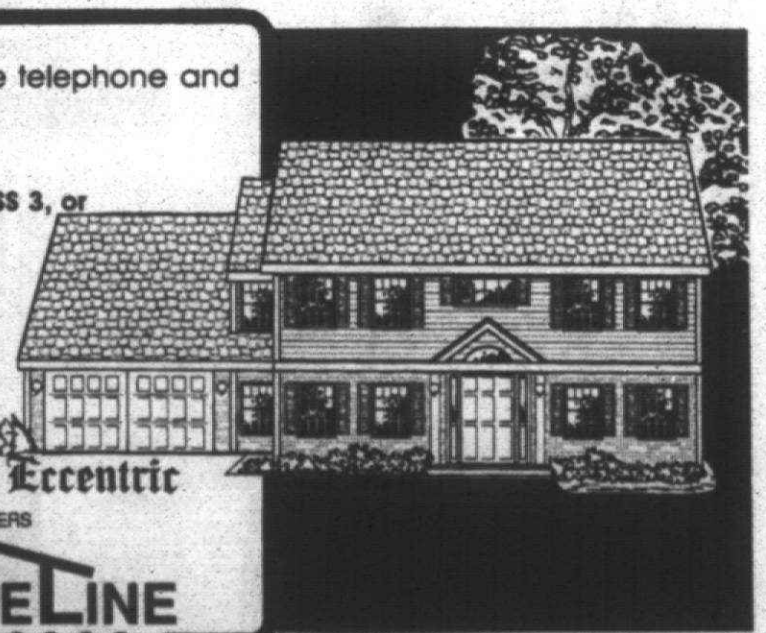

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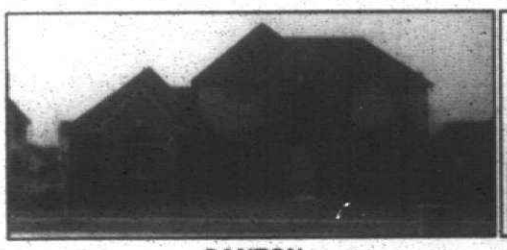

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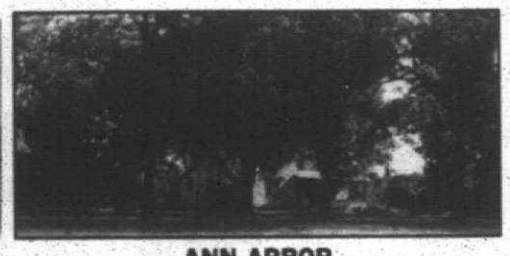

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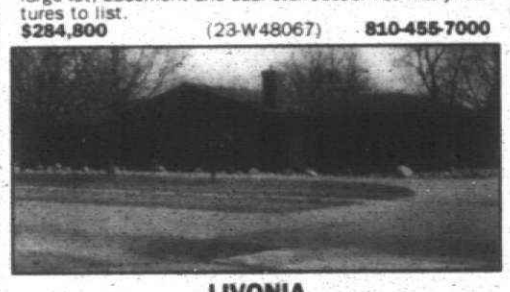

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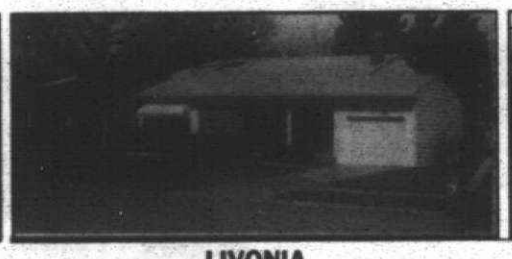
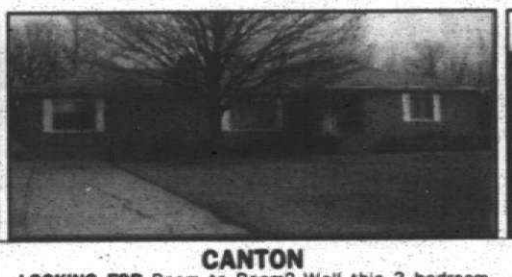


LIVONIA
SECLUDED SUB. Beautiful brick on large lot. Upper level has three bedrooms & full bath with skylight. Family room with walk-out and half bath on lower level. Basement & garage.
$124,900 (R29620) **313-261-0700**



