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The Wednesday Lotto jackpot was worth at least $2 million. The Michigan lottery numbers for Wednesday, Sept. 13, are:

- **DAILY 3:** *994*
- **DAILY 4:** *1427*
- **CASH 5:** *8, 18, 22, 25, 35*
- **LOTTO:** *2, 13, 15, 16, 33, 37*

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Smoke clouds case

■ It's back to 35th District Court in October for two Canton businesses whose owners were charged with fireworks violations just before the July 4 celebration. Attorneys are arguing federal versus state law.

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Following a 2¼-hour hearing Monday, 35th District Court Judge Ronald Lowe was at a loss to make a ruling in the case of the fireworks seized from two Canton businesses in June.

Frequently consulting Michigan fireworks statutes, Lowe listened with some frustration to Wayne County assistant prosecutor Michael Brady and defense attorney Hugh Davis, who argued the definition of "Saturn Rockets" and "cannons" among other things on their way to a stalemate and yet another hearing Oct. 10.

Products called Saturn Rockets were among the 525 cases of fireworks seized from Tri-City Fireworks June 22. Tri-City sells fireworks that are illegal in Michigan, but ships them out of state, which is legal under state law and has been affirmed by a 1989 Ingham County Circuit Court injunction. Prosecutor Brady contends that Tri-City owners Pat and Donald Linn intended to sell their fireworks within Michigan.

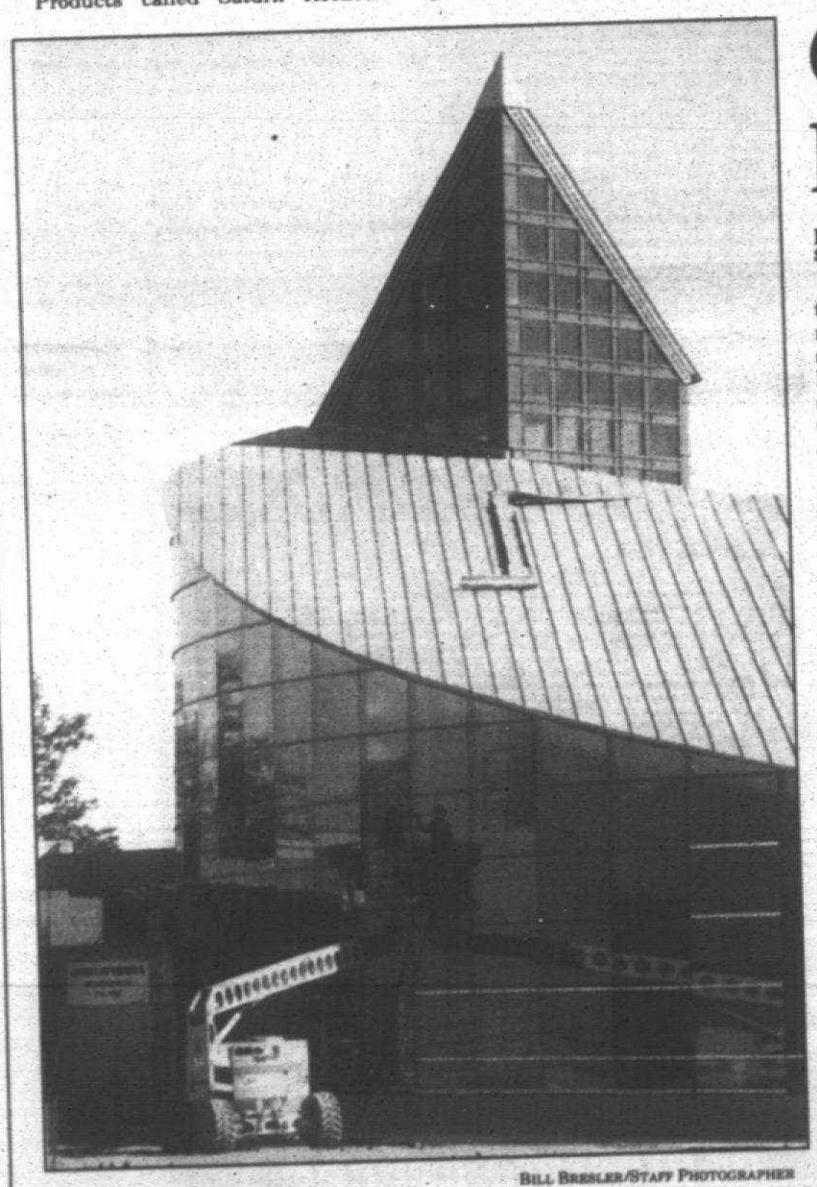
Just down Michigan Avenue from Tri-City is Burda Bros. Fireworks, which is also part of the case. At Burda Bros., customers may buy fireworks after paying $1 to join the American Fireworks Users Association. A June 9 injunction from Wayne Count Circuit Court Judge Carole

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Rocket talk: *In 35th District Court Monday, defense attorney Hugh Davis had to ask client Elfin Burda to describe the "Saturn Rockets" that were confiscated from his fireworks store in a police raid June 22.*



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Gala event: *The Summit on the Park community center will be where it's at Dec. 2 when "An Evening at the Summit" debuts.*

Gathering benefits historical groups

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

■ 'It is going to be a wonderful evening at the Summit.'

Joan Palmer

Not only will you get a glimpse of the new Summit on the Park community center and a sample of its food services, but your attendance at "An Evening at the Summit" will help support the Canton Historic District Commission and the Canton Historical Society.

"It is intended to be a participatory social event," said Canton Clerk Terry Bennett, historic district commissioner. "We have had pre-sale commitments for 125 tickets."

The commission and the society have wanted for some time to have some kind of grand event to celebrate Canton's history, but there's been no place suitable — until the Summit came along.

"It is going to be a wonderful evening at the Summit," said Joan Palmer, president of the society.

The event is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 2, and is the preview event for the Summit. Tickets are $40 per person or $75 per couple. Admission includes a dine-around that will feature food stations and champagne and wine.

"You will be able to walk from place to place and chat. There will be a host or hostess at each station, plus servers," Bennett said.

All proceeds will go to the commission and the society for restoration projects related to the Cherry Hill Historic Village District. In particular, money will help the continued restoration of the historic Bartlett-Travis house and a barn the society is having built right behind the house to safely store antique farm implements.

"It is clear we will have to raise dollars and garner community support," Bennett said of the projects.

The Plymouth-Canton Schools also will be involved in the event. "We brought the schools in because certainly the restoration of that area will benefit the community, but it will also be an asset for families and kids. We have a lot of people in this community whose kids have grown up here and call Canton home," Bennett said.

The society and commission have always been connected and while the Bartlett-Travis house and barn are current projects, there are other projects waiting for future attention, Palmer said.

The evening is still in the planning stages and coordinators are discussing whether to provide items for display that illustrate both groups and their work. One idea includes a display of quilts. "We are also working to get honorary chairs," Bennett said.

The plan is to have a similar benefit every year at the Summit. "Though the commission and the society are major benefactors this year, we can leave it open for other groups in future years," Bennett said. "It is an attempt to bring multiple groups in the community together."

The weekend of the event is a busy one in Canton with plans for a historic home tour, the society's arts and crafts show — all preceded by the annual Christmas tree lighting.

Traffic problems on Morton Taylor addressed

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
AND M.B. DILLON
STAFF WRITERS

Canton Township officials approved a plan Tuesday to head off concerns of parents about traffic on Morton Taylor Road near Hulsing Elementary School.

Trustees unanimously approved the purchase of a mobile radar trailer that indicates the speed limit and motorists' speed as they drive past it.

The SMART (Speed Monitoring Awareness Radar Trailer) system costs $16,000. Plymouth-Canton school trustees have agreed to pay half the cost.

In addition to slowing traffic near Hulsing, the radar unit will be used at nine other area elementary schools.

Schools trustee Barbara Graham said Gallimore Elementary on Shel-

See TRAFFIC, 4A

CANTON CONNECTION

Plant exchange

The Canton Beautification Committee's fall plant exchange at 9-11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, is just the place for the gardener or budding gardener who wants to give away some plants and get some in return.

The exchange will be in the pavilion right behind the Canton Historical Museum, at Proctor and Canton Center roads.

You may bring perennials, seeds, herbs, bulbs or house plants to exchange with other participants. The only rule is that what you bring must be healthy, said Chris Lapinski, committee member and master gardener.

If you want to receive plants or other materials, you've got to bring something to exchange. "That's the whole basis otherwise they would just give them away for free," Lapinski said.

Master gardeners also will be on hand if you have plant or gardening questions. For more information, call Lapinski, 454-3468.

Economic club begins

The public is invited to the seventh season of the Canton Economic Club. The first meeting of the season will be at noon Wednesday, Sept. 20. The guest speaker is the Rev. William Cunningham, founder of Focus:HOPE.

The economic club, which will continue to be sponsored by Rudolph-Libbe, also has a new cosponsor, the Canton Observer. The economic club also is moving to the Summit on the Park community center. Susan Rosiek, managing editor of the Observer Newspapers, is the new president.

Tickets are $15 for the luncheon. Season tickets are available. For reservations, call Joan Noricks, executive director of the Canton Community Foundation, which hosts the economic club, 981-3002.

No tours yet

Tours of the Summit on the Park community center are not yet available to the public. "The building is still under construction," said Mike Gouin, township parks and recreation superintendent.

Tours of the building will be available to the public during grand-opening ceremonies, which have not yet been scheduled.

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Rezoning for strip mall denied

By Joanne Maliszewski
Staff Writer

Lois Zilka spent Monday driving around Canton adding up the number of strip malls and how many vacant shops each has.

She counted 33 strip malls — on almost every corner — with 52 vacant stores. "And now we want to add another strip mall. It's an eye sore," Zilka told Canton planning commissioners Monday night.

Zilka and other residents along Geddes Road told commissioners that in no uncertain terms do they want a strip mall of any size by their homes. During a public hearing, Anwar Zahr said he wants to rezone 3.32 acres on the southeast corner of Canton Center and Geddes roads from office to community commercial to build a strip mall.

"I have a mind to put a nice thing there," Zahr said, adding he would build a "classy" mall at the intersection.

But planning commissioners denied his request after the public hearing. Canton planner Angela Wolosiewicz offered no recommendation on the request, but told commissioners there was no compelling reason to approve or deny.

Henry Moore of Geddes Road presented commissioners with a list of 80 homeowners who oppose the rezoning. "Geddes is a residential corridor," Moore said, adding that private homes line the road all the way to Ann Arbor. "It is noteworthy there is no gas station, no strip mall, no convenience store."

Moore called Zahr's request "spot" rezoning. "It just really doesn't fit," he continued. "It would be out of what's happening there."

The township's future land use map identifies the area as community commercial. That means that village shopping, community commercial and office are all allowed. Road changes also play a role. Canton Center will be realigned with Belleville Road and widened to five lanes in the next year. The Geddes intersection will be part of that project.

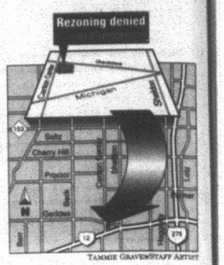
Wolosiewicz said village shopping is the least intensive for the area. But after right-of-way is taken for the intersection improvements, there's not much room left to allow for design standards required with village shopping.

Community commercial, Wolosiewicz said, would be inconsistent with the large lot residential development along Geddes and Canton Center. But she said that nearby property that is zoned regional commercial makes the community commercial or office reasonable choices.

"Conceivably a regional shopping mall could be located at Canton Center and Michigan Avenue, roughly 500 feet from this property," Wolosiewicz said.

Though the most reasonable for the area — with the planned Canton Center widening and nearby McDonald's, Burger King and Amoco — community commercial is the least popular with nearby residents, Wolosiewicz said.

"I personally feel a strip mall on that corner will devalue my property. It gives me thoughts of moving somewhere else," said Ron Bieber of Geddes Road.



Commissioner Phyllis Johnson said she would prefer to see how the road improvements affect the area before considering any rezoning. "C-2 (community commercial) would have fit in there. But my main problem is that with the road widening and extension of Belleville Road, I would prefer not to touch the zoning on this. It's futuristic at this point."

Murder shatters couple's wedding plans

By Darrell Clem
Staff Writer

Dawn Marie Manier of Westland was supposed to marry her high school sweetheart, Dale Farr of Canton, on Sept. 23. Instead, she visited him recently at a cemetery, deeply saddened by his slaying in Inkster.

"I talked to him, and I talked to God," Manier, 21, said as she wiped tears from her eyes during an interview Sept. 6. "I asked Dale and God to give me a sign if they could hear me. A bird flew right down and sat by Dale's grave."

Manier's mother, Sandy Chapo, said her daughter is drawn to Maple Grove Cemetery in Westland, where Farr, 23, was buried Aug. 29 with his wedding ring.

"We can't keep her away from the cemetery," Chapo said. "She's been writing letters telling Dale what she's doing. She told me she wished she could call 1-800-HEAVEN and talk to him."

Manier had to pause often during an interview to regain her composure. She spoke warmly of the six years she knew Farr.

They met when they attended Wayne Memorial High School, and they lived together in Canton Township for 3½ years, until Farr was shot to death.

"Dale was the greatest guy you could ever meet," Manier said. "By law we weren't married, but in our hearts we were married a long time ago."

Farr was shot in the back Aug. 25 after he and his younger brother, James, were approached in their car on Middlebelt Road by three teens who wanted to sell drugs to them, Inkster Detective Greg Hill said.

The Farrs refused the offer and drove away, Hill said, but a stick was thrown at their car. They stopped and got out, only to face an altercation with the suspects and eight to 10 others who came to the scene.

Dale Farr was gunned down with a .38-caliber handgun as he was trying to flee. James Farr managed to escape.

A 15-year-old Inkster boy has been arrested and charged with first-degree murder, attempted murder and felony firearms possession, Hill said. He is being charged as an adult.

"For a kid to shoot Dale when he was running away, I can't understand that," Manier said. "That kid took everything away from me."

Hill wouldn't disclose the name of the suspect, who is scheduled for a preliminary hearing Wednesday in Inkster 22nd District Court. No other suspects are expected to be charged, he said.

Manier last talked with Farr on the day he was slain. Farr was going to Inkster to pick up his brother so that they could play tennis.

Manier and Farr talked about picking up their wedding rings. Farr never saw his, but he was buried with it.

"I put his ring on him at the same time I put mine on me," Manier said.

Sandy Chapo said her daughter's wedding to Farr was perfectly planned.

"It was going to be a great wedding," she said. "Dawn's wedding dress and everything was paid for. Responses to the wedding invitations were coming in even as we were burying Dale."

Manier, a credit bureau employee, said she and Farr decided early in their relationship to wait several years to marry.

"We wanted to save some money and do everything right," she said.

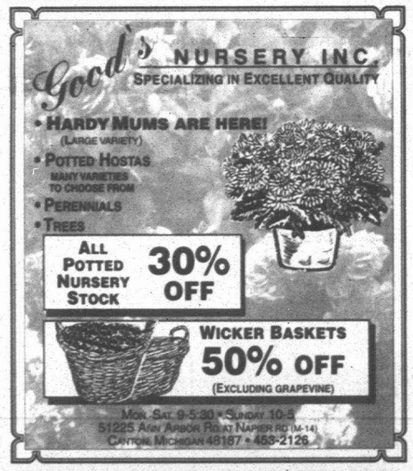
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Canton leads Wayne County in growth figures

By Ralph R. Echtinaw
Staff Writer

New assessment figures released by the Wayne County assessor's office show Canton leading all 43 communities in the county in terms of growth.

Value of taxable property in the 36 square miles comprising Canton was judged to have increased 12.22 percent from last year to this year.

Canton's "state equalized value," or half of the estimated real value, was set at $1.354 billion, up from $1.207 billion in 1994. The increase amounts to more than $147 million.

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The addition of $147,565,850 in value to Canton also represented the largest increase in raw numbers. Only Dearborn Heights came close with $147,178,328.

New subdivisions are primarily responsible for the growth in Canton. In terms of single-family housing starts, 774 houses began construction last year in Canton, tops in southeast Michigan, reported township spokesman Ken Voyles. More than 21,000 building permits were issued in 1994, up from 16,700 in 1992.

As of July 1 this year, there were 455 housing starts in 1995. Over the same period last year there were 366 housing starts.

From 1990 to 1993 the number of occupied housing units increased from 19,500 to 21,139.

The property in Canton is dominated by residential parcels totalling $1.025 billion in SEV. Commercial property accounts for $161 million and industrial property $71 million.

There are 20,036 taxable parcels of property in Canton, including 18,085 residential parcels.

Canton population has been increasing, too. The Southeast Michigan Council of Governments said population rose from 57,000 individuals in 1990 to 60,700 in 1993, a 6.5-percent increase. In Wayne County only Northville and Huron townships added people more quickly.

Township officials estimate that 63,000 individuals live in Canton now.

The distribution of the township newsletter also reflects Canton's growth. Three years ago 21,300 newsletters were required to send one to each address in the township, business and residential, Voyles said. Today 24,395 newsletters are needed.

Also of interest:
- Township planning staff reviewed 23 projects for construction of industrial buildings totalling 652,000 square feet in area.
- There are currently about 13,000 businesses in Canton from small shops to large factories.
- In 1972, Canton's total state equalized valuation was $92 million. Ten years later that figured had increased more than 500 percent (not accounting for inflation) to $516 million. During the next 10 years (1982-92), a period of low inflation, Canton's SEV rose to $979 million, not quite twice what it had been.

Canton State Equalized Valuation
Since 1972

1972	$92 million
1977	$244 million
1982	$516 million
1987	$585 million
1992	$979 million
1993	$1.1 billion
1994	$1.2 billion
1995	$1.354 billion

Source: Canton Township

Schoolcraft to offer local classes

By Ralph R. Echtinaw
Staff Writer

Schoolcraft College courses will be offered at the Summit on the Park community center beginning in January.

Seven general education survey courses are planned to be offered during the winter term at the new Summit on the Park community center, as well as a number of Continuing Education classes designed to enhance professional development and personal enrichment, said Schoolcraft dean of college centers Noreen Thomas.

Continuing Education classes will likely include real estate classes, classes designed for supervisors and crafts classes, Thomas said.

Offerings will be coordinated with recreation opportunities provided by Canton Parks and Recreation staff.

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Schoolcraft may also bring independent seminars and training sessions to the Summit via its Business Development Center, which offers all manner of custom training, technical training, consulting services and employee upgrading.

A "very aggressive" marketing campaign will be directed at Canton residents, Thomas said, and the college hopes to offer Summit classes year-round.

Schoolcraft trustee Steve Ragan has worked since his election in 1991 to extend the college's presence to Canton. "Much of it, I think, is symbolic," he said. "But (Canton) is an incredibly growing community and it's important that we have some presence there. It's incredibly important to Schoolcraft's future."

A full-blown satellite campus is probably not in Canton's future, Ragan said, given the growth of interactive, computer-based learning, but he expects courses offered at the Summit to be popular.

Ragan credits Canton Supervisor Tom Yack with bringing Schoolcraft to the township. "Tom Yack deserves a lot of credit for realizing that making education more accessible to Canton is important," he said.

Schoolcraft will use two classrooms in the 85,000-square-foot Summit, Thomas said. College enrollment figures show that 13 percent of its students reside in Canton.

Questions about course offerings at the Summit may be addressed to Thomas' staff at 462-4770.

Church program to help children

By Joanne Maliszewski
Staff Writer

There's still room for more kids — who have suffered a loss through divorce or death — to participate in the Geneva Presbyterian Church's new "Rainbows for All God's Children" program.

The program is designed to help children put their feelings into words. "Sometimes they aren't sure what feelings are. But they know they are hurting," said Bevis Richardson, a 20-year member of the church and a retired registered nurse.

Richardson is coordinating the program that will be offered to children who have suffered a loss and are in kindergarten through fifth grade. The 14-week program is not therapy, and children must have parents' permission to attend. The program is nondenominational but there will be talk about God and that someone cares, she said.

Rainbows will begin Sept. 26 and run through Nov. 11. A second session is scheduled for Jan. 9-Feb. 17, 1996.

The program is designed to help kids learn to talk about how they feel about their situations and experiences. The program will have facilitators — congregation members who cannot have suffered a loss themselves in the past two years — for each of the classes. Group participation is encouraged.

Participating children will have workbooks to use in the sessions. The activities in the workbooks and those activities provided by the facilitators will encourage children to express themselves.

Halfway through the 14-week program, the kids will have a wrap-up day during which what they have learned will be reinforced. Parents are allowed to attend.

For more information about the program, or to sign up, call Richardson at the church, 459-0013.

Veterans recall missing comrades

The Plymouth-Canton Vietnam Veterans Association, Chapter 528, will present a commemoration ceremony 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, in honor of the servicemen and women who have been listed as missing in action as a result of the Vietnam War.

The ceremony will take place at the Vietnam Memorial at Ann Arbor Trail and Union Street in Plymouth, near Kellogg Park.

The chapter Honor Guard will carry appropriate flags, and will present a 21-gun salute in honor those dead and missing service members.

There will be a prayer and brief remarks in remembrance of those who have not yet returned from that war.

Drivers taken to hospital after three-car accident

Listed below are some of the Canton fire and rescue incidents reported during the past week, as well as fire safety tips and programs available free to the community. Year-to-date (Jan. 1-present) runs for the Canton Fire Department: 2,769; last year's total: 3,445. This week's total: 56.

■ TWO INJURED

Two motorists were transported to Annapolis Hospital following a three-car chain reaction accident on Haggerty, south of Ford, at 7 a.m. Sept. 8.

One of the motorists complained of head and neck pain, the other of leg pain. Canton firefighters put both on backboards and immobilized their spines.

■ NO ONE INJURED

No one was hurt in a two-car accident at Ford and Al Smith, shortly before 4 a.m. Sept. 8.

Firefighters washed the glass and debris from the roadway following the accident.

■ STOVE FIRE

Canton firefighters responded to a possible apartment fire at the Carriage Cove Apartments at 5:10 p.m. Sept. 10.

When firefighters arrived they found there was a stove fire that had been put out. Apparently the resident turned on the gas stove and a pan that was stored in the oven caught fire, damaged the stove and caused smoke damage in the apartment. Firefighters used large fans to clear the apartment of smoke.

■ STUDENT TRANSPORTED

A Canton Hjgh School student was transported to Oakwood Healthcare Center at 10:45 a.m. Sept. 11 when he had a diabetic insulin reaction. He was given glucose.

■ SAFETY TIP

Canton residents with gas stoves are reminded not to store pots and pans in the ovens. When gas stoves are turned on, the broiler in the oven goes on.

■ PROGRAMS OFFERED

Canton residents and businesses are reminded that a number of programs are available to them for free from the Canton Fire Department. Programs include CPR and basic first aid classes, juvenile fire setters, baby-sitter awareness, and tours and department presentations.

■ CPR/FIRST AID

Groups may sign up for training for adult, infant/child and CPR and first aid classes. Groups may be as small as three or four people. Most of the classes are about four hours in length. Participants receive a card that says they completed the course. The only cost to participants is the purchase of a textbook. For more information, contact Sgt. Jim Davison, 453-4114.

■ SAFETY HOUSE AVAILABLE

The fire safety house is available for groups, including homeowners associations and civic organizations. Firefighters use the house to teach home safety for adults and children, as well as fire prevention. For more information, call Canton fire prevention, 397-5348.

■ JUVENILE FIRE SETTERS

This is a program for youths whose parents, teachers or school principals are concerned about fire setting, pulling fire alarms or abnormal fixations with fire. Firefighters meet with parents and children. If counseling is needed, a referral is given. For more information, call fire prevention, 397-5348.

■ CLASSES AND TOURS

Groups, homeowners associations and businesses interested in learning fire prevention and fire safety, such as the use of extinguishers, may contact fire prevention, 397-5348.

Cleanup time arrives in Canton

Canton residents can take household hazardous wastes to the EQ Environmental Protection facility in Van Buren Township noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, as part of the annual Fall Clean Up and open house.

The cleanup allows residents a chance to clean out their homes and safely dispose of hazardous household products that cannot be thrown in the regular trash. EQ — the Environmental Quality Company — is offering the free service to help manage local hazardous waste.

All waste that comes in on that day will be screened by trained EQ technicians before acceptance. Wastes that cannot be accepted must be removed from the site immediately. If residents are unsure of whether the waste is acceptable or not, they should call EQ at 697-2200.

Among the accepted wastes are: latex or enamel paint, muriatic acid, lye, Drano, ammonia, bleaches and oxidizers, automotive crankcase oil and lubricants, paint thinner, turpentine and cleaning solvents, anti-freeze, household batteries, smoke detectors, and cleaning compounds and floor polishes.

Among the wastes not accepted are: explosives and ammunition, industrial waste, PCBs, asbestos, medical waste, newspapers and household trash, picric acid, dioxins and furans.

The day also includes an open house of the facility, with refreshments, giveaways and free site tours. Canton is one of 10 communities participating in the event. For more information, call EQ, 697-2200.

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Case *from page 1A*

Youngblood forbade Canton Township from taking action against Burda Bros. It was the state police who raided Burda Bros. June 22 and Canton police who raided Tri-City.

Undercover officers bought fireworks from Burda Bros., and owners Efim and Elissa Burda were subsequently charged for selling fireworks. The Linns are not charged with selling fireworks, but with possession with intent to sell.

Defense attorney Davis, representing the Burdas and the Linns, asked Judge Lowe to dismiss the charges because, he said, court injunctions legitimize the sale of fireworks in these cases.

"I have to make a ruling whether these fireworks are or are not protected by another court's injunction," Lowe said.

Yet Lowe had difficulty understanding the charges relative to what state law says about illegal fireworks. "Before the court can dismiss the charges the court needs to understand the charges," he said.

State law prohibits the possession or sale of "firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, bottle rockets, whistling chasers, rockets on sticks, or other fireworks of like construction."

Since Saturn Rockets are not specifically mentioned in state law, the judge wasn't sure if they are illegal in Michigan. Davis argued that the Saturn Rocket is a "repeater device," and therefore legal. Brady said "we would contend that if a rocket shoots up in the air and blows up it is a rocket."

Davis said the court injunctions legitimize the firework sales of Burda Bros. and Tri-City, therefore the prosecutor should reveal what condition of the injunctions he believes the defendants have violated.

"I cannot prepare a defense," Davis said. "I literally don't know what I'm fighting."

Said Lowe: "Let's cut through the BS. I'm not going to let the defendants go to trial without knowing what the charge is."

Lowe postponed the case until Oct. 10, when Davis and Brady will again try to give Lowe sufficient information to rule on Davis' motions to dismiss charges.

The state Legislature should revise fireworks law and base it on federal law, Davis said, but lawmakers only care about fireworks law in the two weeks leading up to the Fourth of July holiday.

Leaks in school irk teachers

By M.B. Dillon
Staff Writer

Plymouth-Canton school board members vented steam Monday over ceiling leaks that have plagued Hulsing Elementary School teacher Sally Evans and her first-graders since January.

Evans brought her complaint — and jars containing brown water from waste baskets in the newly-constructed Room 13 — to the school board Monday night.

"We went on walk-throughs of the room in the Fall of 1994 and took occupancy Jan. 9, 1995," Evans told the board. "The room has always leaked. There has always been a pool of water. I'm concerned about the length of time it's taking to solve this problem."

Evans said new leaks pop up all the time, causing the carpet to mildew and making it necessary to wash and disinfect teaching tables and chairs.

Barton Malow is the firm managing the school district's $59 million bond project. The 1991 bond has financed capital improvements — including the addition at Hulsing — at school buildings throughout Plymouth-Canton.

Employees from sub-contractor Johnson Controls have been on site, but have failed to fix the leaks that apparently stem from the air conditioner and occur regardless of the weather conditions, Evans said.

"We have developed new leaks after Sept. 1," said Evans, who has photographed the leaks and moldy carpeting. "All the leaks are in instructional areas. We have two waste baskets that constantly have brown water in them," said Evans, adding that temperatures in the room have climbed to 91 degrees.

"As a taxpayer, I'm requesting three things: 1) a roof or ceiling that doesn't leak; 2) new parts, not repaired parts, to eliminate the problem. New materials were furnished with the bond money and I don't think we should accept leas; 3) I want a report back. I will keep notes for the next month. You will see me again in one month."

Trustee Sue Davis said, "I'm curious why no one else has been brought in who's higher up, or from a different perspective. Is there an alternative room where these children could be moved? I don't like the idea of first-graders sitting on wet, moldy carpet."

Board Treasurer Michael Maloney asked what the district needed to do to create a sense of urgency at Barton Malow. "This is a company with vast resources. Maybe they are trying to save a little money. I'd suggest that Dr. Little talk to the head of the company."

Superintendent Charles Little said he intended to do just that. "Believe me, this has created enough stress that you wouldn't want to be on the phone with me at 8 a.m. tomorrow." Little added that the problem isn't severe enough to warrant moving the students. "No one is sitting in water," he said.

Evans said late Tuesday that her classroom was visited a few hours earlier by a group of people including Barton Malow vice president Jim Giachino.

"I wasn't introduced to them, but I've been told by my principal Mrs. (Becky) Moore that two things will be done within a week. They are going to re-seal around the pipes, and they are going to remove the water in the membrane above the ceiling. This should stop the leaking," Evans said.

Evans says if this solves the problem, she'll come to a board meeting next month with treats for everyone.

Traffic *from page 1A*

don Road would be a good candidate for the speed monitoring unit. "There's always a green arrow for traffic turning onto the Sheldon connector, and cars are doing 45," she said.

Hulsing parents spurred school and township officials to action with a barrage of letters regarding motorists speeding on Morton Taylor between Joy and Warren roads. Wayne County raised the speed limit from 35 to 40 mph earlier this year. Hulsing is on Fleet Street, east of Morton Taylor and south of Joy.

Parents concerned about the safety of children walking to school have suggested measures including a traffic light, bridge overpass, crosswalk, sidewalks, a slower speed limit and speed bumps.

Canton Public Safety Director John Santomauro told trustees Tuesday that there's not enough traffic on Morton Taylor to warrant a traffic light, and a "gap study" conducted 2-2:30 p.m. May 17 turned up 62 gaps in traffic sufficiently large for two to three children to cross.

Furthermore, the cost of a sidewalk with a bridge would exceed $100,000, Santomauro said.

Meetings with residents of Windsor Park and Mayfair subdivisions and township officials produced a three-point plan.

The mobile radar unit is one part of the plan. A second action involves painting a crosswalk on Morton Taylor at Arlington Road, where the kids cross.

The third item will take time, but state Sen. Loren Bennett is working to modify state law to permit the creation of a 25 mph school zone on Morton Taylor. Currently, the law says such zones may exist only where the road is adjacent to the school.

"We think by the first of the year we'll get that accomplished," said parent Kristy Engle. "The township will have authority to establish a school zone."

In the interim, Engle suggested having the word "school" posted above the existing crosswalk signs. Santomauro agreed to do this.

Eventually, given the growth of Canton Township, parents feel that a traffic signal will be needed at Morton Taylor and Arlington.

Schools trustee Mark Horvath said given the fact that Morton Taylor eventually will be extended from Warren to Ford, "the speed on Morton Taylor will increase. Whatever we are talking about doing, we should be wary of the long-term plans for Morton Taylor," he said.

Wayne County will pay for a signal only after traffic reaches a certain volume. Until then, if a signal is installed, Canton taxpayers would have to pay for it. The estimated cost is $55,000.

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Sump pump program for older homes back in business

A program offering free sump pumps to selected Canton residents in older homes has been reactivated.

The program, coordinated through the township public works and engineering services, has resulted in installation of sump pumps into 1,700 Canton homes during a five-year period.

Tom Casari, township engineer, said the program was revamped, expanded and reactivated to serve more residents. He estimates that 10,000 homes in the area could benefit from the program. Residents in homes constructed prior to 1985 will qualify to participate.

The program was the brainchild of Jake Dingeldey, public works superintendent, who designed the special pumps requiring no sump pits in the basement floors. Instead, they attach to existing pipes.

The purpose of the program is two-fold. In some older homes, storm water is taken into the sanitary sewer system, where it is processed. Not only can this be costly to the community in sewer processing costs, but it places additional burdens on the utility system. Most importantly for homeowners, installing the pumps in the older homes serves as a safety valve by not allowing any sewage to back up into the basement, Casari said.

There are about 100 residents signed up for the program. They will have their sump pumps installed later this year. Casari said his department will take applications from other residents who wish to participate and will install the pumps once each year, bidding out the project and having an outside contractor do the installation. The contractor also will be responsible for repairs on the units for one year.

Money for the sump pump program comes from the township's water and sewer fund. For more information about the program, call engineering services, 397-5405.

Code changes include improvements in energy efficiency

Three major changes to building codes will affect the Canton building community and new home buyers.

The code changes include improving the energy efficiency of new homes, and adding new requirements for smoke detectors and concrete floors. The changes are being incorporated into any new home designs and construction submitted to Canton's building and inspection services after Aug. 15.

The Michigan Energy Code now requires builders to look at the entire energy efficiency package of a new home, while holding basements to a separate standard. Insulation "R" factors are determined by a formula, depending on the design of each new home.

John Weyer, Canton building official, said that builders are working closely with their mechanical contractors to redesign each new home elevation to accommodate the new rules.

Such energy building laws are not new, Weyer said, adding that about two-thirds of other states have already adopted similar energy regulations. Stephen Taglione of Heritage Residential Group, chairman of the Canton Builder Community Task Force of the Builders Industry Association of Southeast Michigan, said his company is in the process of recalculating each home elevation. "Every house is different. Changes could involve insulating and upgrading glass, among other things," he said.

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Canton follows the State Construction Code, which typically adopts the Building Officials and Code Administrators International code, but allows communities to use the option of using the Council of American Building Officials code.

The state may also make amendments to these codes. Canton and other communities are bound by these codes. Canton is currently working under the 1992 CABO code for all residential construction of 1-2 units, and the 1993 BOCA code for commercial and all other construction. These are the code years currently approved by the state.



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Area alumni lead school cleanup effort

By Mary Rodrique
Staff Writer

What do actor George C. Scott, Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara, and state Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, have in common?

They are all graduates of Redford High School, and two of them (sans Scott) are doing something to rehabilitate the old Detroit school near Six Mile and Grand River.

"It's a lot of fun, but it's also a great way to give back to the community," said Banks, a veteran lawmaker and class of 1959 alumna.

McNamara established the Redford Alumni board of directors when he marked the 50th anniversary of his graduation from Redford.

An official board of directors with 25 members was established in April 1994. Since then, the group has increased membership to 250, raised $10,000 during its first annual golf outing to benefit the school, obtained free landscaping for the school grounds, participated in a career day, and set up Saturday, Sept. 23 as paint-the-school day.

"We've had a newsletter and done one mailing. The word is spreading," said Dick Harrick, class of '59, and owner of a Livonia insurance agency.

Other local members of the Redford Alumni Board include Mack Carpenter, Jo Griffing of Livonia, Dave Palmer, Julia Foster Belcher and Kenneth Kelsey of Farmington Hills, Megan Miller of Farmington, Gary Bailey of Plymouth, Ned Liddle of Birmingham, Gerald Levin and John Artz of Bloomfield Hills, Jim Garpow of Beverly Hills, Walter Neal of Southfield, and Chuck Childress of Northville.

Also on the board are Livonia buinessman and Novi resident Phil Zimmerman, Triette Lipsy, Ernest Peck, Angelique Madison and Kenneth Davies of Detroit, Don Kleckner of Rochester, and Bruce Berend of Plante & Moran in Southfield.

Harrick came on board a year ago and has worked on various projects.

"If one person tried to do something, it wouldn't work, but a group can do many things together," he said. "We're meeting every week now. We have a lot of people willing to volunteer time or materials."

With 2,400 students today, Redford High is the largest high school, both in terms of student population and size, in the city of Detroit, according to Harrick.

"We're providing the impetus to continue this arrangement long-term. We're trying to get residents and students involved in a partnership," he said.

For the painting project on Sept. 23, Harrick anticipates 300

See CLEANUP, 9A



Redford alum: *Megan Miller of Farmington and Livonia business owner Phil Zimmerman are members of the Redford High School Alumni Board which helped to organize a recent golf outing which raised $10,000 for school improvements.*

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Area lawmakers host senior celebration

Preparations are nearly complete for the first western Wayne County senior citizen celebration day on Saturday, Sept. 16.

The program is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft Road in Livonia. It includes a free breakfast, free lunch, noted speakers, entertainment, and a consumer fair with 45 booths. More than 1,200 seniors are expected to attend.

"The only expense to seniors is a $1 registration fee that can be paid at the door," said state Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, one of four sponsors along with Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, Jim Ryan, R-Redford, and Deborah Whyman, R-Canton.

"The level of support has been overwhelming, and I look forward to a day totally dedicated to seniors. It's a time to celebrate the immeasurable contributions they make to our community every day."

Secretary of State Candace Miller, and Esther Shapiro, director of Detroit's consumer affairs department, are the keynote speakers. They will answer questions and talk one-on-one with residents. Local elected officials will also be there to discuss senior issues.

Also scheduled to attend are U.S. senators Carl Levin and Spencer Abraham, U.S. Rep. Joe Knollenberg, and state senators R. Robert Geake and Loren Bennett.

"This event is a perfect opportunity for seniors to get the information they need in all areas of services including housing, finance, health care, utility programs, and much more," said Law. "It's also a chance to bend the ear of several area lawmakers and share their ideas and concerns."

Ryan said organizing this special event could not have been possible without the support of several sponsors and the hard work of a local senior advisory board.

"Major contributors like Ameritech, MichCon, NBD, and Detroit Edison have made the difference in the program's size and scope," said Ryan. "Their participation and financial backing allowed us to accommodate over 1,000 seniors and keep the registration fee affordable. Today's seniors are very active in their community, and this program gives us the ability to pool our resources in an effort to resolve problems unique to older residents."

Whyman said the program's goal is to foster a productive dialogue on improving the quality of life for western Wayne County seniors.

"We want to educate and expose area residents to the many valuable options available to them," Whyman said. "Between the many community programs geared toward seniors, including technological changes and medical advancements, this will be a one-stop source of information.

"I look forward to talking with as many people as possible, and I hope local seniors take time to attend. I am confident it will be worthwhile for residents and the start of an annual event."

For more information, contact Sallie Nyhan at (517) 373-1863.

SC taste fest Sunday

Tickets are still available for the Schoolcraft College fourth annual culinary extravaganza 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, in the college's Waterman Center.

All proceeds fund student scholarships.

More than 60 of the finest restauranta and beverage corporations in the Detroit metropolitan area will offer samples to taste or drink.

An expanded wine auction is planned. Entertainment will be provided along with the drawing of raffle prizes and the announcing of who submitted the winning bid for a dinner to be prepared by restaurateur Joe Muer.

Tickets for the event are $40 per person, or two for $75. Raffle tickets are $5 each or three for $10. Both can be purchased by calling Schoolcraft's Institutional Advancement office at (313) 462-4417. Visa, MasterCard, Discover and personal checks are accepted.

Madonna reunion slated

All nursing alumni from Madonna University are invited to attend the Madonna College of Nursing and Health eighth annual alumni reunion, featuring a luncheon and fashion seminar, scheduled Saturday, Sept. 23.

The event will begin at 11 a.m. with an optional motherhouse tour and Mass; a 45-minute social hour will begin at 12:15 p.m.; and the luncheon and fashion seminar will be held 1-3 p.m.

The cost is $18 and friends and family are welcome. For information, call the alumni office at (313) 591-5127.

Madonna is located at I-96 and Levan roads in Livonia.

Cleanup *from page 7A*

to 400 student and parent volunteers to join with alumni members to paint 46 classrooms plus hallways and bathrooms in the oldest part of the school.

"I took a driving tour of the neighborhood. The homes were well kept, but the high school was an eyesore," Harrick recalled.

"The school board doesn't have enough funds to make the improvements. We did a landscape improvement project in August and the students and teachers thought it was great. We need to impact on everyone."

According to Harrick, some bathrooms inside the school remain permanently closed. A parent volunteer single-handedly maintains the football field. There are only two lawn mowers for five acres of property. Windows targeted for replacement five years ago are still in place.

"When I went there, we had 25 custodial workers," he said. "Today there are five."

It's not just the outward appearance the alumni group hopes to impact. It's the students themselves. Bankes cites a dropout rate of 50 percent for the freshmen class.

"What good are they to the community dropping out that early?" asked Bankes. "All of our efforts must be toward keeping kids in school."

Bankes spoke to four classes last career day about welfare reform and teen pregnancy.

"I think they want to hear the other side, the Republican perspective," she said. "We had a great debate."

Bankes is working, along with McNamara and others, to make Redford a member of the Detroit Compact, a business driven group that provides scholarship money to high school students. Bankes is also working on obtaining a portion of a $2 billion Detroit school bond issue for Redford High, which has been a low priority because it's not in as poor shape as many other buildings in the Detroit system.

■ 'I can't emphasize how much support and help is needed. High school might be just a blip in people's lives, but so much of what you learn there stays with you.'

John Niemisto

John Niemisto, a self-employed manufacturer's representative from Livonia, is one of the younger members of the Redford alumni board, class of 1975.

Niemisto is focusing on increasing membership by scouring various computer data bases. He will act as a coordinator Sept. 23, but admits he'll probably be picking up a paintbrush, too.

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Anyone wishing to volunteer for the paint the school day on Saturday, Sept. 23, or requesting additional information about the Redford alumni, should call Dick Harrick at (313) 458-2000.

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Willow Run

Runway deal cries for debate

■ It appears Wayne County administrators do not want to spend the millions of dollars necessary to conduct a required, in-depth environmental impact statement. The environmental assessment now under way already shows a significant negative impact to the area should the runway be extended.

Too much uncertainty surrounds a potential deal between Canton officials and Wayne County administrators over the proposed extension of one of five Willow Run runways.

The runway in question, if extended, would be about one mile from Canton. The deal — as attorney Bryan Amann, who represents Canton on the issue, tells it — would prohibit the extension during Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara's current term. That's about three more years, if he doesn't seek re-election.

Wayne County Deputy Executive Mike Duggan, who has been negotiating with township officials, says the payoff would come in the form of township support for a revised plan for a tradeport or cargo facility at Willow Run.

That side of the continuing negotiations was not revealed at a Canton Township Sept. 3 study session where Amann unveiled the potential agreement.

Duggan's revelations are alarming, considering that township officials Sept. 3 spoke disparagingly of how tradeport advocates have no data to support their claims that a cargo facility would create some 25,000 jobs for an area depressed by the GM Willow Run plant closing several years ago.

Clearly, the pros and cons of such an arrangement must be more fully explored, and it must be done publicly. Residents who are concerned about the runway and the tradeport have a right to know what is being done with their futures in Canton.

Many residents don't want the runway extension. They are equally opposed to the proposed tradeport, which has no factual data to imply its success — let alone a legislative appropriation to begin renovation and construction.

It appears Wayne County administrators do not want to spend the millions of dollars necessary to conduct a required, in-depth environmental impact statement. The environmental assessment now under way already shows a significant negative impact to the area should the runway be extended.

It is on this point that Amann says the township has a legal foothold. Not to mention the fact that the township would likely spend its own hundreds of thousands of dollars to verify information in the county's study.

The public should wonder why any agreement is necessary if Wayne County administrators hesitate to spend on an EIS, when without it, the runway would not likely be extended. At best, an agreement is only a short-term solution and would bind the township to support a tradeport for which there is still little factual information implying success.

Without more public debate — before an agreement is drafted and signed — the township might be selling its future for an agreement that does nothing more than hold up for three years what could be inevitable.

Mergers impact local consumers

■ The summer of media mergers on Wall Street has big implications for Main Street. The changing landscape in corporate America, particularly in the telecommunications and cable television industries, requires consumers to be ever more vigilant.

We've been reading the headlines for weeks now. Disney buys Cap Cities-ABC. Westinghouse buys CBS. Time-Warner, which last year bought Advance-Newhouse Broadcasting, wants to merge with Turner Broadcasting.

Let's not forget the phone companies — Ameritech, Bell Atlantic, et al — who want to jump into cable and snap up anything else communications-related that doesn't happen to be bolted down.

The summer of media mergers on Wall Street has big implications for Main Street. The changing landscape in corporate America, particularly in the telecommunications and cable television industries, requires consumers to be ever more vigilant.

Decisions about what cable channels your system carries and what kind of phone service you get, at what rate, will ultimately be made hundreds or even thousands of miles away from local communities — in board rooms where local issues are likely to receive short shrift when compared to the bottom line.

Take cable, for example. MetroVision — which had provided service in Livonia, Redford and Farmington Hills through 1994 — is now part of Time-Warner Entertainment, headquartered in New York.

Yes, MetroVision's local staff is still on hand to administer service. But they answer to a different executive suite. In Time-Warner, they are allied with a multimedia conglomerate that carries a heavy amount of debt.

Ameritech, formerly Michigan Bell, keeps a strong regional presence in Southeastern Michigan. But the company is headquartered in Chicago, not exactly a local call if you want to talk to somebody in the front office.

Which is why local cable commissions and the state Public Service Commission, which regulates phone companies, will take on increasingly important roles in the communications revolution. They provide residents the best opportunity to voice their concerns about local service. They are nonpartisan and have more clout, by nature of their collective power, than individuals.

But how many people know who their local cable commissioners are, or when the group meets? And when was the last time anyone called the Public Service Commission (1-800-292-9555) or attended a hearing on phone rates?

People need to abandon the notion that cable television is strictly entertainment, or that the telephone is merely a convenience. Phone lines, remember, are the data transport system on the information superhighway.

Information is power. It would be smart for consumers to recall this as the free-enterprise feeding frenzy among communication companies picks up speed.

COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

There are plans to extend the runways of Willow Run Airport. It would create jobs, but also noise from more planes. Do you want to see the extension?

We asked this question at the Canton Library.



'It's a tough question. There's enough traffic.'

Melissa Arquette
Canton



'I'm all for more jobs.'

Karen Lambert
Plymouth



'I'm for prosperity, the creation of jobs.'

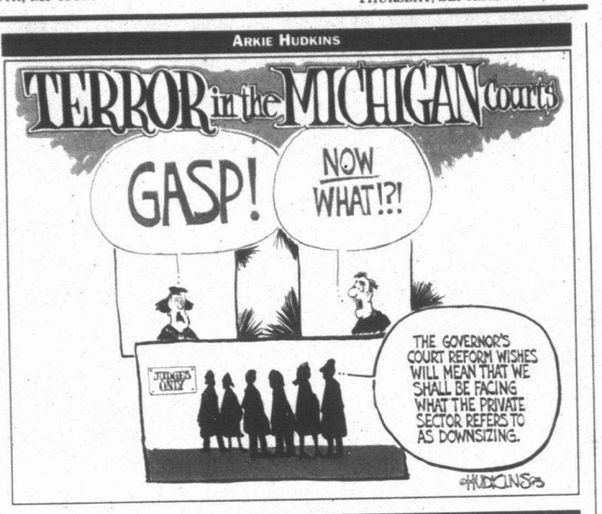
Ron Cook
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'The noise wouldn't affect us.'

Hyle Adams
Canton

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

Limit the court

I must admit that before Rep.(Deborah) Whyman mentioned the Recorder's Court issue, I and probably a majority of Wayne County residents, did not know an issue existed. Now that she has brought it to our attention, I can see where an inherent unfairness exists. Any and all state judges have to be accountable to the community (people) they preside over. I mean this in the sense that if the community is not satisfied with the way a judge handles him/herself on the bench, they should have the right to vote him/her out of office.

This is obviously not the case with Recorder's Court judges who can only be elected by Detroit voters yet have jurisdiction over other areas of Wayne County and not just Detroit. The current judges of Recorder's Court who are predominantly African-Americans are rightly concerned for their futures since their chances of getting elected by residents of Wayne County instead of just Detroit are somewhat diminished.

If we are to just address this issue as an issue of fairness and accomplish what Rep. Whyman wants, we should pass a law that would limit the jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court judges to only Detroit.

Janusz M. Szyszko, Canton

Free doves

Hunting is legal, and contrary to some people's beliefs, the majority of hunters are not "gun toting, beer guzzling madmen" skulking through the woods with a blood lust for "the kill." I don't find the buck pole and pictures of it any more offensive then a baby calf in its tiny pen here in Canton, being fattened for "the kill" because there is a desire for veal meat.

I suggest that we add a Dove Drop Area "sportsmen" can show off their skills by stringing up their kills much as fish are strung on a line.

How many do you need to make a meal? I understand that the dove provides approximately two, half-dollar-size pieces of meat. Perhaps you can use the feathers to make pillows; what do you think, 50 dead doves to pluck and stuff, or maybe a hundred for one good pillow?

How many of these birds will go unrecovered and wounded and odds are, probably die? For what?

Maybe state Sen. Loren Bennett would be willing to have his picture taken with these "trophies" since he is backing the bill that will allow these environmentally harmless birds, who mate for life, to be put on the game list, (which already has 38 species on the list). Michigan has continued to be one of 13 states which provide a refuge for these gentle birds. Since many of these birds regularly roost on power, cable and phone lines, will it be legal to shoot them from atop these lines? If so, could this result in expensive outages when lines are shot?

I think the true hunters in this state will not be the people eagerly standing in line for a license to hunt doves. I'm curious, Senator Bennett, will you be one of these hunters? If you are, I wonder why, and if you aren't, I wonder why not?

Pat Budziak, Canton

No to Pole

No! No-No-No-No-No!! NO MORE BUCKPOLE!! At a time in our country's history when life — All Life — seems to have lost value, I find it totally inappropriate to glorify the butchering of beautiful, innocent animals who are lured by food and scent and are then shot and killed. If people want to commit these acts in the name of "sport" then please don't plaster it all over the newspaper.

Peace, people, please!! This sick world is in desperate need of peace — in all areas. Begin by eliminating that disgusting Buck Pole.

Nancy Spencer, Canton

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POINTS OF VIEW

Playscape a reality due to child care help

GUEST COLUMNIST



GERI HERMANN

■ The reason I want more people to know about child care during the playscape construction is to remember all the people who watched the children-

Many volunteers from Plymouth and Canton helped build it. It's done! And the child care committee helped. The Heritage Hideout or Canton Playscape has been completed for more than two months now. Let me take you back to that week in June. Try to imagine and see what the more than 100 child care volunteers witnessed.

Child care was a free service available to the volunteers who worked on the construction site. With loads of supplies donated, we were set up to stay for five 13-hour days.

Picture this: the very large meeting room at the Canton Public Library filled with real day care equipment. Walk in and open the door. Look to the right. There is the video area with chairs and resting mats — sometimes used for tumbling. Now look almost straight ahead. Can you see the colorful general play area with a play house, slide and kitchen?

As you glance a bit to the left, picture an ongoing craft table (remember the longest paper chain in the world? Child care started it.) Keep scanning, now you see the building blocks — 48 red — shoe box size to be exact. Now to your extreme left, my personal favorite, the two large craft tables. Volunteer child care workers could select a group of children, grab a bag (with a sample attached to the outside) and just like music, orchestrate a special craft.

In addition to our activities inside there is more to boast about outside. Under our striped snack tent, the children participated in field games and painting. We could even take them out of our jurisdiction to the children's work area on site or different destinations, while hanging on to a lead rope.

Remember field trips as a kid? We brought just that to the kids. Special people such as representatives from Canton's police and fire departments each made two special appearances; Speedy the clown, who shaped animal balloons and painted more than 70 children's faces; the Humane Society taught us about pet care; the local band enlightened us with music; the library's own story time by Michelle; Jr. Jazzercise with Shelly and Fran; and creative movement with Mrs. Whitecare.

Of course, this sounds all picture-perfect but it was far from that. To most, it may seem near impossible to run a day care (five days) business from scratch, without a budget, not knowing who the help is, let alone how many children for each shift (some of my experiences are still with me, one shift we had 78 children) but to us it was possible. We did it — the best we could and learned a lot as we went.

The reason I want more people to know about child care during the playscape construction is to remember all the people who watched the children and to recognize the volunteer special events. They may not have sanded wood or drilled a hole that day but they were The Unsung Heroes. I want to thank each and every volunteer who participated some how, some way, with child care that week in June. Thanks from the bottom of my heart!

Geri Hermann was coordinator of child care for the Canton Playscape. For information on writing a guest column, call Joanne Maliszewski, Canton Observer editor, at 459-2700.

Political polarization hits state representatives

TIM RICHARD



■ The newer group tended to vote no — Democrats for liberal ideological reasons (the sales tax was "regressive"), Republicans for anti-tax reasons (don't replace lost property taxes, just cut 'em). The older hands learned the necessary art of compromise.

Our friendly state representatives in Lansing are becoming more polarized politically. That much is fact. Some of us disagree on why.

I've said it's term limits. During the Proposal A voting, I ran a study of how first- and second-term lawmakers voted on replacement taxes versus how veterans of three or more terms voted.

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Bill Ballenger — entrepreneur of the Inside Michigan Politics newsletter, a former county GOP leader, former legislator and former Milliken Administration department head — comes up with a new set of facts based on this year's voting records: "All 56 Republicans were more conservative than all 54 Democrats." No longer is there a middle ground. Ballenger's reasons:

"1) The GOP's razor-thin margin of control instilled a sense of discipline in the Republican caucus that it didn't need when it was in the minority, or deadlocked for control with Dems in 1993-94.

"2) This year's session, tilted heavily toward economic and tax policy questions, was largely devoid of some of the incendiary social-cultural roll calls that gave some Republican leaders a chance in years past to cast 'liberal' votes on issues like abortion, assisted suicide, et al."

Case in point: Reps. Barbara Dobb, R-Union Lake, and Susan Munsell, R-Howell, have been "pro-choice" or liberal votes on anti-abortion bills in the past and had "moderate" scores. This year they're to the right of far right types like Alan Cropsey, R-DeWitt, and Dave Jaye, R-Utica.

IMP based its scoring on 30 roll calls, rating perfect conservative records as zero and perfect liberal records as 100. So how did your local state representatives do?

Eileen DeHart, D-Westland, and Tom Kelly, D-Wayne, both 77.8 percent; Jan Dolan, R-Farmington Hills, 16.7; Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, 14.3; Jim Ryan, R-Redford, 10; Deborah Whyman, R-Canton, 7.4; Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, 3.3.

Well, now, what does that mean to you? Did your local hero or heroine vote your philosophy? How liberal or conservative are you? Here are some of the easier-to-understand bills, where a yes vote is conservative and a no vote liberal:

■ Immediate effect to HB 4229 reducing the single business tax.
■ Final passage to HB 4233 to reduce and eliminate the intangibles tax.
■ Final passage of a state anti-racketeering law (HB 4367) allowing prosecutors to expropriate property from persons for crimes defined as racketeering.
■ Final passage of SB 322 reforming unemployment compensation in ways friendly to business but opposed by unions.
■ Final passage of SB 386 easing cleanup standards for leaking underground storage tank (LUST) sites.
■ Cut off welfare for fetuses less than five months and use savings to encourage pregnant minors living alone to return home or to adult supervised care (SB 300).
■ Adopt Walberg amendment to HB 4425 eliminating Indian tuition waiver from the fiscal 1996 budget.
■ Concur in Senate amendments to HB 4596 undoing part of the "polluter pay" law.
■ Pass HB 4508 eliminating "joint and several liability" in civil suits for medical malpractice, product and premises liability — sought by health care and industry, abhorred by the trial lawyers.

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Business coalesces behind academic core curriculum

PHILIP POWER



As usual, last week's big news failed to get much coverage on TV or in the big daily newspapers. But it was both important and timely.

Michigan's business community finally weighed in — and how! — on the eve of what promises to be a noisy fight in the Michigan Legislature over required classroom standards.

Business leaders have been growing increasingly concerned at the damage the radicals now controlling the State Board of Education might do in their quest to reform our public schools by destroying them.

The State Board, for example, wants to throw out the mandatory school curriculum standards adopted by the Legislature in 1993 and allow each school district to follow them or not, as it pleases. The board also is very hostile to the tough new statewide achievement tests that will supplement the MEAP tests later this year.

For years the business community has been grumbling that it's paying most of the taxes to support the schools whereas many kids leaving high school are largely unemployable. Some can't reason well or write clearly. Others cannot add fractions or read blueprints. Worse, the expensive task of remediating those schools on the job amounts to throwing good money after bad.

Earlier this spring, business leaders realized that the slash-and-burn majority on the State Board, led by Grosse Pointe lawyer Clark Durant, was serious about gutting the steps to school reform that were made possible by the passage of the Proposal A package. They started pulling a coalition together linking heavyweight organizations: the Michigan Chamber of Commerce, the Michigan Manufacturers Association, the Greater Detroit and Grand Rapids Area Chambers of Commerce.

They created something called the Michigan Business Leaders for Education Excellence to lobby for tough curriculum standards and accurate assessment tests to make sure that kids really learned what was in the curriculum, not just in the good schools but in all of them.

And last week's news was that the coalition held its first press conference, making it clear that the business community was going to be in the thick of the fight over school standards.

John Thodis, president of the MMA, was blunt: "Since the passage of Proposal A, there has been an ongoing attempt to back away from these accountability measures, and away from the promises made to the people of Michigan.

The latest threat to this new system is an effort to remove the mandate from the academic core curriculum and make it a recommended set of standards.

"If we believe that these standards are essential to providing a quality education for our students, how can we believe that it is acceptable if some schools choose not to provide the solid educational foundation that the core curriculum establishes? This is too important an issue to leave to chance, and we are not content to say to the students of this state that they *may* get a good education — *if* they choose the right school and *if* their school chooses to adopt the academic core curriculum.

"The MMA believes that the only way to ensure that all students receive a solid educational foundation is to require, rather than merely recommend, the standards that all students will be expected to achieve."

Right on, John Thodis! Right on, Michigan business leaders!

You and your business colleagues, of all people, have a direct stake in making sure the kids who leave school have the skills to become productive workers in an increasingly competitive world economy. That's a far more important stake to us than the rantings of a bunch of ideologues who happen to control the State Board of Education.

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Budget juggling act

School retirees' benefits funded — for now

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

State lawmakers this week are helping school districts pay for retirees' health benefits in fiscal 1995 by dipping into the 1996 budget.

"This resolves it for September (of '95), and that's all," said Rep. Maxine Berman, D-Southfield, a member of the House Appropriations Committee.

"This is a shell game, but there's not even a pea under the shell. School districts and retirees *should* be worried," Berman said Tuesday before the unanimous committee completed its borrowing act.

Added Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Redford: "To resolve this, we took money from June of 1996 and put it in the September '95 budget."

The June '96 date was picked because the Supreme Court is expected to resolve the issue of school retirees' health benefits by then, Bankes said.

The money juggling act is contained in House Bill 4084, a one-section measure that appropriates $139.5 million from the '96 school aid fund into the '95 budget. "It's the shortest school aid bill ever," quipped the sponsor, Rep. Glenn Oxender, R-Sturgis.

Without it, Oxender said, Michigan's 560 public school districts would suffer a 47 percent shortfall in their abilities to pay retirees' health benefits.

Panel chair Don Gilmer, R-Augusta, called for swift, bipartisan action in both chambers to waive a waiting rule, give the bill immediate effect and facilitate state aid payments by Sept. 21, only one day behind schedule. The unanimous vote Tuesday indicated lawmakers would respond.

The problem arose with the Supreme Court's April 25 decision in the so-called "Musselman case," the short title for the suit by Ann Musselman and seven school retirees against Gov. John Engler, Treasurer Douglas Roberts and the Legislature.

Musselman asked the court to mandate that the state actuarially pre-pay their health benefits at the time of retirement, as it had done prior to 1991. Engler, facing a budget in his first year as governor, made the decision to fund benefits annually.

In a 6-0 decision, the Supreme Court said the state's failure to pre-fund retirees' benefits violated the state constitution, which makes such benefits "a contractual obligation . . . which shall not be diminished or impaired." The justices added, "However, because we have no authority to order the governor or the Legislature to appropriate funds, mandamus is denied."

Engler and the Michigan Education Association have petitioned for re-hearings — hence the House panel's decision to juggle fiscal June '96 money into the September '96 budget.

Here, according to the House Fiscal Agency, is the impact (in round numbers) on area school districts. The first number is state aid for benefits without HB 4084; the second, with HB 4084.

Clarenceville $173,000 and $324,000, Garden City $528,500 and $988,000. Livonia $1.7 million and $3.2 million. Redford Union $523,000 and $977,000. Plymouth Canton $1.5 million and $2.8 million. Redford Union $523,000 and $977,000. South Redford $338,000 and $632,000. Wayne-Westland $1.5 million and $2.9 million. Northville $426,000 and $796,000.

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Family Room



Karen Meier

A day in court without O.J.

The O.J. Simpson trial is winding down. That's what the experts say, anyway. And the whole proceeding has been so befuddling. But then, courtroom proceedings in general are befuddling — at least to me.

A few years ago I found out just how befuddling. That's when I had my very own courtroom experience. It was quite brief, fleeting really. And most unpleasant.

I was contesting a traffic citation, just like the policeman who issued it said I could. He told me so right there in the parking lot of the doughnut shop, in front of my children and the crowd of early morning doughnut buyers who happened to witness everything from inside the glass-fronted shop.

He pointed to the back of the expensive bit of paper, showing me where the lines were that I needed to fill in to indicate my dissatisfaction with this whole business. I paid very close attention, in spite of the children's commentary: "Look at the lights flashing on the police car, that's cool. That man has a gun on his belt. His hat is scary. I bet that gun is real. Mommy, don't forget I want the red-jelly-inside-frosting-on-top doughnut. I think you're going to be real late for work, Mommy."

The policeman, oblivious to that, tore the ticket off at the perforations, presented it to me,

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Foundation remembers grandfather

■ To Dawn Ham-Kucharski, her grandfather was a special person, so much so that she and her husband have formed the QCK Foundation to benefit people who embrace his love of people.