CANTON
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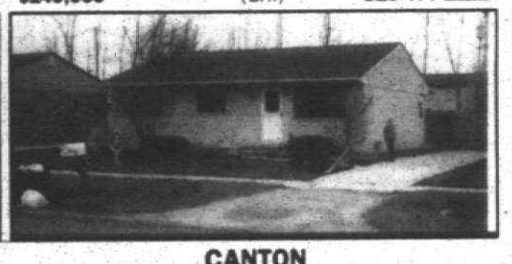

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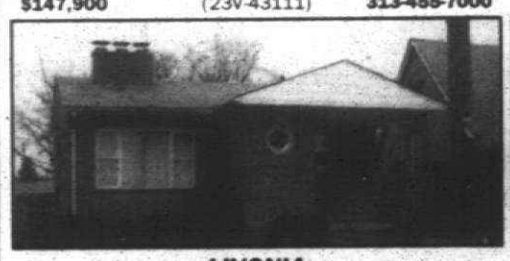

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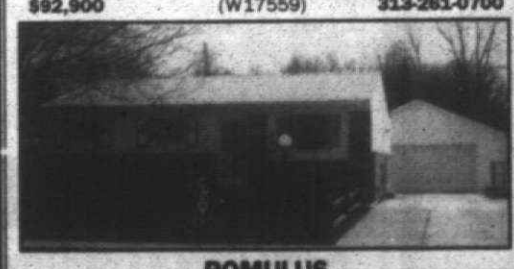

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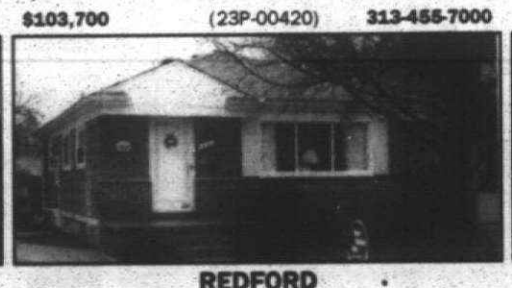

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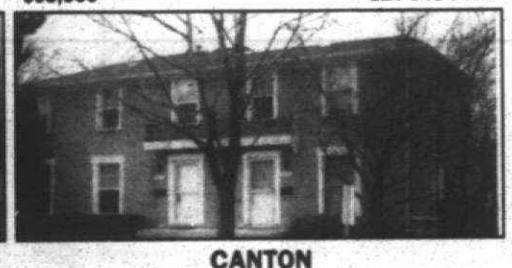

CANTON
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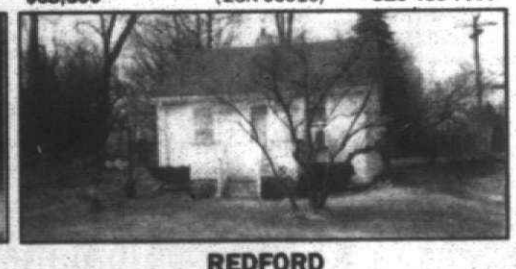

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Interested candidates should send resume and salary requirements to:
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Attn: Michelle Ferry
HR Representative
17187 N. Laurel Park Dr., #434
Livonia, MI 48152
Fax: (313) 953-4500

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BOOKKEEPER - Experienced, full time. Knowledge of word processor helpful, for busy spa. Birmingham/ Southfield area. 1-800-321-6860

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Fax 810-489-4330

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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.*


Merlino

Ronald A. Merlino of Livonia was appointed president and chief operating officer of Karmazin Products Corp. in Wyandotte. Merlino had been vice president of operations for a division of Unisys Corp. He has more than 20 years of experience in general management of single- and multiple-plant operations.


Morrison

William Morrison of Ideal Underwriters in Livonia won the Aschom Education Award from the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents. The award recognizes an agent who has made outstanding contributions to the education and professionalism of the Insurance industry.


Azur

Susan C. Azar was promoted to marketing director of Laurel Park Place Retail and Office Complex in Livonia. Azar had been assistant marketing director since joining Schostak Brothers and Co. Inc. in March 1994.