By Christina Fuoco
Staff Writer



To Dawn Ham-Kucharski, her grandfather Quiller Couch Kitto was the epitome of a well-rounded person.

He taught his family not to judge people by the way they dressed but by their actions. He loved animals, people and nature. Kitto was a skilled blacksmith who thought nothing of creating treasures for friends and family.

When he passed away earlier this year at age 91, Ham-Kucharski and her husband, Rich, decided the ultimate tribute would be to honor people who embraced the same beliefs and for them to carry on his love for people.

So they created the Canton-based QCK Foundation, a scholarship organization to help students and individuals who want to focus on technical and vocational studies ranging from automotive repairs to computer technology.

"He was such an incredible man," Ham-Kucharski said. "We just wanted to become involved in the community because that's what a citizen should do. He always put children first. He thought they were the light of importance for our future.

"Schooling is expensive, whether it's vocational school, university or college. We just want to help them get started with their life."



Tom Hawley

In honor of: *Dawn Ham-Kucharski of Canton is ready for the Sunday, Sept. 17 walk-a-thon at Griffin Park to benefit the QCK Foundation she and husband Rich formed to honor her grandfather, Quiller Couch Kitto.*

On Sunday, Sept. 17, the QCK Foundation is holding its second fund-raiser — a two-mile walk-a-thon through Griffin Park on Sheldon Road just north of Cherry Hill, Canton. The $12-per-person registration fee, payable at the door, includes a T-shirt, drinks and fruit. So far the organization has raised $1,200 through a bowl-a-thon held in June.

Kitto, the father of one, worked for 60 years as a blacksmith for A.C. Delco in Flint, but he took his talents a step further by creating pieces for friends and family. Ham-Kucharski and her husband keep Kitto's memory alive by decorating their Canton home with pieces of his artwork.

"We have many of the artifacts still around — a candleholder that he made for the people who used to be in the mining business, a lamp that he made, and photos of wrought-iron artwork," Rich said.

Rich came up with the idea of the foundation and serves as director of operations. When he met Dawn seven years ago, it didn't take long for him to realize the strong sense of family that his wife's family possesses.

"It's amazing; I walked in for my first family get-together and everybody embraced me like I've been in the family forever," he said. "At the time I was just a boyfriend of the family. It took a year to actually get used to that."

And it didn't take long for Kitto to charm Rich.

"It was mostly his honesty and his blunt opinions," Rich said with a laugh. "Many of his opinions were

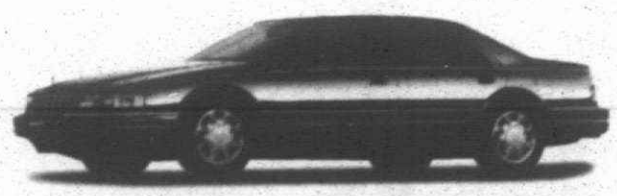
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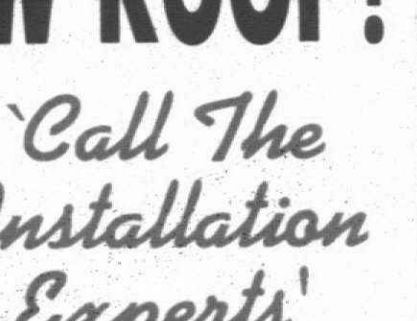
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turned on his heels back to his flashing car and left me to face my offspring and a whole shopful of cruller and crumbcake customers.

I tried to pretend nothing happened. I put my head up, chin forward, held my children's hands and took my place in line. I selected the doughnuts for the children and for my co-workers at the office, paid my money, and climbed back into my car with its expired-eight-days-ago license tabs.

As I drove to the babysitter's house, I got to thinking about my expensive expired-tabs ticket. I'd paid for new license tabs well before my birthday and sent the check to Lansing. And my birthday came and went, and so did eight more days, and no tabs. And wouldn't you know it, even before my birth month was over, on that hot morning in late July, no more than a couple of blocks from my house, with my children in the back seat, and some doughnut business to take care of before heading to the babysitter's and then to work, and dressed in a long summery cotton skirt with its tiny flowered print and a buttoned-up-to-the-neck blouse and shoes with sensible heels, I became a common criminal. In front of the doughnut shop.

"Yes," I decided halfway to the babysitter's, "I'm going to fight this."

And I did. Some weeks later, I appeared on my appointed court date before a judge. I had a portfolio of exhibits. I had canceled checks. I had confirmation, substantiation, illustration, certification, explanation. I wore my sensible office suit with sensible shoes. I wore my hair in a very sensible, controlled way. I had a very sensible closing argument all written down on a piece of sensible, white paper with no tatters on the edges. I arrived sensibly early before my already early appointed time. I was second on the list.

After a few others shuffled into the courtroom, the judge came in. And the proceedings began. Six men were called before me. And they were bad men who had done very bad things. And some even had lawyers with them because they'd been so bad. And they were, at that very early time in the day, looking very disheveled, dirty, and utterly disrespectful of the arena and the justice system itself. The judge made sharp speeches at each one of them.

And each one of them got punished.

I listened. And then quietly, I'm sure no one noticed, became rather unstrung. Sitting by myself, in my sensible suit with my sensible portfolio, I just knew the judge would laugh at me. And then lock me up and toss the key into a volcano. I just knew it.

Finally, my name was called, I held my head up, put my chin forward, and made my way to the front of the courtroom. I stood at the podium before the judge, the podium of prisoners, I'd noticed.

The judge prompted me and I began. I presented my cut and dried and verifiable substantiation. And then, with the judge's permission, I launched my oration. It was eloquent and moving and full of truth and serious thought and respect for the law and it was a page and a half long.

The judge allowed only one sentence of my masterpiece to be uttered.

"OK, stop," he ordered. "You've got a pretty strong case right there. Don't wreck it by opening your mouth anymore. Case dismissed."

I'd won, I guessed.

I gathered my papers back into my sensible portfolio and with all the dignity I could muster, made my way out of the courtroom. Five scruffy men still awaiting their turn gave me a scruffy look. And I . . . I simply walked.

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based on a mixture of Old World logic and New World awareness. (A little while after (Nirvana lead singer) Kurt Cobain shot himself, we were having dinner and he was discussing that because he was watching MTV an hour a day. He was very worldly."

The strong family ties are well represented within the QCK Foundation.

"It's been very well embraced by the entire family; everybody has contributed to everything we've come up with — monetary or physical events," Rich said. "Everybody's been very, very cooperative."

For more information, write the QCK Foundation in care of 42272 Addison, Suite 101, Canton 48187, or call (313) 844-1617.

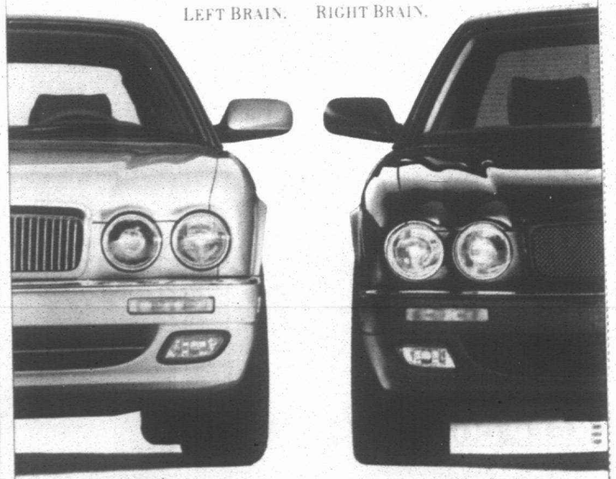
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WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS

Daniell-Smith



Mr. and Mrs. Lannie Daniell of Wayne announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheleen Lanell, to Thomas Edward Smith, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Garden City.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Glenn High School. She is employed as a sales associate in Westland.

Her fiance is a graduate of Faithway Baptist High School and is a senior at Pensacola Christian College. He will graduate in May 1996 with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He is currently finishing an internship at the Ford Motor Company.

A July 1996 wedding is planned in Parkview Baptist Church, Livonia.

Hooper-Karpinski



Gilbert and Judith Hooper of Redford and Donald Gates of Wayne announce the engagement of their daughter, Joy Rachel Love Hooper, to Gerald John Karpinski II of Westland, the son of Gerald and Joanne Karpinski of Chesterfield.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 Redford Union High School graduate. She is employed by Detroit Diesel Corporation.

Her finance is a 1989 Wayne Memorial High School graduate. He is employed as general manager at Farwell & Friends in Westland.

An October wedding is planned at Praise Chapel Church of God in Plymouth.

Rockwood-Smith



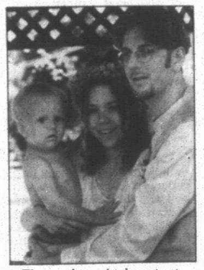
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rockwood of Plymouth Township announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Lynne, to Dominic Connor Smith, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Smith of St. Louis, Mo.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and Michigan State University. She also received a master of science degree in speech-language pathology from Purdue University. She is employed by an Ann Arbor rehabilitation company as a speech-language pathologist.

Her fiance also is a graduate of Purdue University with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He is employed by Ford Motor Company in Utica.

A December wedding is planned at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth.

Evans-Schorsch



Robert A. Evans II of Westland and Andrea L. Schorsch of Garden City were married July 8 in a garden ceremony at the groom's mother's home.

In attendance was their son, Logan Evans.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schorsch; the groom is the son of Robert Evans and Jacqulyn Evans.

Michelle Camilleri served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Jenny Testa and Shawn Flanigan Nycz. Christy Dean served as flower girl.

Christopher Evans served as best man with groomsmen Mike Schuell and Doug Pease. Andrew Testa served as ring bearer.

The couple received guests at St. Dunstan's Church Hall in Garden City.

Cavicchiolo-Hughes



Kristine Kaye Hughes and Joseph Albert Cavicchiolo were married July 8 in Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church in Overland Park, Kan., by the Rev. J. McKell.

The bride is the daughter of Donald and Susan Hughes of Salina, Kan., and the groom is the son of Albert and Geraldine Cavicchiolo of Redford.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Kansas with a bachelor of arts degree in human development and psychology. She is a first-grade teacher in Lawrence, Kan.

The groom is a graduate of Redford Thurston High School and Michigan State University with a degree in materials and logistics management. He is employed by the Ford Motor Company as a material control supervisor.

Debbie Green served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Andrea Huddleston, Debbie Bird and Teri Bushman. Kaylee Bird served as flower girl.

Daryl Chestney served as best man with groomsmen Dave Leshok, Greg Leshok and Bill Ruane. Ken Hughes and Brian Isehart served as ushers.

The couple received guests at Arcadian Hall in Overland, Kan., before leaving on a cruise in the Caribbean. They are making their home in Olathe, Kan.

Claar-Boice



Susan Frances Boice and Adam Jeffry Claar were married May 27 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth by the Rev. Jim Livingston.

The bride is the daughter of Raymond and Joyce Boice of Plymouth; the groom is the son of Leslie and Helen Claar of Novi.

The bride is a graduate of Troy (New York) High School and Oakland Community College. She is employed at Ford Motor Company in Plymouth.

The groom is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Lawrence Technological University. He is employed at Lear Seating Corporation in Southfield.

Jennifer Boice served as maid of honor, with bridesmaids Lori VanVeghten, Tina Luce, Eve Claar, Vanessa Claar, Malisa Weimert and Leanne Norton.

Ross Karcher served as best man, with groomsmen Neil O'Leary, Stephen VanVeghten, Matt Portnoy, Simon Buckley, Eric Weigold and Paul Stefanko.

The couple received guests at the Plymouth Manor before leaving on a cruise to the West Indies and Virgin Islands and a week in Peurto Rico. They are making their home in Northville.

Calabro-Smith



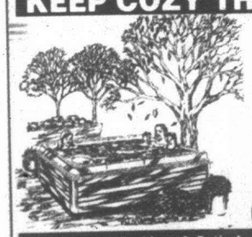
August and Eleanor Calabro of Detroit announce the engagement of their daughter, Camille E., to Keith D. Smith, the son of Gerald and Margo Smith of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is employed by EDS in Southfield.

Her fiance owns a cleaning company in Livonia.

A December wedding is planned in the First Presbyterian Church in Plymouth.

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GRAPHOLOGY PROFILES



LORENE GREEN

Dear Ms. Green:

I find the ability to discern personality traits through common handwriting to be fascinating. However, I stopped "writing" in high school, as I feel printing is much more natural, easier to read, and quicker. Also, I only print in the upper case, never lower.

I am right-handed and will be 28 in September. It occurs to me the art of handwriting, and writing as well, will begin to diminish due to the influence of computer and voice communications.

Thank you for considering this handwriting sample.

Best regards.

M.J., Novi

I, too, feel the art of handwriting will have a diminishing role in the future. To me, however, a handwritten note or letter is a beautiful gift. I have boxes of letters that I have saved from my children when they were in college.

Because the research on printing is somewhat limited, I feel it is important to offer a disclaimer. This analysis may not be quite as accurate as one done on handwriting.

I have found that printing is often the preferred choice of those who have art, drafting, engineering aptitude or a good aesthetic sense. Sometimes, printing is selected by those who want to communicate and be understood by others. A seeming contradiction, however, may be seen in that they do not always make it easy for others to do this.

Ann Mahoney in her excellent book "Handwriting and Personality" has this to say about printing: "Whether you learned to print in school, or at an architectural drafting table, or just adopted the style for legibility, it does reveal a preference for quick, intuitive thinking and ability to appraise a situation and formulate an answer on gut feeling. It also creates a certain amount of emotional isolation. But it is important to know why the person chose printing and how he writes when scribbling a phone message for himself."

I was drawn to this neat, attractive printing almost immediately. I felt this was a young man with many superlative traits that I admired. He is a person who wants to be in control of his life. Taking charge comes naturally for him.

His circle of friends may be somewhat limited. Quality appears to be more important than quantity.

He has high standards for himself. Procrastination, incompetence, carelessness and/or vulgarity can turn him right off.

Ambition stands out here. His aspirations are aimed high. He knows what he wants from life and can move right into action. His goals are challenging, and I feel he will work until he achieves them.

Self-discipline does not permit him to relax until he has completed all of his work. His motto is probably "Business before pleasure."

In addition, he is extremely conscientious, dependable and meticulous in all things. Punctuality is high on his priority list. When he makes an appointment, he will be there at the stated time and will expect the same consideration from others.

I AM RIGHT-HANDED, AND WILL BE 28 in SEPTEMBER. IT OCCURS TO ME THE ART OF HANDWRITING, AND WRITING WELL, WILL BEGIN TO DIMINISH DUE TO THE INFLUENCE OF COMPUTER AND VOICE COMMUNICATIONS.

THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING THIS HANDWRITING SAMPLE.

Nothing less than his best effort is ever acceptable to him. I see a perfectionist when I study this printing, and I can't help wondering who exerted that much pressure on this young man.

In his bailiwick, he is neat, tidy and clean. His grooming is fastidious.

Our printer is optimistic and upbeat. For him, the cup is half full and never half empty. He looks on the positive side of life and living. This furnishes him with additional confidence in his capabilities.

Appropo here are a couple of thoughts I often share in motivational speeches: "If you think you can, you can. If you think you can't, you can't. Attitude is everything!"

If you would like your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please write a few paragraphs about yourself, using a full sheet of white, unlined paper and writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and signature are all helpful. And objective feedback is welcome.

Polish dance troupes seek new members

The Polish National Alliance Centennial Dancers and the Radomaine Polish Folklore Ensemble will hold registration during September.

The Radomaine ensemble is looking for new members 18 years and older who have prior dance experience. Registration will be Wednesday, Sept. 6. The ensemble practices on Monday evenings in the Livonia area. The troupe is planning a trip to Poland in July 1996.

Call (313) 535-9094 or (313) 421-1199 for more information.

The Centennial Dancers will have open registration Wednesday, Sept. 20, for children age 3-20. Practices are held in Livonia Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Call (313) 427-2636 or (313) 453-7161 for more information.

The Centennial Dancers have been invited to participate in the children's festival in Krosno as well as at the X Swiatowy Festival in Rzeszow. To help finance the trip, the dancers will have a Stroje Ludowe, a Polish folklore fashion show luncheon Sunday, Oct. 15.

The fund-raiser will start with a social hour at 2:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 3:30 p.m., at Sts. Peter and Paul Banquet Hall, 750 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. The benefit will feature Polish food and baked goods, artifacts and authentic costumes.

Tickets cost $20, and reservations can be made through Oct. 8 by calling (313) 535-9094, (313) 525-0556 or (313) 422-1731. Checks or money orders can be sent to the Centennial Dancers, 29161 Lori, Livonia 48154.

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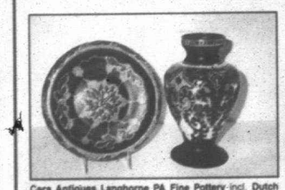
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Golfers score for WRC at Tee Time Classic

Mother Nature was slow to cooperate, but that didn't dampen the spirits of volunteers and golfers who turned out for the Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center's first-ever Tee Time Golf Classic Sept. 8.

Held at the Cattails Golf Club in South Lyon, the tournament attracted 127 golfers, far more than the hoped-for 100 golfers on which organizers had set their sights.

"We're delighted with the turnout, especially for the first time," said Nancy Swanborg, WRC director. "This is shaping up to be the biggest fund-raiser ever for the center."

Initial estimates are that the benefit will raise close to $6,000, more than raised by the center's popular annual spaghetti dinner. The money will be used for scholarships to cover such things as tuition, books, child care and licensing for women who utilize the center's services.

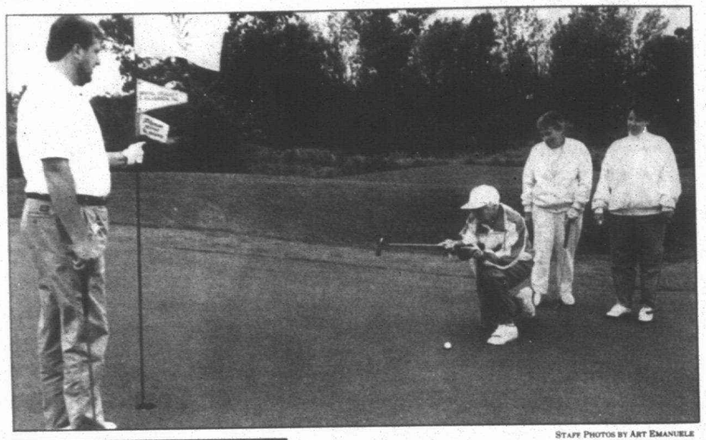
Early arrivals took advantage of the club's driving range and putting green to warm up, and some staged a quick "raid" on the pro shop, taking advantage of discounts on golfing paraphernalia, especially monogrammed Cattails Golf Club sweatshirts.

Barbara Mansfield was one of the golfers who decided to buy a sweatshirt because she "travels with these things. My clubs are always packed."

The weather did delay the start of the scrambles, with golfers finally teeing off just after 2 p.m.

"The golfers were really patient; they realize that the weather is one thing you don't have control of," said Swanborg, who also played in the tournament. "But the day really turned gorgeous."

The winners of the classic with a 2 under par for the five holes that were counted was the foursome of Stephanie Hall, John Hall, Don Lynch and Dave Duncan. Lynch also won one of three putters given as prizes in the putting contest. Putters also were won by Gretchen Dunfee and Helen Kane.



Taking aim: *Betty Griffin of Northville lines up her putt with coaching from Greg Colling of Livonia (left). Mary Jo Hewitt of Plymouth and Bonnie Riley of Livonia.*

STAFF PHOTOS BY ART EMANUELE



Stylish: *Dan Johnson of Farmington Hills was an attention getter, showing up to golf dressed in knickers and slouch hat.*

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When it comes to children, American women are having more.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, women are having more children — 2.0 children per capita during their lifetime as of 1994 — than they were 10 years ago — 1.8 children per capita during their lifetimes as of 1984.

And when it comes to parenting, there are about six times as many single mothers (9.3 million) as single fathers (1.6 million) in 1993, meaning that in 86 percent of one-parent households, it is the father who is absent.

In 1970, 90 percent of the single parents were mothers.

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WESTERN TOWNSHIP UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Board of Commissioners Study Session Synopsis
5:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 29, 1995
WTUA Conference Room
40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan

Meeting called to order at 5:12 p.m.
Present: Thomas Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen A. Keen-McCarthy
The topic of discussion was OMI issues.
The meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Chairman
THOMAS YACK

This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices, 40905 Joy Rd., Canton, MI 48187.

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WESTERN TOWNSHIP UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Board of Commissioners Study Session Synopsis
3:00 p.m. Monday, August 28, 1995
WTUA Conference Room
40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan

Meeting called to order at 3:13 p.m.
Present: Thomas Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen A. Keen-McCarthy
The topic of discussion was WTUA's proposed budget for the 1995/1996 fiscal year.
The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Chairman
THOMAS YACK

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids up to 10:00 a.m., September 28, 1995, for the

WARREN ROAD TREE PLANTING PROJECT
PALMER AND SUPPLEMENTAL SHELDON TREE PLANTING PROJECT

Special Notice: This project is partially funded by the Small Business Administration (SBA). Natural Resource Development program, administered by the Department of Natural Resources. THIS PROJECT IS OPEN ONLY TO FIRMS THAT QUALIFY AS SMALL BUSINESSES. OTHER CONDITIONS ALSO APPLY. Eligibility requirements and certifications are described in the request for proposal.

Specifications are available in the Financial Services Dept. The Township reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G. BENNETT, CLERK

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WESTERN TOWNSHIP UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting Synopsis
4:30 p.m. Monday, August 28, 1995
WTUA Conference Room
40905 Joy Road, Canton, Michigan

Meeting called to order at 4:50 p.m.
Present: Thomas Yack, Karen Baja, Kathleen A. Keen-McCarthy
The agenda was approved, as amended.
The minutes of the July 24, 1995 meeting were approved.
Requisition 161; Requisition 162 and schedule of operating expenses totaling $739,646.18 were approved.
Operations & Maintenance and the Monthly Incident Claim Reports for July, 1995 were received and filed.
Amendment to Legal Agreement was denied.
The 1995/1996 budget was approved, as modified.
The 1995/1996 Schedule of Meetings was approved, as presented.
The O & M purchase approval for Communications Equipment was granted.
The O & M purchase approval for Power Factor Correction Capacitors was granted.
The MDNR Administrative Consent Order payment was approved, with a request for further internal discussions.
There was review and discussion on the flow metering and storm event.
OMI issues were discussed.

The meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Chairman
THOMAS YACK

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

Sealed bids will be received by the Charter Township of Canton Clerk's Office, 1150 S. CantonCenter Road, Canton, MI 48188 until 2pm., Thursday, September 28, 1995 at which time the bids will be opened and publicly read aloud for the following described project:

WETLAND PLANTINGS AT PHEASANT RUN GOLF COURSE, CANTON TOWNSHIP The Contractor is to plant wetland plantings in accordance with the specifications and the Wetland Mitigation Plan that was approved by the MDNR.

Bid documents are available to pick up at Financial Services, 3rd Floor at the above address. A non refundable fee of $5.00 will be charged for the bid packet.

The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

The Township reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

TERRY G. BENNETT, CLERK

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CITY OF PLYMOUTH

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Plymouth, Michigan will accept sealed bids until 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 26, 1995 for:

GRADE & SOD
MASSEY SOFTBALL FIELD

Specifications and proposal forms are available at the office of the Purchasing Agent during regular office hours.

The City of Plymouth reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, in whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities.

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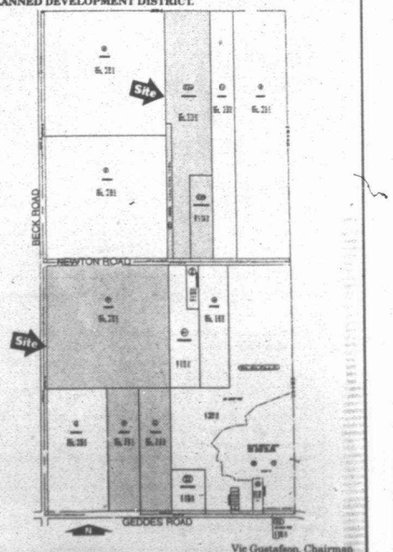
CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, September 18, 1995, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

CONSIDER THE REQUEST TO ESTABLISH A **PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT** (PDD) AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27.04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE INCLUSIVE OF PARCELS 111 99 0001 000, 110 99 0003 001, 110 99 0003 002, 110 99 0004 000, 111 99 0005 000 and 111 99 0006 000. THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED NORTH OF GEDDES ROAD EAST OF BECK ROAD.

THIS IS THE SECOND PUBLIC HEARING BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR THE PROPOSED **LOWER RIVER ROUGE PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT.**



Vic Gustafson, Chairman

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Thurs., Sept. 14 thru Sun., Sept. 17

COUPON SALE

Here are just a few samples of the 108 coupons you'll find in our booklet... available at all Crowley's stores. **STARTS THURSDAY!**

Hurry in for storewide savings for the entire family

$50 off
Entire stock of ladies' career suits
A stunning selection of basic and novelty suits by famous makers. Reg. $140-$200.
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30% off
Entire stock regular-price ladies' Better Separates
Great pants, skirts, blazers, shirts, knits & more from famous N.Y. makers. Dept. 73. Reg. $28-$138.
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25% off
Entire stock of Levi's® Bendover pants and vests
Smart-Stretch fabric pull-ons with hidden tummy control, zip-front. Also, long two-pocket vests. Reg. $29-$42.
WITH COUPON
21.75-31.50
CROWLEY'S
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25% off
Entire stock of misses Related Separates
What a selection! Coordinating styles, fabrics and patterns for your fall wardrobe. Dept. 70. Reg. $32-$60.
WITH COUPON
$24-$45
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of knit tops in misses, petite & plus sizes
Soft and comfy long-sleeved styles in solids, prints or embroidered looks. Dept. 48, 51, 96. Reg. $22-$38.
WITH COUPON
$16.50-28.50
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of Lee® jeans in misses, petite and plus sizes
Misses in relaxed, easy & classic fits; petite & plus sizes in relaxed fit. Choose from a variety of colors.
WITH COUPON
25% OFF
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of stirrup pants in misses, petite & plus sizes
Great fit and comfort in poly/rayon stretch fabrics. Dept. 31, 48, 51. Reg. $38-$48.
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Entire stock of Flexees® & Subtract® shapewear
Slim your silhouette! Our comfortable and flattering pieces will help. Reg. $22-$44.
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30% off
Entire stock of Warner's® bras, panties and daywear
A terrific selection of beautiful lingerie to make you feel good all day long. Reg. $3/12-$25.
WITH COUPON
3/8.40-17.50
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

60% off
Entire stock of sterling silver & 18K gold over silver jewelry
Add some sparkle and shine to your wardrobe! Great savings. Great selection. Bridge Jewelry. Reg. $20-$200.
WITH COUPON
$8-$80
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

30% off
A collection of wallets on a string by B.H. Smith & more
Selected styles also from Michael Stevens, Koltov, Diamicci, more. Excludes Liz Claiborne & Coach. Reg. $22-$28.
WITH COUPON
$15.40-$19.60
CROWLEY'S
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30% off
Entire stock of Levi's® jeans and Levi's Dockers® for men
Save big on all of your classic favorites! A great variety of colors and styles to choose from. Reg. $40-$49.
WITH COUPON
$28-34.30
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of Bugle Boy® for men
Knit and woven sport shirts, plus twill pants and jeans. Reg. $25-$36.
WITH COUPON
18.75-$27
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of men's outerwear
A terrific range of colors & styles. Choose from Columbia, Haggar, Mighty Mac, Gant & more. Reg. $90-$325.
WITH COUPON
67.50-243.75
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Entire stock of men's Haggar dress separates
Choose from suit separates, sportcoats and dress slacks in assorted styles and colors. Reg. $32-$185.
WITH COUPON
$24-138.75
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Men's robes, PJs, loungewear and Dearfoams® slippers
He deserves to relax in comfort. Choose from a variety of styles, fabrics and names. Reg. $12-$75.
WITH COUPON
$9-56.25
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

25% off
Outerwear & outerwear accessories for kids
Choose from quality styles for infants, toddlers, girls 4-14 and boys 4-20. Reg. 2.50-$160.
WITH COUPON
1.88-$120
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17



30% off
Entire stock of Buster Brown
An adorable variety of sportswear for kids, plus layette for newborns. Made in the U.S.A. Reg. $6-$32.
WITH COUPON
4.20-22.40
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COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

$10 off
"Elite" by Cooks Bazaar, Farberware, T-Fal or Revere
You will receive $10 off any cookware purchase of $25 or more.
WITH COUPON
$10 off
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

$20 off
Entire stock of luggage at extra savings
Take an extra $20 off our current sale prices on purchases of $100 or more. Reg. $100-$360.
WITH COUPON
$20 off
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

39.99 *twin size*
Beautiful hand-stitched quality quilts
Twin reg. $150, now **39.99**; full/queen reg. $200, now **49.99**; king reg. $250, now **59.99**. Shams reg. $50, **19.99.**
WITH COUPON
39.99-59.99
CROWLEY'S
COUPON VALID SEPT. 14 thru SEPT. 17

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Seven great beauty products packed in a signature cosmetic carryall. While quantities last.

Stop by our Children's Department and enter to win a fabulous vacation for four at The Walt Disney World® Resort in Florida!
Drawing to be held on Sept. 20.

Exceptional Value items are not included in sale pricing. Selection varies by store. Quantities for this sale are limited to stock on hand. Sale ends Sept. 17.
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INDEPENDENT BAPTIST BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

BETHEL BAPTIST TEMPLE
29475 W. Six Mile, Livonia
525-3664 or 261-9276

YOUTH AWANA CLUBS



Sunday School	10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
Evening Worship	6:00 P.M.
Wed. Family Hour	7:30 P.M.

September 17th
11:00 a.m. "Strange Sounds"
6:00 p.m. Guest: Rev. Rick Ballach

H.C. Petty
Pastor

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Sunday Worship 9:30 A.M. Church School 10:45 A.M.
Midweek Family Program, Wednesdays 5:45 P.M.



September 17th
"New Directions"

Doctor Andrew Boettcher
Minister for Children, Church Youth
Director of Music, Donna Sweazy

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16360 Hubbard Road
Livonia, Michigan 48154
421-8451

Mon-Fri 9:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist
Wednesday 6:30 P.M. Dinner & Classes
Saturday 5:30 P.M. Holy Eucharist

Sunday 7:45 & 10:15 A.M. Holy Eucharist
10:00 A.M. Christian Education for all ages
Sunday Morning Nursery Care Available

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Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.
Phil. 2:11

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The Rev. Margaret Haas, Assistant
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Mass Schedule:

First	Fri.	7:00 p.m.
First	Sat.	9:00 a.m.
	Sun.	7:30 a.m. & 10 a.m.
	Mon.	11:00 a.m.

Confessions Heard Prior to Each Mass

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL
1160 Penniman Ave.
Plymouth • 453-0526
Rev. John J. Sullivan

Masses: Mon.-Fri. 9:00 A.M., Sat. 5:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00, 10:00 A.M. and 12:00 P.M.

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
46755 Warren Rd., Canton, Michigan 48187
451-0444
REV. RICHARD A. PERFETTO

Weekday Masses
Tuesday & Friday 8:30 a.m.
Saturday - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday - 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST

CHRISTADELPHIANS
Sunday
Memorial Service 10:00 A.M.
Bible Class
Wednesdays 8:00 P.M.
36516 Parkdale, Livonia • 425-7610

MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST
(Christian Church)
35475 Five Mile Rd. 464-6722
MARK McGILVREY, Minister
Tim Cole, Associate Minister
Paul Rumbaugh, Youth Minister
BIBLE SCHOOL (all ages) 9:30 A.M. & 10:45 A.M.
Morning Worship - 9:30 & 10:45 A.M.
Adult Worship & Youth Groups 6:30 P.M.



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CHRIST OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
14175 Farmington Rd. (Just N. of I-96) • Livonia
Church • 522-6830 School/Day Care • 513-8413
Rev. Luther A. Werth, Pastor
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:45 A.M.

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Preschool, Kindergarten, Day Care

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN
Church & School 5885 Venoy
Bik. N. of Ford Rd., Westland 425-0260
Divine Worship 8 & 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class & SS 9:30 A.M.
Monday Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Ralph Fischer, Pastor
Gary D. Headapohl, Associate Pastor

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD
25630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DAILY
532-2266 REDFORD TWP.
Worship Service
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Nursery Provided
Rev. Victor F. Halboth, Pastor
Rev. Timothy Halboth, Assoc. Pastor

Risen Christ Lutheran
46250 Ann Arbor Road
1 Mile West of Sheldon
Plymouth • 453-5252
Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Family Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
K. M. Mehrl, Pastor
Hugh McMartin, Lay Minister

HOSANNA-TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
9600 Laverne • So. Redford • 937-2424
Rev. Glenn Kopper, Rev. Lawrence Wittig
WORSHIP WITH US
Sunday Morning 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
Monday Evening 7:00 P.M.
Adult Bible Class 9:45 A.M.
Christian School Pre-School-8th Grade
Mrs. Pat Sadler 937-2233

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
29805 Middlebelt (Just N. of 12 Mile) • Middlebelt
Farmington Hills, Mich.
WORSHIP SERVICES
Saturday Evening 5:00 P.M.
Sunday Morning 8:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class & Sunday School 10:00
Pastor John W. Meyer • 474-0675

CHRIST THE GOOD SHEPHERD
Lutheran Church Missouri Synod
42690 Cherry Hill Road, Canton
981-0286 Roger Aumann, Pastor
Worship 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
Bible Class & SS 9:20 A.M.
Preschool & Kindergarten

APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN

FIRST APOSTOLIC LUTHERAN CHURCH
26325 Halstead Road at 11 Mile
Farmington Hills, Michigan
Services Every Sunday at 10:30 A.M.
Also 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00 P.M.
Sunday School - 9:15 A.M.
Bible Class - Tuesday 7:30 P.M.
Song Services - Last Sunday of Month 7:00 P.M.

EVANGELICAL CONVENANT

Faith Covenant Church
Making Faith a Way of Life
Sunday School for All Ages
10:45 A.M.
Sunday Worship
9:30 a.m.
35415 W. 14 Mile Road (at Drake Road)
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810-661-9191
Rev. Donn Engebretson • Rev. David Nicosen

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WORSHIP SERVICES
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Divine Worship 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Pastor Jason N. Priest (313) 981-2217
School 459-6222

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Timothy Lutheran Church
6820 Wayne Rd.
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Livonia • 427-2290
Family Worship 9:30 a.m.
Rev. Mary T. Olivanti, Pastor
261-0766

New Life Lutheran Church
Youth and Adult Education 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
at the Masonic Temple on the
square in downtown Plymouth
730 Penniman
Pastor-Developer Ken Roberts
313/459-8181
Internet: http://www.umich.edu/~emaggert/Nlife.html

PENTECOSTAL

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH OF PLYMOUTH
291 E. SPRING ST.
2 Blocks N. of Main - 2 Blocks E. of Mill
SUNDAY Bible School 10:00 A.M. Worship 11:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M. (Nursery Provided in A.M.)
WEDNESDAY Bible Study 7:00 P.M. Classes for all ages
Pastor Frank Howard - Ofc. 453-0323

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6500 N. Wayne Rd. between Ford & Warren
Sundays 2:00 - Thursdays 7:00

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

CHRISTIAN HARMONY MINISTRIES
24230 West McNichols
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Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Friday Praise and Worship 7:00 p.m.
Pastor Donna Lach 532-1000

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Brightmoor Tabernacle
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26555 Franklin Rd., Southfield, MI (I-696 & Telegraph • West of Holiday Inn) • 352-6200
9:15 a.m. Family Sunday School Hour • Wednesday 7:00 p.m. "Family Night"
10:30 a.m. *"The Living Church-Part 2"*
6:30 p.m. *"God's Recycling Program"*

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New Worship Service at 9:30 with contemporary music, drama, question and answer time and a fresh way to hear the ever-relevant message of the Bible.

Also services at 8:15 and 11:00 a.m.
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Ward Presbyterian Church
17000 Farmington Road
Livonia 422-1150
Worship Services
Sunday School
8:00, 9:15, 10:45 A.M.
and 12:05 A.M.
Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Shuttle Service from Stevenson High School for All A.M. Services



Nursery Provided
Service Broadcast
11:00 A.M.
WUFL-AM 1030

CHURCHES OF THE NAZARENE

PLYMOUTH CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
45801 W. Ann Arbor Road (313) 453-1535
Sun. BIBLE STUDY & WORSHIP 9:45 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening - 6:00 p.m.
Ladies' Ministries - Tues. 9:30 A.M.
FAMILY NIGHT - Wed. 7:00 P.M.
Arthur C. Magnuson, Pastor
NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN: 455-3196

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

NATIVITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
9435 Henry Ruff at West Chicago
Livonia 48150 • 421-5406
Rev. Donald Linteman, Pastor
9:15 a.m. Adult Classes
10:30 a.m. Youth Classes
& Worship Service
Nursery Care Available
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m. All Ages
Family Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sept. 17th
"Entrusted with the Gospel"
Rev. Janet Noble, Pastor
A Creative Christ Centered Congregation

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church (USA)
9601 Hubbard at W. Chicago, Livonia, MI
(between Merriman & Farmington Rds.)
(313) 422-0494
Worship Service & Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
All ages including nursery care
Rev. Richard Peters, Pastor
Rev. Ruth Billington, Associate Pastor
Full Music Program
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PLYMOUTH
Worship Services 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School & Nursery 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.
Dr. James Stamos Senior Minister
David J.W. Brown, Dir. of Youth Ministries
Philip Rodgers Magee Minister Emeritus
Accessible to All

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Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship -10:15 a.m.
Wednesday - Family Night - 7:00
Take Note
Pastor Mark B. Moore
Agape Christian Academy - K through 12

UNITED METHODIST

Clarenceville United Methodist
20100 Middlebelt Rd. • Livonia
476-3444
Rev. Jean Love
Worship Services
8:45 & 11:15 AM, 6:00 PM
Nursery Provided
Church School - 10:05 AM

ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST
30900 Six Mile Rd. (Bet. Merriman & Middlebelt)
Chuck Sonquist, Pastor
10:00 A.M. Worship & Church School
11:15 A.M. Adult Study Classes
Nursery Provided • 422-6038

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
29887 West Eleven Mile Road
Just West of Middlebelt
476-8860
Farmington Hills
9:15 & 11:00 a.m.
Worship, Church School, Nursery
Sept. 17th
"The Best Is Yet To Come"
Pastor Richard Peacock preaching
Pastor Richard A. Peacock
Pastor Karen S. Poole
Rev. Robert Bough

First United Methodist Church of Plymouth
45201 N. Territorial Rd. (West of Sheldon Rd.)
(313) 453-5280
Dr. Dean A. Bishop, Senior Minister
Rev. Tonya M. Arnesen, Associate Minister
Services at 9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School for all ages
Wednesday Evening of Education for all ages 6:30 P.M.
Nursery Provided

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
36500 Ann Arbor Trail
422-0148
Worship Services & Sunday School
9:15 & 11:00 a.m.
September 17th
"Rushing God"
Dr. Gilson M. Miller preaching
Pastors:
Dr. Gilson M. Miller
Rev. Melanie L. Carey

ALDERSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Redford Twp.)
10000 BEECH DAILY ROAD
(just north of Plymouth and West Chicago)
Redford, MI 48239 937-3170
8:00 a.m. Early Worship
9:30 a.m. Family Worship
10:00 a.m. Childrens Sunday School (thru 5 years)
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
September 17th
"Scorching Wind"
Pastors Bob & Diana Goudie

LUTHERAN CHURCH WISCONSIN SYNOD

Lola Park Ev. Lutheran Church
14750 Kinloch
Redford Twp
532-8655
Pastor Gregory Gibbons
WORSHIP SERVICES
8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS
9:45 A.M.
WCAR 1090 SUNDAY 10:30 A.M.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church
17810 Farmington Road • Livonia
(313) 261-1360
Sunday Worship
8:30 & 10:00 A.M.
Monday Evening
7:00 P.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Plymouth
1100 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, MI
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Evening Testimony Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Reading Room - 445 S. Harvey, Plymouth
Open M-S 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Thurs. 7-9 p.m.
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ASSEMBLIES OF GOD



Life got you down? Then this Sunday find the strength to get back on your feet again.

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SUN 8:15A, 11:00A, 6:00P
326-0330

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

■ BIBLE BREAKFAST
A men's Bible breakfast will be held at 6:30 a.m. Thursdays at Kerby Coney Island, Six Mile and Newburgh roads, beginning Thursday, Sept. 14. The topic will be "What God Does When Men Pray." The group will meet in the back banquet room, and breakfast will be a la carte. The breakfast is sponsored by Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church. For more information, call David McNeil at (313) 522-6830.

■ DIVORCE RECOVERY
St. Michael Lutheran Church of Wayne will hold a seven-week divorce recovery workshop 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 14 through Oct. 26. The format will be a combination of videotape presentations and small group discussions. Cost will be $15 for registration and $10 for an optional book. All sessions will be at the church, 3003 Hannan Road. For more information, call (313) 728-1950.

■ RUMMAGE SALES
The Women's Guild of St. Maurice Church will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, in the church hall, 32765 Lyndon, east of Farmington Road, Livonia.

St. Mel's Christian Women's annual rummage sale will be 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 20-21, at the Fr. Furlong Activities Building, 7506 Inkster Road, Dearborn Heights. Free coffee will be available. For more information, call (313) 525-5440.

Garden City Presbyterian Church will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, at the church, 1841 Middlebelt, south of Ford Road. There will be toys, children's items, furniture, household goods, books, clothing and stuff a bag for $2 3-4 p.m. For more information, call (313) 421-7620.

The First United Methodist Church of Wayne will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 30, at the church, 3 Town Square, Wayne. Saturday i.. $2.50 per bag day. For more information, call (313) 721-4801.

■ BACK TO SCHOOL BASH
The Westland Free Methodist Youth will present "The Back to School Bash" with "The Other Side" at 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, at the church, 1421 S. Venoy, Westland. The Christian drama team will present drama and comedy. For more information, call pastor Ron at (313) 728-2600.

■ SPAGHETTI DINNER
St. James Presbyterian Church will have a spaghetti dinner at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, at the church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford. The price will be $5 for adults and $3.50 for children 12 years and under. There also will be an auction, featuring sports memorabilia, after the dinner. For more information, call (313) 534-7730.

■ RALLY DAY DRAMA
Adults and children will perform the drama, "Let The Children Come," by Jeffrey Burkhart during 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. worship services Sunday, Sept. 17, at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175 Farmington Road, just north of I-96, Livonia. This service will kick off a year highlighting various educational ministries. Rocky Harding will

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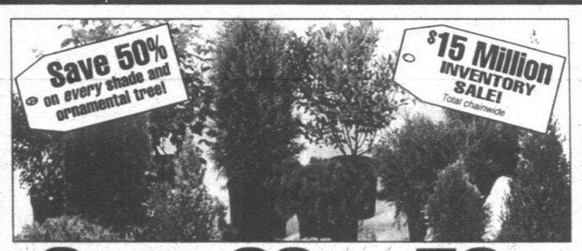
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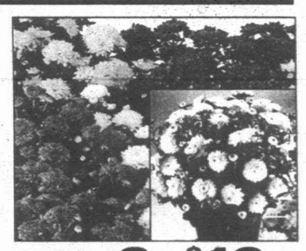
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WEEKEND

■ FARMERS' MARKET
The Canton Farmers' Market will be open 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays and 3-7 p.m. Wednesdays through October in the New Towne Plaza shopping center at Sheldon and Ford roads. Canton's farmers offer fresh fruits and vegetables.

■ PLANT EXCHANGE
The Canton Beautification Committee is sponsoring a perennial plant exchange 9 to 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, on Proctor Road west of Canton Center (Pavilion behind the Historical Museum). Bring your perennials, herbs, seeds, bulbs and house plants. All plants must be healthy and labeled. Information, call Chris at 454-3468.

■ GARDENER'S SALE
The Friends of Matthaei Botanical Gardens annual fall gardener's sale will be held for members 5-7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, for the public 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16-17. Unusual trees and shrubs, bareroot perennials, wildflowers, hardy chrysanthemums, unusual bulbs, garden lilies, ornamental grasses and more will be sold. Location: 1800 N. Dixboro Road, between Plymouth Road and Geddes.

■ ANTIQUE SHOW
The Plymouth Symphony League fall antique show will be held 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29, and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, at the historic Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills. Cost is $4. A preview party will be held 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 28; the cost is $20. Quality antique dealers. Information, 416-5596 or 455-3199.

MAYBURY PARK

■ ACTIVITIES GALORE
Maybury Farm is located within Maybury State Park on Eight Mile, one mile west of Beck in Northville Township. Farm hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry to the park. For more information, call the park office at (810) 349-8390.

AUDITIONS

■ COMMUNITY CHORUS
The Plymouth Community Chorus is holding auditions by appointment for singers 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, at the First United Methodist Church, 45201 N. Territorial Road, west of Sheldon in Plymouth Township. Some openings remain for sopranos and altos, but the greatest need is for tenors, baritones and basses. Appointments, 455-4080.

CLUBS

■ DAR
The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet noon Monday, Sept. 18, at 42254 Sunningdale Lane in Northville. The hostess is Mrs. Aridis McLeod. The program will be "The Constitution" with Mrs. Herman Scott as the speaker. Information, (810) 344-4625 or (810) 420-2437.

■ MOTHERS OF TWINS
The Western Wayne Mothers of Twins Club will meet 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18, at Livonia Civic Center Library, Six Mile and Farmington roads in Livonia. The program will be "What do we want for our children." Information, Marleen at 562-9234 or Marilyn at 728-7144.

■ GRIEF RECOVERY
Vermeulen Funeral Home at 46401 Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth is hosting a five-week series "Grief Recovery" 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 28 through Oct. 26, at the funeral home. Registration, call 459-2250.

■ DIVORCE GROUP
The Center for Behavior and Medicine will begin a new eight-week group for men and women who are experiencing divorce, beginning 6:30-8 p.m. Mondays, Sept. 25. To register, call Donna J. Caswell, M.S.W., at the Center for Behavior and Medicine, 677-0809, Ext. 302.

■ MEPPS
Michigan Emergency Pharmaceutical Program offers middle-income seniors a one-month supply of prescription drugs. Must call for appointment noon to 2 p.m. 455-7526. Appointments are on the second and third Friday monthly at Plymouth Township Hall (by clerk's office).

■ TOPS
Take Off Pounds Sensibly will meet 7 p.m. every Monday, First Baptist Church of Plymouth, 45000 N. Territorial, Plymouth. Interested teens, men and women are welcome. Support group for correction and maintenance of weight. 453-3605.

■ ADD
The Attention Deficit Disorders program will begin new Attention Deficit Disorder groups for children, teens and adults in the Canton area. These groups will start in late September and October evenings and Saturdays. Groups for parents of children with ADD are also being offered which run at corresponding times. For a brochure or for more information, call the Center for Behavior and Medicine, 677-0809.

■ PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS
Livonia-Redford Chapter No. 130 Parents without Partners is meeting at Mama Mia's Restaurant, 27770 Plymouth Road, between Middlebelt and Inkster, on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Parent and family activities are planned. New members welcome at 8 p.m. for orientation. Diane, 464-1969.

■ SMOKERS' RIGHTS
Group will meet 7 p.m. the third Monday of each month in Denny's on Ann Arbor Road at I-275, Plymouth Township, for people supportive of smokers' rights. Information, call Marc at 455-1635.

■ 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.

FOR KIDS

■ CIRCUS
Canton Parks and Recreation Services is sponsoring a family trip to the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 7. The bus is leaving from Canton Township Administration Building parking lot and returns approximately at 2:30 p.m. The fee is $13 per person. You must be at least 2 years of age to go on this trip. Registration is necessary in person at the Canton Parks and Recreation Services, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. 397-5110.

■ ICE SKATING
The City of Plymouth Recreation Department's general registration for its Ice Skating Basic Skills classes will be held 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, at the Plymouth Cultural Center. For more information, call 455-6623.

■ PARKS AND RECREATION
The City of Plymouth is now taking registration for its fall classes. The City Recreation Department offers programs to ages ranging from tots to seniors. The classes include: art, dance, self-defense, martial arts, trips, gymnastics, cheerleading, crafts, roller skating and more. 455-6620.

■ KIDS CLUB
The Salvation Army is taking registrations for the "Saturday Kids Club" that meets 9 a.m. to noon every Saturday at the Salvation Army, 9451 S. Main in Plymouth. Games, arts and crafts, cooking, field trips and lots of fun. Fee: $25 per child or $50 per family. Information, 453-5464.

■ NURSERY SCHOOL
Plymouth Children's Nursery still has openings for 3-year-olds Wednesday morning and Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon for 4-year-olds. Information, 455-6250 or 459-3111.

■ INDIAN GUIDES
A membership drive for the 1995-96 Plymouth/Canton YMCA Indian Guides will be held 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18, and Wednesday, Sept. 20, at West Middle School, 44401 Ann Arbor Trail, at Sheldon, Plymouth Township. This is a one-on-one program between parent and child ages 3-11 in local tribal meetings and activities, including camping, bowling, and skating. Information, 453-2904.

■ INDIAN GUIDES
There will be an informational meeting at the Canton Public Library for all families interested in the YMCA Indian Program. The program is for parents and children from age 5-10. This year a Papoose program for a parent with a 4-year-old child will also be introduced. For information, call the YMCA at 721-7044 or plan to attend the meeting at the library.

■ INDIAN GUIDES
St. John's Episcopal Church (across the street from the Wayne/Westland YMCA) for all families interested in the YMCA Indian program. The program is for parent and children ages 5-10. This year a Papoose program for a parent with a 4-year-old child will also be introduced. For more information, call the YMCA at 721-7044 or plan to attend the meeting at the church.

■ BEREAVEMENT GROUP
Care-ousel, the children's programs of Arbor Hospice, is forming bereavement groups for school-age children and teens who have had a parent die. Groups are open to anyone in the community regardless of how or when the death occurred. This series begins 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26, for 12 consecutive weeks at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth. A group for parents meets at the same time and place. While there is a fee for these professionally-led groups, scholarships are available and no family is excluded for financial reasons. Preregistration is required. Information or to register, call Sally Danning, ACSW, at 677-0500.

■ PRESCHOOL
Willow Creek offers preschool classes for 3- and 4-year-olds. There are openings for 3-year-old afternoon class and the 4-year-old afternoon class. Class for the 3-year-olds meets 12:45-3 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Class for the 4-year-olds meets 12:45-3 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Information, call Kayelynn at 981-1305.

■ TINY TOTS
The Salvation Army Tiny Tots Preschool classes for 3 and 4-year-olds will be from 9:30-11:35 a.m. September through May. For information, call Peggy at 453-5464.

■ NEW MORNING SCHOOL
There are limited openings for students in second-, third-, and fifth- through eighth-grade at New Morning School. Information, 420-3331.

■ ACADEMY ENROLLMENT
Superior Adventist Academy in association with Plymouth and Westland Seventh-day Adventist churches still has a limited number of vacancies for students in grades 1-8. Parents living in Plymouth and Canton who desire a Christian education for their children can call 459-8222 or write to the academy at 4295 Napier Road, Plymouth, for more information and a registration packet.

All Stars



Pompon: *Plymouth/Canton Salem girls auditioned and were accepted to be on the Mid American Pompon 1995-96 All Star Team. They are: front row (left to right), captain of Salem Rockettes Heidi Balatico, Rockettes Christy Wilson and Paulette Adams, captain of Canton Chiefettes Kristina Frazer, and Chiefette Angela Bernard; back row, (left to right), Canton Chiefettes Danielle Voyles, Molly Noonan and Kelly Frader, Salem Rockettes Robyn Novak, Stacey Barbosa and captain of Chiefettes Stacey Gravett. The teens will be performing with the All Star team in the Michigan Thanksgiving Day Parade.*

BLOOD DRIVES

■ FIRST BAPTIST
The First Baptist Church of Canton blood drive will be held 2-8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18, in the youth room at 44500 Cherry Hill, Canton. Appointments, 981-6460.

■ CHURCH OF NAZARENE
The Plymouth Church of Nazarene blood drive will be held 3-9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20, in Room 108 at 45801 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Township. Appointments, 453-1525.

AROUND THE TOWN

■ ESCORT RAFFLE
The Canton Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a raffle for a brand new 1996 Ford Escort GT. $20 tickets may be purchased through the chamber office. Only 1,500 tickets will be sold. The winning ticket will be drawn 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 1, at Fellows Creek Golf Club, 2936 Lotz, Canton. All proceeds go toward the Canton Chamber of Commerce Building Fund. 453-4040.

■ GED TESTING
GED testing will be offered through the Plymouth-Canton Community Education Department 5-10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, in Room 101 at Starkweather Center, 550 N. Holbrook, Plymouth. Registration fee is $25. Register in advance. 416-4901.

■ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Learn how to be an Arbor Hospice volunteer and serve patients and the families in your area. Provide respite for families, transportation for patients, companionship, support and encouragement. Certified Hospice Education course begins in September. Information, 677-0500.

BOOKS FOR SALE

■ SYMPHONY LEAGUE
The Plymouth Symphony League is raising funds by selling the Entertainment 1996 book. Each book contains hundreds of "Two-for-One" discounts on dining, fast food, movies, sports activities, special attractions and hotels. The profit from the sale of Entertainment books will help support the Plymouth Symphony. To order your Entertainment 1996 book, call 453-3016.

■ PLYMOUTH OPTIMISTS
1996 entertainment books are on sale by the Plymouth Optimists Club. They offer up to 50 percent savings on dining, movies, special events, theater, travel, car washes and more. $40. Call Bill Von-Glahn at 453-8253 or Ken Fisher at 728-7619.

■ PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS
The Plymouth Community Chorus Entertainment books are now available. Huge savings offered on dining, movies, theater, sporting events, cleaners, car washes, and more. Proceeds will help fund the chorus' charitable and educational activities. $40. Call Stan at 459-6829.

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:
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Location:
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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.

■ MARY DUPUIS SAMMEL graduated from Harvard University June 8. She earned a doctor's degree in biomedical statistics. She is a 1982 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She received her bachelor of science degree and master of science degree from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Dupuis of Plymouth.

■ NAOMI A. PACK, a senior student at the Ferris State University College of Optometry, Big Rapids, and a native of Canton, has received the Optometric Student of the Year Award of the Michigan Optometric Association. Presentation of the award came during the association's 99th annual convention at the Boyne Highlands Inn in Harbor Springs. She is currently on an optometric clinical rotation at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Battle Creek, graduated third in a class of 647 at John Glenn High School in Westland, and received a 3.95 grade point average in four years of pre-optometry studies at Eastern Michigan University. Admitted to the Ferris College of Optometry in the fall of 1992, she held the highest entering honor point average in the class of 32 students and was awarded the Vision Service Plan (VSP) scholarship. At the College of Optometry, she has been on the dean's list at the conclusion of each marking period and had a 3.93 gradepoint average at the time the award was presented. She has also received a letter grade of "A" on all her clinical work at the college. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Pack Jr. of Canton.



Pack

■ JENNIFER A. HOURIGAN of Plymouth was one of approximately several thousand certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNAs) attending the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists annual meeting which, this year, was held in Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 5-10.

■ BRIAN C. TIBURZI, son of Maryalice J. Tiburzi of Canton and Ronald V. Tiburzi of Livonia, enrolled this week as a freshman at Amherst College in Amherst, Mass. He is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, and is one of 418 freshmen entering the independent liberal arts college this fall.

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portray the lead role of Jesus. For more information, call the church at (313) 522-6830.

■ GUEST SPEAKER
The Rev. Rodney Penrod, Assemblies of God minister on assignment to Vietnam, will speak at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, at Livonia Assembly of God, 33015 W. Seven Mile, Livonia.

A Vietnam veteran, Penrod began making humanitarian trips to the country while a pastor in Coleman, Mich. Since 1990, he and his wife, Patricia, have served as Division of Home Missions missionaries to the Vietnamese in the United States, helping to establish the first Vietnamese Assemblies of God church in San Jose, Calif.

The public is invited to attend and an interpreter for the hearing impaired will be provided.

■ RADIO SHOWS
The radio series "What is this Christian Science and who are these Christian Scientists?" is being broadcast at 9:30 a.m. Sundays on WAAM-AM 1600. Topics include "Why would anyone join the Christian Science church as an adult?" on Sept. 17, and "Why don't Christian Scientists mix prayer with medicine?" on Sept. 24. The series also can be heard at 8:30 a.m. Sundays on CKLW-AM 800. The series is produced by the Christian Science Committee on Publication for Michigan and sponsored by local Christian Science churches. For more information, call (800) 886-1212.

■ CONFIDENTIAL HELP
Life Care Ministries of Livonia offers a free, confidential Christian telephone listening service 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. by calling (313) 427-LIFE Monday through Saturday. Life Care Ministries can be reached through P.O. Box 530611, Livonia 48153-0611.

■ A.C.T.I.O.N.
A.C.T.I.O.N., an organized support group for individuals in career transition, holds informal meetings with speakers in the parlor of Orchard United Methodist Church, 30450 Farmington Road, between 13 Mile and 14 Mile, Farmington Hills. At 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18, Jim Pawlek will speak on "Success Is a Journey, Not a Destination." No reservation is needed. For more information, call the church office at (810) 626-3620.

■ COMMUNITY BIBLE CLASS
Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Livonia will hold a community Bible class on Tuesdays September through May at the church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. More than 21 denominations and 77 congregations will be represented. Small groups meet 9:30-9:55 a.m. with the lecture at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary. A nursery will be available for infants through kindergarteners. For more information, call (810) 348-1209.

Documentary looks at church's founder

"Everywhere you go in New Hampshire, you see a Mary Baker Eddy plaque," points out public television producer Jim Gilmore. "I started wondering 'Who was this lady?' "

The result of his wondering is "Soul of a Woman: The Life and Times of Mary Baker Eddy," which received a Wilbur Award for best film documentary for 1994 from the Religious Public Relations Council.

The one-hour special, produced by New Hampshire Public Television, will be shown on WTVS-Channel 56 in Detroit at 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24.

As the documentary's narrator, Fritz Wetherbee points out that Christian Science Church founder Mary Baker Eddy's life "as she saw it, was a constant sacrifice to her mission, a radical mission of spiritual healing in a scientific age." Eddy herself said, "What I am remains to be proved by the good I do."

Eddy was born in Bow, N.H., in 1821, at a time when women had few legal rights and were not allowed to vote. A daughter of strict Calvinist parents, at an early age she learned to love the Bible, but her youth was marked by frequent illness and frailty.

Widowed by her first husband, separated from her son, and deserted by her second husband, her challenges seemed overwhelming. But as she studied her Bible, hopelessness was replaced with hope and fear with love.

Her health improved and she began writing, healing and teaching. She produced her major work, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," in 1875, and it has gone on to sell eight million copies. She established The First Church of Christ, Scientist, as well as an award-winning international newspaper, The Christian Science Monitor.

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NEW VOICES

DANIEL and **LAURA KARDEL** of Canton announce the birth of **SCOTT ANDREW** July 14 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has three brothers — Matthew, 12, Kevin, 11, and Steven, 9. Grandparents are Jean Hastings and Catherine Kardel, both of Plymouth.

ANTHONY and **MARCELLA ANGELOSANTO** of Westland announce the birth of **ANNINA LOUISE** Aug. 8 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. Grandparents are Domenico and Annina Decina of Canton and Joseph and Louise Angelosanto of Livonia.

TOM and **ALISON GRAHAM** of Redford announce the birth of **TANNER ANDREW** July 21. Grandparents are Don and Judy Graham of Allen Park, Sabatino Simone of Dearborn Heights and George and Eunice Bageris of Livonia. Great-grandparents are Wilma Graham of Detroit, Raymond and Marjorie Lassig of Trenton and Clorinda Simone of Dearborn Heights.

MANUELE and **BARB VAGNINI** of Garden City announce the birth of **ADRIANO DANIELE FRANCO** July 27 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. He has three siblings — Alessandro, Alessia and Alessio. Grandparents are Cindy Johnson of Westland and Marino and Novella Vagnini of Dearborn Heights.

LARRY and **AMY MILITZ** of Westland announce the birth of **FREDERICK LAWRENCE** Aug. 8 at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a sister, Samantha, 9. Grandparents are Harold Hamill of Brighton, Dale and Inah Fox of Newberry, Fred Militz of Harbor Springs and Mary Militz of Westland. Great-grandmother is Mary Watkins of Royal Oak.

JAMES and **BROOKS ANNE WALTON** of Plymouth announce the birth of **ABIGAIL DAWNE** Aug. 5 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. Grandparents are Jim and Dawne Fournier and Don and Mary Walton, all of Livonia.

KURT and **VALERIE RAUPP** of Livonia announce the birth of **DEREK THOMAS** July 5 at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. He has a sister, Natalie. Grandparents are Edwin and Joan Brzozowski of Wyandotte and Shirley Raupp of Allen Park.

BRIAN and **THERESA COUSINS** of Wayne announce the birth of **JORDAN DAVID** July 24 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. He has two siblings, Brianna and Ehnry. Grandparents are Huston and Kathleen Harris of Livonia, John and Fran Stier of Troy and Dale and Norene Cousins, also of Troy.

MICHAEL and **JANE GEROU** of Plymouth announce the birth of **ELAINE JEAN** April 4 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a brother, Miles, and is named after her grandmothers.

DAVID and **TONIA TROUT** of Wayne announce the birth of **DAVID ALEXANDER** Aug. 6 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. He has a brother and sister, Ryan and Erica. Grandparents are Georgia Trout of Wayne, Fred and Deborah Limbaugh of Riverview, Fla., and Michael and Brenda McClure of Garden City.

JOHN and **VALERIE McCLOSKEY** of Westland announce the birth of **JACOB IAN** Aug. 9 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. Grandparents are Thomas and Joan Miller of Southfield and John and Irene McCloskey of West Bloomfield.

RON and **WENDI WAY** of Wayne announce the birth of **CHELSI LAUREN** Aug. 12 at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne. Grandparents are James and Martha Burgess of Wayne, Jimmie Way of Westland and Patricia Hamilton of Plymouth.

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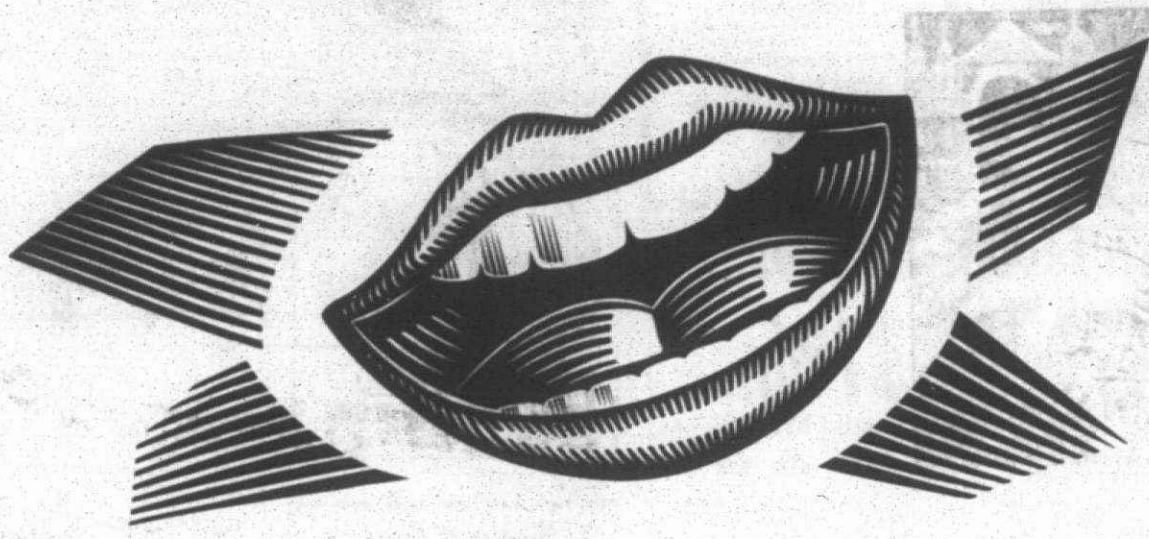
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THE WEEKEND

FRIDAY



Plymouth Theatre Guild opens its 49th season at the Water Tower Theatre in Northville with "Nunsense."

SATURDAY



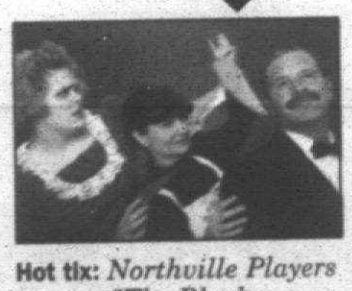
Meet Yuri Gorbachev, grandnephew of former Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev at Europa Art Gallery in West Bloomfield.

SUNDAY



Ninth Annual Detroit Festival of the Arts, between New Center and Detroit's Theatre District, features non-stop entertainment, artists' marketplace, and children's fair. Call (313) 577-5088.

HOT TICKET



Hot tix: *Northville Players present "The Black Cloak," an adventurous melodrama, during the Victorian Festival, Sept. 15-17. Call (810) 349-7640 for festival information.*



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Neighborly Rosedale Gardens inspires artist

By Linda Ann Chomin • Special Writer

Watercolorist Eileen Bibby has bicycled through Livonia's oldest neighborhood nearly every day for more than two decades recording its quiet beauty in her mind. Now the 70 year old award-winning artist has captured on paper many of the stately brick homes in Rosedale Gardens, including the first built in 1925, in a one woman show of paintings continuing through Sept. 29 at Livonia City Hall. The exhibit is sponsored by the Livonia Arts Commission.

"Who has done a complete series of paintings on Livonia before?" quizzed Bibby whose work is part of the touring Michigan Water Color Exhibition on display through Oct. 8 at the Lansing Art Gallery.

"No one that I know of. I've enjoyed painting these. I give different times of day, different times of year."

Bibby spent the last two years painting the 43 watercolors and monotypes depicting the Cape Cods and colonials surrounded by flowers and gardens, snow, and autumn leaves from dawn to dusk in all four Michigan seasons. Majestic old trees line the streets in front of the homes where "Santa's Laundry" hangs on a clothesline at Christmastime, and flags fly freely during the Fourth of July.

Piles of unframed paintings lie on the floor of Bibby's studio in various stages of completion. Others which are already framed lean in neat stacks against walls and furniture. "Dorothy's Patio" took a month to complete because of all the detail laid in the brick wall that serves as a background for the rocking horse, flower pots and patio set.

A retired senior industrial designer, Bibby's mastered the ability to accurately portray objects from all angles while a student at Wayne State University and Society of Arts and Crafts (now Center for Creative Studies) in Detroit.

"Anyone who has an engineering background knows perspective," said Bibby, former president of the Visual Arts Association of Livonia and a long-time member of the Farmington Artists Club, and the Scarab Club in Detroit.

Part of the show is devoted to watercolor monotypes where the image is painted on a plexiglass plate then transferred to paper by hand or through the use of a printing press.

Monotype is not a medium of multiples. Only one print is obtained from this process, hence the name, monotype. Bibby will illustrate this lengthy process by displaying the original drawing for her "Auburndale Garden" monotype, the plate after it's printed, and the final work.

"Monotype comes out in reverse. There's some residue left but not enough for another print," said Bibby who studied the medium with artist Lily Dudgeon of Dearborn.

As Bibby walks through the highly manicured gardens in her backyard, she gives a treasure trove of information on the methods she uses to keep it in shape. Loose strife and snowballs are cut down to the ground at the end of the growing season. She makes it seem so simple, but it's more likely after all these years she knows every petal and plant by heart. That's what ensures the accuracy of painting the botanical beauties, years and years of study.

"There's nothing hostile or threatening in my work. I'm not capable of painting violence," said Bibby.

While most artists have a difficult time parting with their finished work, Bibby enjoys sharing the beauty with others. She hopes Rosedale Gardens' homeowners will see the show and want to purchase the paintings. Prices in the show range from $50 for a small (11 by 11 inch) watercolor monotype to $500 for a 40 by 30 inch watercolor.

"When I've completed the painting it's funny, it isn't mine anymore," Bibby said.



The Neighborhood: *(Top) This mauve colonial is the first house built in Rosedale Gardens in 1925. (Above) Eileen Bibby has created a series of watercolors on Rosedale Gardens in Livonia. It is now on exhibit at Livonia City Hall through Sept. 29*

MUSIC



Tamaki Kawakubo

Philharmonic features superstar violinist

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

She's only 15, but violinist Tamaki Kawakubo is already a superstar.

"Normally a community orchestra would never get a soloist of this caliber to perform with them because their fees are so high," said Farmington Area Philharmonic founder and music director Karen Nixon Lane.

"I found out that she would be in Lansing on Sept. 23 to perform with the greater Lansing Symphony, and got in touch with her agent."

Lane learned about Kawakubo's Lansing concert from the symphony's music director, Gustav Meier. "He was my instructor at University of Michigan," said Lane. "We're co-authoring a conducting textbook."

Kawakubo, who appeared with the Boston Pops this summer, will be performing Sept. 24 at the Farmington Area Philharmonic's opening Casual Classics Series concert in the Clooney Auditorium at Mercy High School in Farmington Hills.

"We're delighted to be able to bring a young instrumentalist of this caliber to our community," said Lane. "I'm stressing variety and outstanding soloists in this year's season."

The concert of Italian music on Sept. 24 is titled "Rossini, Paganini and Pines." It will include works from the Italian opera repertoire including Rossini's overture to "L'Italiana in Algeri" and Verdi's Prelude to Act 1 from "La Traviata," as well as Respighi's orchestral favorite, "The Pines of Rome."

Violinist continued inside

Rossini, Paganini & Pines!

When: 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24

Where: Clooney Auditorium at Mercy High School, 29300 11 Mile Road (corner of Middlebelt Road), Farmington Hills

Tickets: $20, $15 & $10, call (810) 478-2075. Available at all Metrobank locations or send check or money order to: Farmington Area Philharmonic, P.O. Box 443, Farmington, MI 48332-0443.

Student discounts: If a student brings one adult, the student's ticket is 50 percent off. If a student brings two adults, the student's ticket is free.

Annual Fund Membership: Get tickets up to 50 percent off with membership. Call for details.

Casual Classics schedule

- **"Hot Buttered Pops"** – 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 5, Redford Theatre – music from the movies.
- **"La femme fatale"** – 7 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 21, Clooney Auditorium, Mercy High School – Canadian-born lyric coloratura Nancy Hermiston joins the orchestra for a program celebrating outrageous females from opera and Broadway.
- **"Atamian"** – 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 25, Clooney Auditorium, Mercy High School – Internationally renowned pianist Dick Atamian will perform Prokovfiev's "Third Concerto."

Dates to be announced

- **"Nutcracker Sweets"** – Traditional Holiday Classics.
- **"American Classics"** – Music Director Karen Nixon Lane shares the podium with band leader Dr. Leonard B. Smith in honor of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Detroit Concert Band.

FINE ARTS

Ceramicist works to 'balance reality'

ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS



LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Madonna University art department chairman Ralph Glenn treated his contemporary art history students to a lesson on life today as a working artist.

Ceramicist Georgette Zerbis, whose clay sculpture is on display through the end of September in the Exhibit Gallery, spoke to the students before the opening reception of her one woman show in the library wing of Madonna University.

"It's important for the students to have the actual contact with a working artist and also to see an area not as visible today like contemporary ceramics," said Glenn.

"Contemporary ceramics ask more from the viewer. They take more study.

"What attracted me to Georgette's work is the sense of division of parts. That they're made up of many parts yet they're whole. And while they're not functional they still have a feeling of functionality."

The multi-cultural environments in which the mix of thrown and hand built clay shapes forming Zirbes' three dimensional sculptures were produced is all important to the creation, as is the process. These recent works in clay were crafted in schools and factories in Germany, Latvia and Prague where artists gathered for a period of 4-6 weeks, living and working together at symposia, workshops or residencies with an exhibition as the end result in mind.

Zerbis' work is all about balancing reality. The cultural and political transitions taking place in these Central and Eastern Europe countries play a part in the art. Like a jigsaw puzzle the University of Michigan art professor pieces the shapes of clay together with silicone glue. The finished sculptures resemble architectural remnants. Whether from a distant civilization or modern society is up to the viewer to decide.

"All these are made in parts that are still visibly separated," said Zerbis who began working in clay more than 30 years ago while an undergraduate student at DePaw University in Indiana.

"The issue is one of balance. I wanted them to feel like they're falling visually and physically."

"Pieces that are precarious (such as these) rarely survive the kiln. Because of this reason and for shipping purposes I glue them together."

In the beginning, Zerbis has a general idea or plan but nothing concrete because she prefers to have the creative decisions evolve as she works.

"I like to have lots and lots of parts like (playing) in a sandbox."

"When I'm working I'm more intent on the process for it to be more spontaneous, less technical, but drawing is very fundamental to my work."

While Zerbis' clay works appear as if they are all black and white, they are not.

Since she must minimize the amount of slips she "carries in a suitcase all over the world," the surfaces seem all black and white from a distance but up close subtle flecks of turquoise or areas of pink subtly color the surface.

"Clay work is found all over the world," said Zerbis.

"In this country in the 1950s there was a shift in making clay."

Georgette Zerbis and her clay work is definitely worth watching as the movement of contemporary ceramics progresses into the year 2000.

Madonna University is at the corner of Levan and Schoolcraft in Livonia. The library is open 8 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday; 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

Linda Ann Chomin of Canton Township is a free lance writer specializing in the visual arts. her Artistic Expressions column appears weekly in the Arts & Entertainment section of the Observer Newspapers.



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Working artist: *Ceramicist Georgette Zerbis spoke to students before the opening of her one woman show in the library wing of Madonna University.*

Yuri Gorbachev instills happiness his paintings

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■ **MEET GORBACHEV**

If you've ever wondered what life as an artist is like in Russia, Yuri Gorbachev knows. Meet him noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16 at Europa Art Gallery, 6335 (Orchard Lake Road and Maple), West Bloomfield.

Gorbachev, who has exhibited work from Indonesia to Australia, is the grand nephew of former Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.

His mosaic-like oil canvasses revel in positive energy. Animals and people, outlined in gold reminiscent of the Russian Byzantine style, float through the air.

"Nude in Russia five year ago (you) can't do," said Gorbachev in a phone interview from his New York home.

"My life in Russia very difficult, now is free. Five years ago was different. They control you. They check you, limit you. Make everything I want here more nudes, more bright (paintings). America make me more free, more independent."

■ ARTBEAT

A portion of the sales during private receptions Sept. 14-15 and public showings, Sept. 16-17 will go toward establishing a fine arts scholarship in Gorbachev's name at Center for Creative Studies in Detroit. For information call (810) 855-2160.

■ **FINALLY HOME**

Plymouth Community Arts Council's art rental gallery was installed in the arts council's new home, 774 N. Sheldon Road.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays only, until further notice. Call (313) 416-4ART.

■ **OBSERVERLAND ARTIST**

Victor Vicini of Livonia is one of 26 artists juried into the 9th annual "Celebrate Michigan Artists" exhibition continuing through Sept. 22 at Paint Creek Center for the Arts in Rochester.

Paint Creek Center for the Arts is at 407 Pine Street (two blocks west of Main Street). Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Call (810) 651-4110.

Violinist *from page 1B*

Kawakubo who plays on a 1707 "Cathedral" Stradivarius, will perform the Paganini "Violin Concerto."

"Paganini was the victim of a rare jawbone disease, and after several operations, had to have all of his teeth pulled out," explained Lane. "This left his face sunken and skeleton-like, and gave him a macabre appearance. It was a common belief that Paganini, whose name means 'little pagan' was able to execute super human technical feats on the violin, because he had sold his soul to the devil. In reality, his awesome technique was the result of persevering parents who simply made him practice the violin all day — every day."

It is a difficult piece to perform, but Kawakubo enjoys the challenge. She began her violin studies at the age of five and is currently studying with Robert Lipset at the R.D. Colburn School for the Performing Arts in Los Angeles.

She made her first national television appearance on "Entertainment Tonight" as the featured soloist at the Command Performance Gala and has performed on several occasions for the Emmy Award-winning TV series "Musical Encounter" and made a cameo appearance in the 20th Centur Fox motion picture, "For the Boys." Her performance this summer with the Boston Pops and John Williams was also televised nationally.

The opening work on the Italian program will not be Italian, but "Roman Carnival Overture," an early work by French composer Hector Beriloz.

This concert is being sponsored by Waste Management Corporation. "Music is just a bunch of notes on paper until you recycle it into a live performance," said Lane. "Waste Management is helping us recycle by sponsoring this concert."

Lane, a native of Livonia, performed as principal horn of the Michigan Opera Theatre for 11 years before returning to the University of Michgian for graduate study. She graduated magna cum laude in 1989 with master's and specialist in music degrees. An award-winning conductor, Lane's previous appointments include guest lecturer in conducting at Oakland University, Interim Music Director of the Pontiac-Oakland Symphony, and Music Director of the Troy Community Orchestra.

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DANCE PARTIES

- **PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS** Wayne/Westland Chapter 340 presents Fall Time Frolic Dance 8 p.m. to midnight Friday, Sept. 22, at Amvets Hall, 1217 Merriman between Cherry Hill and Palmer in Westland. Cost is $4 before 9 p.m., $5 after. (313) 397-8592
- **WESTERN BARN DANCE** Farmington Singles presents a Western Barn Dance 8 p.m. at the Lazy J Ranch, 625 South Hickory Ridge Road in Milford. To carpool, meet in D. Dennison parking lot (12 Mile and Orchard Lake) at 7:15 p.m. Cost $18/members and $20/non-members. RSVP send checks to F.S.P.; P.O. Box 3162; Farmington Hills 48333-3162. (810) 851-9909.
- **TRI-COUNTY SINGLES** Saturday Night Dance Party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturdays through Sept. 30, at Burton Manor, I-96 & Inkster in Livonia (except Sept. 9 at Roma's Banquet Center, Garden City). Must be 21 or older. Dressy attire. Fee is $4. (313) 427-9110.
- **WEDNESDAY DANCES** Wednesday Suburban Singles hold dance parties every Wednesday 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, Exit 177, Livonia. Admission $4, No jeans. Must be 21 or older. Arrive early for hot hors d'oeuvres. (810) 842-0443.
- **FRIDAY DANCES** Westside Singles dance parties occur 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Fridays through Sept. 29 at Burton Manor in Livonia. Dressy attire. Must be 21 or older. Admission $5 ($3 before 8:30 p.m.) (313) 981-0909

BALLROOM DANCING

- **REDFORD PARKS** Redford Parks and Rec ballroom dancing class meets 7-8:30 p.m. Mondays, Sept. 25, to Nov. 27, at Jane Addams Elementary School in Redford. Singles or couples welcome. Fee $22. (313) 471-4166
- **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.
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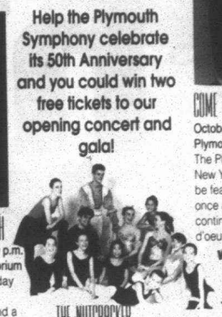
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- **BETHANY** Bethany, a support and social group for divorced and separated Christians, meets 8 p.m. the third Saturday of each month at St. Kenneth Church, Haggerty Road south of Five Mile, Plymouth Township. (313) 261-9123.
- **EXPRESSIONS** An 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.
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- **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. Light refreshments served. (313) 663-0014.
- **PWP/LIVONIA-REDFORD** The Livonia-Redford Chapter 130 of Parents Without Partners meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at Mama Mia's Restaurant, 27770 Plymouth Road between Inkster and Middlebelt in Livonia. 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.
- **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.
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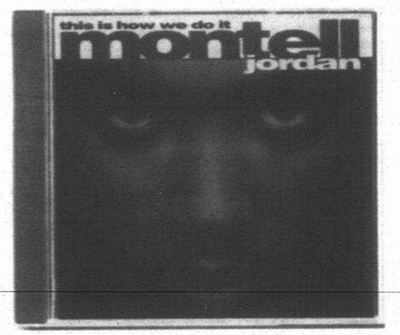
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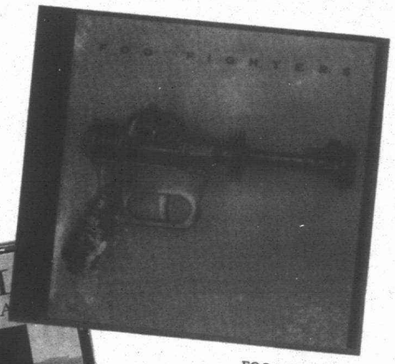
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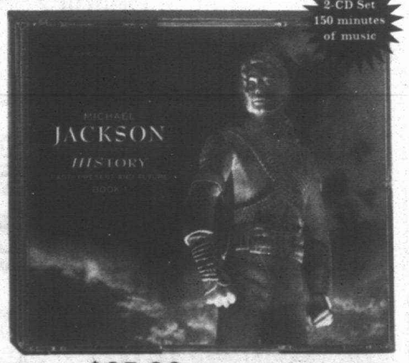


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AUDITIONS

- **LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS**
At Frost Middle School on Stark Road, north of Jeffries Expressway, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19. All voice parts.
(313) 464-8177

- **PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS**
At First United Methodist Church, 45201 N. Territorial Road, west of Sheldon, by appoint ment 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19.
(313) 455-4080

- **MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE**
Chorus for spring season, Wednesday, Sept. 20. By appointment only.
(313) 874-7873

- **PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN**
Musical "Secret Garden," 7:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 18-19, 21730 Madison, Dearborn.
(313) 277-5164 .

- **SWEET ADELINES, SPIRIT OF DETROIT**
Workshops 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays to Oct. 17, VFW Hall, 1 3/4E at Inkster Road, Redford. Cost $6 or bring a friend, two for the price of one.
(810) 553-9435

COMMUNITY THEATER

- **RIDGEDALE PLAYERS**
Season opens Sept. 21 with "Dracula: The Musical."
(810) 398-2725

- **GREENFIELD VILLAGE THEATER**
"Sherlock Holmes" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Anderson Center Theatre, Henry Ford Muse um, Dearborn. Performances 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, through Oct. 14; one matinee, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 8. Tickets $10. Combination dinner/theater package available for $29.50 per person.
(313) 271-1620, Ext. 383

- **STAGECRAFTERS**
Into the Woods," with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim, through Oct. 1, Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, Ave., Royal Oak. Tickets $14 Friday-Sunday performances, $12 Thursdays. Senior citizen, student discounts available.
(810) 541-6430

- **PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN**
"Lost in Yonkers," 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays to Sept. 30; Matinee 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 1, 21730 Madison (southeast corner Monroe & Outer Drive). Tickets $10; student discounts.
(313) 561-TKTS

- **PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD**
"Nunsense" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15 at the Water Tower Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road, Northville. Shows 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays to Sept. 24. Tickets $10 at the door, $9 in advance.
(810) 349-7110

- **TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE**
Adult acting classes for students of all levels of experience, 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 19 to Nov. 7, 38840 W. Six Mile, Livonia. Cost $70.
(313) 533-8645

- **EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY**
Musical comedy "A.Y.U.'s First Annual Farewell Show," weekends Sept. 15 to Oct. 1.
(313) 487-1220

- **VILLAGE PLAYERS**
"Talking Steps," 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Sept. 22 to Oct. 7, playhouse, corner of Hunter & Maple, Birmingham.
(810) 644-2075

YOUTH THEATER

- **LIVONIA THEATRE GUILD**
Acting classes for children in grades kindergar ten to ninth garade beginning Sept. 24 at the theater, 15138 Beech Daly. (1 block south of Five Mile Road). Classes meet through Nov. 5. Cost $40 for six weeks.
(313) 531-0554

- **CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**
"Heidi of the Mountains," 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, 5501 Chase, Dearborn. Tickets $7 adults, student, senior discounts, at the door.
(313) 277-0948

- **PAPER BAG PRODUCTIONS**
"Once Upon A Mattress," Sept. 16-Dec. 17, Players Club, 3321 E. Jefferson, Detroit. Tickets $7 per person, includes lunch.
(810) 469-7548

- **MIGHTY MORPHIN POWER RANGERS**
Live show Sept. 14-17, Fox Theatre, Detroit.
(810) 433-1515

- **MARQUIS THEATRE**
Musical version of the classic Brothers Grimm tale, "The Shoemaker and the Elves," at the Marquis Theatre, 135 E. Main Street, Northville, weekends to Sept. 24. Tickets $5. Children under the age of 3½ will not be admitted.
(810) 349-8110

PROFESSIONAL THEATER

- **MEADOW BROOK**
"The Three Musketeers" Sept. 20 to Oct. 15, theater on the campus of Oakland University.
(810) 377-3300 or (810) 645-6666

- **THE GEM**
Comedy "Sheer Madness" runs through Dec. 31. Half price preview shows Sept. 13-24.
(313) 963-9800

- **ANN ARBOR PERFORMANCE NETWORK**
"The Fox" 8 p.m. Thursday- Saturday, 7 p.m. Sundays through Sept. 18, 408 W. Washington, Ann Arbor. Tickets $12 adults, $9 students and senior citizens.
(313) 663-0681

- **FISHER THEATRE**
"West Side Story," Fisher Theatre, Detroit through Sept. 24. Tickets $25 to $60.
(810) 645-6666

DINNER THEATER

- **KINGSLEY INN DINNER THEATRE**
RJO Productions presents "Mass Appeal by Bill C. Davis, Saturdays through Jan. 27, at the inn 1475 Woodward (south of Long Lake) Bloomfield Hills. Dinner 7:30 p.m. followed by show. Cost $29.95 per person. Includes full course dinner, show, one drink per person. Entree selections: chicken breast in cherry sauce, roast pork tenderloin, broiled salmon.
(810) 642-0100

- **ALLEN PARK MOTOR LODGE**
"Love Letters" by A.R. Gurney opens 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, 14887 Southfield. Shows Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through Oct. 1. Dinner and show $20.95; Sunday brunch $18.50. Show only tickets $10.
(313) 277-1982

- **FIORELLI'S RESTAURANT**
"Who Shot the Sheriff," audience participation murder mystery, 26125 E. Lower Huron Dr., Flat Rock. Sept. 9 to Nov. 11. Cost $28 in cludes dinner, show, tax and tip.
(313) 782-1431

DANCE

- **CW DANCING**
Country line dance lessons, 7-10 p.m. Tues days, partner dance lessons 7-9 p.m. Fridays, Botsford Inn, Farmington. Fee $5 to $7.
(810) 442-8957

- **FARMINGTON ELKS**
Denim and Lace line dancing instruction, 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. Sept. 15-16. Cost $19.50 per person, includes buffet, tap beer, wine and cover charge. Call for reservations. Show open to the public.
(810) 476-1940

- **ENCOUNTERS**
"A Journey Through Space and Time," multi-media dance production choreographed by Barbara Selinger and performed with the Detroit Dance Collective, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Michigan Gallery, 266 E. Michigan Avenue, Detroit. Tickets $10.
(810) 544-5550

CLASSICAL

- **AFTERNOON OF OPERA**
Presented by the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan and Italian American Club of Livonia, 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Italian American Club of Livonia, 39200 Five Mile Road. Featuring, Plymouth Symphony Orchestra. Tickets $15 in cludes afterglow, $25 patron.
(810) 471-7297 or (810) 477-9192

- **DSO**
Season opens 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Neemi Jarvi conducts, Emanuel Ax, piano. Concerts 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15; 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16; 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17 at Orchestra Hall.
(313) 833-3700

FOLK & COUNTRY

- **COMFY CONCERT**
Paint Creek Folklore Society 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Rochester Hills home of Phil and Alithea Doolittle. Matt Watroba opens the concert. Anne Hills follows. Tickets $8.
(810) 375-2513

- **BRENDAN'S PUB**
Entertainment 9:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 33210 W. 14 Mile Road, (northeast corner Farmington Road), West Bloomfield.
(810) 855-6220

- **COWLEYS' OLD VILLAGE INN**
Irish folk band, Pat's People, 9:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 15-16, 22-23 and 29-30, 33338 Grand River, Farmington. Dinners served before show.
(810) 474-5941

- **DUSTY RHODES**
Dusty Rhodes, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills.
(810) 474-4800

- **DIAMONDS & SPURS**
Scott Davis opens for national recording artist Marcus Hummon, 9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, 25 S. Saginaw St., downtown Pontiac.
(810) 334-4409

JAZZ

- **JACK BROKENSHA QUARTET**
8 p.m. Thursdays, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills.
(810) 474-4800

- **SYNERGY**
Acoustic-electric band performing classical, jazz and pop 8-11 p.m. Thursdays, Lonestar Coffee Co., 207 S. Woodward, Birmingham.
(810) 642-2233

- **NORMAN'S ETON ST. STATION**
Coleman & Rhoades, Wednesday & Thursdays in September, Kaleidoscope, Fridays and Saturdays, 245 S. Eton St., Birmingham.
(810) 647-7774

- **ENVOY CAFE**
Inner Circle, Sept. 15-16, 33210 W. 14 Mile, West Bloomfield.
(810) 855-6220

- **MURDOCK'S**
Straight Ahead, 9 and 11:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 15-16, 2086 Crooks Road, Rochester Hills. Call for reservations.
(810) 852-0550

- **DSO**
Wynton Marsalis and the Lincoln Center Jazz Orchestra, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21, Orchestra Hall, Detroit.
(313) 833-3700

- **OAKLAND UNIVERSITY**
April and Dennis Tini Duo and Friends, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21, Varner Recital Hall, Oakland University, Rochester. Tickets $10, senior, student discounts.
(810) 370-3013

BENEFITS

- **RED GARTER BAND**
Oakland County law Enforcement one mile fun run for Michigan Special Olympics noon to 1 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22. Lunch at the starting line and golden oldies presented by Doug Jacobs and his Red Garter Band. Tickets $50. Meet at the Oakland County Probation Dept., North Building, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac.

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

- **SPIDERS**
Cranbrook Institute of Science presents a spider exhibit through Sept. 24. Weave webs, capture prey and see live specimens of some of the 34,000 species of spiders. Museum admission required.
(810) 645-3230.

COMEDY

- **GINO'S COMEDY ROOM**
Bob Posch, 8 p.m. dinner, 9:30 p.m. show, Fridays, 1999 Cass Lake Road, Keego Harbor.
(810) 682-6540

- **SECOND CITY**
New show "Whitewater Rafting," opens Sept. 14.
(313) 965-2222

- **MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE**
Jeff Nease with Todd Wooster, Sept. 14-17, $6 weekends, $10 weekends, 269 E. Fourth, Royal Oak.
(810) 542-9900

- **MAINSTREET COMEDY SHOWCASE**
Lowell Sanders, Sept. 14-16. Tickets $10, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor.
(313) 996-9080

- **CHAPLIN'S WEST COMEDY CLUB**
Mike Toomey with Kevin Naughton, Sept. 14-17, 16890 Telegraph, Detroit.
(313) 533-8866

- **PAISANO'S**
Mike Lukas 9 p.m. Fridays, 8 & 10:30 p.m. Saturdays, through Sept. 30, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn.
(313) 584-8885

FESTIVALS

- **TROY DAZE**
Sept. 15-17, Boulan Park. Family oriented fun — midway rides and games, art, talent shows, classic car displays.

- **CHINESE MOON FESTIVAL**
Harvest celebration, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Towsley Auditorium, Washtenaw Community College, 4800 E. Huron River Dr., Ann Arbor. Admission adults $7, children $4.
(313) 971-3193

- **RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL**
Continues 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekends to Sept. 24, one mile north of Mount Holly, Inc. on Dixie Highway between Pontiac and Flint. Admission, adults $11.95 at the gate, children (5-12) $5.95 at the gate. Highlights: Country Wine Affair; Sept. 16-17 — Music and Dance; Sept. 23-24 —Sweet Endings
1-800-601-4848

- **DETROIT FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS**
Sept. 15-16, University Cultural Center, along Woodward, Cass and John R.
(313) 577-5088

GALLERIES

- **TOWNSEND STREET GALLERIES**
The Robert Kidd, David Klein and G.R. N'Namdi galleries on Townsend in Birmingham mark the opening of the art season with three opening-night exhibitions 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Call the individual galleries for information.

- **BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION**
"Into the Night," the culmination of a five-year photographic study by Artist of the Month Elaine Redmond, continues to Sept. 30 at 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham. Meet the artist 1-3 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 14 and 21. Redmond has been photographing antique pieces at Mario's Mannequin Studio in downtown Detroit for five years. Also, "Landscapes — Real and Imagined," an exhibit by the Birmingham Society of Women Painters, continues through Oct. 14; opening 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. The Rental/Sales Gallery at the BBAA will feature "Small Paintings" priced at $100 or less by BSWP members; all proceeds from sales will benefit the BBAA building fund.
(810) 644-0866

- **CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM**
Fiber artists Ferne Jacobs and Laura Foster Nicholson (Cranbrook M.F.A., 1980) will have an open conversation regarding their work and its relationship to the field of contemporary fiber 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, in the deSalle Auditorium in the lower level of the museum, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. Both are featured in the exhibit "Uncommon Threads" at The Sybaris Gallery in Royal Oak. The Sybaris Gallery is co-sponsoring Thursday's event.
(810) 645-3312

- **START GALLERY**
An exhibit of paintings by Ken Graning continues through Sept. 30 at 211 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Reception for the artist 5-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14.
(810) 644-2991

- **G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY**
"Memoires," an exhibit of works on paper by Vicente Pimentel, will continue to Oct. 29 at 161 Townsend, Birmingham. Opening reception for the artist 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Pimentel, a native of the Dominican Republic who has been living and painting in Paris since 1976, describes his work as being at the frontier of abstract and expressionism, playing between the two. He uses dirt, sand, tree bark, leaves and other particles of nature for pigments.
(810) 642-2700

- **ROBERT KIDD GALLERY**
An exhibit of new paintings by Dennis Wojtkiewicz will continue through Oct. 14 at 107 Townsend, Birmingham. Opening reception to meet the artist 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Wojtkiewicz is a realist painter who creates works suffused by light, drama and atmosphere.
(810) 642-3909

- **THE WETSMAN COLLECTION**
Baskets by Dail Behennah and ceramics by Susan Harris will be exhibited to Oct. 31 at 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Opening reception, at which Harris will be present, 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Behennah's open forms use traditional techniques in innovative ways by combining cane and wire with found pebbles, shells, twigs and seeds. Harris' vessels are impressive reinterpretations of ancient Oriental bronze ritual vessels.
(810) 645-6212

- **BARCLAY'S**
The gallery at 580 N. Woodward, Birmingham, will celebrate fall's arrival with "Bountiful Harvest," a showing of antique American lithographs of harvest fruits and vegetables. Visit noon to 5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 16-17, for the show and a "bit of bounty." The event will feature unusual stone lithographs commissioned by the U.S. government. These beautifully mounted and framed pieces date from the late 19th and early 20th centuries, and were preserved in private collections until recently.
(810) 645-5430

- **GALLERY SHAANTI**
"Vases and Vessels," with handcrafted, recycled, fluted craft paper by Ray Anthony and raku vessels by Peter Quinn, will continue through Oct. 7 at 361 E. Maple, Birmingham.

Reception for the artists 6-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16.

- **EUROPA ART GALLERY**
The new gallery at 6335 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield, will host the first exclusive Detroit area appearance and exhibit by celebrated Russian artist Yuri Gorbachev. Gorbachev will attend private receptions Thursday-Friday, Sept. 14-15, and a public showing noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16. A portion of the sales proceeds from the exhibit, which continues through Oct. 16, will be earmarked for the establishment of a fine arts scholarship in Gorbachev's name at the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit.
(810) 855-2160

- **OBJECTS OF ART**
Songbooks by Ohio artist Craig Matis will be displayed through Sept. 30 at 6243 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Opening reception to meet the artist 6-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16. To experience Matis' songbooks, come to Objects of Art, put on headphones and stroll through the gallery listening.
(810) 539-3332

- **LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY**
The gallery's sixth annual invitational exhibit, with works in a variety of media by 48 well-known and emerging area artists, continues through Oct. 14 at 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, with many of the artists in attendance.
(810) 334-6716

- **THE SYBARIS GALLERY**
"Uncommon Threads," an exhibit featuring three of the top fiber artists in the country — Lenore Tawney, Ferne Jacobs and Laura Foster Nicholson — and a jewelry show by Joe Wood continue through Oct. 14 at 202 E. Third, Royal Oak. Reception for the artists 6-8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16.
(810) 544-3388

- **ROYAL OAK ART WALK**
The Royal Oak Arts Council, in cooperation with the Royal Oak Gallery Association, sponsors the eighth annual walk 6-9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20. The event features a walking tour of downtown Royal Oak galleries and the arts and crafts facilities of Oakland Community College. Call Duke Gallery for more information.
(810) 547-5511

- **THE CEMENT SPACE**
"Visual Feedback," an exhibit of art inspired by techno music, will continue to Oct. 13 at 1501 E. Woodbridge, Detroit. Opening reception, featuring experimental gallery music by Alan Oldham, 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Featured artists are Matt Gollnick, Cody Hudson, Douglas Oland, Alan Oldham and Stephen Reaume.
(313) 259-9800

- **DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET**
The 1995-96 exhibition season at 300 River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit, opens with "Shirley Woodson: Filament, Wanting, Memory . . . and "Susan Logan: Hit the Deck," continuing through Nov. 3. Opening reception for the artists 5-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Woodson, one of metropolitan Detroit's most respected painters, layers images within vibrant color fields to create multiple levels of meaning within semi-abstract figures and landscape. Logan's provocative mixed media assemblages are based on the trump cards in a Tarot deck, which reads the future.
(313) 393-1770

- **DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS**
A video, "A Comment on the Art of Romare Bearden and Charles White: Griots of Imagery," will be shown 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, in the Holley Room at 5200 Woodward. The video explores the themes, techniques and backgrounds of these internationally acclaimed African-American artists. Also, fiddler, singer and storyteller Howard "Louie Blue" Armstrong will perform 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, in Lecture Hall.
(313) 833-7900

- **FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS**
The Center for Creative Studies campus, 201 E. Kirby, Detroit, will display Art on the Move works by CCS students Friday-Sunday, Sept. 15-17. Art on the Move is an artist residency and mentorship program, featuring workshops under the direction of CCS faculty members Todd Erickson of Redford and Joseph Wesner of Birmingham. Pieces from last year's program were featured in Birmingham's First Night celebration New Year's Eve.

- **CASS CAFE**
"Vital Nerve," a group exhibit, continues through Oct. 31 at 4620 Cass Ave. at Forest, Detroit. Opening reception to meet the artists 6-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, in conjunction with Festival of the Arts opening day. Featured artists include Elizabeth Crank of West Bloomfield, Christine Hagedorn of Troy, Sally Kaplan of Birmingham and Jojo Macey of Bloomfield Hills.
(313) 831-1400

- **KEEP ME EVER WARM**
An exhibit and sale to benefit a hospice program for terminally and chronically ill children takes place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday-Wednesday, Sept. 16-20, at Henry Ford Village Retirement Community, 15101 Ford at Greenfield, Dearborn. Admission $5. Events include lectures, demonstrations, quilt appraisals and a raffle. Quilt expert Merry Silber of Birmingham and doll artist Kathleen Bricker of Farmington are curators. A reception and quilt show preview will take place 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Reception and preview tickets are $150 and $250; call (313) 876-1031.

- **LAWRENCE GALLERIES**
An exhibit of works by P. Buckley Moss will take place 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Sept. 14-16, at 52226 Van Dyke, Shelby Township, to benefit the Learning Disabilities Association of Michigan. The world premiere showing of the new "Yates Cider Mill" will be the main feature of the exhibit. Limited edition graphics of the work as well as many of Moss' other pieces will be available for purchase. A special remarqued print of the Yates graphic donated by the artist will be raffled in December.
(810) 254-1033

- **THE SCARAB CLUB**
The Scarab Club's 52nd annual exhibit continues to Oct. 7 at 217 Farnsworth, Detroit. Awards reception, which the public may attend, 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17.
(313) 831-1250

- **ANN ARBOR ART ASSOCIATION ART CENTER**
"Symbols, Rituals, Icons," featuring painting by Barbara Dorchen, mixed media installation by Ted Ramsay and mixed media by Richard Washington, continues to Sept. 17 at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Gallery talk 3-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17.

- **MASK GALLERY**
Christine Welch will be exhibitng Drawings and an installation "Down to Earth," at Mask Gallery, 10338 Jos Campau, Hamtramck, Sept. 15 to Oct. 14. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Gallery hours during show, 4-6 p.m. Wednesday and Friday; noon to 6 p.m. Saturday, or by appointment.
(313) 567-0478

FOR SEPT. 14

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POPULAR MUSIC

- **311**
With No Doubt and Dog Eat Dog, 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. $8.50 in advance. All ages.
(313) 961-MELT

- **SMOKIN' JOE ACOFF**
9 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, The Attic, 11667 Jos. Campau, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues)
(313) 365-4194

- **"ANN ARBOR BLUES & JAZZ FESTIVAL"**
With Dr. John and John Mooney 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, at the Michigan Theatre, 603 Liberty, Ann Arbor; Booker T. and the MG's, Pancho Sanchez, Lonnie Mack and Tinsley Ellis, Little Sonny, Shawn "Thunder" Wallace and Mimi Harris and the Snakes, noon-8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Gallup Park, Ann Arbor; Cassandra Wilson and Kathy Kosins (a Birmingham native), 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, at Michigan Theatre; Fontella Bass, Scott Hamilton Quartet, Fat Possum Mississippi Juke Joint Caravan, Chisel Bros. and Howard and the White Boys, noon-8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Gallup Park. Indoor shows $20 and $35. Outdoor shows $14 in advance and $16 at gate for one-day pass; $22.50 in advance and $25 at gate for two-day pass. (blues and jazz)
(313) 668-8397/(313) 99-MUSIC

- **BARNSTORMER**
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14-Saturday, Sept. 16, and Thursday, Sept. 21-Friday, Sept. 22, High Kicker Saloon, 593 W. Kennett, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (country)
(810) 334-5550

- **BEALE STREET**
9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, New Way Bar, 23130 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues)
(810) 541-9870

- **GEORGE BEDARD AND THE KINGPINS**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Sports, 166 Maple, Wyandotte. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rockabilly)
(313) 285-5060

- **BUGS BEDDOW BRIGADE**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15 Saturday, Sept. 16, and Friday, Sept. 22, Rhinocerous, 265 Ripelle, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues)
(313) 259-2208

- **BLACK MARKET**
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae)
(810) 543-0917

- **BOTFLY**
With Baked Potato, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (funky rock)
(313) 996-8555

- **BRIGHT BLACK**
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. $5. 21 and older. (alternative rock)
(313) 875-6555

- **CHISEL BROS WITH THORNETTA DAVIS**
8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues)
(313) 581-3650

- **CORROSIVE**
With Sacred Sock, 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $5. 21 and older. (rock)
(810) 334-9292

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8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. $5. 18 and older. (alternative)
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- **JIMMIE DALE GILMORE**
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Jazz: *Birmingham native Kathy Kosins performs with Cassandra Wilson at the Ann Arbor Blues & Jazz Festival on Sept. 16. Her recently released CD — "All in A Dream's Work" on Schoolkids Records — consists of nine originals and the classic Miles Standard, "Four."*

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8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Sports, 166 Maple, Wyandotte. Cover charge. 21 and older; 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues)
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With Downer's Grove, 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. $5. 18 and older. (rock)
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With Tyrone's Powerwheel, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. $5. 21 and older. (alternative rock)
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- **RFD BOYS**
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Fifty runner's-up will receive passes for two to the Sept. 28 screening of "Moonlight and Valentino," and packages of Moon Garden seeds.

Written by Ellen Simon, Neil Simon's daughter, "Moonlight and Valentino" is the true story of Rebecca Lott (Elizabeth Perkins) whose husband is hit by a car while jogging and killed instantly. In a tragic split second, Rebecca becomes a widow.

Shell-shocked, Rebecca isn't alone for long because with the immediate arrival of her eccentric best friend Sylvie (Whoopi Goldberg), her neurotic younger sister Lucy (Gwyneth Paltrow) and her overbearing ex-stepmother Alberta (Kathleen Turner) comes a convergence of support and enough emotional baggage for a therapist to need new springs on the old couch.

For Rebecca's birthday, Alberta hires a house painter (Jon Bon Jovi) to "spruce up her siding." This mysterious man helps them discover that letting go of something is sometimes a lot better than holding on to nothing at all.

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Clever ideas, but 'Clockers' is not one of Lee's best


TICKETS PLEASE
JOHN MONAGHAN

"Clockers" is different from countless other movies dealing with big city drug trade. It's also much of the same.

Directed by Spike Lee, produced by Martin Scorsese, from a script by Richard Price, the movie could have been a '90s-era "Goodfellas." But like the mix of piano music and rap that comes together so noisily near the beginning, it's a collaboration that only occasionally works.

Scorsese was originally supposed to direct but then backed out to make "Casino" with Robert DeNiro instead. Lee came on board but didn't like the focus of Price's original novel, so he changed it from a middle-aged police inspector to a young drug dealer, or "clocker," named Strike.

Strike can get off the street if he performs a hit on a double crosser. Inexplicably, his brother Vincent takes the rap, leaving the mother and policeman who try to separate Strike from the young boy he befriends.

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■ REVIEW

Harvey Keitel's inspector Rocco to put together the pieces and discover the truth.

Rodney (Delroy Lindo) controls the local drug trade like a modern-day Fagin. Despite his cold bloodedness, he treats his tight-knit drug dealers like a family, insisting that his employees stay off of the stuff they peddle. He even gives them haircuts at the corner store that serves as a front.

"What do you see?" he asks his young recruits, hands in front of them in a circle. "Not black, green."

Some clever ideas surface in "Clockers." Flashbacks, filmed in grainy, saturated color, are especially vivid, often showing Vincent at work, a "buffer" between his employers and the gang members who threaten trouble. You can see how it eats away at him.

You'll catch the usual Spike Lee touches. Cameras and characters move on dollies while conversations typically turn to whether you have to be a killer to be a great rapper. In the seeming chaos, Lee provides role models from the mother and policeman who try to separate Strike from the young boy he befriends.

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SCREEN SCENE

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

■ **TALK CINEMA**
Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium, 32777 Five Mile Road, begins 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20. Admission is with a current Friends of the Livonia Library membership card, $5, available at the door.

"How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying." A window washer churns his way to the top of a major firm in this comedy. This show is now a musical on Broadway. Dr. Frank Ross leads a discussion on the film before and after the showing. Group meets third Wednesday of every month.

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

"A Pure Formality" (France/Italy - 1994). 7, 9:30 p.m. Sept. 15-16; 4, 7 p.m. Sept. 17. Gerard Depardieu stars in this chilling tale of a man who claims to be a writer picked up as a murder suspect and questioned by an extremely thorough police inspector (Roman Polanski). A different kind of story from Giuseppe Tornatore, the director of "Cinema Paradiso."

"Chinatown" (USA - 1974). 7 p.m. Sept. 18. A brand new print of Roman Polanski's eloquent tribute to "film noir," this one set in 1930s Los Angeles. Jack Nicholson plays detective Jay Gittes, whose relentless snooping puts him squarely in the middle of a bizarre and powerful family. John Huston and Faye Dunaway co-star along with Polanski in a memorable bit as a knife-wielding thug.

■ **MAGIC BAG THEATRE**
22918 Woodward, Ferndale. Call (810) 544-3030 for information. ($4; $3 students/seniors)

"A Clockwork Orange" (USA - 1971). 8 p.m. Sept. 14. A newly struck print of Stanley Kubrick's futuristic tale about an oddly charismatic young thug (Malcolm McDowell) who has equal enthusiasm for violent acts and the music of Ludwig Van Beethoven. Controversial when released almost 25 years ago and still shocking today.

"Grease" (USA - 1978). 7:30 p.m. Sept. 19 and 21. John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John come from different sides of the tracks in this kitschy tribute to 1950s music and morals. Based on the popular stage play.

"Bullet in the Head" (Hong Kong - 1990). 8 p.m. Sept. 20. An encore screening of the film Hong Kong action master John Woo calls his favorite. Three Hong Kong friends embark for Vietnam to get their piece of the lucrative black market but end up battling gangsters, soldiers, and themselves.

■ **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)

"Jeffrey" (USA - 1995). A gay actor/waiter living in New York vows celibacy in fear of contracting AIDS, but then meets the man of his dreams who just happens to be HIV-positive. "Star Trek's" Patrick Stewart recalls his stage actor origins in his turn as a flamboyant interior decorator.

"The Usual Suspects" (USA - 1995). Five guys who meet in a police lineup join for a simple heist. What happens next will keep you guessing in this cleverly scripted caper starring Gabriel Byrne, Kevin Spacey, and Chazz Palminteri.

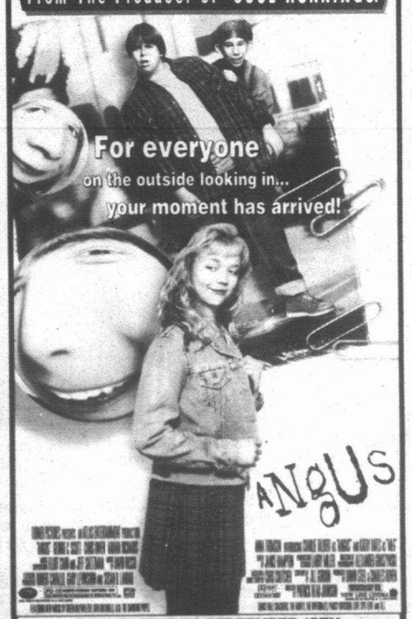
"The Brothers McMullen" (USA - 1995). For what some people spend on a new car, Edward Burns made this engaging first feature about a young screenwriter and his two brothers in contemporary Long Island. Burns calls his audience pleaser a "romantic comedy for guys" and what it lacks in acting and production values it more than makes up in charm.

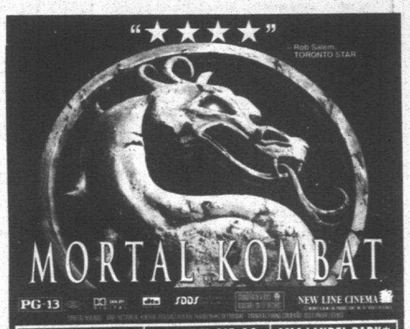
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The Large Hungarians — The Large Hungarians

The songs on The Large Hungarians' self-titled cassette are like a witch's brew — a little of this, a little of that to create a new potion. They are mainly pop-rock songs with a little bit of folk, jazz and ska thrown in for good measure.

This is a noble proposition, creating a sound mixture that is definitely your own. The problem is that the Kalamazoo band does not make it work with the exception of a few small parts. It sounds like each member wants to go in a different musical direction, and the struggle leads to a boring middle ground where there are only hints of the potential the band has.

The trombone parts throughout the album are about the only thing that saves the songs from being really uninteresting. Most of the horn parts catch your ear for a little bit to get you into the song before the rest of the music throws you back into the sea of mediocrity.

The Large Hungarians are not a bad band, but the five songs on their self-titled release do not make them sound like a very good band either. They do not make a very good pop band, but there are hints that they might make a good ska band.

Hopefully, as they continue to grow musically, they will see that a difference in style could make them shine. Until then, there doesn't seem to be much hope.

The tape is available through Hungarian Headquarters, 4210 Valley Ridge Dr., No. 8, Kalamazoo, Mich. 49006.

— Eric Darling

A freelance reporter from Vassar, Eric Darling is the former music director at WUDM, at the University of Detroit Mercy.

Blues With A Feeling — Little Sonny

Detroit-based harmonica player Aaron Willis, dubbed "Little Sonny" after early influence Sonny Boy Williamson II, had long been out of the shadow of his mentor by the time "Blues With A Feeling — Ann Arbor Blues & Jazz Festival 1972, Vol 2" was recorded. As vital to the serious blues harmonica fan's record library as his early Enterprise and Stax albums were, this is a revelation to the uninitiated and a reminder to those of us who just plain forgot how amazing this man was. The last time I saw him was probably around '78 or '79, and though I've been sufficiently knocked out by the new recordings, this is a trip down memory lane that's as fun to hear now as then. This is live, without the luxury even of a sound check.

Magic abounds here: The spoken intro to "Going Down Slow" ("In order for a horse to win a race, they say a horse must change his pace. In the meantime he can't win a race if he slows down all the time. He has to change his pace and speed up sometimes. There's a time to run fast, and there's a time to slow down. If you want to last, you better take it slow then move in. You gotta know to do it and when to do it. If you don't, you're in a whole heap of trouble.")

Beyond the meeting of proverb and double-entendre, it's a statement that might serve as the Little Sonny musical credo; the amazing live takes of his staples "The Creeper Returns," "Hot Potatoes" and "Sad Funk" that outdo the already impressive studio versions; the inspired scatting on "A Woman Named Trouble;" and his reinvention of Jimmy Reed's "Honest I Do," which stands as one of the best versions I've heard yet.

Sonny's got a warble to his voice that makes it as instantly recognizable as his harp, and there are very few harmonica players in history who are so distinctive.

Festival and disc producer John Sinclair's liner notes in which, among other things, he called Little Sonny one of his favorite modern bluesmen (an affection I share), are fact filled and make an enjoyable read, and the interview at the end of the disc with Little Sonny, a man with 40 years of Detroit blues history, is riveting. This is a classy, humble man who just happens to be one of the baddest harp players of our time that too few folks know anything about.

(Little Sonny plays the afternoon of Saturday, Sept. 16, at Gallup Park in Ann Arbor as part of the Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival. For more information, call (313) 99-MUSIC.)

—Mark E. Gallo

Mark E. Gallo is a freelance writer from Farmington Hills.

Have a listen

To hear music by Universal Stomp, Hagfish, Soul Coughing, and The Suicide Machines, 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.

Comedian counters Detroit's image

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

With Trapper's Alley in financial straits, and the death of Deletha Word plastered all over national magazines and newspapers, the city of Detroit could use a few kind words.

Look no further, it's a life-sized Wendy's restaurant girl to the rescue.

After a sold-out show at the State Theatre in Detroit last April, comedian Carrot Top calls the city "my new favorite place."

"I had a blast that night," Carrot Top said Monday via telephone from his Charlotte, N.C., home. "That was a good theater. The crowd was crazy. Detroit people are so nice. I felt like Cal Ripken."

He was so impressed by the city that he's considering taping a cable special at the venue. In the meantime, he'll return to the city Wednesday, Sept. 20, to play the other side of town — the Royal Oak Music Theatre.

For those who haven't seen him on MTV, The Tonight Show, Regis and Kathie Lee, Arsenio Hall Show, or Rolling Stone or People magazines, Carrot Top's shtick is trunks filled with bits and pieces of everyday life transformed into gags.

Carrot Top, who looks and acts like a cross between a spastic Raggedy Andy and Howdy Doody, whips his inventions out of the cases like a little kid who's trying to find his favorite toy at the bottom of the toy box. He'll pull out a party horn with an inhaler for asthmatics, a briefcase with a credit card machine attached for O.J. Simpson's lawyers, a fire hydrant for handicapped dogs, or a Dr. Kevorkian bath toy — a rubber ducky with an electric plug — among other things.

Carrot Top said this show will be different than his April gig at the State.

"Well, I'll be a little older. I have a lot of new stuff. We have some new jokes and some new lights. I always try to update the show with things that have happened in the news. Like for Shannon Faulkner I have a hat with a little Twinkie dangling in the front of it to get her through her regiment better," said the comedian, who was born Scott Thompson.

His funniest new joke, he said, has to do with Hootie and the Blowfish. That's as far as he'll go.

For the Florida-born Carrot Top, rock music and comedy go hand in hand. He incorporates flash pods, loud music and backdrops to top the energy that comes with rock shows.

"That's what I wanted from the beginning. You go to concerts, and the energy is not only on the stage but in the room. It's amazing how people will line up for concerts. At comedy shows it wasn't the same. There wasn't the energy."

In November, Carrot Top will put his energy toward "Chairman of the Board," the first of three movies he has inked to do for Trimark Pictures.

"I'm going to bring my persona, my crazy self. It's going to be exciting. We're gonna have some of the props. I play an inventor in the movie, chairman of a big Sharper Image kind of company."

He's always looked forward to doing movies but felt a little funny about it.

"I never wanted to see myself in a movie. When it finally does hit the movie theater, I'll have to go see it on a Tuesday afternoon at 1 so I'm the only person in there. I'm afraid if (the audience) doesn't laugh. Geez, what if it sucks?" he said.

"I'll probably throw Milk Duds at the screen. I don't like hearing my own voice. I hate that. If I listen to the machine and I hear 'I'm not home right now,' I hate that. I sound like a goober."

A book is also in the works.

"It's going to be about Reba McEntire. She sold so many copies I thought I'll just call it 'Reba.' I'll tell Reba's story in my own words. No, it'll be all my jokes, my props, like a little comic book."

But the key to the all of Carrot Top's media is to have fun — he and the audience.

"It's still fun watching the crowd laughing at it. It's like I get a chance to see it in action. I sit at home and do the jokes. When they get a response, it's neat to see the process from the building stage up to the performance."

Carrot Top performs at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20, at the Royal Oak Music Theatre, 318 W. Fourth St., Royal Oak. Tickets are $22.50 in advance for the 21 and older show. For more information, call (810) 546-7610.



Anything goes: *Prop happy,comedian Carrot Top brings his show to the Royal Oak Music Theatre on Wednesday, Sept. 20.*

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Carrot Top

Universal Stomp's bassist is having fun

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO
STAFF WRITER

Aaron Ruby of Garden City never thought that his hobby would earn him national recognition.

The bassist's hard rock band Universal Stomp has been given a thumbs up by influential trade magazines CMJ and the Gavin Report following the releases of the EP "Stomping of Jake" and the full-length CD "Full Swing." Both releases are available in most major record stores.

"I had no idea," Ruby said. ". . . It was just something that I normally did to pass the time, to have fun and get crazy. . . . I never expected it would be like this."

Universal Stomp formed in April 1994 with Ruby, guitarist Dave Curry, guitarist Scott Poole, singer Ed McEachern, and drummer Jeff Shankin. (Shankin has since been replaced with Mike Du Fore of Livonia.)

The band marks Ruby's first foray into bass playing.

"The first couple bands I played in were really noisy punk rock bands. I used to play guitar in all those bands. (In Universal Stomp) there wasn't a bassist so I thought, 'I'll play bass for you.' " the 22-year-old said.

A fan of bands like Youth of Today and Corrosion of Conformity, he admits that Universal Stomp's combative music "wasn't anything I was into at all." But after awhile his views changed.

"It was just so much fun to play."

Saturday, Sept. 16, Universal Stomp will play for more than fun. They're playing for a good cause — 10-month-old Ricki Kahl of Flat Rock who is in need of a bowel and liver transplant. Local acts Wicked Garden, Fast Orange, Dr. Grinch, Downer's Grove, Honor Among Thieves, HMR, Plow, St. Francis Cadets, Euphoria, and Uncle Bastard are also on the bill at the Mosquito Club in Westland.

Kahl's surgery will not be covered by insurance. So far the family has raised $200,000 of the $430,000 that's needed. The baby was born with gastroschisis, a rare birth disorder in which the intestines develop outside the body.

"She's had nine surgeries already," said her grandmother Doris Barnes of Taylor. "Her short bowel is too short. She's not getting any of the nutrients that her body needs. That means we have to feed her through a tube and that goes into her chest. She has another feeding tube through her nose. She's a very, very sick baby."

Her parents, Jeff and Denise Kahl, have two other children, Rebecca, 7, and Rachel, 5. Both are healthy.

Ruby said his band was more than happy to help.

"If someone asks us to help out, how could we say no? We're happy if someone asks us for help."

The Mosquito Club is located at 28949 Joy Road, Westland. Tickets for the show are $5 for the all-ages show with proceeds going to the Ricki Kahl Transplant Fund. Doors open at 3 p.m.; showtime is 4 p.m.-2 a.m.

To donate to the Kahls, send a check payable to the Ricki Kahl Transplant Fund, to P.O. Box 506, Flat Rock, MI 48134.



Stomping for a cause: *Universal Stomp, who released their debut CD "Full Swing" on Novi's Overture Records, play a benefit at the Mosquito Club in Westland on Saturday, Sept. 16, for Ricki Kahl, a 10-month-old baby who needs a liver and bowel transplant.*

■ 'I had no idea. It was just something that I normally did to pass the time, to have fun and get crazy . . . I never expected it would be like this.'

Aaron Ruby
bassist for Universal Stomp

THEATER

PTG off to 'musical' start

■ PREVIEW

Plymouth Theatre Guild opens its 49th season Friday with the musical comedy "Nunsense," 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15 at the Water Tower Theatre (on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital), 41001 W. Seven Mile, Northville.

The show continues weekends to Sept. 30. Tickets are $10 at the door, $9 in advance. Call (810) 349-7110.

There will be a special benefit performance 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19 for the Karmanos Cancer Institute/Children's Fund, formerly the Michigan Cancer Foundation. Preglow party is 5:30 p.m. at Rocky's. Tickets are $20 per person. Call (313) 833-0715, Ext. 737.

Be sure to see Bob Weibel's review of the show in next week's Observer.

Here is PTG's 1995-96 season schedule.

■ "Death of a Salesman" — Arthur Miller's Pulitzer Prize winning drama opens Nov. 17 and continues weekends to Dec. 2.

■ "Oklahoma!" — A landmark musical opens Feb. 16 and continues weekends to March 2.

■ "The Owl and the Pussycat" — an intimate comedy, opens May 3 and closes on May 11.

Season tickets are $28 — receive four shows for the price of three, easy ticket exchange, and priority seating.

Individual advance tickets are available at Sir Speedy Printing Center, 485 S. Main, Plymouth; Piccadilly Petaler Flowers, F&M Center, Ford Road Canton or by mail — PTG — Tickets, P.O. Box 700451, Plymouth, MI 48170.

Melodrama part of festivities

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

"The Black Cloak," to be presented by the Northville Players during the Victorian Festival this weekend, is a show filled with surprises.

Show times are 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15; 1 p.m., 3 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16; and 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17 at the American Legion Hall, corner of Center and Dunlap Streets, downtown Northville. Tickets are $3 adults, $2 for senior citizens and children under 12, and available at the door.

"It's under an hour long," said playwright Brian McGinn. "It's based on a number of Victorian novels. I hope people will find it entertaining."

The plot goes like this. Rosalind has arranged for her brother Henry's girlfriend, Amanda, to visit him on his birthday. But Amanda shows up with unexpected surprises in tow, including a fiance. And what of Henry? Will he lose the woman he loves and his life because of the secret plot against him? And just who is this mysterious Black Cloak person who has been thwarting local criminals? Will he be able to get to Rosalind in time to save her from the deadly clutches of Dr. Mago?

Nancy Schuster of Livonia plays Bianca, Dr. Mago's assistant. "I'm having fun with the role," she said. "Instead of being nice and sweet, I can let the nasty side out."

Julie Norbach of Northville plays Rosalind. "She's a modern woman in Victorian times. That's why I like her. She's very intelligent."

Craig Hipsher, who plays Henry, is not like his sister at all. "I'm in love with Amanda who has been away at school for years. I'm naive and innocent."

Henry is put to the test in a duel with Dr. Mago over Rosalind's hand.