Olson

Gary Olson of Westland was named general manager of floral services for English Gardens. Before joining English Gardens, Olson was a business management consultant for floral operations with Management Services in Warren, Pa. He also was chief executive officer and president of Girton's Flowers & Gifts, also in Warren.

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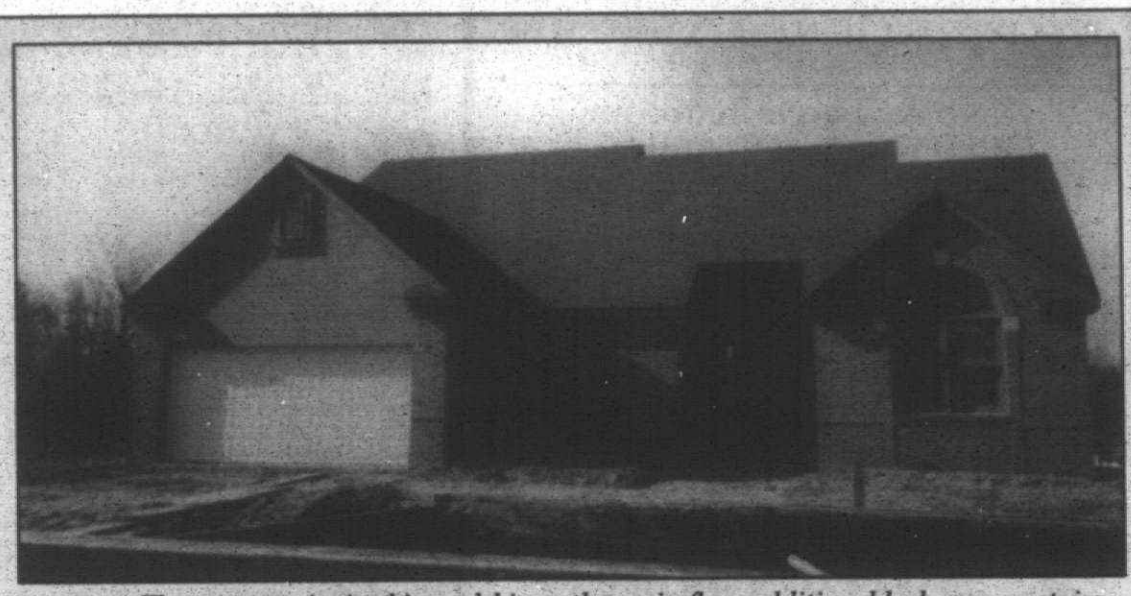
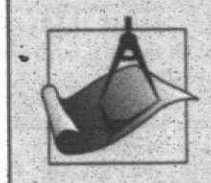
4-bdrm houses sell well

■ Buyers of new houses in Troy generally like to stay with bread-and-butter basics. Two builders aim to please by offering prospects traditional floor plans with plenty of bedroom space at Edenderry.


Briarcrest: *The master suite in this model is on the main floor, additional bedrooms upstairs.*

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER



Four-bedroom houses, especially colonials, are popular in Troy.

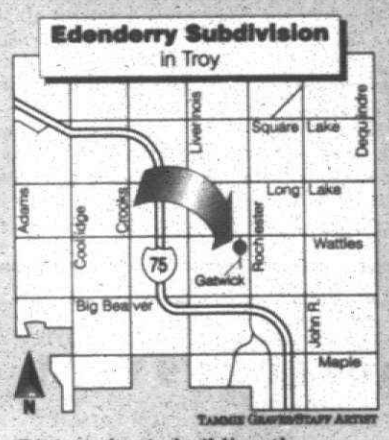
That's why the two builders in Edenderry Subdivision off Wattles just west of Rochester Road provide several floor plans offering just that layout to prospective buyers.

"People want them even if they don't use them," said Josephine Chirco, sales representative for Divine Homes of Macomb. "I get a lot of different ethnic backgrounds. Some have a lot of out-of-town guests and need bedrooms.

"Others want room to grow as a family," Chirco added. "And resale value."

"Most live in Troy already and don't want to change schools," said Maurice Gennari, president of Chateau Custom Built Homes in Troy. "All want four bedrooms today."

Divine Homes and Chateau Homes have 25 and nine lots, respectively, on the wooded site developed by Biltmore of Troy.