Audience participation will be encouraged. You can boo and hiss at the villains, and cheer for the hero.

Northville's Seventh annual Victorian Festival, Sept. 15-17, celebrates the art, history and romance of the Victorian era.

Festivities begin with a parade in downtown Northville 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. During the next two days, festival goers will enjoy medicine man shows, strolling street entertainers, an art market, antique show, dulcimer players, and home tour. The townspeople will turn out in their finest ruffles, bows, parasols, vintage dresses and tailcoats to celebrate Northville's turn-of-the century heritage.

'West Side Story' entertaining

"West Side Story" through September 24, Fisher Theatre, Detroit. Tickets range from $25 to $60. Call (810) 645-6666 to charge tickets, or (313) 872-1000, Extension 0 for more information.

■ REVIEW

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

There aren't any big name stars in "West Side Story," but the audience voted with their feet opening night giving this production a standing ovation.

"West Side Story," a musical by Leonard Bernstein, Stephen Sondheim and Arthur Laurents, is the love story of Tony and Maria. Tony is Polish-American, and a member of the Jets gang. Maria is an recent Puerto Rican immigrant. Her brother Bernado is a member of the Sharks,, a rival gang.

Tony and Maria meet at a school dance and fall in love. But gang rivalry gets in the way of their love.

Marcy Harriell as Maria, and Natascia A. Diaz (Anita) were stand-outs. Harriell, who toured across Europe in this role, was a very believable and sweet Maria. I especially liked her interpretation of the popular "I Feel Pretty." She sings it in her bedroom. A few of her girlfriends are on sitting on the bed. Harriell is silly, and her girlfriends aren't sure whether or not to believe her when she says, "I'm getting married tonight."

Diaz has also performed her role in Europe. She's able to be very serious, sexy, and funny. Her best performances were "America," and "A Boy Like That."

H.R. Greer as Tony, has an OK voice, but he doesn't seem to put as much heart into his role as Harriell and Diaz.

Annette Bergasse, owner and director of Annette & Co. dance studio in Farmington Hills, was very happy. Her son, Joshua was making his professional stage debut in the role of Baby John, a member of the Jets. Bergasse performed very well under what must have been a considerable amount of pressure. He fit right in with the guys and was especially good in "Gee, Officer Krupke."

There's a lot to like about this production, directed by Alan Johnson. The set — an urban landscape with factories, high fence, and hanging laundry, and costumes — blues for the cool Jets, hot pinks for the Sharks — are well done. Choreography by Jerome Robbins is fabulous.

The songs, including "Something's Coming" and "Somewhere" — are familiar and memorable. A traveling orchestra provides excellent accompaniment.

While very enjoyable, I did hear some complaints about the ticket prices — $60 for main floor seating on Friday and Saturday nights, $55 Tuesday-Thursday. It does seem like a lot to pay, but then, this production is scheduled to open on Broadway.

When the curtain falls for the last time, "West Side Story" will continue it's tour of 30 U.S. cities including stops in Canada and Japan.

Funny '36' tackles issues of faith

Jewish Ensemble Theatre presents "36" by Norman Lessing in the Aaron Deroy Theatre, Jewish Community Center 6600 West Maple Road, West Bloomfield. Continues through Oct. 1. Show times — 8 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday; 2 & 7 p.m. Sundays; 8:45 p.m. Saturdays. Tickets $11-$22. Call (810) 788-2900 or Ticketmaster (810) 645-6666.

■ REVIEW



CATHIE BREIDENBACH

The Jewish Ensemble Theatre's engaging production of Norman Lessing's "36" balances comedy, serious reflection on the place of mystery and mysticism in religion, and satire to make the audience "laugh with," "laugh at," and "think" in equal measure.

Director Evelyn Orbach keeps the three-way comedy/serious/satire tension in admirable balance as the play unravels the story of three Chassids transplanted to a reformed temple in Cincinnati.

They're searching for the last of the 36 righteous souls for whom God preserves the world, and they find him in a beefy, big-mouthed electrician named Joe Walski (Jim Porterfield). With no religion and a Catholic wife, Walski's an unlikely candidate for a Jewish saint when he comes to repair the overloaded circuits in the lighting system at the temple where the trio of Chassids spend their days praying, studying, and kibitzing. They hang out at the reformed temple with permission of Manfred Dorfman (Robert Starko), a rabbi so modern his faith has eroded, but not so worldly that he can't revive the power of believing.

The trio of Chassids exemplify the exceptional balance of tone, temperament, and talent that pervades this production. The meddling, yet benevolent trio are led by the gently wise Nachman (Sol Frieder) in flowing white beard, the ascerbic, wisecracking Mendel (Robert Grossman), and the callow, smooth-cheeked Pitzik (Daniel Kahn). The play's good-natured satire has teeth enough to bite — but never to draw blood in the hands of the powerhouse six-member cast. The play pokes fun at old-fashioned Chassidic ways, the "creative" logic of rabbinical wisdom, country club synagogues, rabbis who have lost their faith, temples in the entertainment business, rabbis as business administrators rather than spiritual leaders, the subservience of Orthodox women, etc., etc.

In a play about an electrician who "sees the light" and sheds "light" on the mystery of faith, the metaphoric wordplay is reinforced by Mark Allen Berg's lighting design and Melinda Pacha's stunning stained-glass windows set in the marble restraint of the modern temple. Nobody — Jew or gentile, Chassidic or Reformed — escapes the eyes-open vision of Norman Lessing's satire which aims not to exclude, but to include all who struggle to explain the elusive, but unifying power of faith and all who would laugh at themselves in affirmation of their shared humanity.

Cathie Breidenbach is a West Bloomfield resident who teaches classes at the Jewish Ensemble Theatre and is a freelance writer.

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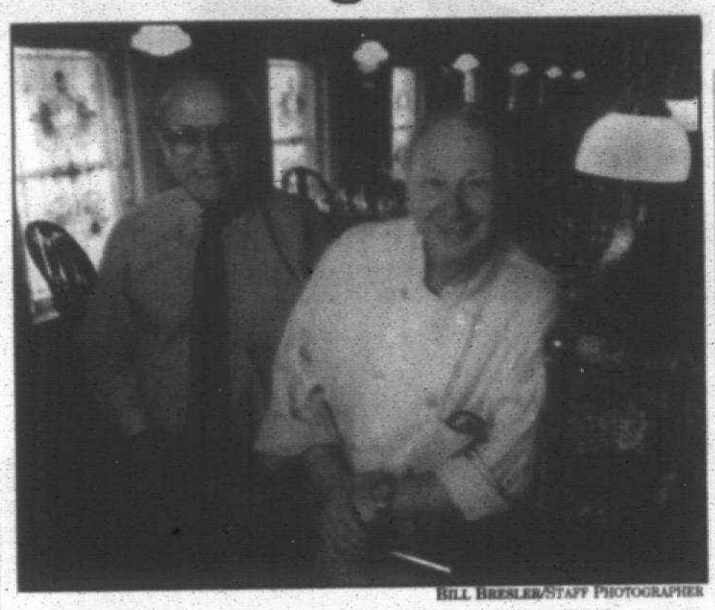
BY RENEE SKOGLUND
SPECIAL WRITER

The Plymouth Landing, on the outskirts of downtown Plymouth, is fine dining with a casual touch. It's white linen tablecloths with a vase of fresh daisies. It's a place where the dining experience is paramount.

"When you come through those portals, it's like an extension of my own dining room," said owner Jim Plakas, a former mayor of Garden City, and a very personable host. "Everything comes out of the refrigerator so to speak."

And coming out of the Plymouth Landing's kitchen are some wonderful dishes. There's fresh whitefish, sauteed in brown butter, white wine and capers; slow-roasted prime rib; two eight ounce Australian lobster tails, and daily specials, like sauteed lamb steaks or Atlantic salmon with champagne tarragon sauce. Entrees run the price gamut from $10.95 to marketplace, with most falling between $13.95 and $16.95.

Lunch offerings include a variety of soups, salads, sandwiches and beef, chicken, fish and pasta entrees. Then there's the original Black Angus Sliders, two mini patties of Black Angus beef grilled with onions and raised to fine dining status by some great trimmings. Not exactly White Castle! Lunch averages between $2.95 and $6.95.



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Fine dining: *Former Garden City Mayor Jim Plakas (left) and Chef John Vanderwouw work hard to get the customer's vote of approval at the Plymouth Landing.*

The Plymouth Landing

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Plakas loves talking about food. About fish he says, "It's the tender care you give the fish. Once you set it in the cooking vessel you watch it. Once you add the wine you watch it until the spirits evaporate. You can tell from the aroma."

Much of the dining enjoyment at Plymouth Landing comes from its atmosphere. It's housed in the lower level of the Markham Building (circa 1886), Plymouth's oldest commercial building still in use, and once the site of the Daisy Manufacturing Company, maker of the legendary Daisy BB guns. The building's original brick walls and oak beams (some supposedly pockmarked by BB's) make for a warm, intimate setting.

"I like the white tablecloths. There's something about white tablecloths," said Margaret Cartier of Redford. Dave DeMitri of Canton particularly liked the garlic redskins served with his blackened swordfish. A frequent Plymouth Landing diner, he said, "I'm with Superior Coffee and I'm in a lot of restaurants throughout the country. You can come here casual for fine white tablecloth dining."

"To be successful and be returned to office you have to perform. It's the same here. The customer is the most important person in the world."

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Special events

Relish benefit
Newest Unique Restaurant Corporation restaurant at 34555 W. 12 Mile Road (between Farmington Road and Drake) Farmington Hills, will hold a benefit supper 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20 — "Feast for the Cure" to benefit the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, formerly the Michigan Cancer Foundation. Tickets $40 per person, cash bar will be offered.
(810) 443-5320

Schoolcraft hosts 'feast of the season'

There's still time to buy tickets for Schoolcraft College's "feast of the season," the fourth annual Culinary Extravaganza, .

The event 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17 in the Waterman Center on campus, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia, offers an opportunity to sample gourmet appetizers, entrees, desserts, and assorted beverages from more than 65 of metro Detroit's finest restaurants, beverage distributors, bakeries and specialty food producers.

Tickets are $40 per person or $75 for two. Tickets may be purchased by calling the Schoolcraft College Institutional Advancement office at (313) 462-4417. Visa, MasterCard and personal checks will be accepted.

Try your luck and buy a raffle ticket to win two tickets to anywhere in the continental United States via Northwest Airlines (first prize); two Northwest Airlines tickets to Chicago and a weekend at the Whitehall (second prize); two tickets to a play at the Fisher Theatre (third prize); fine jewelry, valued at $500, from Orin Jewelers (fourth prize); or leather luggage (fifth prize). A $500 golf accessory package from Saturn of Plymouth will also be awarded at the event.

Raffle tickets are $5 each or three for $10, and will be available the day of the event. Every ticket is a winner because you can redeem it for $5 off any dinner entree at City Grill, Cozy Cafe, DePalma's, Joe Muer's Grill, Joe Muer Seafood, MacKinnon's, Old Mexico, Peacock Tandoori or Water Club Grill. The offer is valid Sunday through Thursday, and doesn't expire until Dec. 18.

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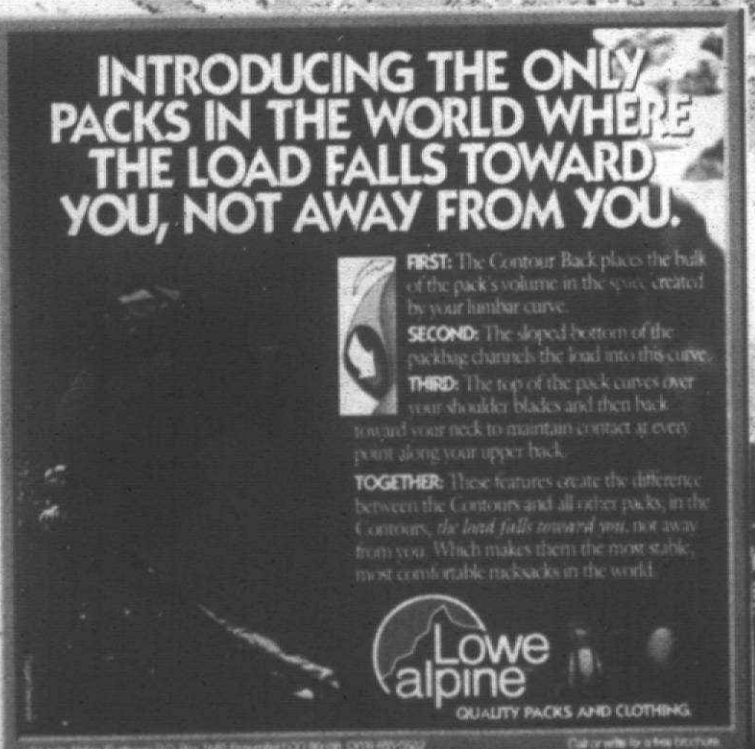
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SPORTS

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CANTON SPORTS SCENE

Salem harriers 5th

Plymouth Salem finished fifth and Canton 12th Saturday in the West Bloomfield Invitational girls cross-country meet at Rolling Hills.

Coach Dave Gerlach's Salem team came home with two medals from junior Nicole Bolton, who finished ninth with a time of 20:15.5, and 13th-place finisher Leah Retherford, whose time was 20:25.2.

The Canton girls of Coach George Pryzgodski were led by Becky Wolfrom, who wound up 18th with a time of 20:39 as his team totaled 316 points.

Beth Knight finished 38th with a time of 21:24 while Christiana Bradford was 33rd with a time of 23:17 and Debbie Kaczmarek clocked 23:40 to place 87th. Jessica Wells hit 24:00 for 90th while Lori Schmidt was two places further back at 24:17.

Salem totaled 164 points but, like everybody else, was far back as the national powerhouse girls cross-country team from Beaumont, Ohio, scored 22 points and finished first by, well, a mile.

Other finishers for the Rocks were juniors Kristie Giddings (21:21), Mari Disbrow (21:43) and Kathy Jost (21:53), Liz Peltier (22:27) and sophomore Erin Lang (23:02).

Junior varsity runner Jennifer Burke, a sophomore, earned a spot on the varsity for Saturday's Holly Invitational with a 22:42 clocking.

Canton golfers fall

Plymouth Canton's boy's golf team lost its opener, 203-215, to Northville. Senior Brian Carlson shot a 38 Friday at Brae Burn to lead the Chiefs but his total was three strokes off that posted by the Mustangs' Jeremy Sova. Canton junior David Dismendy shot 43 and junior Miles Meibers 44 while sharing a 45 were seniors Scott Belisle and Chris Wilson.

Girls hoop tourney

Schoolcraft College will feature four top programs Sept. 15-16 when it hosts its first girls Invitational High School Basketball Tournament in its Physical Education Building. Detroit Murray-Wright will play Birmingham Marian in the first game Friday at 6 p.m. while Birmingham Detroit Country Day will play Traverse City in the 8 p.m. contest. Losers will play in a 6 p.m. consolation game Saturday with the championship game at 8 p.m.

For tickets and further information contact Schoolcraft Athletic Director Ed Kavanaugh at (313) 462-4400, extension 5249.

Bus Drivers win

The Plymouth Canton Bus Drivers went to South Bend, Ind., Sept. 9-10 and didn't lose a game in winning their division of a Gus Macker tournament. Team members are Jeff Swartek, Scott Setlock, Nick Duca and Jim Reddy.

All-Canton final

The Canton Lightning defeated the Canton Predators, 3-1, in overtime Aug. 27 to win the championship of the Boys U-12 division of the Dearborn Invitational Soccer Tournament.

Lightning players include Jeffrey Bennett, Jai Bilimoria, Daniel Boylan, David Daigneau, Ryan Foley, Nick Houdek, Brent Kwaitkowski, Daniel Longpre, Pat Meyn, Randy Palis, Jason Priebe, Aaron Schmidt, Kevin Schopieray, Matt Strabbing, Ken Taylor, Ben Wielechowski, and Jamie Zdrodowski. The team is coached by Watson Zdrodowski, Leroy Schopieray and Mike Longpre, trained by Lyle Wensley.

Predator players include Ben Brockschmidt, Brady Burns, Michael Cizewski, Kevin Coxford, Eric Durance, Keith Fukuda, Brian Gawronski, Steven Johnston, Scott Koehler, Jared Lamborn, Nick Oswalt, Tavio Palazzolo, Kevin Peurassari, Jason Poniatowski, Mark Reid, Jeremy Schwartz, Carl Space and Ryan Stanko. The team is coached by Kurt Johnston and Paul Palazzolo.

Rams baseball tryouts

The Michigan Lake Area Rams will conduct interviews and tryouts for the 1996 baseball season during the end of September and the beginning of October (times and locations to be determined).

For more information on the Little Caesars Federation Amateur Travel League team, call the following coaches:

Connie Mack (ages 17-18) — Tom Nestor (313) 291-3932 or Dan Varon (810) 737-9138;

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■ The Michigan Indians/Concealed Security 9-and-under travel baseball team will have tryouts for the 1996 season at noon Saturday, Sept. 16, at Massey Field in Plymouth.

Boys with birth dates between Aug. 1, 1986, and July 31, 1987, are eligible. For information call Lou Pirronello at (313) 462-1408.

To submit items for the Observer Sports Scene, write to C.J. Risak, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, Mi. 48150; or send via fax to (313) 591-7279.

Best so far

Salem, Canton still perfect in dual meets



The stage is now set for the dual-meet showdown between Canton and Salem, slated for next Thursday. Both teams remained unbeaten through Tuesday, although challenging WLAA powerhouse Livonia Stevenson might be a reach.

The girls swim teams from both Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem are unbeaten — but they won't remain that way for long.

By the thinness of a swimsuit Tuesday night, Salem's girls swim team got its season off to a successful start.

"I don't even know if we swam well," Coach Chuck Olson said, noting the meet was in a meter pool, "but I know we won."

Salem defeated Brighton by one point, 93½-92½, in its opener, which looks worse on the scoreboard than it does in the standings since Brighton had won all three of its meets this season.

Zoe Yockey won the diving with a score of 232.90 points while Yvonne Lynn, Katie Bonner, Sara Casillas and Audry Hala were double winners — combining for a winning 2:15.17 time in the 200-meter medley relay and taking individual events as well.

Lynn was actually a triple winner as she took the 100-meter backstroke in 1:13.87 and teamed with Carnie Dzialo, Andrea Bien and Kelly Ann Williams for a 200-meter freestyle relay winning time of 2:00.50.

Hala took the 500-meter freestyle in 6:12.42, Bonner was first in the 100-meter breast stroke in 1:26.23 and Casillas won the 100-meter butterfly in 1:14.70 to beat out teammate Jenny Werthman (1:17.04).

Canton remains unbeaten

Canton kept its record as spotless as a swimming pool with a 98-87 win over Monroe in its second meet of the season.

That puts a little sharpness to the atmosphere when the two schools meet Sept. 21.

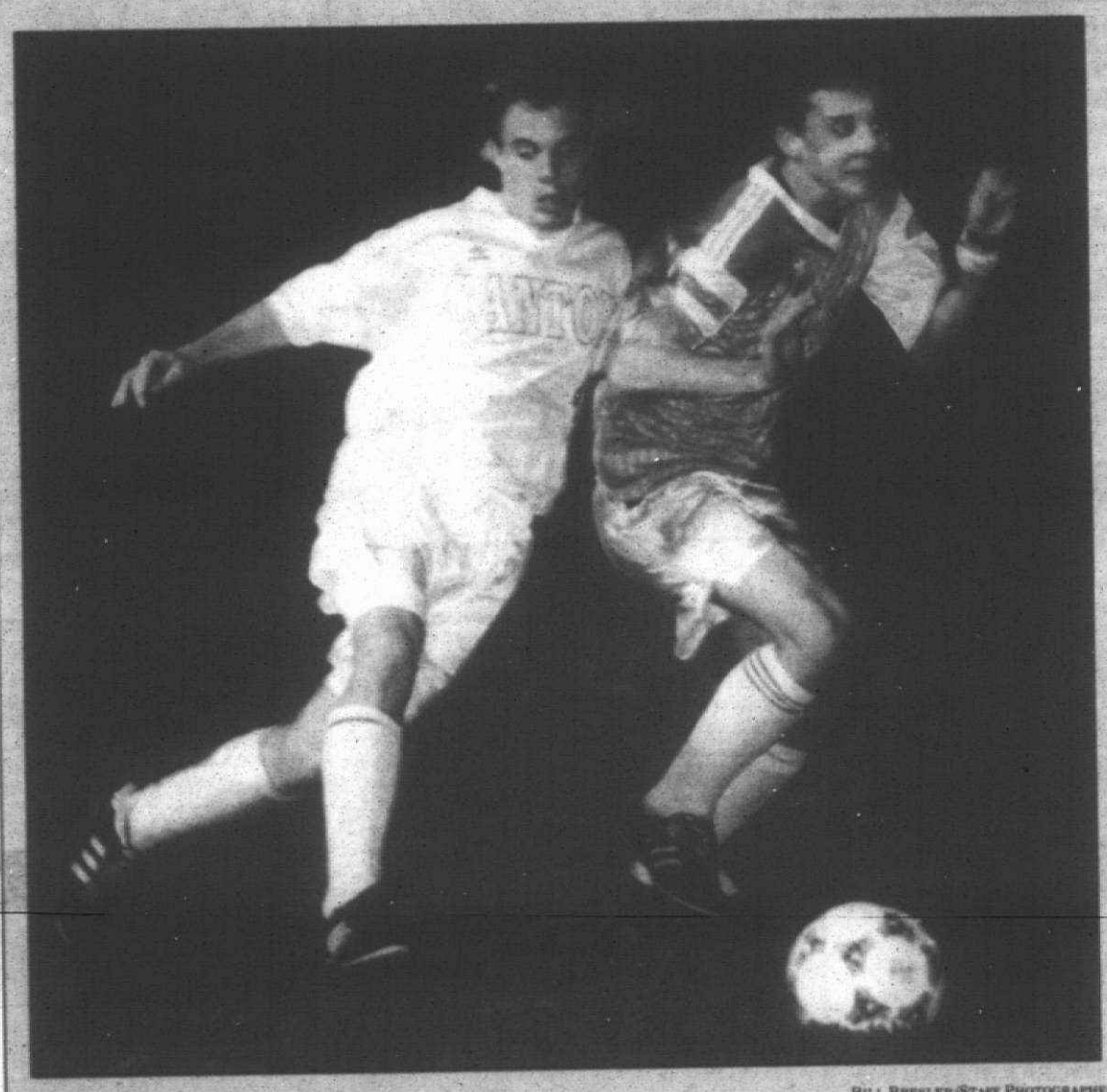
"Last year we didn't win an event against Monroe, except diving," Canton coach Ron Krueger said. "That's quite a change. And Monroe has a lot of the same people. Our depth was the difference."

Freshman Teri Hanson (2:03.53) won the 200-meter freestyle with sophomore Lisa Sabina (188) leading a 1-2-3 diving sweep that included sophomore Jenni Demski (142) and junior Jaime Skamiera (133).

The Chiefs won the 200-freestyle relay (1:51) with sophomore Angie

See SWIM, 5C

Chiefs' defense corrals Mustangs



Bill Bresler/Staff Photographer

Marked man: *Canton's defenders were on the mark in Monday's match against Northville, something Tom O'Rourke (in white) displays above. The Chiefs posted a 2-0 win.*

Goals by Mike Elsner and Anthony Reimma in the second half Monday let host Plymouth Canton raise its boys soccer record to 2-3-1 with a 2-0 win over Northville.

Kevin Gniewek assisted on Elsner's goal in the Western Division opener for both schools in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Goalie George Tomasso kept the home fans happy by keeping the ball out of Canton's net.

The Chiefs have been having problems scoring so they concentrated on the other half of the game. Matt Ammons, Sam McGrath and Todd Stonestreet helped the defense limit Northville's opportunities while the offense applied pressure through much of the game.

"We played a very good second half," Coach Don Smith said. "We've been struggling a bit lately but we had a real strong second half. We lost a lot of seniors from last year's team, and we've been working hard to get things back together."

■ **SALEM 5, FARMINGTON 1:** You can't keep a good team down, but Farmington learned you can keep it tied. For about a half a game.

Plymouth Salem, held to a 1-1 draw through the first half at Farmington, exploded for four goals in the second half Monday to remain undefeated for Coach Ken Johnson.

The Rocks lead the Western Lakes Lakes Division with a 3-0 record in a 6-0 season after getting two goals from Andy Makins and one apiece from Drew Drummond, Matt Hucal and Brett Konley.

Mike Mezgec had two assists while Josh Fair and Matt Sarkesian got one each.

PCA withstands late charge; Agape rips Saline

■ **BASKETBALL**

A 15-6 second quarter Tuesday night enabled Plymouth Christian Academy to survive the loss of star senior guard Lisa Erickson.

PCA managed to beat Macomb Christian in girls basketball, 38-34.

Erickson fouled out with two minutes left and a game high 17 points. Macomb put on a press and pulled to within two points but could get no closer.

Forward Sarah Summer scored 10 points and had eight rebounds, while sophomore point guard Amanda Clark had seven assists as Plymouth Christian raised its record to 3-1.

Visiting Macomb Christian, 2-1, got 14 points from senior guard Kailyn Perrin.

■ **AGAPE 66, SALINE CHRISTIAN 32:** A 21-6 third quarter Friday helped Plymouth Agape Christian run away from Saline Christian.

Senior center Gretchen Baisch scored 24 points, and had 10 rebounds and four steals, as Plymouth Christian raised its record to 3-1 and dropped Saline Christian to 0-2 in the conference opener for both schools. Junior guard Jacki Ther scored 17 points and had five assists plus five steals while her freshman sister Kim scored 12 points and had five assists. Guard Julie Kotman scored 10 points for Saline Christian.



Sharon LeMieux/Staff Photographer

A hit

Quick exit: *Salem's Jessica Engle pounds back a shot during Monday's match against Farmington. Unfortunately, neither Engle — playing first singles — nor her Salem teammates fared too well, getting blanked 8-0. For results, turn to Page 3C.*

CC's Wilson terminates Rice with late goal

By Steve Kowalski
Staff Writer

Birmingham Brother Rice junior defender Shawn Wilson earned the nickname "Terminator" from his teammates for the way he eliminates opposing teams' scoring chances.

Maybe they'll start calling Wilson the "Energizer" after he helped Rice stay alive in the Catholic League Central Division boys soccer race with the winning goal in Tuesday's 3-2 comeback victory over host Redford Catholic Central.

Rice lost its first Central Division game last Friday to Warren DeLaSalle, 1-0 on a penalty kick, and another loss to a title contender would have been devastating. The Warriors, 4-1-2 overall, won the Catholic League playoffs last year, but have yet to win a Central Division title since coach Jay Louis-Prescott took over in 1989.

■ SOCCER

Junior Mike Koval was the winning goalkeeper.

"This was a very important win for us, we didn't want a tie, we wanted to come away with a victory," Louis-Prescott said. "I was impressed with the way we played in the second half. We had our minds made up we were going to score."

After a 1-1 halftime tie, CC's Dan Mulvihill timed a crossing pass from teammate Tony Moucoulis perfectly and scored with 15:55 remaining to put the Shamrocks ahead 2-1.

But Rice scored twice on scrambles in front of the net within a two-minute span to overtake the Shamrocks.

Senior forward Chris Wilk tied the score at 2-2, kicking a loose ball past CC senior goalkeeper Travis Miller with about 13:00 remaining. The goal followed a corner kick, which wasn't cleared in front of the CC net.

The Warriors broke the tie after bringing Wilson up from near midfield for a re-set play. The initial shot didn't get through to Miller, but the Shamrocks failed to clear the rebound and Wilson was there for the score with about 11:00 remaining.

"Garrett (Steudle) or (Tim) Guest went for the ball, their keeper came out, the ball tipped off his hands to me and I put it in," Wilson said. "We dominated the whole second half, it was just a matter of time before we got it."

CC coach Phil LaJoy said the Shamrocks may have paid the price for trying to protect the lead.

"We tried to be sure, safe, and we got caught," he said. "Rice is a quick team, give them credit for their effort. We made mistakes, they were able to capitalize and score."

The late rally was especially surprising since the Shamrocks had three shutouts in their first four games — all victories.

What bothered LaJoy and assistant Kevin Tuite the most was the Shamrocks could have avoided both late goals if any of their defenders had won 50-50 balls in the box.

"We were just a step off today," CC senior defender Brian Nemes said. "We should have had a head on those. Nothing should land within the box."

The Warriors took the first lead of the game, 1-0, on a goal from Guest assisted by senior defender Pete Kepic midway through the first half. CC forged a 1-1 tie when Moucoulis converted a pass from senior Tom Derhake and scored only 10 seconds before halftime.

Louis-Prescott said the play of midfielders Jeff Beeler and Ryan Holden helped the Warriors control the play in the second half. Midfield should be a strength next year as well since Beeler is only a sophomore and Holden is a junior.

"That's where the game is won or lost," Louis-Prescott said. "They did a good job."

Returnees give Shamrocks' hopes a boost

■ GOLF

The Redford Catholic Central golf team returns all but one of its players from last year's team that tied for third place in the Class A regional with Birmingham Brother Rice.

The top three teams at each regional advance to the state tournament. Rice earned the trip, winning a tiebreaker against the Shamrocks.

CC was the Catholic League champion in 1994 and coach Phil Heyer believes the Shamrocks are capable of repeating and also advancing to the state meet. CC is undefeated in its only dual meet, beating the University of Detroit-Jesuit, 148-164, at Brae Burn Golf Course.

"One to five, the kids have been together three years," CC coach Phil Heyer said. "Top to bottom, this is the best team I've had. We have real nice balance this year."

The only significant loss to graduation was Bob Beckman, who averaged about 42 and was the Shamrocks' third man.

Returning for his senior year is Brandon DiPaola, who was second at the 1993 regional and the Catholic League champion last year. He failed to qualify for the state meet in '94 despite shooting a 77 in a strong field at the regional.

The most encouraging part of the early season has been junior Mike Pedrys turning in lower scores than DiPaola. Also playing consistently have been seniors Chris Misiak and Chris Hulgrave.

DiPaola led the Shamrocks in their only dual meet with an even-par 35. Pedrys had 37 and Misiak and Hulgrave each carded 38s.

Pedrys was co-medalist at the Pinckney Invitational, where the Shamrocks finished second behind Livonia Churchill, the state's eighth-ranked team. Pedrys' improvement has been noteworthy after averaging 42 last year.

The Shamrocks have been competitive in two other tournaments. They took eighth at the East Lansing Fall Classic, featuring most of the state's top teams, and fifth at the Brighton Invitational.

Another top returnee whose scores should be counted this season is senior Brian Karabelski. The Shamrocks' roster also includes senior Brad Villa, juniors Darrell Kennedy, Ryan Ossenmacher, Nick Watts and sophomore Adam Peters.

■ THURSTON 166, TAYLOR CENTER 207: Sophomore Jeff Adams had a 39 Monday, leading Redford Thurston to a dual match win over Taylor Center at Warren Valley Golf Course.

The win improved Thurston to 3-2 overall, 3-1 in the Mega Conference Blue Division.

Sophomore Kirk Wasmund had 40 and seniors Art Homfeyer and Jeff Pitt each finished with 42s.

Stevenson dominates at Schoolcraft

By Brad Emons
Staff Writer

Just how good is the Livonia Stevenson girls cross country team?

The talent-laden Spartans, fourth in last year's state Class A meet, gave a sneak preview Saturday at the annual High School Invitational meet held at Schoolcraft College.

Placing seven of the top 15, the Spartans unseated defending champion Novi for first place, scoring 32 points to the Wildcats' 47. *See statistical summary.*

"Our goal was to get all seven girls in the top 20, but we'll take that," Stevenson coach Paul Holmberg said. "In our first time trial, we had 13 kids faster than our fifth kid a year ago. That was the same time of the year on the same course."

Stevenson sophomore Kelly Travis defended her individual title, covering the 3.1-mile loop in 19 minutes, 58 seconds. Travis was 45 seconds ahead of second place finisher Katie Zimmerman of Novi and 54 seconds ahead of third-place finisher Erin Leonard of Ann Arbor Pioneer.

■ X-COUNTRY

The redesigned Schoolcraft course, however, was longer than the normal 5,000 meters.

"Kelly (Travis) was around 6:05 for the first mile and normally she goes about 5:45 at Cass Benton (Park)," Holmberg said. "The course was not that difficult, but it was a nice, fair course. It was definitely longer."

Rounding out the strong Stevenson contingent was sophomore Kelly McNeilance, who was fourth (21:58); senior Jeannette Stojcevski, fifth (21:18); freshman Kim McNeilance, ninth (21:40); senior Laura Pilon, 13th (21:57); junior Jessica Cyburt, 14th (22:02); and sophomore Delia Dumitrescu, 15th (22:07).

"Kelly (McNeilance) has been hurt three times in the last month and her training has been behind, so for her to finish fourth today is a good performance," Holmberg said. "And she will get better."

Kim McNeilance, a freshman, was also impressive in her Stevenson debut.

"She can run with anybody," Holmberg said.

The Spartans may have also been given added incentive when Ann Arbor Pioneer, second a year ago in the state Class A meet, was a late entry.

Pioneer, however, was a distant fourth in the team standings.

"It got me pumped up because we run in the regional with them," Holmberg said. "It was a gauge, win or lose. They (Pioneer) held out their top top kids, but I don't think that would have made a difference today."

Novi, however, is a quality team. The Wildcats took third in last year's state meet.

"Troy Athens (state champion) is considered the best and to say we're in the top five is stepping out on a limb because we have the toughest regional to come out of," Holmberg said. "I've said realistically there are a lot of good teams around the state."

But Holmberg likes what he sees so far.

"We're 10 deep right now and beauty is that they all encourage and help one another," he said. "They're excited and I'm excited about it. The attitude has been super."

Central boys 1st

Last year it was Walled Lake Western, this year it's Walled Lake Central that reigns as Schoolcraft Invitational boys cross country champ.

Central led the way with 67 points, edging Trenton (71), Livonia Stevenson (82) and Novi (91). Western, led by individual winner Jason Aspinall (17:17), was fifth with 118.

Central's top five finishers included Rob Donovan (fourth), Jim Jahnke (fifth), Rich Jahnke (11th), Steve Adams (18th) and Nate Stoll (29th).

Stevenson was led by sophomore Rob Block, who has recovered from a broken leg suffered in a summer skateboarding accident. He finished seventh in 18:01.

Other Spartan finishers include Steve Warner (ninth), Scott Kwiatkowski (12th) and Mike Felczak (22nd).

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

Items for the *Sports Roundup* must be submitted by 5 p.m. Friday (for Monday edition) and 5 p.m. Tuesday (for Thursday edition). Items run once only.

■ YOUNG LIONS ROAR

The Canton Lions freshman football team defeated the host Redford Rangers, 39-20.

The Canton Wing T offense featured touchdowns by running backs Scott Hewitt, Chad Fuller, Reginald Joyner and David Thomas. Canton's starting team held Redford to zero first downs and the second team put up a strong battle against the Rangers' first team.

Hewitt scored the first Lions' touchdown on a 47-yard run and the lead grew to 26-7 at halftime. Tony Barth led the defense with an interception in the second half.

Redford won the varsity game, 7-6, and the junior varsity game, 6-0.

■ FALL RECREATION

Schoolcraft College's Allied Health-Continuing Education Division is accepting registrations for several recreational courses this fall. Classes, which run Sept. 12 through Oct. 25, include Beginning Kayaking, Social Ballroom Dancing, Golf Club Assembly, Health Enhancement-An Improved Quality of Life, Joy of Sailing, Think Trim (one-day workshop), Western Line Dancing, Open Handball, Paddleball, Racquetball, Volleyball, Men's Volleyball, Co-ed Volleyball, Water Walking and Hunter Education.

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TENNIS

FARMINGTON 6 PLYMOUTH SALEM 0
Sept. 11 at Farmington

No. 1 singles: Beth Wilson (F) defeated Jessica Engle, 6-0, 6-2.
No. 2: Korin Szopo (F) def. Vicki Anderson, 6-2, 6-0.
No. 3: Stephanie Unger (F) def. Erin Reid, 6-0, 6-4.
No. 4: Sarah McKay (F) def. Suzanne Theodore, 6-0, 6-0.
No. 1 doubles: Erin White-Susan Kettler (F) def. Christina Schriver-Amanda Miller, 7-6 (7-1), 4-6, 6-0.
No. 2: Carolyn May-Kari Berkesch (F) def. Yuka Kunsu-Sonal Shah, 6-1, 6-1.
No. 3: Radhika Pasricha-Fawn O'Leary (F) def. Kelly Kubeck-Kathy Clawson, 6-1, 6-4.
No. 4: Heidi Thomas-Karen Pawloski (F) def. Abbey Hermans-Krystin Durrer, 6-1, 4-6, 6-0.
Farmington record: 3-1 overall, 1-0 Western Lakes; **next match:** Friday vs. Northville at Farmington.

NORTH FARMINGTON 4 LIVONIA STEVENSON 4
Sept. 11 at Stevenson

No. 1 singles: Lauren Jones (NF) defeated Whitney Crosby, 6-3, 6-3.
No. 2: Anna Byberg (LS) def. Amy Marks, 6-1, 6-3.
No. 3: Sarah Hand (NF) def. Mara Mazzoni, 6-2, 6-1.
No. 4: Rachel Wool (NF) def. Kajal Badani, 6-1, 6-1.
No. 1 doubles: Lindsay Pfeifer-Anita Plante (LS) def. Stephanie Panush-Erica Brown, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4.
No. 2: Heather Cornwell-Renee Ouellette (NF) def. Kristi DiBasio-Andrea Khoury, 7-5, 6-3.
No. 3: Megan McGlinch-Pam Samsel (LS) def. Jenny Yen-Danielle Weisman, 6-1, 6-7 (5-7), 6-3.
No. 4: Michelle Horback-Maria Nikou (LS) def. Kristina Krajlevic-Sarah Kay, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3.
Team records: North Farmington, 3-1-1; Stevenson, 0-0-1.

FARMINGTON HARRISON 8 WALLED LAKE WESTERN 0
Sept. 11 at Western

No. 1 singles: Carla Shade (FH) defeated Erica Combs, 6-0, 6-0.
No. 2: Sara Kloosterman (FH) def. Dana Holcman, 6-4, 6-2.
No. 3: Brittany Maxey (FH) def. Cari Sargent, 6-0, 6-2.
No. 4: Lindsey Frank (FH) def. Melissa Bottle, 6-1, 6-3.
No. 1 doubles: Andrea Platt-Sheryl Wolf (FH) def. Alyson Bottle-Meg Harp, 6-1, 6-1.
No. 2: Jenny Hickox-Megan Wild (FH) def. Kim Weiss-Becki Vollmer, 3-6, 6-1, 6-0.
No. 3: Andrea Berman-Michelle Ruffini (FH) def. Ciara Keegan-Anna Siemionko, 6-2, 7-6.
No. 4: Jodie Schuld-Rachel Petoskey (FH) def. Heather Dalton-Kristi Jamison, 7-5, 6-1.
Harrison record: 2-0 overall, 1-0 Western Lakes; **next match:** Friday at North Farmington.

BIRMINGHAM GROVES 5 FARMINGTON 2
Sept. 5 at Farmington

No. 1 singles: Beth Wilson (F) defeated Pam Lauhoff, 6-7 (7-4), 6-0, 6-2.
No. 2: Erika Stone (G) def. Korin Szopo, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.
No. 3: Stephanie Unger (F) def. Christine Brown, 7-5, 6-4.
No. 4: Rachel Seligson (G) def. Sarah McKay, 6-2, 6-2.
No. 1 doubles: Julie Falick-Liz Letscher (G) def. Erin White-Susan Kettler, 6-4, 6-2.
No. 2: Sarah Snyder-Kristen Snyder (G) def. Carolyn May-Kari Berkesch, 7-6, 2-6, 6-0.
No. 3: Becky Levine-Katherine Damman (G) def. Radhika Pasricha-Fawn O'Leary, 6-2, 6-2.

Mercy outruns Ladywood

Defending Catholic League cross country champion Farmington Hills Mercy began its dual-meet season Tuesday with a 22-35 win over Livonia Ladywood at Cass Benton Woods.

Mercy was led by Betsy Gignac in first place (21:01) and Jackie Segue in second (21:20).

Ladywood's top runners included Shannon Swish, third (22:04); Anne Figurski, fifth (22:28); and Lindsay Soter, sixth (22:29).

PCA third

Brad Polkinghorne and Sam Patterson finished one-two Tuesday, pacing Lutheran High Westland to a tri-meet boys cross country victory at Hines Park.

The victorious Warriors, now 5-0 overall, scored 20 points, followed by Ann Arbor Greenhills with 35 and Plymouth Christian Academy with 81.

Polkinghorne and Patterson were clocked in 17:59 and 18:02, respectively, in the 5,000-meter race.

Other finishers for the Warriors included Andy Ebendick, fourth (18:26); Jason Collins, fifth (18:39); and Phil Kimmel, eighth (18:41).

CROSS COUNTRY

WEST BLOOMFIELD CROSS COUNTRY INVITATIONAL
Saturday at Marshbank Park

GIRLS DIVISION III

Team standings: Beaumont (Ohio) A-team, 22; 2. Troy Athens, 83; 3. Sterling Heights Stevenson, 122; 4. Brighton, 159; 5. Plymouth Salem, 164; 6. Traverse City, 183; 7. Rochester Adams, 199; 8. Troy, 227; 9. Farmington Hills Mercy, 236; 10. Monroe, 11. Port Huron Northern, 242; 12. Rochester, 302; 13. Plymouth Canton, 316; 14. Kalamazoo Loy Norrix, 340.

Top 10: 1. Kati Radkewich (Beaumont), 17:45; 2. Candace Nicholson (Beaumont), 18:51; 3. Chrissy Garst (Troy), 19:16; 4. Laurie Sturgeel (Beaumont), 19:22; 5. Katie Horner (Athens), 19:36; 6. Alison Kiemmer (Athens), 19:49; 7. Stacy Rallo (Beaumont), 19:50; 8. Cicely Campbell (Beaumont), 20:12; 9. Nicole Bottoms (Salem), 20:15; 10. Katie Ryan (Adams), 20:18.

GIRLS DIVISION II

Teams: 1. North Farmington, 73; 2. Swartz Creek, 96; 3. Birmingham Seaholm, 105; 4. Livonia Ladywood, 122; 5. Grand Ledge, 138; 6. Berkley, 143; 7. Portage Northern, 155; 8. Lake Orion, 197; 9. Wyandotte, 233.

Top 10: 1. Sharon VanTuyl (Portage Northern), 18:57; 2. Jessie Seaman (Grand Ledge), 19:52; 3. Dayna Marshman (Berkley), 20:13; 4. Melissa Granger (Swartz Creek), 20:22; 5. Jackie Buchoz (Holly), 20:27; 6. Ashley Carter (Seaholm), 20:53; 7. Vicky Sackett (Grand Ledge), 21:19; 8. Allison Busch (Swartz Creek), 21:21; 9. Shannon Swish (Ladywood), 21:26; 10. Becky Naglik (N. Farmington), 21:38.

Other area runners:

Ladywood: 25. Lindsay Soter, 22:44; 26. Anne Figurski, 22:46; 27. Carrie Walsh, 22:50; 35. Megan Reardon, 23:11; 42. Jessica Hayden, 23:34; 66. Anne Oliver, 25:01.

GIRLS DIVISION I

Teams: 1. Saline, 98; 2. Beaumont (Ohio) B-team, 99; 3. Ida, 103; 4. St. Joseph, 162; 5. Grosse Ile, 171; 6. Jackson Lumen Christi, 190; 7. Dearborn Divine Child, 198; 8. Bloomfield Hills Andover, 226; 9. Farmington Harrison, 250; 10. Caro, 269; 11. Carleton-Airport, 292; 12. Lutheran Westland, 317; 13. Dawson, 324; 14. Niles, 355; 15. Sturgis, 381.

Top 10: 1. Eve Khlyavich (Andover), 20:17; 2. Amy Farmer (St. Joseph), 20:37; 3. Molly Gansinger (Caro), 20:43; 4. Gerri Rollins (Ida), 20:46; 5. Christine Freeman (Oxford), 20:49; 6. Janice Denney (Dawson), 20:57; 7. Michele Robinson (Beaumont), 21:03; 8. Jodi Werman (Lutheran Westland), 21:03; 9. Mo Lefere (Lumen Christi), 21:12; 10. Jamie Vajen (Airport), 21:13.

BOYS DIVISION III

Teams: 1. Traverse City, 75; 2. Brighton, 78; 3. Monroe, 117; 4. Troy Athens, 126; 5. Redford Catholic Central, 149; 6. Plymouth Salem, 151; 7. Kalamazoo Loy Norrix, 161; 8. Rochester, 204; 9. Plymouth Canton, 228; 10. Jackson, 260; 11. Birmingham Brother Rice, 284; 12. Troy, 301; 13. Rochester Adams, 301; 14. Port Huron Northern, 404.

Top 10: 1. Joe Leo (Redford CC), 15:53; 2. Scott Pengelly (Salem), 16:14; 3. Bryan Meyer (Athens), 16:36; 4. Jeff Trembath (Brighton), 16:42; 5. Charlie Wolf (Traverse City), 16:45; 6. Mark Hoffman (Monroe), 16:47; 7. Kevin Anderson (Troy), 16:50; 8. Jared Bineski (Salem), 16:53; 9. Mike Ceil (Traverse City), 16:55; 10. Richard Kirchberg (Jackson), 16:57.

Other area runners:

Redford CC: 30. Rick Stachura, 17:48; 33. John Griffin, 17:51; 42. Rick Kowal, 18:08; 43. Tony Wolfe, 18:12; 48. Chris Laney, 18:19; 53. Joe Hubert, 18:31.

BOYS DIVISION I

Teams: 1. Ida, 81; 2. Saline, 110; 3. St. Joseph, 157; 4. Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 160; 5. Dawson, 169; 6. Notre Dame, 184; 7. Lutheran Westland, 229; 8. Divine Child, 269; 9. Grosse Ile, 269; 10. Oxford, 274; 11. Detroit-Jesuit, 288; 12. Cranbrook, 303; 13. Carleton-Airport, 315; 14. Andover, 337; 15. Lumen Christi, 349; 16. Caro, 362; 17. Sturgis, 381; 18. Harper Woods, 387; 19. Harrison, 414; 20. Holy Redeemer, 483; 21. Niles, 636.

Top 10: 1. Kevin Schultz (Clawson), 16:52; 2. Ryan Greutman (Airport), 16:59; 3. Vince Blum (Saline), 17:04; 4. Gary Schultz (Clawson), 17:11; 5. Matt Hantung (Notre Dame), 17:17; 6. John Leroy (Oxford), 17:26; 7. Sam Patterson (Lutheran Westland), 17:27; 8. Casey Haltman (Andover), 17:27; 9. Nick Adams (Ida), 17:28; 10. Mike Paisley (Grosse Ile), 17:33.

Other area runners:

Lutheran Westland: 20. Andy Ebendick, 18:04; 37. Jason Collins, 18:20; 82. Justin Koch, 19:30; 83. Phil Wagner, 19:30.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL INVITATIONAL CROSS COUNTRY MEET RESULTS
Sept. 9 at Schoolcraft CC

GIRLS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 32 points; 2. Novi, 47; 3. Lincoln Park, 108; 4. Ann Arbor Pioneer, 11; 5. Belleville, 151; 6. Walled Lake Western, 205; 7. Trenton, 220; 8. Northville, 236; 9. Livonia Franklin, 241; 10. Farmington Harrison, 265; 11. Livonia Churchill, 294; 12. Warren Lincoln, 322; 13. Walled Lake Central, 326.

Top 30 girls finishers: 1. Kelly Travis (LS), 19 minutes, 59 seconds (approximately 5,000 meters); 2. Katie Zimmerman (Novi), 20:44; 3. Erin Leonard (AAP), 20:53; 4. Kelly McNeilance (LS), 21:58; 5. Jeannette Stojcevski (LS), 21:18; 6. Emily Maginev (AAP), 21:18; 7. Kendra Matheny (Novi), 21:32; 8. Beth Hiser (Bellville), 21:38; 9. Kim McNeilance (LS), 21:40; 10. Angela Root (Novi), 21:53; 11. Lauren Rice (Novi), 21:55; 12. Christina Davison (LP), 21:56; 13. Laura Pilon (LS), 21:57; 14. Jessica Cyburt (LS), 22:02; 15. Delia Dumitrescu (LS), 22:07; 16. Liz Fernandez (BM), 22:22; 17. Lorna Camp (Novi), 22:23; 18. Angela Pelletier (Novi), 22:26; 20. Tammy Petrowski (Belleville), 22:34; 22. Ethnee Petrucco (Trenton), 22:53; 23. Shannon Oakley (LP), 22:54; 24. Carrie Sloven (LP), 23:00; 25. Audrey Repicky (WLW), 23:00; 26. Kim Lich (LP), 23:03; 27. Heidi Rosbe (LP), 23:07; 28. Kristin Lancour (LP), 23:13; 29. Alana Chipponeri (Northville), 23:18; 30. Grace Patterson (LP), 23:26.

BOYS TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Walled Lake Central, 67; 2. Trenton, 71; 3. Livonia Stevenson, 82; 4. Novi, 91; 5. Walled Lake Western, 118; 6. Ypsilanti Lincoln, 120; 7. Northville, 162; 8. Redford Union, 178; 9. Livonia Franklin, 249; 10. Livonia Churchill, 291; 11. Lincoln Park, 305; 12. Belleville, 343.

Top 30 boys finishers: 1. Jason Aspinall (WLW), 17:17; 2. Ryan Pilppo (Trenton), 17:44; 3. Dom Pilppo (Trenton), 17:50; 4. Rob Donovan (WLC), 17:51; 5. Jim Jahnke (WLC), 17:53; 6. Justin Andre (YL), 17:56; 7. Rob Block (LS), 17:57; 8. Dwight Vantuyl (Northville), 18:00; 9. Steve Warner (LS), 18:01; 10. Scott Shepley (Novi), 18:03; 11. Rich Jahnke (WLC), 18:11; 12. Scott Kwiatkowski (LS), 18:14; 13. Matt Szatmary (Trenton), 18:16; 14. Aaron Goldberg (WLW), 18:20; 15. Reid McGuire (YL), 18:21; 16. Nick Bremer (WLW), 18:23; 17. Cameron Chipponeri (Novi), 18:30; 18. Steve Adams (WLC), 18:36; 19. Todd Cockfield (RU), 18:48; 20. Chris Duprey (Novi), 18:50; 21. Mike Girard (Novi), 18:53; 22. Mike Felczak (LS), 18:56; 23. Ryan Henderson (Novi), 19:08; 24. Adam Hagfors (Novi), 19:08; 25. Tim Schovers (Northville), 19:08; 26. Tom McIntyre (Trenton), 19:14; 27. Matt Gaylner (Trenton), 19:14; 28. Shawn Buckley (RU), 19:15; 29. Nate Stoll (WLC), 19:21; 30. Harry Mauer (YL), 19:26.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL
Friday, Sept. 15
G.P. Liggett at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.
W.L. Western at Liv. Churchill, 7:30 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Northville, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Salem at Westland Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
F.H. Harrison at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.
F. Farmington at W.L. Central, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne Memorial at Monroe, 7:30 p.m.
Dearborn at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Taylor Kennedy at Redford Union, 7:30 p.m.
Red. Thurston at Crestwood, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 16
Liv. Stevenson at Farmington, 1 p.m.
Luth. Westland at Cranbrook 1 p.m.
Redford CC vs. Warren DeLaSalle at Liv. Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.
St. Agatha vs. M.C. Detroit Mooney at Bill's Kraft Field, 7:30 p.m.
Bishop Borgess vs. A.A. Gab. Richard at Ann Arbor Pioneer, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Thursday, Sept. 14
Northville at Ply. Salem (postponed).
Liv. Churchill at Farmington, 7 p.m.
Liv. Franklin at Westland Glenn, 7 p.m.
Ply. Canton at W.L. Central, 7 p.m.
F.H. Harrison at N. Farmington, 7 p.m.
W.L. Western at Liv. Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Liv. Ladywood at Flint Northern, 7 p.m.
Dbn. Fordson at Wayne Memorial, 7 p.m.
Garden City at Monroe, 7 p.m.
Red. Thurston at Melvindale, 7 p.m.
Luth. Westland at Flat Rock, 7 p.m.
Clarenceville at Franklin Road, 7 p.m.
(St. Agatha Tournament)
Warren Zoe vs. Holy Redeemer, 5:30 p.m.
St. Agatha vs. W. Highland, 7 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 15
St. Agatha Tournament, 5:30 & 7 p.m.
Sacred Heart at Ply. Christian, 7:30 p.m.
Huron Valley at Bethesda, 7:30 p.m.
(Schoolcraft College H.S. invitational)
Murray-Wright vs. Birm. Marian, 6 p.m.
Country Day vs. Traverse City, 8 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 16
Liv. Ladywood at A.A. Pioneer, 2 p.m.
Flint Northern at Ply. Salem, 3:30 p.m.
F.H. Mercy at Flint S. Western, 4:30 p.m.
H.W. Regina at Ply. Canton, 5:30 p.m.
Schoolcraft invitational, 6 & 8 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER
Thursday, Sept. 14
A.A. Huron at Redford CC, 4 p.m.
Det. Chadsey at Westland Glenn, 4 p.m.
Luth. Westland at Gib. Carlson, 4:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 15
Garden City at Wayne Memorial, 4 p.m.
Luth. Westland at Hamtramck, 4:30 p.m.
Ply. Christian at Oak. Christian, 4:30 p.m.
Huron Valley at Bethesda, 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 16
Redford CC at Bishop Foley, 1 p.m.
Troy High at Ply. Salem, 1 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER
Thursday, Sept. 14
Concordia College at Madonna, 4 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 16
Univ. of Michigan at Madonna, 11 a.m.
Schoolcraft at Macomb CC, 1 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 17
Schoolcraft vs. Alumni, 3 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER
Sunday, Sept. 17
Schoolcraft vs. Alumni, 1 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Friday, Sept. 15
Wayne State at Madonna, 7 p.m.
Schoolcraft at Muskegon CC, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 16
Madonna at Concordia College, TBA.
Schoolcraft at Muskegon Tourney, TBA.
TBA — times to be announced.

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OUTDOOR INSIGHTS



BILL PARKER

The bright orange and yellow of the turning maple leaves — nature's first official sign of fall — caught my eye from a distance on a scouting trip late last week in northern Oakland County. With the imminent arrival of autumn comes a morgasboard of activities for Michigan's outdoor enthusiasts.

Hunting and fall fishing seasons are upon us. I urge all the Observer & Eccentric area readers to call me or write me a letter and report your success or the success of your spouse or hunting/fishing companion. I'm not only looking for reports on a 10-pound walleye or a 12-point buck. Any fish caught or license filled is a trophy to that individual and those stories are just as enjoyable as those of the record-book harvests.

Send in a photo if possible and be sure to include all the details of the trip including location of the outing, date and time of day, as well as surrounding habitat, equipment used and any insight into the technique used. Include your name and phone number so I can make a follow-up call if necessary. My address and phone number are listed at the bottom of this column.

Anglers enjoy success

Several area anglers experienced success recently on the bass tournament circuits at both the national and local levels.

Mary Ashteneau, of Canton, placed 21st in the Bass'n Gals National Qualifier, Aug. 17-18, on Lake Tenkiller in Cookson, Oklahoma.

Flipping Berkley Power Worms into "heavy brush and laydowns," Ashteneau caught two fish on the first day of competition and four on the second. She had a 3.19-pounder the first day and a 3.14-pounder the second.

"I caught a couple of nice fish, one each day, and that really helped," she said. "It was tough fishing for everybody. There were really no weeds in the lake and that made it tough."

Earlier this year, Ashteneau qualified for the Gambler Boats Classic, Nov. 4-5 in Florida. As of press time, she was the only woman to have qualified and the only member of the Gambler National Team to have qualified.

■ Westland's Gregory Allan Cullen placed eighth out of 109 amateurs competing in the Bassmaster Top 100, Aug. 23-26, on Lake Minnetonka in Minnesota.

Cullen landed 18 keepers — out of a possible 20 — for a total weight of 31-pounds, 2-ounces. He pocketed $1,200 for his efforts.

■ Redford's Dave Long teamed up with Leo Benchich of Detroit to place third in the Oakland Bass Masters Open on Cass Lake on Aug. 27. The two had a total catch that weighed 8.70-pounds. They split $401.10 for placing third.

The tournament attracted 49 teams and 30 teams brought fish to the scale.

Neil Hiesler and Eric Sherman of Livonia placed fourth in the tournament with a total eight of 7.65 pounds. They earned $286.50 for their efforts. Leo and Louis Favaro of Redford finished fifth with 7.38-pounds and earned $229.20. David and Charles Reault of Livonia placed seventh at 6.72-pounds and won $114.60. Canton's Mary Ashteneau and Mike Lewis finished 10th with 5.64-pounds of fish and won two $10 gift certificates.

Local pros compete

Four area bass anglers will compete in the pro division of the $196,000 BASSMASTER Eastern Invitational, today through Saturday on the St. Lawrence River in Clayton, New York.

Heading the list of locals is Kyle Greene of Bloomfield Hills. Greene moves up to the pro division after winning the amateur championship of the BASSMASTER Top 100 held last year on Lake St. Clair. Joining Greene in the pro ranks are Chuck Economou of Lake Orion, Patrick Van Tiem of Plymouth, and Rick Van Tiem of West Bloomfield.

Hunters draw elk permits

Successful applicants for Michigan's September elk hunts have been notified. Of the 23,150 applications, 165 were selected through a lottery-style drawing to participate in one of the two September hunts. Sixty two hunters received a hunter's choice permit, which entitles the holder to shoot either an antlered or an antlerless elk. The remaining 103 hunters must take an antlerless elk.

Steven Hughes of Westland and Guy Mykolaitis of Farmington Hills hit the jackpot for the first hunt, which runs Sept. 12-17, as each hunter received a hunter's choice permit. Robert Gowing of Commerce and James Sliva of Garden City received permits to take antlerless elk.

In the drawing for the second hunt, which runs Sept. 19-24, Birmingham's Thomas Hocking and Farmington Hills' Christopher Julvezan received hunter's choice permits.

Unsuccessful applicants from the drawing for the September hunts are automatically entered into the drawing for the upcoming December hunt. If you missed the application deadline for the September hunt you have until tomorrow, Sept. 15, to apply for the December hunt. Applications are available at all hunting and fishing license agents. Successful applicants for the December hunt will be notified by November 1.

Corection

Last week I sent out a call from the Fishing Buddy's Fishing Club, which is looking for members. Unfortunately, I gave the incorrect number to contact Harold Leider for information about the club. The correct number to call is (810) 656-0556.

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MICHIGAN HUMANE SOCIETY

Rough road ahead

Salem, Canton face difficult challenges

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Oops!

Your friendly prognosticator got caught looking ahead when he did last week's prep football schedule.

Instead of Garden City playing Southgate and Redford Thurston playing Gibraltar Carlson, yours truly leap-frogged a week and listed the wrong games in last week's prediction column.

Well, we're back on schedule with the correct games this week. The picks will carry over on the Garden City-Dearborn and Thurston-Dearborn Heights Crestwood matchups.

Throwing out the two picks from last week, yours truly continued to roll, picking 12 of 13 games correctly to increase his season mark to 26-3 overall.

The unlucky Irishman, Dan O'Meara, isn't quite at the desperate point yet, but after a 9-4 week, he's now 20-9, six games off the pace.

O'Meara, like Lou Holtz, promises to rebound in the coming weeks.

The knockout punch is far from being delivered.

Here is a brief look at this week's action.

GRID PICKS

FRIDAY'S GAMES (all 7:30 p.m. starts)

G.P. Liggett at Clarenceville: The Trojans (1-1, 1-0) got off to a good Metro Conference start by dumping Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook. Liggett (0-2, 0-1) lost to a vastly improved Harper Woods team, 36-12. **PICKS:** Too bad Aaron Krickstein can't play football for Liggett. Clarenceville serves an ace.

W.L. Western at Liv. Churchill: Western (1-1) raised a few eyebrows after taking highly ranked Westland John Glenn to the limit before losing 13-9. The Warriors also have a potent field goal kicker in Pat Gibson, who nailed a 52-yarder last week. As for Churchill (0-2), the Chargers have been outscored 79-0 in two games. **PICKS:** Western gets an early Western Division win.

Liv. Franklin at Northville: Both teams are 1-1 and coming off victories. Franklin's defense is solid, while the Mustangs rely on the running of senior Aneil Kersey, who had 129 yards in last week's win over Plymouth Salem. Can the Patriots, who haven't beaten Northville in years, break the Mustang jinx? **PICKS:** Emons and O'Meara stick with Northville.

Ply. Salem at Westland John Glenn: The Rocks (0-2) are reeling after two blowouts suffered against state-ranked Belleville (42-0) and Northville (31-7). Salem hasn't beaten the Rockets since 1991 when Leon Hister was the breakaway threat. Glenn (2-0), which relies on good defense, may not need any fourth-quarter magic in this one. **PICKS:** The Rockets spiral to another victory.

F.H. Harrison at Ply. Canton: The only time Canton (1-1) has ever beaten Harrison was 1992. The Chiefs are led by quarterback Rob Johnson, who had a big game against Walled Lake Central. The Hawks (1-1) rebounded nicely from their opening-day loss to Birmingham Brother Rice by pounding city rival North Farmington, 37-7, as Jason Granger averaged 11 yards per carry. **PICKS:** The Hawks soar once again.

N. Farmington at W.L. Central: It's the Lakes Division opener for both teams. North (1-1) couldn't stop Harrison tailback Jason Granger last week, while Central (1-1) had its problems with Canton quarterback Rob Johnson in a 22-13 loss. **PICKS:** It's a tough call; the coin flip says Central.

Wayne at Monroe: Last year it was no contest, as the Trojans (2-0, 1-0) romped to a 34-22 victory over Wayne. Monroe, led by All-State tackle Eric Wilson, beat Dearborn Fordson last week, 28-20. The Zebras (0-2, 0-1), with a slew of gamebreakers, are capable of springing an upset if the defense comes to play. **PICKS:** It's no shock; Monroe wins.

Dearborn at Garden City: The Pioneers (2-0, 1-0) own a pair of 35-0 victories thus far. They also have an outstanding quarterback in Kevin Kreiger, a three-year starter. The Cougars (0-2, 0-1), stayed close with Southgate last week until the final minute. **PICKS:** Both stay with our original pick. It's Dearborn all the way.

Taylor Kennedy at Redford Union (Kraft Field): This Mega Conference-White Division encounter pits two teams who are struggling. Kennedy (0-2, 0-1) was blanked last week by state-ranked Dearborn, 35-0, while RU (0-2, 0-1) was bombed by Dearborn Edsel Ford, 47-8. **PICKS:** Kennedy breaks the ice.

Red. Thurston at D.H. Crestwood: Crestwood (1-1, 0-1) lost a toughie last week to defending Mega-Blue and playoff qualifier Allen Park, 18-7. Coach Floyd Carter's team is improved. Meanwhile, Thurston (0-2, 0-1) is showing its inexperience after getting hard-hit by graduation. **PICKS:** Crestwood has the upper hand.

SATURDAY'S GAMES (all games at 1 p.m. unless noted)

Liv. Stevenson at Farmington: The Spartans (1-1) got caught flat last week by city rival Livonia Franklin, losing 15-14, as junior tailback Gade Clark was held to 41 yards. Farmington (1-1) rebounded from its season-opening 28-13 loss to Waterford Mott by routing Churchill, 34-0, as senior tailback Jake Siskosky had 145 yards in 22 carries. **PICKS:** Stevenson won last year, 7-0, but both like the Falcons this time around.

Luth. Westland at B.H. Cranbrook: The Warriors (1-1, 1-0) whipped up on Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest, 41-6, to earn their first Metro Conference win. Junior Albert Cook had a big day with 11 tackles and two touchdowns, including a 93-yard interception return. The Cranes (0-2, 0-1) have that lcabod look about them after suffering lopsided decisions to Detroit Renaissance and Clarenceville. **PICKS:** Lutheran Westland stays unbeaten in the Metro.

Redford CC vs. Warren DeLaSalle (7:30 p.m. at Clarenceville): The Shamrocks (2-0) looked much crisper offensively in last week's 35-6 dismantling of Ann Arbor Pioneer. Preseason state-ranked DeLaSalle, stunned in its season opener by Toledo St. John's, came back last week to beat Lansing Eastern, 31-14. DeLaSalle won last year's meeting, 14-5. **PICKS:** CC rider all the way.

St. Agatha vs. Marine City Cardinal Mooney (7:30 p.m. at RU's Kraft Field): The Aggies (2-0) are off to an impressive start. They're 27-8 victory over Pickford may just put them back in the state Class D rankings. D-Section champ Cardinal Mooney (1-1) was preseason state-ranked and expected to be a contender in Class D, but Royal Oak Shrine handed the Cardinals a humbling 17-0 defeat. **PICKS:** Agatha makes it three straight.

Swim

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Frost, junior Amy Sonnanstine, freshmen Megan Dowd and Hanson Leah Reeder, another freshman, won the 100-backstroke (1:11) by two seconds over sophomore Kristen Kalymen.

Frost (1:19) was second in the 100-breast stroke while Hanson (5:38) was runner-up in the 500-freestyle. In the 100-freestyle, freshman Andrea Cizewski (1:04) and Dowd (1:05) were second and third.

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Zebras are off to a perfect start

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

Wayne Memorial's duo of junior guard Yolanda Holt and senior forward Rica Barge seem ready for the Mega Conference Red Division season to start.

On Tuesday, the victim was visiting Westland John Glenn. Holt's 21 points and Barge's 18 led the Zebras to a 60-32 non-conference girls basketball victory and to a perfect 4-0 start.

"I can't remember if a Wayne girls team has ever started 4-0," coach Chuck Henry said.

Henry admitted the schedule will get tougher when the Zebras open their Mega Red season tonight at home against Dearborn Fordson.

"I'll know a lot more about this team after Thursday's game," Henry said. "Fordson is a team that will find and exploit your weaknesses and has traditionally been a good team."

Holt and Barge, the early season leaders, combined for 11 points in a 17-4 spurt to begin the fourth quarter and help Wayne pull away.

Henry expects the pair to lead the Zebras throughout the season.

"There's no doubt about it," Henry said. "They are our two most experienced players and, at this time, they are our most talented players. We want the other players to get better as the season progresses."

The Rockets, now 0-3 under new coach Andy Denison, weren't pushovers for the first three quarters.

The lead switched hands seven times in the first quarter before Wayne clung to a 14-13 advantage.

Glenn's Rochelle Harris later nailed a jumper to pull the Rockets to within one at 18-17, but that was to be Glenn's last points in the final 4:35 of the half.

The Rockets were scoreless in their next 14 possessions (seven turnovers, seven missed shots), as Wayne ripped off an 11-0 run to end the half.

Glenn battled Wayne in the third quarter as each team scored nine, but the Zebras dominated the final quarter, outscoring the Rockets 22-6.

"It can't be the youth because we are mostly seniors," Denison said. "We had a lot of mental letdowns and missed way too many easy shots. But I don't want to take anything away from Wayne, which has a very good team."

Senior Nykiya Lee led Glenn with eight points. Sophomore center Natalie Garrison added eight points for Wayne.

The Rockets shot miserably, making only 16 percent of their shots from the floor (nine of 56), compared to Wayne's 39 percent (24 of 61).

Glenn also struggled taking care of the ball, committing 20 of its 29 turnovers combined in the second and fourth quarters.

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COLLEGE SPORTS

Crusaders proving they can play with the best

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Madonna University came up with a rousing 6-15, 15-10, 16-14, 13-11 women's volleyball victory Tuesday at home over Oakland University, snapping the Pioneers' four-game winning streak.

The Lady Crusaders, ranked No. 15 in the latest National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics poll, received a huge performance from junior Kelly McCausland, a middle hitter from Redford Union. The 5-foot-11 junior finished with 18 kills and 16 digs.

VOLLEYBALL

"We passed the ball and attacked the ball all over the net — antenna to antenna," said Madonna coach Jerry Abraham, whose team is 7-5 overall. "And Kelly was unstoppable. After losing that first game we woke up and played ball."

Junior Julie Martin (Livonia Stevenson) added 16 kills, while junior Heather Steinhelper (Clarkston) added 11 kills and 10 digs.

Setter Meg Paris, a transfer from Flint Mott, had 46 assists and six ace serves.

Other Lady Crusaders contributing to the win included Erin Comment (nine digs); Nicole Scharrer and Karin Sisung (five kills each); and Jennifer Russell (seven digs).

"Russell did a tremendous job coming in as an outside-hitter," Abraham said. "She's a freshman and that was her first big performance."

In last weekend's six-team Madonna Invitational, Huntington College (Ind.) came away with the title, beating Georgetown (Ky.) in a tiebreaker. Both teams had 4-1 records in the round-robin format.

Madonna, which finished third at 3-2, downed St. Francis (Ill.), ranked No. 7 in the NAIA, in five games (13-15, 15-17, 17-15, 15-0, 15-2).

The match lasted three hours and 10 minutes.

Paris, who had 51 assists, was voted to the all-tourney team. She is averaging 10.5 assists per game.

Sisung was Madonna's top attacker with 19 kills, while McCausland added 18. Steinhelper contributed 14, while Jaclyn Deane (Livonia Franklin) and Comment added six apiece.

Erin Gregorie, who suffered a shoulder injury in a collision with McCausland during the Oakland match, led Madonna against St. Francis with 26 digs. McCausland added 19, while Comment and Paris had 16 and 11, respectively.

"The St. Francis match was one of the best ever played here," Abraham said. "We were consistent throughout and our defense was better than it has been. It showed the girls what they're capable of, if they play at that level."

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Madonna also defeated last year's Region champ and NAIA qualifier Mount St. Joseph of Ohio, 15-3, 8-15, 15-13, 15-7, as Paris recorded 43 assists. Top attackers included McCausland (12 kills), Martin (11), Comment (8) and Sisung (7).

Madonna registered a season-high 33 kills in a 15-1, 15-1, 15-11 win over Trinity (Ill.), but the Lady Crusaders fell to Huntington in five games and Georgetown in three.

"St. Francis beat us twice last year, and I think it took something out of us because we came up flat the next day against Georgetown," said Abraham, whose team also defeated NAIA foe Siena Heights, Thursday on the road, 15-6, 15-12, 15-13.

Lady Ocelots 3rd

Schoolcraft College captured three of five matches to finish tied for third in last weekend's 10-team Lake Michigan Tournament.

The Lady Ocelots were eliminated by eventual champion Illinois Central, 17-15, 15-12.

In pool play, Schoolcraft downed Oakland CC (15-3, 15-2), Owens Tech of Ohio (15-1, 15-6) and Lake Michigan (15-3, 15-7). They also fell to Kellogg CC (15-10, 7-15, 15-5).

Setter Andrea Greer (Livonia Franklin) stood out for Schoolcraft with 88 assists.

Strategy switch helps SC to win

Nothing inflexible about Schoolcraft women's soccer coach Nikki Johnson. If one tactic doesn't work, she'll try another.

Sitting on some injuries, she decided to play a strictly defensive game Saturday against Meremac Meramec of St. Louis at the College of DuPage (Ill.) It didn't work, as Meramec took a 2-1 decision.

OK, Johnson decided Sunday, let's switch gears for Florissant Valley of St. Louis. Bingo — a 2-1 victory.

"I felt it would be hard for the players to get back and go forward the whole game because of their injuries," Johnson said of her first-game strategy, a 3-5-2 alignment designed to shorten the field for her injury-plagued squad.

Schoolcraft's chances were few but one turned into a goal when Holly Kimble got a cross off and Amy Marcoe put it in. Meramec scored on a breakaway and a rebound to take a 2-0 lead.

"After realizing that all our losses were by one goal (DuPage, 3-2, Monroe, 1-0, and Meramec, 2-1), I decided to take the totally opposite approach," Johnson said.

So despite pulled quads to Susan O'Neill, Misty Heath, Melissa Crain and Stepanie Surma plus ankle injuries to Stacy Miller, Erin Stacherski and Marcol, Johnson junked her defensive orientation.

She decided to shadow Flo's main threat, Danielle Wade, with Miller. Johnson also moved Kimble to outside midfielder so she could get the ball wide to Stacherski so she could feed Kimble and Heath.

"She did exactly that and we got the offensive attack we wanted," Johnson said.

Sure did. Kimble, assisted by Marcoe, scored first and then Crain, assisted by Staci Muysenburg, added one to give Schoolcraft a 2-0 halftime lead that proved just enough to get Johnson's team back on the winning track.

■ **MADONNA (MEN) 4, SPRING ARBOR 3:** Freshman Scott Emert (Walled Lake Central) tallied the game-winning goal from Charlie Bell, three minutes into the second overtime, giving Madonna University (2-2-1 overall) an NAIA victory Monday over the Cougars in a match at Schoolcraft College.

Spring Arbor forced overtime with two minutes to play in regulation.

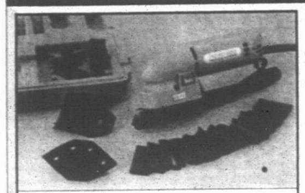
Central Michigan transfer Jason Stempien tallied a first-half goal as Madonna and the Cougars were deadlocked 1-1.

Emert added the second goal on a penalty kick while Bell, a native of Derry, Ireland, tallied the third.

On Saturday, Madonna traveled to Olivet Nazarene (Ill.) and suffered a 2-0 setback. Both goals came on corner kicks.

Madonna lost despite outshooting Olivet Nazarene, 14-6.

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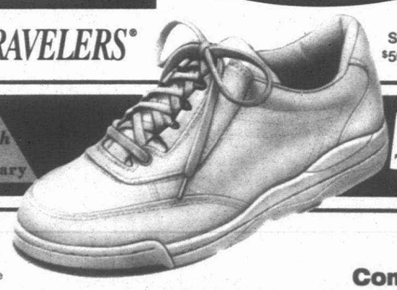
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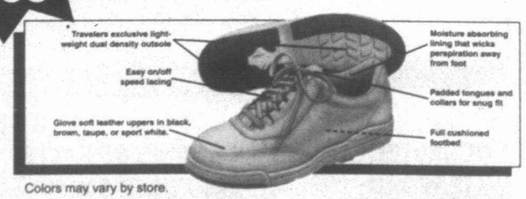
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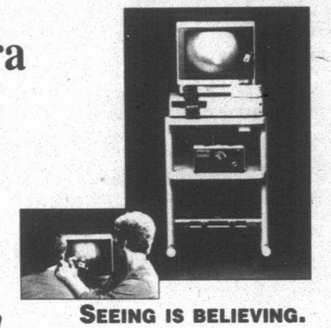
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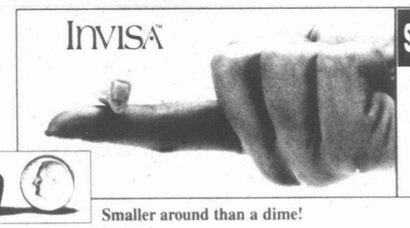
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OUTDOORS CALENDAR

ARCHERY

■ BROADHEAD SHOOT
Detroit Archers will hold a broadhead shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday on its walk-through course in West Bloomfield. Call (810) 661-9610 or (313) 522-2538 for more information.

■ 3D SHOOT
Royal Oak Archers will hold a 3D shoot beginning at 8 a.m. Sunday on its walk-through range in Lake Orion. Call (810) 693-1369 for more information.

BANQUETS

■ PHEASANTS FOREVER
The eighth annual Oakland County Pheasants Forever banquet begins at 6 p.m. Saturday at the UAW Local 653 Hall, 670 E. Walton Boulevard, in Pontiac. Tickets, which include an annual membership in Pheasants Forever, are $60 per couple and $40 for individuals. Call (810) 651-8294 for tickets and more information.

■ WHITETAILS UNLIMITED
The Clarkston-area chapter of Whitetails Unlimited will hold a membership banquet beginning at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, at the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club, 4770 Waterford Rd., in Clarkston. September 15 is the deadline to order tickets, which are priced at $50 per couple and $35 for individuals. Call (810) 625-3248 or (810) 625-8243 for tickets and more information.

CLASSES

■ HUNTER EDUCATION
Multi Lakes Conservation Association in Walled Lake will be the site of two hunter education certification classes. There is a $6 fee for each sessions. The next session will run Sept. 19, 20, 23, 26 and 27. The final session will be held Oct. 3, 4, 10, 11, 14. All weekday classes meet 7-10 p.m. and Saturday classes meet 9 a.m. to noon. Participants must attend all five classes in each session to receive a hunter safety certificate. Participants must be at least 12 years of age by the end of the upcoming hunting season and should bring a copy of their birth certificate, a Social Security number and written parental consent for the course. Call (810) 363-2294 or (810) 363-7030 for more information.

■ MORE HUNTER EDUCATION
The Wayne County Sportsmen's Club in Romulus will be the site of three weekend hunter education certification classes. The classes will be held Sept. 23-24, Oct. 21-22 and Nov. 4-5. Cost for each two-day class is $8.50 and classes run 8 a.m.-4 p.m. each day. Pre registration is available by calling Bill Miller at (313) 532-0285.

DEADLINES/ SEASONS

■ ANTLERLESS DEER
The deadline to apply for an antlerless deer permit is Sept. 24.

■ BEAR
Bear season runs through Oct. 26. Hunting is by permit only in designated management areas of the state.

■ DOG TRAINING TRIAL
Sept. 13 is the deadline to enter the Sportsmen's Dog Training Club of Detroit AKC Licensed Obedience Trial. The trial will be held Sept. 30 in the Community Arts Building at the Michigan State Fair Grounds. Call (810) 643-7282 for more information.

■ DUCK
Duck season opens Sept. 30 in Zone I.

■ ELK
Friday, Sept. 15, is the deadline to apply for Michigan's December elk hunt. The first September elk season runs through Sept.17. The second September season will run Sept. 19-24. Elk hunting is by special permit only in designated management areas.

■ GOOSE
Early Cananda goose season runs through Friday, Sept 15, in the Lower Peninsula. The regular Canada goose season opens Sept. 23 in the Northern Zone, Oct. 7 in the Middle Zone, and Oct. 14 in the Southern Zone.

■ SMALLGAME
Rabbit, squirrel, woodcock, ruffed grouse and crow seasons open statewide on Friday, Sept. 15.

EVENTS/SHOWS

■ MUZZLELOADERS RENDEZVOUS
Clinton River Muzzleloaders will hold the Bill Smith Memorial Rendezvous on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 23-24, at the Detroit Sportsmen's Congress in Shelby Twp. Events include muzzleloading rifle, pistol and tradegun shoots as well as knife and tomahawk throwing competitions. Camping is available. Admission is $15 per person or $20 per family. Call (810) 979-8660 for more information.

FISHING CLUBS

■ MICHIGAN FLY FISHING
The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School. Call (810) 478-1494 for more information.

■ FOUR SEASONS
The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Maplewood Center in Garden City. Call (313) 477-3816 for more information.

■ METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS
Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at Garden City High School. Call (313) 420-2965 for more information.

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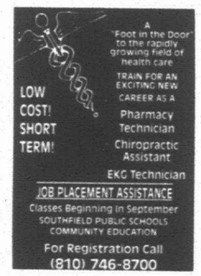
■ BASS MASTERS
The Oakland Bass Masters of Michigan will hold an open tournament on Lake Orion beginning at 6 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 1. There will be a 50-boat limit. Call (810) 542-5254 for more information.

METROPARKS

■ LEAF COLLECTING
Learn the values of trees to people and wildlife and learn how to identify some local leaves during this program, which begins at 1 p.m. Sunday at Stony Creek.

■ LEAF PRINT T-SHIRTS
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LUNCH MENU FOR SENIORS

The senior citizen *nutrition program will serve these hot meals the week of Sept. 18. Meals will be served at noon at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan in Plymouth (453-9703), and at 11:30 a.m. at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Ave. (397-5444).*

Call 24 hours in advance for reservations. Call for cancellation. Suggested donation is $1.50.

Monday
Hawaiian chicken, steamed rice, mixed greens, strawberries, sponge cake, onion dinner roll, margarine and milk.

Tuesday
Meatloaf, gravy, whipped potatoes, mixed vegetables, fresh banana, white bread, margarine and milk.

Wednesday
Tuna noodle casserole, asparagus, V-8 juice, peach slices, white bread, margarine and milk.

Thursday
Chicken stuffems, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans with mushrooms, Fig Newtons, white bread, margarine and milk.

Friday
Broccoli cheese soup, egg salad, onion bun, beets, fresh nectarine, and milk.

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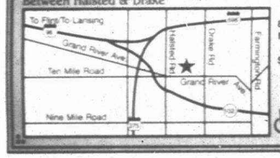


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High school seniors to gather

The Centennial Educational Park counseling department will present "Keys to Success," a program for high school seniors and their parents, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20, at the Plymouth Salem High School cafeteria.

The program is sponsored by the high schools' counseling department in conjunction with Eastern Michigan University, Lawrence Technological University, Schoolcraft College and the Michigan Employment Security Commission.

At the session, students and parents will meet with their counselors in a group session, where a review of the various options after high school will take place. Also, the college application process will be discussed. The application process is important because specific procedures need to be followed to assure the best chances for acceptance.

The counselor meeting will be followed by an opportunity to select from various choices a presentation pertinent to parents and their seniors.

The program is open to all seniors and their parents from both Plymouth Salem and Plymouth Canton High School. For more information, contact Jan Kavulich at Plymouth Salem High School at 416-7761 or Gloria Banks at Plymouth Canton High School at 455-6988.

Area hospice organization offers rummage/bake sale

Community Hospice Services is accepting donations of clean, usable items for the rummage/bake sale which will be held on Friday, Sept. 15.

The sale will take place 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the parking lot of CHS, located on the northwest corner of Warren and Venoy in Westland, with proceeds from the sale to be used to help fund CHS's children's bereavement programs.

In addition, CHS will launch the brand-new line of holiday and all-occasion greeting cards at the sale.

The hospice is accepting donations of children's items, apparel, furniture, housewares, arts and crafts, and books in good condition up to Sept. 12. All donated items are tax-deductible for the fair market value of items donated, and the hospice will supply a receipt for tax purposes.

CHS is well-known throughout the community for its children's bereavement programs, including a twice-yearly grief support series, a monthly grief support group called Connections, and Camp Phoenix — a weekend camp experience for bereaved children.

"All of the children's bereavement services are offered free of charge to the general public and are not reimbursable by insurance companies, so we need to look to donations and fund-raisers, such as this rummage/bake sale to fund the program," said Maureen Butrico, executive director for CHS.

Community Hospice Services offers a range of bereavement support programs including: ongoing bereavement support groups; five-week bereavement educational series, focusing on aspects of the grieving process; children's grief support series; memorial services twice a year for bereaved families; bereavement counseling; individual assessments; bereavement counseling referrals; and quarterly care letters.

Many components of Community Hospice Services' bereavement program are available free of charge to anyone in the community who has lost a loved one.

Community Hospice Services was established in 1981 to offer compassionate, skilled home care to those individuals in the final phase of life.

The hospice philosophy gives supportive care which neither hastens nor postpones death; it promotes quality of life and provides comfort and emotional healing for the patient and family members.

Community Hospice Services provides services to incurably ill patients and their families in western Wayne, southern Oakland, and eastern Washtenaw counties.

CHS maintains offices in Westland and Plymouth. For more information, or to make a tax-deductible rummage sale contribution, contact Mary Letters or Yvonne Strand at CHS, (313) 522-4244.

OBITUARIES

PHILLIP A. MILLER

Services for Phillip A. Miller, 77, of Plymouth were Monday, Sept. 11, at L.J. Griffin Funeral Home, with the Rev. Michael J. Bedford officiating.

He was born Nov. 21, 1917, in Cleveland, Ohio, and died Friday, Sept. 8, in Botsford Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Maxine; daughters, Judith Dyc and Gloria J. Bukovich; sister, Gladys McWilliams; nine grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren.

Diabetes Network offers families support

Parent's Diabetes Network, an educational-support group for school-age children with diabetes and their parents, kicks off its sixth year at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, at St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton. The group meets once a month September through May. Cost for each program is $5 per family.

The purpose of Parent's Diabetes Network is to educate children and their families on proper diabetes management, give children an opportunity to meet others with diabetes, as well as offer support and resources along the way. Parents' meetings include a time for sharing ideas and resources and guest speaker presentations.

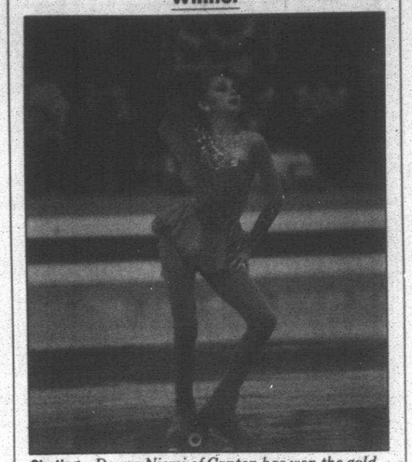
The children's program, called "Monitor Maniacs," is run by a certified diabetes educator and includes group interaction, art therapy, and hands-on learning about diet, nutrition, exercise and insulin therapy.

Parents' Diabetes Network was founded by parents of diabetic children looking for a place to share their frustrations and concerns about raising children with this chronic and often misunderstood disease.

Diabetes mellitus is an autoimmune disease in which the body does not produce any insulin. While most people think diabetics must simply avoid foods with sugar, people with Type I diabetes must take daily insulin injections to stay alive, along with frequent blood tests to monitor blood glucose levels and a lifelong regiment of proper nutrition and exercise. Diabetes mellitus is a chronic disease for which there is no known cure.

Parents' Diabetes Network is not affiliated with any church, hospital, or service organization. For further information, contact Gina Schremser, 454-9647.

Winner



Skating: *Dayna Niemi of Canton has won the gold medal in ladies freestyle at the Junior Olympic National Roller Skating Championship in Fresno, Calif. She also received a silver medal in advanced solo dance and a silver medal in advanced team dance with her partner, Sean Cartwright of Redford. She is a seventh-grader at Lowell Middle School. She is the daughter of Jim and Karyl Niemi of Canton.*

MILITARY NEWS

To submit *your military announcement, send the material printed or typewritten to: Bridget Moran, Plymouth-Canton Observer, 744 Wing, Plymouth, Mich. 48170.*

■ ROTC CAMP
Kevin C. McGurk received practical work in military leadership at the ROTC advanced camp at Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, N.C. The cadet is a student at the University of Cincinnati. He is the son of Jim P. McGurk of Plymouth.

■ ENLISTED
Joel Santos, son of Armando and Kathy Santos of Canton, enlisted in the Air Force's delayed enlistment program Aug. 24. He is a 1994 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on Nov. 15, according to Staff Sgt. Gilbert Beavers, Air Force recruiter. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course in San Antonio, Texas, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the electronics career field. He will earn credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

■ COMPLETED COURSE
Robert L. Ketchum, Army specialist, has completed the U.S. Army primary leadership development course at Fort Richardson, Anchorage, Alaska.
Ketchum, an infantry team leader, is the son of Nora L. Dominick and stepson of Lawrence P. Dominick of Plymouth. He graduated in 1991 from Novi High School.

■ DEPLOYMENT
Richard A. Shuler, Navy petty officer 2nd class, son of Richard C. Shuler of Canton, is currently half way through a six-month overseas deployment to the Persian Gulf aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Chancellorsville. The 1995 graduate of Ferndale High School joined the Navy in August 1990.

■ ENLISTS
Sara E. Meddick, daughter of Frank and Kathy Meddick of Garden City, enlisted in the Air Force's delayed enlistment program Aug. 28. She is a 1995 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, and is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on Dec. 6. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course in San Antonio, Texas, she is scheduled to receive technical training as a financial management apprentice. She will earn credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

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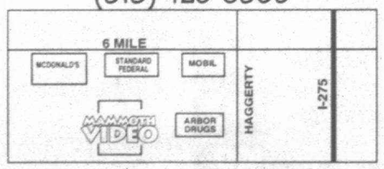
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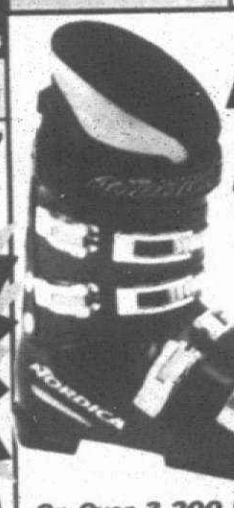
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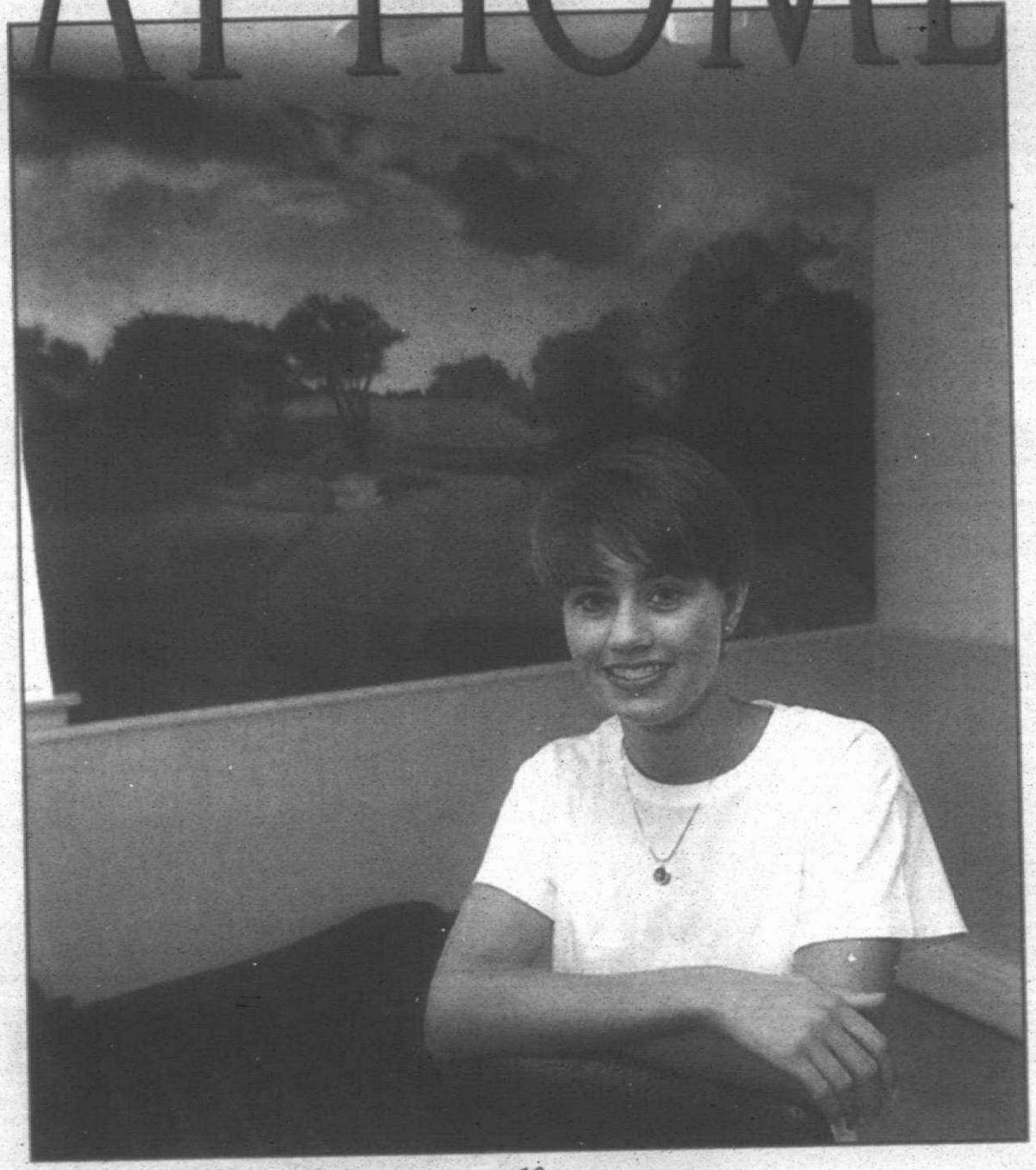
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INTERIOR MOTIVES

Old World charm is mix of many cultures



NAOMI STONE LEVY

To define "charm" involves adjectives such as tasteful, subtle, quiet elegance, nostalgic and refinement. Charm cannot exist without similarly descriptive terms. Words such as flamboyant and electrifying would never relate to "charming," although they describe a different but nevertheless fabulous look.

Old World charm conjures up its own image. It is essentially soft. Creating your own look will involve antiques, semi-antiques or good reproduction furniture. Accompany these with designed or old rugs, lamps and bibelot of distinction. Printed fabrics of large scale or tiny repeats can be culled from historic preservations, or from newer versions. The slightly faded coloring of plain textures and stripes are commendable. Tapestries, cotton velvets and chenilles are wonderful allies to this Old World look.

My considered opinion is that the mix of the many cultures of the Old World is from whence comes the charm. People didn't collect their treasures by visiting a furniture store and making bulk purchases. Their collections were achieved by choosing or inheriting one piece at a time or shopping at their famous "flea markets." Consequently eclecticism was inevitable, enviable and wondrous.

From the many cultures French furniture was the most coveted, whether it was Provincial, or more formal Louis XIII, Louis XIV, Louis XV or very formal Louis XVI. It wasn't unusual to combine any of the foregoing with Dutch, (more ponderous) Spanish, English, German or even Oriental pieces — whatever came to hand.

Very large area rugs weren't the norm. More commonplace were several smaller Oriental rugs of similar character, exposing much hardwood flooring. A couple of groupings of furniture to seat four to six people each was desirable. Using templates in ¼-inch scale would have been helpful, as we do it now. In the Old World these groupings just "happened," exuding a special casual charm.

Said seating was achieved by combining a small two-seat settee or a sofa with several UNMATCHED chairs and antique (?) tables. I always recommend comfort. No one wants to sit on stiff, hard chairs. There are so many singular period seating pieces, whether new or old. By name there is one called the "Martha Washington" chair, or an open arm upholstered back Sheraton. Add to the mix one or two overstuffed chairs that are luxuriously comfortable. Please sit in all of them!

Since coffee tables are a 20th century addition to interior decoration, the centered table was generally a tray on a stand. The tray may have been fashioned of painted tole (tin), papier mache or wood. The stand at times was a diminutive open legged table, or even a folding luggage rack.

Oftimes a round table of questionable character was skirted by a lovely draped fabric. If you are lucky enough to garner a fine antique table with a patina to be cherished, don't pile on too many objects. Allow the lovely wood to show.

Topping said tables we most often found "Bouillotte" lamps. These are three-branched brass candlesticks on a base, with a wide and very shallow METAL dark green or black shade. Of necessity they were metal to withstand the heat of lighted candles. Oil-font (kerosene) lanterns comprised other lighting.

Toss pillows can become awesome. You can afford very costly fabric because you require so little of it. Trim them with fringe and they become more awesome. There also exists fabulous braids, colored welt cords and hand-tied silk or wool tassels. Be sure the inner of the pillow is soft and luxurious.

Accessories of the correct character are essential to complete the role. Because ashtrays are almost a thing of the past, we are home free in our choices. A small ceramic bowl filled with potpourri is a fragrant possibility. An extraordinary collection of highly polished brass will lend a glow. These brasses might be antique tobacco containers, each of which would command its own attention. Other possibilities include a pewter or Oriental porcelain mug or "Treen" wooden bowls. I LOVE unparalleled accessories!

All of the foregoing is the direct antithesis of the squared-off look of our present day contemporary decor. You can almost envisage the warmth of Old World charm.

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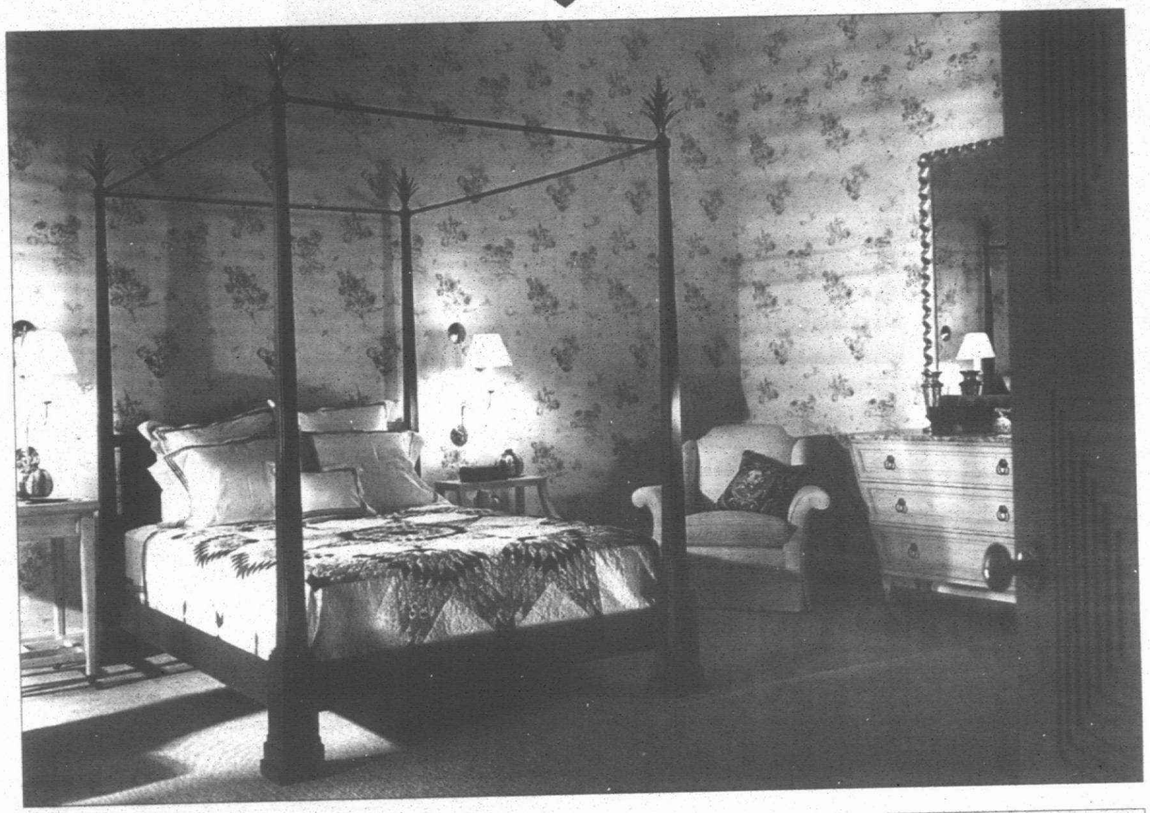
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GARDEN SPOT

There's much to learn about succulents



MARTY FIGLEY

Last fall I made a wreath of succulents and kept it indoors all winter, then I put it out in the garden in a cement bird bath where it remains. It absorbs the rain that collects in the shallow bowl, so additional watering was minimal.

I used a wire form to hold it all together, set the form on damp sheet moss and put damp potting soil down the middle of the moss, then pulled the moss up and around the frame. I secured this tightly with florists' wire.

I poked holes into the center of the affair and gently set each plant in place, starting at the inner edge. Sedum tricolor, *Crassulacae*, ringed the inner and outer edges. Other plants I used were Jade, *Crassula arborencens*, Houseleeks, *Sempervivum tectorum*, Haworthia and Sedum, Autumn Joy. The tricolor sedum didn't survive the winter, but I can add more now.

These plants are but a minute number in the genus of succulents, which by definition possess at least one succulent tissue that can store water to be used when the root can't bring water from the soil. It's fun to learn about the unusual names such as *Conophytum*, *Cotyledon*, *Euphorbia*, *Gasteria* and Lithops that have been given to these plants.

There are perennials as well as annuals in the genus. Some of the annual succulents have organs below the soil surface to protect them from stresses of wind and predators. Another interesting fact is that some of the plants, Lithops, for example, have no stem, and the leaves grow hidden in the soil. Many have beautiful blooms.

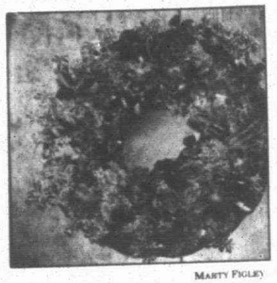
Photosynthesis is performed by the green stems. The holes in the leaves (stomata) of these plants are usually reduced compared to most other leaves.

The explanation of why and how this occurs is contained in the book "Succulents: The Illustrated Dictionary," Maurizio Sajeva and Mariangela Costanzo (Timber Press, $39.95). The pages are filled (six per page) with photographs and short descriptions of more than 1,200 species and varieties from 195 different genera. Timber Press books can be ordered by calling (800) 327-5680 or from your favorite book seller.

Many of these plants are well known — Kalanchoe, Aloe and Yucca, for example — while others are very rare. For those of you who want to learn more about these plants, this book will teach you.

If you choose to make a wreath, especially as a gift, it's always nice to include some history about it. Circles or rings have had a mythical potency for mankind throughout history. The circle signifies love, protection, friendship, rebirth, even life itself.

Since early times wreaths were made of plants such as laurel, oak leaves, grasses and crops (corn, barley). Now boxwood, spruce, pine, holly, juniper and herbs such as lavender, thyme, rosemary, sage, horehound, rue, sweet woodruff and other green plants are used. Vinca and pachysandra stay evergreen, and many of the plant may even root.



MARTY FIGLEY

Succulent wreath: *Succulents make attractive arrangements.*

Keep the wreath on a round tray with low sides. A deli tray is ideal. Stainless, pewter and glass are all fine, too. Water the wreath each week. Don't mist succulents because it encourages shallow rooting. If the wreath is in a sunny spot, it may need water every three days. Don't let it dry out. You can either pour water around the wreath or soak it in a large tub. Don't fertilize the first year, then apply liquid house plant food, ¼ strength, when you fertilize the other house plants. Prune if necessary.

Congratulations

CONGRATULATIONS to members of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan Inc. who have raised more than $29,000 for the Frederik Meijer Gardens Michigan Botanic Garden, Meijer Sculpture Park, Grand Rapids. This was their special project during the presidency of Nancy Goulette of Northville.

From their newsletter: "The impact of this project will be the establishment of our garden space at the Frederik Meijer Gardens, which will be a visible example of the work of our federation."

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Fall garden classes offered

The Community House, 380 S. Bates in Birmingham, offers a variety of home and garden classes in its fall schedule.

For more information, call (810) 644-5832.

"Landscape Design Techniques" will take place 7:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Sept. 20 and 27. Discover the principles of landscape design, draft a base map of your home, make a plan and learn how to prepare the site. Fee is $34 for two sessions.

In "Be Your Own Decorator," learn to scale a room to size, use color effectively, and select wallcoverings and discover new ways to use them. Acquire a custom look for less using fabrics to match your wallcoverings and making your own window treatments. The class is scheduled 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7. Fee is $12.

"Ceramic Tile Installation" will take place 7:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 30. Learn measuring, cutting, preparation and finishing of ceramic tile for a professional looking project. The session features step-by-step explanation and demonstration. Fee is $16, $24 per couple.

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Trade marks tell tale



NANCY AND FRANK BOOS

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Frank and Ann, Royal Oak

Dear Frank and Ann:

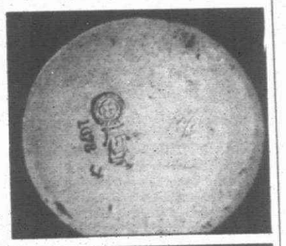
Thanks for your excellent photos. As you probably know, the trade marks on the bottom of a ceramic piece can identify the manufacturer, location and date of the piece. Many manufacturers have standard, unchanging marks, while others have variations signifying various things. The marks can be incised (scratched into the body), printed (inked), applied molded or impressed, as the marks on your piece are.

What you have is a Royal Doulton stoneware whiskey, ale or cider bottle. What is now known as Royal Doulton was started in 1882 and was known for its earthenware and porcelain products, although the "Royal" part wasn't added to the name until 1902. Your mark, a version of the Royal Arms with crowned lion over a crown over the circle containing a quatrefoil mark surrounded by the words "Royal Doulton, England" is the standard impress mark for the years 1902 through 1922. The general rule is that the use of the word "Royal" in the trade mark suggests a date after the middle of the 19th century.

From the photo, there appears to be another impress mark near the rear of the lion, which isn't clear in the photo. If this is in fact a shield with a lowercase letter, the piece can be further dated as having been made from 1902 to 1914. A lowercase letter "c" indicates 1902, "d" indicates 1903, and so on to an "o" for 1914. The numbers probably indicate mold and/or pattern numbers. Most English pottery and porcelain can be identified in a similar manner. This is a very collectible piece, and if in good condition could be priced around $850 to $950 at retail.

Nancy and Frank Boos are with the Frank H. Boos Gallery, an appraisal firm and auction house at 420 Enterprise Court in Bloomfield Hills that has been in the auction business for more than 30 years. Do you have an item you would like to know about? Send in a good photo of it, along with its description (including size, working parts, etc.) and any known provenance (history) to Treasure Search, The Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009. Include your name, community and phone number.





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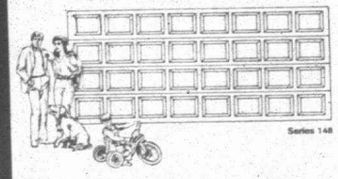
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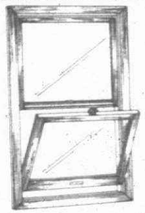
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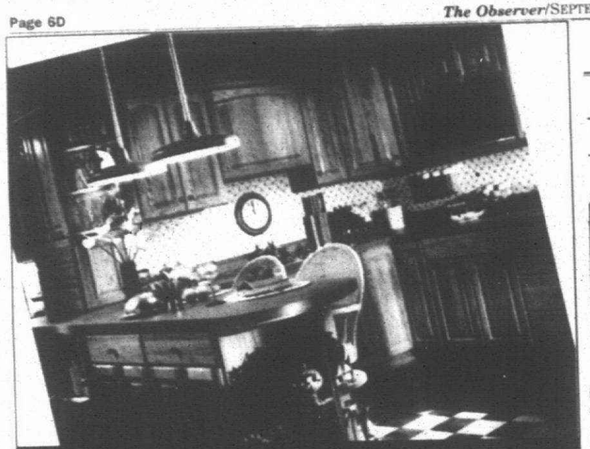
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APPLIANCE DOCTOR

Eye on service contracts



JOE GAGNON

For the past 20 years my feelings on service contracts for major home appliances have been quoted on or in television, radio, newspapers, magazines and any place I could get my mouth motoring. My viewpoints haven't been secret to any degree, and in this article I would like to reiterate some of these views plus add some new ones.

An extended service contract MIGHT BE a good thing to buy on a major home appliance if you bought a product that has a very low life expectancy. It is a very surprising fact to many homeowners today that the new product fails repeatedly and lasts only a period of five to seven years. In this case, wouldn't it be wise to spend a few hundred dollars to give you peace of mind? Or wouldn't it be smarter to spend a little more, do a little research and buy a better product? The decision is yours to make and yours to live with. My opinion is plain and simple: You get what you pay for in the world of consumerism. I can't change what manufacturers are putting into the market, but I can and have helped educate the American consumer so that many are more knowledgeable shoppers. In essence, my dear reader, what I'm trying to get across is the fact that there are good products produced in my industry, not enough to my liking, but there are and it is up to you to do the legwork and spend the necessary dollars to ensure that you have that product in your home. Then a service contract MIGHT NOT be a good thing.

An extended service contract MIGHT BE a good thing if your name is Rockefeller or if you've won the state lottery. The peace of mind that some folks need regarding future service can be easily afforded by those who have the bucks. I have talked to several thousand of these folks and been amazed to find out how much some of them have spent on a single product. It isn't surprising to find the homeowner who has spent more than $1,000 on a service contract on his or her clothes dryer. It was surprising when I spoke with the older gentleman who had spent $1,800 on his dryer. I have asked many how they fell into this trap and the answer has always been the same. Once you buy it, you're afraid not to buy it the next year for fear that it will break down. If this happens and your contract has expired, all the money you spent last year has gone to waste. So that you don't fall into this sad situation, I can assure you that your telephone will ring or you will receive a notice in the mail, informing you that your past year's extended service contract is about to expire and you should renew it immediately.

PRESSURE in the appliance industry to simply stay in business is more severe today than ever. Locally, we have seen the failure of Highland Appliance and read about the rough times others are having. Across the country, other big names are no more and in some cases, new names are moving in. The Detroit area has become the most competitive price-conscious arena in the country when it comes to selling major home appliances. Is it any wonder that dealers desperately need to sell service contracts to make ends meet, and wasn't that exemplified just a few years ago in the front pages of a major newspaper? A certain dealer was being investigated because they had threatened to fire a dozen of their salespeople because they weren't selling enough service contracts. In the next few years ahead you will see others who will bite the dust, and you will see some of the old ways come back, I HOPE. Wouldn't it be nice to know you're getting quality, a smile, great delivery and a true promise of satisfaction?

Now ask yourself, how does this simple, straight talking, appliance doctor who never even achieved a college degree in economics know so much? It's simple, folks, you know prunes about anything until you have lived it. Be it a failed marriage, loss of a loved one, war, fright, whatever, you aren't an expert until you have lived the experience. Cut this column out of this paper and keep it somewhere for the next few years. Let's just see what happens in the future, but right now let's get back tko the present with some inside SCOOP.

DETROIT AREA UTILITY COMPANIES OFFER SERVICE CONTRACTS ON MAJOR HOME APPLIANCES. For several years now the gas company has offered a service contract on your furnace and many have it. The other day I received a call from a heating contractor who wants to have me join a coalition of members to stop this from happening even though it has been going on for some time. Last week an appliance service company wanted me to stop Detroit Edison from carrying out their new program on appliance service contracts. They are angry because only select service companies will be hired to do this work and they aren't one of the companies. For that matter neither is Carmack Appliance, the company that I own. I choose to have it this way because of who I am and what I do. My participation with Detroit Edision in the development of this new appliance service contract division has been done without payment to me and I intend to keep my nose clean. I would ask you once again, cut out this column and when you get the information from Detroit Edison in your utility bill, read it over and make up your own mind. Thanks for the letters you send me, and stay turned for next week's column that is written for you, the smarter consumer.

Joe Gagnon, the Appliance Doctor, will answer your questions about maintaining and repairing large appliances. Gagnon is president of Carmack Appliances in Garden City and does a weekly radio program on WJR-AM. He is author of "First Aid form the Appliance Doctor," available at area bookstores.

INVITING IDEAS

Go crackers for lunch



RUTH MOSSOK JOHNSTON

■ English recipes for Cracknels date back to the 1700s. The dish-shaped "cakes" were baked so hard they would surely crackle under your teeth as you ate them.

Back to packing lunches, afternoon snacks and after dinner treats — school is in session. If you're out of ideas, going crackers may be your solution, not your diagnosis!

Crackers are a wonderful base for nutritional, low fat munchies. It took me a long while to come to this conclusion, because I grew up in the snack food industry. My father was the co-owner of Everkrisp Potato Chip Company, which meant snacks were plentiful. We were the neighborhood and family's built-in convenience store. Our factory produced potato chips (even the flavored ones), cheese popcorn, and cheese curls. Dad was also a distributor for pretzels, pork rinds, peanuts, and for awhile, bubble gum — a child's dream come true — Willy Wonka had nothing on me. It took a long time to get my mind retrained to snack foods being something other than what I was raised with.

Making crackers is not unlike making biscuits (the American type), but rolling out the dough thin — then baking them. English recipes for Cracknels date back to the 1700s. The dish-shaped "cakes" were baked so hard they would surely crackle under your teeth as you ate them. Here's a modern version of the recipe.

CRACKNELS

1 cup ½ percent milk
1 teaspoon salt
½ package yeast
2 tablespoons warm water
2¾ to 3 cups all purpose flour
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, softened

Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. In a saucepan over medium heat — warm the milk gently with the salt, until the salt appears to be dissolved. Let cool until tepid.

Dissolve the yeast in the 2 tablespoons of warm water. Add both liquids to the 2¾ cups of flour and butter. Knead for approximately 8-10 minutes, adding the additional ¼ cup of flour if the dough seems too soft.

Place the dough in a glass bowl and cover with plastic wrap — place in an area free of drafts. Let the dough rise until it has doubled in size.

Turn the dough in a glass bowl and cover with plastic wrap — place in an area free of drafts. Let the dough rise until it has doubled in size.

Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface and roll out thin — cutting the dough into 2½-inch squares. Prick the crackers with the tines of a fork.

Bake on a baking sheet (lightly sprayed with no-stick cooking spray) some baking sheets are fine ungreased — use your discretion). Bake for 12-15 minutes or until very lightly browned.

■ This very old recipe, given to me by a friend, dates back to 1925 from the "American Cookery Magazine" formerly known as "The Boston Cooking School Magazine of Culinary Science and Domestic Economics."

HONEY TEA CRACKERS

3 cups of flour
½ teaspoon salt
1 teapoon ground all spice
3 eggs
Grated rind and juice of ½ of a large lemon
3 tablespoons honey
¼ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon water
Blanched almonds or walnut halves

Sift three cups of flour with ½ teaspoon salt and 1 teaspoon ground all spice. Beat eggs, add grated lemon rind and juice, stir in honey, with ¼ teaspoon baking soda, dissolved in 1 teaspoon water. Stir the flour into this mixture, and mix to a dough. Roll out very thin, not more than ¼-inch, cut with a round cutter, prick all over with a fork, brushed with a mixture of equal parts of honey and water, press into the center of each a blanched almond, or ½ a walnut. Bake in a moderate oven (325 degree F. to 350 degree F.) oven for 15-20 minutes.

Try making this delicious crackers. Remember you can add coarse Kosher salt, sesame seeds or herbs to these recipes. Then add your favorite lunch meats, cheeses, peanut butter, marmalade or cream cheese.

Some delicious combination are apple and cheese, fruit spread, banana and peanut butter, cucumber and cream cheese and hummus sprinkled with parsley.

Or add a straw of honey to lunches. "Honey in the Straw" is a tasty snack for lunches. The seven-inch straws are filled with Orange Blossom, Sage or Yellow Star Thistle honey. Just bite off the end and squeeze it onto your cracker.

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Ruth Mossok Johnston is an author and food columnist who lives in Franklin. To leave a Voice Mail message for Ruth, dial (313) 953-2047, mailbox 1902.

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BOOK BREAK

Latest McCone thriller is literary dessert



VICTORIA DIAZ

"A Wild and Lonely Place," by Marcia Muller (386 pp., $19.95, The Mysterious Press).

Someone is planting bombs in San Francisco's foreign embassies. Who will stop him before he strikes again? Sounds like a job for Sharon McCone.

Detroit native Marcia Muller, creator of popular private eye McCone, has all the can't-miss ingredients down pat here.

Her hard-edged female detective hangs her hat in the ever-appealing City Beside the Bay (as with McCone herself, its frayed spots only add interest). She drives a red sports car. Rarely runs out of drop-dead verbal comebacks. Likes kids, but has none of her own. Has a lover, but is unencumbered by marriage. Owns two cute cats. Dines on stuff like ropa viega, sourdough bread, and morning-after omelets. Favors wine and espresso for drinking. Sometimes shares a romantic cottage in Mendocino County with able lover Hy Ripinsky. Finds adventure in intriguing spots. Encounters colorful characters along the way (porno actress, religious zealot, loquacious Hispanic maid, et al.): You get the picture.

As the curtain rises on this latest McCone mystery, we find our bold detective (these days, a kind of Nancy Drew-Wonder Woman-approaching middle-age type) in the American Southwest, approximately 6,500 feet above the Tehachapi Mountains, piloting a little Beechcraft that is about to be in big trouble. Suddenly, some potentially lethal, clear air turbulence sends the aircraft into a plummeting spin. McCone's passengers — the aforementioned Hy, sick as a dog, and a small, frightened girl — can't help, of course. The chips are decidedly down, and McCone must save herself (and her passengers) by herself. This being a 1990s detective novel, our dauntless heroine finds herself in similar do-or-die situations with incredible frequency. (She makes a lengthy, nighttime swim through unfamiliar waters to save the girl; swims back to a rescue boat, the girl in tow; deftly dodges would-be captors at the local airport; outsmarts another wily foe at another airport; lands a crippled plane . . .)

If some of these remarks sound a bit like left-handed compliments, perhaps I'll plead nolo contendre. If you open this book expecting a notable literary landmark, you're in for disappointment. It's about as a formulaic as they come right now, which can be seriously formulaic. On the menu of literature, you'd be sure to find it in the dessert column (maybe under "sorbets"?). But, on the other hand, who among us wants or needs to read a masterpiece every time out? God knows, sometimes dessert — and dessert alone — is what can get you out of bed in the morning.

Go along as McCone traces the elusive Deplo-bomber through the streets of San Frandisco, and on to such far-flung spots as the Leeward Islands in the Caribbean, the Keys, the Mojave Desert. You'll catch a glimpse of Phoenix and Dallas, too. And you'll even get a quick look at the local color around Fresno and Bakersfield. ("When I was a little kid in Fresno," one character observes, "my daddy used to say that on a clear summer night you could sit on your front porch and listen to Bakersield suck.")

With her straight-on, no-nonsense prose, Muller is one of the best around at building tension with words, with grabbing readers' attention from the outset and efficiently riveting them to their seats to the end. She's also a whiz at moving her story ever forward via dialogue, a form of action in itself in this action-packed story.

Surprisingly, I found special fun in this techno-thriller precisely because of Muller's attention to technical detail. Since my ignorance of computers is a shame and disgrace, I'm usually pitifully lost in any form of cyberspace. Consequently, I closely identified with McCone and her stated "inability to internalize computer-related information." Throughout this novel, she has no choice but to change that "inability." And, as she does so, her learning becomes a basic, clearly-stated "lesson" for readers who don't know a window from a board from a room, electronically speaking.

So, for all kinds of different reasons, you could do much worse than leaning back, putting up your feet, and following the intrepid McCone as she goes after the bad guy.

If you really want to get the full flavor of the story, perhaps you'd best do so with a warming cup of espresso at hand. Or perhaps a bottle of '93 Deer Hill Chardonnay — the kind McCone's saving for her fast-approaching, 40th birthday.

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Seminar offers bright ideas for using bulbs in the landscape

BY MARTY FIGLEY
SPECIAL WRITER

A most unusual opportunity to study hardy spring and fall bulbs with Charles Cresson, author, lecturer and teacher, is being offered for the first time in this area.

This seminar is the same course currently taking place once a year at Longwood Gardens, Philadelphia, as part of its prestigious certificate program of plant courses on "The Use of Bulbs in the Landscape."

Cresson will present his complete course condensed into this two-day session. It will include both the artistic and practical use of bulbs for all seasons of the year.

The Gardeners Guild is sponsoring this event at Tellys Greenhouse, 3301 John R Road, Troy. The class will take place 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, Sept. 20-21. A textbook, lunches and snacks will be provided and are included in the $98 registration fee. Certificates of attendance will be given at the end of the session. Master gardeners will be given six hours of education credit.

To register, send a check made payable to The Gardeners Guild to: The Gardeners Guild, 10514 Elgin, Huntington Woods 48070. Registration is limited to the first 40 people, so register now to avoid disappointment. For more information, call Lynda Raleigh at (810) 544-8967.

Cresson is a graduate of the University of Vermont in plant and soil science and has studied at the University of Bath, Wisley and Longwood Gardens. His garden, "Hedgleigh Spring," was recently featured on TV's "The Victory Garden." He is currently restoring this private garden that was developed by four generations of his family.

Cresson has written "Charles Cresson on the American Flower Garden" ($20, hard cover), in which he deals with the practical matters of gardening such as staking and pruning. He advises to know your property and the plants you want in the garden, and explains how to use them in pleasing innovative combinations.

"Rock Gardening" and "Ornamental Trees" are two of his other books. In the first, the topic is thoroughly covered from design, construction and care of the specialized plants grown. Included is information about trough gardens, walls, ledges and paths. Cresson emphasizes the importance of scale and visiting other gardens (as well as studying natural rock outcroppings). The enclopedic portion details the characteristics and needs of many alpine plants.

The class will take place 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, Sept. 20-21, at Tellys Greenhouse, 3301 John R Road, Troy.

The second explains how to use trees in a garden design, deals with pests and diseases and outlines the steps to ensure the health of the trees. The enclopedic section contains much information about many trees suitable for a variety of garden locations.

Each of these books is priced at $9. All three of the books are published by Prentice Hall, in the Burpee American Gardening Series.

The intent of The Gardeners Guild is to further the artistic science of gardening for the advanced gardener. It strives for gardening excellence to further stimulate new ideas and to promote knowledge and growth. Members live in local cities such as Clarkston, Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham, Troy, Huntington Woods, Holly and Lake Angelus.

Museum sets house tour

Are you aware that someone in Rochester Hills lives in a log cabin? Or that someone has eight acres of gardens that include three ponds and four waterfalls? Or that there is a bed and breakfast in the city? Or that someone lives in the house where Bertha Van Hoosen was born in 1863?

These and lots more wil be on display at the Rochester Hills Museum's Annual Homes Tour 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16. Tickets are $8 per person, $6 in advance until Sept. 15. Tickets are available at the Rochester Hills Museum, 1000 Rochester Hills Drive. Make checks payable to City of Rochester Hills. For more information, call the museum at (810) 656-4663.

This year's tour features houses scattered in the northeast corner of the city and includes barns and a pioneer schoolhouse.

Bromeliad sale, show Saturday

The Southeast Michigan Bromeliad Society will have a show/sale/trade 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, at Paul Wingert's, 27276 Edgemoor, east of Orchard Lake Road and south of I-696, north of Rockshire.

Bring your plants between noon and 1 p.m. to set up. Call Wingert at (810) 473-1315 for more information.

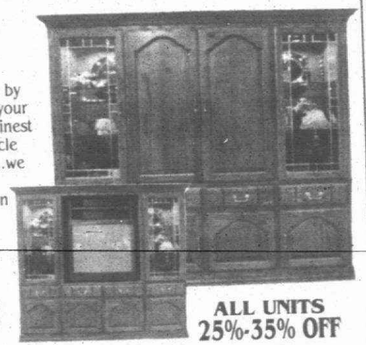
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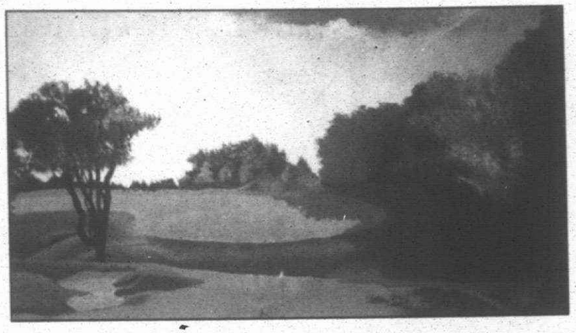


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COVER STORY

MURAL MURAL ON THE WALL



Green dreaming: *If Phil Karbo can't be on the course at least he can dream of the challenges waiting for him.*

STORY BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN, SPECIAL WRITER

On the cover:
Shireen Agah painted the 17th hole of the Muirfield Golf Course on the bedroom wall of Phil Karbo, who spent the summer recovering from knee surgery.