TAMMIE GRAVES/STAFF ARTIST

Divine also is building the same floor plans in Heritage Place directly across Wattles.

The subdivision, served by city water and sewers, will have sidewalks.

"Everything is close," said Louie Chirco, project manager for Divine and Josephine's brother. "It's close to all major freeways. That's what sells it. Besides, the school system (Troy) is fantastic here."

Divine offers eight plans ranging from a 2,120-square-foot two story with three bedrooms and 2½ baths for $217,900 to a 2,850-square-foot colonial with four bedrooms and 2½ baths for $253,900.

All plans include at base price masonry fireplace, range and dishwasher, two-car garage, first-floor laundry, basement, recessed lighting and crown moldings.

Exteriors are brick and wood siding.

Two Divine models under construction in Heritage Place, along with all floor plans available there, can be built in Edenderry.

The Heritage, 2,800 square feet, has a living room that flows to a dining room, library, kitchen/eating nook and family room on the main level.

All four bedrooms are upstairs. The master has a separate tub and shower, dual-sink vanity, a pair of walk-in closets and cathedral ceiling.

Base price is $249,900.

The Briarcrest, 2,400 square feet, places the master suite containing the same basic elements as the Heritage except one larger walk-in closet instead of two, on the main floor.

The family room with cathedral ceiling, kitchen/eating nook and library also are on the main level.

Two bedrooms, each with a walk-in closet, share a full bath upstairs.

Price is $246,900.

Chateau offers four plans ranging from a 2,500-square-foot story and a half with four bedrooms and 2½ baths for $224,900 to a 2,900-square-foot colonial with four bedrooms and 2½ baths for $246,000.

Standard features in all plans include prefab fireplace, dishwasher, two-car garage, first-floor laundry, basement and oak railing.

Because he has just seven lots in Edenderry, Gennari said he doesn't plan to build on-site models. But two of his more popular are available for inspection at other building sites in Sterling Heights and Fraser.

The Elizabeth, a 2,900-square-foot colonial priced at $246,000, shows all four bedrooms and two full baths upstairs. The master provides a separate tub and shower, walk-in closet and cathedral ceiling.

The main floor features a living room, dining room, study, kitchen/eating nook and family room with pan ceiling.

The Diana, a 2,500-square-foot story and a half priced at $227,900,

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Restaurant rescuer named exec of the year

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INSIGHT &

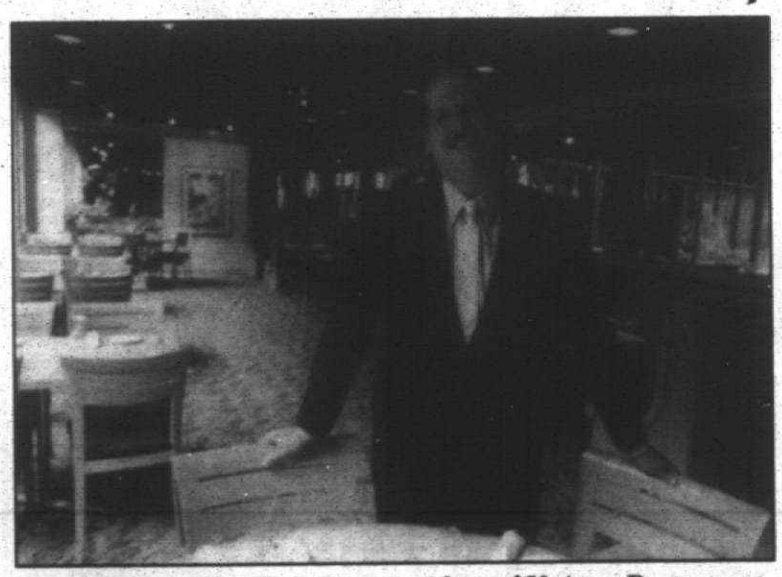
BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Matt Prentice, who started off in the hospitality business as a dishwasher at the age of 12, now owns 10 restaurants, a catering operation and a produce supply company.

His Unique Restaurant Corp., headquartered in Bingham Farms, employs 700 people and last year recorded sales of $26.5 million.

Prentice, a 36-year-old West Bloomfield resident, has been selected Retail Executive of the Year by Oakland Executives Association, a professional and business networking organization.

Nominees were evaluated on business leadership, financial performance and community contribution.


Ace executive: *Matt Prentice, president of Unique Restuarant Corp., was selected Retail Executive of the Year by Oakland Executives Association.*

"We're scavengers," Prentice said. "We take over failed properties. Every restaurant we have was either in bankruptcy or almost there."

The current lineup includes Morels in Bingham Farms, Plaza Deli in Southfield, Tavern on 13 in Birmingham and Sebastian's Grill and la Cuisine Jardin in Troy.

Following are edited excerpts from a recent interview with Prentice.

What is your role as president?

Prentice: Now, my role, this is pretty new, I'm pretty much in a CEO capacity. Rarely now do I operate a unit (restaurant) on a daily basis. However, there are times when we get busy I'll go run a party.

What is a typical day?

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situates the master with separate tub and shower, dual-sink vanity and walk-in closet on the first floor.

A library, great room and kitchen/nook are fitted into the main level.

Two bedrooms upstairs share a full bath. A third upstairs bedroom is optional.

The property tax rate for a house in Edenderry is now about $37.10 per $1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value. That means the owner of a $246,000 house in the sub would pay about $4,500 annually.

Diane and Tom Lasek, along with daughters Chrissy, Amanda and Angela, will have Gennari build a split level with the master on the main level and three bedrooms upstairs.

"I've lived in Troy 17 years," Diane said. "Obviously, we like the area. We're very pleased with the schools. We're close to I-75, shopping."

Edenderry is near to where the family now lives, she added.

"It offers everything I'm looking for — a very big great room, nice kitchen area . . . openness, very roomy," Diane said of the floor plan.

Divine Homes sales office, (810) 689-5566, across the street from Edenderry in Heritage Place Subdivision, is open noon-6 p.m. daily, closed Thursdays.

Chateau Custom Built Homes may be contacted at (810) 879-7737.

Exec *from page 1F*

Prentice: Every day is different.

Usually I leave the house at six thirty. Sometimes, I'll start by checking out a couple restaurants. Most times, I'll come here (office) and get done what needs to be done. A lot of financial review.

Our corporate staff is getting larger, and I very much have an open-door policy. Sometimes, it almost seems like they're lined up out here and I feel like a Godfather at a daughter's wedding.

I get comment cards. We're always doing a service review. I read every single one. If there's a problem, I want to know about it. If it's something negative, I'll write them (customers) a letter. That surprises them.

If I'm really out doing units, I will hit all 10 in one day. I do that at least once a week. Friday and Saturday are really big.

How would you describe your management style?

Prentice: I'm pretty good at delegating, but it took me a long time to learn how. When you run a company with 700 employees, you have to. I bought my first restaurant at 21. Almost everything I learned, I learned from mistakes.

■ 'I love what I do. The only downfall is there's not enough time for my family. Thank God my wife's very patient.'

Matt Prentice, owner
Unique Restaurant Corp.

I knew how to cook. I got that interest from my mother. But I never worked for a well-managed restaurant.

I will allow people to take on as much as they feel they can handle, but at the same time, I will hold them accountable.

What are the keys to running a successful restaurant?

Prentice: As far as service goes, our employees are taught customer satisfaction regardless of cost. They are all empowered to do whatever it takes to make a customer happy. There's no limit to that.

I teach a service seminar to all my employees. It's about an hour and a half. I don't preach as much as I tell stories.

You have to have good food, obviously.

The third part is the price/value relationship. We don't have an expensive restaurant. You can go to Morels, one of the city's best restaurants, and get a wonderful dinner for $9.95, $10.95.

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What's the most enjoyable part of your work?

Prentice: Several things.

When you have a bride come up to you after a wedding who said it was everything she dreamed it would be.

When we do monthly feast dinners and walking through the dining room people are blown-away speechless because everything is so incredible.

Watching a young manager blossom. Writing a distribution check to a managing partner.

What about the down side?

Prentice: Our biggest challenge is getting and training people. But I think that's pretty much every business's problem.

I love what I do. The only downfall is there's not enough time for my family — children Rachael, 9, Michael, 7, Jessica, 5, and Amanda, 3. Lisa is my wife. Thank God she's very patient.