Whether you're a sports enthusiast or simply looking to fill a space on the wall, murals hold the key to brightening living environments. Two Livonia families employed entirely different subject matter to bring the great outdoors into their homes.

In Shireen Agah's case, she simply wanted to surprise her boyfriend by painting the 17th hole of the Muirfield Golf Course in Ohio on his bedroom wall. Phil Karbo was captain of the golf team in 1993 at Catholic Central High School in Redford before graduating on to studies at Notre Dame University. He spent the last few summers caddying at Brae-Burn Golf Club in Plymouth. Reconstructive knee surgery prevented him from doing so this summer. The mural enabled him to be on the course, so to speak, while recovering.

While Karbo was away at school the 20-year-old Agah used flat interior paint to mix most of the colors creating the sandtraps, trees and greens. Although she had won several Gold Key and Awards of Merit in the Scholastic Art Awards competition for her works on paper, Agah's only previous experience painting surfaces of this size came while working on a stage crew in high school. Agah's pediatrician father had forbidden such a project on the walls of the family's Farmington Hills home.

"I did it to make somebody happy. I always wanted to do a mural and was looking at courses in a book on the PGA tour. I wanted a scene that had life to it and a nice composition and liked how the sun is peeking out," said Agah, a graduate of Mercy High School in Farmington Hills now studying for a degree in art education at Syracuse University in New York.

"What attracted me was the warm colors of the reds and oranges. I kept layering things to give it more depth. Now my dad, an avid golfer, wants one."

When the first layer of green graced the wall, a brief bout of doubt overcame Mary Ann Karbo, Phil's mother. But never one to hinder progress she kept any reservations to herself as Agah began to sponge on the foliage of trees.

"At first when I saw all that green I was unsure about having given my permission, but knew if we ended up not liking it we could paint the wall. As she progressed with each layer of color my pleasure from looking at the scene overcame any doubts," said Karbo, whose entire family golfs.

"I told her we have a lot more walls."

Vacationing at home

Paul and Karen Camilleri spent more than $50,000 renovating their 8-year-old house this summer because they feel "there's no place like home." The addition of a sun room on the back of the house created a problem, though. A long expanse of wall presented a void to fill. Camilleri knew artist Julie Giordano, of Giordano Studios in Northville, from their student days at Bishop Borgess High School. The brick wall running through the mural (Giordano's idea) extends the exterior of the home into the glassed-in sun area. A cold air return was masked with flowering chives by Giordano.

"We just really enjoy our home," said Karen Camilleri, who conceived the concept for the mural after a favorite vacation spot where the family relaxes at a cottage by the water.

"We wanted the mural to look like a courtyard. We wanted the room to be warm and inviting. The goal is to eventually have the room filled with plants. We're trying to achieve a park-like atmosphere back here. This (the mural) was interesting. You don't see too many walls like this."

Giordano sponged in a huge old tree on the right of the wall. Abstract flowers on the left add brightness with primary yellow and red. Overall, the room works together with an $8,000 waterfall and pond filled with water hyacinth, lotus, water lilies and iris to create a haven for nature.

"At first I wasn't sure about a mural but now I feel it's nice, the flowers and trees," Paul Camilleri said.



STAFF PHOTOS BY JIM JAGDFELD



Smell the flowers: *The Camilleri family intends to spend a lot of time enjoying the park-like atmosphere of their Livonia home with its mural by artist Julie Giordano. Karen Camilleri conceived the idea for the mural in her family's sun room after a favorite vacation spot. Camilleri is shown here with her 10-month-old son, Kevin. A closeup of the mural is seen above.*

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FOCUS ON PHOTOGRAPHY

Hold your camera properly



MONTE NAGLER

How you hold your camera when you photograph is important to obtaining sharp pictures. Camera movement during exposure is one of the most frequent causes of unsharp photos. Too often, I've seen amateur photographers jerk the shutter release button and what could have been a prize-winning picture is hopelessly lost to camera jiggles.

There are some simple techniques you can follow when not using a tripod to minimize the shakes and maximize the chances of steady and sharp pictures.

To start with, hold your camera in a way that's both comfortable and steady. If right-handed, grasp the right side of your camera in your right hand with your forefinger gently resting on the shutter release. Cup the camera body in your left palm with your fingers on the focusing ring. For left-handers, just reverse the positions.

Keep your arms and elbows against your body, not suspended in air. Stand firmly on the ground with your feet slightly wider than shoulder width. Hold your camera tightly against your face, take a breath, hold it, and gently squeeze the shutter release. Chances are you'll make a picture free from camera movement.

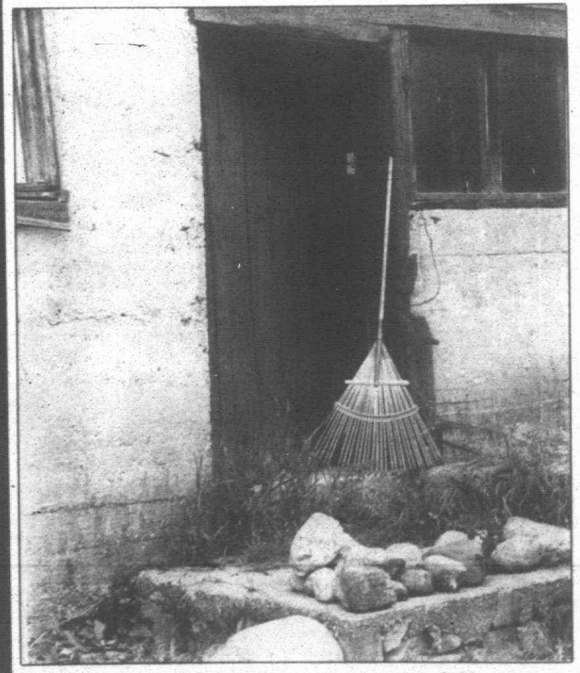
Even try bracing yourself against a nearby tree or set your camera atop a fence post or car roof to improve sharpness.

What shutter speed should you use? It depends on the size of the lens you're using. A general rule is to use a shutter speed equal to or faster than the focal length of the lens. For example, use a shutter speed of 1/60 second or faster when using a normal 50mm lens. A 1/250 second speed should be used with a 200mm lens and a 1/15 second or faster with a 17mm wide angle lens.

With zoom lenses, this guideline still holds true. Just use a shutter speed close to wherever you've set your zoom.

A golfer will practice his or her swing and how to properly hold the club. A marksman will practice squeezing the trigger. Photographers, too, should practice their handling and shooting techniques.

Monte Nagler is a fine art photographer based in Farmington Hills. You can leave him a message by dialing (313) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then his mailbox number, 1873. His fax number is (810) 644-1314.



Steady does it: *Holding his camera steady produced this razor-sharp photograph for Monte Nagler. This scene was taken on a charming farm near Northport, Mich.*

ALL ABOUT ANIMALS

Chewing is concern

About a month ago, our dog began chewing his feet and whining. We can't get him to stop. Why is doing this and how can we get him to stop?

Foot licking or chewing can indicate a number of things. Your dog may be having an allergic reaction to carpeting, or certain dusts or pollens which his feet come in contact with regularly. Food allergies in animals can be a common cause.

It is helpful to try and determine whether the problem is continuous, or flares up at certain times of the year, which would probably mean it is a seasonal allergy to some kinds of grass, weeds or pollen.

Sometimes foot chewing is a behavioral problem, possibly a result of boredom, stress of a change in the dog's environment or routine. In any case, you should have your pet examined by a veterinarian, who can recommend appropriate medications or behavioral training.

Books, magazines wanted for sale

The Southfield Public Library needs you — and your pre-read books and magazines.

The Friends of the Southfield Public Library are still feeling a little depleted after the last big semi-annual book sale. More of your varied and interesting reading material is needed to assure a plentiful selection when people come to browse and buy at the upcoming sale Oct. 9-12.

As summer draws to an end, consider culling through any stacks of magazines sitting around, or sifting through the crowded-to-bursting bookshelves in your own personal library. Make way for your future reading pleasure by clearing out some space for new interests and titles. Audio tapes that have served their purpose are good things to pass on. There's no time like the present.

You'll thank yourself for the write-off when tax time rolls around in April. Couldn't a few things be put to better use?

Magazines with recipes and home decorating ideas always appeal to book sale browsers, especially Gourmet, Bon Appetit, Architectural Digest, Woman's Day and Family Circle, but news and sports magazines move best when they're 3 months old or newer.

Library book sale buyers seek a wide variety of books. Of course, classics are always welcome; recent best sellers are quite a hit, too. Books on an outgrown hobby could be just what a new enthusiast is looking for. Biographies are always appreciated and textbooks typically make a good showing. Audio tapes are a new, popular format that buyers look for.

Materials from a small clearing out can be dropped off as you make your normal trips to the Southfield Public Library. Be sure to ask for a receipt at the librarian's desk. When a major clearout results in a large load, take it to the circular drive or the underground parking area and ask for help at the Circulation Desk.

To all those who have brought in donations recently, the library says "Many thanks!" For those donors that the library hasn't yet seen, it says to remember that you can win three ways: by neatening up your personal reading areas, by getting your tax-deductible contributions documented early and by helping the Friends underwrite the many special programs they sponsor at the library.

UM sets fall garden sale

Mums, trees, shrubs, peonies, poppies, wildflowers, grasses and bulbs are among the unusual plants being offered at the University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens Friends annual Fall Gardener's Sale fund-raiser, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 16-17, at the gardens.

Patrons attending can choose from more than 185 robust, hardy mums and several unusual and sought-after landscape trees and shrubs that can be planted now.

Admission is free, and there is plenty of free parking on site. Refreshments will be available for a fee. The gardens are at 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor. Take US-23 north to Geddes Road. Head east on Geddes Road to Dixboro Road. Turn left onto Dixboro Road and go 2¼ miles north. For more information, call (313) 998-7061.

"Autumn is a traditional time of year to plant your hardy perennials, bulbs, trees and shrubs. Their roots become established before new growth emerges in the spring. This year's selections are ideal for their landscape value and ornamental appeal," said Mike Palmer, horticulturalist at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens.

Among the special items being offered will be the showy Yellow Magnolia (Magnolia x "Elizabeth"). The neat growth habit, medium rate of growth and pyramidal shape make this a landscape gem. Another special offering to this year's sale will be the Big Bluestem (Andropogon gerardii). This colorful, prairie native grass grows five to six feet tall and is spectacular after the first frost when the grass turns light red.

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House tour shows wide range of styles

By Mary Klemic
Staff Writer

Feel at home in the heart of Birmingham next week with the eighth annual Downtown Birmingham House Tour presented by The Community House.

This year's tour, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, features eight houses and townhouses within walking distance of each other in downtown Birmingham. Also featured is a special tea at The Community House, 380 S. Bates, 2-4:30 p.m.

"This year the selection of houses is the best ever with a broad range of styles — everything from cutting edge contemporary to gracious traditional," said Nancy Spence, house tour chair.

Tickets are $18 pre-ordered or $20 bought the day of the event. For more information, call The Community House Special Events Department, (810) 644-5832.

Two of the residences on the tour indicate the warm and stylish welcome awaiting visitors. Residents at both places described them as fine for entertaining, and the rooms do seem to extend gracious greetings.

The townhouse of Dee Wright-Masilotti and Richard Masilotti offers the charm of a loft. Windows and recessed lighting make the rooms bright and inviting.

"The house is very bright. It's never without natural light," Wright-Masilotti said.

"I love the flow of the room. It's a great house to entertain in."

From the foyer at the entrance you can see the great room, large and welcoming with an area rug over the pickled oak floor. The furnishings include black lacquered cabinets and table. At the opposite end is a sliding glass door to a little courtyard. People sitting in the dark, elegantly curving chairs surrounding a glass-topped, octagonal table near the sliding door have a good place from which to view nature's artistry.

Soft colors and tones are featured throughout, slightly peppered with an Oriental flavor through such accessories as screens on a wall.

The kitchen is cheery and cozy.

"A kitchen to me should be serviceable."

In the master bedroom, the carpeting is gray and wood borders accent the white angled walls. Skylights look down from the walls.

"The fun part about having skylights, you can see the stars at night."

The skylights came in handy when the power was out in a storm this summer; they let in so much light that a party was moved upstairs.

An interest in math influenced the delightful design of the Anthony and Bernice Rosenthal Trogan house. You see many 90-degree angles — in the walls, in the steplike pattern to shelves and a design on the sides of a low table. It smoothly connects the rooms.

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house tour chair

The living room is art deco, "everything else is pretty contemporary," Bernice Trogan said. Among the furnishings in this room are a round table and a smaller round end table, with curved legs. Recessed lighting, bold splashes of color, whimsical accessories throughout give the house an upbeat character.

In the bedroom, with its angled cathedral ceiling, windows are "stacked" like blocks and the bureau echoes such a pattern. Table lamps by the bed have a sophisticated geometric shape, blending triangle and rectangle. The wooden door features opaque glass panels with an artistic "string and paper" design, resembling swirling lines trailing over canvas. Small squares containing similar lines subtly adorn a corner of a bathroom mirror.

"It cuts this room off from the rest of the house," Bernice Trogan said of the door.

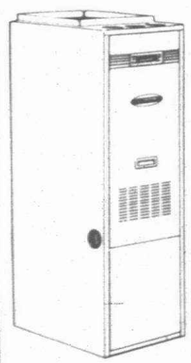
The friendly kitchen is wide open. It includes a glass backsplash, and a black glass table on a black and white pedestal.

"It's a great house for entertaining. When I'm cooking I don't feel cut away from the rest of the house."

The spacious family room features vertical blinds and a curving sofa.

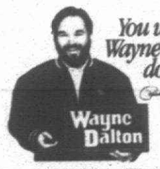
Tour committee members are Anne Becker, Sherry Bird, Teresa Byrne, Jackie Carney, Jan Heidel, Carol Marshall, Kitty Nau, Kathy O'Connell and Debra Timmons.

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Designer finds his niche in waterfalls

By Marty Figley
Special Writer

Darren Yanke, owner of Yanke's Landscaping and Stone Design Inc. of Novi, has found his niche in the landscaping business. He custom designs and constructs waterfalls in sizes from a bubbling brook to "Niagara Falls."

"Each pond is individually designed and is personalized for the homeowner: size, style, plants and sound are all taken into account," he said.

Many of the waterfalls are made to block out the sounds of nearby traffic and other interrupting noises such as a dog barking. The level of sound in many installations can be regulated to be soft or loud, depending on the situation. For instance, if the owner is sitting quietly outside, the rush of water falling across rocks can be soothing; on the other hand, if there are guests, the sound can be muted (by controlling the water to run slower), for conversation.

Yanke began his business 14 years ago, three months before he graduated from high school. He put out fliers, went door to door and worked with referrals. Now the referrals are the mainstay of the business.

At the age of 12 he worked for his brother, who ran a lawn service for commercial and residential properties, and by the time he was 15 he could answer customer questions about plants and their needs. He started drawing designs when he was 17.

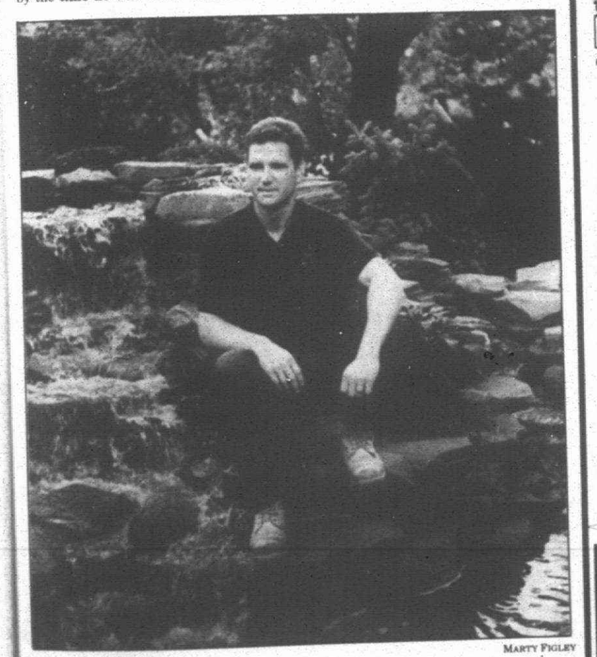
In college he studied the structural aspects of the business, learning about soil, drainage and what can best be used to correct or retain the grade of a particular site. Cement, boulders and treated wood are all used in the construction.

Yanke's fascination and love of the waterfalls in northern Michigan, which he visited when very young, influenced his decision to create waterfalls of his own design. He uses Michigan rocks and boulders, chunks of limestone, grindstone, Canadian Bluestone and Canadian Buff in many designs.

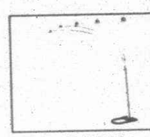
A lining of Bentilmat (volcanic ash in mat form), which he is certified to apply, is used as a liner and a surround for the ponds. The bottoms of the ponds are always concrete and the stones are mortared to concrete for stability. He has found the Bentilmat stops any leakage.

While the cement pond is being built, an area three by three by three feet in size is constructed to hold the pump housing and filtering system. The upper sides of this square are level with the bottom of the pond and are fitted with a steel mesh top that can be removed to

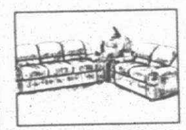
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Marty Figley

Going for falls: *Darren Yanke of Yanke's Landscaping and Stone Design custom designs and builds waterfalls in a variety of sizes.*

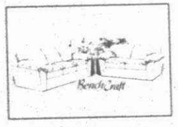
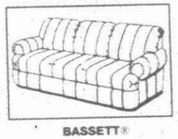
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allow ready access to the screen and filter so they can be changed or cleaned. The pump draws water through the screen and out a two-inch pipe to continue the cycle.

"I'm trying to create a work of art, as maintenance-free as possible. We install valves for cleaning and refill, for overflow, filters, etc."

He likes to work directly with the clients and will follow installation with maintenance, plant the pond if desired, or consult with them about the plants to use — water lilies, reeds, grasses. He has found that owners often prefer to study their ponds and waterfalls and select their personal choices. He does add "structural" plantings around each installation.

For instance, one garden I saw had yellow golden dwarf Cyprus march along the top of one group of rocks while cotoneasters, azaleas, hostas and a hydrangea are strategically planted for harmony. The feeling is quite restful. The owners can sit on their brick paver patio and view the running water while enjoying the sounds.

Another garden is reached from the side of the house on paths made of Canadian Bluestone, surrounded with slag sand that turns hard and holds the stones in place. It leads to a brick paver circle patio from which one can view the waterfalls and hear the melodies of the water — frogs are in residence and provide entertainment, as do the goldfish.

Ground covers such as lamium, sweet woodruff, pachysandra, snow-on-the-mountain, yellow archangel and red and yellow sedum add much interest, while specimen plants such as weeping cherry, Japanese maple and Harry Lauder's walking stick fit perfectly. Along one top edge a dwarf Koster blue spruce holds reign.

Still another installation is a very large design, which holds back a river embankment and contains seven cascading waterfalls that empty into a naturally existing pond. This design runs 350 gallons of water per minute and is recycled to that pond.

Yanke services Oakland and most of Wayne County. His work can be seen in cities such as Troy, Farmington Hills, Novi, Milford, Northville and Westland.

His dream?

"To build a waterfall like the largest in the world which is in South America."

Variety: *Yanke's waterfalls use different stones and plants and often can be regulated to be soft or loud.*



MARTY FIGLEY

Home, garden tour set

The Woodbridge Historic District will present its fifth annual Home and Garden Tour 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16.

The district is just west of Wayne State University and the Cultural Center. This year's tour afterglow will be 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the historic Detroit Boat Club.

Tour tickets are $8 in advance and $10 at the door. Afterglow tickets are $20, in advance only. Call (313) 302-3944 for more information.

Stamp club schedules show

The Allen Park Stamp Club will present its annual Stamp Show 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, at the VFW Hall, 16736 Ecorse Road, Allen Park.

Admission and parking are free. For more information, call (313) 295-2962.

Twenty dealers from both in and out of Michigan will be present to serve visitors. The latest U.S. material may be bought at the U.S. Post Office Boutique between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. both days. The club will offer free packets of stamps to all youngsters attending the show.

Farmington tour shows style

The Farmington Area Heritage Home Tour has been scheduled for Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 16-17.

A variety of historic sites showing "A Century of Style" will be open 1-5 p.m. Included will be a wide range of examples showing styles from early 19th century Greek Revival and Victorian into the early 20th century. Included will be a number within walking distance of each other "in town" Farmington as well as homes around Farmington Hills and requiring driving between.

Tickets, good both days, are $12. Advance tickets at a discount price of $10 are available from Farmington Hills and Farmington city offices, the Farmington Historical Museum and Metrobank locations.

Nine sites have been selected for this year's tour, among them a number not previously featured. The prime sites include the Philbrick Tavern, the well-recognized landmark at 11 Mile and Power.

With home owners sprucing up their properties and graciously opening their homes, the Heritage Home Tour showcases the wealth of fine antique homes and architecture that is a special characteristic of the Farmington/Farmington Hills area.

The tour is co-sponsored by the Farmington Hills Historical Commission, Farmington Historical Commission and Farmington Historical Society.

Learn about home fashion

Four great home fashion classes offered this fall at Haberman Fabrics, 117 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, will give your home a decorating boost before the coming holiday entertaining season.

Advance registration is necessary for all classes. For more information, or to charge your registration by phone, call Haberman Fabrics at (810) 541-0010 between 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily, until 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday, and between noon and 5 p.m. Sunday.

"Pillow Talk" is a free seminar offered in celebration of National Sewing Month 10-11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 23. Learn how to make quick, creative and beautiful accent pillows in many styles using a wide variety of fabrics and trims, and no-sew pillows too.

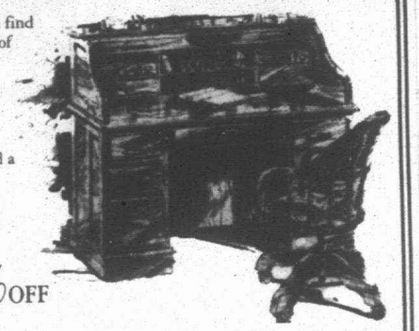
"Beautiful Windows" 1-4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, is a seminar covering measurements, fabric selection, construction, lining and hardware for window toppers, swags, valances, cornices, draperies and curtains. Desgin questions using students' photos will be answered in a question-and-answer period. Fee is $25.

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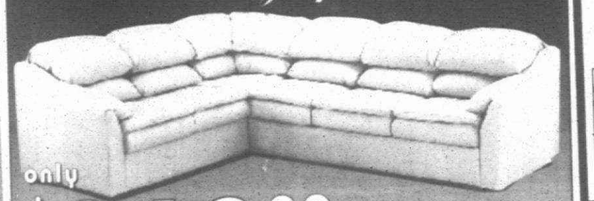


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Grasses are distinctive



TIM NOWICKI

As I drive down the country roads these days, I pass many fields of grass. These fields are all just one kind of grass. You've all seen them, they're fields of corn. Yes corn is a grass. But while you are out in the country take note of some smaller patches of grass.

Along the ditches next to the roadside are often some very distinctive grasses. In the low area where water collects there will be green plants, but these are more likely to be sedges or rushes. They tend to like wet areas. But just up from the wet soil in dryer conditions grasses will start to grow.

In the backlite conditions of my early morning drive to work, I particularlly like the squirrel's tail that grows in dense groups along the ditch. The most noticeable part is the head area which points in the same direction on all the plants. By pointing in the same direction they form a thick cloud of fine fibers. They do resemble fluffy squirrel's tails arching in the same directions at about the height of a squirrel sitting on the ground.

In contrast to the 12-inch high squirrels tail is the reed grass Phragmites. It too has a head that arches to one side, but it is more feathery and it stands about 8-10 feet tall. Phragmites grows in the low areas along the expressways. It grows in such density that it crowds out other natural wetland plants that are more beneficial for wildlife.

In colonial times and in other parts of the continent, people collected the long stems of Phragmites and thatched the roofs of their homes with it. This reed was also used to make ink pens. Inside the hollow stem are fine tubes that transport water up to the top. If you take a dried, dead stalk and cut it off like a quill pen point and dip it into ink, the small tubes will draw up ink and it can be used as a pen.

Though squirrel's tail and Phragmites are interesting to see, I saw the most beautiful grass of the season while visiting friends in northern Michigan. Northern Michigan's sandy soils are perfect for the purple love grass to grow. Large patches of purple covered entire fields. Not only did it look beautiful, but it felt wonderful. Each of the delicate branches just barely touched my skin. They feel like fairy fingers deftly tickling you as you walk.

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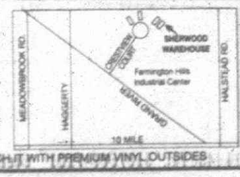
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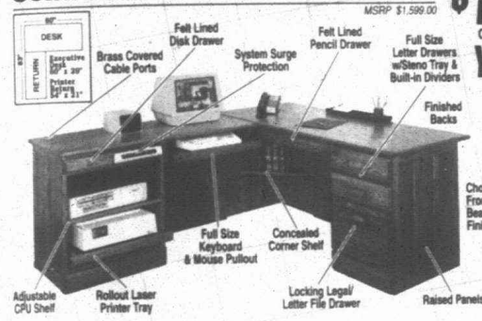
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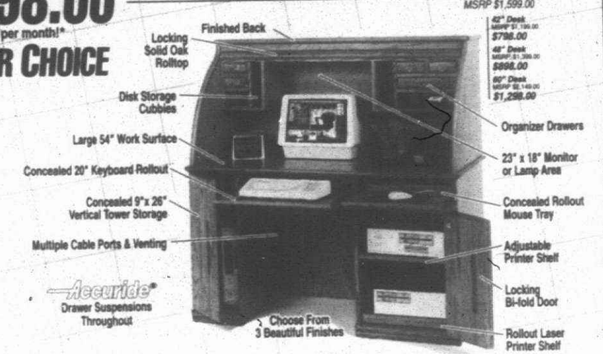
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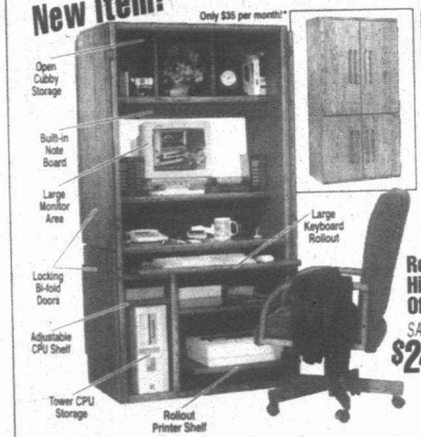
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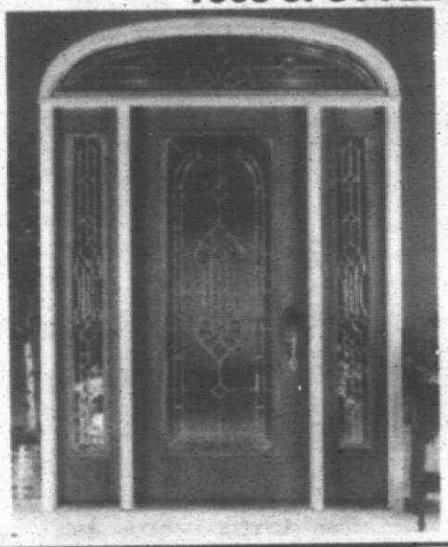
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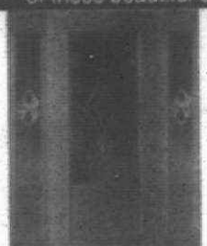




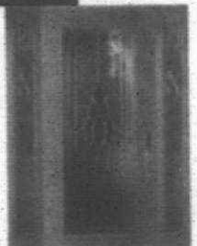
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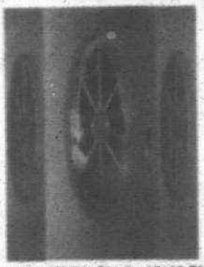
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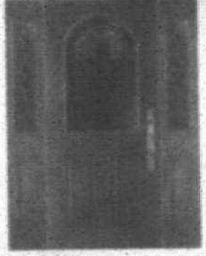
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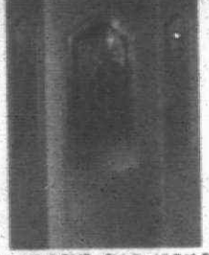
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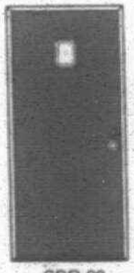


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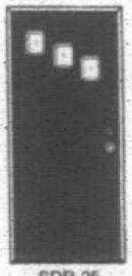


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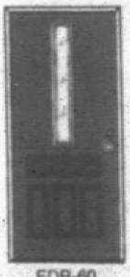
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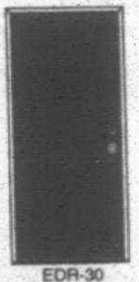
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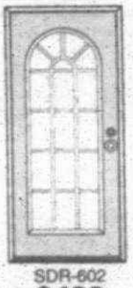
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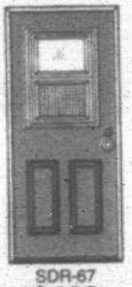
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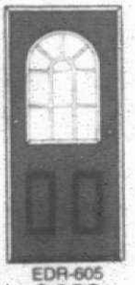
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Steve Nickerson

Steve Nickerson, a sales associate with Coldwell Banker Preferred Realtors in Plymouth, recently received top awards for leadership and overall production in a year-long intensive sales training program.

During the past 12 months, Nickerson completed 126 transactions for a sales volume of $16.7 million.

Howard promoted



Dawn M. Howard

Commercial Inc. Magazine, a statewide real estate business publication, announced two promotions and the addition of a new team member.

Dawn M. Howard has been promoted from business manager to associate publisher with primary responsibility for management of all day-to-day business operations.

She oversees advertising sales, personnel recruitment, training and supervision of all employees, and management of editorial, circulation, production, promotion and finance departments.

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Michelle Murawski

Michelle L. Murawski has been promoted from contributing editor to editor in chief with Commercial Inc. Magazine.

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Joins company

Shelly Polanecki has joined Commercial Inc. Magazine as production director.

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Jim Jagdfeld/Staff Photographer

Hosting visitors: *Chris Knight, left, and Sandy Norman, two high-producing agents, see value in open houses.*

Not everyone loves open houses

Feelings run the gamut on open houses. But there's no denying that some buyers and sellers connect and sales result during weekend visitations.

By Doug Funke
Staff Writer

Open houses excite some agents. Others tolerate them. Still others don't want to bother.

Sellers typically love open houses because they figure anything to generate traffic and potential sales is a good deal.

Buyers, especially first-timers and those who have lived in the same place for several years but now contemplate a move, can use open houses as educational tools to gauge the market.

"The nice thing about open houses is it's a free way without commitment and no pressure calls for you to learn what you can get for your money," said Chris Knight, an agent with Coldwell Banker Schweitzer in Plymouth.

"You can learn what you want or don't want in a home," he added.

The big drawback for agents is the return on time invested. Almost all open houses are held Sunday afternoons.

"I think the reason agents don't want to hold open houses is they look at a national average of one percent success," said Sandy Norman, an agent with Century 21 Town & Country in Birmingham.

Open houses work better with some houses than others, agents say.

"They're moderately effective for whatever is considered the starter price range for whatever community you're in," Knight said.

"Generally speaking, anything above $300,000 there's weaker turnout," Norman said. "Those buyers immediately gravitate to a representative.

"People looking for less expensive houses are driving around."

Promotion is the key to drawing visitors to open houses.

"Probably the best thing to do is tell everyone you see you're going to do it," said Cecelia Brown, an agent with Prudential Great Lakes Realty in Rochester. "Even if they're not in the market, they may know someone who is."

Brown also sends out fliers to apartment complexes, former clients and other agents.

"You can't be a secret agent and have a secret house," Norman said.

"The most important thing is let people know what's out there with signage," Knight said. "Don't just have one sign at the corner. If you can, put 10 or 12 signs out. In Plymouth, if you put a sign on Sheldon Road, a sign at Main and a sign at Ann Arbor Trail, you'll get a ton of exposure."

Some communities don't allow signs on public property.

"We advertise in newspapers," said Ray Millen, broker/owner of Remerica Gold Key Homes in Redford.

"Don't use shorthand. Tell them exactly where it is. People will follow directions if you get it to 'em right."

Since prospects attending open houses usually go to more than one, it's important to make an impression. A spec sheet isn't enough.

"My brochures have eight to 10 pictures in offset printing," Norman said.

"I also give out certain things of perceived value _ a checklist for putting your home on the market, tax information."

It's best that the homeowners aren't around for the showing.

"If they're home, I won't do an open house," Knight said. "The Realtor is a little intimidated. Purchasers aren't comfortable around sellers."

Other suggestions on how sellers and agents can prepare for an open house:

- Mention the price of the house in ads so unqualified buyers won't waste your time or theirs.
- Police the front and back yards. Make sure everything is clean inside, too, especially windows.
- Eliminate clutter from closets, cabinets and countertops.
- Adjust the furnace or air conditioning so that the house feels comfortable.
- Open curtains and shades. Turn on lights.
- Place small index cards around major appliances and special features of the house noting their age and efficiency.
- Get rid of all signs of cats and dogs including the animals themselves, leashes, collars and litter boxes.
- Remove ashtrays and other indications that smokers live there.

"The owner has to go to some lengths to get the house ready," Brown said. "It has to be like the builder's model. You have to be a showplace."

Experienced agents realize that people visit open houses for different reasons.

"Fifty percent are house buyers looking for something," Norman said. "Fifty percent are going through on a lark. They're curious and just want to see what a house sells for, what X amount of dollars buys.

"You handle those diplomatically. Someday, you may be selling them a house."

A binding arbitration clause favors the builder

REAL ESTATE QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q. Are there any particular clauses in a building contract for new construction that you have found to be particularly disadvantageous to a purchaser that you can alert us to?

A. Space limitations would preclude me from comprehensively answering your question. However, there are certain clauses that I find more frequently included within building contracts for new construction which may be disadvantageous to the purchaser.

One particular clause requires binding arbitration of any dispute regarding the terms and conditions of the purchase agreement or performance by the builder. While that may ostensively seem to be beneficial to the purchaser, most builders would normally prefer to have a panel of arbitrators deciding their case rather than a jury, which would minimize the leverage that a purchaser then has in trying to resolve a dispute.

Secondly, I frequently find that purchase agreements and building contracts make the building official for the municipality the final arbitrator as to whether there are any defects or deficiencies in the project. Again, while the builder may prefer to have the building inspector make that determination, the building inspector may be applying standards of workmanship and/or code requirements that are minimal in nature and are not reflective of the standard of the industry and/or the expectations of the purchaser based upon the representations made by the builder. A purchaser should not be limited to the opinion of the township building inspector except to the extent that it is necessary to obtain compliance with the code requirements from the city and ultimately a certificate of occupancy permit.

These are two areas where I find that purchasers are put to a disadvantage when they are compelled to sign a building contract. Again, these issues can be resolved prior to the building contract being signed and underscore the need for the purchaser to retain the advice and counsel of a knowledgeable real estate attorney to assist in the negotiation of the building contract.

Q. Can you tell me what the recreational land user's act in Michigan has to do with premises liability since I have read about it in a magazine recently.

A. With regard to vacant land, the recreational land user's act merely holds that there is no cause of action arising for injuries to any person who is on the land of another without paying the owner a valuable consideration for the purpose of any outdoor recreational use.

This act is effective whether the injured party is on the land with permission or not.

The recreational land user's act also protects the owner, tenant or lessee of the premises unless the injuries were caused by the gross negligence or wilful and wanton misconduct of the owner, tenant or lessee.

This act also applies to property located within urban areas, even though activities listed in the statute typically are enjoined in rural settings.

Robert M. Meisner is an Oakland County area attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. You are invited to submit topics which you would like to see discussed in this column writing 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms, MI 48025. This column should not be construed as legal opinion.

Michigan Group Realtors will franchise name

The Michigan Group name will expand via the licensing/franchise route.

Michigan Group Realtors, a six-office organization headquartered in Livonia, has entered into a licensing agreement with Michigan Group Residential Affiliates to grant franchises to select brokerage firms throughout the state.

"We have chosen the route of licensing or franchising as the preferred method of continued growth," said Fred T. Madley, president of the Michigan Group Realtors.

"Our company is now in a position to assure continued service through the turn of the century while allowing our six offices to grow in primary market areas," he said.

John Kavanagh, former regional management services director for the Coldwell Banker affiliate division, who also served as president and CEO for Red Carpet Keim, will head Michigan Group Residential Affiliates.

Kavanagh said he plans to own and operate model/testing offices in Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham, Rochester Hills and Troy by next spring.

He expects to sign 10 franchisees by the end of this year and 20 more during 1996. The franchisees would re-affiliate from existing groups or come from the ranks of independents.

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Franchisees will pay a start-up fee of $7,500, plus a percentage of gross commissions for affiliation. Michigan Group Residential Affiliates, in turn, will pay a percentage of revenue to Madley's Michigan Group Realtors as a licensing fee.

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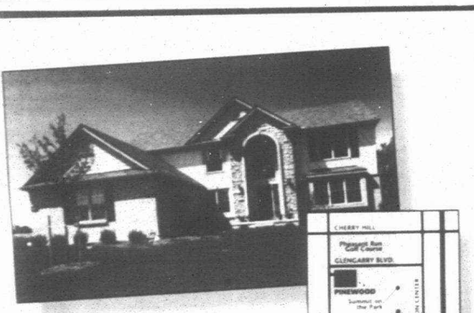
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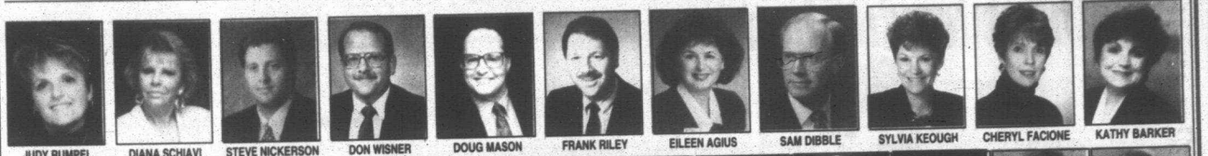
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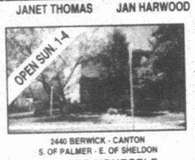








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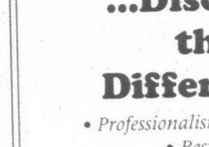
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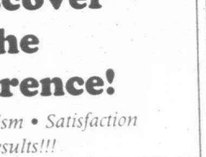
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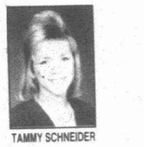
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Also, Century 21 West, William R. Eldridge, and Century 21 Premiere, D. James Papageorgiou, West Bloomfield, and Century 21 Today, Douglas A. Hardy, Southfield.

■ HOME SELLING WORKSHOP

Rochester Community Adult Education sponsors a workshop on how to sell your own house 7-9:30 p.m. on successive Tuesdays, Sept. 19 and 26 at West Middle School, 500 Old Perch Road, Rochester Hills.

Livonia Community Education sponsors the same workshop 7-9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4 and 11, at Stevenson High School, 33500 Six Mile Road.

Doug Woodward, a former Realtor now in market research, will present the programs.

Cost is $39 for one member of the same family, $49 for two. To register for the Rochester Hills workshop, call (810) 651-6210, for Livonia, (313) 523-9277.

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The Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan sponsors a Graduate Builders Institute course in building technology 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21, at its offices, 30375 Northwestern, Suite 100, Farmington Hills.

Discussion focuses on engineering principles related to light frame construction and new building technologies such as steel framing, wood foundations and others.

Cost, which includes breakfast and lunch, is $125 for association members, $175 for non-members. To register, call (810) 737-4477.

■ CONTINUING EDUCATION SEMINAR

The Real Estate Roundtable presents its eighth annual continuing education seminar approved by the state department of licensing and registration 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, at Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph, Bloomfield Hills.

Cost, including lunch, is $60 with registration by Sept. 14, $65 afterwards.

Register through Real Estate Roundtable, c/o Steuer & Canvasser, 30600 Northwestern, Suite 200, Farmington Hills, 48334.

■ CONDOMINIUM DIRECTORS SEMINAR

United Condominium Owners of Michigan presents an all-day, how-to seminar for condominium directors 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30, at the MSU Management Education Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road, Troy.

Topics include budgets and reserves, insurance requirements, landscape planning/maintenance and local government relations.

Cost is $95 for members, $55 for each additional member of the same association, $125 for non-members, $75 per additional non-member.

For information and a registration form, phone (313) 352-8490.

■ CONSTRUCTION SEMINARS

The Construction Association of Michigan has prepared a calendar of building and professional related classes offered this fall at its headquarters in Troy.

For details, contact Christy Winter, CAMTEC Manager of Educational Services, at (810) 585-1000.

■ BLOOMFIELD ACCEPTANCE

Bloomfield Acceptance, which refinances loans primarily to owners of manufactured home communities, shopping centers, light industrial and office properties, has announced that it's closed more than $58 million in loans through mid August of this year.

The firm is located in Birmingham.

■ FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY

Autostyle Plastics has signed a lease with First Industrial Realty Trust, Southfield, for a 125,000-square-foot expansion to a currently occupied 300,000-square-foot manufacturing building in Grand Rapids.

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■ REAL ESTATE NETWORK

Who's Who in Luxury Real Estate, (http://www.luxury-realestate.com/jbl/), an international network of luxury real estate brokerages, is now on the Internet.

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PRIME LOCATION
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CANTON TOWNSHIP
- 7520 Briargate Dr $255,250
- 1625 Brookline St $116,000
- 43146 Calais Ct $136,500
- 470 Country Club $55,000
- 492 Country Club $55,000
- 514 Country Club $55,000
- 536 Country Club $55,000
- 6667 Edgewood $168,000
- 46488 Glengarry $55,000
- 45319 Glengarry Blvd $215,000
- 46400 Glengarry St $55,000
- 46446 Glengarry St $55,000
- 44326 Hanford Road $140,000
- 173 Kingsway $115,000
- Koppernick Road $85,000
- 2337 Leigh CT $256,694
- 5835 Meadowview $245,000
- 46954 Mornington $258,595
- 7257 Oaktree Ct $159,900
- 45156 Rudgate Road $140,000
- 607 Sandalwood $55,000
- 583 Sandalwood Dr $55,000
- 631 Sandalwood Dr $55,000
- 653 Sandalwood Road $55,000
- 675 Sandalwood Road $55,000
- 704 Sandalwood Road $241,900
- 319 Stonehenge St $172,516
- 44451 Tillotson Dr $146,000
- 44818 Whitman $102,000
- 6826 Willow Creek Dr $123,000
- 1970 Woodmont, W $136,500
- 388 Worthington Road $133,500
- 43665 Yorkville Ct $91,000

GARDEN CITY
- 28428 Donnelly St $43,000

LIVONIA
- 15427 Alpine Dr $184,000
- 15056 Arcola $107,000
- 11328 Arden St $115,500
- 14300 Bainbridge St $113,000
- 29657 Barkley St $109,900
- 34070 Bretton $215,000
- 37844 Chase Ct $180,200
- 31140 Dalhay St $88,500
- 38024 Donald St $132,900
- 36428 Dover St $112,000
- 34008 Fairfax Dr $176,000
- 15422 Fairfield St $90,000
- 15422 Fairfield St $40,000
- 20436 Gary Lane $280,000
- 28655 Grandon St $100,000
- 38606 Grandon St $115,000
- 29802 Greenland St $116,000
- 11404 Hubbard $121,000
- 11400 Hubbell St $151,190
- 18674 Lathers St $65,000
- 16918 Levan Road $163,500
- 9623 Mayfield $101,900
- 14985 Melrose St $88,000
- 9841 Merriman Road $98,500
- 32221 Norfolk St $139,900
- 19791 Norwich St $174,500
- 34744 Pembroke Ave $252,000
- 27653 Perth St $117,000
- 19574 Pollyanna Ct $203,000
- 38155 Ross $104,000
- 33950 Schoolcraft Road $105,000
- 31568 Scone St $134,000
- 32421 Scone St $132,000
- 35965 Scone St $124,000
- 18546 Shadyside St $129,000 *
- 34800 Standish St $62,000
- 12146 Stark Road $53,000
- 12146 Stark Road $73,000
- 8865 Stonehouse St $165,500

PLYMOUTH
- 644 Adams St $97,500
- 352 Ann Arbor Trail Ct $104,000
- 478 Arthur $145,000
- 396 Auburn Ave $150,000
- 1116 Dewey St $125,000
- 279 Irvin Ave $133,900

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP
- 46069 Concord $262,000
- 41156 Greystone BLVD $169,200
- 12369 Howland Park Dr $316,112
- 8905 Tavistock $136,000
- 11087 Terry $112,900
- 46346 Westbriar Ct $163,000
- 11308 Beech Daly Road $82,900
- 17716 Brady $65,000
- 23610 Chicago, W $84,000
- 9207 Columbia $81,000
- 18226 Dalby $60,000

REDFORD TOWNSHIP
- 9169 Baywood $156,500
- 15954 Fenton $58,800 *
- 26123 Fordson Hwy $89,900
- 9614 Garfield $86,900
- 11378 Fenton $78,000
- 18617 Glenmore $67,500
- 11347 Hazelton $55,000
- 15858 Lenore $45,000
- 25200 McNichols $135,000
- 10031 Nathaline $75,000 *
- 9901 Norborne $68,000
- 12116 Rockland $59,900
- 9595 Rockland $111,900
- 9944 Rockland $65,000

WESTLAND
- 8307 August St $77,000
- 35875 Booth St $54,500
- 7740 Carrousel St $119,000
- 36555 Deerhurst N $100,921
- 33473 Farmington Ct $99,000
- 32420 Fernwood $81,500
- 8216 Gary St $87,500
- 35561 Glen St $59,500
- 30615 Grandview St $67,000
- 27600 Mackenzie Dr $84,500
- 32631 Mackenzie Dr $81,000
- 1830 N Parent St $68,500
- 1485 Portland St $98,900
- 7830 Rivergate Road $97,400
- 1265 Selma $87,000
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- 7422 Woodview St $49,000

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SALEM! Just off Curtis Road placed among towering trees on 2.75 acres. 3 levels of extravagant living including 4 bedrooms, 3½ baths, 1st floor master suite, extensive decking, great room with a fireplace, finished walk-out lower level with a 2nd fireplace and kitchen, 1st floor laundry, formal dining room and attached 2½ car garage. $284,900 (453-8200)



PLYMOUTH! FIRST OFFERING! Just East of Beacon Hill Drive on an exceptional wooded cul-de-sac. A beautifully landscaped brick ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, an updated kitchen, family room with a fireplace, 1st floor laundry, underground sprinklers, an inviting double patio. FAULTLESSLY MAINTAINED WITH MANY REPLACEMENTS! $217,900 (453-8200)



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PLYMOUTH! FIRST OFFERING! Endless costly updates within this handsome brick Colonial in popular "WALNUT CREEK". Backing into a beautiful commons area, there are 4 bedrooms, 2½ replaced baths, extensive carpentry detailing, a new kitchen, a study, oversized family room with a fireplace, 1st floor laundry, new high-efficiency furnace, 3½ car garage, etc. $305,000 (453-8200



PLYMOUTH! A PRIZED COURT LOCATION with a premium wooded lot backing into a commons area. An original owner home with 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, formal dining room, a welcoming oak foyer, island kitchen, year-round sunroom, oversized family room with a fieldstone fireplace, a quiet library, sensationally finished basement, 3½ car garage, etc. $349,900 (453-8200)



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PLYMOUTH! ON A PRETTY TREE-LINED COURT West of Sheldon, this wonderful family-focused home boasts 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, formal dining room, 20x20 family room with a fieldstone fireplace, basement, central air and 2½ car attached garage with opener. AN INCREDIBLY BEAUTIFUL INGROUND POOL PROVIDES ENDLESS SUMMER PLEASURE. $209,900 (453-8200)



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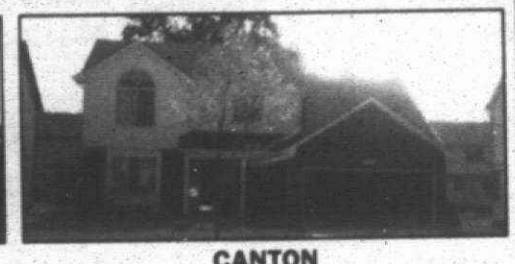
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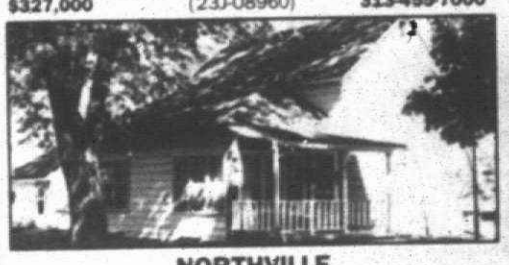
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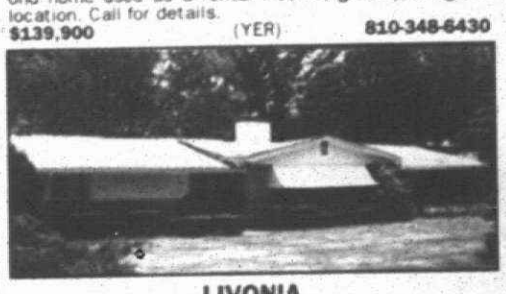
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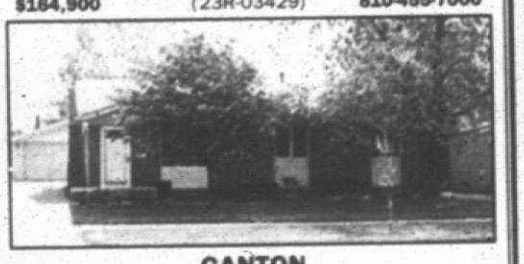
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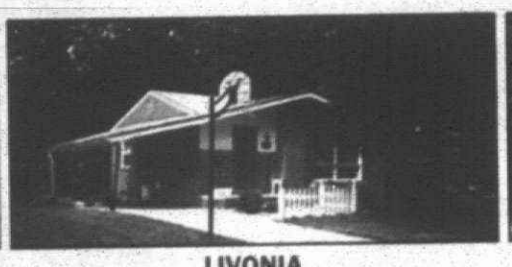
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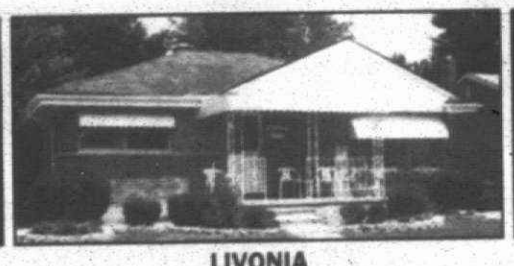
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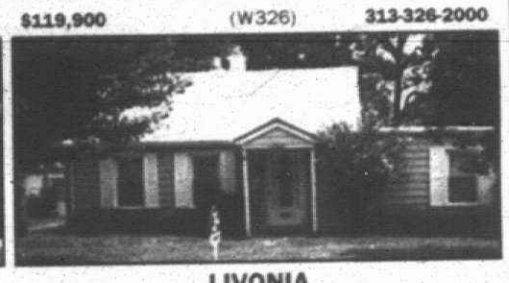
LIVONIA
LOCATION. 3 bedroom Colonial, new kitchen floor, new family room carpet & newer roof. Hardwood floors under carpet in living room & hall, fireplace in family room, basement & 2 car attached garage.
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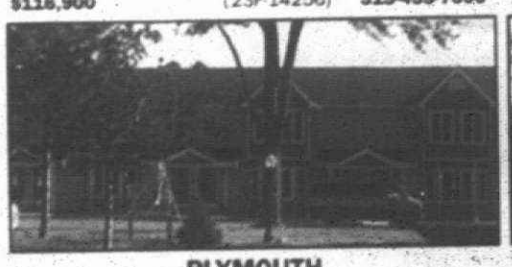
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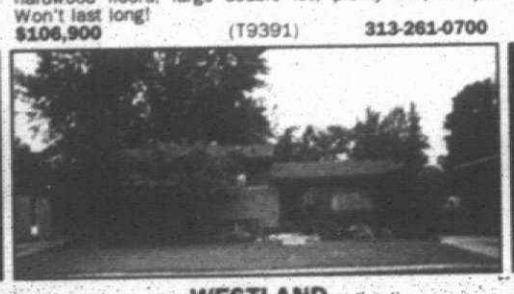
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BRICK RANCH WITH FINISHED BASEMENT. Excellent location with Livonia schools. 2 full baths, central air, hardwood floors, 1½ car detached garage.
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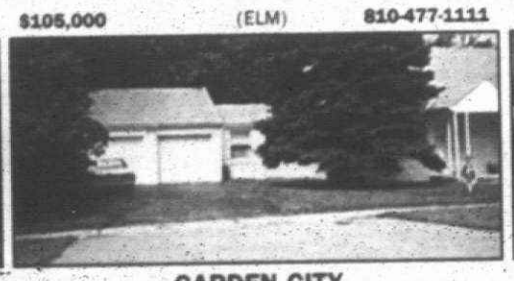
LIVONIA
LOT + LOCATION! Builders (note) can be split for 2 new homes. 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch has many updates including: kitchen, both baths, dining room & newer roof. Walk to city services.
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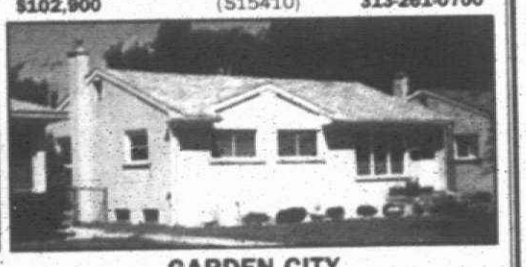
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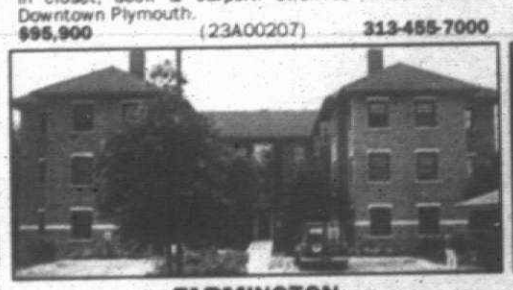
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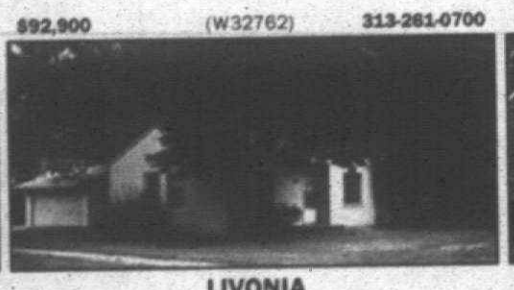
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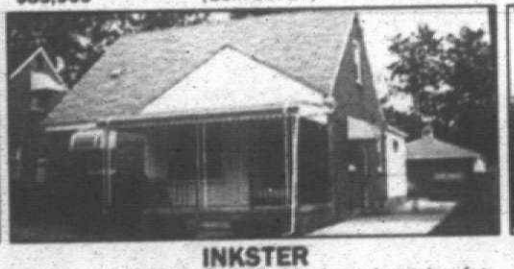
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OPHTHALMIC TECHNICIAN with some experience needed for growing ophthalmology office. Part time or full time.

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Needed in busy multi office practice with some experience in ophthalmic assisting. Must be available to work between 3 local offices. Certification would be a plus. Excellent salary with benefits open immediately to an energetic, motivated individual. Send to: 195 West Brown, Birmingham, MI., 48009

OPTICAL DISPENSER
Part time, professional office in Livonia. Please call Val (313) 427-0220

OPTICIAN DISPENSER
Experienced. Needed for fast paced Optometric Ophthalmic practice. Will work with extremely well trained staff. Excellent compensation, salaries, & hours. Choice of 5 locations. (313) 595-5660

OPTOMETRISTS
OPA certified. Full-time positions available. Doctor to work with optical dispensary, contact lens & co-management incentives plus 4 day paid bonus. Opportunity to provide security for you & your family. Excellent compensation. Call Dr. Ralph Substein (313) 366-6100. An Equal Opportunity Employer

PHARMACY HELP
Needed, part time, flexible hours. Good pay. Call Heidi or Heidi Heard (810) 356-2900

PHYSICAL THERAPIST
Part time
Southfield office
Call evenings: (810) 547-8776

PSYCHIATRIST
PART-TIME OR FULL-TIME accredited CMH agency in Canton area. Duties include: Psychiatric evaluations, medication review & treatment team leadership.

EMPLOYMENT

512 Help Wanted-Sales

ROUTE SALES
No experience necessary, will train.
Great pay, company vehicle, benefits, advancement, casual dress. 313-207-0783

Sales Administrator
Industrial manufacturer since 1946 requires minimum 5 years experience. Process orders, work with outside sales. Full benefits + bonus. Resume.
S. Gaconnet, Wall Colmonoy
1960 Stephenson Hwy
Madison Hts, MI 48071
(810) 585-6400

SALES - AND
You're invited to attend an OPPORTUNITY SEMINAR
AG Life Insurance Company is looking for professional Sales Representatives, individuals with an entrepreneurial spirit who want to control their own destiny without any caps at all on their earning potential. We offer comprehensive training, company assistance, competitive products and compensation, office space, benefits & financing for those who qualify. To register to attend, think Sept. 20 at the Clarion Hotel in Farmington from either noon-1pm, or 5:45-6:45pm. To reserve call our Sales Agency Manager Jeffery R. Levine, LIC. #
810-932-8500

SALES ASSISTANT
IDE Systems, a leader in the computer leasing, networking & telecommunications industry, has an immediate opening for a Sales Assistant's assistance at its corporate headquarters in Troy, MI. This position is available:
- Supporting the efforts of an account manager in order placement.
- Tracking of computer related orders.
- Working closely with account manager & O/E systems.

The ideal candidate will have good interpersonal skills, attention to detail, ability to multitask & related job experience. Please send or fax resume & salary requirements to:
O/E Systems, Inc.
3290 W. Big Beaver
Troy, MI 48084
Fax: 810-614-4181
Attn: Vice President of Sales

SALES - AUTOMOTIVE
MOTOR OILS - LUBE PRODUCTS
Large multi-line oil distributor is seeking an aggressive person to service outside sales in our Detroit market. Outside sales experience a must. Salary plus commissions, company car furnished along with an excellent benefit package. Send resume with cover letter to Sales Manager #1
PO Box 3298, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-3298.

SALES COORDINATOR
We're AMPRE, Inc. the nation's largest operator of home improvement Products. We offer:
- Medical, Dental
- Disability and Life insurance provided.
- 401K retirement plan
- Stability
- $8-$9/hour

The ideal candidate will possess the following:
- Accurate 40 wpm
- 1-2 years office experience
- Customer oriented
- General computer knowledge
- Good organizational skills
- Self starter

If you possess these skills and are seeking a career opportunity call Teri Sullivan to arrange an interview appointment.

13115 Waco Drive
Livonia, MI 48150
(313) 953-2679
FAX: (313) 953-2679

AMPRE
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

SALES
Do you know how much you're worth?
Maybe it's time you found out! We are looking for a few good men to Come to the Mortgage Banking Career Seminar on Thursday, Sept. 21 at 7 p.m. sponsored by Source One Mortgage Services. Located at 27780 Farmington Road in Farmington Hills.

As a mortgage professional you'll have the opportunity to control your own destiny! Prior sales experience is desired but not necessary. Source One will train you in-house. And if you join our sales team we'll provide you with an outstanding compensation and benefits package. Why not do it today? Seating is limited, so call Source One at 489-7140 to reserve your place.

SOURCE ONE MORTGAGE SERVICES CORPORATION
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

SALES
Want a fun, exciting job? Flexible hours, commission, benefits? Call Linda Lenhart, Manager at 462-0333. Ext. 1
Call: (810) 788-7871

SALES
Wurtsboro Corporate Furniture is seeking an experienced sales person to service our existing accounts. Must have 5 years selling experience, be self motivated, have excellent organizational and communication skills. Please call Linda Lenhart, at 313-613-6444

SALES
$20,000 to $35,000/yr.
Base + Commission + Benefits
AT&T/SDN Reseller
Great Opportunity for Advancement
Call Ms. Winters
"Interview This Week"
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TFG
THE FURST GROUP
17117 W. 9 Mile Road
Southfield, MI 48075

SALES HOSTESSES
PART-TIME
Sales model in Canton, 4 Days/week, 12-6pm, including Sat. & Sun. Pay negotiable, friendly staff. Call Terri at 313-495-1577

SALES
In need of many aggressive people to sell Motorola commercial two-way radios. Complete training. Great opportunity for right person. Call for more information (810) 516-6666

512 Help Wanted-Sales

SALES
LEADING line of automotive supplier to the international automotive market expanded in Farmington Hills is seeking experienced individuals for the following positions.

★SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Five years sales experience in a sales environment with above normal income. Automotive experience preferred. Must be pro-active, have this ability to handle multiple customers and strong organizational skills. Computer literacy is a must.

★SALES COORDINATOR
Associates degree with 3+ years experience within a sales environment. Must have excellent computer skills, normal written & oral communication skills. Must be pro-active, have the ability to handle multi tasks and have strong organizational skills. Computer literacy is a must.

★SALES SECRETARY
Three years years experience in a sales environment with a working knowledge of general office equipment. Must have excellent written & oral communication skills, ability to file and organize information as well as strong data entry skills. Must be typing 50-60 WPM. EOE experience a plus.

Company offers a competitive salary and benefit package. All interested parties should submit a resume to the following address:

S.B. Weaver
Observer & Eccentric Newspapers
36251 Schoolcraft Rd.
Livonia, MI 48150

SALES/PART TIME
Busy Goodyear Store, Downtown Livonia location. Experience only. Call Mon.-Fri. 9am-5pm. Mon.-Fri. Sat. 8am-5pm $6/hr. plus commission + benefits.
MARCH TIRE
33014 Grand River
Farmington, (810)477-0870

SALES. Part-time evenings & weekends. Excellent Gift Depot. Will train. Call Sandy, (810) 855-1600

SALESPEOPLE
Are you a people person? At Belvedere are making big changes & we can prove it. We need a few good salespeople to work in our new showroom. Be a part of our family. Our name & reputation are your best asset. Unlimited earning pay for you to do!
BELVEDERE CONCEPTS
810-557-1000 Mr. Lee

SALESPERSON
FOR Watch & Jewelry repairs dept. several locations available. Will train. 313-730-2801

SALES PERSON (Wanted) for medical staffing company working with hospitals in the metro area. Salary + $20,000-year plus commission/ bonuses. Must be 20-30 years old. Call for Tom. (810) 553-7500

SALES POSITION available for leading international industrial lubricant co. in S.E. Michigan. Salary plus commission and bonuses. Excellent commission potential. Benefits include company car, 401(k) & pension plan. Please send resume to Human Resources, P.O. 17191 Dryden Freeway, Detroit, MI 48235. Attn: Robert Cassidy

TELEMARKETING
NEED full and part time to work evenings. FOR SELF-DIRECTED INDIVIDUALS WHO WANT UNLIMITED EARNING POTENTIAL WITH AN INDUSTRY LEADER. TRAINING AVAILABLE. FLEXIBLE HOURS.
CALL BARB, 810-356-7370

SEMI CONDUCTOR
COMPONENT SALES REP
Looking for an experienced Sales Rep to handle accounts with experience & ability to design in & book orders. Call: (810) 442-9880

SENIOR SALES REPRESENTATIVE
A leader in the automotive OEM industry is seeking an aggressive, achievement driven individual to perform field promotional work to sell and develop new business and manage communications aspects of automotive OEM accounts. Position responsibilities are to develop and sell applications of the company and providing technical assistance. This is a salaried, exempt position with a college degree in engineering or marketing and a minimum of 5 years experience in automotive, sales or related field. Prior automotive OE sales experience highly preferred. Individual must be organized, self motivated, have the ability to travel, relocate and work independently. Salary commensurate with experience. Send resume and salary requirements to:
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SALES
REAL ESTATE
Broker/Manager/Partner

Dynamic real estate company looking for top producer with marketing manager with future ownership position available with investment required. Call 8am-3pm ask for Jim
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"To promote Upscale Imported Furniture to Mid-Michigan & KY to the A & D trade. Must be independently organized, a self starter, and have a professional. Knowledge of Interior Design or engineering a plus. Includes base salary, commission and benefits package. Send resume to:
P.O. Box 837, Royal Oak, MI
48068-0837 or FAX to: 313-963-2679
FAX: (313) 963-2679

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Searching for a better opportunity? Better not miss this! PageNet, the nations largest paging company, wireless communications company is seeking a high energy individual to join our professional sales organization in our Farmington Hills location. Qualified candidates will be self motivated, possess excellent written & oral communication skills, ability to file and organize information as well as strong data entry skills. Must be typing 50-60 WPM. EOE experience a plus.

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SALES Trainees
$28-$32K
MINIMUM FIRST YEAR
NO COLD CALLING
Metropolitan Detroit's fastest growing 5 & 20+ year old Northville location is looking for aggressive, self motivated to handle company furnished appointments/accounts. Hiring will be based on your ability to learn our unique service. Intensive training program and will be provided. Outstanding Account Executive.
Call Advancement
• Benefits, 401k, etc
• Company sponsored competitive packages
• Bonuses
• Extensive incentive programs
If you are aggressive, personable and possess a strong work ethic, Call Mr Sparks
(313) 591-9320 (800) 521-9320
Equal opportunity employer

520 Help Wanted-Part-Time

ACCOUNTANT
PART OF NOW!
Individual needed to perform general accounting duties in the Finance Department. Must have 2 years experience in employee benefits or accounting duties in the Finance Department. Must have excellent written & verbal skills, a flexible schedule, and be detail oriented. Send resume to: Personnel Department for an application. Mail to: Personnel, P.O. Box 758, Mt. Ten Mile, MI 48376-0758 Fax: 810-347-0452 ASAP

AMERICAN CANCER society seeks part time help for telephone pledge drive. Evenings, Mon.-Fri. Call Sharon Gordon city office. (313) 425-5545

ASSISTANT SWIMMING COACH YMCA Farmington Hills. Apply at 28100 Farmington Rd. at 12 Mile.

AUTOMOBILE CLEANER and Office Assistant at car rental business in Detroit Metro Airport area. $6.50 an hour. Call (313) 595-5147

AUTO SERVICE PORTER
Full or part time position.
Students & retirees welcome.
Call (313) 477-0911

BOOKSTORE CLERK - Wanted someone who loves to read, knows alphabet, can handle simple computer functions. Call Sandy (313) 595-7996

CARING PERSON to assist senior citizen. Mon.-Fri. 8:30am-3:30pm, Apply: 39500 Ann Arbor Trail in Dearborn Heights. No calls please.

CHILD CARE CENTER, Weekend, with Toddlers & Preschoolers. Apt. in Plymouth. (313) 459-2665

MARKET PLACE

704 Arts & Crafts

ANNUAL CRAFT SALE
Livonia, Elks
Sept. 15 & 16
Application & Info 313-261-1696

COUNTER FLOOR Orig spin wash
Sept. 15 & 16 313-645-5802

CRAFT BAZAAR
dates available for Fall craft bazaar
at Plymouth Elks. Plymouth Rd.
details call 313-455-3983

CRAFTERS NEEDED for Craft Show
Now for Nov. 10th Call 313-427-4607
Spring 1996 at Cherry Hill Mall

CRAFTERS NEEDED for Craft
Show Nov. 4 Christ Our Savior
Lutheran Church
313) 42-5848

CRAFTERS WANTED FOR
Sept. 16th Free Preschool
Craft Show. Call 313-455-2742

CRAFTERS WANTED
Showcase Craft Show, Holiday Happening
Sept. 16 at Northville Elks Lodge
313-464-1744

CRAFT SHOW
Home Spun Sunday, Sept. 17th
Livonia Holy Redeemer Parish
313) 261-6129

CRAFT Show Sponsored Orchard
Lake St. Mary's Church, 05-23
Craft Fair Call Johnston Craft
313-681-2255 for Info

CRAFT Show
Sponsored Methodist Church
Fall Festive Craft Show
8/3 & 4 Mile And Merriman
Area Crafts, Food
Call 313-591-0660

TABLES AVAILABLE
Craft Show Sept. 16
313) 261-6960 313) 729-1567

706 Auction Sales

AUCTION ANTIQUE and collectibles
Sept. 16th 10am 32525 Palmer Rd.
Westland, 1 block West of Merriman
Furniture, glassware, collectibles, tools
Auction Accounts welcome
Auctioneer Ron Bonnell
313-981-1444 MAC #1697

AUCTION! AUCTION!
AUTO AUCTION
Monroe, MI 1-800-886-8998
Sept. 16, 1995
Vehicles are 1 year old or less
Or Salvage. Many cars trucks & 4
wheel drives from Government
or Salvage Auction Base. Absolute
cars to be sold 5:30PM SHARP

Many Late Model lease vehicles to be
sold at auction

AUCTION HOTLINE. Public welcome. Buy cars, boats, snowmobiles or much, much more. 24 hrs. 1-800-615-1615.

BIDS FOR KIDS AUCTION
Sat. Sept. 16 9:30AM
To benefit 3 children's charities.
MACK, Developmental Center, Children's Village, Country Dreams
Attending: BBC buffet & many items
donated by area businesses. Auction
items, tickets to events, Fashion Team,
Wall Street Ladies, Limited Section
Fri. 22 Jeep Cherokee Laredo
Tickets $25 each Call Mon.-
Fri. 9:30-5:30 313-261-1696

PUBLIC AUCTION
WAYNE, MI.
Sat. Sept. 16, 1995 1PM Sharp
30-28 W. Michigan & Wayne
Directions: Michigan & Hyslop
approx. 2½ miles E. of
Wayne Co. Airport
Parking in rear and across Michigan
Ave. Public welcome
Viewing Sat. Noon Until Auction

Antiques, Collectibles, Cookie Jar
Collectibles, Toys, Planters, Pepsi &
Coke Items, Salt Collection, Table & 4
lamps, Victorian Sofa, Victorian
Parlor roll top desk, nice 2 piece bed-
room set, radios, toys, fishing rods,
R.S. Prussia items, Hummel items,
trees, 2 dining room sets, hall tree,
lots of china including Haviland
table with benches, glass & misc. set
& pepper collection
Something for Everyone

SANDERS AUCTION GALLERY
Garland, MI 517-642-8455
MI. APR. AIR CONDITIONED

RESTAURANT equipment Refrigerator
also mixers, tables, chairs, shelves,
ice machine, 2 door cooler + refrigerator
warmer, decor, Tech 18-18, Item
94-31 94-36 Whitmore Lk. 54 off
I-23 (313)449-9040

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PUBLIC & DEALERS
WELCOME

Mon. & Thurs Evenings 6pm
Fleet, Dealer, Consignment
Repos, New Car Trade-ins
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Prompt Service
Pick-up & Delivery Available
24 yrs. Automotive Experience
Ted Wagner
Canton, MI.
Phone: 313-981-6998
FAX: 313-981-2603

708 Rummage Sale/ Flea-Markets

RUMMAGE SALE Bikes, household
items, gifts, & boys clothes (10-12).
Sept. 16 & 17, 8 AM - 4 PM
29154 Meadowbrook, Livonia

ST. MAURICE CHURCH
Rummage Sale
East of Farmington Rd. Livonia
Thurs. Sept. 14 9am-7pm
Bag Sale on Friday

710 Estate Sales

ANNOUNCING
Several (even Estate Sales)
Saturday Please call the shop for
particulars
Some of the highlights are Steuben
Lalique, Baccarat, Hummel, Herend,
Limoges, Art Nouveau, Art Deco,
Antique Jewelry, Sterling, Cut Crystal,
Oriental Rugs, Fine Furniture, etc.
CHOCOLATE MOLD ST.
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FRENCH ART CI917. BRANCH
WATER CLOCK 1917. ART
NOUVEAU MR. BULL IN A CHINA
SHOP1910. ROBERTA LAUFER
ART DECO 1930's. TOILET
MORE MID SILVER. CRYSTAL
BUTTERFLY. FIN. 1 OF A KIND
ENGLISH FOLD ART CARVING
& BUTTERFLY. ROSEVILLE
BOWLER RINDGE NH. ICE BOX
Hand Engraved Sterling Flatware
VG ENGLISH POTTERY. HISTOR
CAL FLASKS. STAFFORDSHIRE
ANIMALS & FIGURES including
Dogs, Lions, Cats, Horses, Birds,
STONE STAFFORDSHIRE
ANIMALS & FIGURES including
Dogs, Lions, Cats, Horses, Birds,
PLUS LINE & LACE WORK. FARM
TERY SELECTION MENTON
ART DECO MAJOLICA. ENTER
CENTERPIECE with 3 figures &
VASE(1926 REGINA BOWL
(1926) ART GLASS. ART DECO
EL. POUCH DRESS FOR
MATERNITY. FINE CRYSTAL
TOYS. GRIEGGS ANTIQUES CIN
CINNATI. MANTELS. CHIMNEY
PIECES. LARGE SELECTION OF
SPORTS large table with period
clothing. Extensive Annual
KANSAS EASTLAURORA NY
GLASS RESTAURANT WARE
Lenox, Limoges, pottery and porce-
lain repair. LEE & LARRY LACQUE
Folding SAMPLERS & COVER
NAVAJO & AMERICAN INDIAN
JEWELRY. SEWING MACHINES
OF YESTERYEAR MCCAYSVILLE
Hand Painted Porcelain Plaques
FIREPLACE MANTELS TIMOTHY
MARRIED 1ST HARDWOOD CANE
SEATS. TEXTILES. TABLE CLOTH
ROPE BED mid 1800's rare small
size Antique Oriental Rugs. ROLL
DESK with bookcase above Tiger
Oak. Extensive Selection of Fine
CHERRY signed A.L. ROMEROY
MARTIN. SAUNE. MUSIC CENTURY
STORE DISPLAY CASES FROM
1800's. Large Selection of Fine
CANDY EQUIPMENT including
Glass Jars, Scales, Candy Cane
CREAM HARD CANDY METHODS
Extensive Selection of Fine
EASTON MD. 18 & 19th PAINT
ING & PRINTS. Large APPLIAN
FURNITURE & ACCESSORIES
MARGARET E. MORRISON Extensive
EPHEMERA & PHOTO
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BUEHL. ESTATE French style
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Mission Oak. BUOYAGE. RABBI
ANTIQUE. Extensive Selection of
Fine ANTIQUE & MODERN
SILVERWARE. Extensive Selection
of

MARKET PLACE

784 Dogs

BOXER PUPS male / female 8 wks. old (810) 359-3614

BRITTANY PUPPY 12 weeks old AKC 1st shots $300 (313) 535-4800

CHINESE SHAR-PEI 2 Females 4wks AKC Dew Claws 1st shots $300 (313) 261-3452

COCK A POO females 3 yrs old gentle loving used to owning home (810) 634-7782

COCKER SPANIEL buff color female AKC 2 yrs old, very gentle, well behaved, spayed, current shots (313) 937-5902

COCKER SPANIEL, Soft color, female, beautiful female spaniel 4 weeks on March 4 Price $250 (313) 320-2626

GOLDEN RETRIEVER puppies, AKC shots, health guaranteed, ready to go (810) 724-1247

GREAT PYRENEES puppies, registered, parents on farm, family pets (517) 592-3723

GUARANTEED PUPPIES, 2 females, 1 male, 3 weeks old, $150 (313) 535-9715

Male 1 yr. old, $150 (313) 455-2636

784 Dogs

DOBERMAN AKC Large bone Excellent temperment 1st 7 weeks old $350 (313) 535-8203

ENGLISH BULLDOGS puppies and adults for sale Champion lines Call (810) 437-1890

FEMALE Unique chocolate color 50% AKC 50% Great Pyr Rott Needs good home (313) 207-4406

GERMAN SHEPHERD white 8 weeks Black female yellow male Champion bloodline (313) 981-7305

LABRADOR PUPPIES AKC & OSA 9 weeks Black female yellow male Champion bloodline (313) 981-7305

LABRADOR PUPS Chocolate AKC OFA, FC AFC Champion breeding Temperament, unrelated 1st shots, health guaranteed (313) 429-7073

LABRADOR RETRIEVER puppies AKC, Ch. sired, certd. 12 wks. old $300 (313) 453-8646

PEKINGESE MALE puppy for details call Michelle with Shi Tzu Rescue (810) 478-2649

PEKINGESE 2 year old male, will settle to spayed home $250 or best (313) 838-3763

SHIH TZU PUPS AKC shots males females Visa/Mastercard (313) 453-4295 or 313-459-3784

SIBERIAN HUSKEY purebred, female 2 months old, 1st shots, great with kids, friends good home Call after 5pm (313) 467-8032

SIBERIAN HUSKY, Papers, male, 2 years old, trained, $200, Owner relocating, (810) 414-3224

784 Dogs

KEESHOND PUPPIES, AKC shots, vet checked, guaranteed, $375 (313) 535-4800

LAB PUPPIES chocolate (7 19-95) Shots, AKC Registered $425 (810) 948-8866

LAB PUPS AKC Chocolate 10 wks Shots, Wormed, Southfield area (313) 569-3933

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POODLE Standard Male Cream, AKC champion bloodline, show quality, Excellent health 15 wks, with all accessories 810-542-6396

SAMOYED 6 mos old, male, AKC vet checked, reasonable Call even for leave message (313) 513-6937

SCHNAUZER pups AKC shots, wormed Salt & pepper males $300, All black males $325 810-473-5857

SHEPHERD-ROTTWEILER male, 1½ yrs. old, needs a good home good with kids (313) 522-7713

SHIH TZU Dalmation puppies, if your looking for something unique, this is it! These pups look like super tiny Dalmations $200 810-685-2304

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TOY POODLE apricot, male, 6 weeks, AKC papers $250 313-532-7666

WHIPPET PUPPIES AKC, whelped 5-9-95, shots, Champion lines, wonderful companions, 810-781-6837

WIRE FOX TERRIERS AKC, beautiful brand new litter $300 (313) 634-6833

YELLOW LABRADOR RETRIEVER puppie AKC, shots & dew claws $400 810-549-1936

YORKIE PUPPIES $350, Guaranteed healthy Call (810) 545-4966 or (810) 545-8187

785 Farm Animals/ Livestock

BEEFALO Feeder Calves $350 & Ask for Bob (810)229-2000 Eves (517)625-3963

786 Horses & Equipment

ASHAM HORSE SHOW Sept. 21-24, 1995 Michigan State Fairgrounds Multi Breed Horse Show For information call (313) 365-7511

DRESSING ROOM trailer, 1995, extra tall with ramp Reduced! Also, stock trail (313)481-1444

HORSE for lease, good up to trails indoor/outdoor arena at farm. South Lyon/Northville area. Leave message (313)530-3282

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REGISTERED TENNESSEE Walker gelding, 8 year old. Rides English, western & driven. Excellent trail horse. $2000/best (810) 340-5382

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THOROUGHBRED 1988 Bay Mare Excellent conformation. Very fit & athletic. Excellent Dressage prospects. $2000/best. (810) 486-4153, eves

786 Horses & Equipment

THOROUGHBRED gelding - 9 years. Excellent disposition & pleasure horse. $1500/best 313-455-4946

787 Horse Boarding/ Commercial

SOUTH LYON BOARDING Daily turnout, indoor arena (180x180), heated observation room, quality feed, lessons in training & hunt seat, hunter/jumper & dressage $225 month. (810) 486-7433

788 Household Pets-Other

★ADOPT A PET★ M.A.A.N. Sat. Sept. 16, 11am-2pm/ at "Pet Supplies Plus", in Waterford. For more information call (800) 990-4343

ADOPT A PET Sat. Sept. 16, 11am-5pm Pet Supermarket 30943 Five Mile Rd, Livonia In association with Michigan Society. For more information call (313) 422-9340

788 Household Pets-Other

AFRICAN GRAY & Senegal babies, Peachfront Conures, variety of Bourkes, Indian Ringnecks, Cockatiels, many more available (810) 693-1387 or 628-3587

BABY COCKATIELS, hand-fed, hand tame, born mother's day, (313) 581-6426

BIRD SHOW

RAMADA INN, METRO AIRPORT Sept. 16, 10AM-4PM Public Welcome Admission $2 For information (313) 386-9605

FERRETS, 3 for sale, to good home, cage included. (313) 240-6527

3 RABBITS Mini-Rex, 2 Dutch, wood homemade hutch, feeders, water bottles, best offer Call Kim (313) 416-1757

CLEAN OUT The Attic, Clean The Garage, Have A Sale! Call 313-591-0900

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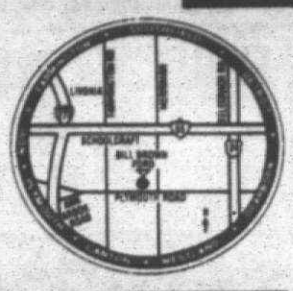
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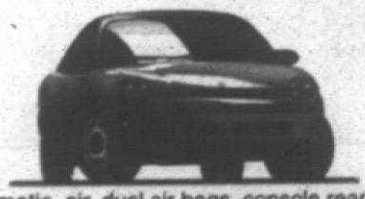
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SALE PRICE.....$17,322*
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WAS.....$13,855
SALE PRICE.....$11,997*
*24 MO. LEASE $219***
with 10% of MSRP down

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WAS.....$25,812
SALE PRICE.....$18,977*

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Automatic, V-6, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, cassette, bedliner
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WAS.....$21,257
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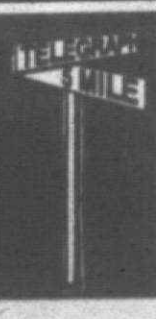
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$13,395

36 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
	$208*/MO.	$192*/MO.	$160*/MO.	$96*/MO.

NEW 1995 GMC ¾ TON HOLIDAY COACH CONVERSION VAN



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Air conditioning, automatic overdrive transmission, power windows, power locks, tilt, cruise, electric mirrors, rally wheels, air bag, anti-lock brakes, reclining captain chairs, running boards, AM/FM stereo cassette, accent stripes, wood trim and much, much more. Stock #529455.

15,000 MILES PER YEAR

48 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
	$317*/MO.	$304*/MO.	$278*/MO.	$227*/MO.

GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $916.80

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NEW 1995 GMC SIERRA ½ TON PICKUP

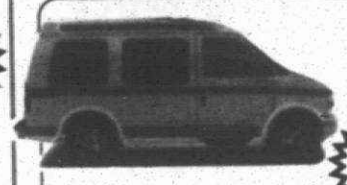
ANTI-LOCK BRAKES · AIR BAG

6100 GVW, AM/FM cassette, anti-lock brakes, air bag, power steering, power brakes, delay wipers, gauges, cloth seats, rear step bumper, wheel trim rings. Stock #538006.



$13,295 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $693.65

NEW 1995 GMC STARCRAFT SAFARI XT RAISED ROOF CONVERSION VAN



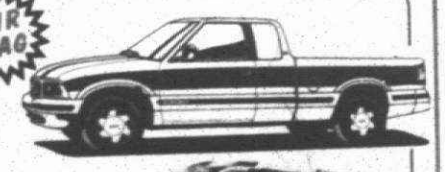
ANTI-LOCK BRAKES · AIR BAG

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$20,995 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $1066.80

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AIR BAG



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$12,795 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $707.90

NEW 1995 GMC ¾ TON RAISED ROOF STARCRAFT CONVERSION VAN

ANTI-LOCK BRAKES · AIR BAG



Front and rear air and heat, auto overdrive transmission, 350 V8, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, rally wheels, color TV, videocassette player, window shades, power mirror & antenna, stereo cassette with equalizer, clock, deep tinted glass, heavy duty cooling, power sofa, anit-lock brakes, air bag & more. Stock #520973.

$25,995

24 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
	$499*/MO.	$476*/MO.	$431*/MO.	$340*/MO.

15,000 MILES PER YEAR

15,000 MILES PER YEAR

ANTI-LOCK BRAKES · DUAL AIR BAGS

NEW 1995 GRAND PRIX SE 2 DR. COUPE



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36 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
	$303*/MO.	$287*/MO.	$255*/MO.	$191*/MO.

$16,895 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $891.70

15,000 MILES PER YEAR

NEW 1996 SUNFIRE SE 4 DOOR SEDAN with AIR CONDITIONING & AUTOMATIC

DUAL AIR BAGS · ANTI-LOCK BRAKES



Dual air bags, anti-lock brakes, power steering and brakes, AM/FM stereo cassette with clock, tinted glass, bucket seats with console, rear window defogger, sport mirrors, floor mats, 36 month/36,000 mile bumper to bumper warranty, 24 hour roadside assistance. Stock #500162.

ANTI-LOCK BRAKES **$13,295** GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $669.25

NEW 1995 BONNEVILLE SE

Air, 3800 V6, automatic overdrive transmission, dual airbags, anti-lock brakes, AM/FM Stereo with clock, tilt, rear defrost, power windows, power locks, B.S. moldings, tinted glass, split bench seat, sport mirrors, custom wheel covers, 36 month/36,000 mile bumper to bumper warranty, 24 hour roadside assistance. Stock #202903.

DUAL AIR BAGS · ANTI-LOCK BRAKES



$17,995 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $1058.45

36 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
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AIR BAG · ANTI-LOCK BRAKES



$17,995 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $1021.85

36 MO. SMART LEASE SPECIALS	$500 DOWN	$1000 DOWN	$2000 DOWN	$4000 DOWN
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NEW 1995 FIREBIRD WITH AIR CONDITIONING and AUTOMATIC

DUAL AIR BAGS · ANTI-LOCK BRAKES



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$15,995 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $852.70

NEW 1995 FIREBIRD FORMULA CONVERTIBLE WITH AIR CONDITIONING and AUTOMATIC

ANTI-LOCK BRAKES



Air conditioning, automatic overdrive transmission, V8, tilt, cruise, power steering, power brakes, gauges with tachometer, anti-lock brakes, dual air bags, traction control, floor mats, bodyside moldings, spoiler, aluminum wheels, AM/FM stereo cassette with equalizer and steering wheel controls, 6-speaker sound system, power antenna, buckets with console, PASS-key theft deterrent, tinted glass, power windows, power locks, rear window defogger, 36 month/36,000 mile bumper to bumper warranty, 24 hour roadside assistance. Stock #238981.

$23,995 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $1369.35

NEW 1995 GMC VANDURA ¾ TON WORK VAN with AIR CONDITIONING

ANTI-LOCK BRAKES · AIR BAG

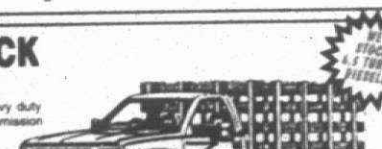


Air, automatic overdrive transmission, rear door glass, 33 gallon tank, auxiliary lighting, heavy duty cooling, air bag, anti-lock brakes, AM/FM stereo with clock, full size spare, power steering and brakes. Stock #517592.

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AIR CONDITIONING · **$19,995** GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $994.61

NEW 1995 SIERRA DUMP TRUCK

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$21,495 GM Option Buyer Subtract Additional $894.85

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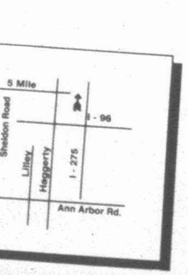
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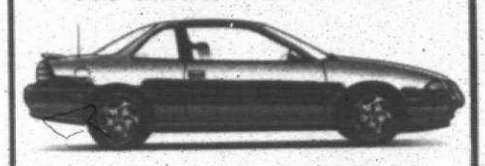


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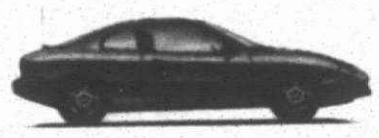
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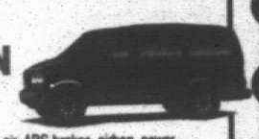


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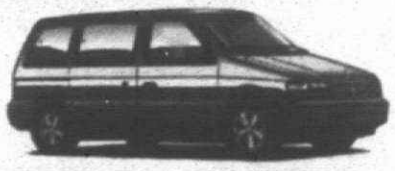
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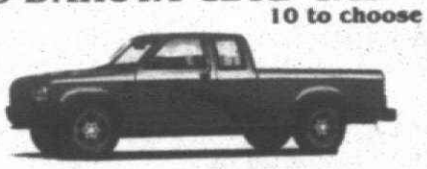
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Modern camping: *Camping has taken on a different look in the '90s as the traditional ways have steadily given way to luxury found inside Pop Up Campers and recreational vehicles. Campers continue to frequent state parks, but have recently branched out to experience the offerings provided at camp resorts.*

Camping catches up with 1990's lifestyle

BY JIM TOTH
STAFF WRITER

Look up camping in the dictionary and you will find it defined as living in a camp without conveniences or comforts. The time has come to redefine that meaning to fit the lifestyles of the 90s.

The days of rustic camping — often described as "roughing it" due to such strenuous activities as pounding stakes and searching for that much needed can of "Off" — have taken a back seat to many of the comforts of home found inside the likes of Pop-Up Tent Campers and various types of recreation vehicles.

"It's the 90s, and just like in other areas of life, people are pressed for time," said Bill Sheffer, director for the Michigan Association of Recreational Vehicles and Campgrounds (MARVAC). "We are seeing more and more people getting back to the family types of situations. The family is moving back as a unit."

And that "moving" Sheffer is refering to is being done much more frequently by a variety of campers and RVs. According to recent surveys, more than nine million RVs make their way across the nation's roads with another estimated 100,000 joining the ranks each year.

The typical RV owner, usually ranging in age from 35 to 54, can trace his or her outdoor experience to camping in tents. As families continued to grow, investments turned from tents and travel trailers to motorhomes and luxury travel trailers.

The advantages of camping via RV's or truck campers are numerous. Beginning with plush interiors, manufacturers have added such amenities like the refrigerator, stove, sink and toilet. Thus, many owners depend on their RVs year round and not solely for camping.

"We are seeing RVs being used a lot more for day trips," Sheffer said. "People are making a day of it, going to such places as Frankenmuth, Chesaning or the outlet malls in Birch Run. Also younger families are getting more involved with camping, acquiring pop up tent campers, which are as good an entry level vehicle as any when it comes to providing comfortability."

Campers — who, incidentally, rank second in vacation activity popularity behind hikers, according to the U.S. Travel Data Center — continue to frequent state parks, but recently have branched out to experience the offerings provided by camp resorts.

"Some camp grounds have turned into resorts where they offer more family activities," Sheffer said. "Many of the places usually hold hayrides or a pancake breakfast, while others have expanded to accommodate the newer and bigger units."

According to Sheffer, 1994 was "an excellent year" for the travel industry. Fuel prices often play a vital role in the rise or fall of RVs use and "when times are good, this industry fires up," Sheffer said. "So far 1995 has been good."

Camping opportunities plentiful in Michigan

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

CAMPING

Tired of the same-old household chores and the monotnous nine-to-five work days? Looking for a chance to escape the city in a cost effective way?

If you answered "yes" to both of these questions, a weekend of camping may be just the medicine you need.

And by living in Michigan, the choices of where to camp are abundant. Michigan offers 96 state parks and many more campgrounds operated by the various counties.

Plus, there isn't a need to drive hours north, since there are numerous camping opportunities around the southeastern Michigan area.

The closest state-owned campsite is Maybury State Park in Northville (810-349-8390). The park is located at Beck Road and Eight Mile Road, about five miles west of I-275.

The park contains almost 1,000 acres of gently rolling terrain, open meadow, mature forest, and a variety of wildlife and wildflowers. The park also includes four miles of paved bicycle paths, six miles of hiking trails and 11 miles of horseback riding trails (horse stable is open 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.).

The Maybury Farm provides opportunities for families and groups to learn about early farming practices and farm animals. The farm is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day.

Another close state park is the 19,962-acre Waterloo Recreation Area in Chelsea, which includes some hunting and fishing (bass, panfish and pike) opportunites as well as swimming, horse riding and a Geology Center.

Waterloo's Geology Center introduces visitors to Michigan's rocks, minerals, fossils, crystals, glacial information and stories of mining from prehistoric times to the present.

Other state parks relatively close include: Brighton Recreation Area in Howell, Highland Recreation Area and Proud Lake Recreation Area in Milford, Holly Recreation Area, Island Lake Recreation Area in Brighton, Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford, Pinckney Recreation Area, and Ortonville Recreation Area.

The closest Oakland County Park is Addison Oaks near Oxford (810-693-2432). The 794-acre park is open every day through Oct. 28.

Addison Oaks offers various types of camping options, from semi-furnished cabins to traditional camping. Mountain bike and hiking trails are available, as well as fishing.

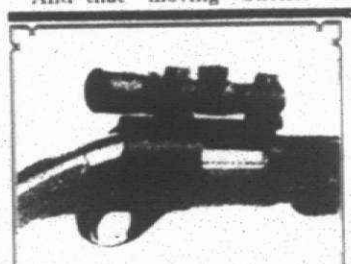
And for a change, the park offers a disc (frisbee) golf course. Campers can rent equipment and play this unique sport on an 18-hole course.

Most campgrounds feature electrical hookups, modern toilet building and showers, playgrounds and other accessible facilities. Mini-cabins, which are furnished with electricity and bunk beds, are available at many of the camp sites.

For those who may want to try something different this year, many campgrounds rent replicas of Native American teepees.

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Michigan hunters will find wild game abundant

By Bill Parker
Staff Writer

The arrival of shorter days and cooler temperatures signals the approach of autumn and the start of Michigan's fall hunting seasons.

Overall, the picture looks bright for Michigan hunters with stable or increasing populations among most species, with the exception of pheasants, grouse and quail. Pheasant, grouse and quail numbers continue to remain on the low side. In fact, quail numbers are so low the DNR has cancelled the season for the second year in a row.

Big game, such as deer, bear and elk are thriving and the '95 hunts should be exceptional. Duck and goose numbers are also on the rise, so look for increased numbers of waterfowl migrating through the state.

Following is a brief look at each species and the outlook for the upcoming season:

BEAR

Season: Sept. 10-Oct 26. Hunting is allowed in designated management areas by permit only.

Bag limit: One bear per licensed hunter. It is illegal to shoot cubs.

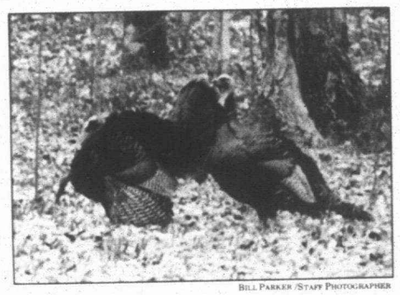
Overview: The bear population in the state is thriving with between 8,000 and 10,000 bears making their home in Michigan. The majority of the bears live in the Upper Peninsula, with approximately 10-percent roaming the swamps and forests of the northern Lower Peninsula.

Licenses are issued through a lottery-style drawing. Last year, 5,096 permits were issued from 19,628 applicants. This year, 5,592 permits have been issued and there were better than 25,000 applications.

"Hunters can expect another outstanding bear hunting season," said DNR bear specialist Tim Reis. "All our field information confirms the bear population is in good shape. There are a lot of bear in the UP, particularly at the western end, and the northern lower looks pretty good as well. It should be a pretty productive year."

Successful hunters are required to have the bear sealed within 72 hours after the time of harvest.

Baiting (76-percent) and hunting behind hounds (20-percent) account for 96-percent of the annual bear harvest in Michigan.



Bill Parker /Staff Photographer

Turkey: *Hunters can once again pursue wild turkey this fall. The Michigan DNR issued 4,500 wild turkey hunting permits this year after closing the season in 1994.*

BOBCAT

Season: Oct. 25-March 1 in Zone I; Jan. 1-March 1 in northeast corner of the Lower Peninsula; Jan. 15-Feb. 15 in the central counties of the northern Lower Peninsula.

Bag limit: Two bobcats per season, but no more than one in Zone II or on Drummond Island.

Overview: Hunters annually harvest between 400 and 600 bobcats and took just over 500 last year. Reis expects hunters to take another 500 bobcats this season.

"We expect it to be a pretty outstanding season for bobcat hunters," explained Reis. "Trappers are telling us there are a lot of cats out there and our biologists are seeing evidence of increasing numbers."

Successful hunters are required to have the pelt sealed within five days of the kill. Bobcats are usually trapped or hunted with hounds.

COYOTES

Season: July 15-April 15, statewide. The exception is that it is illegal to shoot a coyote during the firearms deer season in the Upper Peninsula because of the wolf recovery program. It's feared deer hunters may mistake a young wolf for an adult coyote.

Bag limit: There is no bag limit on coyotes.

Overview: Coyote numbers are increasing throughout the state, especially in Zone III. Coyotes feed primarily on small rodents and are found in low brushy areas adjacent to wood lots.

"Coyotes are very adaptable and I'm not surprised the numbers have continued to increase," said Reis. "The best hunting can be found in the northern two zones, but they are really expanding in Zone III, too."

Predator calls or hounds are the most productive techniques used to hunt coyotes.

DEER

Season: Archery season runs Oct. 1-Nov. 14 and Dec. 1-Jan. 1, statewide. Firearm season runs Nov. 15-30, statewide. Muzzleloading season runs Dec. 1-10 in Zone I and Dec. 8-17 in Zones II and III.

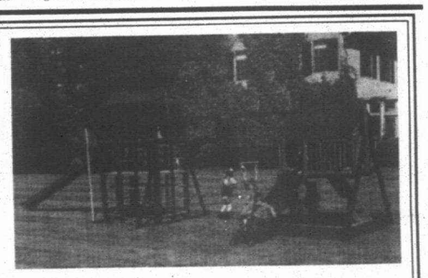
Bag limit: Three licenses available: one per license, but no more than two bucks with antlers three inches or longer. Archers may take an antlerless deer on their first archery license. Antlerless permits are also available and may be used during the firearms season, muzzleloading season and the second archery season. Antlerless permits allow a hunter to take an antlerless deer or a deer with antlers less than three inches. Sept. 24th is the deadline to apply for an antlerless permit. The DNR is issuing 295,524 antlerless permits this year compared to 153,558 last year.

Overview: The whitetail deer is the most popular game animal

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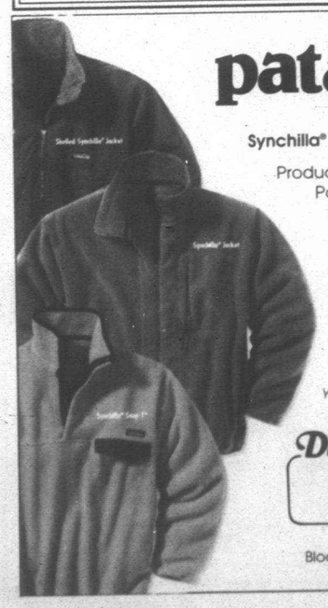
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Local store plans to introduce all people to the great outdoors

By Chris Mayer
Staff Writer

Mark Crissman's sixth-month stay in Colorado was long enough to convince him everyone should experience the natural beauty and tranquility the outdoors has to offer.

And whether it be hiking, climbing or even white water rafting on a fast-flowing West Virginia river, Crissman believes he is one person who can provide people in this area with those experiences.

"You can't even explain what being in the mountains can do for you," said Crissman, 27. "It's just one of those special things and I hope to get as many people out to areas like that to see what it's really like."

Crissman is the owner and managing partner of Rocky Mountain Outfitters, a downtown Rochester-based store with an impressive outdoors theme. Crissman and 25-year-old Bill Campbell, both Rochester Hills residents, are in the business of selling top-of-the line outdoors equipment, but currently they have their sights on a new venture — an adventure club.

"We've been talking about the club since the store opened in May of 1994," Crissman said. "The whole idea behind the project is there are a couple of stores in the area that sell the equipment we do, but nobody really gets involved in the travel and actually helping people get to that point. And we think there is just a mass of people out there that have heard about different trips and seen trips on television but don't know how to go about getting the information.

Enter Rocky Mountain Outfitters. Campbell, who will run the store's Adventure Travel Center, and Crissman want to introduce anyone who's interested to activities like hiking, climbing, kayaking, winter snowshoeing, backpacking and canoeing not only in Michigan but nationwide.

"We want to drive home the point how easy and accessible the outdoors is," Campbell said. "It's basically at your doorstep and you don't have to have any special skills. There are hikes that can accommodate handicapped people all the way to experienced mountaineers, so there's something everyone can do. But it's real important for people to understand and see that that could be them. It's just that easy."

The first club meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 20 at Rocky Mountain Outfitters (115 E. Fourth Street, just east of Main Street) where possible trip ideas will be discussed and organized. Crissman and Campbell said club members will have to pay dues, but in addition receive a 10-percent store credit. For every $100 spent in the store, $10 will be set aside good toward future store purchases, for example.

For more information regarding the club and the upcoming meeting, visit the store or call (810) 656-CAMP (2267).

"We want to be an information hub, and in turn that's when people get interested," Crissman said. "We have plans and we're working on it right now to have a full-service adventure travel center featuring anything from a kayaking trip here in Michigan to a hike somewhere in the United States. We would be what you call a middleman betweeen bigger companies that actually put on trips like that."

One trip on the horizon is the first annual RMO Whitewater Rafting Adventure. Rocky Mountain Outfitters, in conjunction with Appalachian Wildwaters, Michigan Motor Coach, 93.9 FM, The River and Woody's Outhouse in Ontario, will present the adventure Oct. 13-15 on the Upper

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HIKING

IT'S A HIKE

Michigan might be a bigger source for hiking than you think. Considering the 90-plus state parks and the various Metroparks and Oakland County Parks located throughout the state, you don't have to travel far to enjoy the area's natural beauty and appreciate what the outdoors has to offer.

Below is a capsule look at a prime hiking location that's relatively close to home. Furthermore, a comprehensive list of hiking spots follows.

PAINT CREEK TRAIL

Hikers wander through downtown Rochester and cross seven additional roads while traveling along this route which covers nine miles one-way.

Paint Creek Trail extends from the Clinton River at the Rochester-Utica Recreation Area to Lake Orion, interrupted briefly in downtown Rochester. Estimated total hiking time is four to five hours one-way.

The trail, which for the most part is a wooded path winding along a trout stream, touches ponds, grassy meadows, wetlands where various wildlife can be sighted.

Paint Creek Trail, which can be easily handled in tennis shoes and is a popular route for joggers, is accessible from almost a dozen spots where it crosses a road. One of the most scenic portions is a 2.4-mile stretch from Tienken Road to Gallagher Road and Paint Creek Cider Mill.

The southern trailhead is directly across from the Yates Cider Mill in the Rochester-Utica State Recreation Area, located on the corner of Dequindre and 23 Mile Road (Avon Road).

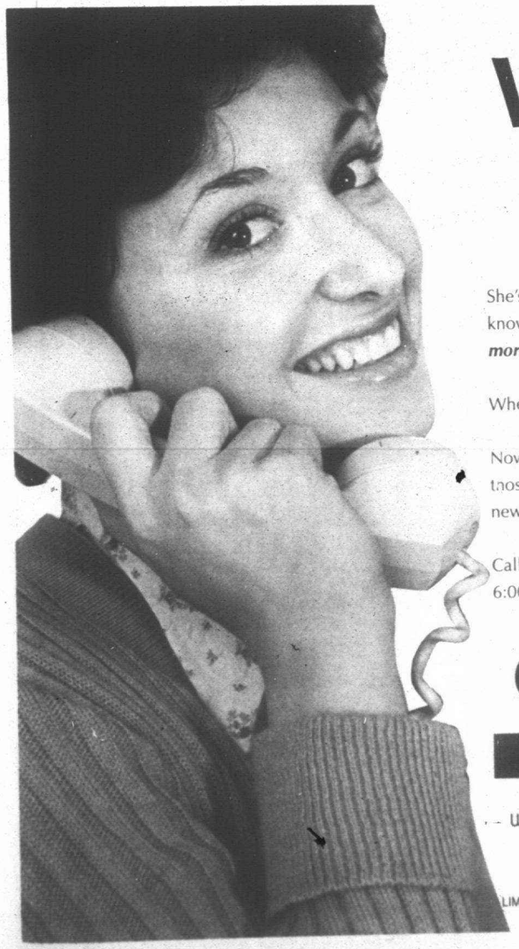
Other good spots to pick up the trail are Rochester Municipal Park at Pine Street, Tienken Road west of Rochester Road, Silver Bell Road west of Orion Road and at the corner of Clarkston and Kern roads in Bald Mountain Recreation Area. At all of these points, the trail is posted and space is available to park a vehicle.

For more information on the Paint Creek Trail or to pick up a trail map, visit the Rochester-Utica Recreation Area.

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in the state with upward of 800,000 hunters participating in the annual seasons. Deer hunters are expected to have an excellent season this fall as the deer numbers have increased to between 1.8 to 2 million animals. Hunters took 362,410 deer in 1994, including 247,100 bucks. Firearm hunters took 228,800 deer including 172,940 bucks. Archers took 111,800 deer, including 62,190 bucks, and muzzleloading hunters took 21,801 deer, including 11,970 bucks.

"This should be an outstanding season for deer hunters," said DNR big game specialist Ed Langenau. "The herd is up to nearly 2 million animals. There are plenty of deer out there and in an effort to control the herd, we've issued double the antlerless permits from last year. The hunters who spend the time should have an outstanding season."

Still-hunting, baiting and driving are the most popular methods used to hunt deer.

DUCKS

Season: Sept. 30-Nov. 18 in the North Zone (Upper Peninsula); Oct. 7-Nov. 25 in the Middle Zone (northern Lower); Oct. 14-Dec. 2 in the South Zone (southern Lower).

Bag Limit: Five ducks per day including species limits as follows: four mallards, only one of which may be a female; two wood ducks; one black duck; one pintail; one redhead; one canvasback.

Overview: "Duck hunters should find very good hunting opportunities this year," said DNR waterfowl specialist Jerry Martz. "Two years ago the fall flight estimate was 59 million ducks. It went up to 71 million last year and is expected to be up to 80 million this fall.

Last year, 59,400 hunters harvested 248,000 ducks in Michigan. Martz expects that number to increase this fall.

"There's no doubt in my mind the harvest will increase," Martz said. "The season had been expanded from 40 days last year to 50 days this year and the bag limit is up to five, up from three last year. No doubt the harvest will be up. It should be a great year."

The DNR followed the lead of the U.S Fish and Wildlife Service and granted temporary approval for the use of bismuth-tin shot during the 1995-'96 waterfowl seasons.

Blinds, decoys are retrievers are huge aids in successful waterfowl hunting.

ELK

Season: The elk season is divided into three separate hunts: Sept. 12-17, Sept. 19-24 and Dec. 12-19. Hunting is by special permit in designated areas of the northern Lower Peninsula only.

Bag Limit: One per season. The majority of the permits are for antlerless elk only but a few hunters choice permits are issued for each hunt. Successful hunters are not eligible to apply for a permit the next year.

Overview: Permits are issued through a lottery-style drawing. The September hunts have already been selected. Sept. 15 in the deadline to apply for the December hunt.

Michigan's elk herd disappeared in the late 1800s. Today's herd of 1,270 elk is a result of successful reintroduction efforts which began with the release of seven elk near Wolverine in 1918. The current elk seasons began in 1984 when 50 licenses were issued. This year, the DNR will issue 330 permits spread over the three hunt periods. Last year, 330 hunters took 250 elk.

"The fall population is down a little from last year, but we'd like to get it down even further to around 800 or 900 animals. There are just too many elk right now," said Langenau. "It still should be the same quality of hunt as we had last year. There are a few less animals, but not enough to affect the quality of the hunt."

Stalking and calling are proven techniques for taking elk.

FOX

Season: Oct. 15-March 1, statewide.

Bag Limit: There is no bag limit on fox.

Overview: The overall fox population is stable, but fox numbers are down in areas of the state where coyote numbers are on the rise. Coyotes antagonize fox since both animals compete for the same foods — primarily small rodents — and the coyote has a distinct size advantage.

"Generally, in areas with high coyote numbers you'll find that the fox have been displaced," explained Reis. "The best areas to look for fox is in fallow fields and brushy areas adjacent to wood lots and large lakes."

Fox are primarily hunted with hounds, but calling with a predator call is on the increase.

GEESE

Season: The early hunt runs through Friday in the Lower Peninsula. The regular goose seasons are Sept. 23-Nov. 4 in the North Zone (Upper Peninsula); Oct.7-Nov. 15 in the Middle Zone (northern Lower); Oct. 14-12 and Nov. 23-Dec. 2 in the South Zone (southern Lower) west of U.S. 27/127, Oct. 14- Nov. 2 and Nov. 23-Dec. 2 in the South Zone east of U.S. 27/127. Another special season will be held Jan. 6-Feb. 4 in the southern Michigan Goose Management Area.

Bag Limit: Two per day in the North Zone, Middle Zone, the second hunt period in the South Zone west of U.S. 27/127, and the special season in the southern Michigan Goose Management Area. One bird per day in the South Zone east of U.S. 27/127 and the first hunt period in the South Zone west of U.S. 27/127.

Overview: Michigan hunters set a record harvest of 138,000 geese last year, up nearly 32,000 from the previous record set in 1993. If the weather cooperates the 1995 season may again produce a new record.

"We've got some liberalizations in the bag limits and the length of the season in the northern part of the state and the southwestern part of the state, where most of the geese are," said Martz. "The fall flight prediction is about 1.3 million. With all that in mind, I think we certainly will have another excellent Canada goose season. We should harvest over 100,000 birds."

The season on Snow geese begins with the Canada goose season and ends with the duck season. Michigan gets a few Snow geese, primarily on the western side of the state. Hunters annually harvest approximately 500 Snow geese

Marshy areas with open water and grain fields near open water are great spots to find geese. Decoys and a retrievers are essential.

GROUSE

Season: Sept. 14-Nov. 14, statewide. Dec. 1-Jan. 1 in Zone II and Zone III.

Bag Limit: Five per day in Zone II, three per day in Zones I and III.

Overview: Grouse numbers have been very low in recent years. Upward of 120,000 hunters took just 204,000 birds statewide last year, substantially down from the record harvest of 830,000 recorded in 1974.

The good news is that the grouse population has begun to increase. The spring drumming survey was up 43-percent statewide. It was up 47-percent in the Upper, 58-percent in the northern Lower, but down 23-percent in the southern Lower.

"The grouse population is still at a low level, explained DNR upland gamebird specialist John Urbain. "It turned the corner last year and increased a little this year, but we still have a long way to go to get back to where we were."

Grouse are usually hunted behind a dog and are often found in tag alder and young aspen thickets and around raspberrys, blackberrys, thorn apples and cherrys.

PHEASANT

Season: Oct. 1-Oct. 20 in Zone I. Oct. 20-Nov. 14 in Zone II and III. A special late season will be held Dec. 1-15 in the south/central portion of Zone III.

Bag Limits: Two male birds per day.

Overview: Last year, 118,000 hunters took nearly 200,000 birds, up 10,000 from the 1993 harvest. This year's crowing index and mail carrier survey are both down.

"Last winter's bitter cold didn't last long, but we had a few ice storms and they took their toll," said Urbain. "Our preliminary indications are that the birds are down a little bit. They were a little late breeding this spring, which means our surveys were a little early, so that would contribute to the lower surveys. Overall, I think hunters will find a similar experience to what they found last year."

The 10-year-old Sichuan introduction program is coming to an end. The last plant of the Sichuan pheasant will take place next spring when 25,000 birds are released in Kent, Montcalm and Muskegon counties. The program has been a disappointment to wildlife managers and hunters as well. Research indicates the release of the Sichuan has shown no increase in pheasant numbers in the release area.

Pheasants are usually hunted behind a dog and are often found in hay and corn fields.

RABBIT

Season: Sept. 15-March 31, statewide.

Bag Limit: Five per day

Overview: The cottontail rabbit is second only to the whitetail deer in popularity with upward of 300,000 people annually hunting rabbits. Last year, hunters harvested close to 1.1 million rabbits and that success should continue this year.

"The cottontail rabbit is abundant throughout its range, especially in the Lower Peninsula" said Reis. "Rabbit hunters can expect to find excellent hunting again this year. They're all over the place."

The best way to hunt rabbits is behind a beagle, but hunters also experience some success while stomping brush piles and working brushy cover along fence rows and the edges of woodlots.

RACCOON

Season: Oct. 1-Jan. 31, statewide.

Bag Limit: There is no bag limit on raccoons.

Overview: Last year, hunters took better that 150,000 raccoons and can expect similar success in 1995.

Outfitters from page 3AA

Gauley River in southern West Virginia.

For specific details and costs, contact Rocky Mountain Outfitters.

As far as the club's early stages, Crissman and Campbell are pointing toward local hikes (guided and self-guided) as a springboard for bigger and better adventures.

"We just believe that (Michigan) is where you have to start because there are so many people that don't even realize what there is here," Crissman said. "If you can introduce them to that then I think people woule be much more interested and inclined to take a trip to the Rocky Mountains. I lived in Colorado for six months and that's just an area that is accessible and incredibly gorgeous.

"We will structure the hikes a bit and if we have a group within the club that wants to hike a little more extensive trail, you can do that as well. At first we want to say, 'These are the hikes we are going to do', but after that hopefully the group will decide what the next hike is going to be."

Driven by the idea that RMO can be "your passport to the ultimate outdoor adventure", Crissman and Campbell are steadfast in their beliefs that most people can learn to appreciate the outdoors as much as they do.

"I would say the mental benefits are more beneficial than the physical because you can walk for 10 minutes, but if it's a real spectacular place you'll simply spend hours just taking everything in," Campbell said.

"There's nothing better than getting out and doing a nice hike on a crisp September or October day," Crissman said. "You just come back and you feel great. You feel rejuvenated and that's why it's good to get people outside."

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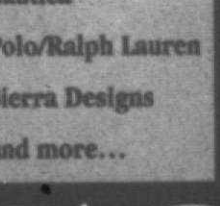
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MESC to produce state job analysis

The Michigan Employment Security Commission has produced an analysis of job distribution in southeast Michigan and plans to do the same for the whole state by the end of next year.

"We undertook the project to meet the needs of transportation agencies and business and government planners for detailed information on the location of jobs," MESC Director Robert Edwards said in a press release. "The project's first phase, covering the seven-county metropolitan Detroit area, is complete, and job tabulations have been developed for the region's communities. The next phase, comprising the remainder of Michigan, will be completed in 1996."

The Southeast Michigan Council of Governments and the Michigan Department of Transportation, along with MESC, have funded the project.

"We entered this partnership because these data offer the most detailed view of jobs in southeast Michigan, and we are now using the data in our forecasting and planning efforts," John Amberger, SEMCOG executive director, said. "The data can and will be used by businesses, research organizations, economic developers and others for industry and regional analyses, impact studies and to assess the relative strength of communities for possible business investment."

Based upon extensive research and mapping of business establishments, MESC can now tabulate job data for individual communities and parts of communities.

To achieve this geographic detail, MESC researchers put the data through a process called "geo-coding."

"Geo-coding is a powerful computerized mapping process that assigns a geographic identifier to every business location," Edwards said. "MESC is one of the first state employment agencies in the country to have geo-coded business locations and will regularly update the information to give our customers the most current data."

According to the geo-coding of southeast Michigan, Detroit is the largest employment center in the region with 317,000 jobs.

The number of jobs in Detroit is three times the number in Southfield, the second largest employment center with 97,600 jobs.

The cities of Warren, Troy, Dearborn, Livonia, Ann Arbor, Sterling Heights, Farmington Hills and Pontiac round out the top 10 communities with the largest number of jobs and

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401(k): Choices for employer, employee

Thoughts of retirement frequently cross the mind of every employee. Those thoughts have often been followed by the question, "Is it a possibility or merely a dream?"

The Labor Department in Washington, D.C. released some startling figures about employer-funded pension plans. From 1990 to mid-year 1994, there were 5,700 employer-defined benefit plans discontinued by corporations. It is estimated that over 2 million workers were left without general retirement pension plans.

The way retirement plans are being funded today depends more on the contribution of the employee than the employer. Corporations have replaced defined benefit plans with the defined contribution plan, often referred to as the 401(k) plan. Many small companies are adopting them as their main pension program as well.

The 401(k) refers to a section of the Internal Revenue Code that was passed by Congress in 1978. A 401(k) allows employees who participate in the plan to contribute a portion of their current compensation to the plan on a pretax basis. Many changes have taken place in the code since it began, and it has grown into an enormously popular employee benefit.

From the employer's point of view there are a number of reasons to offer a 401(k) to employees. It is a low-cost means of providing a visible and appreciated retirement benefit to employees. It can be offered as a sole retirement plan or as a supplement to an existing plan. For a cash-strapped employer, a 401(k) can help the employer address pressures for additional cash compensation without significant cost.

The 401(k) can also be used as a vehicle to attract and retain qualified employees. If the plan allows for the purchase of employer stock, it can increase an employee's sense of corporate identity.

Some of the disadvantages of a 401(k) from the employer's perspective can be the administration cost and its complexity. Usually only larger corporations can afford to maintain internal staff to administer the plan. Otherwise, a third party administrator has to be hired. A 401(k) also requires intensive communication throughout its life cycle. Without proper communication and education the effectiveness of the plan as an employee benefit can be lost.

Reviewing the employee's perspective, the 401(k) offers a unique opportunity to save federal and state income taxes. The tax sheltered and deferred growth of the account make it an ideal vehicle for retirement savings. Ultimately, taxes paid by the employee may be lower at retirement or when the funds are withdrawn.

Other advantages for the employee include flexibility and a choice of investments, depending on the plan's investment options. The employee can elect when and how much to defer within IRS limits. The availability of loans and hardship withdrawals means that invested funds can be used when personal financial circumstances change.

With more corporations offering 401(k) plans, the employees may have the ability to transfer their account if they should change employers.

The disadvantages for an employee can include withdrawal rules of restricted access before retirement or at termination of employment. A 10-percent early withdrawal penalty before the age of 59½ can be significant when added to the normal income tax liability. If the plan allows for an employee to choose an investment and the employee makes poor choices, the future value of the account may not meet the employee's future financial needs.

Building a retirement plan is essential. The Labor Department has launched a national campaign to draw attention to retirement planning and the need for higher savings, including better use of 401(k) programs. Especially for smaller companies with limited resources, the 401(k) is often less expensive and an easier option. Companies do not have to contend with as many regulations and reporting requirements as with other deferred plans.

Corporations need to seriously consider this retirement plan for their employees if they do not have one in place.

Employees should be asking their employer for a plan and then making the fullest possible use of it. It is one of the best investments they can make.

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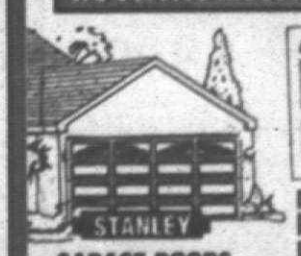
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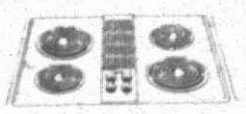
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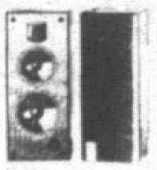
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Ford Taurus, Mercury Sable get new look for '96

With their exterior styling, spacious interiors and powerful motors, the new Ford Taurus and Mercury Sable are completely redesigned for 1996.

Just as the 1986 Taurus and Sable changed the way buyers thought about four-door sedans, the 1996 models introduce buyers to an innovative shape that embodies the form-contains-function concept.

"With these new models, we aimed for tension and tautness in the design to express the energy beneath the surface," said Ford spokesman Jack Telnack. "We wanted a one-piece overall silhouette, a seamless quality with everything integrated."

New features for 1996 include:

- Greater body strength and structural rigidity.
- A redesigned 3.0-liter Vulcan V-6 engine and a new 3.0-liter, 24-valve Duratec V-6 modular engine, both requiring only fluid and filter changes for 100,000 miles under normal driving conditions.
- A front suspension system that offers improved handling, greater steering precision and reduced noise, vibration and harshness.
- Improved braking system that provides better pedal feel.
- Improvements in heating, ventilation and air-conditioning performance.

Elliptical theme

From the start, both cars were designed with an elliptical theme that is carried throughout, even in the cross section of the car. The hood surface flows into the windshield, and the rear window flows into the deck to achieve a seamless look. The front and rear fenders wrap smoothly into the bodyside, and the high shoulder ties together the front and rear.

The greenhouse is large and open, with the overall glass area increased 28 percent from the previous models. The bodyside has more curved shape, or plan view, from the front of the car to the rear than any car in the segment.

The shapes wrap tightly around the mechanical components to emphasize the wheels and tires, giving the resulting basic design a stable look.

Packaging efficiency and the smoothness of the new shapes paid off in aerodynamic terms.

The hood profile is low, with reduced cowl and fender height. The base of the windshield at centerline has been moved seven inches forward to improve appearance and aerodynamics.

Rounded corners, softened shapes and extended windshield make the cars appear to be the same size or smaller than the original Taurus and Sable. In reality, the Taurus sedan has grown 5.4 inches in length and Sable sedan 7.5 inches. They are nearly 2 inches wider overall than the previous models.

Wagon models retain a family resemblance by repeating the elliptical theme that characterizes the sedans. Much of their design was carried out in a wind tunnel, resulting in superb aerodynamics and a coefficient of drag of 0.34.

Distinctive styling

Although derived from a common theme, Taurus and Sable have their own distinctive styling, driving dynamics and features.

Taurus offers a unique, sculpted, open grille flanked by bright, nickel-chrome-plated headlamp housings with jewel-like complex reflector lamps.

All secondary design details continue the design theme. The door handles, grille, lower bumper openings, headlamps and rear window all have an oval shape.

From the rear, Taurus features full-width, three-color tail lamps with a design contour that wraps into the decklid to mimic a spoiler. Mercury Sable has its own personality. "During customer research, many thought Mercury Sable was one of the most beautiful vehicles ever designed," said Ford spokesman Keith Magee. "Customers thought Mercury Sable was an expensive luxury import model."

Sable is longer

Mercury Sable is longer than Taurus, and the Sable rear window is extended, resulting in a longer roof line and a longer rear deck.

Mercury Sable features a bright grill edge with bright inset turn signals. The bodyside window-surround mouldings are bright, and the protective bodyside moulding has a bright insert. The greenhouse has a different profile than Taurus.

A more formal rear window, sloping decklid and separate tail lamps distinguish the Sable rear view from that of Taurus.

Attention to detail and occupant comfort characterize the redesigned Taurus and Sable interior. Mirroring the seamless exterior design, the interior features an instrument panel and dashboard that flow into the door design. The touch areas of the instrument panels, sun visors, door

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Test drive: *Area dealers got a chance to look at and drive the redesigned Ford Taurus and Mercury Sable models last week at a special showing at Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center in Livonia. Behind the wheel of a new Ford Taurus is Cindy Miller while Clarence Kruse of Stark Hickey Ford in Redford Township and Jim Demmer of Jack Demmer Ford in Wayne look on.*



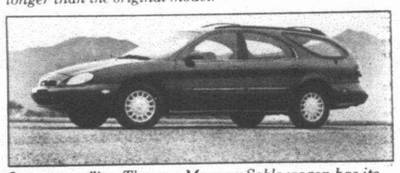
New styling: *Rounded corners, softened shapes and an extended windshield are part of the new Ford Taurus which has grown 5.4 inches in length.*



Wagon: *The new Ford Taurus Wagon model retains a family resemblance by repeating the elliptical theme that characterizes the sedans.*



Sable grows: *The new Mercury Sable sedan is 7.5 inches longer than the original model.*



Own personality: *The new Mercury Sable wagon has its own distinctive styling, driving dynamics and features.*

State retailers say new SBT Senate bill favors big firms

State retailers are beating their drums against a Senate-passed bill that would provide a $217 million tax "windfall" to a handful of large corporations and none to the majority of Michigan's 189,000 business taxpayers.