I'm getting better at making time. I work hard and I play hard. I love to (snow) ski. I play golf, but I'm not very good at it. I don't have that much free time.

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Exec association honors more top executives

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Eric Mittelstadt, president and chief executive officer for Fanuc Robotics in Auburn Hills, and Dennis M. King, CEO for Harley Ellington Design in Southfield, also have been recognized for outstanding achievement by Oakland Executives Association.

Mittelstadt, 59, a Bloomfield Hills resident, has been chosen Manufacturing Executive of the Year. King, 48, who lives in Huntington Woods, is Service Executive of the Year.

Mittelstadt, who earned a mechanical engineering degree from General Motors Institute and a master's in business administration from Wayne State University, became president of GMFanuc Robotics when the company was established by GM and Fanuc in 1982.

He continued in his top leadership positions when Fanuc acquired total ownership in 1992. The company now has upwards of 800 employees and annual sales of $227 million.

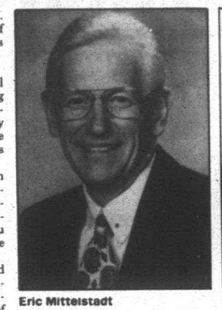
Mittelstadt's role?

"I look at it as being the overall leader of the organization, trying to set a climate in which employees can accomplish things they never thought they were capable of doing and getting roadblocks out of the way," he said.

"It's one of people acceleration and, at the same time, being extremely aggressive with leadership in the market and profitability," Mittelstadt added. "You can't be in business unless you're profitable."

Mittelstadt, an advocate and spokesman for international competition and the automation industry, is active in a variety of professional and civic organizations.

Those include National Coalition for Advanced Manufacturing,



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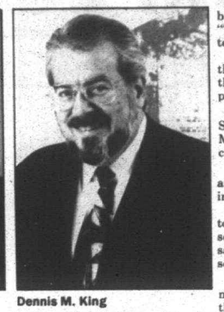
International Federation of Robotics, Oakland County Chamber of Commerce, Bloomfield Hills Planning Commission and vestry



Dennis M. King

of Christ Church Cranbrook.

"We're in an industry in which 90 percent of manufacturing companies haven't used their first robot yet," Mittelstadt said. "There's tremendous growth potential.

"I like to have challenges, and the challenge is that we get at that 90 percent faster than competitors," he said.

Mittelstadt and his wife, Susanne, are parents to Jeffrey. Mittelstadt has six other grown children.

King joined Harley Ellington, an architectural/engineering firm, in 1979 as a project manager.

"My role is to provide resources to all the people at our company so they can be successful," King said. "They ultimately provide services to our customers.

"My personal philosophy is to make sure we take advantage of the insight and talent of all 200 employees. Two hundred working on a problem will do a better job than me as an individual," he added.

Harley Ellington did $20 million in business last year, said King, who graduated from the University of Michigan with a degree in architecture.

Professional/civic involvements include American Institute of Architects, Economic Development Corporation of Oakland County, Leadership Oakland, Huntington Woods Board of Zoning Appeals and Southfield Business Consortium for the Arts.

"I think in our profession, there's nothing more rewarding than seeing something we design, a creative engineering solution . . . built and put in place," King said. "Something that will last 50 years. For the long haul, that's very satisfying and very emotionally fulfilling."

King is married to Haven and is father to Stacey and Hope.

BUSINESS DATEBOOK

***Datebook features** upcoming events around the suburban business community. To list an event, write: Datebook, Building & Business, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.*

TUESDAY, MAY 9

STOCK STRATEGY
Dean Witter Reynolds hosts a free seminar "How to Invest in a Blue Chip Strategy for Above Average Growth Potential" 5:30-7 p.m. at the Livonia Marriott, Six Mile at I-275. To register, call Greg Losacco at (800) 676-9660.

HEALTH/WELFARE PLANS
The Detroit Area Chapter International Society of Certified Employee Benefit Specialists presents a seminar "Fundamentals of Health and Welfare Plans" 7:15 a.m. to 5:25 p.m. at the MSU management Education center, Troy. Cost is $140. Advance registration required at (810) 988-0369.