Today's legislative testimony by a national tax expert and the Michigan Department of Treasury shows why lawmakers should kill Senate Bill 342 — which would change Michigan's Single Business Tax (SBT) in unfair and harmful ways — and come up with more broad-based business tax relief, the Michigan Retailers Association (MRA) said.

Professor Walter Hellerstein, of the University of Georgia Law School, testified before the House Tax Policy Committee last week that his research shows Senate Bill 342 "may well trigger retaliation by other states that will ultimately come back to haunt local businesses."

Nick Khouri, chief deputy state treasurer, said the department is opposed to SB 342. He called the bill "inappropriate budget policy and unwise tax policy."

Hellerstein and Khouri testified on the Senate-approved bill to change the formula for determining the tax base of companies operating in Michigan and other states.

"Today's testimony clearly shows that SB 342 is unfair, unwise and unconstitutional legislation," said Peter Kuhnmuench, MRA's vice president of governmental affairs. "We continue to urge lawmakers to scuttle the current bill and change the SBT to provide broad-based relief to the tens of thousands of business taxpayers in this state."

The Michigan Retailers Association represents more than 4,400 retail business members operating more than 8,000 stores.

MDOT to double bridge funding

The Michigan Department of Transportation (M-DOT) plans to double its bridge investments in 1996 and increase road preservation.

Spending on bridges will go to $110 million from the current $65 million. Preservation of existing roads go to $310 million a year under the State Transportation Improvement Program, according to M-DOT director Patrick Nowak.

STIP is a three-year statewide plan of specific projects across Michigan that are expected to be constructed during construction seasons of 1996 through 1998.

"We thank our customers for their involvement in the development of the State Long Range Plan which was used as a guiding force in developing M-DOT's STIP," said Nowak.

The State Long Range Plan (SLRP) is the result of a year-long effort, with input of thousands of customers, helping M-DOT identify what is important to them in terms of transportation improvements. Specific projects were selected and prioritized through a cooperative effort between local governments, planning organizations and M-DOT.

In addition, projects must often be tested for consistency with federal air quality regulations.

The STIP must be approved by the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration by Sept. 30. Public input is required by federal law.

New look

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panels and seat levers are soft to the touch.

For the first time, Taurus and Sable feature a fully integrated control panel to house all entertainment and environmental controls in a central arrangement.

New seats provide improved lateral and lumbar support in stylish sew patterns and luxurious materials. Resistance to fabric wear, marking and fading has been improved. Taurus and Sable seat five passengers with front bucket seats, or six passengers with bench seats. A fold-down rear seat is standard. An integrated child seat is planned for the wagon models.

On six-passenger models, a patented three-way flip-fold console converts from a center front seat with safety belt to an armrest or a center console. The console provides storage space for audiocassettes, cups, coins and other items.

Buyers will have a choice of two V-6 engines, each with a 100,000-mile scheduled tune-up interval under normal driving conditions with routine fluid and filter changes.

Engine stats

An enhanced 3.0-liter overhead-valve Vulcan V-6 is rated at 145 horsepower at 4525 rpm, developing 170 foot-pounds of torque at 3250 rpm. The redesigned Vulcan V-6 engine that is standard on the Taurus GL and Sable GS includes changes to every major system and resulted in substantially improved NVH characteristics.

A new, 3.0-liter 24-valve DOHC V-6 Duratec engine will be standard on the Taurus LX and the Sable LS. It uses a reinforced aluminum engine block with ribbing added for extra strength and lower operating noise. The engine is rated at 200 horsepower at 5750 rpm with 200 foot-pounds of torque at 4500 rpm. Both V-6 engines are managed by an EEC-V electronic engine control module, the newest of Ford's computerized engine controllers. The control module provides onboard diagnostic capability that allows the car to continuously monitor powertrain performance.

Outstanding driving dynamics result from an anti-dive/anti-lift suspension system and stiffer body structure for improved ride, handling and noise control. By reducing steering component friction and steering free play, better steering response, precision and feel are achieved.

Safety features

Taurus and Sable have safety features, too. A safety engineering system consisting of safety cell body structure, integrated 5-mph bumpers and side door beams help protect occupants during collisions. The protective impact-absorbing system meets 1997 Federal Dynamic Side Impact requirements.

Both vehicles offer the Passive Anti-Theft System on the high-series Ford Taurus LX and the Mercury Sable LS models. The system provides a unique electronic signature for each car by matching a specially coded ignition key with a sensor in the vehicle. The system prevents the vehicle from starting with an improperly coded key or by hot-wiring.

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An area research company is in the forefront of trying to catalog in a meaningful and functional way the vast resources of the Internet.

Gale Research, located in Detroit's Penobscot Building, is a leading reference publisher with more than 480 active data bases. It serves the needs of libraries, businesses, nonprofits, and consumers by offering print, online and CD-ROM products.

Earlier this year, the "Gale Guide to Internet Databases" was released and is now available in an easy to use print edition with a master index that cites more than 8,000 references to databases (2,000), organizations, hosts, and publications. A subject index lists almost 1,300 specific subject terms and points users to entries in a descriptive listing.

A problem with any print directory of the Internet is that some of the listings may become outdated, or new listings missed, before the book reaches the printer. But anyone who attempts to catalog the Internet fully realizes this. Gale deals with this with an online site to keep current information before users. Although you will never find a current listing in print, Gale comes as close as anyone else who has tackled this likely impossible challenge.

The challenge is well-expressed by this quote from the Center for Electronic Texts in the Humanities: "The Internet is like using a library where the shelves keep moving, there is no catalog, and an extra truckload of books is dumped in the entrance hall every hour." Anyone who has spent time on the Internet knows this to be true.

In non-technical language, the Gale Guide gives information on how to access major government, academic, research, educational and pop culture databases via multiple access paths including Gopher, Telnet, FTP, e-mail and Universal Resource Locator (URL) addresses for Websites.

Each descriptive listing in the guide contains a description of the database and details on how to access it via the Internet. An entry may contain as many as 24 items, such as retrieval and download information, search routines, geographic and time span coverage, related mailing lists, update frequency, fees and other information.

For instance, a listing that caught my eye was "Historical Costuming." This site can be accessed by Gopher with the address gopher://rice-info.rice.edu/11/subject/textiles/hist.cost.

The site is described as covering a wide range of historical authenticity with patterns that require a wide range of textile skills, including pattern drafting skills. Main files in this database include: About Historical Costuming; Civil War Era Re-enactment; Contributors to Historical Costuming; Good Sources of Costuming Information; Period Fabric Sources; Seminole War Re-enactments and Frontier Costuming, and more.

The host is listed as Rice University and a contat person is Shelly Johnson, e-mail shel@rice.edu.

Another interesting listing was the Whole Frog Project which provides high school biology classes the ability to explore the anatomy of a frog by using data from high resolution MRI imaging and from mechanical sectioning along with 3D surface and volume rendering software to visualize the anatomical structures of the intact animal. The host is Lawrence Berkeley Laborratory in Berkeley, Calif., and the URL is http://george.lbl.gov or by Anonymous FTP at george.lbl.gov with the directory being pub/Whole Frog.

The guide also has a Host/Provider index with names of organizations that maintain or provide data for the databases — bibliographic, image, numeric, software, bulletin boards, dictionary and statistical types. The White Pages is a list of names and e-mail addresses of people to contact for more information on individual databases.

There also is an Alternative Formats Index that tells users the names of Internet databases that are available in other formats, such as CD-ROM, diskettes, or magnetic tape. There's also the usual glossary of Internet terms and a bibliography of the latest Internet books and resources.

What I found especially interesting was a Specialized Home Page Directory of some 120 sites on such topics as animals, telecommunications, cultures, history, law, philosophy, sports, etc., that are free on the Internet.

The home page directory of WWW sites also can be accessed online with a Web browser by pointing to—http://www.thomson.com/gale.html. And that brings me to what for some is another problem with the guide. The asking price for the Gale Guide is $95 which is quite reasonable for business, government, and research groups but a bit stiff for individual users.

You can direct questions to Emory Daniels by e-mail with emory@oeonline.com. To sign up for O&E On-Line, dial (313)591-0903, at "log-in" prompt type "new" and at "Key:" prompt type GL6NY2. Past columns may be accessed online at http://oeonline.com/(tilde mark)emoryd/archive.html.



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Small firms dread visit from state safety agency

If Michigan business owners are afraid to call in the state's top safety agency, how can they improve safety in the workplace?

That's the dilemma facing small-business owners, who dread a visit from the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration almost as much as a social call from the IRS.

"There is a perception that MIOSHA exists primarily to punish rather than assist the small-business owner," said Charlie Owens, state director of the National Federation of Independent Business/Michigan.

"MIOSHA rules and regulations are so voluminous and complicated that any business, regardless of effort or safety record, likely will be cited for a rule violation of some sort."

Voluntary inspections can lead to unexpected fines.

According to Owens, business owners who voluntarily request MIOSHA's assistance often are frustrated to find that a subsequent inspection by the agency will result in citations for violations not addressed in the voluntary inspection.

While small-business owners fear the financial penalties MIOSHA can levy, there is concern that the screws may be turned even tighter.

MIOSHA has received written criticisms in the past from OSHA for not levying as many fines or large enough fines to suit the federal organization.

"The unfortunate result is most small-business owners do not see OSHA and MIOSHA as agencies encouraging safety on the job," Owens said.

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account for half the region's job total.

Detroit also ranks first in the number of jobs in each major industry grouping.

Other leading cities for manufacturing jobs are: Dearborn, Warren and Sterling Heights; for retail: Troy, Livonia and Warren; for service-related: Ann Arbor, Southfield and Troy.

For information about this new database and available job data, contact Charles Lake at (313) 876-5422, or Jeffery Jones at (313) 961-4266.

The following is a listing of the top 20 Detroit metropolitan area communities ranked by the total number of jobs within their city limits:

1. Detroit 317,000
2. Southfield 97,600
3. Warren 96,200
4. Troy 95,400
5. Dearborn 93,600
6. Livonia 88,100
7. Ann Arbor 86,200
8. Sterling Heights 52,300
9. Farmington Hills 49,600
10. Pontiac 43,700
11. Royal Oak 30,100
12. Clinton Twp. 29,500
13. Madison Heights 28,800
14. Romulus 27,900
15. Auburn Hills 26,400
16. Taylor 25,100
17. Rochester Hills 24,500
18. Novi 21,700
19. Roseville 20,700
20. Ypsilanti Twp. 20,500

BUSINESS DATEBOOK

SATURDAY, SEPT. 16

■ **CASUAL**
A fashion show featuring casual work clothes for men and women occurs 2-3 p.m. in Parisian Court area of Laurel Park Place in Livonia. Special appearance by Style Magazine editor Carla Schwartz. Call (313) 462-1100.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 16

■ **DEBTORS**
The ninth annual World Conference Fellowship Day of Debtors' Anonymous occurs 1-5:30 p.m. at Weber's Inn, 3050 Jackson Road in Ann Arbor. Call (313) 537-2551

MONDAY, SEPT. 18

■ **ANGER**
Sun-America Seminars presents a workshop on controlling anger 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Livonia Holiday Inn. The presenter is Winnifred Taylor, professor emeritus of counselor education at the University of Wisconsin. Admission is $79. Call (800) 847-1233.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

■ **SHOP FLOOR**
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center presents a workshop to provide manufacturers with an overview of shop floor scheduling and control concepts, techniques and applications 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Industrial Technology Institute, 2901 Hubbard Road in Ann Arbor. Cycle counting is used as a way to control inventories. Presenter is Robert Bergman of the MMTC. Admission is $125. To register, call (800) 292-4484, Ext. 4107.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

■ **SOCIALS**
The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants' Metropolitan Detroit Chapter will hold two CPA/Financial Institution Socials. The first, to serve the northern area of the chapter, will be held 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19, at the Troy Marriott. The social for the southern area will be 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26, at the Ramada Heritage Center in Southgate. CPAs or representatives from financial institutions are welcome to attend either or both of the networking socials. The cost of the northern function is $20 per person which includes hors d'oeuvres. The southern event is a luncheon at a cost of $15 per person. For more information, contact Beth Sneider or Janet Roberts at the association office, (810) 855-2288.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

■ **AWARDS DINNER**
The Michigan Minority Business Development Council is holding its 12th annual awards dinner 5:30 p.m. at the Westin Hotel in Detroit. The awards program recognizes the outstanding efforts of corporations and minority companies for promoting and supporting minority business partnerships. The keynote speaker is Dennis Kimbro, an author and lecturer and director of the Center for Entrepreneurship, Clark Atlanta University Graduate School of Business. Ticket prices are $100. Call the MMBDC at (313) 873-3200.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 19

■ **BUILDING CODE**
The Washtenaw Community College Construction Institute will sponsor a 1993 BOCA National Building Code Update 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Morris Lawrence Building on the Ann Arbor campus. Instructor Larry Pickel will demonstrate how to identify the most significant differences between the 1990 and 1993 Editions. Fee is $110. For registration information, call (313) 973-3533.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20

■ **CANTON ECONOMIC CLUB**
The Rev. William Cunningham, executive director of Focus:HOPE, will be the featured speaker at the Canton Economic Club's first meeting of the 1995-1996 season. Father Cunningham will speak in the Summit Recreation Center in the Canton Township Hall complex on Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill. Cost is $15 for lunch and program. Call Joan Noricks, executive director of the Canton Community Foundation, (313) 981-3003 for a reservation.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 20

■ **CYCLE COUNTING**
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center presents a workshop to provide manufacturers with a basic understanding of cycle counting concepts and applications 8:30 a.m. to noon at the Industrial Technology Institute, 2901 Hubbard Road in Ann Arbor. Cycle counting is used as a way to control inventories. Presenter is Robert Bergman of the MMTC. Admission is $75. To register, call (800) 292-4484, Ext. 4107.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

■ **ENVIRONMENTAL HELP**
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center and the Small Business Development Center present a breakfast briefing called "Environmental Help for Small Manufacturing Firms" 7:30-10 a.m. at Industrial Technology Institute, 2901 Hubbard Road in Ann Arbor. Presenter is William Riggs, an environmental services engineer. Admission is free. Reservations required. Call (313) 769-4554.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

■ **PURCHASING**
The National Association of Purchasing Management, Metro Detroit, has a dinner meeting and mini-seminar 5:30 p.m. at the Eagle Tavern in Greenfield Village, Dearborn. Comerica chief economist David Littmann's mini-seminar is called "Is the Economy Ready For a Fall?" Admission is $25. Call (810) 773-3737.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

■ **BPW PRESENTS**
Making your way through the '90s and beyond takes skill and that's what speaker Mary Jane Mapes will provide when she addresses the Garden City Business and Professional Women.

Mapes will speak on "Survival Skills for the '90s and Beyond" at the 6 p.m. dinner meeting at the New Peking Restaurant, Ford Road, east of Middlebelt, Garden City.

The cost is $15 per person for dinner and Mapes' speech and reservations can be made through Tuesday, Sept. 19, by calling (313) 422-7030.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 21

■ **TRADE SHOW**
The Greater Detroit Chapter of the Naitonal Association of Women Business Owners will sponsor their 1995 annual trade show at the Southfield Radisson Hotel. Exhibit set-up is at 3 p.m.. Exhibits are open from 5:30-8:30 p.m. Exhibitor fee is $75 and NAWBO members and corporate sponsors may exhibit. Individual admission fee is $25. To make reservations, call (313) 961-4748.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 22

■ **RELATIONSHIP SELLING**
Mitchell Selling Dynamics Inc. will offer a six-hour seminar on "Relationship Selling" 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 22, and Friday, Dec. 1, at the Somerset Inn, Troy. Price is $277, including the seminar, John Mitchell's book and refreshments. To register, call 800-328-9696.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23

■ **RETIRMENT PLANNING**
GM employees can start planning for their financial and retirement future by joining the GM Men's Club and the Society for Lifetime Planning from 8:45-11:30 a.m. at the Sommerset Inn of Troy. The featured speaker for the morning activities will be Gail Eisen, a nationally recognized expert in retirement planning. Topics to be discussed include making changes inside your SSPP, GM options and Fidelity funds analysis, new developments with long term care, engineering your early retirement and how election, inflation and baby boomers affect your future.

To register call Society of Lifetime Planning at (810) 952-1744.

The frst 100 people to register will receive a free susbscription to "New Choices."

This event will be preceded by a golf outing on Thursday, Sept. 21 at the Bogie Lake Golf Club in White Lake Township. Cost for the golf outing is $50 per person. A shotgun tee-off begins at 12:30 p.m. and a buffet dinner will follow at 5:30 p.m. To register, call Suzanne at (810)952-1744.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 26

■ **INVESTMENT PLANNING**
A workshop called "Investment Planning for Women" begins 6 p.m. at the Prudential Securities Conference Center, 400 Renaissance Center, Suite 1600, in Detroit. Admission is free, but reservations are required. For information, call (313) 259-5513. Prudential Securities financial adviser Kathleen Colin is the featured speaker.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 28

■ **CODE UPDATE**
The Washtenaw Community College Construction Institute will offer a Mechanical Code Update 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on campus in Ann Arbor. Instructor will be Richard Cronn, chief mechanical inspector for the city of Ann Arbor. Fee is $110. For registration information, call (313) 973-3533.

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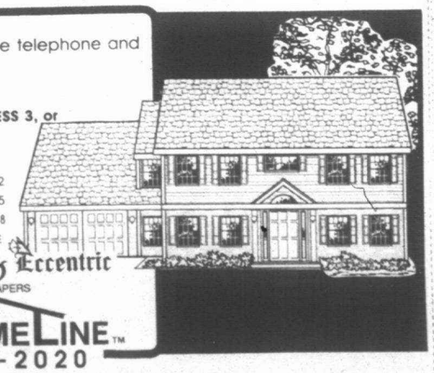
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■ FURNITURE STORE OPENS

Furniture Direct owner Paul Bensman has opened his second store, located at 30850 Plymouth Road in Livonia. Furniture Direct has a no-haggle policy and rarely holds sales. "Our customers can expect our guaranteed prices to be 10-30 percent less than other stores' sale prices because we're working on smaller margins than most of our competitors," Bensman said in a press release. The store is open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

■ UNITED WAY

RFG Productions of Grosse Pointe Woods has completed post production on the United Way 1995 campaign film entitled "Touch of Life" using the graphics and editing services at Farmington Hills-based **Grace & Wild Digital Studios**. The program will be distributed to 700 corporations in southeast Michigan and used in employee meetings to encourage donations to United Way.

■ U-HAUL

Nazeh Mosallam, owner of **Party Hut** on Plymouth Road in Redford Township, has added U-Haul truck and trailer rentals to the services currently available. Mosallam has operated Party Hut since 1975. Party Hut can now offer customers equipment designed specifically for moving household furnishings, including moving vans ranging in size from 10 feet to 26 feet, trailers ranging in size from 4 feet by 6 feet to 6 feet by 12 feet, car-top carriers and trailer rental hitches.

■ LAWRENCE TECH

The Education Foundation of the **Society of Manufacturing Engineers** has awarded **Lawrence Technological University** $6,270 in grants. These grants are part of $481,533 in cash and $13 million for in-kind equipment and software grants awarded to 121 universities and technical institutions by the foundation in 1995. In-kind gifts include CAD software, milling machines, lathes and robots donated by companies that support the foundation. SME is headquartered in Dearborn.

■ WINNERS

McLaughlin's Home Furnishing Designs of Southgate and Wyandotte and Thomasville Home Furnishings by McLaughlin's in Novi have named the winners of their annual "Heart's Desire" drawing. Winners each received a piece of furniture. The winners are Joseph Hodge, Dan Kirk, Mary Kay Kubicek, Margaret Tanner, Luisa Hagger and Edwin and Lorinda Heide.

MHA seeks partnerships to immunize more children

■ 'This recent study is added impetus for many hospitals and health providers to redouble their immunization efforts, but we cannot solve this serious problem alone. It's imperative that we get help from parents and communities.'

MHA President Spencer Johnson

The Michigan Hospital Association said it recognized two years ago that state toddlers rank last in the nation in childhood immunization. MHA said it will continue its "long-term aggressive activities to immunize children."

The U.S. Centers for Disease Control recently reported that only 61 percent of Michigan toddlers are fully immunized.

"Hospitals and health providers have understood for many years that timely and complete immunization of children is the best way to keep them healthy both today and tomorrow," said MHA President Spencer Johnson.

"This recent study is added impetus for many hospitals and health providers to redouble their immunization efforts, but we cannot solve this serious problem alone. It's imperative that we get help from parents and communities."

MHA, in partnership with the Michigan Osteopathic Hospital Association, said it recognized the dire situation in Michigan two years before the Centers for Disease Control study came out and initiated its "AIM" program. AIM, the Alliance for Immunization in Michigan, is a volunteer network of health providers and state and local agencies that seek to immunize at least 90 percent of Michigan children under five years of age.

State law requires that children be immunized before beginning elementary school, but many diseases that are preventable with immunizations strike before that time.

Last year the MHA along with the Michigan Nurses Association, the Michigan Department of Public Health, the Michigan Home Health Association, and the Michigan Association for Public Health produced and distributed an instructional video to help health professionals recognize opportunities for immunization of young children.

MHA is looking at innovative approaches from other states to step up immunization levels. For instance, efforts in South Carolina and Virginia have been implemented that could dramatically boost immunization rates.

"We will continue to take every opportunity to see that Michigan's children are immunized,' said Johnson. Hospitals and other health providers are expanding their immunization services, taking advantage of unrelated emergency room visits to immunize children, cultivating relationships with local health departments, and educating the community on the necessity of early immunizations."

The MHA is a statewide trade organization representing hospitals, health providers, and other organizations interested in improving the overall health status of Michigan residents.

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Comerica forecasts slow growth

Comerica Bank's "recession watch index," which forecasts the probability of a national recession occurring within the next 12 months, registered 48 percent in August — the same as in July but up six points from June.

"August represents the first time this year the Recession Watch Index did not register an increase," said William T. Wilson, vice president and economist at Detroit-based Comerica Bank.

"Our index is forecasting slow-to-modest economic growth through the remainder of 1995, before turning anemic in 1996. It is important to note that the index is still not calling for a full-fledged recession like the ones that occurred in 1981-82 or 1990-91," Wilson said.

Comerica's recession watch index is a weighted average of three leading indicators: spread in the yield curve, adjusted bank reserve growth, and the Commerce Department's Index of Leading Indicators. The index forecasts the probability of recession or an economic slowdown over the next 12 months.

Gingrinch to discuss Medicare

Robert C. Carris, the Edward D. Jones & Co. investment representative in Livonia, will host a live satellite broadcast Friday, Sept. 15, as part of a town-hall-style meeting at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce in Washington, D.C. featuring Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich.

Gingrich will discuss the status of Medicare and the current debate over proposed changes to the system.

In addition to the program being live, it will also be interactive.

A toll-free number will allow members of a nationwide audience to call in.

To reserve a seat, call (810) 442-7425.

Vets to meet

The China-Burma-India Veterans Association's fall meeting is planned for noon to 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 15, at Stefan's Banquet Hall, 23900 W. Warren in Dearborn Heights.

All CBI veterans and widows are invited to re-establish friendships and memories at the gathering.

The guest speaker will be Channel 7 weatherman Jim Maddaus.

For reservations, call Dick Zika at (313) 538-0565.

BUSINESS PEOPLE

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 residence and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired — to: Stars, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, ATTN: Business Editor. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.*



Douglas G. Bohrer of Plymouth Township has been named an audit partner at Plante & Moran, LLP, in Southfield. Bohrer was previously an audit associate. He joined the firm's Southfield audit staff in 1983 and was promoted to associate in 1988. In addition to general business consulting, Bohrer's practice includes manufacturing and distribution companies and several municipalities. His municipality practice includes cable television franchise compliance and renewal consulting.

He holds a bachelor's degree in accounting and finance from Michigan State University. He is a member of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants, the Michigan Minority Business Development Council and the National Association of Telecommunications Officers and Advisors.



William J. Ludwig has been named executive creative director at Campbell-Ewald Advertising with expanded responsibility for all Chevrolet creative assignments within its advertising, marketing communications and retail divisions, according to Richard D. O'Connor, chairman and CEO.

Ludwig, 40, has been the agency's creative director for Chevrolet advertising since 1989. A graduate of Western Michigan University, Ludwig began his professional career at Patten Corporation and D'Arcy before joining Campbell-Ewald in 1982.

He has served the agency and its Chevrolet client in a broad range of creative assignments, most recently providing leadership to the client-agency team which developed the Genuine Chevrolet brand positioning. Ludwig was honored by the American Advertising Federation in 1994 as one of the six most influential young advertising executives in America.



Don Gould, 52, executive vice president, managing director, for sister company C-E Communications' Chevrolet unit, replaces Ludwig as the agency's creative director for Chevrolet. **Mike Cunningham,** 38, executive vice president, managing director, of C-E Communications' Aegis Publishing group replaces Gould. **Jim Palmer,** 36, Aegis senior vice president, is promoted to executive vice president, replacing Cunningham.

The Detroit chapter of Women In Communications has elected Plymouth residents **Heather Pacheco** and **Susan Floyd Voyles** as officers for 1995-96. Pacheco has been named vice president of administration. She is a public relations person at CSC Healthcare Systems. Voyles will serve as vice president of public relations. She is director of communications at Family Service Detroit and Wayne County.



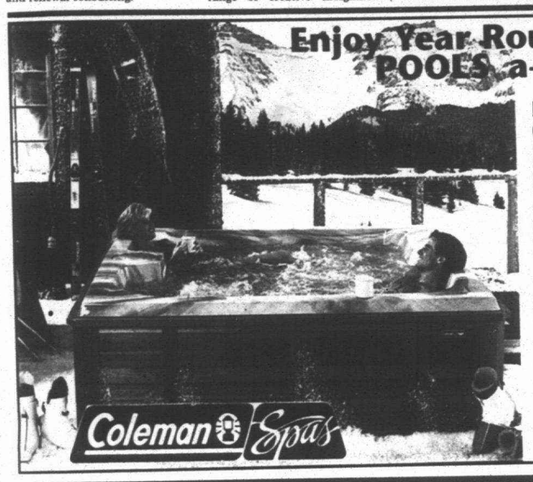
Livonia resident **Jim Miller** has opened a Padgett Business Services accounting and tax office in Livonia. The services provided by Miller are specifically designed to meet the special needs of the owners of small, independent businesses.

"I'm very pleased to be providing this service to businesses in our area," said Miller in a press release. "We are confident in our abilities to meet the accounting and tax needs of business owners in Livonia, Farmington, Novi, Northville and surrounding areas."

Miller's new accounting and tax business in Livonia is part of a network of more than 325 Padgett offices in the United States and Canada. The programs offered through Miller's Padgett operation include a personalized monthly profit and loss statement, all federal and state payroll reporting, monthly sales tax preparation, annual W-2 completion, tax planning, estimated income tax advice, pick-up and delivery service for each client, inventory programs and business consulting.

Jane Mendenhall, who grew up in Livonia, has been promoted to managing partner and head of a new graphic services group at the Detroit office of Bozell Worldwide Advertising. Most recently Mendenhall has been a senior partner, overseeing traffic and The Hot Shop Design Group. Her promotion now makes her the second female to achieve the position of managing partner, and at age 31, one of the youngest managing partners at the Detroit agency.

The new graphic services group encompasses the traffic, print production, and proofreading departments, as well as The Hot Shop, the agency's independent design studio. The entire graphic services group, which includes 50 employees, now reports directly to Mendenhall. Previously, traffic, proofreading, and The Hot Shop individually reported to Mendenhall.



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SOUND LIKE YOU?
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GIVE ME A CALL!
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KISS A LOT OF FROGS?
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SWCF, 27, attractive, medium build, enjoys never married Born Again, handsome SWCM, 25-32, easygoing, loves the Lord, Baptist preferred. Ad# 3613

RETURN ALL CALLS
DWF, 44, N/S, moderate drinker, intelligent, enjoys movies, reading, dining out, music, seeking SM compatible. Ad# 8234

VERY ATTRACTIVE
SF, 56, retired professional, likes to do almost anything, enjoys traveling, reading, seeking young-spirited SM, similar age, to share time with. Ad# 7387

PRETTY AND ATHLETIC
Dynamic DWF, 40, 5'3", has a passion for music, arts, travel, seeking handsome SM, 38-42, with like interests. Ad# 1950

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SWCF, 34, 5'3", slender, attractive, N/S, ready for change, good moral values, fun-loving, secure, seeks SBCM, 35-42, similar interests, who is ready for commitment. Ad# 9218

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SB, mom, 41, is back. Born Again Christian, easygoing, soft spoken, loves long walks, picnics in the park, dining out, seeking sincere, down to earth, Bible believing SM, who is unimpressed, for friendship and companionship. Ad# 1039

IRISH BORN & BRED
DWF, 60, 5'3", 140lbs, Roman Catholic, great smile and personality, flexible, enjoys outdoors, travel, hugs, seeks SM, to share conversation, laughter, good and ordinary times. Ad# 2231

TALL & SLENDER
SWCF, 50s, 5'7" size 10, professional, very active, seeks SM, similar qualities, for friendship, possible relationship. Ad# 1128

GRAD STUDENT
DWF, 26, 5'5", brown hair, N/S, light drinker, enjoys reading, sports, seeking SM, 25-35, N/S, with no children. Ad# 5145

LIKES JAZZ/CLASSICAL
OBCF, 45, mom of two, N/S, home owner, secure, seeking SBCM, 35-45, N/S, church-going, for good friendship. Ad# 8911

WHAT ABOUT YOU?
SWF, 29, 5'7", brown hair/eyes, N/S, never married, seeks honest, never married SWM, 29-34, N/S, with old-fashioned values, for possible relationship. Ad# 1218

LOVES GOD!
SBF, 52, 5'5", 165lbs, attractive, enjoys travel, home life, dining in/out, barbecues, seeks God-fearing SM, over 40, to share interests and possible relationship. Ad# 5151

LET THE LORD LEAD
Born Again SCF, 36, full-figured, employed, enjoys church activities, reading, movies, seeks SM, 30+, who is honest, interested in friendship first, possible relationship, whatever develops from there. Ad# 2259

NEW TO REDFORD AREA
SF, 50, 5'8", size 12/14, attractive, professional, seeks honest, SM, 50+, to share interests, for possible relationship. Ad# 1245

NORTHWEST DETROIT SUBURBS
SW, mom, never married, enjoys outdoors, long walks, sports, relaxing at home, seeks SM, 23-28, who likes kids, similar interests, for possible relationship. Ad# 1264

COULD USE A FRIEND
SWF, 40, seeks nice, sincere, kind, caring, down to earth SM, 30+, for fun and friendship. Ad# 8883

FIRST TIME ADVERTISER
SF, age 40s, N/S, very tight, former Northern Oakland County, good conversationalist, enjoys few markets, the times, marines, seeks SM, to share life's precious moments together. Ad# 2417

SPIRITED BRUNETTE
DWF, youthful 56, 5'2", 120lbs, enjoys line dancing, horseback riding, movies, seeks quiet, SWM, N/S, trim, honest, to share interests, special moments and laughter. Ad# 7533

GIVE ME A CALL
DWF, 20, 5'4", brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys reading, writing poetry, concerts, seeks kind, sweet, understanding SM, for long-term relationship. Ad# 6347

HUMOR?
Lovely 43, enjoys alternative music, theatre, sporting events, outdoor activities, seeks SM, 35-45, who likes to be active, outgoing, adventurous, attractive, DRINK 35-45 who is a sweetheart at heart and laugh? Ad# 8063

WHAT ABOUT YOU?
SWF, 65, seeker, youthful, energetic, outgoing, active, loves movies, intelligent SM, N/S, to share similar interests. Ad# 3998

WHADDYA THINK?
Dwn mom, 37, professional, petite, enjoys outdoors, outdoors, quality time with friends and family, seeks professional SWM, 36-42, family-oriented, who shares values and interests. Ad# 4051

WHAT CAN YOU LOSE?
SWF, 28, brown hair/eyes, seeks interesting SM, many varied interests to share fun, friendship, and possible relationship. Ad# 9929

IS THIS YOU?
SB, mom of two, 31, professional, sportsaholic, enjoys long walks, travel, basic things in life, seeks SM, similar interests and qualities, who wants to possibly develop a relationship. Ad# 1226

NOT INTO BAR SCENE
SWF, 34, 5'3", Italian, enjoys sports, animals, outdoors, seeks SM, 30-40, 5'8"+, who is tired of head games, for possible relationship. Ad# 3611

FRIENDSHIP FIRST
SBF, 32, 5'8", 140lbs, attractive, N/S enjoys movies, the arts, mystery novels, travel, quiet evenings, long walks, seeks SM, 28-38, who is ready for friendship first, possible relationship. Ad# 5663

SHARE LIFE'S UPS AND DOWNS
SF, 46, 5'7", enjoys fishing, bowling, dancing, movies, seeks SM, The kids are seeking their destiny and it's time I did too. Ad# 8319

GOOD FRIENDS ARE IMPORTANT
SF, 56, attractive, intelligent, adventurous, flexible, enjoys sports, culture events, seeks SM, for friendship and possibly more. Ad# 4680

TALL AND ATTRACTIVE
SWCF, 37, 5'8", 125lbs., single mother, enjoys bike riding, camping, long walks, cooking, seeking professional SWM, N/S, 35-45, 5'11"+, who enjoys children and similar activities. Ad# 2458

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Recently DBF, 37, positive, optimistic, patience of Job, enjoys conversation, jazz, classical, concerts, seeks special, quiet, respectful, professional SBM, a king in need of his queen. Ad# 1418

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WWBF, 65, 5'4", full-figured, attractive, Catholic, retired, enjoys concerts, dining out, church activities, theatre, figure skate, seeks intelligent SCM, 65-75, for companionship. Ad# 1656

TIRED OF BEING ALONE?
DWF, 35, 5'8", green eyes, brunette, likes doors opened, flowers, togetherness, seeks financially secure, romantic SM, 5'11"+, knows how to treat a lady, for serious relationship. Ad# 8895

EDUCATED PROFESSIONAL
WWM, 53, 5', 110lbs., one child, enjoys reading, gardening, seeks SF, 45-60, similar interests, for companionship. Ad# 5000

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OPEN-MINDED & VERSATILE
SF, 42, kind & considerate, enjoys live jazz, reading, designing jewelry, travelling, camping, seeking attractive, professional, down-to-earth SM, similar interests, for possible relationship. Ad# 6273

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SWEET, HONEST & SINCERE
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YOUNG GRANDMOTHER
SF, 46, 5', blonde hair, blue eyes, likes bowling, dancing, barbecues, looking for SM, to share life's dreams and disappointments. Ad# 7348

LOOKING FOR SOUL MATE
SF, 48, enjoys traveling, musical affairs, seeking SM, who shares the same interests. Ad# 1977

YOUNG AT HEART
WWWF, 59, 5'2", non-smoker, romantic, warm, loving, likes walking, dining out, quiet evenings at home, seeking SM, to share interests. Ad# 2424

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CREATIVE AND FUN-LOVING
DW, mom, 41, 5'8", healthy, enjoys golfing, skiing, rollerblading, quiet walks, antiques, seeks DWM, 40-47, believes in the sanctity of body, mind and spirit. Ad# 7272

WHAT DO YOU THINK?
SWF, 69, semi-handicapped, seeks same in SM, to share precious moments together. Ad# 2600

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MALES

PREFER FULL FIGURES
SBM, 40, seeks full-figured SCF 35-45, any size/race, to share walks in the park, movies, fellowship, kids okay, for possible relationship. Ad# 4610

OUT OF AFRICA
Born Again SCM, 31, 5'10", 160lbs., college-degreed, employed in family business, honest, caring, seeks SWCF 20-24, similar qualities, for possible relationship. Ad# 7697

WANTED: CATHOLIC GIRL
SM, 33, enjoys dancing, dining out, watching movies at home, seeks Catholic SF for possible monogamous relationship. Ad# 3199

OLD-FASHIONED MORALS
SM, 30, 6', 190lbs., blue-eyed blond, family-oriented, down-to-earth, enjoys travel, dining out, hiking, biking, seeks SF, for friendship first, possible relationship. Ad# 8056

WHERE IS MS. RIGHT?
SWM, 20, tall, athletic, seeks compatible, open-minded SF who enjoys going out, is continuing her education, for possible serious relationship. Ad# 9713

NEVER MARRIED, NO KIDS
Baptist SBM, 32, 6'5", 190lbs., professional, ambitious, outgoing, enjoys parks, jazz clubs, gospel concerts, seeks drug-free SB/WHF, 24-32, great personality/humor, N/S, non-drinker Adr# 2535

READY FOR A RELATIONSHIP
SWM, 31, 5'8", 185lbs., professional, enjoys biking, movies, dining out, seeks honest, trustworthy SF petite to medium build, for possible serious, committed relationship. Ad# 5252

HANDSOME GUY
SM, 37, trim build, dark hair, N/S, social drinker, seeks caring, affectionate, good-humored SF, to share good times and laughter Adr# 8532

WHAT DO YOU THINK?
SM, 43, seeks nice, hardworking SF 35-45, with her own transportation, for fun, friendship and possible relationship. Adr# 5567

WOW!
SBM 32 6'3" slim, very handsome would rather show her his petite SBF 28-35, with compassion, love and commitment, rather than materialistic necessities, in possible everlasting relationship. Adr# 7183

"And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32

SEEK GOD TOGETHER
SWM, 30, 5'7", 180lbs., fit, home owner, good job, enjoys working out, outdoors, family and friends, seeks SF, 25-35, beautiful inside and out, for friendship, maybe more. Adr# 3657

STUDENT OF MIRACLES
SWM, 36, 5'8", fit, N/S, enjoys talking about giving, loving, sharing, growing, awareness, understanding, seeks SF, with similar focus, for a relationship of unlearning. Adr# 9230

ITALIAN DESCENT
S dad of one, 34, 5'11" 165lbs., a deep person, enjoys outdoors, walks, romance, seeks honest, good, pretty, nice SF for friendship, maybe more later. Adr# 7419

SOUND LIKE YOU?
SM, 28, 5'7", 140lbs., down-to-earth, seeks fun-loving, music, dancing, watching movies at home, hanging out SF, enjoys dancing, watching movies at home, hanging out Adr# 4348

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WM, 34, enjoys computers, software, church, functions, dining out, movies, concerts, seeking WF, with similar interests, for friends first relationship. Adr# 5534

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CUTE GUY
SWM, 37, brown hair, blue eyes, N/S, intelligent, warm, caring, good personality, enjoys golf, cooking, movies, dining out, seeks compatible lady, for possible relationship. Adr# 8338

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OPEN-MINDED
SM, 37, likes travel, outdoors, conversation, seeking SF, who likes the same things, and wants someone who will listen to her. Adr# 2149

COLLEGE GRAD
SWM, 32, 6' 175lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, likes sports, dining out, rollerblading, seeking SF, to get together with, maybe more. Adr# 1990

OPEN TO FUN
SWM, 23, likes hanging out, being romantic, going out and having fun, seeking like-minded SF, to share good times, maybe more. Adr# 6652

JOHN GOODMAN TYPE
SWM, 33, 6'2", 340lbs., dark brown curly hair, green eyes, short beard and mustache, lives in Westland area, seeking SBF, 25-45, for friendship first, conversation, good times. Adr# 5544

STRONG MORALS/VALUES
SWM, 54, 5'10", 170lbs., enjoys flea markets, antiques, outdoors, good food, seeking healthy SWF, 35-54, easy going and easy to get along with. Adr# 1474

VERY ATTRACTIVE
SM, 29, likes sports, outdoors, summertime, boating, going out on dates, seeks very classy like-minded SF, to get together with. Adr# 1276

LET'S TALK SOON
SWCM, 35, 5'9", dark brown hair/eyes, N/S, enjoys outdoor activities, trips, movies, quiet nights at home, seeks SF, similar interests, for a possible relationship. Adr 4477

LOVE TO SHARE
DWM, 37, 5'7", enjoys swimming, long walks, amusement parks, candlelit dinners, lots of love to share with the right SF 28-40, 5'-5'6" weight proportionate, honest and sincere. Adr 8957

DEVOTED DAD
DW dad, 36, 5'8", great shape, attractive, spontaneous, generous, professional, enjoys cooking, sports, movies, seeks understanding, caring, loving DWF, 34-38, kids okay, for future possibilities. Adr 1200

A LITTLE BIT NERVOUS
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WHY NOT CALL?
SWM, 18, 5'9" 185lbs., N/S, non-drinker, enjoys movies, concerts, walks in the sunset, seeks SF, to share interests and possible relationship. Adr 3478

SOUND COMPATIBLE?
SWM, 25, employed, never married, employed, home owner, enjoys sports, movies, concerts, fine dining, seeks attractive SF, to share interests, possible relationship. Adr 7591

HOPE YOU CALL
SBM, 42, flexible hours, seeks sincere, kind, sweet, loving, spontaneous SF, who believes in sharing every thing, together, for possible relationship. Adr 8139

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SWM, 24, 6'2", enjoys movies, picnics, romance, antiques and old cars, seeks attractive, slim, open-minded SF, for friendship first, possible relationship. Adr 8652

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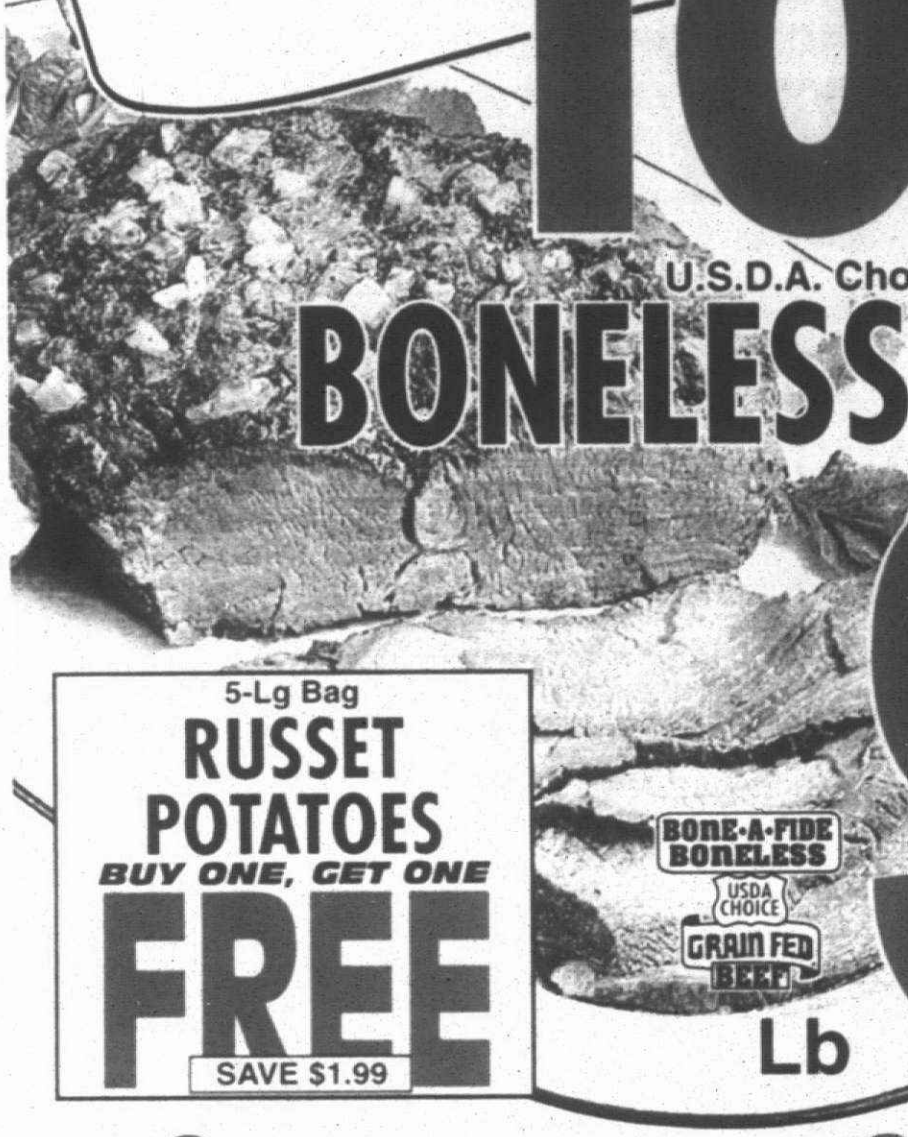
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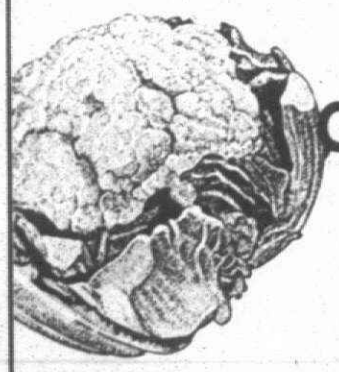
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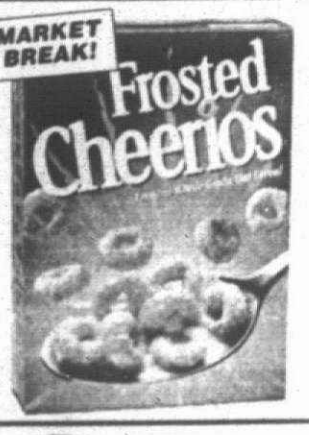
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NEW HOMES

Quality is the theme for this upscale subdivision

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

The two builders in the second phase of Woods of Orchard Lake in West Bloomfield offer plenty of amenities at no extra cost and promise quality construction and attention to detail to buyers of their upscale houses.

"We do a lot of custom building," said Stuart L. Michaelson, president of Stewart Homes.

"People don't like to get hit with a ton of extras," said Rob Polsinelli, vice president of Summit Homes. "They like a complete package."

And that's exactly what purchasers get regardless of which builder they choose.

Standard features in all houses include three-car garage, fireplace, air conditioning, oven, cooktop and dishwasher, first floor laundry, whirlpool tub in master suite, recessed lighting package, crown moldings and basement.

Stewart's prices range from $384,900 for a 3,650-square-foot two-story with four bedrooms and 2½ baths to $332,900 for a 2,710-square-foot two-story with three bedrooms and 2½ baths.

Summit's prices go from $350,900 for 3,300-square-foot colonials with four bedrooms and 2½ baths to $312,000 for a 2,900-square-foot colonial with four bedrooms and three baths.

"West Bloomfield schools — that's the number one selling point," said Rick Ankofsky, sales rep for Summit.

"We aren't exposed to traffic, and we're not near major roads," said Aziz Haridy, sales rep for Stewart.

"There is no typical buyer," Ankofsky added. "You have professionals, the merchant class. They all have one thing in common. They work hard."

"It may be their third build," Polsinelli said. "Transferees you get a lot of. Younger people 30 to 45. Lots of kids."

"People like privacy," Michaelson said. "It's amazing how they want to be backing up to woodlands, preserve areas."



TAMMIE GRAVES/STAFF ARTIST



Dunston model: *This 3,650-square-foot colonial built by Stewart Homes features four spacious bedrooms and plenty of living space on the main floor.*

Summit's on-site model, the Bradford, 3,300 square feet, carries a base price of $350,900.

The main floor features a living room with cathedral ceiling, a study with an 11-foot ceiling, family room with fireplace and pan ceiling, and kitchen/eating nook with an island, built-in desk and pantry.

A butler's pantry is between the kitchen and dining room. The staircase has steps going up off the main foyer and the kitchen.

The step-up master upstairs has a separate tub and shower, dual-sink vanity, dressing area, large walk-in closet and pan ceiling.

Three other upstairs bedrooms share a full bath.

The model, which features upgrades like wood paneling, a third full bath upstairs and modifications to the second bath, partially-finished basement plus landscaping, is stickered at $419,900.

Summit offers six other floor plans.

Stewart's model, the Dunston, 3,650 square feet, has a base price of $384,900.

A more formal great room and dining room run across one end of the house, a more contemporary kitchen/eating nook/family room combination across the back.

A large walk-in pantry and butler's pantry are between the kitchen and dining room. The kitchen also has a built-in desk.

A library is off the main foyer.

Upstairs, the master features a pair of walk-in closets, dual-sink vanity, separate tub and shower and tray ceiling. Three other bedrooms share a full bath.

The on-site model, with a completely finished lower level walkout, landscaping and an extra fireplace on a lot overlooking a pond is priced at $542,000.

Stewart offers seven other plans.

Exterior materials on all Summit and Stewart models include brick and wood siding — no vinyl or aluminum.

Woods of Orchard Lake is serviced by city water and sewers. There are no sidewalks.

The property tax rate is now $30.36 per $1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value. That means the owners of a $360,000 house would pay nearly $5,500 the first year.

Kathy and Michael Gulli bought a Bradford from Summit.

"One of our criteria was to have our daughter in an excellent school system," Kathy said. "We like the exteriors of the homes here, brick exteriors. We were attracted by quality. Lots are very wooded.

"We like the floor plan. It's a very popular feature to have a step-up master, split staircases. We did like the jack-and-jill bathroom. As the girls get older, they each have their own sink.

The Stewart model, (810) 363-6161, and the Summit model, (810) 360-2499, at Woods of Orchard Lake are open 1-6 p.m. daily, closed Thursdays.

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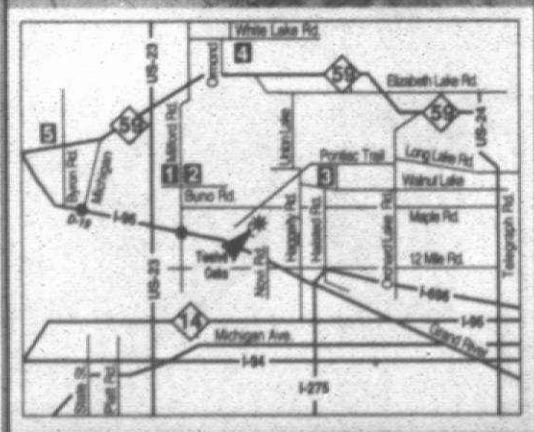
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Wolverine Technologies of Livonia, a leading manufacturer of vinyl building products, has one of the industry's largest selections of siding styles, finishes, trim, accessories and colors.

"When selecting siding for your home — whether to enhance your home's current look or give it a total makeover — remember that success is in the details," said Walter A. Hoyt, director of marketing. Details to consider include the style of the panel, exposure or profile width, texture, finish, accessories and color.

If you seem to find the details overwhelming, don't fret. Hoyt recommends five helpful steps for creating a beautiful, customized house exterior.

1. Select a siding panel. A siding panel's profile refers to its silhouette, which can be flat or can have a shaped contour such as a beaded or bevel edge. You should compare panel's exposures or profile widths, which typically range from three to eight inches. A panel's texture can be smooth or wood-grained. Wolverine siding features a low-gloss finish and looks like freshly painted clapboard, according to Hoyt.

For a classic look that's reflective of early American houses in seaboard states and quite popular today across the country, Wolverine offers its American Legend siding, available in three profiles and 10 colors. American Legend features an exclusive design feature called Grip Lock that enables installers to "snap" panels together, creating a secure lock for increased stiffness, less sag and attractive installations, according to Hoyt.

2. Next, select trim elements, which include corner posts and window and door surrounds. Corner posts can be wide or narrow, flat or fluted with round or square edges, depending upon the style you wish to achieve. Window and door surrounds can a simple, for a modern streamlinrd look, or intricately detailed to duplicate historic styles.

3. Consider your accessory options such as beaded panels for soffits, porch ceilings and exterior wainscoting. Vinyl lattice is low-maintenance and works well for exterior porches and stairs.

4. Think about dramatic accents such as fishscale shingles in round, square or octagonal shapes for gable and dormer areas. These shapes, traditionally used on Victorian-style houses, can add flair to any house style. You may also wish to apply siding diagonally on dormered areas or vertically for a striking touch.

5. Design with color. Hoyt recommends selecting a siding color thatcomplements your existing roof. You can choose trim colors that complement or contrast with your siding. Select a monochromatic color scheme to enhance any style house from traditional to modern. For a more dramatic effect and to accentuate a house's details, use a contrasting trim color. To facilitate the color selection process, certified Wolverine dealers can provide you with an Exterior Color System guide which provides the opportunity to mix and match panel and trim colors with the roof's color.

To assist homeowners further, Wolverine offers its Exterior Design System, a total systems approach to exterior finishes, which allows you to combine trim elements, textures and coordinating colors with vinyl siding and accessories.

"Vinyl eliminates concerns over value, durability and maintenance," said Hoyt. "You can focus on the more fun aspects of re-siding — creating a home exterior that's as individual as you are."

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Reroofing involves more than choosing shingle colors

When it is time to replace their roof, most homeowners concern themselves with choosing an attractive style and leave the rest up to their contractor.

Because roof replacement requires a considerable investment, homeowners should know all the facts when discussing re-roofing options with their contractor. A little knowledge can go a long way,especially when it comes to the life of your roof.

Take home ventilation for example, a topic directly affecting a home's roof. "We've found that many homeowners are unaware of the need for roof ventilation," said Marianne Horvat, director of marketing, Air Vent Inc., Peoria Heights, Ill., a leading manufacturer of ridge ventilation products. "For instance, an improperly ventilated attic can cause heat and moisture to become trapped under the roof's deck, which can result in damage to shingles and the roof structure. Also, an unventilated attic can invalidate your shingle warranty."

Poor attic ventilation can also lead to ice dams. This occurs in the Snowbelt region when heat from the attic combined with heat from the sun melt snow on the roof and the resultant water flows down the roof and refreezes at the eaves. This ice build-up can distort gutters and settle under roof shingles, causing damage. As the ice begins to melt, water can leak behind wall cavities resulting in damage to ceilings and walls.

While there are many roof ventilation systems on the market, a balanced system of soffit and continuous ridge vents provides the most efficient ventilation method, according to Horvat.

Soffit vents, installed under the eaves of a home, provide an inlet of air flow. Ridge vents, installed across the entire roof's peak, or ridge, supply an outlet for air flow. According to Horvat, this system aids in reducing heat build-up and excess moisture, and helps to keep the roof deck temperature uniform. Because ridge vents help keep roof decks cool in winter, they also help prevent ice dams, which leads to a longer-lasting roof.

"A ridge vent is a great system to use, but it must have an external baffle such as the kind built into Air Vent's ShingleVent II ridge vent to work most efficiently," said Horvat. A ridge vent, installed over a slot cut at the ridge of the roof, provides proper ventilation through two kinds of air movement: warm air rising in the attic and being expelled at the highest point in the roof;and wind passing over the ridge and creating negative pressure which pulls air and moisture out of the attic. The external baffle helps to create negative pressure by directing air up and over the vent.

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"Put simply, installing a ridge vent system like ShingleVent II is a smart decision when re-roofing your home," said Horvat. "They're usually no more expensive to install than conventional ventilation systems."

Once you're familiar with ventilation options, it's important that your roofing contractor is, too. When selecting contractor to perform the work, th National Roofing Contractors Association (NRCA) recommends that you prequalify the company to ensure the job is done right. The association offers a number of tips when evaluating roofing contractors:

1) Check for a permanent place of business, tax identification number and where appropriate, a business license.

2) Insist on seeing copies of their liability coverage and workers' compensation certificates.

3) Look for a company with a proven track record that readily offers client references and a list of completed projects.

For more information about ShingleVent II, any other Air Vent product or for a free copy of Air Vent's informational brochure, "Ridge Vent Airflow Performance Tests," write to: Air Vent Inc., 4801 N. Prospect Road, Peoria Heights, IL 61614; or call 800 247 8368.

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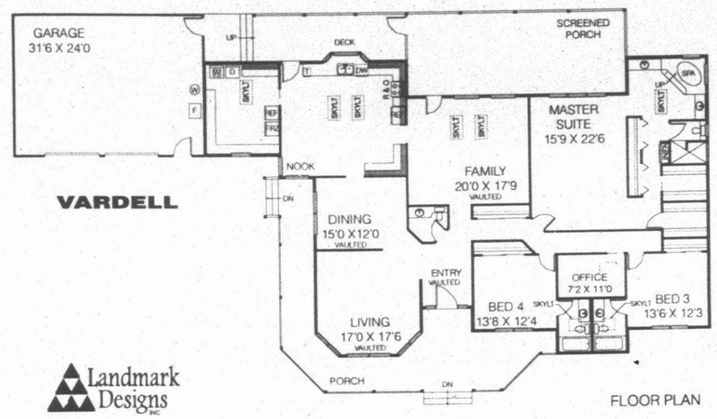
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Prestwick Village Golf Club is located on M-59 in Highland Township, just north of the Village of Milford. The development encompasses 426 acres of natural rolling terrain, woodlands and picturesque lakes. There are 306 half-acre custom homesites. To date, a third of the homesites have been sold in less than twelve months.

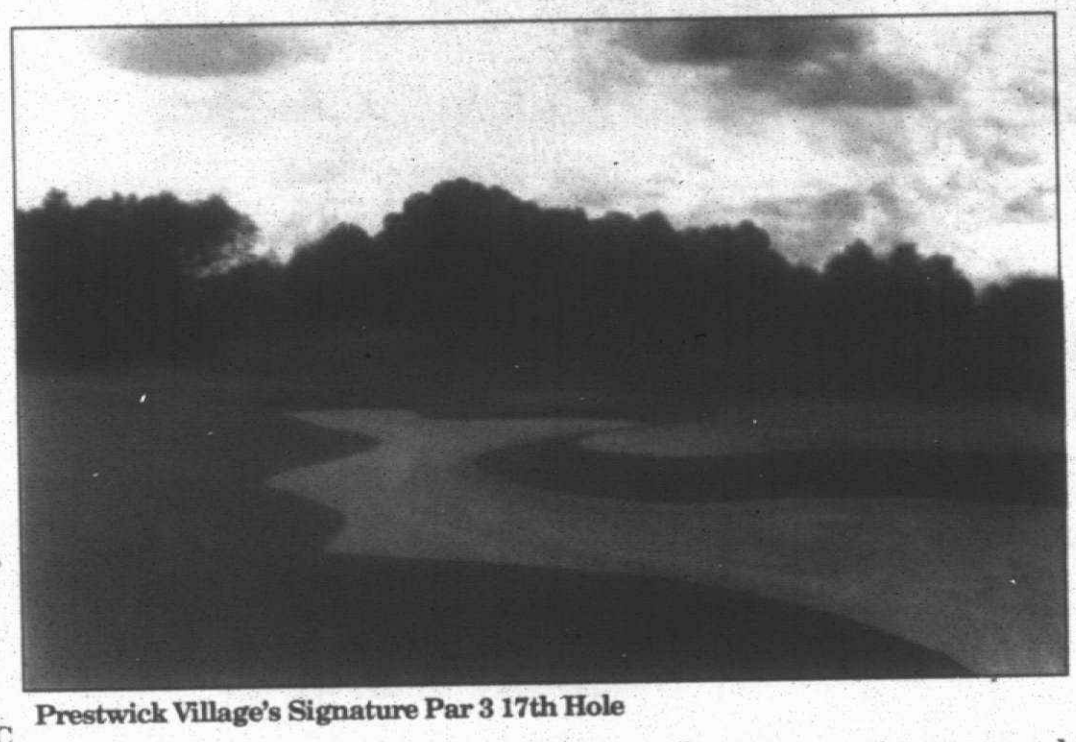
"Our sales success is due to the quality of our amenities, the lifestyle our community will provide, and the price point of our homes" stated Managing General Partner Roy Gaddey.

"The theory behind Prestwick Village was why do people in Michigan have to wait until retirement, or buy a second home to enjoy this type of lifestyle? We have now provided the quality lifestyle people are looking for."

Gaddey, a 1972 Plymouth Salem graduate, hired Florida golf course architect Ron Garl to design the Par 72, 7077 yard, centerpiece of the community.

Garl has designed more than 100 courses worldwide, including 10 of the top 50 ranked courses in Florida, including Fiddlesticks CC, Golden Ocala GC, Grenelefe South GC, University Park CC, TPC at Prestancia, Bloomingdales GC, and the Palm Beach Polo & CC.

"Seven holes will look like a northern Michigan course with heavy woods. Six holes will look like Florida with water coming into play. The remaining five holes will have a Carolina look with large sand & waste bunkers," Gaddey explained.



Prestwick Village's Signature Par 3 17th Hole

In most cases homes will be located only on one side of the fairway, so members will not have the feeling of playing through a subdivision.

One other feature of the golf course is its size. "The course is 25% wider than a normal golf course. This was done so the homes do not sit so close to the golf course, and to protect the integrity of the course." stated Gaddey.

Construction of the course will be completed by the end of this month, with a Summer 1996 opening planned.

In addition to the private championship golf course, other amenities will include a 20,000 square foot clubhouse, a pool & tennis center, 26 acre golf practice facility, 9 hole putting course and cross country skiing.

The half-acre+ lots range from $60,000 to $119,000 and include the $19,000 membership to the club.

Buyers have the option of bringing in their own house plans or using plans from one of the five exclusive builders at Prestwick Village.

Home builders for the development include Carlson Homes of Highland Township, JAL Properties of Novi, Master Craft Development of Milford, Newport Homes of Commerce Township and Triangle Development of Southfield.

Gaddey said homes will range from $240,000 to $600,000, with the average home costing approximately $375,000.

Prestwick Village is located in the center of the Highland Recreation area which provides additional recreational opportunities including downhill skiing, boating and fishing. The award winning Huron Valley Schools, excellent shopping, expressways and many parks are located nearby.

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