HOME BUILDING
Home Building, Miles Homes Services presents a free seminar on owner-involved home building for the do-it-yourselfer 7:30-8:30 p.m. at Comfort Inn, Middlebelt at I-96, Livonia. For information, call (313) 453-8583.

INVESTMENT PLANNING
First of Michigan and Fidelity Investments co-host a free investment planning seminar 7:30 p.m. at the Southfield Radisson. To register, call (800) 826-2039 or (800) 654-1443.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

SELLING SKILLS
The American Society of Employers presents a seminar "Professional Selling Skills" 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at its offices, 23815 Northwestern, Southfield. Cost is $195 for members, $225 for non-members. Advance registration requested at (810) 353-4500.

SMALL BUSINESS DAY
The U.S. Small Business Administration and a consortium of business associations host the 13th annual Michigan Small Business Day with workshops and recognition ceremonies beginning noon at the Atheneum Hotel and International Conference Center in Detroit's Greektown. Cost is $75. A reduced rate is available for either a luncheon or banquet only. For information, call (313) 226-6075, ext. 82.

THURSDAY, MAY 11

SELF-ESTEEM
The National Association of Career Women-Metro Detroit Chapter presents a program "Professional Women and Self-Esteem" 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Meriwether's Restaurant, 25485 Telegraph, Southfield. Cost is $15 for members, $18 for non-members. To register, call (810) 268-7770.

SUPERVISION
Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Services offers a five-week management course "First Line Supervision" 7-10 p.m. Thursdays starting this date on campus in Livonia. Cost is $132. To register, call (313) 462-4448.

CPA/ATTORNEY CONFERENCE
The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants and the taxation section of the State Bar of Michigan conduct a joint CPA/attorney conference 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Novi Sheraton. A keynote panel discusses "Aspects of Buying and Selling a Business." Twelve breakout sessions available. Cost is $125. To register, call (810) 855-2288.

ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS
Michigan Automated Clearing House Association presents "1995 Corporate Electronic Payments Conference" 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the MSU Management Education Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road, Troy. Cost for members is $135, for non-members $155. Discounts available for additional attendees. For information, call (810) 879-2222.

MONDAY, MAY 15

WRONGFUL TERMINATION
Adia Personnel Services sponsors a free seminar "Legalities of Termination" 8-11:30 a.m. at the Troy Marriott. To register, call Linda Tucker at (810) 442-7800.

LEGAL SAFETY
The law firm of MacDonald and Goren presents a seminar "How to Reduce Your Exposure to Claims and Litigation" in separate morning and afternoon sessions at DoubleTree Guest Suites in Troy. Cost is $25 for one session, $40 for both. Discounts for additional attendees available. For information and reservations, call Evie Symonds at (810) 645-5940.

TUESDAY, MAY 16

BUILDER'S LICENSE
Livonia Community Education and Michigan Builders Institute of Rochester Hills offer a 16-hour seminar to help people pass the state builder's licensing exam 6-10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays through May 25 at Riley Middle School, 15555 Henry Ruff, Livonia. Cost is $150. Registration required by May 12 at (313) 523-9277 during business hours.

QUALITY COURSE
Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center offers a two-day workshop for quality managers and supervisors this date and May 17 to explain ISO 9001 documentation requirements and audit guidelines 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Industrial Technology Institute, 2901 Hubbard, Ann Arbor. Cost, including meals, is $395. To register, call D. Ortiz at (800) 292-4484 ext. 4107.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

LEGAL DAY
The Business Enterprise Development Center hosts an opportunity for business owners to discuss business-related legal problem with a lawyer during free one-hour consultations this date at its offices, 1301 W. Long Lake Road, Suite 150, Troy. To make an appointment, call Lynda Earhart at (810) 952-5800.

EXPO 275
Several chambers of commerce in western Wayne County host a free exhibition featuring more than 130 businesses 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. at Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE
Oakland Community College and Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center host an "Advanced Technology for Global Competitiveness Conference" 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at OCC Advanced Technology center, 2900 Featherstone Road, Auburn Hills. Keynote speaker: Eric Mittelstadt, president and CEO, Fanuc Robotics, North America. Cost is $75. For information, call Annessa Carlisle at (810) 540-1540.

THURSDAY, MAY 18

ESTATES AND TRUSTS
Institute of Management Accountants Oakland County Chapter offers a dinner program "Estates and Trusts" 6 p.m. at the Kingsley Inn, Woodward at Long Lake, Bloomfield Hills. Cost is $20 with advance registration, $22 at the door. To register, call David Adair at (810) 627-6760.

PREPARING FOR CHANGE
The Women's Economic Club hosts Alex Trotman, chairman and CEO of Ford Motor, speaking on "Preparing for Change in the New World Economy" noon in the Ambassador Room, Cobo Conference Center. Cost is $18 for members, $25 for non-members. To register, call (313) 963-5088.

ENVIRONMENTAL HELP
The National Association of Purchasing Management Metro Detroit presents a dinner program "The New Environmental Assistance Division of the DNR" 6:30 p.m. at the MSU Management Education Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road, Troy. Cost is $20 Reservations due by May 12 to (810) 773-3737.

FRIDAY, MAY 19

POLITICAL SCENE
Detroit Area Chapter, International Society of Certified Employee Benefit Specialists hosts a seminar "Washington Update" to provide information on the legislative arena including Social Security 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, Livonia. Cost is $40. For information, call (810) 988-0369.

THURSDAY, MAY 25

VET EMPLOYMENT
Michigan Employment Security Commission hosts a free jobs fair for military veterans and employers at no cost to each 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Light Guard Armory, 4400 E. Eight Mile, Detroit. Employers who want to participate should make arrangement through MESC at (810) 589-1600, (313) 453-3520 or (810) 476-5980.

BUSINESS MARKETPLACE

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■ COMPUTER REPAIR
Don Podwoiski has established, CompuCure, a computer repair business in **Garden City.**
The firm services IBM and compatible computers, monitors and printers for business and home users. Free pick-up and delivery are available in Wayne and Oakland counties.

■ EDWARD D. JONES
Edward D. Jones and Co., a full-service brokerage company with several local offices including **Livonia, West Bloomfield and Rochester Hills,** recently was ranked best in the nation in a survey for Money magazine.
"Edward D. Jones & Co. has always believed that investors should be treated as we would like to be treated if the roles were reversed," said Bob Carris, the Livonia office rep. "The results reaffirm our commitment to that goal."

■ NATIONAL BLOCK
National Block and Ready Mix Co. of **Westland** is nearing completion of a $2.7 million, 24,000-square-foot, state of the art manufacturing plant.

■ EPHRAIM & ASSOCIATES
Mitchell Ephraim, president of Ephraim & Associates, announced the relocation of his insurance/financial services company to the **Livonia** Pavilion Office Center, 29200 Vassar, Suite 147.

■ KELSEY-HAYES
Kelsey-Hayes, a manufacturer of brake systems with offices in **Livonia,** has been selected as a General Motors Supplier of the Year for the third time in as many years.

Only 154 of GM's more than 30,000 world suppliers received the designation for 1995.
"To be singled out for this award says to the whole world you are truly an outstanding performer," said Harold R. Kutner, executive vice president of worldwide purchasing for GM.
"This recognition is positive reinforcement for every employee and function of our company," said Robert Sullivan, general manager of technologies for Kelsey-Hayes.

■ BRICK WORK HONORED
The Cranbrook Alumni Courtyard in **Bloomfield Hills** was featured in the March issue of Brick in Architecture, an insert in Architecture magazine.
TMP Associates of **Farmington Hills** restored the courtyard which had deteriorated after 70 years of wear and weather.

■ HOSPICE CONSTRUCTION
Hospice of Southeastern Michigan, headquartered in **Southfield,** has received governmental approval to build four, 20-bed hospice homes for the terminally ill at 11 Mile and Middlebelt in **Farmington Hills.**
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secretary
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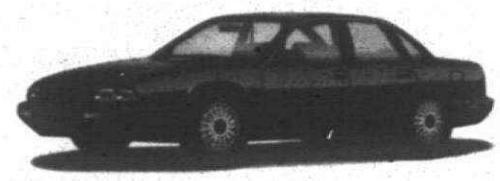

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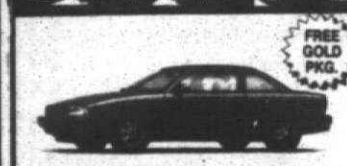

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